

WEATHER

Warmer this afternoon and tonight than Tuesday afternoon and night.

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Eight Pages Today

Have You Bought Your Defense Stamp Today?

U. S., Australian Air Forces Sink Or Damage 23 Ships In One Raid

Few Seem Excited About It --

Howard Men Get Order Numbers

MRS. MATTIE CRAMER OF COAHOMA DIES

A prolonged illness which had kept her bedfast for several weeks ended in the death early Wednesday of Mrs. Mattie Cramer, member of a prominently known family of the Coahoma area.

Mrs. Cramer had been a Howard county resident since 1913, making her home with her husband, J. M. Cramer, six miles southeast of Coahoma.

The funeral service will be conducted at 4:30 p. m. Thursday at the First Methodist church in Coahoma. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers, and arrangements are in charge of the Eberley Funeral home.

Besides the husband, Mrs. Cramer is survived by five sons and four daughters: Joe, Boone and Raymond Cramer of Coahoma; Putnam Cramer of Houston and Burl Cramer of Sandown; Mrs. George Thompson, Mrs. Lem Dennis and Mrs. Joe Wheeler, all of Coahoma, and Mrs. H. F. Nell of Big Spring.

Other survivors are two stepsons, Aaron Cramer of Stephenville and Arnold Cramer of Fort Worth; four stepdaughters, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell of Hockley, Mrs. Clara Hensley of Ranger and Mrs. Lillie Ribley and Mrs. Zola Hensley of Fort Worth; one brother, Bishop Gregg of Fort Worth; and four sisters, Mrs. Ethel Boren and Mrs. Augusta Murchison, both of Fort Worth; Mrs. Ollie Denman of Abilene and Mrs. William Sprewell of Stamford. There are also 41 grandchildren.

Custody of 10-day-old "Doris Marie," the lusty infant who was found in a pasteboard box in Bird-wed pasture, March 9 will be the subject of a hearing in district court at 10 a. m. Thursday.

At least eight applications have been made for the adoption of the child, and the last of those was unofficially made by a 24-year-old local woman who last weekend signed a statement saying she was the infant's mother.

Seven other couples have filed petitions in district court asking custody of the baby, and insofar as was known today, all would pursue their requests Thursday.

The hearing was called by Judge Cecil Collins after peace officers had announced that they had discovered the woman claiming to be the infant's mother, and that she wanted custody.

Japs Reinforce Burma Armies

LONDON, March 18 (AP)—Although the situation on the Burma land front "has not altered," a British military commentator warned today that the Japanese troops in Burma had received "strong reinforcements" in planes and personnel which were released by their victory in Java.

The commentator's emphasis on enemy air reinforcement followed by some 24 hours a Tokyo claim of "complete air superiority" for the Japanese at the start of the decisive battle of Burma drew near.

The commentator declared this Japanese claim was "exaggerated."

J. R. Johnson Gets County's First Number

Joe Robert Johnson, 44, Wednesday headed the list of men who registered in the county Feb. 17, for his serial number T-441 was the first Howard county number to turn up Tuesday evening in the national lottery at Washington.

The number came fourth in the national drawing, but since it was the first in county lists for the registration, Johnson will get order No. 1 with the local board.

Henry William Killingsworth, 1001 Main street, whose serial number was T-1103, will be assigned order No. 2 for his group of registrants, his serial having been the second Howard county number called.

Wednesday morning brought several men to the county selective service office on the second floor of the First National bank building to get their serial numbers from postings on the bulletin board.

However, the number inquiring was perhaps less than in either of two previous registrations and lotteries. These men seemed to be unconcerned and less subject to "draftitis." Most didn't take the trouble or didn't particularly care what their number would be. They figured the board would keep them advised, that if and when they were needed they would be called—and that there wasn't any point in worrying about it.

Assignment of order numbers by the board necessarily will be held up pending receipt of master number lists from national selective service headquarters. As quickly as numbers are assigned, lists will be typed and posted. When official lists are available, they will be published by the Herald.

An unofficial list of the first 40 numbers in Howard county, as compiled by the Herald from selective service lists, follows:

- Order Serial No. No. Name
1 T-441—Joe Robert Johnson
2 T-1103—Henry William Killingsworth
3 T-176—Harry David Weag
4 T-1156—Willie Asberry Deavenport
5 T-606—Henry Hollinger
6 T-359—Erda Lewis
7 T-129—Remigio Urbina Torres
8 T-968—Ellis Fontaine Simmons
9 T-1337—Oscar Dewey Engle
10 T-537—Hal Coleman Farley
11 T-1111—Alvin Smith Batala
12 T-1266—Almond Paul Clement
13 T-1291—Ralph Smith
14 T-1064—Burrell D. Rice
15 T-1423—Cecil Leatherwood
16 T-344—Grady Travis Merrick
17 T-1111—Joseph Belton Gullitory
18 T-636—Wyatt Duke Lipscomb
19 T-1092—Hugh Burton Clark
20 T-967—Theodore Charles Runyon
21 T-857—Waverly Ford Coates
22 T-131—Juan Valdez
23 T-345—Raymond Thomas Hale
24 T-235—Willy Smith Judd
25 T-1209—William Even Spradling
26 T-1277—Robert Grant Burnett
27 T-1343—Alfred William Moody
28 T-937—Robert Emmett Bowden
29 T-54—Marlon Hojas Garcia
30 T-1345—Arclin Guy Howie
31 T-179—Ray Dean McMillan
32 T-69—Arturo Larez Chavez
33 T-212—Richard Wesley Vaughn
34 T-459—Ralph Eugene Blount
35 T-369—Paul Frances Shedy
36 T-233—Dilmus Spurgin Phillips
37 T-324—Herman Jack Jaffcoat
38 T-790—Louis N. Brooks
39 T-31—Ulysses Grant Robert Riggs
40 T-1400—James William Denton, Jr.

Explosion Starts Fire—

Woman Hurt In Leap From Window

COLORADO CITY, March 18 (Sp)—One person was injured and five others barely escaped with their lives as fire flaring from an explosion destroyed the E. J. Wallace home here early today.

Mrs. O. N. Wallace of Monahan, sister-in-law of E. J., who, with her husband, was forced to jump from a second-floor window, suffered injury in the leap

Despite FDR's Stand -- Labor Law Revision Pushed By House

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP)—President Roosevelt's blunt opposition to any immediate changes in the 40-hour-work week found important support in the senate today, but the house still seemed bent on taking matters into its own hands.

Even in some senate quarters there were those who believed that the war production emergency called for modification of the overtime provisions of the statute.

The house manifested every intention of pushing ahead with consideration of legislation which would suspend all maximum-hour laws in war industries, and some staunch administration backers privately were dubious about the chances of defeating such a measure. It also contained drastic provisions for recapture of all corporate war profits over six percent.

A potent factor in the entire situation was the unabated avalanche of mail which continued to pour into congressional offices from back home, demanding that all legislative precautions be taken to prevent any further interruption or delay in the arms output. Mindful

of the fact that this is an election year, more than one legislator apparently was apprehensive lest inaction now be misconstrued by the voters later.

In one preliminary study of diverse problems, a senate appropriations subcommittee called government officials into a closed session today for testimony on whether strikes should be outlawed and the 40-hour work week modified.

The president told a press conference last yesterday that there had been "an amazing state of public misinformation" on the 40-hour work week question. He spoke out against any change in the law at the present time because, he said, things were going along pretty well.

The president recommended without comment that congress make these appropriations: Contingencies \$1,573,180 (miscellaneous); pay of the Army, \$327,331,662; travel of the Army, \$92,200,000; finance service, \$1,165,000. Quartermaster's corps — Army subsistence, \$23,006,000; regular supplies \$80,481,000; clothing and equipment, \$2,804,277; incidental expenses \$3,807,000; transportation, \$817,912,000; welfare of enlisted men, \$5,715,000; total \$1,373,726,277. Signal corps—\$748,149,000.

Four Army Planes Crash

LIMA, O., March 18 (AP)—Four Army planes crashed in flames six miles east of Lima shortly before noon today. There apparently were no survivors.

Byron Heffner, farmer, said he saw one plane fall on his farm and burst into flames. Two other planes fell about 100 yards apart a half mile east of the Heffner farm.

The fourth plane landed in the McClure woods a mile south of the Heffner farm and also burst into flames. There was an unconfirmed report that one man was seen in the plane downed in the woods. Witnesses described all the ships as Army planes.

Lieut. E. M. Decker, adjutant at Patterson Field, Dayton, said they were expecting three P-39 pursuit ships from Selfridge Field, Mich., but he could not say whether they were the planes involved.

ELKINS, W. Va., March 18 (AP)—An army bomber was reported here today to have crashed and burned near Frank, Pocahontas county, with possible loss of two lives.

Tough Task In Australia Before Allies

Odds Still Favor Enemy, Warn High Military Sources

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP)—General Douglas MacArthur is facing an extremely formidable task in directing the battle for Australia, military experts declared today in cautioning against a wave of false optimism.

The odds, they pointed out, were still heavy in the enemy's favor, however much the United Nations may have been heartened by the arrival of American troops in considerable strength or by MacArthur's dramatic shift from Batavia to the Australian theatre.

In all analyses of the situation, the most these authorities would venture was that the Japanese would be in for the fiercest campaign of the war if they attempt to blitz Australia as they have smashed Singapore and the Dutch Indies.

The expectation was that the enemy would risk the campaign, nevertheless. If the Japanese do not attempt it, or if they make the attempt and meet with failure, then the great island continent down under remains securely in the hands of the United Nations as the southern jumping-off point for a major offensive once sufficient men and material have been amassed.

If MacArthur can hold Australia for such a day, the experts said, the Australian, American, Dutch and British fighting men serving in his command have a long and costly job ahead, with plenty of reverses to match the successes they may win.

The strategy that the task calls for goes well with MacArthur's military temperament. It is the strategy of a dynamic defense—striking out as hard and as often as possible at the enemy. The Australians already have put into effect, hammering away savagely from the air at the Japanese footholds in nearby islands to keep potential invading forces off balance, so to speak.

For the undertaking, MacArthur has many advantages he did not possess in the Philippines, and probably as many disadvantages.

The advantages: He has more troops and better air strength at his command. He can organize his ground defenses in great depth because of the vast area of the country.

He can expect reinforcements, whereas it was virtually impossible to get them to the Philippines. He can develop numerous air bases—the important ones beyond the reach of fighter-protected Japanese bombers—whereas in the Philippines his air bases were few, vulnerable and compactly situated.

He is not apt to be hampered by any Japanese fifth column or espionage activity. Then the disadvantages: He has to defend a vast, sparsely settled country with a very long coastline.

He has an enormous problem of supply because of the great distances and meager transportation facilities in much of the country. Moreover, he must use some of his forces to protect the long routes running northward through the continent to the Darwin area from the industrialized Brisbane-Sydney-Melbourne region in the southeast.

His life-line to the United States is likewise extremely long and the Japanese can be expected to exert every effort to harry it. He faces an enemy that still holds the initiative and heavy numerical superiority.

Military experts were of the opinion that the battle for Australia would prove a war of attrition.

