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FIRST ARMY DRIVES NEAR TUNIS

Americans Destroy 37 Jap Planes In Solomons Battle

Enemy Strikes At Guadalcanal With Air Fleet

WASHINGTON—(AP)—American fighter planes destroyed 37 Japanese aircraft in a sky battle over the Southeastern Solomon Islands Wednesday, the Navy announced Thursday when the enemy struck at American shipping off Guadalcanal with an armada of 98 planes.

Seven American fighters were lost, but one pilot was rescued. The battle, one of the greatest ever fought in the air of that area, climaxed a two-day period of aerial activity during which American planes made six forays against enemy shipping throughout the Solomons Archipelago.

Whether the Japanese, whose force included 50 bombers and 48 Zeros, were successful in reaching American ships at Guadalcanal was not reported.

Navy communique No. 337 said: "South Pacific (all dates east longitude)."

"1. On April 6th: (A) During the morning a force of Dauntless (Douglas SBD) and Avenger (Grumman TBF) dive bombers escorted by Wildcat (Grumman F4F) fighters attacked Japanese installations at Vila in the Central Solomons. Hits were scored in the target area and a large fire was started. All United States planes returned.

"(B) In the early evening, three Japanese bombers bombed Guadalcanal. There were no casualties to personnel and only light damage was reported.

"(C) During the night of April 6-7, Catalina (Consolidated PB) patrol bombers attacked Vila. At the same time Flying Fortresses (Boeing B-17) attacked Japanese installations at Kahlili, in the Shortland Island area, and also small enemy shipping between Choiseul Island and Santa Isabel Island.

"2. On April 7th: (A) During the early morning, a force of Dauntless and Avenger dive bombers, escorted by fighters, attacked Rekata Bay, Santa Isabel Island. A Japanese four-engine flying boat was destroyed. All United States planes returned.

"(B) In the early afternoon a force of Avenger and Dauntless dive bombers, escorted by fighters, attacked Rekata Bay, Santa Isabel Island. A Japanese four-engine flying boat was destroyed. All United States planes returned.

"(C) Fifty Japanese bombers, escorted by 48 Zero fighters, attacked United States shipping in the vicinity of Guadalcanal Island. United States fighters engaged the enemy and shot down 21 Zeros, five dive bombers, and ten other enemy planes whose type was not reported. Another enemy plane was later observed to crash.

"United States planes lost were one Aircobra and six Wildcat fighters. One United States pilot was rescued.

The destruction of the enemy planes during the action on Wednesday raised to 943 the total number of Jap aircraft reported in Navy communique as having been destroyed in the Solomons to date.

Those are actual combat losses and do not include operational losses which would make the Japanese investment of air craft in the Solomons fighting much greater.

Gets Commission



Fred Wemple's commission as a member of the State Board of Education was presented to him Thursday at the Rotary Club meeting. Governor Coke Stevenson appointed E. H. Barron to present the commission to Wemple.

3-B Class May Be Eliminated

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Reclassification of draft registrants under a new national regulation, highlighted by elimination of the 3-B classification, was reported Thursday to be scheduled to start Monday.

National Selective Service headquarters continued the silence it has maintained despite circulation of unofficial reports for more than a week. An official statement is expected Monday.

The 3-B classification, which includes all men having dependents and working in essential activities, regardless of what job they hold, was established last July 15.

Besides eliminating it, unofficial reports said, the new regulations will:

New Class Planned
Require classification to 1-A of all men outside of farming except those defined as fathers under Selective Service rules, those individually essential to essential activities, and those whose induction would mean extreme hardship to dependents.

Reserve the 3-A classification exclusively for fathers—those living in a bona fide family relationship with children conceived before induction of the fathers appeared imminent, and in no case born later than Sept. 14, 1942.

Create a new classification, 3-D for deferment of single or childless married men whose induction would cause extreme hardship to dependents.

LAGUARDIA APPLICATION RECEIVED BY STIMSON

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Secretary of War Stimson said Thursday that Mayor La Guardia of New York had offered his services to the armed forces but that "it would be very difficult to find any place in the army" where he could be as helpful as in his present job.

Nips Worry Over Possible Raids By U. S. Planes

By The Associated Press
Japan had a fresh attack of "bomb jitters" Thursday as the Tokyo radio for the second time in 24 hours warned the Japanese people that a new American bombing assault might come at any time "either from the China continent, the Aleutians or from aircraft carriers."

The U. S. Office of War Information said Tokyo broadcasts recalled that it was just short of a year ago that Maj.-Gen. James H. Doolittle's bombers made their first sweeping raid on Japanese mainland cities.

Aside from President Roosevelt's whimsical reference to a "Shangri-La" base, the take-off point of Doolittle's raiders had never been officially disclosed, but it is known that new bomb-Japan airfields have been constructed in China during the past few months.

Elsewhere in the Far Pacific war theater, the British command announced that British artillery had smashed Japanese attempts to advance in the India region in Burma, with the enemy withdrawing after suffering heavy losses.

Along the Bay of Bengal coast, where Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell's forces have withdrawn from the Mayu Peninsula to await the monsoon rains, the British reported "no change" in the last 24 hours of fighting.

Jap Bases Hit
Imperial Tokyo headquarters asserted that Japanese troops had "destroyed" large British forces along the Mayu River and said operations were progressing for destruction of the rest. The British, however, declared the Japanese offensive was futile and that the enemy would be unable to hold newly-won positions during the monsoon floods.

In the Southwest Pacific, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters announced that Allied airmen hit 10 Japanese bases in the islands above Australia—including Cape Gloucester, New Britain; Pischhafen, Lae and Salamau, New Guinea—and a lone American Flying Fortress strafed a three-ship Japanese convoy off Kavieng, New Ireland.

U. S. Air Force Bombs Palermo

LA PAZ, BOLIVIA—(AP)—Bolivia was summoned to war against the Axis powers and their satellites by an executive decree Thursday and leaders of political blocs of the chamber of deputies arranged a meeting early in the day to consider the action of President Enrique Penaranda and his cabinet.

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Foreign Minister Tomas Manuel Elio said the decree, placing Bolivia beside Brazil as the second country in South America to manifest martial opposition to Germany and Italy, also would apply to Japan and all nations associated with the three powers in the war. Brazil did not declare war against Japan. All countries in South America, however, have broken Axis relations, except Argentina.

President Penaranda will leave May 1 to confer with United States officials in Washington on Bolivia's part in the United Nations war program.

The executive action came as Vice President Henry A. Wallace of the United States, visiting Bolivia on his tour of South American nations, was made an honorary citizen of Cochabamba, center of the country's potato region.

War Bulletins

NEW YORK—(AP)—A London broadcast said Thursday that General Giovanni Messe, an Italian, was the new commander in chief in Tunisia. "A Berlin military spokesman says that Rommel and Von Arnim are now both under General Messe's command," the London broadcast said.

ANKARA, TURKEY—(AP)—The arrival of new units of German troops in the Bulgarian towns of Ruschuk, Varna and Kavalla was reported here Thursday from Balkan sources.

LONDON—(AP)—Yugoslav guerrillas killed about 300 Axis troops in a clash near the town of Stolic and killed 50 more near Klin, a Moscow radio broadcast recorded by the Soviet radio monitor here said Thursday.

Visitors At Bombardier School



Among officials who inspected the Midland Army Bombardier School here Wednesday were, left to right, Robert P. Patterson, undersecretary of war; Major General B. K. Yount, and Senator Burnet R. Maybank of South Carolina.

General Says Nazis Will Be Driven From Tunisia This Month

SAN JOSE, Calif.—(AP)—Describing the fighting ability of American troops in North Africa as excellent, Lieut. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, commanding general of the armored forces of the United States Army, predicts that Field Marshal Rommel's forces will be driven out of Africa this month.

Patterson Inspects Bombardier School

Robert P. Patterson, undersecretary of war, Wednesday afternoon inspected the world's largest bombardier school and commented "the training here is unusually complete."

"The set-up of the field is well adapted to the training of bombardiers, and I certainly enjoyed my visit," he told Colonel John P. Kenny, commanding officer of the Midland AAF Bombardier School.

"Most instructive," was the under secretary's first comment after inspecting the Army school with a party of high ranking officers who came to Midland with him.

Before their departure for El Paso Wednesday afternoon they saw Midland bombardiers blast targets.

Patterson Visits With His Son
At the airfield to greet his fathered was Lt. Robert P. Patterson, Jr., who is stationed at the Clovis, N. M., air base. They had not seen each other for nine months and had a lot to talk about while they ate lunch in the cadet mess hall.

Another reunion also was a feature of the luncheon when Brig. Gen. W. E. Pyron visited with his brother, Joe Pyron of Odessa.

A number of Midland residents and several Odessa residents were guests of the Army officers at the luncheon in the Cadet Mess Hall.

First Tour Of Training Centers
The air tour to inspect Air Force training schools of the Southwest is Patterson's first trip to study this important work of the Army. Officers recalled that he was serving as a private in the armed forces when he was called to Washington to take the under secretary's duties.

Other guests at the Bombardier College for the inspection included Major General B. K. Yount of Fort Worth; Brig. Gen. I. Davies, commanding officer of the 34th Flying Training Wing and first commanding officer of the Midland bombardier school; Brig. Gen. Martin F. Scanlon of the West Coast; Senator Burnet R. Maybank of South Carolina; Congressman R. Ewing Thomason of West Texas; Colonel (Continued on Page 7)

Langlie Well Opens First Ordovician Pool In N. M.

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor
Opening of the first Ordovician pool in New Mexico was indicated Thursday by the R. Olsen Oil Company and Atlantic Refining Company No. 1 Langlie (Justis), deep wildcat in Southeastern Lea County on the east flank of the Langlie Permian pool east of Jal, when it showed oil and gas on test of the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician.

Production was through gun-perforations in 5 1-2 inch casing from 9,110-80 feet, at the top of the Ellenburger. Seventy-one out of the eighty perforating shots were effective. Test was of 75 minutes duration, with packer on 2 1-2 inch tubing at 9,055 feet, and a 3,000-foot water blanket to equalize pressure. The well showed a light blow of air throughout the test, and when tubing was pulled it contained, in addition to water blanket, 370 feet of oil and gas-cut mud. The water blanket itself was contaminated with live oil.

Perforate Upward
No. 1 Langlie topped the Ellenburger at 9,110 feet, and went out of it into granite at 9,560 feet, halting casing at 9,592 feet. Casing was cemented at 9,590 feet with 1,040 sacks. Operators then began a series of perforating jobs, progressing from the bottom upward. First two sets of perforations, from 9,475-95 and from 9,410-28 feet, apparently were opposite barren zones. However, the third set, from 9,110-80 feet, resulted in the favorable showing. Operators plan to re-perforate the same zone with an additional 80 shots, then probably will acidize.

In addition to its Ellenburger pay, No. 1 Langlie indicated production from the deep Permian, upper (Montoya) and middle (Simpson) Ordovician, while drilling. It is located in the C SE SE section 11-25S-37E, in the southeastern part of the state.

Oilmen term the prospects of Ellenburger production in the Langlie well the most significant development in New Mexico in years. By trying it in, on a trend, with the recently discovered Ellenburger gas-distillate pool on the Keystone structure of North Central Winkler County, Texas, 14 1/2 miles to the southeast, some geologists presage (Continued on Page 7)

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Delbert Downing Is Odessa Lions Speaker

Delbert Downing, a vice president of the Midland Lions Club, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Odessa Lions Club Thursday noon. The special program was arranged and presented by the Midland Lions Club. The Odessa club will present a program here next Wednesday.

