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## Appreciation Day Draws Large Crowd To Burk

Appreciation Day, held in Burk Burnett each Wednesday at 7 o'clock replaces the Trades event formerly held each day afternoon.

One of the largest crowds to witness the event on a similar occasion gathered Wednesday to witness the new program. Interest and as the weeks pass and more people are expected to attend.

R. J. Winkles was honored Wednesday program, for her sorrow she was not able to attend.

Prospects for a good fruit crop are bright. Peach trees are so loaded it is necessary to pull part of the green fruit to keep the tender limbs from breaking under the weight.

Executive committee met Monday at Town Hall and decided the following rules and regulations for the Soft Ball League which was officially opened Monday night, May 7, with following rules to be observed:

Motion made by Mr. Brook and seconded by Mr. Nichols that the league play three games on Monday and Friday nights; and on Friday two school games and one game. Motion carried.

Teams entering league must be sponsored by some business firm. Teams to consist of fifteen players.

Sponsors to list players with names, address, telephone number, president of the league. Players to be inactive thirty days before playing with an opponent or have the permission of the executive committee.

League to be divided into groups—high school and teams. Boys who are in school or under 17, must play school. Those in 1945 graduation class to play with school. Others are eligible to play town team.

All official soft ball rules followed except, no play will be permitted to wear head of spikes.

Under no condition, no game to be played on Wednesday.

Motion by Mr. Brookshear seconded by Mr. Brookman that the league meet Friday night on up schedule. Motion carried.

Games to start promptly at 7 o'clock and not ready to play by 7:15 will forfeit game.

Only five minutes to be allowed between games.

Managers can be a player or bench manager. If the manager is a player, he is allowed fourteen other members. If not a player he will have fifteen members.

Each sponsoring organization will be responsible for the uniforms and balls to be used by the team.

Each team must furnish one uniform for each ball game played. Depend on the other team to furnish the ball each night.

All of the above rules and regulations were adopted and approved by the executive committee.

Following business conducted that they will have a ball team organized by May night.

Winkles, Magnolia Corner.

First National Bank, Alvin

Burkburnett Motors, Dink Lawson, manager.

White Auto Store, Harry May, manager.

Light Plant, Loy Nichols, manager.

Oil and Gas Corp., Carl

Boyer, manager.

Corner Drug Store, George

Clardy, manager.

Pol and Randlett, Oklahoma

enter teams. Manager's names are not available at present.

Purpose of the Burk Burnett Ball League is to furnish recreation for the players and entertainment for the spectators. There is no charge to the games. There will be no trophies or prizes made to the final winner of the league.

Office Supplies—Star Office

## Wednesday Night Rain About 1 In.

A hard shower of rain which came just before 7 o'clock Wednesday evening was followed by other showers throughout the night with a possible total of about one inch of moisture.

Wheat, which looks better than it has in many years, is not believed to have been damaged, since the rain was not accompanied by high wind. Earlier rains caused wheat to take on such rapid growth that a prolonged hard rain would do lots of damage, especially if accompanied by wind.

Prospects for a good fruit crop are bright. Peach trees are so loaded it is necessary to pull part of the green fruit to keep the tender limbs from breaking under the weight.

## Brother of Burk Woman Died Mon.

Charles Franklin Johnson, 37, a resident of Holliday, Texas, for 15 years, died in a Wichita Falls Hospital Monday.

Johnson operated a welding business in Holliday. He was a brother of Mrs. E. W. Stevenson of Burkburnett.

## 'Keys of Kingdom' Cast Includes Hollywood's Outstanding Actors

Seldom do three top-notch character actors such as Thomas Mitchell, Edmund Gwenn and Sir Cedric Hardwicke, find themselves in the same motion picture.

But this is just what happens in "The Keys of the Kingdom," the 20th Century Fox filmization of the A. J. Cronin best-seller which opens Sunday, May 13th and runs through Monday at the Palace Theatre.

There are 45 speaking characters in the film, all of whom are familiar to the public since the book is among the top most widely read in the country.

A voice will be heard running through the Keys of the Kingdom—the smooth, effortless diction of Sir Cedric Hardwicke. As Monsignor Sleeth, he has a complex part to play.

All three pose their finest moments against the acting of a newcomer to pictures, Gregory Peck, who plays Francis Chisholm and who comes to the screen with a brief, but excellent theatre record. He went from lead role with Katherine Cornell and Jane Cowl, into a Broadway play of his own, "The Morning Star," in which he played the part made famous in London by Emyln Williams.

Peck, still in his twenties, is up against the ripened art of a trio hard to beat. This makes for some of the finest screen work of the year.

Troop No. 35 of the Boy Scouts meets each Tuesday night at the First Baptist church at 8 o'clock, with Scoutmaster Dink Lawson in charge.

Jr. University Study Club meets May 14 at the home of Mrs. Florence Vaughn.

Bro. Willis Kreager, for ten years minister of the local Church of Christ is here to hold a revival meeting beginning Sunday, May 13th. It was largely through the efforts of Brother Kreager that the local church built the brick building which now houses its services.

Mrs. C. Pharis of Electra has received word her brother Pfc. Jerrell E. Shaw has received the medal for expert Combat Service and the Bronze Star. Pfc. Shaw will be remembered by his friends in Burk as Jerry.

"C" EGG

W. J. Spivey, 309 Holly, brought an egg to the Star office this week which had a large C in raised lettering on one end. The egg, laid by a Rhode Island Red hen, was perfectly formed in every way. Mr. Spivey says he supposes the C must stand for Churchill.



## Attend Church Somewhere Sunday, May 13th



## Official Soft Ball Play Started Mon.

First official soft ball games were played Monday night at Bull Dog stadium. Two games will be played each Monday night and two each Friday night through July 27th.

In the opening game Monday night the 1st National Bank team defeated Burk Motors 14 to 2.

The Magnolia team took the second game from the Corner Drug Store to the tune of 11-7. Umpires were: W. R. Hill behind the bat and Jingle Hayes bases.

## V-E Day Observed With Quiet And Reverence Here Tuesday Evening

After the first bit of excitement Monday when news came of Germany's capitulation, no demonstration of any nature was evidenced. The first to hear the news were anxious to spread the glad tidings to their friends and neighbors. When a later announcement came that the capitulation was not confirmed, it left our citizens confused and wondering and hoping.

## Church Of Christ Revival To Begin Sunday, May 13th

Our first summer meeting will begin next Lord's Day, the 13th with Bro. Willis Kreager doing the preaching. Bro. Kreager was minister for the Church of Christ in Burkburnett for about ten years from 1925 to 1935 and he is well known to the old timers in this city. We regret that we do not have his picture to head this announcement but one was not available as this goes to the press. We extend a very cordial invitation to the public to attend all of the services throughout this meeting which begins the 13th and runs through the 20th. Bro. Kreager will be here to begin his part of the preaching Monday night. Day services will be at 10 A. M. and evening services will begin promptly at 8 P. M.

When official announcement came Tuesday morning of Germany's unconditional surrender, plans immediately got under way for observance of the occasion. There was no parade, no noise or excitement. Instead of a celebration, our citizens observed the occasion with prayer and thanksgiving. The program was held at 8:30 Tuesday evening on Main street in front of the roll of honor of those in the service.