Allies Lose One Plane In Smashing Jap Fleet

WASHINGTON, March 18. (AP)—The navy announcement today that a Japanese invasion force concentrated near Salamaua and Lae, New Guinea, had been smashed by American and Australian air forces with the sinking or damaging of 23 Japanese vessels including 12 warships.

"The heavy losses inflicted on the enemy by the combined American and Australian forces were accomplished with the loss of but one plane," said navy communique No. 57.

The same communique, reporting on activities in other areas disclosed that the American submarine Shark has been overdue in the western Pacific for more than a month and "must be presumed to be lost." Next to kin of those aboard the Shark, including Lieutenant Commander Louis Shane, Jr., of Tacoma, Wash., have been notified of the loss of the vessel.

Further, the communique disclosed that the American submarine Sea Lion had been so damaged at Cavite, in the Philippines, as to necessitate her demolition to prevent her use by the enemy in event of capture, and the U. S. destroyer Stewart, 1,190-ton World War type ship, was demolished at the Dutch Indies base of Soerabaya to prevent her falling into the hands of the enemy. There were no personal casualties in the cases of the Sea Lion and Stewart.

In the American-Australian raid on the Jap forces at New Guinea, the navy reported, ships "sunk" and "probably sunk" were two heavy cruisers, one light cruiser, five transports or cargo ships, one gunboat, one destroyer, and one mine sweeper—a total of 11 consisting of 8 warships and 5 other ships.

In addition two destroyers were listed as "possibly sunk." Ships damaged were listed as one cruiser, one large destroyer, two transports which suffered direct bomb hits, one troop ship, three transports, one aircraft tender, one gunboat—a total of 10, consisting of four ships and six others.

Moreover the allied attackers demolished "many small boats," probably motor boats, and three enemy seaplanes were shot down and shore installations including aircraft runways and anti-aircraft batteries were damaged.

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Front-line dispatches said the Russians had captured five more communities in a gigantic encirclement movement to cut off the "escape corridor" of German garrison at Rzeshev and Vyazma. Latest reports said the gap had been narrowed to a bare 20 miles.

Tass, the Soviet news agency, said the Germans fled after a vain counterattack in that sector, leaving 1,200 killed and wounded on the battlefield.

More than 4,700 Nazis were declared to have been slain in the last few days as the Russian counter-offensive surged forward along the entire front.

A Morocco radio broadcast quoting Moscow reports said heavy fighting raged in the suburbs of Kharkov, one of the key bases in Adolf Hitler's winter defense line.

Other Soviet gains were reported in the Orei-Kurak area, midway between Moscow and Kharkov, with the Russians recapturing eight more communities.

In the Crimea, a bulletin from Hitler's field headquarters acknowledged heavy new Russian attacks but asserted they were "partly repulsed and partly smashed by artillery shelling and air attacks."

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Subs Gang Up On US Ship

NORFOLK, Va., March 18 (AP)—Three enemy submarines, one large and two small ones, pocketed a medium size American merchant ship off the Atlantic coast early Sunday and sent her to the bottom with two torpedoes placed accurately in the engine room.

Six members of the crew lost their lives in the attack, the three survivors landed at Morehead City, N. C., after being adrift on life boats from three to nine hours.

The loss of life resulted from the second torpedo which struck just below one of the life boats as it was lowered into the water.

The submarine that fired the second torpedo was about 280 yards from the ship Captain Theodore Bochkoff reported. "They could see us as plainly as we could see them, and they knew that the lifeboat was being lowered," the captain said. He added that "both" torpedoes were placed very accurately in the engine room.

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Beaverbrook To Visit US

LONDON, March 18 (AP)—Lord Beaverbrook, former British minister of war production, will go to the United States. It was announced officially today.

A spokesman, dispelling recent doubts as to whether Beaverbrook would continue in work for the government since his removal from the cabinet, said the publisher would carry on efforts in connection with the pooling of United Nations resources.

In addition to his work on pooling resources, it was explained that Lord Beaverbrook would perform "such other duties as may be entrusted to him from time to time by the war cabinet."

The nature of these duties was not disclosed.

Britain Warns On Biscay Shipping

LONDON, March 18 (AP)—The admiralty issued a warning today that all of the Bay of Biscay, except for a 20-mile strip along the Spanish coast, and thousands of square miles of the Atlantic ocean southeast of England "are dangerous to shipping."

In defining the danger area, the admiralty said that any vessel regarding the terms of its notice would do so "at its own risk and peril."

Kilpatrick Girl Taken By Death

Complications resulting from a diphtheria attack brought death Tuesday to Roe Jean Kilpatrick, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kilpatrick, 306 North West Eighth street. The child, who had been ill since March 6, succumbed at 6:30 p. m. in a local hospital.

Funeral services have been set for 4 p. m. Friday at the Eberley chapel, with Rev. Homer Sheats of the Assembly of God, and Rev. Walker of Littlefield, an uncle of the child, officiating. The body will be at the residence until time of the funeral.

The father is a railroad workman and the family has resided here for 11 years. Roe Jean was born January 23, 1938.

Survivors besides the parents are a brother, Billy Joe; a sister, Mavevine; a great-grandmother, Mrs. E. E. Fletcher of Gadsden, Ala.; great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. George Watts of Boss, Ala.; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kilpatrick of Boss and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker of Littlefield.

There are a number of uncles and aunts, from Alabama, West Worth, Littlefield and Cullman, all of whom are expected to be here for the funeral services.

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This Requisition Wasn't For War

BERN, Switzerland, March 18 (AP)—There are so many collections of clothing, metal and other articles in axis countries these days that the population isn't surprised at anything.

Recently in Bucharest a number of men in military uniforms appeared on busy street corners and began confiscating brief cases and overcoats of pedestrians. They explained these articles were needed by the army.

By the time the authorities heard of it, the collectors had disappeared. An announcement said a gang of robbers was responsible.

Aussies Cheer Appointment Of MacArthur

MELBOURNE, Australia, March 18 (AP)—Australia confidently and willingly accepted today an American command of all her defenses—land, sea and air—under the supreme leadership of General Douglas MacArthur.

With the enemy already at its gates and the first phases of the battle for the continent being waged in the seas and skies off the north coast, the commonwealth was electrified by news that the hero of Batavia had stepped in to guide its defenses.

Besides MacArthur, who assumes responsibility for the defense of Australia and also general command of all United Nations operations ashore, aloft and asea in the southwest-Pacific east of Singapore, are: Lieutenant General George H. Brett, whose assignment to command the air forces of the United Nations in the Australia-New Zealand area and as MacArthur's deputy supreme commander was announced today by Prime Minister John Curtin;

United States Vice Admiral Herbert F. Leary who has been in command of the allied sea forces in the Ansoa zone for more than a month.

This tonight American military leadership at the head not only of Australia's own forces but also of "most substantial American reinforcements," infused the commonwealth with new optimism.

Curtin looked beyond the smashing of any Japanese attack and, in acclaiming MacArthur and the American ground and air forces here, foresaw an eventual allied counter-drive from Australia's shores.

The new command takes over in an hour of peril which was accentuated by the prime minister's announcement today that there will be no racing, organized sports or motion picture performances for the duration of the emergency.

An Australian broadcast, heard in New York by CBS, said the Australian army would retain its identity within the allied framework under an Australian commander answerable to MacArthur.

Administrative details, it said, probably will be shaped by an allied war council in the Australian-New Zealand area, with Australian and American commanders of the separate branches as members under MacArthur's chairmanship.

Representatives Attend Abilene Camp Council

Volunteering a share in the aid for hospitalized soldiers at Camp Earlsley, Abilene, representatives from Howard-Glasscock county met with the Camp Berkeley Camp and Hospital Red Cross Council in Abilene Tuesday. Representatives from here were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henry and Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle.

Last month Howard and Glasscock counties furnished leather and leather working tools for the soldiers and this month agreed to furnish 35 ping-pong balls a month until the local committee meets to discuss the plan.

All work of the council is voluntary and contributions are made those who would like to help in the rehabilitation of sick soldiers.

A pressing need at the present, it was explained at the council meeting, was for funds for the treasury which will be accepted also on a voluntary basis.

A budget committee to draw up anticipated needs for the next six months was appointed. Lists of these needs are to be sent to each of the counties in the council.

Next meeting was set for Wednesday, May 6th.

Parish Council, Altar Society Plans For Easter

Easter plans were made by St. Thomas parish council and Altar Society in a joint session at the rectory Tuesday evening.

An Easter egg hunt was set for Saturday preceding Easter for the children. Preparations for Holy Thursday when children will take part in a processional, and Easter day services were made.

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. Jack Rutherford, Mrs. W. E. McNallen and Mrs. Max Wiesen was named.

Mrs. J. M. Morgan resigned her post as president and the office will be filled at the next meeting.

Attendance at the May 31st to June 4th Diocesan retreat at Amarillo for women was urged.

Others present were Mrs. Annie Polack, Mrs. Charles Vines, Mrs. Julia Julian, Mrs. H. E. Clay, Mrs. F. J. Duley, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. A. W. Wheeler, Mrs. Joe Bondie, Mrs. McNallen, Mrs. Jim Boyie, Mrs. Wiesen, Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, Louise Wheeler and Mrs. L. D. Jenkins.

Nursery School Parents To Meet Thursday

The Nursery school parents will meet at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the school to hear a talk on the pre-school child given by Mrs. Harold Bottomley.

Miss Clancy Baldrige, district supervisor of San Angelo, will also be present and show films on child care.

The public is invited to attend.

WOMEN, here's 2-way relief!

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In Play—Betty Sue Pitts, senior speech student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, was chosen to play one of the leading roles in "Family Portrait", the major production of the Speech Department which will be presented March 30 and 31, at the university auditorium. Miss Pitts, who won the poetry reading contest, at the Speech Tournament at Abilene Christian College where fourteen colleges and universities competed, is also a member of the Alpha Psi Omega, the National Dramatic Fraternity, and of the University Players Club.

Unusual Program By A Capella Choir Is Well Received Here

A program of unusual music and fine voices was presented Tuesday night at the city auditorium when the Denton A Capella choir sang before an appreciative audience in an hour-long concert.

Directed by Dr. Wilfred Conwell, head of the music department at the North Texas State Teachers college, the choir with no accompaniment presented first the stirring "Ballad for Americans." This thrilling words and inspiring music won the audience for the evening.

The robed choir of 40 voices then sang a clever short number, "Mister Banjo," by H. T. Burling followed by "Poor Wayfaring Stranger" which featured a soprano solo to the choir's humming background.

At times, the choir seemed to

Mrs. McAdams To Usher At State Club Meet

Mrs. W. J. McAdams has been named as one of the ushers to serve at the Texas Federation of Women's clubs state convention April 28-May 2nd in Fort Worth.

The program will include Sunday, April 28, an informal tea, junior tea and Southern Musical honoring Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, executive committee and board of directors.

Monday a dinner will be served at 6 o'clock and Tuesday night dinners will be held at 6 o'clock with reception following. Wednesday the conferences will be held at dinner sessions. Thursday American citizenship, public welfare, education and international relations groups will meet at a 6 o'clock dinner.

Friday the junior clubwomen, past state presidents, fine arts and standing committees will meet for another 6 o'clock dinner.

The state convention will close with a chuckwagon supper at 6 o'clock Saturday.

