

## Soviet Forces Press Advance Past Kharkov

### Russians Beyond Their High-Water Mark Of Winter Campaign

LONDON, Aug. 26 (AP)—Forging steadily ahead on an ever-widening front, Red army troops today were beyond the high-water mark of their winter counteroffensive after capturing Zenkov, 85 miles northwest of Kharkov. A Soviet communique, announcing the fall of Zenkov and 60 nearby villages, said savage German counterattacks had failed to halt a Russian surge toward the Dnieper river bend as Red army units streamed through fallen Kharkov, pointing toward Poltava and Lozova, 75 miles to the southwest and south, respectively. Russian forces on the lower Donets, meanwhile, were reported to be widening a breach in the German lines southwest of Voroshilovgrad and penetrating ever deeper into the Donets basin. Capture of Lozova, strongly fortified nazi anchor, would sever one of the Germans' main railway supply lines in the important Donets area. Only limited Russian gains were recorded on the Bryansk salient to the north, but Red army planes bombed and strafed German troops and supply trains in attacks on Unecha and Novozybkov, east of Gomel. Soviet bombers also were blasting enemy airdromes and troop concentrations below Kharkov, where ground forces were storming deep into the Donets basin in a drive aimed at turning the German defense line and trapping thousands of enemy troops. South of Izum and southwest of Voroshilovgrad, the Soviet war bulletin said, hundreds of nazi soldiers were slain as they stubbornly contested every mile. Capture of Zenkova, a rail city 25 miles southwest of Lohedzin, places the advance guard of the Soviet forces 42 miles northwest of Poltava, key German base on the approaches to the Dnieper bend.



### Mark Her Off—Tommy Manville said today in New York he had called it quits with his seventh wife, the former Marie (Sunny) Ainsworth, Matagorda, Texas dancer, to whom he was married yesterday. The break up occurred last night, seven hours and 45 minutes after the wedding ceremony. He and his wife, he said, were having dinner in a restaurant here when she left the table. After a long wait she failed to return and he left. Mrs. Manville, however, said she soon returned to the table only to find him gone. No new hand at matrimony, Mrs. Manville accounted this her third attempt at wedded bliss.

## City Makes Final Conservation Appeal; Texas Points Need Rain

While other Texas points also troubled over water problems induced by record-breaking drought conditions, City of Big Spring officials Thursday made a final appeal for volunteer water conservation. Consumption is continuing over 2,000,000 gallons daily, which B. J. McDaniel, city manager, said was in excess of the safe production level for the city's deep wells. Unless public cooperation can drop the consumption under two million gallons daily, legal water control will have to be established, quickly, he said. He urged that only limited irrigation be employed to keep alive shrubs, that cars not be washed and that consumers try to save in every way on water. Big Spring was not the only point needing rain. The situation in the Rio Grande valley was described as bad with the Rio Grande ceasing its flow four miles below Brownsville. Above there the flow was going down steadily. In Chihuahua, Mexico, across from El Paso, Frederico Rubio Lozano, chief of the state veterinary service, said the prolonged drought threatened the state with loss of 40 per cent of its cattle. C. S. Clark of the board of water engineers at Austin, explained that continued drought would affect stream flow and that the situation was discouraging in the San Angelo, Stamford and Balinger areas. He added that no apprehension was felt over artesian wells except where there has been excessive use and that water tables in the plains country are not declining materially.

## Pioneer Building Contractor Dies

J. M. (Jim) Morgan, pioneer resident of Howard county, died suddenly Wednesday night in Kansas City, Mo., according to word received here. Mr. Morgan with Mrs. Morgan, and their daughter, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins and Mr. Jenkins were visiting in Wichita, Kas., with another daughter, Kathleen Williams, at the time of his death. The group had arrived in Wichita Monday where Mrs. Williams was to undergo an operation. The body is expected to be shipped back to Big Spring for burial, it was understood here. Morgan, who was for years one of West Texas' leading building contractors, migrated from Kansas City to Texas in 1890. He went to Barstow in 1892 to build a greenhouse and then came to Big Spring in 1894 to build the T. & P. rock roadhouse. In 1908 he moved here to build the country courthouse and decided to make his home here. He also built the old city hall in 1909 and erected many of business buildings in Big Spring. He was an ardent sports and baseball fan. Morgan had been in ill health for the past year and had retired from much of his active work. Among other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Rose Taylor, a member of the WACs; and four sons, James Morgan, now in the Seabee; Eddie Morgan, Houston; Pete Morgan and Frank Morgan, Big Spring.

## Woman Convicted In Assault Case, Husband To Trial

OLTON, Aug. 26 (AP)—The state prepared today for the trial of Mrs. W. R. Newton for the shooting of Dr. Roy Hunt of Littlefield, after winning a jury verdict of guilty against her physician husband, charged jointly with her in the case. Dr. Newton was convicted last night of assault to murder Dr. Hunt, the jury recommending a sentence of seven years. Mrs. Newton obtained a severance, granting her the right of a separate trial, which was scheduled to start today. Dr. Hunt was wounded by gunfire on a roadside near Littlefield on May 26 last year. Evidence included assertions that Hunt and Newton were medical school classmates and interned at Houston Hospital where Mrs. Newton was a nurse.

## Faith Is Key To Victory, Speaker Tells Graduates

"Through faith in God, faith in ourselves and faith in our fellow man, we as a nation will prove victorious and we as individuals will prove successful," stated Robert J. Boswell, father of Lieut. Bill Boswell, who spoke to his son's class, Class 43-12, at graduation exercises which were held in the post theatre at the Big Spring Bombarrier School this morning at 9:30. Native of Kentucky, Boswell has lived in Kansas City, Mo., for the past 11 years where he is connected with the First National bank. He is a Marine veteran of World War I. "Real courage comes through taking mortality casually, just as a tweed coat is worn easily," Boswell pointed out. "Whenever you wear a comfortable tweed suit, you wouldn't mind keeping over a fence to get something on the other side you saw. . . . That's the way with taking mortality casually." He declared that in order to achieve victory, we must first have cooperation which starts on the assembly lines and in the factories and ends with the men in bomber crews, who in turn must cooperate with one another. The response was made by Lieut. J. S. Beattie, wing commander, who stated that the cadets who are now lieutenants were not only proud of their gold bars and silver wings, but that they were proud to fight for what is right. Pfc. Fredrick Westenberg sang "All Or Nothing At All" and "In the Blue of Evening" accompanied by the post orchestra. The post commandant, Col. Robert W. Warren, presented the wings, and special awards went to Lieut. Thomas Digan, Jr., Pittsburg, Pa., outstanding athlete; Lieut. James C. English, Jr., Pulaskee, Tenn., scholar; and Lieut. Paul A. Grassie of Rochester, Minn., outstanding bombardier. Officers of class 43-12 include Lieut. J. S. Beattie, wing commander; Lieut. P. I. Anderson, wing adjutant; Lieut. N. L. Kobmescher, group adjutant; Lieut. C. A. Esterbrook, squadron commander; Lieut. A. M. Stringari, squadron adjutant, and Lieut. A. J. Hackbarth, first sergeant.

## Ration Board Gets Bear By Tail And Issues New Tire

The ration board hears all kinds of original reasons why motorists should have tires but Sam Eason of the board got a new one Wednesday—concerning a bear. The ration office was closed and Eason was at home when his phone rang with the man on the other end of the line pleading for two tires which he said had blown out on his pick up truck. His cargo was one bear which he was taking from the zoo in San Antonio to the Phoenix, Ariz. zoo. Somehow this didn't seem like such essential business that it couldn't wait until morning, but the man in charge of the bear kept the phone "red hot", Eason said, and finally threatened to turn the bear loose in town unless he got his tires. The bear was so hot, his keeper said, that his nose was bleeding and he, Brer' Bar, was in no mood to listen to tire shortage problems. With such a threat hanging over his head, and feeling that he literally had a "bear by the tail," Eason called together Tracy Smith and B. F. Robbins, general chairman, and they finally decided this was an emergency and issued the man a new grade III tire. He got the other one patched up and left with his hot bear in tow. The man with the bear wasn't a bit excited Eason said, "but he got me excited."

## Italians Circulate Armistice Rumors

BERN, Switzerland, Aug. 26. (AP)—An Italian frontier report to the Zurich newspaper Di Tat said today that a diplomatic mission headed by Count Dino Grandi, former Italian ambassador to Britain, had arrived in Lisbon and that its aim was believed to be armistice negotiations with the Allies. (The report was entirely unconfirmed and London authorities said they had no knowledge of such a mission and placed no credence in the report.)

## Foggia Airfield Wrecked By US Heavy Bombers

### Twenty-six Of Enemy Planes Shot Down, Others Destroyed

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Aug. 26 (AP)—Roaring swarms of Lightning fighters hedgehopped all the way across Italy and shot up ground defenses at Foggia yesterday, preparing the way for the all-American wrecking of the airdrome and 10 satellite fields by three waves of Flying Fortresses and Liberators. The Lightnings were specially equipped for the long-distance run to Foggia, southeast of Naples and on the Adriatic side of the peninsula. Twenty-six enemy planes were shot down in combat and Allied sweeps over southern Italy and scores of others were knocked to pieces on the ground. Paving the way for the assaults, which were delivered from bases in both northwest Africa and the Middle East, a force of P-38 Lightning fighters attacked at treetop level, knocking out a large proportion of the enemy's potential fighter strength. Liberators from the Middle East then roared in to smash at railway areas and iortresses from the northwest African air command followed up to blast enemy airfields with heavy bombs. The Liberators alone were credited officially with knocking seven German Messerschmitt fighters out of the sky. All the Middle East raiders returned safely to base, a Cairo communique said. Heavy fighter opposition was encountered by the attackers for the first time in three days. Fifteen Allied planes in all were missing from the sweeping operations, which were described officially as "one of the most successful surprise air attacks of the war."

## Stage Set For Drive On Rats

Men, ammunition in the form of poison, and the motorized division, consisting of county and city trucks are ready! The city-wide war on rats will begin at 6 o'clock Thursday evening when a group of 14 supervisors working with 20 workers each will canvass the town to distribute rat poison to every household. The business district, which must pay for its poison, is cooperating almost a 100 percent and the city health sanitarium will be in charge of laying the poison in this section of town and also in taking it up. In the residential areas only adults will be allowed to accept and sign for the poison which should be placed in places where information on how to handle the poison will be distributed by the workers. The only plea of the chamber of commerce, sponsoring the campaign, is that adults stay at home during the hours of 6 p. m. and 8 p. m. today in order to receive the poison. The poison should be left out until Sunday when it should be taken up and destroyed. Householders were warned to keep children, pets and chickens away from the poison.

