

WEATHER

Colder late this afternoon and tonight with occasional rain or snow flurries.

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War Bond Score

Quota for March.....\$6,000 Sales to Mar. 5.....11,394 Still to go.....\$5,606

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Six Pages Today

Smaller Food Group Cited

Committee Urges A Halt On Calling Farm Labor

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—The senate military committee reported today that the prospect of a 1943 food crop as large as last year is "almost hopeless of realization."

Reds Clear Vital Rail Line After New Successes

MOSCOW, March 5 (AP)—Striking out from Rzhev, the Russians have recaptured scores of towns southwest of the fortress city and have completely cleared the 270-mile-long railway between Moscow and Velikie Luki with the occupation of Olenino, 35 miles due west of Rzhev.

Coupled with new gains by Marshal Semeon Timoshenko's forces on the northwest front and advances by Red army columns northwest of Kharkov, the Soviet successes increased the immediate threat to German positions at Orel, Bryansk, Gzhatsk, Vyazma and Staraya Russa. The potential menace to German key bases at Smolensk and Konotop was intensified.

At Velikie Luki, the Red army was only 80 miles from the Latvian border and a short distance from north and south railway lines over which the Germans supplied the northwest front in the Lake Ilmen sector. In other announced gains the Russians drew near railways over which the Germans have shuttled supplies between southern and central front bases.

The Russians maintained their drive in yesterday's fighting, the midday communique announcing that 42 towns had fallen to the army pressing southwest and south of Rzhev, through streamcut forest land. With the southern army fighting its way in the direction of Bryansk, the Russians have two bodies moving toward each other about 250 miles apart and threatening to crush between them the remaining German salient before Moscow that stretches from Gzhatsk, 100 miles west of Moscow, through Vyazma and southward to Bryansk.

Holding the 150-mile stretch of railway between Rzhev and Velikie Luki, the Russians have a strong force both north and northwest of Smolensk, 130 miles southwest of Velikie Luki. Smolensk has long been Hitler's base for operations in north central and northwestern Russia.

Price Ceiling On Meats Soon

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—Uniform price ceilings will be applied soon to all retail sales of beef, veal, lamb and mutton, and eventually to hundreds of other common food items.

Announcing specific ceilings for retail sales of pork, Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown said similar cents-per-pound maximums would be issued within a few weeks for other meats, probably in time for the start of meat rationing about April 1.

Describing the pork ceilings as "a heavy blow at black markets," Brown said they will enable the housewife to know exactly what she should pay, and divide available meat supplies more equitably among stores and communities.

Success of the campaign to stamp out black markets will be a factor in the size of the meat allowance when rationing begins next month, informed officials indicated, disclosing that the prospective ration of 1 3/4 pounds per person per week may be increased later in the year.

Agriculture Secretary Wickard is expected to announce a rigid licensing system to control the buying, selling and slaughtering of livestock in a nationwide radio talk at 9:45 p. m. Central War Time, tonight—and, at the same time, to urge consumers to help fight the black markets.

Woman's Body Is Found In Canal

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 5 (AP)—The body of Mrs. Jessie Beasley, pretty brunette was found in the Grand canal today, nearly a mile from the place where officers dragged an automobile from the canal.

Mrs. Beasley disappeared Wednesday morning when she accepted a ride to work from James Billett, 51-year-old caretaker of a ranch owned by William Spagnola, mayor of Youngtown, O. Billett killed himself with a shotgun when officers found him hiding in a chicken coop to which he had fled shortly after his party submerged car had been found in the canal with Mrs. Beasley's purse on the running board. The sheriff's office announced the finding of her body.

WTCC To Continue Fight For Grain Alcohol Program

ABILENE, March 5 (AP)—The West Texas chamber of commerce today had called off plans for sending a delegation to Washington to secure a grain sorghum alcohol plant for West Texas, but the chamber declared: "We are not quitting on the rubber program."

Plans for the delegation's trip were dropped after telephone conferences with Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas and John W. Boyer of the War Production Board's chemical division and after Rubber Director William Jeffers had advised by wire that five new plant locations, all in the middle-west, were being announced. Jeffers added there would be no more.

Remnants Of Jap Convoy Destroyed

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, March 5 (AP)—Airmen of the Southwest Pacific command, including American, British, Dutch and Australian fliers, put the finishing touches to the destruction of a Japanese convoy of 22 ships by sinking two battered destroyers yesterday and raising to 82 the number of enemy planes shot out of action, an Allied communique said today.

Thus in three days, 13 transports and 19 cruisers or destroyers were sunk, 15,000 Japanese troops and several thousand seamen were killed, 83 enemy planes were destroyed or badly damaged and the attempt to strengthen the enemy garrisons on New Guinea was converted, as an Allied communique said, into a "major disaster."

A spokesman said today that further analysis of battle photographs would be required to determine the nature of the warships in the convoy. Three of the 10 warships were at first believed to be cruisers, but later reports indicated they might have been large destroyers.

Allied planes, after pounding the convoy all day Wednesday, returned yesterday to Huon Gulf, on which the Japanese base of Lae is located, and found that two Japanese destroyers were still afloat although damaged. These were sunk.

A number of power barges loaded with troops from sunken transports were sighted off Finisshafen, New Guinea, and "were destroyed with all on board," it was announced.

Finland Organizes A New Cabinet

HELEFINKI, March 5 (AP)—Finland formed a new cabinet today under the conservative Prof. Edvin Linnomies in which ministerial representation of the professional Peoples Party was eliminated and the foreign portfolio was assigned to Sir Henrik Ramsay, Scots-descended shipping leader.

Observers said there was nothing in the records of either Premier Linnomies or Ramsay which would make them unacceptable to Soviet Russia and consequently handicap chances of the nation in any peace negotiations.

Tokyo Silent On Loss Of Convoy

NEW YORK, March 5 (AP)—The Japanese radio maintained silence today over the crushing defeat inflicted by American planes on the 22-ship Japanese convoy off New Guinea.

U. S. radio monitors said they had heard no Japanese broadcast mention the battle.

Five Children Perish In Fire

SPENCER, Okla., March 5 (AP)—Five children of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford "Pete" Truelove died today in a fire that swept through their farm home near here.

The victims were identified by the state highway patrol as: Margaret 5, Patsy 3, Clifford 2, and Edward and Edwin, 18-month-old twins.

Mrs. Truelove was at the nearby home of her parents when the fire was discovered by a neighbor and the dwelling was a mass of flames by the time she arrived. Another son, Danny, 7, had just left for school.

The father enlisted in the army six months ago, and had left only Wednesday to return to Fresno, Calif., after a furlough.

James Cagney, Greer Garson Win Movie Awards

HOLLYWOOD, March 5 (AP)—James Cagney and Greer Garson, established thespians but newcomers to the "Oscar" roster, received the Motion Picture Academy's awards early today for the best actor and actress performances of 1942.

Fifteen hundred guests at the academy's 15th annual dinner waited anxiously until well after midnight for announcement of the winners of filmland's most coveted honors, bestowed by ballots of approximately 11,000 motion picture people.

Cagney's award was for his role in "Yankee Doodle Dandy," a Warner Brothers film, and Miss Garson's for her performance in M-G-M's "Mrs. Miniver," the picture which was adjudged the best production of 1942 and which virtually swept the list of "bests."

Other major awards: Best supporting performance of an actor, Van Heflin, now an army lieutenant, in M-G-M's "John

ny Eager"; best supporting actress, Teresa Wright, in "Mrs. Miniver"; best directorial achievement, William Wyler, now an army major, for "Mrs. Miniver."

"Mrs. Miniver" also was acclaimed the year's best written screen play and the best achievement in black and white cinematography. With "Random Harvest," it brought producer Sidney Franklin the Irving G. Thalberg memorial award.

"Yankee Doodle Dandy" received the award for the best musical scoring by Ray Heindorf and Heinz Roemheld, and for the best sound recording.

Miss Garson was nominated for 1939 and 1940 academy awards. "Mrs. Miniver" out-classed "The Invaders," "King's Row," "The Pied Piper," "Random Harvest" and other nominees, and Miss Gar-

son won in the balloting over Bette Davis, Katherine Hepburn, Rosalind Russell and Teresa Wright.

Two Allied aircraft failed to return from the day's operations.

Labor Agreement Called Complement To Manford Bill

AUSTIN, March 5 (AP)—The originator of the controversial labor union regulation bill now before the legislature today endorsed the agreement between labor leaders and Governor Coke Stevenson pledging no work stoppage.

Rep. Durwood Manford of Smiley, who with Rep. W. W. Bridges of El Paso wrote the union-control measure passed by the house to third reading, said in a statement that "my bill does not touch upon work stoppages, top side or bottom. The two measures complement each other admirably."

"Knowing the character of the men who signed this agreement with our governor, I am confident there will be no repetition, in Texas, of what occurred when national leaders of the A. F. of L. and the C. I. O. made a similar pledge to our president," said Manford.

35 MPH Limit Is Invalid, Says Mann

AUSTIN, March 5 (AP)—Attorney General Gerald C. Mann today said in an opinion that the 35 miles per hour speed limit is invalid.

"The state highway department exceeded its authority in its order fixing the maximum speed limit on all highways comprising the state highway system at 35 miles per hour and therefore the order is invalid," Mann said in an opinion requested by County Attorney Glenn Capps of Mason county.

He pointed out that the legislature can make any change in the speed limit law it deems desirable.

Nazi Targets Hit For The Ninth Night

LONDON, March 5 (AP)—Royal Air Force bombers smashed at targets in western Germany last night—the ninth successive night that Germany has been attacked, it was announced officially today.

One plane was reported missing from the night operations, which included the laying of mines in enemy waters.

There was no indication of the exact targets in the brief air ministry communique, but the assaults on western Germany usually are aimed at heavy industries in the Ruhr valley.

Both the Paris and German radios went off the air last night. Last night's attack carried forward a furious Allied round-the-clock offensive against the Nazi-held continent. Last evening Mosquito bombers attacked railway centers near Le Mans and near Valenciennes in France. A few hours earlier, U. S. bombers hammered at the railroad yards at Hamm, Germany, and docks and warehouses at Rotterdam, Holland.

The regularity of the Allied air raids upon Nazi territory appeared to indicate that the time was near when, as Air Marshal Sir Arthur Harris promised last summer, "we will be coming over every night and every day—rain, flood or snow. We and the Americans."

The German air communique broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by the Associated Press asserted that there were losses among the populations of the Netherlands and western Germany from United States air attacks yesterday.

(It claimed that a great number of children were killed in the Netherlands and said that German fighters shot down 30 four-motored planes. This was double the number of losses announced in a United States communique issued in London.)

Cold Strikes The Panhandle

That new cold wave the weather man was talking about yesterday is apparently headed this way.

Forecast of frigid temperatures were backed up with a report from Borger this morning that the temperature had dropped 35 degrees overnight, from 72 to 37, and that snow flurries came with the new cold wave.

