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Another School Bus To Be Added For Soma Field

Date Set For Transporting Pupils From Country To Town

To transport children of families in the new Soma and Couch oil field areas and ranch families of eastern Crockett County to schools in Iran, Crockett County school trustees authorized purchase of a school bus to be put in service at the opening of the 1942-43 school term when a joint meeting of the county and district boards was held Saturday afternoon in the courthouse.

Necessity for providing additional transportation for children in this growing area of the county was presented to the boards by J. W. Owens, a resident of that section and a member of the county board. There are 21 children in this vicinity who will be served by the new bus.

Negotiations with Iran school authorities brought an agreement to transfer of the Crockett county pupils to Iran schools, this county to furnish transportation of the pupils between their homes and school and transfer the state per capita allotment to the Iran schools for such enrollees.

A committee composed of the district school board was named by County Judge Charles Davidson to complete the purchase of a school bus for this purpose. Since sale of new busses have been frozen by the government, negotiations are under way for purchase of a second-hand bus and the vehicle is expected to be available by the opening of school.

Inauguration of bus service for the western area of the county will be the third such bus operated in this county. To transport pupils of the Powell field and Pecos Valley Power and Light Co. areas, busses operate to take pupils to the Big Lake schools. C. I. Minor was employed by the school board at the Saturday morning meeting to drive the Powell Field bus, succeeding Joe Chapman, last year's driver, resigned.

To clarify the question of reimbursing families who find it necessary to transport children from ranch homes to schools in Ozona and to put such reimbursement on a uniform basis, the school board by action Saturday agreed to pay for such transportation at the rate of 2 cents per mile per family for all children who live in the country, providing that no cash payment shall amount to more than \$1.00 per month.

Record Price Paid For Rambouillet

J. W. Owens Tops Anglo Sale With \$1,125 For Ram

J. W. Owens, retired sheep man and Crockett county commissioner, can't stay exactly retired from the sheep business, especially when he is standing around the auction ring and looking at champion Rambouillets up for sale. So, the veteran who recently celebrated some 30 years in the sheep business, during which he gained national recognition for fine type registered Rambouillet sheep, didn't stay out of the bidding at the San Angelo Sheep Show and Sale last week and dabbed down with the top price of the sale and record price for sheep sales in Texas.

Mr. Owens paid \$1,125 for the ram of the San Angelo show, an animal bred by John Sydney Williams of Eldorado. The fine ram was purchased by Mr. Owens as a gift for his sons, Claude and J. W. Owens, who were partners with him in the sheep business until his retirement last year, and who are carrying on in his foot-prints in the breeding program.

A Queen Holds Court in New York



Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands greets members of the Dutch Colony at a New York hotel. They are, left to right, Jonkheer G. M. Tets Van Goudriaan (secretary) to the queen; Mme. and Alexander Lodon, Netherlands minister to the U. S.; Queen Wilhelmina; and Baron Ethel Van Boetzelaer and Mr. De Lanoy.

Melvin Brown Buys Richey's Warehouse Stock

Ozonan And Father Now Sole Owners Of Local Business

Melvin Brown, manager of the Ozona Wool & Mohair Co., recently purchased the interest in the local wool company held by Tom Richey of Lampasas, wool buyer and dealer, and with his father, Albert Brown of Lampasas, became sole owner of the business.

The Ozona Wool & Mohair Co. was established January 1, 1937, with Melvin Brown, his father and Mr. Richey as owners, and Melvin Brown manager. The trio owned the Central Texas Trading Co., a warehouse and ranch supply concern in Lampasas, which the elder Brown operates. Melvin Brown sold his interest in the Lampasas company and purchased Mr. Richey's interest in the local business.

The Ozona wool and mohair warehouse and ranch supply firm has filled a real need of the ranch industry since its establishment. The firm last year leased an adjoining building, the Tom Smith building, with its original quarters now has a combined storage capacity of approximately 1,800,000 pounds. A full line of ranch supplies is offered in addition to its wool and mohair storage and sales service.

In its five and a half years of existence, up to July 1 of this year, the Ozona Wool & Mohair Co. has paid out to the ranchmen of Crockett County and nearby territory \$2,890,974.76 on wool and mohair sold and shipped from its warehouse. Up to July 1, the firm had shipped out a total of 9,626,578 pounds of wool and mohair, with approximately 100,000 pounds shipped since July 1 but not included in the above figures. It has on hand now approximately a half million pounds of wool and mohair.

Recheck Gives Tom Casbeer Additional 20 Votes In Primary

A recheck of figures on the returns of the first primary in Crockett county as given in last week's Stockman showed an error in addition which lopped 20 votes from the total accorded Crockett county's veteran treasurer, Tom Casbeer, unopposed for re-election. The total as shown in the tabulated returns gave the treasurer 603 votes whereas the total should have read 623.

Slater Is Speaker At Rotary Meeting

Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor of the Methodist Church, provided an entertaining program for the Rotary Club at its luncheon Tuesday when he spoke on what he announced as his subject, "This and That." It was an inspirational talk on human relationships and principles of brotherhood and understanding which make for greater harmony and sympathy in men's relations.

Army Engineers Officer Makes Labor Survey In County

Lieut. Byron Poulis, with the U. S. Army Engineers division office in San Antonio in charge of construction in this area, was in Ozona Tuesday for a few hours, making a labor survey. Lieut. Poulis gathered data here on prevailing wage scales for skilled and common labor and other information on labor conditions which would be needed in the event of Army construction in this area.

Crockett Sheep Score At Annual Show In Eden

Dempster Jones Ram Is Runner-Up To Champ; Miller Places

Dempster Jones, Crockett County registered Rambouillet sheep breeder, who last year coped the Eden show with the champion ram, held the runner-up position in that important show this week. The Jones ram was shaded by the champion shown by W. S. Hansen of Collinston, Utah.

Jones' yearling ram won first place in its class and another from the same flock won fifth place in that class.

J. B. Miller, who took up the J. W. Owens flock of registered Rambouillets, took fifth place in the pen of two yearling rams and fourth in the pen of five yearling rams.

Claude Owens of Fort Stockton, son of J. W. Owens, showed the champion ewe of the Eden show, his own champion yearling and champion aged ewe competing against each other for show championship honors.

Another Grass Fire On Davidson's Burns Off Section And Half

Another grass fire on the Charley Davidson divide ranch east of Ozona Tuesday afternoon burned over an estimated section and a half of range land before it was brought under control by volunteer fighters and the local fire department's two pumper tank trucks.

Tuesday afternoon's fire was the second big fire on the Davidson ranch and the third or fourth to start in recent weeks. The blazes are attributed to careless smokers along the highway.

Revival Meeting In Sheffield By McCamey Minister

Clarence Bryant, Church of Christ minister from McCamey, will conduct a revival meeting at the Community Church in Sheffield beginning Sunday, August 16, and continuing through Sunday, August 23, it was announced this week by Sheffield church leaders.

A cordial invitation is extended to everybody in this area to attend these services.

First In Series Community Song Fests Fri. Night

Community Gathering On School Lawn Begins At 9 O'Clock

Committee members, in charge of arrangements, are hopeful that every person in Ozona, young and old, will be on hand at 9 o'clock Friday evening on the lawn between the two school buildings to take part in the first of a series of weekly community sing-songs to be inaugurated this week.

Definite plans for the song fest were completed at a meeting of a general arrangements committee held last Friday afternoon at the Ozona National Bank, with the committee made up of representatives of all organized groups in the city.

The weekly sing-songs, which may be continued into the winter, are for the purpose of providing relaxation and fellowship for the people of the community, to build up civilian morale and patriotism and generally to provide an enjoyable program once each week. Group singing of popular and folk songs, religious hymns, patriotic songs, and various specially arranged stunts will constitute the programs.

Ross Hufstetler has been chosen as song leader for the first sing-song, with Mrs. Neal Hannah in charge of arrangement of the program. Different leaders will be chosen each week and the program will be varied from week to week.

A loud speaker system will be set up so that all may hear the announcements and the school will provide a screen and projection machine by which words of selected songs will be thrown on the screen so that all may join in the singing.

The Friday night sing-song has been chosen as a time for a phonograph record shower for the benefit of men in the service. Any person who has phonograph records which they wish to donate for use of service men, in USO recreation centers, etc. are asked to bring them to the sing-song. Even broken records, and those of any age, are needed since record manufacturers will give one new record for three old ones for the salvage material.

Members of the community-wide committee which met for planning the sing-songs included Mrs. Elton Smith, Mrs. Ira Carson, Mrs. Neal Hannah, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Miss Wanda Watson, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Scott Peters, C. S. Denham, Hubert Baker, Rev. Clyde Childers and Rev. Eugene Slater. Mrs. H. B. Tandy was named president of the Community War Service Committee, with Mrs. R. A. Harrell as secretary.

V. I. Pierce Is Renamed Head Of Rambouillet Assn.

Ozonan Unanimous Choice For Another Year As President

Victor I. Pierce, Ozona rancher and breeder of registered Rambouillet sheep, was unanimously re-elected president of the American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association at the annual meeting of directors and members held in San Angelo last week.

W. S. Hansen of Collinston, Utah, was renamed vice president of the association, also without a dissenting vote, and Minor McVay of Eden was re-elected director for the coming year. Guy Stanbaugh of Deer Lodge, Mont., was named to succeed Joe King of Laramie, Wyo., as a director.

Bill Littleton, former Ozonan, is secretary of the Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association, headquarters of the association being maintained in San Angelo.

Get in the scrap!

New Tennis Court May Be Completed By School Opening

Before the opening of school on August 31, work will be completed on a new tennis court for use of pupils of the elementary school unless unforeseen difficulties arise, in the opinion of C. S. Denham, superintendent.

The new court, located on the east side of the present double courts, will have a caliche surface, it being impossible at this time to lay concrete courts. Net backstops are being installed and black dirt is being hauled for planting of grass between the two courts. The new dirt court is to be some two feet higher than the old ones, and the grass planting is to cover the gentle slope between the two courts.