Every member of the state board of directors is a member of one of the G. F. W. C. entertainment committees and each member of a department is expected to attend the dinner of her department at the convention as a hostess.

Musical Reading Is Given For Eastern Star Members

A musical reading was given by Elouise Haley accompanied by Mrs. R. E. Hount for the Order of Eastern Star members who met at the Masonic hall Tuesday night.

There were more than 35 persons present.

Calendar Of Weeks Events

THURSDAY
T.E.L. CLASS will meet at the First Baptist church at 10 o'clock for an all day meeting and covered-dish luncheon. Quilting will be done in the afternoon.
G.I.A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.
EAST WARD P.T.A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the school.
VFW AUXILIARY will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.
YOUNG MOTHER'S SEWING CLUB will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Royce Bridwell, 1008 Gollad.
A.A.U.W. will meet at 4 o'clock in the home of Nell Brown, 411 Bell, with Mrs. Gene McNallen as hostess.

FRIDAY
TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at 3:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.
SATURDAY
HOWARD COUNTY FEDERATION will meet at 3 o'clock at the Judges Chambers.
HYPERION CLUB will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Beth Parsons, 402 Lancaster.

Lions Hold A Lamb Barbecue At City Park

Three prize winning lambs at the fifth annual Glasscock livestock show recently made prize winning barbecue in the opinion of four score Lions and ladies who became one of the first groups to welcome spring with a picnic.

The barbecue was held at the city park, and prepared by Pete Howe for the occasion were the champion lamb of the show bought by the Lions club, one bought by Malone & Hogan Clinic Hospital and the Robinson and Sons grocery. The two latter units gave the lambs to the club.

With the barbecue was a quantity of beans, pickles, onions and salad. Although those attending ate sumptuously, there was more than enough to go around, said Schley Riley, club president.

The event was a come-and-go affair, starting shortly after 6:30 p. m. and continuing until 8 p. m.

Red Cross Instructors Change Classes

R. D. Hatch's class in first aid was postponed last night but will begin Friday night. Hatch is in Dallas for a navy examination. Jake Morgan is to replace C. E. Edmunds as instructor for the Montgomery Ward employes, it was also announced.

give the mellow full tone quality of an organ and then again was light and clear with almost flute like quality. The choir more than lived up to the director's plan of declaring an A Capella choir needs no accompaniment, it accompanies itself.

An audience favorite was "Madam Jeannette," a light selection and "Spirit Ob De Lord Done Fall," a negro spiritual.

The musicians treat which was masterfully done was "Sing Ye To The Lord" by Bach.

Closing number was "Beautiful Savior" arranged by Dr. Christensen and featuring a contralto solo. The choir will go on to Abilene, San Antonio, Galveston, Baytown and then to Houston where it will present a program with the Houston Symphony orchestra.

The choir, brought here through the auspices of the Big Spring high school music department, spent the night in Big Spring. Bill Daves, public school music director, expressed appreciation to local persons for furnishing rooms for the choir members.

Homemaker's Class Meets For Session

Revealing names of Rose Buds and exchanging new names, the First Christian Homemaker's class met in the home of Mrs. G. A. Murdoch Tuesday night. Mrs. W. W. Grant was co-hostess.

Mrs. T. E. Baker presided during the business hour and the class sent a card to Mrs. F. C. Robinson, teacher, who is ill.

The class is to meet Thursday at the Red Cross headquarters to sew. A salad course was served and others present were Mrs. M. C. Lawrence, Mrs. R. W. Ogden, Mrs. Glass Glenn, Mrs. W. M. Gage, Mrs. C. M. Shaw, Mrs. O. P. Griffin, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. Earl Read, Mrs. George W. Hall, Mrs. G. W. Dabney, Mrs. E. L. K. Rice, Mrs. Harry Lee.

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DOWNTOWN STROLLER

In spite of the day, the evening turned out to be pretty nice and so the Lions were glad they went ahead with their barbecue at the city park. And the people who attended were glad too. Mrs. DAN CONLEY and Mrs. BOYD MEDANIEL were still raving when we saw them about the delectable food that they had.

If everybody came away from the Denton A Capella choir program raving like EDITH GAY, then it must have been quite a wonderful program. According to her, it was the best musical program she ever heard in the auditorium and that's quite a boost.

Mrs. ETHEL FARR was up and about early this morning and looking mighty chipper. And speaking of good these mornings because she gets up so early! Couldn't decide whether that was irony or the truth. But then maybe some people DO like to get up early. Brrrr.

Sometimes it is heartening to think about things like GEORGE D. MONTAGUE, district Red Cross supervisor, told the folks here not long ago. In the 40 counties under his supervision in Texas he said that Howard-Glasscock counties were far and away doing the most outstanding work. That's not hard to listen to.

Mrs. BILL NEAL and son of Alpina were to return home today after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Julius Neal, who has been ill.

Forty-Two Club Given Party In Home Of The M. J. Bransfield

FORAN, March 18. (Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bransfield were hosts to their forty-two club in their home on the California lease recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryl McNallen and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Roberson were club guests. A St. Patrick's Day theme was used in the decorations. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. C. Scuddy, Mrs. Sam Rust, Mrs. Jack Lamb, Mrs. John Cardwell, and Mrs. John Cardwell, and Mrs. O. F. Griffith.

Refreshments were served and others present were Mr. and Mrs. Scuddy, Mr. and Mrs. Cardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Rust.

Nominating Committee Is Named By Club

A nominating committee composed of Helen Duley, chairman, Mary Helen Donnell and Dorothy Miller was appointed at the Business and Professional Woman's club Tuesday night at the Settles hotel.

Nell Rae McCrary and Margaret Bruck, health committee members, gave a program on health in national defense and pointed out the various programs that can be followed to build up health.

The club also went on record as favoring the traffic school which is being proposed.

Visitors were Fontilla Johnson, Avie Hollen and Winifred Leasing. Others present were Marie Gray, Dorothy Miller, Margaret Bruck, Jane Sadler, Dorothy Bassett, Mrs. P. Teague, Maurine Word, Mary Helen Donnell, Helen Duley, June Matson, Wilrena Richbourg, Ann Cross and Mrs. Francis Peters.

Concordia Ladies Aid Has Social On St. Patrick's Day

The Concordia Ladies Aid met for a social in the home of Mrs. Albert Hohertz Tuesday afternoon. St. Patrick's Day colors were used throughout the party. Games and contests also pertained to the day. Prize winners were the Rev. R. L. Kasper, Mrs. Herman Pachal, Mrs. Henry Fehler.

Those present were Mrs. E. L. A. Ima Ruckart, Mrs. Bertha Ruckart, Mrs. Gus Oppgaard, Mrs. Walter Pachal, Mrs. Rudolph Pachal, Geneva and Tommie Fehler.

Beta Sigma Phi Gives Game Party For Guests At Settles Hotel

St. Patrick's Day Theme Is Used For Affair

The first of a series of parties was held Tuesday night at the Settles hotel by the Beta Sigma Phi sorority in the form of a game party.

Liverpool rummy and other games were played. Dorothy Dean Sain and Clarinda Mary Sanders won high scores. Refreshments were served and with the decorations carried out a St. Patrick's Day motif. Shamrock nut baskets were favors.

Attending were Mrs. Murlan Smith, Mrs. Lloyd Wooten, Mrs. Hiram Knox, Rae Marie Brooks, Marice Brown, Betty Lee Eddy, Maribel Menger, Sara Reidy, Evelyn Merrill, Deortha Roden, Omega McClain.

Ruth Cawthron, Myrtle White, Maurine Talley, Kathleen Underwood, Jennie Earnest, Elizabeth McCrary, Mrs. Hiram Erbberly, Betty Jo Leatherwood, Mrs. Paul Darrow.

St. Anne's Unit To Meet Tonight

St. Anne's unit of St. Mary's Episcopal church will meet at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening in the home of Dorothy Driver, 1206 Johnson.

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THE TRUTH ABOUT FOOD SHORTAGES

A Message to the Grocers of America

YOU GROCERS who have helped American women set the world's best table, easily and economically, have a new responsibility today.

During this war there are bound to be shortages in some grocery items. But we both know that there will be no lack of the basic foods which are essential to proper nutrition. There is and will be plenty to eat for all.

That's where you can do a big job for your country.

You men in direct contact with every family can do a lot for morale by merely stating the facts to your customers and not permitting any of your organization to pass along unfounded rumors and reports.

It's up to you now to sell your customers faith, hope and confidence—to spike grumbling and calamity-bowling with optimism and assurance!

So don't say, "You'd better stock up on this—it's getting scarcer every day—I don't know when we will get any more," etc.

Don't permit anything to be said by your employees that can promote rumors and dissatisfaction. That is the kind of "fifth-column" thing we must fight—and you grocers can be of great assistance in helping people keep their chins up.

Face the situation with your usual common sense and well-grounded optimism.

By mobilizing your sales staff to meet this new, broader task... by sending customers out of your store with a clear understanding of the sacrifices it should be a privilege to make... you will do a real service to your country.

Under present conditions, you will at times be called upon to say that certain foods are unavailable, or to limit the generous quantities you have been accustomed to sell; but we know that you, as quartermaster to the American family, will perform this duty with a sense of pride and responsibility.

Any so-called shortages will, in the main, be caused by senseless buying waves created by dangerous and usually groundless rumors.

Fight against over-buying. Discourage it by setting an example in your own purchasing. Discourage it with your trade because over-buying in itself is the cause of most shortages.

Let your customers know that any shortages will simply require the use of other equally edible and nourishing products—that changing our menus slightly is about the easiest sacrifice we can make for the greatest country on earth. Impress upon them that manufacturers and suppliers are alert and will keep a generous supply of food on your shelves at all times.

Never has there been more reason to provide for a bountiful table in this country. It's an essential part of our war plan that not only our armed forces but people behind the lines are going to be better fed than ever.

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Mrs. Ida Senter Funeral Is Held

Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Ida Senter, 68-year-old Howard county farm woman who succumbed in a local hospital at 10:35 Tuesday night.

Mrs. Senter, resident of the Elbow community, had been ill only a few days.

Born in Livingston county, Texas, she had resided in Howard county for 30 years. Since the death of her husband in 1938, she had resided with her only son, L. N. Senter. Besides the son, five sisters survive: Mrs. S. P. Petty and Mrs. W. E. Senter of Big Spring; Mrs. W. A. Williams of Cross Plains; Mrs. Herman Thompson of Brownwood and Mrs. Ewell Brewer of May.

Mrs. Senter was a devout worker in the Baptist church, and the pastor of the First church here, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, conducted the rites. Nephews served as pallbearers. Arrangements were under direction of Eberley Funeral home.

TAX EXEMPTION
SAN FRANCISCO, March 18 (AP)—American forces in Australia have asked that their pay be exempt from the Australian income tax and it was understood the exemption would be granted, the Melbourne radio said today in a broadcast heard by CBS.

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Sanitation Projects Approved By WPA

SAN ANTONIO, March 18 (AP)—Community sanitation projects in military defense and industrial concentration areas in Bastrop and Harrison counties were among seven WPA projects authorized today, Starns S. Tucker, deputy administrator, announced.