Colder weather late this afternoon and tonight, with rain or snow flurries, was indicated in the local forecast. The state forecast recommended livestock protection in the South Plains area and in the northern part of East Texas.

Big Spring had .08 inches of rainfall Thursday night, to the accompaniment of an unusually brilliant electrical display.

Axis Vessels And Motor Transport Are Bombed

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, March 5 (AP)—Allied bombers sank four axis vessels from a six-ship convoy yesterday and shot up German and Italian motor transport in an aerial accompaniment to ground fighting during which tank-led First army forces repulsed a determined attack at Sedjenane.

Col. Gen. Jurgen von Arnim's infantry and armored units, coveting Sedjenane as a junction on the Mateur-Tabarka road, drove to hand fighting in which observers said they suffered severe losses.

Forty-ton Churchills, pouring out six-pound shells at the rate of 25 a minute, spearheaded the British tank attack.

"Several armored cars were knocked out and heavy losses were inflicted on the German infantry," a competent military source said.

The fierce action in the north was accompanied by an intensification of activity by Field Marshal Rommel's forces in their Mareth line positions on the southern front and a corresponding increase in allied patrol work.

The communique issued by Allied headquarters said Allied forces continued to consolidate their recent gains in the central sector where Rommel's forces are virtually back to the starting point of their ill-fated February drive.

Allied reconnaissance patrols established contact with axis troops entrenched along high ground "in some strength" on a line running north and south of Faid Pass, dispatches said.

A military source said one British battalion of the American-supported First army was cut off in the early stages of the Sedjenane fighting, "but a fair number fought their way back to our lines."

Despite increased fighting on outskirts of Medjes-El-Bab, that town—35 miles southeast of Sedjenane and an equal distance southwest of Tunis—remained in Allied hands. Artillery batteries shelled enemy positions on the ridges northeast.

Two companies of German infantry, supported by 15 tanks, made several thrusts toward Beja, 25 miles northwest of Medjes-El-Bab and 22 south of Sedjenane, but were stopped in their tracks "by British small arms fire, dispatches said.

Flying fortresses assaulted the axis convoy. They interloped the six ships sailing eastward in eight miles northwest of Biscerta naval base. Observers said their bombs, in addition to sinking the four, damaged the other two. Accompanying Lightning fighters damaged three Messerschmitt 109's which had been summoned to protect the vessels.

"In the central sector," the communique said, "Allied forces continued to consolidate their recent gains. Elements of French forces yesterday occupied Nefta, on the western border of the Chott Djerid. Reconnaissance patrols were also operating farther east."

On the Mareth line front, enemy activity was intensified and "our patrols were very active," the communique said.

"Attacks on enemy transports, both on land and on the sea, were continued yesterday and during the previous night, attacks by our bombers on enemy convoys between Sicily and Tunisia resulted in four ships being sunk and others damaged," the bulletin announced.

Bombers struck at enemy vehicles in both southern and northern Tunisia and attacked axis targets at Djedeida, 12 miles west of Tunis.

Two Junkers 87's were shot from a Messerschmitt-escorted formation by Allied fighters in the north, another bomber was destroyed on the Algerian coast and two enemy fighters were downed in the southern Tunisian sector, the communique said.

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Government-Lease Housing Program Outlined Here

Action designed to relieve Big Spring housing shortage was inaugurated here last night as T. H. Brooks, Dallas, assistant regional manager of the Home Owners Loan Corporation, announced plans for the initiation of local housing programs for remodeling of homes and other buildings to create additional housing units.

Details were explained at a meeting attended by real estate dealers in Big Spring, Charles Sullivan, area director, and E. I. Cook, inspector, from the rent control office also participated.

Big Spring is one of 14 cities chosen for inauguration of the broker's plan of operation for the soliciting of applications from property owners whereby the government may draw on the experience of the real estate fraternity to provide needed housing for Big Spring.

Under the plan, HOLC will lease from private owners such structures as can be converted into multiple family units. The government will lease the buildings for a period of seven years, during which the property owner will be paid an agreed rental quarterly in advance.

From the increased earnings of the converted property, the government will pay all fixed charges such as mortgage payments, if any, taxes, insurance, etc., and will amortize the cost of improvements over the seven year period.

When the lease expires, the property will revert to the owner in condition to attract tenants.

Owners will be relieved of financial and property management responsibility during the lease term, and losses, if any, based on vacancies of the property, will be absorbed by the government without affecting the agreed rental to the owner.

Proposed improvements will be checked with owners before the lease is signed. The owner may be permitted to occupy one of the converted units, but only on the same terms with other tenants.

Maximum which may be used for each family unit is fixed at \$2-500, which must cover delinquent taxes, etc., as well as all other costs. Conversion will be done at the lowest possible cost commensurate with type of the building, etc.

Those who lease their property are not committed to retirement of the conversion cost. Properties offered in the program are not limited to dwellings, and business or commercial structures with all four sides exposed might be eligible, according to Brooks.

Applications to lease properties in this program may be submitted by owners to local real estate brokers who are cooperating to relieve the housing shortage.

Information on the kind and type of properties which are qualified may be had at the chamber of commerce office as well as from real estate men, or from L. S. Patterson, who has been named authorized negotiator.

Herman H. Hesse, HOLC representative, has established area headquarters in Abilene and will call here periodically. Meanwhile, the program is to start immediately and interested property owners are urged to see their real estate dealers at once.

Personnel Bombs Dropped On Britain

LONDON, March 5 (AP)—The ministry of home security warned Britons today against a small new anti-personnel bomb dropped by Nazi planes, saying a number were dropped recently and that they might be scattered over a wide area.

The bombs are the size of a round cigarette can, weigh about four pounds and may explode at the slightest touch, the ministry said.

Solomons, Kiska Bases Hit Again

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—American planes raiding through the Pacific have hit again at four Japanese bases in the Solomon islands area and at the Japanese position on Kiska in the Aleutians.

The navy reported this today in a communique which told also of two Japanese planes bombing United States positions on Guadalcanal Island but without damage.

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Downtown Stroller

Mrs. J. A. MYERS was all set to go visit her son, JOE, this coming week when she got a call from him saying the barracks he was in had been quarantined for all things, the measles. So, Mrs. MYERS had to postpone her trip at least for the duration of the measles.

Little LYNN SCOTT has really proposed something for her uncle, Cpl. MARION SCOTT, who is stationed now in Midland. Seems LYNN was looking at the insignia of all the branches of the service and decided she wanted her uncle to be a four star general, said that was the prettiest. Don't you know Cpl. SCOTT will be glad to oblige his niece!

Talked a minute with Mrs. A. V. KARCHER, who was lunching downtown in between working at the Red Cross. Red Crossing keeps you plenty busy, Mrs. K. maintains.

If the old saying about March coming in like a lion, which it did, works out right, it ought to go out like a small woolly lamb and hot weather will be just around the corner. All of which won't make us a bit mad at anybody.

Mrs. J. E. HOGAN is wearing a new hair do that we really like on her. She had her hair cut close to her head and is wearing it brushed up and it really looks swell.

Firemen Ladies To Do Work For Red Cross On Wednesday

Firemen Ladies will sew for the Red Cross on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and not on Friday as erroneously announced.

Members of the auxiliary are urged to assemble at the W. O. W. hall next Wednesday afternoon, said officers of the organization.

We are to strive against covetousness, James, 4th Chapter.—adv.

Where To Go To Church Sunday Services In Big Spring

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
601 N. Gregg St.
Rev. E. L. Kasper, pastor
Sunday school and adult Bible class—9:45 a. m.
Divine worship service—10:30 a. m.
Biblical instruction for membership and confirmation Saturday at 2 p. m. and 3 p. m.
Ladies Aid business and social meeting second Wednesday of month.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. Homer Sheeta, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
W. M. C. Tuesday, 3 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF GOD
West 4th and Galveston
Rev. G. G. Asher, pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Fresching school, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.
Midweek prayer service, Wednesday 8 p. m.
Young people's service, Friday 8 p. m.

SALVATION ARMY
5th and Aptford
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Holiness meeting, 11 a. m.
Young people's legion, 7:45 p. m.
Open air meeting, corner First and Main, 8:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
6th and Main
Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Pastor
SUNDAY—
9:45 a. m. Bible School in nine departments. J. A. Coffey, superintendent.
10:30 Morning Worship.
7:00 p. m.—Training Union.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.
MONDAY—
8:00 p. m. Weekly meeting of

the W.M.S.
7:30 p. m. Brotherhood will meet the second Monday in each month.
7:30 p. m.—T. U. program planning next to the last Monday in each month.

WEDNESDAY—
6:45 p. m. Cabinet meeting of superintendents.
7:00 p. m. Department and class meetings.
7:30 p. m. General assembly, J. A. Coffey in charge.

THURSDAY—
7:45 p. m. Boy Scout Troop 8, Olin Hull, scoutmaster.
FIRST BAPTIST
108-11 Beaman St.
Holand G. King, Pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Fresching, 11 a. m.
Pastor's message at 7:45 p. m.
Young people's meeting, 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
409 Austin St.
Rev. Irvy Bohannan, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Young People's society, 7:15 p. m.
Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.
Women's missionary society, 2:30 p. m. Monday.
Wednesday night prayer service, 8 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST
Corner Fourth and Scurry
H. C. Smith, Pastor
Church school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.
Young People's meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Evening service, 8 p. m.
W.S.O.E., Monday, 8 p. m.
Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

NORTH NOLAN BAPTIST
North End of North Nolan St.
Chester O'Brien, Jr., Pastor
C. V. Warren, Sunday School Supt. and B.T.U. Director
Fresching services at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
Sunday School at 10:15 a. m.
Officers and teachers meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., followed by prayer meeting.
Women's Missionary Union Monday at 2:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS (Mormon)
Elders—Duersch and Joel Mack Johnson.
Services at 1901 Denney.
10 a. m. Sunday.
Rallies Society Tuesday at 2 p. m.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL
601 Bunnels
Rev. R. J. Snell, pastor
Holy communion 8:30 a. m.
Church school 9:45 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. Sermon topic, "Baptism in Sin."

WEST SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
1209 W. 4th—Parsonage 708 Abrams
Rev. G. D. Carpenter, Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Fresching, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.
Fresching 8:30 p. m.
Monday—W. M. U., 8 p. m.
Wednesday—Teachers' meeting, 8 p. m.
Prayer meeting, 8:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Scurry at Fifth
Rev. J. E. McCoy, Pastor.
Mrs. L. A. Eubanks, director of music.
W. K. Baxter, Bible school supt.
9:45 a. m. Bible school and communion.
10:30 Morning Worship.
8:30 p. m. Youth Meetings.
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
Monday 8 p. m. Mid-week Service.
8:15 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

SACRED HEART
Mass will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.
Mass Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 a. m.
Confessions Saturday, 4:30 to 6 p. m.

