

SPARE CHANGE WILL NOT WIN THIS WAR

Systematic Payroll Savings Is Most Efficient Method To Raise Billions Needed For Job

(An Editorial)
The first phase of our early war hysteria has passed. Today a united, determined America is grimly calm, but every American worthy of the name is conscious only of the thought of ultimate victory.
American soldiers have been killed; American ships have been sunk; an American city has fallen into the clutches of hordes of Axis invaders. American coastal

cities are threatened and this total war in which we are now engaged has been brought into our front yards, reaching into every business and every home.
Our military leaders are coldly and calculatingly planning an all-out campaign of long duration which will eventually bring a glorious victory for the Stars and Stripes and for our democratic way of life over the enemies of freedom and humanity.

In the meantime the millions of Americans making up our civilian population are rallying to their Government to meet the cost of providing the munitions, the planes and guns and supplies for our soldiers, sailors and marines on the fighting fronts.
In directing this gigantic task, Secretary Morgenthau has said that the goal of the Defense Savings Program is to reach quickly within the next few months, every

single recipient of regular current income in the United States and to have every one of these 40 million patriots setting aside some part of their pay regularly, within the shortest possible time, for the purchase of Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps.
Defense Payroll Savings Plan
For wars are the people's wars and the cost must come out of the pockets and out of the current incomes of willing Ameri-

cans ready to spend their last dime and to give every ounce of their strength and energy in the defense of a way of life they hold dear.
The quickest, the easiest and most efficient method devised for this all out-pouring of American dollars into a common war chest is through Defense Payroll Savings. Under this plan, employers and employees mutually agree to operate a plan whereby the em-

ployee pledges that a specified amount to be taken out of his pay check every pay-day to go toward the purchase of a Defense Savings Bond.
Insurance Companies, industrial factories, utility companies and hundreds of plants and offices have already inaugurated some systematic purchase of Bonds whereby the workers are lending a portion of their wage to the
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Leads Anzac Forces



All naval forces in the Australian-New Zealand area have been brought under one leadership, with Vice Admiral Herbert F. Leary, U. S. N. (above, in command). Admiral Leary will bear the title of commander of the Anzac forces.

Local FFA Boys Given Membership In NY Foundation

Five local F.F.A. Boys have been granted membership in the National Youth Foundation sponsored by Henry Ford for Outstanding Farm Boys over 16 years of age in the United States. These boys were selected for Dependability, Scholarship, and Achievement and interest in farming. The course is an Extension Course on Farm Management and Engineering given by Ford Motor Co. and will cover a 6 months period. At the end of the course the local boys will compete in a Tractor driving contest for a \$1,000.00 scholarship good at any college or university. Local boys selected include Wayne Jackson, Billy Jim Evans, D. H. Brewster, M. C. Street, and James Young.

Annual Father And Son Banquet Feb. 24

The Annual Father and Son Banquet of the Littlefield F.F.A. Chapter will be staged Tuesday night, Feb. 24, starting promptly at 7:15 P. M. Daylight Saving time. The banquet will be held at the First Methodist Church with the Littlefield High School homemaker girls serving.
Wayne Jackson, president of the local chapter will act as toastmaster.
At 7:30 a State wide Radio broadcast over W.B.A.P. with Hon. Coke Stevenson, Governor, as the principal speaker and the Crustene Ranch boys furnishing the music will be enjoyed.
All the people in this community are invited to tune in and hear this program sponsored by the Texas F.F.A. boys.

Boy In Navy Makes Parents Here Happy

Valentine's Day meant much to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Beisel.
Their son, Jimmie, who will be remembered as that boy who always smiled, and who attended school here, sent his parents a large photograph of himself, and as an extra special gift to his mother, he sent a large valentine.
Jimmie was only 17 years old when he enlisted in the United States Navy six months ago.
He has been stationed the past few months at the Naval Training School in Chicago.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps!

NEW CAMPAIGN WILL START FOR U. S. DEFENSE BONDS SALE

County Commission Lets Contract On Four Farm-To-Market Roads

Work Goes To J. E. Taylor And T. S. Sutherland, Lubbock

Joe E. Ward, Consulting Engineer And Edward F. Pilley, Resident Engineer

Following a meeting of the County Commission at Olton Tuesday morning, and a second session at the home of Judge Stanley A. Doss, the group let the contracts Wednesday for the base and topping of four Farm-To-Market roads in Lamb County to J. E. Taylor and T. S. Sutherland of Lubbock.

Included in the above work will be:
A road from Amherst to Spear's Gin; road from Amherst north on the Earth highway to the Precinct line; road running from Highway 84 south and southwest about three miles; and a road from Amherst south to the Amherst Depot.
Joe E. Ward is the Consulting Engineer and Edward F. Pilley, Resident Engineer.

Army Buildings To Be Made Available For Emergency

Weekly Class In First Aid To Be Started In Littlefield

Major Margaret Saunders, Commanding officer of the Salvation Army at Littlefield has just returned from a state conference conducted by Col. Wm. Geo. Gilks, Divisional Commander for Texas, held at San Antonio. The major portion of the time was spent in dealing with spiritual matters since the feeling is wide spread among religious leaders that with the coming, trying days, much spiritual help, comfort, and guidance is going to be needed, and all ministers and church leaders are preparing themselves to meet this challenge. One session was spent in instruction, and direction, as to how best to serve the community in
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Patriotic Program To Be Held Tonight

A patriotic program sponsored by the Local Committee on Home Morale will be held tonight (Thursday) February 19, in the local High School auditorium.
Special features of the program will be a technicolor film of the bombing of Pearl Harbor to be shown by J. C. Elms.
Pat Boone is scheduled to make a talk on Savings Bonds and Stamps. The regular community singing program will be led by Mancil Hall.

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Great Number Mourn Passing Of Jake Hopping, Early Pioneer

Last Rites Held At First Baptist Church Wednesday

Masons In Charge Of Services At Grave In Littlefield Cemetery

One of the largest funeral gatherings ever witnessed in Littlefield was that assembled Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church to attend last rites for Jacob Wray (Jake) Hopping, 41, who passed away at a local hospital shortly before midnight Monday, following an illness of about a week.

The remains lay in state at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone, sister and brother-in-law of the deceased, from Tuesday evening until Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Hopping underwent a major operation Sunday, February 8. Subsequent to the operation he was given blood transfusions, and other special medical attention, but to no
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FFA Boys Sponsor Scrap Iron Week

The F.F.A. Boys have asked the Leader to again remind the citizens of this section of the scrap Iron Campaign scheduled for the last week in February to raise scrap iron for national defense, and help them finance their Father and Son Banquet.
The scrap iron may be placed on a pile already started back of Dennis Jones Service Station, and across the street from the postoffice. Citizens are urged to look around their homes and if they have some scrap iron they do not need, they are urged to bring it and place it on the pile of scrap already started. The F.F.A. Boys are responsible for the scrap iron campaign in this community.

Herbert Dunn Will Be Candidate For District Clerk

Herbert Dunn of Littlefield, and a resident of Lamb county for the past 16 years, has authorized the Lamb County Leader to announce that he will be a candidate for District court clerk.
Mr. Dunn came to Lamb county from Seymour, Texas, and is well and favorably known throughout this county. He has engaged in farming, banking, and the automobile business.

Mr. Dunn's announcement to the voters will appear in an early issue of the Leader.

Last Rites Sunday For Lois V. Wren Dies Here Friday

Funeral Services At First Baptist Church; Burial At Whitharral

The First Baptist Church was not sufficient to accommodate the large crowd which gathered Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to attend the funeral services for Lois Valera Wren, 25, one of the most loved and highly regarded members of the Littlefield School Faculty, who passed away at a local hospital at 2:20 P. M. Friday.
Last rites for Miss Wren, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wren of 3 miles south of Littlefield, were conducted by Rev. Roy Shahan, Pastor of the local First Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Guy Self, Pastor of the Whitharral Baptist Church with interment in charge of Hammons Funeral Home, in the Whitharral Cemetery.

Flower bearers were Third Year Home Economics pupils of Miss Wren.
Pall bearers were: Rex Gray, Joe

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Men Line Up Mon. Before Doors Open For Registration

Chairman, Draft Board Expresses Appreciation Of Splendid Cooperation

Tired volunteer workers at 9 o'clock Monday night closed the doors of the several Lamb County registration places, scenes of the county's participation in the first national "R-Day" since the war began.

Registration for Littlefield and section took place in the old post-office building. The doors were opened at 7 A. M., at which time according to Otto Jones, Chairman of the local draft board, large numbers were waiting to register, who reported that it was noon before they could get caught up; and that there was a steady stream of registrants all afternoon. He said it was 9 o'clock before all applying were registered.
Mr. Jones, commenting on the reg-
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Red Cross First Aid School Opens Friday

The first meeting of the School of Instruction for First Aid for the Red Cross will be held at the Methodist Church Friday night, starting at 8 o'clock, Mrs. Maude Street, chairman of the local unit for First Aid has announced.
Mrs. Street was selected local chairman at a meeting last Friday night, and Mrs. Dick Beisel was named her assistant.
Several of the local doctors will be in charge of the School of instruction, and every citizen above the age of 15 years in this vicinity is urged to attend.
Mrs. Street also urged that all members of the American Legion Auxiliary attend these meetings, and

Employee Plan For Bond Buying To Be Instituted

Campaign Will Be Set In Motion At Rotary-Lions Club Luncheon

Plans will be mapped today for a special campaign in Littlefield to bring about the universal use of the salary allotment program in the purchase of Defense Savings bonds and stamps.

Under this plan, prepared by the government and in operation throughout the nation, employees authorize their employers to deduct a stated amount each pay day from their wages and the employers invest it in stamps or bonds to be delivered to the employees.

Employees of a number of the larger business concerns of Littlefield have signed up 10% per cent under the salary allotment plan and others are following rapidly.

Meeting Today
Plans for the Littlefield salary
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Sugar Rationing To Get Started

Residents of the Littlefield area will go to the local school building for their sugar ration books when the rationing system is started, probably the early part of next week. Teachers of the nation have been given the job of registering the public for this now all-important commodity.

The person who registers for his family's copies of "War Ration Book No. 1" will sign an application declaring the amount of sugar in his home. On the application form will be a reminder that making false statements to any federal agency is a criminal offense carrying penalties up to \$10,000 fine or ten years' imprisonment.

Those whose family supply exceeds two pounds per person will have an appropriate number of stamps detached from the front of their books. Since each stamp will be numbered for use in 28 consecutive weeks, those lacking the first few stamps will have to use up the sugar in their cupboards before getting more.

Each stamp will entitle the bookholder to buy a specified amount of sugar, probably 12 ounces a week. Consumers will tender stamps to the grocer along with their money, and the grocer will paste the stamps on a card which he must turn in to the wholesaler in order to replenish his own sugar bins.

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THE INFLATION SPIRAL

Some of us think of inflation as something entirely but of control which is suddenly going to descend upon us like an earthquake or a tornado.

Actually, we all have a hand in bringing about or preventing inflation. Inflation, in its simplest terms, means general increases in the cost of living. It usually starts with a few unnoticed price rises and then spreads like a disease among all classes of people.

Inflation can make its debut in retail stores, in manufacturing plants, among landlords and even among consumers.

A retailer may find that his customers have heard rumors of a scarcity in a certain product and hike the price in order to make a greater profit on it. Or a manufacturer, because he is forced to pay his employees higher wages, will raise prices to more than compensate for his increased costs.

If a manufacturer raises his prices the wholesaler and retailer do the same. Then the customer finds he has to pay more for his purchases and works on his boss for a wage increase. When he gets it, the company that he works for increases prices to compensate for wage increases and price of raw materials is boosted.

Thus a vicious price spiral is launched which does no one any good and in the end brings suffering to those who have to pay higher prices but have been unable to share in wage increases.

These days there are some price increases which probably cannot be avoided. But the danger point in inflation is usually reached when prices are pegged for no other reason than extra profit.

To keep inflation from becoming any more dangerous than necessary, we should all fight against the profiteer—against the retailer who boosts prices merely to make extra profit for himself, against the landlord who raises rents even though his taxes remain the same and against the hoarder who forces price increases by creating scarcities.

Inflation is caused primarily by

selfishness. If all of us try to avoid profiteering, even in little ways, inflation will be kept under control.

STRIKING AGAINST AMERICA

It is hoped that the barrage of editorials in the newspapers of the nation, launched against Pacific coast shipyard welders who went out on strike recently, will be sufficient warning to prevent other defense workers from continuing to think of strikes as a method by which they can reach selfish goals.

Behind the editorials, and behind the attacks upon the strikers by government officials, was the righteous indignation of the entire American public.

The whole nation, including organized labor, was 100 per cent behind Donald Nelson, head of the War Production board, secretary of navy Frank Knox, Secretary of war Henry L. Stimson, and chairman Emory S. Land of the Maritime commission, when, in a joint statement to the striking welders, they said:

"The undersigned again call on those who are still idle to repudiate the leadership which has encouraged a reckless disregard of the needs of the country. Every man is needed at his post of duty in the production of the ships that are required to back up the men fighting and dying in the Philippines, Midway Island and the Straits of Macasar and other combat areas to protect American rights and liberties."

The fact that this strike, caused by a minor inter-union disagreement, was called during these times and won the support of a sizeable number of men, indicates that many Americans are still unaware of the dangers which our nation faces in this war.

We hope that the welder's strike was an isolated instance of the attitude of defense workers toward this war. If it proves otherwise—and if other strikes occur in defense industries—it would seem wise to put the strikers in uniform, ship them off to the Philippines and let them see for themselves that a war is really going on.

work closely with civilian defense authorities to co-ordinate oil industry defense measures with all other defense activities.

"The function of the Texas Mid-

NEWS QUIZ

- 1. Among sources of rubber substitutes the one being most widely discussed is "guayule." Is it (a) tree; (b) a shrub; or (c) an animal?
2. The so-called "Truman report" recently submitted to the U. S. Senate covers (a) the Japanese bombing of Pearl Harbor; (b) Pan-American relations; (c) our war production program.
3. According to estimates the United States is now putting only a quarter of its industrial effort into war production. Is German production for war needs more nearly (a) 60%; (b) 75%; or (c) 100% of her total output?

(Answers Elsewhere on this Page)

Content in this program is to assist the operators in meeting the requirements of defense precautions," Mr. Sawtelle explained. "Through our Statewide organization and plan, we hope to take the work off the backs of the oil producers and effect co-ordinated action in all the fields of the State.

"Technical committees of the industry are developing the safest method for effective blackouts, and studying ways to eliminate hazards and extra expense without interfering with production operations. The association will assemble this information from technical groups, oil operators and civilian defense

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authorities and keep the field committees advised."

