

Great Air Battle Fought Over Berlin

63 Bombers And 14 Fighters Lost In Massed Foray

Reds Kill Battalion Of Axis Troops In Old Poland

By TOM YARBROUGH LONDON, Sunday, April 30 (AP) The Soviet high command announced early today that the Red army had killed a battalion of 800 to 1,000 Axis troops in repulsing counterattacks southeast of Stanislawow in former Poland yesterday, and Berlin said steadily arriving Russian reinforcements and increasing assaults on that front indicated the imminence of another big Red army push toward the Carpathian mountain passes.

A Hungarian army communique told of violent Soviet attacks in the area of Kolomyja, southeast of Stanislawow and northeast of the Tatar Pass leading into Hungarian-held Czechoslovakia. Berlin broadcast the Hungarian bulletin, and quoted military men of that country as saying the Russians were massing men and ma-

terials for a renewed drive toward Hungarian-held territory. A Hungarian army bulletin said the Red air force had destroyed 100 supply-laden Axis trucks and shot down 23 German planes in combat and destroyed another 11 on the ground during Saturday in continuing attacks on German airfields, troop concentrations and communications.

The regular communique issued earlier told of the sinking of four more Axis ships, three of them transports trying to save the German-Romanian garrison from besieged Sevastopol in the Crimea. "No essential changes" occurred on the land front, that announcement said.

The guns of the Soviet Black Sea fleet sank the three transports totaling more than 11,000 tons, and a patrol launch, the bulletin said, making a total of 21 enemy vessels sunk in a week of combined surface and air attacks.

An unspecified number of other ships were damaged, said the broadcast communique, recorded by the Soviet monitor, in engagements in the area of Kheronesos lighthouse, just west of Sevastopol, and at Kazachya Bay to the south.

Germany's daily communique again told of furious Russian attacks on the lower Dnepr river sector in the Tighina area, 120 miles northeast of the Gaidai gap defense line protecting the Ploesti oil fields, and said German troops "scored a full defensive success."

Berlin also said the Russians had brought up fresh troops and strong bomber formations in attacks on the Axis lines north of Iasi but were repulsed. Moscow as usual had nothing to say about these Axis assertions. The only other sector mentioned by Berlin was in former Poland southwest of Kowels. The Germans said their troops wiped out an encircled Russian group and took 2,000 prisoners in a forested area which had been seized the day before.

Moscow said that on all fronts during Friday's fighting the Soviet forces had wrecked 28 German tanks and destroyed 71 planes.



Yanks Mop Up On Bougainville—Biting his tongue as he prepares to throw a hand grenade into a Jap dugout during mopping up of Empress Augusta Bay area on Bougainville after 18 days of bitter Jap counterattacks last month, Sgt. Charles H. Wolverton of the U. S. 37th Division opens assault on another pocket of resistance. Man at left is unidentified. After 7,000 Japs were killed during counterattacks, remaining dug in and had to be routed virtually at bayonet point. (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps).

M'Arthur Will Not Accept Nomination

By C. YATES McDANIEL ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Sunday, April 30 (AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur unequivocally rejected today all suggestions that he be a candidate for president of the United States, said he would not accept and that any such movement was "detrimental to our war effort."

"I do not covet it nor would I accept it," read his brief statement concerning movements in the United States to make him the republican presidential nominee.

It was his first unequivocal and positive reply to individuals and groups who long have been urging the general to either come out into the open or to be a silent but draftable candidate.

The flat statement capped a series of developments in which a republican Nebraska congressman had urged the general to be a silent candidate and MacArthur had expressed appreciation of the interest manifested but did not make clear whether he would accept if drafted.

"Since my return from the Hollandia operations, I have had brought to my attention a widespread public opinion that it is detrimental to our war effort to have an officer in high position on active service at the front considered for the nomination for the office of president."

The Hollandia operation referred to was the invasion and conquest within less than a week of a Dutch New Guinea sector which has three vital airbases, within bombing range of the Philippines. American warplanes now are using those fields.

"I have on several occasions announced I was not a candidate for the position. Nevertheless, in view of these circumstances in order to make my position unequivocal I request that no action be taken that would link my name in any way with the nomination."

"I do not covet it nor would I accept it." Neither General MacArthur nor his spokesmen had any comment to make on the statement but the war correspondents at his advanced headquarters did not fail to note the significant contrast between today's unequivocal statement and the wording of a statement he issued after publication of a letter exchange with Rep. A. L. Miller (R-Neb).

In the statement he said "I have not sought the office nor do I seek it." Today he said "I do not covet it nor would I accept it." MacArthur's statement today backed up a previous one he had made some time ago when mention of his presidential possibilities in the United States was in the early discussion stages. At that time he stated he was a military man who had started his career as a soldier and hoped to finish as one.

Sgt. Calvin Sewell Missing In Action

FORSAN, April 29 (SC)—Sgt. Calvin Sewell, Jr., top turret gunner on a Liberator, has been missing in action over Germany since April 8, according to a message received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sewell, Sr. Sgt. Sewell, 27, finished school in Dundee, Okla., but had resided here for four years prior to his enlistment in the air corps in Oct. 1942 as a specialist assigned to the Big Spring Bomber school.

After three months he went to Gulfport, Miss., for mechanical training and then was graduated from gunnery school at Kingman, Ariz. Following combat training at Boise, Idaho, he went overseas in Feb. 1944. Before enlisting he was employed by the Shell Oil Co. Mrs. Sewell and her baby, Tommie Lee, are with her parents in Willson, Okla.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 29 (AP) Senator Harry S. Truman, who has been mentioned as a democratic vice-presidential candidate, tonight proposed Speaker Sam Rayburn as a running mate for President Roosevelt.

Yank Bombers Hit Toulon Base

By NOLAND NORGAARD ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, April 29 (AP)—American Flying Fortresses and Liberators spread flames and explosions through shipping, harbor installations and Nazi submarine pens at the great French naval base of Toulon today in a sharp, concentrated bombing from Italian bases. Striking suddenly at a target 1,000 miles west of the Balkan objectives they battered last week, the airmen poured many tons of explosives on the shipping base, which is helping supply German troops in Italy. Between 250 and 500 bombers were engaged in the attack.

Luftwaffe interceptors battled the bombers and their escorting Lightnings and Mustangs, and an unspecified number were destroyed.

The stalemate continued on the Italian ground front, although both Allied and German patrols were active.

Reviewing The Big Spring Week

Just as we were on the verge of observing that the clean-up campaign had gotten off to an early start, Chamber of Commerce Manager J. H. Greene called in to say an inspection of the city showed a surprisingly large amount of cleaning up in progress. Thus we lay a perfectly good crack on the altar of success for the clean-up.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Winslow have observed their 50th wedding anniversary. A fine couple these folks—the sort that helped to build the town and gave it real substance. In counting up the things we need, we might put in an order for some more couples like this one.

Monday is bond election day in Big Spring. Perhaps not over half of those qualified to vote will bother to go to the polls, yet it is a matter of vital importance whether or not we finance needed waterworks improvements. A lot of people had rather sit back and be pleased if things pan out and gripe if they don't. One way to be sure of expressing yourself so you will be heard is to vote—one way or the other.

Speaking of water, this little gem has cropped up. The War Production Board, being asked to consider the city's application for water pipeline priorities, wanted to know the lake levels. Informed they were dry, WPB wanted to know what was becoming with "all that flood water." Apparently WPB has its geography and news reports all crossed up.

The agriculture committee of the chamber of commerce is proposing now that next spring's club boy livestock show be widened to include a registered Hereford division. Already several breeders are said to be interested.

Allies Continue Mopping Up Jap Invasion Of India

By THOBURN WIANT SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS, KANDY, Ceylon, April 29 (AP)—Allied forces mopping up the Japanese invasion of India have overrun further enemy strongpoints around Kohima, Allied headquarters announced today coincident with a special statement declaring that the invasion has failed to delay completion of the Ledo road or disrupt the overall Allied strategic plan in southeast Asia.

"Had the Japanese concentrated against the Chinese army on the Ledo road instead of the British Fourth corps on the Imphal front, the Chinese advance toward Myitkyna (main enemy base in north Burma) could not have progressed as far as it has done."

The statement emphasized there is no reason to doubt the success of the Allied campaign in Burma and no cause for concern about it in the United States.

The daily communique said patrols fanning out of the Imphal plain to the northwest, north and northeast had ambushed and destroyed at least four enemy planes on the ground.

Jap Installations Hit In Hollandia Vicinity

By FRED HAMPSON ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, April 30 (AP)—Allied heavy and medium bombers ranged west of the newly-won American land holdings in the vicinity of Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, to hit Japanese installations at Waide Island with 79 tons of explosives.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique today said the attack Friday set flames and smoke rising from fuel and supply dumps and destroyed at least four enemy planes on the ground.

The Japanese in retaliation sent three bombers over Allied invasion positions at Aitape, on the coast east of Hollandia, in a night raid which damaged a troop supply ship and wounded a few men. One of the raiders was shot down.

One bomber was lost from Solomon-based units which hit the enemy bases at Truk and Woleai Island, in the Carolines, Thursday and Friday.

A headquarters spokesman said that 27 more Japanese were killed at Aitape Saturday, bringing the total enemy casualties to 181 at this evasion point to date.

The spokesman also said that the Americans had occupied Tami airfield, five miles southeast of Hollandia Bay. The airfield had been abandoned by the enemy. Otherwise, there was only patrol activity reported from Hollandia, where the invasion force recently completed its campaign by seizing three Japanese airfields.

Ration Board To Be Closed On Monday

The Howard county rationing board will remain closed Monday for its monthly inventory, Sonora Murphey, chief clerk, announced Saturday. The panel of the board closed books on its most momentous month Saturday and looked back on two supplemental allotments that greatly relieved pressure. During the month a total of 405 grade 1 passenger car certificates were issued, 349 grade 11's and 56 certificates for passenger buses. The board passed 187 truck tires, 101 truck tubes, 52 tractor tires and 14 tractor tubes.

City Voters Go To Polls Mon.

Big Spring property voters will be called upon Monday to record another decision on waterworks improvements and extensions which they pass upon a \$400,000 proposed bond issue.

City commissioners have called the election as a means of raising the municipality's share of an \$820,000 project for a pipeline to tap new well supplies in northeastern Glasscock county to circumvent a critical water shortage.

The Federal Works Agency, in approving the project, last week announced final approval of such a project.

Polls will open at 8 a. m. in the city fire station and will remain open until 7 p. m. with L. S. Patterson as presiding judge. Judges will be W. B. Younger and W. L. McColister and Mrs. George O'Brien and Mrs. L. S. Patterson will be clerks.

Voters who have duly rendered property for city taxes and who reside within the city limits are qualified to cast ballots on the issue. (For or against) the issuance of bonds for waterworks extensions and improvements and purchase and lease of lands for such purposes.

Neff Asks Baptists To Name Successor

WACO, April 29 (AP)—Asserting that "to be president of the Southern Baptist convention for two years is honor enough for any man," President Pat M. Neff of Baylor University said today he desires that the convention elect a successor to him when it meets at Atlanta, Ga., May 14. For many years it has been the convention's custom to retain each of its presidents in office for three years. Neff was named convention president at San Antonio in 1942 and last year's meeting was called off in response to a request from government transportation authorities.

A&M Inquiry Is Recessed Sat.

By WILLIAM E. KEYS COLLEGE STATION, April 29 (AP)—A senate investigating committee today recessed its inquiry into administrative affairs of Texas A&M college with testimony from three members of the board of directors that a cumulative loss of confidence in him resulted in the dismissal of Dr. T. G. Walton as college president last August.

Committee Chairman Pennington Metcalfe of San Angelo, said the group would keep open the A&M docket and may make further inquiries before the legislature meets in January of next year.

Directors B. J. Brees of San Antonio, G. R. White, Brady, and A. H. Demke of Stephenville, concluded the directors' testimony in the investigation which centered around events leading up to and following the dismissal of Dr. Walton and H. H. Williamson as director of the extension service.

Demke and Metcalfe clashed briefly in their opinions of what role the A&M Former Students association played in the situation. Demke asserted the association has been "sucked into" the controversy.

"Don't understand me to say I doubt their motives. I think they are the finest fellows in the world, but I think they have been taken in," he said. "If I know anything about it, it is a conspiracy of men who have expressed themselves, too," said Metcalfe. Demke suggested that as long as there was turmoil about the college situation, the board hardly could be expected to make progress in selecting a new president.

Groceryman Circus Lover Takes Family And Forms His Own Show

HUGO, Okla., April 29 (AP)—Groceryman Vernon Pratt couldn't forget the circus after he fed peanuts to the elephants when he visited his first big top as a lad, so now he is taking his own show on the road.

It's a little startling to the home folks, who know him also as a bank director and rancher, although they've watched him play circus in one form or another for a good many of his 40 years.

His attractive wife and daughters, Betty Jean, 17, and Rita Jo, 9, have the fever, too. With them as members of a cast of 50, Pratt's "Hugo Bros. Circus" begins a 6,300-mile itinerary with the first stand Monday and Tuesday before soldiers at Camp Maxey, Tex.

"This circus business with me is like golf, fishing, or playing poker is to other fellows," says Pratt. In his caravan is Eoa, 55-year-old trained elephant; a camel, 30 performing horses and ponies (some of them trained by the daughters), five monkeys, 10 trained dogs, and 10 trucks.

From Camp Maxey the way leads to Antlers, Colgate, Ada, Seminole, Oklawaha and other towns in Oklahoma, and the road beyond through Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska, doubling back home in November.

The show is named for Hugo, where for 18 years Pratt has been a civic, social, and religious leader.

By WILLIAM SMITH WHITE LONDON, April 30 (AP)—Two thousand U. S. warplanes smashing through box-like stacks of hundreds of German fighters in the greatest battle of the war cast a 2,500-ton torrent of exploding steel and incendiaries on invasion-jittery Berlin today at a cost of 63 bombers and 14 fighters.

A U. S. communique tonight said that 88 German planes were destroyed in combat, 72 by the guts of the Flying Fortress and Liberator crews, and 16 by a powerful escort of American Thunderbolt, Lightnings and Mustang fighters and RAF Mustangs which also wrecked parked Nazi aircraft and shot up 21 locomotives.

The British Press association said early today that the RAF was out in strength over Europe during the night.

Great fires were kindled in the heart of the German capital which was bombed visually through holes in a cloud cover. The communique termed enemy fighter opposition "determined" and declared "there were many heavy air battles between our aircraft and the enemy's."

The German-controlled Vichy radio in one of its most outspoken broadcasts said flatly that "vast fires broke out in Berlin." The Nazi-controlled Oslo radio said "heavy damage and fires" were spread in the heart of the German capital.

The German fighter force engaged in what returning flyers described as the greatest mass sky battles of the war. Despite the severity of the fighting, the loss of 63 American bombers was not quite as costly as two previous missions. It was five less than fell in the first mass assault on Berlin March 6.

A separate official announcement said Thunderbolt fighter-bombers and fighters attacked an enemy air field near Rennes in northern France without loss. The Berlin assault was declared to be not only the fiercest air battle ever fought at the Nazi capital; it was the fiercest ever fought in the whole course of the war.

The Germans threw up their new twin-engine plane, the Focke-Wulf 189, among others, and Nazi airmen unhesitatingly flew their planes into their own flak-making suicides of whole squadrons. Simultaneously another force of up to 500 Flying Fortresses and Liberators from Italy beat against the southern rim of Hitler's imperiled continental fortress, hurling a great weight of explosives on the port and submarine pens of Toulon.

WINDSOR, Ont., April 29 (AP)—A strike of 14,000 workers of the Ford Motor company of Canada ended tonight in its ninth day with announced re-recognition of the CIO Auto Workers union and reinstatement of penalized union stewards.

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Circus Family—Rita Jo Pratt, 9, (left) and her parents, Okla., are shown with some of the trained dogs they work in Pratt's private circus which will open a road tour May 1 at Camp Maxey, Tex. Pratt, a groceryman, developed the show on his 500-acre ranch near Hugo. Here he played circus on his vacations to travel with shows in 500-acre ranch, made friends with the Midwest. Now spreading his own big top, says in the "grand spec" when Pratt explains: "I grew up in the circus came to town. In late grocery business but my mind years shipped away on summer was on the circus."

"The Desert Song," Teams Morgan, Manning At Ritz

"The Desert Song," featuring Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning with a strong supporting cast, showing Sunday and Monday at the Ritz theatre is sure-fire entertainment for all classes of the audience: has eye-appeal and tuneful diversion of the kind that makes for stage and screen musical hits.

The plot is a former stage hit modernized by means of German agent plotting in North Africa to motivate Riff's rebellion, and showing the hero as an American piano artist appearing at a night club in Morocco. The hero impersonates a Riff and becomes the leader in a fight against German agents.

The modernizing of the plot in no way detracts from the colorful romantic vehicle which the original play provided for good music, and it gives more point, currently at least, to the love story which hangs by the thread of intrigue, supplying motivation for conflicts and such dramatic moments as point up operetta. This is a most handsomely done job of re-writing, with Technicolor a goal of the production scheme and the object of much that will make the picture score emphatically with the great masses of amusement seekers bent upon "escapist" fare in the picture theatres. Dennis Morgan proves an ideal choice for the role of the American who becomes a desert Robin Hood. His singing matches his acting competence in meeting all the requirements as well as the opportunities of the story and the musical score. Irene Manning is pleasant in appearance and in her singing.



Chiller—Scene from "Curse of the Cat People," with Simone Simon, Kent Smith and Jane Randolph showing Sunday and Monday at the Lyric theatre.

Simone Simon Comes To Queen Sunday, Monday

Sixth in RKO Radio's exciting series of horror-films, "The Curse of the Cat People," showing Sunday and Monday at the Queen theatre, features Simone Simon, Kent Smith, Jane Randolph and little Ann Carter in a compelling story of a child's experiences with the supernatural.

A sequel to "Cat People" in which an old Serbian legend of women who turn into black leopards was made the basis of a stirring modern thriller, the new offering brings three of the principal characters back again in an equally memorable and suspense-laden picture.

