

Yank Armored Forces By Pass La Roche

RANGER CHORUS TO APPEAR IN AUSTIN FRIDAY

Members of the Ranger Choral Club will leave early Friday morning for Austin where they will appear that evening on a musical program for the annual mid-winter conference of Texas school superintendents and teacher trainers.

Killed In Action



Pfc. Wayland E. Norwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norwood, was reported killed in action in Germany on December 12. He was serving with the 104th Division with the First Army and had been in the service of the Army since November 1943. He went into foreign service on August 24, 1944 and had seen combat with the infantry in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

Mrs. Hunter Made Guidance Director In Ranger Schools

Dr. G. C. Boswell, superintendent of Ranger Public Schools and president of Ranger Junior College, has announced the appointment of Mrs. Hal Hunter as Guidance Director of Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College. In accord with the guidance program of high schools and colleges throughout America, the Guidance Director will be a personal counselor for every student, seeking to advise him in accord with his special aptitudes, needs, interests, and personal qualities.

Regents May Be Named Wednesday

AUSTIN — Gov. Coke R. Stevenson again postponed announcement of new regents for the University of Texas this morning, waiting further conferences with Senators to whom the list must go for confirmation at the session of the Legislature which opened this noon.

S. SGT. CAUDLE IS AWARDED SILVER STAR

McKINNEY, Tex., Jan. 9 — Staff Sergeant Carl T. Caudle of Ranger, Texas, was presented the Silver Star Medal yesterday at an impressive retreat ceremony held at Ashburn General Hospital, located near here. Col. James B. Anderson, Commanding Officer of the hospital, made the presentation in the absence of Caudle's battalion commander who is serving with the First United States Army somewhere near the German border.

The citation, read during the presentation of the medal, stated that "on June 22, 1944, in France S-Sgt. Caudle voluntarily, and at great personal risk, crossed an open field under intense enemy fire in order to reach a wounded man, administered first aid, and attempted to evacuate him. Unable to move the wounded man alone, S-Sgt. Caudle waited until help arrived and assisted in taking the man back to the First Aid Station. The courage and devotion to duty displayed by Caudle reflects great credit upon himself and the Military Service."

Dr. Guy, Former Resident Of The County, Is Dead

CARBON — Jan. 9. — Funeral services were held in Dublin Tuesday afternoon for Dr. W. H. Guy. Interment followed in the cemetery at Dublin under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge.

Dr. Guy is well known in Carbon, having been reared here and having practiced medicine here for several years. For the past several years he had practiced in his sanatorium in Dublin until stricken with a heart ailment. He was taken to Harris Memorial Hospital where he passed away.

Forty Appear On Petit Jury List For January 15th

The following named persons have been summoned to appear at 9:00 a. m. Monday, January 15, at the courthouse in Eastland to serve as petit jurors in the 88th district court:

- John W. Love, Ranger; J. W. Brown, Gorman; Cecil R. Prickett, Nimrod; J. W. Gerhardt, Rising Star; C. F. Carmichael, Nimrod; J. F. Killingsworth, Ranger; J. W. Rodgers, Ranger; Lowrey Horton, Rising Star; E. J. Finley, Cisco; W. E. Kirkland, Cisco; J. W. Ramsey, Nimrod; E. H. Cook, Gorman; J. H. Goodrum, Ranger; J. W. Harrison, Ranger; Fred Scott, Cisco; June Hendricks, Eastland; J. N. Hart, Cisco; T. M. Brown, Ranger; R. E. Baker, Ranger; Kelly Kinnard, Cisco; J. M. Barton, Ranger; P. O. Boase, Rising Star; Herman Schaefer, Nimrod; Thornton Cooper, Ranger; T. E. Paige, Ranger; Roy B. Crawley, Gorman; Jay Koonce, Rising Star; C. E. Erwin, Rising Star; J. L. Butler, Gorman; J. W. Reed, Ranger; J. A. Blankenship, Ranger; L. D. Ballew, Ranger; J. B. Webb, Rising Star; Jim Jordan, Eastland; J. N. Baskin, Ranger; E. L. Bennett, Gorman; Loyd T. Evans, Cisco; W. A. Underwood, Ranger; Raymond Gray, Rising Star.

