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# Victory Tax Explained

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22-Just in case you've forgotten, the new 5th, the Lions Club will enter-Victory tax becomes effective tain the Football team and January 1 and from then on their girl friends, together your weekly pay-checks will be with the wives of the mema continuing reminder that ers of the Lions Club. Also something new has been deduct- invited are the teachers of the

e house of representatives blic hep to the new levy: What is the so-called Vict-

It is a new type of individincome tax, which is impoin addition to the regular in-

What is the rate of tax? A .- Five percent of the income in excess of \$12 per week, or \$624 eight o'clock and close about infantile paralysis, is a Texasannually.

#### ALLOWANCE MADE.

Q.—Does the \$624 exemption apply to both married and single

A.—Yes; allowance for the A trend toward selling eggs by to W. L. Clayton, Houston, Presmarried status is provided under the post-war credit which is all-the post-war credit which was all-the post-war credit which which is all-the post-war credit which which is al owed, the amount being larger tions of the county, and this is has established offices in the for married persons than for single persons.

A.-No; only to the amount in

excess of \$624. Q.—Is allowance made for in-

are allowed if incurred in carrying on a trade or business. An individual who is in business can also deduct other business expenses, including the cost of goods sold. In other words, the tax applies to the gross income in the case of wages and salaries, and to the net income of the individual's trade or business.

# POST WAR CREDIT

per cent, plus 2 per cent for each should also be candled, and sort celebration is extended to every Virgil Priddy and Mrs Calvin dependent. In no case, however, out the defective eggs. can the credit exceed \$500 in the

\$100 for each dependent the post-war credit?

outstanding indebtedness or stain an entire case full. amounts invested in war

# AN EXAMPLE

For example, if a married per- assured of fresh produce. in's victory tax amounted to 00, he could deduct his liabilpaid out that much or more dur- ter spending the holidays here ing the year for life insurance with his father Jim Robin. premiums, mortgage payments or war bond purchases.

chose, or if he had made no such gelo and Eldorado. payments during that year, he would pay the full amount of the entitled to receive, after the ces- Field, San Antonio, returned credit of \$40 for the year. If only spending the holidays here part of the victory tax credit is with his parents. used currenttly, the balance is refundable after the war.

# HOW PAID

Q.—How is the post-war credit with home folks. payable?

A.—It will be allowed as an offset against any taxes due from ends can address her at 404 the taxpayer after the cessation Burcham Ave. of hostilities. Any balance will be refunded to the taxpayer imme-

Q-Does the taxpayer have to to Lubbock Thursday mornthe a separate return in connect-ing, where he will resume his ion with the victory tax?

the regular income tax return. Tech. after spending the holi-

A.-It is deducted antomatically from salary by employer, under a withholding provision.

-Ver Victory: Bay Bonds

# Lions To Entertain Football Team

Tuesday evening January Santa Anna schools.

Miss Agnes Hays and her ned this series of quest-id answers intended to put pare the luncheon and serve it in the lunchroom at the High School. Dr. Thos H. Taylor, President of Howard Pay-ne College, Brownwood will be the principal speaker, his address being directed largely to the younger set, mainly the football players.

The program will start at front against the dread disease,

#### EGGS BY THE POUND INSTEAD OF BY THE DOZEN

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 29 County in the State, according

profitable both to the producer Cotton Exchange Building, Daland the consumer, in the opini- las, for the purpose of conductapply to the entire income if it is greater than \$624 per annum? College Extension Service. Under present marketing pra- will direct the campaign.

ctices, the consumer pays as On the staff of the Texas much per dozen for extermely State Chairman Committee for terest payments, charitable deductions and so forth, as is the
case under the regular income
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much per dozen for extermely
small eggs as for standard eggs
which weigh 2 ounces each, or a
pound and a half per dozen.

the celebration of the President's
birthday, in addition to Clayton
and Briggs, Mrs. George H. Pitpound and a half per dozen. Like wise, Miss Murry explains, tman, vice chairman, in charge A.—Not in the case of wages the producer who markets stand-of women's activities; W. Marion children survive, three sons, Rosand salaries. These deductions are size eggs or larger receives Newman, secretary; John E. coe and Norman, Santa Anna, product.

en to pound basis, producers will Building. have to obtain their premiums by offering high quality clean, ysis) is striking in umerous locinfertile eggs correctly prepared alities throughout the Southwest for marketing. Miss Murry says that means eggs should be gathered at least twice a day and kept in a glean wire tack. kept in a clean wire basket un- of the crippling and maiming A.—Single persons are allowed as to size, putting the unacted to formly small eggs, the medium of their Victory tax?

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Eggs should always be packed case of a single person, \$1000 in with the pointed end down. If the case of a married person or packing materials have been used previously, care should be taken Q.—Does a person have to to see that they are clean, Avoid wait until after the war to get wrapping eggs in newspapers or other printed material for they A .-- No; It may be used curren- may be soiled by ink, the specithe option of the taxpayer alist says. It also pays to make a deduction for life insurance certain that filler and cases are emiums paid, for amounts paid sturdy, for one broken egg can

the Nation.

here during the holidays.

Miss Murry recommends that eggs be marketed at least twice a week so that consumers can be

Tom Robin returned to Big by 40 per cent, or \$40, if he Spring first of the week, af-

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Ethere-Thus his net victory tax liabil- dge spent the Christmas holiity would be \$60, However if he days with relatives in San An-

Sparks Whetstone, Mechvictory tax, and hereby become anical Engineer in Brooks sation of hostilities, a post-war to his post Wednesday after

> Paul M. Wilburn of the U.S Navy, located at Kingsville, is here on a brief furlough

Mrs. Mineola Nelsons, fri-

San Antonio Texas

Eddy Vaughn Mills returned studies as a Senior in Eletri-A.—No; it will be computed on cal Engineering at the Texas Q—How is the victory tax days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills.

> Sgt. and Mrs. Edwin Niell, and baby of the Lubbock Flying School, are spending the holidays here with relatives.

# Place Christmas

going on to his training at and came to town.
Cooledge, Ariz. The preacher lzing to wage war on the home is spending the remainder of WILDLIFE PROGRAM wide effort which will culmin-the holidays at home and will ate January 30th, in the celebgladly consider invitations to ration of President Roosevelt's visit friends anytime of the this year will extend to every or supper hour.

## W. J. HOSCH BURIED MONDAY

Funeral services were held in he First Baptist church Monday t 2:30 p.m. for Walter J. Hosch. 77, who pased away at his home ere Saturday night.

Walter J. Hoseh was born in Madison county, Alabama, June 27th 1365. He came west while On the staff of the Texas young man, and was married to Miss Hester Ann Ayers in 1387. They came to Coleman county in 1889 and have lived in Santa Anna since The wife and seven no price advantages for a better Owens treasurer and Frank N. and Pascal of Goodfellow Field, Texas. Four daughters, Mrs. E. B Watson, director of publicity. Price, and Mrs. George E. Vaug-State offices have been establiaccept the change from the doz- shed at 221 Cotton Exchange hm, of Fort Worth, Texas Mrs. V. Texas, and Miss Lillie Hosch, Already polio (infantile paralof Santa Anna. Seven grand-

children also survive. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. R. Smith, Pall bearers, O. L. Cheaney, Calvin Campbell, Emzy Brown, Boss

ion for Infantile Paralysis. As in Hays, Mrs. Lula Hefner, Mrs. married persons a credit of 40 ones in seperate containers. They previous years, the campaign and Helen Oakes, Mrs. D. R. Hill, Mrs.

Interment was made in the Santa Anna cemetery.

Wm. D. Ashmore and Jimnie Daniel of Orange, Texas trainees in the Coast Guard, arrived Monday to spend a short furlough with their par- Niell, student in the Texas Tech their farms and ranches, some Pvt. Elucian Niell and wife ty at Corpus Christia, spent the help protect nests from livestock of Lubbock visited relatives holidays here with their Mother Fire prevention and controlled Mrs. Ola Niell.

while we wait for the top offer

# Wylie Home A Jolly SANTA ANNA MER-CHANTS TAKE EXTRA

The merchants of Santa Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Wylie nwood, Brady and other towns had all their children and in the heart of Texas, remaingrandchildren with them for ed closed Saturday, thus givdinner Christmas Day. Those ing the tired businessmen a the employees of the store for message from the U.S. War from out of town were Mr. and chance to take a very much presents this Christmas. The Department that their son, Mrs. L. B., Sikes and little deserved rest, following the gifts range from small dender Second Lieut. Quenten W Burdaughter of Bangs, Corp. Aubrey B. Petree, of Cooledge Christmas. Very few people Dollar bonds, pending on the ment squadron, is "reported Field. Arix., Mr. and Mrs. E. came to town Saturday, exp-L. Howser of Dallas, sister to ecting to purchase merchand- had been working on the job. 20" Mrs. Wylie left Sunday for soon found themselves on the appreciate their being remem- Mr. Burgett said that 100 Whitesboro, to spend several ir way back home. For the days with her mother, Mrs. U short duration, the merchants manner. G. White, and Corp Petree and gave the best publicity they wife left shortly after noon could to the public, advising Christmas Day for View, to of their intentions to close, DALLAS, Texas, Dec 27 Organ- visit with his family before and but few failed to notice

# POPULAR

COLLEGE STATION, Dec.29-61st birthday. The celebration day along about the noon hour Teaching boys the principles of lighter room so I began to study Windover Field. Utah. is one of the objectives of the would brighten up my room. nagement specialist for the A. & wine.

kinds of wildlife. Club members I made by hand, also are encouraged to study the The old fashio servation mtasures, many are and a softer light. producing wildlife as a crop of My room s much lighter, more Oran Henderson has returned

the land, Callender says. clubs visited nearby government studying and relaxation. term, after spending the fish hatcheries and attended encampments to study wildlife con- for "the duration." sancturies offering both food and such a pleasing effect my friends fellow Field. San Angelo, is cover to wildlife. Teaching boys think I have new furniture. and it is even more popular in on markers on fences along Tex- ing the lean years of war and Mrs. E. K. Jones. as roads and highways were scarcity of materials. erected by teen-age 4-H club

Miss Lilly Pearl Niell, student boys who are cooperating in the nurse in the Baylor school of program. Some of them take an Nursing at Dallas, and Miss Ima annual census of the wildlife on at Lubbock, and Miss Florence establish feeding stations for Niell, one of the teaching facul- birds in winter, while others may hunting also are encouraged.

# Piggly Wiggly Gives War Bonds

The owners of the Santa SANTA ANNA, Dec. 31 The Anna Piggly Wiggly store, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Burgett of Santa Anna have received a ise, and most of those who did, Useless to say, the boys deeply

# Report of Living Room Demonstration- 1942 Live-At-Home turn. Club, Coleman County, Texas Mrs. R. T. Ransberger-Demon-

ished in dark oak. I wanted a Chandler Field,

boys. R. E. Callender, game ma- room furniture upholstered in any the Army.

eys this program is growing in ivory, selected paper in cream mer of war," the Rev. Mr. Burpopularity among club boys every and white, and finished my floor zett said. vear. In light varnish, Ivory venetian Rev. Burgett is pastor of As a part of the program, cou-blinds replaced to green and the Cumberland Presbyterian nty agricultural agents and local white, window shades; tan eur- church and the family has the leaders train boys in the meth- tains with large conventional sympathy of a large circle of ods of conservation and help flowers in subdued tones of rose, friends in their grief. them establish practices on the tan and cream were used for side farm or ranch which are favor- drapes with soft cream color able to the increase of desirable marpuisette inserts. My curtains

birds, and fish. And through con- white ceiling, which gives more- early this week.

comfortable, and fresh A more to Alva, Okia, to resume his work During the past year some pleasing place for work, reading in the Northwestern the ensuing

servation. Others established The new background makes

Mrs. Earl Watkins, Mrs. Travis of the sportsmapship program be southeleased raying made ing the holidays. of the sportsmanship program, be reupholstered, savings made wartime, the specialist reports.

Many of the thousands of game preservation demonstrati
more to keep down expenses during the special state of turniture may be protected or and Mrs. Ben Oliver of Browncovered by slip covers made at home to keep down expenses during the special state of the special

The cost for materials was:

Venetian Blinds -----9:00 holidays. Light fixture ----5.40 Curtain material: ----5.75 

I figure I saved \$10 on my visited Mrs. J. S. Jones Christdrapes-\$5. on refinishing my mas. floors-\$5, on work by hiring men by the hour instead of a Mrs. Virgil Laudamy and contract job. Thus my savings in Gaughters, LaDell and Ha cash was \$20. with untold saving Beth of San Angelo are visin precious eyesight.

The Waste Fat and Oil Committee Chairman, Miss Jewell Hipp is asking the people of Coleman Shreveport, La., and Mr. and County to consider again very Mrs.Seth Risinger spent carefully the fact that the Coun- Christmas eve on the Fetherty is falling far short of meeting stone ranch near Novice. the 10,000 pound quota of waste fats and oils. The Waste Fat that you collect and send in may be a Sophomore student in Jouranmeans of saving the life of your lism at Texas Tech., Lubbock Won't you please weigh this mat- friends during the holidays. ter and put forth a special effort to meet your two pound quota which is the amount every family a shell from guns of major caliin Coleman Country must collect bre. Silk alone burns completely in order to reach the 10,000 lb, and leaves no hot embers. This

meat market during the week-- each gun had to be cleaned benot on Saturdays.

Every "Woman's Organization" ant war materials. in Santa Anna and Coleman Cou- Please do your collection of nty are being ask to put forth a silk and nylon today, urges the special drive to collect all silk or Salvage Chairman for Women nylon hose, as mixture of nylon Division, Miss Jewell Hipp. Take cotton, mixture silk and rayon the hose to the nearest "Hosiery and cotton is acceptable. Even Collection Depot" at once. It hose cut for rug making is being takes 1500 pairs of silk or 2300 called for since the silk or nylon pairs of nylon to weigh 100 pouis what is wanted.

Every woman should act as a commttee of one and see that all silk and nylon hose are collected at once.

The silk is used for making powder bags into which charges of powder are placed for generating the power required to expel

# Santa Anna Flier Missing In Action

duration of time the parties missing in action since Dec.

It was on Dec. 20 the Rev. bered in such a substantial American bombers made a raid over Northern France and on that occasion six American bombers' failed to re-

Lieut. Burgett entered the Army Air Corps on Nov. 12, 1941. He received his training at Kelly Field, San Antonio. The beam celing and wood Thunderbird Field, Phoenix, work in my living room were fin- Gardner Field Taft Calif.,

sportsmanship and proper re- colors and finishes that would. The mission bombardier fingard for laws protecting wildlife blend harmoniously and that ished high school at Jellico, Toun. and had attended Eastwildlife conservation program My walls were tan, window crn New Mexico College at offered Texas' 36,000 4-H Club curtains blue, rug blue, hving Portales, N. M. before enter-

"We feel there is a 50-50 M. College Extension Service. I decided to paint my woodwork Chance that our son is a priso-

Rev. Burgett is pastor of

The old fashioned chain drop Miss Betty Ruth Blue returned habits and economic value of light was replaced by a cream to Alva, Okla, Sunday to resume game and fur-bearing animals color indirect fixture close to the her studies in the Northwestern

I term, after spending the holidays

to shoot a rifle properly and acting a gave a demonstration to my spending a brief furlough here curately always has been a part always has been always have a been always has been always has been always and always have a been always have a been always

Miss Allene Jones of Ranger Paint and paper----\$17.10 visited her parents, Mr. and Work - - -----24,35 Mrs. E. K. Jones during the

iting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ham-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert See of

Miss Mary John Wade, a son or some other persons son is here visiting relatives and

makes possible recharging guns Please take it to your nearest with greater speed than though

fore a new charge was inserted. Nylon is used for other import-

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#### GREETINGS FOR THE NEW YEAR

The editor and staff wish to extend our very best wishes to all for the New Year, 1913.

Wish we had the vocabulary

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COLEMAN Dec. 23—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. James, well knowns pioneers of Coleman, will on December 31, observe (nor 57th) wedding anniver ary. Due to traveling conditions, they do not plan to colebrate the anniver sary.

Lula Bucit and John C. Jones were married on Dec. 31, 1885 in Coleman with the Rev. W. B.

Blovs. Presbyterian pastor, read
June

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Bloys, Presbyterian pastor, reading the ceremony.

the time of her marriage.

Mr. Johes was born in Red River county. He has served in offices in Coleman county. He was a special deputy under the Restance and t was a special deputy under the first five sheriffs of Coleman county. He served as tax collector county treasurer, hide and animal inspector, city marshal, August city commissioner, and later ser-ved as deputy tax collector, de-puty district clerk and deputy

August

10—Marines land in Solomons. Navy
ralds Jap Kiska positions in Aleu-flans.

14—German military begins march on

tan assessor. Mr. and Mrs. Jones have three sons, Cecil A. Jones of Odessa, who is now employed in San Diego, Calif. Calvin M. Jones of Westbrook and Buck Jones of 21 McCamey.

Miss Emma John Blake returned to Abliene first of the week | September where she is teaching in one of the Junior High Schools, after epending the Christmas holidays here with home folks.





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ing the ceremony.

Mrs. Jones was born in Cuero county and moved to Liberty when but three years of age, but was living in Coleman county at

14—German military begins march on Stalingrad.

19—Ten thousand Allied troops, mostly Canadians, supported by British Commandos and a few score U. S. Rangers raid Dieppe, France, for nine hours. Casualites heavy on both sides. Overhead 1,000 British planes engage the enemy.

21—Japs attempt to retake Solomon is land positions. Repelled by U. S. marines.

22—Fifteen Jugoslav guerrilla planes bomb Axis garrison and Nazi troop columns west of Belgrade.

3-U. S. pilots down German Focke-Wulf bomber near Iceland, report U. S. military authorities. 4-Licut. Gen. Stilwell's headquarters in Chungking announces that bomb loaded U. S. fighters hit Japs in five different China zones.

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coast. 10—House kills so-called "frivality" in 10-100 with section of the control o

2-Auto rationing begins: 3-Army air force now an equal branch of army. -All new, used typewriter sales halted.

6—All new, used typewriter sales halted,
8—Supreme comment of all U. S. navaloperations given to Admiral King
II—U. S. fikes used tire prices,
12—House farm bloc kills sub-parity bill
4—First wartime lottery since 1918,
24—U. S. takes over strike-bound Toledo,
Peoria and Western railroad.
27—U. S. unifies command, to end U-boat
menace,
30—Labor fights restrictive legislation in

April

1—Senate defeats ban on 40 hour week, closed shop upheld.
2—All bleycle sales halted.
7—Plar to halt production of most durable goods.
15—U. S.-Vichy France break seems near.
23—Sugar for restaurants and other food services cut 50 per cent.
24—U. S. opens sedition quiz of suspects. 27—Thirteen million sign 45-65 labor ques-tionnaire.

May

May

1—Plans to draft women for war service temporarily abandoned.