Involving expenditures of \$179,318 in WPA funds and \$93,271 provided by sponsoring agencies, the projects by counties included:

Nueces—construct curbs, gutters, sidewalks and driveways along public thoroughfares in Corpus Christi; WPA \$18,373; city \$12,304; workers 27.

Shackelford—improve water system in Abilene; WPA \$75,464; city \$23,195; workers 215.

Harrison—eliminate insanitary devices in and adjacent to industrial concentration areas and military defense areas where sewer systems are impractical; WPA \$30,203; state health department and county \$9,035; workers 24.

One Dead, One Hurt As Plane Crashes

GREENVILLE, March 18 (AP)—H. A. Smalley, manager of an airport at Beaumont, was killed and a woman tentatively identified as Mrs. Milton Page of San Antonio was gravely injured when the small plane in which they were flying crashed eight miles south of here yesterday.

Smalley apparently attempted to land in a field. A wing up-ended, causing the crash. Ed Neal said the plane passed over his farm, then returned with the motor missing.

Mrs. Page was taken to a Greenville hospital.

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
Phillips Rawlins and Emma Georgia Lee Jackson.
Jerry Metcalf and Leta Mae Warren.
Ira Barnes Hartzog and Ruth Jane Thompson.

First Shot
America's first shot in World War I was not fired in France but in Guam by Corporal Michael Chockle of the U. S. Marines.

Red Cross Calendar

FIRST AID
Monday and Thursday, 7:30 o'clock to 9:30 o'clock at the Red Cross Headquarters for the Past Matrons' club and others. S. A. McCombs instructor.

Monday and Thursday, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock at the Crawford hotel ballroom for federal employees and others. C. C. Wilson and Otis Griffith instructors.

Monday and Thursday, 7 o'clock to 9 o'clock in the basement of the First Methodist church for the teachers. Otto Peters instructor.

Wednesday and Friday, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock, CAP and first aid class, at the airport building. H. C. Hamilton instructor, assisted by Dr. P. W. Malone, W. D. Berry, J. D. Falkner.

MONDAY AND THURSDAY, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock for Knott community at the Garner school. Neal Barnaby, instructor.

MONDAY AND THURSDAY, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock at Garden City high school. C. J. Lamb, instructor.

Tuesday and Friday, 7:30 o'clock to 9:30 o'clock at Montgomery Ward building for Montgomery Ward employees. C. S. Edmonds instructor.

Tuesday and Friday, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock for public employees at the district courtroom. Neal Barnaby instructor.

Tuesday and Friday, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock for Forsan community at the high school building. C. J. Lamb instructor.

Advanced class in First Aid, from 7 o'clock to 9 o'clock, at Red Cross headquarters. Lee Harris, instructor.

Tuesday and Friday, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock at the Baptist Church, for Vincent community. R. D. Hatch instructor.

Tuesday and Friday, 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock at the Chalk school building for Chalk community. C. C. Wilson instructor.

HOME NURSING CLASS
Tuesday and Friday, 9 o'clock to 11 o'clock, Crawford hotel, with Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., as instructor.

Tuesday and Friday, 3:30 o'clock to 5:30 o'clock at the Crawford hotel. Mrs. J. E. Hogan instructor.

Monday and Thursday, 7:30 o'clock to 9:30 o'clock, Crawford hotel, Jewel Barton instructor.

MODEST MAIDENS



"All he could get for you was a civilian."

Friendship Class Does Work For The Red Cross Tuesday

Tacking a comfort and taking another one for future work, the First Baptist Friendship class met at the Red Cross room Tuesday for work.

Mrs. John Knott, class chairman for Red Cross work, Mrs. Theo Andrews, class teacher, and Mrs. Tip Anderson, Mrs. C. O. Bishop, Mrs. Alton Underwood, Mrs. Earl Bibb, Mrs. Erwin Daniel attended.

Mrs. Robert Shipp Is Honored At Forsan Bridge Club Party

FORSAN, March 18. (Sp.)—Mrs. P. D. Lewis named Mrs. Robert Shipp, Jr., as honored guest when she entertained the Monday Night Club this week in her home. Gifts were presented to the hon-

oree who is a recent bride. Bridge and knitting provided the evening's diversion and defense stumps were won by Ella Bartlett and Mrs. Barnett Hinds in the bridge games.

Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. Bill Conger, Mrs. C. B. Connally, Mrs. Dan McRae, Mrs. Cagle Hunt, Mrs. W. B. Dunn, Margaret Jackson, Eleanor Martin, Pauline Morris, Aquilina West, Joanne Lewis, Darmabel McRae.

Mrs. Wayne Rash Is Complimented At Game Party

COLORADO CITY, March 18. (Sp.)—The first of several parties honoring Mrs. Wayne Rash whose marriage on Christmas Day was announced last week was given by Mrs. Gus Chesney at her home. Mrs. Rash is the former Hilma Joyce.

After games of Liverpool rummy were played the honoree was awarded high score and the prize which proved to be a shower of personal gifts from the hostess and guests.

A refreshment plate was served to Mrs. Rex McKenney, Mrs. Marion New, Mrs. John Tom Merritt, Mrs. Steve Pond, Mittie Lee Hood, Billie Marie Jones, and Mrs. Rash.

F.H.A. Club Holds Session In Home Of Jerrie Staha

Plans for a called meeting to be held Friday at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Steve Baker, sponsor, were made by F.H.A. club members Tuesday night in the home of Jerrie Staha.

A candy and cookie sale are to be planned at the called session. Discussion of rushes was held and refreshments served.

Others present were Helen Blount, Marilyn Keaton, Bobbie Sanders, Bobbie Jo Dunlap, Joyce Jones, Naomi Meade, Betty Alice Nobles, and Mrs. Baker.

Jackrabbits, considered a pest by farmers, have become a source of fats and oils used in soap compounds manufactured in Kansas.

Big Spring Hospital Notes

Asa McGuire, Garden City, had tonsillectomy Wednesday.

Mrs. E. S. Dorsett underwent surgery Wednesday.

Bud Maxwell had surgical operation Wednesday.

Marilyn Hamilton, Stanton, is improving steadily.

Joe Denlow is improving.

Mrs. Hayden Corbin was discharged Wednesday.

Margaret Turner, Kermit, is improving following mastoidectomy.

Luisa Salas, Stanton, returned home Wednesday following surgical treatment.

Mrs. W. M. Reed, Luther, remains in a critical condition.

Mrs. C. L. Russell is improving steadily.

G. M. Reading was able to return home Wednesday.

Mrs. Garland McMahan was admitted Wednesday for treatment.

John King, Ackerly, returned home Wednesday.

R. F. Dorsey, Coahoma, was able to return home Wednesday.

Ex-Colorado Star Honored As Marine

COLORADO CITY, March 18.—Rudel Glover, who starred in Colorado City high school football, is turning in a star performance again—this time as a United States Marine.

Word was received this week that Glover has been made honorary man in his platoon, the 218th. A certificate of efficiency and a medal were presented to him by his commanding officer, Lt. Col. Graff, in San Diego.

Glover is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glover.

Texas Hero For Whom Dawson Co. Named Met Death A Century Ago

LAMARCA, March 18.—One hundred years ago today, the man for whom Dawson county is named was ambushed as he rushed with a band of men to reinforce a Texas general who had surrounded a marauding band of Mexicans.

Captain Nicholas Mosby Dawson, 34-year-old veteran of the Texas war for independence, had mustered a band of 53 men to aid Col. Matthew Caldwell, who maneuvered to encircle a force of 1,400 Mexicans, under the command of the renegade Swiss general Adrian Woll, who had captured San Antonio in a surprise attack.

Just two miles from the field of battle, some 600 Mexicans ambushed the contingent under Captain Dawson, killing the commander and 40 others. The remaining 10 were captured.

Having executed this maneuver, Gen. Woll retired into San Antonio and then retreated cautiously back across the Rio Grande.

To avenge Captain Dawson and other Texans killed in the fight, a small army was mustered and sailed into Mexico with such misfortune that all who were not killed were captured.

A native of Kentucky, Captain

Dawson had moved to Tennessee while a youngster and came to Texas to settle in Fayette county when 26 years of age. He enlisted in the Texas army at Belasco Jan. 24, 1836 and served until May 1837. He was made a second lieutenant in company C of the army and became a captain of a group of volunteers under Col. John H. Moore.

MORE JAP RAIDS
NEW YORK, March 18 (AP)—Two new Japanese air raids today on the Solomon Islands east of Cape York were announced by Prime Minister John Curtin, an Australian broadcast said.

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Surface Work Starts Soon At Airport

Don Lee, CAA paving engineer, made a routine inspection of the municipal airport here Tuesday as preparations were made for initial surfacing operations.

City Manager E. J. McDaniel estimated that by next week paving of the east-west runway could be started. It was ready to receive the prime coat a few days ago when a flock of trainers alighted on the runway and necessitated dressing it again. As a result, this runway and the north-south one, along with taxi strips at both ends of the latter landing area, have been closed.

Rock supplies for topping are being laid in at the port and the plexiglass plant is about set-up and ready for operation. According to a work schedule, approximately 18 to 20 days should be required to install a 150-foot width of topping on a single runway.

WPA officials here a few days ago to check progress of the work and discuss the possibility of completing the surfacing on all sections of all runways were E. A. Baugh, assistant state administrator, his son, Dick, of San Antonio, John Burnside and F. W. Callahan, San Angelo, district WPA official.

11 Shorthorn Bulls Bring \$425 Average

FORT WORTH, March 18 (AP)—Eleven shorthorn bulls sold today at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show in the auction sponsored by the Texas Shorthorn Breeders' association, brought an average price of \$425.

Top price paid for a bull was \$1,500. W. A. Powell of Coleman was the buyer. The animal, Golden Oak Dauntless, was consigned to C. M. Caraway & Son of DeLeon.

Political Announcements

The Herald makes the following charges for political announcements, payable cash in advance:

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The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to action of the Democratic primary of July 28, 1943:

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For District Clerk
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GEORGE CHOATE

For County Judge—
J. S. GARLINGTON
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For Sheriff:
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For County Attorney
GEORGE THOMAS
H. C. HOOPER

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction
ANNE MARTIN
WALKER BAILEY
HERSCHEL SUMMERLIN

For County Treasurer—
MRS. IDA COLLINS

For County Clerk
LEE PORTER

For Tax Assessor-Collector
JOHN F. WOLCOTT

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—
J. E. (ED) BROWN

County Commissioner, Precinct 2—
H. T. (THAD) HALE
W. W. (POP) BENNETT

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—
RAYMOND L. (PANCHO) NALL

For Co. Commissioner, Prec. 4—
G. E. FRATHER
AKIN SIMPSON

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1:
WALTER GRICE

For Constable, Prec. 1
J. F. (JIM) CRENSHAW

Wool

BOSTON, March 18 (AP)—(USDA) Fine, combed territory wools were moved in fair quantities today at \$115-118, scored basis, in the Boston market. Graded three eighths blood combed territory wools sold at mostly \$102-103, scored basis.

STAMP SALES

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP)—Defense stamp sales totalled \$38,580,308 in February.