## Big Spring Soldier Blasts Nazis Into Surrender, Wins Silver Star

Braving enemy fire that harassed sizeable American infantry units, Private Clarence C. (Cliff) Rumpf, Big Spring, charged up a hill during the North African campaign, hurled hand grenades and blasted more than two score Germans into surrender. In recognition of his courage and fearlessness, Pvt. Rumpf has been awarded the Silver Star medal. Until his wife heard about the award, he had not mentioned it, modestly explaining "I wasn't going to tell you anything about it. All I was going to do was send you the citation. . . . His gallantry in action occurred in the vicinity of Ras El Dehila, Tunisia on March 29, 1943, and although he came out of it without a scratch, he was struck in the foot three days later by shrapnel and now is convalescing in a North African base hospital. Pvt. Rumpf described the incident vividly in a letter to his wife, explaining that enemy snipers were harassing their units. "The captain asked for volun-

## Mountbatten Appointment Hailed As Offensive Move

### Swedish Boats Sunk By Nazi Destroyers

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 26 (AP)—Three German destroyers sank two Swedish boats in the North Sea off the northwest tip of Denmark last night, the Swedish news agency reported in a Gothenburg dispatch today. A foreign office spokesman said that if the attack occurred, the Swedish government would regard it as an "extremely serious" affair and the worst in a series of incidents involving Germany since the sinking of the Swedish submarine Ulven April 16. A units from Gothenburg said 19 Swedes might have lost their lives when the boats went down under the attack, wreathed in flames. Returning fishermen said the destroyers struck from a range of about 50 yards, although the boats were flying the Swedish flag and had blue and gold Swedish insignia painted on the sides. The fishing craft were operating close together in international waters, it was said. Sweden ordered cessation of the movement of German troops and supplies by railroad across her neutral soil between Germany and Norway and Finland only this month. The traffic had gone on three years. The submarine Ulven was sunk with a crew of 33 during spring maneuvers off Marstrand in the Kattegat, and divers who inspected the hull reported May 21 she apparently was destroyed by a mine. Sweden was at the time awaiting Berlin's reply to her protests that nazi mines had been found in Swedish territorial waters. Other incidents have involved both ships and planes.



### Japs Duck Death On Transport—As a stick of bombs from a B-24 Liberator heavy bomber falls across the course of a 1,500-ton Jap transport off Musau Island, north of New Ireland, in the South Pacific, Japanese sailors (circled) duck from the explosions. A photographer aboard another B-24 made this picture as his plane swooped down to drop the bombs that sank the ship.

## Army Bans Judge From Enforcing Contempt Fine

HONOLULU, Aug. 26 (AP)—A federal judge was prohibited by army restrictions today from enforcing a \$5,000 fine he imposed for contempt of court on Lt. Gen. Robert C. Richardson, Jr., commander of the army's Hawaiian department. Further, he was confronted with the prospect of a fine and prison term for himself if he persists in what the military regards as his efforts to contravene martial law. Thus the army took direct action in Hawaii's explosive test of the relative precedence of civil and military law under the circumstance of the territory's semi-martial rule. Federal Judge Delbert Metzger provoked the question of unholding the validity of a writ of habeas corpus for two naturalized citizens of German ancestry who are held incommunicado by the army. General Richardson failed to produce the men, explaining that while martial law in the islands has been relaxed in part, the civil right of habeas corpus still was suspended. Judge Metzger then ordered General Richardson to show cause why he should not be held in contempt and, when the order was ignored, adjudged the officer to have shown "open and notorious defiance of the mandate of the court." Richardson was directed to pay the \$5,000 fine. Immediately the general retaliated by ordering the case and all like it closed to any further action. Richardson's order forbids anyone connected with any court from applying for, issuing, serving or accepting a plea for a writ of habeas corpus, making violation by Judge Metzger or anyone else subject to a five-year sentence and a \$5,000 fine. Martial law was relaxed partially by military authorities last March. Judge Metzger argued that if the jurisdiction of the civilian courts was restored in part it must be restored in full, including the right to grant writ of habeas corpus. Outcome of the controversy is expected to have an important bearing on 300 persons of Japanese ancestry and a score of German ancestry who are being held incommunicado by the military.

## Board Releases Texas Aid Fund

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26 (AP)—The social security board today approved an amendment to the Texas old-age assistance plan designed to draw older persons into war work, and released \$1,993,143 in federal grants to the state for aid to the aged, blind and needy children during September. The board said the federal checks would go out on schedule. A new Texas law which permitted an old age recipient, to receive at least \$250 a year from seasonal or occupational employment without affecting his pension status originally had been held by the social security board to apparently not comply with the federal law governing such aid.

## Examining Trial Set For Kidnap Suspects

GRAHAM, Aug. 26. (AP)—Examining trial was set for today for Willard Holton, 22, and Herbert Frayer, 18, charged with extortion and burglary in connection with the imprisonment of John Hogan, Young county ranch employe and the abduction of an Ellaville merchant, Tom Stinson. The charges were filed here last night before Justice of the Peace J. T. Rickman after District Attorney Ben Dean took written statements from the youths. Holton and Frayer were captured Tuesday night after police used tear gas to rout them from a small cafe in Fort Worth's south side residential area.

## More Power Reported For German Gestapo

LONDON, Aug. 26. (AP)—Tass, Russian official news agency, reported from Zurich today that Adolf Hitler had issued a new decree giving Reich Administrator Heinrich Himmler control of the ministry of justice and all judicial bodies. Himmler was named minister of the interior and "chief of the reich administration" in a sudden reorganization among Hitler's high-ranking subordinates earlier this week.

## Conferences Due To Be Continued In Washington

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL  
OTTAWA, Aug. 26 (AP)—The acclaim of Canada's capital sped President Roosevelt on his way back to the United States today for a prospective renewal of conferences with Prime Minister Churchill and perhaps more announcements vitally affecting the conduct of the war. Before the president left here last night his councils with Churchill in Quebec already had borne their first fruit with the announcement that Lord Louis Mountbatten, second cousin of King George VI, had been named supreme Allied commander in southeastern Asia. News of the appointment, coming shortly after the president had addressed 50,000 applauding Canadians and admonished Nazi war lords they would do well to surrender now, reinforced an official Roosevelt-Churchill statement at Quebec that much attention had been centered during their meeting there on plans for aiding China and crushing Japan. While Churchill's movements were obscured by a veil of censorship, British officials did not discourage speculation that the prime minister might move on to Washington later after resting up from the Quebec war conference and making a radio address on Sunday (noon, CWT). The president and prime minister themselves had said discussions still were in order among various governments concerning the administration of territories to be liberated in Europe. Before the week closes, they had promised, an announcement will be forthcoming from a number of governments with reference to relations with the French committee for national liberation. (The first of these announcements was issued last night as dispatches from Algiers disclosed that the Belgian government-in-exile had recognized the French committee and that envoys were being exchanged. . . .) WASHINGTON, Aug. 26. (AP)—Sharply-accelerated pressure on Japan from the east, together with a sea-air-land drive to reopen the Burma road, were regarded here today as likely outcomes of the appointment of Lord Louis Mountbatten as supreme Allied commander in southeast Asia. His appointment, first concrete result of the momentous conference between the Allied leaders, underscored the emphasis which undoubtedly was placed on the Pacific part of the global war at Quebec and served notice of an impending spurt in Allied efforts to bring aid to China. In Mountbatten's background military observers found basis for speculation that a direct blow by air and sea may be aimed in the near future at the vital port of Rangoon, even as the offensive down the Arakan coast is continued with stepped-up intensity. Success in reopening the Burma Road would serve the double objective of getting more supplies in to the Chinese forces of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, and as a route for bringing in fuel for Allied planes and bombers for a close-up air attack on Japan from Chinese bases.

## Bombers Keep Berlin Awake

LONDON, Aug. 26. (AP)—RAF mosquitoes kept the nerves of Berliners on edge last night with the third raid on the German capital in as many nights. The air ministry communique said one of last night's raiders was missing. Simultaneously with the new stab at Berlin, other aircraft laid mines in enemy waters, it was announced. Three German airfields and a power station in western France were raided yesterday by American and British medium bombers without loss. A Berlin broadcast by the German news agency DNB today said Allied "nuisance raiders" again were over northern Germany and had dropped bombs, causing slight damage. The broadcast was recorded by the Associated Press. U. S. eighth air force Mustangs concentrated on the power station at Rouen and the Trieucville airfield while RAF Mitchells were bombing the Bernay St. Martin air base and RAF Boston's the one at Beaumont Lezooze.



