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Slightly warmer tonight and early Wednesday.

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Today's News TODAY

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Series Opener Goes To Yanks By 4-2 Score

Table with columns R, H, E. Cardinals vs Yankees scores: 2-7-2 vs 4-8-2.

YANKEE STADIUM, NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—In a raggedly-played battle that saw some of the oddest and weakest defensive plays in world series history...

The Yankees got to Lefty Max Lanier for eight hits, including a homer by Gordon...

Cardinals—with the count two strikes and one ball, Klein lifted a lazy fly to Lindell in center field.

After looking at one ball and one strike, Walker drove Stainback back almost to the right field wall with a long fly.

Musial picked out a three and one pitch and lined to Lindell in left center.

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Allied Bombers Blast Nazis

Reds Hold Off Counter Moves By The Nazis

Soviet Offensive Is Limited To Local Engagements

MOSCOW, Oct. 5 (AP)—Battling against rain and greatly-stiffened German resistance, the Red army shouldered the burden today of solving the nazis' growing counter-attacks over the long front.

Despite road conditions in White Russia and northward and the strengthened fighting of the Germans, the Red army made some progress, capturing three settlements in the Vitebsk direction and improving its position in the Gomel and Mogilev areas.

It was the first day in three months, however, in which the communiques used the phrase "local battles" to describe the operations.

Soviet army newspaper, Red Star, in a leading editorial took cognizance of the German counter-attacks, saying, "The repulse of these counter-attacks is one of the most necessary undertakings for furthering our successful offensive."

Red Star said the German attacks were especially aimed at the bases of large wedges which the Russians have driven into the enemy's front.

The army organ did not specify where the big German counter-attacks were coming from but it was assumed that they are taking place throughout the entire central front in White Russia, in the bridgehead which the Germans hold on the Kuban peninsula in the Caucasus and in the sector southeast of Caproshe at the southern bend of the Dnieper river.

Convicted In Draft Case

Harold Lane, Big Spring, was convicted in Federal court in Abilene Monday by Judge T. W. Davidson on charges of falsifying statements to draft boards. Passing of his sentence was deferred.

Lane pleaded guilty to registering in 1940, giving an incorrect age in order to be eligible for military service. At that time he was 40, he told the court. Later he registered a second time at Big Spring giving his correct age and listing a wife and child as dependents.

Lane said that while he was not married at that time he was supporting the woman and her child. He offered a marriage license as proof of his later wedding to the woman.

The sentence was delayed pending Lane's petition to the army for early induction. He told the court that he wanted to fight for his country and would seek immediate entrance into some branch of the service. Margaret McDonald, clerk for the local board, appeared in court as a witness.

Another Shortage? Cigarettes Scarce

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—Americans are facing a cigarette shortage, the commerce department said today.

Noting growing demands that may send 1943 consumption to 300,000,000,000 cigarettes, the department said manufacturers already were dipping into 1944 and 1945 reserves "to satisfy the need for 35,000,000,000 to 50,000,000,000 more cigarettes than the industry can buy tobacco to make."



Knox Tours Front With Clark—Navy Secretary points to something that has gained his attention as he tours the battered town of Battipaglia with Fifth Army commander, Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark (center) and Vice Adm. Henry K. Hewitt, U.S. Mediterranean naval chief. (AP photo via Signal Corps Radio-Photo.)

Committee Hears Sales Tax Plan

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—A ten per cent "victory" retail sales tax estimated to yield \$6,000,000,000, was proposed to congress today by M. L. Seidman, chairman of the tax committee of the New York Board of Trade.

Seidman appeared before the house ways and means committee after the treasury's proposal for \$10,500,000,000 in additional income and excise levies appeared to have been virtually scrapped by adverse congressional reaction.

"If ever a federal sales tax is justified, now is the time," Seidman said. "I would allow no exemptions. I know the force of the argument of exempting this or that from such a tax, but it is not valid today."

Representative Taber (R-N. Y.), ranking Republican on the House Appropriations committee, and Senator Byrd (D-Va.), member of the Senate Finance committee, previously had suggested a federal sales tax in public statements.

Seidman apparently offered his sales tax plan as a substitute for the treasury proposal. He also suggested a method of channeling more money into the treasury by offering a tax incentive for bond buying. Under this plan, he said, taxpayers would "benefit taxwise in proportion to their bond purchases, through a deduction from taxable income in terms of a percentage of bonds bought."

The witness opposed compulsory savings, any increase in the withholding from wages and salaries, excess profit taxes on individuals, increased corporate income and excess profit taxes and any hike in the top brackets of personal income taxes.

Seidman appeared as the first witness as the ways and means committee began drafting a revenue measure of its own.

Treasury To Offer Securities To Banks

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—With more than \$17,384,000,000 already subscribed in the third loan, the treasury announced plans today to offer \$3,000,000,000 in additional securities to banks. The banks were barred from participation in the third loan drive which closed Saturday night with its \$15,000,000,000 goal far over-topped.

The formal bank offerings will be made tomorrow, the department said, adding that details for a \$3,438,000,000 refunding operation will be announced at the same time.

Frankfurt Is Handed Another Heavy Pasting

RAF Bombers Follow Up American Fortress Raid

LONDON, Oct. 5 (AP)—Roaring over the blasted German city of Frankfurt less than 12 hours after American Flying Fortress delivered a precision blow there, RAF heavy bombers last night dumped another load upon that war production center while a smaller fleet of night bombers struck Ludwigs-hafen.

The Germans could scarcely have had time to put out the fires and reorganize their defenses after the American daylight attack on the important Frankfurt war-plane factory when the RAF returned to the scene and gave the city its 30th battering of the war, and the fourth major British blow in as many nights.

The great bomber fleet ranged over much of the Rhineland during the night delivering the main attack on Frankfurt — exceeding 500 tons—and a force of Lancasters made a subordinate raid on Ludwigs-hafen which, with its twin city of Mannheim across the river, has been blasted 59 times previously.

From all of these operations, which included Mosquito attacks on other objectives in northwest Germany, 12 airplanes failed to return.

The attack on Frankfurt, city of more than half a million and the site of many motor, chemical and rubber tire works, was the RAF's first substantial raid there, and the 18th major Allied attack in a little more than a fortnight of thundering heavy bomber activity.

Returning bomber crews reported that large fires were eating through sections of the city. Ludwigs-hafen and Frankfurt are almost equidistant from Britain—between 420 and 450 miles. Ludwigs-hafen is located on the Rhine about 50 miles due south of Frankfurt on the River Main.

RAF "SEVERE" LONDON, Oct. 5 (AP)—Berlin acknowledged today that last night's RAF raid on Frankfurt was "severe."

A broadcast asserted three hospitals were destroyed, with 150 children buried beneath one. As usual, the German propaganda made no mention of military objectives hit. It said 38 Allied planes were downed in the RAF United States filers.

The broadcast said Offenbach, five miles east of Frankfurt, also was heavily hit in the night and mentioned the Saar as another raided district.

Arthur, commander in the southwest Pacific. He termed this matter the war's most pressing problem. "I've been to those China air bases and I've talked to the men there," he explained. "We're apt to lose them unless more support is given."

Chandler agreed with other commitments that the wartime drain on American oil supplies is disproportionately heavy, and said other countries have not been supplying their share.

Chandler also declared that "Americans are not getting the true facts of the war, and this is especially true of the war against Japan." He agreed with the recently quoted complaint of Senator Lodge that "whom our rosy censorship and propaganda helps, I do not know!"

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Greek Airfields, Brenner Pass Are Major Targets

By WES GALLAGHER ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Oct. 5 (AP)—German troops four to five divisions strong are throwing increasing resistance against the Allied advance in Italy, it was announced today, but British forces have struck 10 miles north of Termoli on the Adriatic, and strategic Corsica has been completely liberated.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Oct. 5 (AP)—Powerful Northwest African air armadas—some flying from Italian bases—in a thundering two-ply attack hammered nazi airfields in Greece and blocked the German reinforcement road into Italy by smashing bridges in the Brenner Pass rail city of Bolzano, it was announced today.

On the land in Italy, American troops who crossed the Calore river drove nine miles southwest of Benevento yesterday to seize Montesarchio on the lateral road to Naples. Reinforcements were poured into British-held Termoli on the Adriatic.

Liberators and Mitchells pounded at air bases in Greece, supporting the British defense of Coo in the Dodecanese, with the Mitchells making the attack from new bases in Italy itself. It was the first attack on Greece from this theater.

The Brenner Pass feed line from Germany was again blocked by Flying Fortresses that destroyed railroad yards and bridges at Bolzano over the Isarco river.

The double blows on Italy and Greece were a new indication of the strength of the Northwest African air force, now able to lunge out to take German pressure off Coo in the Middle East.

American Liberators newly-ripped from the Middle East bombarded the Menidi airfields north of Athens in mighty blows to defend invaded Coo, while Mitchells showered fragmentation bombs on the airfield at Argos in the Peloponnese.

Other Flying Fortresses crashed down explosives on the railroad junction at Pisa, nearly 170 miles above Rome, and planes of the strategic airforce battered other towns to aid the Allied ground troops.

Lt. Gen. Carl A. Spaatz' great air force striking into Greece for the first time sought to whittle down German air strength by walloping key airfields.

The Mitchells caught a large number of German planes on the ground at Argos, and started many fires, destroying buildings. The raid from the west caught the Germans by surprise, and no fighters and only light German anti-aircraft fire were encountered.

P-38s escorted the Mitchells, and all returned safely. At the Menidi airfield near Athens, four hangars were demolished and a number of grounded aircraft set afire by the Liberators. They met no enemy defender planes.

(Cairo reported that fighting still rages on Coo, second largest island in the Italian Dodecanese, but did not disclose how the battle was going. Beaufighters from the Middle East attacked German troops and motor transport, the communique said.)

(It also reported a heavy attack on Menidi airfield, without specifying whether this referred to the raid by the Northwest African airforce, or meant a two-way assault on that base from the west and from the Middle East.)

Montesarchio, taken by the Fifth army while this furious display of air strength knocked at the Germans, is on the lateral road to Naples. It is a strong point in the mountains.

The Fifth army has made progress despite difficult country, demolitions, and pockets of enemy resistance, the Allied communique declared.

Exploiting his landing at Termoli to the east, Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery poured in more reinforcements, and British troops beat off a nazi counterattack in this area with losses to the enemy.

"The Eighth army continues its advance according to plan," headquarters announced.

The waters of Vella Gulf were covered with wreckage, debris and slicks of oil. The scene was one of "complete confusion on the part of the enemy," the spokesman said.

At midnight Saturday, destroyers encountered a formation of Japanese gunboats similar to American sub-chasers. Apparently they had been acting as escorts to the barges.

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Corsica Now Is Held Entirely By The Allies

LONDON, Oct. 5 (AP)—The Germans acknowledged today the evacuation of Corsica—picturing it as a semi-victory and operative masterpiece—but that strategic island was firmly in Allied hands, a possible invasion springboard into southern France, or the northern Italian coast.

French troops, reclaiming another segment of French territory, won the last big town of Bastia yesterday, and remaining enemy pockets were wiped out by the French, American rangers, and Italian troops of Premier Marshal Pietro Badoglio.

Corsica will give the Allies additional and easy-range bases for bombing the Germans at Nice, Genoa, La Spezia, and Leghorn in one hour jaunts.

This birthplace of the conqueror Napoleon also is a potential base for amphibious operations. The island, 112 miles long and 52 wide, is about 110 miles from the French coast, and 50 miles from Italy.

Berlin declared the last German troops were evacuated to the Italian mainland Sunday night to "help in defending the European southern flank."

Japs Blasted By Destroyers U.S. HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC, Oct. 5 (AP)—Attacking U.S. destroyers turned waters of the central Solomons into a scene of "carnage and complete confusion" for Japanese attempting to evacuate men and supplies by barge from besieged Kolombangara island.

A naval spokesman at South Pacific headquarters, describing two successive night actions Friday and Saturday when 49 or more barges were sunk or damaged, said today a force of Japanese destroyers attempted to intervene. He added:

"But they turned tail on the first glimpse of carnage which was outlined by the glare of burning barges and floodlights."

On Saturday destroyers intercepted a heavy concentration of at least 20 large enemy barges and many smaller ones. Most of the large craft were sent to the bottom along with another barge flotilla which had been broken up and destroyed the preceding night.

