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## Americans, RAF Deal Europe Blows

### BULLET OUTPUT WOULD CIRCLE GLOBE 7 TIMES

KANSAS CITY, MO. (UP)—The huge operations at the Lake City Ordnance Plant near here have often been the subject of many questions from the man on the street, and one most frequently asked has been "How much small-arms ammunition has been produced at the plant?"

Maj. A.H. Gardner, Jr., Commanding officer of the Lake City Ordnance Plant, has revealed that all the cartridges of all calibers made since the plant began operations in September, 1941, if placed end to end would reach an estimated distance of 190,480 miles or 7.6 times around the earth.

Loading machine-gun belts have been turned out in huge quantities for both ground troops and aircraft. It is estimated that the 30- and 50 caliber belts filled to date would stretch 23,111 miles or the estimated distance from Seattle to Moscow through Berlin, New York, San Francisco and to Tokyo.

### WOULD COVER 1,119 ACRES

Plant statisticians have been working the adding machines over time to show that all the ammunition produced so far, if placed in ammunition chests would stretch a distance equivalent to that from Kansas City to New York. Cartridges spread out side by side and end to end would form a mat covering 1,119 acres.

A tremendous amount of material is necessary in the production of small arms ammunition reports show. Figures compiled at the plant reveal that freight cars that have come in the plant since it began operations would form a train 225 miles long, a distance from Topeka, Kan., to St. Louis, Mo. Trucks that have brought in shipments in that time through the west gate would form a caravan 490 miles long.

### UTILITIES CONSUMED

Major Gardner points out that the size of the great plant may be visualized by figures concerning the capacities of utilities necessary to operate the facility during the month of February. The electrical consumption was enough to supply a city of 100,000 population or Salt Lake City, Des Moines or Tulsa.

The average monthly generation of steam at Lake City would supply more than 40,000 homes per winter month. This is enough to operate four trains of 115 cars of more, each at a continuous speed of 51 miles an hour.

Deep water wells dug in the early days on the Lake City site supply more than 120,000,000 gallons monthly. This water is chemically treated purified and treated for hardness. The water system is sufficient to supply a city of more than 35,000 people continuously.

### Desdemona 4-H Club Boy Makes Hog Raising Pay

Among the enterprising young men of Eastland county who bid fair to make leading farmers through their 4-H Club activities, is Jerry Buckley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Buckley of Desdemona. Jerry is making his club work pay and is a hog raiser in his own right. He started in the Registered Duroc business on January, 1943 with one gilt which he paid \$15.00 for. On August 5th, this gilt furrowed 8 pigs. Jerry has sold 2 boar pigs for \$52.50. He has three bred gilts and three barrows which he is feeding until they weigh 300 pounds each. At the present price, these barrows will bring \$120.00. Jerry is using milk in addition to a balanced protein supplement. His grain consists of corn, barley, and maize, all of which were grown on his father's farm.

### Gain in Veterinarians

CHICAGO (UP)—The American Veterinary Medical Assn. reports that the nation's 12 accredited veterinary colleges graduated 1,003 veterinarians during the 14 months of December, 1942, to January, 1944, as against 567 during the year ending June, 1942.

### SHIRLEY, NOW 16, STUDIES



THOUGH SHE recently celebrated her 16th birthday anniversary, Shirley Temple, former child actress, finds that even birthdays don't abate her from homework. Shirley is starting her screen career anew after a four-year absence from the films. (International)

### PROGRAM FOR DISTRICT H. D. MEETING ANNOUNCED

Miss Myra Tankersley, Eastland County Home Demonstration agent, has announced the program for the District Seven meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association which will be held in Eastland May 9, at the First Methodist church.

Following is the program planned and the list of district officers:

Pres.—Mrs. Leon Sullivan, Red Oak, Texas. District vice-pres.—Mrs. A. L. Renfor, Brady, Texas. District agent—Miss Maurine Hearn, College Station, Texas. Hostess Council chairman—Mrs. John Love, Eastland, Texas.

PROGRAM  
9:00-10:15 Registration.  
10:15-10:20 Group singing, led by Mrs. Geo. Johnson, McCulloch County.

10:20-10:25 Pledge of Allegiance, led by Eastland County 4-H girls, Barbara Anderson; Caroline Shaw, Jane Heustis.  
10:40-11:20 County reports (5 minutes each).  
11:20-11:25 Recreation.  
11:25-11:55 Greeting from the Nation, Miss Mena Hogan, Extension Service, Washington, D. C.

11:55-12:00 Presentation of Committees. Announcements.  
Lunch 12:00-1:00 p. m.  
1:00-1:10 Group singing, Mrs. Geo. Johnson, leader.  
1:10-1:25 Ceremony of the Soil, Taylor County.  
1:25-1:30 Solo "O What a Beautiful Morning" Glenn Castleberry, Eastland County 4-H club girl.