News Notes From The Oil Field COMMUNITIES

Ha Bartlett visited her parents in Lamesa over the weekend. Willard and Eleanor Martin also visited their parents in Garden City. Margaret Jackson, Forsan girl.

Markets At A Glance

NEW YORK, March 18 (AP)—The stock market was unable today to rekindle the bullish spark that animated yesterday's dealings and prices dipped fractions to about a point all along the line.

A slow decline was set in motion by profit selling after a generally higher opening. A few rails and rubbers were resistant but most industrial leaders were well under water at the close. Dealings dwindled to around \$20,000 shares for the session.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, March 18 (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 1700; calves 800; beef cattle slow, barely steady; calves and stockers firm; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 8.00-10.50, beef cows 7.00-9.00; canners and cutters 4.50-7.00; bulls 7.00-9.25; good and choice fat calves 10.50-12.00; culls 7.00-8.25; good and choice stocker calves 10.50-13.00.

Hogs 2000; mostly 10c lower; top 13.25.

Sheep 2300; market slow; few lambs and fat ewes steady.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS, March 18 (AP)—Cotton futures advanced here today on mill price fixing and the market closed 3 points net high-er.

	High	Low	Close
May	18.12	18.63	18.67
July	18.80	18.75	18.78B
Oct.	19.01	19.00	19.01B
Dec.	19.05	19.03	19.03B
Jan.	19.05	19.04	19.04B
Feb.	19.10	19.08	19.09B

B—bid.

Cotton

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Sealed proposals for constructing 98.871 miles of Seal Coat from the Coleman County Line to the Eastland County Line; From Roby to Rotan; From Nolan C.L. to Roby; Fr. 4 mi. South of Big Spring to Big Spring; Fr. Garza County Line to St. Hwy. 70; From Colorado City to Seurry C.L.; Fr. Sweetwater to Fisher C.L., Fr. U. S. Hwy. 380 to the Jones C.L.; Fr. 4 mi. South of Aspermont to Aspermont, on Highway Nos. US 80-A, US 83 & 206, 36, 70, U. S. 87, 380, St. 101 covered by Controls 423-2-6, 263-1-6, 263-5-6, 69-1-8-6-2, 298-2-3-6-5, 332-2-5, 263-6-4, 11-4-5, 33-1-10 & 106-5-3, in Callahan, Fisher, Howard, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Shackelford & Stoneval Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., March 25, 1943 and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer" Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)

Mechanic or Crane Operator	\$4.00
Mechanic	3.00
Carpenter	3.00
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Distributor Operator or Driver	4.00
Tractor Operator	4.00
Broom Operator	4.00
Spreader Box Operator	4.00
Truck Driver (over 1-1/2 tons)	4.00
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Weigher	4.00
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Pacific War Puts Dagger Over Vital U.S. Imports

IMPORTED IN 1940	FROM FAR EAST	FROM REST OF WORLD
TIN	124,810 LONG TONS	87%
RUBBER	818,242 LONG TONS	97%
HEMP (MANILA)	57,864 LONG TONS	99%

49 Calves, 12 Sheep Listed For Show

Forty-nine calves and 12 sheep have been entered from three counties to date in the annual district club livestock show here March 30-31.

More entries are expected for Mitchell and Scurry counties, possibly some from Borden and Dawson counties as well as from the Future Farmers of America chapter at Knott, here in Howard county.

Most of the animals entered to date come from the ranks of Howard county 4-H boys and the Coahoma FFA chapter, although some lambs have been entered from Glascock county and some calves from Martin county.

Ribbons for 10 places in the calf and lamb division, and for pigs as well as grand champions and reserves have been ordered. It was announced by the Howard County Fair association, sponsor of the event.

George White, chairman of the sales committee, said arrangements would be made before show time for disposing of calves that place in the show, probably at an auction sale.

Boys who have entered animals in the show are: Howard county 4-H boys with calves—W. D. Coates (3), James Edward Coates (2), Ralph Coates, W. J. Coates, Burrell Hull (2), J. D. Hyden, C. H. Hyden, Jr., Ross Hyden, Donald Jones (2), Wendell Lawrence, Fred Phillips, Harold Simpson, Delbert Simpson, Norvin Smith, Jr. (2), Jimmie Stallings (2), Louis E. Stallings, Jerrold Walker (2), Leland Wallace (3), and Willis Winters, Jr. (2).

Howard county 4-H boys with sheep—Joe Cerda, Whitney McConnell (2), Raymond Phillips and Frank Thieme (2).

Coahoma FFA boys with calves—Eddie Carpenter (2), D. C. Buch-

Here 'n There

C. E. Nelson and H. B. Bryant of Shreveport, La., were here Tuesday and Wednesday to make an inspection of the municipal airport with the idea of using similar roads as being employed in stabilizing runway base at the port. Nelson is parish superintendent at Shreveport and Bryant is police juror.

J. H. Greene, manager of the Big Spring chamber of commerce, will serve as attendance chairman for the annual Chamber of Commerce Managers Association of West Texas meeting at Plainview on April 10-11. A. B. Davis, Lubbock, is to be program chairman, and Raymond Lee Johns, formerly at Lamesa, as host manager.

Vollie Edward Borrelli, Knappa, and Murray Lee Bryant, Midland, left Tuesday evening for Dallas to enlist in the U. S. Navy Reserve as V-6. Borrelli, who has been in the AAA office here for a long time, is going in for yeoman service, while Bryant will be a carpenter's mate.

W. J. McAdams delivered his yearling crop this week to a Lubbock buyer who had closed the deal several days ago.

Co-Op Membership Meeting Saturday

Notices are being mailed to members of the Caprock Electric Cooperative, urging them to attend the annual membership meeting here Saturday, O. B. Bryan, superintendent, said Wednesday.

The session, strictly a business one, will be at 3 p. m. in the district courtroom.

Directors for the cooperative will be elected for one-year terms, and in turn directors will elect their officers.

Nearly a month ago the cooperative called its membership meeting but not enough turned out for a quorum.

Japanese Troops In Burma Are Raided

CHUNGKING, March 18 (AP)—Effective air attacks on Japanese troops, trucks and mechanized forces along the Sittang river in Burma were reported today in a communique from American volunteer group headquarters "somewhere in southern Yunnan province."

The raids were said to have inflicted heavy losses on mechanized units.

An American filer was credited with bringing down an enemy plane out of a force of five which attacked him.

Ship Survivors In Open Boat 38 Days

SUVA, Fiji Islands, March 18 (AP)—Eighteen survivors of two ships torpedoed by enemy submarines December 9, two days after the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor, reached safety today with harrowing tales of how 58 others were killed by shellfire, exposure and starvation.

Only seven persons reached land of the crew and passengers of the Donerall, the other 35 having perished.

There were only eleven survivors of the 34 aboard the tanker Prusa, M. Chambers of Sydney, a crew member of the Donerall, told a story of great hardships on a 38-day voyage in an open lifeboat.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Much warmer this afternoon in the Panhandle and somewhat warmer elsewhere than on Tuesday. Not quite so cold tonight as last night.

EAST TEXAS: Warmer tonight. Sunset today, 7:56; sunrise Thursday, 7:51.

Temperatures—	Max.	Min.
Abilene	66	30
Amarillo	51	24
BIG SPRING	60	32
Chicago	41	35
Denver	42	31
El Paso	63	32
Fort Worth	71	36
Galveston	76	55
New York	42	38
St. Louis	42	35

County Agents Hold Poultry Discussion

County farm and home demonstration agents of this district were assembled here today to study plans for promotion of poultry raising as a part of the farm war effort.

After hearing discussions of the subject during the morning, they were to visit outstanding flocks during the afternoon.

George P. McCarthy, extension service poultry specialist, was principal speaker.

Texas Oil Output Further Reduced

AUSTIN, March 18 (AP)—Texas oil operators today faced further crude production slashes in view of the recommendation by Federal Oil Coordinator Harold L. Ickes that the state's total oil yield be 1,134,000 barrels daily in April. The coordinator's figure was 4,500 barrels a day below that of his recently-amended March recommendation which caused the state railroad commission to add four production shutdown days this month, bringing the March total to 13.

Texas wells produced an average of 1,295,000 barrels of crude daily last week.

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Scout First Aid Tests To Be Held Thursday Night

Teams representing most of the Boy Scout troops in Big Spring and perhaps some of the other units in this district will participate in the annual district first aid eliminations here Thursday evening.

Winning team in the contests for Boy Scouts will represent the district in the council contest at Odessa Saturday, unless it should be a senior troop. In that case a regular unit also will be privileged to go to Odessa.

The contest here starts at 8 p. m., although teams are to be on hand for inspection half an hour earlier. The place is the high school gymnasium and the chief judge is Lee Harris.

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Picture above are five Texas girls who have chosen professional modeling as their career. Which of them shall we see as "Miss Pearl of 1942"? Last year you chose Miss Jim Fullenbore, and she is now in Hollywood, famous as the "most photographed model in the world". Now help us choose for 1942. Tell us which of these girls we should see in Pearl advertising and display.

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With Rubber Shortage, Salvaging Of Golf Balls Now Big Business

MIAMI, Fla., March 18. (AP)—The rubber crisis has boosted the salvaging of golf balls from water hazards into the realm of a big business which today received official recognition from the Professional Golfers' Association.

by a gasoline-driven air pump, and, if the pickings are good, move in a dredge that lifts balls by the hundreds from their hiding places. They estimate that some golf courses have as many as 1,000,000 lost balls in water holes today, and any number have up to \$50,000.

That's not potatoes, said Corcoran. "That may mean the continuation of golf as recreation for many hundreds of people who otherwise would have to quit. Retrieved balls can be used for practice or for shots where a good ball might be lost, and the new ones saved for real play."

Baseball Free To Soldiers In Some Cities

By the Associated Press Service men will see Texas league ball games free of charge in at least four parks this year.

Hollywood Defending Titlists Advance In AAU Cage Tourney

DENVER, March 18. (AP)—The National AAU basketball championship trophy is a hard thing to keep around the house from one year to another.

Six brand new players, led by Capt. Hank Luisetti, and three veterans from the 1940 national titleholders.

A crisp-passing combination from Ouchita college in Arkansas. Seven of the eight seeded teams have come through safely.

47 to 23 for their 48th triumph against five losses. Texas has a sharpshooting team from Dallas led by Grover Keeton, of Southern Methodist, although it had a hard fight in outscoring Colorado college 59 to 54. Keeton shot 21 points.

Sports

The Big Spring Daily Herald

Ball Park Signs And Box Seats Are Being Sold

Encouraging response has greeted efforts to sell sign space at Bomber park, local baseball leaders have indicated.

son until revenues begin to come in steadily.

