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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Seesaw—Now We're Down

Tobruk has fallen. Germans, brilliantly led, are threatening the Suez Canal.

General Mannheim's Nazis have driven dangerous wedges into the defenses of Sevastopol, Russia's last stronghold on the Black Sea.

Notwithstanding our brilliant success at Midway, the simultaneous Japanese attack on the Aleutians has given Nippon possession of at least two points which appear to possess real strategic value.

The United Nations are being pushed around, and our mercurial public pulse has sunk to a depressing low. The etalon see hrdu is totally deaf are fortunate. They, at least, need not listen to arm chair strategists proclaiming that our cause has become hopeless, that we can't expect to beat the axis, that we are losing the war.

The fault is largely that of panty-waist publicity we have been getting from Washington, particularly, and also from other United Nations capitals. But that is another story. We hope Elmer Davis has been given sufficient authority to correct that evil.

Meanwhile, let's buck up, and recall the dark days of Pearl Harbor, Batavia, Singapore, Corregidor—unless we prefer to torture ourselves by going back to the fall of Belgium, Holland, France, Yugoslavia and Greece, to Dunkirk, to the months when only a few super-optimists hope England could survive more than day by day.

These are trying times, militarily. But by comparison with 1940 and 1941 we're in a bed of roses with the big thorns removed.

From the start it was obvious that our job divided into two major tasks. First, we had to stop a clever, aggressive enemy, who had more troops, more planes, more tanks, more of everything than we, plus the advantage of being in position to name the game and fix the rules.

Second, we had to hold that enemy while we transformed the United States into a war factory, and raised and trained an army and manufactured the material and built the ships with which to take men and armament and munitions and food where they could be used.

By contrast with Hitler's almost unopposed conquests of 1940 and 1941, we have stopped the axis. Still losing a bit here and there, now we are making the enemy pay a price he cannot afford for victories which are serious to us but not necessarily conclusive.

Meanwhile we are rolling up a military machine before which the axis powers cannot continue to stand.

Let's not abandon our sense of proportion. Let's not seesaw up and down with every local battle. Let's correct our mistakes, forget our grousing, strengthen our resolution, and remember that omelets can't be made until eggs have been broken.

U. S. ARMY LEADER

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for 'U. S. ARMY LEADER' and other words. Includes a small portrait of a man in military uniform.

Off-Of-The-Job Traffic Accidents Are An Obligation

TYLER — Prevention of "off-the-job" traffic accidents has become a major obligation of employers as well as of traffic authorities during war, A. F. Allen, of Dallas, vice-president of the Texas Safety Association, declared here today.

In an address before the Tyler Rotary Club, attended by administrative committee members of the association, Allen appealed to large employers "to meet the threat of war production by stressing to employees the need for traffic conservation of life, tires and motor vehicles."

"Since Pearl Harbor some 17,000 Americans have been killed in traffic accidents," Allen said. "Thousands of others have been injured. The damage to irreplaceable motor vehicles and equipment has been enormous."

"At least fifty per cent of these deaths and injuries occurred outside of working hours. The resulting delay to war production schedules is the same, whether the accident occurred 'on-the-job' or 'off-the-job'."

"Many large employers already are meeting this threat to the working front by urging traffic conservation of life, tires and vehicles to their employees when the latter are off work. Others should do the same."

Allen said that the traffic problem would not solve itself and that the full cooperation of employers and employees alike with the efforts of civic and official safety agencies was necessary.

The 19 per cent reduction in traffic fatalities for the first five months of this year was the result of patriotic driving, strong enforcement and the cumulative effect of Texas' model traffic laws, Allen said. Traffic mileage was only 6.3 per cent under that of last year according to the association figures.

Texas Youths To Enter Air Corps Of Navy On July 1

DALLAS, Tex.—Literally hundreds of young men from Texas and Oklahoma will enter the Civilian Pilot Training course on or about July 1 under the auspices of the United States Navy, Lieutenant Commander Harry Holton, senior member of the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board, Dallas, announced today, disclosing that only young men enlisted in the navy's V-3 program may be entitled to enrollment in the navy-sponsored CPT.

