

## RED ARMY CAPTURES VYAZMA

### Allied Bombers Start Softening Up Mareth Defenses In Preparation For Decisive Drive

#### Nazi Attacks Thrown Back

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA—(AP) Allied bombers and fighters began softening Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's troop positions and supply lines in the Mareth area Thursday as British and American ground forces beat off three attacks by Col. Gen. Jurgen Von Arnim in North Tunisia, it was announced Friday.

Axis infantry and artillery struck once, then again and again at British defenses near Tamera, seven miles west of Sedjenane in the north, but each time the enemy was driven back with considerable losses, field accounts said.

Military observers agreed that Von Arnim's only object in pressing the attacks was to keep the First Army occupied.

Western desert air forces started the pounding of the Mareth Line with a raid by RAF Boston bombers while the series of Axis attacks in both Southern and Northern Tunisia came to a halt without any significant gain.

At the same time United States bombers and fighters struck again at Axis sea lanes and the Allies reported the destruction of 12 more Axis planes. Seven Allied aircraft were listed as missing.

There was no late report by noon Friday of Rommel's attack in the Ksar Rhilane zone 40 miles southwest of the Mareth Line, but authorities said it was a small-scale action carried out by 30 armored cars and was believed to be making little progress.

B-26 Marauders with P-38 Lightning escorts caught a convoy of Axis motor barges in the Sicilian strait, blew up one and damaged two others and shot down two escorting Junkers 88s and a Messerschmitt 110, it was announced.

Four other Axis planes were destroyed by Allied aerial squadrons protecting Allied ground troops near Ksar Rhilane and five others, unreported previously, were said to have been bagged in air raids upon Axis fields in the Tunisia area Thursday.

"There was patrol activity only in Central Tunisia," the communique said.

Several Axis motor barges were hit by fighter-escorted medium bombers in a raid on a convoy off the coast of Sicily and one of them blew up," it was announced. "There of the enemy aircraft escorting the convoy were shot down."

Allied fighters made offensive sweeps on the northern and central sectors despite adverse weather and in the south objectives in Marshal Erwin Rommel's Mareth Line positions were bombed.

Expanding earlier reports on a clash in the Ksar Rhilane area in the desert southwest of the Axis line, the communique said a number of enemy vehicles were destroyed by Allied fighters and fighter-bombers and two raids by German dive-bombers were intercepted and beaten off by the fighters.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

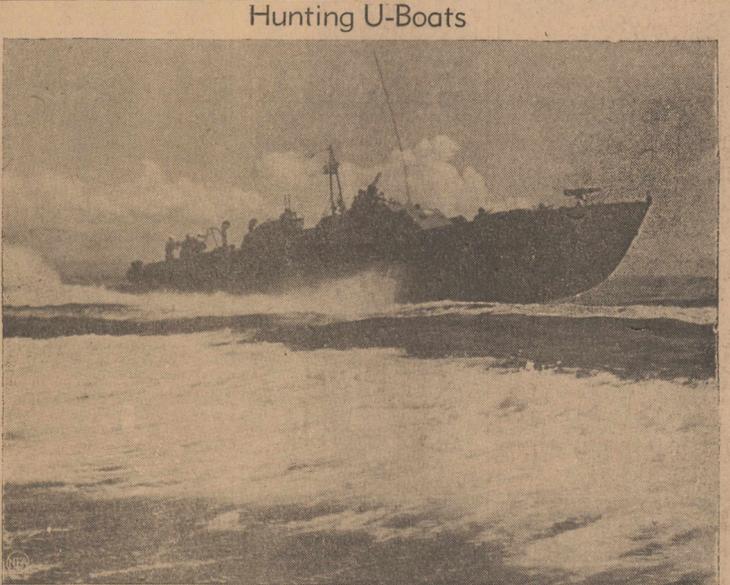
Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

**WOMEN URGED TO HEAR TALK BY MRS. LOOMIS**

Midland women are urged by Mrs. Hal C. Peck, president of the Midland Federated Women's Clubs, to hear Mrs. L. S. Loomis, world traveler who was reared in Russia and Belgium, speak at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.



Hunting U-Boats  
(U. S. Navy Photo from NEA)

PT boat—swift terror of the seas—skims through the creamy Caribbean on the lookout for lurking submarines. The Navy mosquito boat is armed with machine guns, torpedoes and depth charges.

### British Planes Batter Stuttgart

LONDON—(AP)—The RAF paid its eighth-night visit of March to Germany Thursday night, pounding the important industrial and communications center of Stuttgart in Southwest Germany in a strong attack from which 11 bombers did not return, it was announced officially Friday.

The loss of 11 bombers on the mission indicated that a sizeable force took part in the assault. A large part of Stuttgart's population of a half-million is employed in precision engineering which is vital to Germany's war effort in the air and on the ground, an official statement said.

Only a few hours after the British bombers streamed back across the English Channel, German raiders in a surprise attack soared over London's suburbs, dropping bombs in at least one area and machinegunning trains and other targets.

Five of the German planes were reported shot down. The German losses in a light foray thus were nearly half as large as the British loss of 11 planes in a full-scale attack on Stuttgart.

The Berlin radio announcer called the assault upon Stuttgart a "terror" attack—a term customarily applied to a heavyweight raid in which a large area is blanketed with fire and explosions.

All five of the German aircraft shot down in the morning raid on England were accounted for by pilots of a Norwegian fighter squadron operating under the RAF fighter command.

An Air Ministry communique said "their victories were won without incurring a single bullet hole in their own aircraft."

In addition to the bomber attack on Stuttgart, the Air Ministry said Allied fighters on intruder patrols roved over Holland and Brittany. Two of the aircraft were missing.

### Rationing Of Meats, Dairy Products To Start March 29

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Beef, pork, lamb and mutton will be rationed at an average of about two pounds a week for home consumption starting Monday, March 29. Rationing of butter, cheese, other edible fats and oils and canned fish will start at the same time.

Through this long-expected action, the government hopes to even up the civilian supplies. Local shortages are expected to disappear quickly.

Harold B. Rowe, in charge of food rationing at the Office of Price Administration, said the allotments will be proportionately more generous than the limits but earlier month on canned, frozen and dry fruits and vegetables.

**Diet Tightened Up**

In the light of existing rationing restrictions, the new plan will bring restrictions to the largest part of the typical American diet. Still unrationed on the basis of Friday's announcement will be milk, cereals, fresh fruits and vegetables, bakery goods, and numerous specialties such as relishes.

Restaurants or other public eating places will be rationed on their supplies, but will not collect coupons.

Details of the program were announced partly Thursday night by Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard and partly Friday morning by Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown.

America's diet thus was tightened up within a few hours after two other food programs were liberalized. Coffee rations were restored to the one pound per person for five weeks, instead of the current six weeks. Coupon charges were reduced for raisins, prunes, and dried beans, peas and lentils. Unsealed packages of dates and figs were made ration-free.

**16 Points Allowed**

Since meat killed by farmers for their own use will be unrationed and since customers will not have to give up coupons to eat in restaurants, Wickard said the total civilian meat supply will average 2 1/4 pounds a person per week. Last (Continued on page six)

**Chinese Violators Of Ceiling Prices Parade**

CHUNGKING—(AP)—Violators of a price ceiling program were paraded in disgrace through the flag-decorated streets of Chungking Friday and confiscated opium paraphernalia was burned in a public bonfire as an austerity keynote was sounded in a celebration of the 18th anniversary of the death of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the Chinese Republic's first president.

### FD Scores Ruml Plan

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Roosevelt said Friday that the net tax return to the government this year would be less under the so-called Ruml skip-a-year plan than without it.

The Chief Executive indicated to a press conference his opposition to the Ruml idea of abating tax obligation to get on a pay-as-you-go basis.

The fact is, he said, and figures prove it, that persons, especially in the higher brackets, would save a great deal of money in taxes through the Ruml system. That, he said, seems to be pretty well established.

In England, Mr. Roosevelt remarked, the more money people have, the more they have to contribute to the government. He said he thought he did not need to bring out more than that simple fact.

"But how would it work?" a reporter inquired.

It does work, the Chief Executive replied, and he said he had Treasury figures to prove it.

"But you have no objection to pay-as-you-go, you just object to the forgiveness?" he was asked.

Mr. Roosevelt gave no direct answer, remarking only that his questioner was getting into deep water. The high tax payer, he said, would pay less under the Ruml plan.

### Point Values Of Beans Cut

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The OPA cut the point values of rationed prunes, raisins, dry beans, peas and lentils Thursday night and thus made it easier to buy those goods.

The order will become effective Saturday.

In another order the OPA removed, from the list of rationed products, dates and figs which are not hermetically sealed in cans or jars.

This was the first important change in the new system of processed food rationing which began this month.

**Prune Values Cut**

The point value of prunes and raisins was reduced from 20 to 12 points per pound. This was done because officials feared that stocks of prunes and raisins on grocery shelves would spoil in the coming warm weather, since the 20 point per pound value made them nearly prohibitive. At the old price, a pound of raisins took nearly half a person's monthly ration points.

Point cost of dried beans, peas and lentils was lowered from 8 to 4 points a pound because of improved supplies, especially due to imports from Mexico.

### Long Lines Foreseen At License Windows

A large number of Midland Countians are going to get tired of standing in line to buy their 1943 license tabs, J. H. Fine, tax assessor, predicted Friday, unless they start obtaining them right away.

Only 700 passenger and commercial tabs of an expected total of 3600 have been purchased, and only about 15 days remains to obtain them before the deadline of midnight, March 31. All cars in operation on April 1 must display the 1943 tabs.

Fine urges citizens to buy their tabs this week-end and early next week to prevent a last-minute rush on the office.

### Board Issues 279 Ration Books Here

A total of 279 persons signed up for War Ration Book Two during a special registration period Wednesday and Thursday, the rationing board announced Friday. About 127 registered for ration book one.

G. M. Shelton, board chairman, expressed appreciation Friday on behalf of the office personnel to the women who assisted with the registration.

### Axis Fleet Chief



Appointment of Nazi Admiral-General Wilhelm Marschall as commander of all axis naval forces in the Mediterranean puts a German in charge of the Italian navy.

### U. S. Airmen Pound Kiska

WASHINGTON—(AP)—American bombers and fighters blasted Japanese gun positions and buildings on Kiska Island in the Aleutians, the Navy announced Friday, in a violent, low level attack against the Japanese outpost last Wednesday.

Communicate, Number 307, said: "North Pacific: 1. On March 10th: (a) During the morning United States aircraft attacked Japanese positions at Kiska and scored bomb hits in the target area.

