

Hirohito Goes Calling On MacArthur

Moscow May Settle Balkan Peace Issue

Ministers Plan Series Of Talks During Waiting

By FLORA LEWIS
LONDON, Sept. 27 (AP)—Foreign ministers of the United States, Britain and Soviet Russia planned a series of informal talks today amid unconfirmed reports that Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav M. Molotov was waiting word from Moscow which might clear the way toward a solution of the Balkan peace issue.

The full council of Big Five foreign ministers was to take up again French proposals for internationalization of the Ruhr and Rhineland in the afternoon.

In the interim the foreign secretaries of the Big Three powers were reported reliably to be discussing renewed Soviet demands to exclude France and China from participating in the discussion of Balkan treaties.

There were indications that unless U. S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes, British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin and Molotov were convinced an absolute deadlock had been reached, they would keep the council in session until this obstacle to the Romanian, Bulgarian and Hungarian treaties was removed.

The fact that sessions would continue at least for a day or two more led informed observers here to believe that some sort of agreement on the problem was on the way.

Bagley Will Return To US, Parents Hear

William R. Bagley will be returning to the United States in the very near future, Mrs. Mary F. Bagley learned Thursday morning through a communication from the Secretary of War.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bagley heard their last from their son, Cpl. William Bagley, before the fall of the Philippines. At that time he was presumably with a coast artillery unit on Corregidor.

The Bagleys heard indirectly through the Red Cross that their son was a prisoner of war by a communication dated April 6, 1945. About two weeks ago they received two letters from him dated Oct. 12, 1944, and Jan. 17, 1945. Those two letters were the only word received from him for nearly four years.

The War Department letter advised that Cpl. Bagley would be given an opportunity to communicate with his family on his return to the United States.

Latin - Americans Walk Off Water Crew

Six Latin-Americans of the water crew walked off the job Tuesday after an Anglo-American had been made foreman reported B. J. McDaniel, city manager. So far, no replacements have been made.

McDaniel said indications show that paving work will possibly begin within 60 days. The labor problem has been the chief hold back.

ONE AMERICAN OFFICER KILLED, ONE INJURED IN ANNAMENSE RIOT

By VERN HAUGLAND
SAIGON, Indo-China, Sept. 26 (Delayed) (AP)—Lt. Col. A. Peter Dewey of Washington, D. C., was killed and Capt. Joseph Coolidge of New Hampshire was seriously wounded by Annamese in disorders today.

The American officers, defending U. S. headquarters from a siege of three hours, killed at least eight natives.

British, French and Japanese also suffered casualties in a series of incidents. As a result of the continued disorders, Field Marshal Count Juichi Terachi, the Japanese commander, was placed under virtual house arrest.

Dewey, about 28, headed the American Office of Strategic Services delegation here. He was a former Chicago Daily News corre-



SPHERE OF INFLUENCE—Shaded area on map, based on pre-war borders, locates the Russian sphere of influence in eastern Europe indicated by conferees at the Big Five conference of foreign ministers in London. (AP Wirephoto).

Opposition Jailed In Argentina Siege

By VAUGHAN BRYANT

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 27 (AP)—Jails swallowed up leaders of every shade of opposition to Argentina's military government today while Argentines from the Atlantic to the Andes waited to see what further steps would be taken to carry out a state of siege imposed yesterday.

Squads of federal police with long lists of wanted persons systematically covered this capital of 2,500,000 as the dragnet tightened here and elsewhere over the country.

The decree which deprives Argentines of their civil rights came unexpectedly as the climax to a period of mounting opposition to the military regime of President Edelmiro Farrell and Col. Juan Peron, vice-president and strong man of Argentina.

Farrell told the nation last night that reimposition of the decree "should be regarded as a transitional measure" brought about by "an unrestrained campaign of disorder and commotion" which had excited the nation. He said in a radio address that the state of siege would be lifted "when the directive groups of the nation have shown they know how to make full use of liberty" and reiterated that general elections would be held as promised.

There has been no interference with incoming or outgoing news

Recruiting Offices Opened In West Tex.

Maj. Robert G. Gibbons, commanding officer of the West Texas U. S. Army recruiting district, announced the opening of Army recruiting stations throughout the West Texas district.

Plans were to open a sub-station in the basement of the Post Office in Big Spring, but so far, no recruiting officer may be contacted.

Names of the Americans had been deliberately falsified, as well as the date of their deaths, but the Japanese produced an official list verifying that the fictitious names on the boxes corresponded to those of the executed men. "The ages tallied."

The ashes were delivered at the International Funeral Directors, a civilian mortuary, on Nov. 14, 1942, 30 days after the executions.

No attempt had been made to deliver them to the International Red Cross. Today they were turned over to an American graves officer for shipment to the United States.

It was learned that the ashes of a fourth Doolittle flier, Lt. R. J. Deder, who died of malnutrition, dysentery and beriberi, had been found in Nanking and were being sent here.

Seizure earlier of court martial records which doomed the three Tokyo-bombing fliers had afforded America proof that the infuriated Japanese military had singled out the trio of airmen for discriminatory treatment.

as yet, but the government has issued "requests" to newspapers to cease criticism of its actions.

Arrests reached into the ranks of newspapermen. Business Manager Ernesto Carreras of Critica was arrested, as was Assistant Publisher Alberto Desimone of Noticias Graficas.

Three Small Boxes, Ashes Of Doolittle Raiders, Recovered

By RICHARD CUSHING

SHANGHAI, Sept. 27 (AP)—Three small plain wooden boxes containing the cremated remains of three Doolittle fliers who were executed by the Japanese were recovered from a shelf in a Shanghai funeral parlor today as eye-witnesses told how the men were shot through the head Oct. 15, 1942, while they knelt bound to crosses.

The ashes of the airmen, who were executed on direct orders from Tokyo, were pointed out to Capt. J. S. Bailey of San Francisco, war crimes commission investigator, by Japanese attaches of the Kiangwan military prison near here, where the victims were held before their cold-blooded shooting in an old Chinese cemetery.

Dr. C. K. Vliet will accompany the bishop. Dr. Vliet is widely known among Methodist circles and a talented speaker in his own right. The Rev. Smith said that the meeting, to which the public is invited, is "one of unusual interest to all concerned about missionary work."

Bishop Guerra Of Mexico To Speak

Bishop Eleazar Guerra of the Methodist Church in Mexico will speak at 8 p. m. today in the First Methodist church.

The Rev. H. Clyde Smith, pastor, said that Bishop Guerra was unusually well informed and eloquent. Church leaders in the United States have been high in their praise of him.

Gary Begins Work On Wood Storage Bldg.

L. M. Gary Construction Company began work on a \$10,000 tile and stucco storage and body shop for Marvin Wood Thursday morning. The lot at 304 Austin is 50'x140' and the building is to be 48'x138'.

Wood stated that the new structure is to be used for a painting and repair shop as well as a new car storage shop.

Truman Let Down On Jobless Pay, He Tells House

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—President Truman told house ways and means committee democrats today that the senate had "let him down" on jobless pay liberalization and that he did not expect the house to do so.

