

11 Convicts Make Escape, Three Nabbed

Fugitives, in Two Groups, Trained By Bloodhounds

HUNTSVILLE, Jan. 14. (AP)—Eleven prisoners, including several long-term convicts, sawed their way out of the dormitory building at Eastham prison farm early today, but three of them were quickly captured, state prison officials said.

They said Frank Frisbee, 38, serving seven years from Tarrant and Culberson counties for theft and robbery was shot in the leg by a guard and captured. He was not wounded seriously.

James M. Scott of Los Angeles, serving five years from Oldham and Potter counties for robbery; and one other convict not identified by the records office, also were captured immediately after the break.

Officials said at least some of the eight fugitives were being trailed by hound packs in the Centerville section.

State police at Austin said they were notified that the convicts had fled in two groups, one apparently heading toward Trinity and the other in the direction of Weldon.

Prison officials listed those still at large as:

Jessie Lawrence Vance of Jasper, serving 15 years from Liberty county for robbery.

Carl Anderson, 25 years from El Paso county, robbery.

Leon Dwight Craft of Dallas, five years from Cooke county, robbery with firearms.

Chester Dillard, three years from Fannin and Grayson counties, forgery.

John E. Merin, Corpus Christi, five years from Nueces and San Patricio counties, burglary and theft.

J. D. Taylor of Lubbock, 10 years Lubbock county, burglary.

Jack Williams of Dallas, 25 years Dallas county, robbery.

Ollie York of Giddings, life from Lee and Victoria counties, theft and robbery.

The two houses stood at ease while a joint committee tabulated the returns—already well-known to the public—which will be submitted later in the day to a combined senate-house session which will declare that Coke R. Stevenson was duly elected governor and John Lee Smith lieutenant governor.

The process is a formality which must be disposed of prior to the inaugural ceremonies next week.

Governor Stevenson meanwhile sent to the senate for confirmation the names of 137 appointees to state boards, commissions and committees all of which have been previously announced.

The appointments were made since he assumed the governorship in 1941.

Members were introducing or filing for introduction numerous bills which will provide grist for the lawmaking mill which will swing into action fully next week.

Both house and senate members prepared bills for reappportioning the state for legislative purposes.

Liquor legislation, following the governor's suggestion for a curfew law, also was in the making.

War-time influences were felt immediately in many bills.

One Of Escaped Internees Slain

ROSSELL N. M., Jan. 14. (AP)—One prisoner was killed and another wounded of a trio of internees who escaped from the Roswell internment camp here last night, Colonel Murray F. Gibbons, commanding officer of the camp, announced today.

Colonel Gibbons issued the following statement:

"Sometime last night after 5 p. m., three prisoners escaped from the Roswell internment camp. They attempted to steal a car near Artesia. The owner of the car killed one of them slightly wounded another one. The two living prisoners were taken into custody by the civil authorities at Artesia, who notified the camp authorities of the action. We sent to Artesia for them, took them back into custody and they are now in our hands."

PILOTS GRADUATED

WACO, Jan. 14. (AP)—"You're in a great responsibility. See that you meet it unflinchingly." Major General Andrew Bruce, commanding general of the tank destroyer command at Camp Hood, Tex., today told the first class of twin-engine pilots to graduate from the new Blackland Army Flying School here.

Jap Destroyers Damaged By Yank Torpedo Boats



Takes Oath—Rep. Price Daniel of Liberty (left) is shown taking the oath of office as speaker of the house of representatives of the 44th Texas Legislature. He was unanimously elected to the post. Administering the oath is Secretary of State William J. Lawson.

Labor Board Calls Session On Coal Strike

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14. (AP)—The war labor board today called a public hearing for tomorrow on the anthracite strike and asked union leaders and operators to attend.

Chairman William H. Davis, in a telegram to President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers, officers of the principal coal companies involved, and officers of local unions, said:

"You are requested to appear before the war labor board at 2 p. m., Friday, January 15, at the departmental auditorium, 14th and Constitution avenue, Washington, for the purpose of stating fully the reasons why the anthracite miners, citizens of the United States whose sons and brothers are at the fighting front, are on strike against the national anthracite policy against the welfare of the nation in time of war."

"The case has been certified to the war labor board and the board will, in accordance with its established policy, consider the controversy on its merits when the miners have returned to work."

Solid Fuels Coordinator Ickes told a press conference that the anthracite strike had "cost us" 500,000 tons of coal in two weeks, and declared the miners' stoppage "shows a reckless disregard of country and patriotic duties, and is highly reprehensible."

P.O. Will Be Open Saturday Afternoons

For the first time in more than a decade, the federal postoffice will maintain a regular schedule of service Saturday afternoon effective Jan. 15, Postmaster Nat Shick announced Thursday.

Until now, regulations to the contrary are announced by the postal department, Shick said that the office here would stay open as on any other day—5 p. m. for registries and 6 p. m. for other windows.

Decision to remain open, he said, was the result of the 48-hour week for federal employes. By staggering schedules during the week, this extra time will permit Saturday afternoon operation, he said.

First Witnesses Called In Trial Of Errol Flynn

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 14. (AP)—The state called its first witnesses today in its attempt to convict Errol Flynn, portrayed of romantic movie roles, on three counts of rape involving two young girls.

Deputy District Attorney Thomas W. Cochran said Betty Hansen, 17-year-old Lincoln, Neb., school girl, would begin her testimony after her sister, Mrs. Patricia Marsden, had taken the witness stand, and photographs of the scene of the alleged offense had been introduced.

The state charges that the actor ravished Miss Hansen during a party at the Bel Air home of a friend last Sep. 27, and in two other counts it alleges similar offenses against Peggy La Rue Satterlee, 18, Hollywood entertainer, on his 75-foot yacht Sirocco on Aug. 2 and 3, 1941.

Essen Pasted For The Third Night In Row

LONDON, Jan. 14. (AP)—Essen, hard-hit home of the giant Krupp armament works, was battered by 100 tons of explosives and incendiary bombs last night in the RAF's third consecutive night attack on the industrial Ruhr valley, it was announced officially today.

The air ministry said four of the bombers which carried out the concentrated 12-minute downpour of destruction on the repeatedly-raided industrial center were lost.

Other parts of the Ruhr also were hit, but Essen was the main target, a communique declared. It was the RAF's eighth attack on Germany in 11 nights.

The communique announced the loss of one fighter aircraft on operations over France and Holland, and said "Hudsons of the coastal command, without loss, attacked an enemy convoy off the Dutch coast. Two enemy supply ships were hit."