(b) Later in the morning, a force of Liberator heavy bombers (Consolidated B-24), Mitchell medium bombers (North American B-25) and Lightning fighters (Lockheed P-38) again attacked enemy installations at Kiska. Anti-aircraft batteries were bombed and strafed at low level and hits were scored. Three buildings in the camp area were damaged by heavy bomb hits. Anti-aircraft fire was encountered, but all United States planes returned.

"South Pacific: (all dates are east longitude) 2. On March 11, during the early morning, Liberator heavy bombers (Consolidated PE4Y) carried out minor bombing attacks on Japanese positions at Kahili and Ballale in the Shortland Island area and at Vila in the Central Solomons. Results were not observed. All United States planes returned."

### Boy Scouts Will Start Book Drive Saturday Morning

Midland Boy Scouts will launch one of their major war effort projects Saturday morning with a house-to-house canvass for the 1943 Victory Book Campaign. J. C. Peck, Cunningham, district Boy Scout chairman, and Don Betts, executive, are directing the drive.

The Scouts will pick up books for men in the Armed Forces, with every family being urged to give at least one good book.

The campaign in Midland is sponsored by the Midland County Library, the Red Cross, Soldiers' Service Club and Boy Scouts.

**Give Good Books**

Sponsors said "any book you really want to keep is a good one to give."

The books will be furnished men in all branches of the service, as well as being placed in soldier centers outside Army camps.

The Midland Bombardier School and the Midland Soldiers' Service Club will have first call at books collected here.

Citizens are asked to have their books ready to be picked up by Boy Scouts when they call Saturday.

Books may be left at the county library, the Soldier Center or at the Chamber of Commerce.

### B-17 Crew Bails Out Near Mineral Wells

HOBBS, N. M.—(AP)—All members of the crew of a B-17 bomber from the Hobbs Air Base bailed out safely about 9 p. m. Thursday, when their plane ran into trouble near Mineral Wells, Tex., base officials announced Friday.

Officials said the plane was on a routine training flight. Names of the crew and details of the accident were not released.

### Nazis Evacuate Vital Rail Center

MOSCOW—(AP)—Observers in Moscow had reason to believe Friday that the hard-hitting Red Army of the central front had captured Vyazma, a railway hub 130 miles west of Moscow and one of the toughest German strongholds of the Smolensk salient, although there was no official confirmation of the report.

A DNB broadcast from Berlin recorded by The Associated Press announced the German Army had evacuated Vyazma after demolishing military installations.

Vyazma, last of the famous corners of the Vyazma-Velikie Luki-Rzhev triangle, was the strongest outpost for the great German base of Smolensk, 230 miles west of the capital, and its fall would mean that the fast-driving Soviet offensive was advancing upon Smolensk from the east as well as the north-east.

Smashing through Bely the Russians already were within about 80 miles of Smolensk to the northeast.

To the south, however, the Russians were fighting a mighty defensive battle for Kharkov, the key communications center of the eastern Ukraine.

(A German communique said there was fighting in the streets of Kharkov. The war bulletin was broadcast by the Berlin radio.)

Although dispatches from that front said the Russians were bleeding the enemy white as he plunged for the prize and had plugged some gaps in the Soviet lines, official communique admitted that the defending forces were outnumbered by the German reserves thrown into the battle which now had veered to the west of the city.

**Nazis Make Attacks**

The Soviet mid-day communique said "strong enemy tank and infantry forces stormed our positions" west of Kharkov. "At the cost of heavy losses in material and manpower, the enemy succeeded in pressing back our units." To the south of the city, however, it was claimed that a German thrust had been thrown back with the loss of nine tanks.

On the central front numerous new victories were reported in the last 12 hours, including the capture of several towns and villages southwest of Gzhatsk on the road to Vyazma where the Red Army already had pulled up to within 15 miles of Vyazma.

### Measure To Defer Fathers May Get First Test Friday

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Legislation to defer fathers of children under 18 from military service appeared certain of its first congressional test in the Senate Friday.

Despite protests that the controversial proposal, offered as an amendment to a bill deferring essential farm workers from bearing arms, would jeopardize enactment of that measure Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) announced determination to begin debate on the subject.

"Whether or not I withdraw the amendment later," he said, "will depend on how it goes on the floor."

Wheeler explained that opposition to the amendment was based on the contention that if it were adopted the entire measure would run the risk of House rejection or a presidential veto.

### Bandit Gets \$9,000 From Houston Store

HOUSTON—(AP)—A slender bandit wearing a yellow jacket obtained \$9,000 in a liquor store holdup here late Thursday night. O. O. Campbell, manager of the store, reported to police.

Campbell said the robber entered his establishment at 1:40 p. m., and at gun point forced him to hand over a paper sack containing the money. The manager said the money had been withdrawn from the bank in anticipation of cashing shipyard workers' checks Friday.

**\$13,000,000,000 Is Asked In Loan Drive**

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A goal of \$13,000,000,000, largest in world history, has been set for the second war loan drive to be launched a month from Friday.

### WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change.

### War Bulletins

**LONDON—(AP)—Reuters said Friday in a dispatch datelined "Inside Europe" that Adolf Hitler was reliably reported to be recuperating at Berchtesgaden after recent nerve strain.**

**LONDON—(AP)—A strong formation of Allied planes was heard flying across the English Channel toward France Friday and vapor trails looped about the sky between Calais and Boulogne, as if dogfights were in progress.**

**LONDON—(AP)—The Vichy radio quoted advices from Vienna Friday as reporting the death of the Duchess of Bavaria, mother of Queen Mother Elizabeth of Belgium.**

**LONDON—(AP)—The Vichy radio quoted advices from Vienna Friday as reporting the death of the Duchess of Bavaria, mother of Queen Mother Elizabeth of Belgium.**

**LONDON—(AP)—The Vichy radio quoted advices from Vienna Friday as reporting the death of the Duchess of Bavaria, mother of Queen Mother Elizabeth of Belgium.**

# THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

Evenings (except Saturday) and Sunday Morning  
112 West Missouri — Midland, Texas.

JAMES N. ALLISON.....Editor and Publisher  
J. LEO McLAUGHLIN.....Advertising Manager

Entered as second-class matter at the post office at Midland, Texas,  
under the Act of March 30, 1919.

**Subscription Price**

One Year	\$7.00
Six Months	3.60
One Month	.65

**Advertising Rates**

Display advertising rates on application. Classified rate, 2¢ per word; minimum charge, 25¢. Local readers, 10¢ per line.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any persons, firm or corporation which may occur in the columns of The Reporter-Telegram will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the editor.

**MEMBER ASSOCIATED PRESS**

The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to use for publication all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and local news of spontaneous origin published herein.

A small rotten spot tends to spread and destroy the whole life: To be carnally minded is death.—Romans 8:6.

## Credit And Discredit

In a democracy such as our own where all people are free to think, to speak, and to act for themselves, there is always a great variety of opinions concerning a number of vital national problems. But there is one issue now before the country upon which most of us are agreed—that this war must be won and won as quickly as possible.

On the credit side of all-out war production, so essential to the winning of the war, we have great industries which have turned from the production of peacetime products to the production of ships, planes, tanks, guns, trucks, and hundreds of other war needs with the greatest possible speed. We have millions of skilled workers who are not only performing their regular tasks but are helping the new workers to learn new war jobs. We have housewives, businessmen, the handicapped, and even older children who spend either a part of their time or their whole time in the war plants.

These are the 100 per cent loyal Americans who, while giving up many of the things they are accustomed to having, are putting in extra time, extra money, and extra effort for the common good. They are the people who will win this war and keep its cost in lives and in dollars to a minimum.

On the debit side we have those who would make a profit or a holiday out of the war. These thoughtless or unpatriotic men and women are not only unwilling to give up the things to which they are accustomed, but actually stay away from their jobs or go out on strike because they want more leisure or more money.

Between unauthorized strikes and unwarranted absenteeism, America is losing millions of man-hours that should be devoted to the production of weapons so urgently needed by our armed forces.

The great majority of the American people who are doing their jobs have every right to expect equal effort from those who shirk by staying away from their work without good or sufficient reasons, or striking for any reason at all.

Resentment toward these strikers and absentees is rising on all sides. It is reflected in the press, at public meetings, and in Congress. If those who are now clogging the war effort, through any one of a dozen devices, cannot see the light in time it is more than likely that effective measures will be taken to control them.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

## Same Objective

Small business must be saved if the free enterprise system is to be saved. No one knows this better than large business. How to keep small business afloat in the growing flood restrictions on the supply and distribution of materials, is a grave problem.

Senator Murray of Montana, chairman of the special Senate committee on small business, has pointed out in effect that the banks are carrying the main burden at present in keeping small business alive. The banker, more than any other agency, is in a position to aid business in meeting financial and operational difficulties.

Consultation with the banker often spells new life for an enterprise otherwise faced with extinction from the exigencies of war. And every enterprise thus saved is as valuable to the cause of freedom as a military victory. Conversely, every independent enterprise that closes its doors is in the nature of a defeat.

The business man who goes to the banker with his "war problems" will get a sympathetic hearing. They are both striving for the same thing, the maintenance of a system under which they can continue to do business as free men. Unless this system is saved, the war will have been lost, irrespective of who fires the last shot.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

## To Mrs. America

Each day, throughout the nation, Mrs. America goes about the job of keeping her home at top efficiency and her family well fed, well clothed, and in good health.

No glamour job has Mrs. America, but a vital one. She is a wartime working girl and her uniform is the familiar apron. She is working all three shifts, putting in sixteen hours a day seven days a week, and her only time-and-a-half is the satisfaction she gets out of a job well done for her family, her home, and her country.

One of the reasons why Mrs. America goes about her daily task with confidence is because she knows that behind her is the finest producing organization in the world, one that will provide not only the necessities of war but the abundance of a new peace, in the making of which she is playing such an important part.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

## Burning Cities

Civilian Defense Director Landis undoubtedly is correct in believing that Herr Hitler would like pictures of burning American cities to show to his people. He is sound in urging that all communities take reasonable precautions against raids, and maintain their warden and fire-fighting services at top efficiency.

Nevertheless, we are glad that people aren't getting hot and bothered about the probability of Nazi bombing raids. The course of the war still leaves such attacks mechanically possible, but renders their probability very small.

The hillbillies are among those allowed three pairs of shoes a year. Now to find a way to make them wear 'em,

## Post-War Planning In The Reich



## Shortage Of Feed Is Becoming More Acute Over State

AUSTIN —(P)— Shortage of cottonseed cake for feeding Texas livestock is becoming more acute and rain is needed for ranges, the USDA's bureau of agricultural economics reported Friday.

Reviewing range and livestock conditions as of March 1, the USDA said, however, that "Texas cattle and sheep were wintering in fair to good flesh."

The report added: Rain was needed in all parts of the state to assure spring range feed.