Musical numbers were presented at the meeting in Odessa by Roy DeWolfe and Ralph Utley. Claude O. Crane and Clint Dunagan of the Midland club attended the meeting.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change.

Americans Meet Montgomery Unit

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA—(AP)—The British First Army gained four or five miles by a surprise attack in the Medjez-El Bab bulge area Wednesday as the Second U. S. Army corps and the British Eighth Army united in a relentless pursuit of the enemy in the south, it was announced Thursday.

The First Army's advance in the northern sector carried its vanguards to within less than 27 airline miles of Tunis, Nazi-held capital of the French protectorate. More prisoners were rounded up in both northern and southern sectors and Field Marshal Edwin Rommel's positions again were blasted and shot up by Allied aerial squadrons.

Allied air forces of the Middle East renewed the hammering of Axis trans-Mediterranean bases. Cairo communique said heavy bombers started fresh fires in Naples and explosives were loosed again Tuesday night at Messina, Sicily, and U. S. Liberators attacked Palermo Harbor by daylight Wednesday, all without the loss of a plane.

Rommel Withdraws
Hits were observed along Palermo's quays and in the vicinity of its seaplane base, it was announced. Malta's fighter-bombers attacked industrial targets of Sicily with bombs and machine gun fire.

The second U. S. corps of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton Jr., and Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's Eighth Army collaborated like two woodsmen at the ends of a cross-cut saw to rip Rommel's rearguards from their positions.

A communique disclosed that the Eighth Army, after smashing the Wadi El Akarit position 20 miles north of Gabes at dawn Tuesday repulsed determined enemy counterattacks in heavy fighting that afternoon.

Marshal Rommel apparently then abandoned all hope of holding out in that area and, realizing that his big armored formations in front of the Americans along the Gafsa-Gabes road were in an untenable position, began a withdrawal under the cover of darkness Tuesday night.

Yanks Near El Guetar
General Patton's Americans immediately pushed ahead, clearing up pockets of resistance which Rommel had left behind and clashing at times with the withdrawing armor itself to attain a point 25 to 30 miles east of El Guetar.

It was at this point that the Americans encountered advanced patrols of the Eighth Army Wednesday afternoon.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the Allied commander in chief, congratulated Gen. Sir Harold Alexander and all serving under him Thursday on the victories which led to the junction. Alexander is Eisenhower's deputy in charge of land operations.

Enemy columns retreating toward (Continued on Page 7)

Roy McKee Nominated To Head Rotarians

Roy McKee, insurance man, Thursday was nominated for president of the Midland Rotary Club at its meeting Thursday. Percy Bridgewater, retiring president, was nominated for vice president, and Ily Pratt for reelection as secretary-treasurer.

Directors nominated were C. H. Shepard, Dick Prather, Dr. L. B. Pemberton and Arnold Scharbauer. The report of the nominating committee was read by T. Paul Barron and adopted unanimously. The new officers will assume their duties July 1.

Fighting French Quarters Puzzled Over Statement Made By Eisenhower

LONDON—(AP)—Fighting French quarters apparently were puzzled Thursday by dispatches from Algiers quoting Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as expressing "surprise" over a French National Committee statement that he had asked Gen. Charles De Gaulle to postpone his visit to North Africa.

Declaring that he saw no occasion for General Eisenhower's surprise, a Fighting French spokesman said the national committee merely had issued its statement in explanation of De Gaulle's failure to depart as expected for conferences with Gen. Henri Giraud on the unification of French forces fighting the Axis.

"De Gaulle had been expecting to go since shortly after the first of the year," the spokesman said, "and the reason for the delay in opening negotiations with Giraud otherwise could not be understood."

Dispatches from Algiers said the comment issued from Eisenhower's headquarters did not flatly deny that the Allied commander had asked De Gaulle, not to make the trip, but to delay it until after the Fighting French statement was issued in London. Eisenhower "had no doubt that a full statement of the circumstances" will be made there.

Soviets Take Nazi Position

MOSCOW—(AP)—While no big changes took place overnight on the Russian-German front, still oozing with the spring thaw, increased action was reported Thursday in several sectors.

The Red Army stormed German positions south of Izyum and captured advantageous lines in the face of sharp Nazi fire after several days of numerous German attacks.

In the Sevsk sector northwest of Kursk the Germans again began counterattacks but they availed nothing. The Russians previously halted large-scale enemy operations there.

Eastern Front Calm
The Volkhov front saw battling again, with the Germans once more trying to take a Soviet position, and again failing. Although there was sharp fighting in this sector, southeast of Leningrad, the conflict was not believed to be a major operation.

Artillery duels and scouting operations took place on the western front where the Russians have been eeking toward Smolensk.

Nothing was mentioned in the noon communique about the Kuban area or west of Rostov.

(The German high command communique broadcast from Berlin Thursday said the eastern front generally was calm. Isolated Russian attacks against the Kuban bridgehead and in the central Donets area were repulsed, the Nazi war bulletin said.

Nazi Attacks Costly
A Red Army newspaper dispatch said the Germans' recent attacks south of Izyum had cost them tremendous in manpower.

The Red Army's withdrawal from Kharkov begins, more than ever before, to look like nice strategy.

The Russians here are continuing sharp artillery barrages day and night.

Rotarians Honor Fred Wemple At Meeting Thursday

"Fred Wemple Day" was observed by Midland Rotarians at their meeting Thursday noon and Wemple presented his commission, from Governor Coke Stevenson, as a member of the State Board of Education. The presentation was made by E. H. Barron at the request of the governor.

Wemple is a charter member of the club and has served as its president and also is a past district governor of Rotary International. He is well known in Texas where he is president of the Texas Good Roads Association and a member of the state democratic executive committee.

Barron said Wemple's business here has been built on service. Wemple told Rotarians he would continue to give his best service to Midland and West Texas.

He said he had appointed a committee composed of Frank Monroe, school superintendent; G. B. Rush, high school principal and M. W. Aloom of the Courtney schools to review and investigate textbooks submitted to the state board.

Members of the school board, school officials and representatives of civic organizations were guests at the meeting. Ray Upham was in charge of the program.

Ensign Betty MacKemer of the WAVES explained the duties and purpose of the women's reserve of the Navy, Coast Guard and Marine Corps and said 45,000 WAVES and SPARS are needed before the close of 1943 to release men for sea duty.

A. N. Hendrickson, mayor-elect and Gordon Holcomb were introduced as new members of the club. Joe Pyron of Odessa invited Rotarians to attend the meeting of the Odessa club Friday when it celebrates its anniversary.

Mussolini Meets With Hitler For Talk On Invasion

BERN, SWITZERLAND—(AP)—A conference between Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini on what steps to take for the defense of the Alpine region against invasion was reported from informed circles in Bern Wednesday night. It was the meeting probably took place in the Brenned Pass.

The report from Rome said the two Axis leaders surveyed the entire problem of strategic defenses for the continent, although Mussolini now is concerned primarily with Italian defenses menaced by Allied successes in Tunisia.

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Let no man say I am tempted of God.—James 1:13

Plight Of Wartime Employers

Here is the plight of an employer concerned with
his labor relations:

- 1. Wage and hour problems are under the control of the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Division of the Department of Labor...
2. His union labor contracts, if any, are under the jurisdiction of the National Labor Relations Board...
3. If he gets into a pickle with his unions over a new contract, he takes his troubles to the U. S. Conciliation Service...
4. If the Conciliation Service can't settle the issue, the secretary of labor may certify the case to the National War Labor Board...
5. The War Labor Board also has final authority over appeals for wage increases...
6. Appeals for pay increases of salaried employees making more than \$5000 a year...
7. If the employer is in one of the critical labor areas on the 48-hour week...
8. It is recommended, though not absolutely compulsory, that all hiring be done through the U. S. Employment Service...
9. If the employer is in aircraft, shipbuilding or related industry...
10. His unemployment compensation payments, deducted from payroll...
11. Old age and retirement, social security benefits which the employer must pay...
12. Labor-management committees, though voluntary and not compulsory...
13. Conditions under which women and children may be employed...
14. Any time an essential worker is about to be drafted, appeal must be made to the local board of the Selective Service Administration...
15. The War Manpower Commission, through its regional offices, also takes responsibility for assisting in the solution of labor recruiting, pirating, training and various manpower problems...

Join Or Quit

The A.F. of L. Machinists union has a contract with the Warner & Swasey plant in Cleveland. There is no closed shop clause. Warner & Swasey is so hard-pressed for manpower, to produce war goods, that some 35 school teachers, lawyers and office workers are working four-hour shifts, on top of their regular jobs, to help out.

These volunteers have been ordered by the Machinists Union to "join or quit." Most have joined, unwillingly. Some have quit, also unwillingly. The union president concedes that he has no right to enforce membership, but says that "insistence" of fellow workers usually proves an effective persuader.

What would happen if these volunteer patriots insisted upon keeping both their jobs and their independence? A strike? You guess.

Henry Kaiser

While producing ships faster than anybody else ever has done it, Henry Kaiser has been caught in 31 violations of priorities regulations during a six-month period.

What is to be done, to punish this vicious character, must rest with the good sense of government officials.

The public can only echo Kaiser's mournful plaint: "it is a sad commentary that American business men should receive from the newspapers information that they are not acting in accordance with the law of the country, before they receive the information from the WPB itself."

People who don't waste time wondering what makes the world go 'round are the ones who keep it going.

Working on a farm will have its advantages. You'll be in close contact with food.

We'll give you one guess as to whom you can blame if success looks you over and then overlooks you.

A train of thought arrives no place if it runs only local.

Dietitians say peanuts are a good substitute for meat. Thereby recognizing the "nut" in nutrition.

You'd Better Digest It Quickly, Tojo!



District F. F. A. Meetings Held In Midland Thursday

District meetings of Future Farmers of America chapter members and teachers were started at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the high school. Fifteen boys from five chapters registered for the meeting.

W. E. Williams of Alpine, area supervisor, and five vocational agriculture teachers came here for the meetings. The teachers are Harold Ward of Grandfalls, R. K. McCoy of Stanton, Marvin Scott of Garden City, Judge G. Rhea of Garner School at Knott, and Harlan Howell, Midland.

On the afternoon schedule was a visit to the local defense shop, where a specialist of the State Department of Education was to give instructions to the leaders.

Purposes for the meeting of instructors include the discussion of applications for the Lone Star Farmer degree, determining of winners in the chapter improvement contest, and discussions on the election of state area, district and local officers for next year and on the rural war training program. Plans for the summer work and for the summer conferences also were on the program, and methods of securing farm labor also were to be discussed.

The FFA chapter members were scheduled to work out certification of merit awards for the district chapter; determine Lone Star Farmers, and decide upon the winning chapter of the district on the basis of work this year. The time and place for the district public speaking contest and for the next district meeting also were to be decided.

Zoot Suits Trouble Marines In Pacific

FARMVILLE, VA.—(AP)—Japanese snipers, malaria and mosquitoes aren't the only things that trouble the Marines in the South Pacific. Capt. Frank Orgain, of the United States Marines, who came home on a furlough, said the Marines have two other pet peeves—strikes and zoot suits.