Press Secretary Charles G. Ross, who talked with Mr. Truman after the president pleaded with 12 ways and means committee democrats to reconsider the committee's 14 to 10 vote to shelve the legislation indefinitely, told reporters:

"The president spoke vigorously. He said he stood pat on 26 weeks and \$25 (weekly for unemployment compensation)."

"He said the senate let him down and he expected the house not to do so.

"He said his views were fully outlined in his message to congress and he stood by them."

Previously, Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.) of the committee refused to tell reporters about the conference, saying the president called it and it was up to him to talk.

Asked whether the committee would have another meeting to reconsider its vote, Doughton replied: "If the committee wants it."

One-Third Meat Supply Reduced To Zero Points

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—One-third of the increasing meat supply will be ration free beginning Sunday.

The OPA formally announced today that from Sunday through October 27 no points will be required for lower grades of beef, veal and lamb.

Also ration-free will be hamburger, lamb and veal patties and all cheaper cuts of all grades of meat. These include such cuts as short ribs and brisket of beef, breast and flank of lamb and shank of veal.

Points are being eliminated, too, on all canned meats, sausage, frankfurters, luncheon varieties and all other products made from lower grades of meat. These grades are utility, canner and cutter beef, and utility and cull veal and lamb.

Points on canned fish are being trimmed two to three points a pound.

The usual monthly allotment of 50 red points will become valid next Monday. The new stamps, in ration book four, are R1, S1, T1, U1 and V1. Stamps V2, W2, X2, Y2 and Z2 expire Sunday.

McDaniel Transferred

Lt. Jack McDaniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McDaniel, has been transferred to Camp Mackall, N. C., with the 97th Infantry Division. He is the company commander of 200 men training for replacement.

Davis Discharged

Rudolph Davis, who entered the army as an air corps specialist in September, 1942, arrived home Wednesday after receiving his discharge. He was stationed here until several months ago when he was assigned to a camp in Washington.

Emperor Comes Bowing At Door Of Conquering Ruler Of Japan

By MURLIN SPENCER and MORRIE LANDSBERG
TOKYO, Sept. 27 (AP)—Hat in hand, Emperor Hirohito shattered tradition by going to call on General MacArthur today.

Topics of their secluded 35-minute conversation before the U. S. embassy fireside were not announced, but the mere fact the emperor came bowing to MacArthur's door "was the important thing," one American officer said. Such an event is new in Japan's rigidly dignified imperial history.

The Japanese central liaison office, to which all inquiries were referred, told the Associated Press today that Allied headquarters and the Japanese government "reached an agreement not to disclose" the topics discussed.

Because of the length of the

talk, it was assumed they discussed generally mutual problems connected with American occupation of what remains of Hirohito's once great empire.

The emperor's somewhat old, dark automobile drove up to the main entrance carrying the imperial emblem on the front. The back curtain was drawn. Hirohito was sitting bolt upright in the seat.

An attendant jumped out of the car, opened the door and bowed. The chamberlain, Admiral Fujita, backed out of the car, keeping his face to the emperor, and bowed as Hirohito got out.

The emperor found Brig. Gen. Bonner Fellers, MacArthur's aide, and Maj. Saubon Bower, an interpreter, awaiting them. Hirohito, in formal diplomatic clothes, took off his silk hat,

bowed, and shook hands with Fellers, probably an unprecedented thing.

Still more unprecedented, however, the emperor again extended his hand as Fellers introduced him to Bower.

Fellers ushered the emperor ahead of him to the state reception room where, as he entered the door, Hirohito bowed in MacArthur's direction.

Hirohito found his host wearing army khaki and an open-throated shirt. The supreme Allied commander wore no tie and no medals.

The call was informal. A spokesman acknowledged that the meeting was "fraught with insignificance" but emphasized it was arranged at the request of the emperor's representative.

The two shook hands and Mac-

Arthur greeted him with "good morning." They posed briefly for a picture, then moved to a settee where they began to talk.

There was a quiet dignity about the preliminaries as though MacArthur was trying to make the visit as painless as possible for the emperor.

While the emperor was en route to the embassy, correspondents dashed up a hill after the five-car convoy. American guards started to hustle them off. They had orders not to allow anyone within two blocks of the scene of the precedent-shattering meeting.

As the cars passed through the gate, two sentries from the First Cavalry division briskly presented arms.

The emperor tipped his hat to a couple of soldiers with green helmets and bayonets.

Oil Conference Deadlocked

Further Cutbacks May Result If Strikes Spread

AUSTIN, Sept. 27 (AP)—With Texas' oil allowable production already cut 400,000 barrels daily effective Oct. 1, the Texas Railroad Commission has said that further cutbacks logically would result if a nation-wide strike of refineries is called.

The railroad commission, Texas' oil regulatory body, put oil fields generally on a 12-day producing month in place of a 21-day month yesterday.

The order brought a complaint from one East Texas refiner that it would be unfair to shut down East Texas refineries just because coastal plants are having trouble.

However, strike trouble involving an estimated 1,900 additional workers in the East Texas oil fields was threatening. Demands of the East Texas workers in general follow the national OWIU wage aims of 52 hours pay for a 40-hour week.

At Kilgore workers of the East Texas Salt Water Disposal Company, which takes salt water produced with oil in East Texas fields and rejects it into the ground to the oil formation to maintain pressure, have set midnight tonight for a walkout.

Gulf pipeline workers in East Texas took a strike vote last night but have announced no results.

Approximately 17 companies would be affected in the area. The strike thus far has shut down 16 refineries or affiliated plants in the Texas gulf coast area, affecting 22,000 workers.

In New Orleans, headquarters of the CIO said yesterday that locals in five plants in that area have voted to strike, if necessary, in support of the OWIU's national program demanding a wage increase. Approximately 500 men would be affected.

The situation remained unchanged along the gulf coast, except for the placing of pickets around three bulk stations in the Houston area.

Idle Army Skyrockets To Two Million Mark

By The Associated Press
Tension mounted over the nation's spreading labor strife today as the army of idle workers over labor disputes skyrocketed to near the two million mark.

The over-all labor picture was the worst in months. The strike list, below the 100,000 mark most

of the year preceding V-J day, bulged as hundreds of thousands of workers were forced off their jobs by disputes, some of them fresh outbreaks.

A quick survey along the troubled labor front showed:

More than 1,850,000 workers off their jobs, some 370,000 idle by strikes, the others hit indirectly by the stoppages.

For the fourth day New York City struggled in the grip of a single strike which paralyzed business and industrial activity at an estimated loss of millions of dollars in trade and wages, and inconvenienced hundreds of thousands. The strike by about 15,000 AFL elevator operators and building service employees threatened to spread.

Across the country in the Pacific northwest where more than 60,000 AFL lumber workers are striking, a CIO union continued policy meetings but did not issue a strike call to its 40,000 workers.

