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THURSDAY OCT. 5, 1944

A RENDEVOUZ WITH DEATH

Somewhere tonight a boy has a rendezvous with death.

Whether on a carrier's deck in the Pacific, on a European battlefield, or in a teeming jungle of some tropical island — whether swift and clean or terrible and slow his going — he is giving

to his fellow men the greatest gift a man can give.

The years un-lived, the warmth and laughter and tears, and the most precious gift of all — his sons that might have been. All these he is giving.

No effort of ours, now, can stay the speeding bullet that carries his number. What to him, then, are our efforts on the home front? What to him, now, the ships we build, the planes we produce, the money we give to support the fight?

With nothing that is bought or sold with nothing that is made by human hands, can we share his sacrifice.

What gift can we give to match his — what sacrifice can we make? The answer will come from the still small voice within our hearts.

Not for the boy who is dying tonight, but because he is dying, we can make our sacrifice to the cause of freedom.

Not for the boy who is dying, but for those whose lives can still be saved, we can give — and give generously — to the National War Fund.

We honor the boy who is dying — and the cause for which he dies — when we support with all our might the fight his buddies are waging for freedom. The National War Fund is the agency of that support.

One of British Secret Weapons



The crocodile flame-throwing tank, one of the secret weapons used by the British in the invasion of France. It is a Churchill type tank equipped with a flame thrower that projects a geyser of fire for 450 feet and can actually fire around corners. These tanks landed at Normandy 35 hours after the first troop landings on beaches.

Woman's Place in Present World Topic At Junior Club Meet

Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., was hostess to the Junior Woman's Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Members enjoyed a program on

"Woman's Place in the Present Day World." Subjects discussed were "Woman's Place in the Home," by Mrs. G. L. Nesrsta; "Woman's Place in the School and Community," by Mrs. Miller Robison. Others present were Miss Wanda Watson, Mrs. Joe Ripple, Mrs. Dempster ones, and the hostess.



CHRISTMAS PACKAGES FOR G. I. JOE

Let's Get Them Off Early!



Army and Navy rules for shipping unsolicited Christmas packages overseas are the same as for last year—but correct addressing is more important than ever.

The package must be mailed between September 15 and October 15. They cannot weigh more than 5 pounds, be more than 15 inches in length, nor more than 36 inches in length and girth combined. Perishables are not allowed and fragile things will be strongly discouraged.

Remember that incorrect addressing can delay delivery for 90 days or more. One reason this is true: Just among the Navy's enlisted men there are 16,000 Smiths, 300 of them with identical first names and middle initials.

West Texas Utilities Company

Advertisement for Mrs. Boehme's Bread, featuring an image of a loaf of bread and text: 'MRS. BOEHME'S BREAD', 'West Texas' Most Popular Loaf For Over 30 Years!', 'Baked In West Texas' Most Modern Bakery', 'Our New Plant, Built in 1941', 'MRS. BOEHME'S BAKERY'.

Have an apartment to swap for a furnished or unfurnished house of four rooms or more. Apartment has butane gas heating and cooking, three rooms and private bath. If interested, call Mrs. R. E. McWilliams. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Sr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cox in Rankin during the past week.

Mrs. Arthur Phillips has returned from a visit in Asherton with her mother, who recently suffered a chest injury in a fall at her home.

Mrs. Hiram Brown and daughter, Susan, have returned to Austin after a few weeks visit here with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

When Mrs. Roosevelt wrote in her column recently that she could almost wish that God had not given weak human beings quite so much freedom, she could have added that the present Administration is doing all in its power to remedy the error of the Creator.

The story is told that an Italian prisoner of war working on a peanut farm in the South recently told the owner that Mussolini had told the Italians that they would soon be marching across the plains of the United States. "What he didn't tell us," the prisoner said, "was that we'd have to pick up peanuts on the way."—Tyler (Texas) Journal.

Buy Bonds! — And Hold Them!

Advertisement for Edw. A. Caroe, Optometrist, Complete Optical Service, 20 Years in San Angelo, Phone 5384, Office Hours: 8 a. m. - 6 p. m.

Advertisement for BICE OIL SPRAY, featuring an image of the product and text: 'WHY-DIP!', 'BICE OIL SPRAY', 'Range-tested, endorsed by leading ranchers, DICKIE OIL SPRAY is shipped prepaid in 25-gal. barrels, \$75. Will spray 250 to 280 head of cattle effectively, 3-gal., \$27.50. F. O. E. Pressure sprays 1200. High-test, \$15.00. Full directions with each order. BICE OIL SPRAY CO., KERRVILLE, TEXAS. Sold exclusively by FOXWORTH-GALBRAITH LUMBER CO., OZONA, TEXAS.'

Large advertisement for Dickie's Shirts & Pants, featuring an illustration of a father and son in matching shirts and pants. Text includes: '...a Chip Off THE Old Block', 'Yes, He Looks Just Like Dad IN Dickie's SHIRTS & PANTS', 'FIT BETTER WEAR LONGER LOOK NEATER', 'Like father, like son'... both smartly, comfortably dressed in long-wearing Dickie's Shirts and Pants. Yes, siree! Dickie's give a fellow a real he-man look... and they're built to stand the gaff of hard work and harder play!', 'Value wise, comfort-wise, style-wise mothers choose Dickie's Shirts and Pants as the ideal garments for their school age boys. Sizes 6 to 16 at...', 'Popular Dry Goods Store Sam Martinez, Prop.'

Advertisement for tax discounts, featuring the text: 'Take Advantage of — TAX DISCOUNTS! Save Up To 3% On Your Tax Bill'. It details a discount schedule for taxpayers of Crockett County: 3 Percent Discount If Paid In October, 2 Percent Discount If Paid In November, 1 Percent Discount If Paid In December. It also states that taxes paid during the month of January earn no discount and become delinquent after February 1, 1944. The ad is signed 'FRANK JAMES, Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes—Crockett Co.'



