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# Yanks Hit Bremen Area In Daylight

## CADET VISITS PARENTS



Aviation Cadet Raymon Bryan who is stationed with the Air Corps at Selma, Alabama, has arrived to spend a ten day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bryan.

## Farmers Offered Temporary Work On Railroads

Farmers may register for temporary local railroad work at Eastland, Texas, at the County Agent's Office on Tuesday, Dec. 22, 1943.

Miss Vivian Talley of the Railroad Retirement Board and O. R. Rodden of the War Manpower Commission advised the Agricultural Victory Council at a meeting held Friday, Dec. 17th, that they could use any number of farmers that desired to work for a few weeks.

It is the thoughts of the Agricultural Victory Council that local temporary work will help to stabilize a farmer's operations, thereby making it possible for him to remain on the farm with his family where he is so badly needed in this all-out food production program.

## Fred Flewellen To Be Buried In Belton, Thursday

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Belton for Fred Flewellen brother of L. M. Flewellen, formerly of Ranger and now of Austin.

## SOVIET CLAIM ANOTHER ONE HUNDRED CITIES

LONDON, (UPI)—Moscow reported today that more than 100 communities had been taken by the Red forces in their drive south of Nevel and that the Soviets had driven to within twenty miles of Nazi base at Vitebsk.

Four other storm centers blazed along an 800-mile front from northern White Russia to the southern Ukraine as the Russians beat back German counterattacks at the upper Dnieper west of Gomel, near Korosten in the Kiev bulge and near Kirovograd in the Dnieper bend.

In the fourth fighting area the Russians announced liquidation of a German bridgehead on the south bank of the Dnieper River opposite Kherston.

The Berlin radio admitted the Russians had intensified their pressure in this area, but said eighty Russian tanks and thirty-nine guns were destroyed.

## County Livestock Raisers Organize An Association

The Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association was organized at a meeting held at Eastland, Texas, on December 17th, 1943, at ten o'clock a. m.

1. Control of lice, ticks, worms, and grubbs.
2. Purchasing of feeds advantageously.
3. Brush eradication.
4. Adequate supply of stock water on every farm and ranch.
5. Selecting of better sires and culling of herds.
6. Improving permanent pastures.
7. Providing temporary pastures.
8. Holding an annual show, Field Day and Barbecue.

Enough Rotensone has been purchased by the livestock men to treat 1,375 head of "grubby" animals.



"NO POWER ON EARTH can prevent the destruction of the German Armies... and their war plants from the air," read the proclamation of the Big Three at the Teheran conference.

## ALLIED PLANES DAMAGE FOUR JAP VESSELS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in New Guinea, Dec. 22, (UP)—A communique issued by Gen. Douglas MacArthur Wednesday told of damage done to four Japanese ships off Kavieng, New Ireland, stating that two medium cargo ships were set afire and that one was probably sunk.

On New Britain around Arave the fighting was reported to have slowed down and that the Americans who took the strip around Arave were firmly entrenched since their invasion last Sunday.

## Heat Control System Ready For Postwar

MINNEAPOLIS (UP)—The Minneapolis-Honeywell Co. became one of the first companies in the country to tell about its postwar product with an announcement that it has perfected an automatic heat-control system which will eliminate drafts from the post war home.

## THEY DANCE TO NAZIS' TUNE



When NAZIS PULL THE STRINGS, these two men jump. You'll probably recognize Italy's ex-Duce, Benito Mussolini, left, who now heads what is called the Republican-Fascist government of Italy.

## SAILOR ON LEAVE SAYS LADY LUCK DID IT ALL

Bob Hamilton, ship's fitter first class, here to spend the holidays with Mrs. Hamilton and other relatives and friends, says the events leading to his being here are one round of good luck stories and that venerable Lady Luck has been camping on his trail.

## NONOPERATING RAIL UNIONS STRIKE CALLED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (UP)—The presidents of fifteen non-operating railway unions Tuesday night authorized a nation-wide strike of their 1,190,000 members at 6 a. m. Dec. 30.