Additional coal miners left their jobs in West Virginia and Pennsylvania bringing the total miners idle in the two states to more than 35,000. The strike-idle in Pennsylvania alone mounted to around 75,000, including 33,500 at four Westinghouse Electric Company plants. Fifty-eight bituminous pits were closed.

In Detroit, plagued for months by strikes and shutdowns and currently having some 90,000 idle, CIO-United Automobile Workers representatives and Chrysler Corporation spokesmen made no comment as they recessed their conference on the union's demand for a 30 per cent wage increase for the company's 80,000 workers.

BIDS OPEN

Bids will be accepted until 10 a. m. Saturday on proposal to furnish a truck, without driver, for use in conveying and delivering mail and for special deliveries in Big Spring. Postmaster Nat Shick said Wednesday. Bids may be filed with the postmaster.

Warren Invites Delegates To Washington

CHICAGO, Sept. 27 (AP)—The U. S. Conciliation Service's new chief, Edgar L. Warren, personally entered the oil strike conferences today and invited delegates to move their sessions to Washington immediately.

Warren, who made a surprise appearance at the deadlocked meeting of labor and oil industry representatives, said the invitation was issued at the request of Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach.

Warren added "it was felt that perhaps more progress toward settlement could be made in Washington."

Both sides in the 12-day dispute that involves 35,000 CIO unionists at present and threatens to extend to 250,000 workers adjourned until 1:30 p. m. Central War Time when they are to notify Warren whether they will accept the invitation.

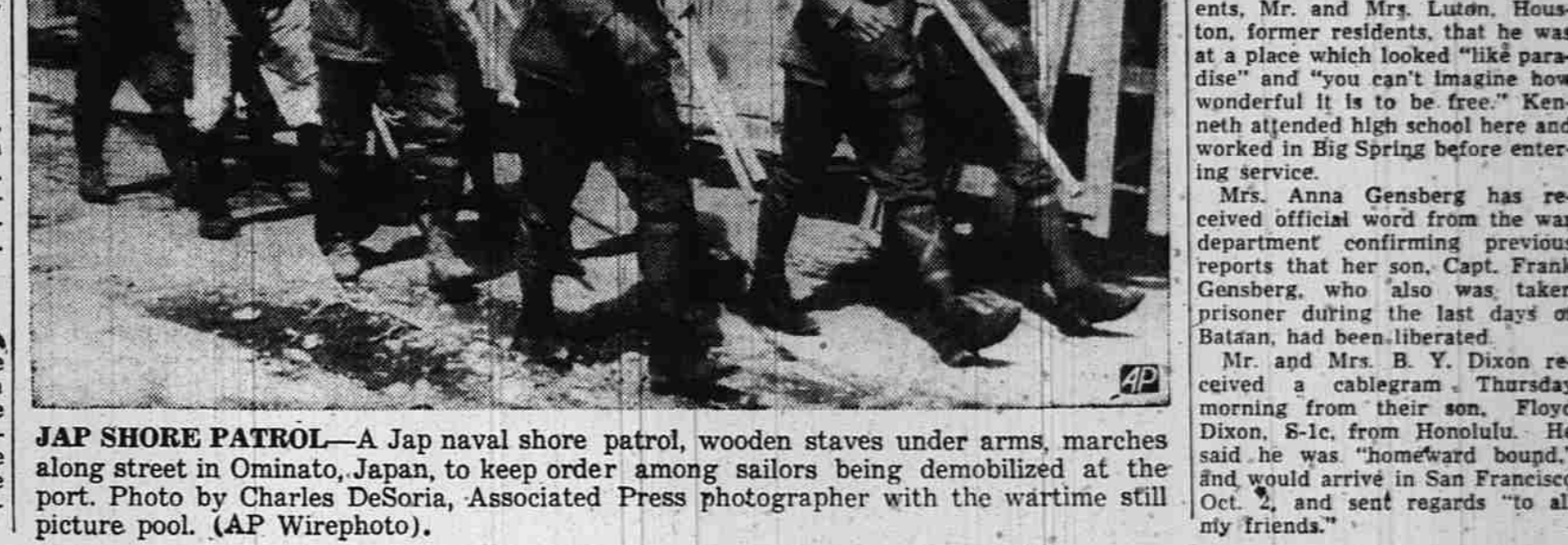
Daniel T. Pierce, assistant to the secretary of the Sinclair Refining company, told reporters "industry will go to Washington." Union spokesmen were in conference and declined comment.

The CIO Oil Workers International Union, disclosed yesterday that its executive council had authorized a nationwide strike, provided the conciliation meetings fail to settle the issues. Adjournment of last night's meeting automatically withheld strike action.

The overnight recess was suggested by Justice William L. Knous of the Colorado supreme court who is presiding over the three-man conciliation panel so the principals would have more time "to think over the situation and realign its seriousness."

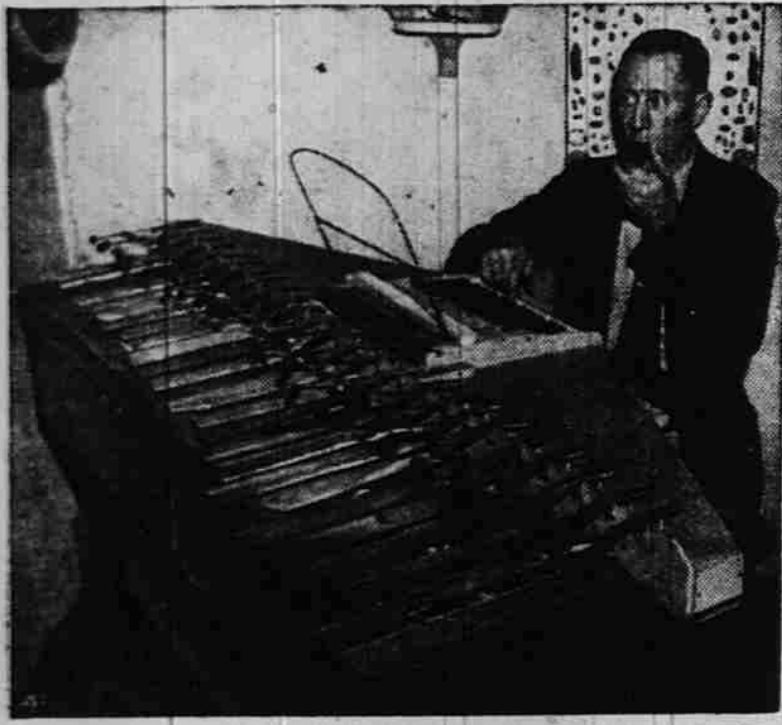
Daniel T. Pierce of Sinclair Refining company, an industry spokesman, said "nothing has been accomplished; the position of both sides is unchanged."

Comment from Union President O. A. Knight was similar: "There is no tangible evidence of any change in the position of industry."



JAP SHORE PATROL—A Jap naval shore patrol, wooden staves under arms, marches along street in Ominato, Japan, to keep order among sailors being demobilized at the port. Photo by Charles DeSoria, Associated Press photographer with the wartime still picture pool. (AP Wirephoto).

