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WASHINGTON, Nov. 5. -The conduct of the war emerged today as a major issue in America's first wartime presidential election campaign since Lincoln's time as the candidates delivered their last major exhortations to an estimated 44,000,000 voters in advance of Tuesday's balloting.

declaring President Roosevelt, that "the war is still far from over -there is tough, hard and bloody fighting ahead," urged the people to let nothing stand in the way of their "determination to drive relentlessly and unflinchingly over the hard road to final victory.

He said that although he had been "reluctant" to run for a fourth term, he now was "most anxious to win, for the reason that never before in my lifetime has a campaign been filled with such misrepresentation, distortion and falsehood.'

Gov. Thomas, 4. Dewey charged that the President's "own confused incompetence" had prolonged the war in Europe and demanded to know what had happened to upset a prediction he attributed to Gen. Eisenhower that Germany would be beaten this ye. Dewey recalled Secretary of Trea-

sury Henry Morgenthau's plan which called, he said, for the "destruction" of the German people, and asserted: "It was so clumsy that Roosevelt himself finally dropped it, but the damage was done. It was just what the Nazi propagandists needed." The President, whose health at

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U.S. Transport

Sunk, 338 Die

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (ANS). —The sinking of an American transport by an Axis submarine in

the North Atlantic with the loss of

300 servicemen and 38 of the crew was revealed for the first time to-

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By Superforts

Superfortresses from India bombed

dockyards and repair facilities at the

Japanese naval base of Singapore

and an oil refinery in Sumatra yes-

Longest front in France is held by the Sixth Army Group whose battletested U.S. and French troops threaten South Germany through the Vosges Mountain passes.

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Army Seizes 8 *`ixth Army Group Has* Longest, Toughest Line

WITH THE SIXTH ARMY GROUP, Nov. 5 .- The Sixth Army Group has the longest front line in France and the toughest terrain.

Its front extends from just cross the Italian border on the Riviera, through the passes of the high Alps and the

Swiss border, along the crest of the Vosges Mountains to a point near **Singapore Hit** Lunéville. This front can be considered active along a line from its northernmost point, where it joins the U.S. Third Army, to the Swiss border near Belfort.

The task of the Sixth Army Group can be summed up in one sentence: To take Alsace and close to the Rhine River. To accomplish this Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, Commanding General of the Sixth AG, terday without loss. Washington said the Singapore raid was the has the Seventh American Army

Town

The Allies in Holland slogged up to the River Maas 15 miles from the great Dutch port of Rotterdam yesterday, after sweeping almost clear the Scheldt River approach to the Belgian port of Antwerp. Southeast of Aachen, U.S. First Army troops regained most of the ground they lost to a savage German counter-attack which had thrown t' . U.S. assault for a half-mile loss

. Third Army troops Southward, suddenly broke a two-month lull in the Thionville sector and seized the town of Berg, on the Moselle River, eight miles northeast of Thionville. On the Sixth Army Group front

the southern mountai..., the First French Army edged to within six miles of the entrance of the Schluct Pass, capturing seven villages.

Moving to Alsace

Both the French and the U.S. Seventh Army moving on the Vosges passes to Alsace were fighting in only eight hours ... daylight, while mountain mists forced trucks to use headlights by day on the narrow mountain roads.

German radio, meanwhile, broadcast that British parachute troops had been dropped behind the German lines at Arnhem to disrupt communications in support of a new attack in the northeast corner

of the Dutch salient. In Western Holland, Polish troops reached the River Maas west Geertruidenberg, while other Allied units moved up within a mile of the river northeast of Steenbergen.

Some front reports indicated the Germans might be with irawing across the Dutch Rhine south of Rotterdam, after fleeing across the Maas three days ag.

Except for dying resistance on Walcheren Island the approaches to Antwerp were clear for Allied minesweeping operations, it was re-ported, as November snow fell on the north sea.

Meantime, it was announced that in the seaborne landings on Wal-cheren, the Allies lost 20 out of

every 25 bombardment craft. Supported by tanks, Lt. Gen.

Firms in Strike DETROIT, Nov. 5 (ANS) .- The Army yesterday took over eight of 52 war plants in the Detroit and Toledo areas affected by strikes

called by an unaffiliated mechanics union. An Army officer asserted that the strikes have "stopped the flow of ammunition, guns, trucks and tanks to Gen. Elsenhower and Gen. MacArthur."

Col. Phillip R. Faymonville said production would be resumed in all plants tomorrow morning and that all employes, regardless of union affiliation, were to report.

Plants taken over were Baker Brothers, Great Lakes Stamping Co., Ohio Tool and Die Co., Inshield Products Co., Crescent Engineering Corp., Toledo Steel Tube Co., Wayne Metal Products Co. and the Shell division of Willys Overland Motors.

day. The vessel, the former Clyde-Mallory liner Henry R. Mallory, The strikes stemmed from a was in a convoy carrying Army, Navy and Marine personnel to Icejurisdictional dispute between the Mechanics Educational Society of and the First French Army

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land when it was attacked during	America and the United Automo-		longest dayinght mission ever nown,	
a snowstorm and heavy seas.	bile Workers (CIO).			ed forward to recapture the village
Survivors were rescued by the				of Schmidt, southeast of Aachen.
Coast Guard cutters George M.	Airliner Crash Kills 22	1. To force the passes of the Vosges	planes over the Japanese home is-	The U.S. forces lost Schmidt, a
Bibb and Ingram. Many servicemen	HANFORD, Cal., Nov. 5 (UP)	Mountains, which are snow-blocked	lands for the second time in a	burning German village, Saturday
were killed below decks by explo-	An airliner en route to Burbank	from the middle of November to	week. It said they entered the To-	after their initial drive had carried
sion of the torpedo. Heavy weather	from San Francisco crashed and	March or even May; 2. to force	kaido area, but dropped no bombs.	them beyond it toward the plain
made launching of lifeboats and	burned here today, killing 22	either the Saverne Gap at the north	Reconnaissance planes were re-	which leads to the German indus-
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By Dan Regan

Stars and Stripes Staff Writer.

WITH THE U.S. SEVENTH ARMY EAST OF BRUY-ERES .- The story of a "lost battalion"-more than 200 men isolated for seven days, five of them without food-was released today by censors.

The battalion, part of an infantry division with the U.S. Seventh Army in the Vosges Mountains, found itself surrounded and isolated at Forêt Domaniale de Champ, seven miles southeast of Saint-Dié.

At first it appeared a simple matter to move up and relieve the men, but the days dragged by, and German resistance, particularly shelling, stiffened. After seven days, the battalion was relieved through the efforts of nearly the entire division.

The Germans had cut off the battalion CP and the only officers left were five lieutenants. The CO of "A"

of Jersey City, N.J. He and 1/Sgt. William Bandorick, of Scranton, Pa., kept a log of the seven days

Interviewed immediately after the ordeal, Lt. Higgins re counted the battalion's experiences:

"When we got on the upper slope of the hill we expected support. The first night there was shell fire, so we dug in. Jerry seemed disorganized. It never occurred to us we'd be cut off for long. We had outposts in front of every platoon with 360-degree protection. Jerry attacked a couple of times and we managed to knock out a couple of his machine guns."

As hamburgers sizzled and a Red Cross Clubmobile pulled up with fresh doughnuts, Lt. Higgins got onto the subject of chow. "We were damned hungry by the fifth day," he said.

The only communication with the outside was a radio

Company was in charge. He was 1/Lt. Martin J. Higgins, the Field Artillery forward observer had with him when they were surrounded. The batteries were expected to last two days, but 2/Lt. Erwin H. Blonder, of Cleveland, O., nursed the radio so they lasted seven days.

Higgins had called for food and bandages to be dropped by parachute. P47s from the U.S. 12th Tactical Air Command attempted to drop them but bad weather delayed their mission. In desperation, Lt. Higgins requested that artillery register in on them with shells packed with food. As he put it, " Those artillery shells were regular 105s loaded with D rations. If they hit you they'd kill you. But we decided to take a chance. We figured, if you don't get hit—you eat. We'd had no food for five days and were desperate. The only water we had was from a swamp. We soon ran out of purification tablets and had to boil the water. "Late in the fifth day, we were beginning to lose hope.

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News from Home

GI Rights Bill Headed Back For Changes

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (ANS) .--The GI Bill of Rights appears to be headed back to Congress for amendment even as the Veterans' Administration was sending forms for GI loans to the government printer

Conflict has developed on the critical point of whether a vet-eran's disability compensation may be attached by the government if he is unable to keep up his pay-ments on a loan for a home. farm or business.