"The reaction to strikes was rabid enough," Orgain said. "but the magazine or newspaper shot of the zoot-suited lad would set off a Marine's temper every time."

Black Cat Starts A Truck Of Trouble

BUTTE, MONT.—(AP)—Truck Driver Wilfred Tarrow says a black cat ran across his path, just as he stopped his freighter near the railroad depot.

Then a tiny spark from a small fire, burning yards away, floated through the air and came neatly down in the middle of a tiny spot of gasoline on the running board. The next moment the truck was in flames. Most of the paint burned away but the fire left intact the truck's stenciled number.

The Eyes Have It

PUEBLO, COLO.—(AP)—Exasperated at faces one of her students made at her in classes, a teacher at Columbian school finally wrote the boy's parents and demanded that they discipline him. "Shucks," said the boy when his father questioned him, "I wasn't making faces at her. All I was trying to do was hypnotize her so she wouldn't scold me so much."

Soldier Doesn't Even Care What's Cooking

BROOKS FIELD, TEX.—(AP)—Pvt. John G. Voight was notified while on KP duty that he had been accepted by the Field Artillery Officer Candidate School at Fort Sill, Okla., for training. Candidates for the officers' school automatically become corporals. Corporals don't have to help the cook. So, says Brooks Brief, field newspaper, Voight "bade KP a fitting farewell."

CACTUS CAFE OPENS FRIDAY. Our redecorating and remodeling is completed... We will reopen Friday morning serving our usual fine foods.

Internationalite



New screen star Rita Corday, born in Tahiti of French mother and Swiss father, escaped to America from Shanghai when Japs attacked that city.

Midland Red Cross Contributions Total More Than \$12,800

Exceeding its quota by \$2,901.59, Midland County raised a total of \$12,851.59 in the Red Cross War Fund Campaign during March. A. N. Hendrickson, campaign chairman, said Thursday in making a final report. The Midland quota was \$9,950.

Midland was the sixth county in Texas and the twelfth in the Mid-Western area to reach its War Fund quota.

Midland citizens contributed \$12,284.59 of the total and citizens of Andrews County raised \$567. Andrews County is affiliated with the Midland Red Cross Chapter.

Livestock

FORT WORTH.—(AP)—Livestock: good fed steers and yearlings 14.50-15.50. Several loads selling to both feeder and slaughter buyers around the 15.00 level. Common to medium slaughter steers and yearlings 11.00-14.00. Good beef cows mostly at 12.00-5; bull prices 10.00-15.00. Good and fat calves 13.75-14.25; stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 11.00-15.50.

Most good and choice 100-300 lb. butcher hogs 14.65-75; good 160-185 lb. averages 14.00-60. Packing sows 14.00-25 and stocker pigs 13.50 down.

Choice milk lambs up to 15.75; common to good milk fed lambs at 13.00-15.00.

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New Mexico Man Kills Divorcee, Commits Suicide

DALHART.—(AP)—Mrs. Aftena Weckel, 35-year-old divorcee of Clayton, N. M., was found shot to death in her car near Perico, Texas, Wednesday and Coroner A. M. Reese of Dalhart returned a verdict that she "came to her death by a shot from a .32 caliber automatic pistol in the hands of J. E. Kimble."

Kimble, 40, prominent Union County, New Mexico, rancher and stockman, was found in a nearby car, fatally wounded. He died last night in a hospital. A coroner's verdict said he perished of a self-inflicted wound.

Deputy Sheriff Edward Bonner said both Mrs. Weckel and Kimble had been shot through the head. Reported Shooting

Mrs. Hayes Tate, whose husband operates a service station at Perico, 25 miles northwest of Dalhart, said Kimble drove to the station at 5:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and shouted: "There's been a murder up the road. Send someone up there."

He gave directions, Mrs. Tate said, and she called officers. Coroner A. M. Reese of Dalhart claimed Mrs. Weckel had been shot at 4 o'clock and Kimble at about 5:30.

Deputy Bonner said a note was found in Kimble's car and said he believed the note was in a man's handwriting.

Kid Learns To Fly Plane The Hard Way

LONDON.—(AP)—A 14-year-old apprentice fitter, who builds model planes, now knows how it feels to fly a real U. S. Army ship—although it cost him a few bruises and a trip to juvenile court.

The plane was a Piper Cub. The boy said he took it, although he had no flying instructions, because it resembled a model he had built. After a two mile flight, the motor stalled and he landed in a clump of trees.

In juvenile court, he was placed on probation for a year for damaging the plane and flying it without a license.

Haven For Jay-Walkers

AN ALEUTIANS COMBAT BASE (AP)—The Army had planned that the names of all telephone exchanges here should begin with J; but it is all changed now. It is changed because of a colonel of infantry. He could understand, the colonel said, calling the artillery exchange "junk"; he could see nothing the matter with "jam" for the quartermaster or "jilk" for the engineers. But it was going too far, said the colonel, to expect him to answer the phone, "jerk No. 1."

Twisting Winds Cause Damage In Several Sections

By The Associated Press Strong, twisting winds Thursday struck Frost, in Navarro County, the Montopolis community east of Austin, and the Jarrell community 14 miles north of Georgetown.

In other areas the weather was more kind. Scattered thundershowers refreshed pastures and fields in areas between Big Spring and Sulphur Springs and the Red River southward nearly to the Rio Grande Valley. Damage Is Heavy

The only injury reported was at Jarrell, where Preston Conley, 9, was cut on the leg by debris. The blow caused an estimated \$20,000 property damage at Jarrell. The roof was blown from a lumber company building, both ends of a cotton warehouse were punched out and the frame postoffice building was moved a foot off its foundation.

Barns and outhouses were blown down and at least one house unroofed at Montopolis. Heavy rain and hail fell.

One home was destroyed and half a dozen others damaged at Frost, where a short, heavy rain also was reported. Austin Has Downpour

An early morning downpour at Austin sent water swirling over the curbs and into ground floors of several business houses. Hundreds of automobiles were stalled.

Among Thursday's rain reports were: Austin 2.64 inches; Dallas .63; Pampa .62; approximately one inch in Plainview area; Midland .32; Wichita Falls .27; Vernon .12; Eucharan Dam, near Austin, 1.21; Marble Falls .31; Fredricksburg .91.

WPB Representatives Visit In Midland

Norvell W. Harris, priorities specialist; John I. Hallet, redistribution division, and Duane W. Hamilton, automotive specialist, all of the district office of the War Production Board in El Paso, are in Midland conferring with citizens in regard to priority problems and other WPB rules and regulations.

The WPB officials are headquarters at the Chamber of Commerce. They arrived early Thursday and will depart Thursday afternoon.

Negro Fined \$100 In County Court Here

Douglas McGowen, negro, was fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to 60 days in jail when he appeared before County Judge E. H. Barron Wednesday on charges of unlawful possession of liquor in a dry area.

McGowen was arrested by Chief of Police Jack Ellington after he allegedly sold liquor to negro boys in Midland.

A pair of 25-pound wolverines has been known to get the best of

Wing Over Munda



Looking down across the wing-tip of an American dive bomber you can see the runway of the much-bombed Jap airfield on Munda Point, New Georgia, in the Solomons.

Agency Seeks To Transport More West Texas Oil

WASHINGTON.—(AP)— Petroleum Administration for War authorities have disclosed that a study will be made of feasible means for producing and transporting more oil from the West Texas area.

The disclosure was made Wednesday after Administrator Ickes had announced receipt of an application to construct a 16-inch crude oil pipeline from the Slaughter Field near Lubbock to Drumwright, Okla.

Ickes made clear that the project would be given serious consideration. His announcement did not state where the application originated but it was reported to have been submitted by the Stanolind Pipe Line Company of Tulsa.

Others To Be Studied PAW authorities said that both that project and others would be studied. Both Ickes and Deputy Petroleum Administrator Davies pointed out that a steady falling off of production in the Mid-Continent area could make it necessary to supply refineries in that area from West Texas in the next year or two.

Still under discussion, it was reported, was a proposal to construct a crude pipeline from West Texas to California.

Ickes explained that decision on the proposal attributed to Stanolind would depend also upon the production outlook in Oklahoma and the Mid-Continent for the years 1944-45.

Wool

BOSTON.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. of Agr.)—Contracting continued very actively Thursday in the territory states, California, and Texas sales were strong. Good staple bought in Texas at a grease price of 50 to 51 cents, and fine 12-months wools in a price range of 47 to 50 cents. Prices in northern California advanced about one cent, grease basis.

YANKS GET 70 PLANES

LONDON.—(AP)— American gunners destroyed 70 German aircraft in Sunday's daylight bombing of the Renault works near Paris and Monday's raid on the Eria Aero Engine works at Antwerp. It was announced officially Thursday.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Buffington Named President Of Readers' Club

Mrs. B. K. Buffington was elected president of the Play Readers Club Wednesday when it met at the home of Mrs. W. Y. Penn, 806 West Story. Mrs. J. Howard Hodges was elected vice-president; Mrs. W. E. Shipp, Jr., secretary and reporter; Mrs. L. F. Caddell, treasurer, and Mrs. Charles Klapproth, historical secretary.

Mrs. Fred H. Fuhrman was elected reader for the annual tea to be held in May. Miss Ruth Anderson read "Sun Up" by Vela Volmer.

Members present included Mmes. Ralph Barron, Buffington, Caddell, Hodges, Wallace, Irwin, Klapproth, Robert Muldrow, Penn, Shipp, Fred Wilcox, and Miss Ruth Anderson and Miss Mary Wilson.

Mrs. Straughan Has Charge Of Program For Wednesday Club

Mrs. H. L. Straughan, Jr. was in charge of the program presented at the Junior Woman's Wednesday Club meeting at the home of Mrs. J. C. Ratliff, 2005 West Missouri.

Mrs. Bob Tesch and Mrs. Wright Cowden were appointed delegates to the Federated Clubs convention in Odessa Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. E. I. Bailey, an associate member, and the following members were present: Mmes. Frank Miller, Don Oliver, H. M. Bayer, Straughan, Tesch, Hugh West, Cowden, Louis Thomas, Miss Marian Wadley and the hostess.

'When Money Talks To Ted' Read At Meeting

Mrs. Hoyt Burris read a story, "When Money Talks To Ted" at the meeting of the Junior Girls Auxiliary of the Calvary Baptist Church Wednesday at her home, 708 South Loraine.

Girls present included Joy Webb, Lois Shelburne, Norma Jo Larimore, Wanda Joyce Brown, Melodee Burris, Reba Bishop, Wanda Smith, Kathleen Harwell, Kathryn Morrow and Mrs. Burris.

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Marines Are Wearing



This smart forest green uniform is now being worn by members of the U. S. Marine Corps Women's Reserve, recently organized to free Leathernecks for combat duty. Aside from a flared skirt, the only striking difference from the regulation Marine winter uniform is a scarlet cord decorating the front of the visored cap. A scarlet wool muffler is a feminine complement to the top coat.

Abundant Cereals Add To Main Dish

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox
NEA Service Staff Writer
Whole grain cereals are still abundant. However, when buying them, get extra large packages as that will save paper.