Explaining that the CPT instruction would include both ground school and actual flight training, Commander Holton said: "The navy is providing these extensive courses for future naval aviators at no cost to the men. They will be furnished their meals and lodging throughout their entire training period."

Holton said that the object of the movement was two-fold. First, he said, it will shorten the time required for a young man to win his navy wings and commission. Secondly, the program will facilitate a man beginning actual flight training immediately upon his enlistment. Heretofore, a man sometimes had to wait a month before being called for training.

Upon completion of the CPT courses, the student will be ordered to naval pre-flight schools where they will begin regular navy courses in aviation. Holton said that men completing their applications for navy flight training before July 1 will go into CPT training immediately. They will enter schools nearest their homes for this training. Interested men should contact their recruiting offices or the Dallas flight board immediately, he said.

Fire Has Added To Rubber Needs

AUSTIN, Texas, June 29.—"Fire has had a large part in adding to the critical rubber shortage in this nation," Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, said today.

Hall explained that seemingly local fires can now have a far-reaching effect on the nation during time of war, as he urged individual attention to fire prevention in every home and place of business.

"A supply of crude rubber," Hall stated, "with a value of \$11,000,000, and estimated at that time to be one-tenth of the nation's supply in storage, was destroyed by fire in October, 1941, at Fall River, Mass."

"This huge fire definitely destroys effort. The useless carrying war supplies while lying on its side at the bottom of the Hudson river—the victim of fire."

Custom officials see their duty and they take it.

Committee Sets Aims At Aiding In War Effort

COLLEGE STATION, July 1.—Winning the war is the first and immediate objective of the State Land Use Planning Committee, and preparation for successful post war reconstruction is its second, members agreed last week as they concluded a two-day conference on the

A. and M. College campus. The group learned that 245 county land use planning committees have agreed to aid all war efforts by serving for the duration of the war as County Agricultural Victory Councils. This means they will do emergency work in addition to their long-time planning activities, it was explained. Council members—10,637 farm men and women—will serve as community Victory leaders. These, aided by 42,008 neighborhood Victory leaders, will form a "human chain" of

communication for rapid transmission or collection of war information related to agriculture. The communication system will serve all farm and ranch families in the state. Discussions during the two-day program were devoted to storage of the state's wheat crop, salvage collections, experimental county health and medical programs, post war planning, assistance for rural families evacuated from war project areas, and the farmers' battle against inflation.

Romance Blossoms In Wartime Houston

By United Press HOUSTON, Tex. July 1.—Romance is blossoming in wartime Houston. The committee is composed of 24 farm and ranch men and women from all types of farming areas in Texas and representatives of the Federal and State agencies working with agriculture. "It's war weddings and defense jobs," explained Miller. Lots of people are afraid to go to the dentist because they have the nerve.

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Clover Honey Comes To A Texas Town

BISHOP, Tex. (UP)—The first clover honey ever produced in Bis-

hop was on the market this week. John Bolland planted clover for hay, but when it began to bloom he thought of bees. He contacted E. A. Ford, Kingsville bee man, and they moved 10 hives into the

clover field. In just 10 days time the 10 hives of bees produced 450 pounds of honey.

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SERIAL STORY

CARIBBEAN CRISIS

BY EATON K. GOLDTHWAITE

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THE PROFESSOR MOVES

CHAPTER XXIV

BRILLIANT sunshine, as if re- freshed for the storm, splashed the decks of the Blue Petrel as Bill Talcott sat in a deck chair and told June Paterson, for the twentieth time, that he didn't know how he had come to be in Martha Swenson's cabin. She was beginning to believe him, too; probably she had all along, but you wouldn't have known it from the frigid way in which she endured his presence. She was about to speak now when Halsey came along.

Halsey dropped into a chair and sighed, blowing out his lips in exasperation. "Swenson still sticks to the same story," he said. "Claims she didn't know Webber, didn't know of him, had never seen him before the night he came to her here on the ship. She says that Webber, or von Stampf, take your choice; anyhow, bald-head frightened her half to death. Knew her right name, which incidentally is Swanzig; described her father down to the last wrinkle and threatened to put the screws to him unless she played along. Her job was to compromise Talcott so he wouldn't dare open his head; as if you, you poor dumb brute, weren't sufficiently compromised already."

