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"Hitler's Buddie"—Then



In contrast to the cordiality displayed here, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, left, regent of Hungary, is now reported held as hostage by Adolf Hitler while German troops march into Hungary because of the latter's refusal to give more aid against the Russians. In this photo, Hitler, right, was escorting Horthy through the streets of Kiel in the summer of 1938 and Horthy was paying a visit of state to Germany at that time. (NEA Telephoto.)

Fifth Army Forces Beat Off Dogged Nazi Counterattacks

By RICHARD G. MASSOCK
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES—(AP)—Fifth Army forces doggedly flung back German attacks Wednesday on their Cassino positions while in the air war Allied bombers struck sharply at enemy supply lines in Northern Italy. Allied headquarters announced Thursday. In the southern head of Cassino, New Zealanders were engaging the enemy at close quarters. Allied artillery knocked out a German tank emplaced in one wrecked building, raising to five the total destroyed in the week of fighting.

American Battle Casualties Set At 168,292

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Battle casualties of American Army and Navy forces since the start of the war stand at 168,292. Secretary of War Stimson said Thursday that Army casualties—dead, wounded, missing and prisoners—amounted to 126,193 up to March 7. The Navy's casualties—Navy, Marines and Coast Guard—are 42,099.

Rail Lines Attacked

Rail lines in Northern Italy were hit heavily Wednesday and Wednesday night, both heavy and lighter bombers participating. American Flying Fortresses and Liberators hit Verona and Bologna, on the route south from the Brenner Pass, as well as Rimini, important junction point on the Adriatic midway between Venice and Ancona. Padua, west of Venice, was attacked by night-flying RAF Liberators and Wellingtons. Medium and light bombers also joined in the railway attacks with blows against bridges at Poggibonsi and Arezzo, south of Florence, and Popoli, in front of the Eighth Army line.

Oklahoma Congressional Election Holds Eye Of Politicians

MUSKOGEE, OKLA.—(AP)—Oklahoma's second district congressional campaign moved into the final stage Thursday, with Senator E. H. Moore declaring a Republican triumph might bring the fourth term movement to an end.

Goodman Resigns From Legislature

Gov. Coke R. Stevenson in Austin Thursday announced he had accepted the resignation of State Rep. James H. Goodman of Midland, who has accepted a position with a federal agency.

Are You Ready?—Scouts Will Want Old Paper Saturday

Saturday, March 26, is the day. The goal is 50,000 pounds of waste paper, collected and bundled, to be sent to the nation's paper mills for reclamation.

Mount Vesuvius Keeps Spewing Volcanic Ash

POMPTI—(AP)—Mount Vesuvius continued to spew volcanic ash and cinders Thursday, and although the rain of ashes was less intense in Pompei further report indicated crop damage was greater than at first surmised.

PAINTING STOLEN

NEW YORK—(AP)—Theft of a small 14th century Simone Martini painting, valued at between \$3,000 and \$5,000, from an Italian renaissance collection at the Metropolitan Museum of Art baffled police Thursday.

WEATHER

Fair, slightly warmer.

SECOND ENEMY COLUMN DRIVES DEEP INTO INDIA

Hitler Tightens Grip On Balkan Countries

By EARNEST AGNEW
LONDON—(AP)—Adolf Hitler was reported tightening his grip on every nation of Southeastern Europe Thursday after installing a puppet regime in Hungary, a step that Berlin propagandists sought to justify as counteracting Allied "intrigues" and "the Bolshevik menace."

In the first official Nazi announcement since German armed forces crossed Hungary's borders early Monday, the Berlin radio said Wednesday a new government had been formed in Budapest under a Quisling premier and a German gauleiter.

U. S.-Finnish Break May Be Near At Hand

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A break between the United States and Finland appeared Thursday all but inevitable. The only thing believed capable of preventing final diplomatic rupture would be some official word that peace negotiations between the Finns and Russia have not collapsed completely.

A Daily Mail dispatch from Madrid said German airborne troops were seizing Bulgaria's railroads and communications systems and had detained the Soviet ambassador and occupied the embassy in Sofia. Bulgaria and Russia have remained at peace although on opposite sides in the world conflict.

Stevenson Will Seek New Term As Governor

AUSTIN—(AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson Thursday announced his candidacy for democratic renomination. The governor will be seeking his second elective term. As lieutenant governor he became governor in succession to W. Lee O'Daniel in August, 1941, when O'Daniel took his seat in the United States Senate. Stevenson was the democratic nominee for governor in 1942 and was elected to a full term in the general election of that year.

Myron Selznick Dies

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—(AP)—Myron Selznick, 45-year-old actor, agent associated with the motion picture industry for nearly 30 years, died early Thursday in Santa Monica Hospital.

Contractors Finish Rankin Road Paving

Thomas & Ratliff, contractors, have completed the \$77,000 project which called for the paving of a 12-mile stretch of highway from Midland south on the Rankin Road. Asphalt was laid on the last link Wednesday, and the road will be ready for use as soon as the State Highway Department makes its final inspection.

2 New Tests In Pecos And 1 For Crockett Staked

Locations for two more shallow wildcats in North-Central Pecos County, and for a new exploration in West Crockett County, have been staked.

WAR AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press
RUSSIA—Red Army drives within 25 miles of Prut River border of Rumania.

GERMANY—High command reports new Russian offensive southeast of Vitebsk.

ENGLAND—1,500 American bombers bombard German air force home bases.

ITALY—Fifth Army flings back Germans at Cassino.

BALKANS—Hitler reported ready to kidnap Rumanian government.

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Senate's new 11-man oil committee Thursday began an investigation into plans for a pipeline to transport oil products from the Persian Gulf area to the Mediterranean—a project condemned by one senator as an attempt of the administration to get into the private oil business.

The criticism was made by Senator Moore (R-Okla.) of a program sponsored by Interior Secretary Harold Ickes.



Germans March In

As Russian forces drive within 25 miles of Rumania's Prut River border, Hitler has taken control of Hungary and is reported tightening his control over Bulgaria and Rumania in preparation for a last ditch stand against the growing Soviet menace to Fortress Europe.

Soviets Battle Within Sight Of Germans' Nikolaev Base

MOSCOW—(AP)—Russian troops fought Thursday within sight of the Black Sea naval base of Nikolaev and drove into the hills of Bessarabia.

The battle for Nikolaev has begun and the Germans appear doomed, the Russian announcement said.

Marshal Ivan S. Konev's mobile troops reached points 25 miles from the Prut River, where the Romanians and Germans launched their invasion of Russia.

Two Rumanian divisions with German commanders and storm troops offered sharp resistance in the rolling hills but failed to arrest the tremendous tempo of the Red Army.

German planes in great numbers sought to destroy bridges and roads behind the Russians, but bridges over the Dniester and Southern Bug River were too numerous and the Red Army was too strong.

The German high command said Thursday fighting was going on in side Kovel and northwest of that center below the Pripet Marshes in the eastern part of old Poland—approximately 50 miles beyond the announced positions of the Red Army.

Repulse Red Attacks
The German garrison at Kovel repelled renewed Russian attacks, a broadcast communique said, "and shot up six out of 10 enemy tanks which had broken into the town."

A new Russian offensive southeast of Vitebsk on the other side of the marshes also was reported by the Germans.

Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First Ukrainian Army continued its slow but steady push southwest of Kremenets toward the large industrial center of Lwow. More than 1,000 Germans were killed, many prisoners and much booty captured in a single battle in this area, a Soviet bulletin asserted.

On the southeastern end of the 500-mile-long Ukrainian front, Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky's forces staggered the German line by capturing the important fortified railway junction of Pervomaisk, driving to the approaches of Vosnesensk, 65 miles northeast of Odessa.

Banner To Try Again
Ben Banner No. 1 H. L. Blett will be 577 feet from the north and 3,800 feet from the east lines of section 45, block 1, H&C survey, in West Crockett County. Cable tools will be used to drill this development to a pay expected around 2,900 feet.

Cherry & Kidd, Dallas, No. 1-7 Mrs. D. S. Wright, at the center of labor 7, league 59, Martin County School Land survey, is a new prospector in East-Central Cochran County which will try to find the Slaughter pay, about a mile west of the nearest proven acreage.

Humble's Scarborough Changed
Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Scarborough, West Andrews County exploration, had a change in formation and was coring below 8,946 feet in lime and shale. The operator has not reported what the change was.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 234 Walton, Kermil-Ellenburger outpost, was going in to take a five-foot core from 10,706 feet in dolomite. A core taken just above (Continued on Page 4)

Japs Within 30 Miles Of Vital Allied Base

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH
NEW DELHI—(AP)—Japanese columns invading India now threaten Imphal, key road center in Manipur, from the south and east, it was disclosed Thursday when Allied headquarters told of an enemy force which has driven more than 80 miles up the Lower Manipur River Valley from Tiddim in the Chin Hills area.

The headquarters statement said the column was 30 miles from Imphal. This report of a second invasion of India within 24 hours by the Japanese ran counter to previous reports of activity in the Tiddim area, where earlier announcements indicated the enemy was confined within the Burma borders.

Allied Planes Smash Nazi Air Centers

Wednesday's report said an Allied force had been dispatched to "deal with Japanese outflanking north of Tiddim," but gave no hint that the enemy had slammed 80 miles into India from the south as well as from the east.

The eastern Japanese invasion force was also reported about 30 miles away from Imphal. The rice paddies of the Imphal plain would be readily adaptable to airstrips, if the Japanese have the planes available to use them.

When and if the fighting breaks into the open plain, the Allied air superiority against the almost non-existent or carefully husbanded Japanese air strength in this theater is expected to play a heavy role.

Japanese pressure appeared to be growing along the whole Burma front, although headquarters here said Allied troops were converging on the enemy invasion columns in India.

Japanese activity was especially noticeable to the south on the coastal plain below Maungdaw in Arakan and in the western foothills of the Mayu Mountain range, the communique said, with Allied bombers and fighters maintaining a ceaseless offensive against objectives in these areas, as well as positions in the Chindwin Valley, the Chin Hills and Kaladan.

In North Burma, Chinese forces were engaged in heavy fighting in the northern part of the Mogaung Valley after conquest of the Hukawng Valley, and were battling strong Japanese forces northeast of Shaduzup.

RAF Follows Up
Berlin, attacked Wednesday by 600 or more Flying Fortresses and Liberators and at least an equal number of fighters and with a bomb load of about 1,500 tons, was harassed again Wednesday night by Mosquitos which also hit other objectives in Western Germany.

Altogether, the RAF announced, 33 aircraft were missing in the night operations.

The attack on Frankfurt, the 48th of the war and the 11th heavy bombardment the city has undergone, left large fires burning and smoke rising to a great height, the Air Ministry said.

It was the third time in a week that the RAF has sent out a force of over 1,000 planes.

No Opposition For School Candidates

The names of only two candidates, both unopposed, will appear on the ballot of the Midland Independent School District at its regular election April 1. Mrs. D. C. Sivalis, board secretary, said Thursday as she ordered the ballots printed.

The candidates are Hamilton McRae, who seeks reelection, and E. R. Osburn, McRae, an attorney, seeks his second term on the board.

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Osburn, superintendent of the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company, is a candidate for the place which will be vacated by L. C. Link, who will retire after serving two terms. Link did not ask reelection.

Holder members of the board include Mrs. Sivalis, Percy Mims, N. B. Larsh, Percy Bridgewater and Paul Nelson. Members of the board are elected for three year terms.

\$16 Billions Goal Set For Fifth War Loan By Morgenthau

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A \$16,000,000,000 goal has been fixed for the Fifth War Loan, Secretary Morgenthau disclosed Thursday. "Because we need it for the war and because we've been assured that we can get it."

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Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.—Ephesians 6:13.

Magnesium—A Tale Of Waste

The full sad story of Basic Magnesium, Inc., one of the largest extravagances of the war production effort, is finally revealed through publication of a new, special magnesium report from the Senate's Truman Committee to investigate the National Defense Program.

Final cost of this project is estimated at \$133,000,000, or nearly twice the original estimates.

"In presenting the complete details regarding the construction of the Basic Magnesium project," summarizes the Truman report, "the committee fully realizes that what has been done is a part of the past and, although vast sums of the taxpayers' money have been wasted, no specific recovery can be constructively suggested at this time."

The record goes back to 1936 when Basic Refractories, Inc., headed by Howard Eells Jr. of Cleveland, Ohio, leased deposits of brucite and magnesite ores in Nevada. The magnesite deposits were held by a subsidiary, Basic Ores, Inc., at a book value of \$25,000. This was the egg. Later, DPC was to buy out the Eells interests in these ore deposits for \$450,000, on an appraisal of \$1,500,000.

On July 19, 1941, the under secretary of war "recommended that an agreement be negotiated between the War Department, Defense Plant Corporation and Basic Refractories for a project of a capacity of 112,000,000 pounds, to cost \$63,820,633."

"In the opinion of the committee," says the Truman report, "this was one of the most outrageous and unjustified contracts proposed in connection with the war program and represented a wholly unwarranted gift of government funds by Defense Plant Corporation to a newly organized corporation which had no financial resources and only the most meager experience and talent."

How justified this comment may be is best illustrated by the committee's long and detailed report on the progress of construction.

The plant site was chosen near Basic properties at Luning, Nev., 300 miles from the mines near Gabbs, Nev., to which there was no transportation whatsoever. Ore had to be backhauled from the mines to Ogden, Utah, thence to Luning—950 miles at \$6 a ton.

A 40-inch pipeline over the mountains to Lake Meade and two power transmission lines to Boulder Dam, estimated to cost \$8,000,000, actually cost over \$12,000,000.

By 1945, new power sources will have to be developed to supply the plant's capacity requirements of 1,500,000,000 kw-h.