Feeding of roughage and grains has been "fair" where available, and shrinkage has been held to a minimum.

Rain badly needed

A good rain to start grass would lessen the need for protein concentrates. Most extreme southern county ranchers were feeding pear. Cat pastures in the Edwards Plateau and North Central counties have not supplied the usual feed.

Cattle are in fair to good flesh. Reported condition of cattle on March 1 was 80 per cent of normal, a decline of 2 points during February.

Sheep were reported at 78 per cent of normal condition on March 1, a decline of 3 points during February. Plenty of dry grass is generally available on most ranges, but the very cold weather during January killed most winter weed growth and dry weather has retarded new weed and grass growth.

By Rep. Harley Sadler of Sweetwater, the bill would require corporations, pipeline companies and common purchasers to buy all crude offered in any amount not in excess of the allowable production of wells or fields as fixed by the Railroad Commission's schedules.

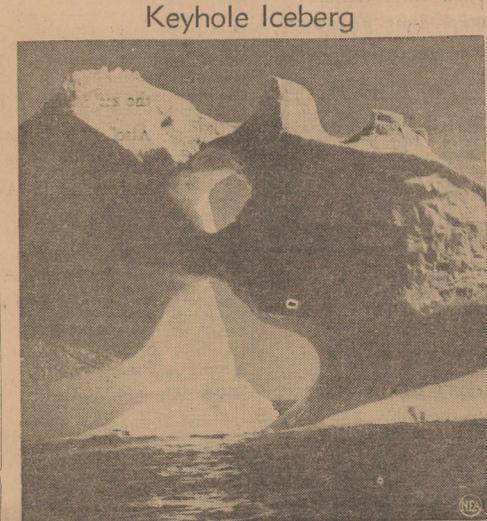
Crash Kills Three Hunter Field Fliers

SAVANNAH, GA.—(P)— Three fliers from Hunter Field, Savannah Army Air Base, were killed Friday when a light bomber crashed on the southeastern section of the field. Lieut. C. E. Edwards, assistant public relations officer, announced.

The dead included: Lieut. Ernest A. Edens of Corrigan, Tex., parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred F. Edens.

Finland has a national debt of less than \$25 per person.

Keyhole Iceberg



(Official U. S. Navy Photo from NEA) Like other blonds, this picturesque iceberg is beautiful but dangerous. Only a fraction of its treacherous mass lies above the surface.

## Livestock

FORT WORTH—(P)—Livestock: butcher hogs: top of 14.75 paid by packers. Medium and good fed steers and yearlings 13.00 to top of 15.50; good beef cows 11.25-12.25; bull prices ranged from 9.00-12.75; good fat calves 13.50-14.25; stocker steer calves topped at 15.00 with best heifer calves to 14.50. Medium to choice grades of stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 11.00-15.00.

Good and choice 200-300 lb butcher hogs 14.75 and good 160-190 lb averages at 13.75 to 14.65. Packing hogs sold at 14.00 down and stocker pigs at 12.50-13.00.

Good and choice woolled and milk lambs 14.75 with recently shorn lambs at 12.00. Good and choice ewes sold up to 8.75 feeder lambs went out at 14.00 down.

Seven Fliers Killed In Crash Of Bomber

TUCSON, ARIZ.—(P)— A B-24 bomber crashed in the desert two miles south of a landing field at the Davis-Monthan Air Base late Thursday killing seven of its crew of 10 and injuring three, one critically.

None of the dead or injured was listed as being from the Southwest.

DR. FLOWERS TO BE MADE COLLEGE HEAD

SAN MARCOS —(P)— Dr. J. G. Flowers will be inaugurated as president of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College Saturday following a two-day conference of Texas educators beginning at the college Friday.

RETURNS FROM McCAMEY

Mrs. Henry Thomas returned Thursday night from McCamey where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Currie and family for the last week.

GOERING IN ROME

NEW YORK —(P)— Reichsmarschal Goering arrived in Rome last Saturday and is conferring with Italian officials there, the Dakar radio said in a broadcast reported Friday to the Office of War Information. The broadcast was beamed to the French Empire.

TIN TUBE TOTALS ANNOUNCED

Shipments of collapsible tin tubes from Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana amounted to 18,785 pounds during January, the regional OWI office has been advised by the Tin Salvage Institute of Newark, N. J. This material will yield about a third of its weight in pure tin, a critical material being used in war production.

Finland has a national debt of less than \$25 per person.

## Committee Backs Plan To Permit Discount On Tax

WASHINGTON —(P)—The House ways and means committee Friday approved a plan to reduce by as much as 4 per cent the tax obligations of persons paying income taxes before they come due, thus encouraging individuals to go on a pay-as-you-go basis.

Word of this action came shortly after President Roosevelt expressed opposition to the Ruml skip-a-year tax plan on the ground that the net return to the government under that plan would be less.

Under the ways and means committee proposal a taxpayer remitting any part of the taxes on his current year's income by March 15 would be given a discount of 4 per cent on that part, by June 15—3 per cent, September 15—2 per cent, and December 15—1 per cent.

Thus if any taxpayer desired to estimate the tax obligation on his 1943 income and pay up before March 15, in addition to paying his 1942 tax obligation, he would get the discount depending on how early the payment was made.

## Midland --

(Continued from page 1)

brothers, of Midland, No. 1 Amerada-J. Todd estate et al., Western Crockett County discovery prospect, failed. Packer was set at 6,829 feet, with total depth 6,876 feet. Operators reconditioned hole and early Friday were trying another test. The well indicated production on first drillstem test, from 6,795 to 6,876 feet, when it filled 420 feet with drilling fluid in 20 minutes, showing a slight oil and gas "cut" throughout the fluid, with the top 10 feet free, 40-gravity, green oil. Zone indicating production is the crinoidal lime of the Strawn, lower Pennsylvanian, which pays off in the Todd Deep pool about seven miles to the east.

In East Central Reagan County, Humboldt No. 1-B Sawyer Cattle Company of Texas is drilling below 4,480 feet in shale. It topped lime in the Permian at 2,240 feet.

Col-Tex Refining Company No. 1 W. N. Reed et al., Northwestern Sterling County Ordovician test, is drilling below 8,740 feet in black shale.

Ceres In McKee Horizon

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 20 State-Walton, North Central Winkler deep well, is reaming hole, bottomed at 9,894 feet in green sand. At total depth it probably is in the McKee sand horizon of the Simpson, middle Ordovician. Core from 9,860-75 feet returned eight feet, the top seven feet silty, sandy shale and the bottom foot shaly sand, with no shows. Coring from 9,875-94 recovered 15 feet and 10 inches of green shaly sand which graded into dry green sand in the bottom four feet.

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 W. D. Blue estate, Eastern Winkler Ordovician test, remained shut down for orders at 9,437 feet in lime.

North Basin

Anhydrite was topped at 2,120 feet by George P. Livermore, Inc., No. 1 G. C. Thomas, Southeastern Hockley County wildcat, east of Ropesville, and it is drilling ahead past 2,300 feet in anhydrite and salt.

In Eastern Central Yoakum County, Barnsdall Oil Company No. 1 H. D. Heath is drilling below 7,181 feet in dolomite.

Standard Oil & Gas Company No. 15 American Warehouse Company, Northeastern Gaines County 11,000-foot Ordovician test in the shallow Cedar Lake pool, is drilling below 3,648 feet in anhydrite.

Russian Oil Wells Put In Production

MOSCOW —(P)— The oil wells of Neftegorsk, 13 miles from Maikop in the Caucasus, have begun functioning and those at Maikop soon will start. Pravda, the government newspaper, said Friday.

The newspaper repeated previous Soviet reports that the Germans never were able to operate the wells.

## Routing Of 1,800 Tons Of Soybeans May Aid Ranchers

COLLEGE STATION —(P)— Routing by the Commodity Credit Corporation of 1,800 tons of additional soybeans to Texas mills for crushing with the Texas USDA War Board hopes, break the protein feed shortage in some Texas areas.

The mills set outright to livestock producers. Until last week only 24 Texas mills were operating under CCC crushing contracts, but 35 additional mills signed contracts this week and the latest shipments brings soybeans contracted for by Texas mills within the past two months to 119,000 tons, B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA War Board, disclosed.

The 119,000 tons are expected to yield 95,000 tons of protein meal for livestock feeding purposes.

Operating under contract with the Commodity Credit Corporation, Texas mills which crush northern soybeans are permitted to sell one-half of the meal to livestock producers, while the remaining one-half is retained by the CCC for shipment into critical areas through the state USDA War Board.

## Ickes Asked To Increase Texas Oil Production

AUSTIN —(P)— Before Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes Friday was a recommendation from the Texas Railroad Commission for substantially increased crude oil production in April for immediate utilization of West Texas sour crudes to process high octane aviation gasoline.

Chairman Beauford H. Jester informed Ickes by telegram that Gulf Coast oil fields had been unable to produce the 50,000-barrel sweet crude increase certified for March without waste.

Jester in an interview suggested that Texas allowable for April be increased 50,000 barrels while Commissioner C. H. Culberson advocated a boost of 130,000 barrels. Crude oil production for the state last week totaled 1,470,000 barrels.

Jester asked Ickes for authority to distribute ratably the production certified in the monthly PAW directives among fields that can produce without waste and with adequate transportation facilities.

The telegram cited stock levels "and the necessity for building up stocks in accordance with seasonal requirements to suggested levels" as justifying a higher allowable next month.

## Crossing Accident Toll Is Mounting

CHICAGO —(P)— A mounting toll of accidents at many of the nation's 230,000 railroad crossings is accompanying the heavy increase in wartime rail traffic, the National Safety Council said Friday.

The council reported the accidents daily delay an average of 38 trains a total of 22 hours and are seriously retarding transportation of vital war materials. In the past year, 2,000 persons were killed and 4,700 were injured in grade crossing accidents.

Such accidents were reported by Col. John Stillwell, council president, as increasing at "alarming rate, and the resulting waste of vital material and the delays in transporting troops and supplies are hindering the war effort."

## Mess Company Wins Over 491st Cagers

The 491st bombardier training quintet, generally recognized in AAF bombardier school sport circles as the one who bumps off the leaders, bowed humbly Thursday night to the mess company in a court contest, 30 to 26.

Pvt. Monty Jacobson of the 491st was high-point man of the game with 14 points but was unable to pull his team through to a win. In the other contest of the evening, the 494th defeated the Ordnance company, 27 to 18.

## WESTERN CAFE

C.O. Fredregill - C.J. Baker  
110 South Main



When fire strikes a home, it usually does a complete job of it. Full coverage insurance will protect you completely from the ravages of fire, and it costs very little. Investigate today.

