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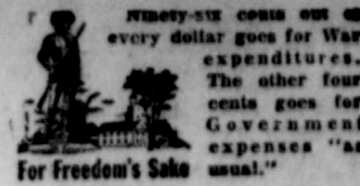
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## AXIS LOSSES IN SICILY ARE 167,000 MEN

### ALLIED RAID TAKES JAPS BY SURPRISE

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in the Southwest Pacific, Aug. 18. (UP)—The high command announced today that 122 Japanese planes were destroyed and 1,500 Japs killed in a huge raid on Wewak, New Guinea, when ten thousand bombs were dropped on that base which is about 350 miles northwest of Salamaua.

It was said that this was the heaviest raid yet staged in the South Pacific.

The raiders destroyed the greatest part of the Japanese air force at Wewak.

Departing from custom because of the spectacular performance of the Allied air force, Gen. Douglas MacArthur in a statement on the victory said: "It was a crippling blow at an opportune moment."

Numerically, the opposing forces were about in equal strength, but one was in the air and the other was not. Nothing is so helpless as a plane on the ground.

"In war, surprise is decisive." The raiders, in a mass attack on a heavy concentration of enemy air groups, surprised more than 225 airplanes and their crews on the ground.

Allied reconnaissance planes, which fly night and day in fair weather and foul, had spotted the movement of the Japanese to heavily reinforced his four air fields at M. But, Danga and Wewak, in the Wewak area.

"Many of his planes were parked wing tip to wing tip on the runways, apparently in preparation for an early air stroke in support of his ground forces disposed in the New Guinea areas," the communique said.

Japan's ground forces are battling to hold back Americans and Australians who now are within five miles of the enemy's base of Salamaua. Salamaua itself is largely in ruins as the result of being pounded with more than 1,000 tons of bombs in recent weeks.

The raiders of Wewak struck at night and the surprise was complete.

"Over 10,000 fragmentation and incendiary bombs caused vast havoc in and around the airbases and dispersal areas," the communique said.

"The whole peninsula was encompassed by fires visible for 150 miles. The attack was continued throughout the morning by attack bombers and fighters at low altitudes."

"At Borom, the motors of sixty fighters and bombers were being warmed up. The air crews were in their planes and the ground crews were standing by as we struck."

"Some of the pilots frantically endeavored to take to the air and were burned with their planes."

"Machine gun fire and fragmentation bombs turned the airfield into a mass of flame as flight after flight pressed home the attack."

"At the Wewak field, six fighters took off, three of which were shot down."

"Photographs reveal a total destruction of 122 enemy planes and severe damage to at least an other 50."

### Eastland Boy Receives Much Coveted Award

S/Sgt. Joseph B. Pargin, son of Mrs. D. D. Daniel of Eastland, and who is with the U. S. Army Medical Corps at Camp Barkley, Abilene, where he is completing officers' training, was one of 215 soldiers at Camp Barkley recently awarded a medal for exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity and "all round" good soldier.

Pargin has been in the army six years and thinks he will make it his career.

### RUSSIANS HALT GERMAN DRIVE, KILL 4,000

LONDON, Aug. 19. (Wednesday) (UP)—Red Army troops killed 4,000 Germans, smashed forty-six tanks and captured prisoners and spoils Tuesday in crushing a German counter attack led by 100 heavy tanks west of Kharkov, a Russian communication announced Wednesday.

Russia reported advances both on the Bryansk and Spas Demensk fronts, to the north, and Berlin asserted that the Red Army had opened a fourth offensive at Izium, called the key to the Donets Basin, seventy-five miles southeast of Kharkov. German-dominated radio Vichy reported indications of a fifth offensive, north of the Vyazma-Smoienak line west of Moscow.

A special Russian communique said the Russians took 60 towns and villages Tuesday on the Bryansk front in gains of up to three and three-fourths miles.

Water Barrier Crossed Several enemy defense points were captured by Russian troops in one sector of the Bryansk front after they had crossed a water barrier, the midnight communique said, and 2,000 Germans were killed. Thirty six tanks, sixty nine field guns and much other equipment was destroyed.

Some advance was made by the Red Army on the Kharkov front and the midnight communique said several inhabited places were captured by one formation. Nine hundred Germans were killed and 135 taken prisoner and in addition the Russians seized three Tiger tanks and other equipment.

Two thousand Germans were killed and a number of inhabited localities were taken on the Spas Demensk fighting which also cost the Germans twelve tanks and seventy guns destroyed.