The Veterans' Administration disclosed today that under its interpretation of the law attachment is The American Legion, possible which sponsored the measure, said it never had approved such action.

Sen. Bennett Champ Clark (D.-Mo.) who was active i nthe Senate debate, said that such attachment was the intent of Congress. But Rep. Bernard Pat Kearney (R.-N.Y.), of the House Veterans Committee, said Congress had no such plan and that he will introduce counteractive legislation.

FCC Head Resigns

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5 (ANS) .-Chairman James Lawrence Fly of the Federal Communications Com-mission, long target of bitter charges by Republican Congressmen and some segments of the radio industry, announced over the weekend that he has resigned to return to private law practice in New York.

Slid to \$5 Stop

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 5 (ANS). Charles E. Gage, War Food Ad-ministration tobacco official, said the United States has now "reached -Tires are so hard to get that in traffic court recently Jack M. Crawford admitted he ran into the back of Mrs. Mae Woodruff's car because he believed it would be better help replenish stocks. than sliding his precious tires to Shipments to armed forces are almost exclusively of leading brands and have increased sharply during stop. He paid \$5 for careless driv ing and the repair bill.

He Didn't Peek

SALISBURY, N.C., Nov. 5 (ANS). -Sgt. Allen R. Hartman, home on a 30-day leave from Trinidad, helped his wife wrap his Christmas parcels and carry them to the post office for mailing to him at his station. He still doesn't know what's in them

Connecticut Jurist Dies

GREENWICH, Conn., Nov. 5 (ANS).-Judge James F. Walsh, d0, veteran Republican leader and former state treasurer, has died of a heart attack. He had been speaker of the legislature and majority leader of the State Senate.

Radio Activity

CHARLOTTE, N.C., Nov. 5 (ANS) .- J. M. Murphy knows his own radio when he hears it, even after it has been missing for weeks. Walking down a street, he heard a radio playing. "That's my radio,' he said. Police, after a quick arrest, said Murphy was right.

Couldn't Happen to Us

THE STARS AND STRIPES

Army Band Dodges Bullets In Front Line Concert Tour



U.S. Army band members S/Sgt. Henry P. Weichler, of Riverdale, Md. (left) plays the piccolo while T/Sgt. John J. Latwas, of Washington, polishes his sousaphone.

The 85-piece U.S. Army band, after 17 months of concert touring in Africa and Britain, has dropped traditional split, polish and formality and moved to the combat areas here.

For three weeks the musicians have been riding up and down be hind the front in trucks, uniforms dirty and brass unshined, giving concerts to weary troops in restcamps.

Cigs Scarcer

bottom" on tobacco supplies, but

that this year's very large crop will

the past year, officials said. There

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Shells started registering right on the target and 27 Thunderbolts

started dropping food. It was like

something you see in the movies,"

Higgins said. "Shells falling with

food, planes zooming and dropping

parachutes and tanks loaded with

food and supplies—it was really something. Most of the men cried

like kids—you just can't put in into

to one point for a breakdown and

equal distribution," Higgins con-

tinued, "and not one man stopped

to eat anything. They brught the

fod, piled it up, and looked at it.

It was the strongest discipline I

Fought Way to Food

"Some of the men had to shoot

their way to the rations, as they landed near the Jerries, who tried

ever saw.

"I ordered all the food brought

words-how we felt, I mean.

is also large export to Allies.

Lost Unit

Many concerts have been given during air-alarms and once Thun-derbolts patrolled overhead to cover the assembled troops.

At one concert before 2,000 Rus sians, former slave workers for the German Todt organization, the band closed with the new Russian anthem. It was the first time the Russians had heard it and many were in tears before the end.

Major Battle **OnHomeFront** Near at Leyte

The American campaign in the Philippines' moved toward it's first decisive battle yesterday as U.S. troops encircled the large port of Ormoc on the east coast of Leyte Island and began a combined overland and amphibious assault on Pinampopoan, another port to the north.

The battle around Ormoc might determine the length of the whole Philippines campaign. The Japanese, were believed to be holding out mainly to gain time in order to fortify other menaced islands of the archipelago.

U.S. fighter planes meanwhile attacked airfields at Negros and Cebu Islands. destroying 57 Japanese planes on the ground and ten more in the air for a loss of ten of their own. At the same time 57 tons of bombs were dropped on a Davao airfield to the south.

three of our men," Higgins said. We held simple services."

A reconnaissance patrol of 48 men was ambushed and only five men got back.

"The sixth day," Lt. Higgins added, "the Jerries attacked us all day with smal larms, machine guns and mortars. We thought we were done for. The last message I sent out to the colonel was: 'Not trying to beg off, but situation here gets worse.' The next day, the seventh, at about four in the afternoon, the

Bags 3 Nazi Planes In 5-Minute Duel

EIGHTH AIR FORCE HQ., England.-S/Sgt. David C. Sullivan, 21, Eighth Air Force Fortess tail gunner, shot down three German FW 190s and damaged a fourth in a five-minute aerial duel over Leipzig, it was offi-ially announced last week.

Nine FWs circled the forma-tion in which Sullivan was flying and bored in from the rear. The sergeant shot the first one down in flames. The second lew up right in front of him after direct hits.

The third was directly behind he other two and before it could dive away shells ripped nto the engine and had torn off part of a wing. T+ plunged traight down.

Sgt. Sullivan, of Muncie, Ind., 's the Air Medal with four oak leaf clusters.

Battle Rages For Budapest

Russian forces reached Budapest over the weekend and heavy fighting raged around the last defenses of the Hungarian capital.

The Germans acknowledged that the Russians had entered the southern suburb of Solokhar, but said it was recaptured by a counter-attack. They also claimed that the town of Vecses, six miles southeast of Budapest, was retaken from the Reds

In East Prussia, too, Berlin claimed successful counter-attacks. It said that at Goldap, important town southeast of Insterburg and 20 miles inside the border, the Russians were driven from their positions and Soviet troops inside the town were cut off.

Xmas V-Mail Forms Banned

Soldiers in the ETO who recall the decorated Christmas greeting form of V-Mail letter available last year were warned yesterday that the Government will not provide such forms this year.

Maj. R. D Avise, A. G. Postal Division, said the prepared forms were not suitable to the folding type of V-mail stationery now in

Airborne Head Wins Second Star at 37

82nd AB HQ., Nov. 5.-James A. Gavin, commander of 82nd Airborne Division, has been promoted to major-general. At 37, one of the youngest major-generals in the Army Ground Forces, Gavin served as private, pfc and corporal in the Panama Canal Zone before being admitted to the United States Military Academy, from which he was graduated in 1929.

8th Army Head Moves **To Asia Command**

the British Eighth Army in Italy

3,300 Heavies **Blast Reich OverWeekend**

The round-the-clock battering of Western Germany's arsenal cities continued yesterday when more than 1,200 Eighth Air Force Fortresses and Liberators, escorted by 650 fighters, smashed railroad yards at Frankfurt, Karlsruhe and Ludwigshaven.

The daylight assault followed a night RAF attack by more then 1,000 uber on three railway yards at Bochum, in the Ruhr,

More than 1.100 escorted Eighth neavies opened the week-end attacks Saturday by bombing oil plants in Hamburg-Harburg, synthetic fuel distilleries at Gelsen-kirchen and railyards * Sar-brucken. Six bom' and three fighters were lost.

Arms Depot Attacked

A Nazi ammunition and ordnance depot at Homburg, 15 miles northeast of Saarbrucken, was bombed without loss yesterday by 150 Ninth Air Force Marauders and Havocs.

Ninth Lightnings and Thunder-bolts destroyed ten German tanks and damaged five in a wood near Schmidt, 16 miles southeast of Aachen, yesterday, while Mustangs, strafing airfields in Western Germany, destroyed 28 and damaged 16 Nazi planes.

RAF Lancasters, escorted by Spitfires and Mustangs, bombed Solin-gen, 10 miles north of Cologne, in a daylight attack. Other RAF bombers, timing their attacks to come when Dutch workers were off duty, bombed a "human tcrpedo" factory at Utrecht.



of the Vosges or the Belfort Gap at the southern end-the former being only 200 yards wide at its bottleneck and the latter very heavily fortified. The northern end of this front was assigned at that time to the U.S. Seventh Army and the southern end to the First French Army.

As of Oct. 1. two corps were released for publication as part of the Seventh Army. They were the XI Corps, which included the Third, 36th and 45th Divisions; and the XV Corps, which includes the 79th Division and the Second French Armored Division.