SPARKS & BARRON  
Tel. 79 First Natl. Bank Bldg.

## Sweet Milk Ceiling Prices In Southwest Adjusted Upward

DALLAS —(P)— Ceiling prices for sweet milk in Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas are adjusted upward by an Office of Price Administration order effective Saturday which OPA said it hoped would mean increased milk production for a war-busy Southwest.

The order, second adjustment within two months, moves up the ceiling price range for quarts sold at retail from a 12-cent low and a 15-cent top to a 13-cent low and a 15 1/2-cent top.

Generally speaking it pushes the price of quarts sold at retail up one cent and the price of quarts sold at wholesale up one half cent. It sets also both retail and wholesale ceilings for quantities more and less than a quart.

Six Areas Set

Eliminating the two zones set up in the January order which it replaces, the new regulation retains six classes which it lists as areas, with retail ceilings for quarts of 13 cents in area three; 13 1/2 in area two; 14 in area two-A; 14 1/2 in area one; 15 in area one-A, and 15 1/2 in area A.

The majority of cities and towns in the region retain under the new order the same area (class) listing as under the January order. However, OPA explained, where there had been individual reclassifications since January those cities might appear under the new regulation in another area.

OPA explained that the 13-cent top would be in effect over the widest area, taking in a majority of the smaller places.

Max McCullough, regional OPA administrator, said that OPA anticipated that the producer and retailer would get the benefit of the price increase allowed by the order and emphasized: "A further increase in the price of milk in this region simply cannot be granted except where gross inequities exist."

Choices Offered

Eating establishments are offered under the regulation a choice of using their established price under the general maximum price regulation, or of determining their maximum price by adding to the wholesale price established by the regulation three cents per pint; two and one-half cents per one-half quart; or two cents per one-half pint.

A seller who distributes 60 per cent or more of his milk in a given place may, under the order, carry his ceiling with him into a community with a lower ceiling, provided that the milk he sells in the area with a lower ceiling is approved for sale for human consumption under the sanitary, health, and other local requirements of the area in which more than 50 per cent of his total sales occur.

A breakdown of areas by cities in Texas includes:

Area 1A: Midland, Big Spring.

Area 1: Monahans and Odessa.

## Nazis Railroad French To Work In War Program

BERN —(P)— Only paralysis or a severe case of tuberculosis can save a French youth from Germany's program of mobilizing French workers for the Nazi war industries, under which France literally is being bled white of manpower, dispatches from France said Friday.

Medical examinations are being held throughout France in an effort to fill the German demands for workers, but the young men selected "fit" with reason that they are simply being railroaded to Germany, a dispatch from Marseille to the Tribune de Geneve said.

The youths are given a casual thump on the chest and even those who "normally" because of illness would be rejected for military service are declared "fit," the dispatch said. "No illness except serious tuberculosis or paralysis obtains grace from the examining doctors, who rarely ask the youths to remove their shirts."

HOUPPE VISITS MIDLAND

Charley Houpp is here on furlough from Providence, R. I., where he is a third class petty officer in the Navy.

## AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666

666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

## Banner CREAMERY

• ICE  
• MILK  
• BUTTER  
• ICE CREAM

HELPING BUILD WEST TEXAS

## VOLUME SPECIAL

Pants  
Skirts  
Blouses  
Shirts  
Light Wt. Sweaters

19c (Service Men Inc.)

Suits  
Plain Dresses

39c

TULLOS CLEANERS  
Growing With Midland

## Relax and Reduce THE EXERCISE WAY

All Exercises Personally Supervised. Ask About Our Steam Baths.

MODERN HEALTH CLINIC  
1200 W. Wall Midland

SICK ROOM SUPPLIES

PRESCRIPTIONS Compounded from only the Purest Drugs

WATCH REPAIRING

PALACE DRUG And JEWELRY CO.  
108 S. Main St.

## Midland - Odessa BUS LINE SCHEDULE

Leave Midland - Odessa	Leave Airport
5:25 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
5:55 A.M.	6:30 A.M.
6:25 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
6:55 A.M.	7:30 A.M.
7:25 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
7:55 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
8:25 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
8:55 A.M.	9:30 A.M.
9:25 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
9:55 A.M.	10:30 A.M.
10:25 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
10:55 A.M.	11:30 A.M.
11:25 A.M.	12:10 Midnight

Buses Saturday every 30 minutes from 12:30 p.m. until 2 a.m. Sunday. Last bus 2 a. m. Sunday.

# SOCIETY

## Pattison-Mayhew Wedding Vows Read In Single Ring Ceremony

In a single ring ceremony read at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the First Presbyterian Church, Miss Polle Pattison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Pattison of Midland, became the bride of Sgt. Robert Mayhew of Milford, Ill. The Rev. Hubert Hopper, pastor, read the nuptial lines.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white wool dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was an orchid. For something old, the bride wore her mother's gold bracelet that she wore when she married, and for something borrowed Mrs. Mayhew wore a necklace.

**Mrs. Elliott Plays**  
Miss Doris Alkire of Midland was maid of honor and she wore a brown and white dotted suit with matching white accessories. Gladioli was her corsage.

The bride's mother wore a blue suit with black accessories and a gladioli corsage.

Corporal Jack Pattison, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mrs. John Elliott played "My Heart at Thy Sweet Love" as the prelude and Lohengrin's wedding march.

Mrs. Mayhew is a 1942 graduate of Midland High School and now is employed at The Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Guests attending the ceremony included Mr. and Mrs. Pattison, Dolores Pattison, sister of the bride, Mrs. L. J. Scruggs, Mrs. J. B. Sanders, Misses Aileen Oldham, Glenna Banks, Marguerite Lee and Winona Jones, and Sgt. Flishte, Corp. De Luca, Pvt. Biegala, Sgt. Ebbeloy, Pvt. and Mrs. J. Beercheck, Pfc. A. Monaco, Pfc. T. Martinez, Sgt. A. Ralph, Mrs. Helen Stiek, Mrs. Forum, Mrs. Hubert Hopper, Mrs. D. M. Secor and Mrs. Elliott.

The bridegroom graduated from Milford High School and was a member of Paul Whiteman's Orchestra before entering the armed forces. He now is a trumpet player with the "Hell From Heaven Swingsters" of the Midland AAF Bombarrier School.

## Coming Events

**SATURDAY**  
Mrs. Eula Mahoney and Mrs. J. A. Mascho will be hostesses at the Soldiers Service Club.

The Robyn Music Club will meet at 10 o'clock at the Watson School of Music.

Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

Treble Clef Music Club will meet at 1 o'clock at the Watson School of Music.

**Talented Singer Will Appear With Show To Be Presented At Field**  
Nineteen-year-old 1943 version of the last generation's "red hot mamas" is "Tiny" Ellen Sutton, buxom singer who will appear with the Camel Caravan when it moves into the Midland AAF Bombarrier School's new Post Service Club for two performances on Tuesday, March 16.

The young warbler with the lusty voice hails from Pittsburgh, from a family that has generations of singers in it. She made her first success on Pittsburgh radio, then trekked west for engagements in California.

"Tiny" is but one of a troupe of stars from radio, stage and screen who will present an hour show of fun, music and novelty acts.

## We, the Women

By Ruth Millett

Correspondents with the armed forces in Tunisia are sending back stories to our newspapers which should come under the heading of required reading for all civilians. These stories tell us not only of the dangers that the American soldier is facing, but also of the discomfort caused by cold, heat, mud, lack of shelter and bathing facilities; discomfort which, unlike danger never let up.

Reading these dispatches from day to day ought to make civilians increasingly ashamed to grumble about anything. For no matter how much we may think we have given up, our life is still luxury compared with that of a soldier on the fighting front.

Our houses may not be as warm as we like them, but we aren't sleeping in the mud. Marketing may be a harder job than it used to be, but we're getting three hot meals a day.

**Our Lives Are Easy**  
Our sons or husbands or brothers may be at sea or in a foreign country, but we are going on with the old life, seeing friends, having a comparatively easy time of it.

It's easy to grumble about a few conveniences and to consider them terrible hardships if we have no conception of what life is like for the men who are fighting our war. But there isn't any excuse for our not knowing.

The newspapermen whose stories we read are sharing danger and discomfort with the soldiers to tell us what that life is like. The least we can do is read what they have to say and then consider our own wartime "hardships."

## GARDNER IS SUPERVISOR

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Texas Employment Compensation Commission announced Friday that Dr. Charles S. Gardner has succeeded Dr. Joseph U. Yarborough as supervisor of the merit system.

## BILL GOES TO SENATE COMMITTEE NEXT WEEK

AUSTIN—(AP)—Stamped with House approval, the labor union registration bill moves to the Senate labor committee next Wednesday for a public hearing.

## DONT SCRUB FALSE TEETH AWAY

USE MODERN KLEENITE TODAY!

You will be surprised how easily and quickly KLEENITE removes scum-like film, stain and offensive denture odors—how your false teeth can be made to feel and look like new without injurious brushing or scrubbing.

Just dissolve a teaspoon of KLEENITE in a glass of water—immerse dentures for a few minutes, or better still, over night, and you cannot fail to note how delightfully different they look and feel.

Send penny post card for free 10-day proof to: Kleenite, Dept. X-10, Rochester, N. Y. At Midland, Cameron, Palace and all Good Druggists.

## Better Than Walking



Three Hollywood lovelies get set for a form of locomotion that requires no gas or tires and provides far more exercise of that figure-slimming type than does walking.

## Native Of Russia Who Knows Horrors Of War Will Speak To Federation

Mrs. L. S. Loomis, native of Russia who fled from Belgium when the country was invaded by the Nazis, will be principal speaker at the regular meeting of the City-County Federation of Women's Clubs at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Loomis, who has seen her share of grim warfare, will speak on the terrors of war and of her experiences in fleeing to a free land. She will stress the importance of cooperation in the war effort and will urge women to join the American Women's Voluntary Services of which she is an honorary member. Barely escaped death three times during blitzes and her parents were killed by enemies. She has spent a large portion of her time serving in the war effort against the enemy. In London she was a Red Cross nurse, and her talents as a singer and composer were used in entertaining men of the RAF.

Her husband, Lyman Stevens Loomis of Ohio, is now a flight instructor at Curtis Field in Brady. The Modern Study Club will have charge of the program, and Mrs. George Vannaman, president, especially invites all women of Midland and wives of men at the Midland AAF Bombarrier School to attend.

Bonds and stamps may be purchased at the door, and Mrs. W. W. Phillips, war service chairman of Midland federated clubs, will be in charge of sales.

## Neatness Plus



Everything that has to be done around the house will seem to get done in almost no time when you're wearing this frock. It is one of the most efficient and flattering styles ever. Once on, it stays neat and attractive right through the day.

