

AMERICANS BOMB ROME

Seventh Army Takes Cape Orlando

Axis Continuing Withdrawal From Sicilian Battle

Allies Drive Within 35 Miles Of Messina In Furious Attacks

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA — (AP) — Allied authorities announced Friday that the U. S. Seventh Army had captured Cape Orlando, the German coastal stronghold which was outflanked by an American landing from the sea Wednesday.

The fall of the cape, little more than 40 miles west of Messina, came after American troops to the east and west had established a junction and overrun the adjacent towns of Naso and Brolo.

Axis prisoners now exceed 130,000, it was announced.

The Americans sprang forward eight miles along the northern coast through Cape Orlando while the British Eighth Army advanced four miles on the east coast, threatening Taormina.

Randazzo Menaced

Both Allied wings were within 35 miles of Messina, whose beaches were the scene of an increasing enemy evacuation movement to Italy.

The occupation of Randazzo was in sight.

U. S. units fought with the Germans on the outskirts of that mountain-top town, which was littered and broken by repeated aerial bombardments and steady shelling from artillery batteries.

Allied airmen who cruised above the sector Thursday reported they saw exchanges of small arms fire close to the town. The German garrison, by its tenacious stand, apparently is inviting on a smaller scale the same fate that befell the Nazi army at Stalingrad.

Evacuation Speeded Up

The enemy's evacuation to the Italian mainland quickened its pace Thursday afternoon, when from 35 to 50 vessels of various kinds were seen at one time in the narrow, heavily defended straits. The withdrawal started at least 10 days ago.

Naso lies two miles south of the tip of Cape Orlando; Brolo is four miles east of the cape. The operations involved crossing of the Naso River, the communicate said.

Both at the center and on the east coast there were further gains, despite stiffening resistance from the suicide rear guards which the Germans have left behind to cover their withdrawal from the Messina bridgehead to Sicily.

British Near Giarre

The Eighth Army reached the village of Treachirafi, on the east coast three miles south of Riposto, and is threatening Giarre, the communicate said.

"Northwest of Mt. Etna, after bitter fighting north of Brolo, the Eighth Army succeeded in making an advance towards Malteto in cooperation with the (U. S.) Seventh Army troops, who are now four miles from Randazzo in the (Continued on Page 2)

Finnish Paper Says Peace Not Far Away

STOCKHOLM — (AP) — The Finns are beginning to see a ray of hope for peace for Finland.

The strict Finnish censorship, which has been seeking to soften every peace talk, permitted the Helsinki newspaper Sosiali-Demokraatti to say that while "one dares not hope for peace in the near future we seem to hear an echo of coming peace."

The paper in the official organ of the Social Democrat party.

Finland is "awaiting great events," the paper added.

Former Fascist Leader Reported Under Arrest

NEW YORK — (AP) — Stefani, official Italian news agency, was quoted in a Rome broadcast recorded by United States government monitors Friday as reporting the arrest of Gino Cagetti, former Fascist leader, on charges of insurrection.

It identified Cagetti as former national councillor and holder of other political posts in the Fascist party.

See Here, Sergeant Hargrove



Herding cattle was not part of the basic training mentioned in his book "See Here, Private Hargrove," but Sgt. Marion Hargrove evidently has the situation well in hand as he leads two steers presented by Chinese province to 14th U. S. Air Force, along with silver trophy and 300 bottles of "Jingbao (Air Raid) Juice" on 6th anniversary of Chinese-Jap war.

Signs Indicate Italians Are Stepping Away From Germany In Peace Hope

BERN, SWITZERLAND — (AP) — Signs multiplied Friday that Italy is stepping away from Germany in an effort to approach the Allies and democracy—for the latter, said the newspaper La Stampa of Turin, is the country's urgent need today.

Dispatches indicated that the Italians looked anxiously toward Quebec and the forthcoming conference.

Walsh In Pecos Made Good Show For Siemoniet

After an acid treatment of 2,000 gallons, Siemoniet Drilling Company No. 1 Walsh, Pecos County Abell field Ellenburger test, unloaded itself and flowed 500 barrels of oil into the tank in 13 hours.

This stamps the operation as one of the best Ellenburger wells so far drilled in the Abell area. Pay horizon is indicated from the top of the formation at 5,800 feet to the present total depth of 5,980 feet.

While being washed out prior to the acid shot the No. 1 Walsh flowed natural a small amount of oil. A heavy volume of wild gas was reported around 4,982 feet. Location of the well is 330 feet from the south and west lines of lot 11, block 9, section 25 T42N R10E.

Official Railroad Commission potential test will be run on the Walsh well Sunday.

"H. & J." Drilling At 7,456 Feet

In Northwest Gaines County, half mile south of the one-well Russell field, Magnolia Petroleum Company and Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-459 Havemyer & Jenny is drilling at 7,456 feet in lime.

Shell Oil Company No. 1 D. N. Leaverton and others, discovery well for the Clear Fork producing formation in the Russell area reported topping the "pay off" section around 7,480 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 R. A. Cox, 9,000-foot wildcat, approximately 15 miles south of the Russell field and about the same distance west of the Seminole producing area, is drilling lime at 4,265 feet. It is still about 1,000 feet above the level where it might encounter the Seminole pay — if it does — at around 5,266 feet.

Continental Oil Company No. 1-A Dr. E. H. Jones, scheduled 11,000-foot test, about four miles south of the No. 1-459 "H. & J." and approximately ten miles north of the Humble No. 1 Cox, is drilling lime at 6,954 feet.

Amerasia Petroleum Corporation No. 6 R. W. Robertson, in the Seminole area, has already gone below its originally planned depth. (Continued on Page 2)

War Conference May Concern War Against Japanese

Soviets Not Invited To Participate In Meeting At Quebec

By The Associated Press
Moscow announced officially that Soviet participation "was not and is not envisaged" in the forthcoming Roosevelt-Churchill conference at Quebec, and first London reaction was that the talks would deal primarily with the war on Japan.

In a broadcast Friday, the official Soviet news agency Tass said it had been authorized to state that foreign reports Russia would attend the conference "are based on a misunderstanding."

"The Soviet government," the statement said, "did not receive an invitation to be present at the meeting, and because of the nature of the conference the participation of any one representative of the Soviet government at the meeting in Quebec was not and is not envisaged."

Stalin Given Details
Some London quarters thought the reference to the "nature" of the conference significant.

Since Russia is not at war with Japan, it is not likely that the Soviet would be invited to any conference concerned chiefly with fighting in the Pacific.

The wording of the Moscow announcement made it seem clear, however, that Premier Stalin had been given advance details of the conference. In this connection, it was recalled that the American and British ambassadors conferred with Stalin this week.

As a matter of fact, there was some thought the Soviet marshal of the possibility of an impending Japanese attack on Russia.

Warning Given
Lt. Gen. Sir Douglas Browning, writing in The London Evening News two days ago, said it probably was not too far-fetched an idea to suggest the Japanese constitute "the secret weapon" at which Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering has been hinting.

The Moscow announcement also suggested the conference would emphasize military rather than political aspects of Allied war plans.

There has been no definite announcements of the subjects with which the conference will deal nor when the talks will begin. (Continued from Page 1)

Nazi Government Is Moving To Vienna

BERN, SWITZERLAND — (AP) — Reports reaching here said Friday that a substantial part of the Nazi government machinery has been transferred from Berlin to Vienna for safety from Allied air raids.

These reports also claimed that Nazi authorities were considering proclaiming their capital an open city in an effort to save it from the same fate which struck Hamburg, Cologne, Dusseldorf and other German cities.

Milan Newspapers Describe British Bombing As 'Most Violent Of War'

ON THE SWISS — ITALIAN FRONTIER — (AP) — The British air attack on industrial Milan early Friday morning was described by that city's newspapers as "the most violent" of this war, with destruction shown in all parts of the city.

The alarm sounded shortly after midnight and the air clear was not given until 2 a. m. Bombers swept over the city in waves and were met by the most intensive anti-aircraft fire yet put up by Milan's batteries.

From Chiasso, Swiss town on the Italian border, Italian night fighters could be heard in the air. Two planes were distinctly seen falling in flames as the whole sky glowed with the effects of numerous explosive and incendiary bombs.

The electric railway station was destroyed and the main railroad station was also hit, the newspapers continued, but not badly. The region around the Porta Venezia suffered the heaviest damage, it was said.

Superstitious Folk Are Careful Friday

Friday, the thirteenth. It's the day superstitious people keep their fingers crossed, avoid the path of a black cat, and do the myriad other things which are supposed to keep bad luck away. Don't walk under ladders and be sure to stamp when a white horse is sighted—these are some of their warnings.

But if you feel down in the dumps and angry at the world, blame it on the weather—the date probably hasn't anything to do with it.

Russians Smash Ahead In Drives Against Kharkov

LONDON — (AP) — Russian troops tightened their hold around Kharkov Friday by smashing inward from a point less than five miles away while to the north a drive against Bryansk was stepped up in strength.

In strong fighting for Bryansk, the Moscow midnight communique said, the Red forces have engulfed the important German stronghold of Dmitrovsk-Orlovskiy and 110 populated places south and east of Karachev, which straddles the rail line between captured Orel and Chuguev.

Storming in toward Kharkov, Soviet forces to the south have taken the town of Chuguev, 22 miles distant. The Moscow announcement, recorded here by the Soviet monitor, said the Nazis were in headlong retreat in that area.

The nearest approach to Kharkov was to the northeast.

In the Bryansk sector, the communique said the Soviet attackers pushed to a point six miles east of Karachev and 25 miles southeast of Bryansk itself. Moscow claimed 1,800 Germans were annihilated in that sector.

Gains also were reported west and southwest of Kromi, between Orel and Karachev. Soviet guards stormed into Dmitrovsk-Orlovskiy, which the Germans had transformed into a strongly fortified bastion, and smashed enemy resistance after fierce street fighting.

Nazi Losses Mount
More than 2,000 German officers and men were slain in this engagement, while the Russians captured 12 tanks, 16 guns, 23 mortars, 200 machineguns, 1,500 rifles, ammunition dumps and depots of other war materials.

On the Kharkov salient the Germans were reported using fresh forces rushed from Germany in an attempt to stem the Russian tide, and had ordered technical units and engineering detachments into the front lines.

