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## Raging Ohio River Overflows Banks



Coney Island recreation park at Cincinnati, Ohio sticks its head out of the flood waters. At upper right is the grand stand of River Downs race track. The turbulent river, swollen by a 24 hour cloudburst, roared over its banks at scores of places between Pittsburgh and Louisville, forcing thousands of families to flee their homes. (NEA Telephoto.)

## SENATE GIVES FISHERMEN A FREE REIN

Fishermen in Texas have given the rein and effective February 27, 1945 were given the privilege of using it.

Virgil Love, county clerk, with a warm spot in his heart for fishermen in this section has supplied this paper with a copy of Senate Bill No. 93 which went into effect on the above date and provisions of which are as follows:

Section 1. There shall be no closed season or period of time when it shall be unlawful to take, catch or retain fresh water fish by the use of ordinary hook and line or artificial lures. Other devices the use of which is permitted by law, may be used for the purpose of taking fresh water fish at any time of the year, but only in compliance with such other restrictions as are placed on their use by the laws of this State.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to take from public fresh water and retain, or place in any container, boat, creel, live box or any fishstrainer any large-mouth black bass, small-mouth black bass, spotted bass, or any subspecies of large-mouth black bass, small-mouth black bass, spotted bass, that is less than seven (7) inches in length.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person in any one day to catch and retain, or place on or in any device or container for holding same while he is fishing, any fish that is taken from the public fresh waters of this State in excess of the following limits. Large-mouth black bass, small-mouth black bass, spotted bass, or any subspecies of the same, singly or in the aggregate, fifteen (15) of which not more than ten (10) shall be of greater length than eleven (11) inches; white bass, twenty-five (25); blue catfish, channel catfish and yellow catfish, singly or in the aggregate, twenty-five (25); crappie or white perch twenty-five (25).

Section 4. Any person who violates any provision of this Act upon conviction shall be fined in a sum not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$50.00.

Section 5. All laws or parts of laws, local, general or special, in so far as they provide a closed season or period of time when it is unlawful to take or catch or to use artificial lures, or in so far as they provide a size limit, possession limit or daily catch limit, or otherwise conflict with any provision of this Act, shall be and the same are hereby repealed, except that nothing herein contained shall repeal Chapter 21B, House Bill 654, Regular Session, 48th Legislature, or regulations made thereunder to govern the taking of fish in Lake Texoma, which is the body of water impounded by the dam at Denison, Texas.

### THE WEATHER

West Texas — Cloudy and warmer with occasional light rain tonight and Friday.

## On State Board



## MRS. PERKINS RETURNS FROM BOARD MEETING

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland has returned from the first meeting of the State Board of Education at Austin since her recent appointment as a member of the board by Gov. Coke Stevenson.

Mrs. Perkins stated that Maco Stewart of Galveston was named president of the board in session Monday and that she drew as her first assignment on the board the investigation of Inks Dam Vocational school, which assignment she undertook Tuesday afternoon. She was in conference with the governor Tuesday morning with reference to her work in this new field.

In the picture above, Mrs. Perkins is dressed in the uniform of a Red Cross worker which she wears when at work as chairman of the Eastland County chapter of the American Red Cross.

Among her many other interests she is currently serving as president of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs. She is a past president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and a past director of the National organization of Federated clubs.

## W. R. Marrs of U. of T. To Speak Here Tonight

W. R. Marrs of the University of Texas will be in Ranger this evening to appear at a meeting to be held at the Chamber of Commerce with reference to post war employment in Ranger.

Mr. Marrs is touring this section offering plans for each city with reference to taking care of the veterans from Ranger after the war. All members of the Chamber of Commerce and interested persons are urged to attend the meeting which will be held promptly at 8 o'clock.

## COUNTY RED CROSS FUND AT \$14,091.82

Contributions in Eastland county toward the Red Cross War Fund drive currently in progress had reached a total of \$14,091.82 at noon Thursday with Eastland showing a slight lead toward its quota with a total of \$5,559.17.

Ranger was second with a total reported of \$3,500 and Cisco had a total of \$3,052.11. Gorman had \$2,079.79 and Union had \$1,750. Flatwoods had also gone over its quota with a total of \$107.35. Others who had been previously announced as being over their quotas are Rising Star with a total of \$1090.14, Dadesmona \$125.61, Staff \$60.19, Carbon \$300 and within a week.