Pattern No. 8288 is in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 42, 44, 46 and 48. Size 16 takes 4 1/8 yards 36-inch material. 6 yards ric-rac to trim.

For this attractive pattern, send 15 cents, plus 1 cent for postage, in coins, with your name, address, pattern number and size to The Reporter-Telegram, Today's Pattern Service, 530 South Wells Street, Chicago, Ill.

Save fabric! See a dozen new ways to re-make old garments into useful new fashions in our enlarged spring pattern book and sewing guide, FASHION, just published. It contains 98 new patterns, has 52 pages. The price is 25c.

## Hope for folks pestered by KIDNEY PAIN

No more getting up at night! Swamp Root quickly relieves bladder pain and backache due to sluggish kidneys—makes restful sleep possible.

Thousands of middle-aged folks say Swamp Root helps them sleep like they did when young. Swamp Root flushes out painful acid sediment from the kidneys, enabling them to do a thorough job before going to bed. So there's no urge to get up at night.

In addition, Swamp Root quickly relieves bladder pain, backache and that general "misery" that comes from laxy-acting kidneys. You can't miss its wonderful tonic effect. Swamp Root was originally created by a well-known physician, Dr. Kilmer. It combines 16 herbs, roots and balaams—all good ingredients that help you feel better fast.

Try this remarkable stomachic and intestinal liquid tonic today. Thousands have found relief with only one bottle of Swamp Root. Be sure to follow directions on package. All druggists sell Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root.

## Save 3 Ways WITH THIS NEW SPEED POLISH

SAVE TIME—SAVE WORK SAVE FURNITURE  
Now, more than ever, furniture, floors and woodwork need genuine O-Cedar protection! This famous polish guards precious wood surfaces against dryness and cracking—preserves the finish as it cleans and beautifies. 49c

WAX FLOORS BRIGHTER & FASTER WITH O-CEGAR  
Use O-Cedar Self-Polishing Wax, that spreads evenly and thinly—requires no rubbing or hard work. 80c

CONCEAL UGLY NICKS & SCRATCHES  
O-Cedar Touch-Up Polish revives dull and damaged wood finishes—conceals scars and blemishes. Easy to use. 25c

O-Cedar SOLVES YOUR WARTIME CLEANING PROBLEMS

## Lucky Thirteen Club Is Entertained With St. Patrick Party

With husbands as special guests, members of the Lucky Thirteen Club entertained with a St. Patrick's Day party Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hall, 1004 West Tennessee.

Decorations in the home carried out the St. Patrick theme.

Mrs. Ellis Connor won high score for women and high score for men went to C. H. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Myrick were visitors, and members present included Mrs. Jack McClurg, Mrs. Houston Sikes and Bill Cole and Messrs. and Mmes. Jim Walker, J. C. Hudman, B. M. Hays, Ellis Connor, C. H. Shepard, Delbert Downing, H. S. Collins, and Hall.

## List Of Certificates Announced By Board

The Midland County Rationing Board has issued the following certificates:

Passenger automobiles: W. E. Wallace, Roy Parks and Honolulu Oil Corporation.  
Bicycles: Edith M. Payne and Dale J. Gentry.  
Passenger tires, grade 1: R. L. York, Floyd C. Cummings, Forest Development Corporation, McQueen & Clevenger and Bascom E. O'Neal.

Passenger tires, grade 2: Jesus Carrasco, Alfredo Tarango and Mrs. Elwood V. Bossaard.  
Passenger tires, grade 3: Alfredo Tarango, T. W. Adair, W. E. King, Elgin Jones, Frank Taylor, Luther M. Speed, W. E. Francis, Cecil A. Long and Harold H. Hines.

Truck tires: Midland-Odesa Bus Line, Gaylord Construction, Mrs. B. W. Floyd, City of Midland, John Hoskins, T. R. Harbin, Felix Cox, N. B. Garner, Elmer E. Harrington, Ted E. Smith and V. C. Bilbo Transportation.

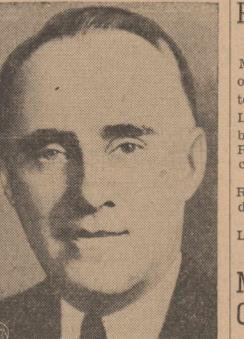
Truck tubes: James E. Davis, Midland-Odesa Bus Line, Mrs. O. H. Raggett, John Joskins, A. & L. Lumber Company, Ted B. Smith, V. C. Bilbo Transportation Company and T. R. Harbin.

Truck recaps: H. W. & Richard Hinkle, Felix Cox, Gibbins & Heasley and John Hoskins.

Farm implement tires: J. D. Bartlett.

Rubber boots: Wade Ellison.

## Joins NLRB



John M. Houston, former congressman from Wichita, Kan., has been nominated by President Roosevelt to a \$10,000-a-year National Labor Relations Board post.

## STUDENTS GET CARDS

Students in the Midland High School received their six weeks' report cards Thursday.

A home catches fire on the average of every minute and a half in the United States.

## Miss Lola Bryan And Pvt. J. A. Brown Wed

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryan of Midland announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lola Bryan, to Pvt. Jake A. Brown, son of Mrs. Lillie Mae Brown of Decatur, Alabama Monday at the home of the Rev. W. J. Piersol, who read the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryan, and R. S. Culp were the couple's attendants.

Pvt. Brown is stationed at the Lubbock Army Flying School.

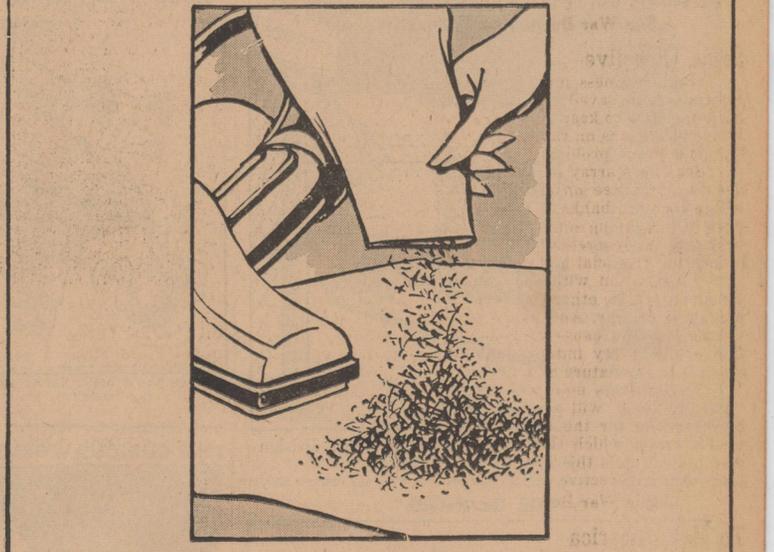
## Miss Corey Is Bride Of Cadet R. A. Meyer

Miss Adele Beulah Corey of Springfield, Ill. and Cadet Richard Alan Meyer of the Midland AAF Bombarrier School were married Tuesday at the post chapel by William Nevil, minister at the school. Cadet and Mrs. Charles Millan attended the couple.

**CHILD'S COLDS**  
Relieve misery direct—without "dosing"  
**VICK'S VAPORUB**  
RUB ON

**FIRST CHOICE**  
of Particular Housewives  
is **WHITE SWAN**  
Fine Foods  
THEY GIVE MORE  
"EATING PLEASURE" FOR  
EVERY RATION POINT

## How to Help Your Cleaner Work Faster and Last Longer\*



You can do housecleaning faster and better if your vacuum cleaner dust bag is emptied after each use. Excess dust in the bag slows up the air flow and reduces the suction of the cleaner.

Also oil your cleaner as recommended by the manufacturer and pick up hair pins and other articles that might damage the fan or clog the brush. Avoid letting the cord become twisted or frayed.

Your vacuum cleaner is a valuable investment that may be difficult to replace. Timely repairs by an electric shop that specializes in such work will put your cleaner in first-class shape and keep it working for the duration.

\*This message is one of a series designed to aid you in getting the maximum benefit from your present electrical equipment.

**TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY**  
R. L. MILLER, Manager

## Early Bird



One of the first and youngest of the nation's victory gardeners, 4-year-old Nancy Squires of Newport News, Va., totes the tools to get the job started although early spring climate still calls for heavy coat.

**YOU WOMEN WHO SUFFER FROM HOT FLASHES**  
If you suffer from hot flashes, dizziness, dizziness of "irregularities" are weak, nervous—due to the functional "middle-age" period in a woman's life—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It's helped thousands upon thousands of women to relieve such annoying symptoms. Follow label directions. Pinkham's Compound is worth trying!

**SPECIAL SUITS and DRESSES**  
Cleaned & Pressed  
**49c**  
**PETROLEUM Cleaners**  
Next to Yucca

# SERIAL STORY *Glider Girl*

By OREN ARNOLD  
Copyright, 1943  
NEA Service, Inc.

THE STORY: Capt. James Carr and his passenger, Pat Friday, are vainly greeted in Cleveland and Chicago, their first stops on a transcontinental glider flight. Pat has a bad case of fitters at first, but soon recovers her poise and wins the admiration of the press and public. She is very happy, though very tired, when her day's work is done. All is going well. When she enters her hotel room and switches on the light, she is shocked to find Loraine Stuart standing there. In Loraine's voice there is anger—in her hand there is a gun.

## CAPTAIN CARR'S ORDERS

### CHAPTER XI

PAT froze in her tracks. Then she squeezed her eyes shut and sighed again, understanding; she had been more fatigued than she realized, because here was a horrible apparition. She had had no idea her nerves were in such state.

But next moment, the apparition spoke again.

"So you thought you could get by with it!" she snapped. "Well, you can't, my cheap little cat!" Pat opened her eyes. Then she knew! That really was Loraine Stuart and that really was a gun in her hand, impossible as it all was.

"You—you—" Pat stammered, lamely.

"Yes, me, me! And don't you open that door or scream. Or do anything I don't tell you to!"

Pat exhaled, relaxing now. What had been fear of an apparition, oddly enough was not fear of the real thing. All at once she was not the slightest bit afraid of Loraine nor of her gun either. She was just astonished, and angry.

"Loraine, what in the world!"

"You'll find out."

"I—I don't understand this. Your being here!"

"You didn't expect me!"

"No!"

Loraine laughed, mirthlessly.

"Loraine, please I—goodness!"

"I could kill you."

"Oh don't be stupid! Put the gun down!"

Pat started to move but Loraine made a gesture with the automatic pistol. Her face was white with anger, too.

"You stay where you are! Don't you think I know how to shoot? Aren't you afraid?"

Pat actually sighed. "I suppose I'm too tired, Loraine. But to tell you the truth, I think you're being a fool. I know you are. I—I was much more afraid of you without a gun."

