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Russians Sweep Forward In Poland

60 Miles Before Fall Of Manila

By LEONARD MILLIMAN Associated Press War Editor

Armored American columns rolled through the smouldering ruins of Tarlac today to within 60 miles of Manila as all Allied offensives against the Japanese gathered speed.

U. S. Sixth army troops on Luzon island approached the halfway mark on the road to Manila at Tarlac while Allied amphibious forces captured three more islands-two in the Philippines and one off Burma on the seaway to Rangoon and Singapore.

Reports from Tokyo and Honolulu indicated U. S. Third fleet forces were again smashing at Formosa. Land-based planes ranged beyond Formosa to hit a convoy off the China coast, struck at Wake Island, the Kuriles, and the Bonins and Volcanos some 700 miles south of Tokyo.

Superforts reconnoitering the Osaka area of Japan proper brought back photos showing the great Kawasaki aircraft plant was knocked out in a single raid.

Converging U. S. Sixth army columns also swept over two more airfields, bringing to five the number they hold on Luzon island. They are only 22 miles from Clark Field, the most important in the Philippines. Patrols fanned out to take Victoria and La Paz on their left form Manila.

Tanks and infantrymen in the lagging eastern flank captured half a dozen towns and two airfields. solidifying their hold on the Manila-Baguio highway and pursued retreating Japanese over lateral said the former vice president roads to the east.

They still fought bitterly for Rosario, on the northeastern extremity of the battlefront.

U. S. fighter planes ranging beenemy planes on the ground at

Sixteen others bound from Formosa to reinforce the almost non- stirred bitter resentment on Capiexistent Japanese airforce in the tol Hill. Philippines were shot down by Third fleet carrier planes. Tokyo reported carrier aircraft were again attacking Formosa and admitted damage to several airfields

MacArthur disclosed U. S. amphibious forces have seized Ponson and Poro islands in the Camotes group in the Philippines cient employment" throughout the west of Leyte island where 68,839 nation and for "opportunity for Japanese have been killed and 692 taken prisoner. An estimated 60.-000 others have been killed trying duced without floor comment, to reach Leyte.

British amphibious forces in their third leapfrog advance this transferring the federal loan agenyear captured Ramree island off cy, the Reconstruction Finance Burma's west coast. The 80-mile Corporation and its subsidiary advance was made under cover of agencies to the jurisdiction of the cafe. heavy navy shellfire.

In the North Burma-China sector, Chinese troops captured Wanting and closed from two di- tary and loan administrator. rections on Japanese units clinging to a small sector of the Burma

Youth Killed In **Auto Mishap**

Ernundo (Ednundo) Adame, 20, was killed in an automobile mishap 16 miles northwest of here at

10 p. m. Sunday. Justice of Peace Walter Grice returned an inquest verdict in which he held that Adame died as the result of a broken neck, sustained when the car in which he was riding overturned. Officers said they understood that two companions riding with Adame

escaped without material injuries. The youth had been in this area for the past five months, being a member of a crew that had been workkng on the George White farm. Nalley Funeral home was to ship the body to San Antonio Monday evening for interment.

Owens Pleads Not Guilty To Charge

Melvin Owens, negro, entered a plea of not guilty Saturday in 70th district court when he was arraigned on a rape indictment be-

fore Judge Cecil Collings. After summoning the defend ant's attorney when Owens volunteered an explanation of his case, for Jan. 29.



SIXTH ARMY COMMANDER GOES ASHORE - Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger (right), 6th army commander, accompanied by his aide, Maj. Ben. Decherd of Dallas, Tex., goes ashore on Luzon Island as the Americans start on the final lap toward Manila, Philippines capital. (AP Wirephoto from U.S. Signal Corps).

Anger Flares As Mrs. J. Lee Jones Wallace Gets Job

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 (AP)-A move to strip Henry o'clock Monday afternoon. The A. Wallace of control over federal loan and financing agencies as commerce secretary was started in the senate today by Finance Committee Chairman George (D-Ga).

Evidencing the opposition to Wallace's nomination among southern democrats and republicans, George offered legisla- past seven months, Mrs. Jones tion to reestablish the federal loan agency as a separate and was recently thought to be imindependent arm of government.

He acted shortly after the senate received President Roosevelt's formal nomination of Wallace to succeed Jesse Jones, a post for which Jones

Two Nazis Seen

Horton, railroad fireman, and B. F

The Reporter-News said descrip-

furnished by the FBI at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McAfee of

McAFFEES VISIT HERE

Everett, cafe employe.

Baird Men Say is unsuited. Mr. Roosevelt's rejection of a congressional request that Jones be retained as head of the Reconyond to Aparri valley destroyed 45 struction Finance Corporation and its subsidiary agencies in the In Restaurant event of Wallace's appointment

> As the storm gathered Wallace himself issued a statement in which he said he saw opportunity in his new post to raise the lot of the "common man" to a point where he will be no less

prosperous in peace than in war. Wallace called for "full and effi free enterprise."

George's bill, which he introwould set aside President Roosevelt's executive order of 1942 commerce department.

The order was issuued when Jones was both commerce secre-The bill calls for the appoint-

ment by the president of a \$12,-000 administrator to head the reestablished agency. In his statement Wallace said:

"I am happy that the president has named me to a position providing for continuous activity in the espionage agents who, he said, are

"In the highly geared world of today and tomorrow, there must be full and efficient employment Oscar Max Wilms. throughout the nation.'

The senate received Wallace's formal nomination from the White House shortly after it convened at

Wallace laid down a four-point program in which he declared that opportunity for free enterprise among business men must be ex- lips and other friends in Big to hear a report from Brownell in a panic, with refugees streampanded, particularly among small Spring Sunday, returning home outlining his plans for formation ing from Danzig, Poznan and Sunday night.

tracts between industry and labor.

LONDON, Jan. 22 (AP) - Two hundred Flying Fortresses bombarded a synthetic oil refinery at Sterkrade in the Ruhr today despite howling winter gales over the continent.

The bombers, were escorted by 100 Mustang fighters from bases in Britain on the short trip across the Rhine in northwestern Ger-

The day raid followed an attack on Kassel, 75 miles south of Hannover, last night by RAF bomb-

Yesterday American heavy bombers from Britain, flying in temperatures as low as 67 degrees below zero, plastered rail targets in southwest Germany while Italybased bombers attacked objectives in Austria.

The Mediterranean Allied Air Forces announced 17 bombers were missing from the more than 1.500 sorties flown yesterday. Two enemy planes were shot down. The U.S. Britain-based airforce losses were not yet disclosed.

Funeral Rites For

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 22-Funeral service for Mrs. J. Lee Jones, for 43 years prominent in Colorado City club, church, and civic affairs, has been set for 4 Rev. Dick O'Brien of Big Spring will assist the pastor of the First Baptist church here, Rev. John D. Simons, who will officiate.

Ill of a heart ailment for the proved and her death came suddenly at the family home Saturday evening. She was 66. Born Mary Christine Cox in Stephenville, April 17, 1878, she was married to Mr. Jones in Carbon, Eastland county, February 9, 1902, and

came to Colorado City as a bride. She had gathered material for the writing and the publication of pictorial history of Mitchell county. Her historical collection has been termed "outstanding" by several Texas history authorities with whom she had consulted concerning her plans for a book.

Her husband, secretary of the Bureau of Investigation agents Colorado City Independent school joined with city and county police district board, and two sons, surofficers here today in continuing vive her. They are Lt.-Comdr. J. Lee Jones, Jr., stationed with the a search for two men, identified here Saturday by a trio of Baird USNR at New Orleans, La., who is expected to arrive for the fucitizens as German espionage neral Monday, and S/Sgt. Raymond Jones, veteran of the North A railroad fireman and a cafe employe identified two men who African and Sicilian campaigns, ate in a restaurant here as Max and now stationed in France with Christian Johannes Schneemann a military police unit,

Three grandsons, five sisters and and Hans Rudolf Christian Zuehlsdorff, Sheriff Alfred Peterson, of six brothers also survive. Her Callahan county, said yesterday, sisters and brothers are Mrs. Don Identification was made from a H. Biggers, Stephenville; Mrs. T. newspaper picture, published in J. Hunt, Teague, Mrs. Day Cage. the Abilene Reporter-News, short- Stephenville, Mrs. Newt McGough ly after the men had eaten in the Coleton, Calif., Mrs. Leslie Crowder, Colorado City, Ed T. Cox, East-Peterson and Harry Holt, a rep. land, C. V. Cox, Baldwin Park, resentative of the Reporter-News Calif., H. C. Cox, Malessa, Tenn., who was in the cafe at the time Frank Cox, Waco, Proctor Cox, tion of the pair was made by T. F. hachie.

Friday, J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of In vestigation, had sounded a nationwide alert for three German under orders to enter the United States. Hoover named the men

as Zuehlsdorff, Schneemann and INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 22 P) - Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York took hand indirectly tion of the men given by Horton today in the republican national was similar to descriptions later committee's midwinter meeting by sending word to some members that Herbert Brownell, Jr., is doing "a grand job" as chairman.