Oscar J. Wilson, who annually offers his services to stay at the Red Cross headquarters in Eastland to receive funds as they are turned in, for this and many other national drives, is again at his old post and is taking in the money as it is brought to the office. Red Cross workers today expressed their appreciation for this timely and valuable aid.

## Eastland Rites Held Wednesday For Mrs. Owen

Funeral rites for Mrs. W. D. Owen, 54, who died Tuesday morning, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Eastland First Baptist church. Rev. Homer J. Starnes, Eastland Baptist pastor, assisted by J. S. Cartledge of Corsicana, and Interment, with arrangements, was in the Eastland cemetery.

Pallbearers were Charley Murphy, Clyde Karkalis, J. A. Copley, Earl O'Brien of Eastland and Edgar Altom and W. J. Herrington of Rising Star.

Survivors include the husband, two sisters, Mrs. C. B. Jamison of Marlin and Mrs. Harris Green of San Antonio, and a brother, Ancil Owen of Eastland.

Bessie Mae Owen was born at Calvert, Robertson County, Texas on August 15, 1890, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Owen. She was married to W. D. Owen at Calvert on June 11, 1913. She had resided in Eastland county since 1919. She taught two years in the school at Pioneer and for better than 20 years had been a teacher in the Eastland schools. At the time of her last illness she was teaching history in Eastland Junior High School.

Mrs. Owen was a graduate of Northern Texas State Teachers College; was active in church and club work, never failing in her line of duty. She was a life time member of the Baptist church.

### REDDIT APPROVED

AUSTIN (UP) — The Texas Senate in executive session today confirmed John Reddit of Larkin to be member and chairman of the Texas Highway Commission for a six year term.

# Part of First Crosses Rhine As Others Mass For Crossings

## Robert L. Barker To Be Buried In Ranger Friday

Funeral services for Robert L. Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barker, of Ranger, will be conducted at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the First Baptist church with Dr. W. H. Clark in charge of the services. Interment will be in the Evergreen cemetery with Killingsworth's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include the parents, one brother, Capt. Gates R. Barker of the Marines, four sisters, Mrs. Evis Landers, Mrs. George Allison, Mrs. J. W. Ball and Miss Hazel Barker of Dallas.

Robert Lee Barker was born in Ranger on November 6, 1926 and died in the City-County Hospital Thursday morning March 8, at 3:45 A. M. He was a member of the First Baptist church and was educated in the Ranger schools. He had lived all of his life in Ranger. He had been critically ill since Saturday.

Pallbearers for the services will be G. C. Love, W. A. Lewis, S. M. McAnelly, Milton George, Elmer Bankston, and W. F. Creager all of Ranger.

## Back From War



## SGT. BROWNING VETERAN OF PACIFIC HOME

Sgt. Harold W. Browning has arrived in Ranger with his wife, the former Miss Juanita Burks of Cross Plains. For a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Browning.

Sgt. Browning, who recently returned to the states after spending 16 months with the First Marine Air Wing in the Pacific, enlisted in the Marine Corps in November, 1942. He received his boot training at San Diego, and attended radio school in Jacksonville, Florida prior to being sent overseas in October of 1943. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon with two battle stars, the American theater ribbon and is holder of the Presidential Unit Citation.

Before entering the Marines, Sgt. Browning was employed as a post exchange shipping clerk at Camp Bowie. He is a 1942 graduate of Cross Plains High School.

## CONARD REEVES IS EXPECTED HOME IN VERY SHORT TIME

Conard Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Reeves of Eastland, is expected home within a short time. His father stated that he talked to him Monday night in New York by long distance telephone and that Conard stated that he was being sent to a convalescent hospital somewhere in Texas to recuperate from wounds received in action overseas, and that he hoped to be home soon.

### CHICKEN SALES UP

Thirty-four carloads of chickens were shipped in Texas during January, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Shipments in January 1944 totaled 13 carloads Turkey shipments were 13 carloads in January where as they totaled 175 carloads in January 1944.

## As American Troops Entered Cologne, Germany



Troops and armor of the 3rd Armored division, first U. S. Army wait in a side street (pictured on right) in the city of Cologne before advancing toward the heart of the Rhine-land capital. Left photo pictures an American infantryman entering a street in Cologne while two German civilians, one carrying a white flag of surrender and another with arms raised, come out of hiding and without escort walk out of the battle area. (U. S. Signal Corps Radiotelephoto from NEA Telephoto.)