Tone From Stone



STONE TONES—Kleeman checks his piano with a pitch-pipe.

AP Features
ELIZABETH, Colo.—At 63, Theodore H. Kleeman's musical career is on the rocks, but don't get alarmed about it.
 Kleeman has been making musical instruments as a hobby for several years—first a xylophone, then a set of chimes, and now his masterpiece, a piano.
 All are made from pieces of petrified wood.
 In place of the taut metal strings that produce the tones of a standard piano, Kleeman's instrument contains three octaves of petrified wood slabs. Each one is eight inches to a foot long, an inch

Chemist Describes Way To Fly Plane With Atomic Fuel

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 27 (AP)—Dr. Gerald Wendt, New York research chemist and science writer, describes a method by which he says an airplane could be powered with atomic energy.

"Atomic fuel could be supplied in the form of a fine wire (of atomic explosive) on a spool which can be fed into the nozzle of a jet engine," he said in addressing a regional conference of the committee for economic development yesterday.
 "If it disintegrates at a controlled speed, all that is needed is a blast of compressed air over it," added Dr. Wendt. "Heated to several thousand degrees by atomic energy, this air would thus expand and roar out of the rear nozzle just as the gasoline flame does now."

"Once that is accomplished the same hot air blast could be blown on a turbine wheel to operate propellers of a plane or ship or to propel a locomotive or run any engine."

Flying Gardens Now Bring Flowers Fresh From California Here

DALLAS, Sept. 27 (AP)—Flowers shipped by air from California fields, 20,000 blossoms at a time, have begun arriving here three times weekly.

The first shipment arrived yesterday. Refrigeration costs are eliminated, for the flight is made at an altitude of 10,000 feet, maintaining the temperature within the air freighter at 50 degrees or lower.

The flowers are sent by the California flower shippers. From the Dallas distribution center they are packaged for transshipment to points throughout Texas and as far away as Norfolk, Tampa, Minneapolis and Cleveland.



CORRAL SCENE—Against a background of fleecy clouds Janet Brier, guest on a "dude" ranch near Tucson, Ariz., poses in the corral with a mare which has taken prizes at southern Arizona shows.

GIGLI SAFE

ROME, Sept. 27 (AP)—Beniamino Gigli, opera singer, was reported safe at his home today as Rome police sought an unidentified man suspected of plotting to kidnap him.

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Texas Sheriffs Meet To Discuss Problems

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 27 (AP)—The annual convention of the Texas Sheriffs association here will close today after two days of discussions on law enforcement problems.

Galveston has bid for the 1946 convention.
 Director Homer Garrison, Jr. of the state department of public safety told the group yesterday juvenile delinquents, strikes and riots, unemployment, race troubles and communistic agitators figure in the difficulties ahead for law enforcers.

Alberta Coal Miners Strike For More Meat

CALGARY, Alta., Sept. 27 (AP)—Most of southern Alberta's coal mines were idle today as several thousand miners went out on strike in a protest against meat rationing.

The miners contended that the ration did not give them enough to eat to sustain them at their work.

Britons Study America At Princeton University

AP Newsfeatures
 PRINCETON, N. J.—Princeton University has instituted a special course to give British servicemen and women a better understanding of "the average American."

British attend conference classes and chat with American student naval officers housed in the same dormitory with the Britons during their three-day conference stay.

Forums conducted during these courses are closed to the press so the students may feel at ease in asking their questions. The professors in charge say most questions concern the American political system. The students, they say, want to know how a President can remain in office when many members of Congress disagree with his policies and when he and the majority leader of either House have public differences of opinion.

The students are said to have shown the keenest interest in "the English language in America." Instituted on the suggestion of a Princeton alumnus who had attended a similar course given for Americans at Oxford, the courses and the curricula were devised by Alexander Leitch, secretary of the university, and Professor Willard Thorpe, chairman of the university's committee of an American civilization program.

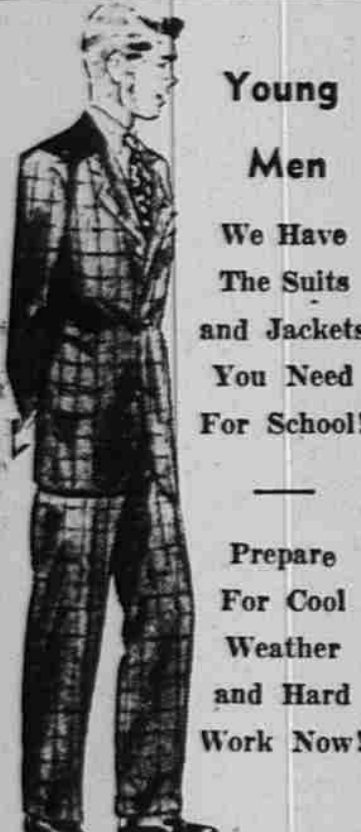
Mitchell Chosen For Counsel To Probe Unit

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—William D. Mitchell, former attorney general under President Hoover, was chosen unanimously as chief counsel for the joint congressional committee investigating the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. Mitchell appeared before the committee and agreed to accept the position. Chairman Barkley (D-Ky) said he was eager to get to work immediately.