### Pvt. Charlie (Cliff) Rumpf

teers to go get two snipers that were bothering us," he wrote. "So three more boys and I spoke up. When we got to the spot (See SILVER STAR, Pg. 10, Cl. 3)



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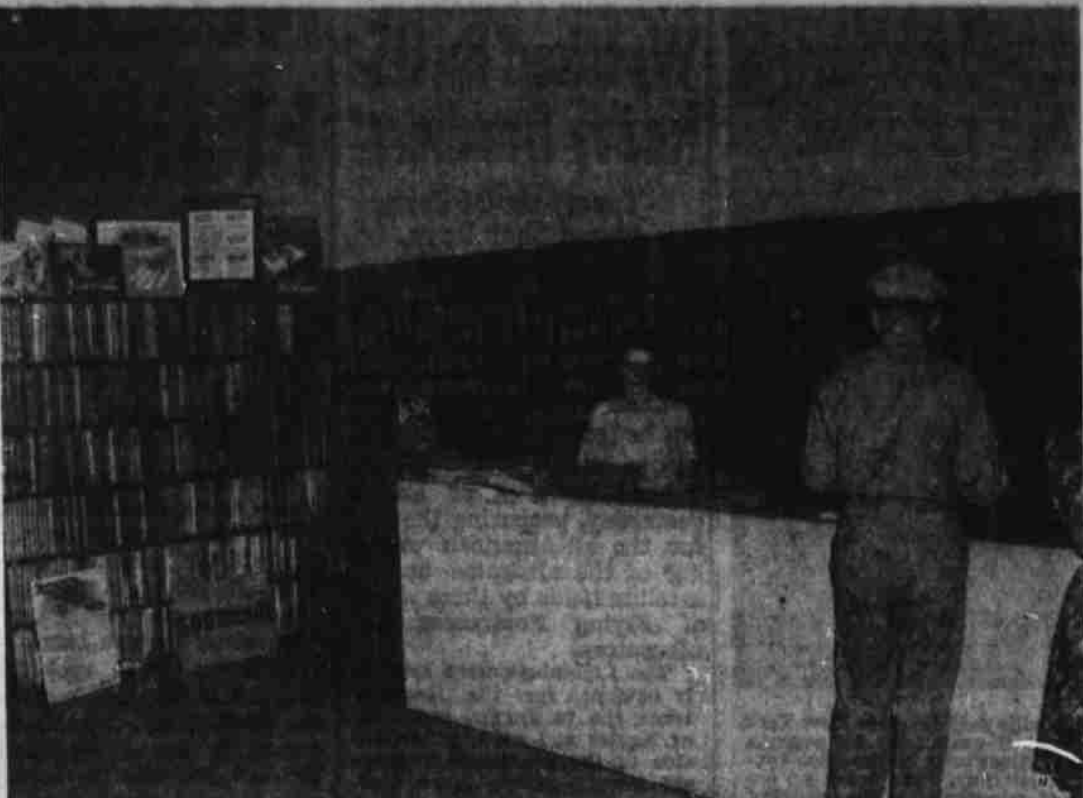
Even though it's doubtful that as much cotton will be ginned this year, Satterwhite states that the gin saws have been sharpened, and that the machinery is in tip top condition, ready to handle cotton 24 hours of the day during ginning season.

In the ginning business since 1926, Satterwhite has served as manager of the local gin for the past 12 years.

Along with its record for the first bale of cotton, the gin holds another record in the operation of the delinting plant for the third successive season. The output was such that it constituted a singular contribution toward getting cotton crops of the area up to a good stand.

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About this time of year, Mrs. McGowan points out, hair is dried and bleached from summer's heat and sun, and with fall around the corner, she urges her customers to begin getting their hair re-conditioned.

The shop gives three different scalp treatments that recondition dry hair and restore the natural beauty of lovely hair.

The Settles Beauty shop, always one of the first places to keep abreast with the times, is also planning a new beauty treatment—a pedicure bath. Toeless shoes and lack of stockings have made women conscious of their feet and legs for the first time and the shop plans to add its booth as just another service to keep its customers beautiful.

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**ITHACA, N. Y.** — The first course on Russian civilization ever given in any American college has begun at Cornell University, with professors from Russia and Great Britain augmenting the local faculty. It lasts for 16 weeks.

**Iceman Gets Cooler**

**CLEVELAND** — Jake Baetsov, 62, was found guilty of intoxication charges in police court. Judge Louis Petrash asked: "What is your occupation?" "An iceman," Baetsov replied. "Sixty days in skull. He fell while working in the cooler," the judge said.

**Falls In Hospital**

**LONGVIEW, Tex.** — Glenn Parks picked a good place to fall from a ladder and fracture his corridor of a Longview hospital.

Every state in the union and every one of the U. S. possessions has lost merchant seamen through enemy action since casualties were first announced.

**Order Plumbing Repairs Before Emergency Occurs**

Based on years of experience, Runyan Plumbing Company appraised the advice of City Manager B. J. McDaniel last week as extremely sound when he urged residents to check all plumbing fixtures for leaks.

The city manager was making the suggestion primarily from the point of conserving water and thus helping to avert a critical situation in the water supply. He also mentioned the savings which might accrue to consumers by plugging all leaks.

No one knows better than the plumber what waste can accrue from faulty plumbing. At 40 pounds pressure, a pinpoint leak of 1-32 inch in diameter can waste 170 gallons in 24 hours. A 1-16 inch leak will waste 970 gallons in the same period and an opening 1-8 inch in diameter will let 3,600 gallons get by in 24 hours. The smallest such leak will add \$25.50 to the annual water bill; the largest leaks, as much in a year

as half the average daily consumption of the city's residents and would cost more than \$328.

Dripping faucets and broken lines are not the only source of loss. Automatic valves and stops, such as are used in water closets, sometimes need replacing or repairing. If one hangs, it can run up a tremendous water bill which does nobody any good.

Too, Runyan Plumbing Company suggests that now — during the hottest season of the year, is an excellent time to start thinking about those water cut-offs at your home—instead of next winter when broken pipes are flooding the place, damaging property and wasting water. Cut-offs are individual responsibility since they involve private property. Conserving its equipment and

tires, the city cannot afford to make emergency cut-off calls as in the past.

The time to provide this facility is now while materials are available. Although plumbers are busy people, they can attend to these cases without a great deal of delay —and if there is a delay it won't matter. It will be a different story with the house full of water and a blue norther in full swing this winter.

**Seek Helicopter Permit**

**WASHINGTON** — A large bus line has filed application with the Civil Aeronautics Board, for permission to establish a continental system of helicopter buses. Helicopters being designed for the service will carry seven passengers and their luggage.

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# City To Push Search For Additional Water Wells

## Commissioners Seek Ways To Conserve Water

The city is taking immediate steps to supplement the current supply of water, which is wholly dependent upon deep wells. This information came from the city commission Tuesday evening when commissioners made an analysis of the water situation and looked for possible emergency relief as well as to a long-range solution.

City Manager B. J. McDaniel said that test wells were to be drilled below the section 33 lease, from whence comes the major portion of the well supply, and along favorable formations toward Moss Springs. Commissioners also heard reports of a new water supply which was indicated by an oil test southwest of Coahoma. The city of Coahoma is drilling some wells in that area and it is possible that the city of Big Spring will sink a test in addition to watching the Coahoma wells. If equipment can be had, the abandoned oil test may be tested for water although preliminary studies did not indicate a sufficiently heavy flow to justify production on a scale for a city the size of Big Spring.

## Officers Draw New Assignments

A dozen officers at the Big Spring Bombardier School have drawn new assignments.

Transferred to Hendricks Field, Sebring, Fla., were these first lieutenants: William S. Robinson, Houston, holder of the DFC; Francis M. Moggett, Jr., Phoenix, Ariz.; and David Bennett, Bronx, New York.

Assigned to San Marcos Army Flying School for specialized training were 1st Lieut. Carl E. Marshall, Stillwater, Okla.; 1st Lieut. Johdan B. Cannon, Leveland, Tex.; 1st Lieut. Homer H. Fields, Oneida, Ill.; and these second lieutenants: Edgar G. Bartholomew, Geneseo, N. Y.; Edward L. Bacon, South Haven, Kas.; Robert A. Moreshead, Portland, Me.; Robert W. Pence, Harrisonburg, Va.; Gerald B. Tompkins, Milwaukee, Wis.; and Dorsey V. Twidwell, Austin.

Announcement was made of the promotion of Thomas V. Platten, New York City, from second to first lieutenant.

## Relationship Existed Between These Two

SALT LAKE CITY, UP—Patrolman Stanley D. Butcher didn't suspect the relationship that existed between the young couple, age 2, that he found walking down the street—clad only in high-heeled shoes.

But there was one. Young Lee Pierce and Miss Wanda McCarthy—his aunt—were bundled home in separate blankets.

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## Well, Anyway the Fire Wardens Were Handy

COLUMBIA, S. C., UP—Mrs. T. W. Dreher, lying in bed reading, failed to hear the warning signal for a test blackout. An alert warden stepped to her window and asked her to turn off the light.

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# Stretch It, But Make It GOOD TO EAT

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE  
AF Food Editor

The big job of the menu-maker on the home front today is to line up a substantial main-dish, easy on budget and ration stamps. Energy-building bread and cereals, plentiful and comparatively cheap, can be used to extend meat and vegetable loaves. But remember that tasty goodness is important, too.

Less cheese is available in some sections of our country because of the many big nutrition jobs that it has to do. Half a cup of grated cheese only is needed to eke out half a cup of cooked meat when made into SOMERSET LOAF, a main dish with plenty of taste appeal. To serve 4 or 5, mix together 1-3 cup each grated cheese, cooked chopped meat, 1 cup boiled rice, 1-4 cup each chopped onions and green peppers. Add 1-2

teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon each pepper and celery salt, 1 egg, 1-2 cup cooked green beans and 1-2 cup milk. Pour into greased loaf pan and spread top of loaf with 2 tablespoons melted butter or margarine, leftover gravy or chicken fat. Bake 45 minutes in a moderate oven. Baste twice with 2 tablespoons catsup added to 1-3 cup boiling water. This helps moisten the loaf. Bake a vegetable (carrots, turnips, beets) in a tightly covered pan and a little water along with the loaf. And you might want to have a quick bread (biscuits, corn muffins, blueberry gems) and baked fruit dessert at the same baking period.

This TOMATO SAUCE recipe is a family heirloom and I find it hard to beat for serving with loaves of all kinds: Simmer, covered, 2 cups tomatoes, 1 cup water, 1 crushed bay leaf, 2 thin onion slices, 4 celery leaves, 4 whole cloves, 1 teaspoon each of sugar and salt and 1-4 teaspoon paprika. Pour through a sieve and add 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, blended with 4 tablespoons flour. Cook slowly for 5 minutes. Stir constantly.

The family likes this sauce over MEAT BALLS, made like this:



MEAT LOAF WITH OATS: It tastes good, too. ....

Mix together 1 cup each chopped cooked meat and soft bread crumbs, 2 eggs, beaten, 1 cup hot milk, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper and 1 tablespoon butter or margarine. Fill greased custard cups or individual baking dishes. Bake 35 minutes in pan of hot water in moderate oven. Unmold the meat loaves onto a heated platter and cover and surround with the tomato sauce.

Fish or chicken or leftover vegetables can be used in place of the meat or along with the meat to make up the cupful.

MACARONI LOAF takes a cheese sauce for extra nutrition. Here is the loaf recipe: Cook 1 cup broken macaroni in 4 cups boiling salted water for 20 minutes. Drain and rinse in boiling water and then in cold water.