Nooncaster Will Stay On As Coach At Brownfield

LUBBOCK, March 18. (AP)—The Lubbock Avalanche says that Aubra Nooncaster, head coach at Brownfield high school, had signed a two-year contract at a substantial raise and would not accept a coaching job at Mexia high school.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLEBTON, JR. Wide World Sports Columnist

RADIO LOG

- Wednesday Evening
5:01 Johnny Richards Orch.
5:15 W. A. O'Carroll.
5:30 Tommy Dorsey's Orch.
5:45 10-3 and 4 Ranch.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Hymns You Know and Love.
6:30 Lone Ranger.
7:00 Vocal Varieties.
7:15 Hank Keep in Town.
7:30 Life With the Armed Forces.
8:00 Spelling Bee.
8:30 Guy Lombardo's Orch.
8:45 News.
8:50 Musical Interlude.
9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
9:15 Henry King's Orchestra.
9:30 Dance Hour.
9:45 News.
Thursday Morning
7:00 Musical Clock.
7:30 Star Reporter.
7:45 It's Just About Time.
8:00 Morning Devotional.
8:15 Musical Impressions.
8:30 Morning Concert.
8:45 Rhythm Rumble.
9:00 News of the Hour.
9:15 Australian News.
9:30 Singing Strings.
9:45 Cheer Up Gang.
10:00 Neighbors.
10:15 BBC News.
10:30 Melody Strings.
10:45 Choir Loft.
11:00 News.
11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
11:10 KBST Preview.
11:15 Songs by Bing Crosby.
U. S. Navy Band.
11:30 Thursday Afternoon
12:00 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
12:15 What's The Name Of That Band.
12:30 News of the Air.
12:45 Singing Sam.
1:00 Cedric Foster.
1:15 School Forum.
1:30 School of the Air.
2:00 Mutual Goose Calling.
2:30 Camp Grant in Review.
3:00 Richard Eaton.
3:15 Dance Time.
3:30 Johnson Family.
3:45 Boake Carter.
4:00 David Cheeking.
4:15 In the Future.
4:30 Afternoon Swing Session.
Thursday Evening
5:00 Prayer.
5:01 To Be Announced.
5:15 W. A. O'Carroll.
5:30 Benny Goodman.
5:45 Treasury Department Program.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Hymns You Know and Love.
6:30 Confidentially Yours.
6:45 Piesantdale Folks.
7:00 Sinfonetta.
7:30 Life With the Armed Forces.
8:00 Sports Review.
8:15 Jack Starr Hunt.
8:30 Dance Hour.
8:45 News.
8:50 Musical Interlude.
9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
9:15 Ruby Newman's Orch.
9:30 Your Defense Reporter.
9:45 News.
10:00 Off.

Notes From The Training Camps

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 18. (AP)—The New York Giants came here today for the first 15 games with the Cleveland Indians, who are gloating over the pitching ability of Ray Post, up from Cedar Rapids of the Three-Eye league.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 18. (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, seeking their ninth straight Grapefruit triumph, designated Bill Lohrman, Lon Warneke and Harry Breechen to pitch today against the Boston Red Sox.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 18. (AP)—Funnies incident of the spring training season happened yesterday when the New York Yankees' shortstop, 5-foot 5-inch Phil Rizzuto, stood right up and argued with 6-foot 4-inch umpire Cal Hubbard about a third strike.

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 18. (AP)—Young Don Kolloway, the Chicago White Sox second sacker, got six hits against the Chicago Cubs and the Philadelphia A's in the past two days.

Texans To Fight In GG Matches

FORT WORTH, March 18. (AP) Four Texans will fight in the intercity Golden Gloves matches at New York March 30.

Tate And Bristow Beats Balch Team

Tate and Bristow kaglers beat the Balch Boat Shop crew, two games to one, in Young Business Men's league matches at the Simon lanes Tuesday evening.

Texas To Get War Industry

AUSTIN, March 18. (AP)—A \$5,000,000 war industry will come to Texas but details of its location and operation have not been disclosed.

Steers Take Second Straight Over OU

AUSTIN, March 18. (AP)—Despite its inexperience the University of Texas baseball team is starting out like its predecessors, frequent Southwest conference champions.

Miners Invest In Flagpoles

BENTON, Ill.—Employee of the Old Ben mines in Franklin county decided they should show their patriotism. They contributed the funds and arranged for the erection of flagpoles at each of the company's mines.

Ex-Dodgers Have Personal Urge In Pirates' Buildup

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif., March 18. (AP)—There are four ex-Dodgers in the Pittsburgh Pirates' lineup this year who would like to make a bum out of the leader of the Brooklyn Bums—Leo Durocher.

Coaches Behind The Champ—'1 Lesson Should Do' Was Jolt Handed To Coach By Golfer Betty Hicks Newell

By ROBERT MYERS Wide World Features

LONG BEACH, Calif. — Four years ago a mother telephoned Golf Professional Larry Gleason at the Virginia Country Club and said:

"I think my daughter has great possibilities to become a champion golfer. I would like for you to give her a lesson."

"I'll never forget that first meeting with Betty," Gleason recalled. "She wore glasses, had her hair brushed back in a short boyish-cut and was very serious."

"What? Do you mean I have to take more than one lesson?" she then 16-year-old Miss Hicks demanded.

"I told her she'd have to take another lesson, and probably many more before she would become a golfer. We've laughed about that many times since," says Gleason.

"To continue, however, Betty had a natural swing and something even more important — a grim determination to become a champion player. I gave her seven or eight lessons, and then another series of ten. On her first 18 holes she shot a 98. After that she kept cutting it down and there was no stopping her."

Gleason's leading pupil today is willowy Clara Callender, the sweetheart of California golfer. Gleason thinks she is a better golfer than Betty, but lacks that competitive spirit which propelled 21-year-old Mrs. Newell along golf's gold trail.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Newell, relinquishing her amateur crown for the career of a pro, has embarked on a busy schedule. She is working at Long Beach's recreation park golf shop, doing all the chores of a real pro. She gives lessons, mends clubs and sells equipment. She has a contract with a sporting goods company to sell and design equipment, she makes numerous public appearances and next year hopes to lead the way toward establishing a real winter golf tournament schedule for women in California.

Rotary Whips Lion Golfers

The "old men" of Rotary were running away with the golf matches against Lions' club players, in scores reported to date in the local service club roundups, having chalked up a total of 23 points to the Lions 6.

Kiwanis and American Business club players are contesting, but results had not been posted.

Scoring is on a point basis, with a marker for the first nine, the second nine, and 18-hole total.

Results of matches reported: M. K. House, Rotary, over C. L. Rowe, Lions, 5-0.

Ira Thurman, Rotary, over Mack Wright, Lions, 5-0.

W. S. Crook, Rotary, over Lawrence Robinson, Lions, 5-0.

E. O. Ellington, Rotary, over J. E. Hogan, Lions, 3-0.

Pat Kenney, Rotary, over Pete Howe, Lions, 3-0.

J. O. Vineyard, Lions, over Tommy Jordan, Rotary, 3-0.

Speedy Nugent, Lions, over Ray Godfrey, Rotary, 3-1.

Border Conference Track Meet May 1-2

TUCSON, Ariz., March 18. (AP)—C. Z. Lecher, secretary of the Border conference, said today a poll conducted by conference president E. J. Knapp of Texas Mines had approved holding of the track, golf and tennis meet at Tempe, Ariz., May 1 and 2 instead of May 8-9.

This was done to conform to earlier commitments, Lecher said.

Conference representatives held their annual meeting at the same time.

Max Butcher, a 17-game winner, heads the hurling staff. It shapes up as most promising, with such players as Rip Sewell, John Lanning, Bob Klingler, Ken Helms, Johny Barrett, up from Hollywood; Oully Rikard, who joined the Buccos from Memphis 1st fall, and John Wyrostek, a New Orleans elouter. Frisco has left-hand hitting this year for a change.

Her husband, Frank, is a splendid amateur golfer. He works in an aircraft plant here. It was to help establish a nest-egg that Betty surrendered her amateur title, but she hopes in time to regain her amateur status. She has no idea how much money she'll make as a pro, but she entered the professional ranks to make money — and her record shows that this hard-headed young lady has a way of getting what she goes after.

Eight Aggies Get Basketball Letters

COLLEGE STATION, March 18. (AP)—The Texas A. and M. college athletic council today awarded letters in basketball to eight players.

Receiving the numerals were Captain Bill Henderson, Houston; Captain-elect R. E. Bayer, Houston; Mike Kokinos, Beaumont; Leland Huffman, Stephenville; Ray Jarrett, Stephenville; Fred Nabors, Little Elm; Leslie Peden, Aris, and Bill Underwood, Houston.

Whitey Baccus Into Naval Reserve

DALLAS, March 18. (AP)—Forrest (Whitey) Baccus, Southern Methodist University varsity basketball and freshman football coach, will report to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis after being sworn in today as a lieutenant, junior grade, in the United States naval reserves.

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Editorial— MacArthur's The Man

The cheering news to the anti-MacArthur world that General Douglas MacArthur now is in supreme command of the United Nations operations in the Australian region carries double significance. It is important first because the appointment recognizes the amazing leadership which has made effective the historic defense of the Philippines. It is important also because it points up the newly made assertions from Washington that our course in the war is to assume the offensive.

There had been many open suggestions that General MacArthur be placed in a position to use his abilities on a broader scale. The world has been convinced that, in this one man, the United Nations have the outstanding military leader of the generation. His record

in the Philippines proved it. And it should be remembered that the glory of the MacArthur record is not altogether in the valiant stand being made at Bataan, but it is also in the foresight and planning he demonstrated long ago in anticipating the menace to the islands and adopting a strategy to combat it when it came.

The major weakness on too many other fronts was that there was no such anticipation. There was none in France; there was none in Singapore; it is to be admitted shamefully that there was precious little of it in Hawaii.

MacArthur's task in the supreme command will be first to map full scale action against the Japanese; and those who are familiar with the concept of the Philippine operation are confident that he will devise a broad strategy that will

be effective against the enemy. Another glorious fact in the MacArthur appointment is that it carries with it a resurgence of confidence in the allied cause. The man in the street is quick to say "There's the guy who can whip 'em"; and if that is true, think of the spirit that is soaring within the fighting forces themselves—Americans, Australians, Dutch and British alike. They know that here is a commander who will lead them, and one they can follow.

Every indication permissible under the censorship of war is that MacArthur will be given a fighting force with which to work. If he is, we can confidently look to a shift in the trend in the southwest Pacific. It will be no overnight job, but it can and will be accomplished. MacArthur is the man to do it.

Man About Manhattan— Jive Is Plenty Dangerous

By GEORGE TUCKER
NEW YORK—Outside of an occasional dislocated hip for too much jitterbugging I never caught modern swing carried many perils. Now Les Hite, the well known negro band leader, disabuses this complacency with a few choice incidents out of his own experience.

"I used to get colds in my left ear all the time," he says, "because I sat next to an accordionist whose instrument leaked and blew cold air into my ear."

Anything really goofy?
"Yes," says Hite, "violinists have been known to lose their eyesight because of a split catgut, and trombonists have inflicted brain concussions by violently extending their slides against the skulls of musicians sitting in front of them. I used to know a vibraphonist, with Benny Goodman, who came in out of the rain and almost electrocuted himself by touching the

electric instrument before he was dry. Once the strings of a bull fiddle snapped and knocked the fiddler unconscious. Walter Gross, the CBS conductor, broke his collar bone when the lid of a grand piano fell on him. You gotta be careful if you fool around with that stuff. Swing, I mean. It's dynamite. I play sax."

Washington Daybook— Uncle Sam Makes Lots Of Movies, But Congress Balks At Disney Bill

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON—The fact that Congress refused to pay Walt Disney \$80,000 for the treasury department short, "Donald Duck Pays His Income Tax," is a bigger snicker than any in the amusing little picture.