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Lyric Features Brown, Carney Sunday, Monday

Faster and funnier than their initial "Adventures of a Rookie," the screen's newest comedy team, Wally Brown and Alan Carney, serve up a lot of hilarity in "Rookies in Burma," showing Sunday and Monday at Lyric theatre.

This time the two nitwits, with their outfit reach an advanced post in Southwestern Asia. During an encounter with Jap forces they are captured and taken to a prison camp, where they find that Sergeant Burke, who had gone out to look for them, has been captured also.

The trio are questioned by Captain Tomura, who knows his English but is puzzled by their double-talk. The boys take advantage of this to knock him out, steal Jap uniforms and, in disguise, escape from the camp in a Jap jeep, along with valuable enemy papers. Pursued, they abandon the vehicle and push through the jungle to a Burmese village, where they encounter two stranded American chorines trying to get to India.

Kept on borrowed elephant, then afoot, they press on, avoiding Tomura and his vengeful nip soldiers who are hot on the trail. In a side-splitting climax the boys manage to steal a Jap tank and in a set out for the American lines, which they reach to find themselves heroes because of their captured documents.

Designed solely for laughs, "Rookies in Burma" gives the star duo many fine opportunities and is raddie from one gay situation to another in a fashion that makes it a strong contender for the year's comedy honors. Brown and Carney are two of the cleverest funsters on the screen today, and Erford Gage, as the sergeant, gives plenty of contrast for their rapid-fire style of comedy.

Joan Barclay and Claire Carleton have the feminine leads as the dancers in distress, and Ted Hecht plays the role of Captain Tomura. Leslie Goodwins directed the production by Bert Gilroy for RKO Radio, with Edward James writing the original screenplay.

Public Records

Building Permits
Gilbert Valdez to build a frame house at 609 NW 4th, cost \$175.
Leon Lujan to add a porch at 510 NW 8th street, cost \$90.
A. F. Hill to move a house at 811 W. 4th street, cost \$175.
Ray Paine to move a house from the south to the west city limits, cost \$75.
W. L. Mead to construct three-story building at 1711 Gregg street, cost \$6,500.

Warranty Deeds
Mabel Cloud and husband to West Texas Compress and Warehouse company, 8 acres out of section 26, block 33, Twp. 1-N, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, \$1,800.

In County Court
Application granted for beer retailer's permit for Otis Grandstaff, Casino club, on Bankhead highway one-half mile from city limits.



Escape—Alan Carter, impersonating a Jap, scares the wife of Wally Brown in this scene from "Rookies in Burma," with Erford Gage, showing Sunday and Monday at the Lyric theatre.

Roosevelt And Mackenzie King Commend Kiwanis International

Commending Kiwanis International for observing the period from Sunday, April 23, to Saturday, April 29, as United States-Canada Goodwill Week, President Roosevelt said today the peaceful relationship of the two nations is based on "active liking, admiration and trust of each other."

The president declared in a special message to Kiwanis International's 2,000 clubs and 128,000 members throughout the United States and Canada that "great walls and Maginot lines have never succeeded in main-

THE WEEKS PLAYBILL

RITZ
Sun-Mon—"Desert Song," with Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning.
Tues-Wed—"Knickerbocker Holiday," with Nelson Eddy and Charles Coburn.
Thurs-Fri-Sat—"Rationing," with Wallace Beery and Marjorie Main.
LYRIC
Sun-Mon—"Rookies in Burma," with Allan Carney and Wally Brown.
Tues-Wed—"Claudia," with Dorothy McGuire and Robert Young.
Thurs—"The Sky's The Limit," with Fred Astaire and Joan Leslie.
Fri-Sat—"Laramie Trails," with Bob Livingston and Smiley Burnette.

QUEEN
Sun-Mon—"Curse of the Cat People," with Simone Simon and Kent Smith.
Tues-Wed—"Behind the Rising Sun," with Margo and Tom Neal.
Thurs—"What A Man," with Johnny Downs and Wanda McKay.
Fri-Sat—"Devil Riders," with Buster Crabbe and Al St. John.
STATE
Sun-Mon—"Crash Dive," with Tyrone Power, Anne Baxter and Dana Andrews.
Tues-Wed—"Sleepy Lagoon," with Judy Canova and Dennis Day.
Thurs—"Three Hearts For July," with Ann Southern and Melvyn Douglas.
Fri—"Background To Danger," with George Raft, Peter Lorre and Sydney Greenstreet.
Sat—"Blocked Trails," with The 3 Mesquiteers.

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'Crash Dive' Stars Power At The State

Out of the Atlantic, graveyard of a thousand ships, and one of the most fiercely fought-for areas in the present war, comes "Crash Dive."

The first picture of undersea fighting to be produced since America entered the war, the film is the thrill-packed story of the fighting men who in their "pig boats" are wreaking havoc and destruction on the enemy.

Starred in the film is Tyrone Power, in his farewell performance as a civilian. 20th Century-Fox has spared no expense in bringing all the thrills, adventure and excitement of life aboard the sub to the screen in Technicolor. The film is slated to open Sunday at the State Theatre.

Out of a sea aflame with danger, Power, as a junior officer aboard a sub, leads his men on a bold commando raid. Again they face death; aboard the depth-bombed steel fish. Operating from the great naval submarine base at New London, Conn., where much of the picture was made, these men strike ceaselessly at the enemy. They live up to their credo, as expressed by one of the men: "Send with us, and flame we shall hit the enemy where it hurts most. . . until he doesn't know his bow from his stern!"

There is time, nevertheless, for those precious, stolen moments of love. And in this dynamic film, Anne Baxter plays opposite the dashing Power. Dana Andrews, who with Miss Baxter, heads the featured cast, is shown as the commander of the submarine—a two-listed, hard-fighting sea dog who has worked his way up from the canks.

That the film would pack as much excitement from the start as assured when it became known that much of the film was to be made on location at the Navy's great submarine base in New London, Conn.

With the express permission of the Navy, the gigantic Technicolor cameras photographed the submarine Albacore, where much of the action takes place. A glass bell was placed on the deck sub, allowing for many unusual photographic effects. Commander M. K. Kirkpatrick, U. S. N., acted as technical advisor on the film.

which was produced by Milton Sperling. The featured cast includes James Gleason and Dame May Whitty. The screen play was by Jo Swerling, from an original story by W. R. Burnett.



NEWS New Releases Available

- 151—"Milkman Keep Those Bottles Quiet!"
- "Tess's Torch Song"
- Ella Mae Morse
- 152—"Irresistible You"
- "Spring Will Be a Little Late This Year"
- Johnnie Johnston
- "Emilia Polka"
- "Red Haven Polka"
- Lawrence Duchows Orch
- 33-0500—"In a Little Garden"
- Old Fashioned Locket
- Riley Puckett & His Guitar
- 6083—"Walkin' My Blues Away"
- "Columbus Stockade Blues"
- Jimmie Davis
- 18596—"Sure Thing"
- "Suddenly It's Spring"
- Glenn Gray & Casa Loma Orch
- 154—"I Can't See for Lookin'"
- "Straighen Up and Fly Right"
- King Cole Trio
- 7028—"Here Comes the Navy"
- "Ten Little Soldiers"
- Pete Piper & Orch

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TEASER GREATEST JEWELERS EASY CREDIT Big Spring, Texas

James Bruce Frazier was making out fine in the army until he was transferred to California where his camp turned out to be a park. The flowers, trees, etc., were too much and his asthma made itself known. That was the end of an army career.

Confidence Is Theme Of AAFBS Grad Address

The importance of confidence in one another and in the home front was stressed by Edward Fraumfelder, director of the Dallas War school, in an address before class 44-6 in the post theater at Big Spring Bombardier school Saturday morning.

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Such realization will give fighters "supreme confidence" in their ability, giving them psychological advantage which "may well mean the difference between failure and success on your bombing missions," he said.

The program included a song by the graduating class, in place of customary solos; "Marseillaise" as well as "The Star Spangled Banner," in deference to French cadets graduated from the school; administration of oath of office; 1st Lt. Pierre W. Curie; presentation of wings, Lt. Col James F. Reed, commanding officer; invocation and benediction, Chaplain Emeric A. Lawrence.

Kiwanis Decreases Meeting Delegates

Kiwanis International's decision to limit the number of delegates to its annual convention this summer in Chicago was commended today by Major General C. P. Gross, chief of transportation for the War Department, who declared that "rail transportation during 1944 will be more critically taxed than ever before."

that the policy adopted by Kiwanis International will be followed to the same, if not greater, extent by other organizations. Instead of the usual 5,000 or 6,000 delegates in attendance, only 450 international and district officers representing 2,200 clubs and 125,000 members throughout the United States and Canada will be present for the 1944 Kiwanis convention June 20 to 22. Donald B. Rice, Oakland, California president of Kiwanis International, said the organization "considered it a patriotic obligation to restrict the size of its convention and not place an added burden on the railroads and hotels in this critical war year."

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Community Life

Depends on Water



Industry

Almost before industry asks about raw materials or markets, it wants to know about water. Big Spring has been fortunate in the location of some large industries here. We must keep faith with them by providing more water, and we must have more water if we are to hope for any new industries, large or small, later on.

Business



Water is essential to the every day conduct of business. Laundries, ice manufacturers, service stations, cafes, hotels—all these and many, many more demand large amounts of water for routine operations. Certainly the water situation is not reassuring to business when it is necessary to gnaw at the livelihood of some by prohibiting the washing of automobiles.

Homes



"There's no place like home," but without ample water, home may not amount to much more than a squatter's hovel. Pride in home ownership—the backbone of a real city—comes through beautifying a place, in planting lawns, putting out trees and shrubs, in raising bright and colorful flowers, and perhaps in pattering around in a backyard garden. It just isn't possible without water.

SITUATION

Big Spring is dangerously overtaxing its well supplies today, drawing out 300,000 more gallons than is safe. The city lakes are dry, and even if they were filled, the total daily supply would be insufficient for our needs. Easily 5,000 more people are drawing on our water resources than were users two years ago. Our business and industrial needs have mounted with war . . . yet our supplies dwindled due to failure to receive rain.

PROPOSAL

The city commission, deeply concerned over its responsibility to the community, has made application to the Federal Works Agency for an \$820,000 project to tap a 4,000,000 gallon daily supply which US Geological Survey engineers and other recognized hydraulic authorities believe lies 21 miles south in Glasscock county. FWA has posted a grant of \$410,000 and approved the project. Now the city is called to pass upon a \$400,000 issue as its share.

Is your share of a bond issue too much to pay to protect and improve your investment already made in Big Spring?

It may be that the sale of water will be great enough to absorb most or all of the city's share of the cost. It may be that taxes will have to be raised some to care for the additional bonded load

But if we must have more water, won't it be worth whatever it costs us?

Vote yourself a drink of water. Vote for more industry. Vote for prettier homes. Vote for property security by voting for the \$400,000 water bond issue Monday.

Vote for Water Bonds --- Monday --- City Fire Station, 8 a. m.-7 p. m.

Any qualified voter, who has duly rendered any property for city taxes and who resides within the city limits, may vote.

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Seven Killed When Plane Hits Memphis House

MEMPHIS, April 29 (AP)—Seven persons were killed — including two women and a 20-months old child—when a twin-engine army bomber crashed today into a house in the Memphis residential section.

Funeral homes said four bodies were identified as those of Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Cobb, both about 23; their 20-months-old daughter and Miss Beatrice Withers, all occupants of the home into which the plane crashed.

The Fourth Ferrying Group listed the stricken victims of the crash as:

- Capt. Ralph J. Quale, 30, flight instructor, Washington, D. C.
- Flight Officer Glen V. Trickle, 38, formerly of South Bend, Ind., who resided with his wife in Memphis.
- Second Lt. Leon Kleinman, 28, mother, Edith K. Kleinman of Dallas, Tex.
- Explosion, gas tanks set fire to both the house and the plane, burning five of the seven bodies beyond recognition. Two bodies were recovered before the explosion, which also set fire to two adjoining residences.
- Eye-witness accounts said the bomber, based at the Fourth Ferrying Group here, was one of three flying over the northeastern residential section when it developed engine trouble. It left the formation and dropped to an altitude of about 800 feet where it circled for a few minutes before plunging into the frame house.

Tulsa University Schedules Game With Seahawks

TULSA, Okla., April 29 (AP)—The University of Tulsa, sporting the toughest football team in its history, scheduled a game today with a mighty foe—the Iowa Seahawks.

Coach Henry Frka announced the seahawks—conquerors of four Big Ten teams last season and losers only to Notre Dame in a 14-13 shocker—would meet the Golden Hurricane November 4 at Skelly Stadium here.

PRINCESS HAS DAUGHTER

STOCKHOLM, April 29 (AP)—A daughter was born tonight to Princess Ingrid of Denmark, the wife of Crown Prince Frederick. Princess Ingrid was a princess of Sweden before her marriage May 21, 1935.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday; little change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday.

EAST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy Sunday. Monday cloudy with showers and thundershowers in north and west portions. Fresh to strong winds diminishing Sunday.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Arlington	82	54
Amarillo	68	45
BIG SPRING	82	54
Chicago	70	38
Denver	54	36
El Paso	74	51
Fort Worth	67	58
Galveston	76	71
New York	—	44
St. Louis	—	48
Sunset tonight at 8:25 p. m.		
Sunrise Monday at 7:01 a. m.		

Week

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terested. This probably will do as much as anything to stimulate the event and to awaken local people to a sizeable breeding industry most of us "did not know flourished around here.

Announcement last week that J. Y. Robb was chosen as one of the "Honored Hundred" from 16,500 motion picture theatre managers in the U. S. Alaska and Hawaii for bond sales records in the Fourth War Loan is a double honor—a personal one for him and one for the community.

Last week on the day when their daughter, Champe, had her book of poems published, the Shine Phillips struck a well of water: Observed Papa Phillips: "I'm more excited over the well." No reflection on Champe, of course, rather a commentary on the drought situation.

For a long time we have been intending to say something about improperly tutored youngsters who take a fiendish delight in cutting down what few native trees we have. Here and there we have a secluded canyon that contains groves of hackberry, chittum, large mesquite, cedar, etc. Let these adventurers chance upon them with an axe and it looks like Tarawa after the bombardment. Mama and Papa ought to take these young fellers into confidence and explain the value of a tree and what a scarce commodity they are in this country . . . and then whale the tar out of them if they go cutting.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE HERALD

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"My husband never sees the good out of his shoe stamp that I do — he merely buys the first pair that fits him."

Wards

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used to cooperate with Taylor and Atty. Gen. Biddle, he was ejected from his own offices, carried out by soldiers.

Thursday night the government obtained a federal court order restraining the company and its officials from interfering with the government officials placed in charge of Wards.

Taylor said today it was this restraining which made the presence of the army detail no longer necessary and the soldiers departed.

Federal Judge William H. Holly, who issued the restraining, will hear further argument on it and the company's motion to dissolve it Monday and indicated he would decide the question of an injunction Tuesday.

Two Local Baseball Players At Roswell

Two Big Spring men are cutting great figures on the softball diamonds at Roswell (N.M.) Army Flying School.

Osborne (Red) Newton, an outfielder with the league leading 551st squadron, is leading the league in batting with a hefty .825 average.

Lonnie Evans, who chucked them past many a city league batter here for several seasons, is doing heavy duty with the 314th.

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City Has Slight Rainfall Sat.

By The Associated Press

The northern half of Texas, dimmed by dust clouds last week, drank in the moisture from general rains that were expected to greatly benefit field crops and Victory gardens Saturday.

But the Rio Grande valley was still suffering from a drought that has forced several cities to limit water consumption.

A. M. Hamrick, U. S. weather observer at Dallas, said the widespread rain extended from Oklahoma to Waco and was moving eastward. Hail accompanied the heavy downpour in Fort Worth.

Big Spring was treated to the rare phenomenon of .09 of an inch moisture early Saturday morning, but by mid-afternoon the west wind was up to its old sand-blowing tricks.

Crop prospects were brighter in the Lubbock area. Rainfall extended beyond the New Mexico border. Hail caused heavy damage to crops and some buildings at Muleshoe, Bailey county. In the Lubbock area rains were recorded from 1.5-inch at Lamesa to 1.25 at Littlefield and the immediate Lubbock reading was .71 inch.

At Waco farmers reported over what was described as "a heavy rain."

With the skies still overcast, Vernon had already recorded 1.17 inch early in the afternoon. Good rains were still needed for range and farmlands at Midland, where a .04 inch shower had halted the dust storm.

Plainview's planting season was helped by .76 inch rain. The area got as much as 1.50 inch during the day. Gainesville had .75 inch. Streets in Corsicana were flooded with water running upon sidewalks and many automobiles drowned out. At 4 p. m. the total was 1.63 inch and it was still raining. Two inches drenched Hillsboro in an hour and a half.

But the sad section of the weather picture was in the valley of the Rio Grande, where the ground was reported "as hard as cement." Since March 18 only 1.02 inch has fallen, most of it sudden and scattered showers which did not soak into the ground.

Other rainfall: Amarillo, .93-inch; Stratford, 1.28; Wichita Falls, .95; Austin, .35 to 1.1 a. m., and Dallas' reading at 1:30 p. m. was 1.30 inch.

Local Post To Be Sectionized

Officially, it's to be the 2509th AAF Base Unit instead of the Big Spring Army Air Forces Bombardier School after today.

Effective May 1, a reorganization within the flying training command converts fields into stations and replaces squadrons with sections.

Designed to simplify operations and thus make for more efficiency, the field will have six sections. Section "A" will be administrative, "B" for training and operations, "C" for supply and maintenance, "D" for WACS, "E" for the medical section, and "F" for the colored soldiers.

Other fields in the training command will operate under an identical reorganized set-up.

Well Picked For City Water Supply

Heaviest producer of eight wells drilled to date in the northeastern Glasscock county area, to which the City of Big Spring proposes to go for supplemental water if a \$400,000 bond issue is passed Monday, was indicated Saturday.

The No. 7 test, located in the northeastern quarter of section 27-30, W&NW, pumped at 350 gallons a minute and yielded at such a rate the pump was incapable of handling it. The drawdown at the pump's top rate of 350 GPM was negligible, amounting to an inch and a half. Shut down after the test, the well had an increase in its static level.