Except for a few outfits like the First, Ninth and Second Armored Divisions, the men along the north-ern battlefronts are new to war, having tasted their first fire in Normandy.

The Third Division hit Morocco on D-Day, landed in Sicily on D-Day and invaded southern France on D-Day, Aug. 15. The 36th Texas Division trained

in North Africa, saw D-Day at Salerno, and hit France on D-Day. The 45th Division landed in Sicily and France on D-Day. This division spent 271 days of its first

year in actual combat. The 79th Division fought in Normandy and at the siege of Cher-Gen. Sir Oliver Leese is leaving the British Eighth Army in Italy mored took Paris.

	NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 5 (ANS).	to grap them first. We had the	first man of the rescuing forces	to take command of the 11th Army	inorea coo.
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S&S to Print Extras **On Tuesday Election**

The Stars and Stripes has completed arrangements to print extra editions Tuesday night and Wednesday morning so that detailed news of the national election results back home will be available as soon as possible to the ETO.

Our telephones are going to be tied up solidly with cable and radio messages to and from election tabulation centers in the States. That's necessary to get the story to the troops quickly. If folks within telephoning distance of this office tie up our poor, beat-up old telephone with queries about election results. it will mean slower service to the guys up forward. Please don't.

With a Heil Nazi Nazi and a Hot Blah Blah



a pompous little ex-pfc strode into a Munich beer hall, fired two shots at the ceiling and screamed:

"The government of Bavaria is dead. I am the new dictator."

Twenty-one years ago this week, on Nov. 8, 1923. | of all Germany, and Nov. 8 became a big day in the Reich, marked by a party rally in Munich and a speech by the Führer.

of the Eighth.

But Gen. Eisenhower put a damper on the Nov. 8 celebration of 1942 with his landings in North Africa; U.S. bombers have plastered Munich pretty thorough-Hitler had overshot his mark in that "beer hall ly; and all in all it doesn't look as if there's going putsch," but a few years later he did become dictator, to be much celebrating in the Reich on Wednesday.

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captured Epinal

e successful landings in France on Aug. 15 and weep upwards from Mar-Seventh Army slowed en Epinal was captured. the U.S. Seventh Army before the Rhine are the towns of St. Dié, Gérardmer and the Vosges passes-all of which now are in German hands.

The southern sector of the Sixth Army Group is the responsibility of the First French Army under the command of Gen. Jean Delattre de Tassigny. The nucleus of this army was the French Expeditionary Corps from Italy. They were tired and under strength from their hardfought Italian campaigns, and from the race to Belfort from the Riviera. Their forces include a high percentage of colonials, both white and negro.

Opposite the First French Army are Belfort, Colmar and Mulhouse. The men are fighting under difficult conditions at the himest part of the Vosges southern crest. All along the crest of the Vosges Mountains the Cermons have a line of forts-a wall tough to crack.

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THE STARS AND STRIPES

GI Vote Can Decide Winner in Close Race

Standard Bearers in Wartime Presidential Election

Total Ballots Seen Reaching 2,500,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 5 (ANS) .- GI votes could be the determining factor in the presidential election, it is agreed at national campaign headquarters of the major political parties. If the race is close, the result might not be known for weeks.

An estimated 4,300,000 ballots have been sent to eligible voters among the 11,000,000 men and wo men in the armed forces and be-tween 2,300,000 and 2,500,000 of these probably will be returned.

The exact number of war ballots cast may never be known, because some states do not count them separately. It is conceivable that the outcome, if the contest is a neck-and-neck affair, may not be known until Dec. 16, when California will count its soldier vote. Pennsylvania, another pivotal

state, will not list its soldier vote until Nov. 23.

There are 12 states, with a total electoral vote of 126, which will not record their soldier votes for varying days and weeks after Nov. 7 The 12 states, dates when their absentee votes are listed and the number of their electoral votes, are as follows:

Delaware, Nov. 9, three votes; Maryland, Nov. 9, eight; Missouri, Nov. 10, 15; Florida, Nov. 17, seven; Colorado, Nov. 22, six; Utah, Nov. 22, four; Pennsylvania, Nov. 23, 35 Washington, Nov. 27, eight; Rhode Island, Dec. 5, four; North Dakota, Dec. 5, four; Nebraska, Dec. 7, seven; California, Dec. 16, 25.

Pennsylvania has sent about 600,000 ballots to voters overseas, California 175,000, Rhode Island 37,500, North Dakota 16,000, Maryland 51,000, Utah 17,000 and Dela-ware 7,600. No figures are available for the other states with delayed vote counts.

Bettors Laying \$17 to \$5 on **FDR Victory**

NEW YORK, Nov. 5 (ANS).-Betting odds on the Presidential Race last week ranged around 1 to 3 with President Roosevelt the favorite over Gov. Thomas E. De-wey, a roundup of Associated Press, United Press and International News Service dispatches showed.

Under the latest odds, bettors must wager \$17 to win \$5 on Roose-velt's re-election or wager \$1 to win \$3 on election of Dewey. These odds were quoted by James J. Carroll, St Louis betting commissioner.

Carroll said that at the begin-



Franklin D. Roosevelt

Thomas E. Dewey

Sideshows Give Top Billing To Prohibition, Closed Shop

While the Presidential contest holds the center of the stage in the U.S. elections tomorrow, a number of other interesting issues will be decided in the wings.

Nebraska will vote on a prohibition amendment to its constitution which would make the state dry. Members of the state's 134th Infantry Regiment Connors, 29, lawyer and former G-

in France have gone on record against the imposition of prohibiwoman. IOWA. tion now, in their absence. White-haired Sen. Guy M. Gil-

Three states—Arkansas, Califor-nia and Florida—will. vote on vir-tually identical constitutional amendments aimed at the closed shop. They provide in effect that no worker should be compelled to join a union in order to get or hold a job. Both the AFL and CIO are fighting them strenuously.

In the realm of personalities, these races are worth watching: CALIFORNIA.

the state elections of 1943 which put Republicans in the governor-The bid of Actress Helen Gaha-Carroll said that at the begin-ning of last week, odds on the gan, wife of the screen star, Mel-Brezident ware department to ut as wife of the screen star, Mel-first time in 16 years. Running President were shortened to 17 to 5 vyn Douglas, for a seat in Congress

62 has been a subject for campaign comment, has gone to great lengths to demonstrate his fitness and he delivered his speech frc 1 the back seat of an open car parked in the center of Boston's Fenway Park with floodlights beating upon him.

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Election

Dewey addressed a huge rally at Madison Square Garden, New York. They were the last major speeches of both candidates, although both will take to the radio tomorrow tight for final election-eve messages. The vice-presidential candidates, hostilities. night for final election-eve messages.

too, delivered final appeals. Dewey running ate, Gov. J 'm W. Bricke. of Ohio, told a audience at Pater son, N.J., that Mr. Roosevelt's ex pressed belief in free enterprise was contradicted by the New Dea. record. Sen. Harry S. Truman of Missouri, the Democratic vice-pre-sidential nominee, declared in Pittsburgh that the President was the laboring man's and the farmer' best friend.

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The campaign has been fougr out to date on a variety of issues The coord principal interest to Gi probably was the Depublican charge and the flat Democratic denial that the administra in did no plan to demobilize the army

AEF Radio Programs AFN TUESDAY MONDAY Time Headlines—Rise and Shine. News, Program Summary. Music by Lionel Hampton (AFN). Headlines—Combat Diary. Monday Morning Medley. Jack Wilson's Versatile Five. Headlines—Morning after (ITMA) Headlines-Rise and Shine. News, Program Summary. Geraldo Orchestra. Headlines—Combat Diary Headlines-Combat Diary Starlight. Music America Loves Best (AFN). 0915 0930