There were indications that German reports of a new Russian drive in the Izium area might be corrected.

A Russian air communique reported heavy Russian air raids on trains and stores depots at Bryansk, Roslavl, the midway base between Bryansk and Smolensk, and Varvenkovo and Slaviansk in the Donets Basin. It was noted that planes had been put into action to bomb the German troops concentrated south and southwest of Kharkov.

Harvenkovo, first logical major objective of a drive from Izium, is only twenty-three miles south-southwest of that city, and Slaviansk is twenty-eight miles south.

Military quarters here believed that the ferocity and the strength of the German counterattacks on the Kharkov front might be explained partly by the necessity for protecting the fifty German divisions reported to be in the Donets Basin, the Crimea and the Kuban, in view of the almost certain fall of Kharkov.

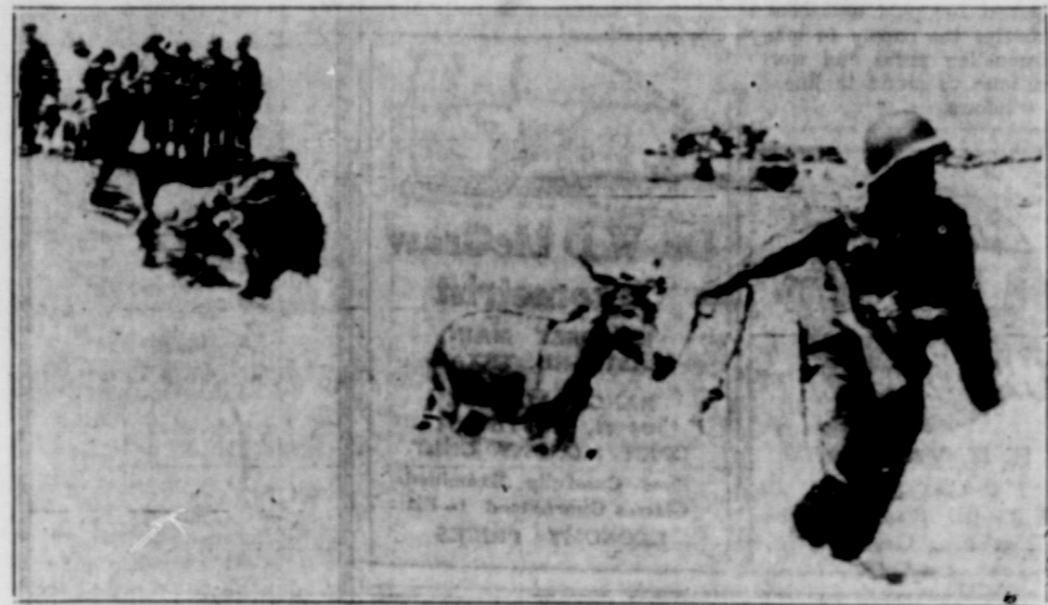
It was believed here that the Red Army was in command of the Kharkov situation and hoped to take advantage of the Kharkov fighting to wipe out the German reserves and get rolling on their offensive again.

A German DNB agency broadcast said that the Russians had opened a super-offensive at Izium, using eleven infantry divisions, or up to 165,000 men with many tanks.

DNB said that the attack, which the German command had expected was preceded by an artillery barrage.

It was added that one point the Russians achieved a breakthrough a few kilometers in depth but said that the penetration had been mostly eliminated by counter attacks.

WEST TEXAS—Little change in temperature north portion, not quite so warm south portion this afternoon, tonight and Thursday forenoon, scattered thunder showers near coast and widely scattered thundershowers interior-southeast portion.



AMERICAN ARMY MULE STILL IN THE FIGHT—Pack animals are doing their share in carrying supplies over rough Italian terrain to soldiers in the front lines. This U. S. Signal Corps radio photo shows how some of the first of the mules were led ashore from landing boats. Soldiers said the beasts were reluctant to plunge into the water but were not unwilling in moving forward with their

### County Report on Farm Labor Needs

The following are reports received from various communities regarding the Farm Labor Problem:

MORTON VALLEY—Bobby Gene Harrison and Paul Tankersley report a hay baling crew composed of 4-H Club boys. Old member of crew is Billy Henderson, sixteen. Billy organized the crew, and is president of 4-H Club at Morton Valley. He reports that they can bail 150 bales daily, and they have been running for three weeks.

RISEING STAR—Frank Gray of Rising Star 4-H Club reports a threshing crew has been organized in that community consisting of 20 men. Thirty cents an hour has been the price paid in that community for hoeing.