## KEEPER OF CATS In Post Office Shorn of Job

MEXICO CITY, (UP)—The news that they are going to repair the floors in the capital's post office building struck a sad note in the heart of Carlos Herrera Ramos—keeper of the cats.

## Marriage License Issued From Office Of The County Clerk

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following: Ray Levers, Rt. 1, Eastland, and Willa Dell Watson, Delton.

## Program To Be Given Thursday

Rev. Henry C. Thomas announced today that a Christmas program will be given at the Church of the Nazarene Thursday, December 23, at 7:30 p. m.

## HOME FOR CHRISTMAS



Pictured above is Cpl. H. O. Woods, Jr., who is here from Camp Buckner, N. C., to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Woods.

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## BIG RAID ON KIEL EARLIER THIS MONTH ALSO REVEALED

LONDON, Dec. 22 (UP)—Four motorized bombers of the United States Eighth Air Force attacked northwest Germany by daylight again today, returning to the area where they dropped more than 1,200 tons of explosives on Bremen two days ago.

The new American daylight raid carrying on the record offensive from British bases, followed a night raid on Western Germany by Mosquito bombers of the Royal Air Force.

U. S. Army headquarters revealed for the first time that the target of a heavy bomber raid on Dec. 13 was the German naval base of Kiel, on which 500 tons of bombs were dropped.

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WASHINGTON Report

United Nations Relief Groups' War-Wakened Peoples Could Plan to Aid "Sick" Countries Help Each Other to Recovery

By HELEN ESSARY Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—I've been trying in my dim way for weeks now to understand what this UNRRA really is. I've read headlines and first paragraphs of reports of its goings on—first at the secret, barbed-wire controlled Hot Springs meeting and later of the more open Atlantic City meeting.

As I have read I have thought that if the Hot Springs meeting had not been so secret and barbed-wire controlled, today's confusion as to the purpose of the UNRRA and its final value to the occupied countries and to the rest of the world would not exist.

Calm Assistant Secretary of State Dean Acheson cleared away some of my doubts about UNRRA in his testimony before the house committee on foreign relations. The questions of handsome Congressman Frances Bolton of Ohio also helped cut through the mist which for the moment at least surrounds the UNRRA.

As I sat in on the hearing, I found out much about UNRRA that I wanted to know. I shall try to put down in words one of the syllable my own conclusions.

UNRRA means, of course, United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration. Its rules and agenda, stripped of verbiage, humanitarian and economic phrases and state department disguises, mean good nursing for sick countries.

Doctors agree that a sick man, not suffering an incurable illness, if given good nursing in an atmosphere of wise and friendly interest, is likely to get well. This is a rule that can be applied to sick countries, the international experts declare.

The illness of most of today's sick countries is not incurable, the experts add further. It is an illness aggravated by fear and hunger and oppression. Once the fear and oppression are removed, as they will be the day the invaders and the national quarrels are driven out—the sick countries will begin to get well—if they are given medicine, food for weakened bodies, clothing against the cold and fuel with which to start again the machines of peace-time industry.

From then on, in as short a time as a month or two in some cases, as longer in others, the sick countries can get well without help, if only they get well alone, but they prefer to work out their recovery in their own way. They prefer that the help of the UNRRA be removed as soon as possible.

It is not good, the wise leaders of the occupied countries say, for any patient, an individual or a nation, to prolong the period of convalescence. Too much cooing makes neuritis and idlers.

And there will be no time to feel sorry for one's self or for idling when this war is over—here or abroad.

Naturally, Uncle Sam will pay most of the bill for, the doctoring and nursing of the sick countries—although each country is to assume its share of the financial burden. Some of the nations will be able to help each other. For example, to export surplus grain. Or exchange wool for clothing with coal liver oil for medicine. Sounds a wise arrangement to me, this UNRRA. You can't exactly operate on a patient as we have operated after a fashion on the occupied countries and then leave him alone in his misery.

Nevertheless, like most Americans, I think it important that in the distribution of post-war relief, in the nursing of the sick countries, that the patients forget all political shillygally. Maybe now might be a good time to quote:

"The devil got sick, the devil a monk would be. The devil got well, the devil a monk was he."