to reverse the odds completely to	ning as a Democrat and is opposed by William D. Campbell, Republi- can, former attorney of the Justice and Treasury departments and campaign manager for Gov. Earl Warren. CONNECTICUT. Playwright Clare Booth Luce's quest of a second term in Congress from the Fourth District on the Republican ticket. Her Democratic opponent is a woman, Margaret E. Consected to Win Electoral votes decide presi- dential elections and there are 531 of them, one for each mem- ber of Congress, so 266 electoral votes are needed to win. Herbert Hoover, the last Republican pre- sident, polled 444 votes to the late Al Smith's 87 in 1928. In 1932 Roosevelt won with 472 votes to 59 for Hoover. The President defeated Alf Landon 523 to 8 in 1936 and received 449 votes to 82 for the late Wendell	major league pitcher. NEW YORK The question whether Rep. Ham- ilton Fish, whom Gov. Thomas E. Dewey opposed for renomination, can win a 15th term on the Repub- lican ticket against Attorney Au- gustus W. Bennet. Dewey beat Bennet for the nomination in the Republican primary but Bennet	0030 1000 1030 1100 1105 1145 1245 1245 1245 1300 1330 1400 1410 1415 1430 1530 1530 1530 1530 1530 1530 1530 15	Jack Wilson's Versatile Five. Headlines-Morning after (ITMA) Music While You Work. Headlines-Nows from USA (AFN) Duffle Bag (AFN). Piano Parade. News and Program Summary. Melody Mixture. Spotlight. Headlines-Radio Playhouse. Music. News. Light Orchestra. Headlines-Music while you work. Combat Diary. On the Record (AFN). Sky Rockets Dance Orchestra. World News. Village Store (AFN). AEF Extra. American Sports News (AFN). World News. Mark Up the Map. Music from the Pacific. Raymond Scott (AFN). Headlines-Music. Strings with Wings Amos N' Andy (AFN). News and Canadian Home News. Fred Waring (AFN). News Marka (AFN). The Canada Show. World News. Top Ten RAF orch., Beryl Davis. Duffy's Tavern (AFN). Headlines-News from USA (AFN) California Melodies (AFN).	Headlines—Canada Show. Music While You Work. Headlines—News from USA (AFN) Duffle Bag (AFN). Piano Parade. News. Program Summary. BBC Orchestra. Headlines—Variety Bandbox. News. Melody Roundup (AFN). RCAF Hq. Band. Headlines—Music while you work. Combat Diary. On the Record (AFN). Theatre Organ. News. Canada Guest Show. American Sports News (AFN) World News. Mark Up the Map. Saludos Amigos (AFN). American Dance Band. Headlines—Music. Hoopla. News and Canadian Home News. Fred Waring (AFN). Cavalcade. World News. Mail Cail (AFN). Dinah Shore (AFN). Dinah Shore (AFN). Headlines—News from USA (AFN). Midland Light Orchestra. Hit Parade (AFN). Headlines—Sign off til 0555 Wed
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lette's contest for re-election-he is now the only Iowa Democrat in

opposed by Gov. Bourke B. Hicken-

The Republican effort to unseat Sen. Alben W. Barkley, Senate Democratic leader who has been

in Congress since 1913, following

He is

either the State or House.

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Thumbnail Sketch of Paris. Eiffel

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Shell Game Champs

The 172nd F.A. battalion, commanded by Lt. Col. John J. Hayes, of Concord, N.H., was the first artillery unit to fire on Barneville and other Normandy towns in support of the infantry which cut the Cotentin Peninsula and payed the way for the capture of Cherbourg, First Army HQ

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fore retiring.

same ditch.

bridge.

has announced.

Formerly the First Battalion of the 172nd F.A. Regiment of the New Hampshire National Guard, the unit was activated February, 1941 at Manchester, N.H., Equipped originally with 155mm howitzers, it was converted to 4.5-inchers in August, 1943. It has expended 35,-000 rounds of ammo in slightly

more than four months of combat. For its support of the Ninth In-fantry Division in the Cherbourg, campaign, the outfit was personally commended by Maj. Gen. Manton S. Eddy, then Ninth Division commander.

The 172nd landed on D-plus-8 and participated in every First Army engagement. It fought up the Cherbourg Peninsula, at the breakthrough, south of St. Lo, the Falaise Gap and the Franco-Belgian border. It reached Germany Sept. 16, at Walheim.

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Gets Billy's Goat

Paratroopers of the 82nd Air-borne Division figured they had solved the problem of disposing of unused portions of K rations. They



gave everything they didn't want, including cans, to their mascot, a pet white goat

The only hitch is that the goat even the goat—refused to eat K2 biscuits and Chelseas.

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Picture That!

Add coincidences of war: Pvt. Edwin Goldenburg, of the Eighth Infantry Division, walked into a deserted house and saw a calendar on the wall. On it was a picture of the Chicago hotel where his parents now live.

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Saved by Hot Seat "I Don't Wanna," a Third Armored Division tank commanded by S/Sgt. Oliver Garner, of Trenton, Tex., opened up on a Jerry 20mm. anti-aircraft gun dug in along a roadside. The crew got a direct hit and the gun was destroyed, but two of the crew members somehow escaped death and sprinted for a nearby wood.

Garner was about to draw a bead, but he started laughing and could not aim. The seats of the escaping Nazis' pants were aflame!

first stream was in enemy ter-ritory and (2) their headquarters had been trying to build bridges across both streams for almost two weeks. * * Needed a Nurse Guards of a tank destroyer bat-

facsimile thereof) each night be-

One night, while helping to bring

birth, Koland pulled into a

the blitzkrieg back to the land of

French field after travelling more

than 70 miles, posted guards and

Next morning, when he tried to

A Sixth Armored Division's

bridge company took a wrong road to get to a new bivouac

area. They reached a stream where a bridge had been de-

stroyed, so they built a new one.

An hour later, they came to another stream and built another

When they arrived at the

area they discovered: (1) The

roust his crew at dawn, he found four German soldiers sharing the

hit the sack in a handy ditch.

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Skip Channels

talion decided the vehicle hurrying toward the Siegfried Line was German and they opened fire. There was a loud thud as it crashed into a road block a little way down the road. The outpost stopped firing. Swearing of a distinctly American flavor followed.

Investigation revealed the occupants of the vehicle were a Medical Corps colonel and a nurse, who believed they were far behind the front lines. *

'Lightning' Strikes

Getting buried in your foxhole isn't a novelty in this war, but S/Sgt. Frank V. Leeper, of Washington, Pa., is one of the few men to be buried twice in one day. The Second Infantry Division soldier got it first in the after-

noon when a German shell caved his hole, completely covering him. That same night he was just crawling into a new hole when he got it again—this time up to his neck.

Tower and Eye-full women. Private Joe Lipsman says: "A front-line observation post is a lookout where you have to look-out."

From the pen of Cpl. Thomas K. Rowe comes this little jingle en-titled "Philanthropy."

When payday comes I always hash What to do with so much cash. But then I spend it all on me, 'Cause I'm my favorite charity.

Incidental Information. In the window of a steamship company in Paris there still hangs a large sign reading, "Visit Washington, The City Beautiful."

Overheard in the Blackout. "Say, bud, have you got any lighter fluid I could borrow?" "No, but I've got a bottle of Calvados, help yourself."

Neatest Retort of the Week. A Pfc, reprimanded by a major for not saluting, glibly explained: "Sir,



you came by so fast I didn't have time to get my hands out of my pockets." PS: The explanation was accepted.

A sweet young thing rushed up to a Marine hero just back from the S. Pacific and gushed, "What are Marine Combat Engineers?" The hero replied suavely. "We're the guys who build roads for the Japs to retreat on."

Typewriters in France have fun-ny keyboards with the letters in places where you least expect to find them and a lieutenant we know is still sorry that he used one to write a letter to his wife. He just found out that he hit the wrong key and told her the "high cost of loving on the Continent was terrific."

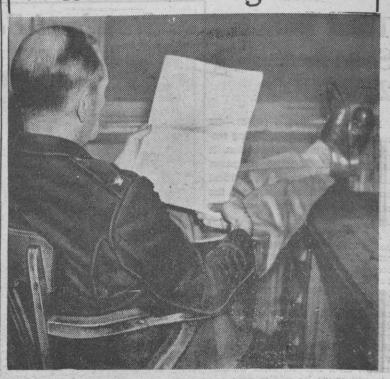
The other day we had a report about diapers showing up in a comabout diapers showing up in a com-pany's laundry. T/Sgt. Harry Henry has topped this. When he picked up his "clean" garments® at the supply room of his Mustang fighter group there was a note attached: 'Why not pick up a girl whose lipstick doesn't come off so easily? Betty."

A major over here who has a small daughter still in the diaper stage affectionately calls her his "Safety-Pin-Up Girl." J. C. W.

Up Front with Mauldin



- An Editorial What's Wrong Here?





The B Bag Blow It Out Her Out Here

Invitation

We hereby acclaim the manufac-turer of the latest type shelter half (which leaks even though it isn't raining-early morning dew is enough) as the man we'd most like to share a pup tent with.-Waughter Soaked, AAA. * * *

Shut My Mouth

We're an APO living well, but

years ago, while he was in France during World War L

The letter is highly prized and is just one of many Dad wrote to me-a youngster then, five years old.

The letter proves that history does repeat itself. I am just one of many, many "sons" in France for World War II whose Dads were here in number one.