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Two Jap Names To Remember

Beheading Of American Officer Revealed

By C. YATES McDANIEL ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Oct. 5 (AP)—Komal and Tsukioka: These are names that won't be forgotten by the men who fly for General Douglas MacArthur.

The American was "more composed than I thought he would be." (The execution was the first such violation of international law reported since last April when it was announced that the Japanese had executed several American fliers captured in the bombing of Japan a year before.)

The diary, dated March 29, said the airman was 23 years of age, an instructor in the transport command at Port Moresby, New Guinea, and was a member of a bomber crew shot down near Salamaua by anti-aircraft fire on March 18.

Verbatim translations from the diary as released by MacArthur headquarters included the following: "Tal commander (sub-lieutenant first class) Komal told us it had been decided to execute him and he was to be accorded a Samurai's death. "The prisoner of war toilers forward with his arms tied. His hair is cut close. x x x I feel he suspects what is afoot, but he is more composed than I thought he would be. x x x

arteries. The body falls forward. Everybody steps forward as the head rolls on the ground, and "Dark blood gushed from the trunk." All is over. There lies the head like a white doll. "I realize that the emotions I felt just now was not personal pity but manifestation of magnanimity that becomes a chivalrous Samurai."

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Tuesday, October 5, 1943

First Baptist WMU Circles Work At Red Cross Rooms

Joint Meeting To Be Held At Church Monday

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held circle meetings Monday, with several groups working at the Red Cross during the afternoon.

Christine Coffee Circle
Circle members met at the Red Cross surgical dressing room Monday afternoon, and rolled bandages from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Those attending were Mrs. W. Edwards, Mrs. O. D. Turner, Mrs. G. H. Hayward, Mrs. W. J. Alexander and a visitor, Mrs. A. L. Hobbs.

Lucille Reagan Circle
Mrs. Roy Reagan entertained members of the Lucille Reagan circle in her home Monday afternoon, and Mrs. S. C. Cooper taught the Bible lesson.

Those present were Mrs. C. T. McDonald, Mrs. Roy Odum, Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Mrs. Bill Maxwell, Mrs. Pat Wilkinson, Mrs. S. C. Cooper.

East Central Circle
Members of the East Central Circle worked at the Red Cross headquarters and the surgical dressing room during the afternoon.

Mary Willis Circle
Mrs. K. S. Beckett was hostess to the Mary Willis circle when the group met in her home for a program which opened with prayer by Mrs. Dannie Walton.

Mrs. L. E. Hutchinson led the devotional and suggested goals for each officer. Other circle goals were given by Mrs. Theo Andrews. Missions were discussed by Mrs. Cora Holmes and roll call was answered with favorite scriptures and current events.

Mrs. O. L. Britton was introduced as a new member, and others attending were Mrs. Theo Andrews, Mrs. W. B. Buchanan, Mrs. C. T. Clay, Mrs. W. R. Creighton, Mrs. Cora Holmes, Mrs. L. E. Hutchins, Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, Mrs. Dannie Walton, Mrs. W. E. Phillips.

A joint meeting of all WMU circles will be held at the church next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CALENDAR

TUESDAY

REBEKAH LODGE meets at the IOOF Hall at 7:30 o'clock.
B&PW CLUB meets at the Settles hotel at 7:30 o'clock.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR will have a meeting at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY

P-T.A. COUNCIL meets at the high school at 3:30 o'clock. Preceding the session, an executive meeting will be held at 3 o'clock.

KONGENIAL KLUB meets with Mrs. Escol Compton.

VFW AUXILIARY meets at the VFW home, 9th and Gollad at 3 o'clock.

LADIES SOCIETY OF LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN AND ENGINE MEN meets at the WOW hall at 3 o'clock.

THURSDAY

GIA meets at the WOW hall at 3 o'clock.

SOUTH WARD P-T.A. meets at the school at 3:15 p. m. Executive meeting at 2:30.

FRIDAY

MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM meets at the Red Cross Surgical Dressing room at 8 o'clock to work and for a semi-monthly program.

WOODMEN CIRCLE meets at the WOW hall at 8 o'clock.

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Mrs. Bryant Honors Grandsons On Their Fourth Birthday

Mrs. E. E. Bryant honored her grandsons, Donnie Bryant and Freddie Whitehurst on their fourth birthday anniversaries with a party in the Bryant home Monday.

Birthday cakes topped with candies and iced in pink, white, blue and yellow were served with other refreshments.

Games were played and gifts presented to the honored guests. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. J. A. Whitehurst, Mrs. Orville Bryant, Mrs. Tilman Brant and Mrs. C. W. Kesterson.

Those attending were Bobby Saunders, Gary Turner, Londa Carol Coker, Gloria Coker, Karis Jo Kesterson, Kenneth Kesterson, Annette Boykin, Betty Boykin, Anida Lou Sledge, Nancy Bryant.

Activities at the USO

Tuesday—Free alterations. 8:30 Game night, prizes and fun.

Wednesday—3:30 Service Wives theatre party.

6:15 Hospital Visiting Hour at Post, Mrs. F. V. Kinsey, General chairman.

8:30 General activities, Bombardiers, Jr. hostesses.

Thursday—Formal dance in game room. GSO hostesses.

Friday—8:00 Ballroom class.

Saturday—4:00 - 9:00 Canteen open. Cookies and coffee.
8:00 Recording hour.

The wiener roast, under the sponsorship of the Big Spring USO club, will be held this evening, according to announcement by Mrs. Ann Gibson Houser, program director, who has urged that all GSO girls and members of the B & PW club attend and bring cars if possible. The group will meet at the USO at 7:30 o'clock.

Hostesses who served at the soldier center during hospitality hour Sunday afternoon include Clarinda Mary Sanders, Mrs. Winston Harper, Winona Bailey, Mrs. Curtis Driver, Verna Jo Stephens, Joyce Glenn, Mrs. Mary Locke, Mrs. Clara Vastine, Mrs. Marie G. Walker, Mrs. R. B. Dunivan and Mrs. Ross Clarke.

Mrs. Paul Dewell Entertains Club

The Leisure club was entertained with dinner and bridge at the Settles hotel Monday evening by Mrs. Paul Dewell.

Centering the dining table was an arrangement of gladioli and asters in a low crystal bowl.

Bridge prizes went to Mrs. Douglas Orme who won high score, and to Mrs. G. A. McGann, who binged.

Guests attending were Mrs. Ben McCullough, Mrs. Louis Bankson, Mrs. Louis Blanton, Mrs. C. J. Staples.

Members present were Mrs. Jack Rayzor, Mrs. Rufus Miller, Mrs. Jack Terry, Mrs. John Griffin, Mrs. James Velvin and the hostess, Mrs. Dewell.

—VISITS AND VISITORS—

Mrs. John Ray Dillard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Freeland Austin in McCamey.

Cadet Odell Woods arrived Sunday evening for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Woods. Cadet Woods is attending the University of Nebraska.

Mrs. Buck A. Oliver is visiting friends and relatives in Big Spring following a ten day visit with her son, Elmo, who is in training at Kessler Field, Miss. She will return to her home in Inglewood, Calif. Before leaving Texas, she will visit with her daughter, Sybil, at Sul Ross college in Alpine.

Cadet Lavaugh Malone arrived Sunday evening from Michigan University to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Malone.

Cadet David Smith is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith. Cadet Smith is a naval air cadet stationed near St. Louis, Mo.

Missionary Event Held At Church

"The Dollars Speak" was the topic of a missionary program presented Monday afternoon when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the church.

Mrs. W. A. Underwood was in charge of the program and was assisted by Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, Mrs. A. J. Cain, Mrs. H. N. Rowe, Mrs. Jim Terry and Mrs. E. C. Masters.

It was announced that a zone meeting of the district would be held in Stanton, Friday, October 9th.

Mrs. Herbert Keaton reported that the missionary study would be held October 19th at the church, and it was announced that circle meetings would be held next Monday.

Those attending were Mrs. Frank Powell, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. Clyde Johnston, Mrs. Dave Duncan, Mrs. A. C. Bass, Mrs. C. E. Masters, Mrs. J. L. Terry, Mrs. H. F. Howie, Mrs. Robert Hill.

Mrs. C. E. Talbot, Mrs. Charles Morris, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Mrs. N. W. McClesky, Mrs. G. S. True, Mrs. Arthur Woodall, Mrs. A. J. Cain, Mrs. J. D. O'Barr, Mrs. Clyde Smith, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. L. Murdock, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. Royce Satterwhite, Mrs. A. D. Springer, Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, Mrs. W. B. Graddy, Mrs. H. D. McQuain, Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. Olie Cordill and Mrs. W. A. Underwood.

Miss Laneous Notes

MARY WEALEY
After looking at the soldiers in khaki all summer long it is a pleasant change to see the things they can do with ODs or winter uniforms. (We always thought OD meant officer of the day but it means olive drab so we've been corrected.)

Olive drab sounds very unexciting and dull but it turns out that it isn't at all. For winter uniforms the officers have olive drab (green as far as we are concerned) pants, shirts, and blouses, which look like coats to us.

Then there are pinks, and if the army pink isn't grey, we'll eat our hat, which include pants and shirts. From these two colors the combination possibilities are dazzling.

They can wear their green coats, or olive drab blouses if we must be accurate, with their pink (grey) pants; they can wear green pants with green coats; green shirts with pink pants; or pink pants with pink shirts. But when they wear the blouses they must wear khaki shirts. Are you still with us?

This fascinating wardrobe certainly beats the summer khaki which allowed for no change in color scheme—not even in the socks.

The army says that ODs are optional from Oct. 1-15th and after that everybody must wear them. But you can't fool us. Optional meant that everybody dashed for their winter uniforms practically as one man. Look at the variety in their lives now, and isn't variety the spice of life?

Virginia Hill Presides Over Scout Meeting

Girl Scout Clover troop six met Monday afternoon for a business session presided over by the president, Virginia Hill.

Rosa Nell Parks was elected sergeant at arms, and new members introduced were Joyce Chaste and Margaret Ann Moore.

Officers and the leader, Mrs. Ennon Lovelady, met after the business session, and discussed entertainments which will be held during the year.

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Scout Council Makes Plans For Court Of Awards

The Big Spring Girl Scout Council met at the city court room Monday evening to discuss Girl Scout week which will be observed here soon, and to complete plans for court of awards which is scheduled to be held at the Big Spring high school gymnasium Monday evening November 1.

Mrs. Dan Conley presided over the meeting and Mrs. B. J. McDaniel was named membership chairman. Mrs. Larson Lloyd resigned as registrar and Mrs. Florence McNew resigned as leader. Mrs. John Griffin was appointed to succeed Mrs. Lloyd.

Those attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Conley, Mrs. B. J. McDaniel, Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Horace Reagan, Mrs. Warren Edson, Mrs. V. A. Whittington, Mrs. A. B. Partridge, Mrs. Ruth Rutherford, Mrs. Roland Schwarzenbach.

WCS Hears First Lesson Of Study

The first lesson in the missionary study book, "The Church and the American People" was taught Monday afternoon when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Wesley Memorial Methodist church at 3 o'clock.

Those attending were Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mrs. T. L. Lovelace, Mrs. J. T. Morgan, Mrs. W. W. Coleman, Mrs. Jack King, Mrs. W. Arthur Pickle, Mrs. V. A. Whittington, Mrs. J. A. Wright, Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mrs. Johnny Garrison, Mrs. W. L. Porterfield.

The second study will be held at the church next Monday afternoon.

Class To Meet With Mrs. Vernon Logan

The Friendship class of the First Baptist church will be entertained with a twilight tea in Mrs. Vernon Logan's home Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

All members are urged to attend.

Program Presented At Church

Mrs. Shelby Hall was hostess at a council meeting which was held at the First Christian church Monday afternoon.

"Reality of Brotherhood" was the topic of the missionary program for the afternoon and Mrs. C. M. Shaw gave the devotional, assisted by Mrs. M. C. Lawrence.

Mrs. J. E. McCoy discussed "Men, Art and Science" and Mrs. Shelby Hall gave a paper on "Disciples of Christ"; Mrs. L. M. Brooks closed the program with a discussion of "One Nation Under God."