It is in between two other wells, spaced a mile apart, which apparently defined the edge of sump. However, the heavy production area widens perceptibly, for the No. 1 test on the west side of the section tested around 250 GPM and the No. 4 well, in the southeast quarter of section 23-30, W&NW, a mile and a half to the northwest, rated 250 to 300 GPM.

Other tests, some as far north as section 22-29, W&NW, have ranged from 70 GPM upwards.

Here 'n There

Charlie White, for five years commercial manager of radio station KBST, has resigned effective May 1 to join the staff of Iva's Jewelry store. White came here in May of 1939 from the staff of KBRC in Abilene to take over sales work for the local station and has been on the job continuously since.

Send Mom Your Picture

Hardell Ross, negro, was listed as delinquent with the local draft board. However, Assistant Chief A. W. Moody and Officer H. L. Fox persuaded him (with aid of patrol car and the jail) that it was his patriotic duty to report.

Andrew Franklin Sanders paid a \$20 fine in city court Saturday after he had been taken into custody for attempting to interfere with MP's.

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Winkler County Bank Opens Mon.

KERMIT, April 29—The Kermit State Bank, first bank ever to be established in Winkler County, will open for business in Kermit Monday (May 1). It is expected that the deposits on the opening day will run to \$250,000 or more.

President of the new bank is G. P. "Pink" Mitchell, county commissioner and veteran ranchman, who has lived in the county nearly 44 years. Vice-president of the bank is J. Conrad Dunagan, of Monahans, manager of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Monahans.

Cashier of the new bank is M. H. McWhirter, who has been cashier of the First State Bank of Monahans for a number of years. McWhirter is to be executive officer of the bank.

Directors of the bank are Mayor Kenneth Burrows, druggist, of Kermit; O. O. Whitten, oil distributor, vice-president and cashier. Capital stock is \$25,000.

The opening of the new bank marks the culmination of a long, and often apparently losing fight on the part of the merchants and others in Kermit to establish a bank in this county seat town, with an estimated population today of 3,000 people. Mayor Burrows has proclaimed Monday as "Kermit Bank Day," and the day will be a gala day and one of much celebration and long to be remembered in the annals of Winkler county.

American Airlines Announces Changes

Schedule changes affecting the two regular flights here were announced Saturday by American Airlines.

Trip No. 2 (eastbound) arrives now at 5:30 p. m. and leaves at 5:40 p. m., giving business interests approximately half an hour longer to get in airmail. Trip No. 1 (westbound) arrives at 8:57 p. m. and departs at 9:07 p. m.

In addition to the schedule stops, the Big Spring terminal is catching several other flights for refueling each day. Effective May 1 American is adding seven daily round-trip services to its flight schedules, two passing over here. This gives the system a total of 24 flights daily for its trans-continental route. Increase in service has been made possible by return of three aircraft which brings the plane strength to 65 per cent of the company's pre-war fleet.

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
Cleo Jeffcoat and Willie Lavonne Marks, both of Knott.
E. H. Sager and Mrs. Mary Etta Adams, both of Big Spring.
Frank Ward of St. Louis, Mo., and Elizabeth May Meyers of Lincoln, Neb.

Warranty Deeds
J. B. Collins and wife to Mrs. Lucille Merrick, lots 5 and 6, subdivision D, block 15, Fairview Heights addition; \$5,000.
O. B. Price and wife to Albert E. Bradberry, part of section 32, block 33, T&P Ry. Co. survey; \$1,200.
H. D. Cowden and wife to G. F. Watt, Jr., and Verdell Watt, lot 1, block 17, McDowell Heights addition.

Fr. Gray wres shorted in high wind at 502 1/2 5th. All four men were worked or them, mounting winds Saturday whipped them together again and firemen had to make another run.

Colorado City, April 29

(SC)—A rain of .32 of an inch fell early Saturday in this territory, making a total of .45 of an inch for April. The moisture will help revive pasture lands but more is needed before planting of cultivated lands can get underway. Mitchell ranchers are still without pasture water.

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Mrs. Lida McKee Is Death Victim

in Evergreen cemetery at Stanton beside the grave of her husband, with the Ebbel-Currie Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Lida Ray McKee, 55, was found dead at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Stroud, in Stanton Saturday afternoon.

Her husband had succumbed on Nov. 25, 1943 at Stanton.

Surviving her are one daughter, Mrs. C. J. Glasspie; two sons, J. B. McKee, Jr. of Stanton and Donley McKee of Odessa; three grandchildren. She also leaves two brothers, Jack and Jim Fitzgerald of Tipton, Okla. in addition to her sisters.

Rites are pending. Burial will be

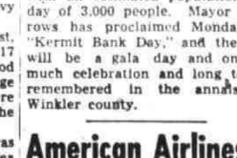
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School Students Participate In Tour Of AAFBS

The Big Spring Bombardier School was host last Thursday afternoon to a group of 98 grammar and high school children. The children and their teachers were taken on a tour of the school by Major W. E. Turner, public relations officer of the Post. The group, comprised of students from the ages of 6 to 16, were the individual winners of a war bond

selling contest held for the pupils of the Big Spring schools during the Fourth War Loan Drive. Lt. Col. James F. Reed, commanding officer of the field, speaking to the group said. . . "This tour is our way of saying thank you for your efforts during the recent bond selling drive, and we in the military service want you to know how much we appreciate such things as this that you and children of your same ages all over the United States are doing to assist with the war effort." . . . The first stop was the Post Chapel, where the children were welcomed and given some information regarding the Post's various religious programs by Chaplain James L. Patterson. The new Cadet Club and a look into one of the Cadet barracks gave them a glimpse into the off-duty lives of the cadets. At the Ordnance dept., the children were shown some of the various types of bombs and weapons that the Air Forces are using against our enemies. . . One of the highlights of the day, was an inspection of a hangar and some of the planes used here in training the bombardiers. It was the first time for many of them to actually climb into one of the planes and work the control stick. The Link Instrument and blind flying trainer, which simulates all conditions of actual flight, took top honors for interest from the group. When each of them was allowed to actually "fly" the little plane which reacts just like its counterpart, the big ships, "out on the line," the pupils decided the show had proceeded far enough, and they were all for staying there the rest of the day. Lemonade and doughnuts, furnished and served by special services at the "Sad Shack," and a movie at the Post theatre climaxed a busy afternoon for those junior war bond merchants.

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9:45 a. m. Bible School Class for everybody.

10:50 a. m. Sermon subject: "Salt is Not Rationed."

At 7:00 p. m. the young people will meet with the combined Young People Groups at the First Methodist Church.

8:00 p. m. 5th Sunday Union Service in co-operation with the other churches at First Methodist Church.

J. E. McCoy, Minister

The First Christian Church
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"How God Uses Young People"

This is the sermon subject of the pastor, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, at 11 a. m.

We Honor Intermediates Today

Intermediates will comprise the choir today and serve as ushers. Mrs. S. C. Cooper, superintendent, is asking their parents to sit in a special section. At 8 p. m. this congregation will participate in the joint Fifth Sunday services at the First Methodist church.

First Baptist Church
Everybody's Church Sixth & Main

Mitchell County Negro Children Are Completing Year In New Schoolhouse

COLORADO CITY, April 29—The only rural school for colored pupils of Mitchell county for the past decade is drawing to a successful term's close late in May, according to Roy Davis Coles, Mitchell county superintendent. The school in the Longfellow community was opened last November to take care of a need which arose with an increase of negro farm labor families in the Longfellow, Valley View and Bedford communities. Colored families have gradually moved in to replace white hired hands as the war progressed.

Forty pupils in the first eight grades are taught by Lucy Wadley in the building built in 1936 at a cost of \$3600. The school formerly was used for white children of the Longfellow community. In 1939 the Longfellow trustees made a contract with the Buford community trustees arranging for transportation and transfer of the pupils from Longfellow to the new, modern school at Buford. The change was made because at Buford the pupils could have the advantage of a nine-month, six teacher, accredited elementary school while the gradually increasing scholastic census at Longfellow made them entitled to a one-teacher, eight month school in their own building. The thirteen white pupils of the Longfellow district have been transported for the past five years to Buford by school bus.

This year, with the opening of the colored rural school by decision of E. S. Miles and Louis Small, trustees, a new interest in the colored community citizenship has arisen, Coles says. War bond rallies for negro farm families were led by the teacher and enthusiastically attended. Well-ordered socials have also become possible for the colored laborers, and their children. Until the school was opened, the scattered pickaninies in a district covering 56 square miles just didn't go to school. There was no place for them unless they had ways to travel to town. The 40 students who come in from over the big agricultural district are not transported by bus. "Most

of them walk, if they live near enough," the county superintendent explains, "and the rest are brought by their families—horseback, muleback, mostly by jalopy."

Farm Cash Income Slumps In March

AUSTIN, April 28 (AP)—Because fewer Texas cattle and sheep went to market in March, farm cash income slumped to \$50,000,000 as compared with \$60,000,000 a year ago. The bureau of business research of the University of Texas reported however, that farm cash income for the first quarter of

this year was still \$2,000,000 above the first quarter of 1943. Dr. F. A. Buechel, economic analyst, said that the outlook is for increased livestock marketings approximating those of a year ago. The bureau also reported that

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Industry and trade in general held steady in Texas last month, but exceeded arch a year ago by 13 percent.

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Dress Lengths

Beautiful new spring patterns, 3 1/2 to 4 yard lengths. Ceiling priced at \$1.98, special for **\$1.44**



Dresses

Here are four groups of beautifully styled dresses in colorful rayons and cottons including many two-piece ensembles.

- \$5.90 Dresses reduced to **\$4**
- \$7.90 and \$8.95 Dresses for **\$6**
- \$10.95 to \$12.95 Dresses for **\$8**
- \$14.75 to \$19.75 Dresses for **\$10**

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Rayon twills, gabardines in blue, tan or brown. Values to \$3.98 for **\$2.98**

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Here are two groups of children's shoes in most all sizes and many styles. Buy now and save your shoe ration stamps.

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You can make your hosiery budget go further by shopping at our hosiery counter. Sheer rayons in shades you want.

Two Pair for \$1
(Ceiling Price 78c Pr.)

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81-inch unbleached sheeting . . . **2 1/2 yards 89c**

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One group of beautiful bags—choice of shapes and colors . . . values to \$6.50, reduced **20%**

April 28 to May 8

BABY WEEK VALUES

Because we have outfitted babies for so many years, we know just what their needs will be for this spring and summer too. Keep the little darlings happy, healthy and comfortable through the warm weather days ahead with easy to wear, lightweight, washable wearables from our infants' department.

- Baby Caps 98c
- Bonnets 98c
- Dresses \$1.49 and \$1.98
- Slips 69c and 98c
- Fetchingly little Sweaters \$2.98 and \$3.98
- Lightweight Sleeping Gown 59c
- Downy-soft bathrobe 39c
- Knitted shirt—action-free 27c
- Nylon panties 39c
- Bootees 59c to \$1.49
- Infants Socks 25c
- Crib Sheets \$1.19
- Crib Pillow Cases 25c
- Rubber Sheets 79c
- Diapers, Dozen \$2.10

Switches From Tank To Trains With Ease



Ruth Hilger, 19-year-old swimming star, as she looks ready to dive into Temple's pool.

AP Features
PHILADELPHIA — Ruth Hilger, attractive free-style star on Temple University's girl swimming team, also is out for track—the railroad variety.

Three nights a week the 19-year-old freshman dons blue dungarees and reports for work as a Pennsylvania Railroad switch tender.

Crowding her thick blonde hair into a railroad man's cap doesn't lend glamor, she admits, but she loves the work, which she's been doing for a year to help meet college expenses.

Assigned the "middle trick" — 4 p. m. to midnight—she throws switches for several hundred cars each night. Sometimes, when half a dozen trains arrive in a bunch, it keeps her hopping—and also keeps her weight around 145, which is just about where the five-foot-eight Philadelphian wants it.

Her boss, assistant trainmaster H. L. Leiter, says Miss Hilger does "a swell job" in the West Philadelphia yards.

Temple athletic authorities are equally pleased. Besides swimming, she turned out for basketball and hockey, gets good grades, keeps abreast of news events and sleeps an average of 10 hours when she gets the chance.



Three nights a week Miss Hilger is a switch tender for the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Flashes From The Fronts— AAFBS Graduates In Classes 42-7 And 43-1 Are Widely Scattered

(Editor's Note: — More information concerning the whereabouts of members of the graduating classes 42-17 and 43-1 of the Big Spring Bombardier School.)

Last heard from early in March, Lt. James F. Byrnes of Aurora, Ill. had completed his 21st mission in the Central Pacific area. After leaving the States in October of '43, he received specialized training in Australia for awhile, then turned his attention to Jap shipping and installations throughout New Guinea, New Britain, Bougainville and the Marshalls. He already has the Air Medal with several clusters.

Lt. Raymond F. Stone of Battle Creek, Mich. is back in the States again after many "monotonous months of patrol duty off the southwest coast of South America." Stationed now at Walker Field, Kansas, Stone expects to go overseas soon with a heavy bombardment outfit. He now holds a rating as a celestial navigator.

When last heard from a month ago, Lt. Charles W. Delaney of Kingston, N. Y. had the Air Medal with two clusters and was pounding the Nips to bits in the Central Pacific area. Before he left the U. S. for the Pacific, Delaney spent several months on anti-sub patrol off the Atlantic coast.

From the Caribbean area comes word of Lt. Ken Sterner of San Saba, Texas. He's been flying patrol down there for about a year now, and has only the Air Medal to console him for his "dull routine job" as he puts it. "Had more bombing practice at Big Spring," writes Sterner.

Contacted by radio at 415 p. m. on July 3, 1943 over the Atlantic ocean, west of Portugal, Lt. Anthony Tracy of Houston has not been heard from since. He and all members of his crew aboard the Liberator just vanished. Tracy flew with the first group of Liberators organized for anti-sub patrol off North Africa.

Until he left for England in August of '43, Lt. Henry Wieser of Hamilton, Texas was group bombardier with an anti-sub outfit hunting U-boats off Newfoundland. Arriving for duty with a heavy bombardment group in Britain, Wieser blasted Hitler's European fortress from the

'greenhouse' of his own Fortress until January 21st, when he was reported missing over France. Wieser had the Air Medal with two clusters at the time of his disappearance. Later news found him a prisoner of war in Germany.

Lt. Paul Young of Detroit, Mich. flew patrol off the coast of Ireland for several months before being transferred to North Africa where he harassed Axis shipping in the Mediterranean. He is now laying 'em on the Nazis in Italy.

Lt. Ken Young of Troutville, Va. has been on patrol off the northeast coast of South America for almost a year now. Young has the Air Medal with one cluster.

Class 43-1 graduated Jan. 7, 1943. Twice recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross, Lt. K. R. Adkins Jr. of Huntington, W. Va. had been operating out of a heavy bombardment base near Darwin, Australia. The August 2nd and 27th issues of Time magazine tell the story of his outfit which has been making those long-range 2,500-mile round-trip flights to Soerabaya in Java, blasting Jap oil fields.

On November 21st of '43 Adkins took off to blast a Jap convoy off New Guinea. He never returned. Up to the time of his disappearance he had well over 200 combat hours to his credit.

Lt. E. M. Ainsworth of Georgetown, Texas has taken a number of specialized training courses since leaving here and is now completing his combat training at Salt Lake City. He expects to go overseas soon.

Landing in Australia in March of '43, Lt. Oliver W. Alvin of North Branch, Minn. was stationed there until May when he flew to Port Moresby, New Guinea for duty with a newly-formed squadron of B-17s. Taking off on the morning of June 1st for an important reconnaissance mission over enemy territory, Alvin's plane never returned. Nothing has since been heard of the missing B-17 or its ten gallant crew members.

Very little is known about Lt. Charles A. Andrus Jr. of Houston

He's been roaming all over the Pacific ever since leaving here, and we have it on good authority that he had collected a Distinguished Flying Cross and an Air Medal with cluster during his travels. That's all.

Lt. Ralph Eugene Armstrong of Vancouver, Wash. is one of those unsung heroes who's still sweating it out — in Big Spring. He's an instructor here.

Political Announcements

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

District offices . . . \$25.00
County offices . . . \$17.50
Precinct offices . . . \$10.00

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 22, 1944:

For Congress:
GEORGE MAHON
C. L. HARRIS

For State Senator:
STERLING J. PARRISH

For District Attorney:
MARTELLE McDONALD

County Judge:
JAMES T. BROOKS
Tax Assessor-Collector:
JOHN F. WOLCOTT

For Sheriff:
BOR WOLF
DENVER DUNN

For County Attorney:
GEORGE T. THOMAS
H. C. HOOSER

County Clerk:
LEE PORTER

District Clerk:
GEORGE CHOATE

Treasurer:
MRS. IDA L. COLLINS

Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
WALTER W. LONG
J. E. (ED) BROWN
A. L. McCORMICK

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
H. T. (THAD) HALE
W. W. (POP) BENNETT

Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
R. L. (PANCHO) NALL

Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
GLASS GLENN
AKIN SIMPSON
EARL HULL

Justice of Peace, Pct. No. 1:
WALTER GRICE
J. S. NABORS

Constable, Pct. No. 1:
J. F. (JIM) CRENSHAW
J. T. (CHIEF) THORNTON

Iva's Jewelry

takes pleasure in announcing that Charles T. White who has been associated with KBST Radio Station will join the sales staff of this popular jewelry store tomorrow, May 1st. He will be glad to have his friends pay him a visit at his new location.



CHARLES T. WHITE

TOMMY TALKS

about Nutrition TO KEEP U.S. FIT

YOU MUST BE A VICTORY FARMER UNCLE JOE. YOU ARE RAISING SO MUCH MORE FOOD THIS YEAR THAN LAST!

ALL THESE PIGS ARE PATRIOTIC PIGS, TOO

YES SIR, THEY ARE DOING SOME GROWING!

HAVE SOME FRESH VEGETABLES, TOMMY WE USE LOTS OF THEM AND AUNT MARTHA CANS THE SURPLUS

THERE ARE NO RATION POINTS ON FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES MOM ALWAYS BUYS THEM!