Talcott squirmed. "Cut it out—it was a fool stunt, her starting that argument with the doctor and making so much noise she brought the whole ship down on her ears. It made me clean forget Webber's threats."

June Paterson sighed. "I guess you don't understand women. Which brings to my mind that despite the fact Mr. Webber hasn't been caught, I'm still unscathed. I wish I could bring myself to believe that you were as doped as you claim."

Halsey grinned. "You've been lucky, my pet. And you've had a big seaman trotting at your heels like a spaniel for the last two days."

"Yeah," Talcott said. "Where does he go when you sleep?"

"That's for you to find out, Mr. Casanova!"

From the companionship Captain Pringle's square figure loomed. A radiogram was tucked in his huge fist. His eyes twinkled

pleasantly and he said, "I see everybody's on speaking terms again. You'll be interested to know, Talcott, the pin that doped you also cured my ship's physician. Some-kind of stuff South American Indians use in hunting. It paralyzes the game and they walk up and finish them. Thought you'd like to know," and his eyes twinkled briefly as they rested on June Paterson.

"None. There must be some place on this ship I don't know about, unless he finally did jump overboard. If he's still aboard, we'll get him when the immigration lineup starts. We'll be in at 4 o'clock. Despite the storm, we've made a record run, I believe. We're going to have quite a reception. Half the Army. But here, you might as well read your own messages."

"Probably from Saint Thomas about some woman you left stranded," June Paterson sniffed.

TALCOTT rubbed his nose. "Sorry to disappoint you. It's from your esteemed cousin. He says that one Jerome K. Winters is considerably embarrassed to discover that his newest and most efficient secretary is a Nazi agent—serves him right! And Lowell says he'll be on hand with a squad of picked men to finish our unfinished business."

"Which reminds me," Halsey said. "Is that darned report still safely hidden?"

"Safe as a church. Unless a fire breaks out."

Halsey looked puzzled. "A fire?" he gasped.

Talcott chuckled.

It was just one more unscheduled thrill for the passengers of the Blue Petrel. As if a hurricane, a murder and a Nazi agent running around loose weren't enough, the Army had to take over the business of landing.

And take over they did. Not at the pier, but in quarantine. At least 20 of them; clear-eyed young chaps who looked and acted as if they knew exactly what they were about. Led by a lean, wiry young man whose uniform bore the insignia of a captain. He stood at an impromptu desk in the main lounge, asking questions and performing an inspection which slowed down the immigration line to a snail's pace.

Other strange things were going on, too. For instance, a sad-eyed, sad-faced man who had taken over Cabin K with the full consent both of the late occupant, Mr. Leonard Halsey, and the ship's captain, Seth Pringle. There had been some kind of mysterious business in which the

dashing and mysterious William Talcott had marched at the head of a squad of four to, of all places, the fire hose. He had opened the cabinet and, in the presence of the squad, removed therefrom a bulky envelope. Then the squad had right-faced and marched into Cabin K, and marched right out again. But without the envelope.

And it was much more puzzling when the cause of all the trouble, Mr. Talcott, had his turn and came face-to-face with the young captain. The startled passengers saw the supposed embezzler-murderer and the stiff Army officer in a combination bear-hug dance and Sioux Indian reunion, complete with war cries.

It dragged on unbearably. Dumpty, sniffing dowagers; doddering old gentlemen; returning college students; school teachers. The same questions. The same sharp scrutiny.

There was an interruption; one of the squad superintending search of the fire hose compartment came marching up. Saluted smartly, grunted, said, "Formula Nine did it, sir. We got the goods."

And what on earth was Formula Nine? What could it possibly have to do with fire hoses and fat envelopes and a sad-eyed, sad-faced man who occupied a cabin just as if he were at home?

The line moved on. Thinner, now. Less crowding from behind. There weren't so many left. A man and wife, and then the hypochondriac, Professor Constantine.