1-4 teaspoon pepper  
1-4 cup green pepper, chopped  
1-4 cup onion, chopped  
1 egg  
1 cup milk or water

Mix the ingredients well. Turn into loaf pan, well greased. Press down lightly. Bake an hour in moderate oven. Serve hot or cold. Will give 8 to 12 servings. (Cut in half for smaller family.)

This removes any sticky part and separates the macaroni. Mix the macaroni with 1-2 cup sliced or finely grated cheese, 3 tablespoons each chopped onions, green peppers and celery, 2-3 teaspoon salt, 1-2 cup cracker or bread crumbs, 1 egg or 2 yolks, 1 cup tomatoes (juice and pulp), 3 tablespoons fat, melted (bacon fat, margarine or butter), 1-4 teaspoon pepper and 1 tablespoon chopped parsley. Bake 40 minutes in greased loaf pan in moderate oven. Unmold and cover with 2 cups vegetable sauce with 1-3 cup grated cheese added.

Meat Loaf With Oats  
2 pounds ground beef  
1-3 cups quick oats  
2 teaspoons salt

## Menus For Your Approval

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE  
Salads For Summer

Dinner For Four  
Brazilian Browned Rice  
Diced Beets  
Whole Wheat Bread Plum Jam  
Crispy Salad  
Lemon Ice Cream  
Hot Tea or Coffee  
Milk for Children

Brazilian Browned Rice  
(Meat Alternate)  
4 tablespoons salad oil (or other fat)

1-2 cups rice  
1-3 cup chopped onions  
1 teaspoon salt  
6 cups boiling water  
1 cup vegetable white sauce  
3 hard-cooked eggs, sliced  
1-3 cup chopped ripe or green olives

Heat fat in frying pan, add rice and onions. Simmer until a light brown in color about 10 minutes. Add salt and water. Boil gently 25 minutes. Drain and add rest of ingredients. Reheat and serve.

Crispy Salad  
1 cup cooked peas  
1 cup sliced diced cucumbers  
1-2 cup sliced diced radishes  
1-4 cup sliced diced onions  
1-4 cup sliced diced green pepper shreds  
1 cup shredded diced cabbage shreds  
1-3 teaspoon salt  
1-4 teaspoon paprika  
Speck garlic salt (optional)  
1-4 cup French dressing  
Combine peas with iced vegetables, well drained. Add rest of ingredients and serve in chilled bowl.

Lemon Ice Cream  
(About 1 1-2 quarts)  
1-3 cups sugar  
1-3 cup lemon juice  
3-2 cups thin cream  
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind  
1-4 teaspoon salt  
Mix sugar and juice for 10 minutes. Slowly add cream, chilled, add rind and salt. Pour into sterilized freezer and freeze until stiff. Repack and let "ripen" for several hours to develop better flavor.

Make up leftover pastry crust into shallow tart cases. Cool and fill with creamed boiled custard and top with berries or sliced peaches.

Some chopped olives and sweet or sour pickles added to cole slaw give an interesting new flavor. Serve with fish, meats or fowl.

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE

Roast With A Future  
(Point-rationed items are starred)

Dinner Planned For Leftovers  
Melon Cocktail  
Stuffed Veal Shoulder  
Velvet Gravy  
Browned Turnips and Potatoes  
Biscuits  
Berry Ice Cream  
Coffee  
Stuffed Veal Shoulder  
\*4 pound shoulder of veal  
3 tablespoons flour  
1-2 teaspoon salt  
1-4 teaspoon pepper  
1-4 teaspoon poultry seasoning  
1-4 cup boiling water  
Have butcher remove bones from shoulder. Reserve bones for soup. Fill the cavity in the veal with Savory Stuffing. Sew the cavity into place. Set the stuffed veal on a rack in roaster. Sprinkle with flour and seasonings. Add water and lid. Bake 2 hours in moderate oven. Baste every 20 minutes. Discard the threads and make gravy from the drippings.

After the veal has cooked an hour surround it with 6 or 8 peeled raw turnips and potatoes. Turn them several times during the baking period so they will brown evenly.

Savory Stuffing  
3 tablespoons bacon fat or meat drippings  
3 tablespoons minced onions  
1-3 cup diced celery or tender celery leaves  
2 tablespoons chopped green peppers (optional)  
1 tablespoon chopped parsley  
1 egg yolk  
1-4 teaspoon salt  
1-4 teaspoon paprika  
1-4 teaspoon poultry seasoning  
1-4 cup hot milk  
2 cups cubed bread (any kind)  
Heat fat in frying pan, add onions, celery and peppers and simmer 5 minutes, stirring frequently with fork. Add rest of ingredients. Mix and cool. Lightly stuff the veal.

Velvet Gravy  
Blend 1-4 cup of flour with 1-3 cup of cold water, add 1-4 cup of drippings and pour into roaster. Cook slowly, stirring, for 3 minutes. Add speck of salt, pepper, and cup of boiling water. Boil, stirring, 5 minutes.

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Japs Say Attack On Hong Kong Repulsed  
By The Associated Press  
Tokyo reported today 20 Allied bombers and fighters attempted to attack Hongkong yesterday in two separate raids. The broadcast was recorded by The Associated Press.

The radio said a few bombs were dropped from a high altitude by a formation of 13 planes which attacked during the morning and that slight damage was caused. The announcement declared the attackers were "immediately repulsed" by anti-aircraft batteries.

Seven planes which approached the city in the afternoon were "forced to flee," the broadcast declared.

## Invasion Jitters

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 26 (AP) — Dispatches from Budapest to the Svenska Dagbladet today said that King Boris of Bulgaria and Premier Ion Antonescu of Rumania had visited recently at Adolf Hitler's headquarters and discussed the present Balkan situation. The Svenska Dagbladet correspondent said the visit had focused new attention on what he described as German anxiety over the possibility of an Allied invasion on the Balkans.

RED CROSS PARLEY  
LONDON, Aug. 26 (AP) — Norman Davis, chairman of the American Red Cross, began a series of conferences today with Lieut. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, commander of U.S. forces in the European theater, and other military leaders regarding the program of the Red Cross in the event of an invasion of the European continent from Britain.

JAS. T. BROOKS  
Attorney  
Office in Courthouse

## Trusting Texan Is Poorer But Wiser

BOSTON, Aug. 26 (AP) — Corporal Phillip McCusker, of Denison, Texas, was short in cash today, but much wiser in his knowledge of the pitfalls of a big city.

McCusker told police that he returned to the United States recently after 14 months in an army outpost in Greenland, with a bankroll of \$3,000.

At the suggestion of a waitress in a cafe, he told police, he turned his roll over to three cafe employees for safe-keeping.

A few days later he became uneasy, he said, and confided his suspicions to the worldly wise police of the cafe district.

They found the roll, \$1,100 short.

They also arrested a waitress and two waiters, and charged them with larceny. They are to be arraigned in court today.

ENDS FRANCO PARLEY  
LONDON, Aug. 26 (AP) — Sir Samuel Hoare, British ambassador to Spain, arrived in London today, presumably to report on his conversations last week with Generalissimo Francisco Franco, head of the Spanish government.

### BASIC FOODS FOR THIS WEEK'S BALANCED MENU!

For economical good eating buy those foods that are most plentiful. Summer fruits and vegetables are abundant, easy to serve and highly nutritious.

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<b>CEREAL</b> . . . . .	19c		
Quaker Hominy	Reg. Pkg.	Kellogg's Shredded	Pkg.
<b>GRITS</b> . . . . .	10c	<b>WHEAT</b> . . . . .	10c
National 3 Minute	Large Box	Post	Giant Pkg.
<b>OATS</b> . . . . .	23c	<b>TOASTIES</b> . . . . .	14c
Quaker White or Yellow	1 1/2 lb. Box	Shinner's Raisin	Reg. Pkg.
<b>MEAL</b> . . . . .	9c	<b>BRAN</b> . . . . .	12c
		Nabisco 100%	Large Pkg.
		<b>BRAN</b> . . . . .	19c
		Comet	3 lb. Pkg.
		<b>RICE</b> . . . . .	28c
		Monarch Long Grain	1 lb. Pkg.
		<b>RICE</b> . . . . .	20c
			3 lb. Cello Pkg.
		<b>RICE</b> . . . . .	32c
		Pillsbury's Pancake	1 1-4 lb. Pkg.
		<b>FLOUR</b> . . . . .	12c
		Pillsbury's Buckwheat	1 1-4 lb. Pkg.
		<b>FLOUR</b> . . . . .	14c
		Pillsbury Cake	Pkg.
		<b>FLOUR</b> . . . . .	29c
		Italian Style	1 lb. Pkg.
		<b>SPAGHETTI</b> . . . . .	17c
		Luxury Dinner	Pkg.
		<b>SPAGHETTI</b> . . . . .	19c

## CHOICE MEATS

PORK CHOPS . . . . .	7 Points	lb. 31c
Beef Chuck	9 Points	lb. 30c
ROAST . . . . .	6 Points	lb. 23c
No. 1 Side	7 Points	lb. 37c
Grade A Market Sliced	11 Points	lb. 78c
BACON . . . . .		
Ham		

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<b>PINEAPPLE</b> . . . . .	25c	<b>WHEATIES</b> . . . . .	11c
No. 2 1/2 Glass Libby's	Points 27	Snowdrift	4 Red Pts. Per Lb.
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White House No. 303 Can	Points 18	Regular Pkg.	
<b>APPLE SAUCE</b> . . . . .	12c	<b>POST TOASTIES</b> . . . . .	9c
1 Qt. Libby's	Points 5	Milcen	1000 Sheets to Roll
<b>PRUNE JUICE</b> . . . . .	32c	<b>TISSUE</b> . . . . .	3 rolls 25c
No. 2 Can Nelson's	Points 1	Anastin's Kibbled	
<b>GREEN BEANS</b> . . . . .	12c	<b>DOG FOOD</b> . . . . .	3 pkgs. 25c
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LEMONS . . . . .	lb. 11c	PASCAL CELERY	

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Seven Cut AA Beef	Points 10	STEAK . . . . .	lb. 28c	BACON . . . . .	lb. 17c	55c lb.
LAMB ROAST lb. 33c	Points 5	LAMB CHOPS lb. 39c	Points 5	PORK CHOPS lb. 29c	Points 7	HENS
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# War Board News

## Agent Suggests Fall Gardens Be Tried

By O. P. GRIFFIN  
County Agent

It is so dry and looks like it would stay that way, people are apt to forget about fall gardens. As a rule fall gardens are much more successful here than spring gardens. But to be successful preparation must be made in advance of planting time. The land should be cleaned of weeds. It

will not do to plow them under, because they make the ground dryer and hotter.