There were numerous delays. Production of first metal was scheduled for May, 1942, but was not achieved till Aug. 31.

There were minor extravagances, such as 700 executives, 100 of whom drew over \$5000 a year. Stenographers' desks cost \$95.

The ore contained greater impurities than estimated. Construction and the mines at Gabbs, estimated to cost \$3,000,000, actually cost \$7,000,000.

Highly inflammable peat used in the process had to be brought from British Columbia and stored in a \$900,000 wooden warehouse which had to be abandoned because of fire risk.

Salt deposits, at first declared available, were found not to exist and new sources of supply had to be developed in Death Valley. Housing was supposed to be developed by private capital. Such as were built, at a cost of \$3000 per unit, were of flimsy construction which it is said will last only a few years, and Defense Plant Corporation had to authorize expenditures of an additional \$6,000,000 for facilities. Architects' fees of \$25,000 were paid for identical designs on 1000 demountable houses at \$25 per house, and so on.

The whole thing was so bad that in October 1942 a deal was made whereby DPC brought in Anaconda Copper Mining Company to buy 52 1/2 per cent of Basic Magnesium's interest for \$75,000 to bring order out of the chaos. New management, construction of a pilot plant for much-needed research have resulted in saving of several millions of dollars. The plant got to capacity production rate last July.

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Secret Maid Service

This war may go down in history as the period in which men came at last to trust a woman with a secret. The latest support of this thesis is found in a story in the trans-Atlantic edition of the London Daily Mail.

Each night 100 charwomen, carefully selected and sworn to secrecy, come in to clean "invasion headquarters." They scrub and dust surrounded by secret of the second front. They're subject to extraordinary precautions, of course. But they're trusted.

And the price of their secrecy? A top pay of 40 cents an hour.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Politicians who go from side to side don't make much speed forward.

People do a poor job of growing old unless they take their time at it.

Black market prices are high up because some people are low down.

The enemy wants to know what you know, so the best thing to know is enough not to talk.

The road to success is crowded because it's a one-way street—but there's always room for one more.



So You Thought Your Income Tax Worries Were Over — 1944 Declarations Of Estimated Tax Must Be In Hands Of Internal Revenue Collector By April 15

DALLAS — W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue, announced copies of the forms for 1944 Declarations of Estimated Tax have been mailed out to the approximately 150,000 taxpayers who filed 1943 declarations in this district last fall.

Thomas said any other taxpayers who are required to file declarations this year may obtain them by letter request to the Dallas office, or in person from any of the field offices located in Fort Worth, Amarillo, Abilene, Eastland, Lubbock, Odessa, Wichita Falls, Tarkenton, Tyler, Sherman, Paris, Longview, Nacogdoches, San Angelo, Corsicana, and Oak Cliff.

The 1944 declarations are due not later than April 15. Originally scheduled to be filed on March 15 along with 1943 tax returns, the 1944 declarations were postponed until April 15 in order to include provisions of the recently enacted Revenue Act of 1943.

The purpose of these declarations, Collector Thomas explained, is to keep everyone substantially paid up on his income taxes under the pay-as-you-go plan. Most taxpayers are kept approximately paid up by the tax that is withheld from their wages, and therefore do not have to file declarations.

However, some wage earners—particularly clergymen, domestic servants and farm laborers—do not pay up on their income taxes under the pay-as-you-go plan. Most taxpayers are kept approximately paid up by the tax that is withheld from their wages, and therefore do not have to file declarations.

Also, declarations are required to provide a pay-as-you-go method of collecting taxes from business and professional persons and large numbers of others who get all or part of their income from sources where no tax is withheld, such as business profits, dividends, interest, rents, property or stock transactions, or annuities.

Here's Those Rules

A declaration is required on or before April 15 from all citizens or residents of the United States who expect to have during 1944—either alone or together with a wife or husband—

1. Wages subject to withholding exceeding \$2,700 for a single person or \$3,500 for a married couple living together.
2. Or, more than \$100 income from all other sources if the total of such income plus wages subject to withholding is (a) \$500 or more for a single person, or (b) more than \$624 for a married person, or (c) \$1,200 or more for a married couple living together.

The first quarterly instalment of estimated tax shown to be due on the declaration should be made at the time the declaration is filed and the remainder should be paid on or before June 15, September 15, and December 15.

Farmers, who receive more than 80 per cent of their income from farming, may, if they desire, postpone the filing of the declarations until December 15. However, if they do wait until December 15, the entire amount of the estimated tax must be paid at that time.

Nicely Complicated

The forms mailed by Collector Thomas include the declaration form itself, which is a short slip 3 1/2 by 8 inches, and is the only form that needs to be filed by the taxpayer. The form is accompanied, however, by two alternative worksheets for the convenience of taxpayers. The taxpayer needs to use only one of these worksheets and should retain it for his personal record.

Members of the armed forces and others who are outside of the continental United States on April 15 will have the usual extensions or postponements.

Collector Thomas announced that Deputy Collectors will be prevented by other pressing work, accumulated during the recent Income Tax filing period, from visiting various towns of the district expressly to render assistance in filing declarations. The declaration forms are simple and it is thought that most declarants will have no trouble in preparing their own forms by following the accompanying instructions. Assistance can be had by taxpayers in need of it from the field offices located in the cities mentioned above.

Alcohol Makers Get More Sugar But Housewives Not Expected To Feel Pinch Despite Shortage

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Housewives will get just about as much sugar this year as last and there is no prospect sugar will go off the ration list by year's end.

Military needs have increased. More sugar has to be diverted to making industrial alcohol for synthetic rubber. But the total sugar supply in 1944 will be about the same as in 1943.

All this adds up to less sugar for the American home front as a whole. But housewives are not expected to feel the pinch.

The government is making up the shortage but cutting down on some industrial users, like makers of ice cream.

Shipping is still a prime bottleneck.

That is a main reason why sugar is likely to stay rationed through 1944 unless there is a great—and fairly quick—improvement in our military fortunes like the surrender of Germany.

The War Food Administration, which allocates our sugar, has based its calculations for the year on arrangements it has worked out with the military authorities—the number of ships it can count on in 1944 for bringing sugar from places like Puerto Rico, Cuba, Hawaii.

Therefore, although more sugar might be obtained if more ships were available, WFA is counting on a total of 6,529,098 tons obtained at home and abroad. This is about as much sugar as we handled in 1943.

In 1943, however, 5,400,000 tons were turned over to the home front. This year it will be 5,074,903. The remaining 1,454,192 tons of the total supply will go to the armed forces, lend-lease and the alcohol makers.

The reason the alcohol makers get more:

Last year much grain had been used in making alcohol for synthetic rubber. The government found it would have to reduce the amount of grain diverted to that use. So sugar was picked to fill the gap.

Difficulties Of South American Oil Exploration Told At Dallas

DALLAS — (AP) — Geologists in session here Thursday had a picture of the difficulties of South American oil production and the accessibility of the vast stores of petroleum in the Near East.

Dr. John E. Rich, head of the geology-geography department of the University of Cincinnati, declared in an address prepared for delivery Thursday before the American Association of Petroleum Geologists that the finding of oil in South America promises to be more than ordinarily difficult because of its inaccessibility, health conditions and the lack of transportation.

Dr. Everett Degolyer, Dallas, consultant for the Petroleum Reserves Corporation, just back from a trip to the Near East, told a joint session of the AAPG, the Society of Exploration Geophysicists and the Society of Economic Paleontologists and Mineralogists, that from an oilman's viewpoint, the Near East is unique because it is not a place for the wildcatter and all the land is under lease or concession. He said the oil in various sectors was found by drilling only 150 wildcats and but a few of them were dry holes.

"The greatest extent of promising territory in South America lies in a belt bordering the eastern base of the Andes mountain system from Tierra del Fuego to the island of

Trinidad," said Dr. Rich, who prior to the war, made a 10,250-mile airplane trip over South America and took nearly 1,000 photographs.

In addition to what he described as the difficulties in finding the oil, Dr. Rich said there would be those of developing it and transporting it to market.

"Some 1,600 miles of the sub-Andean belt from Central Bolivia to the Llanos of Central Colombia is an unbroken tropical rainforest where the heat and humidity are trying and where the presence of tropical diseases will require the utmost vigilance. Transportation in the region is not yet developed and at best the distance to markets is very great."

Debenport Resigns From Odessa C. Of C.

ODESSA — Jerry W. Debenport resigned as manager of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night at a called meeting of its board of directors.

The resignation is effective May 1, 1944. No reason was advanced in the resignation for his action. It was accepted by the directors.

U. S. manufacturing plants, have 50,000 workers absent each day because of accidents.

Stevenson Urges Removal Of PAW Oil Restrictions

By The Associated Press

AUSTIN — (AP) — Gov. Coke R. Stevenson has asked governors of 12 other states to join Texas in a movement seeking return of the "sovereign right" of exclusive regulation in spacing, drilling and producing oil and gas wells.

In a proposed resolution sent by the governor to other member states of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission which meets at New Orleans April 3 and 4, President Roosevelt is petitioned to leave these rights with the states rather than with the Petroleum Administration for War.

PAW Not Needed

The essential need for the PAW is not removed and more wells will be drilled and more oil produced under state control, the resolution declares.

Copies of the document were sent to the governors of Kansas, Illinois, Arkansas, Colorado, Louisiana, New York, Michigan, New Mexico, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania and Kentucky with a letter from Stevenson declaring in part:

"It is my thought that as restrictions become unnecessary they should be promptly dropped to the end that our oil and gas development may be encouraged in every way possible."

Plan To Be Offered

The burden of the resolution—to be offered at the compact commission meeting by the governor and the three members of the Texas Railroad Commission, oil and gas regulatory body—is that PAW was created primarily to meet the emergency need of allocating steel to war plant and war materials construction, a need that has virtually disappeared and PAW requirements as to hearings, applications and reports should be relaxed in states with adequate regulatory authorities created by state law.

It added: "We know that prompt approval of this suggestion and action accordingly taken will be most reassuring to the states. It will show that the Petroleum Administration for War is willing to permit the states to act unhampered in full control and development of their respective state's oil and gas resources."

Greyhound Bus Drivers Strike May Be Ended Soon As WLB Acts

DALLAS — (AP) — Company and union officials said they were attempting to get employees of the Texas-Greyhound Lines back to work by noon Thursday, deadline set by the Eighth Regional War Labor Board for ending a work stoppage in five southern states which began Monday.

Representatives of the Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL) said they had sent a telegram from Dallas to union members in Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and Florida advising that the "board and international officials of the union insist that everyone return to work at once."

The telegram added that the "board will soon hold a panel hearing to ascertain the cause of the trouble."

The union men had insisted that the board send a tripartite panel to New Orleans to "fix responsibility for work stoppages affecting 800 employees which occurred March 2 and March 20."

Frank Buck Gets Lost In Own Home State

EAGLE PASS — (AP) — Frank Buck has "brought 'em back alive" from the jungle wilds and crossed the Pacific Ocean more than 45 times.

But his latest exploit consisted of becoming lost in his own home state of Texas and the resulting airplane trip, the first in his life.

Buck, due at Eagle Pass Air Field Tuesday morning, telephoned that afternoon from Laredo, Texas, saying he boarded the wrong bus at Lily, Texas.

An airplane flew him to Eagle Pass in time for his appearance at the field. Of the flight he said: "You can quote me that I was scared."

A native of Gainesville, Texas, Buck grew up in San Angelo before he began his world search for rare animals.

OPA Ignores Protest Of Gas Ration Slash By Senator O'Daniel

DALLAS — (AP) — Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel, (D-Texas) due to speak in Muskogee, Okla., Thursday night, told a Dallas News reporter he had received no response from Price Administrator Chester Bowles in reply to O'Daniel's protest of the reduction of "A" gasoline coupons.

O'Daniel's public relations agent said that O'Daniel had sent a message of protest to Bowles on the basis that the reduction in the coupons would result in "utterly demoralizing war production and other essential business out here in Texas."

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The War Today — Atlantic Charter May Bring More Heartaches, Headaches To Allies

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press Was Analyst

British Prime Minister Churchill is used to world-wide audiences, but keen attention will be paid his statement in Parliament that there will be renewed consultation between the principal Allies on the application of the Atlantic Charter.

Need of clarification of this historic Allied pledge to mankind long has been apparent. If proof of that were necessary we should find it in the adroit manner in which Mr. Churchill sidestepped any questions about application of the document.

However, we'd don't need further proof than we've long had in the demands from many countries for enlightenment. Self-determination is the big issue.

Churchill declined to be more specific than to say that "the Atlantic Charter stands as a declaration of the spirit and purpose in which its signatories are waging this war—not without success—and that it implies no pact or bargain with our enemies." He left it to these new consultations among the "principal" Allies to deal with this pressing problem which is as full of explosive as a block-buster.

Only last week a motion supported by 70 members to debate the charter was turned down by Premier Churchill, unless the hostile members wished to make it the subject of a "vote of censure" of the government—which they did not.

We are as I see it on the verge of a period of hard-boiled and sometimes harsh realities. What the big three—America, Britain and Russia—have to iron out is whether there's any clash between idealism and stern realities. While one can foresee headaches and heartaches, nothing has arisen thus far to challenge the broad general principles of the original declarations.

However, nothing has happened either to alter the trend towards division of the world into spheres of influence over which will preside the dominant nations.

Abilene Leads In State Liquor Law Violation Convictions

AUSTIN — (AP) — Abilene led other liquor control board districts with 61 convictions for liquor law violations last month.

The board's summary of February enforcement ranked the Austin district second with 29 convictions, Longview third with 28 and Beaumont fourth with 26.

Other convictions, by districts: Amarillo 19, Lubbock 18, Fort Worth 3, Dallas 12, Paris 22, El Paso 2, Big Spring 12, Waco 7, San Antonio 1, Corpus Christi 5, McAllen 6.