The Kharkov escape corridor has been narrowed from 60 to 37 miles during the past 48 hours, and as the struggle for the city entered its ninth day advances from the front indicated the Nazis would fight to the finish rather than attempt a strategic retreat. Their losses were heavy, according to the Soviet communique, 3,000 officers and men were killed in two days of battle. Nearly 500 prisoners and 36 tanks were taken.

Texas To Be Asked To Increase Output

AUSTIN — (AP) — Texas will be asked to produce approximately 1,847,000 barrels of oil daily in September, an increase of 100,000 a day over present output, in the opinion of Railroad Commission Chairman Brantford H. Jester.

Certification for September production is expected from the Petroleum Administration for War at the statewide proration hearing Tuesday.

Jester also said that Washington would be compelled to ask for more West Texas crude.

Former French Air Chief Reported Dead

LONDON — (AP) — A Berlin broadcast Friday said Gen. Louis-Alphonse Picard, 63, former chief of the French force general staff, has died. Gen. Picard, who headed the French air force during the days before France's fall, was replaced in late 1940 by Gen. Robert Odier.

U. S. Fliers Batter Capital After British Pound At Northern Italy

Milan And Turin Heavily Pounded By RAF Bombers

LONDON — (AP) — The RAF attacked Northern Italy Thursday night "in greater strength than ever before," the Air Ministry announced Friday.

Milan was the principal target of the great force of bombers.

Turin, also in Northern Italy, was singled out as another of the targets by the big RAF bombers which made the long flight over the Alps from their home bases.

Industries and communications of Milan, Italy's second largest city and chief industrial center, were the objectives of the heavy raid on that city, the Air Ministry report said, and added that first reports showed that both the Italian attacks were well concentrated.

Swiss reports said the hour-long assault on the Northern Italian city resulted in explosions that could be heard on the border and that the glow of raging fires could be seen plainly.

Axis Shipping Hit
British intruder planes struck at the continent Thursday night, attacking Axis shipping and airports in France, and shooting down a German plane over France, it was announced.

The night raids followed daylight attacks on three German Ruhr and Rhineland cities Thursday by American Flying Fortress.

The American raids were directed at synthetic oil plants at Gelsenkirchen and Wesseling and industrial targets at Bonn.

German planes hit back at England Thursday night, bombing the coastal district of East Anglia and causing some damage, it was announced. There were no reports of casualties.

Airfields Blasted
During RAF night sweeps across the channel, 10 locomotives were shot up by intruder patrols and two enemy vessels, a mine sweeper and an E-boat, sunk by fighter-bombers in the Dover Strait, the Air Ministry News Service announced.

One Mosquito pilot penetrating inland as far as the Rhone Valley damaged eight locomotives and caused one entire train to explode, the announcement said.

Airfields at Dijon and Saint Omer, and blast furnaces near St. Dizier—all in France—were bombed.

Congressman Thomason And Senator Winfield To See Roping Contest

Congressman R. E. Thomason of El Paso and State Senator H. L. Winfield of Fort Stockton will attend the Labor Day championship calf roping at the Midland Rodeo grounds, Roy Parks, president of the Midland Fair, Inc., said Friday.

Governor Coke Stevenson will be unable to attend due to a previous engagement, he informed Parks.

Plans for the big roping contest are going forward on schedule, Parks said. Toots Mansfield of Big Spring will compete against Clyde Burk of Comanche, Okla., for the title. Both have won the national calf roping title three times.

13 Airmen Postpone 13th Attack Friday

A U. S. BOMBER STATION SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND — (AP) — With a collective "whoop," 13 airmen at this heavy bomber station relaxed Friday—relieved that they didn't have to go on their 13th attack on Friday 13.

Sweating out the 13th mission is enough without having to take such a day for it.

Draft Note



Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, dean of the draft, chews spectacles as he announces to Los Angeles meeting of state draft officials that no blanket draft deferment has been granted west coast aircraft workers.

Allied Warning Emphasized By Damaging Raid

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA — (AP) — A huge fleet of American bombers bombed Rome again Friday, destructively emphasizing the recent warning to the Italian people that mass Allied raids were about to be resumed.

The fleet of American bombers, including Flying Fortresses, Mitchells and Marauders, attacked the Italian capital before noon, it was announced, with the railroad freight yards again the principal targets.

Rome was first bombed in a daylight raid by American precision bombers on July 19.

No Explanation Made
Behind the wave of Fortresses in Friday's raid came the lighter Mitchells and Marauders, bombing from low levels, and pouring their tracers into the center of an already burning area.

The raid probably equalled the first in size, when Allied air commanders put into the air the greatest aerial concentration since the beginning of the Mediterranean campaign.

As far as was known, no statement of explanation was radioed to the Italian people this time as was done before.

The new attack was a warning that the Allied threat to bomb Rome again would be maintained.

Second Bombing
A special air communique, which did not give all the details given in later announcements, said: "Strong forces of heavy and medium bombers of the Northwest African Air Force today attacked marshalling yards at Rome."

The raid on the Italian capital was disclosed shortly after London announced that Britain-based bombers, attacking Northern Italy in great strength than ever before, raided Milan and Turin Thursday night.

Rome was bombed only once before, when 500 American heavy bombers concentrated on the attack. Two hundred fighters were engaged in the operation, in which five planes were lost.

San Giovanni Hit
RAF Halifax and Liberators from the Middle East command early Thursday contributed their share of the Allied effort to force the Italians from the war. They heavily attacked railway sidings at San Giovanni, on the tie of Italy just opposite the Axis Messina bridgehead on Sicily.

The first waves of Flying Fortresses ran over Rome Friday morning in hand hit the San Lorenzo yards in the Army Air Forces. (Continued on Page 2)

Husband Sticks By Woman Held For Kidnaping

ALBANY, Ore. — (AP) — As the confessed kidnaper of tiny Judith Gurney awaited her arraignment Friday on a child-stealing charge, she had the consolation of knowing her husband had not deserted her.

Army Sgt. Jesse Wright, who believed he was the father of the baby his 26-year-old wife abducted from a hospital nursery last week visited at length with Mrs. Catherine Wright in the county jail and then announced:

"So far as I am concerned, she has been a good wife to me—and I'm certainly going to stand by her."

Wright, stationed at nearby Camp Adair, said he did not believe the story of Harry Morgan of Long Beach that as far as Morgan knew he still was the kidnaper's husband.

Morgan told Long Beach police he married the woman in Honolulu Oct. 7, 1941. Mrs. Wright had insisted the marriage be annulled.

Two School Teachers Resign Positions Here

Mrs. Clifford Keith and Miss Billie Mims Friday sent their resignations to school authorities. Both were instructors in Midland Junior High School. Mrs. Keith will remain in Wendover, Utah, where her husband, Lt. Keith, is in the Army Air Forces.

War Bulletins

LONDON — (AP) — RAF planes pounded Berlin Thursday night in knockout aerial blows aimed at the Axis from the North Sea to Italy, it was announced Friday. Thirteen planes were reported lost in the raid.

LONDON — (AP) — The Rome radio said in a broadcast that Pope Pius XII visited the areas of the Italian capital bombed in Friday's Allied aerial assault. The Pope made his visit immediately after the planes had departed, the broadcast said.

ANKARA — (AP) — Information from the Balkans indicates the Germans are throwing up defense fortifications on the north banks of the Sava River in Yugoslavia which joins the Danube north of Belgrade.

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Can that be truthfully said of you? There is a battle going on, have you heard about it? There can be no innocent bystanders: I have fought in a good fight. I have finished my course. I have kept the faith.—II Tim. 4:7.

Straight From Shoulder

The Seiberling Rubber Company has performed a real public service by informing motorists, flatly and with stated reasons, why they must not expect a flood of tires in the near future. "Take extra care of your tires," the company advises, because it will be the end of next year before synthetic tires will be available for civilians "in sufficient quantity to keep all essential cars and trucks on the road."

This might seem, if one were too indolent to read the convincing explanation, to be in conflict with official statements that synthetic plants next year will make more rubber than the United States ever used in any normal year. Actually it is not.

First because as Seiberling explains, "synthetic rubber" is not rubber, but a soft plastic, and up to now nobody has solved the problem of making satisfactory tires without using at least some natural gum rubber. The industry is working hard on this problem, exchanging information among companies, and nobody questions that the hitherto impossible will be achieved. But it has not yet—and you can't operate your automobile on unfabricated soft plastic. It is tires you need.

Furthermore, when the industry is ready to make tires from this synthetic, military uses will have first call on the output. Until the Army, the Navy and our Allies have all they need for use in whipping Hitler and Hirohito, there can be no diversion for tires for civilian usage.

The warning voice of Bernard Baruch and his associates in their famous report last year still stands, and those who refuse to heed it will deserve no sympathy.

The last half of 1943 and the first part of 1944 will be the critical period for automobile tires.

So when some irresponsible person proudly boasts how he drives at 50 or 60 miles an hour, and no snooping cop has caught him yet, how about recommending him to Hitler for an iron cross? He deserves it. And tell him how you feel about it.

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Adversity Preferred

We should be interested in a brief, convincing exposition of the reasoning which led the OPA to forbid suburbanites to fatten their own beef.

The number who have land on which to raise a steer is relatively small, of course. But can you think of any good reason why Jim White, who has a couple of acres of grass, shouldn't raise his own calf, kill it or have it killed, and eat the meat, if he wants to do so?

Neither can we. The OPA can, though. The OPA has imagination.

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Correct, Senator

Senator Bone of Washington (Democrat) writes this editorial about the suspension of prison sentences on Anaconda Wire & Cable Company officials who did not deny furnishing defective wire to the government.

"The cold hard, fact remains that the crime for which an American boy would be shot to death, if committed in a war zone, has . . . been considered so trifling that it should be punishable by a pitifully small fine.

"If the greed of men goes to such length that they are willing to endanger the lives of soldiers to enrich themselves they will find that some day, when this terrible war comes to an end, the people of America will write an iconoclastic thesis against such inequities in a fierce whirlwind of retribution."

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Control Of The Cost Of Living

The stock argument of the pressure groups — the farm lobbies, the food processors, packers and distributors who favor letting prices go up just a little — is, "What difference does a few cents make?"

There is only 15 cents worth of cotton in a shirt, so what difference does it make if the price of raw cotton goes up?