MAIN ST. CHURCH OF GOD
Corner 13th and Main
Robert E. Bowden, Minister
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11 a. m.
Young People's hour at 7:30 p. m.
Evening evangelistic service at 8:30 p. m.
Midweek prayer service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Missionary society Thursday.

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"Bombzapoppin' To Present Program Of Dramatic Sketches

Entire "Bombzapoppin'" radio program from the Big Spring Bombardier School this evening will be dedicated to the American Red Cross.

Featured will be some dramatic sketches with Pvt. Neal Sorenson and Pvt. Robert Heathill having parts. Vocal numbers for the program will be handled by Sgt. Hal Harris and Sgt. Joe King. The program is to be heard at 7:35 p. m. through the remote facilities of KSBT from the post theatre.

VFW Auxiliary Has Business Meeting At Hall Thursday

Mrs. C. G. Barnett presided over the business session when the VFW Auxiliary met at the VFW home Thursday night. Others present were Mrs. T. C. Thomas, Mrs. J. A. Thurman, Mrs. M. Weaver, Mrs. C. W. Deata, Mrs. Joe Jacobs, Mrs. Pierson Morgan, Mrs. Mary Ebbman, Mrs. R. W. Brown, Mrs. E. O. Hicks, Mrs. Frank Fowall, Mrs. Charles Vines.

Where To Go To Church

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
P. Marion Simms, Ph. D., Supply Minister
9:45 Sunday school.
11 Morning worship.
7:30 Evening worship.
Thursday 7 p. m. Bible study.
7:30 p. m. choir practice.

TEMPLE ISRAEL
Max Jacobs, Layman
Services each Friday at 8:30 p. m. at the Bombardier School chapel. All invited to attend, especially soldiers.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
J. D. Harvey, Minister
Fourth and Main Sts.
Radio services 8:30 a. m.
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.
Young People's Bible class, 7 p. m.
Evening worship 8 p. m.
Ladies Bible class Tuesday 2:30 p. m.
All-Church Study, Wednesday 8 p. m.

EAST 6TH BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner Nolan and Fourth Streets
R. Elmer Dunham, Pastor.
Bettye Lee Pitts, Director Music and Educational Activities.
Fresching service 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Training Union 7 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday at 8:30 p. m. except when five circles meet by special arrangement.
Teachers and officers of Sunday school meet Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m., followed by choir rehearsal at 8:40.
Boy Scout troop 4 will meet Tuesday at 7 p. m.

WESLEY METHODIST
1209 Owens
W. L. Porterfield, Pa. v.
Church school, 9:45 o'clock.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
Youth meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 8 o'clock.
Christian Service meets at 8:30 o'clock. Choir rehearsal Friday evening 8 o'clock. Prayer service will be held at 7 o'clock Wednesday.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
111 Bunnels Street
Sabbath school 9:45 a. m. Supt. Mrs. Lois C. Madison.
Divine worship 11 a. m. The pastor, William H. Grotheer will read a prepared sermon by Elder P. C. Carrier, general secretary of the American Temperance Society entitled "The Saboteur." All interested in this important lecture are invited to attend the service.
A Christian welcome awaits all.

WEST SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
1209 W. 4th—Parsonage 708 Abrams
Rev. G. D. Carpenter, Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Fresching, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.
Fresching 8:30 p. m.
Monday—W. M. U., 8 p. m.
Wednesday—Teachers' meeting, 8 p. m.
Prayer meeting, 8:30 p. m.

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—Four Texas colleges and four in Oklahoma are among 119 which have been approved for participation in the aviation cadet crew training program, the war department announced.

Airmen will train at Southwest Texas State Teachers, San Marcos; Austin College, Sherman; Texas A. and M. College Station, and Texas Tech, Lubbock. The war department said all candidates for aviation cadet crew training will be required to complete five months of special college work under a new program which becomes effective tomorrow.

Four Oklahoma colleges were approved for participation, including Oklahoma A. and M., Stillwater; Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee; University of Tulsa, Tulsa, and Northwestern State College, Alva.

Damage Suit Filed In Texan's Death
BOISE, Idaho, March 5 (AP)—A damage suit for \$50,387 has been filed in district court against T. E. Davison of Boise, convicted last month of voluntary manslaughter in the stabbing of W. L. Goode, Dallas, Tex., drug salesman. The suit was filed yesterday by Laura Louise Goode and John Goode, wife and child of the slain man.

Davison was sentenced to serve a 1-10 year sentence in the state prison. The complaint asked \$50,000 1942 at a motor court south of Boise. The slaying took place Oct. 8, 1942 at a motor court south of Boise. Davison is a former Berger, Tex., city councilman.

The hevea rubber tree is the source of 87 per cent of the rubber used in the world. Can the blind lead the blind? St. Luke, 6th Chapter.—adv.

Society

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Mrs. Mull New Head Of P-T.A.

Mrs. J. B. Mull was elected president of the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association Thursday to replace Mrs. Harold Bottomley, who resigned. Mrs. Mull was formerly vice president of the organization.



MRS. J. B. MULL
Elected as vice president was Mrs. C. E. Edmunds. Mrs. E. W. Williams is secretary and Mrs. A. A. Porter is treasurer.

The group gave a vote of thanks to Mrs. Bottomley for her work as president. She is to leave around the 15th of March for Washington, D. C., where she will make her home.

The group voted to send the officers to the district convention in San Angelo to be held in April. An executive meeting preceded the regular session. The program was given by the girl scout troop led by Mrs. Wayne Pearce with Mrs. Edmunds as assistant leader. The scouts gave the meaning of the ten girl scout laws followed by the girl scout oath.

Mrs. C. W. Deata was appointed as finance chairman for the remainder of the year as the business session closed. Others attending were Mrs. H. L. McClinton, Mrs. R. O. McClinton, Mrs. E. Lowe, Mrs. T. E. Martin, Mrs. Shirley Robbins, Mrs. C. W. Deata, Mrs. Lloyd R. Cowan.

Mrs. R. E. Snyder, Mrs. Irvin Daniel, Mrs. M. E. Boatman, Mrs. Jack Reed, Mrs. Albert W. Dillon, Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mrs. John Nutt, Mrs. E. W. Wright, Mrs. George French, Mrs. Dewey Young, Mrs. Lena Greer, Mrs. Lila Lloyd, Mrs. H. A. Stagner, Mrs. D. F. Petty, Mrs. Roy Odum.

Mrs. George L. Brown, Mrs. D. R. Childers, Mrs. J. P. Kenney, Mrs. Curtis Driver, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. D. F. Bigony, Mrs. J. A. Coffey.

Baptist Women To End Week Of Prayer Today

Baptist churches observed another afternoon program in the series of Week of Prayer observances held this week by the Women's Missionary Unions. The programs will end today.

East 4th St. Baptist
Mrs. E. L. Patton was in charge of the program at the East 4th St. Baptist church on the subject, "Entrusted With the Gospel."
Mrs. Allen Wiggins gave the devotion and others on the program were Mrs. Bill Sandridge, Mrs. S. H. Morrison and Mrs. Curtis Reynolds.

Mrs. A. W. Page presided during the business session and others present were Mrs. R. J. Barton, Mrs. E. L. Patton, Mrs. J. G. Couch, Mrs. A. T. Dyer, Mrs. A. J. Hillbus, Mrs. Bob Wynn, Mrs. Tom Steward, Mrs. Otto Couch, Mrs. A. S. Woods.

The last observance of the week is to be held Friday afternoon at the church when the Rev. Joseph Hoffman Cohn will speak on "The Homeless Jews of the World," to which other women of the town are invited. The pastor will also speak again at 8 o'clock Friday night on "Some Startling Fore-shadows of Coming World Collapse and Redemption."

First Baptist
Mrs. Aiden Thomas was in charge of the Week of Prayer church Thursday afternoon at the subject, "Entrusted With Material Possessions." She also gave the devotion.

Theme for the week of programs was "Entrusted With the Gospel in America." Mrs. Alton Underwood led the singing of the national anthem.

Mrs. W. J. Alexander gave a prayer and Mrs. Thomas told of "Theater Partnership." Mrs. O. D. Turner talked on "Claiming the Mountain Lands for Christ." Mrs. Roy Rogan spoke on the subject, "Claiming the Spanish Speaking People for Christ."

Mrs. W. W. Edwards talked on "Serving in the Canal Zone," and Mrs. W. J. Alexander on "The Dead Are Baptized." Mrs. R. C. Hatch closed with a prayer.

Others present were Mrs. Pat Wilkerson, Mrs. J. L. Haynes, Mrs. M. E. Harlan, Mrs. J. J. Green, Mrs. Mable Starr, Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Mrs. C. T. Clay, Mrs. R. V. Hart, Mrs. A. L. Hutchesin, Mrs. J. C. Douglas, Mrs. C. W. Floyd.

The women of the First Baptist church met in all day session Friday for their last day of the series of programs.

RADIO LOG

- Friday Evening
5:00 Minute of Prayer.
5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
5:15 Rich Hayes and "Red" Connors.
5:30 Foreign News roundup.
5:45 Songs for Servicemen.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 The Johnson Family.
6:30 Halls of Montezuma.
7:00 Where to Go Tonight.
7:15 To Be Announced.
7:30 News.
7:35 "Bombzapoppin'."
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
8:10 To Be Announced.
8:20 Double or Nothing.
8:30 Treasury Star Parade.
8:45 News Off.
9:00 Saturday Morning
7:00 Musical Clock.
7:30 News.
7:45 Musical Clock.
8:00 Morning Devotional.
8:10 Morning Concert.
8:30 Pinto Pete.
8:45 Vocal Varieties.
9:00 Sunday School Lesson.
9:20 Rainy House.
9:45 Curley Clennon's Rodeo Rangers.
10:00 News Roundup.
10:15 Kay Kyser's Orch.
10:20 U. S. Army Band.
11:00 News.
11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
11:10 KSBT Previews.
11:15 I Hear America Singing.
11:20 Rhythm and Romance.
Saturday Afternoon
12:00 George Duff's Orch.
12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
12:30 News.
12:45 MacAlester College Choir.
1:00 Lani McIntyre's Orch.
1:15 Mutual Goss Calling.
1:30 Palmer House Concert Orch.
2:30 From Valley Folk.
3:00 From Bigadon to Rhumba.
3:30 New Orleans Fair Grounds Race.
3:45 Rich Hayes and "Red" Connors.
4:00 Navy Bulletin Board.
Saturday Evening
8:00 Minute of Prayer.
8:15 I Hear America Singing.
8:20 Bowling Series.
8:30 Hawaii Calls.
8:45 My People.
9:00 "Grand Ole Opry."
9:00 American Eagle Club.
9:10 This Is the Hour.
9:20 Chicago Theater of the Air.
9:30 Sign Off.

Hyperion Club To Meet Saturday
The Hyperion club will meet at 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rhine Phillips, 1204 Scurry.