Dewey was cinspicuously absent Lubbock, visited Mrs. Alice Philas the committee convened today of a four - year organization de- Warthegau in the face of the signed to sink the democrats in 1946 congressional election and the 1948 presidential contest. In a statement presented to the

committee at the opening session, advancement or blocking of any individual in his personal ambi-Thus disclaiming any intent to

foster the candidacy of Governor Dewey, Brownell said he hoped this policy might become perman-Brownell laid before committee

members an eight-point program geared primarily toward winning 1946 congressional elections. VISITOR HERE

is a student at Texas Tech.

Yanks Capture Tarlac Oil Refinery Is Americans Lack 60 Miles Before Oil Refinery Is Hit By Forts In Howling Blizzard Nazi Vehicles Are Closing Gap In Trapped-Destroyed Prussian Drive

ous daylong attack. The planes attacked with bombs, ockets and machineguns.

The Nazis had waited too long to run the gantlet down the snow

warplanes caught 3,000 German | centrations so thick that the Allied vehicles, the bulk of transport | pilots said afterwards "we couldn't miss."

> that the ruin would be the greatest since the wounded Wehrmacht fled for the Seine through the Falaise gap. The destruction of equipment promised virtually to immobilize at least one of Field Marshal Von Rundstedt's two mobile reserve armies.

of receding German lines southward from St. Vith. The achieve-There was every indication ment marked a mile advance across the Wiltz river during the The U.S. First army closed within two and a half miles of St. Vith. Gen. Eisenhower's communique listed 14 captured towns, nearly

> than 150 square miles. The British moved within 35 five miles of the Roer river in a fresh two-mile advance through northwest Germany.

all in Belgium and Luxembourg,

The French First army driving up the Rhine valley and through the Vosges from Mulhouse was slowed by deep snow. German attacks north of Strasbourg, powered by five or six divisions, and in the dormant Saarlautern area across the Saar river were declared repulsed.

The whole portentious next phase of the war in the west was slowly taking shape. It was obvious that the powerful influence of the terrific Russian blows against the eastern front was being felt. Gen. Eisenhower's armies and Marshal Stalin's masses were slightly more than 500 miles apart. Although it is too early yet to see the full effect, there are these

possibilities: 1. The Germans, who rushed at least some of the thin armored reserve south to the Alsace plain for a "last try" blow at Strasbourg, may have had to switch their strategy in the middle of the move, and save whatever strength for the supreme test in the spring and summer.

Attacks south of the Wissembourg gap and across the Rhine just north of Strasbourg seemed to lack punch. They were being held by the U.S. 7th army after initial gains which, at least for the moment, were being left unex-

2. The Germans were getting out of the flattened Ardennes bulge in virtually a complete abandonment of a 15 to 20 mile flank northwest of Vianden, and heavy troop train movements reported at Bonn reflected last minute changes in the Wehrmacht's cross-Rhine

line in the north. 3. For the first time, it began to seem likely that the Allies would get in the next big offensive blow as the Nazi command wavered

the western and eastern fronts. Where and how soon the blow would fall could not be disclosed.

Bonds Halfway Toward Goal

Bond sales in Howard county appeared to be reflecting a reaction from the Sixth War Loan with four agencies which normally 182 miles from Berlin. handle the bulk of sales reporting only \$43,704.25 through Saturday. This stacks up unfavorably in on already snowbound mountain the light of a \$110,000 for E, F from Warsaw to Berlin. positions limited even patrol actiand G bonds for January, County vity along the Italian front today

Bond Chairman Ira Thurman said. Thurman urged individuals, capital of East Prussia, and is 37 business concerns and institutions to step up the rate of purchases in an effort to make good on the January assignment.

"The fact that some other county might not reach its goal does not justify our falling down on the job," he declared.

LEGION MEETING TONIGHT

American Legion members will FARRAGUT, Idaho, Jan. 22 (AP) hold their regular meeting at 8:30 -To "establish uniformity in hair- p. m. today on the Settles mezzancuts," officers at Farragut Naval ine, according to an announcement Training Center Issued these in- from R. R. McEwen, commander. structions: Women's Reserve: "The Among other matters to be dishair shall not cover the coat col- cussed is the organization's sponlar." Male personnel: "Maximum sorship of the variety show billed

Wiltz (pop: 5,000), southern anchor armor and davalry, pounding within 165 miles of Berlin, have captured Gniezno in western Poland after a 38mile advance in 24 hours. Marshal Joseph Stalin announced this tonight in this fourth order of the day.

Zhukov's bee-line drive from Warsaw toward Berlin where the deflated bulge was less blasted a path to within 28 miles of Pozman, last impormiles of Dusseldorf and within tant Polish city before the central German border.

Only a square of northwestern Polish territory about 100 miles wide and 160 miles long remained as a buffer between Stalin's massed forces and the length of the German frontier.

It was evident that the Russian offensive was rolling on unchecked, for the deepest penetration announced by Moscow was about 19 miles.

Marshal Gregory R. Zhukov's First White Russian army struck nearest to the heart of the reich from the Warta river area near captured Kolo, due west of Warsaw, in another day of spectacular Soviet successes in all sectors.

Simultaneously, the Russian First Ukraine army was within 200 miles of Berlin from the southeast in a powerful push that toppled five major towns inside German Silesia and was reported by the German radio to be within 10 miles of the Oder river.

Enveloping Tannenberg, shring of German militarism, another swift-movin Red army under Marshal Konstantin K. Rokossovsky, bit off a huge chunk of Eas Prussia, stabbing 16 miles in a drive up the old Polish corridor that threatens to isolate that German province from the fatherland. Other units of this Second White Russian army struck farther west and captured the Polish-East Prussia frontier town of Lubawa, 15 miles west of Tannen-

berg and 70 miles from Danaig. Twin offensives in East Prussia overran in lightning fashion the two German bastions of Allenstein and Insterburg. The most powerful military of-

fensive of the war toppled stronghold after stronghold, as five Red armies raced on without check from East Prussia to Slovakia. With First German defense

lines broken in Silesia and two Soviet armies only 80 miles from a junction across East Prussia, the Moscow commentator Ilya Ehrenburg broadcast:

"Their cities are burning now. We are not in potato country. We are at the iron and steel of Silesia."

Already, Zhukov's northern wing had swept past the Vistula bend close to Bydgoszcz, Poland's seventh city, in a thrust which had half-sealed the Polish corridor from the south.

Marshal Gregory Zhukov's central offensive overran Labiszyn, Inowroclaw, Aleksandrow, and Argenau also were captured in

Zhukov's drive on the main route Insterburg, a city of 40,000, is only 50 miles from Konigsberg,

miles inside the province. Stalin announced the fall of the key railway center in his 18th order of the day in six days, and praised 40 generals for taking part in the capture.

SCHOOLS BEGIN SEMESTER Big Spring schools and those in

all common school districts of the county launched officially into the second semester Monday after having waded through first exams last week. Some schedule changes were in process at the high school where new assignments were being made Monday. Tuesday County Superintendent Walker Bailey checks rural schools for the new

Nazi Defense Plan Unfolds As . . .

-the first anniversary of the his-

In the Adriatic sector, an ene-

my raiding party penetrated two

northeast of Alfonsine but were

Allied headquarters said enemy

patrol action had been speeded up

on the American front south and

toric landings at Anzio.

southeast of Bologna.

length three inches."

CAREFUL OUTGROWTH

thrown back.

Reds Move Toward Berlin

LONDON, Jan. 22 (A) - The | left behind, nor big supply dumps German defense plan now unfolding in the eastern Reich holds the key to whether the Russiana tidal wave, engulfing Poland, Silesia and East Prussia with amazing speed, will end the

There are indications the Nazis cated were lodged Monday against may have extricated the greater Andres Vilarreal Martinez The part of their 135 central front divisions in the east and pulled

Moscow dispatches report a

feeling in the Soviet capital that great winter battles will be fought on the snow-covered plains east of the Oder, where Hitler is said to have built an "east wall."

then it is evidently aiming at an

Such a plan would envisage the surrender of Eas. Prussia to establish a line running from Dansig, through Posnan to Breslay and along the Oder on south to

If Russian armies are able to crack these German defense plans, and if Allied armies can smash the Siegfried line, the end will come as expressed aptly by a Moscow broadcast:

steel and men roll from east spring turns that sector in slush and west toward Berlin, that will There has been no news of any and mud too formidable for even certainly be the end of the German army."

House Committee Says Agriculture Will Not Be Classed As Critical Brownell declared "any attempted use of party machinery for the advancement or blocking of any WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 (P)-The house military committee wrote tions shall be completely prohibitan anti closed-shop amendment into manpower legislation today and ed."

refused to specify agriculture as a critical industry. The amendment, which members said was approved 14 to 10 in a closed session, stipulated that no man taking an industrial job at the

request or direction of his draft board shall be required to join a union as a condition of employment. Opponents contended the amendment, offered by Representative Andrews (R-NY), would violate closed or union shop con-

The committee likewise turned down an amendment by representative Stewart (D-Okla) to write into the work-or-be-jailed legislation directive to selective service to "consider agriculture as a critical war industry" and to issue at once a directive to local draft board ordering them to follow the letter of the Tydings amendment. This por-Judge Collings set the trial date tion of the selective service law spells out conditions under which farm home of the B. J. McDaniels. She over to the sheriff's department workers may be deferred from induction.