Refreshments were served and it was announced that the group would meet at the church next Monday afternoon for Bible study taught by Mrs. Cliff Wiley.

Those present were Mrs. S. C. Robinson, Mrs. H. R. Vorheis, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mrs. I. D. Edlins, Mrs. A. G. Hall, Mrs. Bill Earley, Mrs. Willard Read, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. J. H. Gray, Mrs. Maurice Grove, Mildred Creath.

Department Officers Have Business Meet

Officers of the Intermediate department of the First Baptist church met Monday evening for a business session with Mrs. S. C. Cooper, superintendent, in charge.

The group discussed the program for the coming month and plans were made for a department party.

Those attending were Mrs. S. C. Cooper, Mrs. Roy Rogan, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Watson, Lieut. and Mrs. Pat Wilkinson, Mrs. R. G. Burnett, Mrs. Chester Cluck, Mrs. L. E. Hutchins.

Church Women To Sponsor Sale

Group four of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will sponsor a rummage sale at the First Methodist church Saturday, October 9th.

Members are asked to call or bring rummage to Mrs. N. W. McClesky, Mrs. J. D. O'Barr or Mrs. Albert Smith before Saturday.

Sub Debs Meet With Louise Ann Bennett

The Sub Deb club met in Louise Ann Bennett's home Monday evening to discuss presentation which will be held December 27th at the Settles hotel.

Pledge court was held, and pledges presented a program.

Refreshments were served and the club sang.

Those attending were Jerrie Hodges, Doris Glenn, JoAnne Rice, Barbara McEwen, Marijo Thurman, Camille Inkman, Clarice McCasland, Gloria Strom, Mrs. Burke Summers, sponsor, and the hostess.

Pledges present were Billie Jean Anderson, Mary Sims, Patty McDonald, Janet Robb, Mary Lou Watt, Jackie Rayzor, Wynelle Wilkerson and Celia Westerman.

Halloween Theme Used At Party

Mrs. Roy Lassiter entertained with a bridge party in her home Monday evening, and members of the Kill Kare Klub were guests.

A Halloween motif was carried out in room and party decorations, and bouquets of golden glow furthered the color scheme.

Bridge prizes went to Mrs. Watson Hammond who won high, Mrs. Olie Anderson, who binged and Mrs. Willard Smith, a guest.

Refreshments were served and others present were Dorothy Driver, Mrs. Roy Tidwell, Mrs. Elvis McCrary, Mrs. Bob Satterwhite and the hostess.

Mrs. Watson Hammond will be the next hostess.

Bible Study Taught At Baptist Church

The North Nolan Woman's Missionary society met at the church Monday afternoon for Bible study taught by Mrs. Chester O'Brien.

Gifts were brought for Buckner Orphan's home at Dallas, and those attending the meeting were Mrs. P. B. Webb, Mrs. C. V. Warren, Mrs. Claude Russell, Mrs. G. R. Brassiers, Mrs. G. W. Webb and Mrs. Chester O'Brien.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Has Meeting At Church

Entertainment Planned For November 1

Opening a business and inspirational program which was held at the First Presbyterian church Monday afternoon by the Woman's Auxiliary, the group sang "I Would Be True" with Mrs. A. B. Brown playing piano accompaniment.

Mrs. F. H. Talbot, president, presided over the meeting, and Mrs. T. S. Currie gave the invocation. Among officer's reports which were given was one by Mrs. R. V. Middleton, concerning the nursery committee of the United Council of Church Women.

Plans were discussed for an 'all family church night' which will be held November 1 in conjunction with Religious Education Week, and the value of church papers was discussed by Mrs. T. S. Currie, secretary of literature.

"Home Missions Emergency Fund Campaign" was the topic of the afternoon program directed by Mrs. C. E. Flynn, secretary of home missions. "Retrospect and Prospect," a book review and forecast of events on the home front, was given.

Mrs. P. M. Simms gave the devotional "Paul, The Missionary" which was taken from the 27th chapter of Acts, and Mrs. D. A. Koons closed the session with prayer.

Those present were Mrs. A. B. Brown, Mrs. G. D. Lee, Mrs. L. G. Talley, Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. E. C. Boatler, Mrs. Sam L. Baker, Mrs. C. E. Flynn, Mrs. D. A. Koons, Mrs. James E. Moore, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. F. H. Talbot, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. P. Marion Simms, Mrs. Neill Hilliard, Mrs. Julia Beacham, Mrs. J. G. Potter, Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt.

Couple Married Here

Miss Irene Willis of Forsan and Cpl. Frank Hess, former resident of Baltimore, Md., were married Saturday evening by Justice of the Peace, Walter Gries in his home.

The single ring ceremony was read at 8 p. m. and witnesses were Mrs. L. W. Willis and E. C. Reece. The bridegroom is stationed at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

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Shade tricks for more light: use white-lined shades; brush silk shades; reline parchment shades, using shelf paper and scotch tape or flat white paint. And be sure shades are deep enough.

Be sure that lamps have proper bulbs. Eyesight is more important than ever in these war days.

Arrange your lamps and furniture so each lamp can, if necessary, serve two or more people with good light. But be sure each person sits close enough to the lamp to get the maximum amount of light.

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Water Usage Is Over Year Ago

Water consumption is down sharply from summer peaks but the September total was still 43 per cent above a year ago.

Figures announced at the city hall showed 40,385,000 gallons consumed here during September. A year ago the figure was 28,194,000. It must be admitted that last September was exceedingly wet from autumn rains, however, not even in the driest September has the city ever consumed as high as 40 million gallons before.

During the summer peak when the water supply operated on a slender margin, consumption ran well above 70,000,000 a month.

The drop in consumption has not meant a decline in efforts to solve the water situation, but city officials are engaged in surveys and studies directed to forever preventing a repetition of the scarcity during the past summer.

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Here 'n There

What some circles are hailing as the super matched roping contest of all time is scheduled to take place this evening around 7 o'clock, out at the Bennet field west arena. The contestants are G. H. Hayward, who is cowboy enough to wear his trousers outside his boots, and Frank Hofus, who hails from down east but who boasts superiority with the lasso. A heavy purse is at stake for this evening's tangle. The two are scheduled to rope five calves apiece, if they last that long.

Hartman Hooser, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hooser, has returned from Richmond, Calif., where he has been working in the shipyards for two and a half years and is planning to enter the Seabees. Pvt. Harvey Hooser, Jr., another son, is now stationed at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells.

Sgt. Frank Barton who has just completed aerial gunnery school at Las Vegas, Nev., will arrive Saturday for a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Talbot returned Monday from Fort Knox, Ky., where they visited Capt. and Mrs. Harold G. Talbot. Capt. Talbot is in the armored division at Fort Knox.

Mrs. Neel Barnaby has learned that her husband, W-O Neel Barton.

'Army' Tickets Are On The Move

Tickets for Friday evening's presentation of Irving Berlin's "This Is The Army," for Army Emergency Relief, are on the move, it was said Tuesday, as committeemen went to work to get a packed house at the Ritz theatre for the benefit showing.

The tickets may be had at the chamber of commerce, and seats are available at \$2.20 and \$1.10. Loge seats are listed at \$27.50. Entire proceeds go to Army Emergency Relief, with the exception of federal taxes.

The Ritz, joining other units of the motion picture industry, is making the entire show available at no cost. Additional loge seats purchased Tuesday included Jake Robertson 2, Texas Electric Service 2, and Albert Darcy 1.

Up until the present war, contributions to the Army Emergency Relief fund was made solely by Army personnel, but in the present conflict with the Army greatly enlarged, and calls on the AER multiplied by thousands, the public has been called on for the first time. Irving Berlin wrote the original stage show, "This Is The Army," for the purpose of aiding this worthy cause, and when the picture was made, arranged with the producers, Warner Brothers, to give their share of the proceeds to the AER fund. The exhibitors, wanting to do their share, have arranged first night premieres to donate the whole proceeds to Army Emergency Relief.

The Army Emergency Relief is a corporation set up by the United States Government and operated by Army personnel, who administer the fund. The organization, which does not intrude on Red Cross activities but works closely with them, gives aid to both enlisted men and officers and their families. This includes both financial aid and other services including medical care and solving problems of housing and transportation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Deats have received word from their son, Pvt. Wesley Deats, who is in Marine boot training at San Diego, that he made sharpshooter rating in his rifle test.

Deputy Sheriff Denver Dunn picked up a woman suspect here Tuesday on the request from San Angelo officers.

Police were notified Tuesday that a negro wanted for questioning in connection with a rape complaint made by an 11-year-old negro girl had been picked up in Lamesa. The offense was alleged to have occurred in Lamesa Monday, but the girl did not report it until she got here.

Information from the War Manpower Commission indicates that communities desiring prisoner of war labor camps (which may be set up for as few as 50 hands) must be provided by local facilities since such expense cannot be borne by the army.

Bowlers Wanted For League Play

Organization of a men's bowling league is coming along nicely, but more players are needed, it was announced Tuesday.

Men interested in lining up with a team for the winter's schedule are requested to see either J. C. Douglass, Jr., at the Douglass hotel, or Cpl. W. E. Ramsey at the 78th school squadron, Big Spring Bombardier school.

Douglass said if team personnel is completed, league play might be started Thursday night of this week.

Body Of Mrs. Mattie Jones Being Returned Here For Services

Body of Mrs. Mattie Jones, wife of J. J. Jones, will arrive here Thursday morning from Alameda, Calif.

Rites have been set for Thursday at Knott with the Rev. B. G. Richbourg officiating. The Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges will be in charge at the grave, which is beside those of a son, son-in-law and grandson, all victims of an automobile crash in Arizona a year and a half ago. Eberley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Guardsmen To See Picture On Safety

State guardsmen and peace officers will be special guests at a safety lecture picture program set for 8 p. m. today at the municipal auditorium.

Capt. J. O. Musick of the state highway patrol division of safety will direct the program, which is said to be especially adapted to control of traffic by guardsmen and peace officers. Capt. H. L. Bohannon has ordered the local unit Co. E, 34 Bn, TSG to report to the auditorium, and other guard units in the area may be on hand for it.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau
WEST TEXAS: Little temperature change this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday forenoon.
EAST TEXAS: Slightly cooler in central and north-central portions, otherwise little temperature change this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday forenoon.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max.	Min.
Ablene	76	49
Amarillo	72	44
BIG SPRING	74	50
Chicago	62	40
Denver	75	42
El Paso	76	54
Fort Worth	77	55
Galveston	81	63
New York	58	47
St. Louis	65	41

Local sunset today, 7:26 p. m.; sunrise Wednesday, 7:43 a. m.

AAA Officials In Conference Here

Administrative officers of district 6-N of AAA met for a one day session Monday at the Settles hotel to discuss problems of the AAA program as handled by the officers.

B. F. Vance, administrative officer in charge of AAA, A. H. Jeffries, field officer, and V. C. Bain, field auditor, all of College Station were present.

Vance, who has recently returned from Washington after conferences there on the AAA for 1943-44, spoke to the group in an informal conference which was attended by around 25 persons. M. Weaver, local AAA administrative officer, was not present due to illness, his office said Tuesday.

Plans Fixed For Safety Clinic

Finishing touches were put on plans for the free regional safety clinic here Thursday at a Monday evening meeting of the Big Spring Safety Council, sponsor of the event.

Sitting in on the parley were Capt. J. O. Musick, Austin, state highway patrol safety department. Capt. Musick will be one of the clinic speakers.

In a neighborly spirit, the council has invited the Midland high school band to give a half hour concert before the evening session Thursday.

Walker Bailey, program chairman, said that the entire slate of speakers, including some of the outstanding safety experts in this region, is still intact.

Efforts were directed largely Monday to ironing out minute details and to further advertise the event, especially among the housewives of the city and area. The program is studded with demonstrations, including explosions and motion pictures as well as with talks.

Agency Proposed For Petroleum Control

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—A single government agency to control the production, distribution and pricing of petroleum and its products was recommended today by a special senate committee investigating midwest fuel shortages.

Control of the production, distribution and pricing of coal in another single agency also was suggested, as was the placing of production and distribution of natural gas under the authority of the agency which would handle similar functions for petroleum and its products.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 5 (AP)—Cattle 3,700; calves 3,400; cows weak to 25 lower; steers and yearlings steady; slaughter steers and yearlings mostly common to medium grades 9.00-12.00; good beef cows 10.00-11.00; butcher cows 8.00-10.00; good and choice fat calves 8.00-12.00; stocker heifer calves 12.50; down; stocker steers and yearlings 8.00-11.50; stocker cows went out to grass at 9.00 down.