1:30-2:00 County reports (concluded 5 minutes each).  
2:00-2:05 Committee report, Mrs. Leonard Morris, Coleman county. Member of T. H. D. A. 4-H committee.  
2:05-2:15 Legislative committee Report, Mrs. Ollie Cox, Nolan County, member of T. H. D. A. Legislative Committee.  
2:15-2:30 Reces.  
2:30-3:15 Panel Discussion Post War Planning. Mrs. Leon Sullivan, leader, Pres. T. H. D. A. Assistants: Mrs. John Dollahite, Blanco County; Mrs. D. T. Jarvis, Brown County; Mrs. W. C. Garland, Palo Pinto County; Miss Myrtle Younglove, Coleman County; Mrs. R. S. Pinkard, Comanche County; and Mrs. M. H. Heine, Nolan County.  
3:15-3:30 Marketing Committee Report, Mrs. Raymond McElrath, Coleman County; Chairman T. H. D. A. Marketing Committee.  
3:30-4:00 Business.  
4:00 Adjournment.

### THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy showers and scattered thunderstorms, except in extreme south this afternoon and tonight. Wednesday considerable cloudiness with showers in the northeast portion and near upper coast.

### Roy L. Lane Is Candidate For District Clerk

Roy L. Lane of Carbon, and for the past 14 years a resident of Eastland county, has announced his candidacy for the office of District Clerk of Eastland county and has authorized this newspaper to announce this fact.

Following is his statement to the voters of Eastland county: Carbon, Texas April 30, 1944.

To my many friends and voters of Eastland County:

I want to take this opportunity to announce my candidacy for the Office of your District Clerk of Eastland County. But first, I want to thank my many friends who have been interested in me enough to come to me and ask me to make this race; and it is through their urging, and my need for the position that I am doing so.

I think I am running against three good clean men, and I personally intend to run a clean race. If my friends and people who I hope to make friends with during this campaign feel, upon investigating my character and my ability to hold this office, that I am the man for this place, it will be deeply appreciated and I assure them I will do my best to carry on the Duties of the Office in as efficient manner as possible.

I think that this office is one of the most important offices in the County, and the responsibility upon the man elected to it is very great, but due to my experience in accounting and clerical work, I feel that I am fully qualified to take care of its duties.

I have made my home in Eastland County for the past fourteen years, and am now farming—trying to support my wife and six children—looking forward to the time when the children will need a college education, for there never was a time when the Youth of our Nation needed an education more so than now.

I deeply sympathize with all of you who have loved ones in this terrible war, and I know that you are worried about them to the extent that you thought very little about politics, but I am sure that they want all of you to take an active part in carrying on the duties of electing the officials of this County while they are fighting for the Freedom and Democracy of our Country. For this reason, I urge you to investigate all who are seeking to get in office and vote for the man you feel you should vote for.

To those of you who do not know me personally, I am glad to refer you to any business men in Rising Star as I made my home there for 10 years and shall be glad for you to talk to any of them who have known me so long.

Due to the tire and gasoline problem, and my trying to carry on my farm work, it will be impossible for me to see all of you, but I hope you will take this as an invitation to give me your influence during the campaign and your support at the polls.

Sincerely yours,

Roy L. Lane

### 'Hill 260 Club' Plans A Banquet For After War

BOUGAINVILLE (UP)—On the first March 10 following the end of the war one of the world's most exclusive clubs will gather for a four-star banquet.

The "Hill 260 Club," composed of officers and men who participated in the bitter battles on the hill where 400 Japanese died, was organized by Maj. Herman C. Gramkopf of Everett, Mass. The Japs attacked the outpost hill March 9. On March 10 members of the "Hill 260 Club" regained the hill.

Charter members besides Gramkopf are: Lt. Col. Dexter Lowry of Tallahassee, Fla.; Capt. William J. Hunt of Charlestown, Mass.; Lt. Bill E. Oertle of Tulsa, Okla.; Lt. Richard Clark of Nashua, N. H., and J. John Trauger of Lancaster, Pa.

The postwar banquet will be held in the Hotel Victoria in New York City.

### U. S. NAVY LOSES ITS CHIEF



Frank Knox, above, secretary of the Navy, is dead in Washington after a brief illness. Navy chief since 1940, Knox has built up the United States sea arm until our Navy is by far the most powerful in the world. Knox, a Chicago newspaper publisher, was Republican vice-presidential candidate in 1936. James V. Forrestal, inset, is under-secretary of the Navy. (International)

### Directors Have Meeting At C. Of C. Monday P. M.

A meeting of the directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce was held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce with David D. Pickrell, president, presiding.

A number of matters were brought before the body but action was delayed pending further information, but it was definitely decided to hold the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet on May 18. Tentative plans call for the banquet to be held in the recreation building and Jeff Williams, one of Texas' outstanding speakers will be the speaker of the evening.