BULLOCK—Billy Langford of the Bullock community reports that general farm work wages are twenty-five an hour. He has been hiring out—working for others.

BLUFF BRANCH—John Neal Phippen reports that gotten hoeing and harvesting is thirty cents an hour in his community.

HOWARD—Marvin Dupree of Howard community predicts a shortage of labor during harvesting period in his community. Marvin has worked fifty-five hours this past week for himself and others.

CARBON—J. C. Holloway of Carbon Community has worked sixty hours this past week.

SHADY GROVE—Tommy Bacon of Shady Grove community has worked forty-eight hours for himself and others during the past week. Thirty cents an hour is the average price paid for general farm work.

### Specialist Says Too Many Eggs Being Lost Daily

According to Mr. George McCarthy, Poultry Specialist from A and M College, 300,000 eggs are lost or approximately \$3,000,000 are lost daily due to fertile eggs. There are fifteen egg powdering plants in the state, and they are running at one third capacity.

By doing away with roosters, so-called saboteurs, and following an egg grading and candling system, and by gathering eggs more often, cooling them, and marketing them in due time, it stands to reason that egg prices can be raised, which will mean more money to the egg producers and more food to help win the war.

District egg grading and candling school was held at Abilene, Texas, recently, and County Agents, Vocational Agriculture Teachers, Farm Security Supervisors from the surrounding counties attended.

Any one interested or any community interested in a candling and/or grading school—general improvement program—see Floyd Lynch, County Agent.

### CAPTAIN EAKIN BACK FROM WAR IN PACIFIC

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Eakin last night received a telephone call from their son, Captain Carl F. Eakin, Jr., who has just arrived in San Diego from the South Pacific.

Capt. Eakin stated that he is home on leave and will be in Ranger within a week. He has been serving with the Marine Air Corps in the South Pacific and has been in the thick of much of the action in that theatre. He was in action at Guadalcanal and for "heroism in action" was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and three citations. He has been in Australia, New Caledonia, New Hebrides and the Fiji Islands.

Second proposal that Rome be made an open city, was heard in radio reports received in London parallel with disclosures Hungary is seeking a similar classification for Budapest.

From Berlin and Switzerland came declarations Marshal Pietro Badoglio had made, through the Vatican, his second proposal. Bern said authoritative church quarters understood a demarche has been made through the Holy See, Hungarian Minister to the Vatican, entrusted to Custiniano Cardinal Serdi, Archbishop of Strigonia, at present in Rome.

Rome radio renewed its appeal the Eternal City be spared from further bombing, called not only an Italian city but also the capital of the Christian world.

The available sources of labor which may be registered and recruited are: volunteer workers, which are composed of town people; school boys and girls; and migratory laborers.

Interested persons continued to contact the Ranger Chamber of Commerce seeking information about the flying school which is being considered for Ranger.

A number from Breckenridge have filed their names and will attend the conference with Schell, operator of several flying schools, who will fly here to meet with prospective students.

Anyone wishing information with reference to the school should contact the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Charles Dean has been notified of the death of his cousin, Mrs. Frame Bowers, the former Miss Mignon Brock of Ranger, and member of a pioneer family. She was the niece of the late S. J. Dean.

According to information reaching Mr. Dean, Mrs. Bowers died last night in San Antonio and will be buried Thursday at 1 o'clock at Alice.

### W. D. Sneed, 68 County Pioneer, Died Sunday

Funeral services for Wynne Sneed, 68, who died Sunday at a Ranger hospital, were conducted at the Corinth church, northwest of Eastland, Wednesday afternoon at 4:15. Interment was in the Corinth cemetery. Elder Wright, pastor of the Church of Christ at Cisco, officiated. Hamner's of Eastland was in charge.

Survivors include a son, Allen Sneed of Globe, Arizona, and a daughter, Mrs. Clarke Payne of Eastland, and two brothers and two sisters as follows: Paul Sneed of Petersburg, Texas, and Robert Sneed of Eastland; Mrs. Mary Phillips, Pievna, Alabama, and Mrs. Willie B. Ryan, Decatur, Alabama.

Wynne Dickson Sneed was born March 18, 1875, in Alabama and came to Texas, settling in Eastland county in 1897. He was married on Sept. 5, 1904, to Miss Ada Hatten, member of a pioneer Eastland county family, who died some 18 months ago.

Mr. Sneed during his 46 years residence in Eastland county, engaged in farming and stock raising and was considered successful in these occupations. He was taken ill rather suddenly and died a short while after being taken to the hospital.