Church Groups Entertain With Shower-Luncheon For Miss Pitts

Many Turn Out To Work On Red Cross Dressings

Whether it was because of Red Cross week or whether something else was responsible, Mrs. R. L. Beale and Mrs. Joyce Fisher didn't know and question Thursday. But one of the largest crowds yet, assembled at the surgical dressing rooms to roll between 1800 and 1600 two by two sponges.

A goodly portion of those attending were officer's wives from the bombardier school and others were old faithfuls who turn out nearly every time.

Those attending were Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. J. F. Hall, Mrs. W. C. Sullivan, Mrs. Knott, Mrs. Callahan, Mrs. T. B. Curtis, Mrs. D. A. Koons, Mrs. R. D. Weigle, Mrs. Arthur D. Morrow, Jr., Mrs. J. R. Manion, Mrs. J. W. King.

Mrs. Sam Ellis, Mrs. Joe J. Robnett, Mrs. Gerald C. Merker, Mrs. Owen K. McGreevy, Mrs. R. R. Hornbeak, Mrs. T. C. Capraro, Mrs. Van C. Elliott, Mrs. Bruce Romick, Mrs. O. W. Schultz, Mrs. Helen Robertson, Mrs. Henry Frank, Mrs. E. Eckhaus, Mrs. Edward P. Anastasio, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Francis M. Henslett, Jr.

Others who would like to assist with the work are more than invited, the women in charge declared today. There is much work yet to be done to reach the chapter's quota of dressings.

Students Name Class Favorites In Election

Dewey Stevenson was selected senior boy class favorite in election at the Big Spring high school Thursday while a runoff will be held to determine the senior girl favorite and the boy and girl underclass favorites.

Jo Ann Switzer and Winnie Ruth Rogers are in the runoff for senior girl and Joanne Rice and Helen Blount will run for the underclass favorite girl. John Utery and Bobo Hardy will be in the runoff for the underclass favorite boy.

The runoff will be held Monday in guidance rooms. Favorite section of the El Rodeo, high school yearbook, reserves full pages for the class favorites and also includes joy leaders, majorities, band sweetheart and drum major, and student president.

Favorite pictures will be made Friday, in addition with group pictures of band, basketball team and others.

Order was placed for 475 copies of the yearbook this week and actual production began, although only six pages have been completed.

Other students in the race for senior favorite were Glenn Cagle, Billie Frances Shaffer, Stewart Smith, Katherine Burroughs, Peppy Blount, Jimmie Pierson, Frances Drake.

Others in the underclass race were Wynelle Wilkerson, Anna Claire Waters, Charlene Pinkston, Tommy Clinklescales, Hugh Cochran, Doris Jean Glenn, La Vera Hayworth, Ladell Lee, Ike Davidson, Carol Conley, Hunka Stewart, Leatrice Ross, Tipton Anderson, Daphnia Reese, Doris Lou Stuts, Billy Joe Underhill, Billie Jean Anderson, Derrall Douglas, Jean Stewart, Melba Dean Anderson.

—VISITS AND VISITORS—

Fvt. Arch F. Ford, who has been here on a ten day furlough from Ft. Leonard, Wood, Mo., visiting his parents and relatives, has returned to camp.

Mrs. Steve Baker returned Thursday from a two week visit in Clovis and Portales, N. M., and Dallas and Stamford.

Mrs. L. C. Chapin will leave Friday night for a week's visit in Houston.

Guests Meet At East 4th St. Baptist

The Dorcas, Homemaker's and Faithful Workers classes of the East 4th St. Baptist church met together Thursday afternoon to compliment Betty Sue Pitts of Coahoma with a luncheon and a china and crystal shower.

Miss Pitts is leaving this week for her home in Coahoma where a series of parties will be held for her announcing her approaching marriage.

The luncheon table was covered with a white cloth and decorated with green streamers. Crystal candle holders flanked a centerpiece of cyclamen and fern.

Mrs. John Porter, Mrs. Curtis Reynolds, Mrs. G. J. Couch and Mrs. T. W. Harrell acted as hostesses. Miss Pitts and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Pitts, were present with corsages.

Gifts were also presented and guests included the Rev. and Mrs. Pitts, Mrs. Raymond Lilley, Mrs. Rueben Hill, Mrs. A. L. Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Steward, Mrs. A. J. Hillbus, Mrs. T. B. Clifton, Mrs. George Holden, Mrs. Lulu Satterwhite.

Mrs. E. H. Stringfellow, Mrs. E. H. Sanders, Mrs. Oels Chapman, Mrs. C. M. Harrell, Mrs. Ella Miles, Mrs. J. A. Kinard, Mrs. A. W. Page, Mrs. Otto Couch, Mrs. Bill Sandridge, Mrs. Walter Grice, Mrs. A. S. Woods.

Mrs. R. J. Barton, Mrs. Bob Wren, Mrs. R. Elmer Dunham, Mrs. E. L. Patton, Mrs. N. O. Decker, Mrs. J. W. Denton, Mrs. Allen Wiggins.

Choir Members Have Covered-Dish Meal And Game Party

Members of the First Baptist church choir were entertained with a covered-dish supper this week at the church. Green and white were the table decorations.

The invocation was sung by the group and after the meal a "barber-shop" men's trio gave several selections. The trio is composed of Lieut. Pat Wilkerson, Orville Bryant and Irby Cox.

Musical games were played under direction of Irby Cox assisted by Mrs. C. W. Norman.

Others attending were Mrs. Ines Lewis, the Rev. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Mrs. Beulah Bryant, Mrs. Lena Greer, Mrs. Ruth Olsen, Mrs. M. E. Anderson, Mrs. George Tillingham, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sailer, Julia Cochran, Mrs. R. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornelson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Matthews.

Mrs. Tex Culp, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Watson, Mildred Watson, Lieut. and Mrs. Pat Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bryant, Mrs. Jackie McKinney, Richard and Robert O'Brien, Mrs. Ollie Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Loy House, Mrs. Paul Sledge, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ward.

Surprise Birthday Party Given By Club For Member

Mrs. F. L. Ludy was surprised with a shower of birthday gifts when the Rainbow Sewing club met this week in the home of Mrs. L. C. Chapin.

Crocheting and embroidery were entertainment and the hostess served refreshments.

Others present were Mrs. Tom Stewart, Mrs. W. C. Paeley, Mrs. J. A. Magee. Mrs. L. C. Chapin is to be next hostess on March 17th.

Former Resident Is Married In New York

Friends here have received an announcement of the wedding of Ensign James D. Ford, USNR, to Ruth Roberts Robinson on February 17, 1943, in New York, N. Y.

Ensign Ford, who was born and raised in Big Spring, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ford of Fort Worth. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Robinson of New York.

The wedding ceremony was read by Chaplain C. Leslie Glenn in the Riverside church of New York at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening.

"Who is a wise man and endowed with knowledge among you?" James, 3rd Chapter.—adv.

Mexican Luncheon Held By Class At The Church

Mexican luncheon was held Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist church by members of the Friendship class. The luncheon table was decorated with a Mexican motif.

The Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor, gave a short talk to the group on the origin of the Weeks of Prayer observed by the southern Baptists. He pointed out that the custom was begun during depression times when funds were needed to keep foreign missionaries in the field.

The women put on the week of prayer to raise the funds and it proved so successful, the pastor said, that another week was originated to raise funds for home missions.

The Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer, for home missions, is being observed this week by the Southern Baptist.

Mrs. Tex Culp sang a selection accompanied by Mrs. Ines Lewis and over 30 persons were present.

Pastime Forty-Two Club Meets To Have Games-Shower

The Pastime forty-two club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Dalton White and honored Mrs. Joe Hamby with a shower of gifts on her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. P. Van Felt won high score and Mrs. Louis Cherry won low score. Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. D. P. Day, Mrs. Jim Harper, Mrs. Paul Bradley, Mrs. Hamby, Mrs. R. V. Forsythe, Mrs. Tom Amerson.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY
FIRST BAPTIST W. M. S. will have an all-day meeting at the church.
SUSANNAH WESLEY class of the First Methodist church will have a covered dish luncheon at the church, 12 o'clock.
TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at 7:30 W. O. W. hall at 3 o'clock.
PAST NOBLE Grand will meet with Mrs. Ella Lloyd at 8 o'clock.
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION will have a monthly luncheon Friday afternoon, 1 o'clock at the country club.

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Favorites Move Up In State Schoolboy Basketball Finals

Dallas Tech, Jeff Davis Stand Out

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLETON, JR.
NEW YORK, March 5 (AP)—Among the responses to the Phil's bid for free-agent ball players was a letter from a boy who assured them he wouldn't be grabbed by the army because he had only one eye and a call from a gent who offered to improve Danny Litwiler's batting average, at the cost only of a season ticket, by playing a banjo in the bleachers while Danny was in the field to "keep him in a good mood."

The most unkindest cut, though, was the Cleveland Plain Dealer headline: "Phil's Now Particular; Won't Hire Semi-pros."

ONE MINUTE SPORTS PAGE
Emil Von Elling, who has coached all three, says his newest mile star, Frank Dixon, is quicker to learn about pacing himself and avoiding mistakes than either Glenn Cunningham or Les MacMillan. . . . That girls' pro softball league won't invade Chicago's Wrigley Field this year. It will get its start in smaller such as South Bend, Peoria, Gary and Racine, where war industries are booming. . . . Jimmy Johnston, just back from California, reports that weekends in San Francisco are like New Orleans during the Mardi Gras—only the pubs all close at midnight. . . . Jimmy will return to send Freddy Fiedler against Turkey Thompson at Hollywood April 2.

GROUND
Jerry Sprague of the Clevis, N. M., News-Journal nominated Windy Nicklaus, who was Texas Tech's first football captain, as the champion hard-luck coach of 'em all. . . . Nicklaus turned out two state champion teams at Amarillo, Tex., junior college only to have the school drop football. . . . Ditto at Altus, Okla., junior college. . . . Oklahoma Baptist quit after Windy had given them their first conference title. . . . Berger, Tex., high school survived a season of last spring to become an assistant coach at West Texas State. . . . So the other day West Texas decided to abandon all athletics for the duration.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR
Shirley Povich, Washington (D. C.) Post: "As the horsemen say, Uncle Sam roped in a pretty good claim the other day when he got Alfred Robertson for his army. For the claiming price of fifty bucks a month the army got a stake performer in Robbie."

VALDINA DOZEN
Mrs. E. P. Bonner, the Fort Worth, Tex., horsewoman who owns more than 50 gee-gees, explains she busy so many because she wants to see her colors in every race she watches. . . . Mayerson Woodward's Valdina Farm, which had an even dozen entered at New Orleans yesterday. . . . Of course, most of the Valdinas were leased to other nominators for the dinner stakes, but the rules said all winning money should go to the original owner. . . . Which may make it quite appropriate that one horse was "Valdina Greedy."