Those who attended the meeting Monday night were Pickrell, A. J. Ratliff, H. P. Earnest, A. N. Larson, L. R. Pearson, W. F. Creager, and Mrs. C. I. McKinney, assistant secretary.

### Sheep, Goats Will Serve As Mowers

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Travis county commissioners have a unique way of keeping a county cemetery plot free of noxious weeds and shrubs.

The five acres of land has been leased to an Austin sheep and goat owner for grazing his animals. Around graves, in a one half acre plot in the tract, sheep and goat-proof fences must be erected.

At the end of a two-year contract the fences and gates will become the county's property.

### LAST, A JEEP

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—Of course the boys on the force know what a jeep looks like; but what does a jeep thier look like and where does he hang out?

That's what had them puzzled. It came about when someone stole a jeep from the Fordford Motor Company during the night. The cops didn't want to pick up any stray jeep they might find puzzle.

During peacetime the Coast Guard average saving 15 lives a day, 365 days in the year,

### TO BE SPEAKER



Pictured above is Miss Mena Hogan, who will be the guest speaker at the district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association which will be held in Eastland May 9.

Miss Hogan has been field agent of the Division of Field Coordination, Extension Service, War Food Administration, since February 1, 1943. Her headquarters are at Washington, D. C., but she works in eleven southern states, giving special attention to war programs of interest to rural women.

Before joining the Washington Extension staff, Miss Hogan was district home demonstration agent for the Arkansas Extension Service serving counties in the northeastern portion of the state. Before that, she was county home demonstration agent for Calhoun and St. Francis counties.

Miss Hogan holds an M. A. degree from the University of Wisconsin. She received it in 1942.

### Renews Law Studies

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Fighting briefly interrupted the law education of Rufus Lee Templeton of Wellington, Tex., who has just returned to the University of Texas to continue his studies.

Templeton formerly was an RCAF pilot with 2 combat missions to his credit, including participation in the first 1,000-plane raid over Cologne.

### Maj. Angus Sends News Of Recent Troop Inspection

Mrs. Hershel E. Angus has received from her husband, Major Angus who is with the Troop Carrier Command of the Air Corps, stationed in England, clippings from the Stars and Stripes telling the story of an inspection of the command by Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

As a part of the formal inspection members of the command staged an air show that had all the earmarks of being the real thing and included, glider operation demonstration and paratroop operation. Major Angus is in command of the glider division of the command and one of his captains, Ira E. Hamblin carried the prime Minister for a fast trip around the field after which he made an "agile 2 1-2 foot jump from the glider."

Both Churchill and Eisenhower praised the work of the fliers in speeches before the assembled service men.

Major Angus went into the service at the time the National Guard was taken and received his officers training at Ft. Benning, Ga. and received other training at Camp Bowie, Camp Wolters and Camp Claiborne, La.

### Farm Project For Vets of World War I Failure

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (UP)—Landmark of a monumental failure in rehabilitation of World War I veterans stands near Minneapolis as a guide to present post-war planners.

It is a 160-acre tract, on which a two-story brick school and community building was nearly completed.

All this was for the benefit of 28 partially disabled veterans. Each of the men was allowed training expenses of about \$100 a month while he was learning to become a farmer. Out of the allotment he was to pay \$50 a month on the property—a total obligation of about \$5,000 for each man, covering his house and his parcel of three to seven acres.

Within two years half of the original group of veterans had left. Only three remain now, and two of these gain their livelihood by means other than tilling the soil, as planned. Families of workers employed at the Savage shipyards occupy the cottages, and the elaborate community building is falling to ruins.

Poor health of the men who came to the land project, barrenness of the land, and size of the debts incurred by the settlers at the outset all are blamed as contributing to the downfall of the plan.

### Two From Ranger On University of Texas Honor Roll

AUSTIN, Tex.—Winter semester's honor roll from the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Texas, included the names of 635 students from the enrollment of 3,981. Dr. H. T. Parlin, dean of the college, has announced.

Both the quality and quantity of work accomplished by each student was included in making up the honor list.

The list includes W. J. Powell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell of Ranger and Miss Caroline Jane Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matthews also of Ranger.

### Friend of Ranger Girl Is Awarded DFC For Action

Miss Patsy O'Donnell has received word that Lt. William E. Westfall of Rust, who was her guest during the Christmas holidays, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for the destruction of an ammunition dump and grounded planes in action in the invasion of Italy.

Lt. Westfall who is temporarily in the states, having completed the required missions before leave from foreign duty, is now stationed at Baton Rouge, La.

### FRENCH COAST 7 BIG GERMAN WAR BASES HIT IN 24 HOURS

American war planes, paced by a force of Liberators, ranged far over Europe today. A 400-plane force of Liberators and Fighters hammered the Pas De Calais area of the French coast. Berlin radio reported fighter planes over western Germany, and Thunderbolt fighter bombers attacked rail junctions around Paris.