That was confession, and all at

once Pat regretted it. Suddenly, too, Pat realized that she herself was being a fool. If this crazed girl before her really had a loaded pistol—and there was no mistaking it—then she could really shoot to kill. Pat's mind began to click more sensibly. She had to deal with this in another way.

"Loraine, I—I—please lower the gun. Sit down and let's talk."

"I'm doing the talking, Friday! You're doing the listening. I told you once before to let Jimmy Carr alone. I meant what I said!"

"I haven't done a thing to him."

She mimicked. "You haven't done a thing to him!"

"But I haven't! He snatched me up and forced me—" Pat stopped. No, darn it, she wouldn't put the blame on Jimmy! Not even if this crazy girl did shoot. "I mean, well you weren't there and it was necessary for somebody to go. Some woman!"

"So you horned in. You!"

Pat felt pride stirring. "What if I did? Jimmy didn't object!"

Centuries passed while the two stared at each other, eyes to eyes. But in the time there, Pat was thinking furiously, too. Something inside her told her that this was in truth the showdown moment, and that she had a chance to win.

PAT leisurely turned to cross the room. Would the shot hit her in the back? Kill her instantly? Leave her bleeding in a tragedy? All the horror of such a pain surged through her mind, but she went to an overstuffed chair and sat down. Loraine had not moved.

"Loraine, you are a fool, and you are too cowardly to shoot anybody. Put that gun down and I'll talk to you. If you don't, I'll ring downstairs, or scream or whatever is necessary to get you arrested and jailed—and probably hung!" Pat was bluffing de luxe now.

But Loraine slid into a chair. The pistol rested on her lap.

"Why don't you let him alone?" Loraine almost pleaded it. Pat eyed her quickly, catching the change of tone.

Pat remembered stories about women who always outwitted everybody, male or female; women who were psychologically always in control of every situation. Pat felt like a kindergarten kid.

"Why don't you let him alone?" Loraine repeated. "Why do you keep annoying him?"

"Do you want to know the truth?" asked Pat.

The other girl stared.

"I love the man," Pat said, coolly. "I admit it, because I'm sure it's no secret to you, Loraine. But I tell you one thing—I'm not the dirty little chiseler I might be, and that you think me to be. I haven't done a thing! Not one thing to—to try and impress him. I swear it, Loraine. And I'll tell you why. Oh don't think I'm being generous, darn you, Loraine Stuart! I don't think you're worthy of him, and that's flat! I wish I could get him. But he's blind, and he loves you."

Loraine managed her disdainful smile. Here, at least, was a crumb of satisfaction.

"He's blind, and he loves me!" she mimicked again. "Then you're so much better looking?"

"It wasn't speaking of looks. I was talking about love."

"Oh-h-h-h!" That was sarcastic in tone.

"Now about this soaring flight," Pat resumed. "You were not there at 11, and I helped Jimmy save face. Eleven o'clock meant 11! This is the Army, Loraine! We couldn't let Jimmy down! But—but if you had a good excuse—I mean, I tried to tell Jimmy that you probably were just delayed, and—well goodness, what in the world are you doing here? In this room?"

This was Loraine's moment for triumph.

"You're getting out," she said. "Out of the room and out of the flight. I was to make that trip, and I still am. I'm rated above you as a pilot!"

"I know that," Pat said, "of course."

"Then get out! And if you don't obey me, then I'll make you—with this!" Loraine took a paper from her coat and held it toward Patsy. "You needn't think you're so damned smart!"

The gun lay forgotten now, but hatred on Loraine's face was even more dangerous looking. Pat took the paper, recognized it at once.

It was unmistakably an Army order, correct as to form. It commanded Miss Patricia Friday to leave the transcontinental soaring flight at once and return to Elmira for duty, and in her place put Miss Loraine Stuart as originally planned. It even implied that there might be hell to pay because Pat had dared come along.

Pat was to return in the same airplane that had rushed Loraine to Chicago. A pilot was waiting. Worst, though, was the fact that the order was signed by Capt. James Carr, himself.

(To Be Continued)

# McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority  
This is the fifth of a series of 12 articles on the new laws of contract bridge.

The revoke laws have undergone several important changes, the most important of which is that a player cannot make an intentional revoke and gain thereby. From time immemorial there have been arguments as to whether or not an intentional revoke could be made legally. It was always considered bad ethics but was not covered by the law.

The new code clearly states that if the two-trick penalty is not sufficient to right the wrong result-

ing from the revoke, the players upon agreement among themselves, must give the declarer all of the tricks to which he is entitled.

Friday's hand brings out this point. Declarer won the opening lead with the king of spades and then laid down the ace of clubs. West showed out, discarding a small diamond.

Naturally declarer thought that East had the queen and ten of clubs. He could count six club tricks, the ace of diamonds and the ace-king of spades, nine tricks.

He led a small spade toward dummy, won with the ace, and played a small club. East played the ten, South the jack, and West won with the queen.

West now cashed his four good spade tricks, sneezing South and defeating the contract despite the fact that South received two tricks for the revoke.

In a case of this kind the players must concede that the declarer had six club tricks, the ace of diamonds and the ace-king of spades, sufficient tricks for his contract.

**Lt. Tanner Laine To Attend Army School**

Lt. Tanner Laine, former sports-writer for The Reporter-Telegram, has been selected to attend the Special Services School of the Army Air Corps at Washington & Lee University in Lexington, Va., for six weeks.

Lieutenant Laine, who has been stationed at the Depot Training Station in Oklahoma City, will report in Lexington next Wednesday.

**Striptease May Have To Strip Shoes Too**

GLENDORA, Calif. —(P)—Dancer Sally Rand applied to the Glendora ration board for shoe coupons.

The board told her to pool all her family's coupons.

"My family's not big enough; I need 50 pairs a year," she replied.

Chairman G. F. Rinehart sent the request to the state board.

Three pairs is all the state board said.

**MORE IMPORTANT BUSINESS**

AUSTIN —(P)—The legislature recessed until Tuesday.

Members need the time to compute their federal income tax, sponsors explained.

There was no debate.

World's smallest independent state, Vatican City, is about the size of an 18-hole golf course.

## Man's Marital Status Is Explained For Him

OKLAHOMA CITY —(P)— He was married here "sometime during January, February, or possibly March, 1940," the Pennsylvania man wrote the marriage license bureau. And could they tell him, please, his wife's name? They told him. They also mentioned the fact a divorce was recorded.

## Slow Down, Pappy

SAVANNAH, Ga. —(P)— Forty Fifth Street residents have to get up early to beat some of the victory gardeners.

The head of one family had big plans afoot. The seeds had been bought, a plow borrowed and a vacant lot was waiting, he got into

## Too Many Sales Made

KANSAS CITY —(P)— Policemen George F. Graubinger and Eli Yovetich couldn't help overhearing young men in a cafe talking about a friend who'd sold his car. "And say," piped up one of the crowd, "did you guys know he sold his C-gasoline ration book, too? For \$81!"

## Uniforms Being Treated Against Blistering Gas

KANSAS CITY —(P)— Uncle Sam is clothing his fighters against skin-blistering gases the enemy might sow.

The army's chemical warfare service is treating soldiers' garments from head to foot to neutralize those gases before they come into contact with the body.

How the chemical is prepared and where uniforms are treated with it, of course, are tightly guarded military secrets.

It no longer is an experiment, however. The army, profiting by experience in the last war, has

## Uniforms Being Treated Against Blistering Gas

KANSAS CITY —(P)— Uncle Sam is clothing his fighters against skin-blistering gases the enemy might sow.

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

SAVANNAH, Ga. —(P)— Forty Fifth Street residents have to get up early to beat some of the victory gardeners.

The head of one family had big plans afoot. The seeds had been bought, a plow borrowed and a vacant lot was waiting, he got into

## TO READ LACKEY POEM

Boys House, radio speaker, will read a poem written by W. W. Lackey of Midland over the air at 12:45 noon Sunday. The poem is a tribute in verse to Senator Tom Connally. House's program is broadcast by KGGK. For Worth.

## OUT OUR WAY

KANSAS CITY —(P)— Uncle Sam is clothing his fighters against skin-blistering gases the enemy might sow.

The army's chemical warfare service is treating soldiers' garments from head to foot to neutralize those gases before they come into contact with the body.

How the chemical is prepared and where uniforms are treated with it, of course, are tightly guarded military secrets.

It no longer is an experiment, however. The army, profiting by experience in the last war, has

## FUNNY BUSINESS



"It's some of the boys from the camouflage division going A. W. O. L. again!"

Texas has nearly 17,000 miles of railroads.

## HOLD EVERYTHING



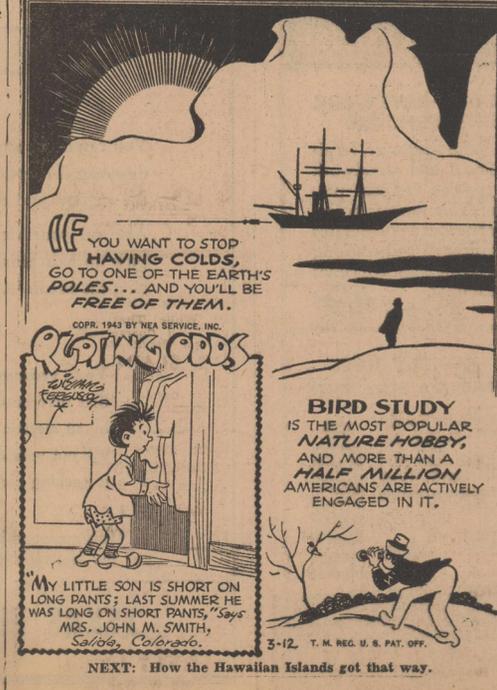
"Maybe you'd better throw us the lunch!"

## SIDE GLANCES



"He'll come back—and then you'll have him and a better world to live in."

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD



IF YOU WANT TO STOP HAVING COLDS, GO TO ONE OF THE EARTH'S POLES... AND YOU'LL BE FREE OF THEM.

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



LARD HAS NOW BEEN ACCEPTED INTO THE ARROWHEAD FRATERNITY, AND...

## WASH TUBBS



IT'S JUST AN EXAMPLE OF THE UP-TO-THE-MINUTE METHODS BEING USED BY THE AMERICAN MEDICAL CORPS, IN ORDER THAT OUR WOUNDED WILL HAVE A FAR GREATER CHANCE OF COMING BACK, NOT ONLY ALIVE, BUT WITHOUT BEING MAIMED OR CRIPPLED BY ANY PAIN?