Fritzie Zivic And Beau Jack Clash

NEW YORK, March 5 (AP)—Fritzie Zivic bumps into Beau (The Jumping Jack) in a 12-rounder in Madison Square Garden tonight, and if you believe the wise guys, fearless Fritzie is going to be lucky to escape alive.

This reasoning is about as sound as that of the fellow who walks on his hands to save shoe leather—for Fritzie want ten rounds with the bouncing Beau only a month ago, and is still alive to tell about it.

Young Fan Gets Too Enthusiastic

BLUE SPRINGS, Mo., March 5 (AP)—James Christian Jr., seven-year-old basketball fan, leaped to his feet with lots of enthusiasm and practically no caution.

He toppled over the balcony rail, falling 12 feet to the gymnasium floor at a crucial home game, fracturing his left shoulder and arm.

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Cagers Recite Lord's Prayer And 'Kind Of Get Hold Of Ourselves'

AUSTIN, March 5 (AP)—Five boys knelt in a circle just off the basketball court. Few of the fans attending the Texas high school tournament knew what they were doing but here's the story:

They were reciting the Lord's Prayer just as they've done before every game this season.

And the Jeff Davis Panthers of Houston have played 27 games and they've won 26 of them.

The twenty-seventh—the one opening defense of their state championship—was a tough one. The Panthers tied the score at 40-40 with only seconds to go and there was an overtime period.

Before the extra three minutes started however, they again went into that kneeling huddle, clasping hands and repeating the Lord's Prayer. In the extra period the Panthers scored seven points to win 47-41 over Waco.

As a result of that victory they were rated top-heavy favorites today to sweep into the finals of the tournament.

Asked about their prayer-giving the boys explained:

"We recite the Lord's Prayer and kind of get hold of ourselves. We know how to handle ourselves after that. It just steadies us down so we can play basketball."

And, oh yes, they have another sort of ritual: They make certain Slater Martin wears his red flannel underwear the day of the game. The only time he didn't have them on before the Panthers went out to play Jeff Davis got beat.

Bombardier Cage Title At Stake In Game Tonight

The 216th training squadron and the 2052nd Ordnance will square off at 8 p. m. today in the Big Spring Bombardier School gymnasium for the championship of the enlisted men's league.

Both won clear-cut victories in the first round of the play-off Thursday night after the 365th had won the title in regular play. The 2052nd held the lead all the way, although the 216th whittled the advantage to 13-12 at the half and held it to 19-21 at the three-quarter mark. Johnson paced the winners with 11 points while Hull with 10 and Barclay with nine featured scoring for the losers.

The 365th seized a 7-0 lead to make it appear they were headed for an easy victory over the 216th, but then Doty and company went into action and the picture changed. The 365th had a 9-4 lead at the quarter but had lost it and trailed 15-16 at the three-quarter mark. The 216th sewed it up in the third, 27-19, and then coasted on to a 31-24 win. It was the second time the 365th had been beat—and both times by the 216th, which has been undefeated since losing its first two games. Moon, defensive star for 216th, was formerly coach and captain of the 365th.

The 216th and the 365th will be matched at 7 p. m. in a consolation game.

State Basketball Finals Will Be Broadcast

AUSTIN, March 5—The finals in the high school state basketball championship race will be broadcast from the Gregory gymnasium, Austin, beginning at 7 o'clock Saturday night, March 6.

A special radio network has been formed to carry a full play-by-play description of the three final games in Class AA, Class A, and Class B. The entire state will be covered from Beaumont to El Paso, and from Amarillo to Westaco.

The following stations have been selected to carry this 4-hour basketball broadcast: Amarillo, KGNC 1440 kc.; Austin, KNOW 1490 kc.; Beaumont, KFDM 500 kc.; Dallas, KRLD 1080 kc.; El Paso, KRDD 800 kc.; Houston, KTRH 740 kc.; Longview, KFRO 1970 kc.; San Antonio, KTSB 590 kc.; Westaco, KRGV 1290 kc.; and Wichita Falls, KWTF 620 kc.

The games are played under the direction of the University-Interscholastic League with R. J. Kidd, athletic director, in charge of all events.

Dr. Homer Rainey, president of the state university, will present to the winning teams and their individual members, the various trophies which will designate the 1943 state basketball champions.

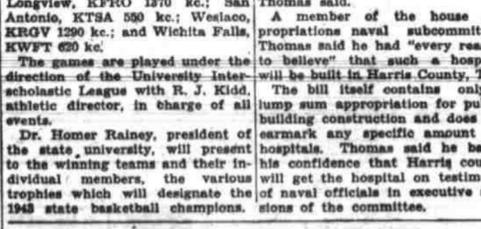
Naval Hospital Due For Houston

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—Representative Thomas (D-Tex.) said today a \$4,000,000 naval hospital in all probability will be constructed in the Houston, Texas area with funds contained in a naval appropriations bill pending in the house.

Construction on the hospital which will have a 1,000-bed capacity, should start within 60 days after passage of the legislation, Thomas said.

A member of the house appropriations naval subcommittee, Thomas said he had "every reason to believe" that such a hospital will be built in Harris County, Tex.

The bill itself contains only a lump sum appropriation for public building construction and does not earmark any specific amount for hospitals. Thomas said he based his confidence that Harris county will get the hospital on testimony of naval officials in executive sessions of the committee.



VANDEGRIFT OF GUADALCANAL—The man who led Marines' landing and first four months of bitter fighting on Guadalcanal, Maj. Gen. Alexander Vandegrift (above) said in New York that Yanks are better fighters than Japs.

County Cage Championship Play Slated

Howard county rural basketball championships will be decided in tournament play this weekend at Midway, H. F. Malone, director of the county interscholastic league, said Friday.

Only two teams are matched in the girls' division, and the game between Moore and Midway at 3 p. m. Friday will decide the title.

Four teams are entered in the boys division and play in this tournament will be at 3 p. m., 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Saturday in the Midway gymnasium.

Moore and Elbow boys will tangle in the first game and Lomas and Midway in the second. Winners will be in the championship game Saturday evening, but whether there will be a consolation match was undecided.

W. C. Berry, Big Spring, will serve as referee for the girls and boys games.

In the girls game, two former faculty mates will be opposing coaches. Aran Phillips, who headed the Moore school for years, coaches the Midway girls while Anna Smith, now head of the Moore school and who coached girl teams there for years, is directing play of the Moore girls.

Texas Team Is Ready For A Title Playoff

AUSTIN, March 5 (AP)—The University of Texas awaited a decision from Rice Institute today which would clear up the matter of who will represent District 6 in the National Collegiate basketball tournament in Kansas City March 26 and 27.

The Texas team voted late yesterday to play Rice a three-game series.

In Houston, Dr. H. E. Bray, chairman of the Rice athletic committee said that the Rice athletic council would hold a formal meeting today and that a decision would be made at that time.

The playoff, if held, will not affect the Southwest conference title which remains at tie, each team having 9 wins and 3 losses.

Conn Wants To Fight Louis For Nothing

PITTSBURGH, March 5 (AP)—Corporal Billy Conn said today he would like to fight Sergeant Joe Louis for the heavyweight title "for nothing"—the proceeds to go to the war effort.

Conn, home on furlough from Camp Lee, Va., expressed approval of a suggestion that the war department authorize a return match with victory bonds ranging from \$25 for bleacher seats to \$10,000 for ringside as the price of admission.

Boys' Pig Club To Be Formed

A pig club, under the sponsorship of Sears-Roebuck Co., is to be set up here, County Agent O. P. Griffin said Thursday.

Information concerning an essay contest upon which will hinge the distribution of some five to eight purebred gilts and one boar, is being distributed by him to the 4-H club membership and to all boys in rural areas through teachers of rural schools.

Lads who are judged to have submitted the best essays on "The Advantages of the Cow-Hog-Hen Plan of Farming" will be given a Hampshire gilt by the company. Next spring they will return one of the best sow pigs for perpetuation of the club and at the same time participate in a contest to see who has had the best record of production.

The sponsoring company will post a registered Jersey heifer as first prize in the judging, 100 baby chicks as second prize, and 75 baby chicks as third prize. Other participants will each get 50 baby chicks.

Women's Pilot Training School For Sweetwater

FORT WORTH, March 5 (AP)—Requirements for women participants in the army air forces flying training program are in progress of revision and present standards for such women pilots may soon be somewhat relaxed, Major General Barton K. Yount has disclosed.

General Yount, commanding general of the army flying training command, made that statement yesterday in announcing the opening of a new women's pilot training school at Sweetwater, Texas with a capacity double that of the original school now in operation in Houston.

Detroit Supplied With 2nd Basemen

DETROIT, March 5 (AP)—The Detroit Tigers counted four second basemen on their training camp roster today after receiving word from Ogden, Utah, that Adnan Bengoechea, recently purchased from Beaumont of the Texas league, probably would be available.

Bengoechea described himself as an army reservist whose call might not come for many months. Other Detroit second basemen are Jimmy Bloodworth and Rookies Joe Wessing and John Radulovich.

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Pro Football Mentors More Optimistic

NEW YORK, March 5 (AP)—The baseball season hasn't even started but Jack Mara and Steve Owen are almost jubilant these days over the prospects of their New York football Giants.

Six weeks ago Stout Steve wasn't even sure the National football league should operate next fall because of the apparent lack of playing talent. The actual status of the prospective Giant lineup hasn't since changed for the better (in fact Owen doesn't know of more than a half-dozen of last year's men who might be available) but nevertheless Steve and President Jack are happy.

It all happened like this. After last fall's play-off game between the Chicago Bears and Washington Redskins, Commissioner Elmer Layden turned over the names of 1,000 college seniors to the various league members. Each club was given permission to write to all of them in order to have as much information as possible when the circuit holds its postponed "draft" in April.

"We wrote to every one of them," said Mara. "Usually, the college seniors have waited until May to get interested, but not this year. We heard from all types—seniors waiting to be called into the service and those who have been deferred."

Arkansas Told To Get 'Name' Coach

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 5 (AP)—The state senate has recommended that the University of Arkansas, a member of the Southwest conference, hire a \$12,500-a-year "name" football coach to "produce a skilled, colorful and victorious team." Arkansas hasn't won a conference game since 1940.

The resolution by Senator E. Frank Williams of Osceola said "in some instances, Arkansas' most accomplished athletes have been 'griddapped' and, after achieving stardom, have themselves been converted into 'griddappers'."

Jack Johnson Plans Exhibition Bout At Age Of 64

LOS ANGELES, March 5 (AP)—Jack Johnson, 64-year-old former world's heavyweight boxing champion, is returning to the ring—if he can pass a physical examination.

The big negro who lifted the title from Jim Jeffries in 1910 plans a series of exhibition matches, and said he is confident of his physical fitness.

The California athletic commission specified his bouts can be no more than three rounds, of two minutes each, against approved opponents.