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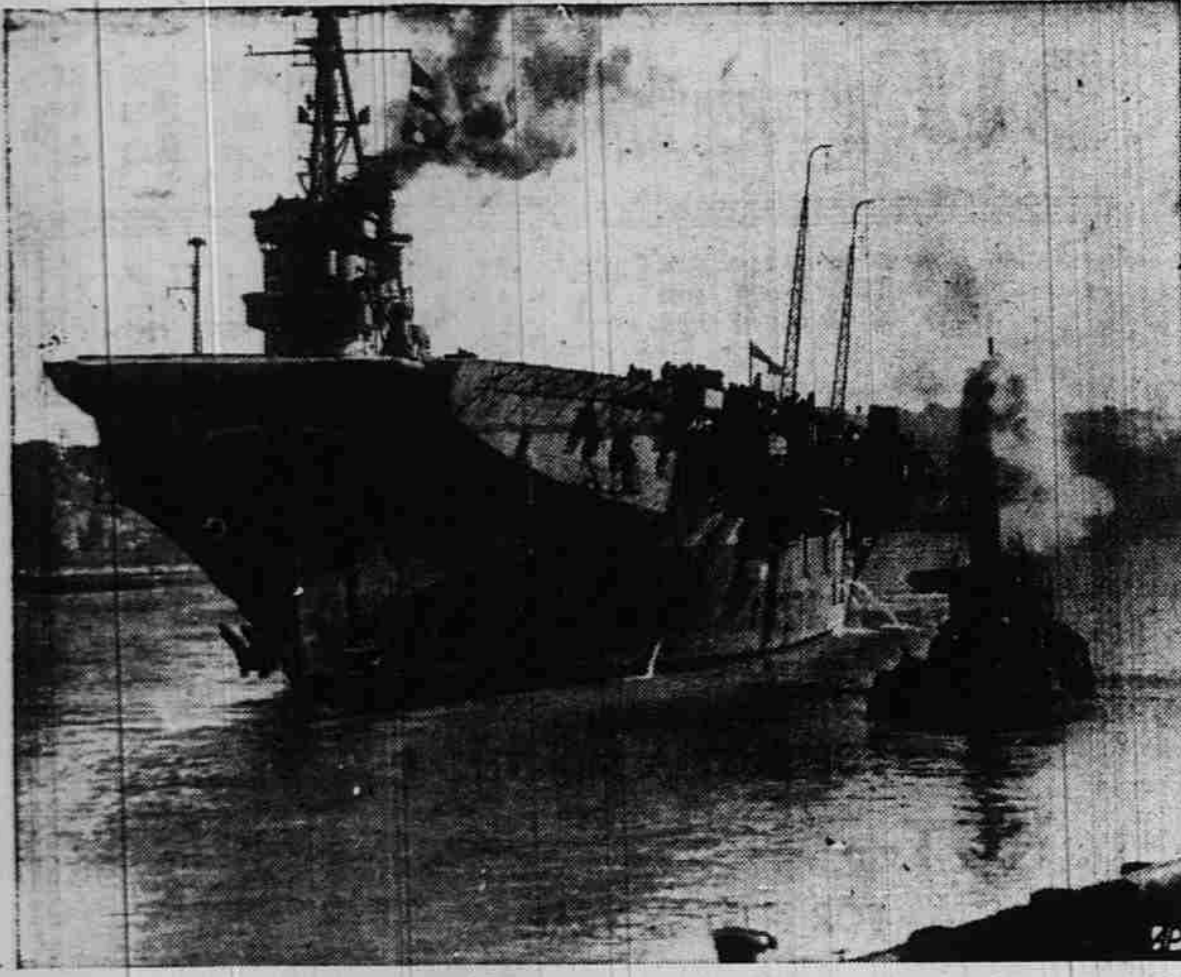
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CARRIER LEAVES PORT—This picture of the British light carrier, HMS Glory, was made as it left Sydney, N. S. W., for Rabaul to accept surrender of 84,000 Japanese.

Girls Club Has Outing In Park

Continuing rush week activities, the rushees of the High Heel Slipper club and club members met in the home of D. J. Moorehead Wednesday evening. From there the group went to the city park for a hamburger feast.

Following the meal games were played and songs were sung.

Rushees present were Clarice Terry, Frances Wilson, Donnie Roberts, Lindell Gross, Jerry Bankson, Dot Cauble, Vivien Middleton.

Members were Jean Murphey, Wilda Watts, Muriel Floyd, Ann Blankenship, Evelyn Green, Evelyn Arnold, Pat Cochran, Millie Balch, Mrs. Mickey Nall, sponsor, and the hostess.

Education Meeting Called By Presbyterian Church

The fourth year of United Religious Education Advance of the First Presbyterian church will be launched with a supper meeting Thursday evening at 6:30 p. m. at the church.

Miss Luan Roach, director of religious education at the First Presbyterian church of Midland, will speak to the group.

All members and friends of the church were invited and urged to attend.

CROQUET TOURNAMENT

DALLAS, Sept. 27 (AP)—Entries from Oklahoma and Texas have been received for an open croquet tournament to be held at Lee park here Oct. 6 and 7. W. H. Keeling of the Dallas park department, sponsor of the meet, said today.

Forsan News

FORSAN, Sept. 27 (Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thieme were visitors near Sterling City Sunday.

Mrs. Hollis Wallace is visiting in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fairchild and family had as weekend visitors, Mrs. R. R. Howze and Kenneth of Big Spring.

Mrs. M. M. Hines is visiting in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Loper and Mrs. Arthur Barton.

Evelyn Monroney is home for an extended visit from the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hopkins have moved to San Angelo. Their Forsan home was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Chambers.

Mildred Eachem of Ogden, Utah, left the first of the week after a few days visit in the E. B. Prescott home.

Among the Forsan people attending the Palomino horse show in Abilene were Mrs. John Butler and Kathleen, Eldred Prescott and Mildred Eachem.

Gene Buckner has received his discharge at Big Spring Bombardier school, after having served there since the opening of the field. He was a sergeant at the time of his discharge. An employe of the Humble Oil Co. before his enlistment, he plans to return to that company in 30 days.

Bill Long and Lefty McCabe fished over the weekend on the San Saba river.

Pull Up A Chair [For Two] At The Curb



AP Newsfeatures
PHILADELPHIA — Frank J. Kolbe, a soldier's father, plans to manufacture electric wheel chairs for handicapped veterans, and already has his first one going.

The construction of Kolbe's scooter became a neighborhood project when he ran into trouble getting parts. Neighbors sympathetic to the cause promptly contributed gears, batteries, chains, bearings and a tarpaulin.

Kolbe's idea was born when Pvt. Frank Kolbe, Jr., home on furlough, was pushing Freddie Engel, crippled since birth, in a wheel chair. "Sure would be nice to have one driven by electricity," said Freddie (who is shown at right in the result; the boy is Raymond Kolbe, the private's brother).

All-Vegetable



Digestible

VIOLENCE IN STRIKE
MONTREAL, Sept. 27 (AP)—Violence flared up during the night in Montreal's meat strike as butchers protesting the government rationing, program raided packing houses and smashed windows in several retail stores which had ignored their warnings to close up.

Bluebonnet Class Has Regular Monthly Meet

The Bluebonnet Sunday school class of the First Christian church will have its regular monthly meeting Thursday evening at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Fred Lancaster at 200 Dixie street.

Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Justin Holmes and Mrs. L. H. Tate. All members were urged to be present at the meeting.

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The Nation Today— Two Heroines Of Science Retire, Suffering Diseases They Study

By FRANK CAREY
Associated Press Science Writer
(Substituting for James Marlow)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—Two heroines of science, whose contributions to medical knowledge are world-famous, are retiring as researchers for the National Institute of Health.

They are:

1. Dr. Alice Evans, of Health, Pa. The U. S. Public Health Service says her retirement was forced by recurrent attacks of undulant fever contracted 22 years ago during her laboratory work on the disease. She continued her researches in the malady despite the attacks.
2. Dr. Ida Bengston, of Harvard, Neb., who was stricken with endemic typhus fever while inoculating rats for study purposes. She later recovered fully.

Ironically, Dr. Evans was a victim of the very disease which she herself first identified for the medical profession. She identified undulant, or Malta fever, in 1923.

Through persistent research, she succeeded in tracing the disease to blooded goats which had been imported to the United States through the Mediterranean. Her findings proved also that undulant fever, and the disease in cattle in the United States known as Bang's disease, are caused by identical germs.

Both diseases may be communicated to humans through the use of unpasteurized cow or goat milk.

Dr. Bengston prepared, during 1935-36, the standard for gas gangrene toxins and anti-toxins—a standard now used by the League of Nations health committee in Copenhagen.