50,000 Pounds 8-Months Wool Sold Here At 43c

Guy Burton Purchaser Of Lot; 180,000 Pounds Still Left

Sale of 50,000 pounds of Spring 8-months wool at 43 cents a pound was announced here this week by Melvin Brown, manager of the Ozona Wool & Mohair Co.

The lot was purchased by Guy Burton, buyer for Forte, Dupee and Sawyer. The local sale was one of a number made simultaneously in the territory as buyers became active for a time after a lull in buying.

Sale of the 50,000 pound lot left approximately 180,000 pounds of eight-months wool still in storage at the local warehouse, Mr. Brown said. A number of inquiries have been made and it was thought that a deal might be closed in the next few days to move out the entire accumulation.

In addition to the 180,000 pounds of spring wool still on hand, the Ozona warehouse has 120,000 pounds of 12-months clips and approximately 65,000 pounds remaining of the 1941 fall clip. The inactive mohair market finds around 140,000 pounds of this fiber in storage also at the local warehouse.

T.C.U. English Professor To Lecture Here

Rebecca W. Smith Will Speak For Historical Society Sept. 14

Miss Rebecca W. Smith, an English professor at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, will speak to an Ozona audience under sponsorship of the Crockett County Historical Society on Monday, September 14.

Arrangements for Miss Smith's appearance here were completed this week by Mrs. R. A. Harrell, president of the Historical Society, and a former pupil of Miss Smith's. Definite plans have not been perfected, but the society plans to throw the meeting open to the public at large for Miss Smith's address, probably to be held in the high school auditorium.

Miss Smith is the author of numerous articles and books on the Southwest in legend and history. She contributed an article entitled "The Southwest in Fiction" for a special Southwest edition of "The Saturday Review of Literature," published in New York, the May 16th edition of the New York weekly magazine being devoted to the Southwest.

"I shall be thinking about a possible subject for my talk," Miss Smith wrote Mrs. Harrell, "and shall write you later in the summer what to expect."

SON TO DELANDS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Deland are the parents of a son born here Sunday. Leslie Clay Deland is the name of the newcomer, who weighed 9½ pounds at birth.

School Opening Date Is Fixed For August 31

Faculty Complete, Buildings Readied For Early Opening

Distasteful as the subject may be for the school children, it is the time of year for planning for school opening and at a meeting of the school board Saturday, August 31, was fixed as the date for opening of the 1942-43 session.

The early opening date is patterned after a custom which has been followed here through the years, that of opening earlier than most school in the fall, thus making it possible to close earlier in the Spring. However, this will be the first opening to fall in August, the first Monday in September being selected as the usual opening date.

Election of two new teachers, one to fill a vacancy created by a last-minute resignation and the other existing since the close of schools, was announced this week by Supt. C. S. Denham, these elections completing the faculty for both the Latin-American school and the High School and Elementary school.

Mrs. Hank Smith, the former Miss Frances Northcutt, sister of Pascal Northcutt, had been employed to fill the fourth grade position vacated by Miss Eleanor Neal. Mrs. Smith, however, resigned recently and Miss Marguerite Flaniken of Lamesa, Texas, has been secured to fill the vacancy.

Miss Flaniken received her B. A. degree from Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth, majoring in English and education, with a minor in speech. She has also done graduate work in Colorado State Teachers College at Greeley, Colo., and in the University of Texas in Austin. She is actively interested in dramatics and music. She has had long musical training, plays the violin and sings in church choir. She has had five years teaching experience, and the last four years in the elementary schools of Lamesa as teacher of reading in the fourth and fifth grades.

To fill the vacancy as first grade teacher in the Latin-American school created by the early shift of teachers in the local system, Miss Willie Mae Mason of Commerce, Texas, has been elected, the superintendent announced. Miss Mason is a graduate of North Texas State Teachers College and has done work in TCU at Fort Worth. She holds B. S. degree and has had several years experience as a teacher.

Government Wool Purchase Program To Aid Growers

Army To Place Big Order For Fiber For Uniform

Sheep men saw encouragement for the industry in a Washington dispatch this week which quoted government officials as declaring that the Army would place orders for "several million yards of cloth" made of domestic fiber ahead of the normal purchasing season in order to bolster the price of domestic wool and to encourage production.

This action would assure the grower of a fair price and a stable market for wool and would encourage expansion of production, officials said.

A ray of hope for sheepmen in this section who are confused over the probable disposition to be made of the short fall clip, not now usable in the government specifications because of the short staple, was contained also in the dispatch. The short wool will probably be allocated for civilian use, along with imported wools, it was indicated, if it is not later found usable for Army orders.

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SOLVING THE RUBBER PROBLEM...

The tightest, grimmest war shortage facing the U. S. is rubber, says Time. "It need not have been. For five months after Pearl Harbor the U. S. Government did practically nothing to get a synthetic rubber industry to fill the gap caused by Japan's conquests. That failure is the worst scandal in the U. S. war effort."

There has been an enormous waste of time in coming to grips with the rubber problem. There has been endless confusion, and excessive division of responsibility. At last, however, it looks as if something definite and constructive is about to be done.

On July 17, Donald Nelson announced that he had assumed personal direction of the government's rubber program. On the same day, the 4th Corps Area Quartermaster Headquarters said that tires made of buna, a petroleum derivative, will be used as replacements on all army vehicles throughout the nation. And on July 15, President W. S. Farish of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, gave a House subcommittee some exceedingly interesting information on the progress that is being made.

New and faster processes, said Mr. Farish, will produce, before the end of 1943, 34,000,000 more automobile tires than were expected. Further, synthetic rubber will be better on the whole than natural rubber, and its cost will not be materially greater.

This does not mean that any motorist can afford to "burn up" his rubber, on the theory that replacements will soon be available. Military needs will absorb most and perhaps all the synthetic rubber produced for a long time to come. Rigid conservation of rubber, as a result, remains an absolute necessity. Private industry is doing everything in its power to produce an adequate supply of synthetic rubber in the shortest possible time. There are, at last, grounds for believing that government

rubber red-tape is cut, and that there can be action, not continued political talk, in dealing with the rubber problem.

DEMOCRACY AT WORK...

It is well that even in the midst of a holocaust such as that which envelops the world today, Americans still have the right to choose by popular vote those leaders who will direct this nation's part in the momentous struggle. We have just seen completion of the first stage of the 1942 political campaigns, in which a large number of races for public office were settled by the voters, or virtually so in this state where one party rules the roost.

Another month, in which a few campaigns are to be waged to decide between those candidates who made it to the run-off, will complete the political campaigning in this state. And then, when the November general elections are held, the last of the issues will have been decided and America can forget the diversion of politics for the greater job at hand of winning this most important of all wars in world history.

At least, that is the hope of all patriotic Americans. Certainly it is to be hoped that no scars nor permanent divisions will result from the political campaigns that can not be put aside in favor of complete unity against the common foe across the seas. We should demonstrate the ability of a democracy to function smoothly in the democratic process of selecting leaders even in the midst of the colossal task of fighting a global war, by a free and frank discussion of issues and personalities of such leaders and prospective leaders, a careful selection and then complete unity behind the choice of the majority.

In our own community, we have decided in most cases on who our public servants shall be for the next two years, with only one to be decided in the run-off election the 22nd of this month. Fortunately, there has been a minimum of bitterness engendered in this community and it is the fervent hope of all that such will continue to be the case until the issue is finally decided. It is the democratic process for all of us to feel free to express our choice, to vote our convictions to the end that the best material may be chosen, but the ideal of democracy demands that when the ballots have been chosen, that political differences shall be forgotten and the people united in the common aim of human betterment.

BETTER THAN PENSIONS...

North Carolina reports a \$12,000,000 surplus in its treasury. Has any Tar-heel politician yet announced for office on a platform of "Cash Dividends for Taxpayers"?—Christian Science Monitor.

Boats can now be sent full speed astern without either reversing the engines or shifting gears. A reversible pitch propeller has been developed by the industrial research laboratories of one company.



"Tough luck, old man—my money's all in nontransferable War Savings Bonds."

WARTIME INCOMES...

America Speaks furnished a comment on incomes during the war. In the Nation, 39 per cent of the people are shown to have higher incomes. The rest divide into 46 per cent with incomes unchanged and 15 per cent with lowered incomes. The House calls on the majority having the same or lower incomes to pay the increased and steadily rising cost of living and income taxes from two to three times higher. Little and middle businesses are put in a like or worse situation. The 45 per cent combined rate of the normal and surtax levies on profits is about a 30 per cent increase. War incomes reaching millions of war workers—even war profits going to the biggest "war babies"—will be able to bear the taxes here proposed far more easily than the middle classes on unchanged or lower incomes can bear theirs. The House refused to consider seriously the alternative which would raise the money and distribute the burden fairly all along the economic line—Federal sales taxes! Herein lies the principal matter passed on to the Senate. At least, a clearcut choice by vote of the one course or the other is possible in the Senate.—Detroit News.

NO SHORTAGE OF PAPER...

The war production board now says the collection of scrap paper for war use will no longer be necessary and the legitimate use of paper need not be further curtailed. The board admits that processing firms have been "swamped" by the avalanche of waste paper. The board might as well admit that, like the aluminum campaign, the campaign to collect waste paper was a half-baked idea and was not necessary in the first

place. It is in much the same position as the office of price administration trying to get out from under unnecessary sugar-rationing and still save its face. The tragedy is that such farces react unfavorably on the campaigns to collect scrap rubber, scrap metal and fats, which really are important to war-production. There is need for somebody in Washington who knows what he is doing before he starts 130,000,000 people wasting their efforts on something that is not necessary.—Washington (Ind.) Herald.

PRICE OF ATTU...