There are only five pounds of wool in a suit, so it only makes half a dollar's worth of difference if the farmer gets 50 cents instead of 40 cents a pound for his wool.

The average consumer eats only 12 pounds of butter a year, so what difference does a five-cent increase in the price of butter make? Sixty cents a year. One drink and the whole thing goes down his gullet.

A four cents a pound increase in the price of meat means only \$6 a year to the average consumer, and what's that when women fight each other for the chance to pay \$12 for a strap over a dainty, bulging instep and run-over heel?

"You can't dispute those facts and figures, but like a lot of other so-called statistics, they lead to a false conclusion. Increase in prices on any one item may not make much difference but when you add them all up, what you have is inflation.

The clouds of inflationary threats on the cost of living horizon today are numerous. Every place you look you see a thunderhead, filled with increased cost of living lightning.

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The biggest mistake in life is to constantly fear you'll make one.

If you must strain your eyes, do it looking on the bright side!

Deserters



Leaders May Be Selecting New Military Chiefs

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The prospect of new Allied offensives in Northern Europe and Southern Asia in the next few weeks apparently poses for President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill a problem of selecting two new operational commanders at their Quebec conferences.

Most important of these because of its direct bearing on a drive for final victory in Europe is that of commander-in-chief in the European theater. The other is that of commander-in-chief of the forces which eventually—probably this fall—will have the difficult task of reconquering Burma from the Japanese.

Should Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower be chosen there is some belief that he would have general direction both of the continuing Mediterranean operations and the promised thrusts into Northern Europe.

Speculation as to the selection of a Britisher for the European command revolves principally around Britain's two most victorious generals of this war—General Sir Harold Alexander, now deputy commander under Eisenhower and chief of military government in Sicily, and Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, commander of British forces in Africa and Sicily.

The position to be filled in the Asiatic theater grows out of the shift in British commands in India last spring. At that time General Sir Archibald Wavell was promoted from commander-in-chief of British forces to viceroy, which removed him entirely from the military organization. General Sir Claude J. E. Auchinleck succeeded to commander-in-chief.

So far as is generally known now it might go to Stilwell, to some other American general, or to one of Britain's victorious pair—Alexander or Montgomery.

Allied Warning

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A little after 11 a. m. Almost simultaneously, Mitchells and Marauders began bombing the Littorio yards. All-American Raid

It was an all-American raid again, the bombers coming from the strategic air force which is commanded by Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle. As before, the pilots were carefully instructed before going out on the necessity of getting their bombs in the target area and to avoid hitting churches or historical objects.

An air force commentator, pointing out the strategic importance of Rome in the Axis communications system, said the capital riot must be considered as any other military objective.

The San Lorenzo yards, situated in the east central part of Rome, connect rail traffic with Florence and Naples, while the Littorio yards are the link with Genoa.

A heavy volume of German military traffic has been flowing through the two yards.

Brig. Gen. Jamison Doesn't Mind 13th

AN ADVANCED SOUTH PACIFIC AIR BASE — Brig. Gen. Glen C. Jamison doesn't mind that supposedly unlucky number 13.

Jamison, head of the 13th Air Force Bomber Command, on Friday the 13th received both the Legion of Merit and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

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War Conference

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chill, now absent from Quebec, visited Niagara Falls Thursday and then left for an unannounced destination.

Russian desires for another front recently have been underscored, and the question of an invasion of the foe's European stronghold continues the most provocative topic likely to appear on the Quebec agenda.

Roosevelt and Churchill may have made their decisions already on that point. If they have, undoubtedly they will wish to re-examine them now and perhaps make the final determinations of the exact invasion routes, the number and nationality of the troops to be employed, and the methods of getting immense quantities of equipment and supplies to the right spots.

It may be that the President and Churchill feel that the immediate task to be accomplished is the perfecting of plans for attaining the total victory they have promised their peoples and that the time has not yet arrived to delve deeply into present and post-war problems of political import.

Texas Company Sued For Chain Store Tax

AUSTIN — (AP) — On file in district court here Friday was a suit seeking payment of \$2,342,282 allegedly due the state by The Texas Company for chain store taxes on company owned and operated filling stations from 1936 to 1941.

The Attorney General's Department filed the suit Thursday alleging the company, a Delaware corporation, operated 528 to 652 filling stations each year of the period involved.

Pointless Pointer Helps Save Fruit

KNOXVILLE, TENN. — (AP) — Sam Horne, who operates a fruit stand in Knoxville's famous old Market House, grew tired of prospective customers squeezing his cantaloupes and perishables to determine if they were sufficiently ripe. Too much rot followed such tactics.

So he placed a box of Irish potatoes on his pile of peaches with this sign: "Squeeze the Potatoes." Now a lot of people see the sign, stop, squeeze the potatoes, but fall to get the point.

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Walsh In Pecos

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of 9,000 feet and is drilling below 9,006 feet.

Crews & Mast Has Taken Core

Humble No. 1 Crews & Mast, Northeast Andrews County wildcat, has cored lime from 8,545-64 feet. At last report the drilling crew was coming out of the hole with the core.

Humble No. 1 W. F. Carter in Central-West Andrews is now coring from 7,376-90 feet.

Union Oil Company of California No. 1 J. S. Elles, Northwest Andrews discovery, four and three-quarter miles northwest of the Fullerton field is due to start drilling plug late Friday. Pipe is set at 7,461 feet in this operation which has shown for production from several zones from 6,945 feet to the bottom, which is three feet below the pipe.

Sinclair No. 2 Davis Shows More

Sinclair No. 2 Davis Oil Company No. 2 Emma Davis, outpost to the Iatan-East Howard field in Howard County, had an increase in oil at 2,670-93 feet and is drilling brown lime below 2,693 feet with 700 feet of oil in the hole.

Magnolia No. 1 Willis Winter, offset operation to the Vincent field discovery in Northeast Howard County, is drilling in lime below 2,800 feet.

Coffield & Guthrie No. 1 Guy Guffey, another Vincent outpost, is drilling at 3,020 feet, also in lime.

Guthrie Corporation No. 1 Dean, Northeast Dawson County 9,500-foot wildcat, is drilling at 6,008 feet in lime.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 "Sterling," 9,000-foot wildcat on J. L. Glass ranch in Sterling County, is drilling below 3,200 feet in unreported formation.

Phillips No. 1 Ada C. Price, Pecos deep test, is drilling at 13,327 feet. Lane Still in Lime And Chert

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 52-A Lane, in Upton County, is still drilling lime and chert around 6,771 feet.

Magnolia No. 3 Glenn, McKee field outpost in Southern Crane County, is drilling at 3,305 feet.

Magnolia No. 2 State-Walton, Winkler County Ordovician test, is in lime, drilling below 6,684 feet.

Magnolia No. 234 Walton is also in lime and drilling below 3,291 feet.

Hendrickson Speaks To Geological Group

Mayor A. N. Hendrickson told approximately 40 persons attending the Thursday noon luncheon meeting of the Midland Geological Society that the City of Midland was recognized as being in extremely good financial condition.

He explained operation of the municipality and particularly complimented the Volunteer Fire Department and the Police Department for efficiency and economical operation.

Proposed plans for improving Pagoda Park and Pool, recently purchased by the city, also were outlined by Hendrickson.

John M. Hill, society president, was in charge of the meeting. Tom W. Koch was program chairman. The session was held in the Roosevelt Room at the Cactus Cafe.

New York's Evening Traffic Rush Stops

NEW YORK — (AP) — It took a test air raid drill to do it, but New York's famed evening rush hour traffic—both vehicular and pedestrian—was halted.

For 10 minutes Thursday subways and elevators carrying 2,500,000 persons homeward stopped running; cabs, buses, trolleys and private cars remained at a standstill, and possibly a half million persons who had just emerged from office buildings huddled in doorways.

Manhattan looked like a ghost town from 5:30 p. m. when the red alert signal was sounded until 5:40 p. m., when the second blue sirens wailed.

Livestock

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Cattle 1,000; calves 400; cattle mostly medium and low grades which—with the calves—sold at the week's lower levels to a slow demand. No mature steers offered. Odd lots of medium and low grade yearling steers and heifers 8:00-12:50. Beef cows 8:50-10:50; good and choice fat calves 11:75-12:75; stocker steer calves topped at 13:00 and stocker heifer calves at 12:00 with common to medium stocker calves at 8:50-11:50. Socker cattle scarce.

Hogs 1,000; butchers 10 to 15 higher; most good and choice 190-300 lb. butcher hogs 14:10-20; good 160-185 lb. averages 13:50-14:00; sows 13:00-40; stocker pigs 12:00-13:00.

Sheep 15,000; killing classes scarce; wethers and feeders scarce; medium and good spring lambs 11:50-12:50; a few medium grade yearling sheep around 11:00; cull to good ewes 4:75-6:50.

Switzerland Asked To Investigate Reports

LONDON — (AP) — Switzerland as the protecting power of British interests in Axis and occupied countries has been asked by the British government to investigate reports that Italy is transferring British prisoners of war to Germany.

The Daily Express in a Bern, Switzerland, dispatch reported 2,500 prisoners had been moved in on group recently and said, if it were true, it might have an adverse effect on conditions imposed on Italy if she surrenders.

SOLDIER PLEADS GUILTY TO SLAYING OF GIRL

CLAY CENTER, NEB. — (AP) — Pvt. Joseph MacAvoy, 24, Brooklyn, N.Y., pleaded guilty in county court Friday to first degree murder charges in the rape-slaying of Anna Milroy, 16, whose nude and battered body was discovered near Sutton last Monday. MacAvoy was bound to the district court for trial.

Ten million pounds of cod filets were produced in Newfoundland last year, valued at more than \$1,000,000.

England's fishing fleet had to be protected from pirates by warships in 1580.

Officers Seeking Clues In Death Of Sheepherder

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, COLO. — (AP) — In a search for clues in the turgid slaying of a sheepherder, Under Sheriff William MacFarlane said Friday one possibility was that the elderly victim was bound and left to die by sheep thieves.

The body of Bert Purdy, 65, was found in his camp wagon Thursday in a remote gulley about 18 miles south of Hayden, Colo. His arms and legs had been drawn back and tied at the small of his back. He had died, authorities said, of exposure, shock, or heart failure.

While explaining that it was not certain Purdy was the victim of rustlers, MacFarlane said several livestock and sheep thefts had been reported recently in this Northwestern Colorado section.