So concentrated was the attack that the planes unloaded their deadly cargoes over the target in the space of 12 minutes, the announcement disclosed.

The raid—the third on the Ruhr in as many nights—provided a follow-up to a thunderous daylight assault on occupied France and the Netherlands yesterday in which American flying fortresses played a major role.

The raid in which the flying fortresses participated yesterday was described as one of the heaviest ever carried out in daylight over occupied Europe.

The principal target of the fortresses was the industrial city of Lille, which was subjected to its third heavy bombing of the war.

Five Are Killed In US Bomber Crash

ELMONTSTOWN, Fla., Jan. 14. (AP)—An army bomber from MacDill Field, Fla., crashed in a forest near Blountstown yesterday, killing five men on a routine training flight. There were no survivors.

The dead included: Second Lt. Neil B. Snyder, Enid, Okla., pilot.

Second Lt. Abner R. Brooks, El Paso, Tex., navigator.

Staff Sergeant Walter E. Chatman, Galveston, Tex., engineer.

Foe Again Forced To Withdraw

By The Associated Press
American motor torpedo boats darting into battle against Japanese warships were officially reported today to have damaged two and possibly three enemy destroyers in the waters off Guadalcanal island, in the Solomons.

A navy department bulletin said the enemy warships, presumably attempting to carry reinforcements to embattled Japanese troops on the island, were forced to withdraw to the northwest as a result of the furious torpedo-boat assault.

Two torpedo hits were scored on one of the destroyers, one hit on a second destroyer, and two possible hits on a third, the navy said.

The navy's communique said U. S. army troops on the island "continued their advance" under aerial support.

At the same time, Allied warplanes, blasting at Japan's far-flung invasion armies from Burma to the South Seas, were officially credited today with setting big fires at the important enemy base of Lae, New Guinea, and razing destruction on half a dozen other targets.

On the New Guinea land front, heavy rains slowed efforts to annihilate the trapped Japanese garrison at Sannanda Point, but small Allied patrols worked constantly to ferret out hidden enemy positions in the swamps and jungles.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters said United Nations airmen bombed Lae, Salamaua, Madang and Finschhafen in northeast New Guinea, striking the heaviest blows at Lae where Japanese reinforcements landed from a badly battered convoy last week.

"In a series of coordinated attacks, our attack units with strong fighter cover bombed the (Lae) airfield, harbor installations, stores and barges," Gen. MacArthur reported.

"Damage was heavy and large fires were started."

In Burma, RAF planes flying from bases in India renewed the attack on the big Japanese base at Akyab, on the Bay of Bengal, and pounded targets at Kyauktaw, 40 miles north of Akyab.

No further information was forthcoming on the progress of Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell's British column driving back into Burma from India, last reported about 25 miles from Akyab.

Texans Get Plenty Of Gas In Mexico

AUSTIN, Jan. 14. (AP)—Texans and other Americans who can't do it in the U. S. are saying "fill 'er up" in some Mexican border towns, investigators for the motor fuel tax division of the state comptroller's department have been informed.

They report three filling stations in Nuevo Laredo, which were selling an average of 200 gallons a day before gas rationing in this country, are now dispensing more than 1,000. Heaviest trade is on the weekend.

In Matamoros the figure has also jumped to 1,000 gallons and in Reynosa, where outlets are fewer, it averages 575. Many cars with Texas and other U. S. license plates were noticed in the border towns, they said.

Wage Parley Set Tonight

The boss and his workers will sit down together for a talk at 8 p. m. today in the Settles ballroom with federal officials on wartime wages and the controls which Uncle Sam has placed on psychics to curb inflation.

The occasion will be a clinic and open forum meeting on wage stabilization scheduled under sponsorship of the chamber of commerce.

John W. Thomas, investigator of the wage-hour and public contracts division of the U. S. department of labor, will conduct the clinic. With him will be W. M. Oust, Dallas, representative of the distributive education unit of the state board of vocational education. Oust's division cooperated in making the clinic here possible.

Farm Machine Restrictions Questioned

Truman Committee Says Production Will Be Affected

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14. (AP)—Senator Truman (D-Mo.) protested today that farmers in America's arsenal of food, already short on labor, face a shortage of equipment because of restrictions laid down by the war production board.

Truman and other members of the senate defense investigating committee inquired pointedly of the wisdom of a WPB order which cut 1943 production of farm machinery to 23 per cent of the 1940 tonnage, and set the production of replacement parts at 167 per cent of the 1940 output.

Oscar W. Mele, chief of the agricultural, food and textile machinery unit of WPB, replied that 1940 was one of the peak years for purchases of farm machinery, and as a result farmers' equipment is generally in good shape.

Truman retorted, "I don't believe you have given him either enough new machinery or adequate repairs."

"This same committee," which Truman heads, was assured by John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, that he is doing "everything possible" to end the anthracite strike in Pennsylvania.

Producers of anthracite have temporarily suspended shipments to Canada and points west of Erie, Pa., Secretary Cokes, the solid fuel coordinator, announced.

There is also a gasoline shortage in the 17th state eastern area and in this connection the Office of Price Administration acted today to tighten up on grants of increased gasoline allowances for B and C ration book holders there.

The OPA took out of the hands of local ration boards the decision as to whether these drivers could get more coupons to compensate them for the recent 25 per cent reduction in the value of their ration coupons. Hereafter the nearest district, state or regional OPA office must rule on the requests.

OPA enforcement agents were accused in a house resolution prepared by Rep. Herter (R-Mass.) of "extortion of black money perilously close to hush money."

Herter said they had adopted a technique "whereby the accused culprit is called upon to make a voluntary contribution to the U. S. treasury in an amount specified by the OPA and receives in return an inconspicuous and unenforceable promise that the charges will not be pressed."

Farm Parley Dates Listed

Dates of important community meetings are being sent out today from the AAA office to farmers in Howard county in order to assist them in carefully planning 1943 farm crops.

The meetings are planned to help farmers learn what they can do most in production to win the war. The schedule of meetings and speakers are listed below:

- Elbow, 3 p. m., Thursday, Jan. 21—Thomas, Weaver, Mann.
- Luther, 3 p. m., Thursday, Jan. 21—Griffin, Hull, Kendrick.
- Moore, 8 p. m., Thursday, Jan. 21—Thomas, Weaver, Mann.
- Vincents, 8 p. m., Thursday, Jan. 21—Griffin, Hull, Kendrick.
- Knott, 3 p. m., Friday, January 22—Thomas, Weaver, Kendrick.
- Lomax, 3 p. m., Friday, Jan. 22—Griffin, Devaney, Mann.
- Centerpoint, 8 p. m., Friday, Jan. 22—Hull, Weaver, Mann.
- Coahoma, 8 p. m., Friday, Jan. 22—Griffin, Kendrick, Devaney.
- Big Spring, 2 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 23—Weaver, Mann, Kendrick and Griffin.