2—Director of Defense Transportation. Eastman announces restriction of competing train and bus service.

4—National sugar registration for ration books begins, first of four days.

12—House passes (102-40) increase in pay to .\$50 for army and marine privates, navy and coast guard apprentice seamen.

18—Earl Browder, former secretary of the American Communist party, has four-year federal sentence commuted to 14 months aircady served.

19—East coast gas rationing to be put on national scale. Roosevelt hints.

27—Total of 13,600 women apply as candidates for officers', training school of the Women's Army Auxiliary corps: WAACs.

28—On the grounds he is a Communist party member, Harry Bridges, Australian born West coast CIO leader, ordered deported by Attorney General Francis Biddle.

June

7—Virtually entire Japanese population of West coast (99,770) moved inland.

# 'TEN BIGGEST'

EVENTS OF 1942 SELECTED BY: BAUKHAGE (WNU Washington Correspondent.) Establishment of a second front in North Africa.
The rationing of essential war

materials and foodstuffs. The fall of Bataan to the Japanese.
Republican gains in November

elections.
Germany's failure to destroy Russian army.
Tokyo bombed by U. S. air

Eight Nazi saboteurs appre-Japs establish strongholds in The battle of Midway and South

Eisenhower-Darlan agreement.

9-"Sliver Shirt" William Dudley Pelley indicted by Indianapolis, Ind., grand jury.

18-Prime Minister Churchill makes fhird white with the President of the United States, at Capital.

26-Naval expansion bill of over 3½ billion dollars parted by senate for 1.990,000 tons of ships.

27-EIGHT HIGHLY TRAINED NAZI SABOTEURS CAUGHT BY FBI-FOUR LANDED ON BEACH IN FLORIDA, OTHER FOUR LANDED ON LONG ISLAND. NAZI SUB USED IN OPERATIONS, 1.0NG ISLAND TANDED ON JUNE 13, FLORIDA LANDING FFECTED ON JUNE 13, FLORIDA LANDING FOUR DAYS LATER.

July

1—Navy's giant 70-ton patrol bomber,
Mars, makes official tests over Chesapeake, Bay, Mr.

8—Seven-man imilitary commission, appointed by President, begins secrettrial of eight Naza saboteurs in Washington.

10—Elmer Davis, director of the new
Office of War Lafonation, names
new assistants, says OWI shall-fly
to give American, people an accurate picture of nation's war activities.

17—Super-powered, troop carrier command announced by Licut Gen. Arnoid, chief of army air forces.

August

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1—Local police and FBI agents round up more than 20 Japs, Nazis, and Ital-ians in New York city and Philadelians in New York, city and Philadelphia.

2—Lindbergh testifies at sedition trial of
William Dudley Pelley, Indianapolis.

8—Six of eight Mazi saboteurs executed
in the electric chair at Washington,
D. C. Two others (who turned state's
evidence) sentenced to prison.

19—James Bennett Jr., attorney general
of New York, defeats White House
favorite, Sen. James M. Mead, for
Democratic gubernatorial, nomination.

25—Pending stabilization of farm prices and wages at present level hinted by the President during press confer-September

2- John McCloy, assistant secretary of war, says 500,000 American fighting men and technicians are now abroad.
10-Creation of Women's Auxiliary Ferrying command, headed by Mrs. Nancy Harkness Love, announced by war department.
13-Selective Service Director Maj. Gen. Hersbey says married men with chill. Hershey says married men with chil-dren face draft in '43. 21-WPB Chairman Donald Nelson fore-casts great civilian economy to win war.

1-President Roosevelt ends two-week, secret circle trip of nation.

3-Olines of Reomonic Stabilization ereated by the President to stabilize farm prices, rents, wages and salarios directions.

aries
7—United Mine Workers Cincinnati convention votes to withdraw its 500,000 members from CIO.
9—U.S., Britain announce willingness to give up extra-tertitorial rights in China: Ethiopia joins United Nations; WPB orders all except small gold mines, to cease operations. Raise in food types. food prices.

12 Department of justice's petition for injunction against James C. Petrillo's ban on commercial recording dismissed by Chicago U. S. District

to the convention of the conve

eration's convention in Toronto, Cannda.

21—Ariny to furlough 4,000 experienced
miners because of shortages in copper, lead, molybdenum, tungsten.

26—In a New York broadcast Wendell
Wilkle, reporting on his globe-circling trip, renews his demand for a
second front in Europe.

27—WMC Director McNutt announces
plan to freeze all necessary skilled
dairy, livestock and poultry workers.

29—War Secretary Stimson announces
army trucks now using all of the
1,671 mile Alcan highway.

November

1-U. S. takes over all short-wave broadcastings for use by the Over-seas Division of Office of War Inforseas Division of Office of wat Information.

2—To relieve growing coal shortage in West, UMW executive committee authorizes seven-day week.

4—Republicans make new gains: 19 in senate, 42 in the house of representatives.

senate, 42 in the house of representatives.

9-President scores France's chief of government, Laval—expresses regret that Laval forced diplomatic break of U. S. and France.

14-Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, 52, and crew members rescued.

18-President orders registration of 600,000 youths who reached 18th birthday after July I.

20-Women's Auxiliary Reserve in the Coast Guard termed "Spars."

24-Saboteurs sentenced in Chicago: Men get death, women 25 years in jail.

26-All war industries continue working while nation celebrates Thanksgiving.

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27—Virginia conference of the Methodist
Church South demands through their
official organ that song "Praise the
Lord" be eliminated from radio
broadcasts.
28—New ration book (No. 2) to be issued toward end of year, or first
part of '33.
29—National 4-H club congress meets at
Chicago for its 21st session.

December

1-Gas rationing begins on nation-wide basis.
2—Gov. Herbert H. Lehman of New York becomes director of foreign re-York becomes director of foreign relief and rehabilitation.

4—President orders Works Progress administration abolished.

7—Harrison E. Spangles, Iowa, named
chairman of Republican party.

11—Approximately 860,000 war workers
frozen to jobs in Detroit.

18—OPA orders change in heating oil rationing for North zone.

19—Leon Henderson, director of Office of
Price Administration, announces resignation.

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January

1—Foolpall results: Rose Bowl, Durham N. C.—Oregon State 20, Duke 16; Sugar Bowl, New Orleans—Fordham 2. Micsouri 9; New York—Chicago Bears 35, National Football League Al-Stars 24.

7—Heavyweight champ Joe Louisknocks out Buddy Baer, lirst round, Madison Square Garden.

14—Joe DiMas 0. Yankee outfielder, named player of the year for 1941 osseall scares.

23 Wilhe Hopge was third straight world three-custom billiard championship at Chicago, beating Welker Cochran 50-31 in 36 innings.

February

5—Pule vasiler Cornelius Warmerdam sets new record, 15 feet 36 inches, 1419

5—Pole vaulter Cornelius Warmerdam sets new record, 15 feet 34 inches, Madison Square Garden. 27—Gregory Rice of New York A. C. sets new world indoor three-mile record at National A. A. U. meet with time of 13:45.7.

March

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15-New York Rengers win National
Hockey league championship.
18-Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball
league championship won by Dartmouth, defeating Princeton 46-33 in
play-off match at Philadelphia.
25-West Virginia wins National invitation brisketball tournament, defeating Western Kenutcky State, 47-45,
Madison Square Garden.

4-Yale who Rational A A U swimming championship at Yale pool, New Herver, with 50 points.

12-Baseball season upons: Dedgers beat Grants, 7-5; Yankees dereat Senators, 7-6.

24-Joe Louis trainer, Jack ("Chambie") Blackburn, 58, Negro, dies-after apparent recovery from pneumonia.

2—Shut Out, Wayne Wright up, wins 68th Kentucky Derby. Wins large to purse in history of the race; \$64,225, 18—All New York city night baseball banned for duration by New York police commissioner. Sky glow endangers shipping.

June

1—National and American league leaders: Brooklyn, W. 32, L. 13; Yankees, W. 31, L. 11.

20—New York Athletic club wins National AA.U. track and field championships with 129.7 points.

27—National intercollegiale tennis singles championship won by Ted Schroeder, Stanford university, beating teammate, Larry Dee, 6-3, 0-6, 6-2, 6-3, at New Orleans.

July

6-National League All-Stars, Leo Durocher, manager, defeated by American League All-Stars, Joe McCarthy, manager, 3-1, New York,

11-Bob Falkenburg, 16, Hollywood, wins National U. S. School tennis championship at Philadelphia,

22-Byron Nelson, Toledo, Ohio, wins Tam O'Shanter Open golf tournament in Chicago with a 5 under par 67, \$2,500 first prize.

August August

9-With a perfect 250, Dr. Leroy W. Childs, Lake Kerr, Fla., wins 12-gauge national amateur skeet title at Syracuse, N. Y., tournament.
23-Breaking his own record for 2,000-meter run in Stockholm, Gunder Haegg, Swedish track star, makes new time of 3.11.8.
28-Professional footbal champions, Chicago Bears, defeat College All-Stars, 21-0, before 101.200 fans at Soldier Field, Chicago.

September

20 Final standings in minor league base-ball: International league: Newark, ball: International league: Newark, W. 92, L. 61; American association; Kansas City, W. 84, L. 66; Eastern league; Albany W. 84, L. 56; Southern association; Little Rock, W. 87, L. 59; Texas league: Beaumont, W. 69, L. 53; Pacific Coast league: Sacramento, W. 105, L. 73.

Prior to entering the army, Leland Stanford ("Larry") MacPhall, 52, resiens as president, general manager of Brooklyn Dodgers, continuing as a director.

October

October

5 - Cardinals beat Yankees, 4-2, at New York, to win their fourth straight victory and the World Series title; 69,052 fans.

24 - Whirlaway wins Washington Handicap at Laurel, Md. Earnings now total \$528,336.

27- Marton Cecil Cooper, St. Louis Cardinal pitcher, voted National league's most valuable player for 1942 by Baseball Writers association.

28 Branch Rickey, 62, former business manager of St. Louis Cardinals, named president and general mahager of Brooklyn Dodgers, succeeding Larry MacPhall.

November November

3 Baschall Writers association committee names: Joe Gordon, Yankee second baseman, as American league's most valuable player,

19 Leo Durocher signs contract with Branch Rickey, Brooklyn Baseball club president, to manage Dodgers for fifth year.

28-Steve O'Nelli, former Cleveland manager, named manager of Detroit Tigers.

December 🦠

5-American Bowling Congress tournament opens at Chicago.
13-Connie Schwoegler wins national bowling championship crown, dethroning Ned Day.
17-St. Louis Cardinais named "outstanding team of the year."

# DISTENSES.

January

 16—Carole Lombard, screen actress, her mother and 19 others killed in transport plane crash near Las Vegas, Nev.; 15 U. S. aviators among dead.
 28—Colorado's worst coal mine disaster in 25 years occurred at Mount Harris when mile underground explosion snuffs out 34 miners' lives. February

6—Tornadoes in Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia kill 18 persons: four persons killed when flood and mud avalanches roll down in northern California.

March 4—Burlington, Iowa, ordnance plant explosion kills 16, injures 51. Explosion here Dec. 12, 1941, killed 13. 16—Tornadoes again sweep southern and central states killing 150,persons and leaving \$3,000,000 damage. Ten army fliers killed when bomber crashes into mountain peak near Pendleton, Ore. Four others killed near Boise, Idaho.

April

12—Near Livermore, Calif., 14 filers killed when two navy bombers crash. 26—High speed Hudson & Manhattan rall-road train wrecked in tube at Jer-sey City N. J. Five killed, 222 in-jured.

jured. Tornadoes roar through Oklahoma, Minnesota, killing 80-100; \$1,000,000 damage.

1—Easttoand at liner crashes into mountain peak near Salt Lake City, Utah, during rain storm; 17 killed. During past eight years 61 persons killed in air crashes in this area.

2—More tornadoes sweep Midwest, 22 dead.

1—Army air crashes near Welch, W. Va., and March Field, Calif., kill 30 army

and March Field, Calil., kill 30 army men.

4-Independence day traffic accidents claim 144 lives, drowning 80 more; 1941 datal, 628.

24- Fry observation plane crash near V., in shoro, Tenn., kills Mai, Gen. Frank Mahin, 34, commanding officer of 33rd division, Camp Forrest, Tenn., and two army fliers. August

14-Army plane crashes into Berkshire Hills near Pittsfield, Mass., killing 17 of 20 in crew. Nine more die in army bomber crash near Hastings, Mich. September 244—Twenty dead as two Washington-bound B. & O. passenger trains smash, involving freight train on ad-joining track, near Dickerson, Md.

October

 1—U. S. army transport plane crashes in interior of Puerto Rico with 22 deaths.
 4—American plane carrying 37 passen-4—American plane carrying 37 passengers crashes near Botwood. Newfoundland, killing II, injuring eight.
23—American Airline plane collides with army bomber near Palm Springs. Calli, 12 die. Bembergielt charace by army with menslauehter.
28—Sixteen are killed, more than score injured when Defroit bus jammed with school children and war-workers struck by speeding passenger train.

November

29—Five hundred die when Boston, Mass., night club burns. Fire start-ed when bus boy strikes match to replace ceiling electric bulb removed by prankster.

December 13—Fire takes 110 lives in St. Johns, Newfoundland, dance hall. Many service men present.
17—Eight soldiers lose lives when army bomber crashes, explodes at Blythe, Calif., air base.

January

4—Dean of American stage, Otis Skinner, 63.
9—Judge Joseph Franklin Rutherford, 72, founder and head of Jehovah's Witness since 1919.

February

8—Composer of song, "Back Home in Indiana," James F. Hanley, 49.

12—Famous Midwestern artist, Grant Wood, on eve of 50th birthday.

17—Frank Lucius Packard, 65, author of "Jimmie Dale" stories.

23—Double stiglide: Stories world famous Austrian-born author, and wife, Elizabeth, 30, of poison. Petropolis, Brazil.

March

16-Francis Irence Du Pont, 63, research chemist on smokeless powder

15—Hugh S. Johnson, 59, NRA adminis-tra or during 1933-34. 17—Dr. Altred Hertz, 69, conductor of San Francisco symphony orchestra from 1915-1929.

May

9—Graham McNamee, 53, NBC's famous sports and commercial announcer, 10—Member of the classic Dutch stage comedy twosome, Joseph M. ("Joe") Weber, 74.

Weber, 74.

26—Dr. John R. Brinkley, 56, widely known "goat gland" specialist.

29—Radio, stage and screen star, John Blythe Barrymore, 69. Greatest performances in role of Hamlet from 22 to 29.

June 8—Brian Belt, 52, head of Associated Press Washington bureau for three

years. 22—Actress Anne Sutherland, 75. July 20 Moses L. Annenberg, 64, publisher of Philadephia Inquirer and former holder of monopoly in race horse in-formation field.

25—George John Murdock, 84, inventor of World War I self-sealing gas tank.

August 4-Veteran screen director, James Cruze, 48, famous for hits such as "The Covered Wagon," "Old Iron-sides." Real name was James Cruze Bosen. 20-Alice Duer Miller, 68, author of "The White Cliffs."

September 1—Baron Alphonse de Rothschild, 64, at Bar Harbor, Maine. 16—"Father of blind flying," Col. Wil-liam C. Ocker, 66, U.S.A. Inventor and aviator. 22—August Luer, 86, banker, meat pack-er, kidnaped in 1933 for \$100,000 ransom.

October

11—Wilbur Glenn Voliva, 72, overseer of the religious sect known as the Chris-tian Catholic Apostolic Church of Zion since 1997. 20—May Robson, 78, American stage and screen actress, Beverly Hills. Dr. Frederick A. Stock, 69, director of Chicago Symphony orchestra since 1905.

November

9—Edna May Oliver, 58, stage and screen character comedienne in Hollywood.
11—William Morgan ("Billy") DeBeck, 52, cartonist, creator of Barney Google, Spark Plug, Snuffy Smith.
29—W. 8, Farlsh. 61, president of Standard Oli Company (N. J.)

December 1—Brenda Lane, 32, former actress, New York. 7—Orland S. Loomis, governor-elect of Wisconsin.

Wisconsin.

8-Albert Kahn, architect and engineer, in Detroit. in Detreit.

16—Walter Patton Murphy, 69. Chicago philanthropist, donor of Northwestern university Technological Institute. Released by Western Newspaper Union.





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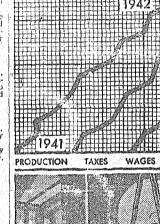
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The year drew to a close with these important events: December 14-Nazis retreat from strong-

hold at El Agheila in Libya. 15-U. S. troops capture Buna in-New Guinea. 16—Adm. Jean Darlan, high commissioner of French Africa

toin Allied naval units. 17-Leon Henderson, director of the Office of Price Administration, announces his resignation because of "a recurrent physical difficulty."

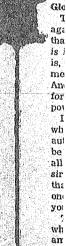
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Lesson for January 3

THE GLORY OF THE SON OF GOD

LESSON TEXT—John 1:1-14.
GOLDEN TEXT—And the Word was made flesh, and dwell among us (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father), full of grace and truth. John 1:14.

A New Year! It brings a thrill to our hearts, for even in this year of our Lord 1943 we may look forward with expectancy to God's blessing upon us and be hopeful that better things are ahead. Yet we do so with a sense of sadness as we alize that our world is so far God, and with a deep feeling sponsibility for our life and tesony in the coming months.

here could be no better way to in any year—and certainly not is year—than by the study of od's Word. This should be done in the home and in the church, but may we suggest that this is an especially good time to enter into the **Ellowship** of your local Sunday school.

Were we to select a Scripture portion with which to start the year we could not find a finer one than the Gospel according to John

The purpose of the Gospel is stated in 20:31 as being "that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through His name. This first lesson of the series reveals the glory of Christ,

I. In the Beginning—the Living Word (vv. 1-3).

God reveals Himself to man. As the word is the express image of the thought, so in an infinitely greater sense Christ, the Living Word, is the express image of God (see Heb.,

"was" (v. 1); and He not only "was chicken for this luncheon. with God," but He Himself "was plete and final revelation of God as and gift exchange. both Creator and Redeemer, was the infinite and eternal God. He came to bring to man the reassuring message of God's redceming

The profound depth of these verses is beyond the deepest thinker, but their glorious message of understanding of the youngest child. We may receive truth which we cannot fully understand and be blessed

II. In the World—the True Light (vv. 4-11).

He is both the life and the light of men. In fact, His life was the light that shined (yes, and still shines) in the darkness of this world, revealing God's love.

people received Him not.

And it is so today. Nations reprofessed Christians, all bespeak the ston was with us also. fact that the shining of the "true not been permitted to penetrate very far into this dark world.