POSTSCRIPT ON THAT COLUMN I WROTE about the \$85,000 subsidy for congressional lunch rooms. Some people haven't been too pleased with me since and have said so in long speeches. I was called a "bat" in one lawmaker's solemn remarks. I've been called a rat before, but never at government expense. It costs from \$50 to \$55 to get out one page of the congressional record. When I read what had been said about me on the floor of the house I thought, well, there goes about \$100 of the taxpayers' money."

LAFF-A-DAY



"We've got the butcher and the grocer engaged, but one of us simply must propose to the milkman this week!"

SAYS HUSBAND "SOLD" HER FOR \$25



PSYCHIATRIC EXAMINATION of Mrs. Mary Mount Micelli, 27, has been ordered by Judge Victor A. Kula of the Chicago domestic relations court after she asserted that her husband had "sold" her to another man for \$25. Mrs. Micelli is pictured in court with two of the three children she is charged with neglecting, Shirley Ann, 8, left, and Rose Mary, 4. (International Soundphoto)

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS: 1. Bucket, 2. Mix, 3. River (Fr.), 4. Tardy, 5. Pigs, 6. Custom, 7. Excess of chances, 8. Short sock, 9. Music note, 10. Mission, 11. Tavern, 12. Ditch, 13. Light bedstead, 14. One's relatives, 15. Furnished with shoes, 16. Crowds, 17. Enclosure, 18. Shows recess, 19. You (old form), 20. Pressed, 21. Not closed, 22. Volume, 23. Mature, 24. Ireland, 25. Minute opening, 26. Native of Scotland, 27. Allowance for waste, 28. DOWN: 1. Dust, 2. Dry, 3. Hostels



Yesterday's Answer: 36. Unadulterated, 38. Likely

CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation KUTGDGH NGGFN LTH IHOU NUTOES WG TL CT XTOCINE—DTEIMANG.

Tomorrow is a lovely word by Marie Blizard

Roommates and cousins. BETH KINMAN, serious-minded and trusting, accompanied the American's impending entrance into the war by beginning to affect their dress. For three years Beth had been going with JIM DONALD, who still has not been too successful in getting ahead in the world, while Andrea has been attracted by DENNIS ARCHER, 15 years her senior, but wealthy and interesting—and also married.

YESTERDAY: Beth meets Dennis Archer accidentally while she is job-hunting. He tells her that he thinks a friend of his from Washington needs a secretary.

CHAPTER ELEVEN ANDREA AND Dennis Archer had often dined at the exclusive Quinapiac club, and Beth had heard much of it, but she never expected that she would be entering its portals at broad noon with Dennis—to get a job.

He let her in the ladies' lounge while he went in search of Henry Slade, and she took advantage of the moment to inspect herself, glad that she'd worn her new navy and white striped seersucker suit. Her white cotton gloves were spotless, her tan extends shined. She rubbed a little of her lipstick off and thrust the stained handkerchief into her bag as Dennis approached with a worried-looking man of about 50, who had shoulders stooped as if he carried the weight of the nation's burden upon them.