Purdy's employer, Eber Howell, noticed that the herder's 1,300-sheep flock had scattered. The howling of Purdy's dog attracted Howell to the wagon. The dog lay beside the body.

MacFarlane said Purdy was bound by an expert. The herder he struggled to become free, the tighter he drew the cords.

Coroner A. H. Heyer said Purdy had not been injured, and the man or men who bound him probably were not there when he died. "But it is unquestionably murder," he said. "The suspicious knotting of the ropes was fiendishly contrived." Purdy had been dead about two days.

The sheepherder had been robbed. His pockets were empty, and the wagon had been stripped of supplies brought to him last Sunday and of two high powered rifles. Authorities, however, discounted robbery as the slaying motive.

MacFarlane said it was not known if any of Howell's sheep were stolen.

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Axis Continues

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Cesaro road," it stated. "American mobile forces covering the left of this advance on Randazzo made considerable progress across the mountain today."

The position of these mobile forces was not divulged, but advices from the front Thursday indicated some American ground forces were then within three miles of Randazzo, bomb-battered mountain town which is the key to the German communications in the central sector.

Naval Action Continues

"Great naval activity in support of the armies still continues on the north and east coasts of Sicily," a naval bulletin announced, and it told of a series of blows from the sea at German traffic routes and troop positions during the week.

American and British warships rained shells on the enemy's Sicilian bridgehead almost to the outskirts of Messina in steady bombardments, it was announced here.

From Cairo came an announcement that RAF heavy bombers based in the Middle East made a pre-dawn attack Thursday on San Giovanni, the ferry terminus on the Italian toe just across from Messina and the first mainland point in the Axis escape route.

Many bursts started fires among ferry terminal buildings and rail installations, the announcement said.

Roads Bombaraded

The U. S. naval units bombarded roads, railway and highway bridges east from Piraimo to Marina Di Patti on Sicily's northeast coast Thursday and probably destroyed an important highway tunnel, Allied headquarters disclosed.

This area is about six miles east of Cape Orlando, where American troops trapped a German stronghold after their second amphibious operation behind enemy positions in three days.

British naval units heavily bombarded road areas of Taormina, Nazi supply port, about 10 miles north of the Eighth Army vanguard, and penetrated Messina Straits to attack enemy holdings in the Cape Ala area twice in a few hours late Monday and early Tuesday.

At the same time British destroyers and lighter craft operating in the straits and near Cape Armi encountered no enemy shipping, but came under the fire of shore batteries.

In a daylight bombardment Tuesday British naval gunners blasted enemy positions on the coast between Riposto and Taormina.

ARREST NEGRO FOR THEFT

Police Captain Joe Pierce Friday arrested a negro hotel employe for theft of \$21 from the room of a hotel guest. The negro was placed in the city jail.

Salem, Mass., so dominated the pepper and spice trade years ago that the Dutch East Indies became known as the Salem East Indies.

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Society

Rev. And Mrs. Hopper's Garden Is Scene Of Delightful Picnic

The Rebecca Circle of the First Presbyterian Church entertained delightfully with a picnic supper Thursday evening in the garden of the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Hubert H. Hopper.

Husbands of members were invited guests. Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ledebur, Lt. and Mrs. J. E. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lehrer, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Park, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Elliott, Flight Officer and Mrs. Stanley S. Shine, Lt. and Mrs. H. A. Woltman, Lt. and Mrs. Harry Theiman, and Lt. and Mrs. Karl Rudenbach.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Knight, Mrs. A. P. Shirey, Lt. Robert Coronel of Big Spring, and Sgt. Gene Plattach, who returned recently from North Africa.

Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q—I am to be a bride this month, and I wish to carry out the tradition of "something old and something new," and wish to ask if it is something "borrowed" and something blue? Will you kindly advise on this old tradition?

A.—The traditional verse runs "something borrowed, something blue, something old, and something new." Usually (the bride will wear for something old a ring, or a necklace, or some other piece of jewelry which has been in the family for a number of years, maybe the mother's or the grandmother's of the bride.

Of course, practically everything is new that the bride has in her trousseau. For the "borrowed" a bride often borrows a kerchief, or a tiny hat to go with some particular dress, or a set of lingerie pins just so there is something that is borrowed. The last mentioned article is "something blue" which might be a tiny sachet, or blue garters, or a blue touch of embroidery on her slip or other lingerie, but she must be sure and wear all these on the wedding day to the wedding.

The tradition is a very old one, but I am unacquainted with its origin.

Q—I am a boy of 13, and I like to play the cornet, but my mother and my father object to my playing it. They do not mind the noise so much as they do not want me to join a band. Do you think they are right in their idea on this subject?

A.—It is nice for your own amusement to play the cornet, or any other musical instrument, but your father and mother, no doubt, desire that you become a fine business man, and they do not want you to get side-tracked by band music, and playing with orchestras. I would be exactly like them, and I think that you should concentrate on the path your parents outline for you. It is quite all right for you to amuse yourself with musical instruments, but as to a career for a boy, I would say, definitely No, No!

Q—I am 12 years of age, and have had classical dancing and am taking ballroom dancing now. My mother thinks that I am too young to go to dances with the kid sets. I want to go and wear "formals" and she is reluctant to permit me to, although every other kid in the set goes. I have plenty of dates with the boys, and she will not let me date except with a party or a crowd. I will lose out with the social sets unless I go on with them now, and since I have had dancing, why not?

A.—I feel that although you are

The Neat Look



AUX. SHAW: Crisp, cool.

Bandbox neatness is the one thing that strikes me about our women in the military services. Their uniforms are always crisp and fresh, their ties knotted just so and tidily tucked in, their hair becomingly frames the face, and their makeup is effective but not obvious. This is the new 1943 look. The one which makes last year's glamorous girl disorderly and out of date. Keep your hair shoulder length if you like, but during office hours achieve that smartly efficient look by wearing an invisible net over it, as does pretty, blond WAC Auxiliary Virginia Shaw, a former bank teller at Fairmont, W. Va.

very young, it is likely that you will not be invited to the social affairs when you are older unless you go right on with the set now. I see no harm in your going to dances, and wearing "formals" if the other youngsters do.

In this day and age in all cities, the youngsters go to dances, teas, dances, and any other kinds of dances, and they wear anything from attractive sports outfits to "formals," but if the dance is definitely formal, you should have a "formal" made simply, and should be allowed to go with children of your own age.

It is true that in this day, the kiddies go much earlier than girls and boys formerly did. The fact that you are schooled in dancing and can appear well, means much, and you attain social grace by experience only hence I think that you should go with the crowd your own age, but not any older crowds.

Red Cross Workers Make 306 Sponges

Mrs. M. D. Self was supervisor of surgical dressings work of the Red Cross headquarters in the courthouse Thursday morning.

Mrs. L. G. Lewis and Miss Marion Wadley were monitors and Mrs. Ralph Lowe tied and packed.

Other workers who gave the morning to making sponges were: Mrs. Don Davis, Mrs. A. Knickerbocker, Mrs. Harry Adams, Mrs. R. A. Doran, Mrs. John Dublin, Mrs. C. A. Mix, Mrs. George Kidd, Mrs. J. A. Franckel and Mrs. A. E. Lynch.

Sponges numbering 306 were completed.

FINE WASHING JOB

MOLINE, ILL.—(P)—Two Moline boys, 13 and 14 years old, each mist, wash a police squad car 55 times for sounding a false fire alarm. Neither was able to pay his fine of \$55 and costs after pleading guilty so they agreed to wash it out at \$1 a wash.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Stice and family have returned from a brief visit to Big Spring.

Church News

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Private Dining Room
Scharbauer
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—"Soul" is the subject of the lesson-sermon.
The Golden Text is: "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul." (Psalms 23:1-3). Citations which comprise the lesson-sermon include: "For what is man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his soul." Matthew 16:26.
Second Wednesday evening service at 8:00 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
300 North Main Street
Rev. W. Carl Clement, Pastor.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:45 a.m.—Listen for the chimes and organ music from the tower.
11:00 a.m.—Morning service and sermon by Dr. W. C. Watson, pastor of Greater Memorial Methodist Church of Little Rock, Ark.
6:15 p.m.—Senior, Intermediate, and Junior Leagues.
8:15 p.m.—Evening service, and sermon on "Making Iron Swim" by the pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Indiana and Big Spring Streets
R. M. Hoeker, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday School
11:00 a. m. Morning worship and sermon by the pastor.
8:30 p. m. Evening service, sermon by the pastor.
Mid-Week prayer service 8:30 p. m. Wednesday.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
R. L. Kasper, Pastor
Sunday school at 7:15 p. m.
Church services at 8 p. m. each second and fourth Sundays at Trinity Episcopal Church, 1410 West Illinois.

AAF BOMBARDIER SCHOOL
CHAPEL, Midland
Cosmas Dahheimer, Post Chaplain
Catholic Services
9:30 a.m. Sunday—Mass
Protestant Services
Chaplain C. C. Dollar
11:00 a.m. Sunday—Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Sunday—Evening worship
Hebrew Services
8:30 p.m. Friday

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
315 North Lorraine
Rev. J. E. Pickering, Pastor.
9:45 a.m.—Bible School.
10:50 a.m.—Morning worship and sermon "Take Up Thy Cross and Follow Me" by the pastor.
6:30 p.m.—Young People's meeting.
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship and sermon "Clinging to the Cross" by the pastor.

ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC
Father Frank Triggs, Pastor
8:00 a. m.—Low Mass (for Spanish) and benediction
10:00 p. m.—Low Mass (for English) and benediction
The first Sunday in each month the English speaking people at 8 a. m. and the Spanish speaking at 10 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main St. and Illinois
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:55 a.m.—Morning service and sermon by the pastor whose subject will be "Bags and Bottles."
Broadcast KRLH 11:00 to 11:45 a. m.
7:00 p.m.—Training Union for all ages.
8:15 p.m.—Evening service and sermon "Prophetic Message" by the pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner North A. and Tennessee Sts.
Herbert L. Newman, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Bible Study
10:50 a.m.—Morning worship
7:30 p.m.—Young People's Class
8:30 p.m.—Evening Worship
3:00 p.m. Monday—Women's Bible Study
8:30 p.m. Wednesday—Bible study and singing.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 South Main St.
Rev. A. W. Smith, Pastor.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship and sermon "Revival Requirements" by the pastor.
8:00 p.m.—Training School.
7:00 p.m.—A song and praise service to be conducted by Mr. Yates Brown.