However, it has reached, by God's grace, into the hearts of believers, nd there it has brought forth glori-

III. In the Believer-Power and Glory (vv. 12-14).

Those who receive Christ are born again. It is not a matter of "blood," that is, of family or heredity. Nor is it "by the will of the flesh," that is, by natural instinct or development of an inherent divine spark. And it is not by "the will of man," for it does not come by human will

It is "of God," a divine rebirth which gives power in the life, and authority to declare one's self to be the child of God (v. 12). This is all so clear and so altogether desirable for both time and eternity that one wonders why all do not at once turn to Christ as Saviour, Have

The believer also sees in the Word which "was made flesh and dwelt among us," the glory of "the only begotten of the Father." All that such an expression means we shall not know until we reach eternity. but that does not prevent the believer from beholding, by the eye of faith, his glorious Saviour, the One who is "full of grace and truth."

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John, the "man sent from God" (v. 6), was a witness to the Light to the intent that men "might believe." We, too, are to be witnesses, and that includes every one of us who knows Jesus Christ as Redeemer and Lord.

If we will all thus fulfill the responsibility and privilege which is ours, we may see in 1943 a real fevival of spiritual life and power. No need is greater than that, and we could render God and our fellow men no greater service. This New Year's Sunday is the right time to make a start. Shall we do it?

The Home Grant

By Mrs. Julia Kiene Westinghouse Home Economist

More About Lunch Boxes

IS the lunch box routine getting

meat grinder handy for chopping meats and vegetables for

sandwich fillings. And after wash-Mrs. Kiene ing the grinder and wing nut, she always puts them right back in place so they're ready for work at a second's notice.

Another "quickie"—buy a set of small "salts and peppers" for each lunch box and keep them teamed up. Before starting to pack a lunch, take the butter out of the refrig-

equipment such as wax paper, "hot drink" cups, jelly glasses with tight-fitting lids for stewed fruits and amount of the children or menfelk to tuck it between the slices of bread just before they eat,

Tomato Soup

\*Ground Ham Sandwich
Sweet Pickle
Bour Gream Spice Cake - Orange
Milk - Coffee

\*Ground Ham Sandwich Recipe
1/2 cup vinegar 1/2 cup light brown
1 tenspoon prepared mustard 1 cgg ,well
1/2 teuspoon salt beaten
1/4 nound ground, cooled spised ham waspoon sait beaten 1/2 pound ground, cooked, spiced ham

Church Notices

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. of Coleman, P. Richardson, Supt. Communion and preaching

service 11 A. M. Ernest H. Wylie, Pastor.

1st Baptist W. M. S. Activities December

cting Royal Service program. is on the sick list. Monday 14, 2:30 p.m. at Annex the monthly Bible Study. Monday 21, at 1 p.m. a cov-

At 2:30 p.m. there was a short

The Annex was decorated with town.

Yuletide decorations and a lighted Christmas tree in center of spent Xmas in Lampasas. room. Prtsent for the party: Mmes.

Hosch, Roscoe Hosch, Bartlett, home with them. Watkins Dennis Kelley Seth redemption is simple enough for the Hill, John Pearce, McCreary Douglass, Turner, and Lee Hun-

Rockwood News

(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

a visit with my sons who are stworld ald not receive the ationed at Moore Field. To those light. His own world knew Him not who have never been there it Estes Xmas (v. 10). How tragic! Yet even deep would be a veritible paradise. The er is the hurt of verse 11—His own Hibiscus are in full bloom now. and I think I never saw anything fuse His light upon world problems more lovely than the double poiand try to fight them out. Class nsettia. Some of the Citrus or hatred; capital against labor; the chards have been gathered but "have" against the "have not"; yes, there is a lot of it on the trees even the bitter fightings between yet. My daughter Janace of Hou-

we had fresh vegetables from light which lighteth every man" has the garden and fresh strawberries.

Mr. Joe M. Box and family of San Angelo are visiting relatives day night. here this week.

Mrs. Jack Rutherford and fam-Joe Box. She returned home with and Ola Roberts. them for a visit.

Mrs. Victor Payne and daughter of Lubbock are visiting her end with relatives here. parents Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mc-

Sgt. Donald Williams of Victoria is at home on furlough with his parents Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams.

Misses Claudia Wise, Fannie Mae Rutherford, and Janie Stafford of Ft. Worth, spent the holi-

day here with friends and relat-

Mrs. W. D. Rhem is slowly improving. Sgts. Pete Coopes and Furness

of Foster Field were here for a short visit Xmas Day. Ardis Caldwell and Cleta Smith have returned to Austin to school

Mr. and Mrs Roy Smith of Savanna Oklahoma are here for an extended visit with relatives: Mr. and Mrs Geo. Steward are rejoicing over a baby son, born Dec 23rd.

Marcos are visiting relatives here during the holldays.

Misses Mary Tom and Margaret Bryan of San Morcos are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bryan.

Dried prunes, apricots, figs, dates and raisins make excellent Is the lunch box routine getting you down? Well, it can be helped—with these "quickies" that come from long experience.

One mother I know sets aside a certain section of the cupboard for lunch pair tuce into sandwiches because it

Combine all ingredients except ham, and cook, stirring constantly, until boiling. Boil 5 minutes. Cool, then add ham and mix well. Spread between buttered slices of enriched white or whole wheat bread. erator and let it soften so it will NEXT WEEK: Importance of a Good Breakfast.

R. L. Steward Sunday afternoon.

Mr. ant Mrs. Claud Box and home of Mr and Mrs Paul Riddle

ren of San Angelo are visiting here.

Kay are holiday visitors.

Annex an interesting and instru-Brusenhan. Her little son Punky | The wedding marches were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gregory who also rendered Ah: Sweet of Salt Lake City Utah are spend- Mystery of Life.

The Recreation Club had a ories. most enjoyable meeting Wednes- The bride wore a powder blue Bradford Dec. 20. at Brown wood. Eurris of Santa Anna, Miss Ola daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. God." He, the Living Word, the com- program followed by a contest day night. They sang Christmas suit of white blouse and Navy

Mrs. Bosticks sister Mrs Bob The bride received her educat-

dolf Field Texas is visiting his education in the University of Forget me necessary of blue

I have just returned home from and Mrs. B. B. Fowler.

Miss Lois Moore of Santa Anna

man visited her

and Mrs. J. H. Moore.

Watts Creek

Doris Jane Henderson

Miss Net Hogler and Mrs. H. A. Hogler entertained the Junior and Senior Sunday School Class with a Christmas party Wednes-

Visitors in the Fred Brusenhan home during the holidays were ly of San Angelo is a visitor here Mr. and Mrs. Bud Griffin and Clyde and Arthur Box and children of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. families of San Angelo spent Jack Brusenhan and daughter Xmas Day with their mother Mrs of Santa Anna, John Brusenhan

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell of Flomont spent the week-

Oran Henderson left for his home in Alva, Okla. Saturday after visiting with friends and relatives in this community Mr. and Mrs. Loren Seals vis-

ted Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Seals of Coleman during the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCreary and Mr. and Mrs. Roy West were dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Joe

Floores in Santa Anna Sunday. Dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Payne Henderson and family Sun day were Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brook and son, Mr. and Mrs. Burin Elkins and children. Mrs Lois Henderson and Bob. Odelle Lee, June Millender and Bill McCreary.

Visiting their mother, Mrs G. F. Barlett during the holidays were Mrs. R. B. Pringle and children of Galveston, and Mrs. Martin L. Lehnis of Sta-Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Wise of San mford. The visiting ladies were known here as the Misses Lena Jane and Georgie Frances Barlett.

Mrs. E. D. McDonald and son Dayton returned from

# Whon News

Tommy Sue Holmes

The weather is really changing quickly, cold awhile, and then turns off pretty, but we all hope turns off pretty, but we all hope we will have a pleasant Christmas, if the weather is bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Roweltte. Miss Alpha Mae Johnson, and Mrs. Ida Herring, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Roweltte returned to San Antonio, Tuesday morn-

Mrs. Kate Holmes, and daughter, Tommy, spent the weekend in Santa Anna.

A Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Smith did
nere 'Christmas shopping in there Christmas shopping in Coleman, Saturday. Miss Mary Frances Herring of McMurry College, at Abilene is spending her Christmas vacation, with her mother, Mrs. Ida

tion, with her mother, Mrs. Ida Herring Mrs. R. L. Fiveash and children are spending the Christmas holidays at Whon.

OAKES-KONZE

Miss Louise Oakes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes Sr, became the bride of Ensign Charlie |Sue McCreary visited with Mrs. | Konze U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Konze, Sinton, 10 o'clock Christmas day in the Presbyteri-Mavice spent Xmas Day in the home of Mr and Mrs Paul Riddle Ceremony was read on the fourteenth wedding anniversary of Mrs. T. J. McCaughan for whom

Mrs. T. J. McCaughan for whom the bride was named.
The impressive ring ceremony was read by Dr. J. Ludwell Davis in the presence of relatives and close friends. The altar wasban-Mrs. Freddie Underwood of ked with ferns and white flowers Mrs. Freddie Underwood of ked with ferns and white flowers Brady spent Sunday here with with candles making a beautiful her parents. Mr and Mrs. L. A. setting for the coremony. Monday Dec. 7, 2:30 p.m. at her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. A. setting for the ceremony.

played by Mrs. Ludwell Davis

ing the holidays in the home of The Matron of honor, Mrs. W In "the beginning," spoken of in ered dish luncheon, Mrs. John her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dave D. Stroud of Alice, wore a frock Genesis 1:1, Jesus Christ already Pearce furnished Barbequed Arnold.

Carols at all the homes here in accessories and a corsage of pink rose buds. Cpl. Jack Bostick and family i The groom was attended by

Kenneth Wingfield as best man. Smith of San Saba returned ion in the local schools and was an honor graduate of the 1938 Cpl. Joe Will Fowler of Ran- class, She received her higher parents Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Fow- Texas, and it was while the bride essories, and groom were both students in For so S/Sgt. Cap Johnson and wife the University, that their romof Kansas City Mo. have been vis ance began. Mrs. Konze taught

The groom. E. L. Hill of

has been visiting her parents Mr Mr. Konze a 1941 graduate of and Mrs. B. B. Fowler.

Mr. Ronze a 1941 graduate of the University is now a student wedding the University is now a student with the University with the University is now a student with the University with the University is now a student with the University with Mrs Bruce Snodgrass of Cole- in Texas Dental School, Houst- trip and will be at home in Colsister Mrs. Sam on also is employed with Railway

Express Co. This couple have many friends spent Xmas with her parents Mr. that wish for them happiness They will be at home at 1512 Rosewood, Houston, Texas

KING-HILL

Rockwood announce the marr- Mrs. Albert Griffin and children lage of their daughter. Georgie Patricia Ann and Eugene of Kil-

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Mr. and Mrs. Nye Reid and

King to Mr. E. L. Hill of College leen, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brusen- Guest in the Don Ewing home Station, at the home of Dr. J. M. han and Frances and Mother Xmas were their son-in-law and

The attendents were the brides Roberts and Mr J. H. Brusenhan Moore of Henderson Texas. nicces and nephews, Cpl, and Mrs. and Mrs. W. B. Lunsford Virgil Lancaster, Colo. Springs Colo. Lucille Lancaster and Rob-

ert E. Lançaster of Santa Anna Don Ewing home Xmas. The bride, formerly of Rockwood and now a teacher in the Cleveland school, wore a soldier For-get-me-nots and brown acc

For something old she were her

iting his parents Mr. and Mrs. school in Coke county for two Phe groom. E. L. IIII a merbol polymer but the past six months in w of College Station.

Mrs. Sam Cobb of Ft. Worth has been employed in Ft. Worth Ar and Mrs. E. L. Hill are in The groom, E. L. Hill a mer

> For traveling the bride wor a brown two-piece suit with bro-

wn and gold accessories. Those visiting in the F. P. Brusenhan home during the

Holidays were; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Livingston and Mr. and Mrs. J.H Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King of Livingston of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs T. H. Moore visited in the baby Maurine of Austin were holiday visitors here las**t** week

ends, here's wishing?

What will happen during 1943 not even those with the most proph. He vision can say, But, if left

to us, some unexpected good things are coming your way, and in good measure. And so, good fra-

New Year's Cheer

J. G. WILLIAMSON SHOE HOSPITAL

And I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year: Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown!

And he replied: Go out into the darkness and put thine hand into the hand of GOD. That shall be to thee better than light and safer than a known way"

(—from a Speech by King George VI)

Greetings and best wishes for Health, Happiness and Prosperity throughout the New Year

Grammers

-Courtesy Washington, D. C., Post.

Santa Anna National Bank Member Federal Reserve System and Fed. Dep. Ins. Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Steward of Dallas Sunday, where they Eldorado were holiday visitors. Mrs Victor Payne and Auntie W. McDonald.

# "Is Any Shame More Shameful Than Being Trivial In Times Calling For Amplitude, Nobility, Sacrifices?"

. In The San Antonio Light

It needs to be said many times ing training his civilian ind the right of these days. Nevertheless, is full of proofs of this axiom, No instance is more striking than instance is more striking than he retreated the settlers, women tricable bound up with all remthe battles in the war fought by children, old men, many potent embrances of the Alamo and of Texans for their homes and their

Harg activities of a building-up ourge. They fled in wagons, carts had surrendered under a written or preliminary nature. Texas on carriages, on horseback, afoot. | quarantee "to be treated accord-March 2, 1836, formally declared its independence of Mexico Be-scarce; many families did not ions" were marched out in three fore this Declaration of Independence was signed, Sunta Anna's, powerful army had reached San Antonio and beseiged Lie Alamo. Here on March 6 one mat of the three Texas, armies was herer been adequately told. The aim and a few of the prisoners annihilated by forces outnumbering a perhaps 20 to 1.

ermy down the San Antonio leged the army. An enormous hazard There was but one way river at Goliad, Two, weeks later advantage their by MacArthur for them to fice custward. Afoot r was sperendered to a second an the Bataun peninsula has skilling to avoid recepture. Mexican army, and on Palm Sun- neen his freedom from civilian for "33, without knife or gun, day, following March 27, the distacependents, in contrast to the (do., in an immense solitude, out and shot down.

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The Home Grant

By Mrs. Julia Kiene Westinghouse Home Economist

Milk Is A "Must"

MILK has earned the reputation of being the "most nearly perfect food." Which explains why rates in the government yardstick of good nutrition as one of

diet. Every adult requires at least one pint a day, child every make children drink their daily quota of milk. So why not conceal it in foods, such

as meat loaf, scalloped pota-

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best introduction to it will be a

at length aroused by a rattling among the sticks and leaves above me, and looking up, I discovered a wild sow with her

litter of small pigs coming down the almost perpendicular bank

of the sink. I silently grasped a billet of wood lying near me and

awaited her approach. The old

sow came on, totally unconscious

of the fact that three ravenous

"When she and her pigs were within striking distance, I sud-

denly sprang up and began a vig-

orous assault on the pigs. The

noise aroused Brown and Holli-

day, and before the sow and her litter could escape up the steep

bank we had five pigs. We made

herself but were too week to

"Immeditaly we rekindled our

fire, which had gone out, and

after the pigs had been roasted just about long enough to have their hair singed off, we disposed

chaps were occuping her bed.

Five Pigs Killed And

Eaten Almost Raw

capture her.

few quoted passages:

the custard and when it comes out clean, the custard is done.

Skim milk, buttermilk, evaporated and condensed milk, dried milk or cheese can be substituted for whole milk. And it's a wise woman who uses sour milk in muffins, waffles, griddle cakes or bis-cuits. It's just as nutritious as sweet milk

Don't add soda to milk-sift it In winter, I know it's especially hard to make children t

Beef Stew with Carrots and Onions
Mashed Potatoes
Head Lettuce with French Dressing
Hot Biscuits - Butter
\*Baked Custard
Milk - Coffee

scalloped potaMrs. Kiene toes, creamed soups and custards? It won't curdle if handled properly in combination with other foods.

Take custard for example. Preheat the oven to 325°, pour hot water around the cups almost to the top, use a low temperature and don't bake too long. How long? That depends on what your custard cups are made of. But one test is NEXT WEEK: More About Lanch

of all five. Greately refreshed mer and was therefore worthless had been defeated a short time by ear supper, we lay down again One of the luxuries this bount- before in the battle of San Jacapon fact. leaves and slept until iful home provided was eggs. Not into and how already Texas famthe san was about an hour high, one had been touched by the illes were returning to their Not only after this the three dogs. I believe-proof of their homes. He took me to his camp

 $\ell_{\text{scapees}}$  ran into Mexicans. They, breeding and training. aplured Brown, Holliday got Dogs Decided To away in one direction and even- Follow Friend inuz his narrative:

rang, I approached a hause out enough bacon to last the dogs from which a half dozon dogs a month and told them goodby.

It is a short book Perhaps the Good Beds Found

Upon entering the home, I and devise some means of slipp-For two days now we had cat- knew at once that no marauders ing off. en nothing. Deer, turkeys and had found this place. Everything That night I noticed particid of life. It was a time of corn, Ismata house containing year also when there were no at least a .... usand pounds of berries or wild fruits of any kind bucon, and a shed room bountito be found. The pecans, which fully stocked with a barrel of abound in that region, had all brown sugar, a half sack of coffallen and either rotted or been lee, and a vast quantity of pot-

en wild onions devided among the dogs. Holliday, Brown and myself ser- The first thing I did was to ved to aggravate the panys of feed the dogs a side of bacon; hunger. On the fourth day we then I cooked myself a square entered a high rolling prairie on meal, including coffee—the first which no water could be found, I had tasted since leaving Goand now thirst was added to bu-liad. When, with book in hand, nger. However, we found some I lay down in one of the comfor-Turk's heads, a species of cactus able clean beds for a nap, I knew about the size of a turnip, and that I had attained the height of the juice of these relieved us. Juxury and plenty,

The evening of the fifth day | "Mexicans might arrive at any brought us to the Guadalupe riv- moment, but, even at the risk of er. We settled for the night in a being captured, I determined to sink 12 or 14 feet deep. Here we stay here and recuperate my were well protected from the cold strength. I exchanged my wornwind, and thick accumulation of out and dirty-clothes for good, leaves in the bottom of the sink clean ones. And then I found gave us a snug bed. How long what I wanted above all else-I slept I do not know, but I was a gun. But it was without a ham-

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a desperate attack on the old sow Santa Anna H. School Campus For Information

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cups are made of. But one test is NEXT WEEK: More About Lunch

while more volunters left if to state more shameful than that who had come with his brother Diver escaped in another directprotect their families. For bear, trivial on occurious calltron Kentucky to fight with the son and during the remainder slept enough in a civilized bed, and otherwise recuperated sufthe abundoned house on Camey liciently to warrant my traveling depend of what they could thus, affective and only strategically as Ranger, and going through creek he had a tussel with a wild on. Preparatory to leaving I pakeat lat was after a hen. To con-cd up as much sugar, coffee and bacon as I could carry, together "I was now in a section of cou- with five or six pounds of meal ntry where numerous settlers which I had ground in a steel built their homes, and a mill. I also took a tin cup and hort time after setting out next two butcher knives. Then I threw

> chool girls of Texas would regardshed out to meet me. I picked "Imagine my chagrin when, a ognize his book as "their own up a stick to defend myself, but few hundred yards from the Robinson Crusoe." I myself be as soon as they came near enouhere that day may yet come gh to ascertain that I was an my heels. No doubt they had dewhen the educators who pick American, they began to leap and tected my preparations to leave books for school children become jump around me as dogs do when for good and had decided to stay sufficiently informed and cease they see their masters after a with me. All attemps to drive to be ignorant of our own cultationg absence. I was as tanned as them back proved futile. Yet ural inheritance. The readability any Mexican or Indian, but the their presence would make safe of the narrative warrants the dogs understood the difference, travel through the country, where I must keep silent and hidden impossible. There was nothing to do but return to the house

other game we had seen every- was untouched-furniture, cases there, but without guns we mi- of books, shelves of bed clothes about midnight I quietly left so ght as well have been on a desert and wearing apparel, cribs of as to not to disturb them. I had the edge of the cane break when Wells or Lovel Richardson 19 I heard the pattering of feet behind me and turned to find one WANTED - Hogs. of the dogs following. I beat him severely with a stick, but he only City National burial insurance caten by wild hogs, deer and oth- acces and pumpkins. In the yard whined and crouched at my feet, paid in cash any where. Family er animals. We were as hungry were a great many chickens and Finally I determined to cut his group. Doubles for accidental as any wolf that serenaded us, stucks that evidently had been throat with one of the butcher death. On the third day about a doz | well protected from varments by knives, but as I grasped him and pulled the knife, he looked up

piteously and trembled so gently that I abandoned my murderous intention. Perhaps, after all, I thought, I can manage just one dog. I thought too, of how much company he would be.