The organization now being set up will extend from the operators down to the individual leases, to make complete and efficient facilities available to civilian defense officials. The facilities in each area can be put into operation by the chairman of the field committee upon authorization by the proper defense authorities.

"The program has been planned to cause the least possible interruption of necessary industry activity," Mr. Sawtelle said. "Unity of action is highly essential, and as far as our industry is concerned, can be accomplished only through this character of organized effort. We know that every operator will co-operate to the fullest in meeting the demands of civilian defense.

School Students To Take Part In U. S. Navy Training Plan

New Orleans, Feb. 17.—High school students in Texas will be given an opportunity to participate in a vital part of the U. S. Navy training program by Secretary of

the Navy Frank Knox.

Under a new plan, 500,000 aircraft models—10,000 models each of 50 different types of fighting planes—will be needed for training personnel in aircraft recognition, range estimation in gunnery practice and civilian defense training. The Navy soon will call on Texas students to build at least 20,000 of them.

The United States Office of Edu-

cation, which will administer the program, will send letters outlining the plan to state superintendents within the next few days. The first set of working drawings will be in the hands of cooperating schools by Feb. 23.

ANSWERS TO NEWS QUIZ:

- 1. (b) is correct.
2. (c) is correct.
3. (a) is correct.

Oil Industry Is Mobilizing For War Time Emergency

The Texas oil industry is mobilizing for any war-time emergency. A Statewide organization to meet defense needs and effect co-ordination with civilian defense authorities is being set up under leadership of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association. Co-operating in it are oil operators and companies, field superintendents and farm bosses, and petroleum engineers and technical experts. The work is being done with the approval of civilian defense officials. First oil area to be organized is the Texas Gulf Coast, with East Texas next and others to follow soon, George Sawtelle, association president, said. Local field committees in the producing areas will

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Joe McCarthy, about 12
son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F.
of Baileyboro Commun-
ed away at a local hospital
morning, about 11 o'clock

as a result of Ruptured appendix
suffered about five days previous
to being admitted to the hospital.
The child had been confined in the
hospital two weeks and an opera-
tion was performed.

Funeral services were conducted
Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at
the Baptist Church, Sudan, with in-
terment in charge of Hammons-
Smith Funeral Home.

Change In Santa Fe Train Schedules

A change in passenger train
schedules has been announced by
H. C. (Clay) Pumphrey, local Santa
Fe Agent.

No. 92 Clovis bound is arriving
here at 2:56 P. M. War Daylight
Saving Time and No. 91 East
bound is now due to arrive here at
3:44 o'clock War Daylight Saving
Time.

No. 92 has been passing through
here at 2:04 P. M. While No. 91
has been arriving at 3:14 P. M.

The change was not affected be-
cause of the adoption of daylight
saving time, Pumphrey pointed out,
but is designed to provide better
service throughout the Santa Fe
system. No change has been made
in freight train schedules.

Pumphrey emphasized that the lo-
cal depot is now operating on the
new time.

An increase of 10 per cent plus
federal tax went into effect on all
inter-state fares Tuesday, February
10, Pumphrey announced. No in-
crease has been made in fares to
points within the state, he said.

WAYLAND BAND GIVES PROGRAM AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY A. M.

Some of the members of the Way-
land College Volunteer Band gave
a very interesting program at the
Morning hour at the local Baptist
Church, Sunday February 15th. The
theme of the program was "Com-
rades of Christ The Conqueror".
Those appearing on the program
were, Miss Lanora Parks, Miss Ber-
nice Cowger, and Rev. Merle Grigs-
by.

Other members of the Band gave
a program with the Sudan Church
at the same time.

BULA NEWS

Hazel Weaver has been unable
to be at the store for the last few
days.

Mr. Dickson is doing some good
work in the school. He is having
the school children buy Defense
Stamps. Every Friday is the day for
the children to bring their dimes and
quarters. Last Friday there were
over \$70.00 worth of stamps bought.
This was real good for a country
school.

Mrs. Bob Nickels and Mrs. Jim-
mie Nickles' sister from Lubbock,
spent the week end with them.

Carl McGee made a trip to
Kress to see friends last Wednes-
day.

Several from here went to En-
ochs Sunday to a meeting at the
Methodist Church and had dinner on
the ground.

The Country Club met at Weav-
ers last Friday for the regular
meeting. Each member present tried
to learn to knit. Bernice Settleve was
the instructor. There were not many
present, Mrs. Painter, Mrs. Bell,
Burnice, and Mrs. Weaver and
daughter.

The club plans on doing a lot
of knitting for the red cross.

There was preaching at the Ba-
ptist church last Sunday. Bro. Blair
doing the preaching.

VALLEY VIEW NEWS

Miss Wanda Miller spent the
week end with Miss Lana Smith of
Whitharrel.

Mrs. B. A. Rhoten and daughter
spent the week end with her parents
Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Lewis of Texico,
New Mexico.

Eighteen men were registered
here Monday for selective Service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins and
son, S. B., spent Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. N. C. Gilley.

Miss Florence Gilley spent sat-
urday night with Christene Stephens.
There will be a one act comedy
play, "Yes Means No", Saturday
night at the community house.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks
for the many kind things that have
been said and done in our hour of
sorrow in the passing of our wife,
mother, daughter and sister. May
the Lord bless each and every one.

D. S. Cox and children.
G. O. Christian
Charlie Christian
Othel Martin
May Robinson

CARD OF THANKS

May we extend to our friends
everywhere our deep and sincere
appreciation for the many kindnes-
es extended us during the illness
and death of our daughter, sister,
and niece, Lois. The floral offer-
ings for which we are grateful were
a beautiful expression on your be-
half.

May God richly bless each of
you.

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June Wren
Bruce Wren, Jr.
Thelma Wren
Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Newsome
and family.

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ties employees at the Air Corp's
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vouch for that.

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new field, which will soon begin to
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Last Week In Feb. Is Scrap Iron Week

The last week of February has been designated as "Scrap Iron Week" in Lamb County by the county War Board.

The Superintendents of the Amherst, Fieldton, Hart Camp and Spade schools along with the Assistant County Agent, W. B. McAlister have been designated to handle the Scrap iron in their community.

Arrangements have been made with the Knox Grain Co., Amherst, Stagner Gin, Fieldton; Boutwell Gin, Hart Camp; and the Dean Gin, Spade to use their places as concentration points. These firms will give each individual a ticket showing how much scrap iron they brought in, the following week trucks will pick up the scrap at these places and then the individuals who brought in scrap iron may bring their tickets and they will be paid \$7.00 per ton.

In the above communities the drive for scrap iron is being sponsored by the 4-H Club boys and all farmers are urged to either bring in their scrap to one of the designated places or let some 4-H Club boy know and he will bring it in.

Be sure that the scrap will not be needed on the farm before you sell it or give it to one of the 4-H boys. Also the buyers of this scrap will not take any tin such as car fenders, etc.

The vocational agriculture teachers and superintendents of the Littlefield, Sudan, Springlake and Orlon schools have been designated to

Mancil Hall To Take Part In Program At Teachers Meeting

West Texas Teachers association have extended an invitation to Mancil Hall of this City to lead them in their group singing at their annual convention, which is scheduled to take place at Lubbock Friday and Saturday, March 20 and 21.

Mr. Hall is reported to have accepted this invitation, which is considered a nice recognition to the Littlefield man.

The West Texas Teachers association is composed of 2600 members of the profession, and a large crowd is expected to gather in Lubbock.

25 Women Enroll In First Aid Course At Earth Benefit Tea

Earth Recreational Club recently sponsored a Red Cross Benefit Tea, which netted \$15.00.

Mrs. McDaniels and Miss Julia Loftus, of Amherst, were guest speakers at the tea, which was held at the home of Mrs. L. Z. Anglin in Earth, and at which 35 guests were served.

Following the tea 25 women enrolled in first aid course, which is to be started soon.

handle the scrap iron in their respective communities and this work will be handled by the local F.F.A. Chapters.

Are You on a Payroll of Honor?

Our Country, Your Country, is at War. We are at war because of a treacherous attack by a Totalitarian Nation opposed to every ideal Americans hold dear. Democratic America is slow to arouse, but when we go to war we go to win. We MUST win for we have our heritage of freedom, our legacy of independence at stake. Moreover the freedom of men and women in all the Democracies of the world hangs in the balance in this war. All-out war, total war, costs money. The price will be billions of dollars and those billions of dollars must come from the pockets of the American people, your pockets. No price is too dear for us Americans to pay for the right to live our way of life; no cost is too great for the defense of our sacred Bill of Rights. Our Government has provided a method which will help provide the necessary funds to meet the cost of war, and in addition will give every man, woman and child who so invests, a comfortable savings nest egg for the future—the lending of our money through the sale of Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps. For us it's either a question of Bonds, or Bondage. Which do you prefer? The American, and the Democratic, way is for the volunteer purchase of Defense Savings Bonds or Stamps, regularly, systematically, without pressure or coercion. So let's do it the American way. The easiest, the most efficient and the most businesslike way is through some Payroll Savings Plan, whereby each pay day we authorize our employers to set aside a specified sum for the purchase of a Defense Savings Bond. Systematic, universal Defense payroll savings from the 40,000,000 workers in America is the simplest, easiest method to reach this goal to provide the necessary money to defend adequately America by providing our fighting men with the supplies and equipment they need on the battle fronts. So let's make every payroll in the Nation a Defense Savings payroll. Let's make it a payroll of Honor. You will have an opportunity to get on this payroll! Business concerns in Lamb county cities are presenting to their employees the Payroll Savings Plan through which defense savings bonds and stamps may be purchased. SIGN UP! AMERICANS HAVE NO CHOICE—IT'S EITHER BONDS OR BONDAGE!

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Sister To Mrs. Lee Bennett Dies At Vernon

Mrs. Lee Bennett, returned to her home in Littlefield Friday, February 6, from Vernon, where she attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Sina Haney, who passed away February 1.

Funeral services were conducted at the Vernon Baptist Church, with interment in the Vernon cemetery. Mrs. Haney had been seriously ill two weeks, and had been in ill health several years. Mr. Haney passed away several years ago.

She is survived by two children, Mrs. Ethel Ray and Oscar Haney, both of Vernon, and another sister besides Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Dasha Miller of Fort Worth, formerly of Littlefield. Several grandchildren also survive.

Fire Damages John Deere Repair Shop

Considerable damage was done Sunday about 3 p. m. to part of the building owned by Frank Rogers and

E. B. Luce dealers for John Deere Implements, when fire of undetermined origin, destroyed the east end of the building. Many implement parts were damaged. Work started Monday morning on the reconstruction of the building and the shop was set up Wednesday morning, so repairs can continue their work. Materials for the repairing the building were furnished by ginbotham-Bartlett Company.



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TWO CAN SING

by JAMES M. CAIN

W-N-U RELEASE

CHAPTER V

SYNOPSIS

The contracting business is in dol drums but Leonard Borland of the Craig-Borland Engineering Co., New York, has ample funds when his pretty opera-struck wife Doris decides she is going to resume her singing, interrupted by her marriage at 19 and the birth of their two children. Doris is helped out the program by her protests. Doris really income. Borland has always thwarted her peats that he has always thwarted her career, and she had her way, as at ways. The presence of Hugo Lorentz her teacher, irritates him. After Doris gives a recital at Town Hall, Cecil Carver, opera singer, phones Borland. At her hotel she tells him Doris has a good voice but lacks style. Cecil is to sing for war veterans but hasn't the words of a certain song. He sings it for her and she says he has a fine baritone voice. Cecil knows of Doris through Lorentz, says Hugo is hopelessly in love with Doris, and that Doris tortures every man she gets in her clutches. Leon ought to wake her up by giving a recital, she says. "Go get yourself a triumph. Hurt her where it hurts." Cecil will give him lessons but demands payment—kisses. He pays but says he loves his wife. He makes good progress in three or four months and spends much time with Cecil. Doris tells him Jack Leighton is going to get her at engagement singing at a movie palace To help Cecil, Leonard sings with her in Rochester. But he has stage fright so badly he murders his first number and exits to the sound of loud hisses.



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cakewalk for me, because I think I told you about all that work I did on music, and it seemed to me that I kind of knew what old man Verdi was trying to do with it when he wrote it.

Wilkins started it, and he played it slower than Cecil had been playing it, and I no sooner heard it than I knew that was right, too. I took it just the way he had cued me. I just rocked it along and kept every note even, and didn't beef at all. When I got to the G flat, I held it, then let it swell a little, but only enough to come in right on the forte that follows it, and then on the finish I loaded it with all the tears of the world. You ought to have heard the braves that time. I went out and took more bows, and it was no trouble to look them in the eye that time. They seemed like the nicest people in the world.

At the end, after Cecil had sung again and had finished a flock of encores, she took me out for a bow with her, and had me do a duet with her. It went so well they wanted more, but she rang down, and the three of us went out to eat.

Wilkins and I were pretty excited but she didn't have much to say. When we got back to the hotel, Wilkins went to his room, and I went up with her for a good-night cigarette.

She sat down on the sofa beside me, dropped her head on my shoulder, and started to cry. "Oh, Leonard, I feel terrible!"

"What about?"
"Oh . . . The tenor was all right. He wasn't much good, but I could have done with him, once he got over his cold. I wanted you up here, don't you see? I was so glad to see you, and then I didn't want you to see it, for fear you wouldn't want me to be that glad. And I tried to be businesslike, and I was doing fine. And then—you flopped. And I knew you weren't just a singer that would put up with anything for a job. I knew you'd go back to New York, and I was terrified, and furious at you. And then you sang the way I wanted you to sing, and I loved you so much I wanted to go out there and hold on to you while you sang the other one. And now you know . . . What have you got?"

I held her tight and patted her cheek and tried to think of something to say. There wasn't anything to say, not about what she was talking about. I had got so fond of her, that I loved every minute I spent with her, and yet there was only one woman who meant to me what she wanted to mean to me, and that was Doris. She could torture me all she wanted to, she could be a phony and make a fool of me with other men, and yet when she said hop, I jumped.

"I know what you've got. You've got big, hard shoulders and shaggy hair, and you're a man and you build bridges, and to you this is just some kind of foolish tiddlywinks game that you play until it's time to go to work. And that's just what it is to me! I don't want to be a singer. I want to be a woman!"

"If I'm a man, you made me one."
"Oh, yes, that's the worst of it. It's mostly tiddlywinks, but it's partly building yourself up to the level of that woman you're married to, so you're not afraid of her any more. And that's what I'm helping you at. Making a man out of you, so she can have you . . . I feel terrible. I could go right out that window."

I held Cecil a long time, then, and she stopped crying and began to play with my hair. "All right, Leonard. I've been rotten and a poor sport to say anything about it at all—and now I'll stop. I'll be good and not talk any more about it, and try to give you a pleasant trip. It's a little fun, isn't it, out here with me?"

