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# Italy Declares War On Germany

## REDS SMASHING FORWARD IN PUSH ON KIEV

LONDON, Oct. 12 (Wednesday) (UP)—Fighting reached a new intensity Tuesday west of the Dnieper where the Red Army was smashing forward in flanking drives on Kiev, and Moscow heard reports that German demolition squads had begun systematic destruction of the Ukraine capital preparatory to evacuating it.

Soviet communiques reported the Red army had achieved important successes in some sectors west of its three main Dnieper bridgeheads and a broad front over the city of Kiev, and that German demolition squads had begun systematic destruction of the Ukraine capital preparatory to evacuating it.

In a bitter day-long battle which reportedly became hand-to-hand the midnight Soviet communiques said the Russians drove the Germans to a dominating height, Near 11:00 a. m. tanks broke through the Red army lines, while Soviet antitank gunners closed in and put all the enemy machines out of action.

There was no official report on the situation at Gomel, where the Soviets had cleared the Sozh River's east bank and captured the White Russian citadel of the suburb of Novobelitsa.

At the other end of the enemy held 200 mile line in White Russia, Soviet units captured several towns and villages near Vitebsk and wiped out a battalion of German infantry, running the day's slaughter of green-clad Nazis on all fronts to approximately 3,200 men.

In other sectors of the front the bulletin said, there were strong patrol activity and artillery and trench mortar duels.

Capt. Ludvig Serotnikov, German military commentator, said however, that Marshal Semyon K. Timoshenko, whose forces finally cleared the Tamani Peninsula and eliminated the last vestige of the Germans' Kuban bridgehead were across the Kerchensk Strait in an amphibious operation probably supported by landing operations at other points on the peninsula.

**Axis-Argentina Break Expected Within Two Weeks**

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Oct. 12 (UP)—Preliminary moves for an Argentine break with the Axis have been completed and an announcement is expected within two weeks, an unimpeachable diplomatic source said today.

The return to Buenos Aires of Norman Armour, American Ambassador and the appointment of Adrain Escobar as Argentine envoy to Washington were direct consequences of the moves of the preliminary to a break, the informant said.

One consequence of the expected break, the informant said, probably would be United States financial aid to Argentina in some form so that some unfavorable trade balances might be brought nearer to a normal peace-time level.

The informant understood that Argentina's basis for a break would be simple compliance with the terms of Pan American agreements to which Argentina is a signatory.

Brazil was understood to be playing a leading role in negotiations regarding an Argentine-Axis break.

The average soldier requires 250 pounds of cotton equipment compared with 20 pounds of cotton goods bought annually by the average citizen.

**VISITING PARENTS**



Herman Bryan, E. M. 3-c

Electricians Mate Third class Herman Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bryan, has just completed training with the Navy at Treasure Island and is here for a visit with his parents. He expects to report for foreign service very soon.

## Organization For Post War Plans Formed In County

A Post War Planning Organization was prefected at Eastland Texas on Monday afternoon with twenty leaders present representing twenty communities. The officers of the organization are as follows: President, Henry Davern; Vice President, W. R. Usery; Secretary, Treasurer: Mrs. Lee Burkhead; Reporter: Mrs. John Love.

Dr. Bob Hodges of Ranger, Texas, acted as chairman and opened the discussion with the thought, "We know what happened after the 1st. World War. Untold billions of dollars worth of machinery, unused lumber, wire and other materials purchased by the government for the prosecution of the war was dumped and sold to speculators for a fraction of its worth."

The needs of the people of Eastland County as suggested by this organization include: Electric lines, jeeps, barbed wire, tractors, ditching machinery, lumber pasture improvement by brush eradication, sheet iron roofs, water pipes, post, poultry fence, hog wire, cement, nails, tents, bulldozers, terracing equipment, community center buildings, livestock and agricultural exhibit buildings, freezer lockers, clothing and furniture.

Plans formulated are as follows: A survey is to be made through the Agricultural Victory Council in each community, and one is to be made through the civic organizations and business clubs in each town. The needs in each community will be totaled to compose a grand total. The needs of Eastland County as found by the compiling of this report will be submitted to the officials in charge of State and National government.

**Ranger Boy One Of Students In Navy's V-12 Unit**

One hundred and thirteen North Texas students are members of the Navy V-12 unit training at the University of Texas, Austin, Captain John J. Logsdon USN (Ret.), commanding officer, has announced.

Among the students is William Joe Powell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell.