The lists were sent to farmers from L. H. Thomas, chairman of the Howard county USDA War Board.

Movie Player Gets Six Months In Jail

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Jan. 14. (AP)—Frances Farmer, a Seattle girl who once won a newspaper popularity contest, was sentenced to six months in the county jail today on a charge of violating her probation on a drunk driving charge.

Police Judge Marshall Hickson levied the sentence as court opened. The actress had been in jail overnight, since her arrest in a fashionable Hollywood hotel yesterday.

Deputy Earl Reinhold reported that he and Policewoman Martha Shalton appeared at Miss Farmer's room shortly before noon yesterday to serve a bench warrant.

The bench warrant was issued last week, charging that the actress had failed to pay the balance of a \$250 fine for drunk driving. She had paid \$125 at the time probation was granted.

Red Offensive Broadens As More Gains Reported



Caucasus Drive—Broken arrows show how the Red army's counter drive in the Caucasus region threatens the German key points of Kropotkin and Kraonno. Bad weather temporarily halted allied aerial operations from the west against Marshal Erwin Rommel's forces in Libya.

An indication of the strength the Allies are building up for the coming battles came in a report that the British navy had successfully escorted 97 transports, supply ships and other vessels totaling 7,600,000 tons between Gibraltar and North Africa ports from last Nov. 8 when the AEF made its first landings, to Jan. 8.

The French operations northwest of Kairouan, a German held communications center southwest of the port of Sousse, were the only offensive actions along the Tunisian front. Even this action was not touched upon in an Allied force communique.

"There is no change in the ground situation," it said. "Air activity was light. Our fighters shot down one enemy fighter without loss."

A French spokesman described the gains as important. He said the captured heights were Jebel Haouab and Jebel Bou Davous, which just from the desert north-eastward from Pichon.

(A Reuters dispatch from North Africa said direct contact had been established between General Henri Honoré Giraud's headquarters and the fighting French of Brig. Gen. Jacques Leclerc—the first such liaison in the new phase of the African war.)

(Allied air squadrons operating with Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's British Eighth army rained bombs upon air fields and other objectives near Misurata, machine-gunned motor convoys in both Tripolitania and Tunisia, blasted the port of Sousse again and damaged a merchant vessel off the Tunisian coast, a Cairo communique said. Four Messerschmitt 109's were shot down and others damaged, while eight Allied planes failed to return.)

Raid Warden, Fire Watcher Classes Are Scheduled

Classes in air raid warden and fire watcher training will begin Tuesday, January 26, in the court room at the City Hall, the Office of Civilian Defense announced today.

Classes, to be held Tuesday and Thursday of each week, will start at 7:30 p. m., lasting two hours.

Any man interested in receiving training as a fire watcher, is urged to call Mrs. A. B. Partridge, assistant warden chairman, telephone 512, for information.

Hitler Scratching Deeper For More Military Power

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 14. (AP)—Faced with mounting casualties and growing demands on new fronts, the Germans are making a stern effort to mobilize every available reserve by mustering into the army men previously rejected for military service, reliable diplomatic sources said today.

A commission of high German army officers, these sources declared, to touring the Reich to comb out the last of the nation's manpower—men previously pronounced unfit for active service for slight disabilities but who could be used as garrison troops in occupied countries or for desk work, thus releasing more able-bodied men for the front.

The German's were said by these sources, to be counting on this program to yield another 2,000,000 men for the army.

Observers pointed out, however, that the induction of these men into the armed forces would confront Labor Dictator Fritz Sauckel—already hard-pressed to find trained workers for important war industries—with a gigantic task of finding replacements in occupied lands.

Meanwhile reports in German newspapers and dispatches from Swedish correspondents in Berlin indicate that conditions are becoming harder from day to day for the people on the German home front.

Heavy Rains Fail To Check Soviet Drive

Dozen More Towns Recaptured In Caucasus March

MOSCOW, Jan. 14. (AP) The Red army's come-back drive through the Caucasus was reported today fanning out wider on both sides of the Rostov-Baku trunk line as separate spearheads of the assault stabbed on through towns more than 20 miles west and 50 miles north of recaptured Mineralnye Vody.

Despite German attempts at a stand, the Russians were broadening their offensive front in fighting unchecked by steady rains and wet snow which bogged the fertile valley fields with mud and water.

A dozen towns were won back under the Red banner in the continuing drive, officials announced.

German reports that the Russians had launched new offensives against the Leningrad siege line or on the Voronezh front to the north of the Don bend were not confirmed here.

Dispatches announcing the recapture of Novo Blagodaroye placed the Russian advance more than 20 miles west of the spa town of Mineralnye Vody, recaptured early this week.

Another arm of the offensive swept through Kumagorsky and on past Zhuravskoye, 50 miles north of Mineralnye Vody.

In between, on the straightened front, the Russians reported seizing the little towns of Kalaborka, Orbellanovka and Pobegalovskoye in the heart of some of the most intensively farmed land in the Caucasus.

Red Star, mouthpiece of the Russian army, said a large German force had been surrounded in one Caucasian settlement and was under the combined attacks of tanks and Cossack cavalry.

In their regular early war bulletin, the Soviet leaders recounted a sharp advance along the railway to Rostov, a slowing-down of the combined drive northwest of Mineralnye Vody, the smashing of waves of determined axis counterattacks in the lower Don river area, and new successes in the Russian campaign to throw the Germans out of the Stalingrad factory area and to exterminate the besiegers.

Red army columns slashed due north from the Mineralnye-Vody-Rostov rail line to recapture Zhuravskoye, seizing the district center of Novoselitskoye and other large towns in the advance, it was stated.

Few Paying Poll Taxes

American men in the armed forces Thursday were doing a lot better in their job to protect the right of franchise than the home folks.

"This was the conclusion to be drawn from poll-tax payments in this, an 'off' year, although the rate of payment thus far is well ahead of the same date two years ago."