The professor winked at Bill Talcott. "Style, eh?" he remarked with a grin. "Makes you feel important—you know, that man who just passed. Perfect Neanderthal, don't you think? Notice the shoulders and arms—"

Talcott didn't notice the perfect Neanderthal, but he did notice Professor Constantine. The professor possessed a mop of dyed, woolly hair. He also possessed violent and uncontrollable eyebrows patterned much along the lines of those of a famous labor leader. But behind his thick-lensed glasses he had no peevishness!

"Professor," Talcott said, smiling grimly. "I believe you claim to have been picked up in Martinique by a certain smuggler named Jackson. It wouldn't be possible, would it, that you had been in Saint Thomas instead to secure certain defense plans which were recently revealed by the use of Formula Nine on Struthers' report to the company?"

Constantine deigned not to hear. He moved, shuttlewise, to the rail. His leg went up and over he went. (To Be Continued.)

Meaning Of Eggs And Poultry In Price Bill Cleared

DALLAS, June 29—The meaning of "eggs and poultry", exempted from the general maximum price regulation, was clarified by OPA today.

According to OPA's interpretation, the following items are considered to be "eggs and poultry": EGGS—Shell eggs, dried whole eggs, dried egg yolk, frozen whole eggs, frozen albumen and frozen yolk, with or without sugar, salt or an emulsifying agent, tanner yolk and tanner whole egg.

POULTRY—Live poultry, full drawn chickens, turkeys, etc., other dressed poultry, disjointed chicken, turkeys, etc., split chicken, cooked whole chicken, frozen chicken, turkey, etc., smoked chicken, turkey, etc., and New York dressed chicken.

The following canned products, and not deemed to be "egg and poultry", within the meaning of the CMPR, and accordingly, are subject to the maximum prices established by the regulation:

Canned dried egg products, canned boned chicken, turkey, etc., canned whole chicken, turkey, etc., potted chicken, turkey, etc., chicken a la king, chicken bouillon cubes, chicken and egg noodles, chicken paste or spread, chicken and noodle soup, chicken soup, chicken broth soup, dried chicken broth, chicken gumbo, and country style chicken soup.

Buy Bonds, Not Fireworks Is A Plea For Texans

AUSTIN, June 29—Texans who may plan to celebrate July 4, cannot hope to compete with gunpowder explosions on the battlefronts, Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, said, in urging a safer and saner celebration for In-

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dependence Day. "Lives can be saved, injuries prevented, loss by damage and fire destruction averted," Hall added, "if we eliminate the use of fireworks from our plans for observing our country's Declaration of Independence."

"Gunpowder and explosives burned up in fireworks for useless reasons can't be used by our fighting forces in the front lines. Fire works exploded in Texas will not win another 'Midway victory.'"

"Our celebrations with fireworks have caused us to pay a high price in previous years. This year the most patriotic manner of celebrating the Declaration of Independence will be to convert gunpowder in bullets and bombs by the purchase of war stamps and bonds instead of fire crackers."

Fines of 200 speeders arrested in a Nashville, Tenn., suburb were turned over to the infantile paralysis fund. That's coming through in a pinch.

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Comic strip panel 1: THE BULLET MUST BE EXTRACTED QUICK! PA, YOU'LL HAVE TO RIDE TO MONTE VISTA FOR A DOCTOR!

Comic strip panel 2: IT'S A LONG RIDE FOR AN OLD MAN LIKE ME, PA, BUT I'LL TRY!

ALLEY OPP

Comic strip panel 1: HOW WE DOIN', BOOM? D'YA THINK YOU CAN GET US UP ON TOP OF TH' WATER AFTER THE BLASTIN' WEVE TAKEN?

Comic strip panel 2: I DON'T KNOW, OOP, BUT IF WE DO MAKE IT, OUR ONE HOPE IS THAT IT'S SO DARK THEY CAN'T SEE US!

Comic strip panel 3: SLOWLY THE BOW OF THE TORTURED SURMARINE BEGINS TO RISE!