The University is one of the selected colleges where apprentice seamen in the V-12 program are studying curricula designed to train future Navy and Marine Corps officers.

## ASSISTANCE IS ASKED IN RED CROSS WORK

Chairman for the surgical dressings work for the Red Cross being done in Ranger, reported today that a total of 6 women were on hand to make dressings Tuesday afternoon.

This splendid assistance showed increased interest in the work though chairman stated that many more workers are needed in order that the major part of the work will not fall to a few. It was especially emphasized that women who can give only a few hours occasionally to the work are urged to do so, as every few hours put into the work is a great help.

At the present time workers are working on a shipment of materials designed to make 3,000 of the 4x4 bandages and 10,000 2x2 dressings.

These dressings are being shipped to the war fronts of the world just as fast as they can be completed and women are urged to consider this work part of their responsibility, as it actually is the duty of every American woman to aid as much as possible in the war effort.

The work room is open every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 1:30 to 6 o'clock.

## British Garrison On Cos Gives Up After Hard Fight

LONDON, Oct. 12 (UP)—An official communiqué admitted in effect Tuesday that the tiny British garrison on the strategic Dodecanese Island of Cos had come down fighting before a vastly superior German invasion force which landed on Oct. 3.

Allied headquarters at Algiers announced that P-38 Lightnings had attacked the Antimachia airfield on Cos, while a Carlo dispatto to the London Evening Standard said only isolated fighting continued on the island, which is located off the Turkish coast fifty miles northwest of Rhodes.

The garrison advised British Middle East headquarters on an unspecified date, "do not expect to hear from us again—we are now closing down" and then had been silent, the newspaper said. The message presumably was sent by radio.

The Berlin radio remarked that "the Allies have lost the most important operational base in the Dodecanese." Allied forces occupied the island in September with the aid of its Italian garrison.

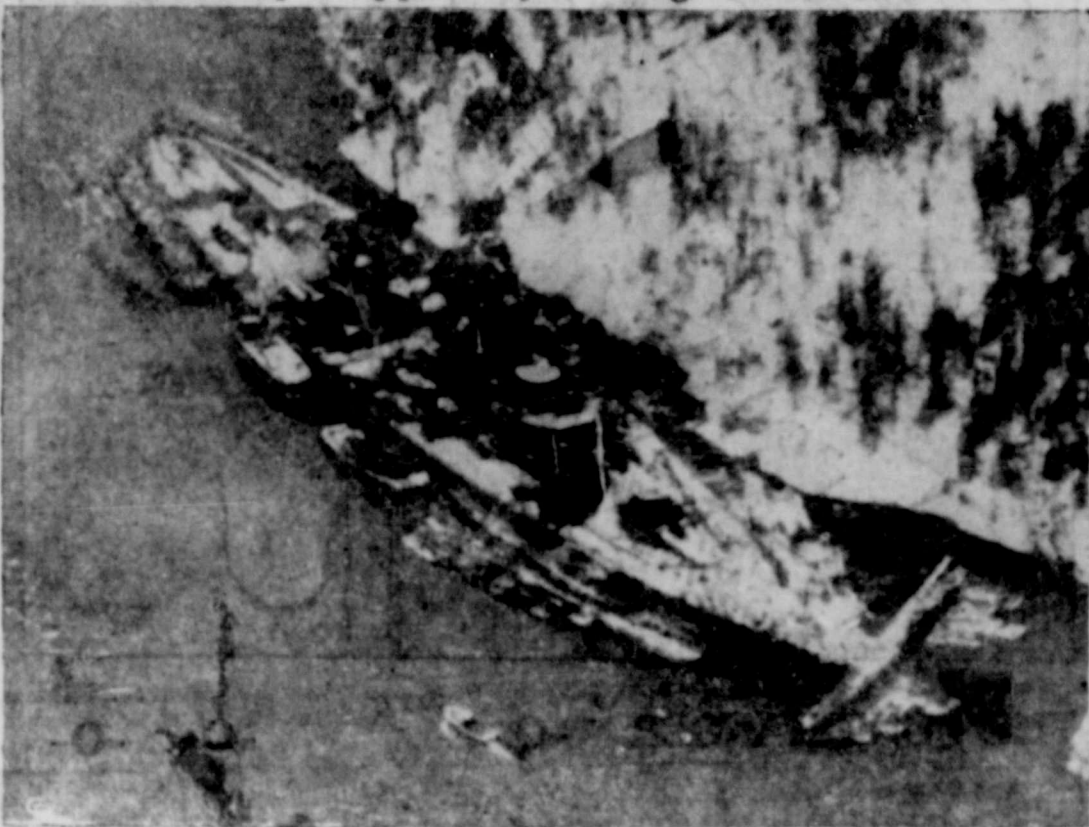
## W. Williamson to Be Buried In Olden Thursday

Funeral services for Woodrow Williamson, seaman second class who died in a Beeville hospital, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Olden Methodist church with Rev. S. Kirkpatrick and Rev. C. R. Warden in charge of the services. Interment will be in the Eastland cemetery.