Hogs 1,600; active and steady on all weights and grades with some light weights selling higher. Top 14.55 for good and choice 180-320 lb. averages; good and choice 150-175 lb. kinds 13.70-14.50. Packing sows 13.50-75; stocker pigs 10.00-12.00.

Sheep 6,000; steady; medium and good fat lambs 10.50-12.50; medium yearlings 11.00; feeder lambs 9.00 down; medium and good ewes 5.00-5.50.

Compensation Case Sent To U.S. Court

The case of Curtis Denson versus Travelers Insurance Company, suit for compensation, was transferred Monday from 70th District court to U.S. district court for the Northern District of Texas, at Abilene, on petition of the insurance company. The defendants stated in the petition that neither plaintiff or defendant were bona-fide residents of the state of Texas in asking for transfer of courts.

Army Officer To Give Eagle Scout Awards

Two Eagle Scout awards will be presented at the Court of Honor session today at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium by 1st Lieut. Homer W. Penry, classifications officer at the Big Spring Bombardier School.

Lieut. Penry was an active scout in civilian life. The program for this evening is being sponsored by the American Business Club.

FD Sends Greetings To AFL Convention

BOSTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—President Roosevelt sent his felicitations to the American Federation of Labor convention today for accomplishment of a "splendid task" by American wage earners and called upon them for an even greater effort until the peace is won.

The president also asked the federation's continued help in stabilizing the domestic economy and told the delegates "we anticipate a good deal of success in the roll-back of prices which will stabilize and reduce the cost of living in essentials."

The president's message was a letter to President William Green, expressing regret that he could not attend the convention.

TRAINING CHANGE

MINERAL WELLS, Oct. 5, (AP)—Training of negro troops at Camp Wolters Infantry replacement center will be discontinued with completion of cycles now in progress, the war department advised camp officials here.

The surface area of the oceans is more than twice that of the land.

Jester Calls For Oil Price Hike

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5, (AP)—Chairman Beauford H. Jester of the Texas Railroad commission, supporting pleas for a crude oil price increase to stimulate exploration, told a house naval subcommittee that maximum production from all known oil fields in the country next year would fall short of anticipated 1944 needs by 500,000 barrels daily.

Jester testified yesterday that Texas, as the largest oil producing state, had been called on for increasingly greater withdrawals, and added:

"Texas can produce without waste 175,000 barrels per day more than the 1,999,000 per day it is called upon to produce in October."

The Texan remarked that petroleum Administrator for War Harold Ickes had recommended a minimum price increase of 35 cents a barrel but that the office of price administration had turned it down and left the question up to economic stabilization director Fred Vinson.

Meanwhile Senator Thomas (D-Okl.) introduced a bill providing that in establishing maximum prices for oil under the price control act, "consideration should be given to the necessity for finding, developing and producing additional crude petroleum." The measure specified that the ceilings should not be "fixed for maintained at less than 35 cents per barrel above the present" ceilings.

Opening Of Negro USO Unit Attended Well By Soldiers

A total of 147 servicemen participated in the opening of the negro branch of the USO club Saturday evening, Prof. E. M. Watson, who is assisting in the direction of the unit, reported.

There were 27 wives of the servicemen, 75 colored guests and 25 white friends who also took part in the opening program; which included music by the professor's glee club. Refreshments were served to those attending. The building at NW 4th and N. Bell streets is complete and most of the equipment installed.

CUNNINGHAM UP

LONDON, Oct. 5, (AP)—Admiral Sir Andrew Browne Cunningham, often called the greatest British admiral since Nelson, today became first British Sea Lord succeeding Admiral Sir Dudley Pound, who resigned because of ill health.

Highway Safety Films Are Shown

Capt. J. O. Musick, division of safety of state highway patrol, is making a swing around the city and county schools this week showing films on highway safety.

Capt. Musick was at Knott school Monday and at common schools in Dawson county. He will be at Fosran school Wednesday morning.

He will give a lecture and show the films at the Big Spring high school Wednesday at 11 a. m. and again at 1 p. m. Another stop will be at Coahoma school at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday and the captain will return here Thursday for the regional safety clinic.

The films he projects are on conservation of automobiles, tires, and gasoline and a comic picture on highway safety.

Federal Tax Men Are Available This Week

H. W. Axe, deputy collector of internal revenue, announced Tuesday that he and an aide would be available for consultation on federal tax matters here through Friday.

They may be contacted at their room (No. 17) in the postoffice basement from 8:30 a. m. to 10 a. m. through Friday.

CONVICTS ESCAPE

DALLAS, Oct. 5 (AP)—Two convicts who escaped from a Texas prison car were objects of a search in this area today following a break as the vehicle was driven by State Penitentiary Agent Bud Crane in downtown Dallas.

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Lamesans Injured In Auto Accident

Buff Ivey and John Wells, both of Lamesa, were given emergency treatment at the Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital Monday night after the car in which they were riding smashed into a T. & P. concrete loading dock at the north end of S. Seury street.

Officers said their car had bounded past the stop sign at the end of the street. Both suffered bruises and lacerations, including cuts about the knees. They were released after treatment. The mishap occurred at 11:30 p. m.

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Experts Get Out On Limb About Series

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—The world series is an open book to the sports scribes, but opinion is about evenly divided on how to read it.

Most of the experts here to cover the opening of the diamond classic today agreed that the Yankees and Cardinals would need from five to seven games to reach a decision, but beyond that it was every man for himself.

If there was any trend in the selections, it was that writers who have watched the American League most of the season favored the Cardinals while those in the National League backed the Yankees.

This probably meant that neither club looked as good this year as the ones which won the championships in 1942.

Here is a sampling of the scribes' viewpoints:

Sid Mercer, New York Journal-American: Yankees in six games.

John Carmichael, Chicago Daily News: Six games, all right, but I like the Cards.

Jud Bailey, Associated Press: The Cardinals to repeat.

Sid Feder, Associated Press: The Yanks in five on hotter pitching.

Chilly Doyle, Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph: Playing the first three games at home gives the Yanks enough edge to win.

Joe Williams, New York World-Telegram: The Yanks in five or six.

Al Buck, New York Post: I like the Yankees' pitching in five.

Irving Vaughn, Chicago Tribune: I'm hedging in favor of the Yanks.

Hugh Fullerton, Jr., Associated Press: Yankees—six games.

Jack Cuddy, United Press: St. Louis will do it in seven.

Caswell Adams, International News Service: Yanks in six.

Max Case, New York Journal-American: Yanks in six.

Stopping Power Thrusts Task Of Local Boys

In the underdog slot for the second consecutive time, the Big Spring buckle down today in an attempt to stage an upset when they tangle in Odessa Friday with the Bronchos of that city in the first conference test for the Steers.

"It's going to be a job stopping that power," observed Coach John Dibrell, "but our boys are going to do their best to do it. Frankly, I don't look for a one touchdown game. I hope we'll be able to score—maybe just a little more than they do."

This afternoon his first stringers were getting a taste of some single-wing formations, simulating the Odessa attack, as run by Odessa. Dibrell said he planned for his reserves to throw everything in the book at his starting line-up in an effort to make them conversant with Odessa technique. There will be about two hours of this rough stuff.

Monday afternoon the coach gave his first team a chance to recuperate from bruises sustained in the Lubbock tilt, but the reserves had an hour and a half of hard scrimmage. Ed. McCalen, 135 pounds of determination, looked good from his running slot and Ike Davidson, a promising climax runner, looked as well or better than he has all season.

Bobo Hardy, Jackie Barron and Robert Miller were among other "peewee" backs who made the most of their chances. Old line backs, of course, stood out.

Dibrell put his youngsters through a brisk session of dummy scrimmage, and this included a liberal dose of fading back and checking on men—in protecting the passer. While the Steer passing attack looked fairly good at Lubbock, the consensus is that it would have been much better had Bobby Barron been given just a little more time in which to get off his pitches.

Big Spring will go into the Odessa game without the support of any but local observers. Indeed, Blondy Cross, the soothsayer of San Angelo, penned rather positively in the San Angelo Standard-Times that "after Odessa beats Big Spring Friday night" that the Bronchos would enjoy a higher standing in the district race.

Maybe so, maybe not.

Game For Yearlings Is Being Sought

John Dibrell, athletic director, is attempting to book a game for the Yearlings, the junior squad for the high school football team.

He is attempting to book a tilt with the Colorado City reserves, possibly for this week or next.

Wayne Matthews is coaching the Yearlings with the aid of Billy Mims, and until his number came up, Earnest Bostick. Around 60 boys are still reporting every day for drills—about twice the number expected.

MEXICAN TEAM WINS

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 5 (AP)—The Dallas Hornets, women's basketball team, lost to the Politas of Mexico City last night, 7 to 22, in the first of a series of games here.

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Does Big Mort Cooper Have A Tip-Off Move?

By TED MEIER

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—Can it be that the reason big Mort Cooper, star righthander for the St. Louis Cardinals, has been knocked out in four straight games by American leaguers is because he has a give-away mannerism?

A baseball insider, here for the world series, asserts that this is the case, adding that Coach Art Fletcher, of the Yankees, is the observant fellow who noticed Mort's telltale quirk.

Without going into details this baseball wise person likens the situation to that of a football halfback who gives away the next play by unconsciously leaning in the direction the play will go.

Maybe that is the real reason Manager Billy Southworth selected southpaw Max Lanier to start the first game today instead of big Mort, a 20-game winner two years in succession.

Sports Writers Put Money On The Irish

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—If you are trying to figure out the winner of Saturday's football clash between Notre Dame and Michigan you might want to take the advice of 108 of the nation's sports writers who list the Irish as the country's best and Michigan second.

The same experts also tried to help you decide who is going to win the Navy-Duke scuffle at Baltimore the same evening by placing the Middies in fourth place on the first Associated Press poll of the young season and the Blue Devils in fifth. Army grabbed the third rung.

Fifty-three of the voters rated the Irish, winners of both their games to date by lopsided scores, as the No. 1 outfit while 36 decided that the Wolverines were the best.

None of the other eleven among the 35 to receive consideration drew more than four first place votes with Pennsylvania, Purdue, Iowa Pre-Flight, Minnesota and Southern California rounding out the top ten.

Probably the biggest result of the naval lend-lease system is the rise of Southwestern University, Georgetown, Tex. Hardly known outside the Lone Star state previously, it grabbed eleventh place in the present poll ahead of Dartmouth, Louisiana State, Northwestern, Georgia Tech, California, Tulsa and Ohio State, 1942 mythical champion. The Buckeyes collected 23 points and are eighteenth in the ranking.

The leading eleven with total points (first place votes in parentheses):

First Ten

Notre Dame (53)	977
Michigan (36)	880
Army (4)	631
Navy (3)	616
Duke (4)	575
Penn (1)	434
Purdue (2)	392
Iowa Pre-Flight (3)	251
Minnesota (1)	237
Southern California	179

Second ten: Southwestern 123, Great Lakes 112, Memphis Naval Air Technicians 95, Dartmouth 59, Del Monte Pre-Flight (2) 57, March Field 25, Louisiana State 24, Ohio State 23, Northwestern 18, College of Pacific 17.

Also ran: North Carolina 13, Colorado College 12, Georgia Tech 12, Washington 10, Holy Cross 8, Texas 8, North Texas Aggies 6, Tulsa 6, California 6, Princeton 5, St. Mary's Pre-Flight 1, Oklahoma 1, Texas Christian 1, Texas A & M 1, Georgia 1.

Army Conditioner For Grid Players

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 5 (AP)—Football the experts agree, is a great developer of army manpower—and take it from Glenn Dobbs, the army is a great developer of football manpower.

Glenn already was developed a football player when he came to Randolph Field three weeks ago, because he was an all-American at Tulsa University last season.

But he credits the army with keeping him in condition for football during the off-season. He blew into town, got located at the "War College of the Air" and the same week led Randolph Field to a 30-victory over Bryan Air Field.

And he hasn't let up. He beat Rice of the Southwest conference 6-0, averaging 42.3 yards on his kicks with a wet ball, completing nine passes, one of which was for the touchdown, catching a pass himself and making the longest run of the game.