Through Wednesday, poll tax payments totaled 1,900 in Howard county and exemptions added another 40 to the apparent potential voting strength of the county. At the same time in 1941, the previous "off" year, there were 1,048 poll taxes paid and 47 exemptions issued, giving this year an advantage of \$45 to date.

However, this is a poor showing in light of the number of citizens. Last year, which was by no means the peak in the county's history, no less than 3,289 polls were paid and 221 exemptions secured. The previous year the poll taxes amounted to 3,708 plus 138 exemptions.

In Texas no person, who is otherwise qualified, may vote if he or she has not paid a poll tax or secured an exemption for any given year. Deadline for paying a poll tax and securing the right to vote—one of the things which soldiers and sailors seem to be fighting so well for—is Jan. 31.

Sentenced For A Threat Against FD

FORT WORTH, Jan. 14. (AP)—Claude Hankey, 39, itinerant circus worker, pleaded guilty in federal court yesterday to a charge of threatening to kill President Roosevelt and was given a 90-day sentence.

Hankey, arrested in November, had spent 55 days in jail awaiting trial. He said he was "drunk that night, and I didn't mean what I said."

The Point Rationing System: Explanation Of How It Works

By HERMAN ALLEN

The "point rationing" system won't seem so complicated if you look on your coupons as a sort of money.

Beginning probably in February, you will have to "spend" these coupons for most varieties of canned, dried and frozen fruits—and vegetables just as you spend



1 INDIVIDUAL gets 96 blue stamps in ration book 2. (Red stamps to be used for meat rationing later.)

nickels and dimes. Of course you will still have to fork over those nickels and dimes too.

Your "Ration Book No. 2" will contain red and blue coupons numbered 1, 2, 5 and 8 and lettered A to Z. The numbers stand for point values and the letters for time periods. The blue coupons are to be used for the processed foods and the red ones later for



2 STAMPS have different letters for use in limited periods. Number on each shows point value in buying.

meat. It may be that for the first month of rationing you will be permitted to use all coupons lettered A, B, and C. If so, you will have 48 points to "spend" on processed food. If only the coupons lettered A and B are released for the first month, you will have only 32 points. As food supplies vary up or down, the OPA may permit



3 STORES will post OPA lists, showing point value for each type of canned food. Any stamp can get any food.

you to use more—or fewer—coupons in any period of time. The OPA explains that point rationing is necessary for things like canned foods where it is not necessary for things like coffee and sugar. The reason is that

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4 MERCHANT will demand stamps with each purchase, as well as money not exceeding ceiling prices.

there are few if any common substitutes for coffee or sugar. If you ration them you've just about covered the field. With canned goods it's a different story. If you ration just one item, like peas, you simply send people scampering to buy other things similar to peas, and before you know it you have a shortage in them too. So you have to ration the whole list of canned, dried and frozen vegetables to keep the supply on an even keel.

Here's the way it will work:



5 WHOLESALER gets stamps from merchant for supplies. He must turn in stamps when buying from canner.

Let's pretend for the moment that only dried beans are involved. Let's say a shortage has developed in navy beans. It won't do any good to ration them, because folks will simply jump in and buy up all the kidney beans, lima beans, black-eyed peas (which are

really beans) and pinto beans they can get their hands on. So you ration ALL kinds of dried beans.

But there are plenty of lima beans—skads and skads of them—and just about as many kidney beans. Black-eyed peas and pinto beans are not quite so plentiful. Obviously the thing to do is to push lima beans and kidney beans so that there will still be enough navy beans for everybody to get at least a few.

So you get out a point ration book. You decide that grocery buyers will have to "pay" only one point a pound for lima beans and two points for kidney beans. You decide to charge four points for black-eyed peas and six for pinto beans.

But for navy beans, which are very scarce, you charge 12 points a pound. Then you decide that the general bean situation is such that you can allow each consumer 32 points worth of beans in February. You announce that coupons lettered A and B are good for that month. That means the housewife can buy 32 pounds of lima beans for each member of her household, or 8 pounds of black-eyed peas—but only 2 2-3 pounds of navy beans. She can take it all in lima beans, or divide it up any way she pleases, but she gets only 32 points worth of beans, all told for each person.

Of course this is just a make-believe example. Beans probably won't be handled in just this way at all, but it illustrates the principle. When point rationing comes, nearly every item of prepared food in your grocery store will have its point value—canned soup, dried prunes, frozen peas. If you can't find exactly what you want, OPA hopes that you will be able to find something very like it.

But remember—your coupons are not money. They are simply proof of your right to buy a certain number of points' worth of goods. You will still have to take a handful of change to the store with you.

Security Board Won't Have Wage Data By March 15

Workers cannot secure statements from the Social Security Board showing wages as reported by their employers for the purpose of filing income tax returns, according to Elliott W. Adams, manager of the Social Security Board field office in Big Spring.

Many requests were received for such information at this time last year, and numerous requests are being received now. Wages reported for 1942 are now being posted to the individual employee accounts by the Social Security Board, but the job will not be completed until about July of this

year. Since income tax returns must be filed with the Bureau of Internal Revenue before March 15, the wage records of the Social Security Board will not be available for use in preparing the tax returns.

"Every wage earner is urged to make a periodic check up of his Old-Age and Survivors Insurance account to make sure that wages have been properly reported," Adams said. "There are now approximately sixty million employee accounts, and the job of posting the wages reported by employers to each worker's account is done by automatic bookkeeping machines, but the processing of so many accounts cannot be completed before the deadline for filing income tax returns."

Colorado Deposits At Record High

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 14. (UP)—Annual reports to the stockholders of the City National bank in Colorado City for 1942 were approved in a meeting this week. Deposit sets the highest mark in the history of the organization with a total of \$2,075,634.26 as compared to \$1,748,437.96 for the year 1941. Loans totaled \$288,583.95 and the grand total of resources was given on the bank's statement as \$2,335,092.13, an increase of \$344,853.17 over last year. Surplus, divided profits and reserve accounts increased to \$30,457.87.

Increase in individual deposits was noted in spite of a short cotton crop this year. Higher prices for livestock and farm products and the ban on automobile purchasing has likely, according to bank officials, increased savings. In addition to money on deposit Mitchell county citizens have invested \$300,000 in government securities during 1942.

Officers of the bank, the only one in Colorado City, are Charles C. Thompson, president; Joe Smoot, executive vice-president, and George E. Slaton, vice-president. The board of directors includes P. K. Mackey, George Slaton, Lay Powell, W. E. Rhoads, C. G. Thompson, and Joe Smoot, all of whom were re-elected along with J. C. Pritchett, cashier; H. E. Grant-

land, Charles Mosser, and Gus Chesney, assistant cashiers.