I do not know of any place where it is easier to grow fall turnips than in Howard county. They can be planted for a full month yet without being too late. Then there is mustard, radishes, carrots and beets, as well as lettuce and spinach that will do well in the fall. If it rains by September 1, string beans may be added to this list. The War Board News this week will have something to say about vegetables that can be grown in the fall.

There may be some farmers who did not have much success with their summer garden, maybe because they got it started late and it got caught in this summer drought. The air has been so hot and dry that it has been difficult to keep gardens growing even with plenty of water. Now, fall gardens will not be that way. The weather will be cooler, and the rate of evaporation of moisture much lower than during the summer. Fall gardens are successful four years out of five. And where they are irrigated it does not take nearly as much water.

No English home is more than 70 miles from the sea coast.

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## Information Given On Potato Planting

O. P. GRIFFIN, County Agent A. & M. Extension Service.

Plant by September 1. Use southern grown seed potatoes that have been exposed to light for at least a week. Cut through the center, halves, quarters according to size. Hen egg size or smaller halves.

If good rains should come before September 1, plant as soon as the land will do. No use to plant on weedy land. List the land in late afternoon and plant early next morning. Cover by relisting them, when potatoes have sprouted, rake off the dirt until ground is level.

Fall grown potatoes are easily kept through the winter, unless they are allowed to freeze. They make good seed for spring planting.

### Winter Vegetables

Spinach, carrots, beets, turnips, and lettuce will stand some frost. All of these should be planted in September.

Spinach requires a firm seed bed. After the seed are planted walk on them to firm the ground then soil mulch the surface to keep from drying out.

Carrots requires a deep seed bed. When the root reaches hard soil it becomes ill shapen. Danvers half long is a good variety.

Onions to have early green onions plant sets in September.

Beets, to get a uniform stand mash the seed coat with a rolling pin, then soak over night in warm water and plant 2 inches deep using 10 to 12 seed to the foot of row. Thin when 3 inches high to a spacing of 2 or 3 inches.

Head Lettuce should be planted in October. Use New York or Imperial; and when plants are two or three inches high, thin to 6 or 7 inches apart.

First remove all vegetation. Do not plow it under for a fall garden. Plow shallow except for carrots. See that all clods are broken up before planting.

The soil for a fall garden should be fertile, because fertilizers cannot be used successfully in fall gardens in this area.

Conversion of New Georgia's headhunting cannibals began more than thirty years ago.

## Farmers Advised To List Available Peas

The Govt. Food Distribution Administration has announced that it will buy dry black-eyed peas at the announced support price. That price is \$5.75 cwt. for No. 1 grade; \$5.65 for No. 2 and \$5.35 for No. 3.

Graders will be provided and arrangements made for recleaning for bags and storage where there is enough peas to justify.

The arrangements for this service will be made by the County War Board. At the present time it is not known whether there will be enough black-eyed peas in Howard county to justify handling them in Big Spring.

A meeting has been called by the War Board for 4 p. m. Saturday. It would be well for farmers, who have peas to sell, and who do not have a better market than 5 cents per pound, to notify the War Board, Box 711, Big Spring. Arrangements for government purchase will be made only to assist farmers to get the guaranteed price.

## Radio Program KBST 1490 kc

- Thursday Evening**
- 8:00 Minute of Prayer.
  - 8:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
  - 8:15 News.
  - 8:30 Overseas Reports.
  - 8:45 Superman.
  - 9:00 Fulton Lewis Jr.
  - 9:15 The Johnson Family.
  - 9:30 Wactivities.
  - 9:45 Confidentially Yours.
  - 10:00 Listen Ladies.
  - 10:05 Lazy River.
  - 10:15 Voice of the Army.
  - 10:30 Harmony Hall.
  - 10:45 News.
  - 11:00 Gabriel Heatter.
  - 11:15 Leo Zollo's Orchestra.
  - 11:30 "U-Tell-Em-Club."
  - 11:45 Raymond Clapper.
  - 11:55 Songs By Sunny Skyler.
  - 12:00 News.

- Friday Morning**
- 7:00 Musical Clock.
  - 7:15 News.
  - 7:20 Musical Clock.
  - 7:30 News.
  - 7:45 Rhythm Ramble.
  - 8:00 Morning Devotional.
  - 8:15 Vocal Varieties.
  - 8:30 KBST Bandwagon.
  - 9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.
  - 9:15 Radio Bible Class.
  - 9:30 Shady Valley Folks.
  - 10:00 Stanley Dixon.
  - 10:15 Karl Zomar's Scrapbook.
  - 10:30 Happy Joe & Ralph.
  - 10:50 Musical Moments.
  - 11:00 News.
  - 11:05 Dr. W. S. Palmer.
  - 11:10 KBST Previews.
  - 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
  - 11:30 Edgewood Arsenal Band.

- Friday Noon**
- 12:00 10-2-4 Ranch.
  - 12:15 What's the Name of That Band?
  - 12:30 News.
  - 12:45 Luncheon: Dance Varieties.
  - 1:00 Cedric Foster.
  - 1:15 Nashville Varieties.
  - 1:30 Today's Devotional.
  - 1:45 Century Room Orch.
  - 2:00 Morton Downey.
  - 2:15 Palmer House Concert Orch.
  - 2:30 Maxine Keith.
  - 2:45 Quiz Wizard.
  - 3:00 Walter Compton.
  - 3:15 Dance Time.
  - 3:30 Full Speed Ahead.
  - 4:00 Sheelah Carter.
  - 4:15 The Black Hood.
  - 4:30 KBST Bandwagon.

- Friday Evening**
- 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
  - 5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.
  - 5:15 News.
  - 5:30 Overseas Reports.
  - 5:45 Superman.
  - 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
  - 6:15 The Johnson Family.
  - 6:30 For Victory.
  - 7:00 Listen Ladies.
  - 7:05 Lazy River.
  - 7:15 George Hamilton's Orch.
  - 7:30 Treasury Star Parade.
  - 7:45 News.
  - 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
  - 8:15 Grace Fields.
  - 8:30 Double or Nothing.
  - 9:00 Ray Robison vs. Henry Armstrong.

## Chilean and U. S. Nationals Due To Be In Second Exchange

LONDON, Aug. 23 (AP)—Tokyo reported in a broadcast recorded by the Associated Press that about 1,500 Americans and Chileans will be included in the second exchange of American and Japanese nationals.

The broadcast said the agreement provided for the exchange to be made in the second week of October at Mormugao, Portuguese India.

A Japanese ship carrying persons interned in Japan, China, Manchukuo, Thailand, French Indo-China and the Philippines will leave a Japanese harbor between Sept. 10 and Sept. 20, the announcement said.

An exchange of Japanese and British nationals also is being considered, the broadcast said.

**Soldier From Midland Injured In Action**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20 (AP)—The war department has made public the names of 200 United States soldiers wounded in action, including:

Southwest Pacific Area — Pvt. James H. Tidale, brother of Harold G. Tidale, Midland; Pfc. Grady G. Williams, son of Mrs. Annie Myrtle Williams, Denton,



**TURTLE FANCIER** — Mrs. Josephine Gibson Knowlton of Washington, D. C., who keeps 40 pet turtles in her garden, demonstrates how one of them stands on its hind legs to beg food. Many of them will answer their owner's call.

## Waste Oil Fire Threatens Dock

Quick action on the part of the fire department stopped a fire Wednesday afternoon about 3 p. m. that threatened the railroad bridge and the ice plant's loading dock at the T. & P. railroad yard.

Firemen said the fire, of unknown origin, started in a ditch near the tracks where waste oil from the T. & P. shops drains off. The flames of the oil fire were burning 40 feet high when firemen arrived.

Two lines of hose used from each end of the ditch, quickly extinguished the blaze. Firemen said there was only slight damage to a few ties.

## Midland Man Sells New Mexico Ranch

TAOS, N. M., Aug. 23 (AP)—Sale of the 14,000-acre Uracca ranch between Questa and Costilla near the New Mexico-Colo. border to C. R. Garner of Amarillo, Texas, rancher and capitalist, was recorded yesterday. Garner bought the property from William Gorley of Midland, Texas.

**Home Life At Pound Entirely Too Good**

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**Vinegar Old Mill 1-Qt. 13c**

**Blue Stamp Values**

**Juice Sunny Daws 18-Oz. 12c**  
**Peas Gardaside Early June . . . . . 13c**

**Sunnybank OLEO 4 Red Potatoes Per Lb. 17c**

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**Gerbers Baby Foods Strained, Jr. 6 1/2-Oz. 7c**

**COMBINATION SALAD PLATE**—A whole meal on one plate! Arrange shredded greens on large plates. Lettuce, other salad greens, or crisp, raw spinach may be used. In the center of each plate, place large tomatoes hollowed out and filled with chopped egg, meat or chicken salad. Around the tomatoes, arrange a circle of chilled, cooked peas, then another circle of sliced, pickled beets. Pass the salad dressing separately. Hot cheese biscuits or toasted cheese sandwiches are delicious with this. And custard or pie fits in well for dessert.

**MIDSUMMER PLATTER**—At one side of a large, heated platter, place pastry shells filled with creamed, sliced, hard-cooked eggs and peas. In separate groups place mounds of sauteed, shredded cabbage, broiled tomato halves and broiled fresh peach or apricot halves. Serve with toast or crackers, and follow with a fruit bread pudding.

**HOT WEATHER SALAD PLATE**—Place in separate lettuce cups a generous serving of potato salad, chopped spiced beets and cottage cheese, and cooked, green string beans. Garnish with cucumber and carrot strips. Serve your favorite dressing separately, and pass a plate of oven-hot muffins. Apple pie and cheese will polish this meal off.