The American air blows followed strong attacks by British night raiders on seven big German war bases in Germany, France and Belgium.

Soviet forces reportedly have swung into action along the eastern front. Front dispatches said the Russians are advancing slowly but steadily in dogged fighting through the Carpathian foothills, from the Czechoslovak border down into Romania.

Patrol fighting broke out yesterday all along the main battle-front before Rome. German skirmishers forced a slight Allied withdrawal on the Anzio beach-head in one sector. Allied combat patrols attacked on the right flank of the beachhead. And an Allied raiding party probed German lines west of Litoria, withdrawing without casualties.

### Swollen Rivers Flood Farm Land; Waco Threatened

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Brimming over as the result of weekend rains that totaled more than 10 inches in some sections, six Texas rivers and numerous tributaries inundated hundreds of thousands of acres of farm lands today and threatened serious damage to a densely populated section of Waco.

Although highway and bridge washouts and crop damage predominated today's flood picture, along the Brazos, Trinity, Neches, Sabine, Sulphur and Cypress rivers, the major threat loomed at Waco, a booming war plant and military center of 100,000.

### American Naval Force Raids Truk, Nemoi Islands

The Japanese reported that American Naval task force headed by more than 10 aircraft carriers attacked Truk Atoll and the Nemoi Islands in the Carolines on Sunday and Monday.

A Japanese Imperial headquarters communique said the force was aiming at a chance "or invasion. The enemy reported that carrier based planes raided Truk on both days and that the Nemoi were shelled on Monday.

### Allied Subs Take Toll of Jap Ships

WASHINGTON, (UP)— Allied submarines continued to harass Jap shipping from all sides. They have sunk 17 more enemy vessels.

A Navy communique tells of the sinking of two Japanese destroyers, a light cruiser and nine non-combatant ships by U. S. subs. And a London announcement earlier reported that British subs sank a Japanese destroyer and four merchant ships in the Bay of Bengal.

### Masons to Meet This Evening

A meeting of the members of the Masonic Lodge will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, at the Masonic Temple.

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## Inside WASHINGTON

Post-War Taxes Studied | Victory Near for Petrillo  
in Research Stage | In Battle Over Recordings

### Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON—War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes was premature in saying in a speech delivered in New York last week that an international committee was working under the direction of secretary of the treasury on a post-war tax problem.

Investigation of what this committee is doing disclosed that the whole matter of post-war tax studies is still in the research stage, and that it probably will be some time before it reached the policy-making stage.

Treasury officials revealed that the studies revolve around the conditions which will exist as the war draws to a close, ushering in the era of transition to a peace-time economy. Not until a clear picture of the transition picture will actual post-war tax proposals be ready for submission to congress.

Meanwhile, study of the situation will continue, and if a precipitate collapse of Germany should occur, bringing conditions that would require changes in the corporation tax laws to speed the transition to peace-time production the treasury will have suggestions to present to the House ways and means committee.

A certain amount of investigation of the post-war tax problem is under way in Congress. Representative Daniel A. Reed (R.) of New York is chairman of a special committee of House Republicans at work on a post-war tax program.

JAMES CAESAR PETRILLO, steward boss of the musicians union, has waged one of the cleverest fights on record to obtain royalty payments to his union's unemployment fund. Victory is almost within his grasp, barring an upset decision by the War Labor Board.

When the union's contract expired in the summer of 1942, Petrillo demanded new agreements which provided for payment of one-fourth cent on each phonograph record to the union unemployment fund. He prohibited his members from making any more records until this demand was met.

After more than a year of idleness, Decca finally gave in and signed such a contract. This placed Petrillo in a favorable position. Although Victor and Columbia refused to sign on his terms, he was unworried.

The wily union chief well knew that Decca, which ones had only about a third of the record business, could step up production and make all the records needed and provide his members with employment.

However, Victor and Columbia intervened and asked the War Labor Board to end the musicians' "strike." A panel recommended such a course and now the whole WLB is debating whether to issue the order.

If such an order were issued, Petrillo's victory with Decca would vanish into thin air. The Decca agreement contains a "most favored nation" clause which would enable Decca to get out of the royalty provision if the musicians went to work for its competitors on different terms.

It is now about a 50-50 proposition as to whether the board will hand him his first setback in 20 months of battling.

PRE-CONVENTION BAND-WAGONS are rolling westward toward Chicago pulling in their wake at least two potent, though unwilling and unambitious, dark horses.

They are Senator Robert A. Taft (R.) of Ohio, runner-up for the GOP nomination in Philadelphia in 1940, and Senator Harry S. Truman (D.) of Missouri, chairman of the Truman, Taft Senate's famed war investigating committee.

Neither wants to run on the major ticket when the chips are down in November's war-time elections. However, each may find himself "drafted."

Taft currently has hitched his powerful political wagon to the star of Ohio's Governor John W. Bricker. In event of a convention deadlock, the lightning might easily strike in Taft's direction. Right now Taft's ambition is to be permanent GOP leader in the Senate.