FORMER COLONY MAN PRAISED FOR BRAVERY

Heroism of a former Colony man on the battlefields of France is heralded in an account of his action published in an army magazine and passed on to the Times. Pfc. Charlie O. Briden, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Briden of Morton Valley, is the hero of the story. He is a 1934 graduate of Colony high school and before going into service had been engaged in oil field work in Texas and Illinois.

Following is the story. The Gunpit News, published by the 534th AAA (AW) Bn. in France, paid tribute to the heroism of Pfc. Charlie O. Briden and a companion soldier in a recent issue. Pfc. Briden is the husband of the former Mary Ellen Breiner of Mt. Vernon and the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breiner, Mt. Vernon.

"With utter disregard for their own safety and beyond the call of duty" is a phrase which characterizes an achievement this week of two enlisted men of Battery C, 534th AAA (AW) Battalion, "The Army publication said in narrating Pfc. Briden's heroism.

"Hearing a mine explode approximately 300 yards from his machine gun position, Pfc. Charles O. Briden summoned relief for his post on the M61 and immediately ran through a mine-infested area to give first aid to a Field Artillery captain and five enlisted men who lay seriously injured. After Pfc. Briden had commenced to care for the wounded he was given assistance by Pvt. Willie Saylor. The alertness and ingenuity of the two 534th soldiers was undoubtedly a life-saver for the six wounded men. A seventh artilleryman was fatally injured in the enemy 'S' mine explosion and died before the ack-ack men reached the scene of the accident.

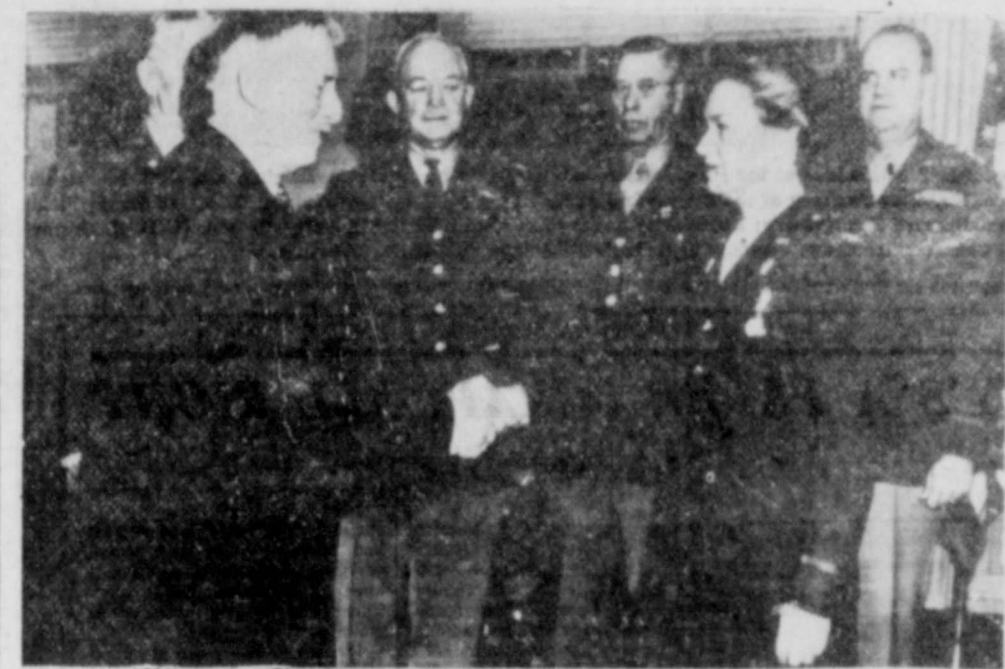
Bishop Frank A. Smith To Speak In Eastland

Bishop A. Frank Smith, bishop for the Houston Area of which the Cisco District is a part, will be the guest and principal speaker at the Methodist Church in Eastland Tuesday, January 16. The occasion is the "Crusade for Christ" which is being launched throughout the church this month. Ministers and laymen throughout the district will be present that day here and other guest speakers will appear on the program with Bishop Smith. However the Bishop will speak at 11:30 and he will be addressing his remarks to the Crusade. The Harmony Girls under the direction of Miss Wilda Drago will sing the "Hallelujah Chorus" during this noon program.

Rev. Mr. Fleming, Eastland Methodist minister, has authorized the announcement of Bishop Smith's coming and invites citizens of Eastland and the county to come for this service. Methodists feel that the Bishop's coming is a treat as local churches do not often have the opportunity of meeting him. He is gracious and powerful in his preaching.