"I just love it."
"Wouldn't they be surprised, all your friends at the Engineers' Club, if they could see you?"

I wanted to cry, but she wanted

me to laugh, so I did, and held her close and kissed her.

"You sang like an angel," she said, "and I'm terribly proud of you, and—that's right. Hold me close."

I held her close a long time, and then she started to laugh. It was a real cackle, over something that had struck her funny, I could see that.

"What is it?" I asked.
"You."
"Tonight? At the hall?"
"Yes."

She just kept right on laughing and didn't tell me what it was about. Later on though, I found out.

We sang Syracuse, Cincinnati and Columbus after that, the same program, and I did all right. She paid my hotel bills, and offered me \$50 a night on top of that, but I wouldn't take anything. I was surprised at the reviews I got. Most of them wrote her up and let me out with a line, but a few of them called me "the surprise of the evening," said I had a voice of "rare power and beauty," and spoke of the "sweep and authority" of my singing. I didn't exactly know what they meant, but I liked them, all right, and saved them all.

The Columbus concert was on a Thursday, and after we closed with the duet again and took our bows and went off, a little Italian in gray spats followed Cecil into my dressing-room and stayed there quite a while. Then he left and we went out to eat. "Who was your pretty boy friend?" I asked.

"That was Mr. Rossi,"
"And who is Mr. Rossi?"

"General secretary, business agent, attorney, bodyguard, scout, and chief-cook-and-bottle-washer to Cesare Pegano."
"And who is Cesare Pegano?"

"He's the American Scala Opera Company, the only impresario in opera who ever made money out of it."
"And?"

"I'm under contract to them, you know. For four weeks, beginning Monday. After that I go back to New York to get ready for the opera season there."
"No, I didn't know."
"I didn't say anything about it."
"Then after tonight I'm fired?"

"No, I didn't say anything about it, because I thought I might have a surprise for you. I've been writing Pegano about you, and tonight he'll see you . . . Rossi thinks you'll do."
"What?" Me sing in grand opera?"

"Well, what did you think you were learning those roles for?"
"I don't know. Just for something to do. Just so I could come down and see you."
"Anyway I closed with him."

It turned out I was to get \$125 a week, which was upped \$25 from what he had offered, and that was what they were arguing about. I was to get transportation, pay my own hotel bills, and have a four-week contract, provided I did all right on my first appearance. I thought it was the screwiest thing I had ever heard of, but I finally said yes.

We hit Chicago the next day, just the two of us, because Wilkins went back to New York after the Columbus concert. The first thing we did, after we got hotel rooms, was go around to the costumer's. I had to get fitted out for "La Boheme," "Rigoletto," and "La Traviata."
They were opening in "Boheme" on Monday night and I was to sing the role of Marcel.

There are no rehearsals for principals in the American Scala. You know your stuff or you don't get hired. But I was a special case, and Pegano wasn't taking any chances on me. He posted a call for the whole "Boheme" cast to take me through it Sunday afternoon. They couldn't get the theater, for some reason, so we did it downstairs in the new cocktail lounge of the hotel, which they didn't use on Sundays.

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Strengthening Of Family Ties Urged By Dr. W. A. Maier

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 8.—(Special).—Declaring Christian family life a bulwark of national defense, Dr. Walter A. Maier of Concordia Seminary appealed in his Lutheran hour broadcast last Sunday for the avoidance of hasty marriages and the strengthening of existing family ties through the power of spiritual worship in the home.

When a Child Needs a Laxative

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HAVE FINE FLOCK BUFF ORPHINGTONS

Viola and Audry Ham, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ham, are very proud of their flock of Buff Orphington chickens which their parents bought for them April 25. Both of the Ham girls are members

of the Littlefield Senior 4-H Club. Viola who is a senior hopes to pay her way through business school next year.

The 272 baby chicks were bought in April. Of this number they raised to be grown 100 pullets and 17 roosters. Besides this number 60 were sold as fryers bringing a total of \$25.48. Some of the chicks died when quite small but the remainder of the number were served on the family table as fryers.

The girls have had to buy a total of \$45.89 in feed to supplement the home grown grains. To supply green feed they have kept mixed wheat and barley planted all of the time.

The pullets began laying on December 1 and on January 26 they were laying 40 eggs per day. These girls believe that poultry management is profit.

greatest power will come from homes solidly founded on Christian faith. The family altar, he added, has been a vital force in the nation's crises of the past and should be the rock upon which our people found their home life for the present and any eventual trials. The broadcast of the Lutheran hour may be heard every Sunday afternoon over station KFDD, Amarillo at 3:00 o'clock.

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Miss Burt Bride Of Edward Diersing In Morning Ceremony

Miss Helen Burt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burt, and Edward Diersing, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Diersing, were united in marriage at nine o'clock in St. Philip Neri Church at Pep, Texas. The marriage ceremony and the nuptial High Mass which followed were performed by Rev. P. Morsch, Pastor of Pep Parish.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was met at the altar by the groom, and his attendants for the impressive single ring ceremony. The vows were pronounced in the sanctuary before the altar decorated with snapdragons and yellow calendarias.

The bride was lovely in a white satin dress of Tonso design. Her sweetheart neckline was adorned with a golden locket, a gift of the groom. She wore a pearly coronet which held her knee-length veil of illusion. She carried a Mother-of-Pearl prayerbook which held her corsage of orchids and sweet peas.

For "something old" the bride wore a bracelet which was her mother's wedding gift from her father thirty-one years ago. For "something blue and borrowed", she carried her bridesmaid's rosary.

The bridesmaid, Miss Sophie Roessler, wore a pink dress of taffeta with lace basque and matching hat. Miss Maybelle Burt, sister of the bride and maid of honor, wore an orchid taffeta ensemble. Mrs. Victor Diersing, matron of honor, wore blue lace and taffeta and matching poke bonnet.

Charles Burt, brother of the bride was bestman. Eugene Geirk and Victor Diersing were attendants. James and Ed Burt ushered.

A breakfast and dinner in honor of the bride and groom and their immediate families were enjoyed in the home of the bride's parents.

Those attending were; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Diersing, honorees; Rev. P. Morsch; Messrs and Mesdames M. A. Burt, A. M. Diersing, V. H. Diersing and children, Mary Ann and James Edward; Alfred Diersing and son, Patrick Glenn; R. O. Zahn, J. F. Gerik; R. J. Moneyhun, Dallas; W. J. Burt and son Billy, Lubbock; Albert Wilde and son, Ronnie Lee, Munday; A. R. Watkins, Levelland; Mrs. Edna Boyd, Eunice N. M.; Mrs. T. A. Burt and sons, James and Ed, Eunice, N. M.; Misses Maybelle Burt, Dallas; Sophie Roessler, Littlefield; Marie Morley, Charles Burt and Eugene Gerik.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Diersing are making their home with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Diersing.

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Announcements

For County Attorney
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For Tax Assessor-Collector
FRANK CUMMINGS

For County School Superintendent:
CLAUDE M. COFFER
J. ERNEST JONES

For Lamb County Sheriff:
SAM HUTSON (Re-election)

For Office of County Clerk:
OTHA F. DENT (Re-election)

For District Attorney of 64th
Judicial District
J. R. (Billy) HALL

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
C. G. BARNETT
LON SMITH
W. E. BENTLEY

For Commissioner Precinct 4:
E. L. YARBROUGH

For District Judge of 64th Judicial
District
HERBERT MARTIN
JUDGE C. D. RUSSELL
(Re-election)

For District Court Clerk:
H. C. HUGULEY

For County Treasurer
MRS. ANN BLYTHE

For Justice of the Peace Precinct
4, Lamb County
S. J. FARQUHAR (Re-election)

METHODIST CHURCH

Jim H. Sharp, Pastor

Our Sunday school will began next Sunday at 10:45 and the preaching service at 11:50. We are going to run the services on this time for a while but we will change to "War Time" a little later.

The churches are doing what they can to help in this great struggle that our country is in and want you to help them by giving the support that you can. The best support that any person can give any church is regular attendance. Attend church services some where next Sunday.

Postmaster Invited To Washington's Birthday Banquet

Postmaster W. D. T. Storey received an invitation this week from Raymon E. Buck, chairman of the Washington's Birthday campaign in Texas, to attend the Texas Washington's Birthday Banquet next Monday night, February 23, at the Crystal Ballroom in Fort Worth.

Mr. Storey reported that he probably would not attend this year.

Durwood Howell Enlists In Navy

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Howell went to Oklahoma City last week end where Mr. Howell enlisted in the United States Navy, passed the physical examination, and will probably be called for training in the near future.

He was assigned temporarily to inactive duty. He enlisted in the bookkeeping department, and will be assigned storekeeper third class.

He has been employed as the West Texas Cottonoil Company's bookkeeper for the past two years. Mrs. Howell is now employed as bookkeeper at the office of the Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co.

Attend Funeral Of Mrs. M. C. Wilson In Lubbock Monday

W. P. Houston, T. J. Jones, and Miss LaVerne Hayhurst, officials of the Farm Security in Lamb County, attended the funeral Monday afternoon of Mrs. Marvin C. Wilson, in Lubbock. J. T. Elms also attended from Littlefield.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Methodist Church, with interment in the Lubbock cemetery. Cause of Mrs. Wilson's death is unknown.

Mr. Wilson is area supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, and has visited in Littlefield many times, since he moved to Lubbock.

Miss Wortham Entertains With Valentine Party

Miss Dorothy Wortham entertained Saturday night with a Valentine Party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Street on fifth street.

The group enjoyed several games of Hearts, and placecards and refreshments carried out the Valentine theme.

During the "Hearts", Miss Maxine Cash received the prize for the lowest score, which is high in the game, and Mrs. Frances Langford won the prize for high score, which is low in the game.

Those enjoying this delightful affair were; Misses Ella Simmons, Lucille Bolton, Myrtle Woodfin, Sullivan, Alice Lynn Street, Margaret Bandy, Carrie Ivy, Maxine Cash, Mrs. Langford, and the hostess, Miss Worthman.

Miss Hughes And Harold Latimer Wed Saturday Night

The marriage of Miss Vola Mae Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hughes of Slaton, and Harold Latimer of Slaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Latimer of Littlefield, was solemnized Saturday night in Clovis, N. M.

The bride was attired in a lovely light tan dress with dark brown accessories. She wore a corsage of rosebuds. She is a graduate of the Slaton high school, attending Texas Tech in Lubbock two years, and is employed at the present time in an insurance office in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of the Littlefield high school and has lived most of his life here. He attended Texas Tech two years, and for the past several months has been employed in the shops for the Santa Fe railway in Slaton, where they will make their home.

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But, in appreciation of the loyal friendship which has been extended to the Leader down through the years by the people of Lamb County and Adjacent Coun-

ties, this newspaper will not put the new rates in effect until after Saturday, March 14. Up until that time new subscriptions and renewals will be accepted at \$1 per year from persons residing in Lamb County and Adjoining Counties, and at \$1.50 per year outside of Lamb and Adjoining Counties. After March 14, all new and renewal subscriptions will be increased to \$1.50 per year in Lamb and Adjoining Counties, and to \$2 per year outside of that area.

THE LEADER APPRECIATES RECEIVING SO MANY NEW AND RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Large numbers of new and renewal subscriptions are constantly being received by the Lamb County Leader, and at this time we wish to express our hearty thanks.

LOW CLUB RATES ON THE LEADER AND LEADING DAILY NEWSPAPERS

LAMB COUNTY LEADER

**\$6.59 In Checks
Red Monday**

Tuesday, February 17, 1942, the checks on the books of the Farmers in Lamb County had a total of \$320,297.72 in 1941 Agricultural Conservation Payments. The amount covered by 2,016 checks on February 16, \$28,146.59 by 167 checks were received.

on Cotton Crop Insurance has delayed the checks on applications submitted. As of February 16, \$28,146.59 by 167 checks were received.

**Men In Air
Stationed
Lubbock Base**

Alldridge and L. C. Sparks recently enlisted in the United States Army at the present time they are stationed at the Advanced Air Base in Lubbock.

Beulah Pierce received word that her brother, Sergeant Patton of the 113 bombing group in Manila in the Philippines, was safe.

**Beulah Pierce
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**Two Sentenced
In Bank Robbery**

A number of criminal cases were disposed of Tuesday in District Court at Olton.

Willie Lambert and James Penick of Denver City entered pleas of guilty in the Sudan Bank robbery before Judge C. D. Russell, and were assessed by the jury five years each in the Penitentiary.

The jury trial was at the request of counsel for the defense.

Attorney Barber of Seagraves, was the attorney for the defense, and district Attorney Herbert Martin for the State.

Jim Fevers, Negro, of Littlefield, pled guilty before Judge Russell in connection with the murder of Ernest Hubbard, colored, and was assessed two years in the penitentiary.

Rex Blair of Muleshoe was given two years in the penitentiary on a burglary charge. A number of Littlefield homes were burglarized.

E. E. Hadden of Fort Worth, was given two years in the penitentiary on a charge of forgery.

Lloyd Walker of Bakersville, Cal. received two years suspended sentence on a forgery charge.

James Garrett of Altus, Okla., was assessed two years suspended sentence on a car theft charge.

Additional criminal cases are set for next Monday.

**Coldest Weather Of
Season Is Recorded**

The coldest weather of this season was recorded Wednesday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock when the thermometer at the West Texas Gas Company's office recorded the new low of 4 1-2 degrees above zero. Zero weather was reported at Clovis at that time.

Other readings for the week were: Thursday 26 low and 55 high; Friday, low 23 and high 50; Saturday, low 44 and high 62; Sunday, 36 low and 60 high; Monday, 32 low and 44 high; Tuesday, low 27 and high 50; Wednesday low 4 1-2 low and high 30. The temperature started going down Tuesday night about 7 o'clock when 48 degrees were recorded, and kept sliding till at midnight the reading was 10 degrees; and 4 1-2 by early morning.

**MRS. DESSIE LEE
BROWN CONFINED
IN LOCAL HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Dessie Lee Brown of near Amherst was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Wednesday for medical treatment. She will probably be confined for several days.

Far Flung Scene Of Pacific Battles



A recently released map showing the Pacific, and Southwest Pacific war zone where the Yanks, British, and Dutch are battling the Japanese forces. Of special interest is the zone, marked with the broken heavy black line, which the Japanese have decided, by themselves—of course, is their territory providing they conquer it. New Zealand, shown at the center, foot, of the map is one of the most recent spots where Yank troops have landed.

**Bride-Elect Honored
At Lovely Shower
Sunday Afternoon**

Sunday afternoon Mesdames Victor and Alfred Diersing were hostesses to a lovely shower in honor of Miss Helen Burt, bride elect of Edward Diersing. A delicious refreshment plate of cake and coffee was served after the bride displayed many elaborate gifts.