Seaman Williamson who entered the service of the United States Navy on May 13, 1942, died following surgery in which complications developed.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Williamson, of Olden, his widow, the former Miss Annis Mae Sharp, three brothers, G. W. who is somewhere in North Africa, Almos of Plainview, and Denton of Whitehorse, Canada; four sisters, Mrs. Lora Horn of Eastland, Mrs. Dorsey Allison of Hico, Mrs. Ebridge Massengale of Ireland, and Mrs. Wayne White of German.

## Nazi Battleship Crippled by Daring British Subs



Germany's newest and mightiest battleship, the 35,000-ton Tirpitz, has been severely damaged by British midget submarines which invaded the lair of the warship in Norway's Alten Fjord and hurled torpedoes into the Nazi dreadnought and possibly hit other major German naval units. The attack took place September 22. Three of the British subs that took part in the daring raid were lost. The picture above a British air ministry photo, shows the Tirpitz lying close inshore at Aas Fjord.

## FIRST REPORT ON WAR CHEST DRIVE IS MADE

M. L. King, chairman for the United War Chest drive in Ranger, stated this morning that collections by three of the committees working on the drive showed a total of \$551.50, all of which was collected on Tuesday, the opening day of the drive.

King stated that the majority of the committees have not reported yet and it is expected that the total will be boosted considerably when reports are made. It is the object of the committees to raise Ranger's quota this week and the people of Ranger are called upon to see that members of the committee get their contributions as soon as possible.

The quota set for Ranger by the county committee is 2,700 though Ranger may be called upon to raise more if the county is to reach the quota set by the state directors of the drive.

## Report Says Hull On Way to Moscow

DIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Oct. 12 (UP)—Secretary of State Hull has passed through Natal on his way to Moscow to attend the American-British-Russian diplomatic conference at that city, it was made known Tuesday.

In Washington the State Department said reports that Hull had passed through Natal are incorrect. The department would not elaborate.

News that Hull was bound for Moscow was the first disclosure that he personally would participate in the conferences with British Foreign Secretary, Anthony Eden and Soviet Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov which are expected to be the forerunner of a tripartite meeting among President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Premier-Marshal Joseph Stalin.

**BOY PAYS PENNIE FOR BOND**  
COLUMBIA, (UP)—It was like counting beans in a bean bar, only more tedious, when a small Negro boy stood on tiptoe before a bond sale booth in Columbia to tell the bond lady he wished to buy a bond. He handed her a sack full of pennies. After 1,875 dull coppers had been counted the boy still had a first full left to start saving on another war bond.

## ALLIES RENEW DAY-NIGHT BOMBING



DAY AND NIGHT BOMBING of German industrial centers has been resumed by the R. A. F. and the U. S. Army Air Forces. In one 24-hour period, they struck at the targets indicated on this map and also bombed German targets in Greece. Meanwhile, the U. S. Fifth and British Eighth Armies continue advance on Rome. (International)

## Spanish War Vet Passes Draft But Not the Army

HELENA, Ark. (UP)—Emil Senter, who was good enough for the Spanish War I, is back on his job at a cafe here after Army officials at Camp Carson, Colo., ruled that he was a little bit too old for this one.

The Negro, an ex-prize fighter and riverman, said he went to the Spanish-American War from Louisiana and the first World War from Arkansas.

At the time the last national registry was ordered, Senter was working on a steamboat out of Memphis. Because the maximum age for boatmen is 40, he put that age on his draft card.

When he was called by the Helena draft board, he didn't object, and passed his physical and was inducted into service.

## Premier-Woodley Making Shallow Test On Thorpe

The Premier Refining Company and Woodley Petroleum Company have made a second location on the E. Thorpe property in the old Leary townsite and are now drilling at about 950 feet.