Use meat as a flavor when it is hard to get, and add to the main dish by including whole grain cereals. The following recipes show you how:

Cabbage and Beef Rolls

(Serves 4)
One-half pound ground beef, 1 1/2 cups corn flakes, finely crushed; 1/2 teaspoon salt, dash of pepper, 1 tablespoon minced onion, 1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 1/4 cup milk, 2 tablespoons butter or other fat, 8 medium-sized cabbage leaves, 1 1/2 cups canned tomatoes, put through sieve, or 1 1/4 cups tomato juice, 1/2 cup sour cream, 1/2 teaspoon salt, dash of pepper.

Combine beef, corn flakes, salt, pepper, onion, Worcestershire sauce and milk. Shape into 8 rolls. Brown in fat. Cook cabbage leaves, covered, in small amount of boiling salted water until wilted. Wrap each meat roll in a cabbage leaf and fasten with toothpicks. Return to skillet, add tomatoes mixed with sour cream, salt and pepper. Cover and simmer 40 minutes. Remove rolls to platter. Pour sauce over meat rolls.

Celery Knob Ragout

(Serves 4-6)
Four small celery knobs or roots (about 1 pound) on 2 cups coarsely diced celery, 2 1/2 cups boiling water, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 pound ground beef, 1 cup 40 per cent bran flakes, crushed; 5 tablespoons water, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon finely chopped onion, 1/2 cup cold water, 4 tablespoons flour.

Peel and cut celery knobs into small cubes. Cook, covered, in boiling water and salt 20 minutes, or until done. Remove from liquid. Combine meat, bran flakes, 5 tablespoons water, salt, and onion, and mix well. Shape into small meat balls and drop, several at a time, into hot celery stock. Simmer. As balls rise to surface, remove; keep hot. Measure stock and add water to make 1 1/2 cups. Add cold water gradually to flour, mixing to smooth paste; pour into celery stock, stirring vigorously. Cook until thickened. Add celery and meat balls.

N. M. Bookers Are Parents Of Baby Girl

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Booker are the parents of a 7 lb., 4 oz. girl born in a Hobbs hospital Monday. W. H. Spaulding, grandfather of the baby, has been informed. Mrs. Booker is a former resident of Midland.

Two Women Elected To Membership In Modern Study Club

Mrs. Charles Sherwood was program leader for the Modern Study Club when it met Wednesday with Mrs. L. W. Leggett, 910 West Storey. Mrs. J. M. Devereux spoke on "What Health Practices Shall We Follow" and "Accidents in War Time Give Aid to the Enemy," was the topic of a discussion by Mrs. Leggett.

Roll call was answered by each member giving a traffic rule. Mrs. George Vannaman read the club report to be given at the convention of Federated Clubs in Odessa.

Mrs. W. E. Price and Mrs. F. A. Cowan were elected to membership in the club.

Those attending included Mmes. Leo Brady, Henry Trigg, H. T. Estes, M. H. Funk, A. J. Bedford, J. M. Devereux, J. L. Low, Lamar Lunt, W. W. Phillips, D. M. Secor, Sherwood, George Vannaman, G. G. Galligan and the hostess.

Coming Events

FRIDAY
Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock and from 1 until 4 o'clock.

The Glenn Walker Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church will meet at 4 p. m. at the educational building.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the educational building of the First Baptist Church.

SATURDAY
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.

Mrs. A. Knickerbocker Entertains Alpha Club

Members and guests of Alpha Club enjoyed a dessert-bridge Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. Knickerbocker, 107 Club Drive.

Mrs. Clinton Lackey won first prize, Mrs. F. L. McFarland, second, and Mrs. George Bennett won the bingo prize.

Mrs. Lackey and Mrs. Jack Jones were guests. Members attending were Mmes. J. N. Allison, Bennett, W. C. King, Knickerbocker, McFarland, and Ed Prichard.

HEJL ON HONOR ROLL

ABILENE — J. C. Hejl, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hejl of Midland is listed on the honor roll at Abilene Christian College for the first six weeks of the second semester.

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These girls with the upswing coiffures have been chosen American "number one" wearers of their respective shades of hair at the International Beauty Show in New York. They are, left to right, Rita Hayworth, No. 1 redhead; Janet Blair, No. 1 blonde; and Joy Hodges, No. 1 brunet.

OILCLOTH TO BE SCARCE

Because of the shortage, for civilian use, of the special cotton sheeting and linseed coating need-

ed in the manufacture of oilcloth, watch for a scarcity in this product. WPB officials urge housewives to conserve their supply on hand, due to curtailment in production.

Dean Harrison of the First Christian Church, Pecos, will address dress Monahans Rotarians and their wives when the group meets for its annual banquet at the First Methodist Church here at 8:30 Friday.

There are about 900 inspectors in England assigned to apprehend black marketeers.

Payne Reviews Of Sarah Hale

Erle Payne spoke on the Sarah J. Hale, pioneer, at meeting of the Women's Wednesday Club at the home of Mrs. Chancellor, 1710 West Mis-

MONAHANS THEATERS EXCEED DRIVE QUOTA

MONAHANS—With a \$300 quota in the Red Cross War Fund drive conducted by the theaters over the nation during the first week of April, Russell Ackley, manager of Monahans' two theaters, reported \$305 contributed the first three days.

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Beans Dear Cut Green **No. 2 Can 12¢** Points Per Can 14
Corn Highway Vac. Pack **2 12-Oz. Cans 23¢** Points Per Can 8

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Sausage Libby's Vienna **2 No. 1/2 Cans 25¢** Points Per Can 2
Pink Salmon **1-Lb. Can 22¢** Points Per Can 7
Pure Lard **4-Lb. Crtn. 71¢** Points Per Crtn. 20
Margarine Sunny Bank **Lb. 17¢** Points Per Lb. 5

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Mustard French's Prepared **3 6-Oz. 25¢**
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Milk Armours **3 small cans 13¢**
Crackers Busy Baker **1-Lb. Pkg. 15¢**
Quaker Oats **48-Oz. Pkg. 23¢**
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Quaker Grits Regular **Reg. Pkg. 9¢**
Quaker Farina **Reg. Pkg. 10¢**
Shredded Wheat **N.B.C. 2 Pkgs. 25¢**
Macaroni Target **6-Oz. Box 4¢**
Dog Food SAS Dehydrated **6-Oz. Pkg. 9¢**
Matches Favorite **6 Boxes 23¢**
Woodbury's Soap Toilet **3 Reg. Bars 25¢**
Clorox Bleach **Qt. Bot. 22¢**
Paper Napkins 80 Count **2 Pkgs. 15¢**

Plans Completed For Dairy Show Here On April 24

Catalogues for the fourth annual Midland Dairy Day will be ready for distribution Saturday, members of the Midland Dairy Association, sponsors of the event, said Thursday. The show will be held April 24 in the Elder Warehouse in the 300 block on South Baird Street, site of the recent Midland Livestock Show.

Ribbons for the event have been ordered and all arrangements have been worked out. Prizes totaling about \$175 will be paid.

The annual classification event is expected to draw entries from Ward, Glasscock, Martin and Midland counties. The best show of its kind ever held here is indicated by the interest evidenced by dairymen.

Contests Planned
A production contest and a milk maid event are scheduled for the dairy show. In addition to the classification events, a registered dairy heifer will be auctioned off, proceeds to go to the Red Cross. E. R. Eudaly, extension dairyman of A. & M. College, will judge the show, which is open to all entries. Educational exhibits and programs are to be given prior to the show to acquaint the public with the importance of the dairying industry of this area.

Old Time Cowhands Had No Fancy Duds

NORMAN, OKLA. —(AP)—Prof. Carl C. Rister of the University of Oklahoma says plaid shirts, saddle trappings, ten gallon hats and other such western equipment never were worn by the cowboys of early day Oklahoma.

"The real cowboy was a pretty tough hombre," says Professor Rister. "He always carried his six-shooter and he did so until this region became a state and was admitted to the union."
He wore jeans or denim pants and always wore a vest, old pictures show. He had a hat with big brim but the crown was rather small and always flat.

British In Command Of Headhunter Army

LONDON —(AP)—On the remote Assam-Burma border, British officers command an army which the India Office says is unique in all Britain's military history.

Its soldiers are fierce tribesmen who not so long ago considered headhunting the only proper occupation of a real he-man. Recruited from the Naga hill country and forests along the eastern and southeastern frontier of Assam, British India province, and from the "Chin" territory along the Chindwin river south of Manipur province, they know their jungles and hills as the householder knows his home.

The force, operating along the 800 miles of the Indo-Burma frontier, ranges far down the rivers and valleys of Burma. Outposts are scattered throughout the Naga hills—where the mountains sometimes rise 10,000 feet into the air—and the Chin regions.

Soldier Gets Shock From Wife's Message

AN ALASKAN ARMY BASE—(AP)—Don't send Sergeant Wilbur Jones that isn't his name any more fixed-text telegraphic messages, because he doesn't trust them. Sergeant Jones, 17 months in Alaska, recently received army fixed-text message number 85 from his wife. After 36 hours, a correction was made. What Mrs. Jones had sent was message number 35.

The text: No. 85—"son born"; No. 35—"All my love, darling."

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Long Story



No long-hair when it comes to being patriotic, 7-year-old Dolores Amici of New York is having her 31-inch tresses trimmed for Uncle Sam. Army and Navy needs blond hair, 14 inches long and untouched by irons or chemicals for use in weather instruments.

Hull Is Invited To Visit Britain

LONDON —(AP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, discussing his recent conferences in Washington before the House of Commons, disclosed Thursday he had invited Secretary of State Cordell Hull to visit London and said he was satisfied there is "complete agreement" between Britain and the United States on the "future policy toward France."

Eden also reported that he and United States authorities "found a very close similarity of outlook" on postwar problems.

"I am satisfied," the foreign secretary said "that as regards the future policy toward France there is complete agreement between us."

Eden said the invitation was extended to Hull with the approval of Prime Minister Churchill, but he did not state whether Hull had accepted.

Supports Beliefs
The foreign secretary's statement that "complete agreement" had been reached on the future policy toward France followed a statement by Churchill Wednesday affirming his support of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's action in requesting Gen. Charles De Gaulle to delay his visit to Algiers to negotiate with Gen. Henri Giraud for the union of all French forces.

The statement gave additional support to the growing belief here that after many early discrepancies in methods of dealing with the French problem, Britain and the United States finally had reached a more harmonious policy.

It had been assumed in London that one purpose of Eden's trip was to resolve such differences. "My closing impression of America," he said, "was one of a young and vigorous people, wholeheartedly in the struggle and determined to work together with the other United Nations in war and in peace."

Army Mail Clerk Is Sympathetic Anyway

CAMP CARSON, COLO. —(AP)—The commissioned officers of a certain outfit at Camp Carson were so disappointed when they failed to receive letters from home that Sgt. John Ball of Middletown, Ohio, in the mail clerk, felt sorry for them. So he placed this printed message and devices one in each mail box that lacks a letter:

"To the Forgotten Man:
"It is with my most heartfelt regret that I must give you this letter which I hope will afford you some consolation as you try to make your little canoe through the rough unsympathetic seas of torn human emotion due to your not receiving your so desired bit of news from the cruel, cruel outside world."

"In other words—no mail today."
"Signed, The Mail Clerk."

Cajuns Have Unique Manner Of Speaking

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)—Louisiana's woodlands, inhabited by the American soldier on maneuvers and the Cajun hunter-trapper, have become a curious pot-pourri of picturesque speech. And if anyone can rival the doughboy's "slanguage" for vividness, it's the Cajun.