Those attending or sending gifts were: Mesdames M. A. Burt, A. H. Diersing, A. R. Watkins, W. T. Jungman, A. G. Jungman, Frank Simmacher, Joe Simmacher, Phillip Simmacher, Ray Watipka, R. V. Zahn, C. A. Kuehler, Geo. Simonicz, L. H. Albus, Joe Albus, Ed Kuehler, John Frerich, John Stengel, W. A. Simmons, Haelscher Meyers, Adolphus Jungman, Idell Montgomery, L. L. Hill, Alton Logston, James Latham, Forrest Weims hold, Hugo Kinkler, Woodall, V. Glumpler, Joe Gerik, Albert Wilde, A. T. Taylor, W. H. Brown, Jack Smith, Misses Ethel Demel, Blanche Stengel, Valeria Jungman, Adeline Jungman and Maybell Burt.

**Club Women Will
Supervise Waste
Paper Campaign**

At a recent meeting of the Lamb County USDA War Board plans were made for the disposal of the waste paper in the county, and the group voted to ask the club women to be responsible for the collecting, bailing and storing of this phase of defense material. This work will be under the supervision of the Expansion Committee of the Lamb County Home Demonstration Council. Plans will be completed for this project at the next meeting of the council which will be in Amherst, Wednesday, February 25. In communities where there is no home demonstration club the cooperation of other clubs will be expected. Clubs of Olton, Sudan, Hart Camp and Earth are invited to have a representative present to assist in making plans.

**NEW CAMPAIGN—
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allotment program campaign will be made at a joint luncheon meeting today of the Rotary and Lions club at the Methodist church. Pat Boone, Lamb County chairman for the sale of Defense Savings Bonds and stamps, will explain the salary allotment plan.

Many of the Rotarians and Lions will bring business men to the luncheon as their guests, and other employers also will be welcomed; a special invitation to the luncheon is not necessary.

Lamb county is entering enthusiastically into the salary allotment program, which is being adopted by employees and employers in all cities in the country.

NOTICE

The Boy Scouts will pick up waste paper that has been collected for a long time. This work has been neglected but the scouts plan to come around to the houses every other week on Friday Evening from 4:30 to 6.

Every one is asked if possible to put the paper at the front of the house so the Scouts can get to it without bothering the people in the house. The first drive will be tomorrow (Friday).
Willie Bradley
Assistant Scoutmaster

**ARMY BUILDINGS—
(Continued from Page One)**

the present crisis.

Col. Gilks ordered all officers in Texas to be ready for any emergency that might arise. While the danger of air raids etc. is not so great in this section as in other parts, it is still possible, a bomb might be dropped by a fleeing plane, and the enemy would not be concerned as to whether said bomb landed in Amherst, Littlefield or a cotton field.

All Army buildings are to be made available as emergency centers immediately, and cots, blankets and first aid necessities are to be secured, or kept available.

All officers, soldiers and adherents are to be listed and instructed in certain duties and specified responsibilities.

In Littlefield a weekly class in first aid is to be started, and all adults and older young people will be instructed.

The State is divided for the purpose of emergency into Zones, which would go into action as a unit.

This section—called Zone 1 takes in five Corps—Amarillo, Pampa, Lubbock, Plainview and Littlefield. Adj. Wm. Johnson of Amarillo is Zone Major. He will be assisted by Capt. Hermon Lambrecht of Lubbock.

In the case of an emergency in any section of the above territory, the facilities of the entire Zone will be at the disposal of the Zone Major, and the local Defense Board or Council. This applies to cars, trucks, buildings, as well as personnel. In some centers, portable canteens have been installed in Army trucks.

**MISS WREN—
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Trammell, Jeanne Williams, Alton Lee, R. L. King, and Mike Brewer, Jr.

Miss Wren was a member of the First Baptist Church, Littlefield, and leader of the Intermediate BYPU, and a regular attendant at Sunday School and Church Services. She was popular among the members of the local school faculty and the younger set of the city, and considered as outstanding in her line of work.

She was born July 14, 1916 and had been a resident of this section

since 1924. She was graduated from the Littlefield High School with the 1934 class; and in Home Economics at Tech College, Lubbock in 1933. She was a member of the Phi Upsilon Omicron, Home Economics Society at Tech.

Miss Wren had been teaching Home Economics in the local school for the past year, and taught in Floydada the year previous.

She had been ailing before Christmas and was treated at a Lubbock Hospital. However, she taught school up until about four weeks ago, and it was not until the middle of January that her illness was diagnosed as of a very serious nature. She was confined in the Littlefield Hospital about two weeks previous to her death.

Surviving deceased are her parents; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wren, three sisters, Daphene, Teacher of English in the Littlefield High School; Wilma June, Senior student of Tech College; and Thelma, student of Whitharral High School; and a brother, Bruce, Jr., student in Tech, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Newsome of southwest Littlefield are aunt and uncle of the deceased girl.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wren of Mason, Texas; and Mrs. Bud Ewing, and Mrs. T. J. Bingham, both of Brady, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bingham of Amherst.

Friends here for the last rites were; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Johnson of Duncan, Okla.; and Mrs. David Lewis of Floydada; John T. Lewis of Bakersfield, Calif.; Mrs. Willie Lewis of Adrian, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Locke Lewis of Amarillo, Texas.

HEARING ON TRUCK LINE

A hearing has been set for 9:45 a. m. today (Thursday) at the Capitol Hotel, Amarillo, on the matter of an extension of the Levelland Truck Line, owned by Mr. Mann from Levelland to Littlefield, via Whitharral. A delegation composed of business men from Levelland, Whitharral and Lum's Chapel will be in attendance.

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Announcement...

Dr. B. W. Armistead has enlisted in the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Division of the Medical Department, but retains his connection with this office, and plans to return to practice at the conclusion of the war.

During his absence with the colors, Dr. Ira E. Woods will be glad to serve his patients, in addition to his own practice.

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U. S. Navy Sinks 5 Japanese Warships

The Navy's surprise raids on Japanese bases in the Marshall and Gilbert Islands proved Friday to have inflicted even heavier punishment on the enemy than first reports hinted.

The batteries and bombers of Pacific fleet units got these results Jan. 31 in a lightning offensive sweep:

They sunk five Japanese warships—one a 17,000-ton converted aircraft carrier.

They sent 11 Japanese auxiliary vessels to the bottom.

They destroyed at least 41 enemy warplanes, either in aerial dog-fights or on the ground.

And they plastered destruction all

over the important naval and air bases which the Japanese had prepared to threaten the flank of the U. S. supply route to Australia and the southwest Pacific.

The news that five warships had been bagged was a gratifying surprise to the capital, for the initial reports the day after the raid indicated that the only victims of the U. S. fleet task force had been Japanese auxiliary vessels.

Besides the 17,000-ton converted carrier, the Japanese lost a light cruiser, a destroyer and two submarines. The carrier was believed to have a capacity of 25 or more warplanes, and it appeared probable that some of these were lost when the ship was destroyed, although the Navy made no specific claims in that regard.

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\$60,000,000 Blaze Razes 'Normandie'



An aerial view of the \$60,000,000 French superliner, Normandie, recently re-named the U. S. S. Lafayette, is shown as smoke poured out from its interior at her berth in New York harbor. Fire boats poured tons of water into the burning vessel, which finally capsized. There were 300 sailors, 400 coast guardsmen and 800 workmen aboard when the fire broke out. The navy took over the Normandie last December 16 for conversion into a naval auxiliary.

Two Million Man Air Force To Be Mustered In 1942

The World's largest—a two-million man air force—was announced Saturday as the Army's eventual objective with half that number to be mustered before the end of the year.

This tremendous program, aimed at giving the United States crushing air superiority over all its enemies, was disclosed by Secretary of War Stimson who, before Pearl Harbor, had set a goal of 400,000 men in the air force by next June 30.

It compares with a reported strength of 1,000,000 to 1,250,000 in the Nazi luftwaffe and of about 1,000,000 in the British RAF.

It is, too, more men than the

Army had in all branches at the outbreak of the war.

The war secretary did not break down this over-all 2,000,000 figure into categories of pilots, mechanics, etc. It is known, however, that the original goal of a 400,000-man force called for training of 30,000 pilots a year. Presumably, this training program eventually will be quadrupled.

In addition to the Army's plans, the Navy is preparing an immense air arm. Secretary of the Navy Knox announced a week ago a program for training 30,000 naval air cadets each year.

Simultaneously with its announcement of the air force program, the war department took steps toward further expansion of the ground forces. An executive order from President Roosevelt authorized it to call to active duty 27 organized in-

Radio Industry To Be Converted To War Production

The War Production board announced Friday it had ordered the \$200,000,000 radio manufacturing industry to convert its entire facilities to arms production within the

next four months.

Department officials said this would mean early mobilization of all qualified reserve officers not now on active duty, and of specialized reserve units, such as hospital units which have been formed in many cities.

Activating the 27 divisions will be carried out in this manner:

Reserve or regular army officers will be assigned, along with cadres of enlisted men. The ranks then will be filled out largely from selective service recruits.

plished within that period, as declared in a virtual ultimatum government will take over converted plants, break up their organization, and shift their equipment and labor "to other parts of the economy where they could be mobilized for war production."

The ultimatum was laid down at a meeting of representatives of 55 radio set manufacturers by R. R. Guthrie, chief of the WPB bureau of radio branches.

The civilian output of the industry recently was ordered cut 50 percent under 1941 production, preliminary to the award of \$2,000,000,000 in arms contracts to radio manufacturers.

Officials said it was expected that the major portion of the conversion could be completed in three months.

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Rushing Defense Highway in Canal Zone



Concrete crews in the Canal Zone are shown at work on a section of the new Trans-Isthmian highway that Uncle Sam is building, at top speed across the Isthmus of Panama, to link the ocean terminals of the vital canal. The new highway will enable defense forces to move from one end to the other in two hours. Big rush of the moment is to beat the coming of the rainy season.

Personals

R. W. Rutherford was ill and confined to his home with a bad cold Tuesday and Wednesday.

Howard Latimer and Othello Wiggins, who have been attending an airplane school in Dallas, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. F. R. Jones, who has been confined to her bed is reported to be a little better.

Otto Jones and son, Jodye, made a trip to Dallas Wednesday morning. They were accompanied home by Jarold, who has completed his course in an airplane school.

L. Dunn of Rocky Ford is building a new poultry house at his farm.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gerlach at the Payne-Well Hospital Wednesday afternoon, weighing 8 lbs. 5 ounces. She is named Freddie Carol.

Frank Bartley, who is a member of the State Police in Austin, left today after several days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bartley. His brother, Gene Bartley, accompanied him to Austin and returned there Monday for the United States Army.

Alph Smith, who is employed at the Union Compress here, is at the bedside of his sister in Texarkana. She is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porcher were in Littlefield Monday and Tuesday on business.

Anna Q. Bellomy, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Bellomy underwent tonsilectomy in a Lubbock hospital Saturday. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker visited their nephew, Frank Ott Bennett, in a Lubbock hospital Sunday.

On February 8, the five-year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Onie Bennett of Rotan.

Camille Aronold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arnold, has accepted the position as assistant to

Church Of Christ Services At Spade

The Church of Christ, Spade, will have preaching services Friday and Saturday nights, and Sunday. Bro. C. B. Middleton of Sheridan, Wyo. will do the preaching. Services will open about 8:30 (new War Time).

Hunt, at the Littlefield Hospital. She took the place of Mrs. Chas. Foust who recently resigned.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King, Sunday were: his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King, and Mr. and Mrs. Hobby Dr. Thos. B. Duke and Dr. R. E. Heath and children, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Calhoun, all of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. King and son, Bobby Ned, of Lubbock. Mrs. Heath is Mr. King's sister, and W. A. King is his brother.

E. J. Foust, Jr., and Cecil Hall, who are in the ordnance dept. of Camp Will Rogers in Oklahoma City, visited here Sunday. Mr. Foust visited his parents, and other relatives, and Mrs. Foust came here to see him from Roswell, N. M. Mr. Hall visited his wife, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall and other relatives and friends.

Oscar Wilemon was among those who were unfortunate enough to have a wheel and tire stolen during an epidemic of tire thefts recently.

Mrs. Oscar Wilemon, Mrs. Ben Porcher and Mrs. S. G. Underwood visited in Lubbock Wednesday of last week.

Ike Dirickson of near Denton is spending this week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dirickson.

Mrs. F. R. Jones, mother of Otto and Arthur Jones, and Mrs. Payne Wood, is ill and confined to her bed.

Mrs. Lloyd Reid, who is confined in Payne-Shotwell Hospital for the past several days, was given a transfusion of blood Monday, and another Wednesday, and was reported late Wednesday to be resting better.

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16 OUNCE CAN

MACKEREL 10¢
CAN

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Page Noah! After two days and two nights of incessant rain, Chicago's sewerage system was overtaken in spots. Motorists were stalled under viaducts, and some intersections were impassable. A coast guard crew, transported to the scene by truck, rescued nine persons marooned in an underpass. Here the crew is taking one of them off his stalled automobile.

Last Rites For Earth Resident Held Sunday Afternoon

Mrs. Catherine Walker, 81, better known in the Earth community, where she has lived since 1929, as "Granny Walker", passed away at her home suddenly about 12:30 noon Saturday, February 14, as a result of a heart attack.

Mrs. Walker was the mother of Mrs. C. T. Bradford of Earth. She was one of the early pioneers of Earth.

Mrs. Walker was born near Memphis, Tenn., January 26, 1861. All through her life she was an active church attendant; was a good Christian woman loved by all. Previous to living in Earth she was a member of the Presbyterian church, but there being no Presbyterian Church at Earth on her arrival there to

make her home she joined the Methodist Church, of which she was a member at her death.

Her husband and two sons preceeded her.

Funeral services were conducted at the Earth Methodist Church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, with Rev. L. L. Hill, Methodist Pastor of Friona, officiating. Interment took place in the Spring Lake Cemetery immediately following.

Her only survivor is her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Bradford.

May Attempt To Get Control Of French Fleet

A determined new Nazi attempt to get immediate control of the French fleet was forecast Monday as members of Congress familiar with matters said Germany's suc-

cess in initiating its surface fleet in home waters protended a realignment of sea forces all over the world. Most legislators seemed to believe that the Germans would soon serve an ultimatum on Vichy—if they have not already done so—to deliver up a major part of the French fleet still afloat.

SHERIFF HUTSON RETURNS MAN TO LAMB COUNTY

Sheriff Sam Hutson returned Saturday from McKinney bringing Clifford Pettway, who was indicted last Thursday before a Lamb County Jury, on a charge of alleged robbery with assault in the case of A. Armbrucht of Spring Lake. The case has been set for Monday.