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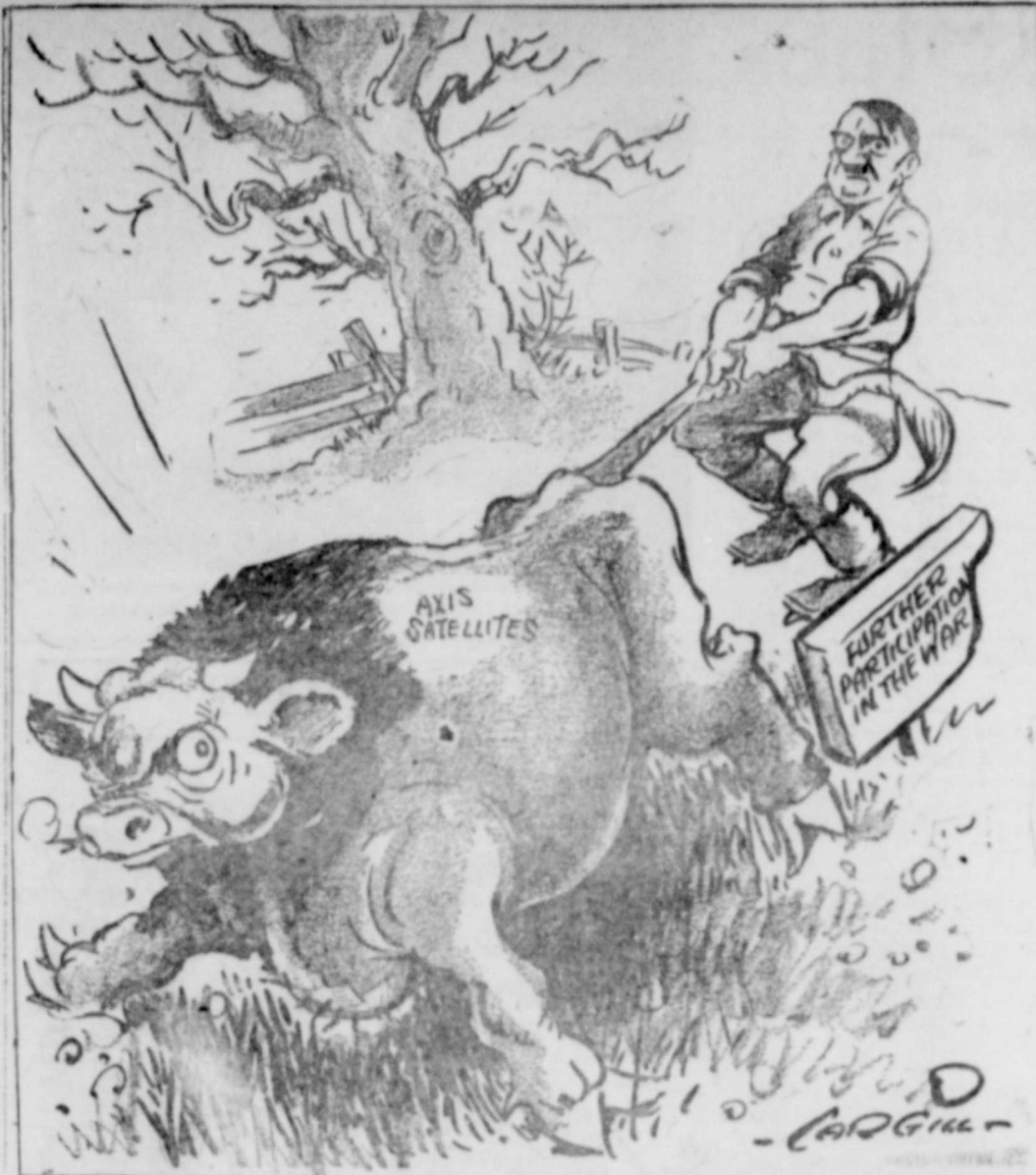
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RUBBING NOSES is just an old Maori custom, so when Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt visited New Zealand on her recent tour of American outposts in the Pacific, she adopted the friendly habit when welcomed by her Maori guide. Photo copyrighted by Look magazine. (International Soundphoto)

## BLOOD THEIR CHRISTMAS PRESENT TO BOYS OVERSEAS



PINT OF BLOOD is the Christmas present of each of more than 70 SPARS stationed at Norfolk, Va., to their fighting brothers overseas. Lieut. (j.g.) George P. Hand, Jr., is pictured taking the blood donation of Ensign Jahet Adams while the other SPARS wait their turn. (International Soundphoto)