YOUR RATIONED FOODS CAN BE STRETCHED BY USING LOTS OF FRESH VEGETABLES AND

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Your City Commission Presents This Factual Information About The City Of Big Spring, Texas

Total Valuation	\$6,831,730.00
Bonded Indebtedness	840,000.00
Tax Rate per \$100.00 assessed valuation	1.70
Statutory Tax Limit per \$100.00 assessed valuation	2.50

Assessed valuation is 66 2/3% of true value set by Board of Equalization. Your City is operating in the black and is in a healthy financial condition.

Your City Commission has called a bond election for the issuance of \$400,000.00 in General Tax Obligation Bonds bearing a rate of interest not to exceed 3% per annum

Why?
To help finance a water improvement and extension program.

What do you mean by help?
The Federal Works Agency has approved a direct grant to the City for this program in the amount of \$410,000 provided the City will match same.

Do we need the water?
Yes.

Why?
To supply the additional requirements that have been imposed on our water supply due to the war impact and the growth of our City.

Will our present wells take care of this requirement?
No, the total safe production from our present well supply is 800,000 gallons per day.

What can we expect from our lakes?
At present both lakes are dry but it is estimated that an average potential production is 800,000 gallons per day, based on normal rainfall.

If the lakes are full, will the combined production from the wells and lakes suffice?
No, this would give only a potential existing supply of 1,600,000 gallons per day while the estimated average daily demand for 1944 is 2,300,000 gallons. With the lakes dry this gives a net deficiency of 1,500,000 gallons per day.

What will the proposed new supply produce?
It is estimated the new Glasscock County Field, with the proper development, will produce 4,000,000 gallons per day.

Why has the above site been selected?
Because the United States Geological Survey has recommended this site as the only available site that will produce water of sufficient quantity and of a quality that meets the approval of the United States Public Health Service.

What capacity line will be run to this field?
A line that will have a minimum capacity of 1,500,000 gallons per day.

What and who controls the capacity of this line?
The demand for war impact, as estimated by the Army, and the War Production Board.

If the bond issue does not carry, what will happen?
Further restrictions as to the use of water will be made necessary immediately.

Who may vote?
Any qualified elector who owns personal or real taxable property in the City of Big Spring and who has duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote.

Date of Election — Monday, May 1, 1944
Place of Election — City Hall (Fire Station)

Please Vote

CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING

May Gifts For Mother!

Mother's Day (May 14) is time for the sincerest of sentiment... let your gift be something worthwhile... lasting!

Ellyn Deleith Perfumes

This ultra-ultra, nationally advertised perfume will help her to feel young. Every enchanting fragrance is one of perfection. Exquisite bottles or complete sets. Priced \$7.50 and up.



Pearls

Just received a new shipment of single, double and triple strands of beautiful, indestructible pearls; beautifully boxed; priced from \$3.50.



Lapel Pins

Glistening Flower Pins to dress up her lapel. Twinkling simulated jewels in sterling silver setting. Wide variety priced from \$3.95.



Ladies' Watches

Newest Lapel and Wrist models. From \$39.50.



Ear Screws

An almost endless variety of styles and color effects. Some come matched with Lapel pins. \$1.25 up.



Compacts

Colorful, beautifully designed... squares, rounds, oblongs and ovals. Priced from \$1.25.



Dresser Sets

Brush, comb and mirror, attractively boxed... in silver, gold or colorful plastics... priced from \$9.95.



Table Lamps

These lamps add much to the beauty of any room. A lamp will delight her for years. From \$9.00.



Dinnerware

Complete dinner sets... attractive floral patterns. 62-piece set complete service for 8; priced from \$22.50 up.



Ladies Billfolds

Attractive leather bill folds from \$1.95.



Pretty Cards — You will find here exactly the card she will enjoy. Choose from our large selection early.

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Colorado City Hero Tells Of Exciting Experiences Abroad

Sudden attacks from Japanese planes on army engineers who rushed through the construction of airbases on the northern coast of Australia and on New Guinea were all in the day's work. Staff Sergeant Carl C. Shelton says, "It's the homesickness that gets you in the jungle, the sergeant, at home for a 21 day furlough after 27 months abroad, as a sergeant."

The son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shelton of Colorado City, Staff Sergeant Shelton enlisted in the General Service engineering corps in August, 1941. He was trained at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and for a brief period at Camp Bowie. He was sent to the bushlands of Australia in January, 1942. Attached to the 46th Engineers he helped to build air strips there in the "down-under jungles," shot a few kangaroos for sport, and worked at top speed getting things ready for the defense of Australia.

"There was only one regiment of us there on the coast when the Coral Sea battle took place," he says, "and if the Japs had managed to come on them we might have been a shade embarrassed!" Among the places he was stationed while overseas were Port Moresby, Milne Bay, and the Trobriand Islands, off the coast of New Guinea.

It was just "more of the same," for engineering corps in New Guinea. "We were landed from barges. There were no docks, no runways, no barracks, no nothing but jungle. We'd be issued jungle packs—jungle hammocks, a light, a zoot suit (camouflaged coveralls), a sweater and other stuff we'd need.

"Then we'd get to work in shifts on a 24-hour schedule building docks, airbases, whatever was needed fastest," Sergeant Shelton says. The Japanese reconnaissance usually spotted the busy engineers immediately, he declares, and they came frequent attacks from small groups of enemy planes. "They usually blasted us by night. We grabbed for the ground or

a foxhole," he continues, "until they flew back and left us alone. Then we went on with our work until the next time." The 46th Engineers actually suffered more casualties from one epidemic of food poisoning than from enemy air raids, however, he remembers.

Sergeant Shelton was sent home by the rotation plan for men on foreign duty for a two year period and will report to Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio for reassignment after his visit here. His brother, Pvt. Mason Shelton is stationed in England with the medical corps.

The returned engineer has the Presidential citation for the Pauapan campaign and the South-west theater ribbon with three stars; the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon; and the Good Conduct Medal.

He is a graduate of Colorado City high school with the class of '33 and was employed by the Texas State highway department before he went into the service.

Third Vincent Well Rates 36 Bbls Daily

Cosden and Gutherie No. 2 Pauline Allen, third producer in the unpredictable Vincent area, tested 36 barrels daily on a potential run to become the only new producer in the county during the past week.

Although its production was less than a third of the recently completed Coffield and Gutherie No. 1 Guy Guffee in the same area, the gravity of oil was 33, about five to six points over that in the Guffee test and in the Cosden and Gutherie No. 1 Pauline Allen, discovery well in the southeast corner of section 57-20, LaVaca. The No. 2 Allen is a northwest offset. Pay was from \$4,500-5,500. Following an ill-starred deepening operation and subsequent shooting of the original pay section, No. 1 Allen is still cleaning out.

Immediately west of Big Spring operators gave a second shot of 818 quarts to the John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 Bruce Frazier, from 3,135-3,216 feet and was cleaning out at 3,005 feet. Location is 1,650 feet from the north and 2,310 feet from the west lines of section 7-33-1a, T&P, a mile north of production in the Moore pool area. The Frazier test topped lime and pay higher but the lime appears to be tight.

Rotary was being moved from the John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 Gular estate, two miles north of the Frazier test, after reaching 3,111 feet and was being skidded to the No. 2 Gular estate, 2,298 feet from the west and 1,663 feet from the north lines of section 8-A, Bauer & Cockrell. John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 Allison, in section 6-33-1a, T&P, was below 2,462 feet.

In the Moore pool southwest of Big Spring John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 Thompson, section 13-34-1a, T&P, and John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 Harold Homan, section 12-34-1a, T&P, were awaiting a pumping test. John B. Hawley, Jr., No. 1 J. O. Rosser, section 23-34-1a, T&P, was cleaning out at 3,210 after its second shot, a 770-quart jolt.

For the fourth time, the J. C. Karcher, et al No. 1 J. C. Caldwell, rank wildcat near Vealmoor community on the Howard-Borden line, logged water and was under-reaming for 13 inch from 895-903. Location is 1,980 feet from the east and 660 feet from the north lines of section 32-32-3n, T&P.

Northern Ordinance Oil Co. No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, south-central Borden county deep wildcat, was reported below 5,963 feet in lime. Location is 330 feet out of the northwest corner of section 32-31-4n, T&P.

Cosden spudded its No. 3-B Read, 990 feet from the east and 1,850 feet from the south lines of section 48-30-1n, T&P, and made 150 feet of hole. Ray Oil No. 3-B Read in the northeast quarter of the same section, was reported below 1,200 feet.

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County Men Are Reclassified

Changed classifications of a group of Howard county registrants, many of whom were placed in 2-C essential agriculture classification, were announced Saturday at selective service headquarters.

The new classifications are: 1-A—Jack T. Proctor, Victor R. Yanez, Ramon Alvarez, Donald E. Alfred, William C. Turner and Fred Underwood.

2-C—Jack Nichols, Bruce A. Bishop, O. J. Ingram, Cecil W. Phillips, Arnold J. Lloyd, William C. Reed, Virgil L. Little, Roy D. Fuqua, Frank J. Mathews, Edward D. Marion, Paul B. Adams, Curtis A. Crittenden, Dale W. Hart, J. D. McGregor, Carl E. Hammack, William Y. Gray, Irvin E. Howard, William C. Clanton, Ben V. Nix, George Warren, Marion C. Denton, Howard Jenkins, Ralph D. Burrow, William R. Allred, Howard D. Peugh, Wesley M. Reynolds, Morris Patterson, Thomas T. Hopper, Edgar R. Edens, Dale Woolard, Eddie R. Barnett, Bob S. Kerby, Troy M. Newton, John D. Shockley, Clyde O. Bloodworth, Sidney A. Yates, Arthur H. Neves, Ralph L. Proctor, D. L. Knightcap, Roy C. Morton, J. C. Billingsley, Jr., Harvey W. Fryar, Leon W. Denton, Billie L. Eggleston, Howard A. Sneed, Robert E. Haney, Curtis Wood, J. D. Henderson and Richard W. Senter.

1-C—Verne T. Coleman, Robert M. McCormick, Jessie A. Burham, Odie T. Moore, Jarrell J. Jones, J. D. Stembbridge, Charles W. Nance, Calvin L. Stuteville, Doyle M. Rice, Jewell C. Edens, Thomas A. Ellett, Marshall J. Henderson, Carroll F. Coates, Billy G. Barber, Earl H. Bedell, Richard L. Cauble, Robert D. Cowley, James M. Ringener, Charles R. Rodriguez, Richard O. Oliver and Joe C. Myers.

4-F—Victor A. Dominguez, Dewitt C. Huit, Lee T. Fitzsimmon, Floyd F. White and William T. Hensley.

2-A—Earl Lucas, Frank J. Skiles and William R. Yates, Jr. 1-A (H)—Vidal A. Chavez, William J. Johnston, Charles E. Winger and Kizer Cotten.

2-C (H)—Paul H. Leatherwood and Robert E. Massey.

1-A-L—Macon A. Ulmer.

2-B—Joseph A. Faucett.

2-A (H)—Lloyd Burkhardt.

2-B (H)—Frank M. Gray.

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Kimble County Wildcat Credited With Flowing Oil After Acidizing

By JOHN R. BREWER — SAN ANGELO, April 29.—Wildcats in Andrews, Crane and Kimble counties, testing or preparing to test after showing oil in amounts promising production, held West Texas attention at the week's close.

Stanolind No. 1-F Midland Farms in southern Andrews, C SE NW 1-43-2n-G&MMB&A, was to drill plugs from 6 5/8 inch casing cemented at 4,756 feet. It recovered 1,830 feet of slightly mud-cut 37 gravity oil and 65 feet of drilling mud cut with gas on a 45-minute drill-stem test of the lower Grayburg and upper San Andres sections of the Permian lime from 4,820 to 4,488 feet, the total depth.

The wildcat is eight miles northeast of the Emma pool and nine miles west of the Mabey field.

The Texas Co. No. 1 Chas. W. Hobbs estate, southeastern Crane county wildcat that assured production on drill stem tests between 5,267 and 5,390 feet and continued to contract depth of 6,000 without reaching the Ellenburger, was testing shows in the Silurian through perforations from 5,670-85 feet. Next it will test lime believed to be the Devonian from which it indicated production on drillstem tests between 5,267 and 5,345 feet. Location is the C N N 46-35-H&T.C.

Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1 Mrs. Robt. H. Spiller, a "light" wildcat in northern Kimble county in section 10, H. W. Choice survey, was credited with flowing oil without swabbing after treating the Ellenburger from 2,375 to 2,402 feet, the total depth. After being turned into the pits for 15 minutes, it was shut in for orders. Eight inch casing was cemented at 2,365 feet after oil and gas-cut mud was recovered. Phillips confirmed, on drillstem tests between 2,374 and the bottom.

Warren Petroleum Co. No. 1 M. W. Fowler, first Coke county wildcat to explore the Ellenburger, swabbed clean oil at a rate of approximately one barrel hourly after drilling out to 6,412 feet, 13 feet off bottom, following a plug-back to shut off salt water, and retreating with 3,000 gallons of acid. It is in the C NW NW 275-1A-H&T.C., two miles southwest of Blackwell.

Continental No. 1-A Dr. E. H. Jones, northwestern Gaines county wildcat C SW SE NW 22-A7-pal, showed salt water in its first testing of the Ellenburger, through perforations in a 5-inch liner from 12,120 to 12,219 feet and was to test higher.

Stanolind started No. 1 C. T. Locke, proposed 6,000-foot wildcat in Dawson county 15 miles west of Lamasa and seven miles southeast of the Cedar Lake pool.

In Gaines county, C NE NE 96-M-EL&ER, Stanolind-Shell No. 2 W. E. Blue estate, fourth producer in the Wheeler Ellenburger field in eastern Winkler county, became the largest by flowing 45 gravity oil at a daily rate of 1,857 barrels for completion through perforations from 10,815 to 10,665 feet. It is in the southwest quarter of section 15-46-19-T&P, 2,670 feet south of No. 1 Blue, the discovery.

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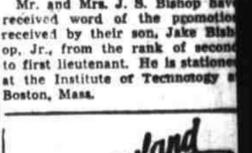
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30th ANNUAL REPORT TO TEXAS INDUSTRY

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

December 31, 1943

ASSETS	
Cash in Banks	\$1,468,932.86
Bonds (Amortized Values)	5,482,777.48
Stocks (Market Values)	379,046.00
First Mortgage Loans	50,823.45
Real Estate	166,472.75
Premiums in Course of Collection	767,251.97
Other Assets	135,891.76
TOTAL ADMITTED ASSETS	\$8,451,196.27

LIABILITIES	
Reserve for Losses	\$3,916,745.19
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	733,065.19
Reserve for Taxes and Expenses	531,651.37
Reserve for Dividends	205,000.00
Contingent Fund	500,000.00
Surplus to Policyholders	2,564,736.52
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$8,451,196.27

\$1,649,558 PAID IN DIVIDENDS IN 1943

The year 1943 was the best year in the history of the Texas Employers' Insurance Association, setting an all-time record for Assets and Premium Income. Assets reached a total of \$8,451,196.27, an increase of \$1,094,424.48 over 1942. Premium Income for the year amounted to \$6,523,936.08, an increase of \$602,097.72 over the previous year.

Surplus increased to \$2,564,736.52. This combined with the Contingent Reserve of \$500,000.00 makes a surplus for the protection of policyholders of over three million dollars.

During the year, the Association paid \$1,649,558.17 in dividends to policyholders, making more than thirteen million dollars paid in dividends to employers of labor in Texas, to date.

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After Quarter Of Century—

Mrs. Della K. Agnell Retires As Teacher

By JOE PICKLE
When God laid His hand on Della K. Agnell and called her to be a teacher, He gave her the faith of Job, the fortitude of Mrs. Wiggs and the energy and enthusiasm of perpetual youth.

She exercised these endowments so well and constantly that as she retired after more than a quarter of a century of teaching in Big Spring schools she still has an abundance of all.

In her years of service as a first grade teacher, this remarkable woman has actually outlasted one building, served under four superintendents and 17 head teachers, and taught well over 3,000 individuals. She passed retirement age three years ago and submitted her resignation this week only at the insistence of her sons.

This unchanging character who taught tiny youngsters with as much patience and expectancy as the last day of her career as on the first found time in all her years to pioneer and bulwark P. T. A. work, to engage in half a dozen other activities, including church work and safety programs.

To understand her spirit, it is necessary to know her parents. Her father, Samuel Brown Russell, was a well-educated Virginian whose sternness of purpose was exceeded only in his devotion as a lay Presbyterian leader. Mrs. Russell was the daughter of the Rev. Jonas Johnston, early Baptist leader and president of the board of trustees of old Baylor university at Independence.

The two were married Oct. 6, 1869 at Galveston where they had gone to the Texas General Baptist convention. Education and religion had first place in the lives of their children and among earliest recollections of Della, who was born at Weatherford on Aug. 20, 1885, is learning the alphabet as written by her father on an eight-foot blackboard in the dining room. By the time she was old enough to go to the school she



MRS. DELLA K. AGNELL (Kelsey Photo)

had gone through two McGuffey readers, could say the multiplication tables and could wade through most of the blue-back speller. When she was nine years old her father died and in 1895 Mrs. Russell took her four daughters to Belton where they could live and go to school. For some reason, Mrs. Russell then moved in November 1900 to Big Spring, where her sister, Mrs. A. G. Troop, re-

sided and Della arrived June 19, 1900 after earning her degree at Baylor Belton by doubling up on Greek the last semester.

Job Interfered
Although her mother thought she had better rest, she did consent to Della working in the post-office part time under George Sparenburg. This job ended dramatically when George suggested working on the Sabbath. Mrs. Russell would not think of flaunting the Lord and neither would her young daughter. The postmaster, who married Della's older sister later, figured this was stretching the point too far.

Della was at Sunday school next morning as secretary instead of at the postoffice. On Tuesday she was offered a job as assistant bookkeeper at Paddy, Matthews and Wolcott, resigning several years later to marry P. W. Agnell and almost with regret, she told him, because it meant she would never get to teach.