Mayor A. R. Hill was master of ceremonies. The program included songs by the audience, led by Dot Busby, with Blanche Butler accompanying at the piano.

Presentation of the Colors by members of the American Legion and the State Guard.

Rev. P. G. Hightower and Rev. A. E. Harrison each gave short talks, very appropriate, very impressive.

The program was concluded with taps for those who have given their lives that this V-E day observance could be possible, played by John Allison.

Mr. James Still of the Still Jewelry, was a business visitor in Dallas the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lowery returned to their home in Houston Sunday after a visit here in the home of Mrs. Lawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ferguson.

Betty Jean May and Robert Gordon Clement, students at Abilene Christian College, have been placed on the honor roll for the fifth six weeks for making superior grades in one or more subjects.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Bundy, Jr., left Tuesday for San Antonio where he will be reassigned.

## Rotary Club

Carl Morrison had charge of the program at the regular meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday and presented Col. Walter E. Tardy of Wichita Falls who gave an interesting talk on "The European Theatre of War."

Visiting Rotarians from Wichita Falls were J. M. Isbell, H. J. Naylor, George Fox, Linton Estes and Tom Edwards.

Major Gilbert A. Ellman of Sheppard Field, Mrs. Carl Morrison and daughter, Kay, were guests of Carl Morrison.

BURK REBEKAHS TO HOLD INIATION

The Burkburnett Rebekahs are having initiation Monday night May 21 at 8. All members are urged to be present.

Jno. H. Rigby, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Rigby, and daughter, Phyllis Jan, of Wichita Falls, and Jno. Rigby Jr., of Dallas, spent the weekend with relatives in Grandview.

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## APPRECIATION DAY

Program At 4:00 o'clock Each Wednesday

## Baptist Revival To Close Sun., May 13

Revival services which have been going on at the Baptist church since April 29, will come to a close Sunday, May 13th.

Rev. Y. C. Dossey has been doing the preaching, with Edgar Spearman conducting the song services.

Attendance has been good at both morning and evening services throughout the meeting, and this series of services is considered one of the most successful ever held at the local church.

## Boys In Service.....

Ensign Dial R. Peevey was here Monday visiting Burkburnett friends. He has been in the service three years and came here from San Diego, Calif., where he finished a course of schooling in Radar and sound. He was accompanied to Burk by his mother, Mrs. D. R. Peevey of Austin. After his furlough is up the Ensign will go to the East Coast for further orders.

S-Sgt. Marrian W. Bolinger reported to the Red River Ordnance Depot in Texarkana, Texas, Tuesday after spending a 16 day furlough with his wife and son, Bobb. Sgt. Bolinger visited his father Mr. Dave Bolinger in San Saba, Texas, while on furlough.

Pvt. Wm. Mathews left April 30th for Ft. Meade, Md., after a 10 day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Mathews and sisters, Betty Jean and Mrs. C. L. Terry Mrs Mathews has two other sons in the service, Robert W. Mathews, GM3/c, stationed at Norfolk, Va., in the Coast Guard and Howard W. Mathews S 1/c in the Navy in Olathe, Kansas.

Miss Jewell Reynolds of 202 East Vanderbilt Street, San Antonio, formerly of Burkburnett, has taken the WAC oath at the San Antonio WAC Recruiting Office.

Lt. (j. g.) USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cope of Burkburnett, has arrived in the states from England and expects to be home in a few days on furlough.

S-Sgt. Oswald G. Heins of rural route 1, Burkburnett, is a member of the 75th infantry division in Germany, which has received the Meritorious Service Unit Plaque for superior performance during the past year.

Pvt. Jack L. Whitehead, with the 23rd infantry in Germany, has been awarded the Combat Infantry badge. His wife, Joyce W. Whitehead, lives in Burkburnett.

The promotion of Charles V. Lough, Jr. 21, of Holliday, from Corporal to Sergeant has been announced by Col. Leon W. Gray, commanding officer of this group. Sgt. Lough is a tail gunner on B-17 Flying Fortress that make lone missions over the ocean.

From this base, B-17's and Mosquitoes make lone missions over Europe and the North Atlantic, gathering weather data for future air and ground operations against the enemy. Mosquitoes are used as photographic reconnaissance planes as well, filming German targets by day and night to scout the way for Eighth Air Force heavies, then returning after raids to picture the damage done.

Sgt. Lough, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Lough, of Holliday, is a graduate of Holliday school. He attended commercial college at Tyler, and was a radio repairman before entering the army in October, 1943. Having graduated from gunnery school at Kingman, Arizona, he came overseas in February, 1945.

Pvt. Oren L. Sutter of Shepparn Field and his wife have returned from an extended furlough trip that took them through five states. They visited a brother, Rev. K. L. Sutter, pastor of the First Baptist church at West Plains, Mo., and assisted him in a revival meeting he was conducting. The Sutters have made their home in Burkburnett the past year, coming here from Tulsa, Okla., when Pvt. Sutter went into service.

## Mrs. W. L. Minor Co-chairman Of 7th War Loan Drive

Loy Nichols, chairman of the 7th War Loan Drive for Burkburnett, announces that Mrs. W. L. Minor will serve as co-chairman.

All presidents or leaders of Women's clubs are invited and urged to meet with the chairman and co-chairman at Town Hall at 3:30 P. M., Friday, May 11th. At this meeting plans for the drive will be made.

Mr. Nichols has been working on plans for the drive for some time, and although the quota is much larger than any previous drive, he feels confident that Burkburnett will not fall down. Every quota so far has been made.

## Mike Begun Of Austin Sends His Check For Bonds

Loy Nichols, chairman of the 7th War Loan Drive, received a check for \$500.00 War Bond from Mike Begun in Austin.

As Mike believes in keeping his money at home, he states that another check will be on the way soon to put Burk over the top.

Mesdames P. A. Wiggins, J. J. D. Majors, visited their daughter, V. Brookshear, I. E. Harwell and Mrs. who are attending college at Texas University in Austin.

H. Finck of Houston, Texas, is visiting his cousin, Louise Schreib this week.

The University Study Club meets May 16th in the home of Mrs. S. S. Reger.

The Federated Missionary Society wishes to thank everyone who donated grape myrtles in the recent project to beautify the city.

Mrs. E. N. Wise has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elva Lee Harwell, 2521 Lotus St., Fort Worth, after spending two months with her mother at Silana, Oklahoma. She sends renewal for her paper and greetings to her friends in Burkburnett.

H. M. Farmer of Graton, Calif., was here the first of the week visiting his uncle, D. C. McNeill. Mr. Farmer was a resident of Burkburnett during the boom days and stopped here on his way to points in Oklahoma before returning to California.

Mrs. Phillip D. Vaughn and little daughter, Phyllis, of Bridgeport, Texas, is visiting Mrs. L. D. Holman this week.

## JIM'S Ration Reminder

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Red Stamps Y5, Z5, and A2 through D2 expires June 2.  
Red Stamp E2 through J2 expires June 30.  
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Red Stamps Q2 through U2, validated May, 1 last date of use August 31.

PROCESSED FOODS  
Blue Stamps H2 through M2, expires June 2.  
Blue Stamps N2 through S2, expires June 30.  
Blue Stamps T2 through X2 expires July 31.  
Blue Stamps Y2, Z2, A1, B1, C1, validated May, last date of use August 31.