The Navy's announcement that three more Japanese destroyers have been sunk by submarines in the Aleutians should give pause to the armchair strategists who have been baying for a full-fledged expedition to get the Japs out of there. Granted that nobody feels easy about Japs in Kiska and Attu, the fact remains that in six weeks of their occupation the Japs have lost one cruiser, six destroyers and one transport sunk; four cruisers, three destroyers, one gunboat, one transport and one aircraft-carrier damaged. That is the price they have paid for putting a few thousand men on the outer fringes of the Aleutians. Now suppose that the Army and Navy followed the advice of the remote-controllers and equipped an expedition strong enough to take Kiska and Attu. It would then be our problem to hold them. It would then be our destroyers and transports that were being picked off by submarines. Would the gains achieved justify such losses for us? Nobody can say, of course—least of all a civilian. And that is the point of this editorial.—Chicago Sun.

THIS BUSINESS OF Living BY SUSAN THAYER. Illustration of a woman and a child sitting on a bench.

We're In This Thing Together

The war came right home and sat on my doorstep the other day. I had invited company for dinner and expected to clean the whole house in the morning. But at 9 o'clock the vacuum cleaner broke down. I phoned all over town but couldn't get any one to fix it. So I went to work with a broom, as women used before vacuum cleaners had been invented. Then about noon Bessie Brown, who'd promised to come and help me get the dinner, telephoned to say she'd just taken a job in a war plant, and a little later the bakery sent word they wouldn't have any of the cakes I counted on because of the sugar shortage. I wanted to jump in the car and drive down by the lake for a few minutes to cool off and recover my poise. But our tires are too old to permit even a mile of unnecessary driving. So I walked over to Aunt Matilda's to tell her my troubles. "I know, I know," she said comfortingly, "things like that can be terribly annoying; but less so now than usual." "Less so?" I exclaimed. "Yes, because they're due to the war and they're going to happen to everybody before it's over. We're all in this thing together," she reminded me, "and nobody is going to be completely comfortable or

have all of everything she wants while it lasts because the manufacturers, who produced all our conveniences and luxuries have another job to do these days. "I see what you mean, and of course I can use a broom with a lot better grace because Jane is going to ride a bicycle instead of going in their car which is already grounded for the duration, and Helen is going to have to use stoves in place of that oil furnace this winter." "That's right. You aren't glad of their hardships but it makes your own a lot easier to take because they're having troubles too. But just as all 130 million of us are going to have to put up with inconveniences for the duration, we're all going to make up for it later on." "You mean when the war is over?" "Yes. Can you imagine what these same manufacturers will do for us then? Their plant capacity has been expanded tremendously the last few months in order to produce the flood of war materials we need now. It takes my breath away when I think what they'll be able to do with all that capacity when they begin on commodity production again! They'll be able to make enough things for all of us and a lot of the rest of the world besides.

BLOOD AND TEARS...

Revelation that 44,143 men have been lost to the armed services of America through death, injury or capture since Dec. 7 is not an exact measure of the part America has played in the war so far. Aside from the surprise attack on Pearl Harbor and the four-month battle of the Philippines, America's major engagements up to now have been in the air, where casualties always are comparatively light. But when we place our losses against those suffered by such allies as Russia and China, where deaths alone run into the millions, we realize the extent to which America has not yet begun to fight. This does not mean that the tragedy of war is any less real for the more than 40,000 American families in which sons or fathers are dead, maimed or missing. Their sorrow is just as deep as though the casualty list were ten or a hundred times as high. But it does mean that as a Nation we still have before us the blood and tears with which others of our allies are battling against the barbarian hordes of the Axis and which we cannot hope to escape, however much we recoil with horror from the thought of further American blood being spilled. The real test of our faith in the cause for which we are fighting is yet to come.—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

JOB NO. 987,654...

Things will be in better shape when somebody is found to co-ordinate the co-ordinators.—Indianapolis News.

TELL LAVAL, INSTEAD...

Our soldiers are landing in Britain. Now would be the time for a Yank to stand on the White Cliffs and shout across to Lafayette: "We've got this far."—Kansas City Star.

Engaged in turning out anti-aircraft guns on a mass production basis, workers of one automotive company have formed a Gun of the Month Club for the purpose of presenting, as a gift to the nation, one of the guns each month. Output of these guns is now nearly three times higher than called for in the original contract.

Traffic Deaths Among Military Personnel Drop Off Sharply

AUSTIN — Texas traffic deaths involving military personnel decreased 12.2 per cent in the first six months of 1942 as compared to the same period last year, State Director Homer Garrison said today. In the 1941 period, 60 members of the armed forces and 14 civilians were killed in accidents which involved military personnel either as drivers, pedestrians or passengers. In the 1942 period the fatalities included 39 military persons and 26 civilians. The tire situation, intensification of military training and removal of troops from areas within driving distance of their homes were credited by Garrison with holding down the volume of unofficial military and visiting traffic, thus effecting a decrease in fatalities despite an increase in the number of military personnel in training in Texas. Only 40 per cent of the 50 fatal accidents in the 1942 period could be blamed on "the other driver." Twenty were collisions involving two vehicles; 14 were with pedestrians; seven involved collisions with a fixed object; one car overturned in the roadway, and 8 ran off the roadway. Injuries in the 1942 period increased 10.9 per cent, from 542 to 601. Thus, in six months, the military forces suffered 298 casualties in killed and "wounded," while the loss to civilian life was 368 casualties, most of them engaged directly in war production.

50 NEW BUSINESS FIRMS

Fifty new business firms were chartered in Texas during June, capitalized at \$549,000 while only nine concerns failed, involving liabilities of \$186,000, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research has revealed. To feed and clothe the troops in one Army Corps Area requires 98,000 miles of highway and 111 miles of government-owned railroads connecting 20,000 buildings of nearly 2,500,000 acres of military reservations.

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

Advertisement for 'The Pocketbook of Knowledge' featuring illustrations of an airplane, a car, and a man. Text includes: 'A NEW AIRPLANE TIRE DEVELOPED BY ONE RUBBER COMPANY IS STUCCO WITH SHARP, CYLINDRICAL, CRIMPED STEEL INSERTS THAT MAKE IT SKID-PROOF ON BOTH SNOW AND ICE.' 'SUGAR IS CONTAINED IN PRACTICALLY EVERY FOOD WE EAT, EVEN MEAT.' 'A NEW "BABY JEEP" FOR THE ARMY WEIGHS ONLY A THOUSAND POUNDS, CARRIES TWO PEOPLE AT 50 M.P.H. AND CAN POSSIBLY BE DROPPED BY PARACHUTE.' 'ACCORDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR EARNINGS FOR INDUSTRY WORKERS IN APRIL WERE \$5.6 PER CENT ABOVE THOSE IN THE MONTH LAST YEAR.'

Advertisement for Graham & White insurance. Text includes: 'Your Home --- Your Car Your Personal Belongings... Are More Precious Than Ever Today! Don't take chances—guard against fire... But above all see to it today that you are adequately protected against financial loss by... INSURANCE BRING US YOUR INSURANCE PROBLEMS GRAHAM & WHITE PHONE 91' Illustration of a house.

Statewide Fire Insurance Rate Reduction Ordered

Over \$3 Million Saving To Policy Holders For Next Year

AUSTIN — A sweeping, statewide reduction in fire insurance rates, announced today by Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, will result in an estimated saving of \$3,200,000 to Texas policy holders during the next 12 months. The new rates involved in today's order by the Board of Insurance Commissioners, will become effective on fire insurance policies written after Aug. 1, 1942.

The board reduction affects many classes of insured property and in the case of dwellings amounts to as much as a 25 per cent saving in future insurance costs.

A few classes of property will receive increases in rates due to unusually heavy losses experienced in these classes during the past few years, Hall said.

"The revision of rates in today's order," Commissioner Hall added, "has resulted from an exhaustive study of fire losses experienced in these classes. The Board of Insurance Commissioners is continuing a study of loss experience in other classes with a view of determining whether other reductions may be justified. In addition, the Board is giving serious consideration to the subject of broadening the coverage of insurance policies to give the policy holder added protection.

"Recently the Board urged companies to reduce their operating costs in order that this saving also might be passed on to the public. Cooperation of both companies and agents to this end has been splendid. The agents, as a whole, are due particular credit in the unselfish attitude displayed in a willingness to see all savings possible passed on to the insurance buyers."

The greatest saving in any class will apply to dwellings. This benefit, estimated to exceed \$2,625,000 within the next 12 months, will reach more individual property owners than any other class. Premiums on insured dwellings last year accounted for approximately 40 per cent of the fire insurance business written in Texas.

Savings to insurance buyers in Texas as a result of today's order, coupled with reductions during the past six years, reached an approximate total of \$10,000,000, Hall said.

Air Cadet's Solemn Oath Protects U. S. Secret Bomb-Sight

MIDLAND — Bombardier cadets at the Midland Army flying school, who are permitted to take no notes in their studies of the secret bomb sight, also take an oath that they will protect its secrecy with their lives.

The oath is taken before each cadet is permitted to have his first glimpse of the fabled bomb sight, the nation's No. 1 military secret, officials at the school disclosed.

The solemn words of the bombardier oath are:

"In the presence of Almighty God I do solemnly swear and affirm that I will accept the sacred trust placed in me by my commander in chief, the President of the United States of America, by whose direction I have been chosen for bombardier training. I pledge myself to live and act according to the code of honor of the bombardiers of the Army air forces. I solemnly swear that I will keep inviolate the secrecy of any and all confidential information revealed to me, and, in the full knowledge that I am a guardian of one of my country's most priceless military assets, do solemnly swear to protect the secrecy of the American bomb sight, if need be, with my life itself."

Planes Made Only Of Magnesium Are Seen As Early Possibility

LOS ANGELES — Northrop Aircraft has announced the development of a method of welding magnesium—thus making available for aircraft manufacture one of the most abundant metals known.

"Each cubic mile of sea water contains 9,000,000,000 pounds of magnesium, enough to build 400,000 medium bombing planes," a company statement declared, adding:

"All-magnesium planes are possible in the near future."

In addition to being plentiful, magnesium is one-third lighter than aluminum, now universally used for aircraft construction. While magnesium has been widely used in engines, wheels and accessories, fabricating difficulties have prevented its development for primary construction.

One company alone has 1,750 research men hard at work in 16 laboratories hunting for bigger and better ways of blasting the Axis.