Last week he pitched two touchdown passes, took one for a score and got off a 75-yard kick as part of a big afternoon's work in sparking Randolph to a 39-9 decision over the Ward Island Marines.

"The regular hours, good food and hard work put me in excellent condition," he said. "We were going to college under army auspices primarily to learn such things as math and physics in preparation for our cadet studies, but they didn't neglect us physically, either."

Lubbock Man Named Huntsville Warden

HUNTSVILLE, Oct. 5 (AP)—John G. Churchill of Lubbock has been named assistant warden at the Huntsville unit of the Texas prison system, succeeding H. G. Rambo, recently appointed manager of the Harlem prison farm.

Trained in social service work, Churchill was connected with the Salvation Army from 1926 until 1939, later becoming connected with the Texas department of public welfare.

Grigger Takes Out

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 5 (AP)—Conspicuously missing from the University of Southern California football lineup when the Trojans face St. Mary's pre-flight here Saturday will be the name of Mickey McCordle, feather-foot halfback. Mickey has given up the sport.

In the battle of Jutland in 1916 there were only 252 warships on both sides.

Cornless Tortillas?

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 5 (AP)—A recommendation that wheat flour be used in making tortillas, the traditional cornbread of the Mexicans, came today from the National Distributing and Regulation commission, which is coping with a corn shortage.

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Chandler Carries Low Earned-Run Record Into Series

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—The New York Yankees and the St. Louis Cardinals and some 70,000 just plain fans moved in on Yankee stadium today for the start of a world series that was as close as butter on your bread to everyone except the gambling guys betting on the brawl.

With Spud Chandler, the ex-Georgia footballer and lately hottest pitcher in the American league, a lopsided 5 to 8 1-2 choice to give lefty Max Lanier a

lesson in the plain and fancy art of throwing a baseball in the opening shindig, the Bronx Bombers drove into the annual fall fust the shortest price they've been in more than a decade.

But while the gambling guys put the Yanks on a 5 to 7 1-2 pedestal to win back the world championship in this return match with the St. Louis swiftness—whether it takes four games or the legal limit—just about everyone else (including the hundreds still looking for series tickets and a place to sleep) were making this return match of the 1942 taffy-pull strictly a case of "you pay your money and you take your choice."

From all angles it was a halbpulling "rassie" between the speed and all-round hitting of the "sweethearts of St. Lou" against the noted pitching edge and the extra-base blasting of the Bombers. And this corner, riding along with the guy packing the kayo punch, likes the Yanks to get those "bombs away" and on the target in five games or less.

But in spite of the merry-go-round the betting boys are starting to spin around the premises, the crystal ball was popping up with almost a guarantee that all records for series financial jackpots would get the spot-remover treatment for the opening game today. The annual tea-party was shooting at the 69,902 "high" mark hit by the Cards and the Yanks in their Sunday game here a year ago.

The choice of Lefty Lanier, with a record of 15 wins against 7 losses for the just-concluded campaign still had the quiz contest cooking on the front burners right up to the time the barrier was sprung. The National League Cheering and Chowder Society insisted Billy the Kid Southworth named Lefty Max as his first starter because he's been steeper lately than Mort Cooper, the Cards' 21-game winner, and because Mort's been straightening out a shaky soupbone.

On the other hand, the American leaguers, always grabbing at an "angle," insist that Cooper's "wailing isn't nearly as woeful as we cracked up to be, and the only reason Lanier became the fair-haired flinger for game No. 1 was because neither Billy the Kid nor Moanin' Mort wanted any part of Chandler, whose earned-run average for the just concluded campaign is the lowest in two decades in the junior loop.

Ruffin Upsets Beau Jack, Ex-Champion

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—Bob Ruffin, a "fancy Dan" from Long Island, is in line today for a shot at the lightweight title as a result of his upset victory over the ex-lightweight champion, Beau Jack.

Ruffin, so little regarded in the betting that the odds went as high as 10 to 1, punched out an unanimous decision over the former Augusta, Ga., shoeshine boy before a world series eve crowd of 14,449 at Madison Square Garden last night. The gross gate was \$43,429.

When the Armistice was declared after World War I, living costs were 63 per cent higher than in the summer of 1914.

Texas League To Talk Of Revival

DALLAS, Oct. 5 (AP)—The Texas league will discuss the question of resuming operations next season at a meeting of the directors here Nov. 13, President J. Alvin Gardner announced today.

This date was selected for the annual session by a majority vote of the club members, Gardner said.

It will be an all-day meeting, held in the Texas league office.

The league did not operate this season due to the manpower and transportation situations but indications are that it will decide to start up again in 1944.

The clubs will be represented at the meeting by the following: Beaumont, Ernest Lorbeer; Dallas, George Schepps; Fort Worth, Stanley A. Thompson; Houston, Eddie Dyer; Oklahoma City, H. O. Pope; San Antonio, William O. Dewitt; Shreveport, Bonneau Peters; Tulsa, Don Stewart.

NEW CONTRACTS

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TCU Idle As Game Cancelled

By The Associated Press

At least one Southwest conference eleven, Texas Christian, will be idle this Saturday because of cancellation of a game with Fordham, where football was dropped this season. The remaining members of the circuit, however, are busily working out for Saturday's scheduled contests.

All five of the games will be played against non-conference teams.

At College Station Texas A. & M. was preparing to take on Louisiana State on the Aggies' home field.

Texas U. Longhorns had a light workout yesterday but today saw them launching stiffer drills to ready them for their tussle with the Oklahoma Sooners at Dallas.

Leg injuries were bothering Coach Jess Neely's gridders at Rice Institute, but Neely is hopeful that every member of his squad excepting Bob Zelman will be ready to appear against Tulane at Houston.

At Dallas, Southern Methodist footballers took it easy awaiting definite word whether Saturday's game with the navy Memphis eleven will be canceled. The fracas is set for Saturday in Memphis' municipal stadium, about 25

Uniforms Issued To Ward Schools

Uniforms were issued Monday to approximately 100 youngsters who will participate in the six-team ward school grid race.

First games are set for the afternoon of Oct. 14, and thereafter weekly until a round robin schedule has been played out to determine the champions.

Some additional equipment may be issued to bring the strength of smaller schools up to at least 15 yds. Central and West Ward claimed 20 uniforms, about half enough to go around to their boys.

All except one coach has been chosen. Andrew Harris will tutor the West Ward. Adrian Cate will be the North Ward mentor, Thomas Underwood at Central, Ray White at College Heights, and Willis Kennedy at South Ward.

the navy department's ban on off-the-base games, so navy spokesmen in Memphis believe, leaves little hope that the game will be played.

Scatback Rhoady Nicholas, with a twisted knee, was the lone casualty on the Arkansas U. squad as the Razorbacks opened the week's practice for their engagement with William Jewell College of this' municipal stadium, about 25 Liberty, Mo., at Fayetteville.

At Least A Brooklyn Fan 'First' In Series

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—Brooklyn missed the world series this year but one of its baseball-loving citizens was first in line at the Yankee stadium bleacher window early today.

He was Chris Orleansman, who wore a faded baseball cap and sweatshirt. Attached to the latter was a sign which read: "Wake me up when the gates open."

Some 2,000 fans waited throughout the night for the gates to open.

SPORTSMAN TURNS COACH

MISSOULA, Mont., Oct. 5 (AP)—Frank Grady, Missoula insurance man and sports official, will coach the Montana State University football squad for whatever games it can book this fall. Grady succeeds Clyde Carpenter, now a lieutenant (jg) in the navy.

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Signet	Bottled in Bond	\$3.57	\$2.26
	Rye Whiskey—100 proof	4/5 Quart	Pint
		OFFICIAL OPA PRICES	
IMPERIAL	Blended whiskey, 86 proof	\$3.07	\$1.93
	The straight whiskeys in this product are 4 years or more old, 30% straight whiskey—70% grain neutral spirits	4/5 Quart	Pint
		OFFICIAL OPA PRICES	
Walker's Bourbon	Straight Bourbon Whiskey	\$3.59	\$1.84
	90 proof	Quart	Pint
	This whiskey is 4 years old	OFFICIAL OPA PRICES	
TEN HIGH Bourbon	Straight Bourbon Whiskey	\$3.42	\$1.76
	86 proof	Quart	Pint
	This whiskey is 4 years old	OFFICIAL OPA PRICES	

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American Freedom Of Press Stands Above That Of Nazi Germany

By LOUIS F. LOCHNER
Former Chief of Associated Press Bureau in Berlin

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 5 (AP)—When a little over a year ago I returned to our United States after five months' internment by the nazis, many a friend in the newspaper profession griped to me about the war censorship set up for our American press after Pearl Harbor. "It's no different from what the nazis are doing," some fellow journalists would exclaim.

I could not help laughing at

this ignorance of what press control under nazism means. Our war censorship under the able direction of Byron Price is concerned solely with keeping from the enemy such information as may help him militarily.

But beyond that, the widest thinkable latitude for expression of dissent, of criticism, of individual viewpoint obtains in our country any non-Nazi German editor would jump at the chance to work in his country under conditions anywhere similar to ours. And even many a faithful Nazi would join him.

Early in the Nazi regime, Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels pretended to encourage criticism. He assured the German press that "constructive" criticism was welcomed, and that the regimentation of the press applied only to that form of subversive activity which under the guise of criticism, sought to undermine the new Third Reich of Adolf Hitler.

The editor of one of the Ullstein publications—I believe it was the "Gruene Post"—guilelessly took the "little doctor" at his word and aired a few grievances which, as I read them, seemed innocuous enough. The editor was promptly removed on Goebbels' orders. Nobody after him dared criticism.

Regimentation of the German press under Adolf Hitler goes so far that even the size of the headline and the position of the item on the page are prescribed in the case of news considered important by the regime.

Big Corn Crop Is Anticipated

CHICAGO, Oct. 5 (AP)—A corn crop of about three billion bushels, second largest in 28 years, was a virtual certainty today as the yellow grain raced to a victory over early autumn frosts.

The result of corn's battle with time was good news on the food front, because it is the most important grain for feeding to livestock and poultry. A small crop automatically would have meant less supplies of meat, eggs, milk, butter and other foods next year.

Planted late last spring, the crucial point about the crop was its ability to mature before killing frosts reduced the yield. Another two weeks without frost undoubtedly would produce considerable improvement in the quality of grain harvested, experts said, but they added the bulk of the bumper crop now was out of danger.

Corn was severely damaged along the mid-Atlantic and in the southwest during the hot days of summer, but this loss has been made up by a record crop in Iowa, the heaviest producing state.

THE WAR TODAY: Weather Slows Fighting On Red Front

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

Nature at her best generally can beat man at his worst, and the autumn deluge finally has produced almost impassable seas of mud which have brought the fighting on the Russo-German front to a near standstill in many sectors of the thousand-mile line.

This was to be expected, however, and I'm sure that readers of this column already had their rubbers on and umbrellas ready, having received warning weeks ago. The downpour is no phenomenon such as evoked the observation from Calus Marius—the doughty Roman who a century B.C. also beat the Germans—that "extraordinary rains pretty generally fall after great battles."

From now until the ground freezes in mid-November much of the eastern front will be a morass. There will be fighting, probably some of it ery fierce, but a general

This slackening off in the fighting will give both sides a chance

to pull up their socks. Already the Russians appear to be getting set for a big winter offensive which will capitalize the sensational gains of the summer. This can't come until the ground freezes.

Even at that date the big rivers aren't well frozen, though the ground is hard enough for the movement of troops and equipment. For instance, the Dnieper, astride which much of the fighting front now rides, doesn't freeze in most places until mid-December or later.

While we are on the subject of offensives and warplanes, I've been asked to explain why it is that the nazis haven't been bombing Moscow and other Russian cities well behind the fighting front, and why the Reds haven't been attacking German cities like Berlin.

Well, there are several reasons. Foremost we must place the fact that the fighting which has been raging along the Russian front since last winter has day by day been producing some of the most terrific air battles of the war. To

give a single example at random, on May 17 of this year Moscow announced that the Red air force had destroyed 1,300 Nazi planes in two weeks. The Russian casualties weren't given.