## FIRST, THIRD CLOSING FOR JUNCTION TRAPPING THOUSANDS OF GERMANS

### BULLETIN

UNITED STATES FIRST ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Western Front (UP)—Elements of the American First Army crossed the Rhine last night.

The German high command said today that troops of the American First Army had reached the Rhine crossing city of Remagen, 20 miles northwest of Coblenz and 12 miles south of Bonn.

At Remagen, First Army forces were 17 miles from a junction with American Third Army troops moving up from the south. The Third Army held a long corridor to the Rhine north of the Mosel after a spectacular 60 mile breakthrough.

Between the two armies moving toward each other were thousands of Germans faced with the problem of getting across the river before the trap closes.

Patton's breakthrough to the Rhine established flank coverage north of the Mosel for four armies lined up along the river for the big push into the Reich.

To the north, the Ninth Army was massing along the

Rhine on a 30 mile stretch before the Ruhr cities of Dusseldorf and Duisburg. Its northernmost wing was closing in against the enemy's West bridgehead in support of the Canadian First Army smashing full force at the Wesel pocket.

On the eastern front, the Germans reported that the Red Army had broken across the Oder river south of Kuestrin, carved out a bridgehead 10 miles deep, and stormed westward within 27 miles of Berlin.

Nazi broadcasts said the Russians massed along the Oder smashed westward from the area of Goeritz, six miles south of Kuestrin, and plunged due west toward the German capital. Russian troops were reported to have driven two wedges into the stronghold of Kuestrin, 38 miles east of Berlin.

Strong attacks were in progress on both sides of Frankfurt as well as at Kuestrin, Berlin said. The

LONDON (UP) — More than 1,350 American heavy bombers pounded German oil and railway targets in the Ruhr valley today after a 1,250 plane RAF night attack on Berlin and other objectives in the central and northwestern Reich.

## Smith Reads In Spanish Message To Texas Senate

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP) — Gov. John Lee Smith, read in Spanish to the Texas Senate today a communication from Mexican Senator Antonio Villalobos, President of the National Party of the Revolution, urging Texas senators to support the bills before the Texas Legislature to punish discrimination against Latin-Americans.

## Troops Fighting In Mandalay

KANDY, Ceylon (UP) — Indian tank patrols in Burma were fighting in the northern outskirts of Mandalay today after a 40-mile march down the rawaddy from the first bridgehead over the river at Singu. Chinese troops cleared the new town of Lashio, two miles south of the old town which was captured yesterday.

## Proposed Bill Would Eliminate Eastland Court

AUSTIN (UP) — A substitute bill abolishing five regular and three special district courts today had a favorable report from a Texas House committee.

The bill approved by the committee on judicial districts would eliminate the 91st regular Court of Eastland County.

Committee Chairman N. P. Price Tyler, said he expected to ask for consideration of the bill within a week.

The McFarland bill, a substitute measure for a somewhat similar bill by McFarland, had the backing of the State Bar Association and, it is understood, the backing also of Governor Stephenson.

The McFarland bill as passed by Committee would eliminate five district courts, including the 91st in Eastland county, and allow two others to die by their own terms. The courts eliminated by the terms of the bill are the 20, 77, 89, 91, 111.

The measure must now go before the House of Representatives and if approved by that body must then go to the State Senate.

## American Private Dies On English Gallows Today

RENTONVILLE PRISON, London (UP) — The first American to die on a British gallows was hanged today.

He was Pvt. Karl Gustav Hulten, a Boston, Mass. Paratrooper, who was executed for the \$30 murder of a taxicab driver.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, the 18 year old British strip tease dancer who was condemned with Hulten for the murder of George Heat, was beginning a life sentence at Aylesbury prison.

## AMVETS Alerted To Take Over Stricken Plant

DALLAS (UP) — Members of the American Veterans of World War Two in 38 states stood alerted today to march on Detroit and take over production in three Briggs Manufacturing Co. plants if the 13,000 strikers are not back on their war production jobs by Monday.