Let's resolve now that history will never repeat itself, as it has working pretty late. However, every in numerous cases like this, by putting so well a finish to the job that not a single one of our sons will have to come this way for World War III!-P/c Hershell O. George, Engrs.

Rougher Than War

T/5 George Piepiora, of Dorchester, Mass., fought all the way from Normandy to the Siegfried Line with the Third Armored "Spearhead" Division -and didn't get a scratch. The other day he got mixed up in a company football game, and now he has a bandaged noggin.

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Nazi Infiltration

Sgt. Morris A. Koland, of Karlstad, Minn., and the Third Armored Division, has taken a hint from hopeful old maids-and now he looks under his bed (or reasonable

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"He's gittin' th' fever, Joe. Now let 'im edge in a little."

time someone happens to mention the fact we've got long hours, our CO tells us in a speech to quit bitching 'cause we can always get into the infantry via S & S! Can't you keep your big mouth shut?-Pjc I. S.

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* Dates and 8×8 's

We are billeted here in Belgium with some evacuees. Among these evacuees are young women as well as children. Our CO gave us a lecture emphasizing that we are prohibited from talking to any of them and said these girls were no good and that some of them are supposed to be wives of the Germans. Punishment for not following this order was the sad task of digging an $8 \times 8 \times 8 \times 8$ o'clock.

The next night the same officer held a party and the girls he had prohibited us from talking to were his guests!—Disgusted.

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Check and Double Check A recent letter from my wife brought another letter, one written it, what can you lose?-Pvt. A. E. to me by my father, nearly 25 McIntosh.

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Bing, Bang!

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I hate to criticize a person I like as much as Bing Crosby, but when he tells the people back home that "the nearer you go to the front, the cleaner-shaven the men are and the snappier are the salutes," well, any GI Joe knows he can't have seen much of the front lines where salutes are almost entirely forgotten and where it's hard to know whether a GI's face is covered with mud or a beard and mustache. — Pfc Denis E. Bergeron, Sig. Co.

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Domestic Science

To those Joes who can't possibly eat another can of that delicious corn pork loaf! Use the bouillon powder like salt and pepper. Try

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News From Outfits on the European Fronts

7th Tankmen **Claim Fastest** Sweep of War

By Marshall Morgan

Stars and Stripes Special Writer. WITH THE SEVENTH AR-MORED DIVISION, Nov. 5.-If it wasn't the fastest military sweep on record, then the "Lucky Seventh" Armored Division invites unofficial correspondence to the contrary.

Six hundred miles in 21 daysthat's the fighting mileage clicked off by cyclometers of Maj. Gen. Lindsay McDonald Silvester's fighting armor as it spearheaded the Allied drive to the German border. The record advance for any one day was 65 miles.

In addition, from Aug. 10, when the division's first tanks rolled ashore in France, through Aug. 31, end of the 21-day period, the Seventh Armored liberated ap-proximately 150 towns with an aggregate population of 350,000.

Brightest feathers in the Seventh's cap are the historic cities of Chartres, Château-Thierry, Rheims and Verdun. Major battles were fought at Chartres and Château-Thierry. At Melun, on the Seine, the Seventh encountered and overcame that bugaboo of all tactical problems: a river-crossing under fire.

More than 5,900 prisoners were scooped up during the drive, and an unestimated number of Nazi dead marked its path.

For Fast Dash

WITH THE 79th INFANTRY

DIVISION, Nov. 5 .- For advancing

1800 miles in 72 hours the 79th

distance by an infantry division in

79th Cited

Corps commander.

4 th Infantry

and All Souls' Day.

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Honors Dead in

Battlefield Rites

WITH THE FOURTH INFAN-TRY DIVISION. - Devotions in

commemoration of the men of this

organization who have fallen in

combat were held on All Saint

Theme of the speakers was that death is not the end, and that

soldiers should be loyal to the

Mass was celebrated by Capt.

warfare."

Rocket-Firing Cubs Kill Tanks

By Earl Mazo Stars and Stripes Staff Writer.

The flimsy Cub liaison planes which started the war in Normandy as unarmed flying observation opsts have sprouted firepower, and some of them now are taking on-and beating-German tanks and artillery. At least one of them is credited with downing a Nazi fighter plane.

The little Model T-Maytag Messerschmitt-puddlejumper craft have found their firepower in an infantry weapon-the bazooka, and with rocket tubes mounted under the

scanty parasol wings. Lt. Edwin D. Maxey, of Lincoln, Neb., "got" an FW190 by maneuver-ing his Cub so violently that the attacking German airplane undershot and crashed into the ground. Two Second Infantry division Cubmen, Lt. James B. Barber, Raton, N.M., and T/Sgt. E.R. Nester, Fort Dodge, Ia., spotted a wrecked P47 in one sector and potied by the activity or the noticed by the activity on the

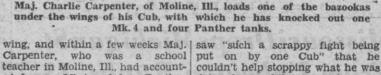
ground that the pilot was seriously wounded. They flew on to a base and brought back a doctor, who saved the pilot's life

Shot Up Trucks

Rocket-firing activity by Cubs was started by two California lieutenants, Harley Merrick and Roy Carson, who put a bazooka under each wing of their artillery-spotting airplane.

During the breakthrough campaign in Normandy they shot up a couple of German trucks, and a major in their Fourth Armored division, Charlie Carpenter, became so enthusiastic over the success

that he decided to try his hand. An Air Service Command unit in England rigged a Cub with a battery of three bazookas under each



ed for one Mk.4 and four Panther tanks. Once Carpenter banked around a tree to get a tank. German infantrymen opened up on him with machine pistols, so he banked around another tree and got away with only a few bullet holes in one

wing. Maj. Tom Churchill, Boston, enabling the tank to get into posi-tank battalion executive, said tion to beat off attacking German during a recent armored battle he armor.

couldn't help stopping what he was

doing for a while to watch. Cub pilots have been known to "bomb" contingents of Germans with hand grenades and "strafe" them with cal. 45 pistols, and once Lts. Egbert Peters, Sioux City, Ia., and John Cramer, Brooklyn saved a Sherman tank crew by dropping a hastily-sketched situation map

5th Armored's Role in Falaise Trap Bared

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After a 300-mile drive through enemy-held territory in Normandy, the Fifth Armored Division sprung the trap from the south on German forces at Falaise, it .as disclosed yesterday, as Army censorship removed the division from the secret list.

Commanded by Maj. Gen. Luns-ford E. Oliver, the division started from upper Normandy Aug. 1 and in 20 days pushed . total of 400 miles to reach the Seine.

The division's horse-shoe-shaped thrust to Argentan was the first successful employment of a full American armored division in an exploitation mission behind enemy lines. In this operation, the outfit advanced 150 miles south, through Fougères and Vitré, then continued 100 miles east to Le Mans, swing-ing 50 miles north to Argentan.

First in Le Mans

Troops (the Fifth Armored were the first to enter Le Mans, Aug. 9, and the first in Argentan, Aug. 13. In both instances the cities were taken over by other units to allow the Fifth to continue its exploiting mission.

Between Argentan and Gacé the Fifth Armored engaged the Germans in three days' hard fighting, while Allied units advanced from Caen to Falaise to form the other jaw of the pincers. The Germans, attacked from both north and south and hammered continuously from the air, suffered extremely heavy casualties.

Drove to Eury

The outfit then drove east 70 rilles to the Eure River in a single night and liberated Dreux the following day, Aug. 16: After crossing the Eure, the division remained in contact with the Germans between the Euro and the Seine until the pocket was deaned out. On Aug. 20, the Fifth reached the Seine at Vernon, 35 miles from Paris.

In one month of a nost constant fighting, the division killed 2,811 Nazis and took 4,325 prisoners. The Fifth's own losses were light-approximately 125 det.1 and 500 wounded. In the same period the outfit destroyed 1 tanks.

Inspect Negro Troops

WITH THIRD U.S. ARMY, Nov. 5.-Brig. Gen. Benjamin O. Davis, Sr., ranking Negro officer in the American army, has completed inspection Negro troops in the Third army and has discussed aspects of that inspection with Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, army commander.

Previously, Gen. Davis had inspected Negro troops in the First

Division has been comended by Maj. Gen. Charles H. Corlett, XIX **Sergeant Halts** In a letter to the division commander, Maj. Gen. I. T. Wyche, Corlett said that the drive was believed to be "one of the fastest GrenadeAttack opposed advances of comparable

WTH THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION, Nov. 5.—A machine-gun sergeant with a knack for throwing hand grenades stepped into the rôle of a rifleman and helped halt a German potato masher atttack in which 40 of the deadly missiles were in the air at one time.