Twenty-four jail convictions resulted from the 270 convictions and fines totaling \$37,903 were levied.

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Many sufferers relieve nagging backaches quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

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Baby Beef Roast Pound 30c

Tender Steak Pound 30c

Pork Chops Center Cuts Lb. 38c

Pork Sausage Pound 25c

Society

Corporal Zachery Weds Miss Vera L. Williams In Garden Ceremony

Miss Vera Louise Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, became the bride of Corporal Norman F. Zachery in a garden ceremony at the Cloverdale home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Winkler, uncle and aunt of the bridegroom. The Rev. G. W. Smith performed the single ring ceremony in the presence of more than 90 relatives and friends.

The bride was beautifully attired in a gown of white taffeta with a sweetheart neckline, net skirt, and fingertip veil. Her bouquet was of pink chrysanthemums. Miss Joan Williams, sister of the bride, was made of honor and was dressed in a rose satin gown.

Other attendants were the best man, Billy Zachery, brother of the bridegroom; bridesmaids and their escorts—Miss Frieda Laake, dressed

in blue satin, and Lewis E. Williams; Miss Ermanie Cuthbert, in light blue taffeta, and Eugene Burrow; Miss Doris Smith, in green taffeta, and Punky Burrow; Miss Alberta Lee, in serise jersey, and Bill Lewis; Miss Rosie Hart, in rose taffeta, and Edward Synatschek; Miss Lauragene Lands, in lavender taffeta, and Raymond Winkler; Miss Doris Adams in pink marquisette, and W. T. Burrow Jr. All but one of the bridesmaids are classmates of the bride. Miss Laake caught the bride's bouquet.

Corporal Zachery was a student in Midland High School before entering the Army. He is on two weeks' furlough and will return to his station at Fort Sill, Okla., Sunday. His bride will remain in Midland to finish the high school term.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held. The bride and bridegroom cut a three-tiered wedding cake for the following guests: Pfc. Ed Plumhoff, Pfc. Charles Chamberlin, Charles Welch, Mrs. Henry Locklar, Mrs. C. W. Chamberlin, Mrs. Melba Merritt, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. L. J. Huff Jr., Edward Frauchin, Cerie Cuthbert, Reeves Smith, Lewis Smith, Eugenia Holmes, W. T. Burrow, Lonnie Dillon, Claude Wise, Leonard Winkler, Randall Smith, Melvin Winkler, Walter Synatschek, Lewis Williams, Eugene Burrow, Raymond Winkler, W. T. Burrow Jr., W. F. Zachery, Roxie Smith, Charlene Bleiker, Mrs. Betty Thornton, Mrs. A. B. Cole Sr., Mrs. G. W. Smith, Earl Burrow, Bill Lewis, Pfc. Homer Thornton, Mrs. B. E. O'Neal, Betty O'Neal, Edward Synatschek, Royce Howard, Bunky Burrow, Mrs. Bill Cuthbert, Russell Lynn Osborn, Mrs. W. T. Burrow, LaNell Howard, and Mrs. Ella Ragsdale.

Mrs. Charlie Bleiker, Mrs. Burrow, G. W. Smith, Mrs. Winkler, Mr. Franklin, Mrs. Echols, Christine Smith, Mrs. Reeves Smith, Miss Iva Hart, Miss Vivian Cooper, Mrs. Leonard Winkler, Mrs. Lewis Smith, Mrs. P. A. Brooks, Lavena Brooks, Helen Cooper, Freda Lou Frueley, Mrs. Roy Collins, Patty Smith, Troy Livingston, Buzzie Bleiker, Dorothy Lee Smith, Louise Synatschek, Wilma Smith, Hazel Midkiff, Eileen Eiland, Lois Eiland, Lavana Locklar, Vivian Clark, Juanita O'Neil, L. C. Whately, Billie Franklin, Ernest Locklar, Mrs. John Williams, Miss Joy Williams, Ray Williams, Frieda Laake, Ermanie Cuthbert, Doris Smith, Alberta Lee, Rosie Hart, Lauragene Lands and Doris Nell Adams.



—Courtesy New York Dress Institute

Full Baby Bottle Expected To Last Throughout 1944

By ANN STEVICK
NEA Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON—The full baby bottle is expected to be maintained through 1944, in spite of tremendously increased demands on supplies of milk sugar, which goes into baby foods.

War Food Administration has called on all food-processing industries using milk sugar to state their needs. Then the prospective supply will be allocated to assure such essential users as makers of penicillin and milk-based infant foods that adequate supplies will hold up through next winter, which are low milk-production months.

Milk sugar is a by-product of cheese whey, which is a by-product of cheese. With huge quantities of cheddar cheese being made for Army rations, there is plenty of cheese whey, but facilities for making sugar are limited. They are being expanded at present.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports that milk prices have remained steady in city markets this month. It is expected that the increased dairy subsidy payments will keep them level throughout the year. A new pricing order is forthcoming to whittle the prices on fancy cheeses down nearer to prices of cheddar cheese.

All God's Chillun...
Shoe-shoppers will have a field day the first three weeks in May. A new shoe stamp, as yet undesignated, will be good the first of May. A new good news is that from May 1 to 20, some low-priced children's shoes will be ration-free. These shoes will range from children's sizes 1 1/2 through 12, and misses' and little boys' sizes 12 1/2 through 3. There is an estimated stock of 5,000,000 pairs of these low-priced shoes, but their release for sale under the top retail price of \$1.00 is voluntary, so you may have to shop around.

Odds and Ends
More grapes will be needed for raisins to feed the armed services this year, so there probably will be few fresh grapes seen in the markets. Maximum prices are going to be established for all dates, including green ones, now uncontrolled and selling at very high prices in some cases.

Some of the smartest looking women in the Easter parade will be wearing stripes, with or without furs. The white crepe blouse tied in a bow at the throat softens the slim and fairly severe lines of this silky-textured ensemble in a rascal. As in the majority of the season's striped designs, the stripes go across for the jacket and up and down for the skirt, which is belted in shocking pink crepe in contrast to the grey and white of the suit.

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COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY
The Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 a. m. until 12 noon.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet in the Scharbauer Building of the First Methodist Church at 3 p. m.

SATURDAY
The children's hour in the basement of the Midland County Library will be held at 3:30 p. m.

The Treble Clef Juvenile Club will meet at the Watson Studio.

Guam was discovered by the Portuguese Magellan in 1521.

Girl Scout Leaders Given Training Course

A training course in out-door cooking and the planning of hikes was given Tuesday afternoon to the Girl Scout Leaders Association at the home of Mrs. Robert Turpin. Mrs. James Kidd, West Texas district supervisor, taught the course. Those attending were Mrs. A. L. Repecke, Mrs. C. O. Fredregill, Mrs. Roy Minear, Mrs. Jim Moore, Mrs. A. E. Houck, Mrs. R. L. Gray, Mrs. H. S. Crawford, Mrs. R. L. Aikin, Mrs. H. E. Berg and Mrs. Turpin.

One reason lettuce is no longer transported from distant points is that only an average of 24 pounds of it is consumed from each 285-pound crate shipped.

Mrs. Byerley Reviews Book Of Genesis

Mrs. L. G. Byerley gave an interesting review of the Book of Genesis Monday afternoon at the regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church. Seventeen members were present.

To Arrive Saturday

Mrs. George Brideweser of Maywood, Calif., and her husband will arrive in Midland Saturday for a week's visit with her father, John L. Spurgers, manager of the Petroleum Dry Cleaners.

Frozen apples can sometimes be salvaged by thawing, but should be used immediately since they become mealy quickly.

Ration Calendar

By The Associated Press
MEATS, FATS, etc.—Book 4 stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8, E-8 and F-8 good through May 20. Red tokens good indefinitely.

PROCESSED FOODS—Ten-point blue stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8 and E-8 good through May 20. Blue tokens good indefinitely.

USED FATS—Each pound of waste fat is good for two meat-ration points.

SUGAR—Book 4 stamp 30 valid indefinitely for five pounds; stamp 40 good for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.

SHOES—Book 1 stamp 18 valid through April 30. Book 3 airplane stamp 1 good indefinitely. A new stamp becomes valid May 1.

Gasoline—11-A coupons valid for three gallons from March 22 through June 21—must last three months instead of two under reduction of the "A" ration from three to two gallons a week. B, B-1, C and C-1 coupons good for two gallons. B-2, B-3, C-2 and C-3 coupons good for five gallons.



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300 Midland Women Attend Exhibit And Concert Of Fine Arts Club

About 300 women responded to the Midland Fine Arts Club invitation to attend the organization's annual Texas Day open house Wednesday afternoon in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel. Pat Myers Johnson and Wanda Drago Beall of San Angelo presented a two-piano concert and 21 Texas artists exhibited their paintings.

Mrs. Roy Parks, president of the Midland Fine Arts Club, introduced the musicians and the members of the receiving line. They were Mrs. L. G. Byerley, incoming president of the group; Mrs. Roy Parks, outgoing president; Mrs. Ethel Foster, state president of the Texas Federation of Clubs; Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, president of the eighth federation district; and Miss Lydia Watson, a charter member of the club. Mrs. Parks also introduced Mrs. P. D. Moore, who explained the function of the exhibit.

This exhibit is a representative selection of Texas art and included pastels, oils, and water colors depicting several subjects in a variety of styles. From an entrance list of 300 paintings, 21 are chosen for this traveling exhibit sponsored by the Texas Fine Arts Club. Since the artists receive no pay for having their pictures in roster, it can be said they are sharing their work with the people of Texas.

For the two-piano concert, Mrs. Beall and Mrs. Johnson played the following numbers: "Concerto in D Minor" by MacDowell, "If Thou Art With Me" by Bach, "March, Little Soldier" by Pinto, "Waltz" by Arensky, and "Concerto in D Minor" by Rubenstein.

Spring was the theme and yellow the predominating color of the decorations. Large bowls of spring flowers given for the occasion by the Vestal Floral Company were placed on the stage and on the tea table. A yellow cloth covered the table, and in the center was a large cake of ice in which was formed a hollow to hold the yellow punch.

RAT ERADICATOR BACKFIRES
The mongoose, introduced into the West Indies to kill rats, found domestic poultry more to its liking and became itself, a serious pest.

Hurricanes and earthquakes are common in the Marianas Islands.

Social Situations

THE SITUATION: You are writing a letter of condolence to a good friend whose mother has died after a long illness. How would you convey your sympathy?

WRONG WAY: Write a lengthy letter, dwelling on the illness and all the suffering the person went through, so that your friend will know you are sympathetic.

RIGHT WAY: Write a short note, saying simply how sorry you are. (It is hard for a grief-stricken person to read long letters of condolence—especially those that make the bereaved person remember all the details of the loved one's last illness.)

Son Is Born.
Word has been received here of the birth of a seven-pound four-ounce son, Robert Jr., to Flight Officer and Mrs. Robert E. Howe in Shreveport, La. Flight Officer Howe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe of Midland.

In some major manufacturing industries less than \$1 per worker was spent on safety equipment in 1943.

MISS OATES REVIEWS BOOK BEFORE BETA SIGMA PHI SORORITY

Beta Sigma Phi sorority heard a review of the book, "The Changs of China" by Elma T. Walker, presented by Miss Carolyn Oates Wednesday evening at the Scharbauer Hotel. The book deals with the lives of the Chiang family and their influence in shaping the present China. Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of China's generalissimo, figures most prominently.

Mrs. Francis Harrison gave a report of her recent visit to headquarters office in Kansas City, Mo. The sorority decided to have a barbecue at 6:30 p. m. next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. H. Fine.

Members attending were Mesdames Riley Parr, Cecil Waldrep, Jack Harrison, M. D. Johnson Jr., S. R. McKinney, G. B. Hallman, J. H. Fine, Pete Stringer, John Porter, Ralph Guyger, Archie Estes, R. L. Grubbs, A. L. Barr and A. A. Jones.

The Misses Faye Powers, Nita

Mrs. Corbett Hostess At Study Club Meeting

Mrs. C. W. Corbett was hostess to the Progressive Study Club Wednesday afternoon at her home. The theme of the program was "Texas." Mrs. T. W. Ozanne gave a review of Shine Phillips book, "Big Spring." Those present were Mesdames H. E. Berg, R. A. Estes, W. C. Kimball, Steven Leach, E. A. McCollough, John Porter, Cecil Waldrep, F. B. Whitaker, R. B. Arnold, C. W. Corbett, Carol Mitchell, T. W. Ozanne, and a guest, Mrs. H. D. Aggers.

Causes for the higher frequency of industrial accidents are said to be the hiring of women and the extremely young, and extremely old.

Gotthard, Dorothy Hamilton, Mee-delee Roberts, Faye Frachisour, Leota Segars, Dorothy Pinkerton, Carolyn Oates, Minnie Lee Hankins, Emma John Blake and Deana Gray.

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1-Lb. Jar 24¢
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Lb. 17¢
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Pork Chops Center Cuts Lb. 35¢ Points Per Lb. 6

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Sugar Cured, Hockless Lb. 27¢
Pork Roast
Loin Ends Lb. 28¢ 3 Points per Lb.