BEDS FOR MEN ON LEAVE
DETROIT, Mich. (UP)—USO in Detroit gives service men on leave 434 beds nightly in USO centers and arranges for hotel accommodations at 50c to \$1.50.

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Improvement In Wool Output, Livestock And Dairy Herds Shown By Glasscock Agent

GARDEN CITY, Jan. 14.—Definite results came from dairy herd improvement campaigns, better bred livestock, and culling of flocks for best wool producers during 1942 in Glasscock county, the annual report of County Agent Berry N. Duff shows.

One of the most interesting developments was the introduction of a milking shorthorn herd to the county. One farmer secured 14 registered head of these animals, and is experimenting diligently with them as a combination beef and milking stock. Two other ranchers secured six head of high-grade Guernseys and one bull issue of the herd was kept in the county for future service in improving dairy herds. Duff estimated it would be easy for the county to meet its 10 percent stock increase in 1943.

Since sheep constitute "perhaps the largest single item in Glasscock county's economy, Duff devoted 86 days of his time to this work. He gave 24 method demonstrations in which 25,000 head were drenched, and led in four result demonstrations in creep feeding and increasing wool production through selection of ewes.

Ranchers who followed advice and drenched after the first killing frost found they had a larger percent lamb crop and that the lambs were five to eight pounds heavier than those from undrenched flocks at market time. Duff selected 2,800 of 3,500 head of ewes from one flock on a wool grading basis.

Feeding demonstrations got results in the cattle division, and one of the most successful demonstrations of the year was in parasite control. At one time 2,500 cattle on the McDowell ranch were dipped with good results. The agent assisted several ranchers in the selection of breeding stock.

Considerable attention was paid to horse raising, which is gaining in importance in Glasscock county. The agent assisted in vaccinating 290 horses against sleeping sickness. He helped arrange the horse show in connection with the livestock show at Garden City. There are four good quarter-horse type stallions in service in the county now in addition to a remount stud.

Feeding production was at a peak but gathering and storing the crop is yet an unsolved problem. There are some 5,000 tons in trench silos. Around 450,000 bushels of cane and hagar were produced in the county. Cotton was good until a severe infestation of leafworms curbed prospects. The agent assisted in getting adequate poison to combat the menace.

In conservation, Duff ran seven and a half miles of terrace lines and 46 miles for contours. These covered around 960 acres. He estimated that 70 percent of the county's cultivated acreage now was farmed on the contour, including 18 percent terraced.

The county agent worked with army bombing school authorities in the area whereby army equipment is used to plow up as many fire guards as needed to prevent fires resulting from practice bombing in the area.

His 4-H club projects included demonstrations in cattle feeding, sheep production, grain sorghum, poultry, home gardens, swine and

dairy cattle. Success of these is indicated by the first two-calves brought 31.2 cents average at the sale and lambs 17.24 cents.

The land use planning committee, and its successor, the war board, held 8 meetings during the year with the agent. In turn, he had a part in several campaigns such as the stamp and bond program, the salvage drive, Civilian Defense and OPA programs.

Practice Bombs Chase Coyotes Into Traps

Count the West Texas coyote as a casualty of the war.

Earl Brownrigg, Howard county, had the predatory animals about cleaned out of the northern end of the county last autumn. But then bombardier cadets started raining practice bombs on the brake country of southern Borden county and the coyotes took out to the more peaceful climes to the south.

The trapper was waiting. In the past 26 weeks he has bagged 26 of them and is after half a dozen more he knows to be prowling in the area. His recent catch is a fourth as much as the 102 coyotes he trapped last season. While after these, he snared nine bobcats and too many foxes, skunks and others to mention.

Brownrigg, incidentally, continues to win awards with his pelts. In December he submitted his first pelt, that of a skunk, to Sears Roebuck in its 14th national fur show. It won first place for the day it was submitted. Again on Jan. 5 he submitted a pelt and it won first prize. The next day his third pelt won still another first prize.

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'Inexcusable Delay' Charged In Barge Construction Plans

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—The senate defense investigating committee charged today there had been "inexcusable" delay and confusion in carrying out a barge construction and conversion program designed to relieve the east coast's oil shortage.

The committee believes that there has been unnecessary delay and confusion in carrying out a program essential to the national welfare. The delay which occurred prior to the recommendations of the committee appointed by the president is most regrettable, but the delay which occurred after the matter had been studied by that committee and after its recommendations had been received by the president is inexcusable.

1,455 Arrests By City Police In Past Year

City police made 1,455 arrests during 1942, and fines, were assessed in 989 of these cases, an annual report of activities, submitted by Chief of Police J. B. Bruton and approved by city commissioners, shows.

Another 197 were dismissed with a few exceptions the others were transferred to other authorities, including the FBI, sheriff, liquor control board, selective service and military police.

Five Children And A Woman Die In Fire

HOUSTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Five little children and a woman were burned to death and two other occupants were burned, one critically, in a fire late last night which spread like a flash through a two story frame four apartment building.

Gaming, or gambling, ranked next in violations with 89 paying fines. Vagrancy followed with 75, affray with 70, dangerous driving with 37, and theft with 27.

Police assisted the public with information in 3,535 instances and made 2,235 cases. They shut doors or windows of business houses in 243 cases during the year.

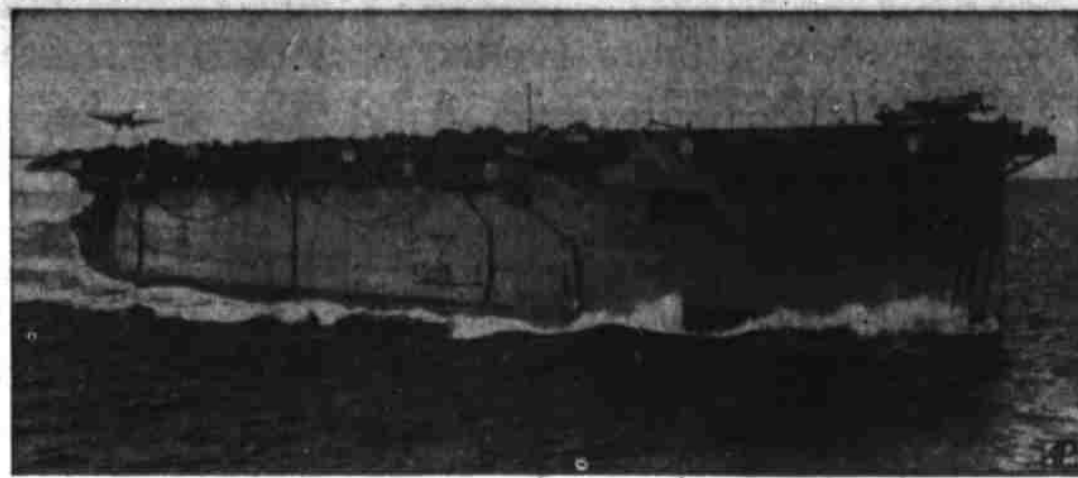
Girls To Train As Aviation Engineers

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP)—Move your drawing board over, brother, the lady has designs. Believing women may prove as skillful aviation engineers as they are assembly workers, the Curtiss-Wright company has selected 400 young women from 100 American colleges for a ten-month course in six engineering schools.