S/Sgt. Elmer G. Carey, of Hugo, Okla., was on a hill with 15 green riflemen when Nazi grenades came from pillboxes 40 yards away.

Although not in charge of the riflemen, Carey took command and began to hurl grenades back at the enemy. The riflemen pulled pins and handed their grenades to Carey. Other grenades were brought up and all the Yanks joined in.

Cajetan Sullivan, of Jamaica, Long Island, N.Y., assistant division The next day between 50 and 60 dead and wounded Germans were chaplain; Capt. Bruno Luechinger, New York City, and Capt. Leonard

found.

A GI Passes the Buck **But S&S Delivers It**

Army, bought a 20-franc lottery ticket in Paris. From up front, he sent the ticket to The Stars and Stripes Help Wanted Department, offering 10 percent of the winnings if he won.

commission deducted.

Have you lost the ball out of your whistle? Need more stripes for that pet zebra? Help Wanted Always Gets Results.

Yanks Planning Yule Fete for Belgian Kids

BERDIERS, BELGIUM, Nov. 5. -The Allied Civil Affairs unit here, under command of Maj. Tho-

Crawls Near Enemy Lines

WITH THE 28th INFANTRY DIVISION, Nov. 5 .- When the terrain made it impossible to direct his battery's artillery fire, Capt. Willard F. Bunker, of Lincoln, Neb., crawled to within 100 yards of the enemy camp so he could bring about the most effective fire against German tanks and armored

Continuing beyond the most advanced American infantry positions, Bunker, then a lieutenant. directed his battery, while his own shells burst only 90 yards away. For his act, which took place Sept. 7 during an advance in Bel-gium, Bunker has been awarded the Silver Star.

Yankee Doodle Goes to Town,

He won. Fifty francs, and no

vehicles.

Pfc G. J. Ross, of the First

S. Ellenberg, Chester, S.C., con- ducted Episcopal services. MI Kills at 600 Yards WITH THE FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION, Nov. 5. — When mortar shells scared two German snipers from a factory building, S/Sgt. Francis Courville, of Bark River, Mich., grabbed an MI and fired two rounds. Later his buddies paced off the distance to where the two Nazis lay and found it to be more than 600 yards. Fioating Bridge in Action	mas presents for some 1,000 Belgian children in the area whose parents have been killed or transported to Germany by the Nazis. "We hope to have a fine party for the children on Dec. 20," Maj. Brown said. "With the aid of the	Riding an Infa By Jimmy Cannon Stars and Stripes Staft Writer. ON THE SIEGFRIED LINE WITH THE 4th INF. DIV.—The soldiers on horseback were infan- trymen. "They'll be putting us doughfoots in submarines next," said Pvt. An- thony Puccia, of New Orleans, Fla. "What we are trying to do is	"I must of got me one of those little old circus horses," mournfully drawled Pcf Buie Marow, of Gaines- ville, Ga. "Every time I touched that little old horse on the back he laid down and rolled over." "These here horses are French horses," said Pfc Whitey Summey, of Ft. Blackmore, Va. "I don't speak no French. I speak English. "But sometimes I make that old	
The army's M-1 treadway raft, loaded with an American medium tank, span's astream in Belgium. The raft, which looks tike a floating bridge, is propelled by flat-bottomed motorboats.	Pfc Smashes MG Nests With BAR, Grenades WITH THE EIGHT INFANTRY DIVISION, Nov. 5.—Pfc Joseph Guzwicus marked out a pair of Ger- man machine gun nests for his own and knocked out the first with BAR fire. When he went after the second his automatic weapon "hung up" on him, so he picked up two MIs. A shell burst blew both rifles out of his hands. Refusing to be dishearle- ned, he knocked out the nest with several grenade tosses.	riding academy in Brooklyn before he was drafted. He is the acting first sergeant of what he claims is the first infantry cavalry school	"She stopped one day and just didn't want giddy-ap no how. So I showed her that lip bit we use when they get ornery and made out like I was going to put it on her. Soon as she seen it, that old horse took off like a big tailed bird. I ain't going to learn how to compris French. I'm going to make that horse compris English." "Know what these guys want now?" Trachtenberg said. "They want parachutes issued to them." "I get throwed off so much I	

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Ohio State Trounces Indiana, 21-7

Incentive for Wounded Vet

Buckeyes Remain Unbeaten

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COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 5.— Ohio State retained its position atop the Big Ten and its status as the nation's No. 1 civilian team by trouncing Indiana, 21-7, here yes-terday to continue along the undefeated trail.

Les Horvath and Bob Brugge paced the Buckeye. to their vic-tory. Horvath's passes pared the tory. way for three touchdowns, while Brugge personally scored twice.

Indiana took a 7-0 lead the first time it got possession [°] he ball. The Hoosiers marched 66 yards and the payoff was a six-yard pitch from Bob Hoerneschmeyer to Dick Deranek. Johnny T-vener booted the stra point. Ohio State knotted the score in

the second quarter when Horvath pegged 41 yards to Jack Dugger, who ran seven yards to cross the goalline. Ollie Cline made the conversion.

Horvath started a third period uprising when he completed a 20yard pass to Dick Flanagan, then crashed through the line for seven yards to reach Indiana's nine. Brugge raced across and Dugger converted.

A 63-yard drive brought the final Ohio State touchdown. Horvath chipped in with a 16-yard junket to the 24, from where Brugge knifed over for the touchdown

Gophers Tie 'Cats, 14-14

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 5 .- Minnesota and Northwestern battled to a 14-14 standoff here yesterday in the Gophers' annual homecoming game.

Both elevens counted in the first quarter with Minnesota marching 71 yards to score on Vic Kulbitski's plunge, and Northwestern cashing in on Altepeter's 34-yard trip. The Gophers moved back into

the lead in the third quarter on Red Williams' 48-yard sprint through the entire Northwestern defense. Frank Clawson plowed through for the Wildcats later in the same frame to gain a tie.

Seven Hearts Triumphs In Westchester 'Cap

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Seven Hearts, the chestnut four-year-old son of Grand Slam, led from start to finish and had three and a half lengths to spare in winning the 25th running of the \$30,000 added Westchester Handicap, which end-ed the New York racing season at Jamaica yesterday.

Oklahoma Tops Iowa State

Lt. (jg) Glenn Cunningham (right), former champion miler, exhibits burn scars on his leg, acquired as a child, to Marine Cpl. Alexander J. Hawes, of New York, and explains how to overcome physical handi-cap. At left is Lt. Kinsley Warfield.

MissouriDropsMichiganSt. From Unbeaten Ranks, 13-7

COLUMBIA, Mo., Nov. 5.—Mis-souri's Tigers dropped Michigan State from the unbeaten-untied ranks with a 13-7 victory here yesterday.

The Tigers, sparked by substitute Halfback Bob Hopkins, scored with-cut losing the ball after the secondhalf kickoff for the first tally of the game. Paul Collins culminated the 60-yard move by crashing over from the three. Collins passed to End Bob Eigle-

berger for 27 yards to advance the ball to the Spartan 26 early in the fourth quarter. Collins plunged to the 13, then completed the oneman show on the next play. Ke-keris added the extra point. Joe Grondzik averted a shutout

for the Spartans when he outfoxed Missouri's line to cover 22 yards.

Cornell Romps Over Columbia, 25-7

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.-Columbia's undermanned Lions fell before hard-hitting Cornell, 25-7, here yesterday for their third reversal' of the campaign.

The Lions scored in the first quarter when Capt. George Gilbert grabbed a fumble and ran 55 yards, but thereafter Lou Little's pupils didn't have a chance. Alan Dekdebrun scored once personally, and threw a touchdown pass to Don Smoers. Frank Snavely later in-

board today to defeat the Chatham Field Blockbusters, 19-7, with three touchdowns in the second period.

Chronister on the 12 and the big end .. ent over. A few minutes later Hadaway connected with a 34-yard aerial to Gibson for a touchdown, and before the half ended Jesse Mason scored the Frogs' last touchdown on a five-yard buck. A pass from Bill Guice to Jim Moran re-sulted in the Cloudbuster touchdown.

Tex Hadaway flipped 32 yards to

The Question Box (To settle bets, keep pace with

new records, etc., GIs in the ETO have been flooding The Stars and Stripes office with sports queries. Here are some of the answers as gathered by our New York office:)

To Cpl. W. R. Sullivan-The St. Louis Cardinals won 18 games, lost four in their 1944 series with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

To Sgt. Swetisch .-- Of the four reports mentioned we'd say the object of plays tra-veled fastest in this order: golf, ice hockey jai-lai, base-For all-round action by ball. players, jai-lai would be shade faster than hockey.