In short, the demand for fighting planes and bombers along the front has been so heavy that neither the Russians nor the Germans appear to have had either time or equipment for many long-range adventures elsewhere.

In August, for instance, the Red air force bombed Berlin at least twice. They also bombed Stettin, the Baltic supply ports of Danzig and Koenigsberg, Bucharest and other Rumanian cities, as well as the oil field at Ploesti. However, most of the time the Russians have been too far away from places like Berlin (800 to 1,000 miles) to reach them with anything except the biggest long-distance machines.

The Germans, on the other hand, have been near enough to Moscow and many other Russian cities to bomb them easily if distance were the only problem.

The 1941 lend-lease total of \$1,244,000,000 represented about 10 per cent of the U. S. war spending.

Decline Reported In Crude Production

TULSA, Okla., Oct. 5 (AP)—United States crude oil production declined 30,840 barrels daily in the week ended Oct. 2, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

Kansas production dropped 23,900 barrels a day to 272,250; Illinois, 2,000 to 215,500; the Rocky Mountain area, 1,365 to 132,665; eastern fields, 1,250 to 75,200, and Michigan, 2,700 to 56,400.

California production increased 3,250 barrels daily to 773,400; Oklahoma 550 to 325,800; and Louisiana 15 to 380,000. Texas production was stationary at 1,338,150 and East Texas at 380,000.

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PAY FROM THE GALS
WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—Coast Guardsmen at shore stations henceforth will get their pay envelopes from SPARS. The Coast Guard announced today it will replace most of the pay and supply officers at its shore stations with officers of the Coast Guard Womens Reserve.

Four Games To Be Aired By Humble

The third week of the football season finds four games scheduled for broadcast by the Humble Oil and Refining company. Two are afternoon games and two night games.

The first game to go on the air is the one between the University of Texas and Oklahoma University at 2:30 p. m. It will be heard over KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WFAA, Dallas - Fort Worth and KNOW, Austin. Kern Tips will handle the play-by-play assignment and Dave Russell will describe the color.

At 2:50 the game between Rice Institute and Tulane will go on stations KTRH, Houston and KRLD, Dallas. Vera Box will take the microphone at the kick-off for a description of the game, while Tom Jacobs pictures the pregame and half-time activities for listeners.

Both evening broadcasts will start at 7:50. Bill Michaels and Ted Nabors will bring the Texas A. & M. - L. S. U. game to listeners over stations KGKO, Fort Worth - Dallas; KTSB, San Antonio; KXYZ, Houston; KRGY, Waco; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KFDM, Beaumont.

Also at 7:50, Charlie Jordan and Buddy Bostick will start the broadcast of the game between S. M. U. and the Naval Air Technical Training Center at Memphis. This game will be heard over stations KFJZ, Fort Worth; WRR, Dallas; KRBC, Abilene; KBST, Big Spring; KRLH, Midland; KGKL, San Angelo; WACO, Waco; KABC, San Antonio.

Should He Like Him, Pappy Would Support Republican Candidate

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP)—Senator W. Lee O'Daniel (D-Texas) told newspapermen at a University Club luncheon here that whether or not he supported Mr. Roosevelt in the event the president is renominated depended upon whom the republicans nominated.

Sen. O'Daniel said yesterday he considered a fourth term nomination for Mr. Roosevelt inevitable, but that "the election is something else, adding he expected a "rip-roaring campaign."

Asked if he believed Texas might go republican, O'Daniel said: "I think there is a chance of a republican candidate with appeal to carry Texas," but he commented that he hadn't "heard anyone suggested with any particular appeal."

Quits For Duration

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 5, (AP)—Jean Hersholt, who began his movie career in 1906, is quitting films for the duration to devote full time to helping his native land, Nazi-occupied Denmark.

"I think I've found a job where I can be of more help to the war effort, a job that takes all my time," he said.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLETON, JR.
NEW YORK, Oct. 5, (AP)—A peculiar thing about this world series is that the experts who have been watching American League baseball all season generally are picking the Cards to repeat while the National League followers go for the Yanks . . . That apparently reflects their opinion of 1943 baseball while they're still picking on the basis of what it used to be . . . Billy Southworth still is playing the percentages in naming Max Lanier to start today; Lefties are supposed to be the Yank's weakness so he'll fire southpaws until something cracks . . . Joe McCarthy, as usual, leads with his ace . . . and with that two-day interval after the clubs leave here, it'll give one or the other the chance to become the first three-game winner since Stan Coveleskie in 1920.

Down The Middle
One way of figuring the strength of a ball club is to rate them on the catcher-center field axis . . . A tipoff on this may be that the Cards have completed 180 double plays this season and the Yanks have grounded into 137. Just four short of a record.

One-Minute Sports Page
Branch Rickey and Chuck Dresen sat together at the Garden fights last night—which can be interpreted any way you please . . . but don't expect any announcement from Rickey about Leo Durocher's status as Dodger manager until the series furor has died down.

Looking over the week-end results, Prez Jack Mara of the Grid Giants announced: "We scored four touchdowns—Eshmont made two and Principle two . . . The sad part of it, to Jack, is that Eshmont is playing for Del Monte pre-flight and Principle for the Sampson naval station . . . Bobby Ruffin's victory over Beau Jack reminded some of the more literate fight followers of Harry Markson's favorite scrambled quote: "punches roll off him like a duck takes to water."

Service Dept.
All in a name: Marine Cletus "Boots" Poffenberger, who gave Major League managers plenty of headaches, pitched for the "Yanks" in the Paris Island league this summer. He won 15 of his team's 31 victories, lost only four games and hit .377 . . . Kessler Field, Miss., will have a post football team this season—just a year after a big-time grid program was ruled out . . . Capt. Arlo Klum and Lieut. Herman Rohrig have organized a squad of permanent party men and are trying to book some home games . . . When the Fort Sheridan WAC contingent heard that a post grid team was being organized, Pfc. Lucille Turiglatto suggested this cheer: "Limburger, Roquefort, Philadelphia cream; yeah, Fort Sheridan, you're a scream."

Pointed Remarks
W. Henry Johnston, Lawrence College publicity director, has figured it out that Marquette's gridders will be 2,484 points better than Lawrence Saturday . . . He's figuring the number of red points at the prevailing rates for beef and the Hilltoppers will have a considerable weight advantage.

Approximately 50 per cent of Australia's national income is being spent on war.

Beef Shortage Growing Worse

CHICAGO, Oct. 5 (AP)—A livestock industry leader said today that a "critical" beef shortage is in the making, threatening to be "more acute" than it was last spring.

He said that the number of feeder cattle shipped into the corn belt states from the western ranges in the last three months was 21 per cent fewer than for the same period a year ago.

Unless there is a "very decided" increase in feeder cattle during the next three months, the outlook for finished beef early next year will be "slim," said George A. Schmidt, chairman of the board of directors of the American Meat Institute.

In an address prepared for delivery at the annual business meeting of the institute, comprising the industry's major packers, Schmidt asserted that unless "quick and remedial measures are taken there is grave danger that millions of Americans will be clamoring for beef by spring or before." He said the solution must be found "outside the realm of the livestock and meat industry."

The industry, he said, was aware of some of the "minor contributing factors which cause this critical condition." But, he added, governmental agencies must "remove the uncertainty which encompasses present unsatisfactory cattle feeding returns to those who have a large stake in an important segment of livestock production. Livestock raisers are also disturbed because of a threatened imposition of price ceilings on cattle."

General Injured In Plane Accident
THIRD MANEUVER HEADQUARTERS IN LOUISIANA, Oct. 5 (AP)—Army officials reported that Major General Stonewall Jackson was seriously injured yesterday near Florien, La., when the low-flying plane from which he was watching his maneuvering infantry division struck a tree along state highway 171.

Public relations officers said Staff Sergeant Robert W. Miller, 32, Wichita, Kas., pilot of the small artillery liaison plane, was also seriously injured and that both men were unconscious and suffering from cerebral concussions when brought to the Camp Polk station hospital.

Car Dealers Must Sell To Holders Of Certificates
WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration announced penalties today for dealers in new automobiles who refuse to sell cars to holders of ration certificates on a first-come-first-served basis.

The sanctions, effective Oct. 9, follow many complaints concerning dealer discrimination, OPA said, most of them from essential users of cars, such as war workers and doctors.

Amendments to the rationing regulation provided that dealers found guilty of this practice after a hearing may be prohibited from acquiring or disposing of rationed cars, except to other dealers.

Also, dealers who refuse to sell a car will not be permitted, after the date of refusal, to add the usual storage charge to the maximum price. This applies not only to the car he would not sell but to all others he may hold.

200 Gobs Too Much For Aviation Cadet
KANSAS CITY, Oct. 5 (AP)—Aviation Cadet William D. Schull, 19, explains his fractured finger and cut face like this: He tried to board a bus. Two hundred sailors tried to board it, too. Schull finished under, not in, the bus.

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Editorial - - Efficiency As Guide To Our Draft Policy

The federal pay roll drew attention in Congress last week. There are an estimated 300,000 non-fathers of draft age on the government pay rolls and Chairman May of the Military Affairs Committee wanted Gen. Hershey, director of selective service, to give an explanation. This "lost army," it was declared, would solve the problem of drafting fathers.

It does appear unfortunate that conditions like this must exist. Not only is it a reflection upon the organization charged with the responsibility of the draft, but upon the sense of moral obligations we as citizens owe to ourselves.

Indications are that by far the large part of these 300,000 government employees who obviously

have been deferred one way or another are young men. There is no refuting the argument that younger men, with greater stamina and versatility, make better soldiers than the generally older group of fathers. It is really a question that should be answered satisfactorily, not alone for Chairman May and the men of Capitol Hill, but for the families of America who may otherwise be disrupted.

We are not offering a pro and con proposition on the drafting of fathers. We assume that they, like the majority of Americans, are willing to assume their responsibilities where they feel they can best serve. But we are looking for efficiency, that inalienable necessity for victory.

Eleemosynary Improvement - Texas Can Benefit By 90-Day Commitment Law

MENTAL HOSPITALS

Suppose you have a friend suffering from a sudden attack of appendicitis. The doctor says he must have an operation, but the hospitals are crowded. Your friend is told he will have to wait a few days, a month or perhaps a year before the hospitals will have room for him.

Suppose this friend next learns that all patients in Texas suffering from appendicitis must await their turn for treatment in the county jail!

Such a situation did actually exist in Texas a few months ago, not for appendicitis victims, but for victims of another ailment which also needs immediate medical attention—mental disorders.

Furthermore, jail confinement is even more damaging to the mental sufferer than it would be for other patients.

The Texas mental hospital waiting list was finally eliminated in May 1943 as a result of expansion of hospital facilities by the Board of Control, governing body of the state institutions. The results of this accomplishment are already far-reaching and in the future prove of greater significance in our hospital service.

Let us see for a moment what this important achievement means to Texans. In a word, it means that for the first time we can receive the full benefits of the 90-day commitment, law passed in 1937. This law was intended to liberalize and humanize our legally-prescribed methods of hospital commitments. This law made it possible for a citizen voluntarily or by court order to enter a state hospital for a temporary three-month period of observation and treatment. At the end of that time he might exercise his right to leave, or if sufficiently recovered may be dismissed by the hospital.

Before that time the mentally ill, whether criminally inclined or not, were clapped into jail to await trial by jury and finally to be committed by court order for a lifetime, or at the hospital's discretion. They were further humiliated by being stripped of their identity, the cases being labeled "The State versus John Doe."

Little wonder that the hospitals were considered prisons and places of torture to be avoided at all costs, with the court action which always preceded the committal of a case. Little wonder that families tried to conceal mental illnesses among them as long as possible instead of rushing them to the hospital at the first symptoms for the earliest possible treatment. It is hard to see how a person verging on a mental breakdown could survive this treatment without suffering permanent injury.

So the 90-day commitment law made it possible for a person needing treatment to enter a hospital directly without ever seeing the inside of a jail or being arraigned before a court.

The first and greatest benefit from abolition of the waiting list, then, is that it removes what has been called a blot upon the escutcheon of this state—the waiting period in jail.

According to Dr. C. W. Castner, chief of the Board's Eleemosynary Division, the criminal taint of jail confinement for a neurotic or depressed person, not criminally charged, may mean the difference between temporary and permanent mental disability.