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- Clear Onion Soup
 - Macaroni Grill
 - Grilled Tomatoes
 - Cabbage and Pepper Salad
 - Toast Rounds
 - Eggnog Pie
- Clear Onion Soup**
2 pounds veal bones
1-2 pounds onions
2 teaspoons salt
3 quarts cold water
Wash bones. Peel and slice onions thin. Place all in large kettle. Add salt and water. Bring to boiling point and boil hard five minutes. Reduce heat and simmer one and one-half hours. Strain.
- Macaroni Grill**
2 cups macaroni
4 tablespoons butter or margarine
3 tablespoons flour
2-1/2 cups milk
2 cups grated American cheese
1 teaspoon salt
1-2 teaspoon pepper
1 cup stuffed olives, sliced
Cook macaroni. Make white sauce with butter or margarine, flour and milk. Add cheese (reserving enough for garnishing) and salt and pepper. Stir until cheese is melted. Add olives. Arrange macaroni on warm serving dish. Pour sauce over it. Garnish with cheese. Arrange tomatoes on buttered toast rounds. Place dish under broiler and broil until cheese garnishing is nicely browned.

Awarded Medal

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—Lt. Raymond L. Knight, 22, of Houston has been awarded posthumously the Medal of Honor, the war department announced yesterday. The medal was given for action during the Allied drive in the Po valley, Italy, last April, when Knight destroyed 24 enemy aircraft. Knight's plane crashed in the Appennine mountains, killing him.

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WTCC Scheduling Series Of Meetings, One In Big Spring

ABILENE, Sept. 27 (AP) — A series of eight district meetings over the territory of the West Texas chamber of commerce will begin Oct. 2. Abilene headquarters office has announced.

The meetings are called for consideration of a ballot document containing proposed policies and work program for the chamber in 1946.

At the sessions, regional committees' recommendations on policies and activities will be discussed but not voted on. Later, each attending director will send in his decision.

The district tour will open Oct. 2 at Cisco. Other sessions are: Oct. 3, at Brownwood; Oct. 4, Fort Stockton; Oct. 5, Big Spring; Oct. 9, Decatur; Oct. 10, Seymour; Oct. 11, Borger; and Oct. 12, Plainview.

Town meetings will follow the district discussions and will be in progress a month.

All WTCC officers, directors, committees, area chamber of commerce managers and other delegates will meet Nov. 7 to canvass ballots and elect officers for 1946.

Cotton Shippers Plan To Sell Goods Abroad

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — Representatives of the American Cotton Shippers association have started conferences at the legations here of potential cotton buying powers, advising them of the procedure necessary to obtain the American fiber through the Export Import bank.

Spokesmen for the group, after a conference with Wayne Taylor, president of the bank, quoted him last night as saying that foreign nations now could obtain domestic raw cotton under short term loans.

Members of the cotton group participating in the conferences here include L. Col. Burrie Jackson of Hillsboro, Tex., and L. T. Murray of Waco, Tex.



WATER FOR ENGINE—The "engine" on the Bour-lamaque Central railroad, built of saplings to reach seven miles across deep swamps in a new gold strike region of western Quebec, pauses to dip swamp water for his engine.



SWAN'S ADMIRER—Four-year-old Ellen Connell, visiting Taronga Park zoological gardens in Sydney, N. S. W., sobsily stands inside the enclosure to admire a beautiful white swan preening its feathers.

Girl Scout Week Plans Mapped

Plans for the Girl Scout birthday celebration were mapped out at the meeting of the leaders Wednesday afternoon at the school tax office.

Mrs. M. S. Toops, chairman of the leaders association, conducted the meeting at which ideas were exchanged for programs and activities for the week of October 28 through November 3.

"Citizenship in Action Around the World" was the theme for this year's celebration it was announced. Mrs. W. J. McAdams, president of the local council, gave a short talk on needs for the week.

Another meeting of all leaders was called for Monday evening at 7:30 in the school tax office.

Mrs. Toops announced that a training course offered for local leaders will be held Monday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week with professional Girl Scout workers here to handle the course.

Troop committee members were urged to attend every session of the training program.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Bill Early, Mrs. Toops, Mrs. M. F. Ray, Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins and Mrs. McAdams.

Sew, Chatter Club Has Business Meet

Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscale was hostess when the Sew and Chatter club met for a business session and sewing.

It was decided that the organization will contribute to the Bible fund. Announced also was a luncheon to be held on October 10 in the home of Mrs. R. L. Pritchett.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with fall flowers, and fall colors were used throughout the decorations.

Attending were Mrs. Clayton McCarty, Mrs. R. F. Bluhm, Mrs. C. M. Weaver, Mrs. Louis Murdoch, Mrs. M. S. Beale, Mrs. H. V. Crocker and the hostess.

Two Killed In Plane Crash Near Petrolia

WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 27 (AP) — The bodies of Harold W. McConnell, 36, and his wife, 23, were found yesterday in the wreckage of a plane in a ravine 10 miles south of Petrolia.

McConnell, who is a flight instructor at English Field, Amarillo, and his wife had left Amarillo Monday night in a chartered plane to visit relatives here.

Arthur Wist, foreman of the Dale ranch headquarters, found the wrecked plane while inspecting cattle on the ranch.

Units Of 97th Move Into Kamagaya Area

TOKYO, Sept. 27 (AP) — Units of the U. S. 97th infantry division moving into Kumagaya in Saitama prefecture by train from Yokohama today to replace the 43rd division, which is being reorganized for return to the United States.

The Domei agency also reported that the 93rd division had landed at Nirihama, north of Wakayama.

Today's Pattern

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DAILY STORY FROM THE BEST-SELLING BOOK
By BENNETT CERF

ONE of the most famous hotels in all the world was the original Waldorf-Astoria, which threw open its doors for the first time on March 13, 1893 (the Astoria part of the hotel was not completed until four years later) and was the centre of the New York hotel world until it was torn down to make way for the Empire State Building.

One of the most famous features of the old Waldorf-Astoria was Peacock Alley. It was said that if a person would simply sit there for two days, as at Sheppard's Hotel in Cairo, Egypt, he could see the rest of the world pass by.

Another room that the country folk flocked to see was the grill, which featured an honest-to-goodness trout stream. Young bucks were given a rod and reel and could actually fish for their dinner. Attendants unhooked their catch and bore it off to a sizzling grill near by; the bucks frequently filled in the moments of waiting by pushing each other into the stream. One of the memorable days in the history of the Old Waldorf came when Sergeant York, hero of the First World War, made his first visit to Manhattan. He was majordomo-ed by a Tennessee Congressman not yet very well known, named Cordell Hull.

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Wolfe Held In Lieu Of Bond For Hold Up

FORT WORTH, Sept. 27 (AP) — Roy Everett Wolfe, 40, of Fort Worth, is being held in county jail here in lieu of \$10,000 bond after being charged yesterday with the \$20,240 robbery of the Pendergast-Smith National bank of Mexico on Jan. 28, 1942.

A complaint charging Wolfe with the robbery also was filed in the

Waco division of the western district of Texas yesterday, the district within which the offense was committed.

