

# LABOR PARTY WINS IN ENGLAND

## Tokyo Pleads For Leniency

By LEONARD MILLIMAN  
Associated Press War Editor

Tokyo pleaded for leniency Thursday under the merciless poundings of Allied naval guns and planes which rapidly are knocking out Japan's air, sea and coastal defenses.

Twenty Japanese warships and 82 other surface craft were knocked out in a single day's air raids by combined U. S.-British carrier forces, presumably still roaming Japanese waters.

On distant fronts strong Allied scouting parties were reported feeling their way toward Singapore in an amphibious operation while Chinese troops overran the seventh former U. S. air base in China to be retaken in recent months.

Incessant aerial pounding will reduce Japan to "a nation without cities—a nomadic people," Lt. Gen. Doolittle promised from his new Superfort headquarters on Okinawa. His confidence, echoing comments of other ranking American air, sea and army commanders in the Pacific, was expressed shortly after B-29 headquarters on Guam announced 143 square miles of 39 Japanese industrial cities have been reduced to rubble or ashes.

Tokyo seemed to be of the same opinion. In one of its most amazing broadcasts the government-controlled radio said the emperor's military leaders would gladly stop the war right now if the United States eased up on its demands for unconditional surrender.

Simultaneously, Russia's Stalin was reported to have carried a Japanese peace offer to President Truman at the Potsdam conference. This report, published by Newsweek magazine, said Japan offered Manchuria to the Soviet Union for non-intervention, agreed to withdrawal from Asia, and American occupation of Korea and Formosa, but no occupation of the sacred islands themselves.

Japan's desire to quit is receiving a provocative boost from Admiral Halsey's Allied fleet. On Tuesday alone, some 1,200 planes from the fleet's carriers damaged the greater part of the bedraggled imperial fleet and knocked out 150 planes.

Twenty warships were bombed or torpedoed, including three battleships, six aircraft carriers and five cruisers. Twenty merchant ships were sunk. Sixty-two other cargo vessels and smaller craft ranging down to barges were damaged.

This toll was taken along the inland sea, most of it at the once great Kure Naval Base.

Rolling banks of fog interrupted continued carrier attacks Wednesday. But a partial return of the sun.

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## Texaco To Drill Another Wildcat In S-E Gaines

By JAMES C. WATSON  
Oil Editor

The Texas Company staked location for a San Andres-Permian Wildcat in Southeast Gaines County. It is Texaco No. 2 Farmer County School Land fee, and is 660 feet from south and west lines of labor 12, league 317, Farmer County School Land survey.

That puts it about one and one-half miles southeast of same company's No. 1 Farmer drilled about a year ago, and in which some interesting indications developed—but none of commercial value.

The test will drill to between 5,000 feet and 5,500 feet and is to start soon.

**Had Slight Shows**  
John I. Moore No. 1 Southland Royalty-Waddell, Crane County exploration in section 19, block 2, H&TCo survey, was drilled below 5,870 feet in lime and dolomite, and had drilled through slight oil shows at 5,832-68 feet. There was no possibility in the zone, which is probably lower Permian.

**DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc.** No. 1-C Lockhart & Brown, in southwest quarter of section 12, block A-41, psi survey, in South Andrews County, was bottomed at 7,003 feet, in lower Permian lime. It is reported to have taken a drill-stem test to that point.

**Had Shows**  
A test at 6,898-6,972 feet, open for one hour and 30 minutes, had a recovery of 360 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud.

The hole drilled to 7,003 feet and found another soft section and the second drill-stem test for the formation was ordered. Results have not been reported.

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## Red Point Values On Meats Cut

WASHINGTON—(P)—OPA, reporting "definite improvement" in meat supply and distribution, Thursday announced reductions in red point values for almost all cuts of beef, lamb and veal beginning Sunday.

The agency estimated that for the August rationing period about 9.5 per cent more meat will be available for sale over retail counters than in July. Compared with June, when civilian supplies were at their lowest level, the increase will be about 11 per cent.

With one exception, the reductions amount to one to two points a pound. The reduction for boneless rump roasts is three points. Most steaks are cut two points.

**Pork Remains Unchanged**  
Present point values of all cuts of pork, canned fish, fats and oils, and dairy products will remain unchanged.

Total meat supplies for the August rationing period were estimated at 221,110,000 pounds, compared with 212,190,000 pounds for the present period.

Price Administrator Chester Bowles said the improvement in civilian supplies was due largely to lower military purchases.

## Mayor Proclaims Air Force Day In Midland

In response to the request of Gen. H. H. Arnold, commanding general Army Air Forces, Mayor A. N. Hendrickson has designated August 1 as Air Force Day in Midland.

"It is altogether fitting that the 38th anniversary of the founding of the Army Air Forces should be selected as the day whereon the citizens of the nation may extend to the AAF some measure of the recognition due that organization for its tremendous contribution to victory," the mayor declared.

"Therefore, as an American with a sense of pride in American achievement in the air, I hereby designate August 1 as Air Force Day in this community. I urge all citizens to visit one or both of the nearby Air Force establishments and to take part in the celebration of the day."

## Superforts Bomb Three Jap Cities

GUAM—(P)—A sky fleet of more than 350 Superfortresses dropped more than 2,200 tons of fire bombs Friday on three industrial cities scattered over three home islands of Japan.

Splitting into three task forces, the Superforts in the early morning darkness roared in at medium altitude and showered their incendiaries on these three prime targets.

Onuma, one of the empire's most important chemical centers on the southernmost island of Kyushu.

Matsuyama, important port city on the western shores of the neighboring island of Shikoku.

Tokuyama, another chemical center as well as refining city on the main home island of Honshu.

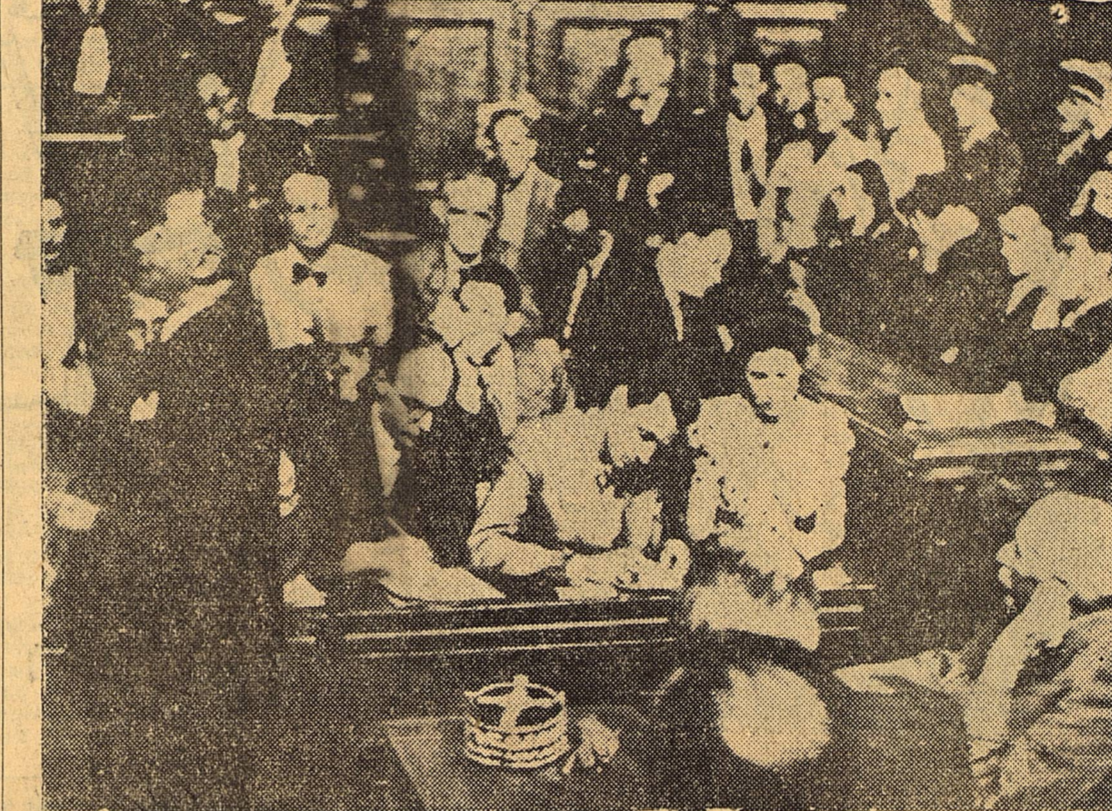
## War Bulletins

GUAM—(AP)—B-29 devastation in Japan's urban industrial areas Thursday reached 143 square miles in 39 cities as the latest wave of nearly 100 Superforts reported "good to excellent" results in Wednesday night's strike at oil targets near Tokyo.

CHUNGKING—(AP)—The Chinese High Command announced Thursday Chinese troops had captured the city of Nanyung, 155 miles north-east of Canton and site of the seventh former American air base to be regained from the Japanese in recent months.

MANILA—(AP)—Roaming the skies virtually at will in small groups and singly, aircraft of the Far East Air Command hit Japanese airdromes and shipping from Southern Malaya and Java to the enemy's home island of Honshu Monday and Tuesday, Gen. MacArthur announced Thursday.

## Marshal Petain Hears Testimony



Paul Reynaud (standing, left), testifies as first witness in the trial of Marshal Petain who sits at right with hand cupped to hear better. (NEA Telephoto)

## City Wages War On Flies

### Clean-Up Drive Will Be Planned At Friday Meet

The polio prevention and clean-up campaigns of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce will be launched at 7 p. m. Friday when directors of the organization and committee chairmen of the campaigns meet in the private dining room of the Scharbauer Hotel to map definite plans to rid Midland of conditions which might cause infantile paralysis.

In addition to JayCees, members of the City Council, Dr. J. A. Olean, director of the Midland County Health Unit, and Graham Smoot, sanitarian for the health unit, will be present to hear the plans of the committee chairmen for waging their part of the battle against unsanitary conditions in the city.

Every member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will be given a definite assignment in the campaign, Carl Peay, general chairman, said.

**Six Phase Campaign**  
The campaign has been divided into six parts with a chairman in charge of each.

A. A. Jones is chairman in charge of rodent control. Richard Brooks and Joe Mims will have charge of the program for better sewage disposal. Smoot will direct the food and fly control campaign, and J. R. Maedgen will direct a campaign to clear alleys of the city of rubbish, and to provide better garbage disposal.

Ted Thompson is the research and information chairman, and W. B. Neely is publicity chairman.

"The JayCees decided the spread of infantile paralysis, which largely is caused by filth, and the acute fly situation, demand immediate action be taken," Peay said.

## Two Polio Cases Reported Here

Two cases of polio of a type which did not develop infantile paralysis have developed in Midland within the last three weeks. Dr. J. A. Olean, director of the Midland County Health Unit, reported Thursday.

Harold L. Robbins, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Robbins of 705 South Dallas, is recovering in a Big Spring Hospital from an attack of the disease.

Dr. Olean said physicians were not certain when young Robbins first became ill as to whether he had polio, but Dr. Olean went to Big Spring Thursday morning to learn the results of the doctors' observations there and he was told the child had polio.

The health unit director said symptoms of this type of the disease generally are severe headaches and stiff neck and back.

Dr. Olean said this is the second case of the disease in the city in the last three weeks. The other case was a young adult.

## Diphtheria Causes Death Of Child

James E. Merriman, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Merriman, died Wednesday at a Midland hospital of diphtheria.

Private funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Thursday from the Ellis Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Paul H. Cox, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiating. Interment was to be at Fairview cemetery.

The survivors include the parents, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Butler.

## Army To Mass Forces For Single Crushing Blow Against Japs

WASHINGTON—(P)—Gen. Jacob L. Devers, new chief of Army Ground Forces, said Thursday the plan is to mass a force for a single crushing blow against Japan, adding "there's no use doing it piecemeal."

Appearing at a news conference with Acting Secretary of War Patterson, Devers said "We hope to get these 7,000,000 (the approximate total of the Army after partial demobilization) redeployed against the Japs in a single blow."

He explained that he did not mean the whole 7,000,000 could be used "on one small island" but that they would be needed here in this country, in the pipeline of supply that feeds the forces on the Pacific front, and elsewhere.

The general was commander of the 6th Army Group in the European fighting.

The big job now, he said, is to get the men who have been on furloughs back to camp and put them in re-training for the Pacific war. Along with them must be trained men who are coming into the Army for the first time and who will go into the reorganized outfits bound for the Pacific. The men will be given a minimum of eight weeks' re-training, he said.

## Health Official Praises Citizens For Cooperation

Midland is winning its war on flies, thanks largely to the cooperation of individual citizens, Dr. J. A. Olean, director of the Midland County Health Unit, said Thursday.

Despite the improvement in condition, a number of steps must be taken if the number of flies here is to be reduced to a minimum, Dr. Olean said.

He told of a cattle lot where hundreds of square yards of manure is breeding thousands upon thousands of maggots which turn into flies. Since the prevailing summer winds blow into Midland from the direction of the lot, Dr. Olean expressed the belief many of the flies in the city came from it.

Owners of the lot were notified officially July 17 to remedy conditions, Dr. Olean said. The health unit director said he and Graham Smoot, sanitarian for the health unit, planned to make an inspection of the lot Friday, and if the owners had not remedied conditions, steps will be taken to compel them to do so.

Business men who are keeping sidewalks around their establishments cleaned of substances which might attract flies, and home owners who have poured oil around garbage cans, were praised by the health official for their contributions to the battle against flies.

"With the continued cooperation of Midland citizens the number of flies here can be reduced to a minimum," Dr. Olean said.

## Midland Army Air Field Will Be On Display Wednesday In Observance Of Anniversary Of Military Aviation

Midland Army Air Field will go on display Wednesday as its part in the nation-wide observance of Air Forces Day—the thirty-eighth anniversary of the founding of military aviation in America.

The gates of the field will be open to civilians and military personnel from other stations at 1 p. m. Wednesday, and the crowds will be guided to the various points of interest.

A formal review of troops and retreat ceremony will be held at 4:45 p. m., with Colonel Chester P. Gilger, commanding officer of MAAF, civic dignitaries of both Midland and Odessa, and high-ranking officers in the reviewing party.

The troops, made up of several hundred officer students at the Central School of Bombing and several units of enlisted personnel, will form west of the flagpole in front of Post Headquarters, directly opposite a large area which will be roped off for visitors.

At the rear of the retreat cannon the troops will be called smartly to attention and the flag will be lowered as the band plays the National Anthem.