He calls the skunk either chat prunt (stinking cat) or arrosir (sprinkler). A bat is a sourischaude, a "hot mouse." The common deerfly is known respectfully as frappe d'abord, or "strike first."

The sponge was once believed to be a combination of both plant and animal.
It is estimated that New York City has 1,670,000 telephones.

Stamp barriers, ada has production of... There is a sequence on the staunchly loyal but culturally independent French Canadians, another on Canada's key situation controlling the shortest air routes to Europe and Asia, and a hint of the rich future possibilities of post-war cooperation between the two nations.

Pastor Raising Hens In Church

ST. LOUIS —(P)—Some persons go for Victory gardens, but the Rev. George T. Andrews, pastor of St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church, raises chickens in the church basement for distribution to the parish poor.

Right now the basement is a gastronomic Utopia with 4,700 chickens on the hoof—and more in prospect. Father Andrews figuratively jumped from the fire into the frying pan in mid-January, after serving as a director of the Consumers' Coal Co-operative, which sprang up as a source of cheap fuel for the needy.

Cheap Meat
Aided by an experienced parishioner, the pastor bought 400 chicks, raised them to maturity and sold them to the needy at 20 cents a pound when the market price was 50 cents. Then he sold 200 shares of stock in the chicken co-operative to his parish, reserved some for his church's charitable institutions, and used the money to outfit his basement business.

One-day-old chickens—or pedigreed, blood-tested stock—are placed in brooders arranged in tiers. The tiers have a 2,000-chick capacity and 1,400 fluffy fowl live there now. They are shifted to peat moss pens with wire bases for sanitary purposes as they grow larger, and about 1,700 are in this type enclosure. Still bigger pens care for the older chickens in what formerly was an auditorium and gymnasium.

Big Business
The co-operative's 100 members recently voted to increase capitalization from \$5 to \$10 a share. The additional money is being used to construct large cages in a garage behind a nearby convent to house grown chickens pending their final distribution.

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MONARCH FINER FOODS

Corn Cream Style #2 Can 14 Points 18c
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Strawberries Pint 28c	DRY BRIGHT Enamel Cleaner Quart 43c
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Fresh Peas Pound 23c	HY LO Large Size 21c
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Avocados 2 for 25c	
Carrots 2 bunches 9c	
Grapefruit Texas Seedless 3 for 20c	
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RICH IN VITAMINS AND MINERALS

Mary Lee Taylor's Chef's Salad
Broadcast Apr. 8

1/4 cup vinegar or lemon juice
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1 tablespoon sugar
1/4 teaspoon pepper
3 tablespoons salad oil
1/2 cup Pet Milk
2 cups shredded lettuce*

1 1/2 cups shredded cabbage
1/4 cup shredded carrots
1/2 cup thinly sliced radishes**
1/2 cup thinly sliced green onions
3 small tomatoes, peeled and cut in wedges

Mix together vinegar, salt, sugar and pepper. Stir in salad oil gradually. Then stir into milk. Beat with rotary egg beater or shake thoroughly in covered jar. Keep chilled. At serving time, put lettuce, cabbage, carrot, radishes and onions in large bowl. Add chilled dressing and toss lightly until well mixed. Garnish with tomatoes, if desired. Serve at once. Serves 6.

*Water cress or spinach may be substituted for half of the lettuce.
**Diced celery or cucumbers may be substituted for the sliced radishes.
NOTE: Vegetables should be well chilled before cutting.

For This Recipe You'll Need:
IRRADIATED PET MILK cans 9c
Carrots 2 bunches 13c
Wesson Oil Pt. 33c

Better Make That Refrigerator Last

That refrigerator you might have bought won't be yours for a while! The machines, metals, factories and labor that would have made it are now producing tanks, guns and engines necessary to freeze out the Axis.

That, Mrs. Housewife, is why you must make your old refrigerator last. Every saving, whether it's in the life of your refrigerator, in the fuel or energy used for operating it, or in the food you store, contributes to victory.

The best spot for your refrigerator is the coolest one—away from the sun, oven, radiators and steam pipes. Be sure it stands level and firm, with a space of at least 2 1/2 inches in back and 8 to 12 inches at the top for the air to circulate and carry away the heat from the mechanical unit.

To save food, fuel and wear and tear on the machinery, keep the temperature no colder than 40 degrees and no warmer than 50. The way to do this is by not opening the door more than necessary.

No one need tell you a sure way of ruining the ice trays is to have the ice pick habit. You can make the removal of trays easy by not filling them to the brim. Water expands when it's frozen. Just as important—defrost regularly, before the ice is a quarter inch thick on the freezing unit.

Do a thorough cleaning job after each defrosting. Wash every part with warm water and soda. Rinse with a cloth wrung from clean water and wipe each part dry. Mild soaps—never harsh soaps or scratchy cleaners—should take care of the outside daily. Wipe up all spilled foods at once, as they might stain the finish. Guard the rubber seal around the door from grease, dirt and spilled foods.

Some refrigerators need oiling; others don't. Follow the manufacturer's instructions, and always call the service man in case of trouble or need for repairs.

Ham For Easter Is An Old Tradition



For Easter dinner, serve roast pork tenderloin with fried apple and onion rings.

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox
NEA Staff Writer

Pork tenderloin costs 10 points a pound. It is not inexpensive in cash. But for Easter Sunday it could be a popular choice. Ham in some form is one of America's traditional Easter meats. So perhaps when the family gathers together for Easter dinner this year, the ration book and the purse may get together and select the following delicious menu. Remember, too, that the high-point-costing tenderloin is all meat. There is no bone waste, no excess fat waste, and it is a tender and favorite cut.

If you have asparagus, cut off the tough ends of the stalks and save them for cream of asparagus soup. Use left-over roast for supper, cut into tiny cubes and cook in white sauce delicately seasoned with mustard and paprika.

Roast Tenderloin of Pork

Order pork tenderloin in the size necessary for the number to be served. Trim, rub with salt and pepper and dot with fat. Place in a pan in a quick oven to sear for 15 minutes. Lower heat and add a little water to make a pan gravy. Paste with water frequently until done. Remove from oven and slit tenderloin open lengthwise. Pour some of the pan gravy over it.

Fried Apple Rings

Slice apples 3/8-inch thick. Fry in table fat until done—when they feel tender if pierced with a fork, and are a golden brown.

Fried Onion Rings

Cut onions in thick slices and separate in rings. Dip in milk and flour lightly. Fry in deep fat until

a golden brown.

Service
Place the split tenderloin in the center of a platter. Arrange the fried onion rings in a mound at each end. Next to the onion rings on each side, arrange candied sweet potatoes or parsley new potatoes and fried apple rings alternately around the platter. Pour a little pan gravy over the tenderloin, and garnish with several sprays of crisp, green watercress.

FAREWELL FRILLS

Up for discussion at WPB offices is a further trimming down of trimmings. Under fire now are the frilly jabots and extra large bows used by blouse people to "dress up" their products. Although nothing is definite, a ruling may be made shortly on the size of your next season's jabot to cut down on cloth waste. WPB economists have also sternly decreed that appliqued rosebuds on babies' sweaters are out for the duration, and the present length in men's hosiery may be shortened, despite masculine arguments about "raposis" between hose tops and trousers.

HANDOUT

RICHMOND, CALIF.—(AP)—Charles Foley extended his left arm to signal a left turn, he explained to police.

He rounded the intersection slowly, arm still out—and a nimble bystander snatched Foley's wrist watch and fled.

WPB Plans To Provide Plenty Of Jars For All Home Canning Needs

By Betty MacDonald
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Expect a sharp drop in dried fruit point values—so noticeable, in fact, that the thrifty housewife can plan to put by a tidy store of dried prunes and such for leaner times ahead.

The present drop in dried fruits is reassuring, proving that none of the figures are fixed, and that the ration people have their eyes on the market and the need to keep

stock—especially more perishable stock—moving.

Plenty Of Jars
Anticipating a record-breaking canning season in American homes, WPB has made arrangements for manufacture of 3,000,000,000 new closures (except the banned zinc lids) 500,000,000 new jars, twice as many as last year, and 150,000 pressure cookers which will each hold seven one-quart jars. The new supply, in addition to those held over from last year, should take

care of home canning for the season.

More Applesauce
Home economists point to the ample supply of fresh apples on hand and urge housewives to buy apples to put up as applesauce. Most families they say, have enough sugar to take care of a small amount of canning, especially in "city" homes where the housewife does very little baking and canning.

War And Wax Paper

Housewives are urged to conserve all their wax paper against the time when this bendy commodity may be very scarce. Wax, says WPB, is hard to obtain, and

has many important war uses.

Spring, And The Cows
The fluid milk flush season is underway, in the language of Agriculture Department experts, and there'll be plenty of milk on hand from now on, especially in communities where there's been a shortage. The reason: cows are in pasture again, and spring's in the air.

Odds And Ends

Clean and pack your heating stoves and stove pipe elbows carefully this summer as the pipe especially will be obtainable only in limited quantities from now on. All dehydrated Irish and sweet potatoes, cabbages, carrots, beets, onions and rutabagas are reserved

for Army and Navy use from now on. Only forge-finished axes, hatchets, adzes, broad axes and light hammers will be manufactured, and handle styles will also be limited to three types. Replacing that cod liver oil you used to take is pichard oil, 13 million gallons of it for vitamin-conscious America.

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MIDLAND INDIAN STORE
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Nothing tough about it at all—as hundreds of our customers have discovered to their pleasant surprise. "Point Planning" is the sensible way to spread appetite appeal over the entire month's menus . . . and it's easy to do. Just plan your menus in advance. Figure your points before you shop, and if you've used too many for that day, substitute some of our unrationed foods. Shop early in the day and buy for several meals at one time. Start now by planning your week-end menus with the point and penny savers listed in this ad.

Baby Beef
CHUCK ROAST
lb. 28c

Boned, Rolled and Tied
Lamb Shoulder Pound 33c

Fancy Bulk
Sausage Pound 25c

Vegetable, Beef or Chicken
Boullion Cubes 3 for 25c

12 Ounce Can
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Bulk, Sweet
Mixed Pickles Pint 35c

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Wax Beans Package 27c

FOLGER'S COFFEE LB. 35c

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FLY SPRAY SINCLAIR P. D. QUART 45c

Pint
Wesson Oil 6 Pts. 33c

47 Ounce Can
Tomato Juice 22 Pts. 29c

46 Ounce Can
G'fruit Juice 9 Pts. 32c

Calumet
B'k'g Powder 1 lb can 19c

Saltine
Crackers 1 Lb. Box 20c

Red Chain
Dog Food 2 Lb. Box 29c

Corn Meal 5 Lb. Sk. 21c

Matches Carton 25c

HYLO
Giant Box 59c
Medium Box 19c

JELLY
IMITATION GRAPE, RASPBERRY, CURRANT, OR STRAWBERRY
Quart Jar 33c

GOLD CHAIN FLOUR
24 pound sack \$1.35
12 pound sack 71c

STRAWBERRIES
PINT BOX 23c

GREEN BEANS
POUND 23c

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

AVOCADOS 2 for 17c

NEW POTATOES 2 Lbs. 17c

SPINACH 2 Lbs. 17c

Extra Fancy
ASPARAGUS Pound 29c

White or Yellow
SQUASH Pound 17c

300 Size Sunkist
LEMONS Dozen 31c

ORANGES
Texas Seedless
DOZEN 31c

CARROTS
2 LARGE BUNCHES 9c

WES-TEX FOOD STORE

Personals

Mrs. E. Turrentine of Beaumont was a visitor in Midland Wednesday.