Amvet National vice commander Lamar Bailey sounded the alert after a long distance telephone conversation with officials of the striking United Automobile Workers, CIO, Union. He said they told him no immediate settlement of the strike was in sight.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Canal Project—you remember?—is headed for the news again. Senate's Mead investigating committee has let the matter slide for a year, since the Truman committee issued its report blasting the Army's Alaskan pipeline dream as a great waste of public funds. Mead Committee's report is requested to be brought up to date on the project will reveal facts just about as they were before. Cost of developing the new oilfield in northwest Alaska, building pipeline and refinery will be 134 million dollars instead of the estimated 35 million dollars. The pipeline works, though many scoffers said it never would, and the refinery started producing gasoline last spring. But the cost of producing the gas in the Far North is over a dollar a gallon and one tanker, operating three-fourths of the time could deliver more gasoline to Alaska and at less cost than the refinery will ever be able to do. Refusing to admit a mistake, Army will probably stick to Canal as a militarily sound project.



It was "Justa like Chicag" for scores of deported ex-counterfeiters when U. S. Army moved into Sicily and Italy with sales of freshly-printed military currency. Many of the queer money makers came originally from these ports, emigrated to the U. S. to ply their trade until caught and sent back home as undesirable citizens. With a lot of the new "Justa like Chicag" invasion currency flooding Italy and a healthy black market making almost any kind of money desirable, some of the former counterfeiters again tried to take up their art. But the old touch was gone, and the reproductions were bad.

IT has been going on for some time, but few people realize that the United States is now fighting nine wars. China, India-Burma, the Philippines, the air and naval war against Japan proper, the naval war against the Atlantic submarine, in France against Germany, in Italy and the Mediterranean against the Germans, in the Middle East maintaining the supply line to Soviet Russia, and in the Indian Ocean, U. S. forces are not on the Russian front, of course, and have only a minor part in the largely British operations in the Indian Ocean.

IF you think Washington designations of alphabetical agencies are confusing, you should get next to some of the naval and military alphabet hash. General Eisenhower's SHAEF is now pretty well known, but here are a few others:  
CINCPAC—Commander in Chief, Pacific Operations Area.  
SEAC—Southwest Asia Command. (Also known as Supreme Example of A-B-C Confusion.)  
MAAF—Mediterranean Area Air Forces.  
USTAF—U. S. Tactical Air Force.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON  
NEA Sports Editor

LOUIE NOVIKOFF is returned to the Los Angeles subsidiary by the Chicago Cubs. That's a deep insult these days, with the majors suffering the most critical manpower shortage in history. Novikoff goes back to the minors the biggest flop since the war. When "Louie" was paid \$70,000 for the outfielding reformed southerner, Paul Strand.

Unfortunately for the circuit, both Strand and Novikoff came from the Pacific Coast League. Strand missed the thin air of Salt Lake Bonneville Park, where the ball traveled magnificent distances at the slightest nudge.

NOVIKOFF played on the coast under normal conditions, however, and when paged by the Chicago club in 1940 he batted .300, a 50,000 Beauty. He hit every minor league in which he performed—the Western Association with .351, the Three Eye with .367, the Texas with .368, the Coast with .363 and 41 home runs and 60 runs batted in. In 1941 he batted .300 in the American Association with .370.

Had he hit in the National, Novikoff's price tag might have been just a bit higher. After all, that is what the Wrighleys bought the Mad Russian for, but he proved to be anything but dependable and ferocious at the dish, although he did

manage to slip through with an even .300 in 1942.

OBVIOUSLY the fault was not brought out in the minors, but National League pitchers simply slowed up on him, and more often than not the bat was in front of the plate before the ball reached it. The result was that much of Novikoff's savagery was reduced to pop-ups.

And when Novikoff isn't hitting he isn't much help. He's a poor outfielder and wretched thrower. He can't run fast enough to keep warm.

On top of all this, the egotistical Novikoff had trouble with the Cub management. He couldn't be handled, refused to conform. He did not take good care of himself, was on the rowdy side, his manager so wrong that even his teammates disliked him.

With a one-armed outfielder coming up, able-bodied Lou Novikoff is going back. No ball player was ever re-turned to the minors under such depressing circumstances.

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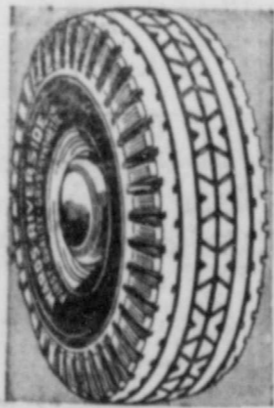
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Carbon March 6 — Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Trimble had as guests Sunday, Mrs. Trimble's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jones of Abilene.