VFW EXPECT GENERALS
WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — The Veterans of Foreign Wars said today Gen. Omar Bradley and Lt. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle will open their annual encampment in Chicago next week.

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Triangle T Boys Club Has First Fall Meeting

The Triangle T club met for its first meeting since June Wednesday in the home of W. G. Cole.

Refreshments were served.

Those attending were Grady Kelly, Mickey Casey, Reed Collins, Jimmy Ray Smith, W. G. Cole, Ardis McCasland, Charles Lovelace, Harold Jones and pledges. "Chubby" Jones, Billy Satterwhite, Roy Lee Pool, B. B. Lees, Dickie Cloud and Jim Bill Little.

District Officer Of VFW Installed

Mrs. Marguerite Barnett was installed as district president of District Seven, Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Department of Texas, at that organization's business meeting Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dorothy Hull, out-going district president, served as installing officer.

Mrs. Alva Marie Kinal was honored with a farewell gift shower following the meeting. Mrs. Kinal is leaving soon for Buffalo, N. Y., where she and her husband will make their home.

Mrs. Maude Brooks and Mrs. Mary Ehlman were hostesses at the meeting. The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth, and was centered with a crystal punch bowl, surrounded with fall flowers.

Attending were Mrs. Joyce Richardson, Mrs. Kinal, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Bessie Powell, Mrs. Ehlman, Mrs. Susie Corcoran, Mrs. Edna Knowles, Mrs. Eula Lea, Mrs. Fannie Ruth Dooley, Mrs. Stella Tyson, Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Orbie Thurman, Mrs. Sophia Corcoran, and Mrs. Hull.

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Eveready Carrot Juice	No. 2 Can 15c	Chun-King Chop Suey	No. 2 Can 35c	V-8 Vegetable Juice	No. 2 Can 16c
Great Value Peaches	No. 3 Can 26c	McGrath's French Style Beans	No. 2 Can 17c	Maxwell House Coffee	lb. 33c
Tastasee Grape Drink	Quart Size 26c	Queen's Taste Tomatoes	No. 2 Can 12c	Folger's Coffee	lb. 33c
Tastasee Orange Drink	Quart Size 26c	Good To Send Overseas CANNED FRUIT CAKE	2 lbs. 1.59	Sanka Coffee	lb. 36c
Sunsweet Prune Juice	Qt. Size 28c	Glen Valley Peas	No. 2 Can 13c	Mellhaney's Butter	lb. 49c
Libby's Tomato Juice	No. 2 Can 11c	Libby's Vegetables	No. 2 Can 18c	Clear Brook Country Roll	lb. 49c
Marshall Turnip Greens	No. 2 Can 11c	Libby's Deep Brown Beans	1 1/2 oz. Jar 16c	Thompson Malted Milk	lb. 33c
Longhorn Cheese	lb. 37c			Borden's Plain Flavor Malted Milk	lb. 35c
Assorted Lunch Meat	lb. 32c				
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MELCHIOR MADE KNIGHT

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 27 (AP)—King Christian invested Lauritz Melchior, operatic tenor, with the insignia of knight commander of Dannebrog last night, after the singer performed at the royal birthday party.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Our town has heroes, too

Over at Thistle Ridge they're always boasting about their local heroes—ancestors in the Revolutionary War, congressmen, and an artist with pictures in the Metropolitan Museum. Well, we've got our local heroes, too... There was old Doc Turner, who fought for years against the intolerance and bigotry that kept children from being vaccinated in our county. And Deacon Follensby, who fought for free pews in the churches; Jess Hackney, who

campaigned for teaching honest history in schools; Wedd Towers, who fought the encroachment of Prohibition in our county and persuaded folks they wanted tolerance and moderation in place of a return to lawlessness. You won't find monuments to these folks. But from where I sit, they're heroes in a cause that's pretty sacred in our town: the cause of freedom, tolerance, and human dignity.

Joe Marsh

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Immediate Action Must Be Taken To Prevent Excessive Price Boom

(This is the third of a series of six articles in which leading economists offer recommendations for keeping America prosperous. The articles were condensed by their authors for the Associated Press from the forthcoming volume, "Financing American Prosperity.")

By HOWARD S. ELLIS, Professor of Economics, University of California, Berkeley (Distributed By The Associated Press) If we are to bring about an orderly transition to a satisfactory economic level now that the war has ended, immediate action must be taken: To prevent an excessive boom; to shape our tax laws favorably to enterprise capital; to open up international trade and finance to expansion; and, finally, to combat monopoly in all fields. Such measures can make it possible eventually to reduce public spending. But in the short run public works programs will be necessary.

Public works, when properly handled, can strengthen private enterprise. They must be governed by long-term productivity. They should be utilized to restore competition in monopolized fields, or operate in those fields not well covered by private competition. And they should be timed to offset the business cycle.

What we are going to need most are policies aimed to break up monopolistic restriction of output so that we can restore competition and flexibility to our economic system. I would advocate the following policies:

1. Measures to encourage investment of savings in private competitive fields — to ease the way for new firms, innovators, and small enterprises.
 2. Government research and economic education — to reveal monopoly restrictions, to improve industrial processes, to educate consumers.
 3. Removal of government or legal support of monopoly — to reduce tariffs, to reform taxation hindering small competitive businesses, to repeal price-maintenance acts and state trade-barrier laws, to reform the patent system.
 4. Action to strengthen anti-trust agencies, to unify the law of unfair competition, to enact a federal corporation statute, and to supervise corporate mergers, trade associations and interlocking directorships.
 5. Government regulation of "natural monopolies" — where monopoly is the natural tendency it should be regulated.
 6. Government ownership and operation to compete with certain monopolies.
- Government competition with monopolies would represent an intelligent outlet for public investment. By converting war-expanded industries to compete with monopolies we could kill three birds with one stone: (1) over-capacity, (2) monopoly restriction of employment, and (3) the reduced flow of money income generally.

Jessie Allison Written About In Tinian Paper

In a recent issue of a camp paper at Tinian, the name of Jessie Allison, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Allison of Big Spring, appeared in a personality column of "A" company. The clipping was describing the gang of Americans in Tent No. 6. It said "by their sign they are known as the 'League of Nations' but among their intimates, as 'Buhl and His Four Thieves.' The first, we'll vouch for as appropriate, for the group is composed of K. Buhl, a German from Butte, Montana; Allison, a lad with a lot of good Irish blarney; P. Batis, a Puerto Rican who calls Alea, Oahu, home, but who manages to keep happily sacked-up here; Jack Lee, whose home is in Honolulu, is Chinese; and A. Barreto, whose home is in Fall River, Mass., has the warm blood of Portugal in his veins."

The grounds around their tent are well cared for and trellised morning glories shade the front porch. Within, one side is devoted to a sturdy sloped top desk decorated with pictures of "many girl friends" and a bit of wire decorations by Lee. The entire place gives evidence that here lives a group of Americans who get along in a grand cooperative spirit. Allison attended Big Spring schools until he entered the Seabees April 2, 1943. "He is now a third class metalsmith with two years overseas. He says he hopes to get home the last of October."