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OES Observes Annual Friendship Night At Sudan

Eastern Star chapters from Bovina, Olton, Littlefield and Sudan were represented Thursday night at Sudan, when the annual Friendship night was observed.

The OES hall was beautifully decorated, and the valentine motif was used in decorations and refreshments.

Three candidates were initiated into the Sudan chapter.

Those attending from Littlefield were: Mesdames Newt Harkey, J. G. Singer, V. S. Cassel, Lula Hubbard, Sam Rumback, Wm. Rumback, Pryor Hammons, Kate Gimmell, J. A. Price, J. R. Coen, J. D. Dodgen, H. C. Edmonds, and Mr. S. J. Sarquhar.

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Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Roy Shahan, Pastor

We were somewhat confused last Sunday about the time the services were to be held. The hour set for the services will be the new time. Sunday School meets promptly at 10:45 A. M. Morning Worship 11:45 A. M. The evening services, Training Service 8 P. M. Evening preaching hour 9 P. M. Wednesday evening Bible study and prayer service 8:45 P. M.

These hours may not suit everyone, but we are doing the best we can under conditions as we face them. We are urging fullest cooperation of everyone that our attendance and interest will not decrease but grow.

The Young People will give a Stewardship Program at the evening hour Sunday.

AVERY SULLIVAN CALLED TO PREACH AT CIRCLE BACK

Rev. Avery Sullivan has been called as pastor of the Circle Back Baptist Church. This young man was licensed to preach by the Littlefield Baptist Church on Aug. 13, 1939. He was graduated from Way-

CHURCH OF CHRIST Littlefield, Drive

When 9:55 A. M. CWT came Sunday it found as many here for Bible classes as on the previous Sunday. Our classes and Church services were completed and we were ready to go home as usual by 12:00 CWT. The evening service at 7:30 too was well attended. We appreciate this cooperation and invite you to come to these services.

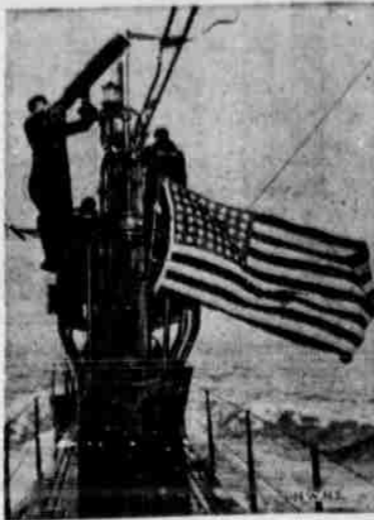
Bible Classes 9:55 A. M.
Young People's Class 6:30 P. M.
Ladies Class Tuesday 2:30 P. M.
Wednesday Classes 8:30 P. M.
Mrs. C. B. Middleton of Sheridan, Wyoming will be passing this way from the annual Abilene Christian College Lecture Week and will preach at Spade Church of Christ Friday and Saturday nights and Sunday. You are invited to hear him.

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH E. H. Reise, Pastor

Sunday School and Bible classes will meet at 11:00 a. m. CWT next Sunday. Services will be held at 11:45 a. m. CWT and at 8:30 CWT. A cordial invitation is extended to such who have no church home.

After services next Sunday night all such who are interested in the land Baptist College in May 1941. The Littlefield Baptist Church will ordain him to the full work of the Gospel Ministry on Tuesday evening, March 3rd.

Up for a Breather



An American submarine, patrolling on the surface, keeps a large American flag flying from her conning tower, taking no chances for being mistaken for an Axis "rat-tler." Parts of picture have been deleted by navy censor.

C. J. Cochran To Stage Auction Sale Feb. 24

C. J. Cochran is planning on moving to California, and is staging a farm auction sale Tuesday, February 24, at his farm one mile east of Whitharral, known as the old Bruce Johnson place.

There will be a large number of high grade cattle, hogs, and chickens offered for sale, as well as farm equipment, including one F-12 Farmall with equipment, and International Feed Grinder only used a short time, a quantity of feed, and household furniture.

L. S. Jameson will be the auctioneer, and Charlie Clark the clerk for the sale.

Carrie Lou Phillips And Cleo Richards Wed At Olton Feb. 7

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Phillips of Amherst this week are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Carrie Lou, to Cleo Richards of Olton.

The couple were married at the home of Rev. C. C. Griffiths of Olton, Saturday afternoon, February 7, at 4 o'clock, with Rev. Dee Cates officiating with the ring ceremony. They were accompanied by the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Olton.

The bride was attractively attired in an aqua blue dress with beige and turf-tan accessories.

Mrs. Richards, who was formerly employed in the county clerk's office at Olton, was graduated from the Amherst high school in 1940.

Mr. Richards was a member of the 1935 graduating class at the Olton high school. He is the owner and manager of the Richards Variety Store at Olton, where they will make their home.

J. G. Singer Talks Over Long Distance With Son Jack

J. G. Singer received a letter Tuesday from his son, Jack, dated February 14, from March Field, and postmarked March Field on the same day.

Serg. Singer is with the Medical Department on active service, and has seen service at Pearl Harbor.

As soon as Mr. Singer received the letter from his son he placed a long distance telephone call, and he and Mrs. Singer and son Neil all had a family chat with Jack. Mr. singer stated that it only took 10 minutes to get him on the line, and that the call only cost him \$4.15.

IMPROVEMENT ARE UNDERWAY ON H. P. POINTER PROPERTY

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pointer moved from Haskell County last month to the farm formerly occupied by N. W. Williams, one mile South of Spade, and are carrying on considerable improvements.

Two rooms are being added to the residence, and outbuildings constructed, including hen house and cow sheds. Mr. Harvey of Spade is assisting in the work.

The materials are being purchased from the Higginbotham-Bartlett Company.

A vigilant campaign against fires will result in a stronger defense at home.

organization of a Senior Mixed choir are to meet in the school.

Sunday School teachers and officers meet every Wednesday night at 8:30 CWT.

The Stewardship Committee will not meet on March 2nd, as previously announced, but on Monday night February 23rd, at 8:30 CWT.

Dr. W. A. Maier may be heard in the Lutheran Hour broadcast every Sunday afternoon over station KFPA of Amarillo, at 3:00 CWT.

ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor of the local Baptist Church, attended the

annual Pastors and Laymen's Conference at Wayland College Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.



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The one fast, sure way that everyone of us can help win this war is to buy bonds, bonds, and more bonds.

Uncle Sam wants Fighting Dollars . . . for he must have adequate equipment to win this war. And—it's going to mean work—and save—a motto every American should adopt.

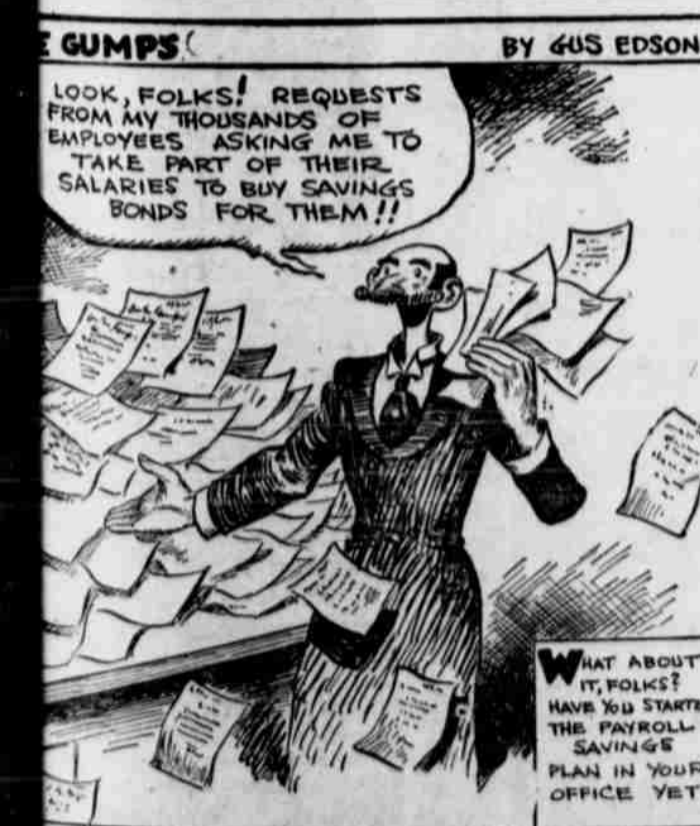
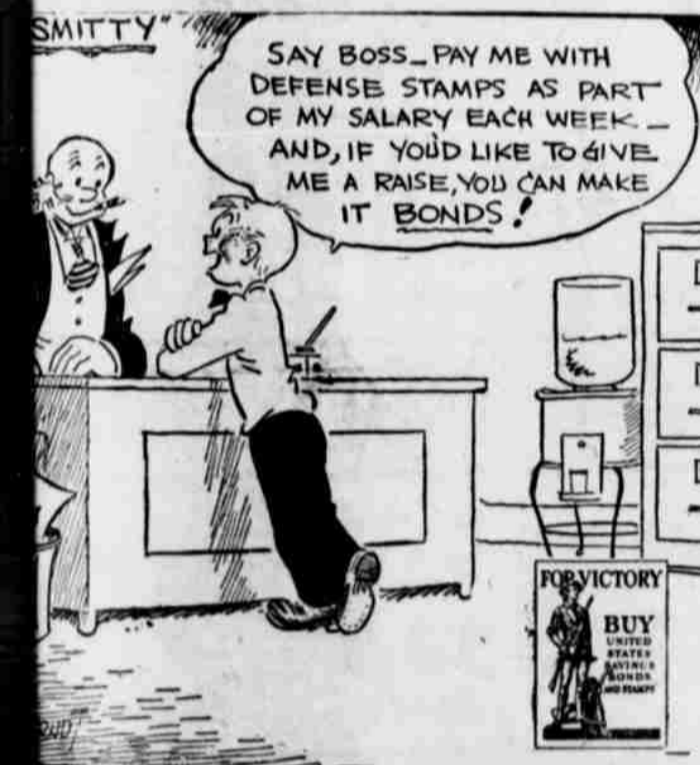
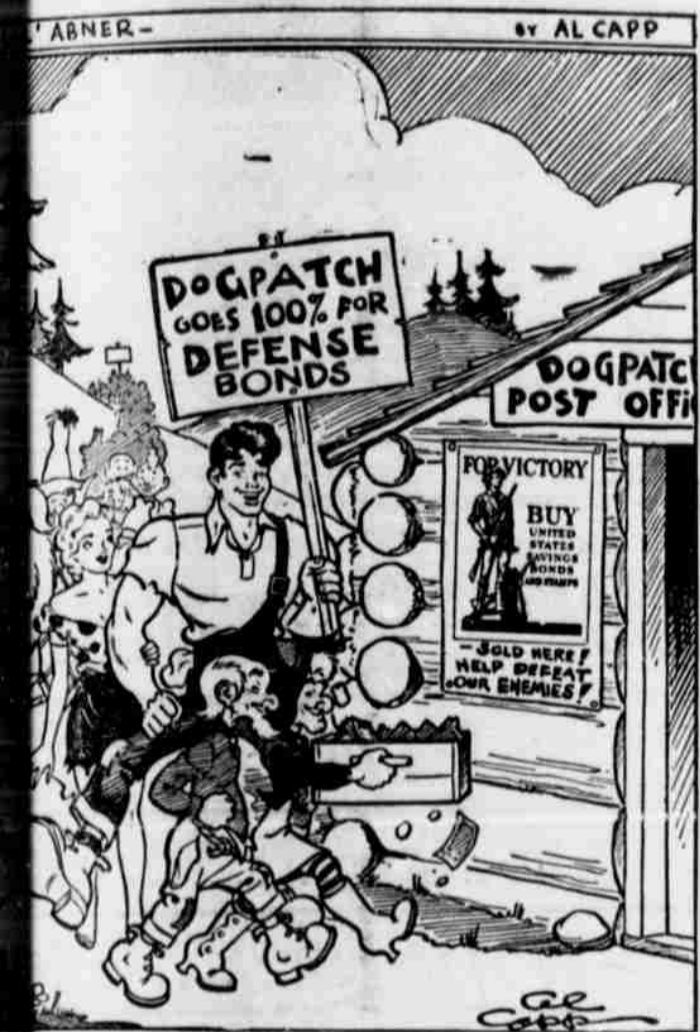
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This Week IN WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C. (NWNS)—Both political parties have issued statements that politics must be disregarded in the 1942 congressional elections, but there is little doubt here that as the time approaches there will be more and more of the usual name-calling and mud-slinging concerning subjects not directly related to the war.

It is not expected that the Republicans will criticize the President's war program directly—but they will make plenty of capital of such material as the recent appointment of a dancer pal of Mrs. Roosevelt's, Miss Mayris Chaney, and a movie actor, Melvyn Douglas, to positions in the Office of Civilian Defense.

This was evident following the introduction by Republican Rep. Leonard Ford of California of an amendment restricting the appropriation of funds to OGD for physical training and entertainment work. Before the vote the wires here were kept hot by Republican leaders to get party members in Washington to vote against the amendment and by Democratic leaders to get their men here to vote for it. The Democrats believe that the whole issue was brought up to embarrass the administration.

The "party" significance of the amendment was emphasized by Representative Ford himself when he showed his un concealed pleasure over the opportunity to embarrass the administration by saying: "Win, draw or lose, it will put a hell of a lot of them on the spot."

Although there was some question in the minds of members of both parties whether there was any necessity for expenditures for a division of this kind, it was evident that the attention given to the subject was all out of proportion to its importance. It was primarily involved with a salary of \$4,600 for Miss Chaney to be in charge of a physical fitness program. Mr. Douglas said that he had offered his services "without compensation."

Mr. Douglas defended the job assigned to him—that of forming a clearing house for utilizing the talents of actors, writers, radio stars, etc.—by saying:

"They want to know, 'what can we do? How we can serve?' The people of the entertainment world can contribute their talents and abilities to the Civilian Defense program. They can dramatize defense; they can dramatize the war effort; they can bring home to all communities all over the land the meaning of America at war."

"The personal attack upon me has broadened into a generalized attack on a fundamental issue: whether or not thousands of loyal Americans who work in the creative or entertainment world shall, because of their profession, be denied the privilege of helping to win this war."

While the issue was being debated, Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, stressed his belief that the entertainment world could play an important role in our war program by ruling that men essential to the movie industry should be deferred from the draft. He said: "The continuance of motion picture production is in certain respects essential to the national health, safety and interest, and in other phases essential to war production."

Although Washington last week was buzzing with talk on the Melvyn Douglas-Mayris Chaney subject, which also included a general re-hashing of all other faults which have been found with the activities of the First Lady, the less politically minded members of congress were more concerned with the problems of price control, Washington housing and a proposed Women's Army Auxiliary corps.