Then, as the band strikes up a lively march, the rank after rank of

## Loses Power

Winston Churchill's Conservative Party was defeated in the British election.

Potsdam to take up the Big Three deliberations which were interrupted Wednesday to allow Churchill and his colleagues to return to receive the election returns.

**Labor Has Big Majority**  
A compilation from official returns said Labor had won 344 of the 640 Commons seats, Conservatives 188, Liberals 10, Liberal Nationals 12, Communists 1, scattered votes for other minor parties and still doubtful 105.

It appeared certain that the Labor Party alone had won a good working majority, releasing it from the necessity of depending on other opposition parties to form a government.

Latest popular vote figures gave: Labor 5,895,967, Conservative 4,115,587.

The Labor Party last formed the government in 1929 under the late Ramsay MacDonald, and held power until 1931 when it was forced to go to the people on the gold standard issue.

Following that election it was forced to lean heavily on the Liberal Party section of the government coalition and in 1933, Britain's first general election since 1929, Stanley Baldwin led the Conservatives into power.

**Pledge Socialization**  
In one of the most acrimonious campaigns in Britain's history, the Labor Party pledged itself in this election to support a program of national socialization of heavy industry, transportation, mines and the Bank of England.

The first thing Attlee and his party probably will attempt to do when they take over the government will be nationalization of these enterprises, including the iron and steel industry and all forms of inland transport.

"When monopoly gets into the hands of a few men, then the only safe monopoly is a monopoly of the community," Attlee has declared.

He has promised political liberty for India "if they can achieve it for themselves," and he has declared for the closest possible relations with the United States and Russia.

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## Churchill Government Defeated But Winnie Wins Commons Seat

LONDON—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill resigned Thursday night.

By The Associated Press

LONDON—Britain, surging strongly to the left, threw out the Churchill government in election returns counted Thursday and called the Labor Party, headed by Clement R. Attlee, to lead the nation against Japan and through reconstruction.

The Labor Party's victory was smashing. It lead in Commons seats over Winston Churchill's Conservatives was nearly 2 to 1, in compilations at mid-afternoon.

Churchill himself and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden escaped the tidal wave and were returned to their seats in Commons, but a dozen of their most prominent colleagues were defeated.

The returns were from the July 5 election, the nation's first general poll in 10 years.

The Labor Party campaigned on a platform calling for nationalization of basic industries. King George VI likely will call on Attlee, the party's mild-mannered and Oxford-educated leader, to form the new government on reconvening of Parliament Aug. 8.

Attlee, who was deputy prime minister in the Churchill government until after the defeat of Germany, presumably will return to

## U. S. Third Fleet Remains In Jap Waters Thursday

GUAM—(P)—The taunting U. S. Third Fleet which smashed 24 Japanese warships in the 17 days it has made the home waters of Nippon its own, moved menacingly off the mikado's islands Thursday, deploying for its next blows at the enemy's stunned cities and shattered ships.

As Admiral Halsey pulled back to sea for a breather, there was no indication that he intended to let up in his steady pounding of war plants, coastal defenses, airfields and the remnants of the Japanese fleet.

Halsey continued to move his ships about the enemy home waters as he chose, with no resistance on the sea. The Nipponese finally perked up a little in the air, but the few planes they put aloft were almost lost among the Allied hundreds. Nineteen were shot down.

Latest reports on Tuesday's strike indicated that enemy warships caught like sitting ducks at Kure Naval Base probably would be on the repair list for long periods.

**Speed End Of War**  
Of equal importance in speeding the end of the war were heavy new blows on the enemy merchant fleet, already reduced to such an extent it could not move sufficient supplies for the homeland of fighting fronts. In all, 32 enemy merchant ships and 53 small craft were sunk or damaged.

Together, American and British airmen destroyed or damaged 190 other Japanese aircraft Tuesday and Wednesday.

Through Tuesday, 620 Japanese ships had been knocked out and 778 airplanes destroyed or damaged in 15 days of strikes by units under Admiral Nimitz' command. Most of this damage was inflicted by Halsey's force.

## Weather

Partly cloudy and continued warm Thursday afternoon. Clear Thursday night and Friday morning. Not much change in temperature.

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In all labor there is profit; but the talk of the lips tendeth only to penury.—Proverbs 15:23.

Veterans In College

In one college at least, returning veterans have created less of a problem of veterans' adjustment than one of civilians' adjustment.

R. L. Lewis, veterans' counselor at Colorado State Agricultural College, reports that student veterans generally are determined to make the most of their educational opportunities. They are, he says, studious and industrious, and there are far fewer failures among them than among the students with no military background.

It would be as sweepingly untrue to say that every returning service man and woman is serious and ambitious as it would be to say that every one of them is neurotic. But it stands to reason that many college-age veterans are going to take a decidedly different view of education.

Those who have seen service with the armed forces have seen the value of learning. They have seen the advancement that higher education and specialized knowledge can bring. And a lot of them have "gone to school" in uniform, learning new skills and sciences in concentrated, intensive courses which taught in weeks what a college course might take months or years to impart.

A great many of the veterans in college have had combat experience. And the fact that they have seen and faced death and escaped it may well be an added incentive to them for exploiting their talents fully in the future years of life which happily have been spared them.

All men and women who have been in service must know that they helped fight a war that came into being because of the bigotry, greed, short-sightedness and stupidity of an older generation. The more observant among them must know that alert, able and responsible minds are going to be needed to avert another such catastrophe in their lifetime.

It is small wonder, then, that the veterans' counselor at the Colorado college finds this returning group of students eager for knowledge. Probably his experience is not unusual.

It is unlikely that any veterans advisers will try to readjust the former soldiers and sailors to the prevalent college-student pattern of the years between World Wars I and II. The social overemphasis, the mental laziness, the tradition of rascally coats, John Held cartoons and goldfish-swallowing that characterized those collegiate generations are things that the ivied academic cloisters and the country as a whole can well do without.

Another Alphabetical Agency

This is a feeble protest and a minority report. It won't get anywhere because the craze for alphabetization, born of the New Deal, has gone too far to be stopped now. So it's a cinch that the new United Nations Organization is going to be known as UNO.

UNO, unlike WPB and RFC, can easily be pronounced as a word, or rather, two words. As such the letters have a suggestion of the shrugged shoulder and the raised eyebrow. Furthermore they'll be certain to give rise to some horrible puns.

To our Spanish-speaking neighbors to the south, of course, UNO means "one". For them the initials might have a nice symbolism—if a little confusing—except that since their word order differs from the English, the initials don't come out UNO in Spanish, anyway.

The League of Nations may not have been a howling success, but at least nobody ever called it LON. That, however, was in the dear, dead days. Today we don't have time to stop and speak the full title of even so fatefully important a council as the United Nations Organization.

So UNO it probably will be. We don't intend to fight the trend. In fact, there will probably come a day when space and time are both short, and UNO will appear in these columns. Just the same, though, we don't have to like it.

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Midland Airfield

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At 6:30 p. m. the public will be invited to see and hear a briefing for a bombing mission. Held in front of a grandstand, the briefing will be broadcast to the crowd by a public address system.

The target will be an airfield—a bomber base vital to the "enemy"—and the watchers will see for the first time what really makes a mission tick.

Intelligence reports will be given and the airmen will be briefed as to the safest and most effective heading on which to approach the target. Altitude of the bombing strike will be announced and various other vital details will be presented.

To Hear Conversations As the airmen hurry to their waiting bombers the crowd will move to the edge of the ramp and watch the planes warm up. The public address system will be tied in to the control tower and the watchers will be able to hear the take-off radio conversations and the radio communications while the bombers are rendezvousing above the field.

Formed into elements and squadrons they will speed away toward their target.

Colonel Gilger will deliver a short address of welcome to the visitors and commendation to MAAF personnel for their part in making the Air Forces and the training program what they are today.

As the commanding officer finishes his remarks, reports will be relayed over the public address system that "a formation of bombers is headed this way".

Midland Army Air Field then will be revealed as the "target" the bombers went out to destroy, and all eyes will turn to the sky to watch for the aerial raiders.

The squadron will roar into view and pelt the target with 100-pound practice bombs! The spectators will be able to witness the bombing from bleachers set a safe distance away.

The bombs will be filled with sand but they will be dropped by veteran bombardiers who have focused their bombsights on important Jap and Axis targets, and the crowd will get an idea of the aerial sharp-shooting which reduced German installations to rubble.

After the bombing demonstration, the band will play the National Anthem, closing the activities of the day.

Texas To Get Sugar From Cuba In August

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration plans to bring another shipment of Cuban sugar into Texas in August, Rep. Lyndon B. Johnson disclosed.

The shipment will supplement 350,000 hundred-pound bags of off-shore sugar which already have been brought into Texas since June 15 to relieve an acute shortage facing housewives canning a bumper fruit crop, Johnson said.

The exact size of the scheduled August shipment is not known but is expected to approximate 65,000 bags.

Temperature Hits 96 Degrees Again

For the second straight day the thermometer registered a maximum temperature of 96 degrees in Midland. The mercury ceased rising at that mark at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday and remained there until 8 p. m. The mercury fell during the night to register a minimum temperature of 76 degrees at 7 a. m. for Thursday.

SHE FOUND SOLDIER'S IDENTITY NOT 'FALSE'

TEMPLE—(AP)—Lynn Simpson, who issues commissary cards at Camp Hood, asked a soldier for positive identification.

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day's work showed 39 more Nipponese planes destroyed or damaged. In announcing this toll Admiral Nimitz made no mention of another naval bombardment due south of Tokyo on the approaches to Tokyo Bay. Japanese reported the attack Wednesday.

Carrier sweeps were augmented by land-based craft reaching from southern Kyushu Island to Tokyo Bay. Among them were 100 B-29s which swept through intense anti-aircraft fire to wreak new damage on three oil refineries near the enemy capital. One Superfort was shot down. Tokyo reported two B-29 mine-laying expeditions in Nippon waters Thursday.

A new island invasion which would carry Allied forces half way from Rangoon to Singapore was reported in an unconfirmed Tokyo broadcast. A reconnaissance force of 500 amphibious troops was said to have landed Wednesday on Puket Island, 625 miles north of the Singapore Naval Base on the west coast of the Malay Peninsula, under cover of a bombardment by two cruisers. Tokyo said they were given off.

In the see-saw China battles, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's forces recaptured Nanyung, 155 miles northeast of Canton. It is a former base for the U. S. 14th Air Force and a shipping point for the recaptured Wolfram mining area.

Two Japanese columns were reported trying to drive into Southern China from Indo-China.

A junction of U. S. and Philippine Army units in the Northern Luzon mountains split the strongest Nipponese forces remaining in the Philippines. One entrenched enemy group was believed to include Lt. Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita, conqueror of Bataan and Singapore. Australian troops in Southeast Borneo's jungles pushed seven miles inland and probed enemy defenses along the road to the rich Samarinda oil fields.

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THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst

For some three weeks Tokyo has been nervously forecasting a British attack on the mammoth naval base of Singapore which for nearly three and a half years has been one of Japan's key positions for offense and defense.

Frequently when the Mikado's spokesmen broadcast prophecies like that they are fishing for information from the Allies—hoping that we shall be foolish enough to make a retort that will divulge our plans. In this case, however, the Japs undoubtedly are sincere, as witness that they have been evacuating civilians from the island to the Malayan mainland and are preparing for attack.

Well, they may be right. My information from good sources is that Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, commander-in-chief in the Southeast Pacific, has been getting

91st Division May Train At Camp Howze

GAINESVILLE—(AP)—Camp Howze has been selected tentatively for redeployment training of the 91st Division, Col. Russell J. Potts, camp commander, revealed Wednesday.

The 91st, formed originally of officers and men from the Northwest, will be returned to the U. S. in September, according to a recent announcement by the War Department.

The War Department announced Tuesday that the Infantry Replacement Training Center at Camp Howze would be closed about Aug. 11.

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a lot of ships and materiel from Europe and is fairly well set for major action. It's worth noting, too, that Mountbatten attended the Big Three conference at Potsdam Wednesday. Certainly it's a position for us to watch.

Singapore Big Prize Recapture of Singapore would be one of the big victories of the war, for it would permit the Allies to reopen the narrow strait of Malacca between the Malay Peninsula and Sumatra. Through this strait, which is a short-cut between the Indian Ocean and the South China Sea, the British East India Fleet could pour for operations against the China Coast and Japan proper.

It will be a great moment for John Bull when he starts his assault to avenge the disaster which the Japs inflicted on him at the beginning of '42. "Invincible" Singapore fell on February 15 at one of the blackest periods of the World War for the Allies. Singapore was the most powerful naval base in all that part of the world. It had taken fifteen years to build it, at a cost of \$80,000,000, and it was one of the wonders of the world. It's 22 square miles of deep sea anchorage could accommodate the entire British fleet.

KIDNEYS MUST REMOVE EXCESS ACIDS

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## Betty Middleton Becomes Bride Of Lt. R. E. Schenck

Miss Betty L. Middleton of Canton, Ill., became the bride of Lt. R. E. Schenck of Midland Army Air Field in a ceremony performed Tuesday evening at the MAAF Post Chapel. Chaplain Claude T. Miller read the vows for single ring marriage rites.

Preceding the ceremony traditional wedding music was played by Sgt. Donald Gillet, organist.

The bride was attired in a blue suit with which she wore a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Schotter is attendant.

Mrs. Laferte Schotter of Midland, who attended the bride as matron of honor, was attired in a blue gaberline suit and wore a corsage of gardenias.

Best man was Lt. Michael Schotter, ASN, of MAAF.

Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of Canton High School, Canton, Ill. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Middleton, 662 South First Ave., Canton, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schenck, also of Canton. Lieutenant Schenck was in the 15th Air Force while serving overseas. He wears the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal, three clusters, five battle stars, the Presidential Citation and the ETO Ribbon.

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## MRS. V. Z. WREN IS HOSTESS FOR SOCIAL FOR TEL CLASS

Mrs. V. Z. Wren was hostess to members of the TEL Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at her home, 400 West Kansas.

During the business session plans were made for the ensuing year and finances were discussed.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Meses, J. N. Barron, S. Watson Miller, T. O. Midkiff, Troy Eiland, B. G. Pemberton, W. S. Kelton, J. H. Williamson and three guests, Meses, West, J. F. Garber and M. D. Cox.

## Mrs. G. W. Wakefield Is Honored At Meet Of Spotters Group Two

Mrs. G. W. Wakefield, who is leaving soon for Madisonville, Texas, was honored at a meeting of Spotters Group Two Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Bowden, 1205 West Wall Street.