Bill McGee To Do His Pitching In The Hay Fields

HARDIN, Ill., March 5 (AP)—Meet Bill McGee the farmer, who's going to pitch on the home front instead of from the New York Giant mound this season.

While other ball players get ready for spring training, Fiddler Bill is tuning his streamlined tractor for spring plowing on his 220-acre farm in Calhoun county.

He has notified the Giants he is classed as 3-C (an essential farm worker) by his draft board—but if he ceases to run his farm he'll go into 1-A.

Today, with all his farm help inducted, he's as busy as the man who came to dinner.

He shipped 400 head of corn-fattened hogs to market last week, has 200 more on hand, and expects several sows to increase his pig population soon.

An enthusiastic farmer, McGee tackles anything that needs to be done—and he already can be counted as home-front casualty.

Three Texans In Natl. Finals Of Golden Gloves

CHICAGO, March 5 (AP)—The windup of many weeks of grueling and elimination fighting for 32 amateur boxers comes tonight when they climb into the ring of the Chicago stadium for semi-final and final bouts in the Golden Gloves tournament.

The sixteen semi-final matches will send all 32 survivors of last week's eliminations into action, with the winners returning later in the evening for the championship events in each of the eight weight divisions.

Bidding for the team title is the Fort Worth, Tex., squad, headed by Morris Corona, engaging in his fourth Golden Gloves tournament and now seeking the welterweight crown, and also including Flyweight Jose Andrea and Lightweight Hubert Gray.

Cleveland also presents a strong team in Chuck Hunter, a light-weight; Ton Janiro, a feather-

weight, and Samson Powell, a middleweight.

In addition to Corona, one other previous champion is back, Jackie Graves of Minneapolis, who has moved up from the bantam weight to featherweight class.

Tonight's competitors also will be seeking places on the Inter-city team which will meet New York's representatives in the Chicago stadium March 31.

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Basketball Results

By The Associated Press
Oklahoma 35, Oklahoma Aggies 21.
East Central State (Okla.) 56, Cameron Aggies 24.
Howard Payne 47, McMurry 43.

Georgia To Play 'Em Under 17

ATHENS, Ga., March 5 (AP)—Coach Wallace Butts, whose University of Georgia football team won the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena, Calif., New Year's Day, says he is expecting no players next fall who are over 17 years old with the possible exception of one or two classified 4-F by selective service because of disabilities.

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Unity Needed In Food Command

Too many cooks spoil the broth, or little. The committee calls attention to the fact that the Small Business Committee of the Congress there are too many agencies dabbling in price fixing and rationing to get good results. The complaint of the moment is as to meats in which there is what the committee calls a "threatening Black Market," and the investigation by Agriculture Wickard and the OPA there is a "regrettable lack of joint effort."

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Mr. Six-By-Six Type Of Congressman We Need

By JACK STEINMETZ
WASHINGTON—An imaginative young newspaper man from his home state dubbed him "the Oregon political colossus." The boys here call him "the biggest man in Congress" and "the man all Washington looks up to." Several call him "Mr. Six-Foot-Six."

Fresh phrases or old, they convey the idea. Lowell Stockman of Pendleton, Ore., certainly is the most striking new member of Congress. He really is six-foot-six and weighs 270 pounds. And within Stockman's huge frame is something typical of the new Congress, a healthy something that makes a lot of us here in Washington sure that the day of the old machine politician is passing.

In his place, the voters, slowly but surely, are sending good, solid, serious citizens to represent them—men not hibernating in the political party under whose banner they are elected; men who don't talk a lot or make any ranting speeches, but do considerable debating with themselves before they cast their votes.

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Train With Dogs, Secret Weapons— America's Fighting Mountaineers

By ROBERT GEIGER
AP Features Writer
CAMP HALE, Colo.—Mudlaka, Mami! That's what your Doughboy Johnny is wearing. With parkas and snowboots. Just like an Eskimo. And he's loving the life he leads at Camp Hale, under the saves of the nation's Continental Divide where icelets grow 10 feet long.

White-suited ski troopers slip down one of the world's best ski courses. A mile-long single file of mules, laden with pack artillery, climbs another mountain.

Heavy guns boom over the hillside. Rifle fire crackles on the ice-covered target range. A dog sled team goes and hauls up a valley. Shades of Dan'l Boone.

This is Camp Hale, two miles high in the Rockies, where the Army is training its mountain men. Not since the days of Dan'l Boone has woodlore and the ways of the wilderness had so many students.

"Come along," says wiry, snowshoe clad Lt. Stuart Mace, commander of K-9 (canine) detachment. He's off to inspect his base-camp huskies, working deep in the wilderness.

One-half mile up a hard-packed trail we go, into Cochetopa National Forest. It's 12,000 feet high—more than two miles in the air. Motorized equipment is waiting there. Secret weapon stuff. We jump on a bob sled, towed like a kid behind a racing car. We ride on a twisting, climbing mountain trail so narrow the pine branches slip us briskly across the face.

Dense forest begins and it's the end of the motor trail. We climb out and strap on snowshoes—"webs" to rugged mountain men. Snow begins to fall.

Snow Stings
With Lieutenants Mace and Joseph Kane, of Johnstown, N. Y., trainer-veterinarian, we climb upward. The gentle snow becomes a howling blizzard. It drives stingingly into our faces. For 2 1/2 miles we puff and pant against the storm.

A neat group of green tents appear.

32 Bodies Brought Out Of Mine
BEAR CREEK, Mont., March 5 (AP)—Coal cars came out of the Smith mine today with the bodies of 32 of the 74 men entombed in the deep-cut workings by an explosion last Saturday.

The bodies of eight others known dead remained inside. Two others were brought out a few hours after the blast. Thirty-four remained unaccounted for.

The swan never sings a swan song because the mute swan of Europe, about which the swan song legend is told, has no note at all.

Hollywood—Cast Members Live Rigidly By Army Rules

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—This is the Army, all right. It's tougher on the boys of "This Is the Army" than it is on Johnny Doughboy in his camps around this town.

Johnny Doughboy, when he comes to Hollywood on leave, can do what he pleases, as long as it's not something the M.P.'s might object to. He can date a movie star, and he can go dining and dancing at the night spots, and he can play around the Hollywood Canteen and hobnob with the picture crowd.

But Johnny Doughboy of "This Is the Army" is here to work. He's on a military mission. He's here only because he's part of the "This Is the Army" Detachment, Provisional Task Force, Services of Supply, U. S. Army. He arrived with his fellows and commanders, in military secrecy, and will depart the same way—for where he doesn't know.

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Problem of the WIRE CAGE

BY JOHN DICKSON CARR

Chapter 33
"Mind you, our friend never intended to create a 'miracle' murder," Dr. Fell continued. "All he wanted to do was leave a strangled corpse which could not be the work of Nicholas Young. If he had chosen dry weather, we might never have had cause to suspect the kind of strangling this war. But he couldn't wait; he had to take the moment dressed that never for a moment dreamed that serious footprints, identifiable footprints, can be left on a tennis court even when it is wet. And once he had begun the job it was too late."

"He was back up in his study before twenty minutes past seven. He was not only emotionally exhausted, gladdened with triumph; he was physically done in as well. He fell on that couch and slept with outward peacefulness; though I should not be surprised to hear

that his dreams were horrible, or that, when he was roused up, the strain he had put on his mending bones burnt him with the pain of the damned.

"Maria woke him there, in a state of physical sickness, at twenty minutes to eight. His acting powers were still of the first ability—until he heard from Maria that Brenda White had been caught in the trap. Then it was not acting. The pretence cracks across; and he becomes a madman. He was a madman when he talked to Hadley a little later. He was a madman when he tried, at any cost and even in defiance of common sense, to fasten the murder on Hugh Rowland. But then, you see, he thought he had. He had seen his whole scheme endangered by witnessing one love-scene outside the gate of his house."

"He was a madman when he tried to support his pose as bluff, sympathetic Old Nick by sending a 'little cheque' to Madge Sturgess. He had got her address from Hadley on Saturday afternoon (you recall?), and promised a cheque. He was fool enough to send this, even though he must have known the bank had clamped down on his overdraft and would not honour it."

Madge Sturgess spoke, pale with fury.

"You bet they wouldn't. And I told Mrs. Bancroft so. They're not any such grand people! They—"

"And he was a madman at his very worst," concluded Dr. Fell, "when without plan, rhyme, reason, or any protection whatsoever, he shot Arthur Chandler at the Orpheum Theatre yesterday."

Even Hugh protested at this. "Sir, he couldn't have! We heard all about that yesterday. No stranger went in or out of that theatre."

It was Hadley who answered him. "Did you ever hear, young man, of a pair of comedians called Schlosser & Weazle?"

"Well, I have," snapped Madge, now started. "They've been doing the same stuff for years. They were on yesterday, for dress-rehearsal. Schlosser is a comic colonel on crutches, with his leg done up in bandages to show it's gout."

Hugh's memory opened. "Wait! I remember seeing—"

"That's the whole story," said Hadley grimly. "We dug it out today when we weren't swamped with miracles. Two people across the street on a dark, wet day swore they saw no strangers leaving the theatre."

"What they thought they saw was Schlosser, an old-timer, coming out of the place and ducking round the corner to the pub for a quick one before closing-time. (The time was a quarter to three.) What they really saw was something else altogether."

He took a step forward.

"That, Dr. Young, is the outline of the case you're expected to meet. You've heard it all; and we've also got enough confirmation from these various witnesses to justify our calling them here. Do you want to make any statement?"

It had grown much darker by the time the court. The poplars were thin weights of shadow against the sky; the wisp had gone with the twilight. But someone threw the switch for the floodlights, and the deathly bluish glare lit up every corner. The bars of shadow sprang out across the court, and two of them met in the middle at the edge of the scuffed circle where Frank's body had lain.

Nick took one look round at it, and jerked his head back. His face was bluish, the colour of skim-milk, and they heard him breathe.

"You're a pack of dirty liars," he said through stiff jaws. "You'd all rat on me. Nobody's got any friendship for me. You don't believe this, do you, Brenda?"

"I'm afraid I do," said Brenda.

"Then you can go to hell," said Nick, "for a dirty crooked little piece of goods who would—"

"Sit!" said Hadley, as Nick finished the sentence, and even Kitty went a little white. The explicit and obscene coldness of it would not be washed out. "We'll have no more of that, my friend. We'll hear about evidence from you, if you feel disposed to talk. For instance: how much did you know about what Chandler knew about you?"

"Try to make me tell you."

"You knew," said Hadley, "that he'd been at the pavilion. You guessed it as the rest of us guessed it: by the fact that the newspaper left in the pavilion was there at seven o'clock and gone at seven-thirty. So you decided Chandler knew too much. You got Maria to ring him up on the telephone on Sunday—and find out where he was. And you shot him. Is that, or isn't it, correct?"