Rusty McGinty of Plains was here on business last week and visited Mrs. McGinty's grandmother, Mrs. Julia Boon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Morton and family of Seymour spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Morton's parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. T. Morton and in May visiting Mr. Morton's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Dacom Morton.

Cyril Wyatt of Mineral Wells spent the week-end with his parents here.

Miss Joydean Green, Dallas, and Mrs. Joe E. Ford, Fort Worth, came in Saturday to be with their sister and husband, S. Sgt. and Mrs. Glenn Justice, who are here from Liberal, Kansas, and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greer.

Rev. Leo Boone has returned to Houston after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Boone.

Pat Ables of Odessa spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Ruben left Wednesday in response to a telegram announcing the death of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan at Wickett. Mrs. Jordan is the former Miss Phyllis Vaughn.

Mrs. Helen Eubanks has received a message from the War Department that her husband who has been missing since December is a prisoner of the Germans.

J. D. Hines, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mattie Hines, has accepted employment with an oil company in New Mexico. J. D. received his honorable discharge from the army after two years foreign service.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Medford, and James, were in Abilene Saturday when Pvt. Ted Medford of Camp Barkley returned home with them for the week-end.

Pvt. Henry C. Black of San Antonio came in Friday to visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Black.

Wade Gilbert with the Navy, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Lena Stubblefield, Sunday enroute to New York for further training. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wrathel Gilbert of Spur, with whom he had been spending his furlough accompanied him here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris and family of Roby visited her mother Mrs. A. J. Holloway and other relatives over the week-end.

Lenzo Wyatt and family of Cisco were here Sunday visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hayes.

Leo McDaniel of A. C. C. Abilene, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDaniel.

Miss Elaine Reese, who is employed in Abilene, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale and family, and Billy Pearson visited Mrs. Hale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Keeber, and Miss Bettie Jo Hale who is attending college at Denton, in Ft. Worth Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Clark and daughter, Helen, left Monday for Corpus Christi in response to a telegram telling her of the death of the in-

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**fant son of Pvt. and Mrs. George Harris, Pvt. Harris, brother of Mrs. Clark, is overseas.**

**Pal Taylor of Seminole** was in town on business Monday.

**Mrs. M. V. Crossley** returned Tuesday from Ranger where she visited Mrs. Claude Blacklock.

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### YOUNG SCHOOL PTA MEETS TUESDAY

The regular meeting of Young School P. T. A. was held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A program was presented by the rhythm band under the direction of Mrs. Johnnie Young. Mrs. G. C. Southers presided at the business meeting. A motion was made and carried to contribute \$50.00 to Red Cross. Next meeting will be held March 20th at Young School.

### RANGER REBEKAH LODGE MEETS

Ranger Rebekah Lodge met in their regular session, N. G. Martha Carver presiding. Roll call was answered by 25 members with Miss Anna Bell Kinney and Mrs. Pearl Poyner reported on the sick list. James E. Robinson was admitted by transfer from Houston and Mrs. Willis Richardson was admitted by initiation. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

## PERSONALS

Mr. Lee Dockery received word this morning that Bill Bailey, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Dallas, is resting comfortably.

Little Arvita Made Bennett is sick at her home in the Joseph Apartments.

Miss Fanny Robinson has returned home after an extended visit with her Aunt, Mrs. R. O. James of Ft. Worth.

Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Garvin Chastain, Jr., and little Garvin, III, have returned to Ranger. They have been in Fort Worth. Mrs. Chastain has been in Harris Memorial Hospital where the baby was born. They are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Chastain, Sr., to arrive in Ranger this week sometime.

## NEWS FROM Morton Valley

(By Special Correspondent) Morton Valley, March 6 — Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Beck are the parents of a 7-pound boy born Monday March 5, and who has been named Wesley William.

Pvt. "Bucky" Craig visited his wife and son and other relatives and friends here over the weekend. He is stationed at Camp Hood.

Mrs. Talmadge Craig was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Craig.

Sam White visited his mother in Stephenville over the week end.

The Morton Valley 4-H Club and F. F. A. boys and girls are planning a trip to the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth Saturday.

The Junior Class of Morton Valley High School will present the farce comedy, "Wacky Widow", Friday night, March 16. Admission 25c and 20c.