## RED RYDER



IT WILL HELP PROVE I'M NOT THE OUT-LAW THAT YOU HAD YOUR BROTHER CLEVERLY MADE THE LAW BELIEVE!

## ALLEY OOP



THAT'S RIGHT! YOU SEE, OOOO! RUBBER IS... HELLO, WHO'S THIS? DOOTSY BOBO

Use Them For Results Classified Ads Read Them For Profit

RATES AND INFORMATION

2c a word a day, 4c a word two days, 6c a word three days. Minimum charges: 1 day 5c, 2 days 6c, 3 days 6c.

Personal

CHARLES Styron, painting and paperhanging. Phone 1459-J. (282-26)

NOTARY Public at Reporter-Telegram, O. M. Lutton, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. (157-1f)

LISTEN in on Radio Station KRLH from 1 to 1:15 P.M. each Saturday—your best cattle market is on the air. LUBBOCK AUCTION & COMMISSION CO. (78-1f)

KIDDIE KOOP: 15c per hour; mornings and afternoons. Lunches. 103 Ridgela. Phone 857-J. (269-26)

SEWING machines; we repair all makes; work guaranteed. Western Furniture Co., 201 S. Main. Phone 451. (312-14)

FRIENDS and Customers: The Fuller Brush Company has gone all out for war; brushes for our Army and Navy come first. Civilian goods are rationed, but we will do our damndest to supply you with Fuller Brushes. W. T. Mann, Box 337, Midland. (2-3)

FOR EXPERT Radio or Electric Appliance repairs see Caffey Appliance Company. Phone 1575, 111 West Texas. We also buy used Radios and Appliances. (3-26)

Lost and Found

LOST: Music case, marked Tova Chapple; return to 700 W. Storey; reward. (2-3)

FOUND: Black male Cocker Spaniel; license 241. Ph. 1149-R. (314-3)

LOST: Wallet containing money, Social Security Card, pass to field. Reward. 501 N. Pecos. (3-2)

Situations Wanted

WANTED: Job on ranch; have small bunch cattle would like to run. Phone 5 or Box 127, Kermit, Texas. (1-6)

ARMY wife wants routine work, office, hotel or store. Box 191, Reporter-Telegram. (3-3)

RENTALS

Room and Board

ROOMS with 2 meals. Taylor Lodge, 107 S. Pecos, Phone 278. (282-26)

THE GREMLINS



Houses For Sale

804 WEST LOUISIANA DANDY 5-room brick veneer; large rooms; fire place; Venetian blinds; enclosed back yard; paved street; only 4 block north of Jr. High School. Exclusively. BARNEY GRAFA 203 Thomas Bldg Ph. 108 (3-2)

Farms For Sale

160 ACRES, 10 in cultivation. 12 miles south of Stanton. Fair improvements, plenty of water. A bargain at \$31 an acre. J. B. Howard, Stanton.

April Ration Stamps May Be Used During Last Week Of March

During the last week in March both the March and April stamps in war ration book two may be used in obtaining rationed food. The A, B and C stamps in the book may be used through March 31 and the E, E and F stamps will become valid March 25 under the seven-day overlap provision designed to aid consumers who run out of ration stamps for processed foods before the close of the first ration period. The plan will aid persons who have a few low point stamps left during the last week of March, OPA officials said. Such stamps might not be sufficient to buy some of the foods they might want to purchase, but could be used along with stamps for the second ration period. The second ration period are to be valid through April 30.

FINED FOR ASSAULT

William Dancer was fined \$25 and costs by County Judge E. H. Barron Thursday on charges of aggravated assault in connection with an attack on Roy Jones of Midland. Dancer had also served two weeks in jail.

IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Mrs. Van Ed Watson left Friday for Oklahoma City to spend the week-end with her husband, a cadet at the pilot training school there.

Touch of Texas



Western-garbed, Texas-born Winnie Powell of New York's Roxey theater Roxettes, has been chosen "Miss Rose Room" by air corps cadets training at Atlantic City.

Winter Wear for Girl Gunners



Teddy bear suits with wide collar-hoods keep the members of an A. T. S. anti-aircraft gun crew plenty warm when winter winds blow in Britain.

These Little Biggys Go to Town



One for all and all-out for war bonds is the motto of the Biggy family of Chicago. Grandpa Thomas Biggy, center, bought each of his 13 grandchildren a war bond with money saved for summer vacation.

Church News

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES Private Dining Room, Hotel Scharbauer 10:00 a. m. —Sunday School 11:00 a. m. —"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH West Texas Ave. and A Street Hubert Hopper, Pastor 9:45 a. m. —Sunday school 11:00 a. m. —Morning worship. The pastor will preach on "Why The Faith Heart"

CHURCH OF CHRIST Corner North A and Tennessee Sts. Herbert L. Newman, Minister 10:00 a. m. —Bible study 10:50 a. m. —Morning worship 6:45 p. m. —Broadcast over KRLH 7:00 p. m. —Young People's Class 8:00 p. m. —Evening worship 8:00 p. m. Monday—Women's Bible study 8:00 p. m. Wednesday —Bible study and singing

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH R. L. Kasper, Pastor Sunday school at 6:15 p. m. Church services at 7 p. m. each second and fourth Sunday at Trinity Episcopal Church, 1410 W. Illinois

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Main and Illinois Streets Vernon Yearby, Pastor 9:45 a. m. —Church school 5:00 p. m. —Evening prayer and sermon. The Rev. Snell will preach on "The Creative Spirit's Life"

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH A. W. Smith, Pastor 10:00 a. m. —Sunday school 11:00 a. m. —Morning worship. The Lord's Supper will be observed 7:30 p. m. —Training union 8:30 p. m. —Evening worship. The pastor will preach on "This Is Your High Hour"

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH W. Carl Clement, Pastor 9:45 a. m. —Sunday school 11:00 a. m. —Morning worship. Sermon subject: "The Lamps of Light" 6:15 p. m. —Junior, Senior and Intermediate Leagues meet 8:00 p. m. —Evening worship. Sermon subject: "Building a House in Which to Live"

9:00 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. Warren J. Piersol 10:00 a. m. —Sunday school 11:00 a. m. —Preaching service 8:45 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting 3:00 p. m. Thursday —WMC meets 8:45 p. m. Friday —Young People's services

AAF BOMBARDIER SCHOOL

CHAPEL, Midland Chaplain Theodore G. Schoech Hebrew Services 8:30 p. m. Friday Catholic Services Chaplain Cosmas Dahlheimer 9:30 a. m. Sunday—Mass Protestant Services 11:00 a. m. Sunday—Morning worship 7:00 p. m. Sunday—Evening worship

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Indiana and Big Spring Streets Rev. R. M. Hooker, Pastor 10:00 a. m. —Sunday school 11:00 a. m. —Morning worship 8:00 p. m. —Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Wednesday —Midweek prayer 7:30 p. m. Friday —Cottage prayer

GOSPEL HALL

500 S. Lorraine J. D. Jackson, Pastor 10:00 a. m. —Bible study 11:00 a. m. —Preaching service 7:45 p. m. Tuesday—Young people's meeting 2:30 p. m. Wednesday—WMB meeting 7:45 p. m. Thursday — Preaching services

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS

TABERNACLE 600 S. Colorado Street O. W. Roberts, Pastor 11:00 a. m. —Preaching 7:45 p. m. —Preaching 8:00 p. m. Thursday—Preaching

ST. GEORGE CHURCH

(Roman Catholic) Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor 9:00 a. m. —Low mass (for Spanish) and benediction 11:00 a. m. —Low mass (for English) and benediction

MEN'S CLASS

W. I. Pratt Teacher Meets at 9:45 a. m. Sunday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. Non-denominational.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

H. Wren, Pastor 8:30 a. m. —Sunday radio program 10:00 a. m. —Sunday school 11:00 a. m. —Preaching service 9:00 p. m. —Preaching service

Second Time No Charm

MEMPHIS —(AP)— Arthur Smith, 16, whose homemade torpedoes shattered the silence of a high school when a book brushed his pocket, experienced another explosion. Showing a friend the explosive formula, Smith miscalculated. He's in a painful, but not serious, condition at a Memphis hospital —for the second time in a week.

Amount Of Fight In Tanks Count More Than Size

WASHINGTON —(AP)— It's not the size of the tank in the fight, but the size of the fight in the tank that counts. So says Maj. Gen. Levin H. Campbell, who offered to bet that the 60-ton heavy tanks would disappear from the battlefields before the end of the war. Firepower, not bulk, is the test of any tank, he said.

Denies Reports

"We are very prone," said Campbell, "to get confused in our outlines as to what a tank is for. There is no excuse for any tank except the fire power it can exert."

Guns Count

"It's not how much track, or engine, or starters, or storage batteries, or bulbs—to hell with that. It's the guns you can bring to bear—it's how much firepower, x x x If we can get 17" and steel on the enemy in greater volume than he can get them on us, we're going to be successful."

He pointed to the self-propelled field gun, the "tank destroyer." Most celebrated of this type is the M-7, the 105mm howitzer mounted on an M-3 medium tank chassis, which played a big part in the rout of German Marshal Erwin Rommel's forces in Egypt.

Two Negro Women Held For Robberies

Two negro women were arrested by police early Friday after two soldiers reported they were robbed of \$63 by the women. Two negro men later were arrested in connection with the case.

One of the negro men who officers charged brought the women to Midland had a B sticker on his car. The money was recovered.

Our Prices are the Same HAIRCUT 35c SHAVE 25c JACK'S BARBER SHOP Bob Murray—J.D. (Jack) Jackson

MOVE SAFELY LOCAL & LONG DISTANCE MOVING Bonded—Insured Packing ROCKY FORD MOVING VANS Phone 400 Day or Night

BURTON LINGO CO. Building Supplies Paints - Wallpaper 119 E. Texas Phone 58

TWENTIETH CENTURY GNOME

Horizontal crossword puzzle grid with clues: 1 Depicted gnome-like creature. 7 It bothers RAF—and other planes. 13 Belongs to us. 14 Before. 15 Species of deer. 16 By way of. 17 Doctrine. 19 Oriental edible herb. 21 In want. 23 Therefore. 24 Tend fire. 26 Written form of Mister. 27 Myself. 29 Short letter. 31 Recede. 33 Winklike part. 35 Equal. 36 Neither. 37 Indian chief. 38 North America (abbr.). 39 Unit. 40 Edge. 42 Sharp piece of wire. 43 "Sioux State" (abbr.).