Mrs. Meda Campbell underwent major surgery in a Snyder hospital Tuesday morning. She was accompanied to Snyder by Mrs. A. C. Hoffer who made a brief visit to Sweetwater.

R. H. Gill, San Angelo oil man, is in Midland on business.

Mrs. Buddy Hewitt has joined her husband at College Station where he is training as an aviation cadet.

Mrs. Guy Eiland of Stanton was a Midland visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. L. H. Wise spent Wednesday in Midland visiting.

Mrs. J. S. Wilson of Hearne, Texas, has arrived for a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. J. D. Wilson.

Mrs. Frank O'Neal of Hobbs visited here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Petree have returned from Abilene where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Buchanan. They also visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Petree, at View, Texas.

Miss Dorothy Glenn has returned from a brief visit to Stanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glenn.

Corp. Oren C. Stephens is here on furlough from Fort Bliss.

Corp. Derwood B. Friday of Fort Benning, Ga., is visiting his parents and friends here.

Kenneth Burrows, druggist of Kermit, was a business visitor in Midland Wednesday.

The Rev. R. J. Snell was a visitor in Midland Wednesday from Big Spring.

Mrs. G. Puchi and baby daughter were dismissed from the Midland hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. P. L. Reppert and Mrs. Triplett of Amarillo, Red Cross area supervisors, were in Midland Wednesday visiting the surgical dressings room.

A. N. Hendrickson has returned from a trip to Omaha, Nebraska.

UNHORSED, HE HOPES
LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Because he's tired of being called Seabiscuit, Whirlaway and names of other turf greats, Charles Ross Horses, Jr., 17, is asking superior court to change his surname to Collins.

It is estimated that the Army Air Forces will contain 2,500,000 men by the end of 1943.

The Evangelical Lutheran church is the state religion of Finland.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fowler on the birth of a daughter in a hospital here Wednesday.

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

OZARKA WATER CO. welcomes these new arrivals. Phone 111 and a bottle of OZARKA will be delivered to you free.—Adv.

Kate Smith swaps stories with Mrs. Patrick of Kansas City, Mo.

IN 1910, a few days after I was married," writes Mrs. G. G. Patrick of Kansas City, Mo., "I visited the corner grocery store. And the grocer, knowing I was a young bride, gave me a Calumet cook book. I still have that little cook book, Miss Smith.

"On one occasion, I was out of Calumet and borrowed some baking powder from a neighbor. But hers was another brand and my cake was a failure. I've never used any baking powder since but Calumet."

"WELL, MRS. PATRICK," Kate writes back, "after 33 years of baking success with Calumet, you certainly are in a position to help other young brides. You can tell them with real authority that Double-Acting Calumet will give them delicious, high, light cakes and hot breads that men just love.

"Here's a dandy new Calumet recipe for your collection. It's Calumet Johnny Cake... a perfect way to make tomorrow's breakfast extra special!"

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Try Kate's Recipe for Calumet Johnny Cake

1 cup sifted flour
2 1/2 teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup corn meal

3 tablespoons shortening
1/4 cup sugar
2 egg yolks, unbeaten
3/4 cup milk
2 egg whites

*Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Add corn meal and mix well. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg yolks, one at a time, beating well after each. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Beat egg whites until they will hold up in moist peaks. Stir quickly but thoroughly into batter. Turn into greased pan, 9x9x2 inches, and bake in hot oven (400° F.) 30 minutes, or until done. (All measurements are level.)

SAVE! BUY BIG WARTIME ECONOMY-SIZE 25oz. CAN!

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SERIAL STORY

DARK JUNGLES

BY JOHN C. FLEMING & LOIS EBY

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THE STORY: Allison Topping, society girl, is off to Guatemala, to run her father's chicle plantation. Barry Fielding, mining engineer on route to the same tropic land, tries to dissuade her, stressing the hardships she will face. Barry offers to tell Allison the nature of his secret mission if she will leave the ship and give up her plans. When she promises to consider his advice, he reveals that he seeks to obtain the location of a quetzalite mine owned by the Quiche Indian tribe. Barry turns away in disgust when Allison tells him she will not turn back. She follows him, and in time to see a native leap from a hiding place, a knife upraised in his hand.

the flesh of the huge black wrist! She heard Barry's yell and the dull clank of metal on wood at the same instant. She leaped up, grabbed the knife from the deck and ran to the rail to throw it overboard. Then she whirled back—but she could see nothing of the fighters—nothing but blackness. A deep surging void rose to engulf her.

SHE was in her cabin with the captain taking her pulse and the cabin boy bathing her head when she came to.

"Where's Barry?" she whispered. The captain smiled at her with deep relief. "Feel all right?" he questioned.

"I always faint at the most exciting moment," she said. Then she screamed at the captain's maddening smile. "Why don't you tell me where he is!"

The captain and the cabin boy both jumped. "Mr. Fielding?" the captain said, alarmed. "Oh, he's in his cabin, I believe."

"That's fine. Would you mind telling me—is he dead or alive?" The captain looked more alarmed. "Oh," he said. "He's alive. But of course, he's alive."

"Thanks," said Allison. She went on laughing. "Sorry to be so inquisitive, but when I left him—"

At that moment, Barry's figure darkened her cabin door. His face was bruised and swollen, one eye was black, and his coat sleeve still hung in ribbons, but he looked all in one piece. And he could grin at her.

"Now what are you laughing about?" he accused. "You," he said cryptically. "I couldn't call you handsome now."

The rubber men crowded in after Barry, and the elderly light-house keeper brought in his first-aid kit to see if Allison, too, needed treatment.

"She doesn't need any of that," Barry said. "All she needs is a good strong antiseptic mouth-wash." He found the bottle Allison had in her bag and superintended a thorough disinfecting, while he told her what she had missed of the fight. He gave her full credit for her part in the fray.

"It was just beginning to count the credits I could hold on to that knife arm of his when you came to the rescue. Boy, you must pack a mean bite. He wilted like a daisy in a thunderstorm under it. And once he'd dropped his knife, he lost heart in the whole mess."

"What happened to him?" Allison murmured between gargas.

"I saw him," the captain broke in, "just as he got free of Mr. Fielding. He ran across the deck and dived overboard. He came up by a small boat, turned on its motor and raced in to the shore."

"He must have used oars coming out," Barry said. "We were around on the other side of the deck, but we could have heard a motor."

"Allison said bitterly, to the captain. "You should have gone after him! He's a murderer! As long as he's loose somewhere, Barry's life isn't safe!"

Barry laughed. "That imagination of yours! He was just a poor pickpocket from Santiago who saw us tonight and thought we looked like easy pickings." He turned to appeal to the captain. "You see now why I think you should help me persuade this young woman to go back to her home?"

The captain nodded. "The life down where you are going is not the kind of civilization you know," he told Allison heavily. "It is filled with many such incidents as you saw tonight."

"And if you go fainting at every sight of roughness," Barry cut in dryly, "you can see for yourself you're not suited."

"I didn't faint till the danger was past," Allison reminded him belligerently. "That's a fine way to pooh pooh me after I saved your life!"

"I'm going to thank you for that later," Barry said grimly. "Right now I don't want you to get a heroine complex and think one lucky incident fits you for jungle life."

Allison dropped back into her pillows with a grimace at Barry. She said to the captain, "Sometimes I think I could love that man. But sometimes he just bores me."

Barry was studying his wrist-watch in the flickering light of her candle. "You have just 15 minutes to pack before the boat sails," he said steadily.

"Do I?" She lay watching his determined face with languid humor, making no move. She saw the urgent command slowly fade out and stern resignation take its place. He turned and went to the door, to spin around for a last bitter word.

"All right. Go into the jungle! But I hope to God what you haven't got in that pretty, frivolous head of yours you've got in your hide," he shouted.

"You mean guts," she said cheerfully. "Well who knows?" The door slammed after Barry.

(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney America's Card Authority

The Eastern States open pair championship has always been recognized as one of the outstanding events in bridge. It still holds the record of the largest entry, 185 pairs in 1933. This year Jules Tilles of Brooklyn won the event, nosing out Mrs. A. M. Sobel and Charles H. Goren by two match points.

In tournament bridge it is often not enough to get to a game contract and make it. Bidding three no trump and making four will give you a bad score if the other pairs make five. And naturally, if you make five-odd on a hand on

Hand analysis for 'McKENNEY ON BRIDGE' showing cards and scores for various suits and hands.

which most pairs make only four, you make a good score. That is what Jules Tilles did on the hand shown today.

The bidding was rather unusual. Tilles exclaimed his opening diamond bid as a bid to make room for a possible one-over-one response. Goldstein, his partner, did not want to bid no trump, so he made a one-over-one response and waited to see what action South would take.

When Tilles bid one no trump, Goldstein jumped to three no trump.

The opening lead was won in dummy with the ten-spot. East ducked the spade return and declarer won with the queen. Tilles then cashed four rounds of diamonds, East discarding a small heart and South a low club. Another spade was led from dummy, and again East ducked, South winning with the king.

At this point Tilles led the queen of clubs and West won. East discarded another heart. West played the queen of hearts, which was won in dummy with the king. Now Tilles made the play that gave his side the extra trick. It's led the king of clubs, and East found himself in a squeeze. If he threw another heart, Tilles could cash three heart tricks; if he threw a spade, Tilles would discard his heart and then lead a spade, forcing East to win with the ace and establishing a spade trick for the declarer.

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Texan Pleads Guilty To Sodomy Charges

CLOVIS.—(AP)—Reb Lucian Dockrey, 26, of Blossom, Texas, pleaded guilty in district court Wednesday to a charge of sodomy, and sentence was deferred until next week. An 8-year masquerade by Dockrey as a woman was disclosed by officers last week.

The columbine is the state flower of Colorado.

CLASS GETS HOLIDAY

MADISON CONN.—(AP)—Last week the 22 seniors of Hand High School took their annual trip to New York, escorted by two teachers. But this week they're not going any place, not even to school. One of the class, it seems, didn't feel very well on the way back. Health Officer Milo Binge diagnosed it as scarlet fever, and quarantined the whole class—and the teachers.

Read Reporter-Telegram Classifieds

Dog Population Is Going To The Dogs

LYNCHBURG, Va.—(AP)—City Treasurer George M. Bell, in charge of issuing licenses for all the city's canines, figures that the dog population has decreased, 500 since 1942. The reason is assigned chiefly to scarcity of dog food.

Colorado is known as the Centennial State.

GOLDEN EGGS

LOS ANGELES.—(AP)—She wasn't overly concerned about the family car or other property, Mrs. Virginia Critchfield told the court as she was awarded her divorce from Thomas L. Critchfield, but—she demanded, and received, custody of eleven laying hens.

Sun spots are dark, cloud-like regions from 500 to 50,000 miles in diameter which last from a day to a week.

DANGER AHEAD

CHAPTER IV

AS Barry strode along the dark deck, his anger at Allison faded under a strange, rising apprehension. He was in a state of tingling alertness when her scream rang out. With the first sound he whirled, dodging.