He was a member of the Church of Christ.

### Community Will Need Laborers For Fall Harvest

J. D. Pittman, Agriculture Victory Labor Coordinator of Scranton community called by County Agent's office this week and discussed the labor situation. According to Mr. Pittman, there will be a big need in his community for laborers during harvest time. He is calling a meeting in the near future to make definite plans to take care of the labor problem.

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## A REAL VICTORY SAYS EISENHOWER AS ALLIES FINISH AHEAD OF SCHEDULE

### CHIEFS STUDY BLUEPRINTS FOR FIGHT EUROPE

QUEBEC CAN. (UP)—President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill inspected a newly-drawn blue print for the reopening of Europe today, amid indications that their sixth war conference already was paying dividends in a war of nerves against the Axis.

Reports from both Germany and Italy of new peace trial balloons came at a time when the two leaders were deep in a heavy schedule of talks with their war chiefs plotting what generally was regarded here as the body wallop against the German army.

### Registered Pigs Show Progress With Boys' Care

Nine registered Poland China pigs were awarded to Eastland County boys in May, 1943. These pigs were to be cared for and are to be exhibited at the show in November at which time the winner will be given a registered Jersey heifer.

A progress report on these animals, as well as the boy's care and management is as follows: "Pearl Harbor Star"—owned by Ben Cooper, Rising Star 4-H Club boy, was farrowed Feb. 23, and now weighs 90 pounds.

"Pearl Harbor Queen"—owned by Bobby Gene Harrison, Morton Valley 4-H Club boy, was farrowed Feb. 23. Present weight is unknown.

"Jane"—Owned by Billy D. Reese, Carbon 4-H Club boy, was farrowed March 22. Present weight unknown.

"Texas Star"—owned by Alton L. Rogers, Alameda 4-H club boy was farrowed March 15, and now weighs 100 pounds.

"Texas Beauty"—owned by Roy Lane, Jr., Carbon 4-H club boy, was farrowed March 15, and now weighs 142 pounds.

"Queen's Lass"—owned by Monte Walker, Carbon 4-H club boy, was farrowed March 13. Present weight is 134 pounds.

"Sue Queenie"—owned by Bobby E. Moore, Morton Valley 4-H club boy, was farrowed March 13. Present weight unknown.

"Show Girl"—owned by Dale Carlisle, Cisco 4-H club boy, was farrowed March 11. Present weight is 160 pounds.

"Key Master 2nd"—owned by Clayton Lee Henderson, was farrowed on Feb. 2, and now weighs 185 pounds.

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### Today's Thought

"An evil intention perverts the best actions, and makes them sins"—Addison.

### Reports say Germans are carrying out demolitions in Italy preparing to "take stand in north"

BY UNITED PRESS The conquest of Sicily, described by Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as "a real victory," was revealed today to have cost the Axis at least 167,000 and possibly 200,000 fighting men.

An Allied announcement reported that 135,000 German and Italian troops had been captured and 32,000 killed or wounded up to the last week of the Sicilian campaign. These losses far outweighed the over all Allied losses of 25,000 men killed, wounded, captured or missing.

Eisenhower, Allied commander in chief for the Mediterranean theater, said the Allies finished the campaign well ahead of schedule.

While the American and British forces were trading artillery fire across the narrow Messina Straits, reports reached Madrid through France that the Germans were carrying out demolitions on the Italian side of the Straits and possibly getting ready to move northward to take up an easier defense line.

LONDON, Eng. (UP)—American Thunderbolt fighters shot down 20 German fighters in violent battles over Europe yesterday while supporting the flying fortresses in the greatest operations of United States aerial history, it was announced officially today.

On the Russian front, the Red Army was reported to have won an important battle southeast of Kharkov after several days of bitter fighting—a victory that may prove a vital factor in the Ukrainian campaign.

The Allies entered a new phase of the war in which Allied aerial bombardment of Europe reached a new high and threatened to increase, as new air bases are opened south of the continent. A Royal Air Force statement disclosed that Allied planes based in Britain and Africa flew 2,500 to 3,000 sorties during the last 24 hours.

All swimming pools should, under rigid supervision, maintain those standards approved by the Texas State Department of Health. This necessarily includes maintenance of proper chlorine level. Where such standards are not maintained, those pools should be closed immediately.