Truman may be drafted by Democratic delegates as a vice presidential candidate. A staunch fourth-term supporter, Truman would win western votes in doubtful states.

### DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS	1. Part of the car	2. Sitter vetch	3. Flock	4. Small candle	5. Constellation	6. Fruit	7. Cant	8. Fasten	9. Heavy hammer	10. Lack of power to move	11. Any powerful deity	12. Radium (sym.)	13. Novel	14. Shades of a primary color	15. Flead	16. Malay boat	17. Merriment	18. River (R.)	19. Music note	20. Duck	21. Onflow	22. Not good	23. In collision	24. American author	25. Hits heavily	26. Enthusiasm	27. Scottish Gaelic	28. Drugs
DOWN	1. Fluke	2. Think	3. Type	4. Messuage	5. Board of	6. Ornament	7. Kind of rope	8. Excuse	9. Kind of lottery	10. Mend	11. Of greater age	12. Loops on harness saddles	13. Thru	14. Part of "to be"	15. Loop on harness saddles	16. Thru	17. Part of "to be"	18. Loop on harness saddles	19. Thru	20. Part of "to be"	21. Loop on harness saddles	22. Thru	23. Part of "to be"	24. Loop on harness saddles	25. Thru	26. Part of "to be"	27. Loop on harness saddles	28. Thru

## Vacationists Are Warned About Use of Unknown Lakes

By WILLIAM RITT, Central Press Writer

A GERMAN NEWSPAPER boasts that the German Army is a master at the art of the "elastic evasion and withdrawal." In other words, boys, when Fritz quits he quits—but fast!

Hitler asks Japs for assistance—we read. The answer is easy to predict—"So sorry!"

The Easter season isn't over says Zedek Dumbapt, until the last egg, overlooked during the living room hunt, has been stepped on.

If this mind reading business spreads to the younger generation, eventually the answers of all the pupils will be the same as that of the smartest boy in the class.

In April there are two seasons—spring and summer, and they constantly alternate.

Wonder if Hirohito's spring poems are progressing as badly as his war?

To conserve cloth, naphkin we read, will be made oblong. Gonz is the last vestige of what the folks used to call a square meal.

**Aids Navy Experiments**  
HILLSDALE, Mich. (UP)—Mrs. Birda Sincdecue's milkweed floor has gathered big returns. Last fall when she gave the agricultural department three pounds of floss gathered by her mother 50 years ago, she thought she was just cleaning out her attic.

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lined the following simple rules for bathing and swimming in safety: at least one hour should elapse after a meal before entering the water; upon the first indication of fatigue, come ashore, call it a day, and don't re-enter the water; if chilled, leave the water immediately; do not enter the water when overheated; learn to float—this is important! never rock a boat in a spirit of fun; never swim in water that may be polluted. Swimming close to or even a few miles below sewage outlets is inviting the possibility of acquiring disease.

Political Announcements

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

COUNTY CLERK  
W. V. (Virgil) Love

COUNTY JUDGE  
C. H. (Harl) O'Brien

C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge

COUNTY TREASURER  
Mrs. Ruth (Garland) Branton  
For Re-election

For Tax Assessor/Collector:  
Clyde S. Karkalis

DISTRICT CLERK  
John White (Re-Election.)  
Lois Everton  
C. W. (Charlie) Young, Jr.  
Roy L. Lane

STATE LEGISLATURE  
R. (Bob) N. Grisham

OFFICE OF SHERIFF  
JOHN HART. (re-election).

Floriol Representative  
- W. B. STAR

FOR CONGRESS, 17 District  
R. W. Wagstaff

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1  
HENRY DAVENPORT.

Justice of Peace Precinct 2  
Charles Bobo

Constable Precinct No. 2  
RAY FAIRCLOTH  
J. L. SHELTON

ing parties contribute much to a healthy, happy, normal life, which is especially desirable at this particular time when the whole nation is tense and under a strain," Dr. Cox said. "It is by no means advisable to eliminate these pleasures from our summer program, but it is important that they prove beneficial and not disastrous."

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## Announcement

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Plumbing Radiator repair

## Gifts For The Graduate

DIAMONDS WATCHES IDENTIFICATION BRACLETS LOCKETS BILFOLDS COSTUME JEWELRY DRESSER SETS COMPACTS

See our selection of DIAMONDS If It's New, We Have It

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203 Main

By PAUL ROBINSON

TA KETT

YEP! THEY WERE ALL SET TO GET MARRIED. DATE FIXED N' EVERY THING!

WHAT HAPPENED?

HE WAS DRAFTED! WEDDING WAS CALLED OFF!

SHE WROTE HIM EVERY DAY—WOULDN'T LOOK AT ANY OTHER BOY!

CARRIED QUITE A TORCH FOR HIM HUH?