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Stamp 36 validated May 1, last date of use August 31.

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## KEEPING IN HAND

Those who expect price controls to be removed as soon as the war is over, will be surprised to find wage and price control continuing for quite a period into the peace. How long some folks have waited to spend that war money accumulated through savings, for things they need or just want. If the available 60 per cent of it was rushed into a spending spree there would be a price inflation like followed World War I. When price controls are removed too soon, people will be buying and yet the supply will not be sufficient to take care of them, since reconversion in manufacture takes time. If our supply is limited and our spending is not, up goes the cost of living. Until production for civilian needs can get under way to a normal course, the controls of wages and prices will be necessary. We don't want to run into inflation when we have come this far in accepting war measures in control.

## Getting Along With Congress

Up to date one of the most gratifying developments in connection with Harry Truman's succession to the presidency has been the friendly relations which have developed between the White House and Congress. Cynical observers ask: "How long will the honeymoon last". Our guess is it will last for quite a while.

The fact is that Congress understands the new Chief Executive and he understands Congress. They speak the same language.

We think that is the way the Founding Fathers intended. They created three branches of government—all equal, all independent. They hoped all three would work to-

gether, respecting each other's jurisdictions.

That hasn't always been the case. Generally the Executive has sought to dominate the Congress. Even if the majority submitted a sturdy minority resisted, and the result was squabble galore.

## Where Our President Are Buried

The death of President Roosevelt has prompted students to thumb the pages of history to locate the last resting places of the thirty gentlemen who preceded F. D. in the White House. Only one is buried within the boundaries of the District of Columbia—Woodrow Wilson rests in the crypt in the Episcopal Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul. Washington sleeps at Mount Vernon, a few miles down the Potomac, and Taft's grave is in Arlington Military Cemetery in Virginia, within sight of the White House.

Our other Presidents were generally buried near their homes. There are exceptions. Grant's tomb overlooks the Hudson, although he wasn't a New Yorker. Grover Cleveland rests at Princeton, N. J. and not at Buffalo, where his spectacular political career began.

One of the interesting facts developed by this historical research is that "Old Hickory" Jackson declined to have his remains deposited in a sarcophagus which had been transported across the Atlantic by a naval captain who admired the hero of New Orleans. In declining the offer, Jackson wrote:

"Every monument erected to perpetuate the memory of our heroes and statesmen ought to bear evidence of the economy and simplicity of our republican institutions—I have prepared an humble depository for my mortal body beside that wherein lies my beloved wife—for both of us there to remain until the last trumpet sounds to call the dead to judgment."

## Burk Burnett . . . . History

As revealed by the files of the Star 17 years ago.

C. H. Quast, local contractor, has been awarded the contract for the erection of the M. B. Riley brick building on East Main St., adjoining the D. R. Peevey Jewelry store on the east and the Donehoo building, now under construction, on the west.

Nathan Lynch has leased the Riley building. The Donehoo building will be occupied by the Rexall Drug Store. J. C. Adams owner of the Rexall, stated Thursday that a \$3,000.00 marble mechanical fountain would be installed in the new place.

The many friends of Miss Pansy Mills are congratulating her on her honors in winning the

second place in the girls oratorical contest at the state meet of the Texas Junior College Forensic Association, held at Jacksonville, Saturday night. The young lady was reared in Burk Burnett, graduated from the local school before entering the Wichita Falls Junior College, and our city is justly proud of her unusual achievements.

Miss Addie East, another Burk Burnett girl, a Senior in the high school this year, brought to her city and school in the tennis tournament at the state meet in finals of the state tennis championship.

Walice Bogart, who is improving his farm land near Hale Center, was home this week, attending the funeral of his brother-in-law, Orval Riddle, who died Saturday of pneumonia.

J. Neal Hall, of the post office force, is back on the job after spending many hours out on the golf links while on his vacation. Neal and a few others are anxious to give Bobby Jones some competition at an early date.

Mrs. Neeley R. Vaught and children, returned from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. L. T. Rader of Ardmore, Okla.

Mrs. Dorothy Kaiser is visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Paul Kaiser.

Coast Guardsman Paul V. Campbell, SC 2-c of 637 Main St. Burk Burnett, Texas, is serving as a crew member on board this Coast Guard named LST that landed elements of a famous Marine Corps amphibious battalion during the initial assaults on Okinawa island to mark the first invasion of Jap controlled China Sea.

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Thomas Hershel Harms, 901 Ave C, Burk Burnett, now serving with the Eleventh Air Force in the Aleutian Islands, has been advanced to the grade of Captain. Headquarters of Major General Davenport Johnson announced recently.

Capt. Harms received his commission at Miami Beach, Fla., on April 16, 1943 after attending the Officer Candidate School there and the AAF Clerical school at Miami, Fla., on April 16, 1943 after attending the Officer Candidate School there and the AAF Clerical school at Ft. Logan, Colorado. He has served 22 months in Alaska and wears the Asiatic Pacific ribbon.

Prior to entering the service, he was a student of the Hardin Junior College in Wichita Falls, Texas, and the North Texas State Teachers' College in Denton.

His wife, Mrs. V. Ione Harms, as well as his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harms, reside at 901 Avenue C, Burk Burnett.

Sgt. Lloyd R. Ferguson of Thrift, waist gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress in the 351st Bombardment Group, has been decorated with a third Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal for meritorious achievement on combat missions over Germany.

The 19 year old flier, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ferguson, is a veteran of more than a year of bombing attacks on the among them three assault targets in Berlin.

A graduate of Fairview in 1942, Sgt. Ferguson was a student at Howard Payne before entering the army in January, 1943.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

WORLD LEADERS PICTURE By the thread of one man's life hung personal relationships which affected nations.

To illustrate how the pendulum of fate has swung, here are some of those who will miss Franklin Roosevelt most:

WINSTON CHURCHILL — was able to call the late President on the telephone at any time night or day.

CHURCHILL had planned to hold national elections, probably in June, and Roosevelt's friendship would have been one of his great campaign assets.

ADMIRAL ERNEST KING — The Commander of the Fleet and Chief of Naval Operations really ran the navy under Roosevelt, and he ran it with a high hand.

KNOX's successor, Secretary of the Navy Forrestal, has played in with King. He had to. If King didn't agree with him, the admiral came out bluntly in press conference and said so.

But now there is a new man in the White House who wrote a caustic report bitterly critical of the way the admirals slowed up the war by failure to build adequate landing boats.

GENERAL B. B. SOMERVELL — No army officer clashed with the Truman committee more frequently and more head-on than the tough-talking chief supply officer of the army.

HARRY HOPKINS — Of all those around Roosevelt, Harry Hopkins will miss him most. Their's was a very close personal relationship.

Not long after dark the rifle shots started. There would be a little flurry far ahead, maybe a dozen shots. Then silence for many minutes.

Then there would be another flurry, way to the left. Then silence. Then the blurt of a machine gun, closer, and a few scattered single shots sort of framing it.

All night it went like that. Flares in the sky ahead, the crack of big guns behind us, then of passing shells, a few dark figures coming and going in the night, muted voices at the telephones, the rifle shots, the mosquitoes, the stars, the feel of the damp night air under the wide sky — back again at the kind of life I had known so long.