According to David D. Fekrell, superintendent for the Ranger division of the Premier, the second well will be a shallow test to determine the contents of a sand encountered in the No. 1 E. Thorpe, at about 1,700 feet. A show of oil and gas was logged in the No. 1 Thorpe at that depth.

Drilling is progressing on the No. 1 Thorpe which is now at a depth of 3,190 feet and which will be drilled to the Ellenberger if production is not encountered at a lesser depth.

**THE WEATHER**  
WEST TEXAS—Cooler this afternoon, tonight and Thursday forenoon. Showers in extreme south portion this afternoon and near extreme lower coast early tonight.

## Have You Given Your Donation to The War Fund?

Following is a partial list of those in Ranger who have contributed to the United War Chest Fund Campaign now in progress. Names of contributors to the fund will be published each day during the drive in the Ranger Times.

- Commercial State Bank
- Texas Electric Service
- Paramount Cafe
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- Frank Kahikoff
- Lola Spindie
- Lula Belle
- Edna Hyden
- J. L. Latimer
- G. O. Kimbrough
- Al Tune
- Al Tune 2nd
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- W. A. Walker
- Princeton Hotel
- C. W. Fay Perdue
- Granary Ice Cream Parlor
- S. P. Boser
- Gartner's Barber Shop
- Bell's Shoe Shop
- Star Dry Goods Co.
- D. E. Pulley
- C. E. Maddocks and Co.
- Mrs. Otis Taft
- B. S. Dudley
- Happy Harrison
- Frank Walker
- W. A. Lewis
- I. D. Carlisle
- Gray's Barber Shop
- Mrs. Higdon's Cafe
- Fickens Weaver
- Jesse Weaver
- W. R. Swanson
- Rosa Drug Store
- C. W. Blacklock
- Joe Todd
- Miss Sallie Reding
- Dr. L. M. Howard
- Mrs. Manyle Fry
- L. H. Stroud
- Miss Afton Smith
- Lottie Davenport
- O. L. Phillips
- J. H. Holt
- Mrs. W. L. Lyman
- Pleas-E. Moore
- Williams Hdw. Co.
- Killingsworth's
- E. A. Ringold
- Dr. W. Ross Hodges
- W. F. Cressler
- Mrs. A. J. Ratliff
- Disie Grill
- John Tibbels
- Roy Dawn
- Southern Ice Co.
- Traders Grocery
- Sue Turner
- A. Bruce
- E. Fruett
- T. O. Rawls
- Greer Shoe Shop
- Dr. A. K. Wier
- M. N. Canfax
- Golden Rule Service Station
- Hamil's Inc.
- Glenn W. Massie

## IS GRANTED EQUAL STATUS WITH OTHER ALLIED NATIONS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algiers, (CP)—Italy declared war today on Germany, it's one-time ally, and was granted the status of a co-belligerent by the United Nations.

The declaration, made in a proclamation by Premier Pietro Badoglio, said—

"Italians, there will not be peace in Italy as long as a single German remains on Italian soil."

In Washington it was announced that President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Premier Josef Stalin had issued a joint statement congratulating Italy on her action. The statement said that the granting of a status of co-belligerent to Italy did not affect the terms of the armistice granted to Badoglio.

Badoglio's proclamation contained a bitter denunciation of German "arrogance and ferocity." German troops, he said, had expelled some Italian units to disarm and then had attacked them.

Badoglio sent a note to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allied commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean, informing him of the declaration of war saying that "all ties with the dreadful past are broken."

Formal notification of the fact that Italy has declared war on her will reach the Germans through their embassy in Madrid.

The Italian premier said the Italians would be free to choose their own government after the war. In the meantime, he said he planned to call into his government "the outstanding political personalities of the various parties so that it shall have a thoroughly Democratic character."

## Russia Demands A Second Front

MOSCOW—The first public Soviet pronouncement on American-British-Russian conference said emphatically today that primary consideration must be given to immediate joint Allied military action—in other words, the second front.

## Berlin Says Reds Out To Get Crimea

LONDON—The Berlin radio reported today that Russia had launched a great new offensive on a 300 mile central front and signs increased that the Red army was squaring off for an attempt to wrest the Crimea from Nazi hands.

## Quick Thinking Foils Robbery

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP)—Quick thinking plus immediate action foiled an ambitious stick-up man.