Liverpool Rummy was played during the afternoon and refreshments were served by the hostess to a guest, Mrs. Ray H. Baker, and the following members: Meses, L. W. Siegrist, J. E. Moore, J. E. Raulston, J. H. Vicars, R. E. Clarke Wakefield and E. M. McEachin.

## Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Courtiss, Jr., on the birth of a son, William Floyd.

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## Coming Events

**FRIDAY**  
Mrs. J. P. Cornelius' group will have charge of arrangements for the surgical dressings at the Salvation Army USO. All wives of military personnel are invited to assist in this project.

The Ladies Golf Association luncheon will be held at 1 p. m. at the Midland Country Club. Hostesses are Meses, J. K. Hazlip, William Kerr and Bob Hamilton.

**SATURDAY**  
The Children's Library hour will be held in the basement of the court house at 2:30 p. m.

## J. CLEMMONS YOUNG WILL BE PRESENTED IN AN ORGAN CONCERT

J. Clemmons Young of Austin and now in Midland as a representative of the United States Civil Service Commission, will be presented in an organ concert at 5 p. m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Joe Mims will be the assisting artist.

Young is a graduate of the University of Texas and was also an organ student of Arthur W. Howes of Washington.

The program for the afternoon will include a number of classical compositions by the "old masters," a piano and organ duo, and a medley of the well loved hymns.

## Medical Corps To Mark 170th Anniversary

TEMPLE—(P)—Ceremonies at McCloskey General Hospital Friday will mark the 170th anniversary of the Army Medical Department.

The program includes awarding diplomas to 225 WAC medical and surgical technicians who have completed training at the hospital, a retreat parade and presentation of medals.

Maj. Marion C. L. Baldwin, Abilene, will receive the Bronze Star for heroic achievement in France while serving with the 90th (Texas-Oklahoma) Division.

## ARRIVES FOR VISIT

Miss Grace Moore of Kilgore has arrived in Midland to spend several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Simms.

## Ration Roundup

By The Associated Press

**MEATS, FATS, ETC.**—Book Four red stamps K2 through P2 good through July 31; Q2 through U2 good through Aug. 31; V2 through Z2 good through Sept. 30; A1 through E1 good through Oct. 31.

**PROCESSED FOODS**—Book Four blue stamps T2 through X2 good through July 31; Y2, Z2 and A1 through C1 good through Aug. 31; D1 through H1 good through Sept. 30; J1 through N1 good through Oct. 31.

**SUGAR**—Book Four stamp 36 good through Aug. 31 for five pounds. Next stamp valid Sept. 1.

**SHOES**—Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any. Airplane stamp 4 valid Aug. 1 and good indefinitely.

**GASOLINE**—16-A coupons good for six gallons each through Sept. 21. B-7, B-8, C-7 and C-8 coupons good for five gallons each.

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## Ration Values Of Meats Reduced Effective Sunday

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Here are the reductions in red point values in beef, lamb and veal during the rationing period beginning Sunday:

BEEF Steaks		Value	Down
Porterhouse	8	2	
T-bone	8	2	
Club	8	2	
Rib—10-inch cut	6	1	
Rib—7-inch cut	7	1	
Sirloin	8	2	
Sirloin—boneless	10	2	
Round (full cut)	9	2	
Top round	9	2	
Bottom round	9	2	
Round tip	9	2	
Chuck (blade or arm)	4	1	
Flank	8	2	

Roasts		Value	Down
Rib—standing (chine bone on 10-inch cut	5	1	
Rib—standing (chine bone on) 7-inch cut	6	1	
Rib—boneless-rolled (C & D grades only)	7	1	
Round tip	9	1	
Rump—bone in	4	2	
Rump—boneless	6	3	
Short loin—boneless-rolled (C & D grades only)	9	2	
Chuck (blade or arm)—bone in	3	1	
Chuck or shoulder—boneless	4	2	
English-cut	3	1	

Other Cuts		Value	Down
Short ribs	1	1	
Plate—bone in	1	1	
Plate—boneless	2	2	
Brisket—bone in	1	1	
Brisket—boneless	2	2	
Flank meat	3	1	
Neck—boneless	3	1	
Heel of round—boneless	5	1	
Shank meat—boneless	3	1	

Hamburger		Value	Down
Ground from boneless D grade beef and from fore-quarters flanks, shanks, and trimmings of any other grades of beef and beef fat	4	2	

LAMB Steaks and Chops		Value	Down
Loin chops (or roast)	8	2	
Rib chops (or roast)	5	2	
Leg chops and steaks	7	1	
Shoulder chops—blade or arm chops	4	1	

Roasts		Value	Down
Leg—whole or part	6	1	
Sirloin roast—bone in	6	1	
o.k. rattle, or triangle—bone in	2	1	
Yoke, rattle or triangle—boneless	3	1	
Chuck or shoulder, square-cut—bone in, neck off	3	1	
Chuck or shoulder, cross-cut—bone in	2	1	

VEAL Steaks and Chops		Value	Down
Lion chops (or roast)	8	2	
Ribs chops (or roast)	5	1	
Shoulder chops	4	1	
Round steak (outlets or roast)	9	2	
Sirloin steak or chops	5	2	

Roasts		Value	Down
Leg (whole or part)	5	2	
Shoulder—bone in, neck off	3	1	
Shoulder—boneless, neck off	4	2	

Other Cuts		Value	Down
Flank meat	3	1	
Neck—boneless	3	1	

Sausage		Value	Down
Bologna—all types	3	1	
Frankfurters—all types	4	2	

## Churchill -

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There has been little outward difference of opinion between the Labor and Conservative parties on foreign policy, as shown by Attlee's willingness to accompany Churchill to Potsdam. The Laborites did challenge Britain's position in Greece.

The question of who will be chosen successor as foreign secretary remained undetermined, but speculation has centered around three names in this order—Ernest Bevin, Hugh Dalton and Herbert Morrison.

**Served With Churchill**  
All three served in the coalition cabinet of Churchill. Bevin as labor minister, Dalton as president of the board of trade and Morrison as home secretary.

The Laborites will "carry on the foreign policy of the coalition government," Bevin asserted as he received the return amid cheers at Labor headquarters.

"I'm speechless—just speechless," he added, as he laughed off questions as to what post he expected to receive in the new government.

**No Halfway Trend**  
There was no halfway trend in the election pendulum. Many Conservatives had counted upon the Liberal Party, which stands midway between the two major parties, splitting the Labor vote. But the Liberal Party returned few members and several leaders were defeated.

Among them were Sir William Beveridge, father of the "Cradle to the Grave" security plan, and Sir Archibald Sinclair, air minister.

The normal procedure, now that Churchill has been defeated, would be for him to call upon the king and tender his resignation as prime minister.

The king then would call upon Attlee to form a new government.

Attlee's new government then would be presented to Parliament for a vote of confidence when Parliament convenes Aug. 8.

Among the early casualties were the prime minister's son, Maj. Randolph Churchill, and Minister of Works Duncan Sandys, Churchill's son-in-law.

The defeated also included:  
First Lord of the Admiralty Brendan Bracken.  
Minister of War Sir James Grigg.  
Minister of Education Richard K. Law.  
L. S. Amery, secretary of state for India.  
Sir Walter Womersley, minister of pensions.  
Conservative Labor Minister R. A. Butler was reelected.  
George Isaacs, newly-elected M. P. from Southward, and chairman of the powerful Trades Union Congress, commented:

"The results prove the old saying that you can fool all of the people some of the time and some of the people all of the time, but you can't fool all of the people all of the time."

"The greatly increased support obtained by the Labor Party shows that the Tory (Conservative) trick of fooling the people by introducing all sorts of malicious, spectacular and often untruthful rumors has lost its power."

Unseated in the landslide were many of the most prominent members of the Churchill government.

**FIREMEN ANSWER ALARM**  
Firemen were called at noon Thursday to the E. L. Shults home at 1006 South Dallas Street. A minor blaze caused by a water heater was extinguished. No damage was done, the firemen reported.

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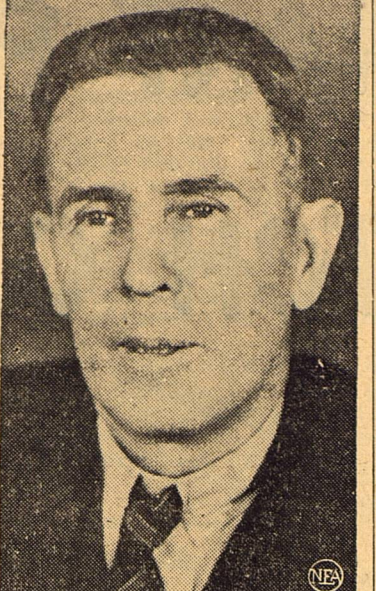
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## New Premier



Joseph Benedict Chifly, above, automatically succeeded the late John Curtin as prime minister of Australia when elected leader of the Federal Labor party.

## Seven Airmen Are Snatched From Sea In Japanese Waters

OKINAWA—(Delayed)—(P)—Seven Liberator airmen of a crew of 12 were snatched Monday from Japanese-controlled waters in the Yellow Sea near Shanghai by a daring Navy PBM Dumbo pilot.

The rescued airmen of the Seventh Air Force told of a new way of snatching off sharks.

During a 20-hour battle against a choppy sea, cold night and a scorching day, the men saw the fins of many large sharks circling their liferafts.

S/Sgt. Arthur Stanford of Galveston remembered he had the booklet "Survival At Sea" stuffed into his pocket but he didn't take time to read the chapter on sharks. Has Use For Booklet

Instead Stanford ripped the pages from the booklet and threw the crumpled paper at the sharks while his companion in the raft, S/Sgt. Fred R. Cianfrino of North Tonawanda, N. Y., churned the water with his feet. The sharks fled.

The Liberator was hit by flak seconds after "bombs away" on a Shanghai target and had to be abandoned after three engines conked out near the mouth of the Yangtze.

Five crew members were lost but seven bailed out successfully through a heavy overcast into Japanese-patrolled waters.

A Dumbo rescue plane made a difficult landing after spotting their markers.

Four hours later the men were aboard a hospital ship wrapped in blankets and sipping hot chicken soup and eating sizzling steaks.

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## Four Men Hurt In Blast At MAAF

Several five-pound spotted charges of black powder exploded as they were being unloaded from a freight car at Midland Army Air Field Thursday morning.

Although they were part of a case of 20 charges, packed in a wooden box, other charges in the case did not explode and the cases which already had been placed in the truck were not detonated.

A five-man crew was unloading the explosives when one man saw smoke rising from the case and heard a hissing sound. He gave the alarm and the men scattered.

**Treated at Hospital**  
The blast resulted in minor burns and slight cuts and bruises to four men. They were treated at the MAAF Station Hospital.

The injured included S/Sgt. Vincent J. Diserio, Elmer O. Hughes, and Clifford Wilson, and Sgt. Nicholas Verno.

The fire department arrived at the scene less than two minutes after the blast and the smoldering box was immediately drenched with water.

## Sir William Beveridge Defeated In Election

LONDON—(P)—Sir William Beveridge, Liberal author of the social security plan which bears his name, was defeated for reelection to the House of Commons.

## Labor Leaders Drop Attack On Texas Law

AUSTIN—(P)—Major labor organizations have dropped their attack on the Texas labor union regulatory law.

Assistant Attorney General Fagan Dickson said attorneys for the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations had informed him they will not take an appeal to the Supreme Court from a Third Court of Civil Appeals judgment.

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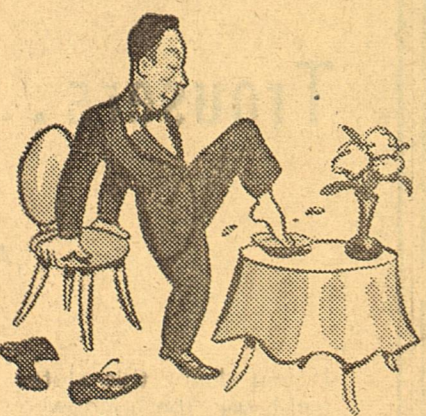


# HOW SMART PEOPLE AND JACK BENNY LATCH ON TO THEIR MONEY

by Fred Allen



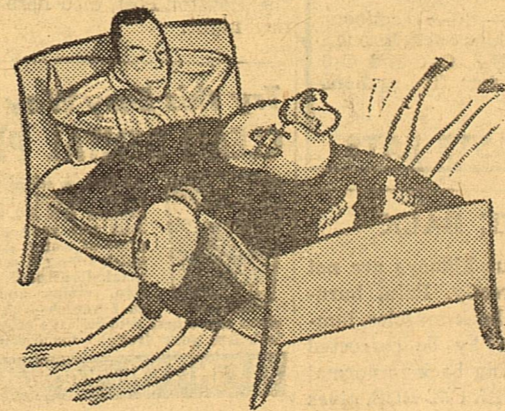
**1.** Smart people hang on to their money by buying War Bonds—and holding them. Jack Benny does, too. But don't let that stop you. Buy some anyway. All high-class people do this. For example, I do. Lowlifes like Benny imitate us upper-crust denizens by buying Bonds just so they can get their picture in the *Police Gazette*.



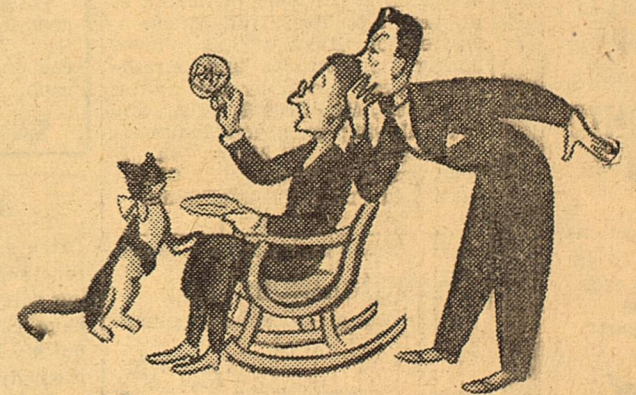
**2.** Among polite circles, it is no longer considered *de rigueur* to trip up the waiter or cash in your War Bonds. In these circles, in which Benny is considered a square, it is also deemed a trifle *gauche*—that's hog Latin for sloppy—to dunk your feet in the finger bowl. When Benny finds this out, he'll probably be so embarrassed he'll break down and start wearing shoes.



**3.** The boys coming back from Europe and Okinawa probably won't lope up to you breathlessly and dangle a medal around your neck for buying War Bonds, but you can bet your bottom Jap yen they won't give you the water cure, either. They know the importance of Bonds—they buy enough every month themselves to make Benny's toupee turn green.