If some are feeling sorry for Walt, they can save their sympathies. He will get paid all right, all right—even if it has to come out of the president's private war chest, though it probably won't have to. The treasury has other funds available that probably apply.

Proof that Disney isn't worrying is that he already is at work on another treasury department short—this time, I believe, with Donald going all out for the purchase of war savings stamps and bonds.

The sneaker in the whole business is that congress has for years been appropriating funds which made it possible for Uncle Sam to become

the biggest producer of short subjects in the world. The production is so scattered through the scores of government departments and agencies that it would be impossible to even estimate the number of pictures Uncle Sam has produced, but there is hardly an unusual or interesting activity of the government that hasn't been put on film.

These generally are referred to as "documentary films," but not all of them would qualify under the strictest definition of that term. Many of them are as simply informative and propagandist as the Donald Duck opus.

The government "documentaries" really really came to public attention some years ago when Pare Lorentz, the one-time movie critic, produced several pictures, including "The Plow That Broke the Plains" and "The River."

Since then, the stream has been a steady one. The point is that if congress is going to crack down on this form of letting the public see

what is going on behind the scenes of government, and the war effort, it had better move fast.

That little stream of "documentaries" is bursting out of its banks. We already have such films as "Women in War Work," with Katharine Hepburn reading the script by Mrs. Roosevelt; "Bomber," the story of construction of war plane, with comments by Carl Sandburg; and Orson Welles, the original radio man from Mars, telling the story of "Tanks."

Walt Disney's efforts with Donald Duck are just a small part of the Washington film business. Directors Frank Capra, William Wyler and John Ford are all spending a lot of time here making pictures for the army and navy and marine corps. Garin Kanin is doing some work for OEM, and Producer Kenneth MacGowan is directing the production of films here for consumption in South and Central America as part of our inter-American affairs campaign.

SHOW BOAT GIRL

Chapter 12
Plot By Dolores
Appalled, Melissa stood still, and before she could escape Alice looked up and saw her. Instantly Alice jerked erect and her white face was convulsed by the effort to check her tears.

"I'm terribly sorry, Alice—I wasn't snooping, honestly," said Melissa in a swift, abject apology. "I just wanted to ask you something—and I didn't realize that I was moving so quietly you couldn't hear me."

Alice sniffed, blew her nose vigorously and said unsteadily, "It's all right, Mel. I'm glad it was you that caught me off-center instead of that hell-cat of a Dolores! Sorry I stopped over. Just forget it, will you, babe?"

"Of course," answered Melissa instantly, and then in a little warm rush of words she said swiftly, "I'm terribly sorry you're unhappy, Alice. I don't suppose there's anything I can do, but if there is, you know how glad I'd be—"

Alice managed a grin that contained a faint remembrance of her usual gaiety.

"Thank, Mel. I know you would," she answered. "But there's not much anybody can do. It's just that—well, I guess I'm homesick for my baby! Darn it, why wouldn't I be? He's only eight months old, and he's growing up without his mother around, and—well, a baby only grows up once, and—it's only right that his mother should have the fun of watching him do it, isn't it?"

"Of course!" Melissa was vigorous about it. "But I didn't even know you had a baby, Alice."

"Very few people do," said Alice grimly. "Our agent tried to tell us we were a couple of fools when we decided to turn down all contracts for a year while we retired and had a baby. He said we could never 'come back.' We were at the top of the heap, dancing in the swankiest New York night spots, and they wanted us for a movie."

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here like this," said Dolores cool, insolent voice above their absorbed heads, "but if you are really fishing, you might be interested to know there's a fish on your line. The pole is bent almost double."

Alice sat up and stared at the bobbing cork with wide, startled eyes. She looked up at Dolores and then at Melissa and laid a finger against her lip in a "shushing" gesture. "Be quiet and maybe he'll go away," she whispered dramatically. "He's making a big mistake. He doesn't really want to be caught—he just got in here by error."

Dolores snapped harshly, "Oh, don't be a fool!" and walked away.

Alice landed the fish, silvered and shimmering, and Melissa and the struggling creature and slid him back into the water, where with a grateful flip of his tail he sped away.

"And let that be a lesson to you not to go around snapping at everything that looks good to eat," Alice called after him.

Randy, coming along the deck toward them, chuckled as he greeted them. "I'm driving 'em down on an errand or two—like to go along?" he asked them both, but his eyes were on Melissa with an almost pleading look.

"I'd love it," she answered instantly, while Alice pleaded lazily as her excuse for not going.

Missela sped away to dress for the trip to town. When she came back, it was to find Randy waiting in the car beside the tiny pier. But her heart stumbled and fell flat on its face as she saw that Dolores, slim and cool and smart in pale blue linen and a shady white hat, sat beside him.

For a moment Melissa fought her tears. She didn't want to go if Dolores was going. But that was childish and she couldn't on the spur of a moment think of a graceful way of evading the trip. And so, trying very hard not to display her disappointment, she climbed into the car while Dolores, smiling sweetly, graciously slid closer to Randy to make room for her.

Dolores was in excellent spirits. Obviously she was crowing a bit at having spotted any chance Melissa might have had to get Randy herself for the drive. Melissa was too sunk in her own disappointment to be conscious that Randy was a bit curt with Dolores or that he did not seem at all delighted at her little affectionate terms or proprietary gestures.

Several men came over to their case, their admiring eyes on Dolores, who was gay and charming and, Melissa thought privately, a little silly. One or two of the men asked Dolores to dance; Jimmy and Melissa danced. It was all very gay and pleasant—until Jimmy was called away from the table and Dolores and Melissa were alone for a moment.

Dolores spoke half under her breath, but her tone stung with its venom. "Of course it's not really any of my business, but I do think that a certain amount of decent gratitude to Ace is indicated just here. Or would you be just an ill-mannered brat from the backwoods who never heard of gratitude?"

Missela stared, wide-eyed, too puzzled for the moment to be angry. "Gratitude to Randy? Of course I'm grateful to him—I'd do anything for Randy!" she protested hotly.

"Then why not prove it by being a little more human to Jimmy Marston? His dad could make or break Ace tomorrow if he wanted to. Marston owns a three fourths interest in the River Queen, and he'd kick Ace out without a moment's hesitation if Jimmy wanted him to," said Dolores grimly. "And if you keep on snooting Jimmy he's liable to lose his temper. And who are you to snoot Jimmy Marston, anyway?"

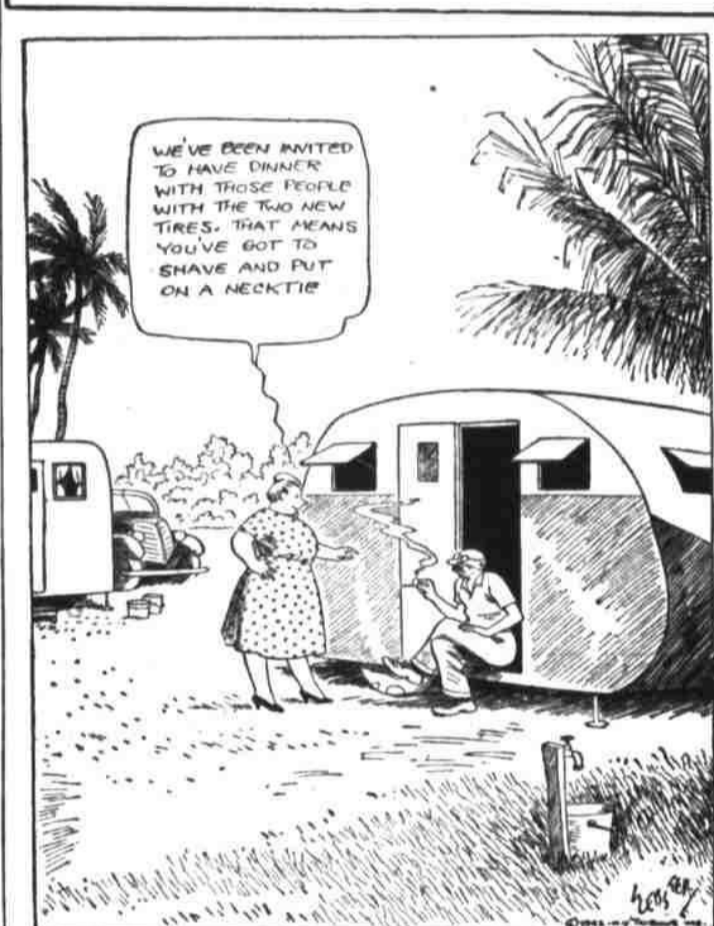
"You mean if I'm nice to Jimmy, his father will be a decently to Randy?" asked Melissa, bewildered.

"You catch on quick, don't you?" answered Dolores. "But Randy doesn't want me to be nice to Jimmy. He didn't want me to dance with him the other night—" Melissa stammered.

"That's because Ace bends over backward about a fool thing called pride," snapped Dolores crossly. "He'd starve, or be kicked out of business before he'd ask a woman's help. But I know what I'm talking about."

To Be Continued

Trailer Tintypes



Hollywood Sights And Sounds— Lotta Guys Slept Through Raid

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—A movie critic I know was awakened from a sound sleep one recent morning by the jangling of his phone. He had been to a preview the evening before.

"What's that think of the show?" asked his old friend Joe.

"Show?" He yawned, then recalled. "Oh, I thought it was fair. A little weak in the middle, and the ending was sort of tired."

The voice on the line was incredulous. "Just what," it demanded, "are you talking about?"

"Why, the preview—aren't you?"

"Great guns, no! Man, we had a blackout—shooting—flares—everything! And you're talking about a movie!"

You'd be surprised how many people around here had the same experience. The greatest spectacle Hollywood ever saw, greater than it ever dreamed of for its celluloid make-believe, and they slept through it! It's incredible. It's mortifying, as Jimmy Durante would say.

And I know, I was one of 'em.

Still and all, I don't know any of us who have clamored for a re-showing of this particular fea-

ture. We have read the reviews, found them unanimously favorable as to beauty of production and sound of theme (defense), and are content.

The next day Hollywood was making movies as usual.

Making movies. . . . On days when the headlines are skyscrapers of type and as black as the news they convey, making movies doesn't seem very important. But then you drop in on a movie like "The Remarkable Andrew" and you see a fantastic comedy about a town clerk who gets in a jam with crooked politicians and is helped out of it by the practical ghosts of a few old-timers like Jackson, Washington, Jefferson, Marshall, Ben Franklin. It's a comedy, but you come out of it reminded anew of what's the shooting's all about.

Or you hark back to "All That Money Can Buy" and Daniel Webster delivering that tinging speech to the jury.

Or you think about this speech George Bancroft, in a hubbub, in the movie "Synecdoche," gives to some younger, disheartened companions: "You came into

this world bow-legged and naked. God grant you've grown to men—free men who can live and laugh and love in this free land of ours, stretching 3,000 miles from coast to coast, filled with the joy of life. This isn't the end of the world right here. We are all on our way somewhere—some place."

And then making movies doesn't seem so much like cutting out paper dolls while the house burns up.

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There are several cases of typhus fever in the county now. Rats spread this disease through fleas, and the most sanitary person may accidentally get a flea on him.