Although the price control measure is now law, the farm bloc in congress is seeking changes in it to permit further increases in farm prices. The senate is considering a measure to prevent federal agencies from curbing prices before they have reached parity as well as a proposal to prevent the government from selling surpluses as a means of keeping prices down.

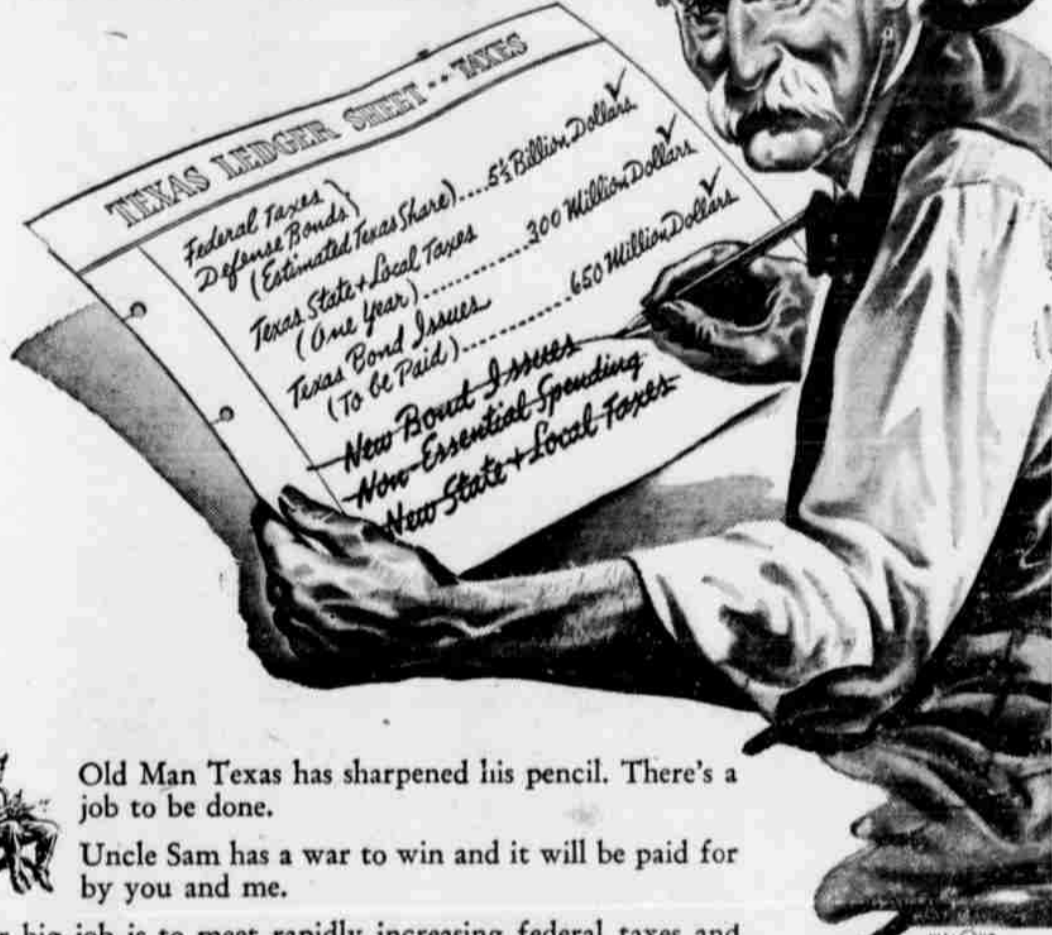
The plan for a Women's Auxiliary for the army has long been under discussion in the war department and is being sponsored in the house by Rep. Edith Rogers of Massachusetts.

Following the President's plea for the "parasites" to get out of Washington to make room for those who must be there for government work, additional housing has been proposed and a measure is expected to go through authorizing the expenditure of \$50,000,000 for additional housing. A fire in the big Statler hotel, which is under construction, is going to further complicate the problem since the government was planning to make use of this mammoth building for office space. The fire is expected to delay completion many months.

Since Donald Nelson has been in charge of the war production board, there has been a general feeling here that our war production program now is making rapid headway. Red tape is being eliminated, incompetent executives are being replaced and all forms of war work are being put in charge of the men best equipped to do the job. Many business men, known to be authorities on different phases of the war program, have agreed to give up lucrative jobs, at Mr. Nelson's request, in order to go to Washington to contribute their ability to the all-out war effort.

Billions for Allied victory... or for tribute to dictators? There is only one answer: Buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

Sure we can do it!



Old Man Texas has sharpened his pencil. There's a job to be done.

Uncle Sam has a war to win and it will be paid for by you and me.

Our big job is to meet rapidly increasing federal taxes and buy defense bonds. And added to these are the costs of our local and State governments, including bond issues. The money to pay for them must all come out of the same pocket.

To make the bill fit our pocket, we're going to have to cut out some of the things we can do without. Among these are new bond issues, new State and local taxes and nonessential spending in every branch of government.

Old Man Texas is looking to taxing officials all over the State to be on the alert to effect economies.

Every local tax dollar saved for Texas taxpayers is another dollar available for victory.

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Enlistment of Men For Lubbock Air Base Announced

Men of the South Plains area still have a chance to enlist in the United States Air Corps for duty at the new twin-engine advanced flying school nearing completion at Lubbock, Capt. Claude L. Prichard, recruiting officer for the field, has announced.

Until the units assigned to the flying school have reached full strength the office here will continue to accept enlistments, according to Capt. Prichard. But the units are being filled in as rapidly as possible with troops from replacement centers as well as with men newly enlisted here.

The Lubbock field, one of the newest built under the Air Corps' speeded-up victory expansion program, will begin in the near future to produce its quota of the commissioned pilots demanded by President Roosevelt for the quick ending of the war. Col. Thomas L. Gilbert, a long-time Texan, is Commanding officer.

A candidate for enlistment must be between the ages of 18 and 35, must have no one directly dependent upon him for support, must pass a mental test, must present a statement from his selective service board that he is not engaged in key defense work and has not been called for induction, and must be physically fit. Men not yet 21 must bring notices of their parents' consent.

After a few days at the Air Corps reception center at Fort Sill, Okla., a recruit is returned for basic training and assigned duty at the field here. According to his education, hobbies, civilian experience and general aptitude, he is assigned to duties for which he seems best fitted, and thereafter his advance-

ment depends upon the same things as it would in civilian life. He is also eligible for further education at the Air Corps Technical School or, after six months' service, in the Officer's Candidate School, leading to a commission as a second lieutenant.

Capt. Prichard warns that all men seeking to enlist must be prepared for immediate service when they report there, for they cannot be granted any time after enlistment to take care of personal affairs. He suggests, too, that they bring whatever personal belongings they might like, such as toilet articles, pictures and books.

All enlistments now are for the duration of the war plus six months, Capt. Prichard has announced.

MINERAL PRODUCTION UP

Texas 1940 mineral production totalled \$714,905,731, according to Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the University of Texas Bureau of Economic Geology. This represented a gain of \$13,077,035 from 1939 totals.

Synthetic Rubber Plant Reported To Be Underwritten

Efforts to establish a synthetic rubber and allied products industry in Texas moved a step nearer fruition Friday as a group of bankers and business men from over the state organized the Texas Defense Industries, Inc.

This corporation, a non-profit organization, will have for its purpose the carrying on of further investigations and studies into the facilities for the location of synthetic rubber plants in Texas as a part of the national war effort.

The new corporation was underwritten by 40 subscribers over the state, each one of whom agreed to put up \$250, the money to be paid in at once.

The koala, or "living Teddy Bear," found in Australia, obtains its moisture by eating young eucalyptus leaves.

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Attention West Texas Farmers Who Need
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First get your permit for dual Tractor Tires from your local Tire Board. Then take your wheels off at the Hub and bring them to Bob Elam's at 2235 19th St., Lubbock. Bob is going out of business and will sell you a complete set of New Dual Tractor Tires for ACTUAL DEALERS COST. There are only a limited number at this price—FIRST COME—FIRST SERVED. If you need Dual Tractor Tires—get your permit . . . and visit Bob Elam's—2235 19th Street, Lubbock.

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JAKE HOPPING—

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Funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Roy Shahan, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. J. F. Nix, Baptist Pastor of Abernathy and old friend of the Hopping family.

L. W. (Happy) Jordan of Plainview directed the Choir in special numbers, with Morgan Layfield of Lubbock presiding at the organ.

Interment took place in the Littlefield Cemetery, under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers for the Church service were R. O. Mayes, T. B. Vellner, L. E. Beron, E. E. Stagner, L. E. Barton, L. W. Sullivan, Cham Owens and Bug Roundtree.

Following the church service, Masonic rites in charge of F. O. Bokes as Acting Worshipful Master, were carried out at the grave. Active pallbearers for the Masonic service were; H. C. Arnold, E. C. Cundiff, C. O. Griffin, W. G. Street, Roy Gilbert, E. S. Rowe, Claude Campbell and W. F. Eisenberg.

Honorary pallbearers were; Jimmie Brittain, Grover Dennis, Jimmie Singer, Herbert Dunn, C. O. Stone, Guy Willis, Manciel Hall, Frank Rogers, Ben Lyman, Lon Smith, Roy Hutson, Dr. Wm. N. Orr, Stanley A. Doss, Frank Lehman, J. J. Harlan, J. M. Stokes, J. C. Hibben, A. A. Anderson, Norman Renfro, J. C. Muller, Floyd Hemphill, C. W. Armstrong, C. B. Hill, A. A. Wise, Sheriff Sam Hutson, Dr. Thos. B. Duke, Dr. Roy E. Hunt, Dr. J. R. Coen and Jack Farr.

Mr. Hopping was born September 23, 1900, at Paluxy, Texas, and moved to Portales, N. M. with his parents when a small boy, a few years later locating at Farwell, where they remained for ten years, and from where deceased moved to the South Plains section in 1918. For sometime he operated a ranch in Cochran County, 25 miles southwest of Littlefield, handling registered cattle. Becoming interested with E. S. Rowe in the abstract business, Mr. Hopping spent a portion of his time for the past 15 years in the Rowe Abstract office here, dividing his time between his various interests. He owned and operated a 1020 acre farm, with splendid improvements in the Fieldton district, as well as the Hopping Dairy, (formerly the Cundiff Dairy), which he had owned and operated for the past two years.

Deceased was a Past Master of the Masonic Lodge, and also Past Worshipful Patron of the local Chapter of Order of Eastern Star. His father, Judge R. C. Hopping, was the first Worshipful Master of the local Lodge.

He was a graduate of Farwell High School and of A. & M. College Arlington, Texas.

Mr. Hopping was one of the early pioneers of this section, having claimed Littlefield as his home for the past 24 years. He was a Mason of long standing, and a member of the First Baptist Church of this city. The great esteem held for the deceased was manifest by the large attendance at the services, the church building not being nearly large enough to accommodate the crowd gathered, and the elaborate floral offering.

Surviving the deceased were; his wife and three children, Dorothy Ruth, 13, Connie 9; and Dick 6; his parents; Judge and Mrs. R. C. Hopping of Lubbock; six sisters, Mrs. Boone and Mrs. Earl Hobbs of Littlefield; Mrs. H. T. Wingo of Las Vegas, N. M.; Miss Lillian Hopping, member of the school faculty of Gering, Nebraska; and Misses Dorothy and Doris Hopping of Lubbock; and two brothers, Sid Hopping of Littlefield, and Earl Hopping of Roundup.

Among the out of town relatives here for the funeral services were; Judge and Mrs. R. C. Hopping, and daughters, Doris and Dorothy of Lubbock; Miss Lillian Hopping of Gering, Nebr.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hopping and daughter, Michael, of Roundup; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wingo of Las Vegas, N. M.; Pat Boone, Jr., student of Texas State University, Austin; Mrs. Johnnie Johnson, Carlsbad; Mrs. Burton Burks of Lubbock; Henry Nutt and Miss Martha Nutt, Granberry, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Nutt of Hart's Camp; Mrs. Flora Nutt and Mr. and Mrs. Adams and family, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John Connell and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Connell of Carlsbad, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Connell of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hicks of Fieldton and Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Pope of Roswell, New Mexico.

Community Cannery To Close Saturday

The Community Cannery will close Saturday, February 21, after running since August 1.

According to Mrs. J. D. Dodgen, Supervisor, they have served more this season than during any other season.

Mrs. Dodgen also reported that they will start Monday on the mattress and comfort program at the Cannery building; and that they

REGISTRATION—

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Registration, said: "The cooperation of the registrants all over the county was splendid; all were very enthusiastic and anxious to register, and the work was done smoothly and efficiently. This, the Draft Board very much appreciated, as well as the help furnished by those registering the men, which was all volunteer work with no remuneration therefor."

All men reaching the age of 20 years on or before December 31, 1941, and all men who hadn't attained the age of 45 on or before February 16 were required to register.

Registering in Littlefield was in charge of E. C. Cundiff.

An estimated 9,000,000 men between the ages of 20 and 45, many of whom were father and sons—filed through registration places over the nation Monday to enroll for possible duty with the constantly growing armed forces of the United States.

The next registration, to be held in the late spring, will be for those between the ages of 18 and 20 and 45 and 65, representing some 15,500,000 in all. These men will be classified for civilian protection and war production jobs and will bring to more than 42,000,000 the total registered manpower for all purposes.

Registrants Monday were given cards to keep on their persons at all times. Local boards later will shuffle these registrations and allot each one a serial number. When this has been done, a national lottery will be held in Washington probably next month—to assign the order in which registrants are to be called.

The new order numbers will be placed at the bottom of the list of order numbers of previous registrants. Brigadier General Lewis Hershey, national selective service director stated that "some time" would be required to classify the new men, but he added, "I don't mean a year or six months."

The 1942 goal for the Army is 3,600,000 men. This may be doubled or more later. Nearly 1,000,000 men from the two previous registrations have been drafted to boost the existing army total to the neighborhood of 2,000,000.

In the first registration on October 16, 1940, a total of 16,886,591, men between 21 and 36 enrolled in the United States, and its possessions. On July 1, 1941, another 752,527, who had turned 21 meanwhile were registered, making a total of 17,639,118.

The current registration is expected to increase the total liable to military duty to over 26,000,000, although an important percentage of these can expect deferred status because of dependents, physical disabilities, or work in essential industry or agriculture.

It was estimated by selective service officials that about 1,650,000 in the 20 and 21 year old groups would register, along with 7,350,000 from 36 through 44. Exact numbers actually registered will not be announced because of censorship.

SPARE CHANGE—

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Government with which to prosecute the war.

The goal is a pay-roll savings plan wherever there is a payroll. And Secretary Morgenthau has said further:

"And when I say 'some part of their pay', I am not thinking merely of token recognition. I mean a real investment, the very limit that each person can afford without actually taking food and other necessities from himself and his family.