They will train at Cornell, Purdue, the University of Minnesota, Iowa State College, the University of Texas and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

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SERVING ALLIES IN MEDITERRANEAN — The British aircraft carrier Argus (above), converted from a liner, appears here operating off the North African coast.

To Business Men: Take It Easy

CHICAGO, Jan. 4 (AP)—Slow down, take adequate rest periods, don't get angry, and delegate authority to others.

These were among the health suggestions outlined by Dr. Walter Alvarez of the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., for the overworked and tired business and industrial executives who wish to keep fit.

New Program For 'Dust Bowl' To Be Studied At Parley

DALLAS, Jan. 14 (AP)—Called by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, agricultural committeemen of the war boards and AAA extension workers from Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Texas meet today to consider production and food problems in the former dust bowl area.

December Fire Loss At Low Of \$251

Big Spring was lucky on fire losses during December, monthly report of City Fire Marshal J. D. Stembridge shows.

There were nine fires for the month and insured loss only amounted to \$251.12.

But it could have been bad, for estimated value of buildings involved stood at \$97,800 and contents at \$48,350.

Army Documents Are Rifled By Holdup Men

NORTH KINGSTOWN, R. I., Jan. 14 (AP)—Four men who held up an unarmed army dispatch rider at gunpoint and rifled through official army papers, only to return them with the remark that "it isn't here," still were at large today despite a state police dragnet.

There was no indication of what the men were seeking in their mysterious foray, nor any clue to their identity.

The men forced the soldier, Private Raymond L. Mosher, of Springfield, Mass., to drive his small army truck for more than a mile, a gun at his head, to a secluded lane where they carefully examined the documents. Then they sped away in a small sedan.

State police, upon being notified of the hold-up, posted guards on all highways leading out of the area and referred the case to the Federal Bureau of Investigation office in Providence.

Mosher said that all the men wore caps. Two wore mackinaw type coats and the others, dark overcoats.

Increase Noted In City Milk Supply

"Our grade A milk supply was strengthened during the month of December," was the encouraging report of City Sanitary Inspector H. W. Leeper to city commissioners Tuesday.

Two new dairies were added to the list and Leeper said that there will probably be three more during January. He gave an account of scores of dairy, cafe and hamburger stands, grocery, market, bakery and abattoir inspections. During the month 80 health certificates were issued.

Floor Sander for rent. Thompson Paint Store.—adv.

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Editorial - Texan's Badge Of Good Citizenship

Poll tax payments in Texas must be made not later than mid-night, January 31, of the payer desired to vote in the elections that will be held between February 1, 1943, and February 1, 1944.

Washington Daybook—Capital Leads The Nation In Keeping The Stork Busy

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON — Those aren't planes that darken the capital sky—they're storks.

Home Fronts And Global Strategy Urges Aid To Vanquished Nations Now

(This is the third in a series of six articles by Mr. Hoover.)
By HERBERT HOOVER
Japan is an entirely different problem from the European Axis.

County Finances In Good Shape, Auditor Reports

Stating that in his belief the county is in a very healthy financial condition, and that the present administration is worthy of credit.

Hollywood—No Child Stars Among 1942 Top Money-Makers

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—I suppose there ought to be some significance in the fact that, for the first time in seven years, Hollywood's stars are without a moppet to lead them at the box-office.

Joe C. Cox Of Knott Dies

Funeral for Joe C. Cox, 60, long time resident of the Knott community, will be held Wednesday at 3 p. m. at the Nalley chapel.

Peace, It's Wonderful In The U.S. Army

OLEAN, N. Y. (AP)—The Navy has "Peace" twins in the service. Hubert Peace, 18, of Knapps Creek, Olean high school senior, has reported for duty at Norfolk, Va., where his twin brother, Herbert, Jr., has been since July.

Trailer Tintypes



The Japanese airplane, ship and tank output is not one-fourth what we can produce. Her ships, planes and men are under steady attrition from the British and ourselves.

The "normal" ration of meats and fats combined in these countries ranges from two to four pounds per month. Compare this with the American consumption rate of about 20 pounds per month.

Martin Grand Jury Reports Wednesday

STANTON, Jan. 11 (Sp)—The January term of 70th District court is in session this week in Stanton with the grand jury due to report to the court Wednesday.

Hoboes Picked Up, Sent On Their Way

Eight men, described by officers as "hoboes" were "deported" Monday following a reversal of the order of their Sunday.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Depart
2. Circular indicators
3. Different ones
4. Emblem
5. National park
6. In Tennessee
7. Note of the scale
8. Sun-dried
9. Kind of starch
10. Old French coin
11. Upright
12. Body joint
13. Essayed
14. Canadian
15. is situated
16. Binding with narrow fabric
17. Large fish
18. Row
19. Mark of a blow
20. Hebrew letter
21. After-song
22. Medical fluids
23. Southern constellation
24. Potential energy
25. Taper
26. Coffee beans
27. Uncanny
28. Size of shot
29. Incarnation
30. Having a large nose
31. Expert
32. Put forth sleep

MOTE RENA APA
OPEN EVIL POL
TEND DISGUISE
OR SEEN ARETE
RAT LACK ICE
OPULENT ERR
LAMAR DIRE IO
AMERIC TATTOO
IT AVID INERT
RIC ETERNAL
VOW EPEE LAD
SAMOS UNDO HE
ETIOLATE PEEN
TEA ANEW ALAS
ASK MISS LADE



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Elouise Haley Is Top Scorer In Women's Bowling

Elouise Haley won high individual game with a score of 219 and high individual series with a score of 816 in the Women's Bowling league games Wednesday night.