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

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Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, Pastor.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship and sermon on "Anticipating the End" by the pastor.
8:15 p.m.—Evening service and sermon "The Unwilling Will" by the pastor.

MEN'S CLASS
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TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
H and Illinois Streets
Rev. R. J. Snell, Pastor.
9:45 a.m.—Church School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning prayer and sermon with Mr. B. K. Buffington, lay-reader, presiding.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
502 E. Illinois
H. Wren, Pastor
8:30 a.m.—Sunday radio program
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school
11:00 a.m.—Preaching service
9:00 p.m.—Preaching service
9:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

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

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Elder B. R. Howze of Big Spring, Pastor
Regular services at 11 o'clock on second and fourth Sunday mornings. Services at 11 a. m. on second Saturdays.

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Southside)
410 South Colorado
Bil. Gipson, Evangelist
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship
8:30 p.m.—Evening worship

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Rev. R. L. Webb
W. Pennsylvania and Lorraine
Saturday services
10:00 a.m.—Sabbath school
11:00 a.m.—Morning service meeting

Trio Entertains At Barbecue Picnic

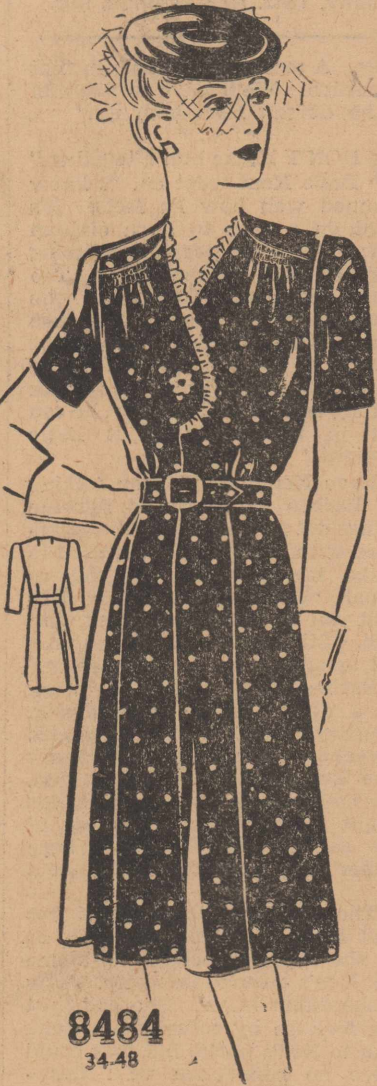
Complimenting Mrs. C. S. Sutton of Monahans, Misses Lillie Mae Stovall, Jo Ann Montgomery and Aileen Maxwell entertained Thursday evening with a western barbecue in the spacious yard of their home at 1604 West College. The western motif was cleverly carried out in the table decorations with a centerpiece of cactus and colorful Mexican pottery. Placecards were miniature Stetson hats.

Following an evening of informal entertainment, a delicious supper was served to the following guests: Misses Dorothy Hamilton, Margaret Smith, Leota Segars, Janey Johnson, Ruth Simmons, Dorothy Braswell, and Mesdames Rudy Berg, C. S. Sifton, M. W. Collie, Jr., Wade Grossman, J. E. Hill, Jr., and the hostesses.

Lt. A. P. Shirey, who has been spending several weeks in Midland, has gone to San Francisco where he has been detailed on sea duty. Mrs. Shirey is remaining in Midland as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton E. McRae.

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Pvt. Alfred Vogel Now In Maryland

Pvt. Alfred Vogel, son of Mrs. Paula Vogel of Midland, has been assigned to the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., following his recent induction into the Army. Private Vogel graduated this spring from the University of Texas where he studied engineering.

Mrs. Fred Fromhold plans to leave next Wednesday for Bakersfield, Calif., for a visit with her son, Tech. Sgt. A. L. Milligan, who is stationed at Minter Field, near Bakersfield.

Coming Events

SATURDAY

Children's Hour at the County Library will be held at 2:30 for the motion picture presentations, and the story hour will follow at 3:30 p. m.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Young and family have returned from a visit spent on a ranch in the Davis mountains near Alpine.

De Lo Douglas has returned from a visit spent in Lubbock. He was accompanied by Mrs. Douglas, who is remaining for a longer visit in Lubbock.

Major and Mrs. Fred Keb and son, Fred Jr., have gone on a 10-day visit to Chicago and Sault St. Marie, Mich., to visit old friends and relatives.

Mrs. R. M. Barron and daughters, Marjorie and Dorothy, have returned from a visit to El Paso. They were accompanied here by young Ralph W. Bennett, a nephew of Mrs. Barron.

The Rev. J. E. Pickering has returned from a brief visit in Fort Worth.

Miss Patsy Arrington and her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Ingham, have gone on a visit to Las Vegas and Tucuman, N. M.

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Miss Marjorie Barron entertained Thursday evening with a slumber party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Barron.

After a delightful swim at the Country Club, the young guests returned to the home of the hostess, where a midnight supper was served.

Guests present were Misses Mary Ellen Midkiff, Ann Ulmer, Ann Porterfield, Mary Fern Bray, Marcellie McClure, Shirley Culbertson, Sammy Lee Guard, Cecilia Long, Belva Jo Knight, and Patsy Pope.

Breakfast Friday morning served with an attractively decorated table, with a huge cluster of variegated summer flowers forming the central figure, concluded the round of festivities for the young girls.

Miss Louise Harless has returned from a three weeks' visit spent in Wichita Falls, Dallas, Austin and other points of the state, where she visited relatives and friends.



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 3. Is it bad manners to take large bites of food?
 4. Should several kinds of food be shoveled onto a fork at one time?
 5. When you have finished cutting meat with a knife, is it necessary to transfer the fork to your right hand before eating?
- What would you do if—
- Your children are school age—
- (a) Serve them just as they happen to sit at table?
 - (b) Serve them after the grown-ups have been served?
 - (c) Serve them before the grown-ups?

Answers

1. No.
2. No.
3. Yes.
4. No.
5. No. This is optional.

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CHAPTER XI

THE next morning Barbee saw by the bulletin board that she and Sue were marked up for the second trick the following week. It was their routine turn to take that trick but she bit her lip in vexation. It meant she'd be seeing Ken.

"It was worse, however, than Barbee had anticipated. He came into the laboratory grinning in his customary way. Then he saw her and his smile altered. He nodded briefly. "Working this trick, now?"

"Barbee crimsoned furiously. Surely he didn't think she'd had her hours changed in order to see him. "We have to take the second shift every third week, you know," she explained coldly.

He nodded again and walked over to Sue, impudently yanking at her shirt where it had worked out from the top of her slacks. "There's a swing shift show at the Camden tonight. Like to go after work?"

"Sure, big boy," Sue giggled. "Right-o. See you at eleven."

He turned to Barbee. "Want to ride along? I can drop you at your house first. This is a bad neighborhood for a girl alone in at night."

Barbee was trembling. She didn't know whether Ken was making this play for Sue in order to pay her back for the way she had hurt him, or whether he honestly preferred the blond girl's company.

She said, "No," shortly. "I have a way home." It happened to be the truth. Her father had insisted that she drive the car since she was working late.

WHAT happened the next day didn't help either. Sue came in giggling. The other two girls who were also working the afternoon shift and Barbee were in the dressing room changing into their work clothes. Naturally they wanted to know what was funny. "You should have seen Ken Carter last night," Sue giggled. "We went to a show and then we went over to the Gloria for a couple of drinks. . . only Ken didn't stop with a couple. He got so tight I had to drive the car and take him home. I bet he doesn't come in at all today."

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He built a pyramid with his hands, looked down at them, the worried frown cleaving deeper in his forehead. "In fact, too many people go haywire under the strain of war work. Take Ken Carter. He used to be one of the best men we had in the shops. Now he gets drunk every night, and comes to work with a hang-

over. A man isn't reliable in that condition. We'll have to fire him if he doesn't straighten up."

"I DON'T blame him altogether," Dave Kent went on. "I know damned well how he feels. It's hard on a man to be a civilian now. Too many people wondering why he isn't in the Army. Too many wise cracks from those who don't know the facts. I've even heard that Ken's been going around to bone specialists trying to get one of them to re-break his leg and re-set it, so that he can get in the Army if it heals straight."

Dave Kent hadn't been talking to Barbee as much as figuring things out for himself. He straightened with a little jerk and tried to make his smile as cheerful as usual. "Don't worry. I'll fix it so that you won't have to work with Sue. Stick it out this week, and I'll arrange a different schedule."

Barbee went back to her work in a daze. Ken getting drunk. Ken trying to have his leg re-set. Somehow these things just weren't like Ken as she had known him. He had resented the fact that his slight lameness kept him out of the service, but he hadn't been either morose or desperate about it.

The funniest thing about it was that she had a feeling of guilt, as if she were somehow to blame for Ken's strange behavior. Why—she didn't know. She had hurt his feelings by refusing to invite him to Ned's party, but that could have no connection with this—or could it?

She had a sudden glimmer of the truth. What if Ken had misunderstood her reluctance to have him meet her family? What if he had thought it was because he wasn't in the Army that she'd been ashamed of him?

The more she thought about it, the more convinced she was that she had stumbled upon the truth, and comes to work with a hang-

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Postoffice Not Allowed To Give Mail Information

Because of an increase in the number of telephone calls recently, Miss Elma Graves, assistant postmaster, called attention Friday to postal regulations which prohibit employees of the post office from answering questions about mail over the phone.

Employees are not allowed to tell patrons whether they have mail in their boxes and whether the mails are in and distributed, it was pointed out. In addition, these calls take up valuable time and the post office has a large volume of business to handle now.

One of the most frequent queries, Miss Graves said, is whether the air mail pouch has been closed. The pouch is closed at 2:30 p. m. each week-day, she said.

Philippines To Get Free Rule As Soon As Japs Are Beaten

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Philippines won their fight to independence by the fight the natives put up on Bataan, says President Roosevelt. Furthermore, the islands will "soon be redeemed from the Japanese yoke."

In these words, Mr. Roosevelt spoke Thursday night to the Filipino people on the 45th anniversary of American occupation of the far Pacific territory.