AVALON SARDINES
15-Oz. Can 11¢ Points Per Can 11
Mackerel 15-Oz. Can 14¢ 11 Points per Can

Everyday Values
Salt Jefferson Island Hexagon 24-Oz. Pkg. 4¢
Chili Sauce Sniders 12-Oz. Bot. 22¢
Steak Sauce Heinz Point Free 8-Oz. Jar 24¢
Borden's Hemo 1-Lb. Jar 47¢
Malted Milk Carnation 1-Lb. Pkg. 38¢
Sunbrite Cleaner Reg. Can 5¢
Skidoo Cleaner Reg. Can 9¢

SOAP
3 Reg. Bars 20¢
Lux Toilet Soap 3 Reg. Bars 20¢
Guest Ivory Soap Bar 5¢
Lifebuoy Health Soap 3 Reg. Bars 20¢

Rain Drops Ivory Soap
24-Oz. Pkg. 22¢
Med. Bar 6¢

Farm Fresh Produce
No. 1 Idaho Russet
Potatoes 5 Lbs. 22¢
Green Beans Texas Stringless Lb. 15¢
White Squash or Yellow Texas Tender Lb. 10¢
Head Lettuce Crisp Firm Lbs. 9¢
Calavos Nutritious 30 Size 2 for 25¢
Texas Yams No. 1 East Texas Lb. 10¢
Apples Washington Winesap 2 Lbs. 23¢
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Good Things to Eat 4

NOW OPEN: Midland Ice Cream Company; delicious sundaes, banana splits and malts. (310-26)

Beauty Parlors 6

PERMANENT WAVE, \$2.00 to \$7.00. 209 East New York, Phone 1380-W. (8-6)

Lost and Found 7

LOST: Ration book holder containing ration book and wallet. Keep money. Phone 211-J. (10-3)

WILL the party who received an extra hand embroidered pillow case from the Midland Steam Laundry last week please call 423 or 99? (11-3)

LOST: Black billfold containing valuable cards and cash. Reward for return. Phone 831. (11-3)

LOST: Unopened letter addressed to Cora Ida Rodgers, from War Department, somewhere from post office to South Ward School. If found please return to post office or phone 458-W. (11-3)

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 32 Symbol for radium
 33 Impetuous
 35 He was born in Penna.
 36 Fixed look
 39 Postscript (abbr.)
 40 More refined
 44 Lubricate
 45 Exist
 46 Mother
 48 Spain (abbr.)
 49 Together
 52 Watchful
 55 Brazilian Indian
 56 More uncommon
 57 Tar anew
 58 Church part (pl.)

VERTICAL
 1 Book of the Bible

Lost and Found 7

LOST: Yellow gold Gruen oblong wristwatch, black cord band. Reward. Phone 1056-R. (12-3)

Help Wanted 9

WAITRESS wanted, day or night work. Excellent working conditions. Apply Cactus Cafe. (291-1f)

WANTED: Registered nurse for floor duty. Apply Wood Hospital, 420 North Texas, Odessa, Texas. (292-1f)

WAITRESS and dish washer wanted, experience not necessary. Agnes Cafe. (268-1f)

LABORERS and roac equipment operators wanted. See L. A. Rodehiser, Post Engineers, MAAF. (8-6)

WANTED: Girl for housework in three-room home and care of little girl. 205 East Pennsylvania. (10-3)

WE Need two men, grocer and a butcher. B & B Food Store. (10-4)

WANTED: Young man for surveyor's rodman. No training necessary. Geophysical exploration work. Write Box 282, care this paper. (10-6)

Situations Wanted 10

EXPERIENCED lady bookkeeper, stenographer and clerical worker wants permanent position. Write Box 278, care this paper. (7-6)

EXPERIENCED comptometer and merchant machine operator desires work. Write Box 283, care this paper. (11-3)

WIDOW with 16-year old girl desires work as housekeeper in motherless home, working couple, or care for small child. Mrs. B. Neiman, 504 West Pennsylvania. (11-3)

NOW available, practical nurse. Phone 1246-J. (11-3)

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Business Property 18

STORE building for rent, 24x80. Call Dr. Shannon, Phone 1359. (11-1f)

Wanted To Rent 21

WANT to rent, furnished or unfurnished five-room house or apartment by new permanent resident, major oil company. I. T. Schwade, Phone 2250, or 419, Scharbauer Hotel, after business hours. (9-6)

Radios and Service 27

TABLE model radio for sale, 610 South Lorraine. (7-6)

Livestock and Poultry 34

TEXAS-U. S. approved straight run English Leghorn chicks, 19¢. Satisfaction guaranteed. Jamison Hatchery, Sweetwater, Texas, Ph. 3154. (6-14)

RESPONSIBLE couple will pay up to \$125 for furnished house. Call 256-W or 1038. (8-6)

WANT to rent, two-bedroom house or apartment; furnished or unfurnished. Adults. Lived in Midland six months. W/O Charles Brown, 655-M or 940, ext. 14. (10-3)

FUNNY BUSINESS



"I always take him along shopping—whenever anyone drops a ration token he sits on it!"

Wanted To Rent 21

\$80.00 REWARD for information leading to the renting of a five or six-room unfurnished house, subject to my approval. Will be permanent resident with a well established firm. Family of two adults, no pets. Call 410. (10-3)

WANTED to rent, furnished apartment or house. Capt. W. C. Jumper at Crawford Hotel, Room 419. (10-3)

Pets 35

PUPS wanted for family pets; also Canaries, Parrots, etc. Pay cash. Write first. National Pet Shows, 3101 Olive, St. Louis, Mo. (8-8)

Painting & Papering 45

CHARLES STYRON, painting and paperhanging. Phone 1459-J. (300-26)

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Used Cars 54

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REAL ESTATE

HOUSES for Sale 61

FOUR-room house just moved in. Will sell "as is" including 75-ft. lot, or cars be moved. Located at 1409 West Tennessee. W. R. Upham, Tel. 79. (12-3)

Legal Notices 68

NOTICE OF OIL & GAS LEASE SALE
 The U. S. Department of Agriculture will award leases on 15 tracts of approximately 2480 acres each in Cochran County, Texas on former Slaughter Ranch. Rent \$100 per acre. Awards limited to 1 tract per lessee. Sealed bids to be publicly opened April 17. Bid forms and additional information can be secured from Ray E. Davis, Acting Regional Director, Farm Security Administration, Old Post Office Building, Amarillo, Texas, 3/16,23,30-4/6

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 (Re-election)
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For County Sheriff
ED DARNELL
 (Re-election)
For County Attorney
JOE MIMS
 (Re-election)
For County Clerk
SUSIE G. NOBLE
 (Re-election)
For Tax Assessor-Collector
J. H. FINE
 (Re-election)
For County Treasurer
LOIS PATTERSON
 (Re-election)
For County Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1
J. C. ROBERTS
 (Re-election)
Precinct No. 2
J. C. BROOKS
 (Re-election)
W. M. BRAMLETT
P. P. HERRING
MARSHALL HEALD
FRANK MIDKIFF
Precinct No. 4
A. G. BOHANNAN
W. M. STEWART
For Constable, Precinct 1
E. C. (BILL) MORELAN
 (Re-election)

2 New Tests -

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present depth showed the section to still be the Simpson Magnolia No. 10 P. J. Lane, Crane County development, testing for production in the McKnight section of the upper Permian was squeezing off perforations at 3,125-40 feet, from which only gas with a spray of oil had been recovered.

Shell Oil Company No. 1 Jones, Northwest Gaines County exploration, was drilling ahead in Black line under 5,705 feet. A core from 5,693-5,701 feet had a full recovery of black lime with no oil shows.

First Baptist Church Plans For Revival

The First Baptist Church is making extensive preparations for the revival meeting to be held from March 26 through April 5. The Rev. Joe Hankins of Pine Bluff, Ark., will preach at the Rev. G. Reid of Dallas will lead the songs for the revival.

Community prayer meetings will be observed Thursday night at the following homes: O. R. Phillips, 1211 South Colorado; H. B. Spears, 1111 East Pennsylvania; R. O. Walker, 205 East Ohio; H. S. Collins, 511 West Louisiana; Ray Leggett, 203 Ridgela Drive; J. M. White, 702 West Storey; Claude O. Crane, Urbandale; Mrs. John Dunaagan, 1904 West Wall; J. O. Noble, 200 South St.; J. C. Hudman, 413 West Indiana; Troy Elland, Cloverdale Road.

Friday night meetings: Sam P. Spears, 1505 South Colorado; Cleva Baker, 109 West Pennsylvania; Mrs. M. D. Long, 400 North Main; R. Chancellor, 605 West Ohio; Frank Monroe, 107 Ridgela; R. L. W. Leggett, 90 West Storey; Fred Middleton, Urbandale; Russell Howard, 1910 West Wall; Mrs. George Phillips, 200 South L.; J. P. McElowney, 1107 West Kentucky; Tom Wingo, rural.

Child Welfare Official Attends Meeting Here

Miss Lydia Cagle, acting chief of the Child Welfare Division in Austin, attended the meeting of the Midland Child Welfare Board Tuesday in the courthouse. Miss Cagle discussed the importance of foster homes in the child welfare program. She mentioned several plans for recruiting foster homes.

The board discussed tentative plans for having an annual child welfare meeting. Miss Louise Blackwell, supervisor of the unit, presented her report. Ninety-nine children were under supervision March 1.

Members of the board present were: Mrs. E. A. Culbertson, chairman; Mrs. James Chapple, Mrs. Cooper Hyde, County Judge E. H. Barron and Mrs. J. M. Hills.

New Scout Executive To Address Court

Joe Neidermayer, new Boy Scout executive, will address Midland Boy Scouts at their court of honor at 7:30 p. m. Friday in the courthouse, Frank Monroe, chairman of the court, announced.

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Real 'Doughboys'



Ingenious Yank soldiers attached to a G. I. bakery near Anzio beachhead targets often bombed and strafed by Germans contrived the snug air-radi shelter pictured above—out of flour bags instead of sandbags. The mobile bakery turns out 13,000 loaves of bread a day.

Petroleum Magazine Gives Big Layout To Permian Basin

Midland and West Texas-Southeast New Mexico Permian Basin oil future possibilities and present importance were given the spotlight in a big way by the March issue of "World Petroleum," an internationally circulated publication of the oil industry.

An article written by Paul F. Osborne, Midland geologist and operator, and Permian Basin representative of Case, Pomeroy & Company, Inc., New York investment concern, was featured in the magazine.

A full page picture of the drilling rig on Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Price, Southeast Pecos County wildcat, now drilling below 14,837 feet, only 187 feet short of the world depth record of 15,004 feet, was given a prominent position.

Present Two Maps
 In addition, two maps of the Permian Basin oil fields, both showing Midland in the center of the area, and a large picture of the Petroleum Building, were carried.

Osborne's article, written at the request of the editor of "World Petroleum," was titled "Permian Basin Pays Are Many—And Deep."

In an editorial note, preceding the article, the following statement was made:

No area in the United States better illustrates the possibilities and problems of oil production than the famed Permian Basin. It has been producing oil since 1920 and at present is providing 10 per cent of the nation's entire supply. Yet the potentialities of the large group of fields within its limits are not yet fully known. As the drill goes deeper, exploring new horizons, the possibilities of the region have been more impressive."

pro prospector, was digging under 4,200 feet in lime.

Humble No. 1 Wilson had reached 3,051 feet in lime.

Reagan Prospector Drilling Big Lake Oil Company No. 1-D University, Reagan County exploration, to around 9,000 feet, had penetrated to 8,190 feet in lime and shale and was drilling ahead.

Superior Oil Company No. 1 Wheeler, East Winkler County extension effort to the Wheeler-Ellenburger pool, had made hole below 7,330 feet in lime.

Sohio Producing Company No. 1 Rinne, Northeast Lynn County wildcat, had reached 1,940 feet.

The Texas Company No. 6 Mabec, in Southeast Andrews, has been completed for a 24-hour potential of 357 barrels of oil, pumping, after a 203 quart shot. Gas-oil ratio was 104-1. That pay is at 4,715-56 feet.

Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 University, South Andrews wildcat to the lower Permian, was drilling ahead slowly under 5,937 feet in cherty dolomite.

Seaboard Oil Company No. 1 Pitchfork Land & Cattle Company, Northeast Dickens prospector, was making hole under 4,019 feet in red shale after drilling through a section at 3,790-3,330 feet where there was good porosity, but no oil.

FIVE YEARS OF FOREST FIRES

There were more than 200,000 forest fires per year in the United States over the five-year period of 1938-1940. Enough valuable timber to cover an area as large as New York State was burned.

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Librarian Needs Many Old Magazines To Complete Files

Mrs. Roy Hollar, librarian for the Midland Public Library, requests that people who are collecting old magazines for the scrap paper drive save a few that are badly needed to complete the library's files.

Mrs. Hollar is especially interested in copies of Harper's Monthly, Atlantic Monthly, House Beautiful, Normal Instructor and Grade Teacher. She urgently needs Harper's Monthly for December, 1941, and November, 1943, and House Beautiful for August, November and December, 1943.

Files of rare magazines are very valuable and the library is interested in building up its collections, which are unusually complete for a library of its size. Any such magazines will be appreciated and recognition given the donors.

Normal Instructor and Grade Teacher are needed to supply the school and churches with ideas for programs celebrating special holidays, and any educators having such magazines will earn the gratitude of the library by passing them along.

Other magazines of special interest to Midland people are those dealing with building and home decorations. The library wishes to cooperate with people trying to improve their homes by furnishing them with ideas and suggestions. Such magazines will be more than welcome.

Midland County Gets \$9,500,000 In U. S. Military Funds

WASHINGTON—A summary of the War Production Board shows federal expenditures of \$5,738,679,009 in Texas in connection with erection of military and naval establishments.

The summation by West Texas counties follows:
 Brown—\$2,850,000.
 Coleman—\$3,113,000.
 El Paso—\$36,799,000.
 Howard—\$7,496,000.
 Kerr—\$314,000.
 Lubbock—\$12,348,000.
 McCulloch—\$8,232,000.
 Midland—\$9,500,000.
 Nolan—\$5,952,000.
 Pecos—\$1,888,000.
 Presidio—\$7,276,000.
 Reeves—\$2,845,000.
 Runnels—\$2,589,000.
 Taylor—\$25,581,000.
 Tom Green—\$17,457,000.
 Uvalde—\$4,428,000.
 Val Verde—\$5,311,000.
 Ward—\$6,256,000.
 Winkler—\$65,000.