"And when I speak of regular investment every pay day", the Secretary said, "I am speaking not only of the millions of factory workers, not only of the teachers and accountants, the clerks and civic workers who live on regular salaries, but also the farmers who are earning solid incomes for the first time in many years and who will be the first to suffer if we allow inflation to get out of hand."

In emergencies, America does not do things in a hit-or-miss fashion. This job of meeting the cost of total war is the biggest financial task in the nation's history. It must be met, and met in the American way, the Democratic way, by voluntary purchase where by the money is lent, not given, the Government, without coercion or pressure.

Widespread use of the Defense payroll Savings plan will not only finance the war cost on a systematic, business-like basis, but it is a step toward reducing the ranks of the postwar needy and will help spread financial participation in National Defense among all of America's wage earners. It will materially retard inflation and store part of our pyramiding national income, otherwise spent as fast as it is earned, for future needs, future nest eggs.

will complete all materials on hand and that after this work is finished, there will be no more mattresses made for the present, as the Government is using the materials for defense purposes.



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No. 2 1-2 Can Armour's Hominy With Pork, 10c

Gingham Girl, No. 1 Tall Can FRUIT COCKTAIL 14c

LIGHTHOUSE CLEANER 13c 3 CANS

Full Quart MUSTARD 10c

CABBAGE Green Heads LB.



2 1/2c

Big Ben Laundry Soap 25c 7 BARS

Empson's No. 2 Can Pumpkin 10c No. 1 New Potatoes, Lb. 4c

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FLOUR 48 Lb. \$1.89 24 Lb. \$1.03

W. S. Grapefruit Juice, 46 Oz. 19c CELERY Large Stalk 15c



14 Oz. Bottle Heinz Catsup .. 21c

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Pinick's Crystal or Golden, Gal.

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BUTTER ARMOUR'S CLOVERBLOOM QUARTERS, LB. 37c SLICED, SUGAR CURED BACON, lb. 25c

FRESH SALT JOWLS, Lb. .. 15c Full Cream Longhorn Cheese, Lb. 27 1/2c Baby Beef, Chuck or Shoulder, Round Beef Roast, Lb. 27c

STEAK, Sirloin Baby Beef Lb. . . . 27c



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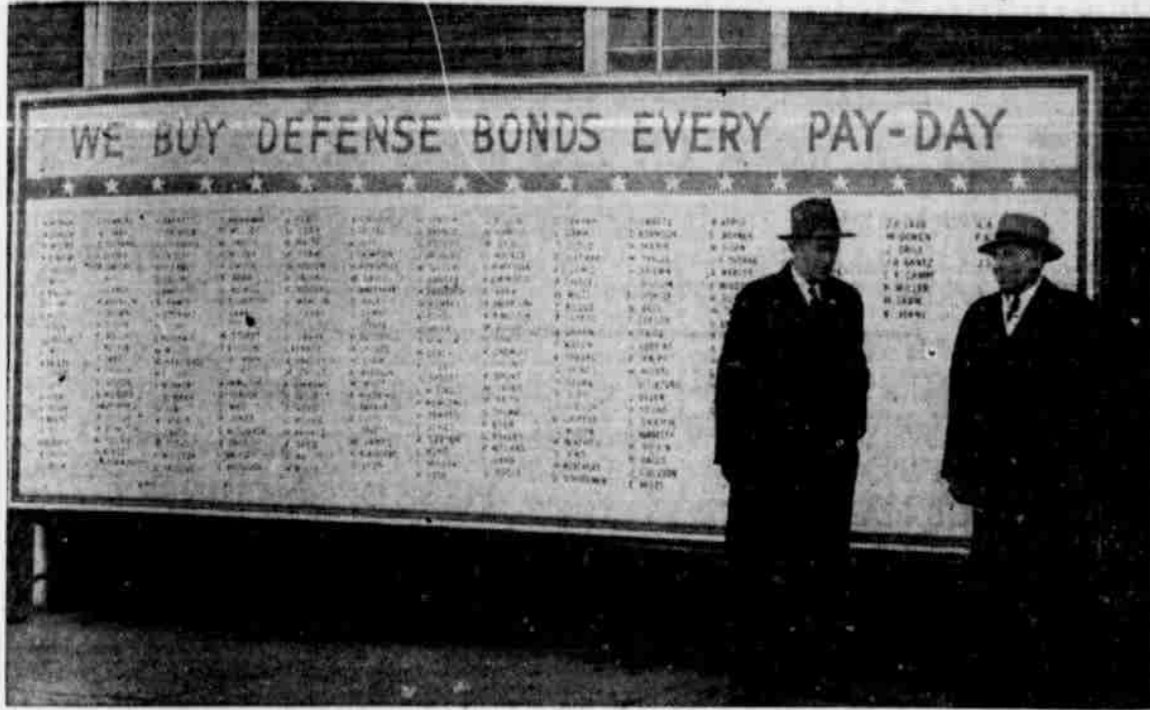
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Everybody Is Buying Defense Bonds and Stamps

Billboard Is Used As Honor Roll At Indiana Plant



The Delta Electric Company at Marion, Ind., has adopted a novel plan to let the community know how its employees are participating in the Defense payroll Savings plan.

Eddie Cantor Volunteers To Aid Uncle Sam



Surrounded by some of the members of his cast in his current show, "Banjo Eyes," Eddie Cantor volunteers to institute the Treasury plan of Defense Payroll Savings for the regular and systematic purchase every pay day of Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps.

Sudan FFA To Stage Father-Son Banquet

The Sudan Chapter of the Future Farmers of America will stage their annual Father-Son banquet Tuesday, February 4, beginning at 6:30 o'clock (war time).

A state-wide radio hookup will feature prominent speakers from 7:30 to 8 o'clock.

Marvin Ames Bowling, acting president, appointed Harold May, finance; James Bellomy, program; Ralph Brantner, room arrangement; and Marvin Bowling, meal serving; to head committees and make arrangements for the banquet.

An effort is being made to have all of the members to be present and bring their dads 100 per cent. Calvin Baker, president of the organization, will be toastmaster.

Buenos Aires ranks second to New York as an American seaport.

RCA Employees Pledge Savings



The photo shows part of the vast mass meeting of R. C. A. Victor employees held December 8, the day after Pearl Harbor, in a pledge of allegiance to the Flag and to the Payroll Savings plan.

Commissioners chosen. On Saturday near the same date in April the school trustee election will be held.

Money talks! United States Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps shout "Victory!"

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Thinking About COTTON SEED?

The Situation For Planting The 1942 Crop Is Becoming More Serious

Most of the cotton seed for this year's planting will have to come from out of this territory. . . . A broad statement—but—Practically all local cotton seed from last year's crop given the government germination test has turned out approximately 25 per cent.

We have been fortunate the past few weeks, after spending a great deal of time and money, to locate seed to bring into this section and to be distributed through the various gins. But not enough to meet the demands for planting the 1942 crop.

We urge the farmers in this section who have not made arrangements for their cotton seed, to do so at once. See your ginner, or seed dealer, and find just what are your possibilities for securing seed.

Those Who Are Planting Seed From Last Year's Crop We Urge You To Have A Government Germination Test Made!

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WEST TEXAS COTTON OIL CO. Littlefield, Texas

W. E. Bass Improves Farm Property; To Move Next Week

W. E. Bass is improving his farm 6 miles southwest of Littlefield, and he and Mrs. Bass will move to the farm sometime next week.

The residence is being completely remodelled both interior and exterior. The rock house is being stuccoed on the outside; and the inside plastered and papered. The house has been wired for electricity; hardwood floors laid and double garage built, as well as an irrigation system installed.

This property was formerly known as the M. Townsend farm, and was purchased by Mr. Bass last year.

Mr. Bass says he is going to raise cattle and hogs.

The improvements also include a small house, which he had built, and which is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finley. Mr. Finley is working the place for Mr. Bass.

NEPHEW OF C. V. RAY REPORTED KILLED ON JAVA ISLAND

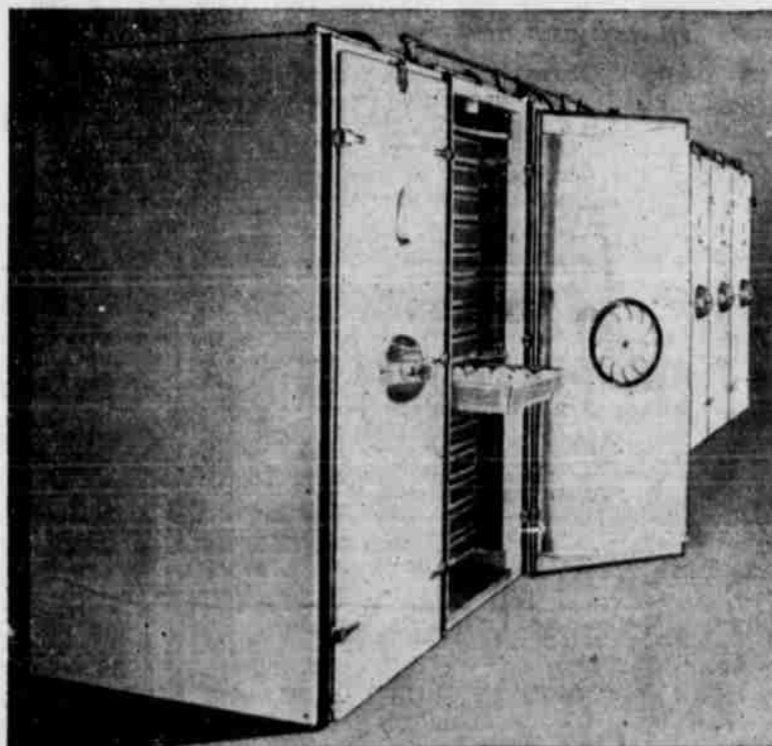
Don H. Barnes, 19, nephew of C. V. Ray, of the R. & C. Laundry, Littlefield, was reported by Mr. Ray as instantly killed in action on Java Island February 3. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Barnes of Lubbock, were notified to this effect Thursday last.

Also with Mr. Barnes in active military service on Java Island was his twin brother, who is reported to have been "standing by him" when he (Don H. Barnes) was killed. Both the Barnes twins were in the National Guards.

Mr. Barnes had been in the army about a year, leaving Brownwood Camp in December, last.

CITY ELECTION AT MORTON APRIL 7

On Tuesday, April 7, the election of Morton City officials will be held, and a Mayor and two City



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Under THE DOME

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press
Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Feb. 16.—(UP).—Coke R. Stevenson will have been governor for less than a year when he submits his administration to the approval of Texas voters in the first Democratic primary election. Stevenson became governor on August 9, 1941. The primary election will be on July 25. A majority vote is required to nominate, and if there is a run-off, the second primary election will take place August 22, which is less than two weeks after Stevenson completes a year in the office.

Both polls and popular expressions show that Stevenson has gained supporters since he was advanced from lieutenant governor to the governorship by W. Lee O'Daniel's promotion to the U. S. Senate. Whether he will have an opponent in the Democratic party is doubtful. In Texas, the Democratic nomination is counted as the real selection of the next governor.

Finances seem to be the only major difficulty that can face his administration between now and the election. War has created a situation far different from that anticipated when taxes were being levied and appropriations made by the last legislature.

Gasoline taxes probably will fall faster than any other anticipated revenue, though the effect of tire and automobile rationing has not yet been felt seriously.

With automobile rationing will go also a large part of the new revenue that had been expected from an automobile sales tax.

Except for a small appropriation to equip home defense guard units, no special arrangement was made to finance war emergencies.

The war may prevent expenditure of some funds that the legislature

appropriated—but these savings revert to the treasury and cannot be expended for other purposes until another legislature meets and makes appropriations.

Difficulty in getting priority on some materials is making some of the expected expenditures improbable.

The state board of control has pending with the priorities officials an application for the materials that are needed to carry out the state eleemosynary building program.

The importance of expanding the state facilities for care of insane and other wards has been stressed in the application for right to purchase materials.

Texas schools are not curtailing their expenditures because of war and the national urge to put the country's resources back of war machinery.

The East Texas Chamber of Commerce, which has carried on a study of public budgets for a number of years, reports that of approximately 100 East Texas school budgets recently examined every one called for larger expenditures this fiscal year than last.

"Moreover," the report continued, "the examination showed that the public school expenditures for the same independent (school) districts in most cases were higher last fiscal year than for the year 1939-40 on a per pupil basis in average daily attendance. New school budgets will be made in July."

The reference to the pupil load on a daily attendance basis calls attention to the state school apportionment law. Under that law school districts receive aid from the state on the basis of the number of residents in a school district who are of scholastic age.

A census is taken each year by school authorities. The school's right to state funds is determined by the number of persons of scholastic age living in the district. The district gets the full amount regardless of whether the eligible pupils attend school.

The eligibles for any year are children who become six years of age before Sept. 1 of that year and those who do not pass beyond 17 years until after Sept. 1. These in Texas number approximately 1,500,000. At present the state allows a school \$22.50 for each scholastic. When the last payment was made this month, there were 1,537,684

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scholastics. Frequently movements have been started to distribute the state school on the basis of pupil attendance but the effort has generally met school opposition. Besides providing more directly for a school on its operating needs, the new plan would save a huge expense of the annual taking of a scholastic census, frequently followed by charges of padding. Opponents say that padding attendance records would be as easy to accomplish without detection.

One of the reasons why newspapermen chafe at censorship: A conference of police chiefs, sheriffs, state police and the FBI was held at Austin this week. The press was requested to observe secrecy on much of the proceedings. The proceedings, however, took place in the hall of the House of Representatives. Anyone could get in, and any listener who did not want to be seen had only to step into a convenient committee room or an office adjoining the House of Representatives. To top off the "secrecy" a loud speaker was used.

Guayule rubber is no new thing in Texas. Back in 1907 the state legislature authorized the state land commissioner to sell the guayule, lechuguilla and sotol on school lands and enter into contracts for the purpose of determining the commercial value of substances found upon public free school lands. The bill sponsored by the late Claude Hudspeth, then member of the senate from the El Paso district, was passed and signed. Senate Secretary Bob Barker recalls that the West Texas senators had a good laugh at Barker's efforts to pronounce the then infrequently heard names of the plants. When the bill came before the senate with the report of its having been signed and become law, Barker skipped over the words "guayule" and "lechuguilla" and rolled off: "A bill to authorize the sale of sotol and other plants on state school lands." Considerable experimentation in

producing rubber from guayule followed. By the introduction of 23 streamline gasoline railcars, the Rio Grande do Sul Railway in Brazil has retrieved most of the business lost to highway transportation. Let freedom ring on Uncle Sam's cash register! Buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

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CLUBS - WOMEN'S INTEREST - SOCIAL EVENTS

Office Staff Enjoy Valentine At Sisson Home Friday

Mrs. Mitchell Sisson entertained a Valentine supper Friday at their residence...