The moment the Japanese are ousted, said the President, the Philippines will have their own republican government. By their battle against the Japanese in December, 1941, and for weeks thereafter, they "gave final proof that here was a nation fit to be respected," he declared.

The Philippine government will have a voice in the peace, Mr. Roosevelt added.

Enlisted Men Must Take Physical Tests

The enlisted men of Midland Army Air Field will, in the future, take the physical fitness test as prescribed in the Army Air Forces regulations to determine the state of physical fitness and the amount of improvement each has achieved since entering the Air Force.

This test consists of three things. First, sit-ups, a body and leg exercise; second, 300-yard shuttle-run, which takes place on a 60-yard track and must be run from one end to the other five times; third, chin-ups, chinning on a cross-bar 8 feet off the ground.

In addition to the above test, all enlisted personnel are required to take P-T one hour a day, three days a week. Included in this one hour program will be cross-country running and wind sprints, mass games, combatives, relays, gymnastics and tumbling, boxing, wrestling, weight-lifting, and the obstacle course.

Woman Held For Axe Slaying Of Children

MEMPHIS, TENN.—(AP)—Frail, 37-year-old Mrs. Mildred Davidson was held in jail on three charges of murder Friday after Police Inspector M. A. Hinds said she confessed killing her three children with an axe.

She was arrested Thursday after the hacked bodies of the victims were found in their beds by the father, Robert Davidson. Police said a bloody long-handled axe was found against the fire place. An ice pick also was used in the slayings, they asserted.

The children were Jean Parkey, 15, daughter of Mrs. Davidson by a previous marriage; Robert L. Davidson, 7, and Peggy Ann Davidson, three months.

Sam Rayburn Warns Against Sob Sisters

MCKINNEY, TEX.—(AP)—Speaker Sam Rayburn (D-Tex) wants this nation to pay no heed to sob sisters and brothers while forming its post-war foreign policy.

While debating Ashburn General Hospital Thursday, Speaker Rayburn said the United States must contribute to an international army to "disarm Germany, Italy and Japan and keep them disarmed," and added:

"Within 60 days after the end of the war, the sob sisters and brothers will start crying that the common people of Germany, Italy and Japan had nothing to do with this war."

"This is rot. If it had not been for the common people of Germany, Italy and Japan there would have been no Hitler, Mussolini or Hirohito."

State School Lands To Be Sold Sept. 7

AUSTIN—(AP)—One of the largest sales of mineral leases of state school lands—approximately 200,000 acres—will be held by the State School Land Board Sept. 7.

Tracts include those in Andrews, Brazoria, Chambers, Crane, Crockett, Culberson, Duval, El Paso, Gaines, Hockley, Loving, Matagorda, McMullen, Montgomery, Pecos, Reagan, Red River, Reeves, Starr, Stephens, Upton, Victoria, Ward, Webb, Winkler, Yoakum, Cass, Major, Sutton and Brewster counties.

GOT TRANSPORTATION SANTA MONICA, CALIF.

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—(AP)—Edward Anderson, 28-year-old sailor, lacked transportation to his base at Hueneque, Calif., so he helped himself, police said, to a 35-passenger bus.

The state of Kansas took its name from a tribe of Indians in that area.

Bar Group To Check On Gambling Judges

DALLAS—(AP)—A Dallas Bar Association committee will investigate reports that two Dallas district judges were caught by police in a gambling raid here recently, says Bar President J. L. Lipscomb.

He announced Thursday night the committee had been asked to "get the true facts."

Now is the time to buy War Bonds and Stamps.

Cat Burglar Tackled

NEW YORK—(AP)—Mrs. Reba Warner of Camden, N. J., dislikes cats.

While visiting her two daughters here, she thought she heard feline footsteps in the bedroom and threw open the door prepared to emit a loud and authoritative "Scat."

But she forgot all about cats and executed a flying tackle—to nab a burglar crawling out of the window with a pocketbook belonging to one of her daughters.

Two Italian Liners Reach Spanish Port

LA PALMA, SPAIN—(AP)—The Italian liners Duilio and Giulio Cesare arrived Friday from Capetown, North Africa, with Italian non-combatants from Ethiopia and Eritrea, en route to Gibraltar and Genoa.

It was presumed the Italian vessels made the voyage with Allied consent as part of the repatriation of Italian residents of Italy's former African colonies.

ITALIAN EXPLORER IS BACK IN HOMETOWN

BARCELONA—(AP)—Gen. Umberto Nobile, noted Arctic explorer and aviation expert, left Barcelona for Rome Thursday by plane. He told friends he was "glad to go back to an Italy where Fascism no longer reigns."

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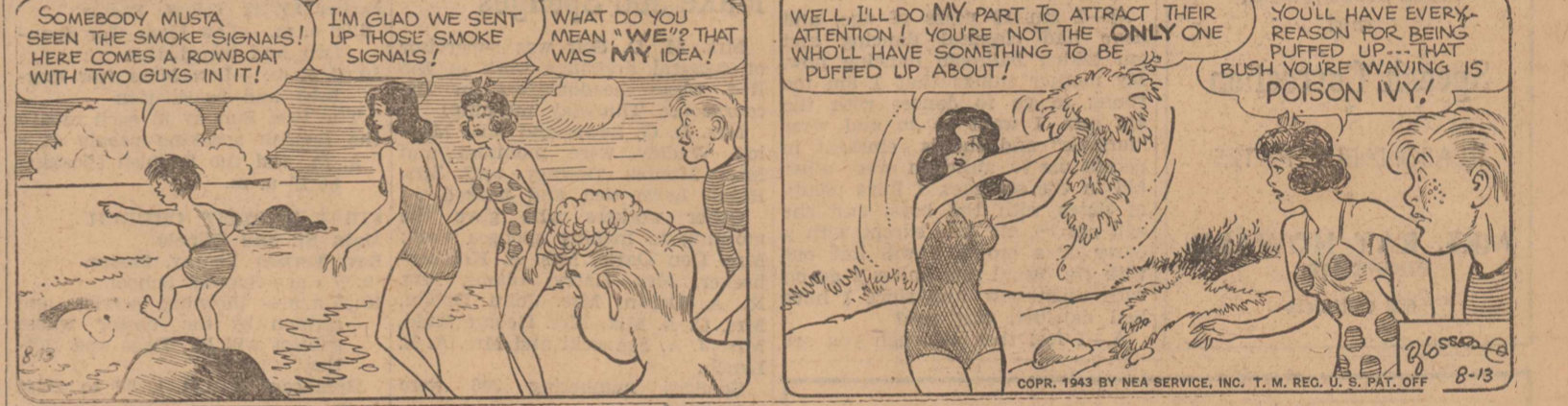


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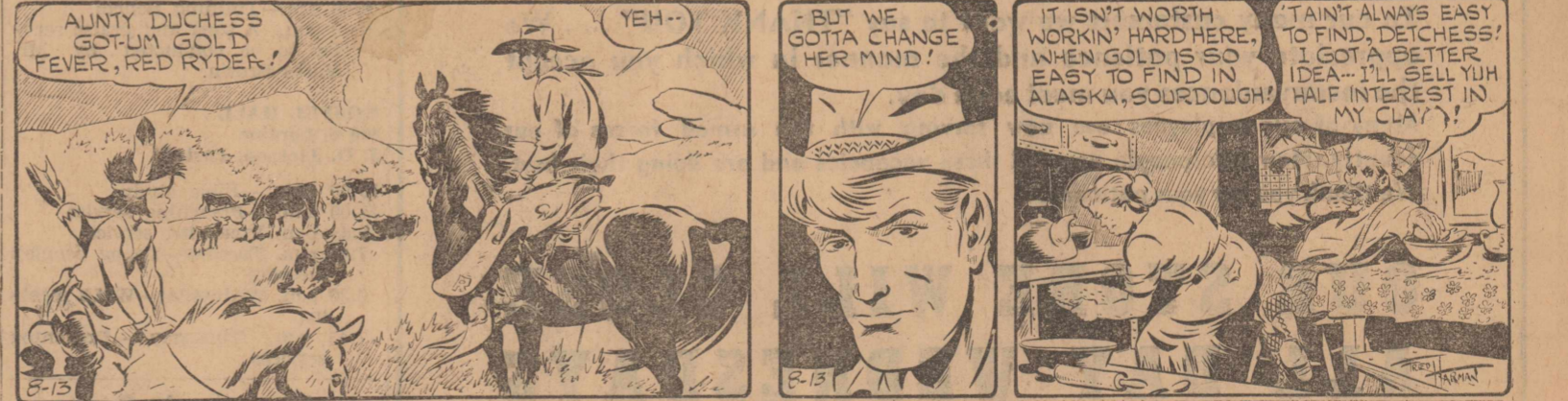
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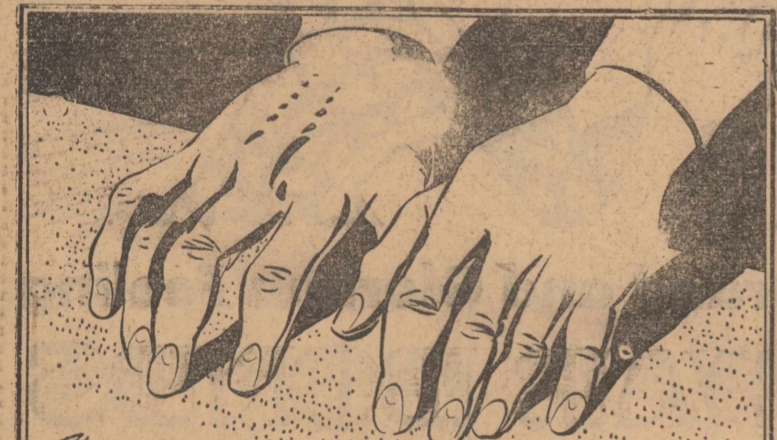


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By William E. McKenney
America's Card Authority
Morgan Howard of Los Angeles, president of the American Contract Bridge League last year, was in New York recently. We were discussing the relative merits of defensive and dummy play, and I had to agree with him that there is nothing nicer than to see a hand well defended. Howard gave me the hand shown today.

East won the opening diamond lead with the queen. His partner had double trumps, no trump, and East felt that the double was not based entirely on East's diamond suit. So he returned a spade, declarer played the queen and West

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Opening—♦ 7. 13

let it hold. Now the declarer could cash five club tricks and take the heart finesse, which with the spade trick he already had, would give him eight tricks. But he could not make the ninth trick because East had been smart enough not to pull the other diamond from his partner's hand.