"Having made the decision to keep him, I turned him loose and he showed great joy. He was a cross, I judged, between an English bull and a New foundland With in a few days I had him trained to lie down at my command and to remain at camp and keep guard while I went off foraging or reconnoitering. I named him Scout.

Hears Of Victory At San Jacinto

"Now followed days of walking not always in a straight line. I was led astray by a mirage. I was turned by a prarie fire. I watched mounted Mexicans traveling west in a great hurry and in loose formation. My supply of food was exhausted and I was wishing desperately that I might run into another abandoned plantation when one day, while I was drying my clothes at a fire, I heard Scout growl and then I heard a strong, rough voice saying in English, "Call your dog

"The man was one of the spies atttached to Sam Houston's army He told me how the Mexicans and soon had some fresh biscuits cooking. I was back in civilization once more.'

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Standly returned from Fort Worth Tuesday where they visited their daughter Mrs. Boyd Rainbolt and family,

Mr. and Mrs. Audas Smith and

little son of Overton, Texas, are here for the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins.

her home at Hearne, Texas Saturday, after a holiday visit in the J. E. Watkins home.

Sgt. and Mrs. Claud Reid of Dallas, visited in the home of the lady's mother, Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick Christmas Day.

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Strayed from my place one red necked white faced cow Branded V on side, bobbed tail. Albert Dodgin

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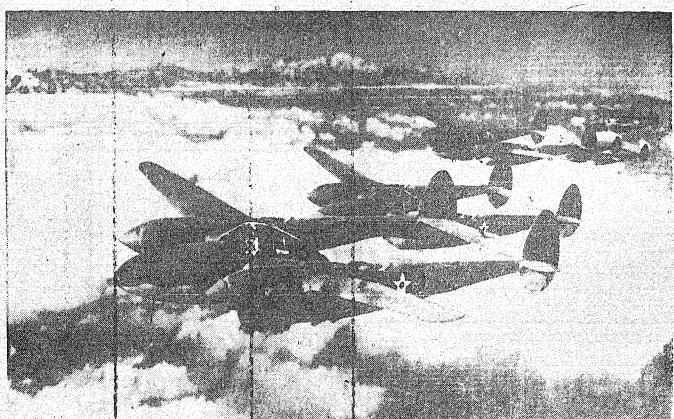
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# NOTABLE NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES



AVENGES KILLING BY TIGER—This ponderous Russian bear gave swift retribution to a 500-pound Bengal tiger which had killed its keeper at Clyde Beatty's "jungle" in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Tiger suddenly went berserk as keeper brought the day's food. Bear killed the tiger.



OFF TO THE WARS—Flashes of "lightning" streak through the skies of California as flight of fleet P-38 fighters swings from Lockheed plant to Army interceptor field. They and hundreds like them pouring from assembly lines spell woe for Hitler:



COMMUTER—A biege and blue herringbone three-piecer is equally at home in town or country. Elizabeth Reller wears the matching jacket with knitted back and sleeves for the time when winter winds demand dded warmth.



"IN THE FUEHRER'S FACE"—Residents of Port Washington, L. I., give their own version of "heil" for Hitler modeled in snow as season's blanket of white covered New York and vicinity. After above scene, they went to work on "Hitler" with snowballs.



A MISSILE THAT MISSED—This Japanese torpedo, launched at American ship during battle off Solomon Islands, wound up high and dry on beach at Guadaleanal after missing its mark. It's pictured where it came to rest, before a "suicide" U. S. marine unit took it in charge, for disposal.



WHAT IS IT?—If you can't just make out this gunner and his weapon camouflaged in branches at Camp Callan, Calif., that's fine, because he's in process of camouflage training and learning fast.



A HELPING HAND—Chinese children put coins earned by collecting scrap into a bamboo tube in Chinese city. as their contribution toward support of Chinese orphans of war. Funds will go to orphanages organized by Mms. Chiang Kai Shek.



GRECIAN LINES — Tailored simplicity with a touch of glitter is the keynote of this dinner gown modeled along Grecian lines. Crepe acket may be replaced with metallic bodice or decorative evening sweater.



PARDONABLE—Most women fear "bags under the eyes," but the Sphinx of Egypt today has bags under her chin. They're sandbags, for protection from enemy bomb fragments.

# DOCTORS of Horse and Buggy Days

BY THINK PHILIPS Big Spring, Texas.

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for him and that was neighty fortunate because his chances for getting rich in the flectoring business were as slim as a merginite apling.

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- About it e best has could do was supnort a sandy and a couple of horses to carry term on this rounds and eke out enagh sets new frock coat once in awhile That frock coat was the inly the of the doctor's profession—just a part of his make-up. In the various ockes of this cout he carried an assort-60 to 60 pills tablets and thermometers. eough drops and some horehound candy to give youngsters after

a stat dose of predicine His saddlebay had every thing in them which was their known to medicine. They smelled like a comidealion (e.g., a adoctida and poleciet, and when me threv them down on . the sove to desthey friektis like a vet dog

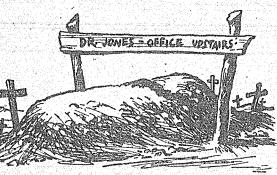
When an body was maken bag. The doctor always unuaged to get There was matter if it was thirty iniles away

with a bimoust snowsterm in progress. The violate straip has saddlebags on, get

out where the sick child of a squatter lay. A squatter was a man who was taking up land just by settling on it, and on this account his reputation for paying bills was not always the best in town, but that never made any difference to a doctor.

Lived in Dugouts

Mostly these squatters lived in dugouts—a room dug in the earth on the side of a hill with some sheet iron or timbers over the top and dirt on top of that. These dugouts were nothing more than holes in the ground like animals make for themselves, with dirt walls, ceilings, and floors. In these hovels, which were occupied generally by a man and his wife and several children, the doctor would sometimes pass an anxious night. Most of our doctors were well educated, cultured gentlemen who had come out from the East, and what they thought of these primitive dwellings might have made interesting reading, but they never talked of them. They were just interested in alleviating the pain and suffering of human beings.



They buried doe on a hill."

whether they were in dugouts or the biggest house in town.

If the illuess was serious or desperate, the doctor stuck by the family and would stay for several days, without any means of communication with his own family. He slayed as long as they needed him, lived on frijoles, sowbelly, and black coffee and his presence generally kept the family going and braced them against whatever blow befell. Everybody just felt better when the doc was there, working with the patient.

Thawed Out at the Stove

When he left home he never knew when he would get back, if ever Sometimes after he had been gone two or three days his wife would send a note down to the drug store to ask if we had heard anything from doc. Sometimes a rider would have brought in an order for medicine or news of the sick folks and, sometimes not. If we had one of the blizzards that has made history in this part of the country, doc would be snowbound, and oftentimes when he did get in, he would be so frozen we would have to help him down off his worn-out horse. and thew him out at the stove before

Whenever Libink of one of the heroes of medicine I think of Dr. McIntyre, a man the newspapers and history books never heard of. He was a gentlemanof the old school, born in Glenary, Canada, and educated in New York City To enime to this country and settled in Big Spring in 1883 and spent the rest of his life doing good and trying to keep anybody from knowing it. Nobody knows why he came out here to this Godforsaken spot (in those days) when he could have pacticed in New York or anywhere else he had a mind to. I asked his daughter once why in tarnation doc picked on Big Spring and she said she didn't know-thought he had just heard Horace Greeley's admonition, "Go West, young man," and never could get it out of his system. After he got out here, he sure enough couldn't get it out of his system and stayed here until he

Dr. McIntyre was a sawed-off, wiry little character, short in stature, long on keeping his mouth shut. He tended to his own business and forced everybody else to leave his business alone. He had side-whiskers and the inevitable frock-fail coat and a heart as big as a wagon wheel-too big for his small body—but he tried to conceal the fact. He was very dignified and hard to approach and was very positive in his nature. The records of his charity are unwritten but they bulk large beside his name, wherever he is now.

A Fine Education

Dr. McIntyre had a fine education. He used to be able to pronounce all the Latin names on the blue glass bottles in the drug store and he knew what they were all for. In fact, there wasn't much about medicine he didn't know and he had that sure instinct for it which made him a valuable doctor. He helped the living with his practice of medicine, never got any publicity for this charitable deeds and he never wanted any. It would have embarrassed him greatly to have his good works recognized. Like all pioneers, he fought something or somebody every minute he was awake. In his case it was mostly disease and ignorance he fought. He conquered a lot of it.

About the most colorful doctor we ever had was old Doctor Jones. He arrived in Big Spring on the mail hack and whence he came, nobody knows. He was a tall fellow with a scissor-tail coat and long mustaches and an ingratiating

manner. He clambered off the hack and asked the whittling crew who were standing around watching the hack change horses to direct him to an eatinghouse.

Without Luggage

The boys took him to the nearest chili joint and Doc Jones never climbed back on the hack. He was without luggage and didn't have much to say on his past life. The idlers around the livery stable plied him with a few questions and discovered that he was a well-educated man and an M.D. That was as much of his history as they ever learn ed, because it wasn't polite out here to even go very far into a man's past. It soon became apparent that in addition to being without luggage he was also without means and succeeding days brought out the sad fact that he was

addicted to the morphine habit.

But he was a likable cuss and everybody right off got fond of him and wanted to help him start life anew. The boys rigged him up an office over the bunkhouse and got hold of a second-hand cartload of furniture for him. He never had a horse of his own—just used the livery stable horses to make his calls. day and night, year after year. Doc Jones was always able to answer a call and he was a smart doctor. He did everything he could to alleviate suffering and never asked anything in return. He was a blessing to that open range. He never did seem to need or care for money. Anyhow, he never had any. He never even had enough to buy a signto go on his office, so the boys got some sheep-marking paint and painted a sign for him on the hitching rack in front of the bunkhouse, It read; "DR, JONES —OFFICE UPSTAIRS." They did it for a joke at first, but after awhile, people got so they respected that sign.

Doc Jones Missing

One morning after he had been around Big Spring for several years, Doc Jones was missing. The boys climbed the stairs and found him very sick. They did what they could for him but in a few days he died. Cowpunchers

never had any spare cash, either, but they wanted to do the best they could for doc. News traveled fast and they rounded up a bunch of people doc had helped and gave him a decent funeral. They buried doc on a hill out there and as they didn't have enough money to buy a tombstone, they just dug up the old hitching rack and placed it over his grave, where it stands to this day and reads: "DR. JONES-OFFICE UP-STAIRS."

Big Spring doctors in those frontier times, believed in pills and they prescribed them. We made them up in the drug stores by hand, by forming a pill mass made of some sticky substance like a combination of gums and inert powder to give bulk. This mass held the drugs-often as many as ten to a pill—and we rolled the pills between of

Smelled to High Heaven

In fact, doctors believed in drugs of all kinds and were always handling them, and so pungent were some of the mixtures of asafoetida and iodoform that doctors and druggists smelled to high heaven and you could tell when one of them came into church without looking back. Asafoetida was used to keep away diseases and though I know the doctors didn't think much of it, they never kept mothers from tying it around their children's necks in little bags to scare off fever, diphtheria, mumps, or what have you. All the kids wore these sacks and when thirty or forty of them were gathered in one schoolroom on a warm day in winter the woman teacher was lucky, indeed, if she didn't faint.

Quinine was widely prescribed, and while we had few malarias or fevers in this high dry climate, it was believed to (Continued on Page 5, column 1)

ARMY'S Largest **Gunnery School** 

tough young Americans the best possi-each to accommodate a number of stuble ways to shoot Japs and Nazis and dents firing at once. Moving battle Italian aviators out of the

skies, says a correspondent of the Fort Worth Press. Three months ahead of schedule, the AAF's new flexible gunnery

opened near Laredo to meet the war's growing demand for aerial gunners. This Laredo project is the largest in area of any of the Air Force's gunnery schools, and contains the newest developments for teaching fliers the technique of wing-shooting.

In this school, the Army is putting into operation its new policy of giving flexible gunnery training as part of the course of instruction for aircraft armorers and aviation mechan-

ies and radiomen. The importance of accurate gun fire by crews of United States B-17 Flying Fortresses and Consolidated B-24's, as well as in medium bombers, is one of the

main lessons learned in the recent successful combat action of these planes in all theaters of operations, the War Department has announced.

Covers a Dozen Ranches

A dozen or so Texas ranches were taken over to form this Laredo school, and they provide an air range 63 miles long by 15 miles wide, and a ground range 11 miles long by five miles wide. The ground range area alone comprises five ranches and parts of others.

"Skeet and trapshooting are the student's introduction to the art of aerial gunnery," the War Department says. From the beginning he is coached in the all-important factors of 'lead' and range estimation."

A variety of devices has been developed to make the gunner proficient in his firing, including "skeet birds" flying out in all directions, and 50-foot towers which enable the students to practice firing at a moving target from both above and below. An accurate score is kept of every shot the student fires. Even when many fire at the same target this score is kept, for the tips of bullets are dipped in paints of different colors, and each bullet leaves an identifying mark on the target.

An innovation to be used by the AAF at the Laredo school is a trailer wherein the student fires machine guns from a turret under simulated battle conditions, shooting an electric beam at projections of attacking enemy planes amid mock bat-

VER an immense area of Texas, the sounds of roaring plane motors and down on the Rio Grande, at Lare-burst of fire and exploding shells. Sevdo, the Air Forces are teaching eral of these are under construction,

scenes are cast on a screen by a series of projectors and the student fires at images of enemy fighter planes simulating attacks on his The accuracy the student's marksmanship is scored automatically.

Also Course in Ground Firing

Before he gets into the air to fire at moving targets, the student at the Laredo gunnery school is given a stiff course in ground firing.

This includes: Estimating the range of targets; shooting skeet birds .

from a truck driven along a half-mile horseshoe track; shooting skeet birds with an automatic shot gun equipped with machine gun grip the birds flying away from, and ward, the student; familarizate with 30 caliber machine guns, firin over 200 and 500-yard ranges, and or the former at night with tracer bullets; firing at moving targets, carried jeeps and trailers, guided around the track by a steering mechanism; and learning how and why guns jam or otherwise get out of order and how to renair them.

The student is also given intensive a courses in the identification of airplanes, both enemy and friendly.

"Having mastered the various phases of ground firing from both the swivelmounted and turret-mounted guns," the War Department says, "the student gunner, in the last week of the course, advances to aerial firing from a plane. His target is a white cloth sleeve towed e by another plane. During this phase he fires both from a rear machine gun and turret guns. This latter is a new development at the Army Air Forces gunnery schools and is the final test of V his competence as an aerial gunner.

"Those who have successfully completed all stages of ground and air firing, still have another test to meet, a 🔊 written examination covering all phases o of the curriculum. Those who pass, receive their combat crew wings, and are ready to move on to an Operational Training Unit for final training as members of a combat team before going into action." This Laredo school is the fifth AAF flexible gunnery school of its kind

in the United States.

WHEN Will the War End?

By HAROLD CALLENDER

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poor more trangible achievements than existed a vein ago, even six months ago. programmable economic assets and proved military capacity, upon a new co-ordination of British and American industry. It is based also upon certain imponderables, such as the belief that Allied fighting power will not be weakened by any relaxation of effort or by the casy-going assumption, still visible in thoughest that the war can be won by the specialists while the game of politics

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emees at our command. There is a lowerer, thereby general



PURSUIT OF ROMMEL-British infantrymen race westward through smoke and dust of the Libyan desert, hot on the heels of fleeing Nazi General Rommel and his Afrika Korps, background is one of the many knocked-out German tanks that failed to stop Allied army.

that date they have been built to a point "where victory is possible."

# Sober Judgment

This was no prophecy, nor was it just a "shot in the dark." It was a sober estimate of possibilities by one who is intimately acquainted with the economic resources of Britain and America and their state of mobilization.

At about the same time authoritative American observers said privately that Italy might be out of the war by next summer; though nebody this writer has met expects such an early end to Germany, the military men being especially wary of optimism.

There is no disposition toward overconfidence, but rather warnings against it, in military circles here and in London. Mr. Lyttelton speaks only of what is now possible; and his chief, Prime

as yet equal to the task, but that since agreement in military, naval and political circles on these probabilities (which Mr. Lyttleton's statement supports):

# \* Major Offensive

(1) That the United Nations will be in a position to make a major offensive in Europe in 1943 and probably will do co. They already have the men, the weapons and the production for such a blow, and all that remains are its place and timing.

(2) A similar offensive in the Pacific will come, perhaps, a year later, and may develop more slowly because this Pacific offensive can attain its full force only when the European offensive has achieved a knockout that permits transference of naval and air power from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

This rough division of the war into two broad spheres and two stages in (Continued on Page 4, column 5)

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# CURRENT COMMENT

10 Rules for Gasoline Saving

Y careful driving and proper care of your car you can get as much as 150 miles for every 100 you have been getting in your present careless way, save your tires and prolong the useful life of your car.

This is what the men who design and build automobiles say in a report to the Office of Emergency Management, prepared by the war engineer board of the Society of Automotive Engineers, according to Science Service.

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And this is what they tell you you must do: Drive at moderate speeds; at 30 miles per

hour gasoline is saved, car and tires last longer; fuel consumption is 50 per cent lower than

Accelerate moderately; saves gasoline. Use brakes only when necessary; saves gasoline.

Avoid idling engine unnecessarily, "racing"

motor, "pumping" the accelerator, and excessive use of choke; saves considerable gaso-Use lightest lubricants recommended for engine, transmission, and defferentials; saves

gasoline by making vehicle easier-running.