To Pvt. Leonard Daving

Maple Leafs Top Bruins By 7-2 Count

TORONTO, Nov. 5 .- The frontrunning Toronto Maple Leafs kept their winning treak intact by downing the Boston Bruins, 7-2, here last night for their fourth straight National Hockey League victory.

The Leafs scored twice in the first period and added two more in the second before Ken Smith netted the first Bruin tally. Bill Jennings registered the second Bos-

ton goal. Mel Hill paced the Leafs with two goals, while Dave Schriner, Ted Kennedy, Bob Davidson, Lorne Carr and Pete Backor each counted once.

Canadiens Shade Detroit Red Wings, 3-2

MONTREAL, Nov. 5.-Toe Blake's goal with eight minutes to play broke a 2-2 deadlock and handed the Montreal Canadiens a 3-2 decision over the Detroit Red Wings before a sellout throng of 12,000 here last night.

The Canadiens assumed a 2-0 lead in the first period, but the Wings came back with one late in the same frame and another in the second.

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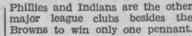
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S. Carolina Nips N. Carolina CHAPEL HILL, N.C., Nov. 5. -A second period touchdown by Dan Haralson, 18-year-old 150-pound back, gave South Carolina a 6-0 verdict over North Carolina here yesterday. Haralson plunged two yards to score following a 32-yard, drive, which he started with a 15-yard excursion around end.



To Pvt. Samuel Forbstein, -Players hitting the most home runs in a single season were Babe Ruth, 60; Jimmy Foxx and Hank Greenberg, 58, and Hack Wilson, 56. Mel Ott's Hack Wilson, 56. high was 42.

To Fighter Group Medics. — Dizzy Dean and Carl Hubbell op-posed each other as starting pitchers ten times from 1932 through 1937. Hubbell won six, Dean won four. They also faced each other as relief pitchers on two occasions, Hubbell getting the decision in one game, no decision in the other and Dean losing one.



PUEBLO, Colo.-Jack Dempsey, a former featherweight and lightweight boxer, died here at the age of 80. He once went 20 rounds to a draw with Young Corbett, and also fought a draw with Abe Attell. No, he wasn't related to William Harrison "Jack" Dempsey, the heavy king. INGLEWOOD,



chines, a new record for the five-year-old course. NEW YORK. -S/Sgt. Joe Louis expects to bank Joe Louis about \$20,000 on his current exhibition junket while on furlough from the Army. That should keep him in folding money for some time what with the 96 bucks a month he's getting anyway ... BALTIMORE.— Ben Jones, trainer of Twilight Tear, claims his three-year-old First Lady of

the turf is the second best horse he ever trained. Whirlaway gets the nod, according to Jones... PHI-LADELPHIA.-The football Eagles were studying films of one of their games when Ernie Steele piped up, "What's that dope doing over there and who is he ?" Whereupon that

dope turned and faced the camera. That's right —it was Steele... OKLAHOMA CITY. — Clyde Geforce, tailback on Tulsa's 1943 Sugar Bowl eleven, has just reported to the Oklahoma Aggies for gridiron duty. He has



Lou Little been in school for some time with

a naval unit but until now the Navy wouldn't ist him play. NEW YORK.—Lou Little, the co-lorful Columbia mentor, broke down the other day and admitted that players make coaches, instead of vice versa. "That Governali (Paul) sure was a great passer. Wish I had him now." If he had Governali, Little would have approximately one good player on his 1944 squad ...

RandolphField **Slaps Aggies**

RANDOLPH FIELD, Texas, Nov. 5.—Randolph Field's fearsome Ramblers coasted to an easy 68-0 victory over little North Texas Agricultural College here yesterday, extending their unblemished record to six straight.

Dippy Evans of Notre Dame and Vic Francis of Nebraska each registered two touchdowns for the Ramblers, while others were counted by Bobby Cifers of Tennessee, Don Looney of the Philadelphia



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Navy Drubs ND, 32-13; Georgia Tech Falls

Duke Tops Unbeaten Tech, 19-13

DURHAM, N.C., Nov. 5. -Georgia Tech fell from the undefeated ranks yesterday when the hot and cold Blue Devils of Duke traveled by ground and air to a 19-13 victory over the Engineers, who were seeking their sixth victory

Although the Devils scored on the first running play of the game, they were forced to come from behind twice to register one of the season's major upsets before 30,000 delighted customers. George Clark chugged 69 yards around end five seconds after the game started for the initial Duke touchdown.

Allen Bowen, 17-year-old freshman, on Duke's 35 and Logan outsped the Devils' secondary. Bowen's placement was good.

Duke hit pay dirt again in the second quarter when Davis heaved 25 yards to Raether. The kick went wide, but Duke was ahead, 12-7, at the half.

Once again Tech rebounded with Bowen personally directing the third period drive and plunging through from the four to give his club a 13-12 advantage. Then Duke uncovered its deception and relied heavily on laterals and reverses to march to the clinching touchdown. Clark Cliff Lewis and Raether

reeled off a series of hipper-dipper plays to move the ball to Tech's 11-yard stripe as the third quarter ended. Bob Smith caught a pass from Lewis in the end zone on the first play of the final period Statistics:

	TECH	DUK
First Downs	14	10
Yards Gained, rushing	134	266
Passes Attempted	23	9
Passes Completed		5
Yards Gained, passing	150	73
Yards Penalized	10	41

Wake Forest EdgesClemson

WAKE FOREST, N.C., Nov. 5 .-The Wake Forest Deacons remained unbeaten and untied by getting past a strong Clemson team, 13-7, yesterday in a game that shoved the Deacons into undisputed possession of the Southern Conference lead

Clemson was Wake Forest's seventh straight victim of the season.

The Deacons tallied in the first and third periods with Rock Brinkley going over each time. The two touchdowns boosted his total for the campaign to 66 points.

Boilermakers Rout

12th Man Rescues **11 Inept Behemoths** YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Nov.

3.—No football season would be complete without the following play occurring at least once: A halfback from Ursuline was speeding toward a touchdown last week when a Scienceville substitute, ready to go into the game, dashed from the sidelines and tackled him.

Ole Miss St. Tips Kentucky

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 5. Mississippi State's rugged Maroons pounced on jittery Kentucky for a fifth victory in a row.

Allyn McKeen's bowl-conscious Maroons, who jumped into the Southeastern Conference lead with Tech went ahead, however, when their second loop success, recovered all seven Kentucky fumbles, five passed from his 31 to Mickey Logan, of them in Kaintuck territory. The first two fumbles occurred in the opening three minutes and led directly to a pair of State touchdowns.

> Tom McWilliams crashed through to the three and Stan Rhoades went over. A moment later another Taylor fumble was turned into six McWilliams making the points, touchdown.

> Joe Goldston's pass to Owen Moore gave the Maroons their third touchdown, and McWilliams scored the final touchdown in the third period after he and Rhoades had led a 62-yard drive.

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 Yards Gained, rushing.....
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 Passes Attempted
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 Passes Completed
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Statistics:

Georgia Upsets Alabama BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 5.— A determined Georgia eleven, fighting an uphill struggle against a highly-regarded foe, came from behind to subdue Alabama. 14-7, here yesterday. It was 'Bama's first defeat although the Crimson Tide has been tied twice.

Stan Nestorak, reserve Georgia halfback, sat out the first half, but crashed the lineup in the last two periods to set up one touchdown and score the other.

Alabama moved to the front in the second quarter when Fred Grant went over from the six after recovering a Bulldog fumble. Hugh Morrow's placement made it 7-0 at the half.

Nestorak entered the game and proceeded to rip the Alabama line to shreds on a 64-yard advance. Charlie Smith finally slipped across from the four anl Bill Bryan's boot knotted the count.

The Bulldogs gained possession on their own 29 early in the fourth quarter and started another push. Nestorak plunged over from the one and Bryan converted again.

Yale Protects Clean Slate With 6-0 Win

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 5. Yale's surprising Bulldogs main-tained their untarnished slate by shading Dartmouth, 6-0, here yesterday.

A crowd of 40,000 saw the traditional Ivy League rivals stage one of their usual battles. However, Yale thoroughly dominated. the game and was far more superior than the final score indicates.