All raw foods and vegetables should be washed thoroughly before use and protected from flies, fifth and insects. All eating and food handling establishments should adhere strictly to the State Law concerning the sterilization of dishes and utensils in the present emergency, those restaurants with insufficient personnel to maintain approved sanitation should close one or two hours a day so that employees can assist in maintaining cleanliness and high sanitary standards.

Every effort should be made to secure approved milk. Rats and mice should be eliminated. Maintain in the home the same sanitary standards that are necessary in community life. Particular attention should be paid to personal hygiene. Excreta from cases and contacts should be handled and disinfected with the same scrupulous care as in typhoid fever or bacillary dysentery.

Over-exertion in children should be avoided. Children should not visit homes where there is a sick child. Cases should be quarantined for 14 days and adults who work in food establishments should be particularly instructed in personal hygiene. It is advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts especially in children during a outbreak of this disease. It is not advocated that schools, churches, should be closed.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, drowsiness, followed by stiffness in the neck and back.

### Cleanliness Is Essential For Paralysis Control

Strict sanitary measures must be observed in all communities. Stringent efforts should be made to eliminate the house-fly and to destroy its breeding places. All mosquitos and mosquito breeding places must be eliminated at once. Every effort should be made to institute approved garbage collection systems immediately. Safe water supplies must be assured. Where adequate municipal sewage disposal systems are not in operation, it is vitally important to promote and maintain sanitary septic tanks and outdoor privies.

### Now No Time To Travel, Advice of Business Men

Brann Garner just back from a business trip to Dallas, said today on the Woodley Petroleum Company's "stay at home" advice to all who might be considering travel in the near future. Not only are buses and trains over loaded but hotels are also carrying an excess patronage and accommodations are hard to get.

While in Dallas Garner said that he had a visit with Robert Taylor, movie "heart-throb", who is now in training at the Naval Aviation School at Grand Prairie. Taylor was a guest at the Variety Club at the same time as Garner and through mutual acquaintances enjoyed an evening together.

David D. Pickrell stated today that drilling will be resumed today on the Woodley Petroleum Company-Premier Oil Refining Company well on the G. W. Thorpe in the Leeray townsite.

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ision of the Federal Security Agency, which has compiled a report of actual experiences of communities in providing recreation for men and women of assembly lines.

To solve the problem of keeping war workers happy on the job, one Midwestern community established a "dawn patrol" recreation center for workers coming off at midnight. Until 3 a. m., the 400 workers play tennis, dance, read, visit, take showers, eat doughnuts and drink coffee.

It keeps them happy and cuts down on accidents, which, the FSA asserts, are caused by fatigue and tension.

Across the street from a large Eastern munitions plant, the FSA reports, is a movie theater which is now open, for 10 cents to workers as a place to eat their lunch and see a movie short.

Community recreation programs are now providing the tonic of preparing a meal in a real kitchen for girls away from home waffle parties and suppers in churches for the homesick; English and Spanish lessons for bor-

der plant workers, and music. To give adults an opportunity to seek their own fun, community recreation programs, the FSA reports, have established varied means of caring for children both during the day and night.

For these war recreation programs are now providing the toning "white elephant" mansions, parks, churches, schools, gymnasiums.

Membership restrictions are relaxing in once private and exclusive clubs to serve a wider usefulness and high school students are being utilized along with their teachers and mothers as a reservoir of volunteer aid.

Despite what communities are furnishing in the way of recreation, the FSA pointed out, the demand for paid amusement far outstrips the supply in many war production areas and workers continue to stand in line at ticket windows.

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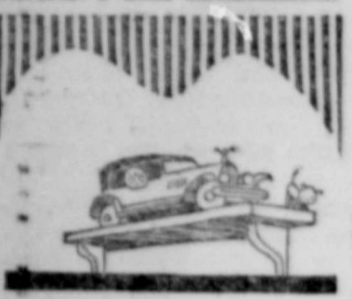
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# RANGER TIMES

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Laying Nuggets—Mash. —Plenty of each.  
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## Society, Clubs

### Ranger Rebekahs Meet On Tuesday

Members of the Ranger Rebekah Lodge, No. 244, met in regular session at the IOOF Hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock with Noble Grand Mollie Patterson, presiding.  
Routine business was transacted, and reports from the sick committee were heard.  
Mrs. Eula Blackwell won the penny prize, which was furnished by Mrs. Laura Melton.  
All members are requested to be present at the meeting next Tuesday in order to practice for initiation.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell had as their guests for the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Powell McCreary and daughter, Marsha, of Ft. Worth.  
Mr. and Mrs. John G. Kramer and Mrs. L. M. Sarrett of Dallas

### Notice by Publication in Probate

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Greeting:

You are HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) one time, not less than ten days before the return day hereof a copy of the following notice:

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Anna Bell Hoffman, deceased, No. 4434.