Keep chasis and parts well lubricated; refriction, saves gasoline and wear Keep ignition system, spark plugs, carbure-

tor and air-cleanser clean and in good condition; prevents waste of fuel. Keep motor properly tuned, brakes in propadjustment, wheels properly aligned; ases greatest gasoline economy.

Seep cooling system thermostat at proper ing: gasoline economy reaches maximum en motor operates at highest recommended perature.

Keep tires correctly inflated; for maximum asoline mileage, inflate to five pounds above

Observe these ten easy rules and stop worrying about your gasoline ration. your tires and your car. You will be doing the best that can be done for all three, and no one can do more, the report declares.

Home Accidents Sabotage Man-Hours

Home accidents sabotage more manhours of American war workers than iniuries in the industrial plants. Miss Ethel M. Hendriksen, of the New York State Health Department, told the National Safety Conference recently.

year was sufficient to have built 2 750 bombers or 70 destroyers. Even an accident to another member of the family may upset a war worker, cause lost time. and lowered efficiency.

With home and farm accidents on the increase, a preventive campaign should be started, Miss Hendriksen urged Safety measures include increasing storage space to reduce the clutter under foot. Non-slip floor polishes should be used. Avoid metal edgings. Repair and add railings on stairs.

Especial attention should be given to plans for war and post-war housing, Miss Hendriksen recommends, to see that safety is not sacrificed to speed and cheapness. Driveways and entrances to homes should permit an unobstructed view. Outside steps and danger spots should be lighted. Pools and steep terraces should be eliminated.

Household furnishings, equipment and appliances must also be considered from the standpoint of safety.

#### Tunisa

Tunisa, which the Nazis have been fiercely defending against British and American attacks, is a land of contrasts. In the northern part of its 48,300 square miles (about as large as Louisiana) a weathered spur of the Atlas thrusts to the Mediterranean. Toward the east and south the mountains subside, merging first into a plateau, then into a low sandy desert separated from the sea by a fringe of palm. A good part of lower Tunisa, away from the coast, is desolate salt marsh and rippled dunes of the Sahara rolling endlessly to the horizon.

The 2.600,000 inhabitants of Tunisa cling to the towns along the coast, in the valleys and around the oases. Ninety per cent are Moslems of Arab and Berber stock, many living in tents and caves. There are 213,000 European. 108,000 of French, 94,000 of Italian blood. The land's livelihood is overwhelmingly agricultural. The watered regions produce wheat, barley and oats,

the burnoused tribesmen tend herds of every war since the conflict with Mexitant supply of minerals—phosphates for fertilizer, salt, niter, iron, zinc and mer-

Although Tunisa—once Carthage was a granary of the ancient world, it has not been a prize of empire down the centuries because of its relatively limited natural wealth. It has been coveted because of its strategic position along the Central Mediterranean, where it approaches as close as ninety miles to the Sicilian shore. The French took Tunisa in 1881 from the Italians.

## Militant Chaplains:

"Praise the Lord and pass the ammunition!" shouted a Pearl Harbor chaplain, that day in December a year ago, while he went to work on the Japanese sneak-raiders with a machine gun. Valorous men are the chaplains or they wouldn't be serving with the armed forces. Texas and Oklahoma troops remember Father Duffy of World War I. and there was Chaplain James Caldwell. of the American Revolution, who was in the thick of the New Jersey battle of Springfield. When the pariots ran out of paper wadding for their muzzleloaders he dashed into a country church near by and emerged with an armful of hymn books. "Now put Watts into 'em, boys!" he cried. The church still stands. So does the nation its hymnals helped to establish. Praise the Lord and pass the ammunition!

#### Scriptures Gaining in World Popularity

Although the American Bible Society distributed 8,096,977 volumes of Scriptures in 1941, the largest total of any year since 1931 and 35 per cent over 1940, the organization declared that distribution of Scriptures in 1942 undoubtedly would exceed last year according to a report by the Religious News Serv-

The society, which has supplied Scrip-

Women's old silk stockings have gone

to war. The Army wants them to

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Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, flyer

ace, who shot down 30 German planes

during World War I, had another mir-

aculous escape from death when res-

cued recently from Pacific waste waters

after floating 21 days with several com-

panions on a rubber life raft. Eddie,

just out of the hospital, tells his own

story. He says: "On the second day

after our big B-17 went down, we or-

ganized prayer meetings in the morn-

ing and the evening. Frankly and hum-

bly we prayed for our deliverance. An

hour after the prayer meeting one day.

when starvation was at hand and the

men had asked God for food, a sea gull

landed on my shoulder. You can

imagine my nervousness as I reached

around to get it. But I caught it and we

wrung its neck. We feathered it and

stripped its innards, which we used for

fish bait. With the entrails of the sea-

gull, we baited three small fishlines.

Cherry caught a mackerel and I hooked

a speckled sea bass. We divided them

equally and ate them raw. They were

Rickenbacker and his companions

were rescued by a Navy plane which had

been sent in search of them. His dra-

matic story emphasizes faith in prayer.

sheep, goats, camels and horses. The co, in 1846, has just placed its second sere mountains furnish a not unimpor- order for 2,000,000 New Testaments especially for soldiers, sailors and marines. The Gideons (Christian Commercial Men's Association) have purchased 4,000,000 Bibles for the sole use of the armed forces.

The American Bible Society's printers for the last five months have been turning out Scriptures at the rate of 10,000 or more a day.

#### War Manpower in 1943

The Manpower Commission estimated that 63,000,000 men and women of the United States would be fighting the war on battlefronts and in factories and farms of the home front a year hence. This would mean an increase of nearly 1,000,000 over those now so engaged.

This did not mean, officials said, that the manpower problem could be solved by finding an additional 4,000,000 men and women. Almost 8,000,000 must be placed in civilian jobs in the necessary reshuffling of manpower.

The total number in the armed forces. exclusive of officers, is expected to reach 9,700,000 by the end of 1943, an increase of nearly 4,000,000.

It was estimated that only about 70,-000 in the 18 and 19-year-old group would be drafted each month, beginning in January. This means a total of 840,000 a year, leaving more than threefourths of the needs of the armed forces to be filled by men 20 years of age and older.

The commission estimates that 20,-000,000 persons will be working in war industries by the end of 1943; 19,600. 000 in civilian industries; 7,900,000 in year-round farm work and 6,000,000 in other jobs.

#### Synthetic Tire Test

Butyl (synthetic) rubber tires in actual tests on New Jersey highways have shown a life of 20,000 miles if kept beow a speed of forty miles an hour, J. P. Haworth and F. P. Baldwin, of the Esso Laboratories reported before a meeting of the American Chemical Society in Buffalo, N. Y.

Some plants making this type of rubber are already in production. Others are under construction. By a year from now the total production of butyl rubber will reach an annual rate of 130, 000 tons, it is estimated. However, Mr. Jeffers insisted that the average motorist cannot look for any new tires until early in 1944.

If all goes well," he told a Senate committee recently, "we should be able to allocate important quantities of rubber for the manufacture of civilian tires in the early months of 1944. Thus, if there is no hitch in the program, we should be able in 1944 to replace in a large measure the automobile tires now in use on the 27,000,000 passenger cars and 5,000,000 trucks operating in the United States."

#### Secret of Cancer Cure on Eye of Discovery

Intense interest and much speculation were aroused in Britain and the United States by a remark without explanation Lord Horder, the famous English physician, in connection with the British Empire cancer campaign that We are now so close to the secret of cancer that we shall be able to hand the cure to our children."

A member of the campaign committee, asked for some details by London reporters, said:

"Lord Horder's hopes are based on the results up to date of ceaseless work by more than 100 scientists at our twenty research centers throughout the country."

# 4,000,000 Women in War Work

The Office of War Information stated that of about 15,000,000 wonith gainfully employed in the country 4,000,000 were in war jobs and predicted that "by December, 1943, we will have 18,000. 000 women, about 29 per cent of the female population, in paid employment. and 6,000,000 of them, or 30 per cent of our expected total war labor force of 20,000,000, in war industries.

"Employment of women in the United States has increased steadily since 1940. when the census revealed 11,100,000 employed women, of whom 1,400,000 were doing war work," the OWI said.

tion of the country's hundreds of millions of farm acres, supervising the processing of the vast output (worth about \$10,000,000,000 last year), supervising its distribution to 132,000,000 people at home and millions more abroad. It was a job ranking in importance with that of Donald M. Nelson over industry, with that of Paul V. McNutt over manpower. Wickard is a dirt farmer and New Dealer who came to Washington from a Hoosier cornfield nine years ago. He has valued the new job in these words: "Food can win the war and write the

By A STAFF EDITOR (Copyright, 1943, by the Southwest Maguzine Co. 9

Mobilizing Food

The nation doesn't need either." That

was Claude Raymond Wickard's com-

ment as the news reached him that he

had been appointed by President Roose-

velt to the post of National Food Ad-

ministrator. The executive order issued

in Washington gave the 49-year-old

Secretary of Agriculture "full responsi-

bility for and control over the nation's

That meant supervising the produc-

food program.

"I am not a food boss or a food czar.

#### Farm Accidents Growing

The swelling tide of farm accidents due to inexperienced men, women and children working to produce the food for freedom, calls for an augmented safety program, Kirk Fox, editor of Successful Farming, declared at a meeting of the National Safety Council in Chicago.

At present there are more accidental deaths on the farm than in any other industry. Some 4,500 farm people are killed annually. The number of serious injuries likewise runs extremely high. Mr. Fox pointed out.

Farm organizations and machinery manufacturers are doing much to reduce this toll. But from facts presented by Mr. Fox, it would seem that danger to inexperienced workers, especially those from the cities, could be greatly reduced in two ways. First, the worker must learn safety measures and a respect for the machinery he must handle. Second. a gradual physical toughening program would reduce injuries due to fatigue and strain to which the new farm worker is subjected long before the seasoned

#### OPA Says Coffee Supplies Were Ample If—

Supplies of coffee in retail stores were ample to insure the successful beginning of the coffee-rationing program provided housewives confined their first purchases to the amounts they actually needed, the Office of Price Administration stated.

Unnecessarily heavy buying at the eginning of coffee rationing will overtax the coffee-distribution system and disrupt the even flow of coffee from roaster to wholesaler to retailer. It is to the advantage of the shopper to buy coffee in the smallest amount needed and not to buy at all if she has any coffee on hand. Fresh coffee tastes better lasts longer." OPA advised.

# Plastic Engine Parts

Cooling buffles and pushrod housings for Evelone and Whirlwind airplane engines are now made of plastic under pressure and heat. In addition to saying thousands of pounds of aluminum the plastic doubles the service life of the two parts and reduces weight, manufacturing time and costs.

# Net Spread for Foes

The task of fighting spies and saboteurs, watching alien enemies and foreign agents, and exposing war profiteers, has been the outstanding duty of the Department of Justice in the first full year since Pearl Harbor. Entrusted with maintaining internal

security during wartime, the department. Attorney-General Bindle said in a review, has moved against hundreds of foreign and native-born enemies who sought by violence and otherwise to cripple the war program.

At least eight persons charged with treason have been convicted; forty-nine spies in the pay of Germany and Japan have been imprisoned. More than 2,000 foreign agents have been brought under rigid control and twenty-seven war contractors have been indicted for defrauding the government, Mr, Biddle

# Time lost from home accidents last olives, grapes and dates. On the plateau tures to America's fighting men in Grass Root Reveries

By JOE GANDY Winnsboro, Texas.

(Copyright, 1943, by the Southwest Magazine Co.) HERE'S a new face at the door. young-looking though serious-looking. New Year usually looks at us. with a merry twinkle and a rouguish smile.' But war has made New Year look a bit tired and sad. Nevertheless it's the same pretty child and

we take it up in our arms to caress fondly and hopefully. Yes, every New Year brings us hope and longing for a lucky break. We don't always get the lucky break, but we get a lot of fun thinking about it.

The Old Year had many aches' and pains and at times seemed on the verge of collapse. Yet it had faith and carried on. "Without

faith ye are as sounding brass and tink-ling cymbals." We took it on the chin at Pearl Harbor and came back slugging Coral Sea and Midway. We have just egun to fight and our boys will win if production lines don't fail. That's ome front job-keeping the produc-

Wherefore, we hall the New Year adly. May it bear with us and teach the true meaning of self-sacrifice. erance, kindness and love for one another. This New Year will be a fateful one for America-more fateful than any year since Valley Forge. We shall likely win or lose in-1943. While passing the ammunition we must pray humbly for victory. The Lord is watching this fight. V for Victory is all right but to win a world-wide life and death struggle it takes abiding faith in ourselves and in God Almighty.

es and no boundoggling.

lines going at top speed with no

Maybe Mr. Leon Henderson's successor will give the people a little more gasoline. It's rumored that Leon's drastic rationing brought about his removal. Czars don't get erlong so well in a country that has learned to sing and love the Star Spangled Banner. While we are fighting for freedom abroad we want freedom at home. Rationing of 4 gallons of gasoline a week in the oil-soaked Southwest didn't go over well with the rank and file of people. Whether it will save rubber tires is questionable. Driving 30miles-an-hour and keeping tires properly inflated is the surest rubber-saver. Gas-rationing, however, has solved some problems that man was never able to solve before. It made parking space available in towns 25 per cent; it cut

down sudden deaths on highways 30 per Everything is split but my wood. cent, and it cut down spooning on highways 50 per cent.

As I write this I am in Austin getting make bombs out of to sock the Japs up steam for the meeting of the 48th Legislature. How much steam I shall the country for silk stockings that need I don't know as I don't know how women have discarded because of runmuch pressure will be brought to bear ners. Dallas women contributed 20,000 on this mid-winter session. To judge the future by the past, there will be

plenty of pressure women have worried about runners in from pressure groups trying to put through their pet legislation. When the dear people re-elected me to this high office I made them no rash tion did we visualize that women's worn promises. I just told out hosiery would ever have any value. hem I would do the best I could to save the country if the country would have me, However, no farm hand is safe in a big city far from home and loved ones. Austin is not a big

city but it's big enough to be unsafe for an untutored, unsophisticated farm hand like myself.

Rationing of food has drawbacks but will help in other ways. Most of us eat too much and eat the wrong kind of food. We feed our livestock a balanced ration; we feed ourselves any old ration and call in the doctor if it makes us sick. The doctor looks wise, says nothing, gives us something to get rid of it and sends a bill for 3 bucks. Next day we go back to eating the same old stuff ad infinitum ad nauseum. Before this war is over we shall learn a lot about foods-what we should cat, how much we should eat, etc., etc. On a tombstone in an old English churchvard is this epitaph:

> Here lies the body of JOSIAH GRUNDY Who ate a pig on Monday Died on Sunday

And that was the end of Josiah Grundy.

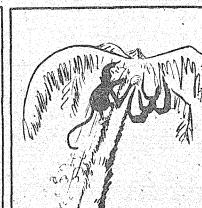
"We need more unity in this war effort and less scolding and bickering," writes an editor of an independent newspaper. He goes on further to sav: "The world is split. The Democratic party is split. The Republican party is split. Congress is split. OPA is split. Husb a n d s and wives are split. My pants are split.

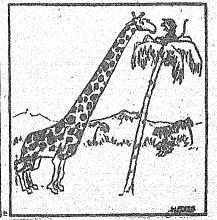




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# TEXAS BRIEF NEWS --- from Over the State

CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION

. Texas' 100,008 oil wells have been producing almost one and a half million barrels of oil daily. In 1942 4,571 wells were drilled; 1,197 were dry holes.

NO MORE BUGGIES OR WAGONS J. D. Estep & Son, who have been self-

ing buggies and wagons in San Saha, (San Saba county), for 66 years continuously cannot fill any more orders. because of war priorities.

#### SEVEN SONS IN ARMY

Mrs. Angelita d los Santos, 301 East Olive street, Eastland, has seven sons serving with the United States forces. Mrs. de los Santos sons are all native

#### CO-EDS ENROLL FOR AIRPLANE COURSES

A hundred girls of junior and senior rank will begin training February 1 at. the University of Texas as airframe and propeller workers for the Curtiss-Wright Corporation.

#### SMOTHERED TO DEATH IN ICE BOX

Two children, Dorothe, age 13, and Allene, age 4, children of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Allen, near Kerens, (Navarro county), smothered to death when they crawled into an ice box and shut the door behind them. The parents were away from home.

#### 1,700 GRAVES RELOCATED IN DENISON DAM AREA

Approximately 1,700 graves in the Denison Dam reservoir area had been relocated in December to government cemeteries, Denison District Army Engineers said. Only 800 more were to be moved.

#### MOHAIR BLENDING HELPS GOAT RADSERS

Blending of mohair with work to one in H. H. Sel-clothing, permitted by the povernment. Dr. E. H. Selas a war-time measure, is proving a boon to goat raisers, it was brought out at the annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Coat Raisers' Association in San Antonio, December 4.

#### ENGINEER LOSES TANK CAR

The engineer of a Katy freight train st an oil tank ear near Smithville. Chastrop county), and didn't know it until the end of his run. The car thipped completely off the track from the middle of the train and was found turned over near the right-of-way.

## FARMERS DOING THEIR SHARE

Texas farmers are doing their share in producing food to win the war as shown by Agricultural Marketing Administration purchases of many million pounds of Texas food products. Enimett A. McBryde, AMA member of the Texas USDA war board said. Foods-purchase ed by AMA are used for hend-lease ship ment. Red Cross and other distribution-

# WILSON COUNTY'S \$1,000,000

Sam Fore, publisher of the Flores ville Chronicle, in Wilson county, says his vounty's peanut crop brought the 1,400 growers a total of \$1,000,000, and that the acreage planted to peanut was 38,000

# PAYS BUS FARE AFTER 40 YEARS

J. W. Howard, of Grapeland, Ollouston county), has received payment, with interest, for a 25-cent bus ride in Crockett 40 years ago. The man enclosed a dollar bill in a letter part of which read: "My, conscience would hurt me the rest of my life if I did not pay you that 25c with interest."

## RAT EATS GAS COUPONS

G. B. Leigh, of Mesquite, (Dallas county), reported to the War Price and Rationing Board that a rat ate up 13 coupons-good for 52 gallons of gasoline-after he had placed the coupons in his medicine chest. Leigh killed the rat, kept it in case the board should ask for a post-mortem, and rushed to the courthouse with the remnants of his book, "We don't need the rat," the board informed him. "Just make out an affidavit of loss.'

## WINS CLEMENCY TO VISIT PAPPY

Dallas News: "A man charged with vagrancy, lodged in the Dallas county jail. asked to be taken before Justice

of the Peace W. L. Sterrett.
"I want to go back to Arkansas to see my pappy,' the prisoner told Ster-

"Sterrett looked at the man's gray hair and weather-beaten face.