Mrs. Luther Bean and her assistants will serve a noon luncheon in the basement of the church for those coming from other towns. Eastland people are invited to come also on the condition that your name is turned in to Mr. Fleming by Sunday. There will be plenty of room and food but those in charge must know in time to make proper preparations.

Director Of WAC Decorated



Secretary of War Stimson congratulates Colonel Oveta Culp Hobby, Director of the WAC, upon winning the Distinguished Service Medal, third highest honor in the Army. She is the first woman to be so recognized in this war. In background (l-r) Gen. George C. Marshall; Gen. Henry Arnold; Lt. Gen. Ben Lear and Lt. Gen. Wilhelm D. Styer. (Signal Corps Photo Via NEA Telephoto.)

Proof Of Effectiveness.



Dramatic proof of the effectiveness of Navy carrier raids on Manila Bay is provided in this recent picture of the great anchorage—with more than fifty ships sunk or immobilized as a result of our air raids. Waterfront installations shoreline fuel and ammunition dumps have felt the weight of our air blows. (Navy Photo via NEA Telephoto.)

SENATORS ASK FOR ALLIED PEACE TREATY

WASHINGTON — Michigan two Republican Senators today called on the administration to initiate immediate Allied agreements which they believed would eliminate political strife and lay the groundwork for a strong, effective peace organization.

Search At City Dump Profitable

ARILENE, Tex. (UP)— Mrs. G. G. Montgomery's wife was sorting through the garbage at the city dump—and it isn't that her husband isn't good to her or anything like that.

Lucky Dog



The five-year-old fox-terrier, above, aptly named Jack, will get plenty of just that, barring legal difficulties. His former owner, the late Mrs. Margaret Myers, of Detroit, made him sole heir to an estate estimated at \$20,000. Her handwritten will also provided that "whoever takes care of him at my home shall have free rent."

BELIEVE 24 DEAD IN PLANE CRASH TODAY

LOS ANGELES — An American Airliner with 24 persons aboard crashed in heavy fog today after circling the airport and heading for an emergency field.

Protein Intake Generates Blood

LINCOLN, Neb. (UP)—Women blood donors regenerate blood more rapidly when given a generous intake of protein, Dr. Ruth Leverton, home economics department of the University of Nebraska college of agriculture reported to the American Dietetic Assn.

Cisco Man Gets Promotion To Rank Of Captain

CISCO, Jan. 9 — The Daily Press is in receipt of a communication from an air depot of the Fifteenth Air Force Service Command, Italy, which pertains to Thomas C. Williams of this city.

Bank Officers, Directors Named At Annual Meet

The annual meeting for stockholders and directors of the Commercial State Bank was held Tuesday evening at which time the election of officers and directors was conducted.

Two Brothers Meet In U. S. For First Time

FOREST LAKE, Miss. (UP)— Ole Lee, 76 and Ole Lee, 55, are full brothers, which isn't the only remarkable fact concerning them. They never had seen each other until they got together for a Christmas vacation at the farm home of the younger Ole 2 miles northwest of here.

First Senate Bills Bans Latin Discrimination

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—First bill offered in the Texas Senate today provides criminal punishment for discrimination in public place against persons of Latin-American origin.

Himstead Says Report On U. T. Fight In Making

WASHINGTON (UP)—Ralph Himstead, Secretary of the American Association of University professors, said today he is preparing a report on the recent series of conflicts between the faculty of University of Texas and the school board of regents.

SAMREE TAKEN; NAZIS RETREAT; AIR ARM HITS ENEMY TARGETS

Paris — American Armor by passed the Ardennes anchor base of La Roche today and captured nearby Samree by storm after winning a big tank battle there, while British forces advanced two miles on the heels of German troops retreating from the nose of the bulge.

LONDON — An American air fleet of almost 1,500 planes, regaining the aerial offensive against Germany after a one day lull, hammered Nazi airbases, rail bridges and vital communication lines close to the western front today.

WASHINGTON (UP) — Three lone B-29 Superfortresses dropped fire bombs on Tokyo today. Japanese broadcast said, in follow up to yesterday's large scale attack on the capital and at least seven other targets.