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Tea For Several
Reaching the city, Randy parked the car near an office building and excused himself to attend to some business. There was nothing for the two girls to do but sit in the car, waiting for Randy's return.

Dolores didn't bother to talk to Melissa. She slid beneath the wheel, resting her hands upon it, as she looked out into the hot, sunny air, humming a little song. And Melissa was perfectly willing to be as silent.

A tall young man coming toward them from the office building greeted them with every outward indication of delight, his eyes lingering on Melissa.

"Hello, you two," he greeted them, and Melissa recognized Jimmy Marston. "Ace sent me out to tell you that he's going to be tied up for a moment more. He and Dad are up to their ears in skull-duggery of some sort—and so I am to have the honor of taking you two fair femmes to tea! Please look very excited and very thrilled."

"But we are, of course—only Melissa's shy!" said Dolores sweetly and warmly. "How very nice of you to take pity on us!"

"It's a pleasure," Jimmy beamed happily. "My car's right over here. We'll leave Ace's here so he can join us."

He took them to the city's smartest tea rendezvous, and Melissa, looking about her, would have loved it if Randy, instead of Jimmy Marston, had been with them. But Jimmy was trying hard to be pleasant and smiling, and she forced herself to rise to the occasion.

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10. Cosmetic	38. Part of a wooden joint	39. Peacock butterflies
11. Pen	40. Location	41. Cape or headland
12. Cock	42. Move of wheels	43. Present
13. Color	44. Aerial rail-ways; colling	45. Frighten
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9. Crawling ant-	36. Dication	37. Units
10. Cosmetic	38. Part of a wooden joint	39. Peacock butterflies
11. Pen	40. Location	41. Cape or headland
12. Cock	42. Move of wheels	43. Present
13. Color	44. Aerial rail-ways; colling	45. Frighten
14. Contend with successfully	46. Aerial rail-ways; colling	47. Present
15. Part of a wooden joint	48. Mexican corn meal	49. Present
16. Extended journey	50. Mexican corn meal	51. Present

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

- 1. Unit of work
- 2. Chagrin
- 3. Measure of capacity
- 4. Enlist
- 5. Mooncalf
- 6. Too
- 7. Give back
- 8. Saying
- 9. Buried
- 10. Short letter
- 11. French anatomy
- 12. Pronoun
- 13. Intelligence
- 14. Proper usage of personal dignity
- 15. American Indian
- 16. Singing
- 17. Back
- 18. Minuteman
- 19. Abandoned vessel
- 20. From
- 21. Buried to a high pitch
- 22. Bird
- 23. Feel one's way
- 24. Sustained
- 25. Musical com-
- 26. Quarter's stick
- 27. Make amends
- 28. Slip up
- 29. Old-time
- 30. For fear that
- 31. Green island



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Soil Conservation Program Proves Its Value

Savings in soil prevented from washing away will pay the cost of a soil conservation demonstration north of town, in the opinion of Melvin Choate, operator of one of the farms in the demonstration area.

In former years, each big rain either washed the sandy soil over young crops or flowed into a lake south of Choate's place. But one year's experience with a cooperatively planned demonstration has stopped that.

"I can't say in dollars and cents how much the program has been worth, but I will say that I would not like to go back to the old system and let all my soil wash away," said Choate.

The conservation system was planned and installed early last spring on the watershed that drains through the city cemetery and has at times caused severe damage there.

The city had planned an expensive diversion system to protect the cemetery, but during the past year with the rainfall more than 10 inches above normal, all the water was held on the farm land and did not run off to damage property below.

Woman's Volunteer Army Is Authorized In House Vote

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP)—A bill establishing a women's army auxiliary corps of volunteers to take over many of the military forces' behind-the-lines assignments was passed yesterday by the house, despite protests that it was silly and an affront to American manhood.

The measure was sent to the senate on a roll call vote of 249 to 86 after Rep. Edith Nourse Rogers (R-Mass.), its author, took the floor to remind her colleagues of the heroism of women in the nation's early days, and to assert that those of modern times were as willing to make sacrifices for their country.

From scattered seats on the house floor during the three-hour debate came vigorous outcries against formation of the petticoat corps, after the bill's backers argued that it would release thousands of soldiers for combat duty.

It prevented the army from sending any of the volunteers overseas with the American expeditionary forces without their consent.

Given them the same present- or future-pension rights, compensation and disability benefits, and hospitalization as that written into law for the regular armed forces.

As drafted, the measure would give the W. A. A. C. volunteers the benefits prescribed by law for government civilian employees who are injured or killed on duty—a provision which Rep. Nichols (D-Okla.) described as far from adequate.

"These women are going to share the dangers of the AEF," he shouted. "This provision will put them in the same status as a clerk in an air-cooled, steam-heated government building; it will give them the same treatment given elevator operators."

"How do you think the girls are going to like that when they are out there dodging bombs?"

His move to place them on the same basis as soldiers was rejected by standing vote of 70 to 31.

The legislation, which has been supported by the war department, would open up the ranks to women 21 to 44 years old, inclusive, who are able to pass the physical requirements. An attempt to lift the ceiling to 50 years was turned down, 46 to 21.

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Garner FFA Group Visits Stock Show

KNOTT, March 18 (Sp) — The F. F. A. boys of Garner school took advantage of the special F. F. A. Boys of Texas day at the Fort Worth stock show Saturday and with their instructor, W. C. Hadley, spent the weekend at the show. Making the trip were Joe McGaskins, Elmer Anderson, James Jeffcoat, E. L. Toman, Jr., Eugene Long, Edward Burchell, Frank Goodman, R. D. Burchell, Donald Wood, Bill Newton, Herschell Matkies, Billy Hopper, Auldson Clanton, Raymond Stallings and guests were James Hughes, Robert Brown, Oscar Gaskins and Mr. Hadley.

Public Survey Chief Now Is In The Navy

AUSTIN, March 18 (AP)—It's Ensign Joe Belden of the navy now and the Belden Polls of Texas Opinion and Student Opinion Surveys of America will be discontinued.

Belden's polls were subscribed to by a number of Texas newspapers and college student periodicals over the nation. They were conducted from an office on the University of Texas campus.

Dallas Group Will Stop Here On April 21

Dallas boosters, out on their 41st annual business tour, will make Big Spring a stopping point on April 21, the local chamber of commerce has been advised.

There will be approximately 70 business men on the trip, accompanied by a band of 85 pieces and a few other entertainers, including the Early Birds of WFAA, the Casa County Kids and Peg Moreland.

The Big Spring stop is one of many on the tour itinerary from April 20 to 24. The delegation comes here after whistling by during the night to Odessa, then doubling back to Midland and here. From Big Spring, after presenting an hour's street show starting at 11:10 a. m., the group will press on to Colorado City.

Bob Bourdane, Dallas chamber of commerce manager, and Paul Jones, publicity director for the state fair, will be here soon to complete arrangements for the trippers.

Glass Fiber Board Introduced As New Type Of Insulation Material

NEW YORK, March 18 (AP)—A new war material, glass boards, made of glass fibers finer than any human hair, was announced here today by the Owens-Corning Fiberglass corporation.

These glass boards are intended as substitutes for cork, which comes from Spain and Portugal and is getting short. The new glass may not make good bottle corks, but it will replace cork for very cold refrigerator insulation and for roof insulation.

Both purposes directly affect the war effort, the low temperature refrigeration for military and civilian food preservation and the roofing material for war factories. New roofs are expected to require 300,000,000 board feet of insulation in the next two years, mainly for war plants. Refrigeration will take over 200,000,000 board feet this year.

The glass fibers are finer than anything existing in nature except

O. Henry Landmark In Austin Razed

AUSTIN, March 18 (AP) — Another O. Henry landmark in Austin is fast disappearing.

Workers have practically completed tearing down the old First National bank building where in the early 1890's, Will S. Porter, later to become one of the world's greatest masters of the short story, was a clerk.

Double Time
At one time U. S. Marines serving at foreign stations were credited for double time. Two years in China gave a man four years credit toward retirement.

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elderdown. They are so fine that laid end to end the fiber produced in the United States in one day would reach to the sun and back again.

Fought Pirates
In the early days of the Marine Corps Leathernecks fought pirates in Tripoli, the West Indies and Quallah Battoo, Sumatra.

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Harrison Wood, Varny Jones, Loyd Denny and Dennis Walker, all employed in a manufacturing plant in California, arrived here Friday morning to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Herschell Smith left Sunday to visit her daughter and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor of Grand Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Nichols returned Saturday from Marlin where he has been for the past two months for medical treatment. His condition is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Castle and Floyd and Mrs. Tom Castle returned from a trip to El Paso where they visited Arlen Martin, sister of Mrs. Tom Castle and father of Floyd. He is stationed at Fort Bliss. The group also visited Capt. George Bond, former Martin county agent, and Mrs. Bond, and Jim Smith, son of Mrs. W. H. Ward of Moore, who has been confined to the hospital there with a broken leg for the last month and a half.

Twenty attended the first aid instruction class at the Garner gym. Members of the line for the certificate were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Spraggins, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barbee, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burks, Lila Castle, Mrs. Edna Weed, Mary Len Crawford, Mrs. Farris Bass, Mrs. Lola Avant, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. Katherine McCauley, Mrs. Ada Knightstep, Mrs. Gladys Sanderson, Mrs. Margie Adams, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stallings, W. A. Burchell, Mr. King, Mrs. J. D. McGregor and W. C. Hadley.

Margaret Joyce Roman entertained with a "tacky" party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roman recently. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served to Juanita Brown, Helen Large, Nona Faye Gibbs, Margaret Brown, Wynell Jones, Josephine Brown, Wynell Long, Doris Jones, Buck Jones, Dennis Walker, Billie Gale Hopper, Eugene Long, Auldson Clanton, Bobbie Roman, Joe Brown, Jack Hopper, Neal Fryar, James Hughes, E. L. Roman, Dennis Hughes, Hildred Roman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rainey of Plains, who have been visiting here with her father, Jim Jones, left this week for California where he plans to enter a defense project.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Riggan and daughters, Wanda Faye and Mrs. Earl Feathers have returned from El Paso where they visited Corp. George Feathers and Earl Feathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierson Morgan and son of Forsan visited her parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sanderson, over the weekend.

Johnnie Roy Phillips, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips has been confined to the hospital with a serious eye infection for the last three days. At the last report his condition was improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Peugh are the parents of a nine and a half pound son born Thursday morning at the Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer have gone into the chicken business with the purchase of 500 baby chicks.

3-A Opportunity For Commission In Army Offered

Sgt. Troy Gibson, U. S. Army recruiting officer, said today he had received instructions that only through selective service may 3-A men volunteer for enlistment as officer candidates.

Men who are deferred for dependents only, and who are otherwise 1-A material, may enlist in the Army under a special arrangement.

After three months in the Army, and within 15 days of that time, they may apply for selection as officer candidates. If successful, at the end of the fourth month, they go into officers training. Another four months probably will tell the tale as far as their chances for becoming officer material is concerned.

Should they fail to make the grade and earn a second lieutenant's commission, then they may request relief from active service to become a member of the reserve. "Such request invariably will be granted," said an Army memorandum.

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