A year and a half after they had sided and Della arrived June 19, 1900 after earning her degree at Baylor Belton by doubling up on Greek the last semester. (See MRS. AGNELL, P. 14, C. 3)

Class Colors Featured At Luncheon

Rev. O'Brien Is Speaker At Meeting

Class colors, purple and white, were used in decorations and plate favors at a monthly luncheon held at the First Baptist church Friday at noon by the Dorcas class.

The luncheon table was centered with an arrangement of corn flowers and nut cups were tied with purple and white ribbons.

The meeting opened with the singing of the class song, "Help Somebody Today," and Mrs. W. B. Buchanan offered prayer. Visitors present were the Rev. Dick O'Brien, Robert and Richard O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hock and daughter, Barbara, Mrs. M. E. Harlan, D. C. Maupin, W. C. Creighton and F. M. Bettie. Mrs. W. M. Page presided over the meeting which followed the meal, and the afternoon program included a song "Moment by Moment" by Mrs. Ernest Hock. Reading, "As I Grow Old," and "We Had a Letter From the Boy" were given by Mrs. W. R. Creighton.

Ernest Hock sang a solo, and the Rev. Dick O'Brien spoke to the group on "Relation of the Sunday School Class to Church." It was announced that Mrs. C. M. Chesney would entertain the class next and members attending were Mrs. R. C. Hatch, Mrs. F. M. Bettie, Mrs. Joe Barnett, Mrs. Chesney, Mrs. D. C. Maupin, Mrs. A. E. Corson, Mrs. Lina Lewellen and Mrs. Dannie Walton.

Colorado Junior Senior Banquet, Dance Is Held

COLORADO CITY, April 28 — In a cafe setting of the gay nineties the junior class of Colorado City high school entertained members of the senior class and the faculty with the traditional spring banquet here Friday night.

Piano music, popular in the late nineties, was played during the evening by two sophomore students, Doris Ann Coffey and Mary Louise Logan. Udell Moore was toastmaster and extended greetings to the seniors and other guests. A. J. Roach gave the response.

The invocation was said by the Rev. C. E. Cogswell. Two quartets sang. Janese Orman, Janis Kelly, Virginia Woodward and Virginia Caffey sang "My Sweetheart's the Man in the Moon," and "Father, Dear Father Come Home to Me Now." Goodwin Simpson, Creighton White, Richard Thomas, and Jimmy Pickens sang "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," and "Swing Low Sweet Chariot." Jane Norman was accompanist.

Two dance numbers were presented by colored tap-dancers. Ninety sophomore girls in ray ninety costumes of tightly fitted black satins with varicolored ruffles, served the four course menu which was prepared by members of the junior class mothers' committee.

Junior class sponsors who directed the hosting of the class are Mrs. Mary Nell Donelson, Mrs. Gladys Marshall, and Mr. Cogswell. Mable Phillips, Joetta Beauchamp, and J. C. Koen are sponsors of the senior group.

Following the banquet the members of the Sub-Deb club entertained at the Colorado City country club with the annual senior prom. Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Ellwood, Sub-Deb sponsors, and several other couples acted as hosts. Sub-Deb colors and insignia were used about the club dance room. One hundred couples were guests.

Services Announced By Local Church

"Living With Ourselves" will be the topic of the sermon to be delivered by the Rev. James E. Moore at services this morning at the First Presbyterian church.

The choir, directed by Mrs. A. B. Brown, will sing "Great Is the Lord" and organ accompaniment will be furnished by Mrs. Pat Kenney.

The Presbyterian church, joining with other religious organizations, will participate in the union service at the First Methodist church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Junior vespers services will be held at the church at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening but the intermediate and high school groups will meet with the League at the First Methodist church at 6:30 o'clock.

Choir rehearsal will be held at the church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Porter Presides Over Lodge Meeting

The Woodmen Circle met at the WOW hall Friday evening for a semi-monthly business session. Mrs. Altha Porter, guardian, presided, and several members were reported to be ill.

Those attending were Mrs. Viola Bowles, Beulah Kathryn Bowles, Mrs. Pearl Vick and Mrs. Ethel Chilton.

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Thirteen Chapters Of OES Represented At Midland Meet

Thirteen chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star were represented at the district two, section eight school of instruction which was held Thursday in Midland.

Hoping for at least an attendance of 75 persons, the Midland chapter which was host was happily surprised at the total registration which reached 234.

The first session started at 9 a. m. in the Masonic Hall and a banquet for all officers and members was served at 6:30 o'clock in the educational building at the First Methodist church.

Visiting grand officers included Mrs. Cynthia May Watts, worthy grand matron of Lufkin; Walter B. Baldwin, worthy grand patron of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Audra Tanner, grand examiner, Iowa Park; Mrs. Lillian Barnard, grand matron of Lubbock; Mrs. Della Mae Moore, district deputy, Abilene; Mrs. Daisy Sutton, of Goldsmith; Mrs. Agnes V. Young of Big Spring, grand officer, gave the invocation and also addressed the convention and Norman Reed gave a tribute to the flag.

Mrs. Dorothy Hull acted as associate matron and Mrs. Gladys Daimont as associated warder. Mrs. Maude Brooks served on the registration committee and a total of 15 A certificates and five B awards were made.

Attending from Big Spring were Mrs. Young, Mrs. Dorothy Hull, Mrs. Gladys Daimont, Mrs. Gladys Thompson, Mrs. Bonnie Allen, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kirk, Mrs. Lena Koberg, Mrs. Ruth Pittman, Mrs. Ruth Huneycutt, Mrs. Mattie Munuke. Mrs. W. B. Maxwell, Mrs. Ethel Lees, Mrs. Fannie Carpenter, Mrs. Osa Green, Lee Allison, Mrs. Pearl Gage, Mrs. Vera Calwell, Mrs. Rachel Ruffin, Mrs. Oma Rossin, Mrs. Brownie Dunning, Mrs. Ruby Read, Mrs. Nora Williamson, Mrs. Rose Stringfellow, Mrs. Willie Mae Dabney, Mrs. Edith Murdoch, Mrs. Jessie Graves, Mrs. Ruth Eason, Mrs. Minnie Michael, Mrs. Blanche Hall.

Other towns represented were Midland, Odessa, Colorado City, Lamesa, Crane, Coahoma, Garden City, Stanton, Andrews, Goldsmith, Snyder and Dunn.

Post-war improvements were discussed by Luther home demonstration club women when the group met with Mrs. Akin Simpson Thursday afternoon.

Home laundry rooms, piping of water into homes and better kitchen arrangements to save time and steps were among topics talked. The advantages of a freer locker in the home and the help of an electrical garbage dispenser were used as examples of post-war improvements.

"Better Means of Travel" was given by Miss Lula Coleman and discussion on "A Preview of the Post-War Kitchen" and "A Quick Look at Things to Come" were given by Mrs. Neal Rosamond and Mrs. W. D. Anderson.

Mrs. Alton Smith was elected secretary and two new members were introduced.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, May 10 (instead of the regular date in Mrs. Leslie Bryson's home. Food production will be discussed by Reba Merle Boyles, home demonstration agent.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Morris Clanton, Mrs. Munnie Smith, Mrs. Sarah M. Hamlin, Mrs. O. E. Hamlin, Mrs. M. B. Coats, Mrs. Neal Rosamond, Mrs. S. L. Lockhart, Mrs. Alton Smith, Mrs. Edward Simpson, Mrs. Leslie Bryson, Mrs. W. H. Coleman, Mrs. W. D. Anderson, Mrs. Norvin Smith, Miss Lula Coleman and the hostess.

J. S. Winslows Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Couple's Children Serve As Hosts For Entertainment

By OPAL DIXON
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Winslow, who were married when Big Spring was a straggling town of 800 residents surrounded by vast grazing land broken for the most part only by "drift fences," observed their golden wedding anniversary Saturday with open house.

Friends called at their home at 602 Abrams street, where the couple's children had gathered to observe the occasion and serve as hosts and hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow, both of whom are active, were married in Big Spring and have lived here or on ranches in immediate vicinity throughout the 50 years of their married life.

Mr. Winslow, then 22 years old, and 16-year-old Josie Burleson were married April 29, 1894 at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. I. Lewis, at 401 Bell street, with the late Judge Bowman county judge and Methodist minister officiating. The bride, who was born in 1878, had lived in Big Spring about five years prior to the wedding, and the bridegroom, who was born in Parker county, had lived here

since 1886. Both had come to Big Spring in wagons. The couple started housekeeping immediately. Wedding trips weren't so popular in those days as now and instead of taking a trip, "we went to work," said Mr. Winslow.

The bridegroom was employed by J. & W. Fisher, "The Store That Had Everything"—groceries, dry goods, hardware and other merchandise.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow — like most of the town's residents — traveled by horse and buggy. "You were out of date then if you didn't have a horse and buggy," Mr. Winslow recalled.

The first cars obtained by Big Spring persons were purchased about 1908 or 1910 and the Winslows bought their first in 1916. Square dancing and horseback riding were the principal recreation. For years after they were married the couple would ride horses out on the prairie, Mrs. Winslow in a side saddle.

"In those days you could turn a horse loose and he could go all the way to Amarillo without stopping," said Mr. Winslow. If ranchers fenced land and took control, they had to pay a lease, half to the railroad and half to schools. They could build "drift fences" instead, perhaps half a dozen stock men building a fence which would keep their livestock from wandering too far. The "drift fences" were constructed only on two sides, usually north and south.

Was there any water scarcity in those days? Mr. Winslow laughed. "I thought there was enough water here for the world," he said. Residents did obtain their water for household use in unusual manner, however. Water was hauled from Houliwell well and Roper wells and placed in one or two barrels located usually in the rear of the homes. Sometimes, sheds were constructed for the barrels. "What about housing problems? We didn't have any of those. We just got a tent if there weren't any houses."

Mr. Winslow's mother, Mrs. N. L. Pike, was a charter member of the Methodist church, which was housed in a pine building. Mr. Winslow had lived in West Texas even before moving to Big Spring in 1886. He had lived at Ben Ficklin, now San Angelo, earlier, after moving back to Parker county, to Mitchell county in 1883, and from there to Howard county.

Mr. Winslow served two terms as a commissioner and 10 years on the city school board. He ranched in this vicinity about 20 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow have five daughters and two sons, Mrs. Zora Carter and Mrs. Herbert Hatch of Big Spring, Mrs. R. L. Morris of St. John, Ariz., Mrs. John Morgan, of Dallas, Mrs. Odie Moore and Arthur Winslow of Fort Worth, and Sgt. James Winslow, of Muroc, Calif. Numerous old friends attended the open house. They included persons who had been associated with the couple in various ways. A. C. Walker, the first county clerk who required the bride-to-be of 16 to bring her mother to the courthouse before he would issue a marriage license, was among those invited.



(Kelsey Photo) Mr. and Mrs. Winslow

Hours were from 3 to 5 o'clock and the P. T. A. colors, blue and gold, predominated in decorations of the tea table and in the entertaining rooms.

The honored guests were presented with corsages of blue iris, and included in the houseparty were Mrs. Kelly Burns, Mrs. O. O. Brown, Mrs. Albert Joseph, Mrs. H. C. Stupp, Mrs. Will P. Edwards and Mrs. W. E. Wright.

Mrs. Bill Earley presided at the register and Mrs. James T. Brooks presided at the refreshment table which was laid with a crepe lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of iris, delphinium and camellias. Marigolds and delphinium were in the living room.

Teachers attending were Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mrs. E. J. Coverdill, Mrs. Ada Harrison, Neal Cummings, Mrs. G. L. Hardin, Mrs. Martelle McDonald.

Others who called during the afternoon were Mrs. M. McMurry, Mrs. A. H. Tate, Mrs. Lee Nuckles, Mrs. Clarence Whittington, Mrs. J. C. Rogers, Mrs. Leon Coie, Mrs. M. H. Kelley, Mrs. James E. Moore, Mrs. William Tate, Mrs. Richard F. Dixon, Mrs. Joe B. Drane, Mrs. J. E. Hogan, Mrs. Bill Dawes, Mrs. A. W. Dillon and Mrs. B. E. Freeman.

Mrs. J. T. Allen is general chairman in charge of the entertainments and is to be assisted by Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, Mrs. J. H. Greene and Mrs. Frank Powell.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Mrs. Richard F. Dickson will serve as chairman of the hostess committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Neil C. Allen, Mrs. C. W. Kober, and Mrs. J. H. Baugh.

Luncheon will be served at 1:30 o'clock and all officers' wives are invited to attend.

Teachers Honored At Tea Given By Mrs. G. T. Hall And Mrs. J. E. Brigham

An informal tea honoring teachers of the College Heights school was given in the J. E. Brigham home Friday afternoon by Mrs. Brigham, retiring president of the Parent-Teacher's Association, and Mrs. G. T. Hall, incoming president.

May Day Tea Is Scheduled Here On Thursday

The United Council of Church Women will be entertained with a May Day tea at the First Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at which time Mrs. Marie Frost will review the book "Also the Hills" by Frances Keyes.

A special musical number will be presented by Sgt. Joe Kling of the Big Spring Bombardier School and other musical selections will be given by Elsie Wilcox and Mrs. Pat Kenney.

The wives of local pastors will serve on the hostess committee and will preside at a special register, which is to be presented to Mrs. Bernard Fisher, United Council president.

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P-T.A Tea To Be Held

Plans are being made for the Parent-Teacher's Association tea which will be held at the First Methodist church Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock when a joint installation service and program will be presented.

Mrs. L. G. Beyerly, state vice president of Midland, will deliver a state message to new officers and Mrs. J. B. Mull will act as general chairman of the affair.

Assisted by Mrs. Della K. Agnew, all retiring presidents of local units will be in charge of the tea.

Life members of the P-T.A. will be recognized and Mrs. H. Keith, district vice president will be in charge of the installation of officers.

All members of the local P-T.A. organization are invited to attend along with all townspeople.

B. & P. W. Hold Business Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club will be held Tuesday evening at the Settles hotel at 7:30 o'clock according to announcement Saturday by Jewel Barton, who has urged all members to be present.

Highlight of the session will be the election of new officers and delegates to the state convention.

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Delegates Attend Meet In Dallas

Chapter To Hold Dinner Dance Here Thursday Evening

Eleven members of the local chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority left Saturday for Dallas where they were to attend a Founder's Day celebration today of the sorority, which marks the 15th anniversary of the organization.

The convention was to be held at the Adolphus hotel with Walter W. Ross of Kansas City, Mo., founder conducting the ritual ceremony.

Accompanied by Mary Young of Kansas City, Mo., who is field representative for the Beta Sigma Phi, the group from Big Spring who attended included Gloria Nall, Lucille Burke, Sara Johnson, Caroline Smith, Evelyn Merrill, Janie Brimberry, Eddy Raye Smith, Frances Hendrix, Nell Rhea McCrary and Harriette Smith.

Thursday the local chapter will entertain with a formal dinner dance at the Settles hotel and preceding the entertainment a ritual of jewels and pledge ritual will be held.

Pledges who will take the ritual of jewels are Frances Hendrix, Caroline Smith, Lee Ida Pinkston, Joyce Croft, Pat Dobbins, Gloria Nall, Elizabeth Murdock, Gene Goin and Lucille Burke.

Five taking the pledge ritual will be Earline Read, Mamie Robertson, Waneta Walker, Mary Satterfield and Beatrice Stasey.

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MONDAY
WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE of the First Methodist church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock for a continuation of missionary study.

FIRST CHRISTIAN COUNCIL plans to meet at the church at 3 o'clock.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY of the St. Mary's Episcopal church will meet at 8 p. m. in the parish house.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE of the Wesleyan Methodist church will take up their last lesson in "God and the Problem of Human Suffering" in a meeting at the church at 3 o'clock.

GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL meets at 8 p. m. in the city courtroom.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNCIL study club plans to meet in the home of Mrs. Frank Smith, 509 Gregg, at 2:30 p. m.

LEISURE CLUB will meet at 8 p. m. with Mrs. Jack Rayzor.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY of the Church of the Nazarene meets at the church at 2:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY will hold a meeting at 3:15 at the church parlor.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY of the First Baptist will meet in classes. The Christine Coffee circle meets at the church at 1:15 for a short business meeting, then will proceed to the Red Cross to work in the surgical dressing room; the East Central circle will meet at the church at 3 o'clock for a Bible study led by Mrs. Ernest Hoek; the Mary Willis circle meets with Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, 408 Aylford, at 3 o'clock; and the Lucile Reagan circle with Mrs. Ervin Daniels, 705 E. 15th, at 3 o'clock.

Open House Held At Country Club

Open house and an informal dance was held at the Big Spring country club Saturday evening and hours were from 9:30 to 1:30 o'clock.

A large number of members and their out-of-town guests attended and music for dancing was furnished by nichelodeon.

Seniors Present Play

Seniors of the Big Spring high school presented "My Cousin From Texas," a farce in three acts by Pete Williams at the city auditorium Friday evening and record turnout of parents, students and townspeople was reported Saturday.

Under the direction of Mrs. Thurman Gentry, speech teacher at the high school, the plot concerned a young girl, Sheila Scott, played by Joanne Rice, who was to be married . . . but to the wrong suitor.

The cast included Betty Burleson who played the part of Peaceful Johnson; Doris Cain, Mrs. Eulalia Scott; Joanne Rice, Sheila Scott; Louise Ann Bennett, Doris Weaver; Jimmy Tolbert, Wilbur Scott; Alyenne Brownrigg, Lucille Scott; Bill Underhill, Preston Rogers; Woody Baker, Johnny Benton; Barney Joe Carr, Eschew Smith; Bobby Barron, Cactus Kelly; Jackie Rayzor, Tommy Cooper.

Ushers were Dorothy Jean Phillips, Dorothy Hull, Wahdane Richardson, Lula Jean Billington, Jeanetta Christensen, Virginia Burns, Lois Mansfield, Charlene Pinkston, Marge Sandridge, Marie Rainey, Patsy Holcombe, Priscilla Moore and Carolyn Jackson.