Team games included a win by J. & L. from Bliss Liquor Store in a clean three-game sweep. Schilts won two games from C. R. Anthony and Club Cafe two from Billy Simons Lane.

Anthony had high game of 772 and Schilts won high team series with a total of 2192.

Standings in six games to date, with total scores:

Schilts	4	2	4161
J. & L.	4	2	3890
Simons	4	2	3845
Anthony	4	2	3722
Club Cafe	2	4	3865
Bliss	0	6	3728

Griffin Lists Aids On Meat Preparation

Attention should be given now to preparation of hog meat to be kept past June 15, County Agent O. P. Griffin said Thursday.

He advised that such meat be packed in vegetable oil as soon as it is well cured, and added that if properly done it would keep indefinitely.

Weather has been ideal for the past month for killing hogs and curing meat, he said. Undoubtedly there will be much more within the next month. Griffin still suggested use of seven pounds salt, four ounces salt peter and three pounds brown sugar per 100 pounds of meat as an excellent preservative.

Carcasses should be allowed to chill thoroughly before being cut, he said. Bone pieces should be sawed above the joints and the bone end stuffed with the preservative. All should be rubbed thoroughly with the mixture.

Once again he suggested better containers such as barrels or boxes that would hold fluid. Boney pieces should be put to the bottom, he said. Within two weeks the process should be repeated.

Boney pieces will cure out one day to the pound and those with bone three days to the pound. Thus, a 15-pound bacon slab would cure in 15 days, and a ham of the same weight in 45 days.

Meat to be kept for long periods of time should be placed in containers (10-gallon lard cans are ideal) which thoroughly cured and covered with refined vegetable oil (no mixture with animal fat will do). Tests at Texas A. & M. College have shown hams thus treated will keep for at least five years without loss of flavor, quality or weight.

Troops Aboard Africa-Bound Convoy Are Anxious To Have Part In Fight

By RICE YARNER

WITH A CONVOY BOUND FOR NORTH AFRICA (Correspondence of the Associated Press) — The wind has freshened, we've just had gunnery practice, the men are exercising on deck, and if there were more women aboard and if we all wore "civvies" you wouldn't think there was a war on.

But the shooting might start any minute on this trip to the Mediterranean and there is not a man-or nurse-aboard who doesn't realize that the war is getting closer with every turn of the propeller of this former Canadian liner.

And in the whole convoy of dozens of ships, large and small — the first reinforcements of men and material to go to North Africa — there isn't a man or woman who isn't relieved that now he is a part of the axis-cracking show that seems to be the beginning of the end.

Right now they devote hours to shipboard duties, to eating and sleeping, to making others comfortable. There is every confidence in the royal navy and the merchant seamen taking the great convoy to Africa. Christmas mail and gifts that arrived before we sailed decorate some cabins, and groups are singing Christmas songs.

The big convoy includes all sorts of troops, both British and American, an ammunition and supplies—guns and tanks, tankers to supply fuel for planes and mechanized weapons.

I have been with some of these troops for almost two years. First in Louisiana and then in Carolina when they were getting their final field training in 1941, then again in Ireland where they were waiting for the jump-off. Now they're ready for a fight.

Anaconda Company Faces Indictment

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Attorney General Biddle announced today that a federal grand jury at Providence, R. I., had indicted the Anaconda Wire and Cable company of Pawtucket, R. I., and five individuals on charges of conspiring to defraud the government and false claims in connection with the United States and British armies.

The indictment, which was made public by the justice department, alleged that defective and untested wire and cable had been shipped to the fighting forces as a result of a deliberate policy of evasion of inspection.

Here 'n There

Private Kenneth B. Guley of Big Spring has been stationed at Will Rogers Field, Okla. Son of Mrs. Hannah Guley, 2303 Scurry, he is assigned to a bombardment squadron as mechanic.

Technical Sergeant Charles W. Parks, son of Mrs. R. B. Gilmore of Big Spring has gone to Miami Beach, Fla., for officers candidate school. He previously was at Gowen Field, Idaho, employed as chief clerk in the squadron orderly room.

Winton McGregor of Knott has been commissioned a second lieutenant upon completion of officer candidate school at Fort Benning, Ga. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McGregor of Knott. Lt. McGregor enlisted in the army last April and was with the MP detachment at Fort Brown before going to officer candidate school.

Clide M. Roberts who has been stationed at the Quartermaster Detachment at Fort Bliss, has been promoted to sergeant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Roberts of 610 East 17th street and brother of Mrs. Opheila Tucker of Big Spring. He also has a brother, Staff Sergeant Max O. Roberts who is stationed at Lowery Field, Colorado, in the air corps.

Word was received in Big Spring today of the promotion of Second Lieutenant Jesse G. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Hill, to the rank of first lieutenant. He is assistant post adjutant at Basic Training Center No. 8, Fresno, California, a unit of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command.

Lieutenant Hill rose from the ranks of enlisted men to his present post. He enlisted in 1935, and was commissioned on March 21, 1942.

Howard county home demonstration club women are not going to be content with producing and conserving more food this year as a war aid, but they are going into a serious study of the aims behind the war. In February, all club meetings will include a discussion of the historic Atlantic Charter.

C. M. O'Brian, Stanton, is home on a furlough after a year in the navy. Stationed at Seattle, Wash., he has been promoted from apprentice seaman to ships cook, 3C.

Vandals recently smashed a number of windows on the B. Reagan place, east of here on the lake road, he reported Thursday.

"Big Spring—the Casual Biography of a Prairie Town," book written by Shine Phillips, is selling in England now. The other day Shine wrote to tell the story of this city's early days through the eyes of a druggist, got a letter from Margaret Cousins, who aided in polishing the manuscript, that she had met a friend disembarking from England. Under the friend's arm was a copy of "Big Spring." It had been bought in London.

Merle Mancil was up for a little while Thursday after a week of confinement at his home due to a severe attack of bronchial influenza.

Firemen answered a call to 504 W. 3rd street Wednesday evening to extinguish a grass fire.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burleson have heard from their son, Wayne, who is working in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. He appeared happy enough with his work, which, incidentally, is plentiful, long and hard. Wayne is a machinist.

Ensign Katherine Brook will be in command of the WAVES recruiting party which is due to be at the U. S. Navy recruiting sub-station in the postoffice basement Monday and Tuesday, recruiters said here today. Women interested in joining the naval auxiliary are urged to call at the office.

Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP)—A few bulls scampered around the stock market pasture today but the majority kicked up little rallying dust.