**4.** The laziest way in the world to make extra money is to let those War Bonds accumulate interest. You get back 133% on your original investment in ten years. So let all your spare cash snooze away in War Bonds. If you *must* tuck something under your mattress, try your mother-in-law.



**5.** And don't think because your Aunt Cracklethroat's tea leaves spelled "rat" last Sunday that the end of this war is in sight. It's not even within swooning distance. So make like Benny and pinch that penny. Or, as the farsighted zoo keeper said to the careless elephant keeper, "Till V-J day, hoard that hay!" Then, *keep* hoarding till the Bonds mature.

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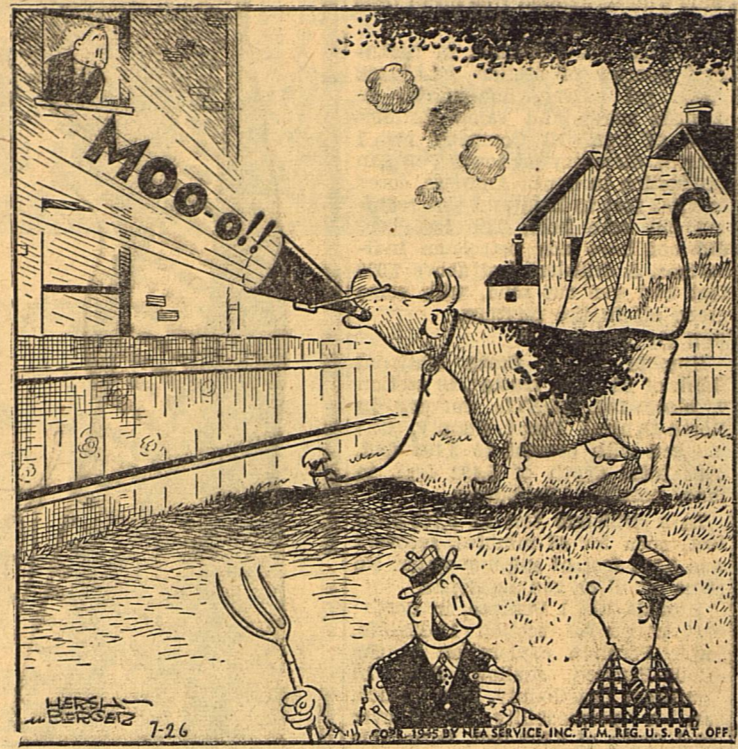


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PERMANENTLY employed civilian wants to rent four or five room unfurnished house. Will take perfect care of house and yard. Write Box 98, care Reporter-Telegram.

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WELL made wooden boxes, 10"x10"x57" hinged lids, metal handles. Ideal for tool or window boxes, etc. See at 606 N. Lorraine.

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Refrigerators and Service 28
FOR SALE - Large Coolerator, new. Price \$60.00. Call 8 to 2. O. C. Robbins, 705 S. Dallas.

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NEW Remington Model 17 Typewriters, \$115.50. Paul Jordan, Remington Rand Agent. Phone 935.

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FOR SALE - 3/4 horse power gasoline motor and man's bicycle. At 606 W. Kansas after 5 p. m.

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Pets 35
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Feed 36
10,000 BUNDLES feed, also 80 acres land. Harvey Kiser, 900 South Weatherford.

Dressmaking 41
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Rayburn Leaves Capital For Vacation in Texas

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn of Bonham left for Texas Wednesday night, declaring "I don't want to go any place but to Texas. If I do any traveling it will be around my district a little."

He made that observation after helping in last minute arrangements to facilitate the travels of some 100 Congressmen who are going to Europe.

Four Texas Congressmen left in the capital plan to leave in the next few days. They are Reps. Luther Johnson, Lyndon Johnson, Thomason and Patman.

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Used Cars 54
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Officer From MAAF Addresses Graduates At Big Spring Field

BIG SPRING—French and American Air Force bombardiering students of class 215 graduated Wednesday at the Big Spring Bombardier School with the advice of a Pacific veteran that the B-29 is "an amazing airplane."

Discussing the role of the B-29 in the Pacific, First Lt. Marshall H. Norton of the Midland Army Air Field, a veteran of two battle areas who flew 32 Superfort missions, told the graduates that the ship is "the most destructive piece of equipment to come out of this war."

He characterized the giant bomber as "safe, comfortable and exceptionally able to do a good job" and told the graduates "you'll be very lucky if you are assigned to combat in a B-29." Lieutenant Norton was introduced by Col. Elbert Helton, director of training and operations.

The graduates, who have completed 24 weeks of intensive training here, received their wings as bombardiers, and their commissions and appointments as second lieutenants and flight officers, from Col. John K. Nisley, commanding officer of the Big Spring base.

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One Dies As GIs Swipe Bomber And Crash It

LAREDO—(AP)—An enlisted man was killed and another injured slightly in the crash of a four-engine bomber which they took from the Laredo Army Field without permission Wednesday. Col. Sam Gormly, post commander, reported.

Cpl. Charles G. Monte, 23, Buffalo, N. Y., burned to death. Pvt. Harrison M. Keller, 25, Crummes, Ky., was thrown clear of the wreckage.

Midland-Odessa BUS LINE SCHEDULE

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Texas Coaching School To Foster Mentor Jobs

COLLEGE STATION—(P)—There are at least 20 coaching jobs open in Texas high schools and the State Coaching School at Abilene next month will be a good place to fill them.

Owner Of Bowly Phillies Offers To Buy Players

PHILADELPHIA—(P)—"It will be a pleasure to spend with us out of the cellar, we are ready and eager," Herb Pennock said Wednesday as his Philadelphia Phillies headed home.

The buildings of the University of Virginia were laid out according to a plan drawn up by Thomas Jefferson.

139 Top Golfers Tee Off In \$60,000 Tam O'Shanter

CHICAGO—(P)—The boys went after golf's \$60,000 "pot of gold" at Tam O'Shanter Thursday.

And Promoter George May was confident that records would fall in the four-day hunt for the \$100,000 (War Bond) cash value first prize in the All-American Open in which 139 of the country's top players, including 128 professionals, were entered.

The present record for the 72-hole stretch is 278 but May said he believed it would take a 277 to win this year.

As the field teed off on the first 18 holes Thursday the consensus seemed to be that the firing would develop into a personal duel between Lord Byron Nelson, who has won the Tam three times in its four-year history, and Lt. Ben Hogan, on furlough from the Army Air Forces.

Nelson, who made his last appearance in winning the PGA title two weeks ago, returned to action with his strained back ready for another stern test.

Hogan tied the course record with a blazing 65 earlier this week but he philosophically dismissed that performance with "you get those kind of rounds in practice."

The Open also found Slammin' Sammy again mingling with the top money shooters. The hard-hitting West Virginian, however, said his wrist, injured in a softball game several weeks ago, was "good."

There were 27 amateurs entered in their division and 22 contestants, including the defending champion Betty Hicks, in the women's section.

WHEN LEAVES WHITE SOX WOULD LIVE IN VALLEY? NEW YORK—(P)—The post-war plans of Earl Caldwell, 40-year-old pitcher with the Chicago White Sox, call for a spot somewhere near McAllen and a never-ending supply of Rio Grande Valley grapefruit.

Caldwell said Wednesday he'd like to manage a baseball club somewhere in Texas so he could fulfill his wish. In the off season, he is an inspector at a citrus fruit packing plant.

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Still Noisy



Karl Scheel, ex-Marine and now a White Sox pitcher, still flings taunts at opposing players despite rumpus in St. Louis, which saw him attacked by Brownie players. Manager Luke Sewell and three St. Louis players paid \$500 for their retaliation.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK—(P)—The same day that the Big Ten issued a solemn warning to athletes returning from service that they're liable to render themselves hors de athletics if they even say "uh huh" to a professional offer, Comdr. Oscar Hagberg, the Naval Academy coach, came up with a slightly different idea of how to combat the pro threat to college football supremacy.

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SPORTS BEFORE YOUR EYES Ann Casey, one of the better golfers in the "Tam" tournament at Chicago, didn't follow the pattern of picking up the game from the old man. Her father, a Mason City, Iowa, druggist, didn't care for golf but Ann caddied for her mother while learning to play.

GI fight fans in the Philippines have been sending home high praise of "Baby" Aragones, a 15-year-old, 90-pound Filipino boy who has won 15 of 16 bouts. Wait till he grows up to a flyweight, they say.

Recent reunion at the Georgia Pre-Flight School brought together Comdr. Matty Bell, athletic director, and Lt. Chelsea Crouch, who captained the 1939 Southern Methodist U. grid team when Bell was coach. Bell was just back from a tour of the Galapagos Islands and Panama.

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Joe Bowman Becomes Ball Of Fire After Reds Get Him Cheap

By JACK HAND Associated Press Sports Writer Prize sleeper play of the baseball season appears to be the sleight-of-hand trick by which Cincinnati acquired Joe Bowman from the Boston Red Sox for the nominal \$7,500 waiver fee.

Stories about the Mort Cooper-Charley Barrett, Buddy Rosar-Frankie Hayes and Joe Medwick-Clyde Klutznick deals have hit the headlines but Bowman's moving day was buried with the pony league scores and the British football results.

The 35-year-old righthander has been pitching since 1929 and has seen action with both Philadelphia clubs and the New York Giants and Pittsburgh before the Red Sox brought him back from the minors last year. This spring in Boston he was knocked out three times running, losing two decisions before Manager Joe Cronin and the other skippers waived him out of the circuit May 29.

When Bowman arrived in Cincinnati, whether it was the handling of wily Bill McKeechie or the change of scenery in a new league, he became a ball of fire. Nobody beat him in five outings until the Phillies did the trick July 1. In 10 starting appearances to date, the veteran has won 8, lost 2 and gone the route eight times, making more than one fan wonder how he was recruited out of the American League.

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WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS American League No games scheduled. National League No games scheduled.

SPORTSMEN ASK COKE TO END GAME DEPT. DISPUTE AUSTIN—(P)—Before Gov. Coke R. Stevenson Thursday was a request from Texas sportsmen that he end disruption in the Game, Fish and Oyster Department.

The request was made at a conference Wednesday when the delegation of sportsmen headed by Henry W. Flagg of Galveston told the governor it thought "corrections" should be made.

Flagg was referring, he explained to recent administrative changes in the department including the resignation of Will J. Tucker as executive director and his appointment as director of lakes from which subordinate position he was fired a week later.

Said Flagg, on emerging from more than an hour's closed meeting with the governor: "We feel that besides the question of possible injustices to individuals that are being caused by some members of the game commission were entirely out of order and improper."

TRUMAN MAY GIVE REPORT BY RADIO POTSDAM—(P)—President Truman is expected to report to the nation by radio on results of the Big Three conference immediately after he returns to Washington, if Congress has recessed, it was announced Wednesday night.

COTTON NEW YORK—(P)—Cotton prices Thursday were unchanged to 25 cents a bale lower. Oct. 2278, Dec. 2283, and March 2284.

LIVESTOCK PORT WORTH—(P)—Cattle 2,400: calves 1,000; slow; common and medium grade grasser and cake fed yearlings 9.50-13.50; common to medium beef cows 8.25-11.25; common to medium calves at 8.50-12.50; good and choice stocker calves 12.50-14.00; stocker yearlings and steers 13.00 down.

Hogs 250, steady; butcher hogs 14.55; packing sows 13.80; stocker pigs 14.75-15.00.

Sheep 10,000, unchanged; medium and good spring lambs 11.50-13.00; medium to good shorn yearlings 10.50-12.50; medium to choice shorn aged sheep 6.50-8.00.

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(Continued from page 1) and Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Cowden, discovery for possible Devonian production in section 7, block A-55, psl survey, in Southwest Andrews County, was on total depth of 7,969 feet, in chert, preparing to take a drillstem test. This wildcat showed free oil in tests above 7,932 feet.

Humble No. 1 Parker, in northeast quarter of section 24, block A-41, psl survey, one-quarter of a mile south and same distance west of Sun Oil Company No. 1 Martin, discovery for lower Permian production in South Andrews, cored to 7,062 feet in lime and was reaming out core hole. The last core did not have any petroleum indications. A drillstem test above 7,026 feet had gas cut mud, with some green oil in the mixture.

Full Of Water Humble No. 4 State National Bank of El Paso, trustee, in section 3, block 140, T&STL survey, in North-Central Pecos County, was plugged with cement to 3,100 feet, over total depth of 5,492 feet, in lime, possible Ellenburger.

In a drillstem test at 5,369-5,492 feet, open for 45 minutes, recovery was 5,312 feet of sulphur water. No signs of oil or gas developed.

Humble No. 1 Penrose, in northeast corner of section 13-228-37e, lower Permian exploration in the Skelly-Penros' shallow field in Southeast Lea County, New Mexico, ran a permeability survey over total depth of 6,592 feet. Permeable sections were indicated at 6,331-34 feet, and at 6,356-64 feet.

Operator reports having plugged back with cement to 6,300 feet, and then to 5,600 feet. The project swabbed a small amount of oil from the lower section after two acid injections.

Still Has Chance Some of the zones above latest plug-back indicated possibilities of production while hole was being drilled. Those horizons are due for testing.

George P. Livermore, Inc., and Honolulu Oil Corporation No. 1 Abilene State Bank, in southwest corner of section 16, block D-14, C&M surveys, northeast outpost to the discovery well for the Alexander field, in Northwest Terry County, is being plugged and abandoned on total depth of 5,255 feet in dry lime. There was no oil, water or gas. It was low.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 58-E Waddell et al, 2,010 feet from north and 1,981.4 feet from east lines of section 20, block B-26, psl survey, in the Sand Hills-Ellenburger field in Crane County, completed for 24-hour flowing potential production.

Ann 728 barrels of 35.7 gravity oil, after treating pay section at 5,830-65 feet, with 500 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio was 346-1. Flow was through a 3/4-inch tubing choke.

Not Definite Skelly Oil Company No. 1 Suggs, Irion County Ellenburger exploration in section 45, block 1, H&TC survey, was coring from 7,950 feet. A core at 7,941-50 feet recovered five feet of dolomite, with interbedded shale streaks. There was no porosity, and no shows in the specimen. Operator has not definitely reported having reached Ellenburger.

Will Go Ahead Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-A Jones, Northwest Gaines County wildcat in section 3, block A-6, psl survey, was on total depth of 11,120 feet, in shale, changing drill-pipe to make new hole.