'How old are you?' he asked. "'Sixty-nine,' replied the prisoner. 'My pappy is ninety-five.'
"'You folks in Arkansas live to a ripe

old age, don't you?' said the judge.
"'Yes, sir,' answered the man, 'but it don't look like pappy is going to do as well as grandpappy. He was 115 when he died—he'd lived for fifty-seven years

in the old soldiers' home.' 'All right, youngster, you can go home, ruled the judge."

DIES AT AGE OF 110

Dallas News: "Mrs. Nellie Kelley, age 110, believed to be the oldest resident of East Texas, died December 21; at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Weems, near Henderson, (Rusk county). She is survived by two sons and two daughters."

#### COWBOYS PATROL

Riding, for the most part, their own well-trainful and wiry cowponies, who can travel in the dark almost as well as the surshine, cowboys are guarding the coast line of Southwast Texas in a constant mounted beach patrol, J. M. Barrett, captain of the port of Port Arthur,

## HOW TERMITES DIGEST WOOD

After several years of resarch the University of Texas knews why the termite can chew and digest so much wood. Dr. R. E. Hungate, U. of T. zoologist, discovered that the process is a friendly co-operative plan between one-celled animals called Protozon and the termite itself. The Protozoa, found in the alimentary canal of the termite, converts wood cellulose into carbon dioxide. hydrogen and acetic acid. The termite is then able to absorb the acctic acid as nourishment.

#### LARGE GYPSUM DEPOSITS

A new and very large gypsum de posit estimated to be 7.500.000 taus has been located in Gillesine county during a survey by the University and Texas don't and Lypsum Wall For Treating soul and making ndaster of paris, Dr. Sels lands believes deposits our lan recovered div open pit mile

#### PREVENT FARM FIRES

As an aid to the war effort. Prevent Faun Fires" is the facility of Santha cent telifles issued by the Texas Exten-

sion Service and new being widely diss . JANUARY DAILY OIL OUTPUT tributed to farm families in the State. Primarily intended for use in checking and correcting fire hazards in farm duce 1,126,800 barrels of all oils daily nomes, the leather also contains timely in January was received by the Railsuggestions about protecting farm road Commission from Petroleum Adfoods and pastures against barning

# SOLDIERS SENT CHRISTMAS

GREETINGS HOME ON RECORDS Camp Bowie, Brownwood, soldiers. who could not go home for Christmus sent their recorded voices home on wax phonograph: records: Camp Bowie cryice that No. 1 and USO centers in Brownwood are recording soldiers' voices and shipping the records to their homes as a free service.

# MOTHER-DAUGHTER ENLIST

Port Arthur News: "There has been plenty of publicity about father-and-son teams in the armed forces, but Texas has the first mother and daughter team so far as is known. Mrs. Sova S. O'Brien and her daughter, Miss Barbara O'Brien, of Dallas, have enlisted in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

## \$12.50 FOR CANDY BAR

American boys fighting in the Pacific pay as much as \$12.50 for a five-cent candy bar, Lieut, E. T. Stever said. He was on leave visiting in Dallas after tighting in the Southwest Pacific. Re-tions of guayule were found generally cently Stover was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, and given a citation from Admiral Chester W. Nimitz for heroism and extraordinary achievement in aerial combat.

#### PUBLIC SCHOOLS MAC GET UNEXPECTED

APPORTIONMENT The public schools of Texas received an unexpected \$2 apportionment payment the latter part of December, 1942, on each of the 1,523,995 scholastics, in addition to a similiar \$2 payment December 10, bringing a grand total payment of \$10 on the \$22.50 total apportioned for each child, State Superintendent L. A. Woods announced.

## \$30,000,000 CITRUS CROP

The Lower Rio Grande Valley stands to take in a total of more than \$30,-000,000 for its record 1942-43 citrus fruit crop if prices remain the same during the entire season. A crop of more than 17,000,000 boxes of fruit, including grapefruit and oranges, is forecast.

#### DIDN'T KNOW THERE WAS A WAR

Waco Times-Herald: "The Houston police department turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation a 51year-old Harris county farmer who said he not only did not know there was a war on, but was bewildered because he was arrested for not having a selective service registration card. He told police he did not read newspapers and seldom came to town.

#### BUILDS MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES

The Grand Prairie, Texas, division of North American Aviation, Inc., will now build the deadly P-51 Mustang fighter, J. H. Kindelberger, president of North American, announced recently. Mustang, heralded by many military experts both at home and abroad as one of the fastest and best fighter planes to come out of the war, previously has been manufactured exclusively at North American's plant in Inglewood, Calif.

SOUKS GO TO WAR—School boys help to bale 20,000 pairs of worn out silk hosiery

1.426,000 BARRELS

A recommendation that Texas pro-

ministrator for War Harold L. Ickes.

The certification included 1.326,000 bar-

rels of crudes and 100,800 barrels of

naturals, distillates and condensates

WRAPS RATTLESNAKE TAILS IN

COTTON

Museum Reptile Garden, San Antonio.

was much surprised when a rattlesnake

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go back home and wrap their tails in

cotton. I then put 'em in a suitcase,

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WH.D GUAYULE-SURVEY

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Approximately 2,500 tons of wild gua-

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"I got 'em to the bus station the first

tlers told this story:

A B Stokes, manager of the Witte

donated by Dallas women to the government for munition-making.

# DAY

Six warships, all of LCI (L) type, were launched with simple ceremonies at the shipyard of the Consolidated Steel Corporation, Ltd., Orange. This made the largest number of warships ever sent into the water at Orange in

#### IMPORTANT ORE DISCOVERED

Celestite ores, needed in the war, have been found in substantial quantities in Nolan county by the U.S. Bureau of Mines, A. G. Needham, district engineer for Texas, said. Tracer bullets, flares and other incendiary powders important in the war program are made from strontium sulfate, which is obtained from the celestite ores.

#### WOMEN'S DIVISION FOR SALVAGE Because the work principally is

woman's, the Texas Salvage Committee is asking local committees to set up women's division for household fat, tin can and hosiery salvage campaigns. District women deputies have been named and it is important that a State-wide organization be completed immediately through organization of local groups, said Executive Secretary George B. Butler.

#### BIG QUAIL CROP

Field men of the State Game Commission report that game wardens claim there are more quail, both blues and bob whites, in the region extending through the Panhandle to the vicinity of San Angelo and possibly farther south than they have seen in over 35 years.

#### SHORTAGE OF SCHOOL TEACHERS

Schools located in towns with populations of below 5,000 are facing a shortage of teachers, reports State Superinten den t L. A. Woods. It is estimated that 2,163 teachers have

#### enlisted or been drafted into military service since

U. OF T. FOREIGN STUDENTS The number of foreign students attending University of Texas include 68 from Mexico, five each from Panama and Venezuela, three each from Nicaragua, Peru and Honduras, two each from Columbia and Costa Rica, and one each from Argentina, Chile and Cuba. Three of the foreign students are registered from Turkey, while Austria, China, France and Greece are represented by one student each.

#### PAYS FOR CHICKENS STOLEN 27 YEARS AGO

Houston Chronicle: "A money order for a dollar from a Philadelphia negro who said he had stolen two chickens 27 years ago was received by Dale Garner, who lives west of Longview, (Gregg county). The explanatory letter accompanying the dollar was signed 'Joyful Amos.'

#### CENTURY OLD SYCAMORE TREE DIES

Nacogdoches Sentinel: "For a century a tall sycamore tree stood in the yard of the old Orton Home on Orton Hill, Nacogdoches. Age finally took its toll, the tree was cut down. The tree was started from a small riding switch that S. M. Orton brought from San Augustine in 1842. He planted the switch which grew to be one of the largest sycamores in the State, shading five generations of the Orton family."

#### 6 WARSHIPS LAUNCHED IN ONE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING AMONG FOUR LARGEST

The Texas State Capitol building, Austin, is among the four largest capi-tol buildings in the United States, including the Capitol at Washington.

## \$1.10 A MONTH GLIDER PILOT

Borger Herald: "The government has its dollar-a-year men and the advanced glider school at Dalhart has its dollarand-a-dime-a-month man. Thirty-sixyear-old Ben Hamilton Stokes, of Borger, draws \$1.10 in army pay each month. That's all he has left left after deductions are made for insurance, an allotment to his mother and a war

#### MONEY ORDERS RULING

The Treasury has announced that money orders may be sent by Texans to members of American armed forces abroad provided they are sent through the army postoffice, naval or other service mails. The ruling, the depart ment said, was in response to many inquiries received by its foreign funds controls section.

#### "BABY'S" SUGAR CARD

Tears welled into the eyes of t women clerks at the Midland coun Rationing Board office when a wom surrendered a sugar card, saying it had been "her baby's.

After she left the office a check up showed that her "baby" was 21 years

#### U. OF T. STUDENTS MAKE THE GRADE

Headed toward jobs on the War Production line as soon as they can finish their schooling are at least 22 University of Texas students who were initiated recently into Omega Chi Epsilon, honorary chemical engineering fraternity.

### WHEN WILL THE WAR END?

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time has been adopted by Prime Minister Churchill, whose recent speech indicated that he expected the European conflict to end first, after which Britain would "at once bring all our forces to the other side of the world to the aid of the United States," China and the Pacific dominions.

For those reasons some specially qualified observers, notably a European diplomat and an American economist who know Germany well, predict a Nazi breakdown about the end of 1943. The time of that breakdown will determine the time of Japan's defeat, which informed opinion here would place a year or more later.

## Year's Leeway

In general it seems fair to say that estimates as regards Europe narrow down to within a year of each other, most observers giving Germany until the end of 1943 or the middle or the end of 1944. They assume that Japan consequently will not be beaten until the end of 1944 at the carliest and possibly not until some time in 1945.

Military and naval men, once inclined to discount Japanese combatant power, now remember Pearl Harbor and the warnings of Joseph C. Grew, former Ambassador to Japan, that the Japa will not help us by losing their morale. Reports of Japanese soldiers shooting themselves rather than surrender and of Japanese seamen refusing to be rescued after their ships have been such have supported Mr. Grew's emphasi-upon the fanatical mettle of the Jan anese, who are not expected to yield til their sea power is destroyed their home island invaded. Frank Ka Secretary of the Navy, said that in Pacific the decisive test was yet to

The Nazi failure in Russia is regar ed by many of these observers as t turning point of the war, but the military men are quick to point out that this does not mean the end of the war or even the approach of the end. Some carry caution to the point of Mr. Churchill who called the invasion of North Africa only the end of the beginning.

German collapse is possible, even probable, but the Allies must make it happen by blows which convince the Germans they cannot win.

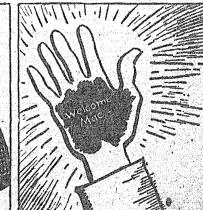
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(Continued from Page 2) be good for everything. Every-bedy took quinine in the winter to prevent somethin—God only knew what. Some people just put it in their shoes. Epsom salts, camphor, aweet spirits of nitre, and wellaged whiskey were part of the doctor's dispensary. Morphine was
the doctor's stand-by. It was also
sold over the counter. Axle grease
whiskey is likely to make you forwhiskey with reprehense. for skin diseases but when the doctor got there, he usually advised die of snakebite are scared to them to wash it off and use soap death. The bite of a rattlesnake

Quining Used for Everything Grippe and epizoodiac were the common names for what we now call influenza. Since quinine was tall influenza. Since quinne had bound the wound up. most rained thought it wouldn't do a cold any the national it was too far to the doctor, and it was too far to the doctor, and the national it was too far to the doctor, and the national it was too far to the doctor, and the national it was too far to the doctor, and the national it was too far to the doctor, and the national influenzation in the national influenzation i harm, so they eared the patient down and gave him a big capsule of quinine every two hours until his head felt like it was full of brass bands, all totin' at the same time. Then if he kept complaining, they would stuff more quinine into him. Finally the patient would rather get up and go to work than take any more of this treatment. That's how quinine got its reputation for curing colds. The remedy was worse than the complaint. The seems to be fifty per cent from the collarbone up. Besides, we don't know what to do for colds any idea. Our dectors didn't know what to do for colds any idea. Our dectors didn't know what fifty recommendation of a dog and an alligator, and I don't know if some collarbone up. Besides, we don't dea. Our dectors didn't know what fifty recommendation of a dog and an alligator, and I don't know if some collarbone up. more now than we did then.

Hot water, castile soap, and carbolic acid were the only real anti-septics the doctor had. Chloroform was practically the only general anaesthesia the doctor had in the early days and it wasn't very safe, portant to be clean. because they hadn't then found way to remove all the impurities Still it saved the situation in many major operations. "Freezing" carbuncles with a spray of nitrous oxide was prevalent, though the frost sometimes didn't last as long as the operation and the doctor had to have help to hold the patient down while he finished.

Scourges of Children Diphtheria was one of the scourges of children in those days and it was called every thing from membranous croup to tonsilitis. It he sometimes lost an arm or leg, was treated with hot bricks and Yep, the old doctors in Big mustard plasters because this was Spring were out many horses and before antitoxin came into general use. There is no way of knowing the dreadful mortality rate of this disease then, as its diagnosis was driving men who never had time to often in doubt. Scarlet fever was rest or recuperate. They rode often fatal and usually left those horses everywhere except for calls who got well maimed in some way. up and down the railroad track There was no serum for it and the when they hopped a freight train disease just had to run its course. or a handcar and sent the prescrip-Smallpox ran roughshod over communities and people feared it more got as scared about their home than anything. Quarantine was rigidly enforced and people were sent off to the posthouse to have it out, waited on by somebody who to attend a case that didn't have had already recovered from the much wrong, but he never could disease, and was therefore immune. Many people were pitted from smallpox and vain ones used to beg to have their hands tied so they wouldn't involuntarily riding and driving in a buggy over the properties of th scratch a pustule and come out unbelievable rough trails, but about with a scar on the nose or their bearing there was the quiet somewhere else. Vaccination for dignity of men who have met and somewhere else. smallpox was fairly primitive but conquered life and death. smallpox was fairly primitive but conquered life and death. Most of death was coming into general use. The doctor gouged a bunk of meat out tinancially—but carried on as long of your arm and poured the serum in. For about a week it made you so sick you thought you had the smallpox or something much worse, and when you got well, you had a scar the size of a silver dolumer and their work was all important and their work was all

bad teeth caused rheumatism and women they brought into the wasn't generally known, even to world who are raising sons to carry

Doctors of Horse and to anybody. We went right on to work and had quite a lot of pleasure out of telling each other about our rheumatic pains, and just died right along and our tonsils were buried with us.

Snakebite Common

Snakebite was common among both men and horses, for the counwas a great remedy with ranchers get a snakebite which is all to the good, since most of the people who and common sense and they most is a pretty serious thing, and got cured by this route. sick. All our doctors treated snake bite the same way. They slit the wound with a knife, sucked the poison out with their lins and sene, the patient's injured member would swell up all over the place but he usually got well and was none the worse for it.

For a long time we didn't have any germs and then the germ theory got around. It scared most people to death. The first pictures we saw of germs painted them as fierce small animals that looked much about germs but fifty years before they heard of them they boiled their instruments and wash ed their hands before any operation, without knowing exactly why but because they knew it was im-

Shot Up or Carved Up

Doctors had to meet many emer gencies out here that they are not faced with usually now. There was quite a lot of attendance on people who had got in front of : bullet or a knife and had got sho up or carved up. The doc would probe for the bullet, put applications on the wound and keep the patient quiet if he could, though this was a hard thing to do. If "inflamation" didn't set in, patient got well with no trouble. If it did rode several to death before they gave up the ghost themselves

They were hard-working, tion back by the next train. People folks or themselves then as they do now, and sometimes the doctor killed a good horse in a hard ride

lar where the doc had poured in that mattered. It matters still, the serum.

The theory that bad tonsils and our modern town and good men

Rotten Error

Much of the success of the flower show had been due to Smith, who organized it all, and, being an ardent horticulturist, had won quite a few prizes.

Later on, he was reading the report in the local paper when he jumped to his feet, with an angry bellow.

"Why, what's wrong?" asked Mrs. Smith, dropping her knitting at the outburst.

"Listen to this" he roared. "It says here: 'As Mr. Smith mounted the platform to open the show, all eyes were fixed on the large red nose he displayed.' The fool printer or the fool proofreader made a rotten error. It should read 'rose,' not 'nose.'

Newly Weds \*

"Darling, I could sit here and do

nothing but look at you forever.' "That's a fine compliment, dear, but wouldn't it be better if you took time off to bring home some flour and some bacon?"

Gas Eater

It was bitter cold and the day before gasoline rationing. A driver snorted up to a filling station in an ancient jalopy. "Fill 'er up," he said, forgetting to

turn off his motor. After gasoline had gurgled into the tank for several minutes the attendant came running around and wrapped on the frosty window.

"Hey, you'll have to shut off that motor," he shouted. "She's gaining on me.

"Thank Heaven!"

American soldiers in English camps complain about the weather-that it rains over there every day.

One night three American soldiers sleeping in a camp somewhere in England were awakened by a terrific crash nearby.

"What was that-thunder or bombs?" asked one.

"Bombs," was the laconic answer:
"Thank heaven!" said the soldier. "I thought it was thunder and rain,"

"Giddap!"

A Vermont farmer was plowing a field with one horse, but he was yelling, "Giddap, Jack. Giddap, Jerry, Giddap, Casey. Giddap, Cromwell."

A stranger passing by asked, "How many names does your horse have?' "Oh," said the farmer, "his name is

Jack, but he doesn't know his own strength. So, I put blinders on him and vell all those other names. He thinks he has other horses helping him."

"With all the girls in defense plants, it's hard to get a date. They don't want to go out for a time any more unless they get time and a half," said a gay young fellow.

Difference -

Son: "What is the difference be-ning this machine for years" tween a statesman and a politician?" Father: "A statesman wants to do been running our auto for years, but something for his country. A politician you tell me how to run the auto so I wants his country to do something for thought I would tell you how to run the

You Laugh Money Talks

Jokes to Make

Winston Churchill was visiting friends in the West End of London on the afternoon of a broadcast. He left rather late and stepped up to a cabstand, telling the driver to go to the BBC studios.

"You'll have to take another cab, sir. I can't go that far," the driver told him. The prime minister was rather surprised and asked the driver why he was limited in the distance his cab could travel

"Mr. Churchill is broadcasting in an hour and I want to get home and tune

This pleased Churchill and he pulled out a pound note. The driver took one look at the note and said, "Hop in, sir. Thell with Mr. Churchill."

Silencer Needed

Doctor: "Your husband must have absolute quiet. Here is some sleeping

Patient's Wife: "When do I give it to him. You don't give it to him. You take it yourself."

Mark Twain

Mark Twain told this story about his engagement and marriage:

Preceding my marriage to Livy Langdon, there were three or four proposals and as many declinations. Finally we became engaged conditionally—the condition being her parents' consent. Mr. Langdon asked me for references—I furnished them.

In due course answers came and we had another conference. I had referred him to six prominent men. The results were disappointing. All those men were frank to a fault. They not only spoke in disapproval of me but were enthusiastic about it. One clergyman and an ex-Sunday School superintendent added the conviction that I would fill a drunkard's grave.