PARIS, Jan. 22 (A) - Allied caught on two highways in con- to the Luxembourg road center of Marshal Gregory Zhukov's

of an entire army, in an attempted sneakaway from the Ardennes salient through the Siegfried line to the Rhine, and tore them to pieces today in a ruin-

RUSSIAN ADVANCES LEAD ALLIED GAINS IN EUROPE-Shaded areas indicate territory recently captured from the Germans. Principal gains were made by the Red Army which drove from the Vistula river to the German border and scored other notable advances. On the western front the Allies nearly have erased the German bulge into Belgium. (AP Wirephoto Map).

Germans Defense

LONDON, Jan. 22 (AP)-A call went out over the German armed forces radio today for everyone in the nation to join this "holy battle for liberty" as Russian forces sweeping into Silesia drove to a point approximately six hours by between conflicting demands of fast express from Berlin.

"Damned be our enemies. This soulless, bestial, overwhelming mass onslaught must be held at all costs," the announcer shouted. He demanded that "every man who can carry any kind of weapon, in fact anybody who can shoot," join in defense of the reich. The Nazis themselves in home broadcasts did not try to

conceal that "the hour of greatest peril to the fatherland has struck," and for the first time admitted that Berlin itself is threatened by the Russian Patrol Activity offensive. "If the Russians capture Poz-

nan (in western Poland) then the the two men were, said identifica- Houston, and Percy Cox, Waxa- threat to Berlin enters the acute stage," said a Berlin dispatch to the Stockholm Aftonbladet passed by Nazi censorship.

A German commentator's description of scenes incide Berlin indicated rumors were sweeping the capital and hysteria growing. and a half miles into Allied lines "Everybody in Berlin talks of news from the eastern front," he said, and told of workers' concern for their families evacuated to

East Prussia.

The Bern correspondent of Stockholm's Aftonbladet quoted a neutral diplomat as saying that "Berlin is being evacuated with great speed," but there was no confirmation from other sources. Stockholm dispatches said a large part of eastern Germany is

Refugees are storming trains in defiance of orders that bar civilian travel without special permission, the advices said. Stockholm reported Berlin

mounting Russian offensive.

had been showered with emergency decrees. The Volkssturm was called up, armed and shipped eastward by the thousands. Women were ordered to take "extra rapid training" for military service. Wounded soldiers in western and central Germany were being reexamined for military service.

DRUNK DRIVING CHARGES Charges of driving while intoxicar which he was driving figured Doris Cornelius of Floydada is in a collision at the western edge spendin three or four days in the of town. City police turned him or die stand before the Oder. Monday for charging.

war quickly,

large pockets of Hitler's troops the mobile red army

If this is the German strategy,

attempt to hold off Soviet forces them back into the Reich for a do until the end of March when

"When two titanic waves of

Henry And Kok Vie In Series As Rice And Arkansas Fight For Lead

By WILBUR MARTIN Associated Press Staff

Texas basketball experts climb- ference action but tied for second ed out on a limb last week and it place with the Porkers by virtue didn't take the University of Tex- of three victories and one defeat, as Longhorns long to saw it off. takes on cellar-dwelling Baylor The Steers turned the trick neatly by dumping Arkansas' Razorbacks, horns in Austin Saturday,

Thus a two-game series this week-end between loop leading -pits Texas against Bergstrom Rice and the Porkers could produce a topsy-turvey race, equaliing football's merry affair.

Despite the fact Arkansas turned right around and plastered a 74-38 defeat on the Longhorns, Waco Saturday, the race is definitely scrambled. The Steers had been Little Miss Nobody among conference elite, but definitely showed improvement in upsetting the Porkers.

on Houston Friday and Saturday, scorers, boosted his total to 257 when Rice defends its perfect rec- for the season and 104 in loop play ord against once-beaten Arkansas, last week. Kok has 217 for the year there are a number of other at- and 73 in conference action.

tractive offerings.

TCU, often beaten outside con-Wednesday and meets the Long-

cluding one other conference fray Field in Austin Wednesday; Texas A. and M. plays host to McCloskey Hospital of Temple at College Station Thursday, and Southern Methodist tangles with Baylor at

The conference's two highes George Kok of Arkansas - clash from rival center postiions in their While most interest will center to stay among the nation's leading

Sports Leaders Willing To Drop

department and War Manpower

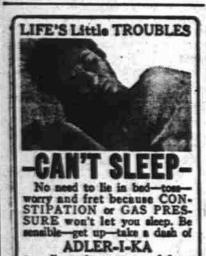
With Subpar Total

TUCSON, Ariz., Jan. 22 (A)-Lanky Ray Mangrum, 34-year-old Los Angeles golfer, whisked over the last 36 holes of the \$5,000 Tucson Open yesterday with brilliant subpar rounds of 66 and 64 for his first important victory since he won the Miami, Fla., Open in 1936. His 72-hole score was 268-12 under par. He pocketed a \$1,000

Ohio's master shotmaker, came in a stroke behind Mangrum after losing a chance for a tie by driving a ball out of bounds on the bility during their training season 513-yard last hole.

Jim Gauntt, Ardmore, Okla., newcomer to the ranks of the trav- ers however, who have but one eling professionals, surprised ev- game a week, work in war plants, eryone with a 271, three behind and the majority of them either Mangrum for third spot. Harold are classified 4-F, or are dsicharg- front. Rankin has been high scorished in fourth place with a 272 after leading at the halfway point with 134.

The traveling golfers left today for San Antonio, Texas, where the 72-hole open at San Antonio starts Friday. The rest of the winter schedule as announced by Fred Corcoran, PGA tournament director, includes Corpus Christi, Texes, Feb. 1.



to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adlerika assists old food wastes and gas through mfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean — refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Caution, use only as directed.

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Cunningham & Philips, Druggists, and Collins Bros., Drugs,—in Ack-erly by Haworth's Drug Store.

The rest of the schedule-in-

scorers-Bill Henry of Rice and teams' series. Henry, continuing

CHICAGO, Jan. 22 (P) - War, too badly worried. "If suspension of professional Commission orders may put a sports will hasten V-Day by even crimp in plans for professional, an hour, we will gladly suspend sparking the B team's scoring, a and intercollegiate sports to oper- our schedule," a representative of team which lost its opener to Stan- served buffet style. ate during the next year, but the the National Football league, old- ton but one that has taken every men at the head of things aren't est pro grid loop in the nation

"We don't want to continue Mangrum Takes Open hockey if there is any interference with the war effort," Bill Tobin, president of the Chicago Blackhawks of the National Hockey league asserted.

Representatives of the Western conference, biggest intercollegiate group in the midwest, echoed the same sentiment.

The recent "work or fight" directive from Washington hit baseball hardest. Baseball players have a game almost every day, and cannot, because of their schedules, take war plant jobs. While they may work in essential jobs during the wintertime, their extensive travel during almost seven months of the year precludes that possi-

and the league schedule. Most professional football playleague rosters.

COUNTRY CLUB MEETING The Country Club will hold its annual stockholders meeting this evening at 8 p. m. it was announced Saturday. The meeting will be held at the club.

FLORES CALLED BACK MEXICO CITY, JAN. 22 (AP)-Jess Flores, pitcher for the Philadelphia Athletics, left today for his home town of Guadalajara without having signed to play in the Mexican Baseball League. He said he had been called back to Los Angeles by his American draft board and that later he planned to talk things over with Connie Mack manager of the Athletics.

YANK HORSES IN MEXICO MEXICO CITY, Jan. 22 (AP) Among many American race horses scheduled to appear on Mexican tracks in the near future is "Marriage," winner of more than \$250,-000 in a U.S. turf career.



Whiten your linens without added wear! L. Don't churn things in your washer any longer than necessary. Too much rubbing by hand also has abrasise effect on fabrics. 2. Avoid using an inferior bleach, which may be uncontrolled in action, and overbleach. This breaks down fabric threads. 3. Whiten safely with Purex, the bleach with Controlled Action! Purex is the only bleach made by the Intrafil Process, insuring uniform action from every bottle, when used according to simple directions. Cottons and linens come out snowy white! Ask your grocer for Purez: it has

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Sliding Down The

Sports Chute

with BILL

The Big Spring Steers have rounded out their practice game schedule and settle down to conference play Tuesday night when they play the Midland Bulldogs on the latter's home court in a game that is due to be filled with plenty of fast-moving action, and with plenty of scores thrown in.

the Odessa invitational cage tour- honoree. ney last Saturday night, and will rule the favorites in the fray tomorrow night.

However the Steers are due to be a great deal tougher and what could happen would come as no surprise to this corner.

Alvin Mize and Hugh Mason join the team today, as the new semester opens at the high school. was ineligible during the fall spring, and is just becoming eligible for varsity competition.