Frank and George Frankel No. 1-1 University, in northwest corner of section 32, block 13, University survey, Devonian prospector on south side of the Fullerton district in Northwest Andrews County, had progressed under 7,210 feet in lime. Top of Tubb sand was at 6,650 feet, on an elevation of 3,288 feet.

Still Going Shell Oil Company, Inc. and The Texas Gas Company, No. 1 Ratliff & Bedford, Southwest Andrews County discovery for pay in four different geological horizons, had penetrated below 11,361 feet, in Ellenburger dolomite, and was continuing.

Union Oil Company of California No. 1-C Helner, in southeast quarter of section 30, block 105, SF survey, an outpost to the Heiner-Ellenburger field, in Central-North Pecos County, had reached 6,154 feet, in a detrital zone, under the Ellenburger, and was continuing.

Jones & Ernest No. 1 Mowry, Hudson County prospector in section 36, block 70, T-2-S, had progressed under 4,071 feet in Montoye chert and dolomite.

No Excitement Bryd-Frost, Inc., No. 1 Geiscke, in section 54, block 11, H&GN survey, in North-Central Pecos County, had penetrated under 4,466 feet in lime, and was continuing.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 McDow, North Glasscock County wildcat in section 31, block 34, TP survey, T-2-S, supposed to be drilling in Ellenburger, had reached 10,664 feet in lime, and was going ahead.

Flowed Two BOPH Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-B Thomas, 664 feet from north and 2,001 feet from east lines of section 18, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S, one location south and east of the Devonian discovery in the TXL field in West Ector County, ran a drillstem test at 8,070-8,115 feet.

Gas came to surface in six minutes and drill-pipe flowed oil in seven minutes. The well was turned to tanks and flowed 106 barrels of clean oil in 53 minutes—at rate of 120 barrels of oil per hour. The tool was then closed and tester pulled. The well is due for completion. Base of chert was at 8,110 feet.

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Railroads Granted 90-Day Extension On Freight Change WASHINGTON—(P)—The Interstate Commerce Commission Thursday granted the nation's railroads an additional three months in which to make effective temporary freight rate adjustments ordered in ICC's May 15 freight rate decision.

The carriers had petitioned the Commission to extend the date from August 30 to April 1, 1946. This was denied. Instead the Commission allowed the carriers until November 30 to carry out the order.

The order for temporary adjustments stipulated that all present Western trunkline and Southwest territories, and between these territories on the one hand and official (Eastern) territory on the other, be reduced 10 per cent. Present class rates within official territory were ordered increased 10 per cent.

The Commission ordered these adjustments to provide "temporary relief" until a permanent uniform scale of class rates could be worked out.

'Miss Texas' Will Be Crowned August 15 PORT ARTHUR—(P)—"Miss Texas" to represent the Lone Star State at the annual Miss America contest at Atlantic City, N. J., will be crowned here Aug. 15.

Gov. Jimmie Davis of Louisiana will present the crown. Chairman Sam Berlin explained Gov. Coke Stevenson was unable to accept the invitation. The contest is sponsored by the Louisiana State Fair.

GEN. CRAIG DIES WASHINGTON—(P)—Gen. Mallin Craig, former Army chief of staff, died Wednesday at Walter Reed Hospital.

Virginia has a town called Cuckoo, situated in Louisa County.

Truman Reviews American Troops FRANKFURT ON THE MAIN—(P)—President Truman arrived here Thursday to inspect American troops and have lunch with General Eisenhower, after a 268-mile, 90-minute flight from Potsdam.

Truman arrived at the Eschborn Army Airport about 9:30 a. m., a few minutes behind Secretary Byrnes, who came on another plane. The President began a round of inspections with a review of an honor guard made up from the 508th Parachute Troop Regiment of the 82nd Airborne Division.

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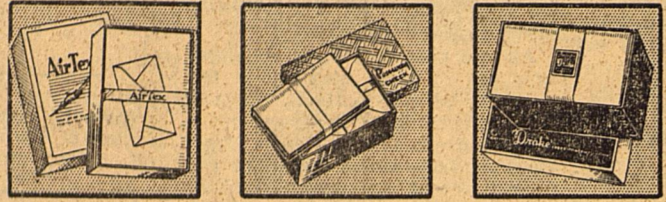
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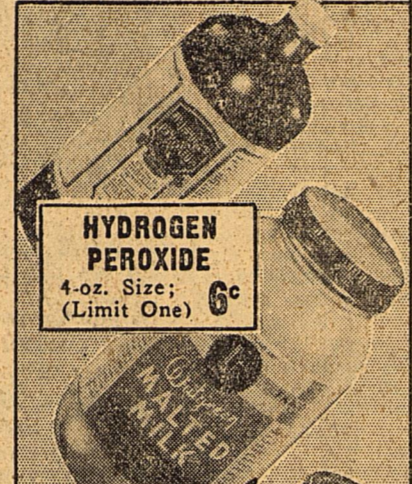
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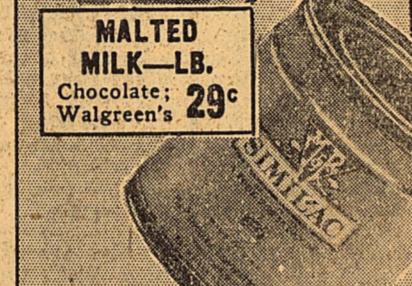
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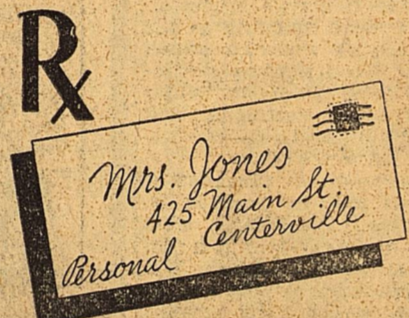
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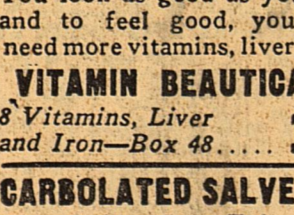
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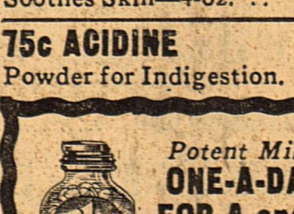
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Sgt. Bryson Takes Aerial Trip Over German Cities

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND STATION, ENGLAND—Master Sergeant J. L. Bryson, Midland, Texas, got a bombardier's-eye view of devastated Germany recently when he flew in an Eighth Air Force Bomber over such former centers of German production as Cologne, Essen, Frankfurt, and Kassel.

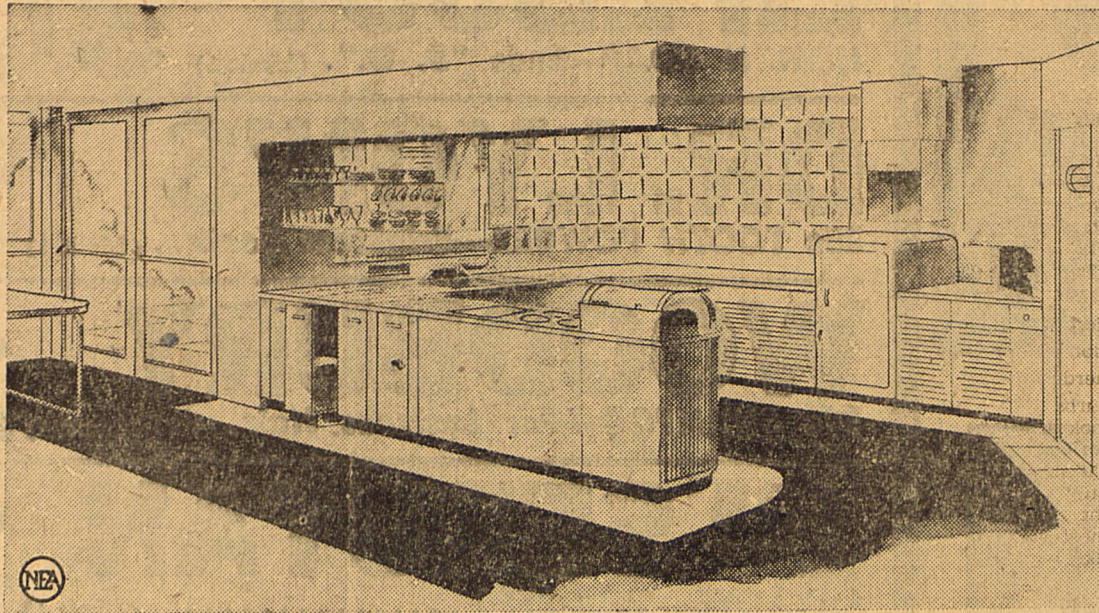
The eight-hour flight was Sergeant Bryson's first opportunity to observe the devastation wreaked on the Third Reich by bombers of the Eighth Air Force, in which he serves. It was this strategic blasting of Nazi military installations, rail yards and war plants which played a major role in the defeat of the Wehrmacht, according to captured Nazi Field Marshal Gerd von Rundstedt.

Sergeant Bryson is on duty at one of the largest aerial repair depots in the United Kingdom, located near Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, where battle-scarred B-17 Flying Fortresses are rapidly being reconditioned for possible new air assaults against Japan.

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Women Plan Ideal Postwar Kitchen



By ROSELLEN CALLAHAN NEA Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK—The postwar kitchen must be the most attractive and modern room in the house, say the women who are planning on new homes in the near future.

If they must spend the better part of the day preparing three meals and tidying up afterwards, they point out, then they want the kitchen to be the lightest, airiest, most scientifically equipped room possible. "More windows" topped the list of "musts" demanded by the thousands of women who took part in a recent kitchen contest conducted by Western Family.

Breakfast nooks were ruled out completely. Instead of cramped cubicles, they suggest a glassed-in section just off the kitchen, which extends past the actual building line.

U-shaped work centers are the answer to how to conserve energy, say these amateur architects. Also in demand were a deep freeze unit in the refrigerator, so that shopping could be done weeks ahead; fluorescent lighting in the ceiling and a

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light in the oven as well as over the range; a place for the telephone and radio, and a large mirror for personal check-up before answering the doorbell.

Answering the dream of most women is the prize-winning sketch by Mrs. Dorothy Downing of Santa Monica, Calif. Pointing out the features of her ideal kitchen, Mrs. Downing says:

"My air conditioned dream kitchen exposes view to the east, south and west. A wide, sliding plate glass window is set into the wall of glass brick which extends up and overhead, skylighting 12 inches of ceiling.

"Fluorescent lighting in the ceiling follows the pattern of the U-shaped work center below, one side of which includes a stove and counter that juts out into the room. This separates the glassed-in breakfast corner from the work center and allows access from either side. So does the transparent cupboard suspended above the tiled counter which has chairs concealed in the cabinet beneath.

"At the curve of this 'U' are a double-basin sink, garbage disposer and dish washer. Completing the work space are the refrigerator with revolving shelves and freezing storage compartment, and a long counter with a service window opening into the dining room. At the end of this, a dumb-waiter travels down to the basement, up to the master bedroom—making it easy to serve breakfast in bed—and thence to the recreation room.

"The door into the dining room is opened automatically by stepping on a floor panel. And for that last look before entering it, there is a half-length mirror."

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Hitler Bomb Plot Was Intended To End War And Save Staff Intact

By GEORGE TUCKER FRANKFURT ON THE MAIN—

Officers of the G-2 (Intelligence) Division of United States Forces in the European Theater are convinced that one primary purpose of the July 20 bomb attempt on Adolf Hitler's life was to end the war in such a way as to leave the German General Staff intact.

In their judgment the plotters, who made their bid for power just a year ago, hoped after removing the Fuehrer to negotiate a peace with the Allies that would perpetuate the General Staff, at least leave it to prepare for the next war. Called "Perfect Plan"

"It was a perfect plan, seemingly foolproof," said Lt. Ernest Miller of Astoria, N. Y. "It failed because of three trivial little incidents that could not be foreseen."

On the morning of July 20, Hitler arrived on schedule at his headquarters at Rastenburg, East Prussia. After the usual pleasantries he entered buildings and headed for the war room, where routine briefing on the military situation was to be held. But at the last moment, for some unexplained reason, the regular briefing room was abandoned for a larger one upstairs.

This was the first definite break against the plotters. A few minutes later Col. Von Stauffenberg of the General Staff came in. He carried a time-bomb in his briefcase. The fact that he was permitted to approach Hitler with briefcase in hand distinguished him as an officer with wide privileges.

Places Briefcase Stauffenberg casually placed his briefcase on the floor next to the desk, spoke a few words to an acquaintance and drifted out into the hall. When briefing began a few moments later he had not returned.

One of those unforeseeable little incidents that sometimes alter history now took place. The briefing officer mentioned a place name that was unfamiliar to Hitler and Hitler got up and walked across the room to have a closer look at the map. This move, quite by chance, placed a massive oak desk between Hitler and Von Stauffenberg's briefcase.

As Hitler stood squinting at the map a terrific explosion blazed through the room, killing six officers and maiming the others. Hitler himself was thrown against the wall and partially stunned.

Randstedt Knew Of Plot Gen. Von Rundstedt, who knew of the plot but took no part in it, telephoned Von Stauffenberg from Sweden and bluntly told him the plot had miscarried. Dazed, Von Stauffenberg ordered his prisoners released, then fired a bullet into his head. But even the bullet, like the plot, failed to mark it. He missed his brain and succeeded only in blinding him.

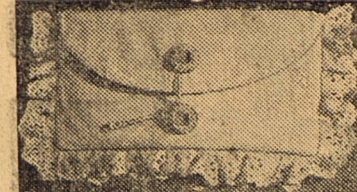
Within six hours, one of the great bulwarks of Hitler's regime was under way. No one knows the precise number of aristocratic Wehrmacht officers who were hanged for participation in the plot, but it must have been close to 2,000.

Symbol of all things firm and strong the Rock of Gibraltar is now chained up to keep its summit from toppling into the sea.

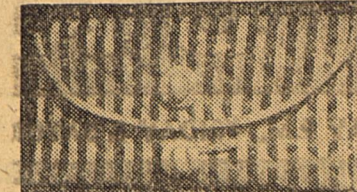
A One-Bag Wardrobe



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2. For sports bag make a quilted chintz slip-cover and fasten with bold white buttons.

cost you no more than a few cents apiece plus a bit of effort.

All you need is a basic envelope-type bag to begin with and a few scraps of leftover material. To copy the ruffled bag cover above, cut a paper pattern one-half inch larger than the bag—which will allow you enough for seams—enough to turn under the flap.