## WAVE Cooks Boot Sailors From Navy's Galleys

NEW YORK (UPI)—The first 15 graduates of the Navy's only cooks and bakers school for Waves have already replaced men in the galley of the "U. S. S. Hunter." Wave boot camp... Starting with more previous culinary experience than the usual Navy cook, the girls have caused Lt. Gerald E. Flower, community officer, to waver somewhat in his contention that men make better cooks than women. The 12-week course covered both theory and practice of cooking, with a bit of arithmetic, procurement in help balance both colors of monetary budget. Rose MacFarlane of Port Maitland, Me., graduated with immediate ratings as ship's cook, third class. The rest of the class will receive the sun, rating in the near future. The kitchen pioneers included: Frances Sterling, Oakland, Cal.; Esther Kimmick, Dayton, O.; Shirley West, Knoxville, Ill.; Cleo Morton on, Spangor, Ind.; Blanche Trudelle, Harrisville, N. H.; Stella Hill, Caldwell, Ida.; Helen Vull Toledo, O.; June Cox, Mason City, Ia.; Evelyn Palmer, Nodaway, Ia.; Veda Harbort, Seio, O.; and Helen Williams, Greenville, S. C.

## WAVE Cooks Boot Sailors From Navy's Galleys

Picture here in the circle at the top is Katina Pasinou, while in the center shot are Gary Cooper, Ingrid Bergman and Valdemir Sokoloff. In the circle at the right bottom is Akim Tamiroff. All are stars in Paramount's technicolor feature "For Whom The Bell Tolls" which will be screened at the Arcadia Wednesday December 29.

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**Society, Clubs**

**Victory Class Has  
Christmas Party**

The Victory Sunday school class of the First Baptist church was entertained with a Christmas party Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. C. Jones. Mrs. Aubrey Carver, president of the class, presided over the monthly business meeting which preceded the social hour. Reports from all officers were heard. Mrs. B. V. Robinson, class teacher, directed the guests in the playing of games after which small gifts were exchanged among the guests.

At the close of the games refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Marjorie Pittman, Aubrey Carver, Bernice Milmo, Robert Stickle, W. H. Hazard, E. J. North, J. T. Beggs, Bobbie Thompson, Robinson and Jones.

**Hodges Oak Park  
P-T.A. Has Meeting**

The Hodges Oak Park P. T. A. met Tuesday afternoon, December 21, with Mrs. J. D. Johnson, president, presiding, and Mrs. Geo. Rogers leader for the afternoon.

The Rhythm Band, 1st and 2nd grades, entertained with Christmas music and readings.

Rev. A. F. English spoke on "Freedom of Worship." Refreshments were served by the hospitality committee and 45 mothers answered the roll call.

Christmas holidays. He will be joined there Christmas by Mrs. Jones.

Pvt. Charles Brown who is stationed at Arkansas A. & M. College at Monticello, Ark., will arrive Friday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown.

**PERSONALS**

David D. Pickrell transacted business in Wichita Falls, Tuesday.

L. J. D. Litton has returned to his station in Hartford, Conn., after a visit with relatives and friends in Ranger.

George D. Jones left today for Dallas where he will spend the

Miss Jane Matthews, a student at The University of Texas, has arrived to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews.

**STARTS WEDNESDAY AT THE ARCADIA**



George Sanders and Marguerite Chapman in a romantic scene from the Columbia picture, "Appointment in Berlin," with Gale Sondergaard

**LAFF-A-DAY**



"I'll be right back, dear!"

Misses Mercedes and Linn Pearson students in Texas Christian University, will arrive home Dec. 23 to spend the 10-day Christmas holiday period with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pearson of Ranger.

E. E. Garner is confined to his home with a severe attack of the influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Phillips of Terrell will arrive Friday to spend the holidays with relatives and friends in Ranger. Mr. Phillips who is in the Army Air Forces Reserve is still retained as an instructor at the Advanced Flying School for the Royal Air Force at Terrell.

Miss Marie Conway who has just received her degree in chemistry at the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa, has arrived to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. W. D. Conway. Miss Conway will report soon to the Eastman Laboratories in Rochester, N. Y. where she will be employed in the research department.

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INDICTMENTS charging them with murder have been returned in Burlington, Ky., against Mrs. Jennie Kiger, 49, and her daughter, Joan, 16, above. They are charged with the fatal shooting of their husband and father, Carl, vice mayor of Covington, and their son and brother, 6-year-old Jerry. (International)

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