Guardian Trust Company, of Houston, Texas, has filed in the County Court of Eastland County, Texas, an application for the probate of the Last Will and Testament of said Anna Belle Hoffman, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary, and said application will be acted upon by said Court, on Monday the 30th day of August, A. D., 1943, at the Court House of said County, in Eastland, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

### HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court at the time aforesaid, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, at Eastland, Texas, this 18th day of August, 1943.

R. V. Galloway, Clerk

County Court, Eastland County, Texas.

By W. V. Love, Deputy.

## ANNOUNCING

WE HAVE DISCONTINUED OUR DRY CLEANING SERVICE FOR THE DURATION IN ORDER TO DEVOTE OUR ENTIRE TIME TO THE LAUNDRY BUSINESS, IN THE FUTURE PLEASE CALL 452 FOR DRY CLEANING AND 134 FOR LAUNDRY SERVICE.

## CITY DRY CLEANING

### Official USO Greeter



"JINKER" SAYS HELLO. Official greeter of the USO Club at Watertown, N. Y., is Jinker Baim of Stockdale, a blonde cocker spaniel who makes friends with all the servicemen. Pic. Paul F. Morway of Bridgeport, Conn., is on the receiving end of her attentions. Jinker owned by Miss Marguerite Judd, associate director of the club.

### Power Dive



National diving champion Dorothy Lee executes intricate maneuvers during aquatic fête at Sand and Pool Club of Beverly Hills, Calif.

### CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—Chairs, dresser, bridge tables, radio. Apartment 315, Gholson Hotel, after 6 o'clock.

FOR SALE—Gold inner spring mattress, 509 Elm. Phone 288-W.

WANT TO BUY—Baby buggy or walker. V. R. Kempsey, 309 Elm Street.

FOR RENT—2-3 and 4 room apartments. Furnished 16.50 up. Unfurnished 14.50 up. JOSEPH'S FIREPROOF APARTMENTS

MASONIC LODGE. Call meeting Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738 A. F. & A. M. Thursday night 7 p. m. 3 Master Degrees will be conferred.

Visitors welcome, all members urged to be present. Dick A. Jones, W. M. J. F. Dunley, Sec.

CLASSIFIED FOR RENT—3 room modern house. Newly painted. \$12.00. Inquire 117 Walnut Street.

AUTO PAINTING—We use Duco Lacquer and synthetic paints. Phone 339-W. 1020 Young St. Jack Williams.

LOST—Set of elevator links, B. J. make. \$100.00 reward. Phone 291 Odessa or LD-31 Ft. Worth.

FOR SALE—1 good grade Jersey bull, 95 Angora Goats, ready to shear, 1 row-binder, good Poland China Pigs, some good milk cows. P. E. Bawson, Ranger Rt. 1.

FOR SALE—5 room modern house and 1 acre land. Soft well water. Mrs. Johnnie Richardson.

CLOCKS REPAIRED—At a reasonable price, where no extra parts are needed for alarm clocks and \$1.00 for eight day clocks. Work Guaranteed at 726 Blundell Street.

### Out Our Way ..... By Williams



Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eakins announce the birth of a son, born August 17, at the West Texas Hospital.

Robert Johnson of Dallas is spending his vacation in Ranger visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Oscar Stiffler, who is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital, is reported to be resting satisfactorily.

If you haven't gotten around to buying a Second War Loan Bond, stop and think what it would mean to you if our soldiers hadn't gotten round to the fight.

### Do you have your Household Furniture Insured? Let us tell you the cost

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Let us do your family wash! We won't worry about it because we have the finest modern equipment, use pure gentle soaps and rain water. That means washing's twice as easy and results are the best! Your liners will come back snowy-white... towels double-fluffed and wearing apparel beautifully ironed... color-bright!

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"Bill," she said, "why don't we get the one that's sure to last—the one with no moving parts—the Servel? It's silent and—"  
"Well, you know how women are. That's exactly what we bought, a Servel. And, friend, are we glad!  
"No moving parts in its freezing system to wear. Low operating cost. Quiet as can be. We know it will see us through.  
"Why am I crowing like this? No, not just to show off. It's because refrigerators are sure to come back some day. And I just wanted to tell you how downright pleased we've been with our Servel—and why I handed the little lady a compliment."

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