At least 100,000 men were being landed from 1,000 or more ships to expand the Luzon beachheads which were established with little opposition after airplanes and guns of the fleet had pulverized the Japanese shore positions and driven the defenders inland. San Fabian and other towns were captured. The beachheads 15 miles long, were mainly between Fabian and Lingayen, the latter 107 miles from Manila and the site of three airfields.

In Belgium, German tank forces began withdrawing from the western end of the Ardennes salient, which pushed the Russian lines back to within 15 miles west and northwest of the burning capital inside the city the Russians took 150 more blocks.

Weather held action on both the Eighth and Fifth Army fronts in Italy to a minimum.

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The House amended its rules to require an investigation proposal to go to a committee before house action.

In the Senate, Lt. Gov. John Lee Smith named his committee on governors nominations.

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Himstead said his investigation will not be completed until he has had a chance to study the inquiry made by the Texas State Senate Committee on Education.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDBON
NEA Staff Correspondent

GROWING belief that a practical airplane for private flying has not yet been built will lead to an early 1945 meeting between Civil Aeronautics Authority heads and representatives of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce to clarify the role which the federal government should play in the design and experimental construction of new types of planes to meet a popular demand for postwar personal aircraft.



Edson

Differences on this point arise from a statement issued recently by T. P. Wright, new Civil Aeronautics Administrator, in which he put up a trial balloon for a grant of money to the CAA to do necessary research. The proposal was immediately looked on with suspicion by airplane manufacturers. John E. P. Morgan, head of the Personal Aircraft Council in the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, wrote Wright that this looked as if the CAA was delving into development and manufacture of civil aircraft, a prerogative of the industry.

A CURIOUS sidelight to this controversy is that Wright was until 1940 vice president and director of engineering for Curtiss-Wright and would naturally be regarded as the last man in flying who would do a thing that might be regarded as a step toward the development of a postwar airplane for private flying if aviation is to develop as a postwar industry he got slapped down by the people he was trying to help.

The case against small airplanes of today is long and pretty well documented. Basic guidebook is a report on the postwar outlook for private flying made by John H. Gossard and Samuel C. Williams for the Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Air William A. M. Burden.

Surveys in that report showed that of every 100 people who took to flying before the war, only 12 completed the course, and that the average private plane purchaser stayed an owner for less than four years, then gave up flying altogether.

WHAT this all adds up to is need for a plane that will sell for less than \$2,000, can be maintained for less than \$5 an hour flying time, be safer and easier to fly, more versatile as to its uses.

In 1933, Eugene Vidal, then Secretary of the Bureau of Aeronautics, set all-out on a campaign to stimulate private flying and thus contribute to better production and sales of private planes from 450 that year to 4,000 in 1940. Industry surveys estimate production and sales of about 2,000 private planes a year after the war.

With a more reliable and more useful plane, T. P. Wright has estimated that there is a demand for eight or 10 times that number, leading up to operation of 400,000 private planes in 10 years.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

WAR MOBILIZATION DIRECTOR JAMES F. BYRNES' directive against horse racing did more than anything else to bring home the fact that "there's a war on." His repercussions shook all other professional sports, especially major league baseball and money football.

Too much stress has been laid upon professional sports as a morale builder. I'm inclined to the belief that our fighting men don't need that kind of morale building. Cooperation on the home front in winning the war by cutting down—may cutting out—unnecessary amusements from vital war work, the purchase of War Bonds by the common people instead of big banking concerns and speculations, the elimination of graft and malfeasance in essential industries, will do more to build up the morale of our war-torn allies than any horse race, ball game or even prodigious gambling in box car figures through partitioned windows.

SPEAKING of gambling, some interested quarters voiced mild but subtle requests of Byrnes' office by pointing out that various states accrued fabulous sums from racing and the sport contributed something like \$7,000,000 to various War Funds.

Then folks, however, lost sight of the purpose of the Byrnes directive, which is not aimed at the sport as such, but at its contribution to a motivating influence to absenteeism.

As for entertainment for our servicemen, the USO and other agencies supply all that is needed. Of course the boys like to listen to a broadcast of the baseball World Series.

BUT you can't tell me they're B going to skip all year and right up the line heroically if there isn't one. If it means so much to them, they'll fight all the harder to bring it back—and soon.