ALLISON APPOINTED TO AID RATION BOARD

Howard R. Gholson, OPA district director at Lubbock, Thursday announced the appointment of James N. Allison to serve as community service member of the Midland County War Price and Rationing Board.

RATION BOARD WARNS

The War Price and Ration Board warns that operators of cars using T gas coupons must file a certificate of war necessity with the board before April 1, or no further gas rations will be issued.

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5:30 P.M.	6:10 P.M.
5:50 P.M.	6:30 P.M.
6:05 P.M.	6:40 P.M.</

Brides Don't Worry About Wedding Dress

By RUTH MILLETT
In telling a reporter about her wedding plans, Mrs. Louise Atwill boasted that the gown she was to be married in cost \$14.75. There wouldn't be anything unusual in that except for the fact that the wedding gown she wore when she married Douglas MacArthur cost \$1500. The bride's explanation for her changed ideas about what a woman ought to spend for a wedding gown was: "I've got better sense than I had in former days and I'm much more in tune with the times."

She's in tune with the times, all right. For the girls who are being married today aren't trying to make a big social splash out of their weddings.

Trappings Are Out
They are so busy following their men around the country, so worried about whether or not the groom's leave will be cancelled at the last minute, so concerned with how much or how little time they'll have with their husbands before they are sent overseas that they can't be bothered with the trappings of marriage.

All they want and all they ask is just a chance to marry the man of their choice before an ocean separates them.

And certainly the marriages won't suffer from the simplicity surrounding them.
The bride who went from a \$1500 wedding dress to a \$14.75 one must be aware of that. The \$1500 dress didn't bring her happiness—for the marriage ended in divorce. And judging by her remark about "having more sense and being more in tune with the times," her \$14.75 dress ought to bring her better luck. For those are things a bride needs far more than an expensive wedding gown.

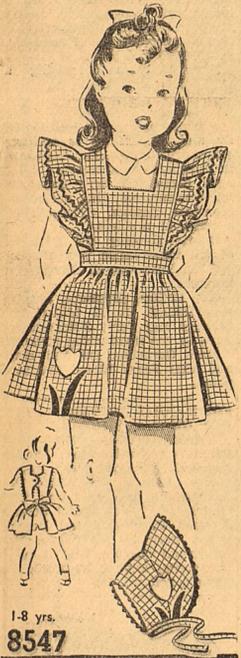
Seven Soldiers Die In Mortar Accident

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS—(P)—An accident during gunnery practice with a mortar resulted Wednesday in the death of seven soldiers of the 13th Armored Division. Camp Bowie, and injury to seven others. Accident details were withheld.

RADIUM IN INDUSTRY

Some large manufacturing plants use more radium than the largest hospitals. Engineers use radium from radium salts to take pictures through foot-thick metal castings to detect flaws.

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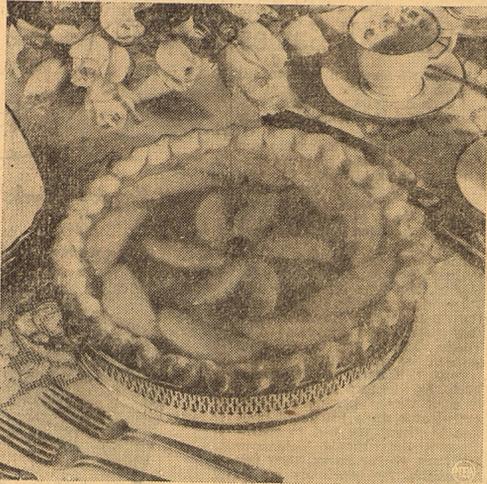
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Put Touch Of Spring Into Easter Dessert



Grapefruit and gelatin pie for the Easter season.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

Here are two light-hearted desserts with spring color and flavor. Good for the Easter dinner, too.

Fruit Refresher (Serves 6 to 8)

One and one-half cups fresh or canned fruit or berries, 1/4 to 1/2 cup sugar, 1 package fruit-flavored gelatin (any flavor), 1 1/4 cups hot water.

Combine fruit and sugar and let stand 10 minutes. Drain; measure juice and add water to make 1 cup. Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Add fruit juice. Chill, stirring occasionally as gelatin sets to give soft jellied appearance. Then add fruit and serve in sherbet glasses. Or line sherbet glasses with fruit and fill with plain jellied mixture. Garnish with mint or maraschino cherries.

Sunshine Pie

One package orange-flavored gelatin, 1 1/2 cups hot water, 1 orange, sections free from membrane, 1/2 cup grapefruit, sections free from membrane, 4 tablespoons sugar, 1 baked 8-inch pie shell.

Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Drain fruit; add water to juice to make 1/2 cup. Add sugar and juice to gelatin. Chill until slightly thickened. Turn into cold baked pie shell. Arrange fruit sections on top. Chill until firm.

Note: Fruit may be added to dissolved gelatin. Chill until slightly thickened before turning into pie shell.

Health Officials Blame Epidemic On Insect Poison On Lettuce

BAY CITY—(P)—State, county and city health officers have expressed the tentative belief that an epidemic which caused illness to approximately 2,000 persons Sunday was due to arsenical insecticide sprayed on lettuce and other vegetables.

Meanwhile, state laboratory officials were seeking to determine the cause of the illness, whose symptoms were nausea, sometime violent, and diarrhea.

Some persons collapsed and a few suffered partial paralysis, while the attack in other cases was light, causing some nausea and severe abdominal pains.

All persons were warned against the use of fresh vegetables, particularly lettuce, until the investigators are sure what caused the illness.

Most of the victims are recovering rapidly.

BIRD LIVES OFF CACTUS

The southwest desert country's Gila woodpecker gets both its room and board from the giant Saguaro cactus. It digs its nesting holes in the cactus walls, lives on cactus fruit and the insects which infest the plant.

Combat Pilot



Lt. Herald N. Hensley of Midland recently received his wings as a combat pilot and a second lieutenant's commission at Blackland Field, Waco, Texas.

Exclusive of dialects, the peoples of India speak 225 different languages.

Dr. Bassett To Head Southern Baptist Relief Board

DALLAS—(P)—The new president of the relief and annuity board of the Southern Baptist Convention is Dr. Wallace Bassett, pastor of Cliff Temple Baptist Church.

Others named with him at the group's annual meeting here were E. G. Brown, vice president; Carl P. Collins, recording secretary; Dr. George W. Tuet, executive committee chairman, and Dr. W. Marshall Craig, executive committee vice chairman.

Dr. Thomas J. Watts, executive secretary, reported the board's assets totaled nearly \$7,000,000.

WPB Analyst To Be In Midland Friday

Midland citizens will have an opportunity on Friday to confer with a WPB analyst on priorities and other matters concerning the War Production Board. Norvell W. Harris, of El Paso, will be in the Chamber of Commerce Friday morning, ready to answer any questions that may arise.

Industrial survey show nine-tenths of all worker accidents can be prevented.

Receives Wings



Lt. William G. (Billie) Noble, son of Mrs. Susie G. Noble, recently was graduated from Deming Army Air Field, the "AAF's Border Bombardier School," and was commissioned a second lieutenant. He previously completed training in aerial gunnery.

The highest peak in the Alps is Mont Blanc.

IF CHAFE ANNOYS itching, of irritated skin. Protect and ease abraded skin with Mexsana, the soothing, medicated powder. Also relieve burning.

Mrs. Alexander's Mother Dies At Wichita Falls

Mrs. Harry Johnston, 75, of Wichita Falls, mother of Mrs. Lucille Alexander of Midland, died in Wichita Falls Wednesday night. Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist Church there Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Johnston is survived by a son, also a resident of Wichita Falls; a daughter, Mrs. Alexander; two sisters who live at Houston; and one grandchild.

LINCOLN "SECOND FIDDLE"

Lincoln was not the principal speaker at Gettysburg, Pa., when he made his famous address on Nov. 19, 1863; that honor was held by Edward Everett.

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Methodist Church Grows In Mexico

MEXICO CITY—(P)—Substantial growth of the Methodist Church in this country was reported by the Rev. Eleazar Guerra, bishop of that church in Mexico, on the heels of reports by Catholic bishops that there is "great activity by some foreign Protestant sects."

In Mexico City alone the denomination has 13 churches, and eight others are under construction. Bishop Guerra told reporters. The bishops of the states of Sonora, Chihuahua, Sinaloa and Durango had issued a pastoral letter forbidding Catholics from entering Protestant churches or institutions and from listening to Protestant sermons.

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- CHOICE MEATS**
- MINCE MEAT** Bulk lb. 33¢
- SHORT RIBS** Baby Beef lb. 19¢
- COTTAGE CHEESE** Full Creamed pt. 23¢
- DILL PICKLES** Kosher each 5¢
- SAUERKRAUT** Bulk 2 lbs. 25¢
- CARNATION MALTED MILK** 16-Oz. Box . . . 48¢
- SOY BEAN FLOUR** 16-Oz. Can . . . 29¢
- WAPCO GREEN BEANS** No. 2 Can . . . 14¢
- LEADWAY TOMATO JUICE** 18-Oz. Can . . . 12¢
- SCOTT COUNTY PORK & BEANS** 20-Oz. Can . . . 19¢
- JUSTO VINEGAR** 1/2-Gal. Jar . . . 27¢
- VAN CAMP CHILI** 17-Oz. Can . . . 37¢
- IN SYRUP SWEET POTATOES** No. 2 1/2 Can . . . 29¢
- PIMENTOS** 4-Oz. Can . . . 14¢
- SAUERKRAUT** Quart Jar . . . 26¢

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- Large Firm Heads 2 for 17¢
- Asparagus Tender Green** Bunch 19¢
- Celery Good Bleached** Stalks Each 17¢
- Rhubarb Cherry** 2 Lbs. 17¢
- Avacodas Nice** 2 for 25¢
- Grapefruit Marsh Seedless** 2 lbs. 15¢
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New 'Rocket Ball' May Add Zip To 1944 Baseball

LAFAYETTE, IND.—(AP)—conversion in the Cleveland Indians spring training quarters Thursday turned from 1-A and 4-F draft classifications to the 1944 "rocket ball."

No one was giving much thought about the new sphere until 155-pound Jimmy Grant ups and slams a 400-foot home run. Then he ups and hits a long two-bagger. Then Pat Seery, a 222 batter in 26 games with the Tribe last year, got the urge and smacked a homer.

The immediate reaction was that all was not normal. Manager Lou Boudreau was quick to credit the uprising to the ball rather than to any uncropping of latent power.

"If the cover was any tighter it would be a golf ball," Boudreau said as he fondled it. "It actually has a ping when it's hit."

Game Needs Fast Ball
Mel Harder, anxious to start the season, as he looks forward to reaching the select 200-game winning circle—he needs only three victories to do it—figures the ball will be something of a lifesaver to the game.

"I don't think it will make any difference to the pitchers," he theorized, "but I think the game needed something like this ball this season to make hitters out of guys who normally aren't. After all, the fans go to a game to see the ball smacked around. And with most of the power-hitters gone, this new ball, if it is as lively as they say, has come at an opportune time and will take up the slack."



Sign Of Coming Events—Yannigans Lambast Detroit Regulars, 8 To 3

By FRITZ HOWELL

NEW YORK (AP)—Maybe it isn't a true forecast of what war-riddled baseball will be like in 1944—but the Detroit Tiger regulars made nine errors in booting away their first intrasquad game Wednesday to the Yannigans, 8 to 3.

From Cincinnati comes the news that the reason Ray Starr doesn't want to pitch for the Reds is that they won't let him hurl every other day to keep his rubber arm in trim. Last year he was on the hill 217 innings in winning 11 and losing 10.

There's a rumor the Reds might try to swap Ray to the Chicago Cubs for Lou Nozofski, who would come in handy in the Cincinnati garden.

Chicago (French Lick, Ind.)—Manager Jimmy Dykes says "we should finish in first division" (fourth last year). Relief pitcher Joe Haynes only holdout, and V. P. Harry Grabner sees no difficulty coming to terms.

Cleveland (Lafayette, Ind.)—Mel Harder and Oris Hockett, long-missing vets, took part in first drill, bringing chill winds for intra-squad game.

Boston (Medford, Mass.)—Squad jumps to seven as pitcher Yank

Terry and outfielder Johnny Lazor report.

Philadelphia (Frederick, Md.)—Luke Hamlin (won 21 lost 8 for Toronto last year) arrived with "soft potato pitch"—a new change of pace—and said he was ready to sign. Connie Mack offered him \$5,500.

New York (Atlantic City, N. J.)—Catcher Joe Glenn leaves Thursday for Navy, but outfielder Roy Weatherly is coming in Tuesday for an undetermined stay. He's passed his induction test.

National League
Chicago (French Lick) — Mgr. Jimmy Wilson says he's definitely set on Harry (Peanuts) Lowery for third base when he arrives next week.

Boston (Wallingford, Conn.)—Mike Sandlock, ex-catcher turned infielder, is working 4-F White Wietelman about shortstop job with classy fielding.

St. Louis (Cairo, Ill.)—Big Mort Cooper expected to give Billy Southworth a chance to make him brookly-happy in day or so.

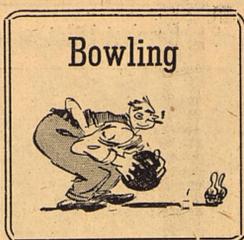
Brooklyn (Bear Mountain, N. Y.)—Southpaw Fred Ostermueller (won 0, lost 2 for Browns in '43) arrives, expected to sign Thursday.