The instinctive side movement saved him. As the dark form of the native catapulted against him, hurling him to the deck, the swiftly descending knife slid harmlessly through his coat sleeve, barely grazing his arm.

Allison stood frozen, her screams strangled into breathless terror as the two lithe bodies writhed and strained across the shadowy deck before her. Then she caught the gleam of the knife still in the native's strong grip, waiting—waiting for that one fatal instant when Barry's desperate restraining hold relaxed. Fury flooded through her, bringing strength. She ran forward with a sobbing scream.

"Barry! Kill him, Barry!" Just below her now was the cruel black face of the native. With fastidious loathing she closed her eyes and began beating it with her fists.

"Hey!" She opened her eyes. The native had twisted over and she was beating Barry's head! She drew back, gasping. She saw that Barry's teeth were ground up a hard last effort, his hand being forced slowly down the huge black arm that was relentlessly raising the knife over his back! She threw herself with a scream upon that murderous, hairy man. Her teeth sank with frantic viciousness into

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FUNNY BUSINESS



"The old man's dictating with the hicups again!"

SIDE GLANCES



"Yep, I'm off to the Army next week, ladies, but don't cry about it—if you feel patriotic you can buy me a banana split!"

HOLD EVERYTHING



Enough oil was supplied by the 1942 cotton crop to furnish every person in the United States with 10 pounds of food fat.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



ANSWER: Revolutionary war, but not by American troops.

BARKING LOOT

KIOWA, COLO.—(AP)—Burglars who looted the Kiowa postoffice, said Sheriff Roy Brown, stole: Cash totalling \$125, 1,160 gasoline ration books, a .410 gauge shotgun, a 30 caliber rifle—and a bulldog.

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By William Ferguson

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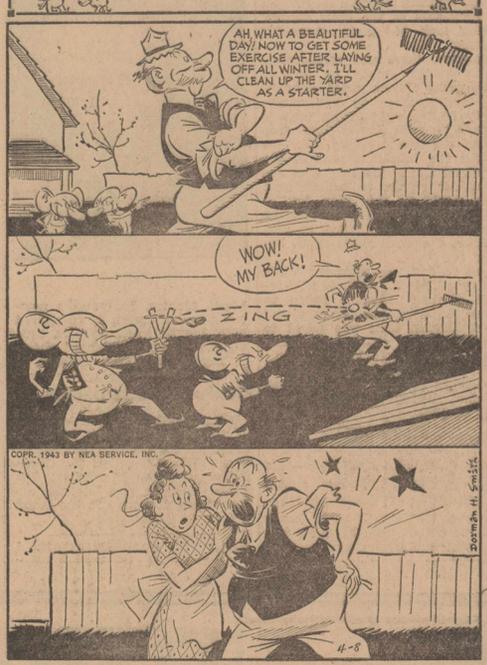
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First Army --

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the port of Sfax, and tanks, transports and troops, were hammered by Allied air forces, sometimes within sight of their own ground forces. Fourteen enemy aircraft were shot down in air combat for a loss of one Allied plane, and Allied anti-aircraft batteries in the northern sector destroyed three more.

Many Italians Taken

Lieut. Gen. K. A. N. Anderson launched his First Army forces against German positions from the Medjez-El-Bab region at dawn Wednesday. By noon the first objective and 150 prisoners were taken. Competent sources said it was now obvious that Rommel had believed he could hold out much longer in the Wadi El Akarit positions and the dislodgment of his forces there compelled him to alter his whole plan for remaining in that southern sector for some time to come.

Six times as many Italians as Germans were among the Axis prisoners taken, for Kimmel was still leaving Italians behind to cover the withdrawal of his German fighters, but the proportion of Germans ran much higher among the prisoners captured by the second corps the compliment of sending some of the best Nazi units against it.

Casualties Heavy

The Americans' struggle against Axis armor, which had advantages in positions on the highlands, was a difficult one and heavy casualties were suffered. Land mines were used in such quantity by the enemy that they were not merely impediments, but full-fledged weapons with which to hold back the thrusts of Patton's men.

The Americans seized more than 20 field guns and a like number were captured, along with prisoners, by French troops mopping up enemy positions in the pocket south of the Gafsa-Gabes road. Much booty fell to the Eighth Army.

Langlie Well --

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a major Ellenburger field for the West Texas-Southeast New Mexico Permian Basin.

Three and one-half miles west of the Carter et al No. 2-C Pure-J. B. Walton, Keystone Ellenburger strike, Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 20 State-Walton is drilling basal Simpson line and shale at 10,381 feet. Top of Ellenburger is expected within the next 70 feet.

Latest From Carter Well

Anon G. Carter et al No. 2-C Pure-Walton, the Keystone deep discovery, was given a drillstem test of Ellenburger zone from 9,370 to 9,405 feet, according to a late report from Fort Worth. Tester was open one hour and three minutes.

At the end of 7 minutes the well started flowing water blanket, and at the end of 16 minutes it started flowing distillate. On a 40-minute gauge it flowed 19.02 barrels of distillate. When tester was open 19 minutes gas gauged a rated 21 million cubic feet per day. At the close of the test, gas had decreased to 18,360,000 feet. At last reports, operators were reaming to core ahead below 9,405 feet. The well topped the Ellenburger at 9,230 feet.

Two Win Promotions At Bombardier School

The promotion of technicians fourth grade Earl A. Banks and Ferguson Gates, members of the 87th Aviation Squadron of the Midland AAF Bombardier School, to the grade of sergeant were announced Wednesday.

Grounds At Bombardier School Being Improved

The grounds surrounding the postoffice at the Midland AAF Bombardier School had a decidedly spring appearance Thursday. A crew of men was busy all day Wednesday landscaping the grounds, setting out numerous small shrubs and plants near the building and surrounding grounds.

TECH BILL PASSED

AUSTIN — (P) — The House passed uncontested a bill by Rep. Hop Halsey of Lubbock permitting Texas Technological College to convey five acres of school property to the city for building an auditorium.

The original Indian name for Mount McKinley was Denali, meaning "Home of the Sun."

Appropriations Cut Draws U. T. Protest

GALVESTON — (P) — Dr. Chauncey D. Leake, vice-president and dean of the University of Texas School of Medicine, announced a protest against reduction of appropriations for the school below a minimum of \$1,040,000 annually was formulated at a meeting of the faculty for presentation to the legislature.

Continual cannon fire has been heard 100 miles from the scene of the firing.

Page Diogenes



Meet Honest Frank Kommanski, 13, who found \$13,901.28 in two paper bags in a New York junk yard and promptly turned it all over to police.

Patterson --

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Basil D. Edwards, Colonel Myron G. Blaylock, Colonel George A. Brownall, Colonel A. Robert Ginsburgh, and Colonel Glenn L. Davasher.

Patterson and his party flew here from San Antonio in a twin-engine Army transport in which they are making the air tour.

After their arrival they were taken to the Cadet Mess Hall where they conferred with Army officials and civic leaders and then all enjoyed luncheon before the inspection of the field and the study of training methods was made by the official party.

Dallas Woman Denied Damages From Death Of Husband In Idaho

BOISE, Idaho — (P) — District Judge Charles E. Winstead Wednesday sustained a demurrer of T. S. Davison, defendant in a suit for \$61,338.29 brought by Laure Louise Goode, widow of John W. L. Goode of Dallas, Texas, on behalf of herself and her son, John Goode, 9.

Mrs. Goode sued for damages following Davison's conviction on manslaughter in the stabbing death of Goode last October 3 after an argument at Davison's motor court.

Mrs. Goode was allowed ten days in which to file an amended complaint.

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Schlitz Holds On To Lead In City Bowling League

After losing two games to the Service Club to tie up the two teams for first place, the Schlitz bowlers took the final contest Wednesday night to hold on to its lead in the City Bowling League.

Hurley's won two of three close games from the Plamor Alley bowlers and the Honolulu Oilers won two games from the Grand Prize team.

Dorris Edwards bowled 569 in three games to take high scoring honors.

STANDING:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Schlitz Beer	46	32	590
Service Club	45	33	577
Honolulu	44	34	564
Hurley's	43	35	551
Grand Prize	29	49	372
Plamor Allys	27	51	346

HONOLULU

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Grant	179	158	147	484
Langford	175	163	128	466
Cassidy	132	121	144	397
Duman	172	172	165	509
Chambers	149	159	187	495
Total	807	773	771	2351

GRAND PRIZE

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Young	120	157	150	427
Harrington	124	187	179	490
Scott	141	111	183	435
Albin	149	165	169	483
Merry	174	117	131	422
Handicap	29	29	29	87
Total	737	766	781	2284

HURLEY'S

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
McBride	149	155	139	443
Gronek	208	148	180	536
Clair	166	163	169	501
Dykes	191	160	185	546
Seybold	138	190	134	462
Total	852	822	814	2488

PLAMOR ALLEYS

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Graham	156	162	172	490
Davis	138	136	157	431
Scharbauer	150	166	180	496
Allison	141	145	125	411
Hall	155	125	132	412
Handicap	71	71	71	213
Total	811	803	837	2453

SCHLITZ

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Schon	170	146	181	497
C. Hyatt	143	146	170	459
Darnell	149	124	152	425
D. Edwards	197	198	174	569
Gronmon	160	130	163	453
Total	819	744	840	2403

SERVICE CLUB

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Boring	155	130	163	448
McCasian	164	151	134	449
Harpest	166	147	159	472
Allen	158	146	159	463
McKinnon	184	176	143	503
Handicap	72	72	72	216
Total	893	822	830	2551

Odessa Expected To Win San Angelo Meet

SAN ANGELO—(AP)—Odessa will be the favorite here Saturday in the San Angelo invitation track and field meet.

The Bronchos won the McCamey invitation last week, nosing out San Angelo High by two points.

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Brief Items From The Training Camps—

Clubs Working Out Faults After Exhibitions

By The Associated Press
LAKEHURST, N. J. — The New York Giants seem to have cleared up two problems that troubled them during the early part of the training season—whether Carl Hubbell's left arm would be in good shape for the season and the team's failure to hit in intra-camp games. Hubbell, making his seasonal debut

against the Ellis Island Coast Guard team Wednesday, gave only one hit in three innings and fanned five men in a row. In three exhibitions so far the Giants have poked out 43 hits for 51 runs.

EVANSVILLE, IND. — Steve O'Neill, 51-year-old manager of the Detroit Tigers, took his turn in

batting practice Wednesday on the off chance he might be called upon to relieve Dixie Parsons in Sunday's exhibition against Pittsburgh. The division of the Detroit squad for a big week-end schedule left Parsons the only regular catcher with the "home" team.

BROOKLYN — The Dodgers turned to Kirby Higbe's pitching for consolation for their narrow escape from defeat in Wednesday's exhibition against Yale at New Haven. Higbe allowed only two hits and fanned nine during a four-inning stint.

ASHBURY PARK, N. J.—As you New York Yankees broke camp and headed for their home grounds Thursday, with their lineup still uncertain, Manager Joe McCarthy pronounced George "Snuffy" Stirnweiss and Johnny Lindell the standouts of the blustery spring sessions. Lindell, he indicated, will be carried as an outfielder and spare first baseman and will pitch only in case of a shortage of moundsmen.