Both these lads have been game since. Playing five games the B team has lost one to Stanton, and has won over Tahoka two times, Safeway grocers and Sweet- Mary Rodriguez, Erlinda Lopez,

interesting.

The Steers have played eight games, have won three and dropped five. Their biggest margin in winning was thirty points, while the most they have been behind when the game ended was 18 points against Midland.

The Steers have amassed a total of 212 points in these eight games, while their opponents have tallied 215. The Steers have averaged 26 and 1/2 points per game while their foes have come up with ehree eights of a point better, 26 and 7/8.

team Horace Rankin is out in president, Mrs. W. C. Hooks, reed veterans. There are few 1-A er in four games, and has tied for jors, corresponding secretary, Mrs. classifications on National football these honors in three others. The first-year flash has tallied 74 points in eight games, his biggest scores being 18 and 13, with his lowest at four.

This gives the diminutive speedster an average of nine and one half points for each contest. Hugh Cochron has led his team once, that time tying with Rankin with 11 points. Pete Cook tallied seven points to tie Rankin in one game, and Billy Rae Warren was top man with nine points in one

Alvin Mize, in five games for the B team, has polled 44 points, his highest score for one game being 14 points. This gives the veteran cage man 8 and 4/5 points per game. (You can easily see that his return to the Steer squad may help the scoring situation quite a bit).

of themselves to date.

see that they haven't been a push- be validated Feb. 1. over for anyone as yet.

Friday night Sweetwater returns a game here, a non-conference affair, and that is due to be a rough and tumble affair with plenty of scoring. There will be two games, the curtain raiser featuring the B team and the finale with the Steers and Mustangs.

(And incidentally, if you have gest a ride over to Midland. That good for five gallons each. is due to be quite a ball game and well worth the trip). Think it over . . .

Party Honors Mrs. Sanders

Clarinda Mary Sanders honored her mother, Mrs. Annie Lea Sanders, with a party Saturday night in their home on Mrs. Sanders' birthday anniversary. Gifts were presented the honoree and refreshments were served from a hand-made linen table cover. The centerpiece was an arrangement of red and white carnations and fern The birthday cake was frosted in white and surrounded by orange

Cake and punch were served and those attending were Lt. and Mrs. I. W. Smith and Cathey, Lt. Murray Stahl, Lt. Dwight Kennedy, Lt. Fred P. Stowers, Gloria Nall, Lt. Al Anderson, Gene Goin, Capt. Jim Rattery, Jonanna Terry, The Bulldogs downed the Steers Lt. C. K. Abernathy, Doris Car-34-16 in the semi-final bracket of rothers, the hostess and the

Newly Wed Couple Honored Sunday

A wedding shower honoring Cpl. and Mrs. Arcenio Chavez was given Sunday afternoon by Mr. and Mize was a letterman last year but Mrs. Gustavo Ochatorena. Mrs. Chavez is the former Vera Ochasemester. Mason is a transfer torena. Cpl Chavez was formerly from Garner, moving here last stationed in Big Spring at the Bombardier school and is now stationed at Camp Howze.

> Music was furnished throughout the party and refreshments were

The guest list included Petra Garcia, Lupe and Fina Sosa, Rosa Chavez, Ysapel Patino, Anita Moralez, Virginia Vela, Mary Sosa, Manuela Garza, Tila Parraz, Mage Munoz, Casimira Gonzalez, Jessie Here are a few statistics up to Moncado, Eusefia Orosco, Bidala the present time that might prove Dominguez, Manuela Trevino, Lupe Mancha, Maria Correra, Manuela Sosa, Mary Lou Chavez, Eva Moralez, Nena Mendoza, Jesus Patino, Lila Chavez, Pola Gomez, Trine Garcia, Fransicca Gomez and Manuela Orosco.

Colorado City Clubs Elect New Officers

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 19 New officers for the 1945-46 study club year were chosen by the 1921 Study club of Colorado City in a meeting at the home of Mrs. A. L. Geer.

Mrs. Ed Anes was chosen presi-In individual scoring for the A dent, Mrs. J. T. Pritchett, vice-Geer, treasurer, and Mrs. J. H. Heath, parliamentarian.

The Self-Culture club also named new officers in a recent meeting at the home of Mrs. A. G. Erwin. President for 1945-46 will be Mrs. Roy Davis Coles. Mrs. Baz Jones was elected first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Shelley, second vice-president. Mrs. Walter Henderson

serve as recording secretary, Mrs. Erwin, corresponding secertary, and Mrs. W. D. McClure as treas-

Ration

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In case you are one of those de- Processed Foods - Book four featists who says we haven't a blue stamps X5 through Z5 and chance, then I suggest you keep A2 through G2 now good. No that opinion to yourself. The termination dates have been set; Steers are going to be even tough- OPA says none will be invalidated er now than before, and you can before March 1. Next series will

Sugar - Book four stamp 34 good for five pounds. No termination date set. A new stamp for five pounds will be validated Feb. 1; must last three instead of two and a half months, Shoes - Book three airplane

stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely; OPA says no plans to cancel

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McNallen at 306 E. 5th Street, at 8 p.m.
REBEKAH LODGE will meet at 7:30 at the IOOF hall. PARISH COUNCIL AND ALTAR SOCIETY will meet in the church

hall at 7:45 p. m.
BETA SIGMA PHI SORORITY will meet at the Crawford Hotel at 8

CHILD STUDY CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Iva Huneycutt at 2:45 p. m. Mrs. J. E. Brigham will be co-hostess. DOS POR OCHO will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. Y. Clink-

THURSDAY CHURCH OF CHRIST LADIES BIBLE STUDY will meet at the church

FRIDAY ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at the W.O.W. hall at 2:30 p. m. WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 8 p. m. at the W.O.W. hall.

SATURDAY MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 3:30 with Mrs. Ira J. Driver at 1206 Johnson street.

Radio Program

Monday Evening 5:00 Terry & The Pirates.

5:15 TSN News. 5:30 Tom Mix. Lonesome Jim.

Fulton Lewis, Jr. Raymond Gram Swing. 6:30 Bulldog Drummond. 7:00 Sizing Up The News.

7:15 Sunny Skylar Serenade. 7:30 Blind Date. 8:00 Gabriel Heatter. Real Stories, From Real

Music For Worship. 9:00 Guy Lombardo & His Royal Canadians. Melody In The Night.

10:00 News. 10:15 Reports From Washington 10:30 Sign Off.

Tuesday Morning 6:30 Sign On. Musical Clock. 7:00 Martin Aronsky. 7:15 Bandwagon. 7:30 News.

Rhythm Ramble. 7:45 8:00 News. 8:05 Breakfast Club. 9:00 My True Story. Aunt Jemima.

9:30 Sunny Side of the Street. Songs by Bing Crosby. 10:00 Breakfast at Sardi's. 10:30 News.

Radio Bible Class. 10:45 11:00 Glamor Manor. 11:30 Amos R. Wood. Musical Interlude. 11:45 Between the Lines. Tuesday Afternoon Luncheon Dance Varieties

12:15 Lonesome Ji.m. 12:30 News. Homer Rodeheaver. 12:45 Cedric Foster. Mystery Chef.

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3:30 That's For Me. 3:45 International News Events. Bandwagon. Dick Tracy. International News Events. 4:30

4:45 Hop Harrigan. Tuesday Evening Terry and the Pirates. News.

Tom Mix. Lonesome Jim. Fulton Lewis, Jr. 6:00 Raymond Gram Swing.

On Stage Everybody. Headliner. Jimmy Lawson-Sports. 7:30 Concert Music.

8:00 Gabriel Heatter. Real Stories From Real Life.

8:30 American Forum of the War News Analyst. 9:30 Army Air Forces. 10:00 News.

Report From Washington. 10:15 10:30 Sign Off. INDIAN DIES IN TOKYO LONDON, Jan. 22 (AP) - The

death in Tokyo of the Indian politician Rash Behari Bose, adviser to the Japanese - sponsored "Provisional government of Free India," was announced today by the Tokyo radio.

Book Review Held In Colorado City

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 19 -Hesperian study club members tertained Friday afternoon of this during the services. week at the home of Mrs. J. G. Merritt with a book review and

Mrs. Ed. E. Williams, guest reviewer, presented a vivid resume of pink carnations. of "Papa Was A Preacher" by a Dallas author, Alyne Porter. Calling the book, "rich in humor and refreshingly alive and normal," Mrs. Williams highlighted the wit and the strong family affection portrayed in Miss Porter's book of life in a Methodist parsonage. The reviewer was introduced by Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

At the tea hour Mrs. Merritt was assisted in serving a refreshment course by Mrs. Ford Merritt, Mrs. Whipkey, Mrs. J. A. Sadler, and Mrs. Bill Coffey.

Austin Coach Is Not To Succeed Russell

AUSTIN, Jan. 22 (AP) - Standard Lambert, Austin high school football coach, yesterday declared himself out of the running to succeed H. N. "Rusty" Russell as name from a list of possible successors. He had been called to Dallas for a conference with school officials shortly after Russell resigned to accept temporary head coachship at Southern Methodist University.