ILL SAY... UNTIL LATELY, NOW I NOTICE SHE'S MARRIED AND LOOKS NEARLY G'D!

**THE LONE RANGER** ... O-O ... O-O ... BY FRAN STRIKER

HEY, LOOKOUT THERE! SHALE SLIDE! BRACE YOURSELVES!

HANG ON, TONTO! STEADY, SILVER!!

...AND IN DUDE'S OFFICE...

DUDE, HOW'LL WE CASH IN ON THAT LETTER?

THE FIRST MOVE IS TO BUY LAND ON SLIDIN' HILL!

**LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY** ... O-O ... O-O ... BY BRANDON WALSH

MY GOODNESS!—IT'S SO PRETTY IT MUST BE YOUR SUNDAY BEST!

ONCE I WAS PROUD TO WEAR IT. NOW I MIGHT JUST AS WELL WEAR AN UMBRELLA COVER.

THERE'S JUST ENOUGH MATERIAL TO MAKE A DRESS FOR YOU—

IT FITS PERFECTLY! NOW TO SEW IT UP AN--

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NOTICE—call meeting Ranger Masonic Lodge A. F. & A. M. tonight 7:30. Work on fellowcraft. Visitors welcome.

Hodges Oak Park School News

Editor—Ralph Gay. Associate Editor—Jimmie Heinlin.

Reporters—June Drinkard, Harold Green, Joyce English, Mable Huckabay, Jo Ann Seymour, Montie Ray Stuart, Melva Jean Dodd, and Byrellene Parkes.

DON'T BE A GROUCH

Probably one of the things that is facing us most these days is the problem of making the best of things, not only in our school life, but at home and in our daily life.

We must learn not only to make the best of these happenings during this great world strife, but especially in sports at school, for example, in playing match baseball games, we should learn to be good sports and not grouch at the mistakes of the opposing team.

Try your best to win, but win fair and square. If you lose be a good sport about it and hope for better luck next time.

—June Drinkard

HAIL DOES MUCH DAMAGE TO BUILDING

The hail which fell last Thursday night did considerable damage to our school building. Many panes were broken out of the windows, especially on the west and north sides.

Repairs were here Wednesday and Thursday to get our building in order again.

—By Melva Jean Dodd

HODGES OAK vs. YOUNG BASEBALL

The entire student body at

Hodges Oak Park was out on the ground last Friday at noon when the boys' and girls' teams from Young visited our school to play baseball. The result of the games were as follows:

Score for the girls: Hodges Oak Park 7, Young 2. Score for the boys, Young 4, Hodges Oak Park 3.

We are going to Young Thursday and hope to win both games. —By Montie Ray Stewart

SIXTH GRADE ENTERTAINS IN P. T. A.

Mrs. Frantz's and Mrs. Gilbert's pupils were the entertainers at PTA Tuesday afternoon. Included on the program were "America" by a group of sixth graders, a piano duet by Wanda Clem and Lanita Creaser; then a piano solo by each of them and a reading by Jimmie Smith.

At the meeting to be held May 7, the seventh and eighth graders will be the entertainers. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

—By Jo Ann Seymour

MRS. PHILLIPS PRESENTS INTERESTING TALK

Mrs. David M. Phillips was the principal speaker at the PTA meeting Tuesday and she had chosen for her subject "controlling Our Children in Wartimes". This talk was especially interesting to us, as parents and teachers because she selected eight cases from our own school. At the close of her talk, she suggested four organizations for remedying these delinquency problems, these remedies being the community, the school, the church, and the home.

—By Mable Huckabay

TENNIS MATCHES IN FULL SWING

Most of the intermediate children are interested in tennis this week. Three have entered girls' singles, fourteen have entered boys' singles, and there are seven

teams in doubles. The matches are to be finished some time this week. The players are boys and girls from the sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

—By Joyce English

The eighth grade has been writing poems and this is one written by Nelda Spencer.

TEXAS

Texas is a grand old state And when theres something To do she's never late For the army and the navy her men volunteer. Glad to be of service to a state so dear,

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That even they must do their part. Even grandmothers are on the go, That's the Texas that we all know.

NEW CARETAKER

Our new caretaker is Mr. W. D. Cowan. Mr. Cowan replaced Mr. Mitchell who has moved out of town. We wish to welcome Mr.

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Rounds Up Donors For Blood Bank

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP)—Mrs. Maodie Dennis of Grapevine knows her duty and she does it. She is using her rationed tires and gasoline to make sure that Grapevine blood will be spilled where it does the most good—at the Blood Donor Service.

Mrs. Dennis, who has donated two pints of blood herself, has recently brought seven residents of the community to the center. She plans to make a trip every week.

ELEMENTS FORCE MOVE

BEAUMONT, Tex. (UP)—The courthouse is going to have some lightning arresters.