R. S. Gregory reported that he opened his door in response to a knock. "This is a hold-up," a man answered and pointed a revolver at Gregory's midriff. Gregory slammed the door and managed to catch the man's hand in the door jamb. He then wrested the gun away from the would-be robber who, in attempting to fire, brought the hammer down on his own thumb. The intruder finally succeeded in releasing his hand and fled, leaving his blood stained weapon behind.

## Safe Opened After 43 Years

BATH, Me. (UP)—After three hours' labor, Henry G. Hodgdon of Bath opened a safe that had been untouched for more than 43 years.

## Billy Ray Lyerla Reported Missing In Action Sept. 9

Mrs. Oma Lyerla of Eastland received official notice Monday that her husband, Billy Ray Lyerla, was missing in action in the North African area since September 9th. Lyerla is an infantryman in the American 96th Division. His is the son of "Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lyerla of Eastland Et. 1 His wife is the former Miss Oma Crenshaw of Taylor County.

## Lewis' Terms Rejected By AFL

BOSTON, Mass. (UP)—John L. Lewis' terms for readmission to the American Federation of Labor were rejected in a report by the resolutions committee at the AFL's 63rd annual convention today. In submitting the report for delegate consideration, however, the committee said that an early reaffiliation might be responsible.

## INTERNATIONAL POWER PROPOSAL

WASHINGTON, D. C. (UP)—The Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee considering post-war foreign policy today proposed establishment of "international authority with power to prevent aggression and preserve the peace of the world."

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Duke of Windsor Approves Britain's Former King In Good Favor Once More May Draw Better Post

By MRS. E. J. HENRY  
Central Texas Columnist

WASHINGTON—The presence of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor at the British embassy, where they have seldom been entertained, sets inquiring minds to wondering if the former king of England has been taken back into British governmental favor. The presence of the Windsors at the embassy is a sort of official approval marking a change of attitude since their first Washington visit after the duke's abdication from the throne of England.

It may even presage the appointment of the duke, now the governor of the Bahamas, to some important British empire post. It has often been suggested that the former king and the charming Maryland woman for whom he gave up a kingship would make successful British representatives in Washington in the event of Ambassador Halifax's withdrawal.

It is a pity to waste the talents of so able and popular a pair as the duke and duchess on such a fantastically unimportant a spot as Nassau. Nassau's history is not a pretty one, you know. Once it was a pirate's hide-away. Next a stronghold in illicit slave trade. From this it graduated into a run runner's paradise. Lately it has been skirting gentility as the haven for rich refugees who didn't enjoy paying taxes on quickly-got fortunes. It has never seemed to me that the British government has shown great dignity in exiling its former king to the Bahamas.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor will remain in this country for an indefinite stay. On this trip to Washington the duke is discussing lend-lease aid for the Bahamas with United Nations officials. The duchess is preparing a pleasant home-coming for her aunt, Mrs. D. Buchanan Merryman, who is returning from an illness at Faulkner hospital in Boston. The Windsors will probably return to Washington later in the fall.

On their train trip from Boston to Washington, the duke left the Pullman and walked up and down the station platform at every stop. Several people recognized him and asked for his autograph, which he gave smilingly. To one fellow traveler who introduced himself, the duke told how much he had enjoyed seeing the New York skyline again. "It's always a thrilling and beautiful spectacle," he said. The Windsors now travel without secret service guards. They occupied what is called in train jargon "a cabinette."

**SUDDEN JUMP IN THOUGHT**  
Former Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles and Mrs. Welles have returned to Washington from Bar Harbor, where Mrs. Welles spent most of the summer and Welles stayed for the past few weeks. They are now at Oxon Hill Manor, their Prince George county estate, for a short time. They will leave soon for Palm Beach, Fla., where they have purchased the house of Arthur Somers Roche.

Mrs. Welles, who is in excellent health despite reports to the contrary, is busy selecting furniture from the Massachusetts avenue home she inherited from her mother, Mrs. Richard Townsend, with which to furnish the Palm Beach residence. The Massachusetts avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. Welles is now occupied by the Canadian WACS as an Army barracks. This trip will be impressive.

Cordell Hull, Stettinius and W. Averell Harriman, our new ambassador to Russia, will make an elegant trio of good-looking, intelligent Americans when they bow to Josef Stalin. Considering the three American gentlemen architecturally, they add up to at least 19 feet of America's best, long-legged ambassadors are always impressive, and—smooth. Welles likewise would have done his country proud if he and Cordell Hull could have managed to stand side by side tempermentally.