Byrnes Uninterested In Job As Mogul

GREENVILLE, S. C., Jan. 22 (AP) War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes definitely isn't interested in becoming high commissioner of baseball after the war. Sports Editor Carter (Scoop) Latimer of the Greenville News proposed the idea recently in his column and the suggestion was endorsed by several baseball offi-

But Byrnes in a letter to Latimer said thanks but under no circumstances would he be interest-

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Miss Viola Bomil of New York City, became the bride of Capt. Paul De Turk of Erie, Penn., in a ceremony read Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the post chapel. The vows were read by Chaplain Ray L. Allen of the Protestant Chapel.

The bride wore a winter white, dress with blue accessories and bardier school where Capt. Deshoulder corsage of orchids. Turk is a pilot. Miss Mildred Barlow attended the bride and wore a white woolen dress with black accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

The altar was banked with daffodils with potted palms and baskets of red carnations at eidelabra burned during the candlelighted ceremony. Col. Robert Collick, organist,

played the bridal chorus from Lohengrin and the wedding march from Mendelssohn. Miss Lee and a number of guests were en- Griffing assisted Chaplain Allen Mrs. J. D. DeTurk, mother of the bridegroom, was present and

> Lt. Charles F. Schlegel was the bridegroom's best man. Both the bridegroom and Lt. Schlegel are stationed at the Big Spring Bom-

wore a green crepe dress and

black accessories with a corsage



Following the ceremony the wedding party went to the Officers club. The couple will be at home here in Big Spring.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Dyer have ther end of the rail. White can- returned to Palm Springs, Calif., after spending 17 days visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Hurley, his mother, Mrs. Jack Cain, and other relatives and friends.



Perfectly Foolish Ed Wynn can. Which means that radio listeners in need of heart-warming laugh-ter should catch Borden's new radio show tonight. Starring Ed Wynn, with Jerry Wayne, Mark Warnow, and Elsie, Elmer and Beulah. KBST, 9:30 P. M. CWT.

Lambert said he had requested Highland Park to withdraw his name from a list of possible. IRRITABLE. HIGH-STRUNG

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His staff now is made up of two first-rate mechanics as well as a bookkeeper. These mechanics, like the parts they use, are the best. They have had many years experience in business of repairing and maintaining equipment and are among the best qualified

With some 100 orders in for his Ford-Ferguson tractors, Worrell sells his stock as fast as he gets it. There is no immediate relief in sight for relieving the critical shortage of these machines, but the company has hopes of a few more tractors during the year. Worrell stated that an end to the war in Germany may help the output, but nothing definite is known. But like all supply houses Worrell handles every piece of machinery that is needed to go with his line of tractors. Aside from this he has the Burkley water pump, cream separators, oil, tractor tires, and all other farm machinery needed for the first-rate maintenance of lands.

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supplied with this tractor is among the fastest in the business. It moves more dirt with better results, from a farming angle, than over the company materials were scarce. His parts department, at well that first-year crops are easily does any other similar machine, well that first-year crops are easily

ers and ranchers one of the most good both for road and ditch

Fords do not work like they should with just any equipment, Worrell states, and a good line of Ford parts and equipment should be used with them. Although his equipment is made to be sold with tractors, he releases it now at any time due to the tractor shortage.

The Burkley water pump that the Big Spring Tractor company has ranges from one-quarter horsepower up to five. It is among the best made, and its wide use in a section where water and electricity are scarce proves its economy and dependability.

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well that first-year crops are easily made on the terraces. Also there is the blade terracer with a 6-foot blade that works off the hydraulic system. This is good both for road and ditch work. Runyan Observing Twenty Expert Counsel On Tires Given Years of Local Service

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J. C. Myrick has been with Runyan's for many years and has doen his support for the coming year. Although Runyan's is the deal-

er for well known trade names of fixtures, their most valuable service at the present time is in repair work. The repair and service department now has a fairly complete stock of necessary parts and equipment. Although the war has have worked out very successfully. holdings.

Brass, which is so vital to the tutes. Brass was, when it could this rise. be obtained in unlimited quanti- "You would not want to buy a a minimum of economy no pump metals in the plumbing field. It would you?" asked Burnett. "In should run over two-three hours was able to withstand wear for insurance this very thing is done equipment are being formed of ple." plastics, yet the more important Modern coverage, like modern

the faucets are still of brass.

pair work on their trucks, cars, or tractors, or need parts and equipment for farm or ranch work, then he has the stock they need. Everything that goes with tor, and anything that goes with good first-rate farming results, that is the aim of the Big Spring Tractor company, and is their promise to the farmers in this section, Worrell adds.

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beginning of another year they promise to continue to do so. Burnett Stresses much to contribute to the success of the business. He also pledges Full Coverage

January, a month of inventories, study of his changing needs to time of the year for checking on times. insurance coverage and needs, Henry C. Burnett, operator of his office now to discuss their prob- tention. This being the case, he own agency, points out.

taken away some of the materials propriate, for not only is it the for frank advice on insurance may up lately?" needed in plumbing repair, they beginning of a new year. but it be given by an insurance expert have been replaced to a great ex- is a time when men are prone to just as counsel on lay would be tent with war substitutes which more critically examine their given by an attorney or a prescrip-

Today most insurable values are from a doctor." quires about 30 gallons of water production of war equipment and up, but in many cases policyholdmaterial, has been replaced by ers have neglected to advance inplastics and iron or other substi- surance coverage to protect against

> ties, one of the most important book with half the pages missing. long periods of time and also was every day when agents sell and rust-proof, an essential quality in clients pay for insurance that is plumbing material. However, incomplete-fire insurance withnow many faucet parts and other out extended coverage, for exam-

> parts within the mechanism of warfare, requires specialized knowledge and thus the services Runyan's is the dealer for of sound agencies come into play. Crane, Kohler and Standard makes The alert agent, he continued, of fixtures and is able to supply a must make it his business to help his clients maintain a continuous

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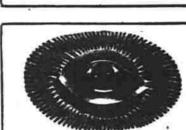
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For the past 14 years he has A single skid loses miles of tire been selling and servicing tires as life. a major vocation in Big Spring. Avoid bumps and increase tire Although he has stressed the im- life. portance of Seiberling tires, should be the most appropriate keep insurance up to par at all Creighton's service has been extended to help users of all makes "More people are coming to our

lems in confidence," said Burnett. raised the question: "Have you The month is particularly ap- "We believe this is as it should be had a thorough insurance check-

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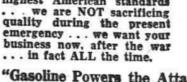
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Reducing Conventions

The War Today

by Dewitt Mackenzie ciated Press War Analyst

Germany's position in the path of the Red avalanche hourly becomes more grim.

Muscovite forces have bludgeoned their way well into German industrial Silesia on the road to proud Breslau, important railway center and next to Berlin the greatest city in Prussia. They've stormed into East Prussia and captured Tannenberg, scene of Russia's greatest defeat in the last war and Valhalla of the Prussian militarism which the Allies have vowed to destroy as the curse of Europe. The Red war machine is driving the Hitlerites before it across the frozen plains of Poland towards the borders of the reich.

How long can the Germans hold out against this terrific offensive - an onslaught unprecedented in history for weight and intensity? That certainly is a legitimate question, especially since even the Hitlerites are frank to admit that the European war has entered its decisive stage. The only point in doubt is how long the reich can hold out.

In trying to find an answer we mustn't forget certain basic facts which we long have known about German purposes and the strategy they intended to employ in an effort to achieve those purposes. Emphatically we shouldn't jump to the conclusionas many did when the Nazis began their great retreat from Normandy-that the war will be over in

The terrible Nazi defeat at Stalingrad early in 1948 was the turning point of the war. The Germans realized then that their chances of winning were mighty slim, and surely they knew their goose was cooked after they lost their grip on the Mediterranean through their disasters in Africa and Italy.

Hitler then let the world know what his strategy was. He would hang onto the occupled countries and bleed them so long as possible. Finally he would retire inside his own fortified frontiers of Germany and fight it out.

Now the Germans have abandoned their Vistula line and are racing for their frontier defenses. German strategy has called for this withdrawal to the eastern frontier of the reich for a stand along the defenses of the Oder river.

Whether the Nazis will be able to make a strong stand on the Oder remains to be seen, but that's their intention and we must be prepared for hard fighting. They will be battling on their own threshold. Everything will be at stake. We must expect them to make a desperate and even suicidal

One of the most sensible developments to grow out of the recent tightening-up process, which followed in the wake of reverses in the European theatre, is the clamping down of rules against con-

Why there should ever have been so many conventions even in normal times ranks is one of the major mysteries of the nation. Everybody was bidding for conventions, and if there weren't enough to go around, then ingenious souls managed to organize more to meet the demand.

With the advent of the war some of these were sensibly abandoned-and no few of them for good, we hope. However, there was no marked exodous of the convention custom, for the majority of groups envisioned theirs as specially important. It wasn't exactly helping the war effort, but then what would just one little convention hurt?

The net result was that already over-taxed hotel facilities, train and bus schedules, spaces and even means of private travel were burdened with these relatively unimportant meetings. And, really, what could be more senseless than conventioneers cluttering up vitally needed quarters?