Dr. Castner cites as an example the case of a sensitive cultured man who suffered financial losses and was in a condition which the doctor describes as "manic depressive psychosis." While waiting to get into the hospital, this man was thrown into jail and into

the company of kidnapers being held there. Association with these criminals at a time of great crisis in his own life, naturally affected his outlook. He began to think himself a kidnaper, too. His thinking was something like this: I am in jail just as if I were a criminal, so I must have broken some law. Friends won't tell me what I did, but since I am locked up with these kidnapers, must have kidnaped someone—but I can't remember.

By the time this man got into a hospital, needless to say, his case developed in complexity, making it more difficult to treat.

Secondly, the waiting list's disappearance will speed up our treatment of mental cases and thus increase the hospital system's preventive work.

Hospitals are already receiving a growing list of voluntary patients and early commitments and therefore are reaching the disease in its first stages with the greater possibility of restoring more patients.

Formerly, the crowded hospitals and long waiting lists kept many persons in jail because the communities provided no other place for them to wait. If a person must wait varying lengths of time to be received, he is not likely to volunteer or to come to the hospital for help unless his need had become acute.

Already results are showing in the growing number of voluntary patients. During the past year, 450 voluntary cases entered the hospitals. In 1941, 300 cases were treated. Although no separate data prior to 1941 is available, this is more than in all the years after 1937. One authority has said that the prestige of an institution may be measured by its number of voluntary patients.

There is also the steady growing number of early commitments which the hospitals are receiving.

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In the Wake of MURDER

By ADELINE McELFRESH

Chapter 8

Far ahead were the lights of Emerson and, a little nearer, red eyes twinkled wickedly in the night. Must be going to Emerson, Brad thought, wondering if he could keep the other car in sight once they entered the city.

He glanced at Jane, who was huddled miserably in her corner. Poor kid, seeing Ed Black had given her a nasty turn. He almost wished they hadn't followed the blonde's car. It was like rubbing salt into an open wound.

Brad stepped harder on the accelerator. They were in the outskirts of Emerson now and it was more difficult to keep the car in sight. The tail lights disappeared around a corner and Brad swung after them.

Brad rolled down his glass. The foreign section. A fine place for Ed Black to be.

They were half-way home when Brad caught the flash of light in the rear-view mirror. It had been there on and off for the last five miles, but he had thought nothing of it. Now he swung the car onto the Petersburg Pike, experimenting with an idea.

Jane roused from her silence. "This is the wrong road, Brad," she said.

"I know. I think we're being followed."

Jane sat up straight. She looked back. Sure enough, the twin lights had left the Centralia highway too and were boring through the night after them.

"What will we do?"

"Have some fun," Brad's words masked his growing uneasiness. "Give them the old runaround but not let on that we're wise."

Jane, feeling her pulse quicken, agreed. But who was it? Could it be Uncle Ed and the blonde, trying to find out who had trailed them? A cold chill sneaked its way up her spine.

Brad demonstrated his knowledge of the country roads, proving beyond all doubt that the other car was trailing them. Always, when the coupe turned at an intersection, the other lights swung in an arc, and followed. Finally, as though tiring of his game, Brad drove into Centralia. "This is the pay-off, Jane," he said, curbing the car in front of the police station. "Hurry, get inside before they get to the corner."

Obediently, Jane slid from the coupe and they dashed into the station. Sure enough, just as the revolving door closed behind them, a long black sedan cruised down the street. Jane recognized the car as the one Ed Black had ridden to Emerson in, but only one person, a man was in it now. She was sure that it was not Uncle Ed.

"Hi," the police chief was watching them from the night captain's desk. "Something up?"

Brad explained while the night captain got a chair for Jane. Thompson frowned, but all he said was "Humph."

"Anything new?" Brad asked finally.

"No. Not a darn thing. That night watchman was asleep. He didn't see a soul after Miss Carter

Hollywood Sights And Sounds—

'Frenchman's Creek' Is Running Into Money

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—There were big doings at Paramount the day the pirate ship sailed up the creek and let loose its guns at the shore-bound defenders of Navron castle.

Twenty-four hours before, the scene of all this sword-rattling and musket-fire had been just the studio's outdoor tank, covered by an expanse of black cloth to keep out the sun so that electricians could provide their own brand of sunlight. Now it was the scene of landing by the edge of the creek—"Frenchman's Creek" of the title—with stone steps leading from the platform by the water up to the castle pathway, and dense green woods all around to the water's edge.

Director Mitchell Leisen had his color camera set up to shoot across the water at the landing, where a couple of costumed corpses lay photogenically sprawled while other 17th century guardsmen popped out of the woods to fire their ancient muzzle-loaders at the pirate ship.

Director Leisen was having his troubles. Heroine Joan Fontaine had been ill, and now Nigel Bruce was in the hospital.

Meanwhile "Frenchman's Creek" was rising in cost like a Fourth of July thermometer, and the money was flowing like the creek below. The water, of course, wasn't going anywhere. The money was.

But it was a beautiful, exciting set, and I enjoyed it for a while with Aldo Nadi, a gentleman who was sighing with relief because his troubles were almost over—and nobody had been killed.

Mr. Nadi is the celebrated Italian-born fencer from New York, a champion in his art. When his "On Fencing" was published recently, Hollywood noted that Mr. Nadi didn't approve of Hollywood's fencing sequences and so Paramount brought him out to make the "Frenchman's Creek" sword-crossing the real thing. Hollywood, wrote Mr. Nadi, made 16th century seigneurs fence with 20th century swords, and had them perform a type of fencing not in existence until about 200 years after the period concerned.

Mr. Nadi had witnessed the morning's mass duelling and—thank Heaven!—nobody had been hurt. It takes years to train a fencer, but he had had to impart

Washington Daybook—

The Job Of Rehabilitating Europe's Scorched Earth

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—Reports from that portion of Italy now in Allied hands are that the United Nations are face to face with the realities of rehabilitation and the picture is not pretty.

It is apparent that Nazis are going to strip the whole of Europe and occupied portions of Asia of everything that is edible or of any use whatever in their war effort.

Not only that, but in Italy they have planted mines all over the farm lands, blown up food processing and fertilizer plants, destroyed transportation, and blasted irrigation works.

Here is no simple problem like that faced by AMG and the Office of Foreign Relief and Rehabilitation in Tunisia and Sicily. The Nazis had comparatively little opportunity to scorch the earth there.

In Italy, there is the problem of clearing the land of mines, sup-

plying farmers with tools and fertilizer, putting the irrigation works back in order (a job of months and years in some sections), and reconstructing means of transportation before the nation can even put in its crops. In the meantime, these people have to be fed if they are to be kept from starving.

Italy's chief native grain supply is in the Po valley, where the Nazis are sure to make a last ditch stand. Its factories are virtually useless without the million tons or so of coal they have been getting from Germany each year. They have no fuel oil.

When these problems are considered—and they will be equally great or greater in France, Greece, the Balkans, the Netherlands, Norway, Denmark and Poland—the magnitude of the job becomes apparent.

In coal alone, the United Nations are up against it. England has no more than its minimum requirements and this nation is faced with a rationing possibility—yet Fuels Administrator Harold L. Ickes has announced that so urgent is the need for coal in Italy that some already is being shipped there from here.

In food it seems now that absolute minimum requirements will be far greater and the length of time before freed nations can help feed themselves for longer than the most pessimistic predictions previously.

All that United Nations relief agencies are now shooting at is a minimum per capita subsistence level in freed areas of about 2,000 calories a day, one-third less than average daily consumption here. The problem is how to do it without cutting dangerously into our own requirements.

It is considered likely that the realities discovered in southern Italy will cause an overhaul of our now loosely integrated relief and rehabilitation program. As it is, not only Herbert H. Lehman's OFFERO, but more than half a dozen other agencies have their fingers in the pie, not to mention the combined Food Board and the British Supply Council. Any day now a central United Nations coordinating agency may be set up.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Pertaining to the nerves

7. Vehicle for artists

12. Kind of wood

14. Literary supervisor

15. Two-letter prefix

16. Nervous twitching

17. Drink slowly

18. Leave

19. Droop

20. Part of a flower

21. Viper

22. About

23. Upright parts of stairs

25. European bird

31. Fed to the full

34. Dad

37. Roman emperor

38. Age

40. Fruit

42. Male sheep

43. Rockfish

45. Frolic

47. Symbol for selenium

48. Aching palm

50. Roman household gods

52. Celestial body

54. Artificial language

55. Likely

57. Mohammedan priests

58. Animal's foot

62. Perform

63. Superlative ending

64. Flow back

66. You and I

67. Device for bringing into line

69. Harvester

DOWN

1. Catches

2. Lamb's pen name

3. At bat

4. Rodent

5. Youth beloved by Galatea

6. Tears

7. Tablelands

8. Ancient Roman officials

9. Swindle; slang

10. Pronoun

11. Trunks of failed trees

12. Support

13. Received

14. Fruit

15. Flower

16. In behalf of

17. Went quickly

18. Music drama

19. Scarcer

20. Circuit

21. Rub out

22. Cupolas

23. South American birds

24. Concerning

25. Domestic fowl

26. Playing card

27. Auditory organ

28. Mistreated

29. Summit

30. Extreme

31. Jewish month

32. Long stick

33. Encourage

34. Impressed by grandeur

35. Etched

36. Complex point

37. Obstruct

38. Has reality

39. Jumbled type

Blondie

WELL NEED ONE MORE CHAIR

OKAY

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I WONDER WHAT TH'YARD BIRD GOT FOR BLASTIN' THAT SPY RING WIDE OPEN?

BUT HE WAS IN TH' CAPTAIN'S OFFICE OVER TWO HOURS THIS MORNIN'!

GREAT SCOTT!! WHAT'S ALL TH' COMMOTION?

IT AIN'T NO AIR-RAID—THEM WHISLES DON'T GROW LIKE THAT!!

SCRAMBLE OUT FER INSPECTION, YE RAGGLE TAGGLE BOCK PRIVATES !!GG#*

Patsy

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Lost & Found
LOST: Platinum wedding band, with small diamonds on top. Reward. Write Box A. M., % Herald.

LOST: Between Burr's and First National Bank billfold containing pictures, social security and draft cards, some cash. Return to P. O. Box 1444.

LOST: Navy blue gabardine belt, belonging to man's trench coat. Reward. Call 1160, Ken Day, American Airlines.

Personals
CONSULT Estella The Reader. Heffernan Hotel, 305 Gregg. Room Two.

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Household Goods
FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell, get our prices before you buy. W. L. McCollister, 1001 W. 4th.

Miscellaneous
WANTED: Used radios and musical instruments. Will pay cash for anything. Anderson Music Co., phone 856 or call at 115 Main St.

WILL BUY your clean cotton rags. Shroyer Motor Co. 424 East 3rd.

WILL buy good used clothing or anything of value. W. H. Hart, 211 N. W. 2nd St.

Wanted To Rent

Houses
WANTED TO RENT: Small furnished house or apartment; no children. Would like to buy portable Singer Sewing machine. Call 1096-W.

Real Estate
Houses For Sale
FIVE-ROOM house for sale. 2108 Nolan. Phone 1484.

NICE, large five-room residence; the location is mighty good, and the property is priced to sell. Can give possession at once. The price is \$4500 and it takes all cash to handle the deal. The property will stand a \$2500 loan. For information phone 449.

FOR SALE: New stucco house close to South Ward, \$3,000. Also 6-room house close in. C. E. Read, phone 449.

FOR SALE: Three-room house; in Wright Addition. See Marie at Waffle Shop.

FOR SALE by owner—100x80 ft. lot with 8-room residence and business building. Excellent location, on highway, in Big Spring. Write P. O. Box 830.

SEVEN-ROOM stucco house, furnished or unfurnished, 75-ft. east front, or corner, pavement best neighborhood. Half block from bus line. Possession now. Priced reasonably. Rube S. Martin, phone 1042.

Hospitals

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Frequent cases of nervous disorders which may lead to insanity if not corrected, are reaching the hospitals in time to check the onset of the disease and to restore those persons to happy, normal and useful lives. In this service, there is the human value of a life saved, as well as the financial value to the state which results from the not having a case of incurable insanity on its hands for life.

Authorities now classify the mental ailments with other organic bodily diseases, and as such they must have the very best that modern medical science has to offer, and above all they must have the care and treatment of well-equipped, modern psychiatric hospitals.