You don't see the enemy giving valuable time and energy to professional sports. War is a grim business, and to win entails "blood, toil, tears and sweat." Our boys are giving the blood, and their loved ones at home are supplying the tears. Let's cease being playboys for a while and give out with the toil and sweat now, when it's so vitally needed.

And when the war is won, we can again give our attention to the important question—"What's good in the fifth race?"

In the meantime, if we must gamble, why not play that surest of all sure things—buy War Bonds and speed the happy day.

Generals Confer In Belgium



Shown after a conference at the Headquarters of General Montgomery in Belgium are—left to right: Lt. Gen. Sir Miles Dempsey of the British 2nd Army; Lt. Gen. Courtney Hodges, U. S. 1st Army; Field Marshal Bernard Montgomery; Lt. Gen. Wm. Simpson of the U. S. 9th Army and Gen. H. D. B. Crevier of the Canadian 1st Army. (Signal Corps Radio Telephoto from NEA Telephoto.)

CHEANEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perrin visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Melton Sunday.

Pfc. Charles Underwood is spending travel time until the 15th of this month here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Underwood. He has a new assignment with the Army Air field at Amarillo, Texas. He had been stationed at Las Vegas, Nevada.

Private Chubby Foreman left last week for Maryland after a 10 day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foreman.

Mrs. Electra Hatcox spent the day Monday with Mrs. Bill Tucker and family in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sullivan of Lipan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Shook and family went to Jacksboro to attend the funeral of Mr. Shook's father who passed away Friday Jan. 5th, after a long illness. Donnelly Shook lately stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, was allowed a 3 day leave and was also present for his grandfather's funeral.

Private Charles Sullivan has been assigned to an armored tank division at Camp Hood, Killeen, while his wife and small son will make their home in Ranger with Miss Lillian Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Love and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charli Miller visited in the home of Mr. Ann Love and Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Love Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Love visited last Tuesday and again Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell at Ranger. Mrs. Campbell has been ill the past 10 days but is recovering nicely.

Myra Tankersley, H. D. Agent, visited Mr. Jno Love on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Shugart are the parents of a son, born Friday Jan. 9. Mother and son are doing splendidly.

Mrs. Alice Calvert went to Gorman last Wednesday to be at the bedside of her mother Mrs. Addie Moseley who was seriously burned when her clothing caught on fire. Latest reports stated that Mrs. Moseley was not doing so well and Mrs. Calvert is still with her on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Logan visited Saturday night with the Jno Loves.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Brown visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Melton Monday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker Sunday were John Tucker and Misses Ellen and Betty Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb of Breckenridge visited the parental Calverts Sunday and also visited Mrs. Moseley, at Gorman.

Mrs. Elaine Taylor was ill and

Tapper Tapped



Screen actress Ann Miller, above, famed for her tap dancing, has been tapped by the Artists and Sculptors' Institute of New York as one of the world's most glamorous women and "outstanding personality."

unable to attend church services Sunday.

J. S. Motes of Abilene was in the community on business Friday.

Mrs. Delta Gentry of Moran was in Ranger Saturday and visited other relatives while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler visited with the Forman family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jessie Lemeley visited Mrs. J. W. Case awhile on Friday.

William Watkins of Center Texas visited his sister Mrs. Arthur Love and family the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Mahan of Eastland were visiting Mrs. Chessie Underwood and family Sunday.

Miss Faye Hart has resumed her work at Fort Worth since her father's rapid recovery from recent surgery. Mr. Hart is at home and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Theibert Jones have been notified of the A. F. O. address, San Francisco, of their son James Odie Jones of Camp Roberts.

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IT'S A PAPER SCRAP, ALL RIGHT

by ERNIE PYLE



Photo by H. J. Pyle

How many times have you hunted around for a little piece of paper because you wanted to write somebody a note, and there just wasn't any paper to be found?

That would be an even more awkward situation if what you wanted to write was a message for reinforcements to get the hell up to the hot corner where you were and help hold off that wave of Nazi SS troopers who are just across the meadow, studying you through the sights of Spandau machine guns.

I suppose millions of message pads must have been

printed by the War Department, but plenty of times historic messages have been written on the backs of laundry slips, just the same. Paper and articles made from it are among the most expendable kinds of war equipment now being supplied to the troops. Which, I suppose, is why waste paper is today the number one war material shortage on the home front.