While there undoubtedly will be many who will rant and tear and cry out that freedom is being restricted when they have to go to Washington to apply for a convention permit, it is, we think, generally a very good thing that this practice has been sharply curbed.

Good Choices In Demand

Ballots have gone out to members of the chamber of commerce for election of 10 directors. These, with a similar number of hold-over directors, will elect five others to comprise a board of 25 men to lead the organization's activities during the year.

In the final analysis, how broad a program is effected for community betterment is dependent largely upon the calibre of men which are called upon to initiate and to supervise the administration

Thus, we believe that the selection of these di- that he had figured out how "your about dug in for the night. They manufacturers. There is little there has been a considerable rectors is a matter of community concern and that guns and mortars which never took three prisoners. members of the organization should all vote-and stop" keep up their "round the vote for those in whom they see the ability and in- clock" shelling. terest to undertake progressive programs with vigor and determination

The chamber is the accepted and logical instru- ry said. "Every time anyone fin- helped to deliver-but they're tak- reasons why they should deny to that it will be more difficult than ment for community development undertakings. It ishes a chapter he drops a round ing a lot of kidding from their the Army and the Navy the sup- ever to induce those to do war is well established and deep rooted; it is expansive in the mortar. in the interests its serves as well as those from which it draws its support. It is therefore important tem. They must play poker all in the cold night, T/Sgt. Elmer If the opposition is successful in this legislation would be tantathat Big Spring command its best material for key the time and the man who loses Schaffer of Belleville, Ill., and blocking this legislation, it will mount in its practical effect to givservice on the chamber board.

If home-front morale collapses and brings unexpectedly early surrender, that will be our good where he was carving a foxhole. They found a doctor in a near- to take on nothing better than

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gave this account of it:

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nuson, of Port Blakely, Wash., and William J. Fulbright, of Fay- there as it is here?"

be a senator, come up the hard formerly a newspaper man with of the administration. way. There are 15 new faces in a particularly observant eye on Of the remaining, Wayne Morse Hollywood gress, and only three of them can both state and national politics. of Oregon is well known here as oast of winning without any political background.

the ex-singing cowboy from Hickenlooper of Iowa, Hoey of torney, before he upset able isola- can bear it or not, a new version funny." Idaho; Homer Capehart, the mu- North Carolina, Johnston of tionist Sen. John Danaher. sic box tycoon from Indiana; and South Carolina, Moses of North

hart made his campaign on a President Truman is named. straight-out anti - administration All made outstanding records For Taxpayers Here quote:

of the new senators are not only who reversed the vote trend in well schooled in politics but Massachusetts to win the Repubfirmly grounded in government lican election by a staggering maadministration. The only one who jority; and Moses who, as a wasn't elected was 38-year-old Democrat, has been one of the Hugh Mitchell of Washington, most popular political figures in just appointed to fill out the term years in normally Republican (two years) of former Sen. Mon North Dakota. Wallgren, now governor of his

executive secretary and campaign Three of the new senators came

Mitchell, president of the Civil WASHINGTON-If you want to Service Commission, and was eral, but not always on the side he was talking.

been, among other things, gov- War Labor Board; and Brien Mac-To dispose of these three first, ernors of their states. They are Mahon of Connecticut was former- By KOBBIN COONS

Alexander Smith, of New Jersey. Dakota and Donnelly of Missouri. Taylor and Smith are both (Missouri will get another new Instruction School avowed internationalists. Cape- senator when a successor to Vice-

ticket and is considered a certain as chief executives of their states, member of the old non-interven- and at least two of them are expected to do likewise as freshman With these three exceptions, all senators. These are Saltonstall,

One important thing about all of the former governors is that Senator Mitchell knows his way they took their stand firmly with about in Washington better than the administration on post-war a lot who have held elective posi- participation of this nation in an tions for years. He was Wallgren's international peace organization.

manager in the gubernatorial bat- to the upper chamber from the House. They are Francis Myers, He is the son of Harry B. of Philadelphia, Pa.; Warren Mag-

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By HAL BOYLE WITH THE AMERICAN FIRST that other company on our flank," ARMY IN BELGIUM, Jan. 14 (De- Jones replied. layed) (P)-Foxhole fun:

lanyard."

on the other side of the hedge need of a doctor. Texas, called over jocularly:

erable reputations as independent bors until his platoon sergeant

A captured German infantry- When the platoon sergeant told

man who had been pinned in a him the other company hadn't Even this bill is running into op-

84th infantry division buddies. "The artillery has a better sys- Hearing a woman's voice calling demanded.

goes to the gun and pulls the Pfc. Edward Wynn, Zanesville, mean that these gentlemen believe ing all the unwilling, who are not Ohio, ran to a farmhouse just be- they know better than the men liable to the military draft, a Con-Hearing some men digging in expectant mother in immediate most surely and quickly be won, war work.

S/Sgt. Russell E. Jones, Dumont, by town and he asked them to re- their own personal judgment. For "Is is as tough digging over p. m., a thin wail broke out in the we have another reverse as we had farmhouse shaken by artillery fire. Senators Come Up The Hard Way etteville, Ark.

All three were "youngsters" in the House who rolled up considing the House who rolled up considing.

He couldn't hear their answer A new life had been born on the but he continued a one-sided conback to soldiering.

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Plain to the troops why the men are not there to reinforce them and to relieve them, why all the weapons they need have not been

"I will take my foxhole any-Democrats, almost invariably lib- came over and asked him to whom time," said Schaeffer, "and leave produced? this job to the doctors."

Six of the new senators have capital spurs as a member of the New Epidemic Springs Up Among Public would be compelled under the May bill to transfer from inessential

laughs. . . ."

for Lou Costello.

Demons Food fish

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navigator

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In an effort to enlist employer assistance in filing of income tax their seats. . . . Sent everyone both of us can be funny." He says wrought an industrial miracle? returns, H. W. Axe, Odessa, depaway happy. . . . Team just as it like a fellow who doesn't think uty collector of internal revenue, Some of the scenes are a little less funny than he can be. in the district courtroom Thurs-Abbott and Costello." . . . cannot attend an afternoon session

Picture Herald on the film "Ad- doing all right - creating laughs cost in human life. ventures of a Rookie."

last year. There will be only the The stars thereof are a pair of W-2 and the 1040 forms this year, ex-vaudevillians named Wally Brown and Alan Carney, who The deputy collector is particularly anxious to have some repre- henceforth by RKO decree must sentative from all firms which travel the cinematic highway toemploy 10 or more persons so that gether-a team. New York's Carney and Bosthese may in turn assist fellow

workers in compilation of returns, ton's Brown were not meant for "Last year we were able to each other; they just happened. spend a week here with a staff of Carney came out for Cary Grant's four workers to give assistance." "Mr. Lucky" and Brown arrived he said. "This year we have only at the studio almost simultamyself and one other agent. This neously. Mainly to keep them means that we simply won't be earning their pay, they were able to give as much help as for- joined in the "Rookie" film for a surprise hit, quickly followed by four other team pictures. They made side excursions but mainly their future is in double harness.

ATLANTA, Jan. 22 (AP) - Maj. he's the good-looking one-with This is presenting Wally Brown William E. Spence, chief of the the problem of going "straight" Georgia Bureau of Investigation, as inevitably one member of a comic team must, more or less. Charlie Hill, 40, picked the lock Brown winces at the thought, but at the Wilkes county convict camp is gamely trying,-not to go at night, burglarized homes and straight but to keep on being fun-

stores and then re-entered the ny.
prison and stored his loot in his To Carney (he's the fat one, 204 locker and under his bunk. He ap- pounds on the hoof) there is no parently was selling the goods to such problem. Carney, being stout, is sure he can go on being Hill is serving a 15-year term funny. He's consoling to Brown: "Why, some teams don't have a

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counter-attack. The Red Army that because the Red Army has they are fit and able to serve) the has broken through the line of mounted the greatest offensive of drafting of nurses is not only an the Vistula. And here at home the war, the Congress of the unjust discrimination but almost the threat of a national service act United States has decided that certinly it will not meet the

"Why, with those fellows from ers hope for immediately, is a na- with the power of the Red army tional service act confined to males that at the crisis of this war it

foxhole for days by the steady moved up yet, both soldiers be- position from labor leaders, from Of all the arguments for blockpounding of artillery told Pvt. came curious, circled around cau- some farm leaders, and from some ing this legislation, the most fool-Hans L. Link of Warren, Penn., tiously and saw three Jerries just who pretend to speak for the ish is that it is not needed because Two red-faced doughboys are opposition will grow stronger and obvious that if the legislation is "The mortarmen must spend all heroes to one Belgian mother that the softer members of Con- defeated, the volunteering will their time reading books." the Jer- whose seven-pound baby boy they gress will think of more and more quickly taper off, and that after port which they have urgently work who have other things they

> hind the lines and discovered an who are fighting how the war can gressional exemption from any That is a fearful gamble for them turn and help him. At exactly 11 how will they excuse themselves if in December? How will they ex-