The old familiar pattern, unchanged by distance or time from war on the other side of the world. A pattern so imbedded in my soul that, coming back into it again, it

BERNARD BARUCH — The man who talks with Presidents, no longer has the key to the White House. During the bitter battles between the War Production board civilian group and General Somervell's military clique, Baruch always backed up Somervell. In fact, he was one of Somervell's most vigorous supporters.

Truman, on the other hand, fought in the WPB civilian corner. Also Bernie was for Byrnes, not Truman, at the Chicago convention. So he may not be such a close friend to Presidents any more.

With Ernie Pyle in the Pacific: Strange Sounds of War Fill Night on Okinawa

Intermittent Gunfire Breaks Eerie Silence Below Star-Bedecked Sky

By Ernie Pyle

Editor's Note: Ernie Pyle was several dispatches ahead when he met death from a Jap machine gun on Ie island. This newspaper will continue to print these for a few weeks.

OKINAWA (by navy radio).—Our first night on Okinawa was uncanny and full of old familiar sounds—the exciting, sad, weary little sounds of war.

It had been six months since I'd slept on the ground, or heard a rifle shot. With the marines it was about the same.

I was tagging along with a headquarters company of a regiment. We were on a pretty, grassy country. The front lines were about a thousand yards ahead. Other troops were bivouacked all around us.

There were still a few snipers hiding around. An officer was brought in just before dark, shot through the arm. So we were on our toes.

Just at dusk three planes flew slowly overhead in the direction of the beach. We paid no attention, for we thought they were ours. But they weren't.

In a moment all hell cut loose from the beach. Our entire fleet and the guns ashore started throwing stuff into the sky. I've never seen a thicker batch of ack-ack.

As one of the marines said, there were more bullets than there was sky. Those Jap pilots must have thought the world was coming to an end to fly into a lead storm like that only 10 hours after we had landed on Okinawa. All three were shot down.

As deep darkness came on we got into our foxholes and settled down for the night. The countryside became as silent as a graveyard—silent, that is, between shots. The only sounds were war sounds. There were no country sounds at all. The sky was a riot of stars.

Capt. Tom Brown was in the foxhole next to me. As we lay there on our backs, looking up into the starry sky, he said: "There's the Big Dipper. That's the first time I've seen that since I've been in the Pacific." For, you see, marines of this division have done all their fighting under the Southern Cross, where our Big Dipper doesn't show.

As full darkness came, flares began lighting the country ahead of us over the front lines. They were shot in shells from our battleships, timed to burst above our lines, and float down on parachutes. That was to keep the country lit up so we could see the Japs if they tried to infiltrate, which is one of their favorite tricks.

The flares were shot up several per minute from dusk until the moon came out full. It was very bright after that and the flares were not needed.

But all night long two or three ships kept up a slow shelling of the far hills where the Japs were supposed to be. It wasn't a bombardment; just two or three shells over us and I found that passing shells have the same ghostly "wind-down shade rustle" on this side of the world as on the other.

My foxhole was only about 20 feet from where two field telephones and two field radios were lying on the ground. All night, officers sat on the ground at these four pieces of communications and directed our troops.

As I lay there listening in the dark, the conversation was startlingly familiar—the words and the thoughts and the actions exactly as I'd known them for so long in the infantry.

All night I could hear these low voices over the phones—voices in the darkness, voices of men running the war at the front.

Not long after dark the rifle shots started. There would be a little flurry far ahead, maybe a dozen shots. Then silence for many minutes.

Then there would be another flurry, way to the left. Then silence. Then the blurt of a machine gun, closer, and a few scattered single shots sort of framing it. Then a long silence. Spooky.

All night it went like that. Flares in the sky ahead, the crack of big guns behind us, then of passing shells, a few dark figures coming and going in the night, muted voices at the telephones, the rifle shots, the mosquitoes, the stars, the feel of the damp night air under the wide sky — back again at the kind of life I had known so long.

The old familiar pattern, unchanged by distance or time from war on the other side of the world. A pattern so imbedded in my soul that, coming back into it again, it

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Lesson for May 13

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THE TRAGEDY OF THE NORTHERN KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—I Kings 12:26-30; 19:1-4, 13b-18; II Kings 17:7, 8.

GOLDEN TEXT—O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together.—Psalm 34:3.

Nations as well as people come to crossroads in their history, and taking the wrong road then means future disaster. Solomon had built up a great national prosperity, but at the expense of heavy taxes. He had forgotten God, and was succeeded by a son who followed in his footsteps.

Offered an opportunity to ease the burden of the people (I Kings 12-14), Rehoboam in his folly made it greater, and the nation was divided. The ten northern tribes, which were henceforth to be known as Israel, followed Jeroboam, and the two southern tribes under Rehoboam became the kingdom of Judah.

Jeroboam started with God's favor, and might have led his people aright, but instead he became the king whose name stood for wickedness (see II Kings 15:18). The story of that downfall is a sad picture of unbelief and failure.

I. Religion Meets Politics (I Kings 12:26-30).

Jerusalem, now in the rival kingdom of Judah, was the center of Hebrew worship. While the people of Israel were free to go there to worship, Jeroboam saw that it might lead to their being led away from him. It was a shrewd political deduction, but it left God out of the picture.

He established new centers of worship, where calves of gold were set up. They were probably intended to be a symbol of God, but they bespeak the folly of mixing worldly things with the things of God. They became an abomination and a snare.

The people responded to the apparent interest of the king in their welfare, and worshiped at the most convenient place. Religion had met politics, and had let politics take the upper hand.

Someone has suggested that when we begin to find ways to make our religion easy, we can be certain that it is the enemy of our souls who is at work. When Satan begins to be solicitous about our welfare and suggest that it is too far to go to church, or that the weather is too cold (or too warm), etc., etc., we should be on guard.

Religious ease was a big step downward for Israel, and it can be for any other nation. Where does America stand in that important matter?

II. A Queen Meets a Prophet (I Kings 19:1-4, 13b-18).

Elijah under the mighty hand of God had defied the wicked king, Ahab, and his more wicked queen, Jezebel; yes, and all the prophets of Baal, and had been gloriously victorious (I Kings 18:17-41).

The queen, who was devilish in her wickedness and determination to destroy the worship of the true God, threatened the prophet. He who had met the challenge of the hundreds of prophets fled in fear before the relentless hatred of this venomous woman.

The prophet felt that all was lost, but God revealed to him that even in that dark day there were many who were still true to Him (v. 18). It is a precious and encouraging bit of light in an otherwise dark scene.

Our main interest in this lesson is not the experience of the prophet, but in seeing the cause of Israel's downfall. Here we see one great reason—every king of Israel was a wicked man. Some were better and some worse, but all of them forgot God.

A nation is on the downward path when its rulers forget God. What about our own nation? What about the elected representatives of the people? Do we choose men for public office because of their Christian faith and character, or on the basis of political expediency or affiliation?

III. A Nation Meets its Doom (II Kings 17:7, 8).

The hour had struck when God's heavy hand of judgment had to fall on Israel, the northern kingdom of 10 tribes. Verse 6 of this chapter relates their carrying away into captivity to Assyria, and verses 7-9 tell us the reason for that judgment.

Ingratitude for God's blessing (v. 7) led to the worship of other gods (v. 8). They knew God's hatred for the sin of idolatry, and His judgment upon those who walked in that way, but they went right on.