New York (Lakewood, N. J.)—Ace T. Adams, who won 11 and lost seven last year, wired he'd be on hand Friday—but he hasn't accepted terms yet.

DePaul and St. John's Meet In Finals At Madison Square
NEW YORK (AP)—DePaul of Chicago and St. John's of Brooklyn meet Sunday in Madison Square Garden for the national invitation basketball title.

Each spotted the foe the lead Wednesday night, and then triumphed in the semi-finals. DePaul, behind 15 to 2 at the end of 10 minutes, won over Oklahoma's Aggies by 41 to 38, while St. John's, after trailing practically all the way, spurred in the last two minutes to snatch a 48-45 victory over Kentucky.

Lost time from each temporary injury to a war plant worker averages 17 days.



Yellow Cab Field No. 2 continued to lead the City Bowling League by winning two games in a close match with the Honolulu Oilers.

The combination of Hallman, Hill and Hall clicked for Mackey Motors and they won two games from Planor Palace.

Weaver Wilson Service won two games from Cameron Drug and Robinson Sinclair keglers downed Scharbauer Hotel three times.

St. Bill Stribling set the pace for Weaver Wilson team by rolling 221, 221 and 214 games for a new series high of 656.

League Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Yellow Cab Field No. 2	20	13	.606
Planor Palace	18	15	.545
Weaver Wilson Service	18	15	.545
Robinson Sinclair	18	15	.545
Honolulu Oil Corp.	16	17	.485
Mackey Motors	15	18	.455
Scharbauer Hotel	15	18	.455
Cameron Drug	13	20	.394

HONOLULU OIL

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Grant	178	120	175	473
Weaver	161	144	170	475
Cassidy	116	168	136	420
Dunnun	163	135	124	422
Chambers	129	185	156	470

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YELLOW CAB

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Davis	130	131	141	402
Ortman	172	152	119	443
Belin	145	169	150	464
Brown	101	123	146	370
Delabano	137	169	208	514
Boring	163	173	134	470
Handicap	11	11	11	33

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CAMERON DRUG

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Harpst	135	150	132	417
Hamm	118	160	123	401
Allen	202	121	151	474
Boring	163	173	134	470
Handicap	11	11	11	34

849 844 754 2447

WEAVER WILSON

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Seybold	190	129	211	530
Brown	147	161	183	511
White	145	135	173	453
Dykes	184	136	167	487
Stribling	221	221	214	656

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MACKAY MOTORS

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Hallman	167	166	167	500
H. Hill	113	148	155	416
S. Hall	111	132	97	340
J. Hill	168	185	157	510
L. Hall	173	166	181	470
Handicap	43	43	43	129

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PLAMOR PALACE

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Stall	126	147	149	422
McAshen	147	172	162	481
Scott	163	124	164	451
Ahlin	168	151	187	506
Harrington	168	187	154	509

772 781 816 2369

SCHARBAUER HOTEL

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Gronmou	136	176	100	412
Mitchell	131	168	206	505
D. Edwards	159	113	159	431
C. Edwards	171	206	211	588
Crites	182	179	197	558

779 842 873 2494

ROBERSON'S SINCLAIR

Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Johnson	170	165	173	508
Odoo	127	128	133	388
Bohl	165	180	190	535
Llorclida	136	186	160	482
Lindt	138	16	1726	476
Handicap	88	88	88	264

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DRILLING COMPANY

The TCG Drilling Company of Tulsa, Okla., has leased space for an office here in the Eastham Building and Bill Coleman, a member of the firm, was here Thursday making final plans for the office.

E. B. Gill will be in charge of the Midland office. The company has four rigs in this area now and plans to send two more here within a few days.

INCIDENT CLOSED

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of War Stimson said emphatically Thursday he considered "the Patton incident" closed.

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Wings Commission



Lt. Murl L. Reynolds of Midland recently received his wings as a combat pilot and was commissioned a second lieutenant at Foster Field, Victoria, Texas.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK (AP)—When Bert Kenmurr, who signed to pitch for the Oakland Pacific Coast baseball club this year was heading for training camp at San Bernardino, Calif., the friend who was driving suggested that they pick up another Oakland player.

The new comer, infielder Howard Anderson, started a conventional acknowledgment of the introduction. "The 'naval hospital at Oak Knoll,'" Kenmurr completed the sentence.

Both former sailors, they had met at Guadalcanal and later in the hospital. They hadn't learned each other's names then, though both were Los Angeles boys.

Today's Guest Star
Walter Haight, Washington Post. "There was more spring in Nick Alcock's old legs than there was in the air at College Park yesterday."

Service Dept.
Three months after she was commissioned a Marine lieutenant, golfer Patty Berg returned to Camp Lejeune, N. C., leading 174 women recruits—which is at least par although Patty herself played a round of golf since she enlisted.

Three of the recently crowned Iceland boxing champs, Frankie Albano of Flushing, L. I., Bill McDonald of Brooklyn and Jimmy Karjanis of New Haven, Conn., have been rewarded with a trip to Great Britain.

Army Teams Make It Hard On Civilian Cagers At Denver

DENVER (AP)—Drill-hardened Army teams whose only strategy is "attack!" are giving veteran civilian clubs some rough skirmishes as they advance in the national AAU basketball tournament.

The Colorado Springs Army All-Stars knocked off Dow Chemical of Midland, Mich., one of the favorites, Monday.

Louphy Field of Denver gave the Phillips "66" of Bartlesville, Okla., a bad first half Wednesday night before they were rolled back by the champions 56-40.

Fort Warren of Cheyenne, Wyo., outpointed Buckley of Denver 45-40. Two service squads are participants in the quarter finals Thursday night. The Army All-Stars play the Wichita Boeing Bombers and Fort Warren meets 20th Century-Fox.

Milwaukee's Allen-Bradleys are paired with the Denver Ambrose Legions and the champion Phillips team with Bellingham, Wash., Firecrest Dairy in other quarterfinal games.

SEEK DEFERMENTS
WASHINGTON (AP)—Two branches of the aviation industry—transport and engine manufacture—Thursday spoke up for continued draft deferments for young skilled employes, asserting in both cases that more than a fourth of their technical workers were under 27 years of age.

COTTON MEN TO MEET
DALLAS (AP)—Texas cotton leaders will meet here Saturday to select the date and site and make other plans for the fifth annual Cotton Research Congress, announced Major Eurus C. Jackson of Hillsboro, general chairman of the state-wide cotton committee.

MAAF Personnel Sees Top Notch Basketball Games

It was all-American star-studded basketball that fans witnessed on the Post Service Club court Wednesday night at Midland Army Air Field.

The 83rd Air Base basketballers won the undisputed Enlisted Men's basketball championship and the reputation as "kings of the court" when they defeated the Enlisted Men's All-Stars in a close contest.

They won their first game with a run-away score of 52 to 30. The AAFIS (E) All Stars, in another thrilling game, turned the tables on the powerful MAAF All-Stars, winners of the first game in the championship playoffs, when they chalked up a score of 44 to 34.

Friday night at 8 p. m. the final game of the series will be played. Corp. Neil Berry of Kalamazoo, Mich., led the 83rd Air Base team to their victory, playing a superb performance from his guard position to "feed" the ball to sharpshooters Corp. Harold Weidmayer and Corp. Harvey Pierce. Berry was responsible for two-thirds of his team's final score. And playing his first full game with the winners, Pfc. Joseph McDonald was a threat to his opponents throughout the game. Weidmayer copped the high scoring honors, hitting the hoop for 14 points. Pierce got 12 points, and Corp. Ike Dubow tallied 8 points.

Corp. John E. Nelson, outstanding for the EM All-Stars, scoring 14 points, played a terrific game and with the aid of Sgt. James Hunter threatened the winners in the final period of play when Nelson got hot and dropped in four fast baskets. Pvt. Harlan Albright chalked up 9 points and Sgt. Norman Tempas accounted for 5 points. Weidmayer won the high score honors in the championship series with 36 points. Pierce was second with 22 and DuBow took third place with 20 points.

Officers Contest
In the officers' all-star contest, it was the AAFIS quintet from state to finish, and they lost the lead only once and that was at the end of the third quarter when the score was 30 to 29. Lt. Alexander Topping set the pace for the winners, copping high score honors with 13 points. His teammate at the forward position, Lt. "Whitey" Wilshire, who played a "red-hot" offensive game, scored 10 points. Lt. Andy Hall and Major Jimmie Britt accounted for 9 and 8 respectively.

Lt. Manford Kistler was outstanding for the losers, hitting the hoop for 12 points and the Utah all-Conference player, Lt. Mac Speedie, garnered 6 points. Lt. Daniel Markeley, who was top-score man Tuesday night, slumped to a mere 5 points and Lt. Joseph Kelley, all-Eastern Conference star, scored 4 points.

Officials for Wednesday night's games were Gene McCallum and G. B. Rush of Midland High School, referees, Chaplain Patrick Toomey, timekeeper, and Corp. George Reagan, scorekeeper.

33rd AIR BASE	FG	FT	TP
McDonald, f	2	0	4
Albright, f	1	0	2
Lowe, f	2	0	2
Pierce, f	5	0	12
Obolowski, f	0	0	0
Weidmayer, f	7	3	17
Berry, g	1	1	3
Dubow, g	4	0	8
Totals	21	4	46

EM ALL STARS	FG	FT	TP
Albright, f	1	1	3
Hunter, f	2	0	4
Dyer, c	1	1	3
Weaver, c	0	0	0
Tempas, g	2	1	5
Nelson, g	5	2	14
Rosner, g	1	0	2
Martin, f	0	0	0
Barry, g	0	0	0
Totals	17	6	40

AAFIS-B ALL STARS	FG	FT	TP
Wilshire, f	4	2	10
Topping, f	6	1	13
Hall, c	3	3	9
Collins, g	0	0	0
Olto, g	1	0	2
Britt, g	3	2	8
Howat, g	1	0	2
Totals	18	8	44

MAAF ALL-STARS	FG	FT	TP
Kelley, f	2	0	4
Doughty, f	1	1	3
Kistler, f	5	2	12
Baech, f	3	0	6
Jenkins, g	0	0	0
Markeley, c	2	1	5
Martin, f	1	0	2
Moraghan, g	1	0	2
Totals	15	4	34

Livestock	Price
FORT WORTH (AP)—Cattle 1-100: calves 350; steady; good and choice steers and yearlings 14.00-16.00; common to medium steers and yearlings 10.00-13.25; best cows sold mostly at 8.50-11.50; bulls 8.00-11.00; good and choice fat calves 13.00-14.00; stocker calves and yearlings sold mostly at 9.00-13.50; stocker cows 8.50-11.00.	

Livestock	Price
Hogs 2,700; steady; good and choice 200-330 lb. butcher hogs 13.50; good and choice 150-190 lb. averages 9.00-13.45; sows mostly 11.25-50 with few to 11.75; stocker pigs 8.00 down.	

Livestock	Price
Sheep steady, 1,600; good and choice woolled lambs 14.50-15.25; shorn lambs with No. 2 pelts 12.50-13.50; stocker lambs 8.00-12.00; aged wethers and slaughter ewes 6.50-8.00.	

MRS. FDR GIVES RIBBON

BALBOA, C. Z. (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt presented a Legion of Merit ribbon to Lt. Col. Jose Ramon, assistant chief of the Panama police, during a reception given in her honor Wednesday night by Lt. Gen. George M. Brett, command of the Caribbean defense command.

Home Demonstration Agents Hold District Meeting In Midland

Home demonstration agents of district 6 attended a training school Monday and Tuesday at the Scharbauer Hotel. Miss Ruth Thompson, agent for the whole southwest district, was in charge.

The theme of the conference was food production and planning for 1944 on an economy scale for saving time, money, energy and materials. Miss Jennie Camp, home food production planning specialist, and Miss Louise Bryant, home management specialist, both from College Station extension service, directed the program. It was stated 10 per cent more food production over 1943 is needed in 1944, and that to achieve this goal 10,000,000 more gardens must be planted.

Home demonstration agents attending the meeting were Miss Josephine Browning of Comanche, Miss Irma Sealy of El Paso, Miss Rhea M. Voyles of Howard, Miss Pauline McWilliams of Pecos, Miss Fern Hodge of Martin, Miss Pauline Pate of Menard, Mrs. Mildred Odum of Mitchell, Mrs. Leslie Wray of Reeves, Miss Virginia Ryan of Scheiber, Miss Hazel McCoy of Tom Green, Mrs. Nettie B. Messick of Upton, Miss Ozell Hunt of Ward, and Miss Alpha Lynn of Midland. Four war food emergency agents for counties having no agents were also present.

Congress Seeks To Have Final Word On Lend-Lease Contracts
WASHINGTON (AP)—The House Foreign Affairs Committee voted Thursday to give Congress, rather than the President, the final say in the settlement of lend-lease contracts.

An amendment with this effect was written into the legislation extending lend-lease for another year beyond June 30. It was offered by Representative Wadsworth (R-NY) and adopted unanimously by the entire bill was reported out for action by the House.

The amendment specified that "nothing is to be construed" in the extending of lend-lease to "authorize the President in any final settlement to assume any obligations on the part of the United States with respect to postwar economic and military policy except as is consistent with constitutional procedure."

FD'R'S COLD BETTER BUT HE STAYS HOME
WASHINGTON (AP)—For the fourth consecutive day, President Roosevelt remained away from his office, although the White House reported his head cold was "decidedly better." Presidential Secretary Stephen Early said the President would work in the White House residential quarters and if he felt like seeing anyone he would have them called in.

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Lightnings to London

By Capt. Bernard W. Crandell
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Shipping losses were up in March, 1942, and P-38 fighter planes were not getting to England in sufficient quantity. It was decided to fly them across the Atlantic via Labrador, Greenland and Iceland—a daring and novel project. Bombers had flown over but never fighters. This is the story of how it was done.