Comic strip panel 4: OTHERWISE THOSE NIPS'LL BLOW US TO KINGDOM COME!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Comic strip panel 1: ...AND I WAS HURT BECAUSE YOU INSURED EVERYBODY'S ROMANCE BUT YOUR OWN!

Comic strip panel 2: I FELT THAT IF YOU DIDN'T CARE WHAT HAPPENED TO OUR ROMANCE, I WOULDN'T CARE EITHER!

HAMLIN

Comic strip panel 1: HONEY CHILE, YOU'RE MISTAKEN! I HAVE TWENTY-EIGHT POLICIES THAT PROTECT OUR ROMANCE FROM INVASION!

Comic strip panel 2: OH, LARDIE, I COULD KISS YOU FOR THAT! GO AHEAD AND TRY, HILDA! I'M CURIOUS TO SEE IF I'D PUT UP A STRUGGLE!

JEWELRY Auction Sale TWO SALES DAILY 3:30 P. M. and 8:30 P. M. At the end of each sale a diamond ring will be given away, beginning today. Ranger Jewelry Co. Main Street Ranger

SOCIETY, CLUB AND CHURCH NOTES

Miss Armstrong, Mr. Jones Wed
Miss Lujan Armstrong daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Seagraves, Texas and Mr. Edgar Theodote Jones son of Mrs. Leslie Jones Sanders of Ranger and Mr. C. A. Jones of Midland, Texas, were married June 10, 1942 at the First Baptist Church at Seagraves, Texas.

Miss Armstrong who had completed her college education was teaching in Houston, Texas the term just ended.

Mr. Jones was graduated from Allen Military College, Bryan, Texas and holds a position with American Liberty Drilling company of Lubbock. At present the young couple are at home in Lubbock, Texas.

Personals

Mrs. H. E. Angus and daughter, Paula Ray of Glenmora, La., are here for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. George Allison has returned from San Diego, California where she visited Mr. Allison, who has been transferred to the University of Wisconsin Radio school.

Mrs. Kate Rushing has returned to her home in Oklahoma City after a visit with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Mahoney.

Miss Dorothy O'Donnell who has been teaching in Munday is here to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Albert O'Donnell.

Dick Samms of Bowling Green, Ohio and Bill Heyman of San Antonio who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hummel left today for a visit in Ohio.

Mrs. Lois Johnson, Mrs. R. C. Stokes and son, Walker, have returned to their home in San Antonio after a visit with relatives. The three will leave soon for Tampa, Fla. where they will join Lt. Colonel Stokes who has been transferred to duty there.

Mrs. J. P. McLaughlin is visiting in Dallas.

Jimmie Charline Rogers left today for Bangs where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pertle Ribinson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ames Ames attended the "Singing of the Air" Convention, in Dallas Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Milard Herweck and Miss Margaret Jo McCleskey spent the week in Dallas as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Herweck.

LODGE NOTICES

Regular stated meeting of the Ranger Masonic Lodge Thursday night. Installation of officers. All Masons urged to attend.

Marvin Brock, W. M., R. C. Stidham, Sec.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

Representative of 106 District: L. H. FLEWELLEN

Original District Attorney: EARL CONNER, JR. ALLEN D. DABNEY, JR.

For District Clerk: JOHN WHITE CLAUDE (Curley) MAYNARD

For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS JOHN HART JOHN C. BARBER

For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY

For County Clerk: R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY

For County School Superintendent: T. C. WILLIAMS HOMER SMITH G. S. (CLARE) ELDRIDGE

For Collector-Assessor: CLYDE KARKALITS

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For Constable: Constable Precinct No. 2: I. J. (LUKE) HARDIN W. G. "Uncle Billy" NIVER G. J. MOORE LON D. TANKERSLEY

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Ship Ahoy



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G. C. Smith Buried In Ranger Monday

Funeral services for G. G. Smith, 208 Mesquite, Ranger, who died Monday morning, were conducted Monday afternoon at the First Methodist Church of Ranger, with Rev. E. N. Scarlett, pastor of the church, in charge of the services. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

The decense was born in Hood County, Texas in 1867.