Any citizen of Texas now has access whenever the need arises, to the best of modern man's knowledge in psychopathic treatment.

The seven hospitals of the state's system are well equipped to provide the shock and fever therapies used for treatment of the various mental diseases. Electrical and insulin shock treatments are given. Fever therapies are administered for paresis. The hospitals have pioneered in the use of tick stimulated fevers used especially in the treatment of negro patients. Other fevers given are the well-known malaria and other protein induced fevers.

STORY

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She was combing the files when someone entered. Thinking it was Sam Alton, the attorney who was taking over the more pressing business, she hurried into the outer office.

"Mrs. Billingsley," she almost gasped. "Oh, my dear."

Evelyn Billingsley closed the door behind her. She collapsed in Jane's chair.

"Jane," she said, "I just had to see you."

Jane patted her thin fingers. There was a feverish look in the older woman's eyes.

"Can I get you a drink of water?"

Mrs. Billingsley shook her head. "No," she said. "I want to talk to you, Jane, someone tried to break into my husband's study last night."

"Oh!" The ejaculation burst past Jane's lips. "Do you know who?"

Again Mrs. Billingsley shook her head.

"No. But our dog ran her off."

"Her?" A warning tinkled in Jane's mind.

"Yes," Evelyn-Billingsley said. "A woman. I found this in the yard. The dog must have torn her clothes."

She handed Jane a piece of blue silk, the piece of a woman's dress.

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Help Wanted—Male
PLUMBERS and plumber helpers wanted. Plumbers \$13, helpers \$8 per day. McMurtry Plumbing Co., Phone 813, Orange, Texas.

Help Wanted—Female
WANTED: Settled white woman to keep house. Must be fair cook. Room and board and \$50 per month. Write Box P. B., % Herald.

MAID wanted for general house work. Good pay and servant quarters furnished. Apply 1508 Nolan.

WANTED: White or colored housekeeper, 104 Canyon Drive, phone 1474-W.

HELP WANTED: For domestic work; white preferred. Colonial Beauty Shop.

WANTED: Waitresses, and colored girls for kitchen help. See Clarence Fox, AAFBS, Post Restaurant.

OAKY DOAKES

ARTHUR! HAVE YOU SEEN TODAY'S PAPER? NO, M'DEAR... IS THERE...? READ THAT!!

DICKY DARE

WHAT'S TH' BIG IDEA? YOU CAN'T PUNCH ME AROUND LIKE THAT!

WHY, I'M-- AN AMERICAN-- OUCH!

melot Clar

Ye Goode Olde Gossipe Cotyum
by DEW TELLE
What knight paddled what queen's canoe? --He, ha!...

WELL, WHAT'RE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT IT? ER--I THINK I'LL--I'M GOING TO CALL A MEETING OF THE CABINET!

SUPERMAN

THE MAIN CABLE-- BROKEN WHICH MEANS THE ENTIRE BRIDGE WILL COLLAPSE

GOT--TO--HOLD--ON! GOT--TO--PULL--IT--TOGETHER!

NO--I WON'T BELIEVE IT! I DON'T BLAME YOU-- BUT HE'S DOING IT!

RELEASING TREMENDOUS ELECTRICAL ENERGY, THE MAN OF STEEL WELDS THE MYRIAD FIBRES OF THE CABLE INTO INTACT FORM!

ROSIE THE RIVETER-- THAT'S ME!

I WAS JUST LOOKIN' AT IT, MEDITATIN'... HERE'S THE X MARKIN' ONE SPOT... A CIRCLE MARKS ANOTHER! ... THEN I TURNED IT UPSIDE-DOWN BY MISTAKE... SEE WHAT IT SPELLS?

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



For Sale

Household Goods
SEE Creaths when buying or selling used furniture; 20 years in furniture and mattress business in Big Spring. Rear 710 E. 3rd. Phone 602.

FOR SALE: Gas cook stove; good condition. 800 Main.

DAY BED, with coil springs and mattress. 1704 Main.

Radios & Accessories
AUTOMOBILE radios for sale. Call Paul Liner, 991 or 1367.

Musical Instruments
FOR SALE—American Capitol trumpet; reasonable price, excellent condition. Phone 1622 or apply at 1201 Eleventh Place.

Poultry & Supplies
FOR SALE: Four incubators, three starter brooders, three finishing brooders, feed troughs, water fountains, several pens, 40 good Leghorn hens, 20 young turkeys. Crow's Poultry Market, 2107 Gregg. Phone 1545.

Livestock
FOR SALE: Bundis higer, span of Fercheron horses, brood sow and young calf. Phone 793-W.

Miscellaneous
APPLES, \$2.25 per bushel; yams, tomatoes, and spuds. Mrs. Birdwell, 205 N. W. Fourth St.

FOR SALE—5000 bundles higer, 5000 bundles maize, also hifters, fresh. Would exchange feed for young hens. Bill Hanson, Gall Route, near Clay Hill School.

SCORCHY SMITH

WHAT OF IT? SO IT'S A PICTURE OF A COW! PROBABLY THE TRADE MARK OF THE INN...

YOU DON'T QUITE GET IT, LIEUTINANT DARLIN'... LOOK, HERE'S THE MAP...

I WAS JUST LOOKIN' AT IT, MEDITATIN'... HERE'S THE X MARKIN' ONE SPOT... A CIRCLE MARKS ANOTHER! ... THEN I TURNED IT UPSIDE-DOWN BY MISTAKE... SEE WHAT IT SPELLS?

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"Now stop pestering about having a helicopter after the war, Junior—all your father's interested in is riding in his car again!"

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SINUS AUTHORITY SUICIDES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5, (AP) — Dr. Thomas Eustis Poole, 70, an authority on sinus infections, died in a hospital early today from knife wounds of the throat, described by the coroner's office as self-inflicted.

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Workers Advised To Protect Number For Social Security

Every employee should carefully protect his social security account number card and make sure that each employer for whom he works has a record of the number that is on that card, said J. Hassler Strickland, manager of the local Social Security Board office.

"The money that his survivors will receive in the event of his death, or the money that he and his wife will be paid when they are old and have retired from work," Strickland said, "is insurance which is earned through employment and which is paid for by the small deductions from his wages each payday and added to an equal amount by his employer. The amount of money that his survivors or that he and his wife will receive depends on the amount of wages paid to him by his employer. If the employer did not have his account number, and had failed to report his wages, the amount of insurance to be paid to his survivors or to himself and wife in their old age will be less than it would have been if all his wages had been properly reported."

"The number on the social security card," Strickland said, "is the number of the individual's social security account. It is positive identification of the account. When the number is shown along with the wage earner's name and wages on the employer's quarterly report, correct posting of the wages to the proper account is assured. If the account number is not shown on the employer's quarterly report there is danger that the wages may not be properly identified and posted."

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Colorado Veteran Finishes Course At Midland

MIDLAND ARMY AIR FIELD, Midland, Oct. 5—Among the combat bombardiers who have completed a highly specialized course in advanced bombing techniques and teaching methods, here at the Army Air Forces Central Bombardier Instructors School, is Lieut. Warren E. Church of Colorado City.

Lieutenant Church, veteran of eleven months combat service in the European and North African theatres of operation, wears the Air Medal with nine Oak Leaf Clusters for raids on such Nazi strongholds as St. Nazaire, Tunis, Bizerte, Palermo, Messina, Naples, and Foglia.

Purpose of this bombardier instructors school is to thoroughly train the professors of axis blasting in the latest combat techniques, giving them added skill in the art of passing on to bombardier students their knowledge and experiences in how to rain destruction on the axis.

In addition to instructors drawn from bombardier schools throughout the AAF Training Command, students at this bombardier "teachers' college" include combat bombardiers back from every wealth of know-how experience, theatre of action, and who contribute to the school's curriculum a

When their intensive training here is completed, the bombardier officers are assigned to one of the nation's bombardier training bases, where they put their schooling and experience to use as instructors for future classes of America's "Hell from Heaven Men."

Lieutenant Church, who is credited with 50 missions against the enemy and a total of 243 hours of combat flying, was graduated from the Albuquerque, N. M., bombardier school where he was commissioned in April, 1942.

He is the son of Joe D. Church of Colorado City.

Gable Cited For Courage And Skill

LONDON, Oct. 5 (AP) — Capt. Clark Gable has been awarded the Air Medal for "exceptionally meritorious achievement while participating in five separate bomber combat missions" over enemy territory, Eighth airforce headquarters announced today.

His "courage, coolness and skill" during the five missions "reflect great credit" to him and the armed forces, the citation said.

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5:15 News.
5:30 News From Everywhere.
5:45 Superman.
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 The Johnson Family.
6:30 Treasury Star Parade.
6:45 Confidentially Yours.
7:00 Listen Ladies.
7:05 Musical Interlude.
7:15 Melody Lane.
7:30 To Be Announced.
7:45 News.
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
8:15 Don Redman's Orchestra.
8:30 To Be Announced.
9:00 John B. Hughes.
9:15 Songs by Sunny Skylar.

Wednesday 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 The Choral Loft.
9:30 Shady Valley Folks.
10:00 Stanley Dixon.
10:15 Kentucky Carnival.
10:30 Happy Ralph & Joe.
10:45 Musical Moments.
11:00 News.
11:05 Dr. W. S. Palmer.
11:10 KBST Previews.
11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.

11:30 What's the Name of That Band?
11:45 News.
Wednesday Afternoon
12:00 10-2-4 Ranch.
12:15 World Series.
3:15 Morton Downey.
3:30 Dancetime.
4:00 Sheila Carter.
4:15 The Black Hood.
4:30 KBST Bandwagon.

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7:00 Listen Ladies.
7:05 Musical Interlude.
7:15 News.
7:30 Take a Card.
8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
8:15 "Oklahoma."
8:30 Soldiers With Wings.
9:00 John B. Hughes.
9:15 Songs by Sunny Skylar.
9:30 News.
9:35 Sign Off.

Midland Woman Dies
MIDLAND, Oct. 5, (AP) — Funeral services were to be held this afternoon for Mrs. J. A. Haley, 75, club woman and civic leader and for ten years a member of the board of Regents of Texas Technological College. She died at her home here yesterday.

Inspector Sentenced For Soliciting Bribe

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 5, (AP) — Charles Thomas Fuqua, 42, civilian inspector for the army quartermaster corps, was sentenced today by Federal Judge Campbell E. Beaumont to serve 18 months in a Tucson, Ariz., roadcamp. He pleaded guilty to a charge of soliciting a bribe from army inspectors.

Fuqua came here from Texarkana, Texas, where he formerly operated a saddle and harness shop.

Dalhart, Dyersburg Commands Shifted

DYERSBURG, Tenn., Oct. 5, (AP) — Shift in the commands of the Dyersburg and Dalhart, Tex., army air bases was disclosed today by the Dyersburg public relations officer.

Col. E. T. Kennedy, commanding officer here since Oct. 8, 1942, has been assigned to the Dalhart base. He will be succeeded by the Dalhart commanding officer, Maj. George B. Mackey.

Consumers To Get Additional Tea

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP) — Retailers can take their tea supplies from under the counter and put it on their shelves, in the opinion of Benjamin Wood, director of the Tea Bureau, Inc., as a result of increased supplies.

The head of the trade association said tea was entering the United States at a rate indicating an early return to normal needs of 100,000 pounds a year.

Workmen Hurt In Plant Explosion

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 4, (AP) — Eleven workmen were hospitalized after an explosion today in the Ferro-Enamel Company war plant near the downtown district.

Several were reported in serious condition.

A small building at the rear of the plant was almost destroyed by the blast, which hurled debris 75 to 80 feet, rocked nearby buildings and covered the surrounding area with smoke.

A boxcar standing between the scene of the explosion and the main plant was smashed. Company officials said the position of the boxcar probably saved the main building from major damage.

The firm is producing war materials under a war department contract. Cause of the blast was not disclosed.

Public Records

Building Permits
Johnnie Penn to repair cafe at 410 NW 3rd street, cost \$175.
C. H. Simmons to add bath room at 310 NW 3rd, cost \$100.
Cora Emma Mitchell to add to residence at 208 Orkney, cost \$400.
H. H. Squires to install concrete porch at 404 Dougals, cost \$25.

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