The largest airplane propeller type in the world has been designed by an airplane manufacturer for installation on a new flying boat of the United States Navy.

Radio And Press Thanked For Price Control Information

DALLAS Region OPA Administrator Max L. McCullough today publicly expressed his appreciation to the press and radio for the fine part which they have played in getting information on price and rent control and rationing before the people.

"The Office of Price Administration's program, which reaches into every home and every business house in the nation, has been a difficult one to publicize," Mr. McCullough declared, "and the press and radio have done a splendid job in disseminating the information."

"War-time has doubled the tremendous responsibilities which these informational media have, particularly on the home front, and our office is grateful for the splendid cooperation which we have received from them."

"Time and again the press and radio have answered our call when help was needed to get informa-

tion before the people, and their cooperation has aided us immeasurably. The price program, though far from complete, would have certainly bogged down long ago had it not been for publication and broadcast of information," Mr. McCullough concluded.

Bottle Recommended To Test Your Skill In Steady Driving

AUSTIN—You can make your tires last a lot longer with a milk bottle or drinking glass.

Just set the bottle or glass in the floor of your car and drive so that you don't turn it over.

"This device has long been used as a test of smooth driving," State Police Director Homer Garrison said today. "The person who tries it will perhaps realize for the first time just how smoothly a car can be driven—and how much wear can be saved on tires, brakes and clutches."

"But be careful," Garrison warned, "not to get the bottle or glass tangled up between your feet and the clutch and brake pedals."

To release new space for production, one company is micro-filming documents and records that go back as far as 1882. The records now take 45,000 sq. ft. for storage; microfilmed, they will need a vault only 10 feet square.

A company which turns out fire extinguishers for fighting craft is pushing a program which provides

a workshop for employees, where they can work out time-saving production ideas on their own or company time.

Lost and found columns of Tokyo newspapers are crowded these days. Every time an American buys a War Bond, the Japs lose face. Buy your 10% every pay day.

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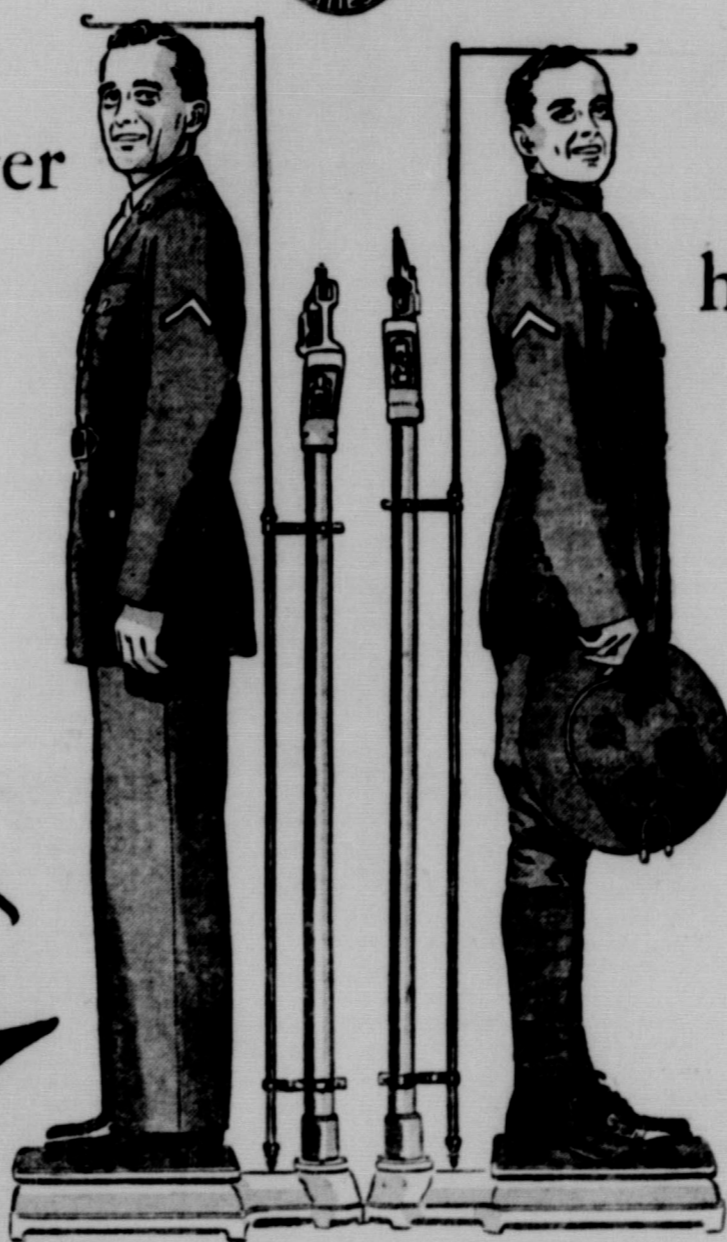
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Bill's a bigger man than

his dad was in '17



...and ELECTRIC POWER, too, has grown to Meet the Wartime Needs of 1942!

Plenty of Electricity on Hand

WASHINGTON, July 22. (AP)—J. A. Krug, chief of the power branch of the War Production Board, expressed confidence today that war production would not be crippled by a shortage of electric power. "We have sufficient electric power," he said, "to meet all the requirements of war production and for essential civilian needs, if used wisely—as far as we can see ahead."

WAR DEPARTMENT figures show that today's average soldier is nearly an inch taller and ten pounds heavier than in 1917—a great gain for one generation and a real tribute to the men of science and the men of industry who helped build Bill's husky frame.

We're glad electric service had a hand in it.

Food experts discovered new vitamins and better diets for Bill; doctors developed new serums, drugs and healing techniques; and electric research worked out new and better ways to refrigerate... preserve... his food so it would be fresher, safer, cheaper.

Even before Bill was born, electric servants freed his mother of much household drudgery—so that she and her children might be healthier and happier.

At the same time that the electric industry was helping Bill to develop into a stronger, healthier man than his dad, it also was expand-

ing to provide the power vitally needed in 1942. In back of Bill today is plenty of electricity for building tanks and planes, guns and ships... power to run the factories making weapons with which Bill will win the war!

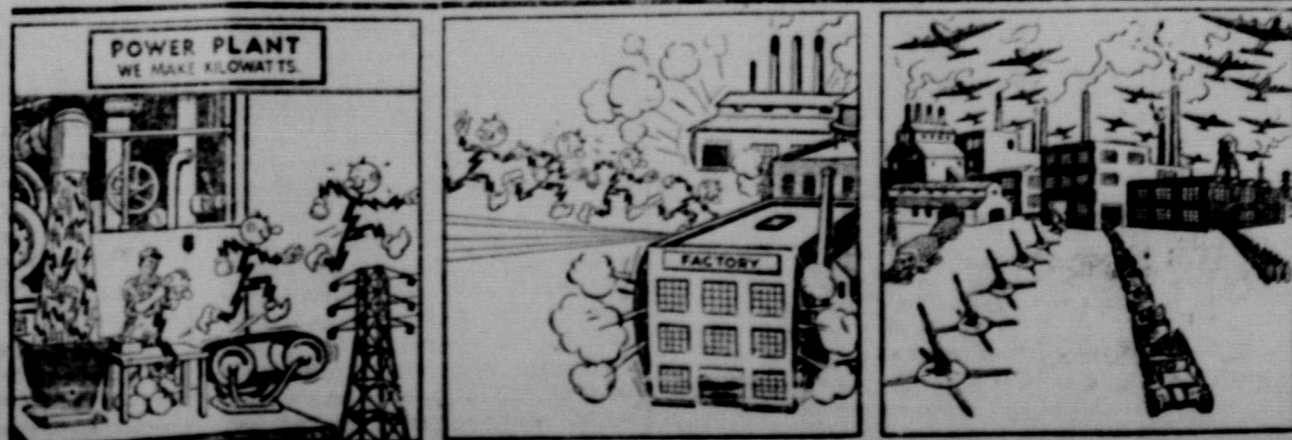
Actually, this country now has five times more electric power than we had in 1917.

And over 90 per cent of ALL the nation's commercially generated electricity is being provided by companies like this institution... companies that developed the American way, free to work and create things that men and women want and need for everybody's benefit.

This company "grew up" that way—organized by a few men with foresight to see West Texas' great need for ample, cheap electric power. Today it represents the savings of thousands of small stockholders, operating under good business management, regulated by the government, paying taxes, and providing excellent service at low cost.

West Texas Utilities Company

INVEST IN AMERICA! Buy War Bonds and Stamps



How to make your car last a lot longer



Five neighbors, with only 6,000 miles left on their tires, can, by taking turns driving, each ride 30,000 miles before any re-treading is necessary. Start or join a driving club today and save precious tires.



Don't bump into or scrape curbs. Check pressure weekly. Thirty per cent under-inflation reduces tire mileage 50 per cent. Drive "40 or less." Avoid "squeaking" on turns... many extra tire miles will result.



Visit a Pontiac dealer at least once a month for a wheel alignment check. A wheel one-half inch out of line will drag a tire sideways 87 feet in every mile. I save him switch tires every 4,000 miles, too.



Pontiac's FREE "Motor Doctor" inspection prevents little troubles from becoming costly repairs. Regular inspection by your Pontiac dealer is the cheapest way to preserve something you can't replace until the war is won.

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The Stockman Pulpit

Eugene Slater, Minister
the Methodist Church

"But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only..." James 1:22.

Very often we say to one of our friends, "Oh I know I ought to do it; it's right that I should; but..." And then we begin to make excuses for our failure to do what we ought to do. We let ourselves off from some obligation, but what we really do is to let ourselves down. There are three things that I want to say about this inward feeling and impression, "I know I ought to do it."

First, this feeling of oughtness is a mark of our nature as children of God. It is one of the characteristics that sets us apart from the rest of creation. So far as we can observe a flower never feels that sense of oughtness; a sheep never is disturbed by a sense of moral compulsion. Only man feels that he ought to write a letter of sympathy; that he ought to forgive the fellow who has wronged him; that he ought to unite with others in religious worship and service. Do not take this capacity of yours, this feeling of oughtness, lightly; do not think of dismissing it; for it is a definite sign of God's image in you.