Between-act numbers were presented by a quartet composed of Barkley Wood, Richard Simmons, Burke Summers and Kenneth Partridge; Billie Ragsdale; a chorus composed of El McCormick, Dwayne Williams, Hugh Cochran, Burke Summers, Kenneth Partridge, Richard Simmons, Barkley Wood, Joyce Blankenship, Eva Jane Darby, Shirley Fisherman and Billie Ragsdale. Musical accompaniment for the entertainment was furnished by Adele Bonner, Simmie Peden, Charles Fraisher and Miss Retz Debenport.

Marriage Of Former Ridge Reported

COLORADO CITY, April 27 — Friends in Colorado City are receiving announcements this week of the marriage of Joy Pace, until recently Homemaking teacher in Colorado City high school, and Staff Sergeant W. W. Hall of North Camp Hood. Mrs. Hall is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pace of Wingate, Sgt. Hall, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hall of Hale Center.

The ceremony took place Sunday, April 23, at the Leon Drive chapel which was decorated with spring flowers and wedding tapers at the altar. Chaplain F. R. Easton officiated.

Pfc. Ruth Jones played the wedding music. The bride was attended by Joetta Beauchamp and by rs. Dick Carl of Littlefield, matron of honor. First Sergeant Bill Taylor was best man, Pfc. Tony Pa Villedes, groomsmen. After a short trip to Waco, Sgt. and Mrs. Hall will be at home in Gatesville where the groom is stationed with the Field Artillery.

Dorothy Harvey On Honor Roll

ABILENE, April 29 — Dorothy Jim Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harvey of Big Spring, is on the Abilene Christian College honor roll in 2 subjects, for the 2nd six weeks.

Students are placed on the registrar's honor roll who are in the upper ten per cent of the class.

Miss Harvey has done outstanding work on the ACC campus during the 1943-44 session.

Girl Scout Council To Meet

The Big Spring Girl Scout council will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the city courtroom. All members are urged to attend.

Corden Chatter

By MRS. ROXIE DOBBINS
Opal Bates of Fort Worth was a visitor in the office Monday and Tuesday. She was the house guest of Maggie Smith.

Fred Grant of Fort Worth was a business visitor in the office Monday and Tuesday.

R. L. Tollett and M. M. Miller returned by plane Friday night from a business trip to New York City and Washington, D. C.

Evelyn Merrill, Lucille Burke and Nell Rhea McCrary are spending the weekend in Dallas where they will attend the Beta Sigma Phi convention Sunday.

Sgt. Pat Stoney has returned to Liberal, Kas., after spending a 14-day furlough here with his wife.

W. H. Gates of Dallas, representing the Mine Safety Appliances Co., was a business visitor in the office Wednesday.

We received a letter this week from Pvt. Ina Mae Bradley of the WAC, who gave us a summary of her first week in the army. She is stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for her basic training.

Cpl. Floyd J. Griffith has been transferred from Las Vegas Nev., to Plant Park, Fla.

W. P. Withers of Dallas general southwestern freight agent, and Fred J. Kesmodel of Fort Worth, commercial agent of the Illinois Central system, were business visitors in the office this week.

Carl Smith and J. A. Selkirk are on a business trip to Brownwood, Fort Worth and Dallas. They will return Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave T. Evans have moved here from Wichita, Kas., to make their home. Evans is the lubricating engineer at Corden.

P. J. Sprunck, commercial agent of the L. & N. railroad, Dallas; Guy Hogan, T. F. A. of the Southern Pacific lines, Fort Worth; and J. G. Hatcher, T. F. A. of the C. M. St. P. & P. railroad, Dallas, were visitors in the office this week.

A letter has been received from P. C. Harmonson, stating that he has entered the Army Air Forces Training Command school at Yale University as an aviation cadet in maintenance engineering. His training there will prepare him for the duties of a technical officer, and upon completion of the course he will be commissioned a second lieutenant and placed in charge of a crew of enlisted men specialists at flying fields on the fighting fronts. He also states that West Point traditions and discipline are in effect at the AAFTC school at Yale.

Word has been received that Pvt. C. L. O'Donnell and Pvt. John E. Brown, both former Corden employees, are stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark., near Little Rock.

J. B. Mull returned Friday morning from a business trip to Chicago, Ill.

W. H. (Willie) Wharton, SP (M) 1/C, writes that he is now in charge of the postoffice at the receiving station, Balboa Park, San Diego, and received a promotion in March. He also states that he has recently been to the horse races in Tijuana.

Mrs. Sully Ross of Midland is visiting her mother, Mrs. Velva Glass.

Billie Frances Shaffer has been transferred from the production department to the tank car sales department, to replace Ina Mae Bradley who joined the WAC.

Self Culture Club Meets In Colorado

COLORADO CITY, April 29 — Members of the Junior Self-Culture club were entertained Thursday evening at the Mitchell county service club room with Lela Roddy as hostess. Spring flowers were used as party decorations and games of bingo furnished diversion.

The hostess served a salad plate to Mildred Mann, Frances Humphrey, Mrs. Lee Carter, Laura Belle Grantland, Beth Gullledge, Sara Melton, Erna Lou Merrill, Neta Mae Davis, Mrs. Odom and Miss Morgan.

Mrs. Richard Connell will entertain the club in May.

39th Annual Convention Of Auxiliary Held At Midland Presbyterian Church

Mrs. Middleton Is Named Vice President

The 39th annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the El Paso Presbyterian was held in Midland Thursday and Friday with four districts comprising 15 West Texas cities and towns and three

Mrs. Jeff Chapman Honored At Party

Mrs. W. C. Killough and Mrs. Sam Byrd honored Mrs. Jeff Chapman with a pink and white shower recently and the chosen color scheme was used in all party appointments.

The table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a bouquet of white and pink honeysuckle.

Refreshments were served and games were played.

Those attending were Mrs. S. W. McElroy, Mrs. J. W. Tucker, Mrs. Witt, Mrs. George Bogard, Mrs. O. H. Petty, Mrs. H. T. Moore, Mrs. Elmer Rainey, Mrs. Miller Russell, Mrs. J. H. Boden, Mrs. Rufus Wright, Mrs. Clay Garner, Mrs. Claude Wright, Mrs. T. B. Timmons, Mrs. Ernest Kennedy, Mrs. Tabetha Cunningham.

Mrs. Britton Hull, Mrs. Mary Canning, Mrs. Arleen Murphey, Mrs. T. E. Sanders, Mrs. C. M. Gilbert, Mrs. Waldo Tindol, Mrs. Emma Byers, Mrs. J. T. Underwood, Mrs. Ted Brown, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. Lillian Smith, Mrs. A. F. Hill, Lorhea Witt, Pearl Gregg, Alma Tindol and Edna Earle Bean.

Among those sending gifts were Mrs. Bert Fields, Mrs. D. W. Adkins, Mrs. T. C. Patterson, Mrs. Floyd Lackey, Mrs. Clara Bender, Mrs. R. W. Brown, Mrs. C. L. Kirkland, Mrs. John Popham, Mrs. Mamie Hogg, Mrs. Austin Smith, Mrs. Lewis Parker, Mrs. Iva Harris, Mrs. Henry Richbourg, Mrs. R. T. Hale, Mrs. Alvis Ingram, Mrs. N. L. York, Mrs. John Lee Parker, Mrs. D. W. Stutes, Mrs. John Masters, Mrs. D. G. Hart, Mrs. Troy Pierce, Mrs. E. E. Holland, Mrs. W. N. Wood, Mrs. E. H. Wood, Mrs. Henry Thames, Frances Shanks, Ruby Rutledge, Ora Morrow, Alice Ruth Sanders and Mrs. Herman Taylor.

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Assisting Mrs. Milam were Mrs. J. J. Milam and Yvonne Milam. Games were played and refreshments served. Gifts were presented to the honoree and those attending were Dorothy Patterson, Nelda Rly, Lela Joyce Wood, Beverly Trannell, Ethel Webb, Jimmy Joan Bennett, Charles Ray Cummings.

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New Mexico towns represented at the religious convale.

Delegates from the various towns with guests registered at 10 a. m. Thursday and the first general session opened at 1:30 p. m. under the direction of Mrs. Preston Black of Barstow, Presbyterian president.

"Now Christian Living" was the keynote of the meeting which was highlighted with talks by outstanding workers in the district. "Our Home and School at Itasca" was given by the Rev. N. R. Hawkins.

Business women were recognized at the Thursday meeting and the birthday objective discussed. In connection with the birthday objective, the work of the Mexican School for Girls at Taft was depicted in a skit presented by the Odessa Presbyterian Auxiliary. The school was to share the birthday fund which is an offering collected in all Presbyterian Women's Auxiliaries during the month of May.

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cluded "The Gate of Heaven" by Mrs. C. S. Harrington, president of the Woman's Auxiliary, Spang of Texas; missionary addresses by Dr. W. F. McElroy, returned missionary from the Belgian Congo in Africa; "From My Heart" by Mrs. Preston Black.

A total of 108 persons registered and the number included 19 presiding officers, 32 delegates and presidents, seven guests and 36 members.

Mrs. Middleton was elected vice president and was named chairman of the program committee with Mrs. Cecil Wasson.

Mrs. A. A. Porter is to serve as a member of the nominating committee, and officers elected for three-year terms included Mrs. R. V. Middleton of Big Spring, vice president; Mrs. Joe Hudson, Seagraves, secretary of religious education and publication; Mrs. C. P. Owens, Coahoma, secretary of literature; Mrs. J. A. Cross, Pecos, secretary of white cross; Mrs. Charles D. Reed, Jr., Coahoma, re-elected recording secretary; and Mrs. Walter Schaffner, Odessa, secretary of Business Women.

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Leahy Will Receive Commission In Navy

SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 29 (AP)—Frank Leahy, who coached Notre Dame to a mythical national football championship last fall, disclosed tonight he would be commissioned a navy lieutenant Monday. He received his notice from the navy today.

Ed McKeever, who served as assistant to Leahy both at Boston and at Notre Dame, will assume the coaching reins over Irish elevens for the duration, Leahy said.

With the disclosure, speculation rose as to the possibility that the 35-year-old Leahy would wind up at the navy's Iowa City preflight school, whose coaching post has been absent since the transfer of Lt. Don Faurot to Monmouth (Ill.) College.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bettle Saturday received the first word they had had from their son, Pvt. Clayton W. Bettle, in seven weeks. It told them that his engineering unit had arrived safely somewhere in New Guinea and that he was feeling swell.

Only about five per cent of the cork used in the United States is used for bottle stoppers.

Texas Cinder Aces Take Spotlight In Interscholastic

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
AUSTIN, April 29 (AP)—Competition as tight as a ration board on Monday is in the offing for the annual interscholastic league track and field meet which this week takes the sports spotlight in Texas.

Four hundred and twenty-five athletes will begin their assault on times and distances Thursday when preliminaries are called for 9 a. m. Semi-finals will start at 2:30 p. m. Finals are scheduled Friday at 1:45 p. m.

And as the schoolboys prepare to ring down the curtain on the sports year, track and field shapes as a two-way fight for the state championship with probably not more than a point to separate Thomas Jefferson and Brackenridge of San Antonio at the finish.

Flyn' Charley Parker, the blond comet of Jefferson, and his mates of the sprint relay team practically assure the Mustangs of three first places.

Parker, state record-holder in both the 100 and 220-yard dashes, not only is picked to win these races but to approach national marks in so doing.

Brackenridge matches Jefferson in potential first places with hurdles August Erfurth and Tom Wait and vaulter Jim Southworth. It appears much will depend on what Southworth does in the high jump and on how Alan Sparkman of Jefferson performs in the discus throw to decide the meet championship.

Southworth is expected to encounter great difficulty in winning the high jump from Charles Madeley of Austin (Houston), who has soared to 6 feet 1-4 inches this season. Sparkman will have his hands full trying to beat George Kadera of John Reagan (Houston) in the discus throw. Kadera has been consistently over 150 feet all year.

Only two deterring champions return. Parker is one of them. The other is Howard Warwick of Jeff Davis (Houston), who got first in the 880-yard race last year when two other runners were disqualified. Warwick ran the half in 2:06 in last week's regional meet—several seconds slower than Fred Baxter of Edison (San Antonio) and Rhea Nichols of Adairson (Dallas) have registered.

Forty-eight tennis players also will be here contesting for state championships with the opening rounds scheduled for 2 p. m. Thursday. Only one defending champion returns. He is Bernard Bartzan of San Angelo, the boys singles titlist.

Garner Residents Attend Food Meet

Approximately 20 residents of Garner community were present for a meeting held for discussion of food production Friday night in the Garner school building.

O. P. Gritin, county agent, and Rhea Merie Boyles, home demonstration agent, discussed food production goals and the farm food production contest arranged by Howard county victory council.

Similar meetings will be held Thursday night in Midway community and Friday night in Lomax community. Both sessions will be at 8:30 p. m. in the school buildings.

One and one-half million tons of fighting ships were delivered to the U. S. fleet in 1943.

The volume of transportation on U. S. railroads increased 132 per cent from 1939 to 1943.

Longhorns Take Little S'west Track Title

COLLEGE STATION, April 29 (AP)—Sweeping ten of 16 events, the University of Texas' track team won the Little Southwest conference track meet here today over Rice and Texas A.&M. The score amassed by Texas was 88.5, Aggies 85 and Rice 30.5.

Features of the meet were the close finishes in the two-mile event, finally won by Terrell of A.&M. over Rainier of Texas. This pair battled it out for the entire final quarter-mile of the long grind and only inches separated them at the tape. Time was 10 minutes, 30 seconds.

Rice's crack quarter-miler, Groves, came from last place to win the mile relay by a step over Texas, which had led throughout the race. Groves also won the 440-yards in the good time of 51.1 and Parker of Rice won the low hurdles in 23.5. For the Aggies, Warren won the high hurdles in 15.4 and King took the javelin throw for the Aggies with a heave of 187 feet.

Fleet-footed Ralph Ellsworth won the 100-yard dash for the university in 9.6 seconds and Culbertson took the 220 in 21. Umstadt won the 880 and mile event in 2:03 and 4:34.5. A six-foot high jump by Hardgrave was tops and Burrus buried the shot 42 feet, 8 inches. Neilson continued the Texas rampage by vaulting 12 feet, 6 inches, and Smith hurled the discus 136 feet, 9 inches. Other Texas winners: Porter jumped 22 feet, 10.5 inches, and the Texas 440-yard relay team (Culbertson, Crow, Klein and Ellsworth) stepped the distance in 44-flat.

A strong tailwind helped runners in the dash events.

Dark Horse Downs Derby Favorites At Pimlico Park

BALTIMORE, April 29 (AP)—The Kentucky Derby picture was further scrambled today as Mrs. A. J. Abel's Gramps Image, who had been rated only a slim chance to start in the bluegrass classic, defeated at least three highly regarded derby eligibles in the 24th running of the Chesapeake Stakes at Pimlico.

Gramps Image turned in a clean-cut victory over Calumet Farm's Pensive, the favorite of a crowd of 19,930 persons, in the richest running of this traditional Havre De Grace classic.

He edged out Pensive by a head to take the \$24,700 winner's purse. The crowd wagered \$1,237,679 on the eight races, highest handle of the meeting.

The winning colt was in contention throughout the mile and one sixteenth race, took the lead around the final turn and gamely withstood Pensive's bid to win.

The Calumet colt led Dabnet Stable's Gay Bit by four lengths. Mrs. Ethel D. Jacobs' Stymlie was fourth in the field of eight, trailing Gay Bit by five lengths.

Following Stymlie in order were Philip Godfrey's Comenow, Mrs. Ella K. Bryson's Director J. E., Mrs. Roy Carruthers' Jimmie and W. L. Brann's Declared.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: JANE WIGHTWICK GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 22nd day of May, A. D., 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 18th day of March, 1944. The file number of said suit being No. 5065. The names of the parties in said suit are: H. S. MILLER as Plaintiff, and JANE WIGHTWICK, individually and as Dowager Countess of Aylesford, and all of the unknown heirs of the said Jane Wightwick and all of the unknown successors to the said Jane Wightwick, Dowager Countess of Aylesford, and all of the unknown heirs of the said Dowager Countess of Aylesford, and all other unknown owners and claimants, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit in trespass to try title to Section No. 36, Block No. 32, twp. 2 North, Howard County, Texas, especially including the mineral rights, plaintiff alleging that on January 1, 1944 the defendants unlawfully entered upon the said land and premises and ejected plaintiff, therefrom, and now unlawfully withholds from him the possession, to his damages in the sum of \$1,000.00, plaintiff alleging that he is the owner of the said property and has a right to possession, the suit being brought as well to try title as for damages.

Issued this 8th day of April, 1944. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 8th day of April, A. D., 1944.

Geo. C. CHOATE, Clerk, District Court, Howard County, Texas. (SEAL)

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Michigan Shoved Into Background At Penn Relays

By TED MEIER
PHILADELPHIA, April 29 (AP)—Army and Dartmouth shoved Michigan out of the spotlight at the wind up of the two day Penn Relay track carnival at Franklin Field today by beating the favored Wolverines in the two mile and mile relays before a cheering crowd of 25,000.

After Michigan had easily added the four-mile title to its distance men's crown of yesterday, the Big Ten champions seemed headed for a third straight triumph in the two mile until an unfortunate mix up substituted John Prudue for Bob Ufer as anchor man.

Ufer was on the track ready to take the baton from Bob Hume. At the last second he jumped off the track as Prudue took his place.

Prudue led for half the final 880 yards but proved unequal to the finishing kick of Dartmouth's Don Burnham, who turned in a 1:56.7 half mile to give the Hanover, N. H. Indians an easy triumph in 7:58.7. Prudue also was caught and passed by Lincoln Stoughton of Rochester (NY) University.

A spokesman later explained that Prudue was substituted for Ufer because a messenger confused Coach J. Kenneth Doherty's instructions.

George Berger put on a fine burst of speed in the last 100 yards to bring the Cadets their mile victory. His 49.2 quarter gave Army a winning time of 3:21.1 compared to Dartmouth's 3:21.3 and Michigan's 3:21.8.

Virtually overlooked in the excitement surrounding the relay races was Bill Hulse's attempt for a three-quarter mile record. Hulse, America's fastest outdoor miler, ran the distance in 3:04, far short of Paul Moore's 1940 mark of 2:58.7.