I couldn't think of anything to say. Mr. Langdon was apparently in the same condition. Finally he raised his handsome head, fixed his clear and candid eye on me, and said: "What kind of people are these? Haven't you a friend in the world?

I said. "Apparently not."

Then he said: "I'll be your friend. Take Livy for better or for worse. When her disposition gets worse it will get better, when it gets better it will get worse. May God bless you and protect you from all bodily harm.

Drivers

A husband drew up his chair beside his wife's sewing machine.

"Don't you think you're running that machine fast?" he asked. "Look out! You'll sew the wrong seam! Mind that corner, now! Slow down, watch your finger! Steady."

"What's the matter with you, John" said his wife, alarmed. "I've been run-

"That's true," said John, "and I've

WINDMILL FOR POWER

In Vermont, a giant wind generator is being tested to determine its usefulness as a supplement to water and steam power. This experimental generator produces 1000 kilowatts, sufficient for 2,000 average homes, and is the first large scale attempt to use the wind to manufacture electricity. The stainless steel blades, measuring 175 feet from tip to tip, are designed to rotate at a constant speed of 28.7 revolutions per minute.

Meteorological surveys show hat such generators could be operated in one-fourth of the United States. If this project lives up to expectations, it is likely that the wind will be one of the greatest sources of power in the future.-Tech. Engineering News.

Are you aware that a little salt sprinkled in the pan before putting in the fat, will prevent splashing when fry-



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# Poultry News

There is no reason why a continuous culling campaign should not be carried on in the poultry flock to remove any "star boarder," says the American Poultr, Journal: It is especially desirable in these days when the motto, should be "efficiency in every flock." There is nothing difficult about a realist and the should be a source. about carrying on a continuous culling campaign if you have a catching book handy just in ide the poultry house door, so as s won ata bird has stopped laying, she car be removed from the flock and sold for poultry meat. Unhealthy birds however, that are not worth keep ing should be killed and elect

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BURRUS FEED MILLS

# GLIDDER Trains Are Coming

By COLONEL EDWARD E. EVANS Condensed from Popular Mechanics Magazine

7 HO could have envisioned in 1928, when a dozen young men were making the first glider experiments at the University of Michigan, hat the crude ship then used was the forerunner of what would ultimately be one of the world's great means of transportation?

Looking toward tomorrow, we can see motorless cargo ships towed by tractor or tug planes, carrying enormous loads of freight or delivering human cargo in the most quiet and delightful way ever known to man; ships that will carry twenty tons or more freight or up to 100 passengers, with no engine vibration, no noise, with a wing span and a speed which will assure smooth riding. Those employing such facilities can rest comfortably at night and arrive at their destinations as rested as if they had slumbered in their own beds.

Freight trains thus transported could be delivered in quantity at 200 miles per hour and at a cost well within the range of economical shipping; in other words, somewhere between two and three cents a ton mile. According to the best information obtainable today this is less than truck freight or boxcar freight and only a fraction of the cost

of railway express. Cargoes of oranges, grapefruit, other perishable fruits could be loaded ripe in Texas and California, something unheard of today, and delivered in New ' York in time to go on the breakfast table the next morning.

Gliders Compared to Freight Trains

A few basic figures will give a fairly good conception of the advantages of of an airplane.

this modern means of transportation. The average train of loaded box cars carries 2,000 tons of freight at 30 miles an hour. Seven glider trains could deliver the same freight in one-tenth the time or, to express it differently, seven glider trains could deliver ten times as much freight as a railroad train in the same length of time. And the cargo will remain in much better physical condition since it will not be subjected to the shocks of switching and shunting.

The Army, transporting goods from Northern India into China by airplane requires 35 planes to do the work for merly done over the Burma Road with 7,700 trucks, 4,500 of which were in constant service and the balance in reserve or in the shops for repair. The trucks delivered about 30,000 tons per month. These comparatively few transport planes now can deliver the same tonnage with less labor.

This same amount of freight could be delivered over the Burma Road with eight glider trains. Transports being used in China can carry a payload of  $9\frac{1}{2}$  tons. If they pulled three gliders, each glider could probably carry 18 tons. The speed would necessarily be decreased, but nothing like the proportionate increase in payload.

The Army has come to the conclusion that three gliders in an inverted "V" formation are the most practical number to be towed.

Advantage Over Transport Planes

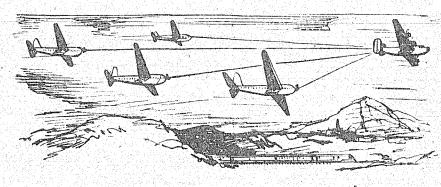
For carrying freight, the glider has certain advantages over the air transport plane. Not having engines and propellers on the leading edge of its wings, it can be molded and shaped so that its nose resistance is one-third that

Because it does not carry an engine with all of its inherent strains, the glider can be built much lighter. But with its wing spread and with heavy wing loading, it can carry a gross weight equal to the transport plane, which would be approximately twice the payload the transport plane would carry. In other words, the weight normally consisting of fuel, engines and the heavier bracing in the transport plane could be replaced by payload in the glider.

General railroad freight costs slightly under one cent a ton mile. This cost includes coal, ore, grain, sand, gravel, stone and other bulk commodities. Per- thorities" who opposed the idea.

wing spans of over 300 feet; methods will be developed which will insure greater safety than any present mode of transportation; speeds will increase to 500 miles an hour; the substrate- etc. and some of the task heights sphere will become a highway; ships > Trucks will handle small beauty as short will down into the life of the substrate of will carry internal air pressure for comfort of the passengers. Future generations will look upon our present modes of transportation as we look upon the highwheel ox cart. Only recently the building of sea-

planes in shipyards was deeply controversial. Within another year air transports will be rolling out of shipyards in such quantity as to confound the 'au-



'Motorless cargo ships towed by tractor or tug planes, carrying enormous loads of freight." sonally I do not believe air freight will As former president of the Lockheed ever be able to compete in this particu-

lar field. Its place is for the higher grades of freight.

We would be remiss if we confined our thinking to the North American continent. Once in the air, great planes and gliders can span the oceans in a few hours. Freight that now takes 10 to 14 days to deliver by cargo ships will be safely brought to its destination by air in as many hours. The world has shrunk to a size where we can look upon the Fiji Islander as a next-door. neighbor. We will be able to take our vacations in the South Sea Isands with as great ease as we take them in Florida. each rivet head adds its parasitic re-Airplanes and gliders will be built with sistance to the air flow.

Aircraft Company that built plywood airplanes which were the most successful of any at that time, I can speak with the authority of experience when I say that a large percentage of the big air-

planes of the future will be built from wood rather than metal, due to the recent development in resin glues, a tremendous improvement in plywood and the art of molding it.

Wood has many advantages over metal. It is more rigid, it is stronger, lighter and cheaper than metal. It can be molded so as to offer a perfect surface, as against the riveted metal where

We are entering a new age-con Age of, Mr. sky will male dresses a flag**re**s in midustry - Rainvads will agent the heavy bulk bads such as cock one grain. distances. The air of the day to fest

Airfields Will Multiply 1,009 Pec Cent

Concrete highways will use some of their importance and landing signs heside these highways will come are actual use. Airfields will man of 1,000 percent. The major portion of these will be for freight transportation, probe ably 25 per cent for passenger places. private planes and helicopter planes.

The evolution or private transportation will be no less great than that in the public transportation lines. A recent development in helicopters contributes to the world a new mode of transportation which is safe, fast and inexpensive.

I expect to see the day when thousands of these small machines will be used by private citizens where they now use their automobiles. The helicopter can land, take off, or hover in any spot as long as the craft is. It would travel from 100 to 150 miles an hour and will probably be brought to a degree of development where it can comfortable take the family, as the present automobile now does.

The development to date has been on the light loads, the largest being the two-passenger helicopter. These machines will sell so cheaply they will be in the class of the higher priced automobiles, maybe in the class of the lower priced automobiles. They will not re-quire landing fields, but the backyards, parking lots, or the street for the moment untraveled, will serve as a landing space.

The millions of pilots and mechanics trained during the war will give flying, gliding and soaring in helicopters the same impetus the last war gave to the automobile industry.

# Texas Farm News Reports

Lois Fitzgerald, president of the Midfield girls' 4-H club of Matagorda county, was chosen to give the 1942 report of the activities of her club to the Commissioner's Court in November. The honor cent annual convention of the Nolanville 4-H club. Altin Reece Sutton, of Members of the 15 boys' the Nolanville 4-H club. Altin Reece Sutton, of Members of the 15 boys' the Nolanville 4-H club. Altin Reece Sutton, of Members of the 15 boys' the Nolanville 4-H club. Altin Reece Sutton, of Members of the 15 boys' and "bed them out" for seed to be used next spring. was presented to County cultural agent. Judge Thomas H. Lewis

Meridian Tribune: OIC sow belonging to U. B. Howeth, who farms near Morgan. (Bosque county). bas made a contribution to the war effort as well as an income to her owner. Mr. Howeth received this sow in exchange for 1 bales of Johnson grass hay when she was a small pig. She has farrowed 59 pigs within the past two years, and of this number, 47 of them were produced within the past thirteen months. The owner has sold \$404.00 worth of pork from the sow and at the same time has amply provided a supply of meat and lard for the fami-

Dan Memit, member of the 4-H boys' clubed Matagorda county invited meat dealers of Bay City to bid for his two Str months old club calves and With good shown anship. Dan marched his culves around the Mesquite New - 3E L. A total of 450 tung trees. J. G. Barr, of the State Domino, a two-courthouse for inspection lies of Wylie, and Olected from the principal of the State Domino, a two-fore - County Agricultural Stone, of Wylie, and Olected from the principal output has appropriate the countries of the State of Agent E. O. Montague mounts countyr, is the turnip king of groves of the entire South, partment, has compiled the sold for \$5,100 to ed, the auctioneer's stand. North Texas has Glad Acres Hereed the auctioneer's stand. North Texas He is report county by the Department 24 Mustang creeks, 18 ford Farm of Dal-"After some caroling," Monstague reports, "hidding opened to have harvested from of Agriculture and their ed to have harvested from of Agriculture and their ed at 1s cents and moved 5,000 to 2,600 bushes per growth and progress check-rapidly until the animals, acre. At 63 cents per bushel, adaptable variety.

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in November. The honor cent annual convention of the sey heifer and a flock of November they had bought went to the Midfield club be- Farm Bureau Federation in 50 hens. cause it had won more pro- Waco on the value of Austin' motions in the 4-H army than winter peas as a legume, Tak- Scientists have recom- investing \$200 from money over \$2.00 per any other, says Mrs. Alma S. ling the results of an actual mended Kerr and 61 other made from his 4-H demon- pounds if Hale, county home demonstrat- demonstration they showed Texas counties for the strations. Jointly, the 430 they feed it to tion agent. After making that cotton following winter planting of cork trees, club members collected hogs, stated Ray the report. Lois read the Vic- peas yielded 359 pounds of Cork oak produces cork, na- 104,532 pounds of scrap Mowery, when tory Demonstrator's pledge lint cotton an acre, compared tive tree of Spain, Portugal iron and 21,192 pounds of talking to the and gave each member of the with 310 pounds on barnyard and other Mediterranean scrap rubber. One hundred Dawson county court a card, which they sign-manure, and 249 pounds on countries. Cork is imporded and thirty-six of the ed. Each commissioner was untreated land. "Apparently tant in a number of war boys assisted in repairing" given a bunch of turnips and the program was well liked by items and the fact that its farm machinery during the onions, and a basket contains the delegates," says R. M. supply is cut off has pro- 1942 crop year, according ing 15 varieties of vegetables. Knox, assistant county agris moted numerous experis to County Agricultural

ments in the U.S.

\$45,150 worth of war bonds and stamps, with one boy maize crop for Agent W. D. Seals.

NEW COTTON PICKER-Forty years of experiment by the International Harvester Co. has re-Thereby reaped a rate profit. Clarksdale Miss. It's faster and better than previous models.

weighing a total of 1.340 which the army paid him,

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

adaptable variety. pounds, were knocked down at Stone's best acre yielded ap 21 cents." The Bay City Chamber of Commerce gave Dan a bonus of \$25, making a cost is figured at \$540.40 per issued by the U. S. Bureau of Account of A For the BEST SALES and SERVICE

> stomach worms in sheen gests that they are able to their fall crop." protect themselves against. the most untavorable con-

bor shortage.

is closed for the season and ty 4-H club boys of Agricultural Economics will remain closed until have placed themannounced the situation in next spring, probably about selves unreserv-Texas as "promising" although operations are cur- canning of English peas Victory protailed somewhat by the la- will begin. The plant gram, says, Roy

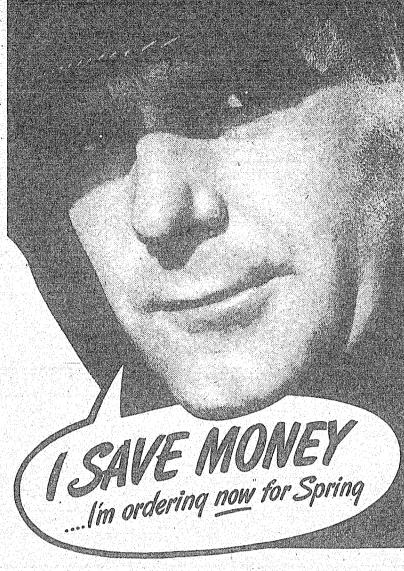
Benito club, works hard in ing their effort, 22 other shows ranging from second for the living room. her own garden, but also boys have 450 lambs in to tenth placing. The scope is interested in others. Ac- their feed lots. The calves of the boys' work is shown cording to Velda Smith, as-represent a value of \$13,- in the sale of \$16,333 worth sistant county home dem- 200 and the lambs \$14,075, of beef in 1941-42, and they onstration agent, Fonda has Boys who did not have capi- will have several thousand interested nine families in tal for the enterprises, hor- dollars worth more to sell her community in planting rowed it. In addition to next year. "The boys are Victory gardens. She doing a good job of feeding, producing beef for Victory explained the necessity and the county agent says, the and not beef for show, viewpoint of a Victory gar- year, more than ever be- Rio Grande infested by the bread upon the waters?" den. As a result of her fore, they realized the im- pink boll worm has been visits three families have portance of good housing placed in a quaratine area

Farmers, are being urged to save some of the best sweet potatoes they have

Farmers can sell their 1942-3

The 42,000 nounds of scrap iron collected and sold through November, 1942, enriched the club fund of the Pecos county 4-H boys' club by \$168. According to County Agricult u ral Agent W. T. Posey, the money along with that obtained from other sources. will be used to finance the spring club's trips of the boys to market their lambs and calves: ribbons; premium money; expense for judges; a county 4-H encampment; medals and other 4-H awards.

The top animal at the Merkel. (Taylor county). livestock sale was



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# "SAVE WEAR WITH SINCLAIR"

lege Extension Service, Nis., for shipment, Farmers pro- members of the Victory a net profit of \$465, she re- dried eggs. bet points out that the ducing beans for this run Calf Club. Moreover, they ports, and from a large cane depth to which the larvae were paid an average price agreed to assist the Feed- patch approximately 500 gal- The 4-H club girls of Goliad

handled, during its first Hickman, Jr., county agri- Frances Kelly, age 17, mem- Dehydrated eggs can be season in Clarksville, large cultural agent. All have ber of the girls' senior Kirby- used in cakes, doughnuts, pan-Burning of vegetation on quantities of English peas, bought war bonds and ville 4-H club, Jasper county, cakes, flour, noodles, in pastures and grazing land spring beans, tomatoes, etc. stamps; taken part in scrap along with her mother and scrambling and making of of controlling the ravages ing the period beginning and communities; signed two sisters did all of the work omlets, in manufacturing of October 5 and ending No- up to buy bonds out of on a large farm this year. Her baking powders, candies and and goats according to W. vember 10, 1942, when 485, money received from sale father works away from other products. About three R. Nishet, animal husband- 000 pounds of beans were of their livestock, and those home. From a three-quarter- dozen fresh shell eggs are man for the A, and M. Col. canned and are now ready who fed calves have become acre tomato field they had used in making one pound of

burrows into the soil sug, of \$4.80 per 100 pounds for for Victory program by lons of syrup were obtained, county patched 344 window feeding only dry lot calves Sale of vegetables from a screens during November in this year. Last spring year-round garden furnished their homes and those of the family with groceries, neighbors. This service was cepted the challenge to pro- ord by placing the grand meat, clothing and gasoline. duce more meat for the war and reserve champions in During the summer, Frances tory Demonstrator's pledge to Fonda W. Graham, Vie- effort, and at present 29 of the beef calf division at helped can 275 quarts of vege- "take good care of everything tory garden demonstrator them have 160 of the best the Lubbock Fat Stock tables and fruits, and by do- I use." In addition, the club for the Highland girls' 4-H type of calves in feed pens, Show, and placing 11 other ing her own sewing and can-girls cut out 208 bags for solclub of Cameron county says C. B. Martin, county calves at the Amarillo, ning she saved money to buy diers' kits and sewed emblems now enrolled with the San agricultural agent. Parallel-Odessa and Plainview wall paper, chairs and a rug on finished garments as part of their Red Cross work.



Where in the Bible will you! Jonah was swallowed by a

long he resided in the belly of this large animal?

Who said, "Little boats taroth, in I Samuel, chapter shore?" Is it in the Bible, or what is it associated?

should keep near to the 7, verse 3 mean, and with did someone else originate it? answer to above query will be found below:

(Ashtaroth): It is a Hebrew plural, the meaning of which is "goddesses." In the singular it is the name of a Semitic goddess, whose worshipful cult is associated with the ancient Babylonians and the Phoenicians.

FROM THE PENS OF GREAT MEN AND WOMEN: "What are all our histories, but God manifesting himself, that he hath shaken and tumbled down and trampled upon everything that he had not planted."--

Answers to "Know Your Bible" are on Page 8, column 6.

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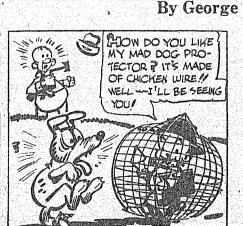
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THE RIVER VOLGA Russia's River Volga, cele-

brated in song and legend, has earned a new saga at Stalingrad. The river has played a vitally important part in the heroic defense of the city; without its help, it is hard to see how Soviet troops, however bravely, skillfully and desperately they fought, could have held the strategic industiral center for more than a month against the highly mechanized Nazi army, probably the most powerful besieging force in history, estimated to number a million

Stalingrad stands on cliffs on the west bank of the Volga, Europe's longest river. Flowing toward the city from the, northeast, the river makes a big bend at Stalingrad and turns to the southeast for the rest of its course to the Caspian Sea. As the Germans approached the city after forcing their way across the Don river, 45 miles to the west, they were confronted by no important natural obstacles to frontal attack; but he river, stretching northeast behind the town, with low-lying islands and marshes within its bend, proved a barrier to complete encirclement and to the employment of the favorite Nazi tactic of getting strong, speedy units behind a foe, wrecking his communications. So it was by direct storming methods that the Axis troops, powerfully supported by artillery and war planes and making liberal use of tanks and armored cars, assaulted Stalingrad - and paid a terrific price in men and material for every advance. The defenders, fighting furiously from house to house, after the besiegers had broken into the city, and finding strength for strong thrusts at the enemy's flank northwest of the town, received reinforcements and supplies from behind the Volga and by way of the river and help from naval boats which appeared on the river to shell the

Late comminques from Moscow say that the Germans are being steadily pushed back from Stalingrad with considerable loss of men and equipment. Winter is again aiding the Russians in defense of their country. The intense cold is a drawback to successful German tank and divebomber operations.