### SCREEN STARLET

**HORIZONTAL**

1,4 Pictured film starlet

10 Accomplish

12 Prevaricate

13 Exist

14 Three (prefix)

15 Forenoon (abbr.)

16 So be it! (abbr.)

18 Out of (prefix)

19 Dine

20 Myself

21 Nova Scotia (abbr.)

22 Orient

24 Doctor of Medicine (abbr.)

25 Lair

26 Alternating current (abbr.)

27 Legal science

29 Game

32 Eradicate

35 Atmosphere

36 Male sheep

37 12 months (pl.)

40 Houses for pigeons

42 Meadow

43 Exclamation

44 Tiny

46 Dean of the Faculty (abbr.)

48 Away

50 Assimilated form of "ex"

57 Railroad (abbr.)

63 Unit of measurement

64 Rough lava

65 Half (prefix)

67 Within

68 Employ

69 Eugen. water

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

18 Measure of area

29 State

30 Desert

31 Papal cape

32 Was assailed

34 Print measures

38 Musical note

39 Psychopath

40 Sign of Zodiac

41 Term used in electricity (pl.)

44 Legal document

45 Sea eagle

47 Insect

48 Fall short

49 Speed contest

50 Arabian potentate

51 She is a young actress

**VERTICAL**

11 Sign

17 Close to

23 Behave

25 Diminutive being

53 Genus of rodents

56 Greek letter

60 And (Latin)

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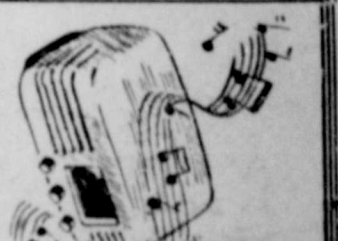
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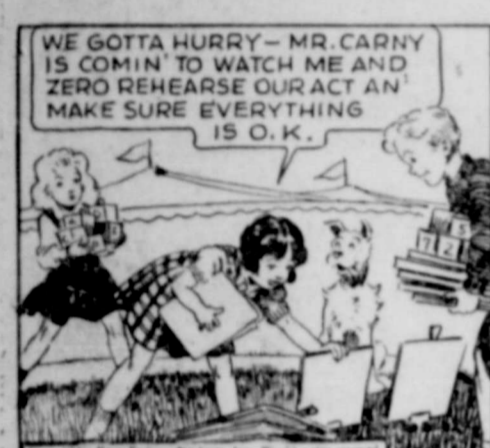
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Humble Outlines Weeks Schedule For Broadcasts

This week end, for the first time since the football season opened, Southwest Conference members will play strictly "in their own back yard." The six teams pair off in three exciting Conference games, which will be broadcast, as usual, by the Humble Oil and Refining Company. At 2:20 the first games goes on the air with Harfield Weedin describing the preliminaries to the

Texas University-Arkansas game. At kick off Bill Michaels will take over for the play-by-play account. Stations KGKO, Dallas-Ft. Worth; KXYZ, Houston; KTSA, San Antonio; KRGV, Weslaco; KRIS, Corpus Christi; and KTBC, Austin will carry the game. The Texas A and M - C U game starts at 2:50 with Kern Tips at the microphone for his usual graphic description of the game and Dave Russell relieving in the color and statistical department. The game will be heard over stations KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WFAA Ft. Worth - Dallas; and WTAW, College Station. At 2:50 also, stations KTRH,

Houston and KRLD Dallas start airing the game between Rice Institute and S. M. U. Ves Box and Buddy Bostick will be the announcers.

In Decatur, Ala., self-propelled barges and other small landing craft are manufactured 700 miles from the nearest salt water.

Soldier Returns Wallet Worker Lost In Tank

KENTON, O. (UP)—The lights of Diogenes—famed seeker of an honest man—never shone as brightly as the eyes of a Kenton, O.,

boy war worker recently when he opened a package from a soldier in North Africa, who returned a wallet he had looted while making tanks. James Chamberlain, 19, who worked in the Lima, O., Tank Depot for four months, missed his wallet in April. Realizing that he had probably lost it in a now sealed tank, he gave the wallet up for lost along with \$4 and some personal papers it contained. It was with surprised pleasure, therefore, that Chamberlain received the package containing the wallet along with a friendly letter from Pvt. Roy Blair of the North African Ordnance Company, who explained how the wallet had been found while examining tanks received from the Lima Tank Depot. "Keep 'em rolling—we need 'em," Blair wrote in his letter to Chamberlain. The soldier also asked of the Lima war worker if he had ever expected to see his wallet again. Chamberlain, who worked in the Lima Tank Depot until recently, cannot work inside because he is suffering from asthma and requires plenty of air. About 10,000 women are employed in U. S. petroleum refineries.