Survivors include his widow, one son, Floyd Smith of Ranger, three daughters, Mrs. A. H. Gordon, Miss Afton Smith of Ranger and Mrs. Ben Durdin of Inadale, Texas; four brothers, Elmer Smith, Ed Smith and Dee Smith, all of Ranger and Tom Smith of Lawton, Okla., and one sister, Mrs. Alvin Barker of DeLeon.

147 Youths Are Registered Here

More youths, 18 and 19 years of age, were registered in Ranger Tuesday, June 30, than were registered in either Eastland or Cisco, it was reported today by Pleas E. Moore, who had charge of the registration.

A total of 147 youths registered for possible military service, when and if congress authorized calling out this age group.

The reason Ranger had a larger total than either of the other major towns was because a number of the NYA youths, who live in other counties, and in other parts of Eastland County, participated in the registration here, Moore stated today.

Three Tenths Of An Inch Of Rain Falls

Three tenths of an inch of rain fell in Ranger Tuesday afternoon, according to a report received this morning from M. H. Alexander, superintendent of the city pump station at Lake Hagaman.

WHAT CAUSES EPILEPSY?

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Worn Out Tires Only Sixth Gone A Report Reveals

AUSTIN (UP)—The piles of discarded rubber tires that have gone into the scrap rubber campaign look bigger than ever when it is learned that a "worn out" tire has had only about one-sixth of its rubber content destroyed. In other words, six of these discarded tires has enough rubber left for five other tires of the same size.

Tires still on automobiles and trucks presumably will be driven to the limit before they are discarded. Plans now are being considered to give the owner of future discarded tires a certificate when he turns in a tire entitling him to purchase one recap of reclaimed rubber. It is estimated that the discard will provide rubber for two recaps and if advice being given the rubber officials is followed the second recap will be held back to be issued to someone for "essential" use.

City Tournament Being Postponed

A. N. Larson, president of the Ranger Country Club, announced today that, because of lack of time for preparation, the annual city tournament was being postponed from the tentative date of July 4 and 5, to the Labor Day week end in September.

A meeting of the Country Club members was called for Tuesday night, but since but a few were present it was decided that the Labor Day week end would be the most logical time to make plans, when more members could be contacted to take charge of various phases of the tournament.

Mexican Labor To Aid In Harvest

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 30—With U. S. and Mexican government officials nearing an agreement under which Mexican nationals may enter Texas during the crop harvest season to supply emergency farm labor, the South Texas Chamber of Commerce has been notified that details of the plan may be expected this week. This is the first indication of a definite date for materialization of the project.

Merchants Selling Bonds And Stamps Throughout July

Today at noon merchants of Ranger kept their doors open, but for 15 minutes, from 12 noon to 12:15 p. m., they sold only War Bonds and Stamps. This was in keeping with a request of the Treasury Department, which instigated the plan.

Throughout the month of July the merchants will continue to limit their sales, for a 15-minute period at noon, to sales of bonds and stamps, in an effort to help raise money for war production.

Advance First Aid Class Begins July 6

Advance First Aid class will begin Monday, July 6, at 7:30 p. m. in the American Legion hall room at the City Park. Lester Taylor of Breckenridge of the Lone Star Gas Company will be instructor for the class.

Those desiring to attend the class are required to have attended the beginners class some time in the past three years. There will be a limit enrollment of twenty four.

All who wish to take the class are to call Mrs. James Horton, phone number 461, at an early date.

The class period will be held each Monday and Thursday evening.

ARCADIA
Wednesday and Thursday
It Happened In
FLATBUSH

Rising Star Grid Star Has Enlisted

By United Press
LUBBOCK, Tex., June 30—Roger Smith of Rising Star, slated to be the regular left half-back of the Texas Tech Red Raiders this coming football season, enlisted at Lubbock Air Base and will not play.

Smith joined up in the hope of getting action. And he's getting it—on the telephone switch board at the Air Base.

Two hundred Oakland, Calif., women were sworn in to serve as policemen in case of emergency. If nothing else, they'll arrest attention.

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