This was determined by commissioners' court after the structure was hit by lightning and a Negro prisoner knocked out of his jail bunk.

He wasn't hurt much, and there wasn't much property damage.

Cowan to Hodges Oak Park School, and may his days be happy ones with us here.

—By Byrellene Parkes.

THEY DO THEIR WASHING GUARDED BY GUNS

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Mrs. Rhodes Is Complimented At Tea  
And Shower Given Monday Evening

Honoring Mrs. George Rhodes, the former Miss Mary Hamrick, Mrs. Homer Hearty, Mrs. Stanley McAnelly, Mrs. George Robinson and Mrs. David M. Phillips entertained Monday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock with a housewarming shower and tea at the Recreation building.

Receiving the guests with the hostess were Mrs. Rhodes, her mother, Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick and her grandmother, Mrs. F. E. Langston. Members of the Sub-Deb Club, of which Mrs. Rhodes is a former member, along with others formed the house party. Presiding at the guest book were Misses Clara Faye Russell, Myra Sue Lee, Doris Feinstein, and Carolyn Ducker.

Guests were served tea from a table covered with lace and centered with a silver basket filled with snowballs and placed on a reflector. Candles in silver candleholders lighted the table where Misses G. C. Boswell, S. W. Bobo, F. E. Langston and T. J. Bryan alternated in presiding at the silver tea and coffee services. Others assisting in serving were Misses Vivian Cooper, Peggy Bundick, Marilyn Murray, Amelia Walker, Frances Anne Eubank, Edna Jean Morton, Betty Clem and Mrs. James A. Boughton.

The table for the gifts was decorated with arrangements of pale pink roses and pansies and presided over by the following: Misses Vera Gordon, Johnnie Ruth Javes, Betty Sue Cooper, Amelia Walker, Elaine Brasada, and Katherine Adams.

Surrounding the piano on the stage of the building were arrangements of pink roses and in this setting during the evening a musical program was given. Those

taking part in the presentation of musical numbers were: Misses Marjorie Pearsall and Anne Matthews, violinists, Helen McAnelly, Elaine Brasada, Betty Clem and Frances Ruth Hagaman, pianists, and Peggy Bundick, Billy Jean Crawley, Marilyn Murray, Mary Frances Orr, Rosemary Bruce, Mary Catherine McHenry, Fran-

Downed 4 in Day



FLYING a P-47 Thunderbolt fighter, Lieut. Quince L. Brown, Jr., of Bristow, Okla., shot down four German planes in one day to boost his bag to 10 since his tour of duty in England. Brown spent 19 months as a flight instructor at Randolph Field in Texas before going overseas. (Official Army Air Forces photo. (International))

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2. SCRAPE pans before washing them. No grease is too black to be of use.
3. SKIM stews, soups, and gravies while they cook. Afterwards, chill them and scoop off the fat.
4. SAVE water in which you cook hot dogs, sausage, and ham. Chill, and scoop off the fat.
5. SAVE fat scraps left on plates. Melt them down with the meat trimmings.
6. KEEP the can (any tin can will do) on the back of the stove where it's handy. When can is full, take it to your butcher and get 2 free red points and 4¢ for every pound. Start today!

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Society, Clubs

College Freshmen Honor Sophomores At  
May Day Breakfast Monday Morning

Members of the freshman class of Ranger Junior College entertained Monday morning at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church dining room with a May Day breakfast honoring members of the sophomore class.

Tables for the honored guests were placed in the center of the room and circled by tables for members of the hosts. May baskets marked the places for the guests and spring flowers were used as centerpieces.

The invocation was offered by Robert Lee McCalip and the welcome was extended by Miss Mary Joy Wilson, vice-president of the freshman class. Miss Juanita White, vice-president of the sophomore class, responded to the welcome. A violin solo was given by Miss Marjorie Pearsall and the May Day traditions were given by Miss Jo Oyler. Miss Rosemary Bruce sang and a discussion on "exams" was given by Billy Pounds. The annual presentation of the College Key was made by Miss Meta Anne Scott, president of the sophomore class, to Jim Wallace, president of the freshman class.

Those who attended the breakfast were: Misses Marion Bradlock, Catherine Britton, Louise Clator, Carolyn Clark, Betty Clem, Calla Mae Deaton, Imogene Dixon, Ethleen Dunlap, Juanita White, Marjorie Pearsall, Rosemary Bruce, Mary Joy Wilson, Eunice Yancey, Catherine Adams, Mildred Balch, La Veda Burnett, Misses Anne Eubank, Imogene Dixon, Mildred Balch and Marie Green vocalists.

Members of the first year Home Economics Club under the direction of Mrs. Lillian Eastland, arranged the refreshments. Members of the club are, Misses Wanda Browning, Peggy Roberson, Betty Jo Wheat, Mary Helen Vinson, and Barba Pewe.

During the evening many friends of the honored guest called and presented her with a shower of attractive and useful gifts.