Note in verse 9 that these things were done "secretly." "The same thing is true today of many who profess to be the people of God. The line of demarcation between the church and the world is not clearly drawn. We do well to note carefully the outcome of this course of procedure on Israel's part (vv. 6, 18). The fact that Israel did these things secretly did not hide them from the eyes of Jehovah (Ps. 139:1, 2; Heb. 4:13)" (John W. Bradbury).

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scheme, provided a beautiful background for the impressive marriage vows recited Sunday evening, April 29, by Miss Mary Frances Boyd and William M. Bundy, Jr.

The wedding took place at six o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyd, with the Rev. A. E. Harrison, pastor of the First Baptist Church, presiding.

Proceeding the ceremony, Miss Peggy Dot Busby sang "Always" accompanied at the piano by Miss Barbara Boyd, who played the traditional "Wedding March" from "Lohengrin" as the bridal party entered the living room where the double ring vows were read.

## Helen Lyles Reviews "Immortal Wife" For Literary Club

The J. University Study Club met at the home of Mildred Quarter, Monday, April 30. Helen Lyles was presented in a review of the best seller, "Immortal Wife" by Irving Stone. The book is a biographical novel, having received much recognition as the dramatic story of Jesse Benton Fremont, one of the most exciting events in American history. It is a novel of a life lived, a life lived story, and an excellent character study.

Proceeding the review, President Jan Sullivan conducted the period devoted to business.

During the evening refreshments were served to Jan Sullivan, Mattie Del Hall, Gwen Van Lan, Blanche Johnson, Madelyn Conroy, Lou Bear, Wilma Douglas, Opal Boyd, Lora Jamison, Helen Lyles, Jean Gurnett, the hostess, Mildred Quarter, and a visitor, Frances Spearman.

## Intermediates of M. E. Church Elects Officers Sunday

The Intermediate Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church elected officers last Sunday morning. Carolyn Rose Boyd was elected president; Betty Jean Wright, vice-president; Grace Bavier, secretary; and Elsie Williams, treasurer. The Worship Committee consists of Ida Mae Wright and Robert Frazier. Johnny Frazier and Darrel Nichols are on the Recreation Committee. Mrs. O. E. Melton is the teacher.

The class is seeking new members and all young people are invited.

## University Study Club Enjoys Book Review

The University Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Buddy Morris Wednesday, May 2nd. Mrs. Russell introduced the guest speaker, Rev. McArthur of Devol, Okla., who capably interviewed "The Medical Student" by Rayme.

Enjoying the book review were 12 members, two associate members, and 10 guests.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, May 16th in the home of Mrs. S. S. Reger.

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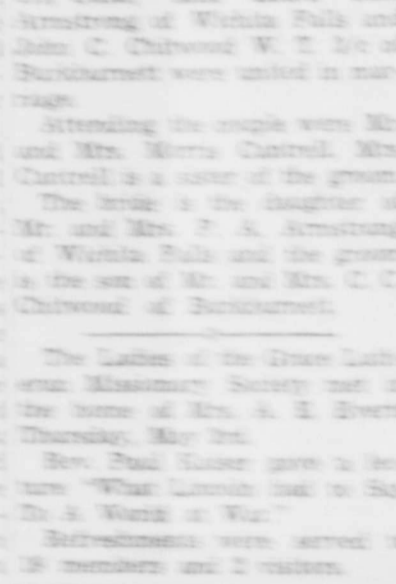
## Chirwood-Armstrong Riches Read In Walters, May 2nd

On Wednesday, May 2 at Walters, Okla., Miss Laura Jane Armstrong of Wichita Falls and John C. Chirwood of Burkburnett were united in marriage.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cantrell, Mrs. Cantrell is a sister of the groom.

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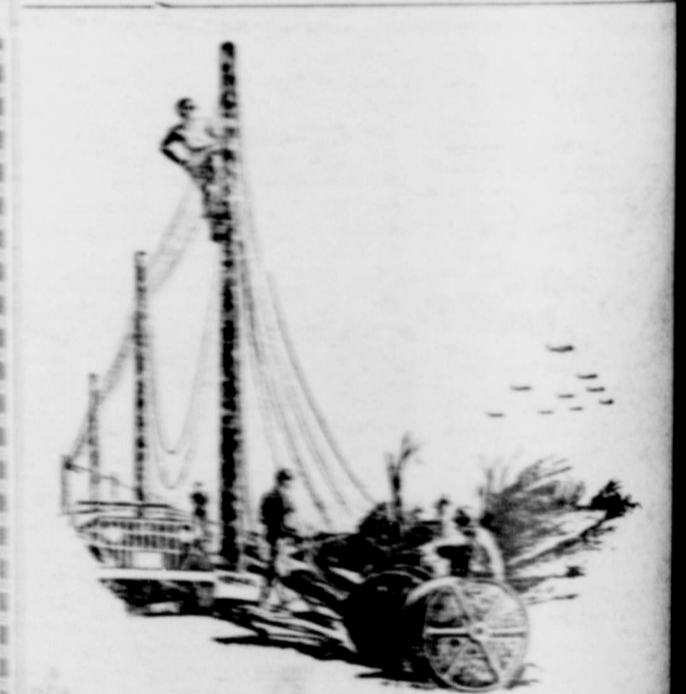
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The Bluebonnet Garden Club met with Mrs. Larene Davis Tuesday, May 8th, with Mrs. Helen Grizzle as co-hostess. The President, Mrs. Emily Houser presided over the business. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Secretary and approved as read with one exception. A card of thanks was read from Mrs. Faye Smith, who is ill. Mrs. Zella Mills reported on "Teen-Town."  
Mrs. Houser, president, appointed a committee to arrange for the "Green-Thumb" party to be held soon with the husbands as guests. In the contest today Mrs. Ada Westbrook's side won first, with Mrs. Westbrook, individual winning first and Mrs. Julia Boyd, second.  
Mrs. Mary Cecil, program director, presented Mrs. Loretta Hunt in "Variety Program" and Mrs. Emily Houser in "Hawthorne and Emerald."  
The following officers were elected for the new club year: President, Mrs. Florice Jeffers; vice-president, Mrs. Jessie Preston; Secretary, Mrs. Loretta Hunt; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Alice Goodwin; Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Zella Mills; Historian, Mrs. Emily Houser; Reporter, Mrs. Maude Teal.  
Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames Myrtle Minick, Julia Boyd, Florence Jeffers, Edna Peed, Loretta Hunt, Zella Mills, Lou Ethel Boyd, Mary Cecil, Virgie Reeves, Jessie Preston, Ada Westbrook, Grace Holloway, Helen Grizzle, Lorene Davis, Emily Houser, Alice Goodwin, Maude Teal, and visitor, Helen Gwartney.