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**Pressed Ham Cooked 1-Lb. 55c**  
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**Cervelat 1-Lb. 29c**  
**Pork Liver 1-Lb. 20c**  
**Fryers Dressed and Brown 1-Lb. 58c**

**STEAK 1-Lb. 40c**



# Clean-Up Depends On Your Efforts

Tomorrow evening scores of volunteer workers will be knocking at every door in the city in an effort to furnish residents with the materials for the most effective attack in the city's history on rats and mice.

This, first of all, is an appeal for each householder to make it a special point to see that some adult is at home between the hours of 6 p. m. and 8 p. m. to receive the poisoned bait.

Secondly, this is an appeal to make immediate use of the bait. Directions will be furnished and it calls for no more skill than being able to read these simple instructions.

The work poison will have a tendency to unduly alarm some people. There is no danger involved in using the bait furnished free by the city, although some discretion may need to be exercised in keeping up chickens and

pets for a day or so until the rodents have had an opportunity to consume all they will of the bait. Then it might be a good idea to gather up the surplus and put it in the garbage can or other wise dispose of it. However, it is not likely that there will be sufficient concentration of it to harm animals and even children if some should get it.

If every home in the city will arrange for putting out the bait, it will reduce the possibility of rats and mice seeking refuge from the campaign. The cleaner job we make of it the longer it will take these creatures to come back. The longer it takes them to come back, the healthier will be our city.

Do your part, protect your own home and play fair with your neighbors. Accept this bait Thursday evening and then use it.

# Anti-Fascists Tell How To Win Italy

The authors of this article, Professors Gaetano Salvemini and George La Piana, are members of the Harvard faculty. Born in Italy, they have been prominently identified with the Italian-American movement against Fascism. They have just written a book, "What To Do With Italy," (Duell, Sloan and Pearce) to be published next month.

But our diplomats have done their utmost to prevent such strategy. They prefer to conquer Italy inch by inch, rather than allow democratic anti-Fascist forces to play any part in Italy's deliverance. They have sternly forbidden anti-Fascist political refugees to set foot in Italy.

The new military dictatorship neither solves the problem nor works in our favor. It has merely enabled generals and officers of the regular army to satisfy old grudges against the Fascist parvenus and their corrupt bosses. It is, of course, seeking to saddle on Mussolini alone the blame for military disasters. To save the monarchy the new dictatorship is shooting the people.

Badoglio's main task is to struggle against any revolutionary attempt made by the people. The task of chasing the Nazis out of Italy is exclusively ours. When that is done, our diplomats will see to it that the monarchy and its Badoglio remain in control to stifle any future revolution.

Mussolini's downfall was hailed as a sure sign that Italy was ready to accept our terms of unconditional surrender. According to Winston Churchill, "one man and one man only" kept Italy in the war at Germany's side. Yet the new Italian government has called for more German divisions to strengthen the defense of continental Italy. The war goes on.

Our diplomats had long cherished the hope that a coalition of ex-Fascist chiefs, clericals, monarchists and industrial and agricultural lords would one day unseat Mussolini and hand us Italy without fighting.

They had not learned that dictatorships like that of Mussolini can be unseated only by revolution in the wake of military disaster. Anyway, our diplomats did not want a revolution.

Now that Mussolini has fallen, they are pleased to see Badoglio ruthlessly putting down the attempts at rebellion by the Italian people. At the same time, however, angered but not disillusioned, the same diplomats who surrendered, the same diplomats with cold cynicism appeal to the helpless Italian people, machine-gunned by Badoglio's carabinieri, and tell them to force their government to surrender or else be bombed out of existence.

Our policy towards Italy before the Sicilian invasion raised doubts whether the ideas prevailing in Washington are compatible with our solemn avowals that we in this war seek freedom and democracy for all.

Our State Department defeated the attempt to organize in this country an anti-Fascist legion open to Italian anti-Fascist volunteers from the concentration camps in India, Africa, England and America and under the direction of American officers. Such a legion, making possible the dropping of thousands of men from the air over Rome, Turin, Milan, and Genoa at the moment of Mussolini's demise, would have rendered the Italian revolution successful.

It is reasonable to assume that the rank and file of the Italian army, which refused to fire upon the population, would have joined the revolution. The ports of Civitavecchia, Leghorn, Genoa and Bari would have been opened to receive American and British divisions ready in Sicily. In a few days all southern and central Italy would have been in our hands, and our armies would have been solidly entrenched in Northern Italy's vital points.

# Washington—Army Slang Too Much For Colonel, A Recent Civilian

By JACK STINNETT  
WASHINGTON—A heater-dealer (plumber to you and me) got a contract from the War Department to install 40 heaters in the sentry boxes that surround the White House, State Department and other government buildings here.

He had gone to work on the order when such to his amazement it was cancelled. Trying to trace the reason, he discovered that the original requisition had been drawn by an old regular Army sergeant, now a first lieutenant, who had written:

"Forty heaters for dog-houses."

The colonel to whom it went was too soon out of civilian life to be aware of Army slang. He killed the requisition, with the indignant postscript: "I can see no reason for spending taxpayers' money on coddling dogs."

Probably the worst pun that ever came out of OPA is this one: There being no ceiling price on snuff, the dippers will have to pay through the nose for the duration.

And one of the big laughs here today is the worry in some pretty high places that the Russians will reach Berlin before the British-American armies do.

The reason for the laughs are four-fold: (1) That only some months ago, the big question was: Can the Russians hold out until we get there? (2) That if the Russians do get there first, the British and Americans will be sitting at the right and left of the peace table and the man presiding will be "Papa" Josef Stalin, whom, less than a few years ago, both nations had regarded as No. 3 man on the "Liquidation List." (3) That it's a lot further to Berlin from Kharovk and Bryansk than it is from the Straits of Messina or the Channel coasts, which may become a "third front" any day now. (4) That if the "blood-thirsty Russians really do start smacking on Germany's front door, the war-wise Huns will open the back door to let the "humanitarian" Allied Nations armies in first.

Lend-Lease has had its ups and downs. But from now on, Washington observers are predicting freely, it won't have such easy going. The principal reason: U. S. industry is getting plenty worried about post-war competition. Why, industrialists ask, should American taxpayers pour out billions to strengthen foreign industries which will be competitive in post-war world trade?

It probably will take a several-foot shelf of books and several post-war years of world trade realities to answer that question. Nevertheless, the sideline crew here is positive that lend-lease is in for a real drubbing before the next appropriation bill (due to be passed this coming spring and early summer) get to a vote.

# BIG SPRING COMPRESS COMPANY IS SOLD TO LARGER TEXAS CONCERN

Announcement of sale of the Big Spring Compress Co. (Inc.) to Arch B. Underwood, head of a string of compresses and warehouses, was made here Saturday.

Deeds effecting transfer of the concern from local hands to the West Texas Compress and Warehouse Company Underwood's concern have been filed.

All properties of the company both on N. Gregg street where the original compress was destroyed, and in the northwest quarter of the city where a large battery of warehouses is located, have been conveyed in the trade. Also in the trade were the company's compress holdings at Pecos.

Big Spring Compress Co. was established here in 1934 with R. F. Shoemaker, veteran cotton compress operator and shipper as operating head. Subsequently, he disposed of his interests in the company but ultimately bought back in.

At the time of the trade, B. Roagan was president of the company, Shoemaker vice-president and manager, and R. T. Finer secretary-treasurer.

During the 19 years it has operated here, the Big Spring Compress Company has handled an old thousands of bales of cotton and for many years was the only compress between Colorado City and El Paso. Its biggest run, perhaps were in 1929 when 70,000 bales were processed and in 1941 when the historic cotton crop overflowed its warehouses and caused it to maintain a cotton yard jam-packed for a quarter of a section.

# Bond Quota For August Is Set

Big Spring's bond quota for August has been announced as \$101,500, the same quota which local residents barely met in July and which they are in a fair way to miss this month unless some heavy bond buying is done between now and the last of the month.

Sales to date amount to \$31,477, leaving \$70,023 still to go and only eight more buying days left in the month.

Only one month has Big Spring failed to meet its bond quota as assigned under the national organization and bond sale officials were urging that residents purchase to the full amount of their capacity this month in order to meet the demand.

There is a fleet of more than 40 U. S. owned tankers on the Great Lakes.

# Hollywood Sights And Sounds—New Generation In Hollywood Spots

By ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—Constance Dowling works on the same stages where Mary Pickford made her later hit pictures. Miss Dowling, who is brown-haired, dark-eyed, arrestingly attractive, has never seen a Mary Pickford movie. They talk about a new generation of theater-goers, but here's one right in Hollywood, making movies.

Miss Dowling is leading lady to Dana Andrews in Danny Kaye's comedy, "Up in Arms." Her screen test was highly dramatic, and she was so good in it that Sam Goldwyn put her right away into his musical comedy. She is pining for emotional drama.

Even so, this 20-year-old is back where she started. When she was barely 16, she put one over on her parents (she knew they wouldn't approve) by launching her theatrical career in the line at the Paradise club on Broadway. For almost a year the folks thought she was really a telephone operator, and for almost a year Connie paid her way to dramatic school by dancing nights. When the folks found out, Connie left the Paradise abruptly. She kept on in the theater, however, understudying, dancing in musicals, plugging away at "The drama." Good notices for an experimental play at the Provincetown theater were her paskey to a Goldwyn test.

Another 20-year-old is Carol Thurston, the Three Martini DeMille's "Story of Dr. Wassell." This is the native girl role for which DeMille interviewed nearly a hundred girls. Carol, the newcomer, won it. She had never faced a camera until her wardrobe test (the wardrobe is a sarong) and had never acted before until her first day on the picture. But she had acted at home in her father's small repertory company since she was 12. Home was Forsyth, Mont., until her dad took a job at Lockheed.

Once, in Montana, Carol visited DeMille's location for "The Plainsman." She was too shy, she says, to ask him for a job, although even then she wanted to act in pictures. Today she goes about her work without shyness or even nervousness. DeMille calls her "a combination of Maude Adams and Lenore Ulrich," and expects to use her again in his next "Rurales."

Newcomer June Vincent, 23, blue-eyed, blonde, has a notion that the "right things" will happen. So far, she has been right. Daughter of a Congregational minister, June was going to be a concert pianist until interest in acting changed her mind. She spent a year at Oberlin College, then did summer stock at Keene, N. H., her home town. More study in New York, paying her way as a Powers model, led under two years to a job as understudy to the ingenue in "The Family."