The Congress cannot afford to overrule the responsible war leaders in favor of the spokesmen of pressure groups. The men who bill to transfer from inessential jobs to necessary jobs are not more straight man, Wally. Look at than 2,000,000 in the next six they are: Senators Glen Taylor, Saltonstall, of Massachusetts, ly an assistant United States at- HOLLYWOOD — Whether you Laurel and Hardy—they're both months. If this is to be considered too heavy a sacrifice to ask of of the epidemic known as Abbott "I wouldn't go on," says Wally some civilians, what shall be said and Costello is springing up with dignity, "if I were going to of the sacrifice made by the among us. It's too late to avert be just a straight man. Why, I 10,000,000 who are already in the the calamity, and (in the manner used to have my own comic act on armed forces, of the sacrifice of the late political season) I the stage-I did a dribble-talk act which is to be asked of the 900.that killed 'em. We're just two 000 young men who will be drafted "The farmers showed their ap- crazy characters-he's the dumb by June 30, and of the millions preciation with plenty of hearty one and I'm the smart guy. We're upon millions of men and women belly laughs. . . . Crowd rocked in having our material written so already in war industries who have

> This great mass, who are alwill hold a school of instruction good as Abbott and Costello. . . it's so funny that he should be ready doing their full duty, will be affected by this bill only in the corny, but . . . Watch out, Abbott But Carney, who hasn't a thing sense that it will support them and He will open the session at 2 and Costello, here comes your to worry about, being the fat one, help them and encourage them. p. m. and "will continue as long match. . . . With correct stories sure to get laughs, is conciliatory. They are the real constituency to as any one wishes to raise ques- and a bit of exploitation this pair "Yeah, Wally, I'm just the dumb which Congress is responsible. By tions. If there are those who will be as good as, or as bad as, one, you'll get plenty . of them the Congress will be held accountable if in any respect the and want an evening meeting, we These quotes, Mr. A. and Mr. 10 console brown for our own constant of finishing the war de-Axe plans to take the form, item town exhibitors in the Motion straightest of straight men. He's cisively, promptly, and at the least

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draft nurses has stimulated volun- and even our luxuries? Nurse Corps.

more cheerful, the number of If we relax because the war news erly and taken care of decently in those who wish to relax their ef- is for the moment better, the world their convalescence and rehabiliforts has increased. The respon- will put little faith in any promise tation. sible war leaders, after a canvass we make about acting to preserve of Congress, have felt it necessary peace after the war is over. The it that enough women come forto yield by coming down from the world will conclude, and we shall ward who will do this work, and Austin-Wadsworth bill to the May have no answer, that if we relax will stick at it after the glamour

that the eyes of the world are upon that effect on the volunteer re-Resistance to a national service it. Much has been said of late cruitment of women for war work act has increased during the last in Congress and in public speech and also for the women's auxiltwo weeks. There are four real about our ideals in this war, and laries to the armed forces. This is reasons. Von Rundstedt's offen- about how the President must its most serious defect, a defect sive has been contained and push- champion them in the council of which cannot be cured simply by ed back in the Ardennes. Mac- our allies. Just what will be his singling out registered nurses and Arthur has made a successful position if he arrives at the next conscripting them. In the absence landing in Luzon and has not yet meeting with Marshal Stalin and of a general obligation upon all encountered a serious Japanese Mr. Churchill, and has to admit women to serve somewhere tif

has brought about a considerable American civilians who should be pressing need for more nursing number of applications for jobs in making guns may relax and con- care of the sick and wounded in war industries; the proposal to tinue to provide for our comfort military hospitals. Thousands teer recruitment in the Army Let no one have any illusions trained nurses, will be needed if about the consequences, even if the Americans who are casualties As the headlines have become they are not openly expressed, of this war are to be nursed prop-

when the war is far from being and excitement of battle have sub-The main difference between won, we shall become so relaxed sided. these two bills is that the May bill afterward that we cannot be exempts women from the legal counted upon to act promptly and duty of national service. A second effectively to preserve the peace. difference is that it exempts men The world will say that the Conbetween the ages of forty-five and gress of the United States, though sixty. The May bill, which is now loud in its protestations about the best that the responsible lead- "power politics," was so pleased from eighteen to forty-five years ran out upon the President of the United States and the American military leaders.

doubt that if the war news sounds flurry of volunteer recruitment better in the next few weeks, this since it was proposed. Is it not would rather do? The defeat of

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Wanted To Buy Real Estate

Miscellaneous

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HAVE a trailer house for rent. Bollinger Grocery, 300 N. W 3rd or phone 378.

Farms & Ranches FARM for lease at Vealmoor, Tex-

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Real Estate

Houses For Sale

SIX-room house, barber shop, 705 East Third. Write owner, Miss Morley 510 Baylor, Austin. Texas. FIVE-room house for sale. Im-

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Lots & Acreages

TWO lots in 1900 block Johnson St.; one lot in 100 block Lincoln St. See Alvin Shroyer or Justin Holmes at Shroyer Motor Co., phone 37.

OTS \$50 and up; also 320 acres land, \$25 per acre with terms. See J. D. Wright, two miles west of town. Rt. 2. Box 8.

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Gail road. J. L. Bedwell. FOR FEW days, a 250-acre farm, all real good land, good water, well improved, daily mail. Price \$40 per acre cash, possession. the communique said. It gave no J. B. Pickle, phone 1217.

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FARM, 250 acres, 170 acres cultivation, level, good 4-room frame house, out buildings, plenty good water, well located, good road, get all mineral. Must sell soon \$40 acre. Also other tracts ranging from 80 acres well improved to 20 sections, priced right. C. B. Lawrence, 1513 Main St., Big Spring, Tex.

For Exchange GOING TO AMARILLO? Have 5-

room home, choice location in Amarillo, would like to trade for Big Spring property. Call ed, they should write in their Mr. West, phone 244.

Wanted To Buy WANT to buy: Three to five-

room house or duplex, must be reasonable. Phone 687. Mitchell County

Nurses Join Army COLORADO CITY, Jan. 22 -Two Mitchell county nurses, Crys- commerce offices and obtain one. tal Neff and Peggy Morgan, left last week for Los Angeles, Cali- Condition Of Butler

unteered.

parents are Mr. and Mrs. Blaine tured skull. Morgan of the Looney community.

Angeles.

Plumber Found Shot

BORGER, Jan. 22 (P)-Elmo P. Sullivan, 34-year-old plumber, was City when the car struck a curb. found shot to death here yesterday in his apartment. Police said a Borger woman had been arrested in the case. Police said Sullivan had been

shot three times through the head Also 3-room house, tractor and equipment. One of the best with a .22 caliber rifle. NAZIS LAY CLAIMS LONDON, JAN, 22 (P)-The German high command claimed to-

day the sinking of six ships in con-

tic U-Boat warfare. The ships ag-

gregated 31,000 gross register tons

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voys and three corvettes in Atlan-

fornia, where they are to be in- Said To Be Improved ducted into the Army Nurses Corps, for which they have vol-COLORADO CITY, Jan. 19 -

CC Members Mailed

Each member of the Big Spring

chamber of commerce has been

mailed a card bearing the list of

nominees selected by the nomi-

nating committee as the new di-

Members are urged to select 10

from the list and return the cards

as quickly as possible. Officials

said that if there are those who

wish to vote for someone not list-

choices. The 10 men receiving

the largest number of votes will

be named the 1945 directors. Then

the 10 new directors and the 10

held over will select five more di-

rectors, making the complete

directorate consist of 25 members.

The voting cards should be re-

turned by January 27. Those

members not receiving cards were

asked to stop by the chamber of

List Of Nominees

The condition of Bobby Butler, 16, Both are graduates of Colorado bellhop at the Crawford hotel who-City high school and both received was critically injured in an autonurses' training at Hendrick Me- mobile accident early Friday mornmorial hospital in Abilene. They ing, was said to be slightly imhave been on duty for the past proved. Hospital attendants exseveral months in a hospital at Los pressed slight hope for his recovery Friday morning, but admitted Miss Neff is the daughter of Mr. in the late afternoon that "he now and Mrs. William (Pat) Neff Sr., has a chance." X-rays, they said, Colorado City. Miss Morgan's showed the boy to have a frac-

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Butler, farmers in the Westbrook district, he was driving a car he had borrowed and overturned in the residence district of Colorado

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Hogs 1,000; steady; good and hoice butcher hogs 180 lb. and to 14.55; good lighter weight butchers 13.25 - 14.50.

Sheep 4700; steady; good wooled duty overseas in September of that lambs 14.25; good and choice shorn year. lambs with No. 1 pelts 13.00; slaughter ewes mostly 6.00 - 7.50.





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Ted Hale Reported Missing In Action

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 21. -Pfc. Ted Hale, 23, a senior student in Abilene Christian College when he entered military service, has been reported missing in action, according to a War Department message received in Colorado City Sunday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale. The message stated that Pfc. Hale has been missing since January 5, somewhere in France.

Holder of the Purple Heart for wounds received when he risked his life to rescue men caught in a sneak bombing raid in North Africa early in November, 1943, Pfc. Hale was only recently awarded the combat infantryman's badge for service in France with the Sevgood fat calves mostly 13.00 - 75 enth army. He was on duty with with a few to choice calves up to a headquarters company of the infantry.