Yale took a poor Dartmouth punt on the Indians' 36 in the second quarter. George Loh, the Bulldog qugarterback, called for pounced on jittery Kentucky for a several spread plays before he 26-0 romp here yesterday and their finally decided that the Indians were ignoring Paul Walker, Yale's All-America candidate. He com-pleted a pass to Walker on the 25 and beautiful downfield blocking permitted Walker to cross the goal-line unmolested.

Dartmouth's only big moment in the game arrived near the end when the Indians, headed by Darrell Braatz, moved from midfield to the nine. But the Yale line Hilary Horne recovered Mutt stiffened and Dartmouth lost the Taylor's bobble on the Kentucky 24. ball on downs.

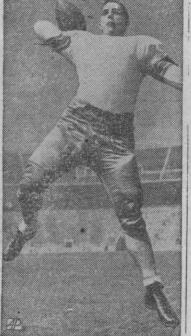
Penn State Wins, 41-0

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Nov. 5.--Johnny Chuckran, Penn State halfback, led his Nittany Lions to a 41-0 victory over Syracuse here yesterday. Chuckran scored twice and contributed another touchdown with a 20-yard pass to Right End Don Miltenberger.

Dino Taccalozzi kicked four conversions

Trojans Tip Favored San Diege Naval

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 5 .- The unpredictable Trojans of Southern California upset favored San Diego Naval Training Station, 28-21, here yesterday in a game packed with sensational runs. The longest run was made by San Diego Halfback Gus "Goose" White, who returned a kickoff 100 yards in the third period.



Carlet Star

Dean Sensanbaugher Army's Aerial Wizard

Army Spanks Villanova, 83-0

WEST POINT, N.Y., Nov. 5.-Undefeated Army slaughtered hapless Villanova, 83-0, here yesterday amid such carnage that the last two periods were mercifully cut ten miutes each by mutual consent.

After the Cadets had opened a 62-0 halftime lead. Fullbacks Bobby Dobbs and Felix Blanchard were given the rest of the afternoon off. Coach Earl Blaik didn't bother to see the game—he was in Balti-more watching Navy thump Notre Dame.

Glenn Davis made three touchdowns to lift his season's scoring total to 72 points, while Dick Walterhouse converted after 11 of Army's 12 touchdowns. Substitutes Arnold Tucker and John Sauer each donated two touchdowns to the assault and Max Minor, Dean Sensanbaugher, Dale Hall, Chabot and West also counted

iddies Hand Irish Ist Loss

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BALTIMORE, Nov. 5. Navy's array of stars finally clicked on all cylinders yesterday to overpower Notre Dame, 32-13, and tumble the Irish from the unbeaten .anks before 67.000 fans at Municipal Stadium.

The Middies thwarted two Notre Dame scoring thrusts in the first period, one after Bob Kelly had gone over only to have the play called back for illegal man in motion, then went to work. Gaining possession on the Irish 32 after Bill Barron returned Kelly's punt 18 yards, Navy scored on two plays. Barron broke lose for 27 yards and Clyde Scott plowed over on an offtackle smash.

Scott cruised across from the five again a few minutes later after a 39-yard pass from Bobby Jenkins to John Hansen had set up the "he second quarter was play. scoreless, and Navy held a 12-0 lead at the intermission.

Sheer power paraded the Middles to another touchdown early in the third period. Jenkins and Scott alternated at carrying the ball as Navy ground out 65 yards in nine plays, Jenkins scoring from the three.

Frank Dancewicz, Irish passing star, found the range at this point and reeled off three st. t completions, after which Kelly scooted across on a short buck. Kelly had another touchdown jaunt called back when officials ruled he had stepped out of bounds during a 40-

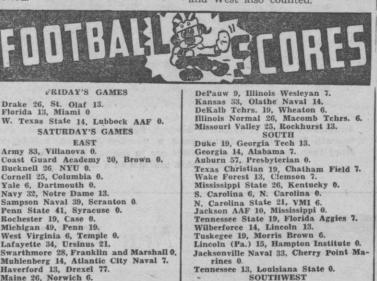
yard romp. Ralph Ellsworth tallie. Navy's fourth six-pointer in the last quarter before the Irish unveiled the play that beat Illinois a week ago to set up their second touchdown. Dancewicz passed to Kelly, who tossed a lateral to George Terlep and Terlep raced 32 yards to Navy's 33 A pass from Dance-wicz to Billy O'Connor moved the ball to the three and Kelly went over.

Barron contributed Navy's _ith touchdown, taking a reverse from Albion Walton to climax a downfield march that started with Notre Dame's kickoff. Statistics:

NUCCO			
		NAVY	ND
	Downs		13
Yards	Gained, rushing	338	36
Passes	Attempted	. 9	33
Passes	Completed	3	15
Yards	Gained, passing	44	160
Yards	Penalized	30	25
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Smith Parades Iowa To First Victory

IOWA CITY, Nov. 5.—Substitute Halfback Nelson Smith, recently discharged from the AAF, scored three touchdowns to spark Iowa to a 27-6 triumph over Nebraska here yesterday. It was the Hawkeyes' first success of the season.



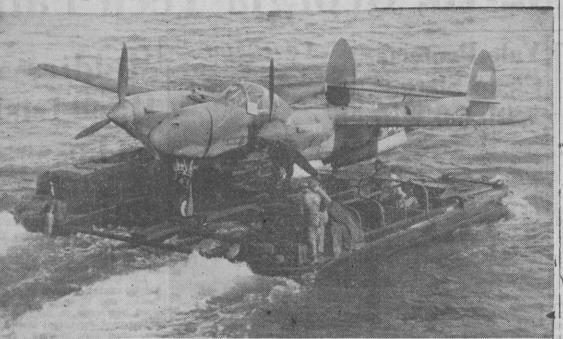
SATURDAY'S GAMES EAST Army 83, Villanova 0. Coast Guard Academy 20, Brown 0. Bucknell 26, NYU 0. Cornell 25, Columbia 0. Yale 6, Dartmouth 0. Navy 32, Notre Dame 13. Sampson Naval 39, Scranton 0. Penn State 41, Syracuse 0. Rochester 19, Case 0. Michigan 49, Penn 19. West Virginia 6, Temple 0. Lafayette 34, Ursinus 21. Swarthmore 28, Franklin and Marshall 0. Muhenberg 14, Atlantic City Naval 7. Haverford 13, Drexel 77. Maine 26, Norwich 6. Melville Naval 45, Boston College 0. Virginia 18, Maryland 0. <u>MIDWEST</u> Obio State 21 Indiana 7.

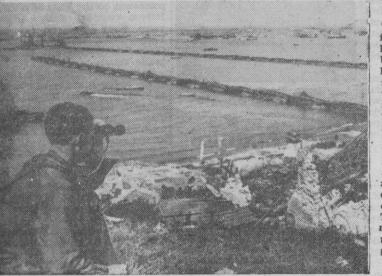
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Pop Neptune Goes to Work for the Allies ane





Two Ducks, lashed together to form a catamaran, transport a P-38 from ship to shore (above). Until a year ago fighters had to be disassembled before shipment, now the Ducks carry them right up the beach to the them right up the beach to the airport. An Allied soldier (left) watches landing operations at a Normandy beach where float-ing steel docks stretch into the English Channel, Each harbor can handle 12,000 tons and 2.500 vehicles daily. These and 2,500 vehicles daily. These are the famed portable harbors, called one of the most amazing engineering feats of the war. They were put together after months of planning and toil and narrowly escaped disaster when gales almost swept them apart during the final stages.

Yanks of Jap Descent On Battlefield Here



ploughs through thick bracken on a hillside.



The streamlined car (above) resembling something out of Buck Rogers, may be massproduced after the war if U.S. motorists say OK. Meanwhile, "The Weasel," (right) latest war model, is proving a big . success in the Pacific. By means of a flexible track the new transport vehicle travels easily on dry land, crawls through swamps and mud and swims through water. Manufacturers say the next model may climb trees.



Snapshots from those United States of America. High winds and pelting rains did not stop President Roosevelt's 50-mile campaign tour through the streets of New York. Gotham turned out en masse to catch a glimpse of the President as he smiled his way through the throngs. Top picture shows the motorcade at 40th St. and Seventh Ave. Guns bark in the woodlands over in the States, but they are the muskets of huntsmen. Happy hunters (second picture) emerge from the North Carolina woods with a young buck. The ugly crater (third) in which a battered fire truck is lying was blasted when a gas main exploded in Cleveland after fire at the East Ohio Gas Co. Gerald Haddon, 15, of Chicago (bottom), youngest invader of Normandy, gets some civvie duds after being mustered out the Coast Guard. He's going back to school.