After the heart finesse held, declarer cashed his five clubs, noting West's discard of the heart ten. Declarer then played the ace and a small heart, hoping that West would be forced to lead away from his spade tenace. But West had another diamond left, and the defenders thus took five tricks, setting the contract one.

TREND OF THE TIMES
HOT SPRINGS, VA.—(AP)—Steaks being more desirable these days, the grand prize of the 16th annual Bath County Horse Show will be a steer, and not the customary award of a pony.

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OIL company employee transferred wants 5 or 6-room furnished house. Prefer 6 rooms, by Aug. 10. Will be permanent, no children. Phone Standard Oil Co. of Texas 675. (121-1f)

WANT 5 or 6-room furnished house by Sept. 1. If you are moving or know of a home in Midland or Odessa, please call 2305-J, Midland. (133-3)

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WANT to rent, unfurnished apartment or partly furnished modern house, for occupancy between now and Sept. 1. Couple, no children, no pets. Call 2152-J. (133-3)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: BELLE TODD MACKAY GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 13th day of September, A. D., 1943, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 2nd day of June, 1943. The file number of said suit being No. 371.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Frederick MacKay as Plaintiff, and Belle Todd MacKay as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce and Plaintiff prays for costs of suit.

Issued this 29th day of July, 1943.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 29th day of July, A. D., 1943.

Nettie C. Romer, Clerk, District Court, Midland County, Texas. 7/30—8/6-13-20

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Tom J. Richardson and wife, Alice F. Richardson, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said Tom J. Richardson and wife, Alice F. Richardson;

L. S. Caldwell and wife, Mrs. L. S. Caldwell and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said L. S. Caldwell and wife, Mrs. L. S. Caldwell; and B. F. Bolt and wife, Mrs. B. F. Bolt, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said B. F. Bolt and Mrs. B. F. Bolt; GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 27th day of September, A. D., 1943, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of August, 1943. The file number of said suit being No. 3771.

The names of the parties in said suit are: W. J. Cooper, individually and as community administrator of the estate of Myrtle Cooper, deceased as Plaintiff and Tom J. Richardson and wife, Alice F. Richardson, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said Tom J. Richardson and wife, Alice F. Richardson;

L. S. Caldwell and wife, Mrs. L. S. Caldwell and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said L. S. Caldwell and wife, Mrs. L. S. Caldwell; and B. F. Bolt and wife, Mrs. B. F. Bolt, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said B. F. Bolt and Mrs. B. F. Bolt; as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: This is an action to recover title to and possession of Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block 25, Moody's Addition to the Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas. Plaintiff pleads the statutes of limitation of three, five and ten years, payment of taxes; and for damages in the sum of one dollar and costs of suit.

Issued this 12th day of August, 1943.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 12th day of August, A. D., 1943.

Nettie C. Romer, Clerk, District Court, Midland County, Texas. 8/13-20-27-9/3

Himmeler Ordered To Stop Terrorist Acts

MADRID —(AP)— Travelers arriving in Spain from Berlin reported Friday that Heinrich Himmeler, head of the German secret police, has been ordered to stop terrorizing anti-Nazi Germans. Despite their dislike of the Nazi party, these Germans are reported willing to cooperate in defending the fatherland against the Allies.

"These travelers said it was also 'quite possible' that certain Jews might be asked to cooperate with the military by taking technical war jobs from which they previously had been banned by the Nazi party."

Potatoes Have the Right-of-Way



Telegrapher and leverman M. C. Murphy spends off-duty hours in his 'right-of-way' potato patch—one of hundreds of garden plots set aside by railway for employees to operate. Murphy has already taken 180 quarts of strawberries from part of his garden.

Willkie Thinks Republicans Can Win '44 Election

RUSHVILLE, Ind. —(AP)— Wendell L. Willkie says the Republican party "should and can win" the 1944 elections with "a constructive, liberal domestic program of expanding economy" and "a realistic foreign policy."

The 1940 GOP presidential nominee declared "no party was ever presented with such an exciting challenge as is offered to the Republican party today nor with such an opportunity." His remarks were contained in a statement issued as he talked with Republican leaders of the Eighth Indiana congressional district Thursday.

He said he disagreed with recent suggestions that if the war continued beyond next year the Roosevelt administration will inevitably be returned to power, and added:

"As a matter of fact, for the successful conclusion of the war, the necessary rehabilitation of the country after the war is over, and the enlightened conduct of our foreign policy, the Republican party should and can win the next presidential and congressional elections."

Willkie said that besides adopting a liberal program the GOP must forsake "the tempting notion that it can win by the amalgamation of the dissident groups in America"—the "narrow nationalists," the "economically selfish," and those unwilling to sacrifice in time of war.

General Predicts Shattering Air Blows In Pacific

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC—(AP)— Shattering air blows, even greater than those which helped rout the Japanese from the Southern and Central Solomons, were predicted by that area's air force general as U. S. jungle troops, sloshing forward in weather so bad that planes were grounded, moved to erase the last enemy resistance on New Georgia.

The prediction of more powerful air blows came from Maj. Gen. Nathan F. Twining at his aircraft headquarters in the Solomons.

Advance Continues

The report, minus details, that "our ground advance continues" against the enemy garrison at Bairoko Harbor on the Kula Gulf coast on New Georgia, was contained in Friday's communique from Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

General Twining, in the language of the college football crowd, said the current Pacific offensive has reached "the second quarter of the game with our forces possessing the ball and with an impressive score behind them."

Saying the Japanese can expect even more power in the next quarter, he added, "wait until some of the veterans now resting come back into the game."

Jap Vessel Sunk

Friday's communique, in addition to listing the ground advance, reported a success in the naval blockade intended to prevent aid from reaching the Bairoko Japanese base. Light craft, presumably motor torpedo boats, intercepted an enemy auxiliary vessel at night in the Blakett Strait leading into the Kula Gulf and probably sank it.

On the New Guinea jungle front, there was skirmishing and artillery exchanges five miles south of the menaced Japanese air base of Salamaua and a few big four-engine bombers raided the isthmus on which Salamaua extends into the Huon Gulf.

Waxed conical containers, used by many dairies for delivering milk, can be made into salt shakers by punching holes in the removable tops.

Miss Kay Lee Wraga and her mother, Mrs. Charles T. Brown of San Antonio will arrive here Friday night for a visit with Mayor and Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson. Mayor Charles T. Brown is a prisoner of war of the Japs. He was regimental surgeon with the 45th Philippine Scouts.

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7 It must be after each usage.

13 Half an em.

14 The pair.

15 Merit.

16 Negative.

17 Soak flax.

19 Through.

20 Perish.

21 French coin.

22 Grasp.

24 Meditated.

26 Addition sign.

27 Hen product (pl.).

28 Angry.

29 Box seat.

30 Foam.

33 Anger.

35 Grimace.

36 Thin.

37 Thin plate.

40 Kind of cloth.

43 Cupola.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

SERVICE MEDAL

VERTICAL

1 Absorb.

2 Power.

3 Substantive (abbr.).

4 Hill.

5 Separate particle.

6 Coarse yarn.

7 Gave up.

8 Placed.

9 Before.

10 Any.

11 Sufficient.

12 Drench.

13 Rifle pin.

14 Thin opening.

15 Book of psalms.

16 Unhappy.

17 Heavenly body.

18 Observe.

19 Five and five.

20 Moist.

21 Uncooked.

22 Tomatolike fruit.

23 Among.

24 Hawaiian food.

25 Exclamation.

26 Perform.

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Three Backfields Working Out For All-Star Battle

EVANSTON, ILL. — (P)— Three backfield combinations, which Assistant Coach Babe Horrell praises as "the fastest ever assembled on one squad," are working out as complete units for the all-star football game Aug. 25.

"Of course, these backs may not run very far unless we get a comparable group of linemen," Horrell, UCLA coach, added, "but for speed these boys can outstep any bunch I've ever seen."

The combinations now training as units:

Quarterback: Dick Renfro, Washington State; left half: Otto Graham, Northwestern; right half: Bob Steuber, Missouri; fullback: Pat Harder, Wisconsin.

Quarterback: Len Callicaro, Wisconsin; left half: Paul Governall, Columbia; right half: Jimmy Dewar, Indiana; fullback: Steve Filipowicz, Fordham.

Quarterback: Jim Youel, Iowa; left half: Charley Trippi, Georgia; right half: Corwin Clatt, Notre Dame; fullback: Roy McKay, Texas.

LIKES HIS FOOTBALL

HAMPDEN-SYDNEY, VA. — (P)— Frank Summers, athletic director at Hampden-Sydney College, has been coaching football for the last 20 years. And he's never missed a practice session.

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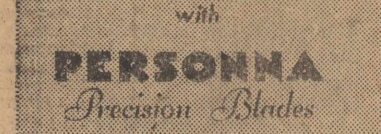
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Phillies Throw Smokescreen On League Conflict

By Judson Bailey
Associated Press Sports Writer
The Phillies are throwing a smoke screen around the conflict now going on in the National League.

The only thing of importance still to be decided in the senior circuit is second place and this is the dispute which the Phillies, who are not concerned, are clouding up.

Thursday night for the first time in more than a decade the Philadelphia National League ball club fashioned a seven-game winning streak.

Pirates Defeated
They beat the Pittsburgh Pirates for the third straight time 4-3 after the Buccareers had taken a 3-0 lead. Ron Northey hit a two-run homer in the fourth and a cluster of three singles in the seventh produced two more runs.

The Philly win allowed the Cincinnati Reds to continue in a tie for second place with the pirates and so incensed the gladiators from Pittsburgh that Manager Frank Frisch, Pitcher Bob Klimer and Hank Gornicki and Infielder Al Rubelling all were banished from the game for protesting umpire Tom Dunn's judgment of a ball in the fourth inning.

Cincinnati, which came to Brooklyn two days ago in third place, lost its second successive game to the Dodgers 3-0, but through the negligence of the Phillies continued in the tie for second to which they advanced Thursday.

The St. Louis Cardinals conquered the New York Giants 4-1 with Mort Cooper pitching three-hit ball for his 16th triumph.