INTERFERENCE FROM THE LUFTWAFFE

THERE were other incidents which took place between Iceland and the United Kingdom, ranging from the P-38 pilot who insisted on doing slow rolls to keep himself awake, to the one who ran out of oxygen at 19,000 feet and had to suck on his bail-out cylinder for the last 15 minutes of the journey in.

There was an airline ferry pilot, too, who added an exciting and totally unexpected page to his log book. Major Weltman, commanding a squadron, found one of his pilots ill shortly before the scheduled take-off. He and his mechanics had labored for 25 hours to repair the P-38, and wanted to take it along.

He sauntered into Operations Office. His eyes wandered over the assortment of flight control officers, pilots, and casual bystanders until they rested upon an airline pilot who had been with one of the Fortresses.

"How would you like to fly a P-38?" Weltman asked him.

"How would you like to go climb a rope?" the pilot replied, backing away toward the door.

"There really isn't anything to it," Weltman assured him, moving into the doorway to block the only means of exit.

No further details of the conversation are available, but when the dust had cleared, the pilot, who previously had flown nothing "hotter" than a C-47 transport, was getting a 10-minute cockpit check-off in the Lightning. Within an-

other half hour he was behind the wheel of a Lockheed fighter bound for the United Kingdom. He made a perfect landing at the end of the trip, and was so elated he asked permission to fly the Lightning again. Permission was granted.

AUGUST 15, 1942, started out no differently than any other day of routine business for the airmen at the Iceland base. Mechanics tinkered over some of the fighters, or lolled in the shade of their wings. Pilots rocked back in rickety chairs in Operations Office. One or two were on patrol. Some of them, off duty, were napping in a Nissen hut.

Then a telephone jangled. An officer lifted the receiver, listened a moment, then gave the alarm. A German Focke-Wulf "Kurier," a four-engine machine on reconnaissance, was reported over Iceland.

MAJOR WELTMAN was out of the Operations building and into a P-38 before the surprised control officer had set down the receiver. Another Lightning and a Curtiss P-40 were already in the air when the Kurier was spotted. Operations immediately radioed them a vector on which they would intercept the intruder.

Weltman was the first to see the enemy ship as it suddenly changed course, and taking full advantage of the cloud cover, he thundered over the airfield. He "poured the Coal" to both Allison and charged his guns.

The Nazi gunners aboard the Kurier were also ready. As Weltman closed in and fired, they traded shot for shot. Within a few minutes the Lightning received hits in the armament assembly, putting all four guns out of com-

mission. Then an engine was shot out.

By this time the other P-38, flown by Lieut. Elza Shahan, and the P-40 had finally located the German air monster. Weltman turned back to the airfield in his crippled plane, while Shahan and the other fighter pilot pressed home the attack.

Shahan made one pass. Then the P-40 bored in, knocking out the Kurier's left inboard engine.

Pilot Shahan executed a chandelle, returned to position, and swept in close for a deflection, rather than a direct shot. There was no gunner on the side of the German aircraft he was approaching, and when the P-38 had reached a distance of less than 100 yards from the target, he pressed the button. Four deadly streams of .50-caliber tracer, incendiary, and armor-piercing bullets slashed into the hulk of the Luftwaffe behemoth.

Shahan had planned on diving beneath his target, but with the roar of a thunderclap it blew up practically in his face. It was too late to turn, and he flew on through the bits of flying wreckage. His Lightning was pretty well shot up by the debris, but otherwise it was in shape to continue on to the United Kingdom for many more matches with the German Air Force. And so was Lieutenant Shahan.

Shahan had set a ball rolling that was to grow ever larger by the day. The Kurier which he had knocked out of the skies over Iceland was the first German aircraft to be destroyed by an American of the U. S. Army Air Forces during World War II.

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McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

BY WM. E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority

At the Albany tournament I saw Earl Hummel make a nice doubled contract and don't think he was't worried before the dummy went down, as he had opened the bidding on a three-card club suit. After cashing the ace and king of spades, West made the mistake of leading the six of hearts, which

♠ 54	♥ 108	♦ 1098
♣ 108	♠ 107	♥ Q97
♦ A107	♣ KQJ542	♦ Q84
♠ AK73	♥ 1098	♣ 107
♥ 8542	♦ 1098	
♦ KJ	♠ 1098	
♣ 96	♥ 1098	

Dealer

Hummel

♠ QJ6
♥ KJ3
♦ 9832
♣ A83

Duplicate—None vul.

South	West	North	East
1	3	3	3
Pass	Pass	4	Double
Opening—♠ K.			23

East won with the ace. Realizing that dummy's ace of diamonds must be locked out, East returned a diamond. Hummel won with the ace and led the ten of hearts. East correctly refused to cover, but Hummel took the finesse, and now was able to discard dummy's two losing diamonds on the queen of spades and king of hearts.

While it would be difficult, I will admit, for West to lead from his king-jack of diamonds, it is generally advisable to try to knock out dummy's aces.

CAT FIRST TAMED IN EGYPT

The common cat is said to have sprung from the long-tailed wild cats of northern Africa and to have been first tamed and domesticated by the ancient Egyptians. The cat has been domesticated for so many centuries that its wild progenitor cannot be identified for certain.

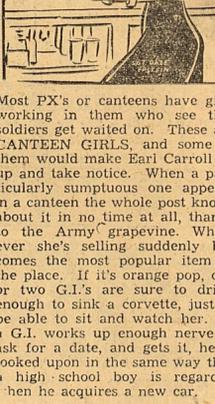
POPULATION SHIFTS WEST

Latest Census Bureau figures show at least four million fewer civilians in the United States last Nov. 1 than on April 1, 1940. During this period, California increased by over 1,000,000, while New York state lost that many.

U. S. Industries spent more than \$100,000,000 for safety equipment in 1943.

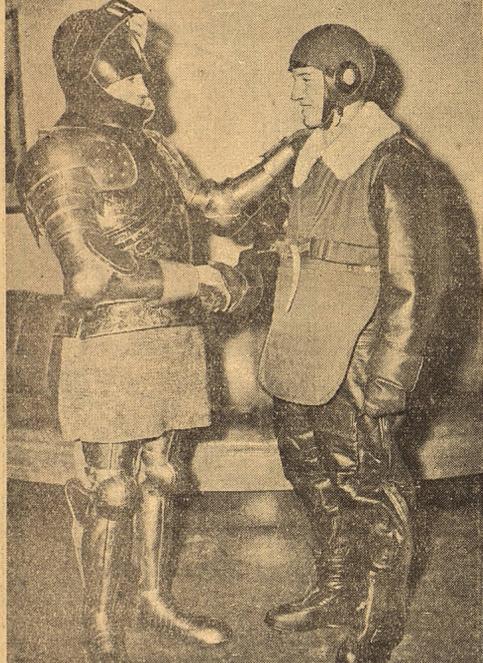
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Canteen Girl



Most PX's or canteens have girls working in them who see that soldiers get waited on. These are CANTEEN GIRLS, and some of them would make Earl Carroll sit up and take notice. When a particularly sumptuous one appears in a canteen the whole post knows about it in no time at all, thanks to the Army grapevine. Whatever she's selling suddenly becomes the most popular item in the place. If it's orange pop, one or two G.I.'s are sure to drink enough to sink a corvette, just to be able to sit and watch her. If a G.I. works up enough nerve to ask for a date, and gets it, he is looked upon in the same way that a high school boy is regarded when he acquires a new car.

Oh, What a Knight!



Weighted down with armor and mail that protected ancient knights, Pfc. Kenneth Tracy assures Pvt. Lee Morris that he's twice as safe and much more comfortable in the Army Air Forces new body armor worn by combat flyers as protection against flak! Photo was taken at first public showing of new armor at Army Ordnance exhibit in New York.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

MECHANICALLY SPEAKING, A MAN CARRYING A LOAD ON LEVEL GROUND IS DOING NO WORK... BECAUSE THERE IS NO MOTION IN THE VERTICAL DIRECTION.

KWIK-KOPPER

CAN YOU FILL IN THE BLANKS OF THIS SAFETY FIRST MOTTO?

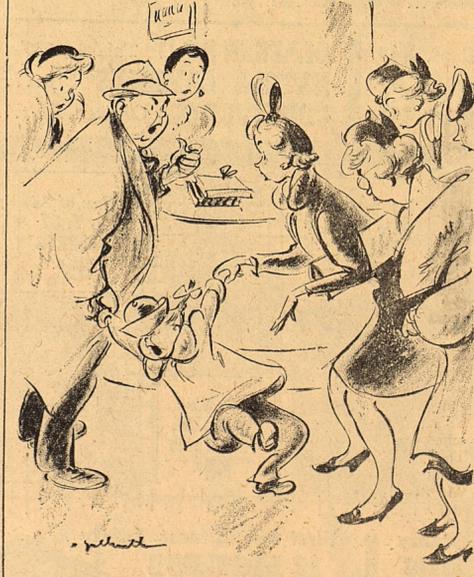
NEVER POINT A GUN AT ANYTHING YOU DON'T WANT TO SHOOT.

CONDORS CANNOT FLY UNTIL THEY ARE ALMOST ONE YEAR OLD!

ANSWER: "Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot." One of the Ten Commandments of Safety

NEXT: Does your coffee ever taste like quinine?

SIDE GLANCES



"If your system of intelligent discipline doesn't work, please let me try mother's one-whack method—I can buy a hairbrush right here in the store!"

Tough Circumstance

PORTLAND, ORE.—(P)—The Office of Price Administration here has an application for a gas stove priority with this added appeal: "I have always had a wood stove, but now my wife is sick and can no longer bring in the wood."

CONCISE CONSTITUTION

JEFFERSON CITY, MO.—(P)—Fred Nater, Cape Girardeau newspaperman, has a newspaperman's love for brevity. He offered a 3,200 word "model" constitution to replace Missouri's present state constitution of 40,000 words.

37,000,000—POUND "MEAL"—Our Army forces eat 37,000,000 pounds of food a day.

The falls of the Iguassu River in Brazil are 62 feet higher than Niagara.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



"NEP ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS WILL BUY THE PLACE \$300 DOWN!—THERE'S TWENTY ACRES O' COURSE THE HOUSE NEEDS A DAB OF PAINT!"

"EGAD, SIR! I'D BUILD A SPACIOUS STONE BUNGALOW, NATURALLY!—BUT MY PROBLEM IS SPACE AFTER I PUT IN A GOLF COURSE AND PLANE-LANDING STRIP, I'D BE PRESSED FOR ROOM TO PLANT CORN!"

WHAT'S A FARM WITHOUT A POLO FIELD!

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By EDGAR MARTIN



HOW'D Y' LIKE DAT KAYO, BABE? IT WAS SPECIAL FER YOU

NICE GOING, MISTER'S.

OKAY, COME ALONG, BOYS— WE'LL ALL WALK HOME TOGETHER

DON'TCHA THINK Y' O'D BETTER CALL IT A NIGHT, CHUM?

OH, NO! SOAPY'S WALKING HOME WITH US

IT'S JUST A SHORT WALK

IT'S NOT TH' WALK BACK TO YOUR HOUSE— IT'S THE RUN BACK TO CAMP THAT I DREAD

buy MEAD'S fine BREAD

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By MERRILL BLOSSER

IT STILL ISN'T TOO LATE TO CHANGE YOUR MIND ABOUT THE DANCE, JUNE!

SORRY, PAL! I HAVE TO MIND THE BABIES!

GOSH—AND I GOT ALL DUKED OUT! I EVEN HAVE A NEW SILK HANDKERCHIEF!

YOU DIDN'T FOLD IT RIGHT, FRECKLES!

WE WEREN'T HAVING ANY FUN AT THE DANCE WITHOUT YOU AND FRECKLES!

HI YA, POP! WHATCHA BEEN DOING?

DON'T LOOK AT ME LIKE THAT! THIS ISN'T WHAT YOU THINK IT IS!

—Regardless of your Victory garden, I've got to submerge!

WASH TUBBS

By LESLIE TURNER

HOW CAN A STOCKING HELP US ESCAPE, PENNY? WE'RE LOCKED IN THIS ROOM AND ENEMY AGENTS ARE OUTSIDE!

I'M MAKING A HANDY LITTLE WEAPON... A PERSIANER, SELANGAI!

IT'S TIME THEY BROUGHT US A MEAL... SH! SOMEONE'S COMING NOW!

WHOO! WHOO!

—MEANWHILE, A RIMROCK DANCE HALL GIRL WELCOMES A NEW ARRIVAL.

YOU MAY CALL ME STELLA! WANTA DANCE?

GOSH! SURE!

RED RYDER

By FRED HARMAN

I'M HEADIN' FOR TOWN, LITTLE BEAVER! WANTA GO?

NO—ME TEACH-UM MY PUPPY NEW TRICKS!

OH, YOU'RE THE NEW BANK CLERK FROM THE EAST?

YEAH! PA GOT ME TH' JOB, MISS!

YOU MAY CALL ME STELLA! WANTA DANCE?

GOSH! SURE!

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ALLEY OOP

By V. T. HAMLIN

I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT—POOR OLD DINNY, TH' BEST PAL ANY MAN EVER HAD, BURIED UNDER THIS PILE OF ROCK—

FIRST TIME I EVER SAW HIM I THOUGHT HE WAS THE MOST FEARSOME BEAST IN TH' WORLD... HOPELESSLY TANGLED UP IN TH' DANDEST MESS I EVER SAW!

I FELT SO SORRY FOR THE CRITTER, I JUST HAULED OFF AN' STARTED CUTTIN' AWAY AT THE VINES THAT HAD HIM TRAPPED, AT THE MERCY OF THE FIRST BRUTE THAT MIGHT COME ALONG!