C. Marie Williamson, 51-c, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson of Ranger Rt. 2, was married on February 14 to Edd Fisher S. L. C. They were married in South Bluff Methodist church in Corpus Christi with a Baptist minister performing the ceremony. The bride and groom are both in the United States Navy. The bride is a former Morton Valley student while the groom is from Detroit, Michigan.

## NEWS FROM Olden

Olden, March 5 — S-Sgt. Jack Fidler is home on a 15 day furlough. He has been stationed at Chanute Field, Illinois, since returning from overseas duty. He will be sent to Fort Worth Army Air Field at the end of his leave.

Mrs. Betty Nix Stansell left last week for Camp Swift, where she will be employed as Junior Hostess in the Service Club.

## MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

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Mr. and Mrs. Prease have moved to the home they recently purchased from H. C. Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Rice are visiting his father, W. E. Rice, this week. They spent Monday night in Brownwood.

Mrs. J. E. Massingill was called to Bowie on account of the death of her grandmother.

Mrs. C. H. Everett left Monday for Houston to be with her granddaughter Ann Stark, during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Stark.

The condition of W. W. Griffin who has been ill for sometime and in the hospital at Ranger, is improving. He is now with his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Gray.

H. C. Adams, employed by the Texas and Pacific Railroad in Ranger, has been working as agent at Eastland this week due to the death of a brother of the Eastland agent.

Mrs. W. P. Edwards and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crawford went to Fort Worth over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Fidler was called to Iowa Park on account of the illness of her daughter, Ella Mae.

Pvt. Marlin L. Martin, who has

been in convalescent camp in England, is back with his old Division the 90th.

Mrs. P. L. Kelley has resigned her position as librarian in the Olden school and has accepted a position as librarian at Odessa.

## Dramatic Story Of Paratroopers To Be At Arcadia

With an all male cast of "action" performers including Errol Flynn who is starred and William Prince, Henry Hull, George Tobias, Dick Edman, Warner Anderson, and many other capable players, Warner Bros.' latest film drama, "Objective, Burma", opens at the Arcadia Theatre Friday.

"Objective Burma" is the action paced saga of parachute shock troops dropped into the dank Burma jungles long before Allied fighters crashed back at the Jap. Directed by Raoul Walsh and produced by Jerry Wald of "Destination Tokyo" fame, "Objective Burma" was adapted from the screen from an original story by Alvah Bessie.

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| <b>FRESH FRUITS &amp; VEGETABLES</b> | <b>While They Last BOBBY PINS Pkg. 10c</b>  |
| TEXAS Cabbage ..... lb. 3c           | 50c Value                                   |
| TEXAS Carrots 2 bun. .... 9c         | Flexo Tweezers Each ..... 25c               |
| FRESH Tomatoes ..... lb. 19c         | ROSEBUD Matches, 6 boxes ... 29c            |
| FANCY DEL. Apples ..... 2 lbs. 29c   | WHITE Syrup, gal' ..... 75c                 |
| FRESH CRISP Lettuce ... 2 heads 25c  | WHITE SWAN FRUIT Cocktail 2 1/2 can ... 39c |
| KILN DRIED Yams ..... 2 lbs. 19c     | SLICED PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Can ..... 29c      |
| HOME GROWN Radishes, .. bunch 5c     | VANILLA Wafers lge. pkg. ... 15c            |
| MUSTARD Greens .. 2 bunches 15c      |   |
| PREPARED Mustard ..... Qt. 10c       |   |
| EATWELL Sardines 1 lb. can 15c       |   |
| <b>BEST MAID SALAD DRESSING</b>      |   |
| 1/2 Pint. 13c Pint. 23c              |   |
| Quart .... 35c                       |   |
| TOMATO Juice 4 6 oz. cans 28c        |   |
| TOMATO Ketchup 14 oz. bot. 15c       |   |
| MAXINE Soap 3 bars ..... 14c         |   |
| WAX Paper, Pkg. .... 10c             |   |
| SUNBRITE Cleanser, .... can 5c       |   |
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Sausage lb. ....	30c
BLUE BONNET OLEO Margarine, lb. ....	25c
FRESH COUNTRY Butter, lb. ....	54c
DECKER'S ALL MEAT Franks lb. ....	30c
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Assorted Lunch Meat	
Liver Loaf	
Mac. & cheese	<b>.29</b>
Bologna	
DECKER'S BLOCK Chili lb. ....	35c
CHUCK Roast lb. ....	30c