Braves Beat Cubs
The Boston Braves again beat the Chicago Cubs 5-2 in 12 innings on a triple by Elmer (Butch) Nie-neman and fine pitching by Al Javery.

In the American League the New York Yankees turned the tables on the St. Louis Browns after consecutive top-sided setbacks and won a night game 6-2 behind Rookie Charley Wenzeloff's six-hit hurling.

Rudy York hit two home runs to bring his total to 21, matching his production for the entire 1942 season, as the Detroit Tigers thumped the Washington Senators 10-3.

Lou Boudreau had a perfect turn at bat with four hits, two of them triples, as Cleveland nosed out the Philadelphia Athletics 4-3 and the Chicago White Sox divided a doubleheader with the Boston Red Sox. Boston took the first game 10-6 and Chicago the second 7-6.

Army Plans To Care For Contractors If Peace Comes Abruptly

WASHINGTON — (P)— The War Department has made plans to reimburse its contractors in case of a sudden end to the war.

Disclosure of the plans was made in a War Production Board announcement Thursday that Army purchases of blankets and woollens would be cut substantially in 1944. Maj. Gen. C. L. Corbin, director of procurement in the Quartermaster General's office, was quoted as advising a group of woolen and wadded manufacturers here this week that "present contracts will be completed unless unforeseen circumstances—such as a sudden termination of hostilities—make a different course advisable." No cancellation of existing contracts is contemplated, he said.

Although the announcement covered only blankets and wool fabrics, it indicated that the Army had given thought to the possibility of a sudden peace and to preventing a dislocation of industry should it come.

Sports Roundup

By Sid Feder
(Pinch-hitting for Fullerton)

NEW YORK — (P)— Sailor Don and Soldier Joe DiMaggio are howling for active service . . . Figure they didn't sign up with Uncle Sam to play baseball . . . Don's applied for sea duty once before and was turned down . . . And Joe wants a gun instead of a bat . . . The manpower situation being what it is, Steve Enich, Marquette's clarinet-playing guard from Hibbing, Minn., informed Coach Tom Stidham he's going to play in the Hilltoppers band between halves of all games this fall.

Gunder Haegg, who tried to convince the sports writers of his kiss and-make-up policy several weeks ago, unconvinced them again right after his last U. S. race Wednesday . . . Gunder and Gil Dobbs and several sports writers were invited to a local smorgasbord . . . But when the host brought scribes in, the Gavie Galloper hollered, "I don't want anybody around." . . . The scribes, who weren't anxious about the clam-bake in the first place, walked out . . . And the most embarrassed man in the house was Brother Dodds.

Today's Guest Star

Frank Ward, Youngstown (Ohio) Vindicator: The Brooklyn Dodgers are departing almost daily—and so are the Dodger fans.

Board Announces Certificate List

The Midland County War Price and Rationing Board has issued the following certificates:

Passenger Automobiles: Ora Besco Oil Co., Kurt Leiksch, Noble Drilling Co., Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc., George M. McGarr, Devonian Oil Co., Isaac E. Whitehead, Sinclair Prairie Oil Co., Magnolia Pet. Co., Amerada Pet. Corp.

New Bicycles: Marjorie Byes, William B. Young.

Passenger Tires Grade I: Rev. W. F. Smith, William Hester, Warren H. Rymer, Thomas Elmer Bizzell, William Allen, Roy Proctor, Edgar D. Neely, F. M. White, Atlantic Pipe Line Co., Gulf Refining Co., City Cab Co., Earl Fain, Oscar F. Crawford, C. A. Stroud, John Davis, A. C. Powell, Union Oil Co. of Calif., Lt. Clifford Le Roy Monical, Elisa Valarde, Humble Oil & Refg. Co., Ola E. Grimes, Hugh W. Robertson, Alvin Upson, E. L. Price, Neal T. Chapman, H. T. Thompson, C. F. Sparks, Wade Glenn Attaway.

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New Truck Tires: Preston Vest, Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co., Southwestern B'1 Telephone, Fred A. Wycoff, Felix Cox, Dowell Inc., M. F. King, Moore Exploration Co., Kraft Cheese Co., L. E. Ford, J. C. Miles, Jose Robledo, Fred Wemple, Pohland Drilling Co.

Truck Recaps: West Texas Gas Co., Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co., John Dublin & Son.

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Farm Implements: B. E. O'Neal. Rubber Boots: Midland Bottling Co., C. H. Brown.

HARD LUCK PITCHER
ROANOKE, VA. — (P)— Lanky Ray Patten of the Roanoke Red Sox might be called the hard luck pitcher of the Piedmont League.

Patten tossed a no-hitter against the Durham Bulls but lost the game, 3-1.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Guy McMillan and son, Johnny Guy, are visiting various points in Texas, with the view of placing Johnny Guy in military school, at the beginning of the autumn term.

THE STANDINGS

National League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	67	33	.670
Pittsburgh	54	49	.524
Cincinnati	54	49	.524
Brooklyn	54	50	.519
Philadelphia	50	56	.472
Chicago	47	55	.461
Boston	45	53	.459
New York	38	64	.372

American League			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
New York	62	39	.614
Detroit	52	48	.520
Cleveland	52	48	.520
Washington	55	51	.519
Chicago	52	50	.510
Boston	50	53	.485
St. Louis	45	55	.450
Philadelphia	40	64	.385

THURSDAY GAMES

National League
St. Louis 4, New York 1.
Chicago 2, Boston 3.
Cincinnati 0, Brooklyn 3.
Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 3.

American League
Boston 10-6, Chicago 6-7.
Philadelphia 3, Cleveland 4.
Washington 3, Detroit 10.
New York 6, St. Louis 2.

Miss Betty Jane McCain is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ashley of Tucson, Ariz. Ashley is Mrs. McCain's brother.

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The Reporter-Telegram SPORTS

Annual All-Star Grid Classic Is Scheduled Friday

WACO — (P)— Forty-six young fellows finish their high school athletic careers and look forward to battles on fields far removed from the roar of the crowd as the North meets the South Friday night in the ninth annual all-star football game climaxing the Texas Coaching School.

Before another football campaign has run its course most of them may be battling Japs and Nazis, but for Friday night it's a rousing game between two fine squads and officials predict a crowd of from 5,000 to 10,000 will be there to see it.

South Favored
Both squads are in the best physical condition of any ever to play in this all-star classic. Coach Henry Frnka of Tulsa University, who tutors the North, and Coach Ralph Jones of Lake Forest College, who directs the South, held the boys out of scrimmage in four days of practice in an effort to prevent injuries. The only player on the starting list was Hardy Hardcastle, Port Arthur back who had an old knee hurt that may keep him out of the game.

The South still was favored to win but no one figured it would be easy. Bully Gilstrap, line coach of the University of Texas who is assisting Jones, said he feared the North's potent air attack. Frnka is noted for his aerial tactics.

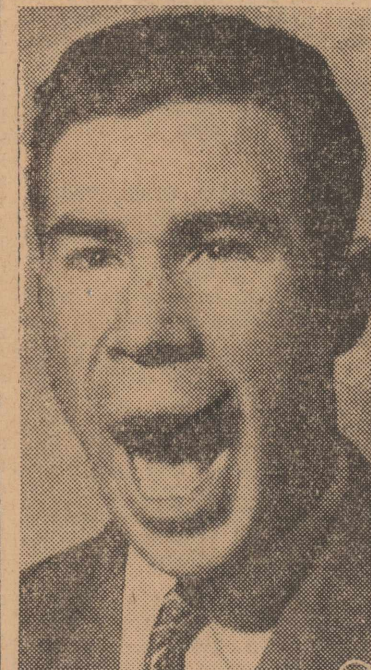
Probable line-ups:
South—McCall, Austin, ie; Turley, Sar. Antonio, It, Roper, Corpus Christi, Ig; Marshall, Temple, c; Hohn, Bryan, rg; Witz, New Braunfels, rt; Evans, Odessa, re; Lee, Austin, qb; Strong, San Antonio, ih; Baumgardner, Austin, rh; Clark, Corpus Christi, fb.

North—Bechtel, Lubbock, ie; Bryant, Dallas, it; Blessen, Amarillo, Ig; Williams, Phillips, c; Jones, Paris, rg; Moncrief, Dallas, rt; Crites, Fort Worth, re; Eschman, Wichita Falls, qb; Ford Fort Worth, ih; Brewer, Lubbock, rh; Ray, Breckenridge, fb.

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Haegg Presents Shoes To American Opponents

NEW YORK — (P)— Gunder Haegg, the Swedish track star, is as good at giving as he is at receiving. After being presented with a wristwatch by Dan Ferris of the AAU and other trophies Thursday night at a reception by the Swedish-American A. C., Haegg presented his best pair of track shoes, one shoe each, to Gil Dodds and Greg Rice and his running suit to Bill Hulse, the three Americans who undertook to furnish him competition during his tour in this country.

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Here they come down the home stretch, and bunched right in there in front are the ten big winners of the Mustang Point Contest.

Are you a winner or an "also ran"? Saturday, 10 p. m., marks the finish line and everybody will be there, we hope, to see the winners come galloping home.

After Saturday night, the Ole Mustang Hall will be closed a short time for cleanup, repairs, etc., so be there for this last big meeting before school opens.

King Tommy Green will be on hand, as well as several guests and visitors to cheer the contest winners, and a surprise or two may turn up before the evening is through. Let's all be there, same time, in the Ole Mustang Hall for a BIG meeting to wind up the season.

Nuff Sed.

Nails can be made to hold better if dipped in thinned lacquer, in which sealing wax or resin is dissolved.

Order To Cut Value Of Gas Coupons Due, Dallas News Reports

DALLAS — (P)— The Dallas News says "A federal order to cut A, B and C gasoline ration coupons for Southwestern and Midwestern motorists has been written and is on the desk of Petroleum Administrator for War Harold L. Ickes for Sunday release, a memorandum sent to regional Office of Price Administration directors said Thursday."

The News continued: "The interoffice memorandum was sent by Paul M. O'Leary, fuel rationing chief of the agency in Washington. Regional OPA Administrator Max McCullough could not be reached Thursday night for confirmation, however.

"The 25 per cent cut in the ration is due to be effective at 12:01 a. m. Monday."

A grass spot on wallpaper can be removed with a paste made of fuller's earth and cleaner's naphtha. After mixture is applied to the spot and allowed to dry, dust it off.