**FEDERATED MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS**

The Federated Missionary Society met Friday, May 4, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Cecil with Mrs. Sam Cope as co-hostess. The meeting opened by singing "Sweet Hour of Prayer" followed with prayer by Mrs. C. B. Beldon. The Devotional was given by Mrs. P. G. Hightower. The business session followed with discussion on Civic Improvement.  
Visitors at the meeting were Mesdames Paul Kaiser, Harlan Mills, Martin Ramming and Earl Rhinefeldt.  
Refreshments were served to Mesdames F. B. Hughes, C. B. Beldon, Martin Ramming, L. B. Horr, S. H. Shrum, P. G. Hightower, M. W. Majors, O. A. Meyers, H. A. Mills, Paul Kaiser, Earl Rhinefeldt, Neal Hall, F. M. McMurtry, B. L. Turner, Sam Cope, J. H. Cecil, and W. A. Minick.  
Morris Bookbinder returned Sunday from the General Hospital, Wichita Falls, where he had been confined for three weeks. Mr. Bookbinder has been seriously ill, but he is reported to be on the road to recovery now.

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Mrs. George Streit, president, presided over the meeting. The members voted to give \$75 war bond to the Lutheran Post War Peace Offering.  
Mrs. Lyle Eaton gave a reading on "Personal Soul Winning." Miss Irma Keisling and Mrs. Lyle Eaton were welcomed as new members.  
Visitors included Mesdames O. W. Preechel, C. P. Van Loh, Mary Jean Johnson, Neil Johnson, Marcella Engleman.  
Refreshments were served to 18 members and 5 visitors. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. B. A. Dorland.


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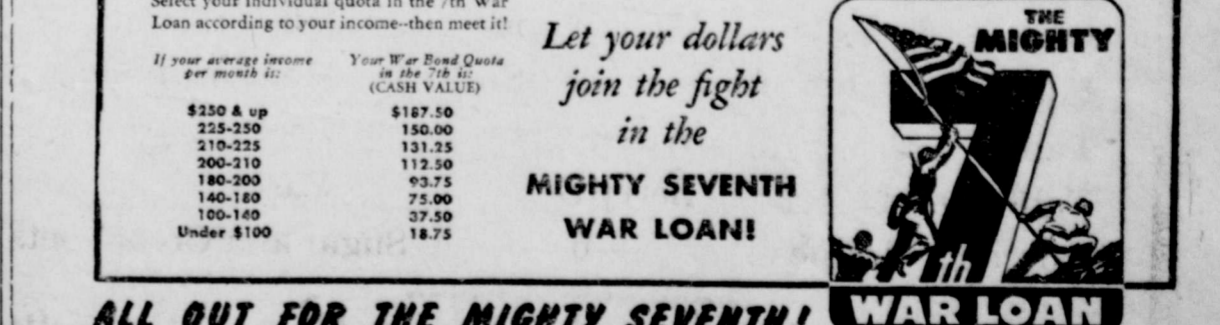
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Forced to view emaciated bodies of atrocity victims near Weimar, German civilians register conflicting emotions. Stories of brutalities have led congressmen to call for harsh peace.

**EUROPE: Trap Closes**  
With Adolf Hitler himself directing the city's defenses, Berlin stood as a burning symbol as combined U. S., British, Russian and French armies sought a speedy knockout of German remnants to bring the war to an early conclusion.

Of all the savage city fighting of World War II—fighting which left such historic centers as Warsaw and Vienna in ruin—none approached the ferocity of the battle for Berlin, where German women and even children reportedly joined the 500,000 army defenders in a fanatical attempt to curb the Russian steamroller.

With both Germans and Russians fighting with a burning hatred for each other, the battle swirled from house to house through rubble strewn streets, with massed Red artillery and air fleets steadily reducing enemy strongpoints. Said Russian correspondents: "Each stone of the city, each meter of street, is against us. We have to take them with our blood."

As the Reds' eyes closed on embattled Berlin and Hitler exposed himself to one of the most dramatic captures in history, elements of the two Russian armies attacking the city swept beyond it westward for a junction with American troops along the Elbe and Mulde rivers. Meanwhile, still another Red force smashed past Stettin to drive westward along the Baltic coast and join British troops whittling Nazi pockets in the north.

Working together to finish off the Germans in the north, the allies also cooperated to K. O. them in the south, with two drives aiming to smash the Nazis' vaunted national redoubt in the Bavarian Alps and pinch off the great arsenal of Czechoslovakia.

In the first instance, the French 1st army, the U. S. 7th and 9th and the Russians rode hard on the enemy's mountain hideout from the west, north and east in an attempt to enter it before fanatical SS men could steady themselves for a stand. In the other instance, the U. S. 3rd army pushed into Czechoslovakia from the west while Russians moved in from the east, with the Yanks also swinging southward into Austria for a hookup with the Reds. Thus was a solid ring of steel forged around Hitler's last important industrial area.

In Italy, fast U. S. and British motorized columns and low-flying planes shot up retreating Nazi troop columns falling back on the Alps to the north. Italian partisans fast took over administration of this last stronghold of Mussolini's.

**POSTWAR SECURITY: Discuss Terms**  
As delegates from 46 United Nations fashioned a postwar organization to keep the peace at the San Francisco conference, they pondered amendments to the Dumbarton Oaks plan, serving as a basis for such a body.

Foremost among the amendments were those proposed by China and supported by the U. S., Britain and Russia calling for the application of justice and international law in settlement of disputes; the referral of changes or development of such law to the assembly of the security organization, and the addition of educational and cultural cooperation to the postwar body's responsibilities.

membership on the executive council, and with any of the five big nations able to check the use of force or economic sanctions for aggression, many of the smaller countries strove for greater representation of the smaller states in policy making.

**PACIFIC: Guerrillas Help**  
Effective in harassing enemy strength in Europe, guerrillas are playing an equally effective role in the Philippines, where their operations behind Japanese lines are helping to reduce their position.

While regular American army units tightened their hold on the Baguio district in northern Luzon, where the Japanese were putting up a last stand, Philippine guerrillas sallied far behind the front lines to capture the big port of Vigan and adjacent airfield and clean up the entire province of Ilocos Sur.

Meanwhile, Japanese defenses on bloody Okinawa crumbled under the terrific weight of U. S. naval, low-flying aerial and artillery bombardment, with the Yanks fighting forward through battered entrenchments. Japanese dead far outnumbered prisoners, again indicating the ferocity with which they resisted.

**FRANCE: Bombshell**  
With Marshal Henri Petain still commanding a large following, France seethed as the 86-year-old hero of Verdun of World War I and collaborationist of World War II voluntarily returned to his native country to stand trial on charges of plotting against the state.

Famed for stopping the Germans at Verdun in 1916 when they threatened to break the back of French resistance, Petain gained notoriety after his country's downfall in 1940 for a cooperative policy with the enemy which his followers aver was necessary for him to obtain fair treatment for the stricken nation.

Declaring that at his age one had only to fear a failure to perform his duty, Petain said he was returning for trial not only to clear his own honor, but also to protect all of his followers. The peculiarity of the Marshal's position is exemplified by the fact that some of his reforms have been carried over by the De Gaulle government.

**MEAT: Supply Cut**  
Ringing true to predictions that the meat situation would grow even tighter, OPA revealed a 2 1/2 per cent cut in supplies this month from April, with slightly more veal, lamb, mutton and pork offset by about 9,000,000 pounds less beef.

At the same time, OPA announced that rationing would be extended to cover 99 1/2 per cent of all available meat items, with only about 5,000,000 pounds of mutton left on a point-free basis. Cull and utility grades of veal and lamb and the breasts, shanks, necks and flanks of those meats were put on the red-point list.