"Get me out of here, Hugh," said Brenda, and choked. "Get me out

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Repository for valuables
- Wishes
- Ability
- Spoken
- Black bird
- Resounded
- European rabbit
- Inhabitant of hills
- Peculiar
- Suspend
- Declare
- Symbol for nickel
- Small bottle
- Lake in the Panama Canal
- Shooting remark
- About
- Of
- Mineral spring
- Behaves
- Operated
- Hurried
- Garden implement
- Meat
- Fastened
- Exit
- Gold stroke
- Essential action
- Great philosopher
- Free
- Article
- Agricultural implement
- Foray
- American
- Guided
- Purpose
- Having an offensive odor
- Devoid
- Volume
- Restive
- Affirmative
- Requests
- Performs
- Malayan garment
- Nova Scotia
- Loving
- Unit of work
- Pertaining to a cow
- Metal
- Portable bridge for crossing a vessel
- Worshiper of a certain Hindu deity
- Fleet animal
- Wharf
- Directly
- Belonging to
- Vandal
- Catty
- Slope
- Hobby
- Medical compositions
- Lateral
- Sunken fence
- Entire
- Assemblage of cattle
- Groove
- Deposited
- Animal's foot
- Inborn
- Positive electric poles
- Deposits of mineral
- Hazards
- Indiside in a
- Malayan
- Part of a minstrel show
- Town in Nigeria
- Antique

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. BURLAP REFUSE
2. EPIGRA
3. EPOPEE
4. TO PES
5. SIP AR
6. AND ATTIC PRY
7. AM ORNATE
8. TERREBA LUTES
9. OP TOADS GALE
10. GAG SLICE LET
11. ACER STAVE CE
12. STEER ITERATE
13. SPIGOT IF
14. THE PANEL TAP
15. AT REZ RAG GO
16. REPOSE EVADES
17. SWARTS DEPORT

YARD BIRD SMITH!! HOW DARE YOU SMUGGLE YOURSELF ABOARD THIS CLIPPER IN MY LUGGAGE? I'LL HAVE YOU COURT-MARTIALED!! PILL - PILL -

IF I WUZ YOU, GENRIL 'D FERGIT 'N WHOLE EPPISODE - ONLESS YE CRANE ME TO BLAB WHAT DRETFUL INTERESTIN' LETTERS I FUNN BROSST IN YORE SATCHEL

LETTERS?? GOOD HEAVENS!! I MEANT TO BURIN THOSE THINGS BEFORE WE LEFT THE STATES

I SWOW!! I NEVER SMELT SICH PURTY LILOCK PERFUME IN ALL MY BORNED DREYS - UH - SHALL WE MOSEY UP TO 'N SMOKIN'-ROOM, COUSIN?

HEY!! WHERE'D THAT SOLDIER COME FROM? HE'S NOT ON THE PASSENGER LIST!!

TUT, TUT, STEWARD - DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE NOT ACQUAINTED WITH OUR LITTLE GREMLIN FRIENDS - UH - THE SMOKY MOUNTAIN VARIETY?

I DARE NOT STEP INTO THE OPEN, BUT I MUST ENTICE THAT PIG INTO THE WOODS BEFORE HE GOES TO MEET HIS FRIENDS--

IF YOU'LL COAX THAT FAT PIG INTO THE DEEP WOODS, I'LL MAKE IT WORTH YOUR WHILE!!

HELLO! YOU SEEM VERY FOND OF ACORNS...THEY'RE MUCH LARGER AND SWEETER, DEEP IN THE WOODS!!

THEY ARE?!

B-BUT, IS IT PERFECTLY SAFE? --WHY I JUST CAME FROM THERE!

SAFE? --WHY I JUST CAME FROM THERE!

IF YOU NOTICE ME USING GROUND GLASS AS A SAUCE, DON'T GIVE IT A THOUGHT--IT'S JUST A LITTLE INVENTION OF MINE TO RID THE WORLD OF PUBLIC ELOCUTIONIST NUMBER ONE--MARATHON-MOUTH BRASSY

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MY GOOD FELLOW... THAT MASTERPIECE OF THE PAINTER'S ART WILL MAKE YOUR NAME IMMORTAL

JUST PAY ME MY TWO BUCKS, MISTER--I GOTTA SEE A MAN ABOUT GILDING A LILY

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Boys' Stock Show Is On At Stanton

STANTON, March 5—Smaller in number but up to par in quality, the annual Martin county 4-H and Future Farmers of America livestock show will be held here today.

Judging for the event has been set for 7:30 p. m. today. Prizes will be awarded by the Stanton Service club, sponsors of the event during its history.

Indications were that there would be only 14 calves in the show this year, about half the number normally and a third the total in some years. In addition there will be several fat lambs and several

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of here before I—" "By all means," said Nick, "get her out of here. I can't stand the sight of the lying wench who'd let down her old guardian and believe he did all this muck when I'm innocent and the whole dithering lot of you can't prove any different. You talk very high and mighty, don't you? You're very sure of your ground, aren't you? Nick did this, and Nick did that"—he wagged his head and grotesque parody—"and all the time you're bluffing and making a ruddy rotten bluff of it too, I'd skin the hide of all of you if I had both my hands and legs. How do you know what I did? I suppose you've got a big gold-framed picture of me, all hanging up and ready to display?"

Hadley opened his brief-case. "It's not exactly gold-framed," he said. But they're all enlarged. It might interest you to look at the eight photographs of you killing Dorrance. Chandler took them from various angles on the east side of the court, and this one of the expression on your face when you turned round towards the camera—"

Nick stopped. Nick's eyes seemed to have retreated into his head. Hadley surged up out of the chair. Nick surged up out of the chair, and he flung a blow at Hadley's skull that almost broke Hadley's arm before the crutch was wrenched away. It was the last word he said. He was weeping at his own sad plight when they took him away.

THE END

MURDER TRIAL

AMARILLO, March 5 (UP)—Testimony is to begin today in the trial of 64-year-old John Kinchloe, charged in the fatal shooting of his son Clark near Dalhart, Tex., on Christmas Day 1941.

It is possible that some of the winners will be taken to the Amarillo livestock show, and others will be exhibited in the Midland show on March 16-17.

Heavy Damage In Blaze At Corpus

CORPUS CHRISTI, March 5 (UP)—The William Cameron & Co. building, filled with valuable building materials, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin that raged for

nearly four hours early today. D. E. Ewing, manager, estimated loss at between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

It was the largest fire here in several years, exceeding the confined damage from conflagrations for 1941 and 1942.

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Baptists To Dedicate Their Church Home

Plans for formal dedication of the First Baptist church plant in three services Sunday were complete Friday, and members of the institution planned to make it a banner day for the church.

Dr. R. E. Day, pastor of the First Baptist church in Fort Arthur and who pastored the church here during years of financial stress, and Dr. C. E. Lancaster, San Saba, who carried out a program inaugurated under Dr. Day's ministry, will be here to preach at the morning and evening services.

Dr. Day, who was instrumental in reorganizing and refinancing the church debt in depression days, will speak in the morning on "Building Monuments." Dr. Lancaster will offer the dedicatory prayer.

Mrs. M. A. Nelson will be at the console for an organ concert at 3 p. m. This service will be preceded by half an hour of songs, prayers and testimonials and a brief dedication of the organ, given in the church by one of its members. DeAlva McAllister, vocalist, also will be featured on the program.

Burning of the church notes will precede the evening message, to be brought by Dr. Lancaster. Throughout the week, the church will further commemorate the retirement of indebtedness against the plant by engaging in a revival meeting with Dr. Day preaching.

RC Fund Is Over \$10,000

The Howard-Glassecock chapter of the American Red Cross moved within nearly \$10,000 of a \$12,000 war fund quota Friday as returns slowed after a week of canvassing.

At 1:30 p. m. Friday the total stood at \$10,550, a figure reached by reports totaling \$400 during the morning.

Not at all discouraged, leaders confidently looked for the quota to be met within a few days and predicted that Saturday would prove a big day.

One more rural community—Elbow—had reported, and that brought the list of these to only three to date. Moreover, nothing has yet been heard from Glascock county, and in the last roll call residents of this area rallied to the cause by contributing more per capita than in any other part of the chapter.

There were still some business sections to be cleared up and several residential workers had not completed their canvass.

Civilian employees at the post exchange and at the commercial transportation units of the Big Spring Bombardier School were 100 per cent subscribers for Red Cross and the post restaurant, which had finished, barely missed that mark.

Officers, of course, had voted previously to be 100 per cent contributors, and contributions were accepted from all the enlisted men's units on the post. One sergeant gave \$5 with the note that "I know just how much you are doing." None of these gifts had been reported to the chapter.

Cooperative Meeting Is Set Saturday

Use of electrical equipment in wartime food production will be stressed at the annual meeting of the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative in Stanton Saturday at 2 p. m., O. E. Bryan, superintendent, said here Friday.

The other important item of business will be the election of directors from the various districts of the co-op, and in turn the election of officers. A record turnout of members is being sought.

The REA unit, which was organized in 1939, has spread from its original lines in Howard and Martin counties until it now serves members in Midland, Borden, Glascock and Dawson counties as well. A total of 324 miles of line serving 649 members has been constructed at a cost of \$272,000. Currently, Cap Rock is paid for in advance on its obligations to REA, which borrows its money from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Last year income amounted to \$26,879, operating expenses to \$14,562. Cap Rock made a \$5,000 advance to REA and ended up with a net balance of \$6,317.

Since electricity is easily fitted for processes that contribute to the supplies of milk, poultry, eggs, meats and vegetables, its use is being stressed. Means of circumventing appliance shortages through construction of appliances at home will be stressed at the meeting, which will be held in the Martin county courthouse.

Gasoline Tax Bill Revived

AUSTIN, March 5 (AP)—By a vote of 73 to 40 the house today revived a gasoline processing tax bill which was adversely reported last night by the committee on revenue and taxation.

The vote came after Rep. L. W. Harris of Whitney asserted his bill—levying a tax on one-third cent per gallon on processing of gasoline—asserted that the measure was killed in hearing "with no evidence for or against."

Rep. Jo Ed Winfree of Houston, chairman of the revenue and taxation committee, opposed Harris' motion to recommit the bill and after the vote moved that the house do the same for tax bills by Rep. Roger Knight of Madisonville and Roger Q. Evans of Denison.

"I haven't changed my mind about these bills. I'm taking this whipping because the house wants me to take it," said Winfree.

The effect of the recommitment was to wipe out the adverse reports on the tax raising measure.

Rep. Claude Calloway of Crowell charged that the committee killed the bills by premeditated action.

When Winfree was appointed chairman of the committee he said publicly he hoped that tax bills would be killed in committee.

Calloway complained that Winfree's statement had the same effect as a judge telling a defendant before trial that he would go to jail.

Said Winfree:

"When I was appointed chairman I felt it my duty to say—as one member—that it would be my purpose, desire and prayer that no tax bills be passed by the legislature this session and I hoped that they would be killed in committee."