Second, the impression that you ought to do something that will be helpful to another is a direct word from God to you. Impulses to do good arise within us through many secondary stimuli, but God is the source of them all. You hear a preacher talking about the rich opportunity in Latin-America for protestant missionary work; you feel that it is good to strengthen our ties with Latin-America through missions; you feel that you want to help in the venture; and you make an offering for the cause. In all of this you have had a conversation with God. He has spoken to you, through others, of a need, an opportunity, and you have answered in an act of giving money to help meet the need. Our impressions of oughtness and our impulses to do what ought to be done are words of God to us.

The third thing is this: As we give some expression to the impressions of what we ought to do we become co-workers with God. We were not born to eat, drink and be merry; to amass a fortune; to wield a great power. If Christ teaches us anything at all, it is that we were placed in the earth to become like Him in our character, and to work with Him to make the earth more like heaven. No greater happiness, no deeper sense of well-being can come to us than comes through the feeling that we are co-workers with God. Be friendly and responsive to your impulses to do good, and carry them through into some Christian service! For in so doing you work out the will and purpose of God.

Prayer: We thank Thee, O Lord, for the sense of oughtness within us. Make us ever sensitive to the good things, and help us always to do it, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Mrs. Charles Williams has just completed the refinishing and re-decorating of her home, including repainting inside and out and re-papering of the rooms.

Training For War Jobs Offered In Free U. S. Schools

Employment Service Urges Workers Prepare for War Work

Workers who wish to do their part toward winning the war by finding jobs in war industries must first prepare themselves for such jobs, L. L. Ruttie, manager of the San Angelo office of the United States Employment Service said today in urging that full advantage be taken of the facilities provided for specialized war industry job training.

Pointing out that most of the war industry jobs are entirely new in this part of the country and that therefore few experienced workers can be found, Mr. Ruttie said that free National Defense training schools have been established by the state and federal governments for the purpose of providing the necessary training. More than 80 per cent of the jobs already filled in war industry plants, he asserted, have been taken by people who prepared themselves by attending these schools.

"There is and will continue to be a heavy demand for women as well as men in many types of jobs. All local men and women who wish to serve their country and at the same time earn good wages, should enroll in these training schools and secure the knowledge necessary to perform on these jobs," Mr. Ruttie said.

Machine Shop, Aircraft engine Mechanic, Aircraft Sheet Metal (including Riveting) are the courses offered. The courses are open to men between the ages of 18 and 65 years, and to women between the ages of 18 and 45. The demand for women workers is increasing.

Mr. Ruttie stressed the fact that the training is entirely free; the only cost to trainees being that he must support himself during the six to 12-week training period. Even this is not true in all cases, since many younger trainees can be assigned to National Youth Administration war work centers where they will be boarded and paid a small wage while obtaining work experience.

Most of the schools are operated on a 24-hour basis so that all equipment can be used constantly, and to provide training around the clock for trainees who must work while going to school.

Mr. Ruttie urged that any one in or near Ozona who is interested in entering a training class in the subjects listed, contact him at the United States Employment Service office located at 7 North Chadbourne street, San Angelo, or write Post Office Box 610, San Angelo, Texas.

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Teeth Blown Out at Dutch Harbor



The front teeth of these three army men were knocked out by Jap bombs which exploded all around them during the Jap raid on Dutch Harbor. They show they can still smile after arrival at a Seattle hospital. L. to R., Pvt. Bob Milan, Corp. Bruce Richardson and Corp. R. Prentice.

Baptist Vacation Bible School Opens Next Monday Morning

Plans are complete for the opening next Monday morning of the fourth annual Vacation Bible School of the First Baptist Church here—it was announced this week by Rev. Clyde Childers, pastor.

The Vacation School will get under way at 9 o'clock Monday morning. The opening day will be given over to a Preparation Day program in which the children will be enrolled and the work of the session will be outlined.

All children of the community from 9 to 13 years of age are invited to enroll and attend all or part of the class sessions, the pastor said.

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she had to work all the time in the vineyards in California to support herself and that the Defendant spent all he made on liquor; that he stayed drunk all the time when he could get the money to buy whiskey; Plaintiff further states that every time he became drunk he would curse and abuse this Plaintiff, curse her before her friends, tell false things on her, and that while he did not beat this Plaintiff, yet, he would grab her by the hair of the head and swing her clear off the ground, and Plaintiff says that she stood this conduct for five years and that when she could stand it no longer, she abandoned him.

Plaintiff alleges that the Defendant's action and conduct towards her generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife, insupportable, the premises considered.

4. Plaintiff further alleges that there are no children born to them out of this marriage and that they have no community property.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays the Court that the Defendant be cited to appear and answer herein as required by law and for judgment dissolving the marriage relations and that she be given a divorce from the Defendant, for cost of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to.

Issued this the 5th day of August, 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ozona, Texas, this the 5th day of August, A. D., 1942.

(SEAL) GEO. RUSSELL
Clerk District Court, Crockett County, Texas. 17-4tc

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: ELMER DORAN
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 10th day of September, A. D., 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Crockett County, at the Court House in Ozona, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 20th day of July, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 793.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Verda Doran as Plaintiff, and Elmer Doran as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: That on or about the 15th day of October, 1931, Plaintiff and Defendant were married in Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, and that they continued to live together as husband and wife, until on or about the 20th day of July, 1939, when the Defendant, without any just cause, permanently abandoned this Plaintiff and that since said date, they have not lived together as husband and wife; Plaintiff further states that during said three years in which she has been abandoned by her said husband that she has had to wholly support herself and child and that he has neglected and refused to contribute to their support.

Plaintiff alleges that there is no community property belonging to Plaintiff and Defendant.

Plaintiff further alleges that one child, a girl, now ten years of age, named Elenor Doran, was born to this marriage, and Plaintiff prays the Court that Defendant be compelled to contribute a reasonable amount to the support of said child; and that the sum of \$10.00 per month would be given the care and custody of said child, which she has had since its said father, the Defendant, abandoned it.

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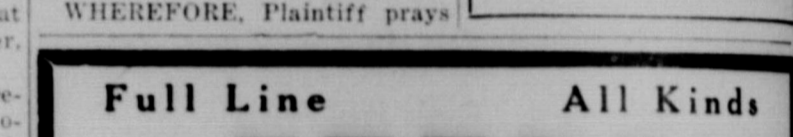
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Social Activities

LIB COOSE, Editor

PHONE 210 or 138

Miss Bratcher Is Ace Club Hostess

Miss Betty Bratcher entertained the Ace Club Saturday afternoon at the Hotel Ozona. Zinnias, marigolds, daisies, and phlox decorated the room.

Miss Mary Alyce Smith won high, Mrs. L. T. Patterson second high, and Miss Billie Jo West bingo.

Cake and ice cream were served to Mrs. Tommye Harris, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Buddy Moore, Mrs. John Henderson, III, Mrs. Bill Friend, Mrs. Jack Baggett, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Joe Nussbaumer, Miss Posey Baggett, Miss Smith, Miss Catherine Childress, Miss West, Miss Helen Mayes, Miss Betty Lou Coates, Miss "Mac" McWilliams, and Miss Elizabeth Coose.

Miss Johnny West And L. B. Hoover Wed

Miss Johnny West and L. B. Hoover were married July 20 in San Antonio. Miss West is the daughter of Mrs. J. E. West and is owner of the Hotel Beauty Shop. Mr. Hoover is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brock Hoover of Ozona. He is in the Signal Corps, stationed at Fort Sam Houston. At the present Mr. Hoover is in Louisiana on maneuvers.

Weiner Roast, Theatre Party

Barbara White and Joanne Glover entertained with a weiner roast and theater party Saturday evening in the Evert White home.

Those attending were Jo Nell Coose, Muggins Davidson, Benny Gail Phillips, Mary Louise Perner, Joyce West and Ruth Townsend.

GAMES PARTY

Muggins Davidson entertained a group of friends at her home Tuesday afternoon. Games were played and cookies and punch were served.

Present were Joanne Glover, Doris Bean, Bennie Gail Phillips, Ruth Townsend, and Jo Nell Coose.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Childress are here from Pecos this week to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Perner are here from Seligman, Ariz., to be at the bedside of Mr. Perner's mother, Mrs. Mary Perner, who is critically ill.

Miss Helen Mayes has returned from a two-weeks visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Arnold of Fort Stockton.

Mrs. L. B. Hoover and Miss Lorraine Prochnow visited relatives in San Saba over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baggett are on their vacation.

Miss Betty Bratcher is visiting in Louisiana and Lamesa on her vacation.

Mrs. Tommye Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan in San Angelo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton and Charles Williams are spending this week in Corpus Christi fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Senne and family purchased the Claude Hill home and moved into it this week.

Birthday Party For Tom Kincaid

Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., honored her son, Tom, on his fifth birthday with a lawn party Tuesday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Arthur Kyle assisted.

Balloons and whistles were given as favors and cake and punch were served.

Present were Susie Schneemann, Hugh Russell, Shirley Kost, Bob West, Bart Smith, Bobbie Fields, George Bunker, Jack Brown, Carol Friend, Kent Chapman, Sonny Henderson, Charlie Black, Ervin Allen Crisman, Jr., Kenny Phillips, Della Mae Mason, Johnny Cain, Mike Clayton, Wanda Carden, Roy Alvin Harrell, Carl Conklin, Joan Wilson, Jan Bean, Graham Childress, Rosalie Friend, Mrs. H. B. Tandy.

MRS. SHERMAN TAYLOR ENTERTAINS AT RANCH HOME

Mrs. Sherman Taylor entertained with a swim and supper party at her ranch home Wednesday afternoon.

After supper the guests played bridge. Attending were Mrs. Tommye Harris, Miss Betty Lou Coates, and Miss Elizabeth Coose.