So that the amount of red points would jibe with the available supplies of meat, point values were upped, with increases of from one to two points, a pound for most cuts of all grades of lamb and veal and one point a pound on most beef steaks. Utility grades of veal and lamb will possess the same ration values as the better types.

**Keep Troops Moving**  
Approximately 38,500,000 troops were carried by rail in organized movements from Pearl Harbor to the end of February, 1945, the Association of American Railroads discloses.  
This number, it is said, does not include the millions of others traveling under orders in smaller groups or the millions of servicemen and women commuting on furloughs.

## SHOES: Tight Fit

Forced to renege on its promise of validating another shoe stamp for children this spring, OPA found itself compelled to go one step farther in conserving the tight supply of footwear by limiting vets to two stamps in a book and new babies to one—in the latter case, to prevent use of more stamps by adults.

Though OPA later backtracked on its promise to increase children's shoe rationing in recognition of their greater use of footwear, it said 150,000,000 pairs of part leather or composition shoes would be produced for sale to both youths and adults without stamps. However, few of these shoes have reached dealers' hands.

Factor in the continued shoe shortage, OPA officials said, was the under-supply of full grown and fattened steers, which produce the best leather. Because stockers have trimmed their feeding of these animals on complaint of unfair ceiling prices, decreased amounts of this leather is available.

## Happy Czar

When burly, bubbly, 46-year-old Senator Albert B. (Happy) Chandler was appointed commissioner of organized baseball to succeed the late Judge Landis, the game obtained not only an able executive but an enthusiastic sportsman as well.

Graduate of the Harvard and Kentucky university law schools, and former state legislator, lieutenant-governor, and senator of his native Kentucky, Chandler had played professional baseball in his youth, then coached high school basketball before entering politics. Pleasant and brimming full of energy, Happy soon made his mark as a politician, being first appointed to the U. S. senate after losing a close race to Senator Alben Barkley.

Indicative of Chandler's disposition is the story of his stopping off to watch a sandlot game in Washington, D. C., while on his way to see ex-Secretary of State Cordell Hull. Jumping into the game when one side became short-handed, Happy stayed to the finish, then rushed to keep his appointment, sweet and dusty.

**WAR SURPLUS: Wallace's Baby**  
Charged with the welfare of both domestic and foreign business, the department of commerce was given the responsibility of disposing of consumer and miscellaneous surplus war property formerly handled by the treasury.

Although over-all policies are determined by the Surplus Property board in spirit with the surplus properties act, administration of the regulations will lie with newly appointed Secretary Henry A. Wallace's commerce department, thus affording him the opportunity of proving his executive mettle on a difficult job which must be timed so as not to disrupt the normal economy and accomplished to obtain the maximum return for the government.

Surplus goods entrusted to Wallace's commerce department include machinery, automotive equipment, textiles and wearing apparel and hardware.

**WHEAT: Big Carryover**  
With surplus wheat stocks of the U. S., Canada, Argentina and Australia expected to total approximately 950,000,000 bushels on July 1, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported that this amount would be sufficient for world trade without compelling any of the countries to draw upon carryovers for 1945.

In the U. S. alone, the bureau said, surplus may reach 350,000,000 to 375,000,000 bushels in view of the difficulty of exporting sizable quantities because of the shortage of freight cars for shipment to ports.

Unless a great many more cars are available for movement of wheat which has piled up in country elevators and on farms during the last five months, it was said, not only the export program for lend-lease and foreign relief may be hampered but also the handling of the prospective large 1945 crop.

**ARMY DISCHARGES: Limited Releases**  
Even should German resistance continue through the summer, army plans call for the release of some vets with five years of service regardless of age, military officials disclosed.

At the same time, congress moved to preclude the use of 18-year-olds in combat without six months of training.

Under the army's plans, some men who volunteered as the military expansion program got underway in 1940 or were among the first inducted would be discharged, with releases dependent upon the availability of the individual from his unit.

**POW LABOR**  
Prisoners of war held in the continental United States did more than \$4,000,000 worth of work during the first three months of 1945, the war department announced.

Helping relieve a serious manpower shortage in the United States, the prisoners performed 8,850,108 man days of work on army posts and 3,230,465 man days of work for private contractors during the three-month period, the Provost Marshal General's office reported.



Man About Town: San Franciscans are talking about: The more than 200 G-Men (not including the numerous state department confidential agents and New York City, Chicago, New Orleans, etc., ace detectives) to guard the delegates and diplomats. The Big City "dicks" are assigned to spot well-known pickpockets, "dips," rogues galleryites and "cannon" — as big-time crooks are called by the gendarmes. . . . The heaviest protection is for Russia's Mr. Molotov. . . . As one John Edgar Hoover man put it: "He'll be guarded by nearly 200 Russian secret servicemen so an FBI agent won't get within 200 yards of him."

**FDR's pal, Charlie Michelson** (he was 75 the other day), raising eyebrows with the prediction: "Mayor LaGuardia may be the Democratic nominee for governor of N. Y." . . . John Metcalfe, the Washington correspondent, here for a New York gazette. He's finishing a book called "Tin Cup Diplomacy," which will please the underpaid working in our state department. . . . The return of Joe Rosenthal (this is his home burg). Joe is the AP hocus-focuser who took that wonderful picture of the flag being planted on Iwo Jima. . . . Kent Cooper, the AP boss, is offering reproductions of the famed photo at \$1—the profits to go to the Marines via Navy Relief

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**WALTER WINCHELL IN SAN FRANCISCO**  
The renowned rivalry between Los Angeles and the San Francisco correspondents, which George Polk carries on from his Washington beat for his L. A. paper, George won't refer to it as the San Francisco conference. He calls it the California conference. . . . The "real reason" Cong. Clare Luce returned to Italy. They say she wrote a book there in which she does "a job" on Edda Mussolini.

Mike McDermott, the popular special ass't to Sec'y of State. He arranged hotel rooms for over 900 newspaper men, newsreel cameramen, columnists and radio prima donnas and then wound up with no "decent" space in which to sleep himself. . . . The musical show, "Watch Out Angel," which folded at the Curran theater Satdee night after a three-week run. Too bad. Some of the score was very good and several people in it are talented. . . . The Alcazar theater renamed the United Nations theater. Its new marquee was arranged via request of the state department. Glenn Allvine of the Will Hays zoo is in charge. The Hollywood films there will be changed daily for the delegates. "Going My Way," frixample, will be heard in Czech for the Czechs. In Portuguese for the Brazilians, etc.

Jack's for Big Town food, better than most spots in New York. . . . The two Stork clubs. And S. Billingsley can't do a thing about the name piracy, either. Seems they registered the name in Calif. before Mr. B. got hep. . . . Barbara Burke, ex-Follies dolly, recently divorced, who becomes a bride again shortly. She's the prettiest gov't worker in town. . . . Ralph Ober's comment: "The passing of FDR was the shock heard around the world. . . . Ernie Pyle, who died with the Americans he loved. But he will live in the hearts of Americans who loved him."

The plight of S. F. restaurateurs and swank hotels trapped between OPA rules and the confabbers. No butter, no steaks, etc. . . . But you have little trouble getting what you want in the small restaurants along Market street.

Archibald MacLeish who has put up his Alexandria, Va., house for sale on the cue-tee. He's asking \$85,000. . . . Jimmy Byrnes' report on mobilization and reconversion which has all England talking. It's on their best-seller list. . . . The suggestion that FDR's profile be put on dimes. Good idea, especially for the March of Dimes drive.