Until you arrive in an active zone, you've simply no idea how many tons of paper are needed to get to an army all the stuff it needs. . . . and there are about 700,000 things our Army needs right now, and will keep on needing till they march into Berlin and Tokyo. It's not just the ammunition, it's everything else a soldier wants at one time or another, in battle or after.

Even maps consume paper by the carload. It took 125,000,000 of them just for the invasion. Maps are often issued to sergeants as well as officers. As an advance progresses such maps must be changed frequently.

var-colored parachutes which had been dropped with them, carrying food, ammunition and knocked-down machine guns. Those supply parachutes were made of waste paper.

I can see the piles of blood plasma boxes in the hospital tents during the Hedgerow War in Normandy. They saved many a life, and those boxes were all made of your waste paper.

Maybe being a writer made me realize how many words it takes to fight a war, and I don't mean just talk. I mean the records that keep track of men and equipment. Records are the only way the big brain of the Army which is the General Staff can ever remember where everything is and where it's going. There's an amazing lot of paperwork connected with every battle, every soldier, every shot fired.

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The picture of this war is painted on paper and framed in paper, and the sooner we get all we need from the home front, the quicker they'll be able to add the last stroke and come on home. It's not much to ask, is it?



U. S. VICTORY WASTE PAPER CAMPAIGN

Freckles And His Friends



By Merrill Blosser

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By V. T. Hamlin

Red Ryder



By Fred Harmon

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PERSONALS

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FOR SALE—Sheppard place on Tiffin Road. Phone 333.

FOR SALE—Used lumber. J. L. Milner, Strawn highway.

FOUND—Commercial license plate with bracket, you can get same by identifying and paying for this ad. R. A. Jones Hunt Street.

FOR SALE—Busnett and baby bed. 800 Cypress.

HOUSE for sale, 7 rooms and bath, 1-2 corner lot, 1123 Destedona Boulevard. H. G. Jennings.

LOST—Valuable note book, engraved with D. M. Supperstein. For reward call 421.

WANTED—Small farm, improved in Eastland county. Write J. K. Rhodes, 2612 Milan, Houston, Texas.

FOR SALE—Pleas Moore home in Young Addition. Rex Outlaw Home on Strawn highway. 5-room house Vitellus street in Cooper addition. (now vacant). C. E. MAY Insurance and Real Estate.

ROOM and Board. Meals for transients. Mrs. Masters, 423 West Main Street.

HAMNER TIRE SHOP. Plenty of good used tires. Buy, sell, trade.

ESSENTIAL War Workers needed by L. O. Stocker Construction Company, Berger, Texas. Good pay, time and one-half for overtime, transportation furnished. Seasonal agricultural workers investigate. Representative will hire workers each Saturday from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., at the courthouse in Eastland. Essential workers will not be hired.

FOR SALE—cheap, Model A pickup, 5 good tires, 2 of them new. Lois Brown, Victory Cafe, or Eastland Hill.

ONE Medium size Hohner Accordion, for sale—pre war, made in Germany. Mrs. L. J. Perdue, 324 Hill Ave.

A. G. Koenig Income Tax—Estimates. 4 blocks N. Postoffice, Ranger, Texas.

LOST—Gasoline (A) ration book if found please return to Mrs. J. L. Thompson, phone 296-W.

WANTED—Girl or woman. Reasonable wages and hours. Guaranty Ice Cream Parlor.

FOR SALE—Three room house. A. C. Ames, 615 Pecan street.

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Society, Clubs

REBEKAHS INSTALL OFFICERS FOR YEAR

The regular session of the Ranger Rebekah Lodge was held at the IOOF Hall Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock with 23 members answering the roll call.

In the business meeting the following officers were installed: Mrs. Martha Craver, noble grand; Mrs. Myrtle Thomas, vice-grand; Mrs. Ruby Greer, secretary; Mrs. Edith Hicks, treasurer; right sentinel to the noble grand, Mrs. O. C. Southern; left sentinel to the noble grand, Mrs. Lena McDonough; warden, Mrs. Eula Blackwell; conductor, Mrs. Emma Hargrave; right sentinel to the vice-grand, Mrs. Josephine Rogers; left sentinel to the vice-grand, Mrs. Alpha Lee Bennett and chaplain, Mrs. Freda Rainwater.

DORCAS CLASS TO HAVE LUNCHEON

The Dorcas class of the First Baptist church will have a church dish luncheon at the church Thursday at 1 P. M. All members are invited to attend.