Baker Celebrates Five Years Business Life In Ozona

To celebrate his fifth birthday in business in Ozona, Hubert Baker of Baker's Food Store is staging a birthday party and sale Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mr. Baker bought out the Flower's Grocery here five years ago and established Baker's Piggly Wiggly. He gave up the Piggly Wiggly franchise last summer, however, and adopted the name Baker's Food Store.

A long list of week-end "specials" will be found in Baker's ad on the back page of this issue of the Stockman. For Saturday, arrangements have been made for refreshments throughout the day and as a special feature of the event, a basket of groceries is to be awarded. Details of this award may be secured at the store.

HAT SUBSTITUTES USED

With many sources of supply cut off by the war and shipping difficulties, the hat industry is working extensively with substitute materials in order to meet straw and felt shortages. In the past, the rabbit or coney fur of which felt is made came from Europe, Australia and New Zealand, and the straw for summer hats from the Far East. Next year felt hats may be made of fur, reused or reprocessed wool and casein, the new milk fiber, and straw hats may be woven out of visc, celtafal or cellophane. OPA's Consumer Division recommends that any hats which can be renovated or restyled be taken to the cleaner's or the milliner's.

LAUNDRIES WARNED

Following reports that some laundries had dropped their less expensive services, such as "wet wash," "family finish," "rough dry" and "thrift service," and were requiring customers to buy higher-priced services, the OPA warned that laundries must continue to offer the same low-priced services they sold last March. Selling only the higher-priced services would constitute a violation of OPA's consumer service price regulation.

REVENGE

Dear Pa: If you want me to come back to the farm when Uncle Sam says he don't need me any more—here's what you'd better do. Buy two of the meanest mules you can find. Name one of them "Corporal" and the other "Sergeant." I'll be glad to spend the rest of my days just telling them two jackasses why I made a mistake when I didn't join the Navy instead of falling for this soldier stuff. Your loving son, Private (no class) Jasper Higgs.

Miss Elizabeth Fussell returned to Ozona the last of the week after spending two weeks in San Angelo the guest of Mrs. A. W. Clayton.

Mrs. Joe Childers and Mrs. Beverly Westbrook from San Angelo spent last Friday visiting Mrs. Joe Clayton and family.

A WEEK OF THE WAR

SUMMARIZING INFORMATION ON THE IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS OF THE WEEK MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH MONDAY OF THIS WEEK

Price Administrator Henderson announced that maximum gasoline prices in the rationed area of the 17 Eastern states and the District of Columbia will be reduced 2½ cents a gallon beginning August 5. He also announced reduction of 0.9 cents for kerosene, 1.1 cents on distillates and light heating oils, and 15 cents a barrel on residual fuel oils.

Commerce Secretary JONES reported the Defense Plant Corporation will finance a two-point program to convert existing steel dry-cargo barges into tank barges to transport oil, and to improve existing inland waterways. The Bureau of Mines estimated the national gasoline demand for July, August and September will be about 17 per cent less than in the corresponding period last year, eliminating the necessity for a large winter accumulation of stocks.

Consumer Supply And Maximum Prices

President Roosevelt issued a statement that every user of fuel and heating oil on the East coast "should face realistically the fact that there can be no guarantee that he will get enough oil even to meet his minimum needs." Petroleum Coordinator Ickes asked all sellers of fuel and heating oils in the East to request their customers to convert oil burners to the use of coal or other available fuels. The Office of Solid Fuels Coordinator reported bituminous coal stocks in storage in the U. S. increased an estimated 5,850,000 tons in June, to a near all-time record. The Office said, consumer stockpiles, however, continued insufficient to provide adequate protection against possible shortages during the fall and winter.

The OPA established a wholesale ceiling price on milk and cream, sold in bottles or paper containers, at the distributor's highest March level. The action was taken to prevent a price "squeeze" on milk retailers by some milk distributors. The Office set a ceiling price of four cents a pound for waste kitchen fats now being sold by housewives in the salvage program, and a ceiling price of five cents a pound for the sale of the same fats from meat dealers to renderers.

Price Administrator Henderson established a 60-day temporary ceiling on wholesale and retail lamb prices, at the highest levels charged by each seller during the period July 27-31. The temporary ceiling on lamb prices, effective August 10, places every major meat item except poultry under Government price regulations. The OPA said Armour and Company, Swift and Company, and Wilson and Company, Inc., have agreed to submit for auditing the sales records of all their branch houses for the purpose of refunding to their customers (wholesalers and retailers) all charges made in excess of the maximum prices for beef and pork.

Farm Income

During the first half of 1942 cash income from farm marketings totaled \$5,773 million compared with \$4,012 million in the same period last year, the Agriculture Department reported. Income from crops was up 36 per cent and income from livestock and livestock products was 48 per cent greater. The Department said a record volume of marketings is expected in the latter half of 1942. Total cash income from farm marketings during 1942, including Government payments, probably will exceed \$14,500 million, the report said.

Rationing

The outlook for obtaining sugar supplies from the Caribbean has "taken a turn for the worse" because of submarine warfare and the amount of shipping diverted to war purposes, the OPA said. The Office asked sugar refiners in Louisiana and Texas not to ship to sugar markets in Indiana, Illinois and Ohio until at least September 1 because of a shortage in their home states. OPA said these restrictions will have to be continued if receipts from Cuba and Puerto Rico are below expectations.

Under rationing regulations persons owning more than one typewriter may dispose of their machines only to authorized dealers or to the Procurement Division of the Treasury, OPA said. The Office ruled all new adult bicycles are subject to rationing "even though they may have been disassembled or altered or the parts

changed." War Bond Purchases

July sales of war bonds totaled \$900,900,000 second highest monthly amount on record and \$250 million above June sales. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau said. The highest monthly total was that of January when the amount was \$1,060 million. Mr. Morgenthau said the August quota has been placed at \$815 million. "Because of seasonal variations in income distribution, it would not be practicable to establish monthly quotas at a uniform figure of \$1,000,000,000," he said.

Transportation

The Office of Defense Transportation took over allocation of all new buses and froze all integral-type buses in the hands of manufacturers. Under the new plan, the ODT will grant permission to buy new buses only when the purchasers sign an agreement giving ODT authority to transfer the buses for use elsewhere if transportation difficulties develop. War Production Chairman Nelson said the WPB is studying the proposal of ship-builder Henry Kaiser to build 5,000 large cargo planes in converted shipyards. The Maritime Commission reported U. S. shipyards broke all records in July as 71 new merchant vessels were put into service, making a total of 299 cargo vessels and tankers produced during the first seven months of this year.

The War Front

Lt. Gen. Stilwell's China headquarters reported U. S. airmen have broken the back of an elite force of Japanese bombers and fighters assembled for the purpose of driving them out of China. The climax was reached July 30, the communique said, when 17 Japanese bombers and new type zero fighters were shot down. Gen. MacArthur's Australian headquarters announced allied planes conducted raids on Japanese positions from Amboina Island in the Netherlands East Indies to Guadalcanal Island in the Solomons. The Navy announced the sinking of four United Nations merchant vessels by enemy submarines.

Trial of Nazi Saboteurs

The Supreme Court ruled that the charges preferred against the eight Nazi saboteurs allege an offense "which the President is authorized to order tried before a military commission," that the commission is lawfully constituted, and that the saboteurs are held in "lawful custody." The saboteurs were brought again before the military commission.

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A Word of Thanks To My Friends:

Just a word to my friends, the citizenship of the 86th Representative District, to tell you how much I appreciate the confidence you have shown in giving me the nomination for Representative again this year. Conditions made it impossible for me to visit each community as I hoped to do.

We have a big job ahead, and one that will tax our resources and endurance to the utmost as time goes on. There is much to be done in adjusting our local and State Government to war conditions, without adding to the tax burden. We must carefully measure the cost of complete victory and not be wanting in any particular. The key to success in total war is total preparation.

I shall be glad to have your suggestions and to know when I can be of service, home address, Rocksprings, Texas, and when the State Legislature is in session, "Capitol Station, Austin, Texas."

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Answers Indictment



Mrs. Elizabeth Dilling, author of "The Red Network," as she appeared before federal officials in Chicago in answer to an indictment charging conspiracy to attack the morale of U. S. armed forces.

Army Signal Corps Seeks Small Power Generating Plants

COLLEGE STATION — County USDA War Boards are conducting a search for small power generating plants for the U. S. Army Signal Corps. B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA War Board, has announced.

The plants are needed for operating communications equipment, especially at remote bases where current is not available from established plants, the War Board official said.

The President signed a bill creating the Women's Auxiliary Reserve in the Navy, which will be made up at first of 1,000 commissioned officers and about 10,000 enlisted members. He also signed a bill to permit the CAA to train airplane mechanics in its civilian pilot training centers. The Army has asked for training of 31,000 mechanics. Selective Service headquarters instructed SS Local Boards to induct during August some men classified in 1-B with certain types of physical defects.

Types of power plants (both engine and generator) needed include gasoline, diesel, kerosene or fuel oil driven motors, operating 110- to 220-volt generators, AC only. Equipment of these types can be used in capacities from 500 watts to 25 kilowatts and larger.

The boards are being asked to locate plants not now in use and to advise the state board, Vance said. All negotiations in connection with inspection and approval for purchase will be handled by the Army Signal Corps directly with the owner.

Barbara Joslin of Barnhart spent the week with Dorothy Capps.

Mrs. W. E. Lucas and daughter, Mary Faye, are visiting relatives in Temple.

SO ENDED THE ARGUMENT

In Utica, N. Y., Denny Gifford and Jackie Fahy, youthful pals, got into an argument as to whether or not the Japanese actually captured Pearl Harbor. Jackie said they did and Denny said they didn't. To get the controversy decided officially, Denny wrote to General MacArthur about it. Back came this reply from the General: "They didn't take it, and don't be afraid. Denny, they won't take it."

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Many Texans With Marines Guarding Canal

SAN ANTONIO — One of the most important assignments in World War III—protection of the strategic Panama Canal—belongs to Uncle Sam's Leathernecks, Captain D. M. Taft, Marine Corps recruiting officer for this district, disclosed here today.