For the ruffled edge, cut a 1/4-inch strip twice the length of the three sides of the bag. Hand-roll to finish edge and gather into ruffle with a running stitch at the top.

Turn fabric on wrong side, stitch flap down, then insert ruffle between the back and front of the bag and stitch three thicknesses together. Turn rightside out and it's finished.

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Boys between the ages of 15 and 12 who are interested in taking 12 days of Air Corps training at the Big Spring Army Air Field are asked to meet at the High School Auditorium at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

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Complete details will be explained at the meeting.

The first American bomber to be equipped with tail guns was the Douglas B-25.

'You Artillery Guys Ought To Be Ashamed'

OKINAWA (Delayed)—The Marine on the telephone was irritated, reports Staff Sgt. George R. Voigt, Marine Corps combat correspondent.

"No," he yelled into the mouth-piece. "I don't give a damn what the map says. There ain't any village around here."

Then he looked up at Marine Lt. Edward M. Sullivan of Minneapolis, Minn., who was standing nearby.

"Mr. Sullivan," he said, "Artillery's forward observer insists there's a village around here. Do you know of any?"

"Yeah," said the lieutenant, "you're standing in the middle of it." The Marine looked around him. A few piles of stone and little stacks of smoldering debris were scattered about the area.

"Okay," he said into the telephone. "There's a village here. I'm standing in the middle of it. And all I got to say is you artillery guys ought to be ashamed of yourself."

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### Bolo Knife Chief Souvenir GI Will Trade Shirt For

By JAMES HUTCHESON  
TAWI TAWI, SULU ARCHIPELAGO, PHILIPPINES — (P) — The Moslem Moros of this new American war base closest to Borneo shout "Hey, Joe! Good trade, Joe!" from dawn to dusk as they paddle their canoes around ships in the harbor.

Bolo knives with hand-carved scabbards go like hotcakes to the Americans. The Moro trading canoes also carry chickens, eggs, shells, pearls, fruits, metal keepsake boxes and other items.

But bolos are the number one item.

After the "good trade, Joe!" approach, the shouted bargaining goes something like this:

"How much for bolo?"

"One mattress cover, one shirt, one pants," and the Moro points at the American's clothes.

"Aw, that's a holdup. I give you one mattress cover, one carton cigarettes."

"Good bolo, Joe. One mattress, one shirt, one pants."

After a bit of haggling, it's a sale for a mattress cover and a shirt.

**Cover Has Many Uses**

The mattress cover has become a strangely valuable item with these people who have been virtually without cloth for three years. Womenfolk can use it for making any number of things.

Cigarettes carry a high trading value here. They bring, for instance, about eight bananas to the pack.

Occasionally one of the Moros will paddle alongside and shout: "Sucker Joe here?"

He might be prompted by a seaman's gag or he might, some say, be asking for a certain gentleman from Hollywood. The latter, a scenario writer on a quickie war zone tour for atmosphere, paid \$100 for a bolo and sheath, much to the disgust of the boys who enjoy their haggling and try to keep inflation down.

### Many Good Stories Are Told By Yank Soldiers In China

KUMMING, CHINA — (P) — "Now the way I heard it..." And your American soldier in China will cock his feet up and add another touch to the already vast collection of myths and legends related to the United States war effort in the Orient.

Some of these stories might have a shred of truth but most of them defy any attempts at confirmation. That doesn't keep them from being good stories.

There's a recurrent myth propagated by the boys who used to fly the hump over the rugged North Burma route before the conquest of Burma permitted easier passages—the story of sighting a mountain a mile higher than Mt. Everest. So far as I know the map coordinates of this peak never have been recorded.

There's the tale of the fellow they sold a whole airplane on the black market, or engineered the disposal of an entire convoy. The raconteurs never stand short on anything but the names.

**Rare Story**

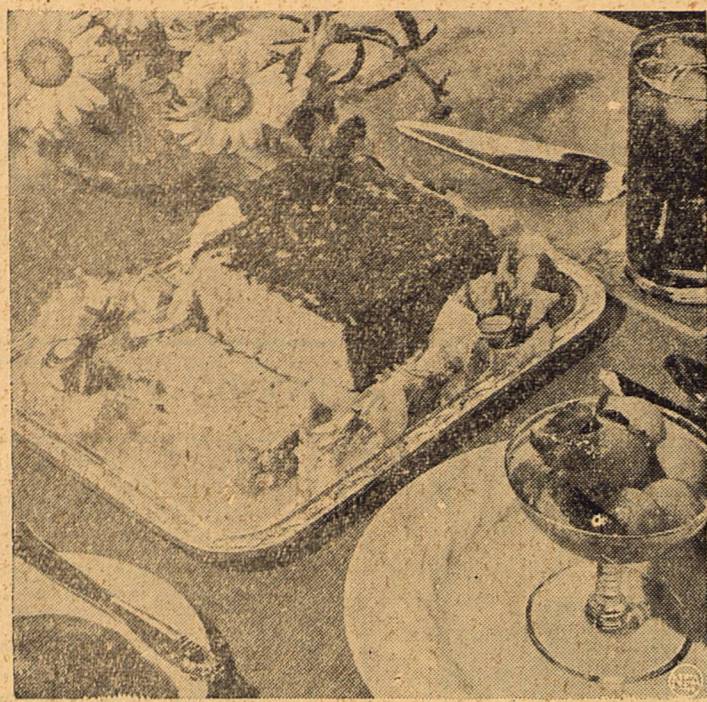
Stories bearing on easy contact between free and occupied China have been originated with rare imaginative skill. One rare story is of the GI who inadvertently visited Canton.

As this myth runs—and you hear it over and over—an American soldier in Southeast China, riding the Hankow-Canton Railway at the end of a long AWOL drunk, slept through his appointed station and passed that mythical place where the free China train crew turned the train over on schedule to the trainmen for occupied China. He woke up with a headache in a large and strange railway station.

He wandered about, trying to find someone who spoke English and, failing, was about to approach one of the strangely uniformed soldiers he saw about the place. He thought they were Chinese. But before he reached them a Chinese touched him on the shoulder, told him, "Boo-How," (not good) and led him away to safety.

The most glaring fault with this story is that when the Chinese controlled the inland sections of the Canton-Hankow railway there were no rails linking occupied and unoccupied sections.

### Cold Chicken Loaf Ideal



By GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Staff Writer

MISSOURI is hot in summer. And St. Louis, humming with war activity, is overcrowded. Both St. Louis housewives and hotel chefs are on the spot when it comes to serving three squares a day to suit hot-weather appetites despite market shortages. The average housewife, however, has more red ration points for meats, butter and fats than the average public feeding establishment.

However, the chefs manage to

stick to OPA regulations and also serve good food. The chef at the St. Louis Statler Hotel explains exclusive to this column, how he does it.

**Lemon Chiffon Pie (1 Pie)**

One and one-half tablespoons unflavored gelatine, 1/4 cup cold water, 4 eggs separated, 3 tablespoons sugar, 1 1/4 cup corn syrup, 1/2 cup lemon juice, 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 9-inch baked pastry shell.

Beat egg yolks until light and fluffy. Add sugar, salt, 3/4 cup corn syrup, lemon juice and rind. Cook over hot water, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Soften gelatine in cold water, place over hot water until dissolved. Beat egg whites, adding remaining corn syrup until moist peaks are formed. Add melted gelatine slowly. Fold in lemon mixture and set in refrigerator to cool. Turn into baked pastry shell and chill until firm.

**Baked Chicken Loaf (Serves 10—Serve Cold)**

Three and one-half pound chicken, 1/2 cup flour, 1 cup cream, diced cooked liver from chicken, 2 tablespoons chopped parsley, 1 tablespoon diced pimientos, salt pepper, nutmeg.

Bone chicken—grind chicken and skins very fine. Place ground chicken and skins in bowl, add diced cooked liver, chopped parsley, diced pimientos, and mix well.

Add cream and mix lightly until ingredients are thoroughly blended. Form into loaf and place in greased small bread pan (using chicken fats). Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 1 hour and 15 minutes.

### Have Thumbs Grafted On

WORCESTER, ENGLAND — (P) — A major and a private who each lost his right thumb in the fighting in Germany had the index finger of the same hand transferred to the position of the missing thumb. The rare and difficult operations, restoring the soldiers' grip, was performed at the Ministry of Pensions hospital at Ronswood near here.

### In Case Of No Dinner

CHICAGO — (P) — If William Anthony Furness, scion of an English shipping family, encountered any dining car difficulties on his recent train trip from Los Angeles to the east coast, he had an edible ace in the hole. Photographers who met him during a stopover here learned the box he carried contained caviar.

The reciprocal Trade Agreements, first set up by Congress in 1934, have had to be renewed by Congress every few years. They were renewed this year.

Read the Classified Ads.

### Army Has Chain Of Roadside Canteens For GIs On Way To European Ports

By GEORGE TUCKER  
WIESBADEN, GERMANY — (P) — The Army has flung a chain of roadside canteens through Southern Germany, Luxembourg and Northern France to cheer departing GIs on their way back home to civilian life or to the Pacific.

The canteens have coffee and sandwiches available at all hours of the day and night. They are not under single roofs but are flung out for a quarter of a mile in separate roadside tents so that entire convoys can spill out of their jeeps and trucks and refresh themselves without having to queue up in time-wasting lines.

I recently made an 800-mile trip in a jeep with Pfc. George Fitzsimmons of Hillside, N. J.

We found once canteen occupying six big tents, each 100 yards apart. There were wooden benches with dozens of basins of water for the Yanks to rinse their hands. The coffee was in 10-gallon urns, scalding hot. Sandwiches were in mounds two feet high and the sky was the limit.

partation forces were giving the German civilians a realistic lesson in what it means to start a war and then lose.

Saarbrücken is one of the utterly destroyed big towns in the European theater.

French MPS in immaculate white helmets, belts and leggings swarmed all over the place. French artillery wound through the rubble heaped streets. Tanks puffed in and out of central sector and officers were everywhere barking orders.

Watching all this with a wondering eye was the entire population of the town who had been herded onto the sidewalks and curbs so that they could get a good look and never forget what the victorious army looked like. It was Fitzsimmons who pointed out that only women and children were doing the looking. The French had most of the German men working like mad cleaning up the wreckage.

The radio compass was first used on aircraft July 8, 1920, on a flight of 95 miles from Norfolk, Va., to a battleship at sea.

### No Ban on Hayburner Travel



Restrictions on railroad travel don't bother Virginia Conradson, left, and Eileen Holt, of Los Angeles, who set out to ride horseback 1400 miles to their vacation spot at Sterling, Colo., averaging 35 miles a day and spending their nights in sleeping bags. They are shown in Victorville, Calif., 100 miles toward their objective.

The smallest European deer is called a roebuck. The top Australian general in World War I was Sir John Monash.

### His Car Won't Start, So GI Breaks Windows As Police Look On

HASTINGS, NEBR. — (P) — A resounding crash, followed by another and another, brought passersby and police running to where a soldier was smashing the windows of an automobile.

Police started asking the soldier questions and left, scratching their heads.

They said the soldier owned the car and was giving it punishment—because it wouldn't start. Nothing illegal, the officers explained.

### \$3,000 WORTH OF LIQUOR AND NO CLAIMERS YET

CLIFFSIDE PARK, N. J. — (P) — This peaceful borough will inherit \$3,000 worth of liquor in 1951 if no heirs to the property are located by that time. The bottles belonged to a tavern owner who died intestate and with apparently no heirs.

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Cream shortening, add sugar, cream until light. Add eggs, flour, salt, spices (after sifting) then oats. Dissolve soda in water and add. Add raisins (or nuts). Drop small tps. on oiled cookie tin. Bake 15 minutes at 375° F.

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French's Prepared Mustard 9-Oz. Jar 13¢  
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# Kiss and Tell

by F. HUGH HERBERT

An Actual Movie Shooting Script

## STAIRS

**CLOSE SHOT—CORLISS AND MILDRED**  
The girls, on their way down, have paused at another angle of the stairs for a further huddle. Mildred is glancing anxiously upwards.

MILDRED: Are you quite sure no one else saw us?

CORLISS: (confidentially) Quite sure. (Mildred still looks very worried) Don't worry—Mrs. Wilcox thought I was going to the dentist. Honestly.

MILDRED: But supposing someone saw us come in?

CORLISS: Oh, don't be a dope. What if they did? There are hundreds of offices in the Professional Building. Everyone who comes in here isn't going to have a baby.

MILDRED: (dubiously) Corliss, do you suppose Dr. Fabling really believes my name is Mrs. William Smith?

CORLISS: Even if he does suspect, he can't say anything. Doctors can't even tell anyone if you've got a hangnail.

## EXT. PROFESSIONAL BUILDING—DAY

**FULL SHOT**  
The ground floor of the Professional Building consists of a number of stores. The two girls pause just inside the doorway, their manner still somewhat stealthy.

MILDRED: (cautiously) You go out first, Corliss. We mustn't be seen together.

CORLISS steps out of the building onto the sidewalk.

## EXT. DOWNTOWN STREET—AFTERNOON

This is the corner of the block on which the Professional Building is located. It is a bus stop and there is a considerable

## INT. PORCH—DAY

**MED. SHOT—CORLISS AND MRS. ARCHER**  
It is the following afternoon, and Mrs. Archer, her mouth full of pins, is fitting a dress on Corliss, who fidgets restlessly. The door into the kitchen is open and Louise can be seen busy with her pots and pans.

## DIFFERENT ANGLE—SHOOTING TOWARDS SCREEN DOOR

Dexter, a dark scowl on his face, is just barging his way in with a mumbled "Hi, Mrs. Archer."

CORLISS: (amiably) Hi, droopy.

Dexter evidently has something on his chest.

DEXTER: Say, listen—I'd like to know what you think you were doing yesterday after your music lesson.

Corliss suppresses a guilty start and looks at Dexter venomously. Louise appears in the doorway.

LOUISE: (testily) Corliss, did you use my pastry cutter last night making those caramels? I can't find it anywhere.

CORLISS: (off guard) I never touched it, Louise. Mildred was using it. She—

MRS. ARCHER: (quickly) Mildred? Was she over here last night?

CORLISS: (disarmingly) Oh, Mum, honestly you don't know how absolutely crazy this silly family squabble is.

MRS. ARCHER: (sighing) Corliss, in many ways I agree. But your father and Mr. Pringle are suing and countering each other right now for ten thousand dollars damages. And he absolutely insists that—

The telephone rings and Corliss makes an instinctive lunge towards it. Mrs. Archer yanks her back. She has not finished pinning on the dress.