Vertical crossword puzzle grid with clues: 44 Walking stick. 45 Belongs to it. 46 Either. 47 Corner. 49 Postmaster (abbr.). 51 Remains. 54 Bustle. 55 Perhaps. 58 Possesses. 59 Circle part. 61 Article. 63 Seaman's rope. 64 Give right to. 65 Suitcase. 4 Allow. 5 Symbol for iridium. 6 Intransitive. 7 Fractured. 8 Hawaiian bird. 9 Males. 10 At any time. 11 Set free. 12 Speak. 18 Period of time. 20 Perform. 22 Type measure. 24 Backbone. 25 Dark. 27 Stone builder. 28 Antelope. 32 Chaff of grain (pl.). 34 Many an has been bothered by these creatures. 41 They are a to aviators. 42 RAF first discovered these creatures. 44 Weep. 46 Hops' kiln. 48 Symbol for gadolinium. 49 Father. 50 Their existence is really a— 51 Her. 52 Light brown. 53 Rested. 55 Greeted. 56 Cricket term. 57 Long fish. 60 Right line (abbr.). 62 Laughter sound.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 65 indicating starting points for clues.

AUTOMOBILES

Used Cars

WE will pay cash for late model used cars. ELDER CHEVROLET CO (196-1f)

INTERNATIONAL truck tank or stake bed used mill. Phone 1624-W. (1-6)

YOUTH APPREHENDED

Police Thursday night apprehended a 17-year old Chicago youth who told them he ran away from his home after he stole \$25. His story is being investigated.

FOR SAFETY CALL 555 YELLOW CAB

LOCKSMITHING KEYS MADE K & M SERVICE SHOP 121 E. WALL MIDLAND, TEXAS PHONE 3740

RETREADING VULCANIZING Complete Stock of New War Tires FULTON TIRE CO. 113 E. Wall Phone 108

GOOD HOT BAR-B-Q COOKED DAILY SOUTHSIDE GROCERY AND MARKET 1592-W 419 S. Main

HOOPER USERS... Our Hoover-trained service man will protect the life and efficiency of your cleaner. MIDLAND Hardware and Furniture Co. Phone 1500

100 ENGRAVED Visiting CARDS

Genuine engraved cards on plain or panel-ed vellum. Choice of 67 styles of engraving. \$1.95 PLATE INCLUDED!

STORE YOUR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE WITH US Rates Very Reasonable McMULLAN'S 115 South Main

The Reporter-Telegram Commercial Printing Dept. SANDWICHES That Are DOG-GONE GOOD TASTY GRILL 305 W. Wall St.

# Hamline Upset By Denton Cage Squad

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Cape Girardeau, Mo., Teachers' College basketball team got a break.

Irvine Leifer, forward from Eastern Washington College of Education at Cheney, had only one sound foot Thursday night. Consequently, the Missourians still are in the National Intercollegiate Basketball Tournament.

They had to go into an overtime period to beat Eastern Washington 57-51 and overcome the 17 points personally tallied by the crippled Leifer.

Eastern Washington's loss was one of the three upsets on the quarterfinal program.

Major calamity was the elimination of defending champion Hamline University of St. Paul by North Texas State of Denton, 45-11. Never has a Champion retained its crown in the tourney and North Texas obliquely protected that record.

Appalachian upset

Hamline had no defense for the jump shots of the Lone Star Conference champions and found it was behind 24-18 when the half arrived.

The other surprise was Maryville, Mo., Teachers, who staged a strong last half rally to nip Appalachian State of Boone, N. C., 46 to 33.

Murray, Ky., State snatched a victory for Pepperdine College of Los Angeles 44-38 in the other quarterfinal.

In Friday night's semifinals Maryville plays North Texas and Murray meets Cape Girardeau.

TESTS ARE OPEN

AUSTIN—(AP)—Presidents and principals of Texas colleges and public schools have been notified that 17 to 20-year-old men will be permitted to take qualifying tests for admission to the Navy's new V-12 college training program April 2.

They are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

## Wants Fireworks



Tami Mauriello

## Bivins To Battle Mauriello Friday

NEW YORK—(AP)—It's the kid's last fight, so young Tami Mauriello has several reasons why he wants his ten rounder with Jimmy Bivins in Madison Square Garden Friday night to become a super-duper production.

They collide in the fancier fireworks of a "double header" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

There are going to be quite a number of C. H. Fan's folks sitting in on the "double feature" program, sharing the spotlight with the first New York showing of Corporal Barney Ross since he got back from scrambling Japs on Guadalcanal.

## Man O'War Goes Into Retirement

MEDIA, Pa. — (AP) — Grandpa Man O'War is living the life of Riley in greening pastures now—and Samuel D. Aiddle concludes he's earned it.

The 83-year-old sportsman announced that his darling, often called the greatest thoroughbred of them all, has just been retired from stud—on the eve of his 26th birthday March 29—and that the records show he's been every bit as great a daddy as he was a racer.

The Big Red outran all comers before he quit the turf in 1921, and now that his career as a sire has ended, Riddle sums up thus:

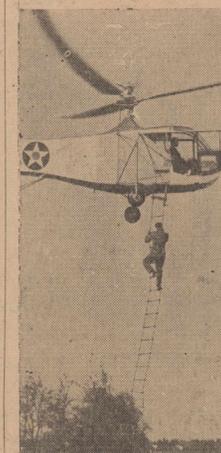
Five Children Win

Since 1931, when the mighty Lexington began sending his progeny to the races, only one American horse has fared better than Man O'War had a hand in that performance, for he was one of the six sons of Fair Play who won purses totaling \$100,000 or more.

Thus far five Man O'War children have earned 100 grand or better. War Admiral won \$273,240; Crusader, \$203,261; Mars, \$128,786; Clyde Van Lusen (Kentucky Derby winner) \$122,112, and Bateau, \$120,760.

Two of Big Red's grandsons also have hit six figures—Gusto, son of American Flag, collected \$151,655, and a reformed no-good get of Hard Tack picked up \$437,730. The latter, of course, was Sea Biscuit.

## Jacob's Ladder



Passenger ascends "ladder to go aboard Army Sikorsky helicopter hovering 30 feet above ground.

## Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK—(AP)—The secret finally comes out. When the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress conducted its nationwide registration of players last spring, the oldest registrant was none other than Connie Mack. Wonder if the whole Athletics' club will drop around at the nearest sporting goods store March 27 to sign up for this year's. Pro football coaches are breathing easier since they've learned that the newcomer at the Don Hutson residence is another girl, not a junior pass-smatcher. The Boston Olympics hockey team has a rule that players must give up their seats to service men in trains, which accounts for their making several Boston-New York trips standing up.

Observation Post

The news that Eleanor Bingham, serving her first season as basketball coach at Lykens, Pa., high school, turned out two championship teams, make us wonder if the feminine invasion of the coaching profession will mean the end of one of the coaches' oldest prerogatives. Just think of what those pre-game beers would do to the girls' makeup.

One-Minute Sports Page

Harry Hillman, Dartmouth track coach, claims there's no use arguing about the four-minute mile any more. He says Gunder Haegg could do 3:59.5 on that fast Dartmouth track. The boom for the Browns as American League pennant contenders is collapsing, what with Walt Juchacz gone to the Army, Glenn McQuinn ready to go by April and Vern Stephens on the likely list. Trainer Dutch Wilhelm, who is conditioning W. E. Boehl's derby candidates, Devil's Thumb and Elsie Rule, at Columbia, S. C., says he wouldn't swap Carolina's training son and climate for any in the country. After Bo McMillin's son, Mike, had been baptized, the Rev. Thomas Kilfoil told the Indiana coach: "He couldn't be yours. I didn't get a whimper out of him."

Today's Guest Star

Bill Montgomery, Jefferson City (Mo.) Capitol News: "The big league baseball scout, a cross between a pair of binoculars and a crystal ball, may be seen any time between now and the draft, removing his trusty brogans and pouring out the results of a day's prowling around the sand lots."

Service Dept.

Chief Specialist George McAfee, who hadn't played basketball since leaving Duke U. a few years ago, turned out for the Jacksonville, Fla., Naval Air Station team the other night and rang up ten points against Pensacola.

Figs are 43 per cent sugar, raisins 61 per cent, and dates 66 per cent.

Better Care For YOUR CAR

- Greasing
- Oil Change
- Battery Recharge
- Tire Inspection
- Washing
- Polishing

A COMPLETE AUTO SERVICE

SEWELL'S Super Service

East Hwy 80—Phone 141

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Luckie on the birth of a son in the hospital here Friday.

MIDLAND HARDWARE & FURNITURE CO. welcomes these new arrivals and requests their parents to call by our store and receive a welcome gift for them (Adv.)

GOOD FOOD HOME BAKED PASTRIES

CACTUS CAFE

COR. WALL & LORAIN

J. H. WALLACE MGR.

## St. Patrick's Day Dance To Be Held At MAAFBS

There'll be the "wearing of the green" Saturday night at the Midland AAF Bombardier School's big St. Patrick's Day dance when the Irish lads and lassies will be dancing to the music of the "Jive Bombers" under the direction of Master Sgt. Thomas Marcel.

Since the opening of the new Post Service Club at the bombardier college, there have been many big dances, but the special services section say this one will be one of the best yet. There will be ample room for hundreds of dancers and the huge snack bar will be open to all.

Girls from surrounding cities and towns are especially invited. There will be transportation provided for them from the Soldiers Service Club in Midland and the USO headquarters in Odessa at 8:15 p. m. Saturday night. Girls wishing transportation to and from the dance should be at those points at that time.

There will also be transportation available for enlisted men to and from the dance at the post exchange.

## Rationing

(Continued from page 1)

year's consumption was a little over 2 1/2 pounds.

Actually every person, regardless of age, will get—at the beginning, at least—16 ration points to spend as he chooses on meat, cheese, edible fats and oils and canned fish.

Although the initial allotment will be 16 points per person per week, consumers will be allowed to accumulate any unused points during approximately a month's period. Thus, in the week beginning March 29, each person will be able to use only 1 point—the red "A" coupons in his No. 2 ration book. In the following week, he will be able to use any left-over points plus another 16 points—the red "B" coupons.

"Change" Permitted

One difference between this system and the canned goods coupon plan is that butchers and stores will be able to give "change" in coupons to customers having an inexact number of coupon points to pay for a purchase.

Otherwise the point system will be the same in nearly all respects as the one now in use for canned, frozen and dried vegetables and fruits.

Meat rationing will apply to all products—fresh, cured, smoked or frozen—of cattle, calves, sheep, lambs or swine. Not rationed will be poultry, game, horsemeat, fresh or other fish not contained in sealed cans or bottles, and inedible fats, such as soap.

Cheese rationing will cover most types except cottage, pot and similar "soft or perishable cheeses." If divided evenly, the cheese supply under rationing would provide each person with about one-tenth of a pound a week.

The butter supply will average about 4 1/2 ounces a person per week. Margarine, shortening, salad oils and canned salmon or tuna fish are other items in this group.