The right thing—right for June's career—happened there. The ingenue became ill the day after the opening, and June played the role for the run of the show.

# Floyd Dixon, Jap Prisoner, Writes His Parents Here

Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Dixon, 601 Johnson, received a letter Tuesday from their son, second class seaman Floyd A. Dixon, U.S.N., who has been a prisoner of the Japanese since December 23, 1941, stating that he is still in good health.

Dixon landed on Wake Island on November 24, 1941 as an aerographer, and on December 7 the battle of Wake Island was begun ending on the 23 with the capture of the island.

The Dixons have once before received a letter from their son but it was only a few lines and said only that he was alive.

The letter Tuesday was sent from the Shanghai War Prisoner's camp where Dixon was transferred after the fall of Wake.

Excerpts from the letter are given below:

Dear folks,  
I am still in good health. I appreciate each letter I receive. Thank the Grays and Matt M. McCoy, Aerog. 2-c at Kaneohe and tell him all the news of me, for we are allowed to write a limited number. Also give my regards to all my friends. Photographs appreciated. Ha, make me

a scrapbook of newspaper clippings, etc., and be sure to include Wake Island and all about her detachment. I shall tell you some tall tales soon.

I had hoped to make a few rates during the war. You see I failed to consider the possibility of becoming a prisoner of war. Pvt. C. W. Sapp, a marine and a friend, lives on Big Spring street in Midland. See his folks. Take this letter to the naval authorities and get all of my money that you need.

We had a holiday Christmas. The American Association in Shanghai sent us Christmas dinner, turkey, gravy, mince pie, cranberry sauce, dressing and coffee. A year ago Christmas we drank water mixed in aviation gasoline drums. We have received four food packages from the International Red Cross. Well I guess I'm not a lady killer, but you could have fooled me. Not one of my women has written. I'm heartbroken.

The girls better stand by when I get home, especially those in Odessa. Pray for us all. From the depth of my heart,  
Love to all.

# The Unseen Audience



# Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

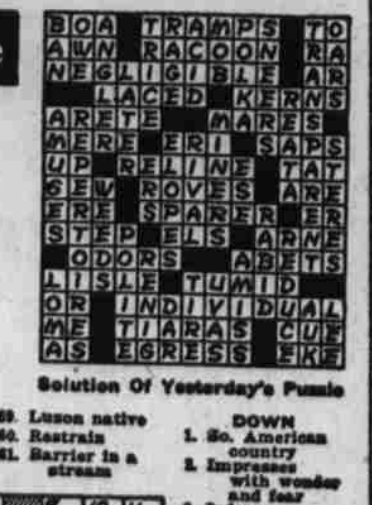
1. Tablet
4. Forest
8. Cell
11. Sheep
13. Babylonian
14. Part of a flower
15. Color
16. Part of a flower
17. Light bed
18. Assumed with out right
19. Giants
20. Liar
21. Heated
22. Guided
23. Second
24. Ours
21. Charge
22. Jewish month
23. That thing
24. Marine plants
25. Exist
26. Resume
27. Beverage
28. Dense mist
29. Was aware
30. Uninteresting
31. Indulged
32. Bridge term
33. Economic
34. Rotating place
35. Kind of rock
36. Belonging to him
37. Wooden shoe
38. Boy
39. Type measure
40. Musical study
41. Feminine name

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**Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle**

**DOWN**

1. So. American country
2. Impression with wonder and fear
3. Infero
4. Insects
5. Metal-bearing rocks
6. Knock
7. Flower
8. Florio land
9. Measure
10. On
11. Fragments
12. Star
13. Fokswarm
14. Opposite of windward
15. Trade an ob-
16. This metal
17. Meadow
18. Power
19. Coral
20. Not many
21. Gulf moored
22. Drain
23. City in Minnesota
24. Fortie's waiting-woman
25. Handled awkwardly
26. Equal
27. Equality
28. Founded
29. Furry food
30. African tree
31. Half quart
32. Kite
33. Volcanic matter
34. Kind of cheese
35. Save



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County Assigned Doubled Quota Of \$1,791,400

Howard county faces an historic task in meeting its second quota in the third war loan drive in September. The quota, announced Wednesday by Ted Groehl, chairman of forces organizing for the all-out drive, is \$1,791,400.

This is, he explained, approximately two and a half times the big quota of \$700,000 given the county last April in the second drive. The quota this time is confined largely to series E subscribers and to home corporations and concerns.

Six Persons Are Hurt In Crashes

Two car accidents were reported Monday involving cars on the west highway but no one was said to be seriously injured. Five persons were slightly injured in a crash on the highway 12 miles west of Big Spring when a car driven by Ross Reddin of Odessa collided with a car driven by Molina Chavez, about 9:30 p. m. Saturday.

Kennedy Says Miners Due A Hike In Pay

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23 (AP)—Thomas Kennedy, quiet-spoken secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America, told his former colleagues on the War Labor Board today that an increase of \$1.30 a day for unskilled miners is fully justified and necessary to retain manpower.

Wallace To Head War Loan Drive In Mitchell County

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 21.—R. J. Wallace of Colorado City has been named finance chairman of the Third War Loan drive and will head the drive, beginning Sept. 9, in Mitchell county. Wallace also directed the Red Cross drive which was over-subscribed.

AAA Budget To Be Planned Saturday

A. H. Jeffries, district 6-N field officer and M. C. Puckett, state committee man for district 6 will meet here Saturday with the AAA administration officer, Mr. Weaver, to discuss budget planning for 1943-44.

Coffee Resigns From Ration Price Panel

Resignation of Thomas J. Coffee from the local ration board price panel was set, to the district office at Lubbock, B. F. Robbins, chairman, said Wednesday, for approval of J. B. Mooney, district price officer.

Mrs. McGee Dies Of Heart Attack

Mrs. Ermon McGee, 51 years old, succumbed suddenly, Monday morning at 5:15 o'clock in her home on the west highway as the result of a heart involvement. The body of Mrs. McGee is to be shipped to McMinnville, Tenn., Tuesday morning where John High, funeral home will be in charge of the services.

Health Unit In New Place Soon

The Big Spring, Howard County Health unit will move to new and larger quarters in the Reed Hotel building on East 2nd street on September 1, it was announced today by health unit officials.

Preacher, Wife Are Charged With Slaying

Texas Rangers announced Friday in San Angelo that Charles Edward Smith, 40, sign painter and Pentecostal preacher, and his wife, Elizabeth Smith, 56, had been charged with the slaying two years ago of Mrs. Hazel Weeks, 40.

Local Men Named On Conservation Group At ODT Conference

M. E. Allen, manager of the Big Spring Cotton Oil Mill, and H. G. Keaton, gin farmer, have returned from Sweetwater where they attended a meeting of cotton oil and ginning representatives who convened at the Blue Bonnet Hotel August 21, for the purpose of naming a committee to formulate plans for the conservation of trucks, tires and gasoline within their industry, in the transportation of cottonseed and by-products.

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Members of the BAPW club here sold a total of \$16,600 in bonds from booths set up at the Frontier Roundup grounds last weekend.

Desertion Charge

Charges of child desertion were filed Tuesday against Joe N. Arline in justice court and bond of \$50 was set by Justice of the Peace Walter Greig. Arline agreed to pay \$9 a week for the support of his wife, Lucia, and their children, in a hearing yesterday.

JOE, AN EX-BOXER, BECOMES IDOL OF ANOTHER MAN'S DOG

By DALE FRANCIS Special Services BSAAFBS Those who saw it say the Major cried. I wouldn't know about that. I never heard of a dog crying before but those who saw it happen said he cried. They placed him in a crate and he stood there looking at Joe as if to say, "I know you'll not let them take me away, Joe. I know you're my friend." Then Joe went over to the crate and he hammered the last nail and Major just stood there looking at him. Then Joe turned away and started walking off and those who were there swear that a tear came in Major's eye and as Joe walked off in the distance Major barked, something between a little moan and a howl. Someone said it sounded like a sob.



Major

Well, that was Major, but to understand the story you have to understand Joe too. Joe DeOrto is Chicago. He's a corporal from the army and a tough little guy, hard as nails and not an ounce of sentiment about him. He used to be a boxer in civilian life and everything he does, even his talking, is done in those quick little movements that are characteristic of a man who makes his living in the ring.

The first time I remember Joe and Major together was last winter. Maybe Joe's forgotten about it now. The Major was in the barracks. He'd been in most of the day because it was muddy outside and no one wanted to let him out because they knew he'd come back tracking mud over the floor. You wouldn't think Joe would notice a thing like a dog not getting a chance for fresh air. He doesn't say much and you sometimes get the idea that he's too tough to care much about anything. But that day he put a leash on Major and took him out for a walk. Major was happy and when they came back in the barracks Joe looked sort of tough about it and said, "A dog has to have air."

Joe and Major were friends after that. It was sort of a weird friendship for George Kolb was still the Major's master. The Major stayed with George a lot of the time but you could tell he liked Joe.

It was this spring that George was sent off to school. He couldn't take the Major along so he left him with Tom Costello. Who you can't have a dog with whom you want but he'll stay with the one he likes best. There wasn't any doubt about whose dog Major was. He was Joe's dog.

Youths May Apply Now For Aviation Cadet Training

Air-minded youngsters throughout the nation are becoming increasingly aware of the important part which the airplane will play in the post-war world, and with this in mind, and the desire to do their part, many young men everywhere are making application for aviation cadet training.

Yanks Repulsed In Landing, Say Japs

NEW YORK, Aug. 23 (AP)—The Tokyo radio told the Japanese people today that direct wireless communications between the Japanese capital and Vatican City would be opened Aug. 25 as a result of negotiations instituted by the Japanese "in view of the changes in the European situation."

Gas Board Studying Alleged Violations

The ration board's gas panel was in session Wednesday morning to investigate several cases of reported violations of supplemental gasoline cards as given to the office by OPA inspectors.

Teacher Exams

Examinations for second class teacher's certificates will be held at the county superintendent's office on September 3 and 4. Walker Bailey announced Monday, but pointed out that those desiring to take the tests must let him know by Wednesday of this week in order for him to secure the examination blanks.