Grigg's Charges Even Series In Houston Affray

HOUSTON, April 29 (AP)—The Texas Aggies outhit the Rice Owls, 12-4, but Cecil Grigg's charges backed up the pitching of Big Tom Hopkins in fine style here today to chalk up a 9-6 victory and even the series between the clubs at two victories each.

Coach Homer Norton used 16 players, including four pitchers. Hopkins, husky right hander, was tough to fathom with men on the sacks and his support was good after the first inning when George Wilkin dropped a fly ball in left field to permit two A&M runs. Hopkins struck out three batters and fanned two.

Woody Dryden got half of his team's hits—a pair of hard singles which drove in two runs—and he made a sensational running catch of a foul ball. Bill Johnson, Aggie mackman, also made a splendid catch of a difficult foul.

Dodgers Will Train In Abilene

ABILENE, April 29 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers of the National Professional Football league will train in Abilene and appear in a game against an all-star service team.

Tom Gallery, business manager, today completed arrangements to bring the squad here in August and to use dormitories and the football field at Hardin-Simmons University as training quarters.

This will mark the first time a professional squad ever has trained in the southwest but the Dodgers will not be all together new to Texas. Coach of the team is Pete Cawthon, former mentor at Austin College and Texas Tech. Scout for the team is Frank Bridges, who formerly coached at Baylor University, Hardin-Simmons, St. Mary's, and other colleges in the southwest.

Gallery said the Brooklyn party of about 60 would arrive between Aug. 5 and 10 and would play the all-star service team on the night of Aug. 26 in the high school stadium to open the 1944 season. The service all-stars will be recruited from the military personnel of Camp Barkeley and Abilene Air Base here and probably from other service camps and air bases in this area.

Proceeds from the game, being sponsored by the Abilene Reporter-News and Hardin-Simmons University, will be split 50-50 between the Dodgers and the sponsoring organizations. The stadium where it will be played has a seating capacity of 11,000.

The total lumber consumption (civilian and military) was about 38 billion board feet in 1943.

Scrimmage So Hot At Steer Stadium Coach Calls Halt

In an intra-squad game that grew so vicious that Coach John Dibrell had to call an armistice and urge his grid hopefuls to save some of the steam for San Angelo next autumn, the Blues and Whites battled to a 12-12 draw Friday afternoon.

Dibrell proposed the game, after balancing his squad, innocently enough, but the thing assumed proportions of a grudge match and turned out to be the roughest affair the coach had seen in his two and a half years here.

The Blues scratched first when Hugh Cochran, who looked like he was pointing to an outstanding season next year, raced 10 yards off tackle. Soon he was pounding back with a drive that carried to the White three-yard stripe when he called for a pass. Bobo Hardy intercepted and booted, 101 yards for a touchdown.

The Whites struck again with a pass, Jackie Barron to Kenneth Hulse, carried for 52 yards and a tally. Cochran made up for his error in judgment in the last quarter by bullying his way off tackle for 60 yards and a score.

The game was played end, who now are doubtful. Out was Felix Hudgins and Winfred Cunningham, on whom Dibrell had been counting heavily as wingmen.

In addition to showing other talent, the tilt confirmed the belief that the Steers will have one of the roughest little tackles in a long time in John Cooper, a newcomer to the squad. Every ounce of his 165 pounds appears to be explosive, and he looms as a capable mate for 220-pound Tom Bryan, who is looking like an all-district contender.

Monday the Steers will get another long, stiff dose of fundamentals. Dibrell may dish out a few pass plays since he has given only one aerial maneuver.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE

By virtue of a certain Order of sale issued out of the District Court of Howard County, Texas, in a certain partition suit where-in a Judgment was rendered in said court on the 24th day of March 1944, order the sale of All of Lot No. 1 and the North 40 feet of Lot No. 2 in Block No. 7, McDowell Heights addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, the proceeds from said sale to be returned and deposited with the District Clerk and by said Clerk to be partitioned and divided 64/70th interest paid to Annie Kaderli, Plaintiff in Partition; 1/70th interest paid to Mattie Mae Pyburn; 1/70 interest paid to Ellie Wingfield; 1/70th interest paid to Florence Prease; 1/70th interest paid to Ponton Kellogg; 1/70 interest to Leslie Kellogg, and 1/70 interest paid to Finis Kellogg, said Partition suit being styled Annie Kaderli et vir being styled Mattie Mae Pyburn, and others, and numbered 5012 upon the Docket of said Court.

I did on the 21st of April 1944, at 1 o'clock P. M., levy upon the said Lot No. 1 and the North 40 feet of Lot No. 2 in Block No. 7, McDowell Heights addition to the City of Big Spring Howard County, Texas, for the purpose of selling same in accordance with said Judgement, and on the 6th day of June 1944, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., on said date, at the courthouse door of said Howard County, Texas, I will offer for sale and will sell at Public auction, for cash, all the rights, title and interest of the said Annie Kaderli, Mattie Mae Pyburn, Ellie Wingfield, Florence Prease, Ponton Kellogg, Leslie Kellogg and Finis Kellogg, in and to the above described property.

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Baseball Makes Big Hit With Bougainville Marines

(The following story was written by Sgt. Francis H. Barr of Dallas, Tex., a Marine Corps combat correspondent.)

AP Features

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC—A veritable beehive of baseball activity in this island where more than 600 Marine veterans of Bougainville have taken up America's national pastime.

During the winter months, while baseball enthusiasts in the states were consoling themselves with hot stove league chatter, Marines launched a 18-team tournament here.

Their czar of baseball is Marine Capt. R. C. (Torchy) Torrance, 44,

part owner and vice president of the Seattle (Wash.) nine in the Pacific Coast League. His assistant is Lt. Arthur J. Manush, 25, of Burlington, Iowa, nephew of Heinie Manush, one of baseball's great hitting outfielders. The lieutenant is the property of the St. Louis Cardinals.

In organizing baseball here the two Marine officers started from scratch. Softball was the usual game, but the men wanted the real thing. When uniforms and paraphernalia arrived from the states, 16 teams were outfitted.

"We could use more balls, gloves and bats," says Capt. Torrance. "As it is now we rotate the equipment so that

everybody has a chance to use it."

Before the Bougainville campaign, the Marines had a six-team league. An all-star team was selected and the Marines beat the Army and Seabee nines in an island championship playoff. It was this small taste of baseball that whetted the Leathernecks' appetite.

Torrance and Manush are busy forming three 10-team leagues. They will be called International, American Association and Pacific Coast.

Even the commanding general of the Third Marine Division, Maj. Gen. Allen Hal Turnage has been bitten by the baseball bug. He

pitched the first ball, opening the tournament. Brig. Gen. Alfred H. Noble of La Jolla, Calif., and Federalburg, Mo., assistant commander, was Gen. Turnage's battery mate, and Col. Ray A. Robinson of Alexandria, Va., chief of staff, was the first batter.

One of Torrance's problems was building playing fields. He called on the Engineers and Seabees for assistance. Now in service are 21 first class diamonds, hewn out of the jungle or built on reclaimed swamp land, complete with scrapped infield, grass outfield and wire backstops.

The fields are conditioned by the players, who scrape the infield before each game. A mowing ma-

chine cut the outfield grass, but the machine went loco recently, so now the grass is cut with machettes.

Torrance is enthused over the Marines' interest in the game. "Many of the men here are interested in baseball as a career," asserts Torrance who predicts a bright future for the game after the war.

"There will be about 51 minor leagues after the war," he says, "so any youngster interested professionally will have ample opportunity to get placed."

Among those who have managed teams are Lt. Joseph C. Stophel of Eden Valley, Minn.; Capt. Robert V. Pena of Ventura,

Calif.; Lt. John H. Tuttle of St. Louis and Pelham, N. Y.; Sgt. Edward P. Hayes of Chicago; Lt. James A. Tonges of Sacramento; Lt. Robert K. Duke of Glendale, Calif.; Sgt. Weldon O. Davis of Korvallis, Ore.; Capt. William K. Crawford of Fargo, N. D.; Sgt. Wilbur Bostwick of Los Angeles, who formerly played for St. Joseph in the Western association.

Also Navy Lt. Balthasar V. Showmer of Des Moines, Iowa, a chaplain; Lt. Jo O. Brown of Danville, Ky.; Pvt. Edward F. Becker of Morea, Pa.; Corp. Robert S. Hogan of Waterloo, Ill.; Navy Pharmacist's Mate 2c Fred Shellhouse, Jr., of Houston, Tex., and Lt. William A. Rutledge, Jr., of Whiting, Ind.

Guard Officers Go To Odessa

Capt. H. L. Bohannon, Lts. Dale Thompson and Joe Fond, accompanied by key non-commissioned officers of company E, will be in Odessa today to help plan for a bivouac next weekend of the 34th battalion of Texas State Guard.

Making the trip with the officers were 1st Sgt. Cy Bishop, and S. Sgt. Avery Falkner and Kelly Lawrence, platoon leaders.

During the past week the company enlisted Johnnie A. Hobbs, Terry A. Carter, Benjamin R. Lee, Cecil H. Drake and 1st M. Winn. Richard Martelle McDonald was discharged to accept a commission in the naval reserve.

Promotions announced included: Cpl. W. R. McCamy to be staff sergeant; Cpl. Billie Hill to be sergeant; Pvt. James F. Goldsmith and Oscar J. Watts, Jr. to be corporals. B. E. Freeman was reduced from staff sergeant to private first class.

Schedule for the two drill

nights included inspection, an hour of hand grenade practice, extended order and recruit drill, calisthenics and a review of military courtesies and discipline.

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Illinois' Frosh Is Work-horse In Drake Relays

By CHARLES DUNKLEY

DES MOINES, April 29 (AP)—Illinois' sensational 17-year-old freshman, Claude "Buddy" Young, became the work-horse of the Drake Relays today by engaging in four smashing triumphs.

The powerfully built negro, defeated seven rivals in the 100-yard dash with comparative ease, captured the broad jump and ran as anchor man in two of the four

relays Illinois won.

Young's performance was acclaimed by a crowd of 8,200 spectators watching the running of the third successive war time carnival and the thirty-fifth since it was inaugurated.

Young first won the broad jump with a leap of 22 feet, 4 1/4 inches and then captured the 100 in 9.8 seconds.

Illinois used only seven men in winning four relays and two individual championships.

The same four Illinois runners won the 440 and half mile university relays. The runners, besides Young, were David Boat, Rind Young (no relation to Buddy) and Marc Gonzalez.

Cadet Bob Steuber of the Iowa Pre-Flight school completed in the shot put and javelin despite a throat by Daniel Ferris, executive secretary of the National A.A.U. to view as professionals all athletes competing against him. Steuber failed to place in either event.

Ferris had ruled Steuber ineligible because he played professional football with the Chicago Bears last season.

Ensign Cornelius Warmerdam, holder of the world's pole vault record, won the event at 14 feet 7 3/4 inches. Kenneth Wiesner of Marquette won the high jump at 6 feet 2 1/8 inches.

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White Sox Kill Brown's Bid For New Win Record

CHICAGO, April 29 (AP)—The St. Louis Browns' bid for a new modern major league record for consecutive victories since the start of a season failed today when the Chicago White Sox rallied in the late innings to score a 4 to 3 victory.

The triumph snapped a five game losing streak for the Sox. Chicago's winning run came in the ninth, off knuckle-ball pitcher Georg Castler. Jimmy Webb reached first safely when Shortstop Vern Stephens fumbled his grounder, and Myril Hoag's infield out moved him to second.

Hal Trosky was intentionally passed, but Guy Curtright hit Castler's next pitch into right field, scoring Webb.

The Browns took advantage of Lee "Buck" Ross' wildness in early innings to gain a 3 to 0 lead, but the Sox picked up two runners in the seventh to get back in the game. In the eighth Mike Tresh singled and scored on pinch-hitter Vince Castino's double to knot the score at 3-3.

The Sox nailed Hollingsworth and Castler for ten hits, while the Browns got but six off Ross, Gordon Maltzberger and Johnny Humphries, the winning pitcher.

Stocks Sluggish Pending Invasion

NEW YORK, April 29 (AP)—Sluggish selectivity described the stock market today, this week and during the month just past as even the most bullish customers exhibited ultra-conservatism pending the big Allied push into Europe.

In the slowest April since 1942, the list lost only a moderate amount on balance and, for the week, was up a shade.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was unchanged at 51.1 and for the week was up .1. The composite was off exactly one point for April. Transfers of 245,630 shares were among the lowest since last September, and compared with 258,240 last Saturday. The month's aggregate of 13,846,390 shares stacked up against 27,943,038 in March.

The week's investment demand was devoted mainly to specialties including liquor. Rails did fairly well. The Montgomery Ward-WLB dispute in which the government seized the company's Chicago plant was week's market highlight and almost obscured the war news. The mail order stock rallied Thursday and ended the week up 1-2, as Wall Street thought ultimate settlement of the row would be constructive for future corporate activities.

In the short session advance was retained by Texas Co. and a few others. On the offside were U. S. Steel, General Motors, N. Y. Central, Du Pont, Kennecott and Eastman Kodak.

Bonds were narrow.

Ahead in a spotty curb were Puget Sound common and preferred, Republic Aviation and United Gas. A bit lower were Cities Service, Electric Bond & Share and Creole Petroleum.

Thomas J. Williamson, who is stationed with the medical corps at Uvalde, has been promoted to the rank of captain, according to word received here by Capt. Williamson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williamson. He has been in service for the past 17 months.

Senators Win

WASHINGTON, April 29 (AP)—The Washington Senators pounded three Yankee hurlers for eleven hits today to defeat the New Yorkers 9-3. The Senators executed the first triple play of the season when First Baseman Joe Kuhel snared a line drive by Rolfe Hemsley and threw to George Myatt at second. Myatt then tagged out Oscar Grimes to complete the triple killing.

Mackmen Fall 7-0

BOSTON, April 29 (AP)—Joe Bowman set the Athletics down with four hits today as the Red Sox blanked the Mackmen, 7-0, in the second of a four-game series.

Indians Come Thru

DETROIT, April 29 (AP)—Russ Peters and Mickey Rodeo hit doubles with two out in the twelfth inning today to give the Cleveland Indians a 7 to 6 victory over the Detroit Tigers. Joe Heving, one of nine pitchers in the game, was credited with the victory.

Bums Take Giants

NEW YORK, April 29 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers won their first game from the New York Giants, 5-0 today, as 38-year-old Curt Davis blanked the New Yorkers with nine scattered hits.

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AAFB Notes Promotions Are Made At Local Training Camp

Two promotions to the rank of major and the first promotion of a WAC commissioned officer assigned here were announced Saturday at the Big Spring Bombardier school.

Advanced to majority were Thomas M. Archer, Fairbury, Neb., and Alonzo S. Dudley, Lake Charles, La.

1st Lieut. Miriam W. Hawthorne, Miami, Fla., commanding officer of the WAC detachment, was promoted to the rank of captain. Other first lieutenants advanced to captaincy were Robert A. Greacen, New Brunswick, N. J.; Albert W. Dillon, Ochelata, Okla.; Carl E. Marshall, Stillwater, Okla.; and Donald H. Fox, Sandusky, O.

Elevated from second to first lieutenant were Joseph P. Salvo, West Manayunk, Pa.; Jack R. Dixon, Miami, Okla.; Gorgas R. Paulsen, Logan, Utah; Claude J. Tucker, Childress, Tex.; Charles S. Manooch, Raleigh, N. C.; and Thomas A. Nicholson, Lakeland, Fla.

Officer arrivals at AAFBS are Capt. Linus A. Munding, Tulsa, Okla., and 2nd Lieuts. Gordon R. Donaldson, Fort Worth, Murray W. Stahl, Quakertown, Pa.; James S. Carpenter, Brookfield, Mo.; Robert L. Stewart, Lakewood, O.; Howard G. Roberts, Lake Village, Ark.; and Glenn V. Bass, Indianapolis, Ind.

Officers transferred for specialized training are Maj. Byron W. Foster, Craigmont, Idaho, who goes to Dodge City Army Air Field, Dodge City, Kas., and Capt. Fay E. Allen, Red Oak, Ia., 1st Lieut. James L. Shumate, Procnix, Ariz.; Thos. H. Donaldson, Anthony, N. M.; Marlon C. Floyd, Jr., Jacksonville, Fla.; Hugh W. Dobbs, Hillsboro, Tex.; Raymond F. Malo, Danville, Ind., and 2nd Lieuts. Alan L. McLaren, Berlin, N. J.; Albert R. Ruppsh, Chicago, Ill.; Wm. E. Hendrix, Jr., Spartanburg, S. C.; and Richard L. Gandt, Marshfield, Wisc., to Fort Worth Army Air Field.

WAC arrivals are Privates Eda M. Green, Linden, N. J.; Delia B. O'Callaghan, Mystic, Conn.; Loraine Bergeron, Thigodany, La.; Grace M. Kelso, Corona, N. Y.; Minnie S. Lawrence, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Florence Becker, Philadelphia, Pa.; and Elizabeth Kaminski, Milwaukee, Wisc.

Enlisted men on detached service for specialized training are Jr. Sgt. Harold H. Combs, 365th Sq. to take training at Liberal AAF, Liberal, Kas. Also going to this field are Staff Sergeants Clyde F. Gore, Truman G. Murray and T. Sgt. John H. McCroskey of the 812th Bomb. Tng. Sq. Going to AAFAC, Orlando, Fla., is S. Sgt. Sam W. Wells of the 812th Sq.

George Thomas Will Not Run For Reelection

George T. Thomas, serving out his first term as county attorney of Howard county before he entered the armed services, announced Saturday that he was withdrawing as a candidate to succeed himself.

John Coffee was named by the commissioners court to serve as county attorney when Thomas left. His withdrawal leaves H. C. Hooser as the only candidate in the field.

In announcing his decision, Thomas declared:

"I am now in the military services and since I will likely be so occupied for a year and perhaps two or three years, I deem it best, in the interest of the people of Howard county, to withdraw my candidacy for the nomination as county attorney of Howard county."

"I have held the office at your hands for slightly over one-half of a term and I have enjoyed the work, and therefore, want to thank each and every one for the very pleasant co-operation you have given me, and for the expression of your good wishes for my welfare."