MRS. ARCHER: Answer the phone, Dexter, please.

DEXTER: (on his way to phone) Raymond told me that Mr. Pringle's dentist's bill's over three hundred bucks already.

(To Be Continued)

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## Burn-Proof Cover



(Photo courtesy U. S. Rubber) Postwar product making a debut today is the burn-proof ironing board cover of Asbestos. Fabric was developed primarily for fire-fighting suits for the service, but limited quantities are now being channeled into civilian production. The forgetful housewife above, who leaves her iron on the board while she tends to something else, has nothing to worry about because the asbestos fiber cover will withstand the heat.

## MAYBE HE PREFERS VODKA

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Old Southern customs meant nothing to a visiting Russian naval officer. Before drinking that traditional "Deep South" refresher, a mint julep, he removed the mint.

## When Vet Doesn't Grab For Pass At Sight Of MP, He's Civilian Again

By HAL R. COOPER

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The first time two MPs came into a cocktail bar and I didn't reach for my pass I knew the Army was out of my system.

I'm glad to be able to say that a week after I got my discharge I could hardly tell an MP from a squadron barber without a program. I was also completely free of that impulse to salute second lieutenants—one way or another.

The discharged soldiers I know just want to go back quietly to a job. In two weeks you'd never know they had been soldiers and to tell the truth they never were—just civilians in uniform.

I have noticed that discharged soldiers adjust more easily to civilian life than civilians adjust to discharged soldiers. The civilians seem to feel that the man coming out of the Army makes special attention. It makes him feel conscious and uncomfortable.

## Tell Embarrassing Accounts

They introduce him around with embarrassing accounts of his prowess in battle when he'd a lot rather tell his own lies. They imagine war is what veterans want to talk about. Most veterans would be happier arguing politics, whether the Giants can stay up there in the National League or what will happen when Joe Louis and Billy Conn get into a ring again.

Above all, civilians keep asking discharged soldiers how it feels to be out of the Army. All we ever can think of to say is "good" or "fine" or something equally inarticulate. It makes us feel stupid. It makes it hard to concentrate on being a civilian.

Yesterday a friend of mine got his discharge and came home. He was a tech sergeant top turret gunner on B-17s. He did 50 missions in the Mediterranean and then out of curiosity went up and did 25 more

over Germany. His curiosity is now satisfied.

I called him up to welcome him back. Of course the first thing I asked him was, "How does it feel to be out of the Army?"

"Listen, Cooper," he said. "Did you ever know I came from Texas? Well, the reason you didn't was because I am the only living Texan who never bragged about Texas. I don't think the part of Texas where I come from is fit to live in. That's how much of an individualist I am."

"Well, for four years that individualist was told what clothes to wear, when to get his hair cut, when to get pants pressed, when to shine his shoes, when to shave, when to eat, where to eat, what to eat, when to leave camp, when to get back, where to sleep, what style to make his bed, when to mop the floor, what side of his head to wear his flight cap on, what to say in his letters, when he could get his mail, what saloons to stay out of, when to line up for pay, when to get shots in the arm, sometimes even when to take a shower—and you ask me how does it feel to get out of the Army."

"Before I became a soldier I was a civilian for 28 years. I had learned how to do my own thinking. It will be a pleasure to do my own thinking again."

"Furthermore I am glad to be out of airplanes. I don't think they're practical and I doubt they're here to stay. Nobody is ever going to make me trust a method of transportation where you can't get out and walk if it stops running."

"If that answers your question come on over to my place and I'll brief you for a low level attack on the Pimlico race track next Saturday. I feel like I could pick seven straight winners and I won't need and handicapper telling me how to do it."

"My friend is a lot more eloquent than I am."

## End Of Campaign

OKINAWA (Delayed)—There was tragic irony in the burden carried by the Marine runner who was killed while taking messages from his Sixth Division command post to units fighting at the front.

As the runner neared the front, reports Staff Sgt. George R. Voigt, Marine Corps combat correspondent, he was killed by a sniper. Clutched in his hands, along with battle reports and action messages, were the day's news sheets.

The lead story was a dispatch from Guam. It said the end of the Okinawa campaign was only a matter of hours.

## McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

America's Card Authority I was in Philadelphia recently and met Lt. Col. Ben M. Golder. It was the colonel's first day out of uniform. He loves to bid, and he does put you in some peculiar contracts, but it is always an evening of laughs when you play with Ben.

While I admit we went a little high on this hand—when everything worked—Ben's remark was, "Well, you can't get credit for a slam unless you bid it."

Colonel Golder ruffed the opening spade lead with the four of clubs, and the king of clubs was played, which picked up the outstanding trumps. Ben then led a small diamond and finessed dummy's queen.

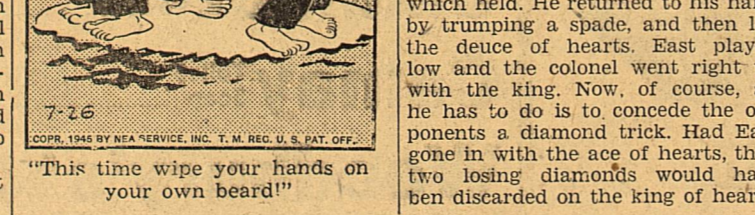
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2	Q	J 9 8 4	W	E	S	Q	Q
2	Q	J 9 8 4	W	E	S	Q	Q

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South West North East  
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ 4 ♠  
6 ♣ Pass 5 ♠ 5 ♠  
Pass Pass Pass Double  
Opening—♠ A. 26

which held. He returned to his hand by trumping a spade, and then led the deuce of hearts. East played low and the colonel went right up while the king. Now, of course, all he has to do is to concede the opponents a diamond trick. Had East gone in with the ace of hearts, then two losing diamonds would have been discarded on the king of hearts.

## HOLD EVERYTHING

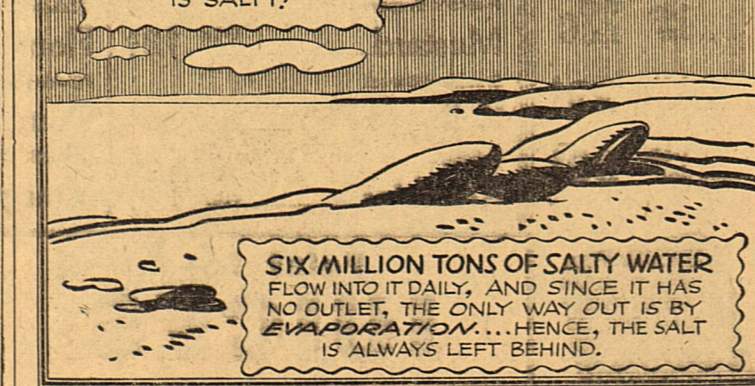


"This time wipe your hands on your own beard!"

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## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

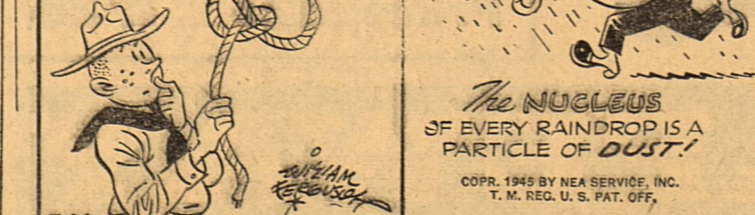


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## Quiz Korner



ANSWER: A measure of speed, being a speed of one nautical mile an hour.

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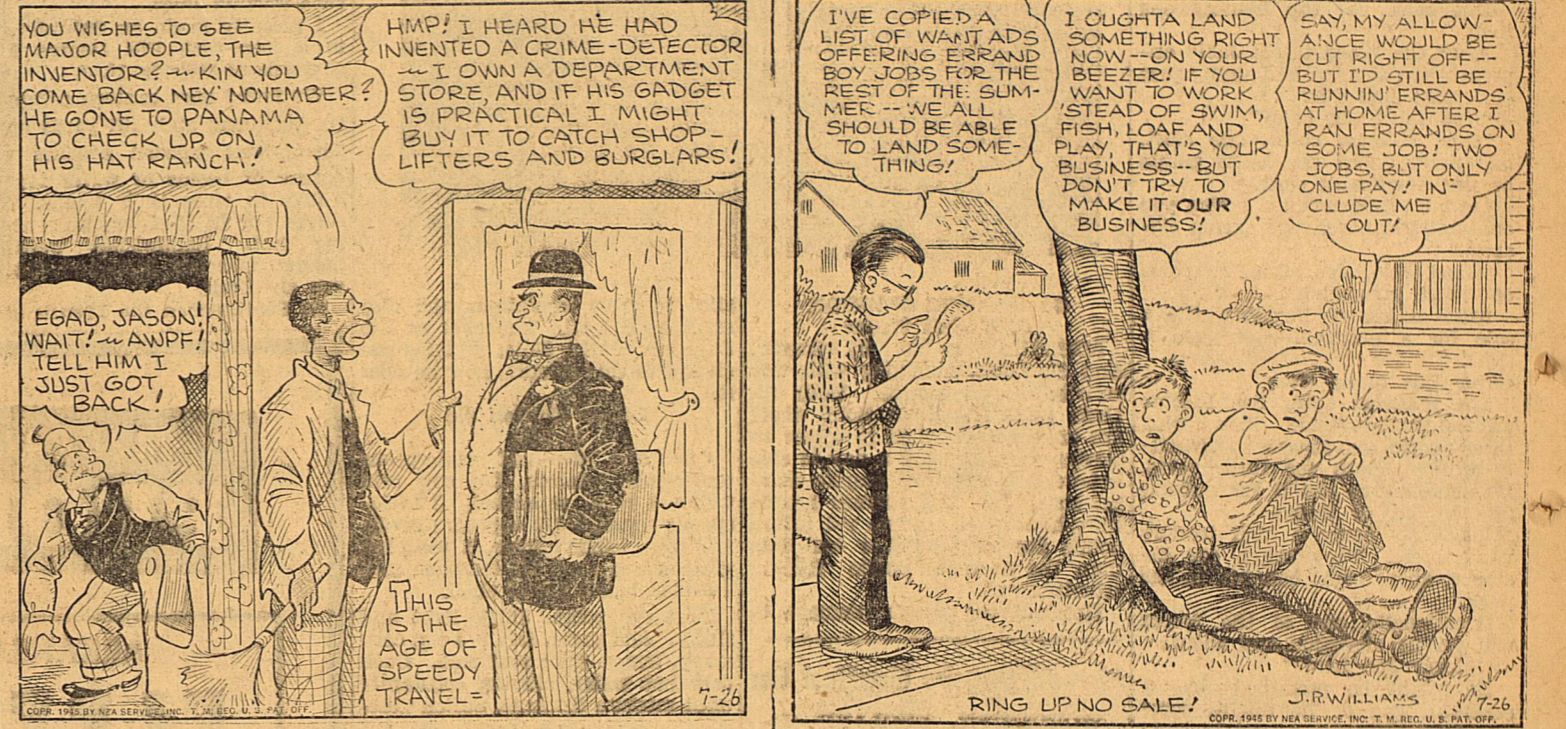
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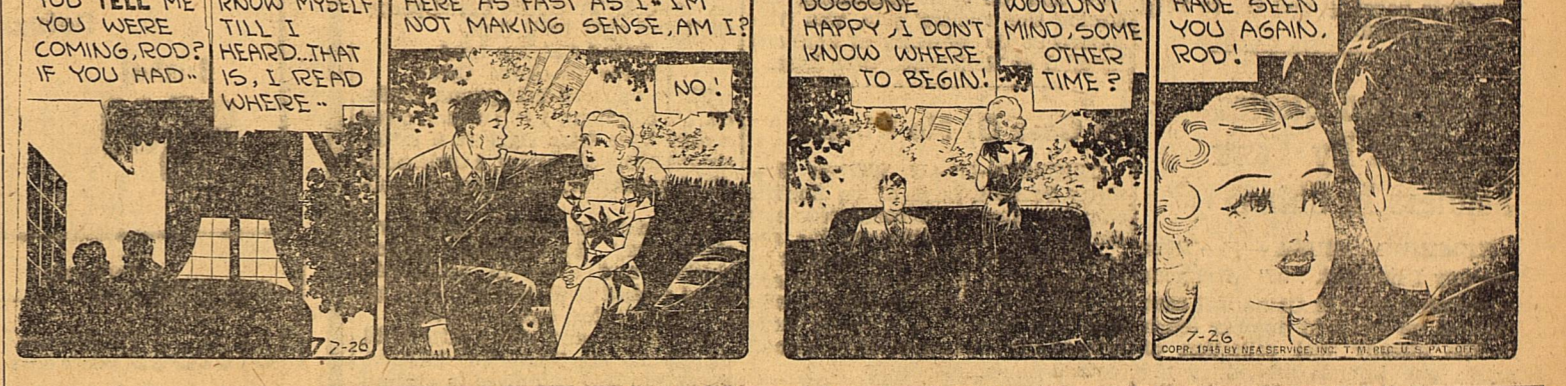
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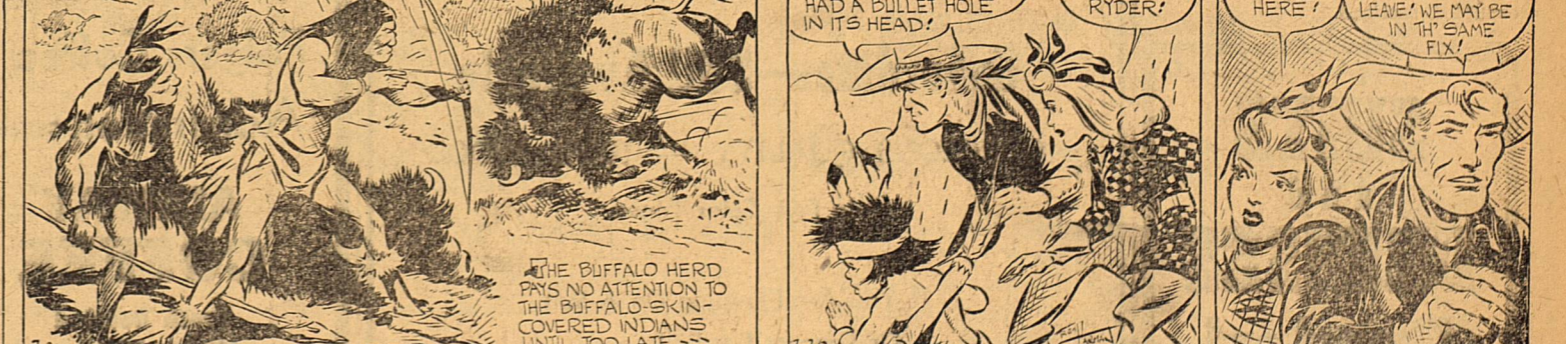
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Insulation Keeps Summer Heat Out

On hot summer nights occupants of insulated houses enjoy cooler comfort than occupants of uninsulated houses, C. H. Shepard of Branch and Shepard pointed out.