Valentine Candy were prizes to those holding in "42" to Mrs. Glenn Mr. Woodall.

This enjoyable affair and Mrs. O. K. Woodall, Mrs. Dick Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Short.

Well Short Members Recently

Well Short was hostess to the W.M.U. of the First Church Monday, February 9...

O. Griffin was in charge of the program, refreshments served to the following: R. T. Badger, C. O. Griffin, Hobbs, Brantley Welborn, W. G. Street, Pryor Ham-

And "42" Enjoyed At Residence

Event of the past week Valentine dinner and "42" was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Griffin Wednesday evening, Feb-

Valentine motif was carried throughout the party. Guest list included: Dr. and Mrs. B. Duke, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Clark, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coen, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Coffman, and Miss Mar-

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Personals

J. W. Keithley, Jr., left Friday for Oklahoma City where he planned to enlist in the Marines.

Paul Hyatt left Monday to enlist in the Navy.

Mrs. W. D. T. Storey returned Thursday from Brownfield where she visited her mother since the first of the week.

Billy, Orr, son of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr, has been confined to his home with measles since Friday.

Henry Banks, who had been confined to his home all last week with measles, was able to return to his duties at his place of business Saturday, at Henry's Auto Parts.

Mrs. Ed. Hewitt made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday of last week, returning here Thursday night.

Miss Marjorie Hilburn, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hilburn, who was injured in an automobile accident between Sweetwater and Roby over three weeks ago, was released from the Sweetwater Hospital last week and is now at her home in Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Falls visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Delbert Falls, and children at Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Collins and Dr. and Mrs. Max Wood left Sunday on a week's vacation trip to New Orleans, La.

Ann Williams, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams of West of Littlefield, who underwent an operation for Mastoid at the Lubbock sanitarium recently, has been released from the hospital and getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Raney and family left Monday for Fort Worth, where Mr. Raney plans to establish a cafe. Mr. and Mrs. Raney have three children, Nolan Ray, Billie Jo and Mary Alice.

Mrs. Vernie Wright, who underwent an appendicitis operation two weeks ago, and has been confined in the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, was released Sunday, and is convalescing at her home.

Mrs. Ed Allen and son, Bellomy Ed, of Junction, Texas, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brown spent a day last week in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carlisle returned Monday of last week from several days' trip to Dallas and Denton, Texas. They visited their daughter, Mrs. Adam Becker, and daughter, at Dallas, and another daughter, Mrs. Quindy Self, at Denton.

Cecil Hall and E. J. Foust, Jr., stationed at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma, in the butchery department, spent the week end here.

Mrs. Lloyd Reid, the former Miss Sue Brannen, who has been teaching in Hobbs, N. M. arrived home Saturday night.

TO RELIEVE MISERY OF COLDS Take 666

Mr. and Mrs. Wheat Observe Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Saturday February 7, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Wheat celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary...

The evening was spent in talking over old times. Those present for the happy occasion were seven children: Mr. W. W. Wheat of Wingate, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pace, Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Atkins, Tahoka; Mr. Leon Wheat, Wingate; Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Keping, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wheat and son, Thomas, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wheat and family of Amherst.

Other relatives present was a sister of Mr. Wheat, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Emfinger of Littlefield; a nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Mote and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Furlow of O'Donnell, and Roy C. Bennett and daughter of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheat received several nice gifts.

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Mrs. B. L. Cogdill Hostess To Bridge Group Thursday

The beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Cogdill at 2426 28th Street, Lubbock, was the scene of a bridge party Thursday afternoon...

The motif and colors suggestive of Valentine Day were featured in the home decorations, bridge accessories, and in the refreshments served following the games.

Scoring high in the games were: Mrs. J. C. Elms and Mrs. Jack Farr, who received Defense Stamps as prizes.

Besides the above, others enjoying Mrs. Cogdill's hospitality were: Mesdames Hugo Kinkler, Wm. N. Orr, Jack Farr, Jess Elms, Floyd Hemphill and Ewing Thaxton.

Woman's Missionary Society Meet Monday In Mission Study

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met in Mission Study Monday afternoon in the basement of the church.

Bro. Roy Shahan gave the lesson from the mission book "Signs of the Times" by Una Roberts Lawrence.

Those attending were: Mesdames Viggo Peterson, C. O. Griffin, Roy Shahan, E. M. Davis, R. T. Badger, Lon Smith, Tom Matthews, T. A. Henson, Carl Smith, L. Wallace and Rev. Roy Shahan.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps!

Mrs. Ralph Gray Honored Saturday At Breakfast And Bridal Shower

One of the most outstanding parties of the season was the breakfast and miscellaneous bridal shower given by Mrs. Stacy Hart and Mrs. E. C. Thaxton at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thaxton on East Eighth street, Saturday morning...

The breakfast table was laid with a beautiful lace cloth, a large red heart forming the centerpiece, the center of which was filled with Sweetpeas.

Place cards were red Valentines; and red and white candy hearts were used for plate favors.

The honoree was the recipient of many beautiful and much appreciated gifts, which were presented by Mrs. Hart.

The guest list included; the honoree, Mrs. Gray, and Misses Gladys Jones, Myrtle Woodfin, Eddythe Walker, Ruth Griffin, Olene Robbins, Ranell Chaney, Janell Kirk and Mesdames Dick Carl, Floyd Hemphill and W. C. Thaxton.

Worthy Grand Matron O. E. S. To Be Guest Of Local Chapter

Plans to entertain the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. S. Hussman, of Houston, were discussed at the regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star held here Friday evening.

It was decided to invite Susan, Muleshoe, and Olton Chapter to be guests of the local chapter in a joint meeting Tuesday evening, April 7, when Mrs. Hussman will be special guest.

Members from Amherst present at Friday night's meeting were Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Prentice Holland and Mrs. Allan White.

Enjoy Valentine Party At A. R. Hendricks Home

As a compliment to her little daughter, Kay, Mrs. A. R. Hendricks entertained a group of children at a Valentine party Saturday afternoon at the Hendricks residence in the Duggan Addition.

The honoree was the recipient of a number of Valentines and other gifts.

The children gathered about 3:30 and enjoyed playing "Valentine Postoffice," and other games, following which a large white cake decorated in red was cut and served with ic cream to the guests.

Valentines and Valentine hats were favors.

Present at this very enjoyable children's party were: Kay Hendricks, the honoree, and Polly Lou Potter, Garry Pass, Don and Sue

Club Group Enjoy Bridge Luncheon At Hendricks Home

As a courtesy to members of the 20th Century Luncheon Club, Mrs. A. R. Hendricks was hostess to the group Wednesday afternoon, February 11, when a bridge-luncheon was enjoyed.

The meal was served at the Littlefield Hotel, where the Valentine motif was featured in the table appointments, as well as the beautiful centerpiece of Red and White Sweet Peas, and the clever place cards.

Following the luncheon bridge was enjoyed at the Hendricks home in the Duggan Addition, Mrs. J. H. Barnett and Mrs. Ed Fowler scoring high in the games.

Other members present were: Mesdames W. D. Watkins, W. J. (Bill) Cheshier, Ed Fowler, Clifford E. Payne, T. Wade Potter, Mancel Hall, A. C. Cheshier, C. E. Cooper, I. T. Shotwell, Jr., Ivan Fowler, J. H. Barnett and L. L. Collins.

Miss Williams And Pat Hart Wed Here Saturday Evening

Miss Mary Helen Williams became the bride of Joe Pat Hart Saturday evening, February 14, at 9 o'clock at the First Baptist Parsonage here, with Rev. Roy Shahan, Pastor officiating with the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. Hart is the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams of Littlefield. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hart of near Littlefield.

The bride wore a beige tailored suit with blue accessories.

Those present for the ceremony were; Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Sisson; Miss Alyne Rucker, Littlefield; Miss Pearl Cook of Spade; and Archie Fain Williams, sister of the bride.

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LATEST MARCH OF TIME FILM 'FAR EAST COMMAND' OPENS AT PALACE SATURDAY

Pointing out that the fury of Japan's attack indicates a knowledge that her time is short, the editors of the March of Time this month cast new light on events in Malaya, Australia and New Zealand. "Far East Command," latest March of Time film opening at the Palace Theatre Saturday midnight, continuing through Sunday and Monday, warns against underestimating the British delaying action in the Malay peninsula, and offers evidence to show that the progressive-minded people of Australia and New Zealand will prove a decisive factor in the conflict now raging in the Far East.

Marking future Jap points of weakness, the March of Time shows that advances in the Malay peninsula have given the Japs a temporary advantage because U. S. supply routes are now six long weeks from U. S. factories and arsenals.

In Malaya and the Indies is 95 per cent of the world's rubber, 90 per cent of U. S. tin supply, and enough petroleum to supply the needs of the entire Axis. This, as the film shows, would prove a valuable prize for the Japs, and in their greed to capture it there is reason to hope they may have overreached themselves.

In short, says the March of Time, Australia and New Zealand have everything to make our boys feel at home. In these friendly and flourishing islands they will discover ready at hand the tools needed to do the job of regaining lost territory and delivering a final crushing blow to the Axis.

'Sullivan's Travels' Comes To Ritz This Week End

Joel McCrea and Veronica Lake are co-starred in "Sullivan's Travels"—the exciting story of a prized Hollywood director, who wants to bring to the screen a story of America's impoverished outcasts, he masquerades as a tramp and sets out to experience the hardships of those he would dramatize, which will be featured at the Ritz Theatre Saturday midnight, and continuing through Sunday and Monday.

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Rocky Ford

There was a good crowd out for Sunday school Sunday and Bro. Moore filled his regular appointment.

Haley Bussamas and wife of Amarillo visited home folks and friends last week.

Miss Ellene Ivey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dunn last week.

Raneal and Mary Wilton Ivey of Dimmitt spent the day Thursday with their Grandmother, Mrs. L. L. Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williamson spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Emanuel have recently moved into our community we welcome them.

Mrs. Josie Proctor of California who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Murrell and her brother, James Murrell, are leaving for California, (today) Monday.

L. J. Roberson is leaving this week for the army. His mother and Dad, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roberson gave a farewell dinner Sunday. Those attending were; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberson of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberson of Frio, Mr. and Mrs. H. Farley and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Howard, Mrs. H. Farley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chaplin and family and Miss Doris Vaughn, Miss Ellene Ivey, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dunn, Miss Eula Barnes and Mrs. Virgie Wallace, Bro. Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Dunn, the newly weds, were all present. There were 46 in all.

Cletis Dunn, son of A. Z. Dunn and Miss Winnie Ola Roberson, were married February 9 at 3 o'clock by Bro. Crabtree, the Methodist pastor at Olton.

Melton Dunn of Portales, visited kinfolks and friends over the week end.

Miss Geneva Enloe who is going to business college at Lubbock, visited homefolks over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberson visited at Hale Center Saturday.

We are glad to report Richard Smith recovering nicely from flu and Pneumonia.

Several from the community are having the Measles.

Mrs. L. B. Dunn visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. P. Cummings is suffering from nervousness.

Buster Farley was called to the army last week.

BUFORD MINTER PAINFULLY BURNED

Buford Minter of Littlefield, about 25, is confined in the Payne-Shotwell Hospital suffering painful burns on his legs, which he sustained about 8 a. m. Friday when he started a bonfire on the East-West Highway, near Spade. He is reported to have been employed on the road, and is believed to have spilled some gasoline on his clothes, and getting too close to the blaze, caught fire. Although his burns are painful, they are not considered as serious.

R. E. Dobb, who was with Minter at the time, was also burned on

both hands in trying to extinguish the fire. He was also treated at the hospital but was able to go home.

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After the Old Bailey, famous police court in London, was damaged by bombs the gilt figure of justice on top of the building still stood erect holding the sword and scales.

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ACCEPTED IN AIR CORPS

Darrell Hasley of Sudan passed final tests for the U. S. Air Corps, and will leave for primary training February 28. He has a grade of 92 on the test given in Lubbock. Passing grade is 80.

15 NEW CITY CLERKS

Miss Genevieve Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilkinson of Sudan, has succeeded Marjella Jones as Sudan's City Clerk. Miss Wilkinson is former clerk of the Sudan schools. Miss Wilkinson resigned to take a position with the First National Bank in Sudan.

ELECTRICAL POWER

During 1940, the United States produced almost 115,000,000 kilowatt-hours of electrical energy. Highest monthly output of the year was in December, when 42,000,000 kilowatt-hours were produced.

—Buy Defense Bonds—



FARM Auction Sale

Sale Starts at 10:30 A. M.

Tuesday, February 24, 1942

As I am leaving the farm on account of my wife's health, I will sell at public auction the following described property at my place 1 mile East, and 1-2 mile north of Whitharral, known as the old Bruce Johnson farm:

- | COWS | CHICKENS |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 Jersey Cows with calves by side 3 Jersey Cows with Yearling calves 4 Jersey Heifers 8 Jersey Steers 1 Blue Cow giving milk 1 Jersey Cow giving milk 1 Red Cow giving milk 1 Heifer Calf 1 Steer Calf 2 Yearling Heifers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100 White Leghorn Chickens. 100 Brown Leghorns. |
| HOGS | HOUSEHOLD GOODS |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 17 Shoats running from 100 to 150 pounds. 9 Shoats. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Good Sewing Machine. 1 Bath tub. 2 Beds. 1 Pair of Springs. 1 Kitchen Table. 8 Chairs. 1 Buffet. 1 Chiffonair. 2 Dufolds. 1 Dresser. 1 Water Cream Separator. 1 Kitchen Cabinet. 3 Stand Tables. 1 Radio. 1 Phonograph. 5 Rugs. 1 Oil Heater. 1 4 Burner Perfection Oil Stove. 1 Range—New Perfection. 150 Jars of Fruit. 1 Fifteen Gal. Oil Can. 2 Cream Cans. 5 Milk Buckets. 1 Ten Gal. Cream Can. |
| FARM EQUIPMENT | FEED |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 F-20 Farmall with Equipment good as new. 1 International Feed Grinder used 4 months with new belt and 1 extra joint of pipe to go with it. 3 Four wheel trailers with good casings. 1 Airline Wind Charger and Tower in good condition. 3 Sets of Knives. 1 Go-Devil. 1 Cream Separator—De Laval. 2 Maize Forks. 3 Hog Troughs. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5 Tons Maize Heads. 1000 Lbs. of Threshed Maize. |

TERMS OF SALE: CASH

No property to be moved until settled for. The Baptist Ladies of Whitharral will serve lunch at noon. FREE COFFEE. Bring your cups.

C. J. Cochran

I. S. Jameson, Auctioneer

OWNER

Charlie Clark, Clerk

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