"When I return from the military services I intend to resume my residence and pursue my profession in Big Spring, and if the opportunity presents itself when I return, if I am able to get back, I may need and desire to hold office again at your pleasure, and for other reasons, I hope that you will remember me."

"Let's all, at present, pull together for the winning of the war, that we may begin a new life after it's over.—GEORGE T. THOMAS."

Three billion feet of timber went up in the smoke of U.S. forest fires in 1943.

Unlucky Seventh

CINCINNATI, April 29 (AP)—A six-run explosion in the seventh inning gave the Pittsburgh Pirates a 7 to 3 victory over the Cincinnati Reds today behind the blooping pitching of Rip Sewell.

Derringer Rapped

ST. LOUIS, April 29 (AP)—Three doubles in a row off Paul Derringer in the eighth by Stan Musial, Walker Cooper and Ray Sanders, brought in two runs to break a tie and give the St. Louis Cardinals a 4 to 2 victory over the Chicago Cubs today.

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It is not alone a question of money. It is not a question of solving a problem for all time to come. It is not a question of doing a job over again.

It is a question of getting sufficient water to sustain and extend the city's growth. This is not a new problem for Big Spring people. They have faced similar issues, on smaller scale, in years gone by, and each time they have acted to work out a solution that took care of the situation until they grew to where they again were in a position to take the next step as it was needed. The discovery and drilling of new wells and ultimately the building of two dams to create lakes all had their good effect.

In each case we grew and demanded more water. Sometimes we over-estimated the supplies and sometimes we under-estimated our rate of growth. But Big Spring people always have acted with vision and faith when we had to have more water.

There is no point in getting lost in a welter of statistics. The cold fact is that we now are desperately in need of more water. The commission has proposed a bond issue as a means of financing the city's part in a project to get more water. Its members have exercised their best judgment and have drawn on the experience and knowledge of men who have made water matters a life career. Now they have put the question finally to us.

WHAT SORT OF CITY DO WE WISH?

Della Agnell—Teacher

Mrs. Della K. Agnell is retiring after more than a quarter of a century in service of the community as a teacher in the public schools.

She leaves behind her a record of having touched—indubitably, we believe—the lives of more than 2,000 of her pupils. In all of her days, her faith stood out as an inspiration, her enthusiasm as a challenge, her energy as a pointed lesson, and love as a comforting benediction.

Her monument has been built in the hearts of those she served. Down the years should men ever raise one to her, perhaps it might bear this simple inscription: "Della K. Agnell—Teacher."

The first handbill is believed to have been a papyrus, discovered at Thebes, which offered a reward for a runaway slave 3,000 years ago.

Three-fourths of the planes sent from the United States to the Allies between passage of the Lend-Lease Act and the end of 1943 were combat types.

Gen. Henry H. Arnold, now commanding general of the Army Air Forces, was one of the first flight pupils of the Wright brothers.

Physical Handicap Recognized

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — Probably not one person in 100 of those who made out April 15 income tax declarations paid any attention to Specific Instruction 18.

It reads: "Special deduction for blind individuals — a person who is blind on July 1 of the taxable year will be entitled to a special deduction of \$500 in computing the income tax, but not the Victory tax."

In loss of revenue to the United States, this is perhaps the most infinitesimal deduction in the income statutes. Lawrence Q. Lewis, executive director of the National Society for the Blind, estimates that less than 10,000 of the nation's 270,000 blind persons will be affected by it — perhaps no more than two or three thousand.

But there is the unimportance of this "special deduction" ends. What is important is that for the first time in the history of the income tax law, Congress has recognized a physical handicap as a basis for special consideration in income tax exemptions.

What is more important is the precedent which might well be extended to all of the nation's physically handicapped — a small item in the nation's annual revenue, but a vital one to the afflicted.

There is no specific evidence here of any association campaign to extend the exemption to other afflicted persons. But there is talk of aiding the war wounded, who are still able to find gainful employment that puts them into the income tax brackets.

When the National Society for the Blind went before Congress last year to argue its case, no representative of any other groups appeared to ask similar consideration.

The basis on which the society argued its case may be the pattern for additional arguments. There wasn't one word of appeal on a basis of charity. The claim was that blind persons have expenses which normal persons

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Mocassina
- Expense
- Hold back
- Border
- Acknowledge openly
- Anger
- Siberian river
- Manufactured
- Trouble
- Let it stand
- Architect's drawing
- Favorite
- Italian opera
- Glass used in making artificial gems
- Vent in the earth's crust
- Affirmative
- English letter
- Stairs

DOWN

- Small round marks
- Head covering
- Arctic palm
- Pinch
- Rebuttal
- Mountain approach
- Styria
- Reached a destination
- Of the spring
- Mother of France and Poland
- Temple bird
- One of Solomon's ships
- Bottom goddess
- Dillweed
- French river
- Unit of work
- Flesh food

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Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

- Crimes
- Encourages
- Wedge-shaped
- Scourge of London at rest
- Believed of South America
- Egg-shaped
- Soft drinks
- Score
- Organ stop
- King of the sodas
- Liquor by heat
- Italy
- Trunk
- Comedy drama
- Italian comedy
- Messiah of Shantung
- Widow
- Land measure
- Hastings
- Horribly ugly or discolored
- Adverbial ship
- Traveling bag
- Valley
- Academy
- Flora fabric
- Widow
- Widow's home

The Thrill That Comes Once In A Lifetime



Hollywood—Neill Recalls Unpleasant Event

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD — Roy William Neill is just as happy that he isn't where he was 23 years ago, standing inside the crater of Mt. Vesuvius making a movie.

Neill, a pleasant, quiet fellow, looks a little pained as he thinks of it. It wasn't as bad as the London blitz, of course, which he also underwent. And it didn't touch the San Francisco earthquake of 1906, which was one of his boyhood experiences. But the crater of Vesuvius, even when it is inactive, shakes like the "bumps" on a Congo line.

"And I," laments Neill, "am allergic to motion."

Neill, who still directs pictures and produces them too, went inside Vesuvius only because Sicily's Mt. Etna, erupting violently, had gone to Italy to make Etna, in 1921, had saved a picture, he like the chorine who rushes in at the last minute to double for the star to save the show in our backstage movies, erupted just in time to substitute for an elusive octopus and let Neill get on with his stymied movie.

He had taken a camera crew and actors to Sicily to make Victor Hugo's "Toilers of the Sea." He had to find an octopus, because in the novel an undersized monster wrecks the havoc. "So we got there," he recalls, "and there wasn't a suitable octopus to be had. There was one in the aquarium at Naples, but it wasn't the type. Not big enough. No octopus, no picture. We were about to call it off and shoot another story, when Etna let go.

Texans In Washington Mahon Previews Appropriations Bill Maverick Lashes At 'Gobbledygook'

By TEX EASLEY

WASHINGTON, April 28 (AP)—West Texas Congressman George Mahon serves on the house appropriations subcommittee which passes upon requests by the war department for funds to prosecute the war.

In that capacity he has been given an interesting preview of the request that shortly will be presented to congress to keep the army going full blast in 1945. Here are some of the advance facts:

An appropriation of \$52,000,000 will be asked, but this actually will mean raising only about \$15,000,000 in new funds, the remainder being in the nature of a reappropriation of unexpended money from the 1944 fiscal year which ends June 30.

Last year congress appropriated \$71,000,000,000, but it's estimated now that about \$34,000,000,000 of this will remain unexpended. Contingencies which didn't arise, a reduction from a contemplated \$2,200,000 to 7,700,000 in the size of the army, and a curtailment of production in some lines, such as heavy tanks, accounts for the unspent funds.

The ration of funds for the army air forces is about one-third of the total, compared with a ration of about one-fourth for the navy air forces to total funds for that branch of service.

Count on Maury Maverick, San Antonio's ex-mayor and Congressman, to come through with the catch expressions . . . His latest was "Gobbledygook language," used to describe

high sounding words found in federal directives and orders. Not long ago the Texan, now head of the Smaller War Plants Corporation, issued a memorandum to his employees telling them to make their orders to the point and clear. "Stay off the gobbledygook language," he emphasized. "Let's stop 'pointing up' programs, 'finalizing' contracts that 'stem' from 'district, regional or Washington levels' . . . no more 'patterns,' effectuating, 'dynamics.' Anyone using the word 'activation' or 'implementation' will be shot."

Salern, Ore., Capital Journal Maury Maverick, is something of a bureaucrat himself, but the obtuse phraseology in which official directives and even simple orders are sometimes issued gets him down once in a while. x x x from personal observations we would recommend a stultifying purge to a lot of jurists and lawyers whose writings one has to read from time to time.

Ohio State Journal — We think the fiery Texan has something. Boston Post — Mr. Maverick may not know it, but he has touched a tender spot in the hide of the American people and will be amazed at the number of fellow citizens who will support a drive on his part.

Lynchburg, Va. News — Maury Maverick of Texas has the happy faculty of acting as a hair shirt to the stuffed shirts.

Rep. Swing Thomson, member of the newly created house post-war military policy planning committee, says we should make sure peace terms provide the U. S. with some strategically located island bases around the globe for our air forces, and that they be fortified "air Gibraltar" with the latest and most powerful planes.

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Capital Comment—War Cost Gussed At 3 Trillion

By GEORGE STIMPSON

WASHINGTON (Sp) — A Florida cracker who dropped by my office today surmises that FDR may lend a helping hand while he is in the Caribbean area to his friend and supporter, Sen. Claude Pepper, who is reported to be having difficulties in his campaign for renomination.

Texas College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville, Southwest Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos; Sul Ross State Teachers College, Alpine, and Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, have been designated centers for the new project in inter-American education administered by the U. S. Office of Education.

The U. S. military guard on Capitol Hill has been reduced from 16 to four men on duty at one time.

Congressman Wright Patman estimates that the present war up to date has cost nearly a trillion dollars—more money than actually ever existed.

The American Planning and Civil Association reports, "Word comes from Texas that all requirements of the federal government have been met in regard to the Big Bend National Park project. Final establishment of the park awaits only the delivery of the deeds to the secretary of the interior and formal acceptance by him. Meanwhile plans have gone on apace. A nucleus staff has been selected, including the park superintendent; and the secretary of the interior has designated National Park Concessions, Inc., a non profit organization, to operate the public facilities in the Big Bend Park."

The spirit moved Judge Hatton Summers, of Dallas, to say a few words on the floor of the House the other day. "I have been reading some of the signs of the times and some newspapers," he observed, "and I am convinced that we are doing entirely too much talking about post-war business." He explained, "I am not opposing reasonable consideration of post-war problems, but the first thing in point of sequence and of importance is to get us a post-war."

That the Judge wound up with this "This gunning around and talking so much by these post-warites could be cut at least half in two and the public interest would not only not suffer one bit, it would be much benefited. The American people are not jittery. They do not



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Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—City truck drivers. See A. McCasland, Agent, Texas & Pacific Railway.

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FORT WORTH, April 29 (AP)—Cattle 200; calves 50; the few steers and yearlings reaching the yards were carried over to Monday's market; other classes nominally steady.
A few beef cows 8.50-10.50; good and choice fat calves 13-14.
Hogs 30; good and choice 200-270 pound butchers' hogs 13.55; choice 195 pound butchers' 13.25; sows 11.25 down; pigs 8.50 down.

Dairy Applications Will Be Accepted For March, April

Applications for increased milk and butterfat production payments for March and April may be made, beginning this week, the AAA office announced in reporting payments and other AAA activities during the last week.

Among activities was the donation of 750 pounds of paper, including old forms, mimeographed letters and miscellaneous paper, to the paper salvage campaign conducted by the Boy Scouts. The paper was contributed Saturday.

During the last week, \$9.70 was issued in response to applications from five producers of five hundredweight of milk and 120 pounds of butterfat.

Increased payments for March and April were announced recently. The office also will continue to accept payments for February.

During the last week, the Howard County Agricultural Conservation association has granted 58

applications for a total of 21,856 feet of softwood lumber for farm construction. Five applications for permits to purchase windmills also have been granted.

County Residents Leave For Service

Several Howard county registrants who have left recently for military service were announced Saturday by selective service headquarters.

The following were accepted in the navy and marine corps on the April navy call for Howard county: J. D. Stembbridge, leader, Jewell C. Edens, Thomas A. E. Lett, Marshall J. Henderson, Billy G. Barber and James M. Ringener, Navy, and Richard C. Churchwell, marines.

Joe Carl Myers, volunteer, has been accepted for army service through a Dallas county board.

James Roy Crosby, negro selectee, has been accepted by the army at Fort Sill, Okla.

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Men's Wear Of Character

Mrs. Agnell

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moved their family into their new home at 311 N. 6th, Mr. Agnell died, leaving her with a daughter, Anna and two sons, Woffard and Alvin, who was a mere baby.

Private School Mrs. Agnell had insisted that the house be paid for at the time it was built and this wisdom proved a life-saver.

When she opened it in September, her first pupil was Dorothy Ellington, now Mrs. Ed Bowe. Twenty-six others were enrolled quickly.

This made the Agnell household a beehive of activity. The mother to early chores. Then as high school youngsters came for Latin coaching...

After persistent efforts and better offers, Mrs. Agnell was persuaded by Brasher to close her school and take over the first grade at Central Ward on Jan. 1, 1919.

"Jive Session" Features Entertainment At Dance A "jive session" with music furnished by the post orchestra was featured entertainment at the enlisted men's dance held in the post recreational building at the Big Spring Bombardier school Saturday evening.

USO officials wish to commend the Howard County home demonstration clubs for the grand job they are doing in furnishing refreshments every Saturday for the canteen.

Service personnel are again reminded to bring in summer uniforms for alterations on Tuesdays to help avoid the rush.

The USO is now equipped with a new shuffleboard court, and as soon as weather permits games will be begun.

gest class for during the oil boom days, she had a double section with average attendance of 93 and an enrollment of more than 100.

Mrs. Agnell taught in one room for 13 years at Central Ward and almost cried when they ordered the building demolished.

Finances eternally were a problem for the Agnell family, but somehow things worked out. She made all the children's clothes and they worked like beavers around the house.

Then one night even she knew the end was at hand. Mrs. Agnell read her Bible, paced the floor and prayed. As she rolled in bed a voice said to her: "See Hart Phillips?"

Mrs. Agnell also found a way to spend four or five summers studying at Baylor and the University of Texas toward her Master's degree.

In 1912 she participated in the Mother's club, a forerunner of the Parent-Teachers association, and for four years in the Home and School club, also a predecessor.

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P.T. A. never had a more active enlistment worker than she, for always her room was 100 per cent full.

West Texas State Teachers association honored her by making her a member of the executive board.

Long before there was any concerted safety movement, she was preaching to and having safety programs for her children to offset the hazards of traffic around Central Ward.

Literary Interests She had literary interests too, being a charter member of the senior Hyperion club and of the old Yalleloma club.

Displeasure and adversity always grew to be challenges for her as she turned the matter over to God and went to work.

Today she loves to recall former pupils—Mary Happel Akin, Pvt. Clayton Webb Bettie, Bill Dawes, Sgt. Charles Frost, the late Mamie Hair Billings, Mrs. Virginia Whitney Schwarzenbach, Judge Glenn Thompson, Dorothy Dublin, Garrett, Maude Estes Robinson, Capt. Otis Cordill, Nell Davis Hall, ad infinitum.

"For a long, long time," she said, "I wanted to be a teacher—a good teacher. Regardless of success or failure, I have always had the inherent conviction that I was doing the thing I was meant to do; the thing I wanted to do, and the thing I loved to do."

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MONDAY 8:00 - 11:00 - Games and dancing with American Association of University Women, Business and Professional Women's club...

TUESDAY FREE ALTERATIONS. Informal dancing with Hyperion club, desk hostesses and Tuesday GSO girls as junior hostesses.

WEDNESDAY 6:15 - Hospital visiting hour

at post, Miss Lillian Jordan, chairman.

THURSDAY Square dancing.

FRIDAY Games and dancing.

USO officials wish to commend the Howard County home demonstration clubs for the grand job they are doing in furnishing refreshments every Saturday for the canteen.

May 1-6 has been designated planning week for GSO girls, and all are urged to attend on their assigned nights.

Miss Fern Smith's high school home economics class visited the post hospital Wednesday under the auspices of the USO.

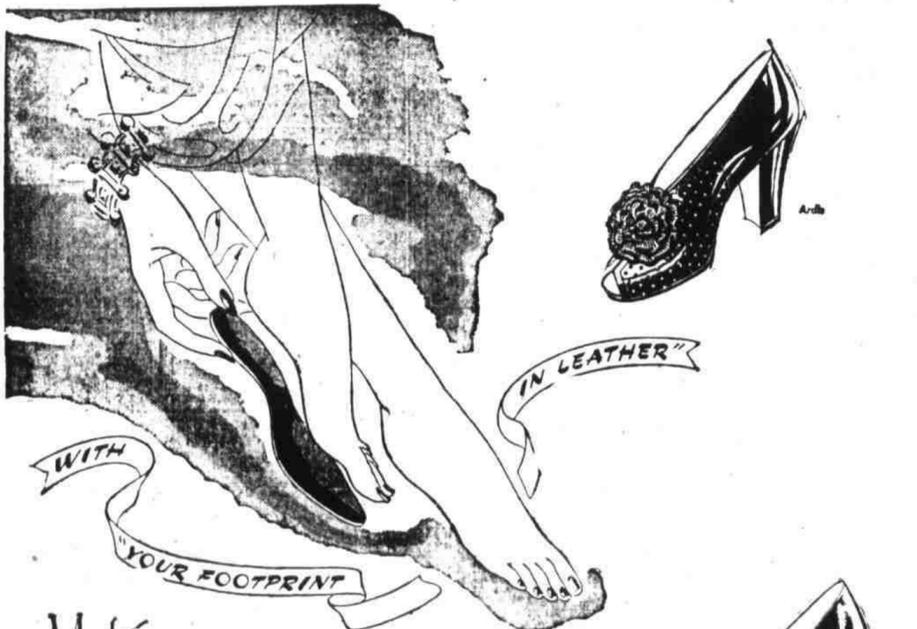


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