Max Butler, Catherine Dunlap, Geneva Jackson, Mary Frances Roach, Meta Anne Scott, Frances Anne Eubank, Marie Green, Dorothy Hardy, Glyn Alyn Jernigan, Wanda Kitchersid, Doris McCrum, Mary McHenry, Louise Mitchell, Edna Jean Morton, Jo Oyler, Roma Jewel Parker, Amelia Walker, and Messrs Dane Bowen, David Lee Jameson, Billy Pounds, Joe Kimbrough, Robert Lee McCalip and Jim Wallace. Faculty members who attended were Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Boswell, Dean H. L. Baskin, Mrs. Olen Holloway, Mrs. Hal Hunter, and Misses Billie Collier, Anne McEver and Mary Virginia Williams.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Croom had as their guests for their week end, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Croom and daughter, Sandra Kay, of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Bean Robinson of Amarillo.

Mrs. Mary Young who has been a patient in the West Texas Hospital and is able to be up.

Mrs. Josephine Ford of Abilene visited briefly with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Hepry today.

Mrs. B. E. Hatton spent the week end in Dallas.

Miss Ethel Hummel, a student at John Tarleton College in Stephenville, was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hummel.

Mrs. George D. Jones had as her guests during the week end her niece, Mrs. Pipkin Young and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of Dallas. They were enroute home from a visit with Pvt. Young who is stationed with the armed forces in Abilene.

Charles Ashcraft who has been

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PORT WAYNE, Ind. (UP)—T-Sgt. Wilford C. Hanson of Benedict, Minn., didn't mind being won as part of a stake in a bet—not when the winner was General Montgomery.

The story that's told in foxholes from El Alamein to Anzio goes something like this: It was when the British were pushing Rommel across North Africa that General Eisenhower pointed to a spot on the map and told Monty that if he could be there on a certain date, Monty could have anything that the American general and lease-lend could give.

General Montgomery asked for a jeep and a C-47 with crew of four and he was at the appointed place on time to collect his bet. Sgt. Hanson was the flight engineer on the C-47 which was used personally by Montgomery for five months. He relates that the General was a busy man, always in a hurry, but not too busy to stop and chat with the boys, and he gave them each a carton of cigarettes after each trip. He and his staff officers would get into the jeep and be confined to his home because of illness for the past three weeks is still unable to be out.

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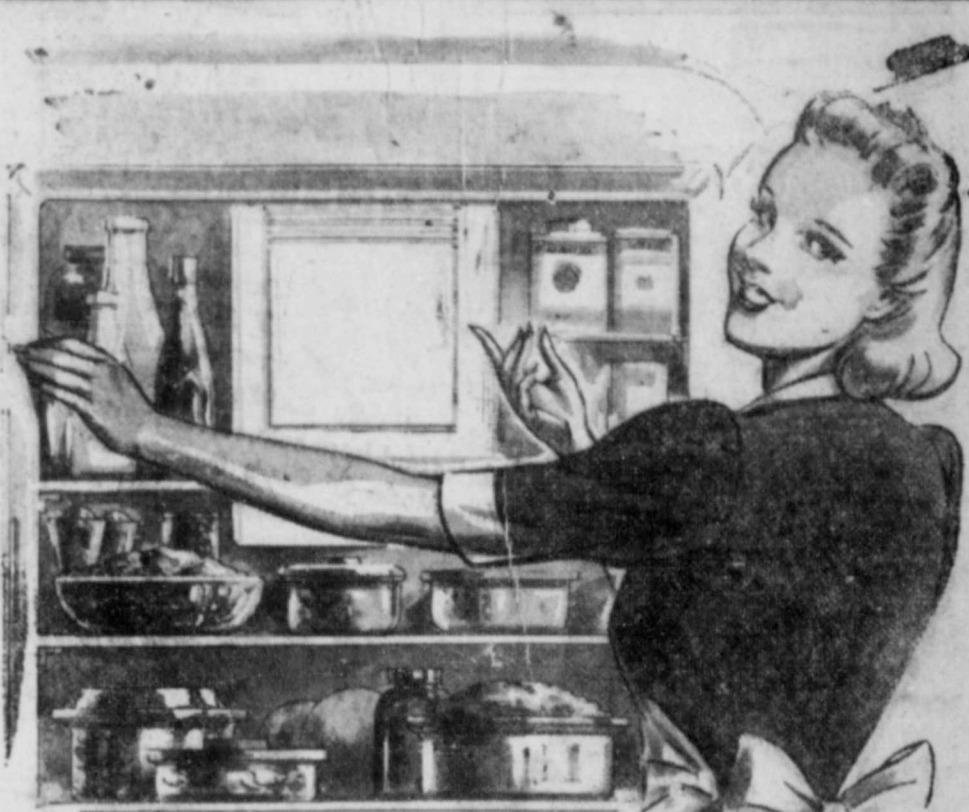
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