FRENCH LICK, IND.—After dropping the rubber game of the "strictly informal" series to the White Sox the Chicago Cubs indicated they were taking the game seriously when Manager Jimmy Wilson kept them after school for a stiff post-game workout.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Hank Edwards revived hope for a touch of power in the Cleveland Indians' lineup by his hitting in Wednesday's exhibition with the Pirates. Edwards slammed a homer far over the right field wall to give the Tribe a 4-3 victory.

Sawyer And Crosby To Compete Monday

Fern Sawyer of Crossroads and Bob Crosby of Kenna, N. M., will compete in a cutting horse contest at the first annual Tatum-Lea County Livestock Show at Tatum, N. M., Monday. It has been announced. Both men, who will be seeking a \$500 prize, have ridden in the Midland Rodeo and are well known throughout West Texas and Eastern New Mexico.

The livestock show, sponsored by Tatum RFA members, is being held in connection with the regular trades day program of the town.

Soldiers Overseas To Get Golf Balls

CHICAGO—(AP)—They were boxing something new in the way of supplies for the front in Chicago Thursday—123 dozen golf balls. Described as "good as new," the balls are those accumulated in the official testing agency of the U. S. Golf Association at the Armour Research Foundation, Illinois Institute of Technology. They were submitted by manufacturers for checking over a period of several years.

They were turned over to the Red Cross for forwarding overseas to such points as afford golfing facilities for soldiers on leave, chiefly in Australia and the British Isles.

Masterson Knew What To Do With Williams

NORFOLK, VA.—(AP)—Somebody wanted to know how Walter Masterson, former hurler for the Washington Senators, pitched to Ted Williams, the ex-batting star of the Boston Red Sox. "I wound up," Masterson replied, "threw and then ducked behind the mound." Masterson is a chief specialist at the Norfolk Naval Training Station.

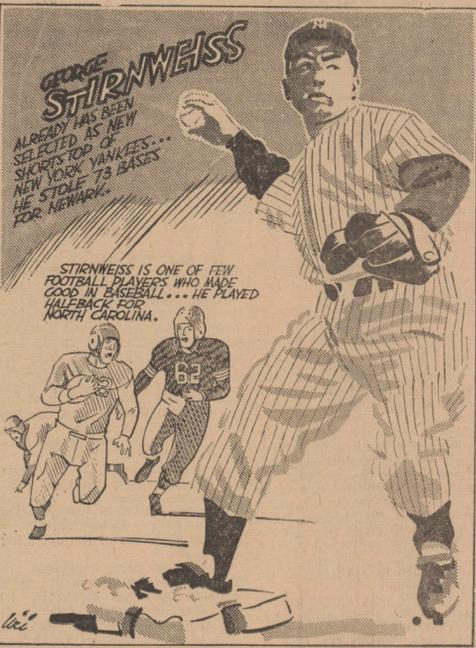
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Sports Roundup

Cards Feel Lack Of Spring Tilts As Practice Ends

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
NEW YORK—(AP)—Perhaps it's too early in the season to be bringing up the subject, but there may be enough college sports activity, especially baseball, next summer to make up for the shortened spring schedules. Asa Bushnell, who keeps his fingers in a whole wassonload of college pieces, points out that a lot more eastern schools will be having summer sessions this year and he figures that most of them will try to organize teams with the same sort of pickup schedules that some operated successfully last summer. The result naturally, will be intercollegiate games within whatever limits transportation and the different starting dates of the summer sessions make necessary.

CAIRO, ILL.—(AP)—The world champion St. Louis Cardinals wound up their spring training Thursday with indications the club has seriously missed the long string of 25 or 30 exhibition games played down south in previous years. Intrasquad contests, while valuable as a break in training routine, failed to produce toughening pressure of former competition with major league teams in the good old days of Florida. Manager Billy Southworth was hopeful, however, that a seven-game spring series with the Browns in St. Louis, starting Saturday, would put the final edge on the Cardinals' condition for the pennant race. The team's pitchers are so far ahead of the hitters that Southworth called off two intrasquad games here to concentrate on intensive batting practice. The Cardinals' attack at best may be light. It was not very devastating last year and two heavy hitters, Enos Slaughter and Terry Moore, now are in military service. The 1942 Cardinals hit only sixty home runs, sixth in National League, although they were first in both triples and doubles, chiefly through their fleet-footed ability to stretch their hits. This year, with many sluggers at war, poke-out-of-the-park may be less of a factor than at any time since the days before Babe Ruth, and Southworth's offensive again is based on "the utilization of speed to get the few runs that will win for a stout defensive team."

Enough Is Enough
When some 3,000 Lakewood, N. J., school kids were given a lecture on good behavior. For about a half hour they acted like perfect ladies and gentlemen, then the strain was too much for them. A voice in the deep silence suddenly rang out: "Hey, horseface, back to the underbrush for you." And from there on the kids behaved like themselves.

Today's Guest Star
Les Goates, Salt Lake City Desert News: "The cockiest freshman athlete in one of our colleges was assigned a part-time job washing the gymnasium floor. Same old floor flusser, as it were!"

Service Dept.
Reading that a Fort Worth, Texas, girl had been given the title of "The Perfect WAAC," for Sheridan, Ill. soldiers decided that Cpl. Eileen Kolden should put in a claim for the title. Besides filling the specifications—five feet seven and 143 pounds—Cpl. Kolden captains the WAAC bowling team and is interested in swimming, judo, skiing and ice skating.

Falkenburg Applies For Army Induction
DALLAS—(AP)—Tom Falkenburg, 18, of the tennis-movie Falkenbergs of Hollywood, has applied for voluntary induction in the Army here "because I like Dallas."

He arrived last week with his mother, brother Bob, sister Jinx, and Paulette Goddard, to appear in a Red Cross benefit. A freshman in the University of Arizona and 1-A in the draft, he'll be inducted April 28 and has asked to be assigned to a ferrying group at Love Field.

KOY VOLUNTEERS
SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Ernie Koy of Belville, Texas, former professional baseball player with the St. Louis Cards and Cincinnati Reds, volunteered Wednesday and was sworn in at Fort Sam Houston as an apprentice seaman in the Navy. Koy was a football and baseball star at the University of Texas.

JOHN REAGAN FAVORED
BEAUMONT—(AP)—John Reagan of Houston's well-balanced team is expected to capture top honors in the class AA division of the annual Lamar College Relays Saturday. In the class B division Ken Atson, one-man gang from Iowa, La., aimed at the title. Fats and oils are an indispensable part of the human diet.

Pro Grid Clubs Drafting Stars Of School Teams

CHICAGO—(AP)—National Football League club owners and coaches stuffed their brief cases Thursday with long lists of soon-to-graduate college gridlers to whom they hoped to draw title at the draft session, closing task of their three-day meeting.

However, there was considerable doubt whether many or any of these young players would be available next season, all this uncertainty adding an ominous tone to hints still more teams may drop out of the league before fall.

With the "duration" exit of the Cleveland Rams, the magnates appeared for awhile to believe nine clubs would go this year, but as any special plan for alleviating the manpower shortage failed to materialize, the atmosphere again became festive. This feeling was apparent Wednesday night when a hastily-revised 45-game schedule failed to please the delegates. Commissioner Elmer Layden then was asked to prepare another chart for submission to a mail vote later. Cleveland's withdrawal made it possible to plan a more balanced schedule, listing 10 fewer games than in 1942.

AGGIES DEFEAT OWLS

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—The Texas Aggies turned in their second straight Southwest Conference baseball win Wednesday with heavy stick work that brought a 7-2 victory over the Rice Owls.

Co-Star



Maria Montez, Hollywood's newest glamour queen, is co-starred with Jon Hall and Sabu in Universal's "Arabian Nights," showing at the Yucca Theatre.

Plenty Of Candidates

WILLIAMSBURG, VA.—(AP)—Not all the college athletes have left school for the armed forces and defense work. Coach R. N. (Rube) McCray said the 33 prospects that turned out for the William and Mary baseball team was the largest number in recent years.

READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

Student Bombardiers Practice On Life-Size Model Of German Vessel

An 817 foot battleship built by the Army Air Forces for \$70 is being used at the Midland Bombardier School to train bombardier cadets for action against the fleets of the Axis.

The battleship, a full-scale model of the Germans' Von Tirpitz, is constructed entirely of whitewash, and the punishment it takes daily in the aerial assaults by the students at this bombardier college bodes no good for its armored counterparts which now rove the Atlantic and Pacific.

An innovation in bombardier instruction, which is designed, according to Lt. Col. John D. Ryan, assistant director of training, to add realism to the training program and rid bombing practice of the monotony which can retard the progress of even the most alert student, the battleship is only one of a number of so-called "combat targets" which have been laid out upon the prairie target ranges of the school.

Many Other Targets
Besides the battleship, these combat targets include at present a bridge, a truck convoy, three oil refineries, two groupings of docks and wharves, three power houses and a rail head. Eventually there will be three more battleships and two more bridges upon which cadets may loose their cargoes of 100-pound practice bombs from their speeding training planes.

These targets were designed by Capt. Willard J. Classen, construction engineer of the Range Section and Lt. Guyler Albright, range officer, from photographs, drawings and confidential data of the method.

Army Air Forces. In reality they are vast outline drawings, either in scale or full dimension, traced upon the flat bombing ranges in whitewash.

After the ground sites for the targets were surveyed, shallow trenches were scraped in the earth, following the outline of the working drawings. These trenches were then sprayed with a thick coating of whitewash.

Repairs Are Easy
In the case of the Von Tirpitz model, the initial treatment required 175 sacks of whitewash. Maintenance of these targets is an inexpensive and comparatively simple process. Trenches are freshened up with whitewash by range crews about once every two weeks. Where direct bomb hits have broken the trenches, repairs are a comparatively simple matter of rebuilding the damaged sections and laying down a new base of whitewash.

From the air those targets present the essential pattern of the objects which bombardiers will be attacking in actual combat. However, their usefulness in familiarizing students with the appearance of military objectives from the air is minimized by Col. Ryan.

One of the essential values of these targets in the training program is psychological, stimulating the interest of the cadets and helping them visualize the problems which they will encounter over enemy territory. They also help the student to note and score direct hits, which are estimated on the ordinary shack type target by the more complicated circular-error of the method.

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60c Kreml' Hair Tonic 33c (Limit 1)

Box 12 Kotex Sanitary Napkins 22c

Soothe As They Smooth REG. 5c VELOUR POWDER PUFFS 25c With coupon at Walgreen's (Limit 2)

HOME NEEDS 150-sheet Rolls of ABSORBENT PAPER TOWELS 2 for 17c (Limit 2 Rolls)

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Yeast & Iron Comp. 98c Saybrooks, Pint

1.25 NEW PERUNA 83c 11-Ounce Bottle

Brewer's Yeast 49c Tablets, Olafsen's, 100's

100 - 5 GRAIN Aspirin Tablets 12c

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50c L'ADONNA CREAM COLOGNE 39c In Floral Bouquet. Soothing to skin.

ALL-AMERICAN WRITING KIT 49c 25 cards, 50 sheet pad, 25 envelopes.

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MOTH BALLS, lb. 19c

100 Gillette Blue Blades 49c

1.50 Anusol Suppositories Box of 12 87c

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Carton 50 Book Matches For home use 9c (Limit 2)

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