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## Society, Clubs

### Judge McFatter Is Honored On Sunday

Honoring Judge J. N. McFatter on his 85th birthday, Mrs. Lotie Davenport and Mrs. Mary Young entertained Sunday afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 with an open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McFatter. Mrs. Helen Julius of Dallas, daughter of the McFatters was here to attend the celebration. As the guest called during the

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afternoon, coffee was served from an attractively appointed table by Mrs. Davenport and Mrs. Young.

Among the guests who called and paid tribute to Judge McFatter were Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, Messrs. E. S. Brink, H. G. Adams, John Tibbles, Fred Hummel, Hal Hunter, R. V. Gallaway of Eastland, George Davenport of Eastland, Colonel Bradner Gaston Dixon and sons, J. S. McDowell, J. W. Weaver, Jim Morris, B. A. Kirk and A. D. McFatter of Dallas, and Mrs. Julia Bray, Leola Martin, Nannie Walker, Lee Dekery, R. E. Barker and Hortense Matthews, and Misses Katie Cramer, Ussery Alford of Dallas, Mavarine Lemley, Sallie Ringold, Cecelia McDowell, Ethel Adams, Helen Deham of Dallas, Dora Baskin, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. English, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson, and Messrs. J. D. Kinnison of Phoepp, Artz, V. V. Cooper, Sr., Bob Glascock and W. M. Myers.



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## PERSONALS CLASSIFIED

T. F. Poynor, representing the Acousticon Institute of Ft. Worth will be at the Gholson Hotel, Friday October 15th, 1943.

The Acousticon is the oldest electrical Hearing Aid made. Mr. Poynor has travelled West Texas for a number of years, and is well known to Ranger Citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDonough had as their guest for the week-end, their daughter, Mrs. Felix McCurdy of Gainesville.

Mrs. Mildred Dressen recently of Savannah, Ga., is the guest of her father, J. F. Mitchell, and her sister, Mrs. Ruth Musick.

Mrs. Mattie Owens of Gordon visited with friends in Ranger, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Foxworth and Mrs. W. B. Statham of Cisco were visitors in Ranger Tuesday.

Mr. E. E. Bell of Palestine is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Carlisle have returned to a visit in Lubock.

Mrs. George Bumpers formerly of Ranger but now of Gainesville, is here for a visit with relatives and friends.

Seaman First Class Truman Harper who is stationed with the Coast Guards at Freeport, is here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Desie Harper.

John Wesley Hagaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hagaman, suffered a broken arm in a fall at his home, Monday.

**W.S.C.S. Opens New Missionary Study**

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, held at the First Methodist church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the first of six missionary programs was given, under the direction of Mrs. M. H. Hagaman.

The meeting was opened with a prayer offered by Mrs. A. J. Ratliff, after which Mrs. Hagaman opened the discussion of the new topic, "We Who Are America," emphasizing the spiritual attitude toward the war at the present and for peace in the future.

A devotional by Mrs. C. C. Coalson, taken from the 25th Chapter of Matthew, was a discussion of the five talents.

The meeting was closed with the singing of "America."

## A Good Job, Well Done—

Those of us who have lived in Eastland County for a long time are not surprised at anything that may happen. When the September bond quota was announced, the size of the figures and the magnitude of the undertaking, made us dizzy. But intelligent leadership and perfect co-operation from the banks did a great job. There will be future quotas, and with the same kind of leadership and loyalty by us who follow, we cannot fail.

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## Columbia Study Club has Opening Meeting

Members of the Columbia Study Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. J. E. Matthews for the purpose of formulating plans for the year.

At the meeting members voted to meet once each month, on the first Tuesday at which times books will be exchanged and discussed. It was formerly the custom of the club for a member to give a book review at each meeting members voted to dispense with this custom for the duration.

Tentative plans were made for a dinner party to be held for members of the club and their husbands on November 2.

Those attending Monday's meeting were: Mrs. L. R. Pearson, Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, Mrs. Pete Jensen, Mrs. W. L. Downtain, Mrs. David D. Beckroll, Mrs. Stanley McAnelly and Mrs. Matthews.

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