LEONARD ARTERBURN HONORED AT SUPPER

Complimenting their son, Leonard Arterburn who will leave January 18 to enter the Armed Forces, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Arterburn entertained at their home Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock with a chili and hot tamales supper for members of the Bulldog basketball team.

Those attended were Coach and Mrs. Don Martin and son Johnnie Adams, Don Ford, Junior Arterburn, R. M. Richards, Pete Dawn, Bob Franklin, Jackie Littlefield, Frankie Ford, Liburn Baker, Leonard Arterburn and Mr. and Mrs. Arterburn.

The hosts were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Earnest Arterburn, Mrs. Walter Arterburn and Miss Mary Gues.

Mrs. J. C. Peak and daughter Marjorie, returned home from Dallas Tuesday, after visiting relatives there for a week.

S. T. Peak of Austin visited his brothers, J. C. and E. A. Peak last week.

Pvt. Earl Ervin is home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Browning and children, Emma Lou and Bruce, visited relatives in Eastland last Saturday and Sunday.

We are very sorry to report the death of a friend and loved one, Mrs. Earnest Young. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clements. Left to mourn her passing are her husband, Earnest Young, and two children, Paty,

six brothers, Parish Clements of A. B. Clendinning of Lingville, and Mrs. Dan Allen of Brownwood six brothers, Parish Clements of Rodessa, La., Bruce Clements of Deadmona, Jessie Clements of Troupe, Alton Clements of Troupe, Clyde Clements of Tennessee, and Clifford Clements, who is now serving in the U. S. Army in India. We all extend our sympathy to friends and loved ones of the deceased.

Alaska Fliers Add Another To Arctic Rescues

SEATTLE, (UP)—Alaska fliers have added another epic to the growing saga of Arctic rescues. Bush fliers and airplane pilots teamed up to save a couple marooned in a desolate, snow-clogged valley at 40 degrees below zero when their small plane crashed.

The victims, Pat Bliss and his wife, left Fairbanks for Kotzebue on Nov. 30, on a routine flight. Some 200 miles northwest of Fairbanks, however, in the trackless expanse of bush, they were forced down by engine failure.

The frail plane was completely wrecked but the Blisses crawled out unharmed. With the small radio, which was intact, Bliss made contact with a radio station. He transmitted their approximate position and the information that they had no emergency equipment to combat the Arctic cold. "Please hurry," he pleaded.

In the old days it would have meant days of bitter journey by dog team, with the chances 100 to one that the fastest team of huskies would arrive too late. But modern Alaska boasts of as fine a system of airways as any section of the United States and one of the largest groups of skilled private fliers in the world.

The crew of a Douglas transport on a daily flight of Pan American World Airways, under contract to the Navy, between Fairbanks and Point Barrow brought the first hope of rescue.

Near the wreckage they could see Bliss and his wife huddled around a small fire. Unable to land in the rough terrain, the crew dropped its own winter gear—sleds down clothes, sleeping

SHOWING AT ARCADIA TODAY AND WEDNESDAY



Diana Lynn, Gail Russell go abroad to get sophistication, in the picture "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay."

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Daughter Has Nothing On Dad's Letter Writing

NACOGDOCHES, Tex. (UP)—For the benefit of college students home for the holidays, the Nacogdoches paper revealed the story of a certain country girl who went away to college:

She wrote home to her father: "Thursday we autted out to the Country Club where we golfed until dark, then picnicked and later motored to the beach, where we week-ended."

Her father wrote back: Yesterday we haggied to town and footballled all afternoon. Today we nguled out to the corn field and pee-hawed until sundown. Then we suppered and pieped for a spell. After that, we staircased up to the bedroom and bedstedded until eider down clothes, sleeping

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PURSE-SNATCHING CROW IS SNATCHED

CLEVELAND, (UP)—Sammy the Crow, who made quite a record this summer stealing purses and nicknames from Cleveland Zoo visitors, has been stolen himself. His owner, Ben Bewski requested that the captor treat the crow kindly and give careful attention to his diet. However, he is not too worried about Sammy's disappearance, as he believes the "crownapper" will tire of his antics soon and be glad to get rid of him.

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DESDEMONA

DESDEMONA, Jan. 8. — Pvt. Robert Guthry and Pvt. Robert Abel spent five days at home.

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