A large percentage of the Marines in the Canal Zone are Texans, Captain Taft said. Texas has for years supplied the Marine Corps with the finest of men, far outnumbering other states. Since Pearl Harbor, volunteers from Texas have nearly equalled those from all other southern states combined.

The Marines are performing a thorough job in patrolling the Canal Zone and have perfected an expertly arranged routine to eliminate sabotage, Captain Taft has been advised.

In addition to anti-aircraft and defense units, the Marine Corps has detachments boarding every vessel entering the canal who keep constant watch of all proceedings during the ship's entire 51-mile voyage through the canal.

There is a constant need for more men in the Marine Corps to serve at every post where Marines are stationed, Captain Taft said. Now more than ever before Texans are being asked to volunteer their services. There is a need for every man between 17 and 33 years of age who is in good physical condition. Men from 35 to 50 may enlist for continental guard duty. Recruiting stations are located at San Antonio, Houston, Beaumont, Corpus Christi and Harlingen.

Merchants in a defense construction area should stock up on nationally advertised products if they want to prosper, it was discovered by University of Texas sociologists who recently completed a study of the impact of construction of Camp Swift on the town of Bastrop.

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Pushing Against Axis in the Pacific

First photos to come out of the new air base in New Guinea from which U. S. and Allied fliers are striking at Jap bases: Right: Two fliers stand beneath the bomb bay of a U. S. bomber somewhere in New Guinea, inscribing 100-pounders. Left: American pilots and crew push a B-25 from the runway to make room for other planes to take off.



Chevrolet Dealers Scrap Drive Depots

DETROIT — More than 8,000 automobile dealerships in almost as many communities throughout the country will become collection depots in the government's scrap metal drive, under a plan proposed today to Chevrolet dealers by William E. Holler, general sales manager of Chevrolet.

All Chevrolet dealers and their 50,000 employees have been urged by Chevrolet to enlist in the scrap metal drive, Mr. Holler said, embracing a group that in the past decade has been responsible for disposing of more metal in the form of cars and trucks than any other group of merchants in America.

RETAIL SALES UP

Texas retail stores rang up dollar sales in June totaling 9.4 per cent higher than in June 1941, University of Texas Bureau of Business Research records show.

One newly-developed machine at a bomber plant performs 10 boring operations simultaneously, cuts a day's work to two hours, saves \$1,000 per plane.

Behind The Scenes In American Business

By John Craddock

NEW YORK, Aug. 5 — DEOPTIMISM—Warnings by WPB Chief Donald Nelson against excessive optimism—voiced in connection with his mid-1942 report that war materials production was tripling the 1941 rate—have been grimly underlined by quite a run of news of a definitely sobering kind coming from many salient along the industrial front, as well as from world battle areas. The war production program in general gives signs of having "growing pains" as material "unbalances" show up . . . despite the almost unbelievable record pace in shipbuilding, production has failed to keep pace with United Nations' losses by sinkings . . . WPB canceled the Andrew Jackson Higgins project — the one that was going to build some 200 Liberty ships on the assembly-line plan in Louisiana — with the explanation that even if construction could be completed, there wouldn't be enough steel to keep it supplied . . . the expansion program of the electric utility industry had to take a 40 per cent cut because of the acute, competing demands for steel for other uses . . . Wright Aeronautical had to lay off a thousand men in each of three shifts for several days because lack of materials had caused failure of a supplier to deliver needed parts . . . and the copper situation is exceedingly tight.

BITS OF BUSINESS — Department store sales on a nationwide basis have settled into a fairly steady pace, at five per cent ahead of last year. That's in dollar volume; in volume of goods moved, this year is substantially behind the '41 level . . . The Public Administration Clearing House reports that state gas tax collections for May dropped 9 per cent for the nation as a whole, and 14 per cent in the 17 eastern "rationed" states. In June the decline was much sharper, 23 per cent in four rationed states and 15 per cent in a 13-states region embracing 9 non rationed states . . . A Philadelphian is reported to have taken out a patent on the name "Victory" as applied to bicycles, hoping to collect a 5-cent royalty on every one of the 750,000 allowed to be made this year, which would mean a neat \$37,500—but the manufacturing companies just decided to do without the name rather than ante up that nickel per copy.

ONE FROM THE BOOK — It's obvious enough that the ultimate goal of virtually all sabotage plots is the crippling of units in the nation's vital war industries. Now it appears that Uncle Sam, in at least one case, has taken a leaf from the enemy's book in fitting a new weapon into the defense of war plants. The ancient Japanese art of Jiu jitsu has been Americanized, streamlined and, in the case of guards at the Willys-Overland plant, renamed "jeep jitsu" in tribute to the rock-'em-and-sock-'em army scout cars being produced in that plant. Courses are under the direction of Dewey Mitchell, a former circus acrobat who studied the arm-twisting art in Japan and who also instructs Army officers. Skill in jeep jitsu is especially valuable to plant sentries in these times because it enables many older men

to fill jobs that otherwise would require more youth and muscle.

TRAINING AND TRAINS — More evidence of the demands that war — even war in the old world—makes upon cross-country travel facilities here in North America is seen in the report of George A. Kelly, vice-president of the Pullman company, that troop movement handled by the company in June hit an all-time high, while civilian travel, now running 30 per cent ahead of last year, reached this year's peak in that same month, with July figures not yet available. The number of soldiers, sailors and marines transported in "organized movements" in June totaled 565,200—and the total for the first six months was more than 3,000,000, he reported, explaining that those figures did not include men of the armed forces traveling alone on furloughs, no inductees reporting to camps. The June increase in troop movements over the average for the preceding five months amounted to 11 per cent.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR — New type freight cars with fibre-board sides instead of steel—being tested by Canadian Pacific . . . A bicycle "hitch" for autos that lets the bike roll along behind, like a dory towed by a launch . . . "Recipe Digest," a new quarterly published by the publishers of Parents' Magazine, and put out in loose-leaf form . . . Eberhard Faber protests that no war-caused name change has been necessary so far as its "Mongol" pencil is concerned — it was the Eagle pencil company which made the change in product name we reported, from "Mikado" to "Mirado" . . . Among strange things being considered by U. S. Department of Agriculture are: cactus plants as a source of granulated sugar, orange pulp as a source of gunpowder, and milkweed fibre for use as mattress stuffing . . . Pocket flashlights with strictly non-metallic barrels—of five ply fibre . . . A new coin bank, shaped like a bomb, and designed to hold \$18.75, the price of a War Bond.

CONVERTIBILITY — A footnote on the lengths to which American industries have gone in converting themselves from civilian to war goods production is seen

Infant Mortality Rate Is Sharply Reduced In Texas

AUSTIN — Figures released by the Bureau of Census reveal that the Infant Mortality has reached the lowest level in the history of the State, said Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer. The reduction of infant deaths during the past year was phenomenal. For the past three years only two states had infant mortality rates exceeding Texas. The figures available show ten state, Alabama, Arizona, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia, have rates in excess of those reported in Texas.

Infant mortality is expressed in terms of the number of deaths per 1000 live births. The infant mortality for 1940 was 68 per 1000 live births whereas the rate for 1941 is 56.7 per 1000. In 1933 when Texas entered the registration area of the United States the infant mortality was 777 per 1000 live births. The present reduction in terms of mortality for 1933 and 1941 when applied to the 135,000 live births recorded in Texas in 1941 represents a saving of the lives of 2700 infants annually.

The evidence now available seems to indicate that the greatest reduction occurred in the southern part of the state where the State Health Department has been waging an intensive drive to protect the health of babies. It seems evident that the reductions in infant mortality achieved in El Paso, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Austin, and in Hidalgo County are the most significant in the state for the year. These same areas of the state lead in the number of well children. The mortality among the Latin American group which has been disproportionately high has been especially responded well to the educational efforts of physicians, public health nurses, and nutrition workers.

In news that the incendiary bombs dropped on Tokyo and other Japanese cities by the General Doolittle expedition were made by a company whose pre-Pearl Harbor business was the manufacture of wallpaper! . . . And a candy maker is now turning out shoe polish for the armed services, having discovered that his equipment for grinding and mixing is just as efficient in turning out the polish as it was on fudge and fondants.

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A CITIZEN'S PLEDGE

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I will not indulge in careless talk, in idle fears, or selfish ambitions.

I will exert my greatest energies to help in the fulfillment of our War Production program.

I will give generously of my time to Civilian Defense Projects.

I appreciate that business is not as usual. I accept this situation cheerfully and pledge myself to do nothing in my business which will interfere with my country's need.

I recognize that the home represents the hope of America.

I will help to keep it a shrine of harmony and beauty . . . a citadel of strength and courage.

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I will not hoard.

I will systematically save so as to anticipate my taxes.

I will pay these cheerfully and promptly.

I will invest in Savings Bonds and Stamps.

I will always bear in mind that as a loyal citizen of this great democracy it is my personal responsibility to defend it to the utmost.—Courtesy Cleveland Advertising club.

WAR PRODUCTION JUMPS

The first report of the joint war production committee of the United States and Canada revealed that the annual rate of U. S. munitions production for the second quarter of 1942 was up nearly four times over 1941. Canadian production was up nearly three times for the same period. Future schedules call for still sharper increases.

Arthur C. Parker of Ozona completed his application through the San Angelo Navy Recruiting Substation during the past week for enlistment in the Navy's overseas construction regiment. He will go to Dallas shortly for final physical examinations and enlistment.

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H. J. R. No. 1
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49a, requiring all bills passed by the Legislature on and after January 1, 1945, appropriating money for any purpose, to be sent to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for his approval, and fixing the duties of the Comptroller with reference thereto; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by the General Revenue Fund on September 1, 1943; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray the necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto, immediately after Section 49, a section to be known as Section 49a, to read as follows:

"Section 49a. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts in advance of each Regular Session of the Legislature to prepare and submit to the Governor and to the Legislature upon its convening a statement under oath showing fully the financial condition of the State Treasury at the close of the last fiscal period and an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements for the then current fiscal year. There shall also be contained in said statement an itemized estimate of the anticipated revenue based on the laws then in effect that will be received by and for the State from all sources showing the fund accounts to be credited during the succeeding biennium and said statement shall contain such other information as may be required by law. Supplemental statements shall be submitted at any Special Session of the Legislature and at such other times as may be necessary to show probable changes.