Lt. Col. Ben Lyon To Work In London

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 27 (AP)—Lt. Col. Ben Lyon has announced that he will not return to the acting profession when he leaves the army air forces Oct. 9 but will go to London to become head of the 20th Century-Fox Studios talent office there. The veteran stage and film actor was commissioned a major in the U.S. Army in 1942 and served with the air forces in Europe. During the preceding eight years he had spent most of his time in England. He returned here last June with his wife, Actress Bebe Daniels. Lyon said Miss Daniels will remain here for film work at the

present but that both of them will divide time between England and Hollywood. They plan to have their children, Barbara, 13, and Richard, 10, remain here.

FUNERAL SERVICES
JACKSONVILLE, Sept. 27 (AP)—Funeral services for H. H. Berryman, 75, of Alto who died here yesterday, are to be held at the Berryman home near Alto tomorrow. Berryman was a merchant and cotton buyer and founder of the Alto State bank.



ASKS LEADERS TO RESIGN

SOFIA, Sept. 28 (Delayed) (AP) Nikola Dimitrov Petrov, leader of the Bulgarian opposition called upon the government today to resign, and in an editorial in the first issue of his Agrarian party newspaper, Narodne Zemedelsko Sname, renewed his charges that the government had resorted to terrorism against political opposition workers.



KIMMEL—Rear Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, Navy Commander at Pearl Harbor in 1941, says he does not wish a general court martial while the congressional probe is in progress.

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Beginning October 1st the Nabors Beauty Shop will endeavor to give better service in that line as they intend to devote most of their time to permanents. Mrs. Nabors returned Monday morning from Dallas where she received special training in cold waving and in shaping and styling feather cuts. She said the fluffy bob that is neat and well contoured seems to be as popular as before. The more simpler and neater in the hair style, the easier it becomes for each individual to manage it themselves. Nabors are always willing to aid you with your particular problems.

During the past 17 years, Nabors have tried to give the best of service in every part of the beauty profession and regret that they cannot continue to give extended beauty services. Besides the need of specializing, the help problem has to be taken into consideration and therefore the beauty shop will operate under the new conditions for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Nabors stated that the shop is extending their services of scalp treatment with shampoo and set, lash and brow dye and hair cutting.

Canadian Senators are nominated for life by summons of the governor-general, while members of the house of commons are elected directly by the people.



CON COLLEANO—Everybody who knows anything about a circus knows this name, for Con is the greatest artist ever to perform on the tight wire and the only one ever to accomplish a complete forward somersault. The flashing torchbearer of the center ring will be a featured attraction of Col's Bros. Combined circus when it comes here Friday for performances at 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. In addition to Colleano, the 1945 program sparkles with the Orantes, a troupe of high-perch stars the Dearos, the flying thrillers; the Haroldis and the Voloes, troupes of breath-taking aerialists; Ruth Nelson, most daring rider of rearing and high-jumping horses; and a variety of other exciting artist and animal acts—not excluding the inevitable antics of clowns.

WOOTEN'S POINT TO RED CHAIN FED CALVES IN JUSTIFIED PRIDE

feeds, have been here taking snapshots. Last year when Howard county 4-H club calves were lined up for the final judging, 13 of the 20 top calves from which judges selected winners had been fed on Red Chain products. This is the analysis of the results by Harvey Wooten, who is dealer for the Universal Mills product. This year he hopes to improve upon even this good percentage. As an inducement to youngsters to use Universal products in their feeding tests, Wooten Produce has posted a total of \$50 in prizes to be added to those given for winners. Wooten said that his company would put on \$25 for the top 20 calves in the milk-fed and dry-lot divisions which has been finished with Red Chain feeds. The mills concern also is opening the way to even greater possibilities for club boys. To those who finish at the top in these divisions at the Southwestern Livestock Exposition next spring, Universal is posting \$750 and \$500. Thus, should some Howard county boy come up with a calf of such quality as to place at Fort Worth, he might be cut in for some really big winnings. Already the vast majority of Howard county 4-H boys are utilizing Red Chain feeds in their projects, said Wooten. Most of them are using an oatmeal mixture and cold cubes as well as other feeds recommended for keeping show animals coming along in good shape. Representatives from Universal Mills, interested in the large percentage of local boys utilizing their shots of virtually every young feeder in the county.

Roundup Ration

By The Associated Press

Fats, meats, etc.—Book Four red stamps V2 through Z2 good through Sept. 30; A1 through E1 good through Oct. 31; F1 through K1 good through Nov. 30; L1 through Q1 good through Dec. 31. Sugar—Book Four stamp 38 good for five pounds through Dec. 31.

Shoes—Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2, 3 and 4 good indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any.

He Selects Company—No Officers Included

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24 (AP)—“Butch was the strangest of all,” Col. Thomas G. Corbin said in describing to folks at home the pets his unit had overseas.

“He was a brown mongrel picked up by a gunner and inspired with a disdain for officers,” Corbin said. “Except for the insignia, it seemed to us that every man in the group, 4,000 or more, wore the same kind of outfit. Butch might meet two relative strangers to him, one a lieutenant, the other a private. He would come up, tail wagging, to get a pat from the private, but if the lieutenant put out his hand, Butch shied away.”

Eager Thieves First To Steal 1946 Model

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24 (AP)—Someone's ahead of his neighbors—he has the first 1946-model vehicle stolen in Kansas City.

Police said a 1946-model Dodge ½ ton pickup truck with only 26 miles registered on its speedometer along with 25 new tires was missing. The truck had no rear fenders, no license plates—and was the first 1946 car reported stolen in Kansas City, they added.

Congress formally established post offices and post routes in the states in 1782.

Cold Weather Coming, Install Cut-Offs Now

The mercury is still high now, but before too long cold weather is going to set in. To be prepared for winter and frosty nights, the Runyan Plumbing Company urged that home owners have cut-offs installed now.

To prevent the necessity for expensive repair bills later, Runyan's reminds that with placing of water cut-offs, time and money as well as tempers may be saved.

“Remember how angry you were last year when pipes froze and burst, and how much trouble it was,” plumbers at Runyan's reminded. “With a little precautionary note now, all of that discomfort could be avoided.”

Expert repairmen at Runyan's said Monday that despite the fact that freezing weather does not seem very imminent today, now is a good time to have all plumbing inspected for flaws and small plumbing repairs made to prevent costly jobs later.

Although the priority has been lifted from all plumbing fixtures, those parts still remain difficult to obtain. Although tubs are now trickling onto the market, and can be bought without priority, many customers who placed orders for bath tubs during periods of priority are just now getting their fixtures. Manufacturers say that tubs will be plentiful by November 1.

The outlook is brighter now on plumbing fixtures other than tubs, and they can usually be obtained readily.

DAIRY RECONVERSION COLLEGE STATION, Sept. 24 (AP)—Reconversion plans within the Texas dairy industry, subsidies, labor, marketing, and sanitation, are topics slated for discussion at the third dairy fieldmen's short course to be held Oct. 8-9 at Texas A. & M. college.

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