He is a graduate of high school here and entered training in the army in February 1943. After training at Camp Wolters and in Greenville, Pa., he was sent to

Church Goes Over Crusade Quota

The Wesley Methodist church definitely active cases, seven were with cash and pledges swelling were admitted to Sanatorium. well past the \$860 goal. More than half the amount was in cash, including a \$45 contribution presented by A. D. Meador in behalf of the Firemen's Sunday school have serious results, she said.

Featured on the morning program which highlighted the Incoming Dance church's whirlwind response were Wednesday Night talks by three laymen and the pastor. Elra Phillips spoke on "the need for a crusade in foreign lands"; C. R. Donaldson on "what day night at the Cadet club, Mrs. would Christ do?"; Cecil Nabors Lynette McElhannon, cadet hoston "what has been done"; and the pastor, the Rev. W. L. Porterfield the dance has not been set but briefly outlined the five points of the crusade. Following the service, the col-

lection was taken and lunch was served in the church basement. A brief business session culminated the rally.

Local USES Officials Attend San Angelo Meet Six representatives from the Big

Spring U. S. Employment Service office were in San Angelo Sunday for a meeting of area USES offi- and Mrs. Verbel Whatley. At the business meeting which

began at 2 p. m., the Abilene area Joe Turner, Mrs. Jude Cotton, chapter of the International As- Mrs. V. Sims and Miss Audie Lynn sociation of Public Employment Services was set up. The business meeting was followed by a banquet Sunday evening. Those present from Big Spring were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Clark, Miss Georia Ferrel, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Gunnip, J. D. O'Barr, Frances Renfro and Doyle Wilson.



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"WILSON"-The most pretentious of all biographical motion pictures, comes to the Ritz theatre Tuesday and Wednesday for its premiere showing in this section of the state. Because of the 28th president's fight for the League of Nations, the production is pertinent history as well as a biography. With all its richness of color and scope, it nevertheless is human in the extreme with Alexander Knox doing a great job in the character role as Woodrow Wil-

"Wilson" Opens Here Tuesday at the Ritz

forded the opportunity Tuesday first World War, the Armistice and Wednesday of witnessing and Wilson's arrival in Paris for 'Wilson," the ephocal biography the historic peace negotiations. of the 28th president of the United

So gigantic was the scale of production, that it required three years for Darryl Zanuk's great biography to be completed at a cost of four million dollars. Moreover, 13,000 players were used in filming the picture in 162 large-scale sets.

ed with singular force by Zanuck ordinary features.

Show Positive Result

The nurse urged all those peo-

ple who tested and showed posi-

tive results to have their X-rays

will be in Tuesday's paper. The

post orchestra will play for the

Ladies of the Nazarene church

served cake, coffee and sand-

wiches Sunday afternoon at the

USO Ofrom 5 to 7 p. m. Those

acting as hostesses were Mrs. Ivy

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the work of Alexander Knox as Woodrow Wilson, whose role is almost continuous and whose part is one of the longest ever written. His restraint from the spectacular only makes his interpretation all the more powerful.

Other stars in the heavily cast production are Thomas Mitchell as These, however, do not tell the Joseph Tumulty, Sir Cedric Hardstory of Wilson's pretentiousness, wicke as Senator Henry Cabot for Zanuck achieved success in Lodge, arch enemy of the League, getting over his idea that "some- Charles Coburn as a fictional times the life of a man mirrors composit of Wilson's professorial the life of a nation. The destiny of friends and Willian Edythe as the our country was crystalized in the student counterpart of Coburn. life and times of Washington and These are the only fictional char-Lincoln, and perhaps, too, in the acters in the show, which moves Historic newsreels are employ- its length seems no longer than studies.

Drunkenness Heads Charges In Court

Mrs. Ann Fisher, city-county health nurse, has patch tested 4,-923 people in Big Spring and Howard county for tuberculosis, she announced Monday. Fifteen per cent of the people tested showed positive results. Twenty-nine were X-rayed and about eight per cent

of the peace and VD check up. Of the eight per cent showing positive X-rays, six patients had

SCOUT MEETING CHANGED

immediately. Postponement might ing to an announcement by Executive Director H. D. Norris, Troop No. 1 will have its meeting hereafter on Thursday night instead of Monday night, and Troop No. 19 will meet on Wednesday rather than Monday. Both meetings will An incoming dance for cadet be held at the same places, Norclass 45-19B will be held Wednesess, has announced. The time for



For the first time in almost a week drunkenness charges led in the number of cases on the city court docket Monday morning. Of the fifteen cases in court, nine were drunks, two vagrancy, two affray and one each, disturbance

Police Chief A. G. Mitchell disclosed Monday morning that approximately 15 women will be sent went over the top Sunday on its quota for the Crusade for Christ Mrs. Fisher disclosed. Six patients ably leave Monday night, he said. to El Paso for rapid treatment at

> The meeting of two Boy Scout troops has been changed accord-

Continental Test Bores Steadily In Glasscock Field

Continental's deep test in the ed 8,632 feet of hole. The bottom formation still is lime. Location is in section 133-29, W&NW.

To the west the Phillips No. 1 L. S. McDowell, northern Glass- territory were given. cock deep test, was below 6,700 feet in lime.

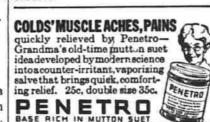
1,317 feet while Continental 160 the south and 330 feet from the west lines of section 160-29, W&NW, rigged to spud. Continental No. 9-E Clay, section 138-29, W&NW, was reported below ,475 feet in lime.

Moore No. 1 Cosden, a 5.500foot wildcat in section 38-32-1n, T&P, adjacent to Cosden refinery. was at 4,490 feet in lime and chert. Cosden's No. 1-A Read, section 40-30-1n, T&P, was rigging cable tools while Cosden No. 4-B Read, section 48-30-1n, T&P. was running 7-inch oil string below 2,600 feet. North and west the Hunt Oil No. 1 A. L. Wasson, section 19-28-1n, T&P, reamed below 3,700 feet with bottom of hole at 3,884 feet.

In northwest Mitchell county Warren Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Chester L. Jones, Vincent pay wildcat, in section 9-26, H&TC, was at 4,603 feet in lime. Karcher. et al, announced in an application to plug their No. 1 J. C. Caldwell, Vealmoor wildcat at 6,700 feet, that they planned to deepen later. It is 890 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of section 32-32-2n, T&P.

C. W. Gutherie is to spud a 3,500 cable tool test in Howard county Monday. Location is in the southeast edge of the Chalk pool. It will be known as the No. 1 W W. and L. R. Reed and is 330 feet from the north and west lines of the northwest quarter of section 141-29. W&NW. It is a direct south offset to Continental's No. 4-E Chalk.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cain have their daughter, Billie, home for a week. She is a sophomore student at John Tarleton College and will with such compelling interest that return Sunday to resume her





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Shorts		Red Oats Bushel	1.05
80/20 Mixed Hull		Red Anchor Laying Mash	3.80
Grand Mixed Grain	3.10	20% Sheep Cubes	3.10
Bewley's Mixed 24% Dairy Feed	3.35	Horse Feed	3.70
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Colorado Flier Reported Missing

COLORADO CIFY, Jan. 22 First Lieutenant Calvin E. Jarnigan, first pilot of a B-24 Liberator bomber, who was reported Howard-Glasscock field bored missing in action over Austria afsteadily ahead toward the antici- ter a mission on December 15, is pated pay zones below 9,000 feet safe and has returned to duty as the week ended with a report- with his squadron, according to a War Department message received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jarnigan, Friday. No particulars of his return to Allied

Commissioned second lieutenant February, 1944, at Frederick, Ok-Continental 160 No. 5-S was lahoma, he was sent to overseas abandoned without production at duty in June of 1944. He holds the Air Medal and the oak leaf clus-No. 6-S, located 2,310 feet from ter for his "participation in sustained operational activities against the enemy."

He is 23, and has a younger brother, Clyde, in service somewhere in the Pacific theater as a shipfitter third class with the United States Navy.

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for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis and Elsie, Elmer and Beulah. KBST, 9:30 P. M. CWT. (adv.)

Disease Report Shows Downward Trend Here

The communicable disease rement and the Big Spring-Howard dysentery in the state from 1099 cases two weeks ago to 663 last falo Trail council before going to week. However, the rate locally is Texarkana as an area executive fairly constant with 12 cases re- where he served when he accept

ported in this area last week. There was one case of tuberculosis-meningitis, nine whooping cough, two scarlet fever, one pneumonia. There was a decided fall in the number of cases of influenza with only two cases last week.

J. H. Greene, manager of the chamber of commerce, is still out of his office due to illness, but his condition is reported improving.



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HODGES ASSUMES DUTIES Jack Hodges, who assumed his

cuties as area executive of the Concho Valley Boy Scout council port from the state health depart- on Dec. 26, is spending the week end visiting relatives and friends county health unit for last week here. Hodges started in Big showed a downward trend in Spring as a volunteer worker, became a field executive in the Buted the San Angelo call.

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