Big Demand For Air Conditioned Rooms

Requests for reservations at the Scharbauer Hotel indicate commercial traveling representatives are making extra efforts to obtain rooms at the Scharbauer while in West Texas, A. C. Hefner, manager, said.

He Didn't Think Of Dialing Information

LEXINGTON, KY.—(P)—Life is too short to spend in a telephone booth, said a visitor here who told city police he smashed the glass from a booth because he didn't know how to get out, not being used to "these now-fangled contraptions."

Fountain Drinks Help Beat Heat

A cool, refreshing fountain drink brings a moment of welcome relief from the heat of long summer afternoons, J. B. McCoy, owner of the Palace Drug, pointed out.

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Tractor Headquarters. Many Ford-Ferguson tractors are being used in Midland County cultivating 1945 crops and many of them were purchased from the Midland Tractor Company, agents for the tractor which has set new records for economy and ease of operation.

Minute Inn Has Won High Favor With Those Who Like Best Food

Reliable, dependable refrigeration is one of the greatest assets an eating establishment can have, Jack Petosky, owner of the Minute Inn, declared. Dependable refrigeration is just as important to an eating establishment in the winter as in the summer," he pointed out.

Once Team Mates, Jap Surrenders To American On Luzon

MANILA.—(P)—A shortstop and an outfielder who were teammates 13 years ago met again at a 6th Division Command post on North Luzon this week—but this time they were playing on different teams. George A. Carlson of Tulsa, who had won a Rhodes Scholarship and attended Oxford University from 1931 to 1934, was a good outfielder and made the baseball team with ease.

First Class



She's 61 years old and a grandma, but she didn't see why that should stop her from getting into the service. It didn't. She's First Class Seaman Harriet Harding of Aurora, Ill., of the SPARS, now serving in the Coast Guard fingerprint classification office, Long Beach, Cal.

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Midland Glass Company Manager Names Practical Uses For Glass

With construction activity increasing since victory in Europe, C. M. (Shine) Shelton, owner of the Midland Glass Company at 1611 West Wall Street, reminds citizens that glass is being used more and more for building purposes. Shelton also cuts glass for desks, "Glass covered desks add to the attractiveness of any office," Shelton asserted.

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Marine Finds Okinawan Baby—Called 'Higgins'

OKINAWA (Delayed)—The Marine by the side of the road yelled and Marine Pfc. Carl E. Bell of Weatherford, Tex., stopped his jeep on the sniper-infested road and waited. "How about droppin' this off at some hospital?" the Marine asked as he ran up. He shoved an Okinawan infant wrapped in a GI woolen shirt toward Bell.

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### Chihchiang Is Spot Chinese Stopped Nip Drives On Airfields

By HARRY GRAYSON  
NEA Staff Correspondent  
CHIHCHIANG, SOUTHWEST HUNAN PROVINCE CHINA—Places like Chihchiang forcefully remind you that the war is not won, that young men are still risking their lives in kicking hell out of Japan.

Cut-of-the-way Chihchiang and brave men who have been—and are—based here deserve vastly more attention than they have been given. At Chihchiang only a few weeks ago, the Japs for the first time failed to take an airfield which they seriously tried to get in China. In the defense of this airfield the Chinese won their only major battle on their home grounds.

At Chihchiang, in the only battle of its kind in any war, young men of two nations of different languages, customs and cultures fight side by side. This is the base of the Chinese-American Composite Wing of the fabulous 14th Air Force, the one that has done mostest with the least.

**Japs Launch Drive**  
When many air bases on Japan's "Greater East Asia Land Line" had fallen, Chihchiang remained a pain in the neck to the Nips. So in April of this year they decided to take it and consolidate their life-line. They launched a formidable offensive from the area of their base at Paoching, in western Hunan.

In addition to being a practical base for the bombing and strafing of the Hengyang-Changsha corridor, Chihchiang was a supply point for Chinese armies in the area.

Allied ability to fly supplies to Chihchiang cut off many miles of road travel in a country where roads are few and difficult and transportation facilities extremely limited. The loss of Chihchiang would have been another sickening blow to Chinese morale and, correspondingly, would have given Jap propagandists at least a modicum of good news for home-front consumption to balance in part the very bad news being received at that time from other areas, particularly Burma, the Philippines and Okinawa.

**Jap Offensive Stopped**  
The Japs meant it, for they launched a four-pronged offensive from Paoching, headed generally west toward Chihchiang, 129 air miles distant. Pessimists on the Chinese-American side at one time seemed prepared to write Chihchiang off the books, expecting it to fall in the same manner as Nanning, Kweilin, Luchow and other air bases along the life-line. Then pessimists had a surprise in store for them, however. Though they gave ground at first, the Chinese fought back with a stubbornness that made every li (roughly one-third of a mile, Chinese measure) expensive to the Japs.

Contributing magnificently to the ground defense were the activities of the 14th Air Force, which played a conspicuous part in the defense of its own base. Lacking air cover, the enemy had little defense against forays by planes of the Chinese-American Composite Wing. Jap lines of supply were harassed, his personnel were struck with demolition and fire bombs and strafed. As Jap supply lines lengthened and striking power correspondingly diminished, it became increasingly obvious that the enemy effort was doomed to failure. For the first time in an operation of this kind in China since July 7, 1937—in almost eight years of warfare—the Japs lost. Gradually, and at high cost to the Chinese in men and material, each of the four prongs of the offensive was thrown back. Jap losses were heavy, not only because of the hard fighting but also because, as the effort lost momentum and direction, many Jap troops were cut off, surrounded and liquidated.

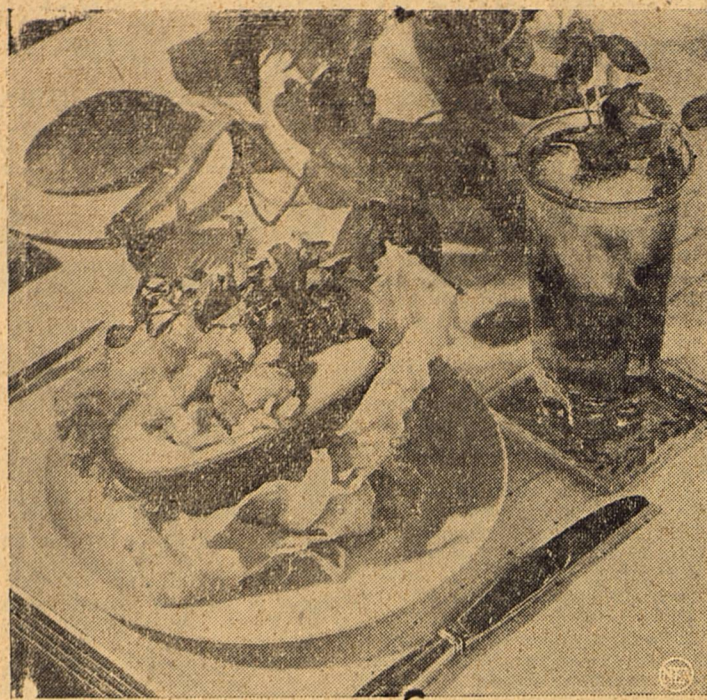
**Japs Whipped Soundly**  
The Japs were soundly whipped in seven weeks. Thousands never got back to their starting point along what was then a completely Jap-held inland corridor from the Changsha Lake district south via Hengyang, Kweilin, Luchow and Nanning to Hanoi in French Indochina. Units had to retreat in little groups of stragglers infiltrating back through encircling Chinese lines. All were given rough handling. The Japs are today the same distance from the air base as when they started.

Parts of three Japanese divisions, a total of 45,000 men, were committed to battle, and one-third of them, or an entire division, were killed. Chihchiang is a name to remember.

It was too hot for the Jap even while in China at least—he was still rolling hell-bent for leather toward "Empire."

The prophet Mohammed was born in Mecca, Arabia, in 570 A. D.

### Stuff Avocados With Sea Food



By GAYNOR MADDOX  
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It is very hot in Los Angeles this month. The city is over-crowded right now, which makes the problem of feeding people even more difficult. But the hotel chefs, just like every homemaker, must plan and serve meals every day, despite OPA regulations and market problems.

"How do they do it?" the bewildered housewife asks. Gus Waser, executive chef of the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles, gives his answer, hoping it will make the home menu-maker's task a little easier.

**Stuffed Avocado**  
(Serves 4)

Two ripe avocados, 1 cup finely diced celery, 1 cup flaked crabmeat, or 1 cup diced shrimps.

Cut avocados in halves lengthwise—remove seeds and sprinkle cut portions with lemon or lime juice. Combine celery, crabmeat or shrimps with cocktail sauce and use to fill centers. Decorate with sliced ripe or green olives. Place on layer of shredded lettuce or shaved ice, and serve with mayonnaise or boiled dressing.

**Cold Chinese Salmon Mayonnaise**  
For a large buffet, use a whole medium-sized salmon. For a family enterprise, since the relatively small French or British air forces could have smashed the Rommel forces. Even more daring was the switch of the Rommel forces to the north, leaving his left flank completely unprotected.

"There wasn't any risk, let alone generalship, involved in the whole business," my source, who had worked in a Nazi ministry, told me. "Certain of our agents belonging to the so-called Ribbentrop Bureau, which had been working in France since 1937, furnished us with complete information about Allied defense plans in that sector."

The story of Rommel's African victories was almost repetition. In the first place, the General Staff, knowing Rommel's limited talents, never wished to entrust him with the African campaign, and proposed General von Funk instead, but Hitler gave Rommel the job.

Break Allied Code  
At that particular time the deciphering department of the German Air Ministry was able to break one particular Allied code almost overnight. This speedy breaking enabled Germans to pick up messages daily of one Allied representative in Cairo. Thus they learned all British troop movements and also gained precise information about desperate shortage of material, particularly of tanks.

These code messages were decoded and sent to Hitler's headquarters and also to Rommel's headquarters. "Rommel couldn't have been better informed if the Allies had given him a daily briefing," my informant said.

Rommel's famous victory in June of 1942, knocking out 300 British tanks, was only possible because of this information.

Later, secret informers found a way to warn the Allies. From them on the Allies were kept well informed about many plans and actions of the Wehrmacht.

La Paz, capital of Bolivia was founded by the Spaniards in 1548.

ter with crisp lettuce leaves. Cover the salmon slightly with mayonnaise, and garnish with sliced or pressed cucumbers or vegetable salad, with a few fancy lemon slices and sliced or rosette-shaped radishes.

### Superior Agents, Not Rommel's Ability, Won Early Nazi Victories

By CURT RIESS  
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BERLIN—Rommel never was the great general pictured by Nazi propaganda. His famous victories in France and North Africa weren't achieved by superior strategy, but simply by superior intelligence then at the disposal of the German Military Intelligence Service.

This has been revealed by a number of men who, in the last stages of the war, were able to furnish the Allies with revealing information.

Rommel's first big achievement of this war was the breakthrough of armored units near Sedan, which decided the whole French campaign. This breakthrough was always considered by experts as a most risky enterprise, since the relatively small French or British air forces could have smashed the Rommel forces. Even more daring was the switch of the Rommel forces to the north, leaving his left flank completely unprotected.

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### In Tune



Hollywood gossips insist that Dick Powell, ex-crooner now turned movie slush, and blond singer June Allyson plan to wed after his divorce from Actress Joan Blondell. The couple, not talking, are pictured above at a recent Hollywood party.

### Americans Are 'Unknown Soldiers' In Borneo Invasion

By JAMES HUTCHESON  
WITH ALLIED FORCES IN BORNEO —(AP)—Some American boys are beginning to call themselves "the unknown soldiers of Borneo."

Communiques tell how Australian troops swept ashore; how the cruiser brusers of the Seventh Fleet pounded the beaches; how the RAAF and 13th Air Force bombed hell out of enemy installations.

But you seldom hear of the Americans who put them ashore; the boys who man the amphibious tractors (Buffaloes or Alligators) in the first assault waves; the lads who follow close behind at the controls of landing barges in the fourth or fifth or seventh waves. After close to half a dozen landings in 10 days in the Brunet Bay sector of Borneo, they are beginning to think they're the "men of the permanent waves."

**Aussie Diet Unpopular**  
Two outfits which have done a heap of beach work for the Australian troops in Borneo are the boat battalion of the 593rd Engineers Boat and Shore Battalion and the 727th Amphibian Tractor Battalion. The 593rd had more than 1,000 officers and men on the beach or on the bay for the Brunet Bay operations.

The boat battalion is a big enough unit to haul its own American provisions with it, but the amphibian crews have to take "pot-lick" with the Australians.

They think the Aussies are tops as infantrymen, but they don't think so much of their army diet. They'd like to get back to American troops and American mess lines; to pork and beans, coffee, hot cocoa—yes, even to powdered eggs, pressed pork and "K" rations.

### Zamboanga Japs Tailless, Too



"The Monkeys Have No Tails in Zamboanga," the old Army song goes. And neither do Jap planes caught in that section of Mindanao by Yank pilots. In above photo Pvt. Leon Zilberberg, left, Cincinnati, O., and Pfc. George Ahnert, Peru, Ind., of 13th Air Force, demonstrate outside their operations hut.

### This Calm Tail-Gunner Had Reason For Speed

IWO JIMA (Delayed)—Here's a story currently making the rounds of a veteran Fourth Marine Air Wing Mitchell medium-bomber squadron operating nightly from Iwo against enemy shipping in waters off Japan.

A rocket-firing Mitchell, returning from a daring strike on a Jap supply ship outside Tokyo harbor, streaked low over the ocean towards Iwo to avoid enemy interception.

Suddenly over the plane's inter-phon system came the calm voice of the tail-gunner.

"Tail-gunner to pilot—come in, please."

"Pilot to tail-gunner—go ahead."

"Tail-gunner to pilot—can you get any more speed out of this ship?"

"Pilot to tail-gunner—I think so—why?"

"Tail-gunner to pilot—we've got a Jap night-fighter on our tail."

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