MESSAGE BRINGS HOPE TO MISSING FLIER'S PARENTS

COLORADO CITY, Aug. 21.—A letter from Captain Thomas Wainwright, intelligence officer of the army air corps, this week brought the family of Tech Sgt. William (Archie) Mohler further hope that perhaps the missing flier still lives somewhere in enemy territory. Sgt. Mohler has been missing since a mission in the North African sector June 17 and no word of his having been taken prisoner has yet reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mohler.

Captain Wainwright's letter said in part: "On the date on which he was reported missing, Sgt. Mohler was a gunner on a medium bomber on a mission over axis territory in the Mediterranean. In the target area the bomber formation was attacked by many enemy fighters and although 10 of them were destroyed, they succeeded in shooting down the plane in which your brother was flying. He was seen at his guns firing at the enemy until his pilot ordered the crew to abandon ship. Thereafter several parachutes were seen to come out of the bomber before it crashed.

Oilmen's Parley Set For Oct. 13-14

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—The Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association will hold its 24th annual meeting and convention at Fort Worth on Oct. 13-14 this year, according to George Sawtelle of Houston, president of the association.

Representatives from the entire oil industry as well as a large group of Texas oil men are expected to attend the annual parley and current industry problems as well as post war matters will be the subject for discussion. "Oil men are not only invited but urged to attend this meeting," Sawtelle stated. "We are justly proud of Texas and our oil industry this year for our production is furnishing the war effort and an intimate presentation of our contribution will be afforded those in attendance."

Officials of the association include George Sawtelle, Houston, president; George C. Gibbons, Dallas, executive vice president; Joe Weaver, Eastland, vice president; B. L. LeFever, Big Spring, vice president; Al Buchanan, San Antonio, vice president; J. Cooke Wilson, Beaumont, vice president; B. G. Byars, Tyler, vice president; W. W. Mellroy, Amarillo, vice president, and Eugene McElvaine, Dallas, treasurer.

New Quarters For Health Unit

The city-county health unit will have quarters to itself the first of the month. City Manager B. J. McDaniel said Saturday that quarters had been rented on the first floor of the Reed Hotel building on Second street, and that on Sept. 1 all activities of the unit would be handled from there, including the venereal disease clinic.

AWOL Soldier Shot In Attempt To Escape Guard

Pvt. Armando J. Perla, AWOL soldier from the Leguna, Ariz., maneuver area for the 79th division, was in the base hospital at the Big Spring Bombardier School Tuesday for treatment of gunshot wounds suffered in an escape attempt.

Truman Committee Investigates Wright Production Drop

CINCINNATI, Aug. 20. (AP)—Major General Oliver P. Echols, assistant chief of air staff, Washington, testified today production of the Wright Aeronautical corporation fell to one-sixth its former pace after release of Truman committee report that "defective engines were being turned out."

Two Bombardier Instructors Get Rank Promotions

Public relations office at the Big Spring Bombardier School announced today the promotion of two officers, bombardier instructors, from the rank of second lieutenant in first. They are Lieut. Lawrence S. Ross IV, of Waco and Lieut. Ward W. Shoemaker, CILM, N. Mex.

Soldier Injures Neck In High Dive At Pool

High and fancy diving proved disastrous for Sgt. Wildberger Sunday at the city park pool when he dived off the high board and dislocated his fifth and sixth vertebrae.



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Community Sing No. 7 - Last Lesson

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bravery; is 64 years old, but acts and looks fifty. He told me about his attempt to kidnap the Kaiser.

In January, 1919, two months after the armistice, Col. Lea was with his outfit in the third army of occupation in Luxembourg; he and some pals conceived the idea of slipping over into Holland, getting possession of the person of the Kaiser and taking him to Paris to be tried on charges of war guilt; he got duly signed passports for himself, three officers and four enlisted men; getting leave, effective immediately, they got into two autos, drove 18 hours without stopping through Luxem-

**Slate** TODAY ONLY

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OBE or NOT to BE

**Wherein Rats Learn Of A Modern Pied Piper Who Uses Dogs, Gas**

**By HELEN WILSON**

Rats scurried here and there, darting in the many entrances which had been chiseled into their town hall through the courtesy of Mayor Maynard Mouse and the city council of Rodent Ridge.

This was an important meeting—something that had to do with invasion and war. Big rats, little rats, skinny rats and fat rats took their places in the convention hall, anxious for Mayor Mouse to begin his talk.

Typus sneezed above the chatter of neighboring rodents, and following each wheeze, mousey mustaches were carefully wiped and straightened into place.

At last Mayor Mouse rose, placed his tapering tail neatly behind him and began to speak. "Friends and neighbors, doubtless you have read where a clean-up and rodent extermination campaign is about to get underway in the city of Big Spring."

A drone of comments drowned his next statement. "Quiet please. As I was saying the campaign starts today, and the thing which has your city councilmen of Rodent Ridge extremely worried is that a rat exterminator known as F. E. Harding, has been employed to destroy our entire population. In order to acquaint you with the characteristics of Harding's duties, I must first of all tell you that he conceived the idea of 'mortal extermination' through a process which was practiced by the U. S. government in killing prairie dogs in Wyoming and Arizona. With the aid of a hand pump, he uses a cyanide gas to drive us out of our homes, and neighbors I must warn you that the pump has a long hose which worms to your very back rooms."

"Not to disturb you further, fellow rodents, but the gruesome part of my sad situation is that if you are driven out, five fox terriers will be at your door to run you down and break your necks," intoned Mayor Mouse.

"I must warn you that he is a merciless man, his system sugarcane and his dogs ruthless. Word has come to me of the thousands of our countrymen he has exterminated in Midland, Odessa, Roscoe and Haskell. From Rodent Ridge he will go to our villages in Colorado City."

"It is a sad day, and I as your leader am worried for this man Harding is known as the Pied Piper of the 20th century, is a menace who now lurks in this very vicinity, ready to begin his campaign today. After an extensive study and research in our library on what to do in case of such an attack, my advice to you brother rats, is to run like—," sagely concluded Mayor Mouse.

**GRIN AND BEAR IT** **By Lichty**



"By the beard of the prophet, offend, these are genuine Arabian water pipes... we got 'em through lend lease!"

**Silver Star** **Here 'n There**

**Silver Star**  
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the story."

Pvt. Rumpff, aged 22, is the son of Mrs. C. G. Chapin of Bayard, N. M., and came here in February of 1942. He worked at the bombardier school project until he enlisted here on July 30, 1942. His training included a stay at Ft. George G. Mead, Maryland before he sailed in December of 1942.

He was married April 21, 1942 at Midland to Mildred Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Thompson, 2208 Scurry, where she and their son, Bobby Cliff, whom he has never seen, now reside. The young hero also holds the Purple Heart and his North African campaign bar.

**Felipe Back Again For Disturbance**

A second charge of disturbing the peace was filed in justice court Thursday morning against Felipe Renteria and again she pleaded not guilty to charges and a hearing was set for 10 a. m. Friday.

The first charge against the woman, whom Justice of the Peace Grice found guilty a few weeks ago, is on appeal in county court and will be heard next term. She was released on \$100 bond. She is also under \$50 appeal bond.

**THE LONG NIGHT**  
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Everywhere was green, verdant growth. Thick grass on the flat land. Then heavier brush. Beyond that, the pines and firs marching straight up the mountain side to the snow line.

Bette stopped a moment on the low porch of the building labelled 'Hospital' and looked out across the valley. How could war invade this peacefulness? Bette breathed deep of the sharp, cold air. It seemed impossible that this beautiful valley could be a battlefield!

"Isn't it wonderful?" she asked as Sue caught up with her.

Sue's glance was skeptical. "Maybe—if you like being lonesome. Give me less scenery and more people, please."

Bette laughed, turned to follow her into the building. Then, just as they pulled open the door, the sound of planes drew them back to the porch railing. Out of the clouds overhead they saw three planes circle deliberately, like graceful gulls, making a complete survey of the base tucked into the mountain valley.

"Could those be enemy planes, do you suppose?" Bette asked.

In the same moment, she saw the insignia under the wing.

"They are!"

To Be Continued.

**Recruiter Asks Employer Aid**

Business men can aid the war effort by counseling sympathetically with young women who are interested in enlisting in the WACs, Lieut. Mary F. Goldmann, WAC recruiter, told the Lions club Wednesday.

She urged employers to be proud of their women employees who wanted to join and to encourage them in it. Not only will they release men for fighting duty, but will return after the war as much more efficient workers, according to Lieut. Goldmann.

"I know you may be sacrificing to give up a good girl—and that's the only kind we want—but who isn't going to have to sacrifice to win the war."

If WACs recruiting had produced full quotas, Lieut. Goldmann ventured it might now be unnecessary to draft fathers so efficient have WACs proven themselves in handling administrative and technical jobs in the army.

**Revival Ends At Knott Community**

KNOTT, Aug. 26 (Sp.)—Rev. H. G. Weims has returned to his home in Ft. Worth after having conducted a ten day revival meeting at the Missionary Baptist church.

Charlotte Ruth and Buddy Nichols have returned from a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Elsie Smith at Spur.

Mrs. J. P. Smith celebrated her 87th birthday August 24 in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Sample.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nichols and family of Brownfield are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Nichols.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Airheart were Mrs. J. H. Airheart, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Airheart and children of Sparenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Airheart and baby of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Davidson and family of Ackerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nichols and family and S. C. Gist have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Spur.

A revival meeting is in progress at the Church of Christ. The public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adams have returned from a trip to Dallas and San Antonio. Mrs. Adams attended the state meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association while in Dallas.

Among visitors in the Roy Phillips home over the week-end were Mrs. J. W. Walker, Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Horn and Miss Arah Phillips of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers of Coahoma were week-end visitors in the home of their son, F. D. Rogers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hambrick of Abilene have moved to this community. Mr. Hambrick is superintendent of Garner school and Mrs. Hambrick is also a teacher.

John Jones of Alameda, Calif., is visiting friends and relatives. Jones formerly lived in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams have moved to Elbow where Williams is employed as janitor of that school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Motley have received word from their son, J. B. Motley that he has been promoted to Fireman 1-C and is on a destroyer somewhere in North-west Africa. He has been overseas since March 15.

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**Seek Volunteers**

Sonora Murphey, chief clerk at the local ration board, issued an appeal Thursday for volunteer workers to help out with filling, renewing old style "A" and "B" books and doing other clerical work at the office. Four of the clerks at the ration board are out of the office due to illness.

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