"From and after January 1, 1945, save in the case of emergency and with a four-fifths vote of the total membership of each House, no appropriation in excess of the cash and anticipated revenue of the funds from which such appropriation is to be made shall be valid. From and after January 1, 1945, no bill containing an appropriation shall be considered as passed or be sent to the Governor for consideration until and unless the Comptroller of Public Accounts endorses his certificate thereon showing that the amount appropriated is within the amount estimated to be available in the affected funds. When the Comptroller finds an appropriation bill exceeds the estimated revenue he shall endorse such finding thereon and return to the House in which same originated. Such information shall be immediately made known to both the House of Representatives and the Senate and the necessary steps shall be taken to bring such appropriation within the revenue, either by providing additional revenue or reducing the appropriation.

"For the purpose of financing the outstanding obligations of the General Revenue Fund of the State and placing its current accounts on a cash basis the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by said fund on September 1, 1943, provided such bonds shall not draw interest in excess of two (2) per cent per annum and shall mature within twenty (20) years from date."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, being November 3, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to

pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

S. J. R. No. 20
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit the accounting officers of this State to draw pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 33. The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, nor to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the third day of November, 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional Amendment permitting the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

"Against the Constitutional Amendment permitting the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballots, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

S. J. R. No. 21
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand

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(\$75,000) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31st, 1937.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows:

"The Legislature is authorized to appropriate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31st, 1937."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to pay for building constructed for John Tarleton Agricultural College;" and

"Against the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to pay for building constructed for John Tarleton Agricultural College."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expenses of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

H. J. R. No. 23
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the lending of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office building or buildings; providing for repayment to the Permanent School Fund; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expense of publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 49-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b. The Legislature may provide by law for the issuance of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to the Permanent School Fund for the construction in the City of Austin of a State office building or buildings, and the State Board of Education is hereby directed to invest not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund therein. Such bonds shall be executed on behalf of the State of Texas by the Governor and Comptroller, and shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three (3) per cent per annum, payable annually; they shall be of such denomination as may be prescribed by law, and shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five (25) equal installments beginning one (1) year from date of issuance; and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed

to set aside into a special fund annually at the beginning of each fiscal year until all of said bonds shall have been paid off and discharged, a sufficient amount of the first moneys coming into the Treasury for the use and benefit of the General Revenue Fund not otherwise heretofore obligated to the payment of bonds and interest, a sufficient amount to pay the interest becoming due and the bonds maturing during such fiscal year. From said Fund, the Treasurer shall pay the interest on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Permanent School Fund. The power hereby granted to issue bonds is expressly limited to the amount stated and to five (5) years from and after the adoption of this grant by the people."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of

not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article V of the Constitution of Texas by providing that the Legislature shall have the power by local or general law, in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants to create other courts having exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have it published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

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NEWS OF OUR FIGHTING MEN

Enjoying nine-day furloughs from Fort Jackson, South Carolina, a group of seven Latin-American youths arrived in Ozona this week for a brief visit with relatives and friends. The young soldiers from Ozona, who were inducted four months ago at Abilene, were sent to Fort Jackson for training after a two-week period spent at the reception center in Mineral Wells.

In the group here this week are Arturo Ramirez, Pedro Gomez, Julian Ramos, Silverio Garcia, Miguel Porras, Daniel Sanchez, and Lucio Diaz. Also at Fort Jackson, but not among the group getting furloughs is another Ozonan, David Longoria. It took four days for the boys to make it home, and they are having but little time for a visit.

Marvin H. Graves, son of Mrs. R. L. Hatton, is enjoying a visit with his family on furlough from Fort Bliss, El Paso, where he is stationed.

D. A. Parker, former Ozona boy and football star at Hardin-Simmons University and later in professional football, is due to get his wings in the U. S. Army Air Corps as a fighting pilot this week. D. A., who will be Lieut. Parker before the week is out, has been taking his advanced training at Lubbock.

Sid Petty is another Ozona boy who will sprout Army Air Corps wings this month. Sid is due to get his wings at Luke Field, Arizona, on August 27, friends here have learned.

A note from Mrs. W. E. Lucas, who is visiting in Temple, says that "Luke" is stationed in Norfolk, Va., at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Camp Allen. He writes that he likes Norfolk fine, has plenty to eat and is having a barrel of fun, Mrs. Lucas said. His address is W. E. Lucas, B. M. 2C.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Stockman is authorized to announce the following candidates for political offices, subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes:

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Capt. H. B. Tandy, after a visit here with his family and in Abilene, left last week for his new station at Station 52 Hospital in Ft. Hancock, N. J.

Another Ozona fighting man has landed with U. S. expeditionary forces abroad. He is Vaughan Brown. Letters from "somewhere in England" were received during the past week by friends here from Brown, who says he's "rearing to go."

Richard Miller, Jr., who enlisted several months ago and was accepted as a flying cadet in the Army Air Corps, was called to training duty last week and has been sent to California to start his flight training.

J. T. Patrick, West Texas Utilities Co. employe in Sonora and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Patrick of Ozona, has been accepted as a flying cadet in the U. S. Army Air Corps and is awaiting his assignment for primary training.

Another School—

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more than \$10 per month to any one family. It was also made clear that transportation payments could not be made to those families whose children are boarded in town during the school year, returning to their ranch homes only on week-ends.

Members of the county and district school boards taking part in the meeting here Saturday were as follows: District board, Paul Perner, L. E. Cox, Jr., M. J. Read, Scott Peters, George Bean and Ira Carson. County board, Jeff Owens, C. C. Montgomery, W. R. Baggett, Max Schneemann.

School Opening—

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Building caretakers have been at work this summer preparing the school buildings for the opening of the new term. The elementary school building has received the most attention, with considerable refinishing necessary on the inside and new lighting fixtures being installed. Floors in all buildings have been waxed and refinished and all equipment put in first class condition. Drapes in the auditorium have been cleaned and retined.

Cancer Research At Texas University To Be Continued

AUSTIN — To enable him to carry on his investigations of the cell structure and behavior of cells in cancerous tissues at the University of Texas during the coming year, Dr. John J. Biesele has been awarded a \$2,000 fellowship by the International Cancer Research Foundation. Dr. Biesele received his doctor of philosophy degree from the University in June. He has been doing research on cancer cells for the past three years.

Babe Phillips returned last week from Galveston where he was under treatment of physicians.

Jester Opens His Campaign Fri. Night

CORSICANA, Texas, August 5 — Opening his runoff battle for the State Railroad Commission, Beauford Jester will discuss the importance of his campaign in a radio speech to a statewide audience from his home town, Corsicana, at 9:30 p. m. Friday, August 7. The talk will be carried



over a fifteen station network. "Texas oil and transportation are vitally important to our war effort," Mr. Jester said. "Most of the oil that will fly our planes, power our mechanized divisions, and fuel the ships of America and her Allies will come from Texas. There must be no bottlenecks in Texas' oil production and transportation facilities."

"The people of Texas need a war veteran and a fully qualified Railroad Commissioner who will see to it that every industry regulated by the commission can and does function at its maximum in our war effort," Mr. Jester declared.

A native of Corsicana, Jester is a graduate of Texas University and served from 1932 to 1935 as chairman of the university's board

of regents. He interrupted his law studies to go overseas in 1917 as an infantry captain in the 90th Division. He saw action in the St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne offensives. Returning to the law after the Armistice, he completed his studies and has practiced in Corsicana ever since. He has taught a Sunday school class in his Methodist church since 1924, and since 1935 has been a member of the State Advisory Board of the National Youth Administration.

To the People of Crockett County:

So many of my friends have asked me for my views and an expression of my attitude that I feel compelled to make this public statement.

I entered the race for sheriff, tax assessor and collector with a serious aim—that of directing the people's attention to certain conditions and to provide a choice between men who are residents of Ozona. I felt that my candidacy was unnecessary when Roscoe Coates entered the race, for it left two Ozona men as candidates, and I left the running to the other candidates.

As for my stand now, I would make it clear that I am first, last and all the time for Ozona. I want to see the best interests of Ozona served. I want to see Ozona people in charge of affairs in Ozona. I want to see Ozona people in public office. I had no delusions about my chance of winning the office for which I ran—I am satisfied with the result of the first primary.

I feel that people now have had an opportunity to study the relative merits of the two candidates who go into the run-off

and I feel confident that Ozona people will place an Ozona man in the office. Because I have been asked for a public statement on my stand—not by the candidates but by my friends (and I have a few who didn't vote for me, too)—I shall cast my vote for one of your own citizens, a Crockett County property owner and taxpayer, a man who is not a "professional law" but an honest, capable citizen whose record as such we have had opportunity to know through his years of residence here—I am for Frank James.

Sincerely,
MIKE COUCH

Wilshire Oil Co. of Los Angeles has sold to Floyd H. Scott of Fort Worth and A. J. Rife three leases with four producing wells in the Noelke field in the western part of this county, according to reports this week. Consideration was not announced. The transfer involved approximately 220 acres of land.

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ONIONS, Crystal Wax, 3 Lbs. . . 13c

LIBBY'S FRUIT Cocktail Tall Can 17c SUNBRIGHT Cleanser 3 Cans 14c

FRESH OKRA, Pound 10c

SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 Pkgs. 25c

SWIFT'S VEAL LOAF 19c

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J. W. Johnigan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnigan, spent two days here early in the week visiting with his parents. J. W. is employed in office work at the primary training field for U. S. Army flying cadets at Vernon, Texas.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—1400 head of 2-year-old Rambouillet ewes—700 in Crockett County and 700 in Brewster County. Also three head unbroken horses at \$50 each. See or write D. K. McMullan, Jr., Big Lake, Texas. 14-4p.

LOST—Ozona High School class ring, class of 1939, belonging to Walter Escue. Reward for return to Mrs. Escue. 14-4p.

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