## BATHTUBS

It is widely believed that the bathtub is a fairly recent invention. Some people have the idea that the first bathtub was made in 1840 in Cincinnati. It was H. L. Mencken who perpetrated this story as a jest. Actually the Egyptians, Greeks and Romans used various forms of the bathtub as we know it. Recent excavations of the private bathrooms of Belshazzer, the Babylonian king, reveal that they covered about three acres.

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DEAR FRIENDS:

A New Year dawns and it's going to be a fateful year for America —a year that will likely decide the war, one way or another.

What are some of the things that boys and girls can do to help win the war? They can do many things. They can help with the housework; this will give mother more time to do some of the war work. Furthermore, boys and girls can raise livestock, gardens and chickens. Soldiers at the front, workers in the factory, men in the office can DO NONE OF THEIR WORK without food. Youngsters can help oldsters produce more food, Even a small home garden will help. Our boys and girls can play a glorious part in the defense of our country-not only by raising and gathering more food but by aiding the scrap metal drives, the rubber drives, or any other drive in the war effort. Another vital part in

this war that young people can share in is the practice of SAFETY. Our government is urging safety and more safety. What can we do to be safe? We can do a lot of things. We can

keep safe from accidents
in the home. We can keep healthy. We can
keep busy. We can keep away from evil
places. By keeping well we can do so much more work. It is part of your duty to keep well and avoid accidents.

Let me hear soon from all of you by letter.
(Signed) AUNT MARY.

#### LETTERS FROM CLUB MEMBERS

Last month I requested you to write me about your hobbies and about what you are doing to help-national defense. I feel sure many of you are doing worthwhile things. What you are doing may be of value to others, may help them to do something worthwhile. Write me now, lest you forget. Address your letters to: Club Headquarters, 1809 Ashland, Fort Worth, Texas. The best letters will be published on this page.

Here is a letter from Ana Mae Colon, Agra, Oklahoma, who has been a reader of this page for many years. She has belonged to the Friendly Hobby Club since January 9, 1939. Before that she was a member of the Sunshine for Shut-Ins Club and did many lovely things for those less fortunate. Her letter follows:

"I am 25 years old, and thoroughly enjoy life. I want to do all I can for Shut-Ins and those that are in need of happiness. I love to make a success of whatever I undertake. Living on a farm as I do, two and a half miles from town, I find plenty to do. This has been my home all my lite.

"My hobby is reading the Bible. I think it

is the most interesting book in the world as it tells me how to live a victorious life. My favorite chapters are the 122nd Psalm and the

4th chapter of Philippians.

"Best wishes to all the club members.
(Signed) "ANNA MAE COLON"

#### STORIES THAT LIVE ASHES THAT MADE TREES BLOOM (A Chinese Fable).

In the good old days of the Dimios, there lived an old couple whose only pet was a lit-tle dog. Having no children, they loved it as though it were their own baby. The old dame made it a cushion of Diue crepe, and actime Muko, for that was the name of the dog, kind couple fed the pet with tidbits of fish from their own chopsticks and it was allowed to have all the boiled rice it wanted. Whenever the old wonian took the animal out with her on holidays she put a bright-red silk crepe

ribbon around its neck. Thus treated, the

little dog loved its protectors like a being with

Now the old man, being a rice farmer, went daily with hoe or spade into the fields, working hard from the first croak of the raven until O Tento Sama (as the sun is called) had gone down behind the hills. Every day the dog followed him to work, and kept near by, never once harming the white heron that walked in the footsteps of the old man to pick up the worms. For the old man was kind to every living creature, and often turned up the sod on purpose to give food to the sacred

birds. One day Muko came running to him, putting his paws against his straw leggings, and motioning with his head to some spot behind The old man at first thought the dog was only playing and did not mind it. But when the animal kept whining and whining for some minutes, the old man followed it a few yards to a place where it began a lively scratching. Thinking the dog had found a buried bone, but wishing to please his pet, the old man struck his iron-shod hoe into earth-when, lo!-a pile of gold gleamed be-

He rubbed his old eyes, stooped down look closer, and there at his feet was a half peck of gold coins. He gathered them up and hied home at once

Thus unexpectedly the old couple, made very

Your Uncle Sam

Kiddies-Can-Do-It Cobb Shinn

HE head of Uncle Sam makes a dandy picture to go on a poster It is very easy to draw if you will just follow the system that I have mapped out here.

> their friends and gave plentifully to poor neighbors. As for doggy, they petted him un-til they nearly smothered him with kindness. Now, in the same village there lived a wicked old man and his wife, who had always scolded and kicked dogs. Hearing of their neighbor's good luck, they coaxed Muko into their garden and set before him bits of fish and other doubt. fish and other dainty food, hoping he would find treasure for them. But the dog, being afraid of the cruel-pair, neither ate nor mov

rich, bought a piece of land, made a feast to

their friends and gave plentifully

Then the wicked couple dragged him out of doors, taking a spade and hoe with them. No sooner had doggy got near a pine-tree grow ing in the garden than he began to paw and scratch the ground, as if a mighty treasure lay beneath.

Quick, wife, hand me the spade and hoc! cried the greedy old man as he danced with

joy.
Then with spade and hoe they began to dig. But they unearthed nothing but a dead kitten. the smell of which made thin drop their tools and hold their noses. Furious at the dog, the old man kicked it so severely that it died right before their eyes. Then they threw the body into the hole they had dug and quickly stamped down the earth.

The owner of the dog heard of the death of his pet and, mourning as if it had been his own child, he went at night and stood sadly under the pine-tree. He set up some bamboo tubes in the ground, such as are used before tombs, in which he put fresh camellia flowers. Then he laid a cup of water and a tray of food on the grave and burned several costly sticks of incense. He mourned a great while, calling his diseased pet many dear names, as if he

That night the spirit of the dog appeared to the old man in a dream and said; "Cut down the pine-tree which is over my grave, and make it a mortar for your rice pastry, and

a mill-for your bean sauce."
So the old man chopped down the tree, and cut out of the middle of the trunk a section about two feet long. With great labor, partly by fire, partly by the chisel, he scraped out a hollow place as big as a half-bushel. He then made a great long-handled hammer of wood, such as is used for pounding rice. When New Year's time drew near, he wished to make some rice pastry. So the white rice, the fire, the pot to boil the rice dumplings and the pretty red lacquered boxes were all got ten ready.

When the rice was all boiled, his wife put it into the mortar. The old man lifted his hammer to pound the mass into dough, and the blows fell heavy and fast till the pastry was all ready for baking. Suddenly the whole mass turned into a lump of gold. When the old woman took the hand-mill and began to grind, gold coins dripped like rain.

The greedy neighbor, hearing about the old couple's luck again, borrowed the mill. But instead of gold the mill began to grind worms. Not long after this the old man had another dream of the dog in which he told his master of the fate of the mill. The dog said to him: Take the ashes of the mill, sprinkle them on the withered trees, and they will bloom again. Going to the home of the greedy neighbor he humbly begged for the mills' ashes; which he gave him while treating him like a thief.

The old man ran home and together he and his old wife went into the bare garden, because it was winter time, and sprinkled a few ashes on their favorite tree. Instantly it burst into bloom.

A great ruler of that time, passing, saw the tree and was so delighted he gave the old man many presents and invited him to visit in his

The envious neighbor, who had noted the miracle of the tree blooming and the king's visits to the old couple, climbed up into a (Continued top next column)

into the face of the king.

much, he ordered the wicked neighbor to be executed. Thus the wick ed neighbor died, but the old man skin on a bat's face is probability consections, and his wife, kind friends of the ably much more sensitive. The battery has the left in

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#### HOW DO MIGRATORY BIRDS FIND THEIR WAY?

Man has not explained exactly how migrating birds find their way. A certain type of ployer nests in Canada. At the end of the summer these birds fly 2.500 miles over the ocean to South, America, with no landmarks: to guide them. Is it possible they can sense the northsouth magnetic lines of force? Experiments so far have proved nothing.

The southward flight of geese is a maryel. They next in Canada, most of them, and fly South at the approach of winter Their flight is con tinuous through the day as well as through the night, but how do they keep their correct course in nightime? No one knows. Some persons believe the stars guide them. yet geese hold true to their course when the stars are not shining. The V shaped for mation serves geese well when darkness supproaches. because they can follow then leader with a great degree of safety. The leader at the point of the V is usually an experienced traveler and is one who has shown his ability to lead.

It is when this formation is broken and the geese become scattered, that their trouble commences. They do not know where to land and as the weather becomes more severe, some must perish.

How is it that tish avoid colliding with objects in the dark? Along each side of the body are microscopic organs affected by the pressure of the water. If the fish is swimming toward a rock, the

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Director, Office of Defense Transportation

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There's the story in a nut-shell! First, the war movement; second furloughed service men, who must be given preference over civilian travel. The KATA asks - and knows it will receive - the hearty cooperation of all patriotic Americans who

might otherwise plan to travel for pleasure,

War Time Travel Suggestions \* Whenever practicable, trips

should be scheduled during mid week - to avoid the weekend

\* Tickets should be obtained in Whatever Pullman space is available should be accepted, and if the trip is can-celled reservations should be cancelled at once so that others may be accommodated.

it If seat is not reserved, get to the station early; It's first come, first served in war time.

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In food value, the concast things wear pion Join as other resits do, and extra numeral and sitamins into the pargam. The different limits, qu'X in their conreductions to good djet. Just for evaniple, there are rich storelioners of agon in twens heart, kidney and tongue. There are good amounts of one or more Baltaning in khi-

Are you marked new chieffly amongs its they heart fiver and brains. Liver again is an excellent source of A. and has some It not

add), distributed in addinary foods. With proper codding, the variety meals can to tages into dishes that the average person enjoys: It is important with these meats to time care to make the food look good and taste good And since these meats are all prepared and a solod in different ways, it is a smart idensto regil up on any new kind before you

Proper home care of variety meats begins Troper home care of variety meats begins a first you take your parcel at the shop. These gives are more perishable, spoil more quickly shan some other knows or plan to cook them proving and keep cold until ready or use. It is supportant to know how to prepare short prepare to the control of on are having be sure to remove the outer reserving before you rook them. Brains should he serked in odd waters before the outer covering is removed. The outer covering of timeles between is removed af-ter the iteration

to know, too, that er have better Thyor it weitled Lefere cooking. This resilment is realf and beef live

der meats, like young, liver and kidney and brains med only the brich S. Cook me wijust enough to Just them all the way through. If tong on beef killing sphere of tripe count; on long slow cooks ann with moisture to make the meat

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oned far or a or given Directions and recipe. Tor using variety meats are includ ed in "Meat for Thirty Meals" a coty of which trom the Office of In-formation, U.S. De bartinents & Denartments Agriculture, in Washington, D.C.,

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of everything and more of many bakings. Select your clothes with taste store in a cook place. When you and care, first, study your own have a pound sell it to your butch-type, then ask the opinion of those or and he in turn will sell it to the who care most about you and then rendering plant to be used in ex-you will be well-ground if you plosives. Use all you need and have cared for your skin and hair use it wisely—sell the surplus. Remember, the dressed people are not always the most expensively dressed, but rather those who give time and thought to how they will took to

# WE DINE

Virginia Ham

other people.

Select a center cut of the ham

#### Canned Peas

of chopped parsley added.

#### Cinnamon Toast

bread and toast lightly. When served with a glass of milk this

Save Kitchen Fats When properly cared for and German fish farms, used cooking fats you save will. serve several purposes. Use them or seasoning, frying cooking and in some cases for baking. Here,

are a few tips: 1. Drippings from reasts and ing on the bottom:

2. Clarify your drippings for baking purposes.
3. Bacon drippings, one of the most abundant can be used for

flicial to our individual lives, compliance will be easier. We shall find, if we are honest with ourselves, that we have all we NEED entire in cakes, biscuits, and other

Then all fats not usable, strain,

#### FISH FARMING

more or less waste land, the avoiding drafts and chilling, Alabama Agricultural Ex- help do that. To build up reperimental Station at Auburn, sistance it is most important

select a center cut of the name of so situated near a stream that grabbing of a sandwich and print special occasion, trim off so situated near a stream that grabbing of a sandwich and print. Place in iron frying pan it can be dammed off and con- a gulping of a vitamin pill for grave personal danger—they which has a closely fitted lid. Rub verted into a pond without too a luncheon. op of ham with 1 teaspoon dry much expense. The pond is Dosing with synthetic vitamustard, I tablespoon flour. I tent speed then stocked with fish ap mins does not prevent colds, COMPARISON OF AIR ATnglasses. In tablespoon vinegar, propriate to the climate and experiments at the University to the same and the juice conditions, particularly bass, of Minnesota have shown. A drained from a quart of pickled coffish and broom Fortilizers well-balanced diet will give catfish and bream. Fertilizers well-balanced diet will give of 103 air attacks on London beaches Cover pan tightly, place catfish and bream. Fertilizers well-balanced diet will give of 103 air attacks on London in moderate oven (3500 F.) and of the usual commercial varie- you all the vitamins you need. during World War I, and yet bake until tender. On occasions ties are added to encourage Only your doctor can tell you the combined weight of all the it may be necessary to add a lit- the growth of aquatic plants whether you need extra vita- bombs they dropped was only on which microscopic fish life mins.

peas that have been brought to a fish which eventually grace perspire, rapid boil a little butter and sea-

butter or margarine, spread on as much as 600 pounds of fish ing, they eath cold much less bread and toast lightly. When are claimed, and the product frequently. makes a wholesome and delight tion cost per pound is consid- A common head cold invites Econd to the children on a cold crably lower than that of beef, what doctors call secondary 1.

#### CATCHING A COLD

Doctors can give no specific reasons why some persons are more susceptible than others to catching cold. Among the factors that must be considered are the climate, a person's age, his clothing, physical condition and even the state of his emotions.

You can do certain things, though, to minimize your chances of being laid up for three to seven days, the usual duration of a cold.

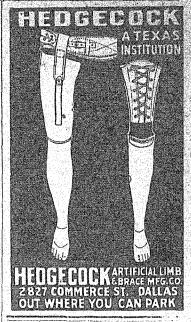
Preventive measures are designed to help you keep your resistance at its peak. For Southern farmers, with Keeping your feet dry and Ala., recommends fish farm-that you eat properly. That ing. That means consistently eating The main essential is a field well-balanced meals - not

These plants, after a few which keeps you comfortably the Renault automobile plant Make a thick white sauce with These plants, after a few which keeps you comfortably the Kenault automobile plant very little milk. Add to t lb. can of transformations, support the warm without making you near Paris the Royal Air

the farmer's table or which Psychiatrists say that our times as much, or over 2,000 soning. Turn fire very low cover the farmer's table or which Psychiatrists say that our times as much, or over 2,000 and simmer 10 minutes. Delight- go to market as a cash crop, mental condition has much to tons of bombs.—Military Refully different with a small amount. Compared with the 150 do with catching colds. They view. pounds of beef which, it is have found that people who estimated, can be raised on an are worried, depressed or gena nice after-school snack acre of the quality suggested erally upset, catch cold easily. add brown sugar and climanion to for conversion to fish ponds, If the same people stop worry-

> Better than 400 pounds an invaders—influenza, meningi-; 2. (Little boats): This acre have been obtained from tis, bronchitis, pneumonia. phrase is not in the Bible. It

> you to go home at the first jamin Franklin. Do you know that putting signs of a cold, get into bed, 3. (Jonah): Jonah lived in salt in the oven under baking and stay there. People who the whale's belly three days feet even when they have a chapter 1, verse 17.



# TACK DAMAGE

The Germans made a total about 270 tons. By way of The ideal clothing is that contrast, in a single raid on Force recently dropped eight

#### ANSWERS TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE FEATURE

1. "Cast thy bread, etc."): This quotation is found in A common head cold invites | Ecclesiastes, chapter 2, verse

That is why doctors urge was a statement made by Ben-

tins will prevent their scorch-take pride in staying on their and three nights. See Jonah,





# CHEESE, A BASIC FOOD

Chedday chrese makes in about four-fiths of our rotal production by far the greatest of the food value of the milk it share of American cheddar is self done up in a compact made from whole milk, and package therefore has enough fat in it. One-third, of a bound of to make a good fuel food and on that "stands by" the cater teens him from feeling hungry

 right after a meak.
 Cheese rates high also as an excellent source of calcium—the mineral that gives shape and permanence to boly framework. If made from whole milk, cheese supplies vitamin A. Also, it has in it considerable riboflavin, another vitamin needed for health and growth.

In the Abeese made from the Whole well contain along tall self done up in a compact

One third of a pound of cheese to all practical surposes If the cheese gets too hard, grate it and use it that way. Keep cheese well wrapped in a cool

(NOTE: Next month tips of the use of cheese in cooking will be discussed).

## SPRING FASHIONS

One trait of the feminine mind not easily understood by the average male is why in January they begin to plan for the However, this is the way of a women and an explanation would not make much difference.

In early spring the showing of white is a favorite color. This is true for many reasons, one of the most important is lack of good dyes. However, we must give our American chemists credit for developing some

lovely shades, of which we can be justly proud.

While there are not nearly as many metal buttons or pins on spring dresses and suits, yet the

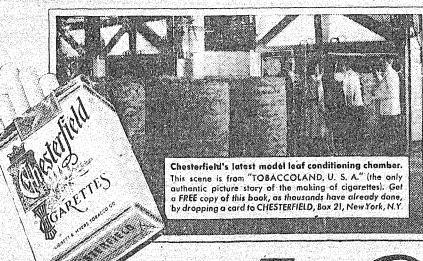
equals I quart of fluid milk when you figure your family milk quote. Every bit of cheese, down to the rind, is good food.

ones used are colorful and of rood roustraction. Shore will be limited to fundamental colors and very few in combination leathers of colors. Uncle Sam has wisely helped us with this problem.

Length of dresses must remain the same for the duration.

Stockings continue to be the No. 1 problem of American women, Spring will undoubtedly see many women wearing rayon stockings and lisle stock-ings. Some women will go bare-legged with anklets.

Hats are as foolish as ever, yet becomingly lovely on most (Continued top next column)



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