"I made that statement then and I repeat it now."

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News Source Probe Opened By The OWI

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—The Office of War Information, which claims the exclusive right to release government information pertaining to the wartime food program, has started an investigation to determine how newspapermen obtain information from other sources.

The probe involves the agriculture department and the recent publication, in advance of an OWI announcement, of a government decision to place ceilings on soft wheat prices and raise ceiling prices on flour milled from that type of wheat.

Information about the ceilings was obtained by an Associated Press reporter from agriculture department officials. The OWI has protested to the department and has caused officials of the latter agency to make an effort to determine the names of the officials who supplied the reporter with the data.

News of the investigation and the reported inter-departmental strife which was said to have preceded it recalled the recent contention of editors from throughout the nation that official news should be made public at its original source whenever possible.

During the American Society of Newspaper Editors meeting here last month, many members protested the funneling of news through one federal source as a threat to the free press. Roy Roberts, managing editor of the Kansas City Star and newly-elected ASNE president, warned of "dangerous propaganda tendencies" which he said he feared were inherent in any such office as OWI.

When the flour and wheat ceiling story was published in advance of the formal announcement the OWI made a detailed check of the possible sources of the information and narrowed them down to a few officials in the agriculture department.

So far, neither agriculture department officials nor the OWI have been able to determine the actual source or sources and the newspapermen, in keeping with the tradition of the press, have declined to disclose them.

FLASHES OF LIFE

By The Associated Press

BLACKOUT DISASTER
PHILADELPHIA — Air, Raid Warden James Rush stayed on patrol during a practice blackout and when it was over reported to his headquarters: "Nothing went wrong."

Then Rush returned to his home. He found the entire house had been wrecked by fire.

THE FIX
SAYRE, Okla.—George Hedick's cold resisted all his favorite remedies.

Finally he went to the medicine cabinet and in desperation took a swig from every bottle therein—no matter what the label said.

The cold is virtually gone. Mr. Hedick is still there.

THE WINNAH!
PORTLAND, Ore. — Portland's fire department insisted hoarding gasoline in unapproved storage facilities was dangerous.

The firemen seized a drum of the fuel from a hoarder, keeping it overnight at the fire station before moving it to a safe place.

It proved their point.

Fire damage to the station was estimated at \$2,000.

ESCAPED WHERE?
SALT LAKE CITY — Police blasted and admitted today they got quick results from their broadcast yesterday that Trusty Francis Reed had slipped away from the jail.

Mr. Reed came up from the basement of the jail and wondered who was looking for him.

EMBARRASSING
SALT LAKE CITY—The second worst fire hazard in Utah is the city's public safety building, the Utah Building and Construction Congress said.

The worst, the congress told the city, is the Salt Lake City central fire station.

Public Support Of Scholastic Census Urged

Importance of enumerating every eligible scholastic was stressed Friday by W. C. Blankenship, superintendent of city schools, as the annual scholastic census got well underway.

"If there ever was a year when we ought to see that every child born after Sept. 1, 1925 or on or before Sept. 1, 1927 is enumerated," said Blankenship, "that time is now. We may experience an influx of population later in the year as housing shortages are overcome, and if we don't do a good job on this census, we will find ourselves in financial straits."

Each scholastic enumerated is worth \$2.50 to the Big Spring Independent school district, he said, for that is the amount of the state per capita payment. There is a possibility that this amount might be raised to \$25 per capita this year.

"If your children, who will be six by Sept. 1 or who will not have reached their 18th birthday by the same date, are not listed within two weeks, please call the school office and notify us," said the superintendent.

He urged parents to aid teachers who are serving as enumerators, by having available the information of the ages and names of their children, where they resided last April 1, how long they have resided within this district, nationally, the first and last name of the father and the mother.

Berlin Claims More Sinkings

By The Associated Press

Axis radios reported today, without confirmation from allied quarters, that German and Italian war craft had scored anew against United Nations' shipping in the Atlantic.

The German high command, in war bulletins broadcast by the Berlin radio, asserted that German submarines "during the first days of March" sank 13 vessels totaling 87,100 tons and two other ships were torpedoed. It did not state the areas of these operations.

The Italian high command communique, broadcast from Rome and recorded by the Associated Press, said "one of our submarines sank a Brazilian troop transport of 7,000 tons and a United States motor ship of 12,000 tons" in the South Atlantic.

A DNB dispatch broadcast from Berlin said long-range bombers set fire three allied cargo ships aggregating 23,000 tons in the Atlantic.

Scout Leaders Meet Sunday

Representatives of 18 institutions now sponsoring Boy Scout troops or Cub packs, and of any other institution interested in such sponsorship, are to meet with H. D. Norris, field scout executive, at 3 p. m. Sunday in the chamber of commerce offices.

Decision for the brief session, to arrange for a series of one-night fundamental meetings with the sponsoring units, was reached at a leadership meeting Thursday evening.

Earl McClure, Dallas, assistant regional scout executive, presented plans for an exhaustive leadership training session to be undertaken here under the direction of the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, chairman.

Actual leadership courses will not come until after the institutional parleys.

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No Further Cut In Paper Until July

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—War Production Board assurance that no further paper curtailments will be ordered until July or later was accompanied today by a congressman's charge that a WPB official had exceeded his authority in recommending drastic cuts in newspaper and other civilian supplies.

After a conference with Canadian authorities in Montreal this week, the WPB announced last night that newspapers, magazines and book publishers and commercial printers will not be asked to make further cuts in consumption of print paper at least until after July 1.

Rep. Shafer (R-Mich) called upon a house committee to look into the recent acts of Chairman Joseph L. Weiner of WPB's office of civilian supply in connection with newspaper and other recommended commodity cuts.

PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson are the parents of a son born Thursday night at the Cowper Clinic and Hospital. The infant weighed 6 pounds at birth and has been named Charles Ray.

Red Cross Benefit Dance Scheduled Saturday Night

An opportunity to dance to the Big Spring Bombardier School band, see a talented floor show, and also do your bit for the Red Cross fund drive will be available Saturday night for those who attend the informal dance at the Settles hotel sponsored by the Business and Professional Woman's club.

The event is to begin at 9 o'clock with the floor show to go on at 10:30 o'clock.

Tickets for the dance are 80 cents a couple and the public is invited to attend.

Decorations for the dance will include Red Cross posters and flags to keep a reminder before the public that the Red Cross is needing more than ever generous contributors to the war fund.

Mitchell Men Are Inducted

COLORADO CITY, March 5 — With Gus Chesney acting as corporal the following Mitchell county men left Thursday for induction in the army at Mineral Wells: Thomas L. Wooten, Paul Boyd Hunter, George O. Witten, Aubrey F. Lankford, Lawrence Graham, Billy R. Derryberry, A. J. Barron, Jay A. Hooks, James W. Bennett, Alvin J. Blakeney, Marion A. Oliver, Elmer L. LeFevre, Arnel E. Board, John W. Nunn, Floyd A. Hall.

Frank N. Jacks, Collin G. Payne, Jasper R. Roach, Charlie L. Moore, Howard W. Hestand, Aron D. Alexander, Robert M. Kirschbaum, Royce W. Mahon, Conception L. Carrasco, Alvin E. Petty, Thomas E. Williams, H. G. Tidwell and Chesney. The group included the largest number of married men (without children) sent from the county to date.

Also leaving for duty this week were the following men who were reported at the induction center in Abilene: Orville Clarence Cox, Jr., Herbert Craig Hargreaves, Robert Woodrow Crabtree and Leonard Long.

The passenger pigeon, great auk, heath hen, parrot and Labrador duck have been exterminated in America.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Continued cold in Panhandle and South Plains; colder east of Pecos river and Pecos valley; little temperature change elsewhere tonight; occasional snow in Panhandle and South Plains this afternoon and tonight; continued protection of livestock in South Plains, Panhandle and east of the Pecos river. Fresh to strong winds in Panhandle.

EAST TEXAS: Local rain this afternoon except rain and snow in north portion; colder in north-west portion; little temperature change in east and south portions this afternoon; rain or snow in north, rain in south portion tonight; colder in west and north portions tonight; little temperature change in southeast portion; freezing temperature in north portion and hard freeze in extreme north portion. Protect livestock in north portion. Fresh winds in south and from occasionally strong winds over north portion tonight.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	67	47
Amarrillo	67	17
BIG SPRING	73	45
Chicago	44	17
Denver	43	8
El Paso	67	44
Galveston	60	38
New York	26	23
St. Louis	48	23

Local sunset today, 7:47 p. m.; sunrise Saturday, 8:07 a. m.; precipitation Friday night, .08 inch.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Motal are the parents of a daughter born Thursday morning at the Cowper Clinic and hospital. The infant, who weighed 5 pounds 14 ounces at birth, has been named Sheran Lee.

Business Club Men To Have Party

Plans for a stag party to be held at 7 o'clock tonight in room one at the Settles were completed at the American Business club luncheon at noon Friday at the hotel.

John Davis was in charge of the program and introduced J. H. Greene, who spoke on the work being done to relieve the feed shortage in this county. He pointed out that the need was for 20 carloads of feed but to date only two carloads have been received.

He also told of the housing project for Big Spring and talked briefly on the need for post war planning in this county in order that Howard county can keep pace with the industrialized southwest which will materialize at the end of this war.

Lieut. Norman Priest, former member, spoke briefly to the group. Appointed as garden chairman for the club was Douglas Orme.

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Livestock

FORT WORTH, March 5 (AP)—Livestock: Common and good slaughter steers and yearlings 12.40-14.25; few choice head steers 14.75; good beef cows ranged 11.00-12.25; bulls sold at 9.00-12.50; good and choice fat calves 12.50-14.50; heifers 14.50 down.

Butcher hogs mostly 10-25c lower; top 15.00; good and choice 190-300 lb. 14.85-15.00; good and choice 160-185 lb. 14.20-80; packing sows 14.00-25.

Lambs and ewes steady; good and choice shorn lambs went 14.25-35; slaughter ewes were 8.25 down; feeder lambs 12.00-14.00.

The nearly extinct wild goose of Hawaii lives on arid lava slopes high in the mountain and rarely goes near water.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS.

"Our men in the service in this war have pretty definite ideas about what they're fighting for and the way they want to find our country when they come back...don't you think so, Judge?"

"I certainly do, George. Just a week or so ago I was reading in a national magazine the results of a poll taken among our soldiers. Each man was given a questionnaire containing twenty-five 'assignments' for the folks at home. He was asked to check the first five in order of importance to him."

"Out of thousands of replies the first 'assignment' to the folks back home was 'Make sure I'll have a job in my chosen field of work when I get back'. Number 5 was 'Make sure that Prohibition isn't put over on us again.'"

"When the men in the last war came home and found prohibition had been put over on them behind their backs they were sore as boils. You can see from what I just told you how they feel about it this time, too."

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