President Truman's first query to politicians looking for patronage: "I know whom he knows, and all that, but what can he do?"

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**Household Hints**  
To avoid fatigue while you are ironing or doing any work where you remain long in one spot, stand on a heavy rug or rubber mat.

Eggs which are very cold separate more easily. Break them as soon as they come out of the ice box if the yolks and whites are to be used separately.

Squeeze a little lemon juice through the meat grinder before grinding dates, figs, prunes or raisins and they will leave the chopper more readily.

Dusting with talcum or cornstarch will help keep rubber gloves from sticking together on the inside. The powder is dusted both on the inside and on the outside. This should be done on any rubber material that lies folded.

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by virtue of an order of sale issued in the 30th District Court, Wichita County, Texas, on a rendered in said cause on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1945, in favor of the said W. Chambers and against the Cosmopolitan Oil Company, et al on the docket of said court on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1945.

of April, A. D. 1945, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land and property situated in the County of Wichita, State of Texas, and belonging to the said Cosmopolitan Oil Company, to-wit:

An undivided one half (1/2) interest in and to the seven-eighths (7/8) working interest in the oil and gas and the wells producing oil and gas thereon, the casing in said wells, the tubing and rods, the jacks, the flow lines, the tanks, the power plants and any and all other equipment situated thereon on the following described land situated in Wichita County, Texas, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: On the N. by the lands of (part of the) C. T. R. R. Co. Sur. No. 3, John E. Roller, owner, and part of the J. Johnson Sur. On the E. by the lands of (Part of the) C. T. R. R. Co. Sur. No. 3, John E. Roller, owner.) On the S. by the lands of (Part of the) C. T. R. R. Co.

No. 3--John E. Roller, and part of J. Johnson Sur.) On the W. by the (Part of the) J. C. Jennings Sur.--John E. Roller, owner.) Part of the Oscar Parrish Sur.-- E. E. Hardin, owner, Field notes of Sur.: Seventy-three and seventy-one one hundredths (73.71) acres, out of the original surveys, granted the C. T. R. R. Co. and J. Johnson in Wichita County, Texas, located in Wichita County, Texas, three (3) miles S. of Burkburnett, Texas, Wichita County, beginning at a point 516 vrs. S. of the N. W. cor of the J. Johnson Sur., as indicated by fence cor.; Thence S. 760.8 vrs. to stake; Thence E. 546.5 vrs. to stake; Thence N. 760.8 vrs. to stake; Thence W. 546.5 vrs. to stake under fence to place of beginning, containing seventy-three and seventy-one one hundredths (73.71) acres.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning in a point 273.25 vrs. E. of the S. W. cor. of the J. C. Hunt 73 acres; Thence E. along the S. line of said J. C. Hunt lease 273.25 vrs.; Thence S. 206.5 vrs.; Thence W. 273.25 vrs.; Thence N. 206.5 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.

And being the same land described in a certain assignment from W. L. Mann to W. Wayne Chambers, dated June 14, 1927, of record in Vol. 281, pg. 382, Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas; and on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1945, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day at the courthouse door of said county I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all of the right title and interest of the said Cosmopolitan Oil Company in and to said property.

Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 27th day of April, A. D. 1945.

Harvey F. Hawkins, Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas. By Geo. Kent, Deputy.

E. C. Mann, Coxswain, USNR, of Burkburnett, Texas, who projected movies on Texas theatre screens for eight years, is still in the business and getting more customers than he ever had in Texas.

Mann, a Navy Seabee, is projectionist in an outdoor theatre in the Mariana Islands, where servicemen fill every one of the 2,500 seats nightly, including the nights when it rains.

Sgt. Odie W. Sullivan, 409 Magnolia, Burkburnett, tail gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress in the 351st Bombardment Group, has been decorated with a second oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal meritorious achievement on combat missions over Europe.

The 19-year old flyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Sullivan, is a veteran of 19 bombing missions on strategic and tactical objectives in Germany. He took part in the huge March 24 assault on 16 German airfields just north of the Ruhr, in support of the Rhine river crossing being made by General Montgomery's 21st Army Group.

A graduate of Wichita Falls High School in 1943, Sgt. Sullivan worked for the Coca-Cola Bottling company in Wichita Falls before entering the army March 1, 1944.

Second Lt. Mary H. Parsons, 101 Avenue C, Burkburnett, Texas, has reported to the AAF Regional and Convalescent Hospital here for nursing duty. She has been stationed at Hunter Field, Ga.

Lt. Parsons, until being commissioned in the Army Nurse Corps in April 1942 was a private duty nurse at the Wichita General Hospital, Wichita Falls.

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### Devol News

(by Clara Stofor)

Mrs. L. O. Brooks and daughter, Marilyn Kay, who have been visiting Mrs. Brooks' parents, K. L. Smith and sister, Mrs. Joe Ed Inman, left for Denver, Colo., last Monday. Mr. Brooks is with the Medical Corps in Burma.

S. R. Ellis Jr., G. M. 2/c, arrived home April 29th on a three weeks furlough. His wife who lives in Oklahoma City, accom-

panied him to Devol to visit with his parents. A younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sn., Wendel Ellin, Seaman 1-c left the day before Jh's. arrival to return to his ship.

Rev. Perry McArthur gave a review of the book, "The Medical Student," at Burkburnett Tuesday of last week. The Literary feature was sponsored by the Health Club of Burkburnett. He also reviewed the same book at Hollister on Thursday and at Devol Sunday evening. The attendances at each meeting was good, and wishes expressed for more such reviews by Bro. McArthur. His next review will be the book "The Road to Serfdom" at Devol in two weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Tarrant left last

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Thursday by bus for Granberry, Texas, where she attended the annual homecoming. This is an event which has been held in that community the past 40 years or more. While on this trip Mrs. Tarrant will spend some time visiting with her mother, Mrs. Davis, now in her 94th year, and who still lives at the old farm home in Hood County.

Milton Hardin, Seaman first class, who has been home on furlough left Saturday for his base at Long Beach.

Mrs. Henry Campbell and baby daughter, who have been visiting in the J. C. Cates home left for Oklahoma City, where Mr. Campbell is employed. They plan to make their home in that city.

Mr. France Lavender and daughter, Dana Beth, of Altus visited in the R. R. Lavender home last week. Mr. Lavender who spent a week at Bethania hospital, Wichita Falls has returned home.

Sgt. Elmer Frye, son of W. L. Frye is home on furlough until May 15th.

Sunday guests in the Riding home were their daughter, Mrs. Joe Burns and family, who live in the Rabbit Creek community, an dtheir son Dick Riding and family from Davidson.

Good fishing is being enjoyed by Devol Fishermen. Last week A. J. Mayes brought in a catch of two fish weighing 45 lbs. Last Sunday Mr. Mayes and brother-in-law, Leon Webb, made a catch of 3 cat fish weighing 22, 15, and 12 lbs. in Cache Creek.

The Devol Demonstration Club members met last Tuesday at the club house for a clean up day. The necessary repairs to the house had been made by Mr. Claude Paterson and Mr. Harve Hinkle; the organ installed and the ladies felt they must put on a spring housecleaning and hang

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