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Imported Goods' Runaway Prices Being Curbed

By ANN STEVICK
NEA Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON—Although no one promises that prices or household articles and apparel will suddenly be adjusted just as you would like them, there are new steps which will help.

On manufactured goods, importer's prices, some of which have been running away, will be held down by new curbs. Such items as handkerchiefs, baby pins, novelty jewelry, handbags, luggage and sweaters and scarves, coming mostly from Latin America, will be affected.

A new over-all retail price regulation, long in the works, is promised for spring. How much it will do for the bewildered consumer is doubtful. It is expected to give the retailer a more familiar pricing method based on old "mark-ups." However, the shopper will still find a variety of prices established for the same item in different shops.

New Cleaning Woes
Your cleaner may be in more than his usual trouble for a time. Military demands for chlorinated solvents are such that none will be available for civilian use. This means that about 15 per cent of the dry-cleaning establishments, equipped to use only this type of solvent, must look around for someone to take over this part of the operation. The difficulty is expected to clear up soon, according to War Production Board informants, with the big cleaning establishments which are equipped to use other types of solvents increasing their output.

Odds An dEnds
Members of the Toy Industry Advisory Committee have advised WPB that removal of restrictions on iron and steel would save manpower and wood, and result in more serviceable, lower-cost toys. . . A slight increase in the number of passenger and truck tires released for March rationing quotas has been announced. . . As part of the push to get the surplus crop of potatoes consumed, Dr. Henry C. Sherman, chief of the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics, points out that potatoes are teeming with vitamins, and a fair-sized potato contributes only 100 calories to your diet, the same as an apple or three-fourths of a glass of milk. It's the butter or gravy that is fattening.

To intensify wartime tuberculosis control, the U. S. Public Health Service will loan field X-ray units and technicians to state and city governments.

Citrus Conserves Add Zest To Wartime Menus



Fruit refreshers make ideal spring desserts.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

While the citrus crop is still abundant, use oranges and grapefruit for those fruit preserves that add zest to "no-point, low-point" meals.

Florida Chutney
(Make about 6 6-ounce glasses)
Peel from 1 large orange, 1 cup water, 2 cups membrane-free grapefruit sections, 2 cups membrane-free orange sections, 3/4 cup nut meats, 1/2 cup seeded raisins, 1/2 cup chopped canned pineapple, 2 cups sugar.

Chop orange peel fine; cover with water. Boil gently 10 minutes; cool. Combine grapefruit and orange peel; boil slowly 20 minutes. Add sugar; stir until dissolved. Add pineapple. Boil rapidly, stirring frequently, until thickened and clear. Add nut meats and raisins; boil 2 minutes. Pour at once into hot sterilized glasses; paraffin at once.

Prune Orange Conserve
(Makes about 5 6-ounce glasses)
Two pounds dried prunes, water, 1/2 pound seedless raisins, 4 oranges, 4 cups sugar, 1 cup chopped nut meats.

Cover prunes with cold water; let stand 5 hours. Remove pits. Combine prunes, raisins and sugar. Squeeze juice from oranges, remove any seeds, but do not strain. Bring to boil; boil rapidly, stirring occasionally, until thickened. Add nut meats. Pour at once into hot sterilized glasses. Paraffin at once.

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Yanks Set For Invasion But A 'Little' Scared

By JAMES E. KING
AP Features

LONDON—The American dough-boy waiting for the kickoff in the invasion of Europe is like a football player in a dressing room before the big game—cool, a little tense maybe, but confident.

Like the football player, he doesn't like to talk much about the business at hand. Wives, sweethearts, the home town—sure—but not what it's going to be like storming ashore.

They expect to be scared at first, especially those who haven't been shot at before, but they'll tell you: "We've got a job to do and we'll do it when the time comes."

Laughs Are Grim
They joke a little, like Pvt. Wayne Mantle, Harrisville, N. Y., who allowed he was "ready to invade New York right now."

But there's no joking in training against invasion day. "They are cocky, but they have no illusions about the grim game of war. They know a lot of them aren't coming back. But they know that it's the only way to win the war and get back home."

Sgt. Sammie Slusher, Willard, Ohio, tells his men how that first baptism of fire is going to feel.

"Frankly," he says, "you will be scared stiff. Your arms will tremble and your knees will knock. The sweat of your hands will be cold and clammy."

"Your lips and throat will be dry, your stomach upset, and you'll wish you were a couple of thousand miles away somewhere in America. It will be like waiting for the kickoff."

Chances are you'll be surprised how cool you are once you get in there. You'll find you have a lot more know-how than you thought you did."

Work And Play Hard
These American soldiers don't hate anybody in particular, but they hate hard, and on leave they play just like anyone else away from home would do.

Some are a little more anxious for the invasion to start than others, maybe because they have a touch of homesickness.

"In a way, I'm a little tired of waiting," said Sgt. Clarence Kamin, 24, Chicago, and Sgt. Paul Setkula, former Stump Creek, Pa., coal miner, finished the sentence for him. "The sooner we get started, the sooner we get home," he said.

Family Reunion
"You never can tell what you'll meet on an invasion," grinned Corp. Harry Hammer, Brooklyn.

"When we invaded Northern Ireland I met my brother Ben, whom I hadn't seen for a long time, and my brother Murray (former New York policeman)."

Between wishing they were going home and knowing the only way to get there is by way of Berlin, they can laugh at such things as happened to Pvt. Clarence Huggan, a mural painter from Staten Island, N. Y.

While training at Fort Bragg, N. C., Morgan took private flying lessons at a nearby field. He was shipped off, leaving a small bill unpaid at the field.

Morgan went for weeks without a letter. Then one came. He tore it open. It was from the air field. It began: "You apparently do not realize the seriousness of this situation."

SCYTHE, WAR DEAD MONUMENT

Upon leaving his home and going away to war in 1861, James Johnson of near Geneva, N. Y., hung up his scythe in the crotch of a tree with instructions not to remove it until he returned. He never came back and the tree grew around the scythe, holding it safe and secure.

Injuries account for four times as many lost man-hours as strikes.

Safe at Last!



Almost hysterical with joy as they arrive at desert camp in Middle East, Yugoslav refugees cheer and laugh happily from the deck of their freight car "Pullman." Aided by underground units of the Yugoslav guerrillas, they escaped from islands along Yugoslav coast. In all, some 25,000 got out of Nazi clutches.

No Solution Seen For Those Blighted Pre-War Marriages

By RUTH MILLETT

The case of the quadruplets born to an English girl and her American soldier lover, who has a war bride back home, pushes into the limelight the wartime problem: What should a wife do when her husband writes her that he has fallen in love with a girl in another country—possibly even has fathered her child?

The wife in this case didn't have to decide the matter for herself. Her religion disapproves of divorce, and she is going to sit tight.

But what of wives who have to decide such a question for themselves? How are they going to answer it?

Well, considering the general attitude against a cheating war wife, shouldn't our attitude be the same toward a cheating husband?

And if so, then the wife certainly isn't obliged to give her husband a divorce simply because he asks for it, even if it is to allow him to marry some girl in a foreign country who is about to have or has had a baby by him.

It looks as though the only question a wife would have to answer under those circumstances is: "What do I want—and what is the best solution for me?"

May Want Divorce
Of course, she might well decide that the best thing to do would be to get a divorce—and so be free to look for a more settled, dependable man for a husband.

But she also might decide she isn't going to turn her husband over to another woman without a struggle. Then if she thinks there is a chance of some day getting her husband back—providing, of course, she wants him back under those conditions—she certainly has a right to say "No" to a divorce until the war is over and she has had a chance to see and talk with her husband.

There is no happy solution to the problem. It is a war problem that is tragic from beginning to end, and should be avoided by husbands and wives by both sticking as closely to a "no dating" rule as though they were living together instead of apart. Avoidance of the problem is the only happy solution.

Slaves were bought by the Aztecs by the payment of 100 cocoa beans.

Dogs were raised in ancient Mexico for food.

TENTH AIRFORCE FLIES LONGEST MISSIONS

CALCUTTA—(P)—Tenth USSAAF heavy bombers fly the longest missions in the world and over the meanest jungles on earth. The world's largest bombing paunt started from India soon after the 10th USSAAF was formed two years ago, when a small formation flew 2,800 miles non-stop to hit Bangkok.

The four-motored planes flew out one morning over the Bay of Bengal for 1,000 miles without sighting land until they dropped their loads on Nicobar Islands. It was like the great shuttle raids on Europe from England to Africa. The trip from London to Tunis is the same distance as from India to Nicobar islands. The European bombers refueled at Tunis but there were too many Japanese at Nicobar to land and take on gasoline.

Middle American culture flourished for 2,000 years before the coming of white men, archaeologists believe.

WIRELESS LIGHT BULB

One of the current electrical developments is a type of light bulb which requires no wires whatsoever, deriving its power from wireless electronic power. Used to light airplane instrument panels, these lights require less current than an electric clock.

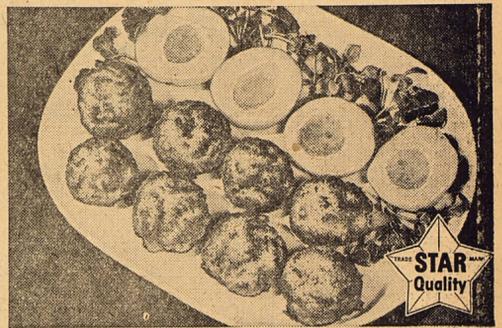
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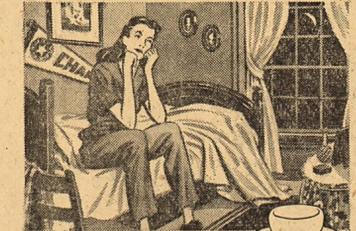
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Operating In An Icebox — Army's Mountain Doctors Work For World's Toughest Practice

By ROBERT GEIGER
AP Features Writer

CAMP HALE, COLO. —(AP)—Imagine your family doctor as a rugged mountain man in Arctic parka and on skis!

If he is young, has a sound constitution and is a good physician or surgeon that may be exactly where he is today.

At Camp Hale, near snow-covered peaks of the Rocky Mountains whose blizzards even hardy mountain trappers shied, fighting men are taught to battle under Alpine conditions. Mountain medical men are trained to go right beside them. Go Where He Goes.

"If you are going to care for a mountain soldier you have to be able to go where the soldier goes," says Lt. Col. H. L. Berman, formerly of Peoria, Ill., the division surgeon.

So the Army cast an eye over America's "baby specialists," the general village practitioners, the skin specialists, and the more experienced hospital interns as well as the famous physicians and surgeons. The hardy one were brought together in a medical outfit capable of going where the going is most difficult.

These men have been trained in all the tricks of mountain climbing and Indian lore. They can ski. They have lived for days in sleeping bags or ice houses on winter maneuvers in the Colorado Rockies with five feet of snow on the ground and the thermometer as 49 below.

They Practice Cold

Under such conditions blood plasma freezes in two minutes; a surgeon's hands, if unglued, become numb instantly. They learn to overcome these things.

Maj. Ward I. Gregg, gentle, slender surgeon from Cambridge, Mass., took his skis one day and fought his way through snow and sub-zero cold to Dillon, 40 miles away and over the Continental Divide at 11,000 feet. Just for the fun of it!

"That's the kind of a medical outfit the Army is training to care for its wounded men."

"We have borrowed ideas from the American Indian, the Eskimo and rescue techniques tried out in World War I in the Alps," says Colonel Berman. "All these and others have been incorporated in our training."

"The old Indian made his squaw drag the household belongings on a travois (a pole framework) behind a horse. We employ this method of carrying a litter under certain conditions, but use sure-footed mules."

"We also rig a ski soldier's skis into a toboggan to make a sled litter. There are many ways of getting a wounded man safely from a mountain battlefield hemmed in by blizzards, cold and high cliffs."

Hard Way The Best

In this age of the airplane it would seem simple to land on the top of a mountain to rescue wounded men.

However, the airplane and helicopter haven't proved, at this date, as satisfactory or sure as mules and men for this work.

"Our feet and ropes are our big stock in trade," says Colonel Berman. "A mountain soldier wants lots of rope. If you give a mountain medical man just a little rope he'll hang himself, but give him plenty of rope and he'll be happy."

In mountain medicine a doctor has to do the most with the least. Mountain battlefields are isolated and inaccessible. Wounded men have to be moved from the fronts, down cliffs to trails leading to field stations.

Pitmarigan Mountain, jutting 12-500 feet into a blizzard, is a huge air-conditioned school room for the mountain medical men.

It's 30 below on their practice battleground. One plays injured. The litter bearers, weaponless, crawl across the snow to him.

They carry him on the first stage of the long trip to a field station. On the side of Pitmarigan is a straight cliff. They rig an aerial train of rope. Carefully they slide the soldier, in his litter, over the face of the cliff, lower him gently.

At the bottom mules are waiting. The wounded man's ride in the caecole is jerky and rough, timed to the mule's cadence.

Finally they reach a smoother spot where a toboggan can be used. The litter bearers, on skis, drag the toboggan to a trail. In a jeep, the man reaches a field station where doctors are waiting with bottled plasma, medicines and warmth.

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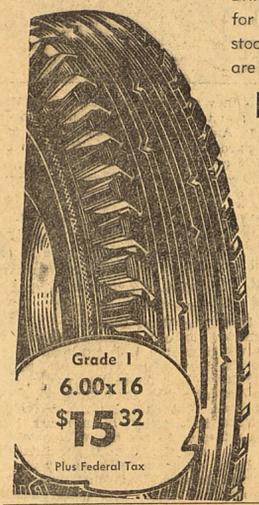
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