Transfers for the full proceedings were around 600,000 shares.

Among stocks reaching new 1942-43 peaks were J. I. Case, Oliver Farm, Hudson & Manhattan, Virginia-Carolina Chemical. Chrysler got up about a point. Resistance was displayed by U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Continental Motors, Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Morris & Essex, Martin Party, Kennecott, U. S. Rubber, Sears Roebuck and Du Pont.

Intermittent slipping inclinations were shown by Homestake Mining, United Aircraft, Glenn Martin, General Motors, General Electric, Phelps Dodge, Standard Oil (NJ), Texas Co., and Union Carbide. American Telephone was an isolated soft spot.

Order Issued In Insurance Suit

FORT WORTH, Jan. 14 (AP)—Federal Judge James C. Wilson yesterday signed an order requiring ten defendants in the \$1,165,978 suit brought by insurance policy holders of the Fraternal Society of Dallas to show cause why a temporary restraining order should not be issued against them and why a receiver for the corporation should not be appointed to serve pending the outcome of the trial.

The petition contends that assets of the corporation suffered in the amount named because of mismanagement and transactions by officers listed as defendants.

The suit was brought by a group of Oklahoma policyholders, who ask that the \$1,165,978 be placed in the corporation's treasury.

Women Linguists Wanted By Army

DALLAS, Jan. 14 (AP)—A call for women skilled in languages to enroll for service with the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps was issued here today by Col. Claude K. Rhinehart, commanding the Dallas recruiting district of the army.

He listed linguists needed, in order of their importance, as those skilled in Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese, Russian, French, German and Italian.

Quotas have not been allotted, he said, but some 200 of these women are needed immediately for the entire United States.

Two Shipped From Here Into Navy

Oscar James Gatlin, Big Spring, and Merritt Manyon Dunham, Midland, were shipped Wednesday evening to Dallas to complete enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

Both were 18-year-olds and went into the regular navy as apprentice seamen and selected volunteers. They filled the navy's local recruiting sub-station quota for the week, others having been shipped previously.

Many Factions And Ambitions Tied Up In N. African Political Scrap

By WES GALLAGHER

ALGIERS, Jan. 14 (AP)—A political story without names is almost impossible to write—but the "political story" of French North and West Africa is not only virtually without names, but also without politics.

For what has been happening here, with Admiral Jean Darlan's assassination, the subsequent arrests, and international dissension, is not politics as Americans and Britons conceive it.

Gen. Henri Giraud, a military man who loathed politics from the bottom of his heart, is being harassed on the eve of a far-reaching negotiations with Gen. Charles De Gaulle by the bitter struggle of Vichy-placed and Axis-sanctioned officials to retain their posts against an onslaught of newcomers, many with hands none too clean themselves.

The varied figures in the tangle sometimes have been labelled glibly as monarchists, DeGaulleists, rightists, leftists, or pro-Allied, but it is not as simple as that.

At least one of the men arrested in connection with the assassination of Darlan simultaneously has let it be known that he is pro-Allied and helped the American landings, that he is a monarchist supporting the court of Paris, pretender to the non-existent throne of France, and is a follower of DeGaulle.

To top it off, he said he accepted a Vichy appointment in order to get to Africa in the first place, six or seven months ago.

The same is true of dozens of others who try to tie up with as many different factions as possible, seeking support of their personal aims.

The truth is: North Africa is suffering from "Axis sickness," the result of German and Italian domination. And it is small scale

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
Phillip G. Griffin, Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y., and Catherine Jane Ryan, High Point, N. C.

Beer Application
Jose Angel Gonzalez, beer retailers permit for Gonzalez Cafe, 506 N. W. 4th St.

Warranty Deeds
Mary Etta Grayson et vir to J. E. Montath, \$10, lots 4, 5, and 6 in subdivision B of Block 28 of Fairview Heights addition to town of Big Spring.

Building Permits
Estanislao Diaz to add a room to a small house at 706 NW 7th street, cost \$40.

What One Farmer Yielded For Scrap

WASHINGTON (AP)—A farmer of Liverpool, N. Y., who has been hoarding his stock of obsolete and discarded farm machines for the past 40 years, has warmed up to the scrap drive. He has donated two heavy tractors, four passenger cars, two trashing machines, mowing machines, hay loaders, plows, and other odds and ends totaling more than 20 tons of scrap, according to WPB salvage officials.

ARRESTED FOR THEFT

LIVERPOOL, England, Jan. 14 (AP)—A truck driver employed by the United States army, and a motor mechanic were arrested today on charges of stealing \$50,000 worth of American-owned cigars from the United States armed forces.

Protect your wallpaper around light switches. Use our non-flammable wall shields. Thorp Paint Store—adv.

More Canadian Workers Strike

TORONTO, Jan. 14 (AP)—A strike by the United Steel Workers of America (CIO) spread to four other Canadian plants today as 7,500 more employes quit work in support of demands for an increase in their basic wages.

The action brought to approximately 12,500 the total number of men on strike and steel control authorities at Ottawa estimated that the walk-out would cut Canada's steel production by more than two-thirds.

Latest to be affected were the giant plant of the Algoma Steel corporation at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and three plants of the Dominion Steel and Coal corporation at Trenton, N. S.

The British Royal Observatory was established at Greenwich in 1675.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Jan. 14 (AP)—All classes of cattle and calves found a fully steady to strong market at Fort Worth today. Butcher hogs sold mostly 15 to 20c below Wednesday's average with the extreme top \$14.65 and the packer top \$14.60. Packing sows and pigs were steady. All sheep and lambs cleared at unchanged prices.

Good to choice fed steers and yearlings \$13 to \$15.00.

Good beef cows \$10 to \$11.00; bull prices \$7.75 to \$11.50.

Fat calves sold \$9 to \$13.50.

Good and choice stocker steer calves \$12 to \$14.00; best heifers \$13.50, stocker and feeder steers and yearlings \$9 to \$12.00.

Good and choice 190 to 300-pound butcher hogs \$14.90 while good and choice 160 to 180-pound averages brought \$14 to \$14.85. Packing sows sold at \$12.25 or \$12.50.

Good and choice fat lambs \$13.75 to \$14.25. Good yearlings including some two-year-old wethers \$12.75 with aged wethers at \$7.25 to \$7.50. Cull to medium grade slaughter ewes brought \$6.50 to \$6.80; and medium grade feeder lambs turned at \$10.80 down.



"GOOD NEIGHBOR" POLICY BEGINS AT HOME...

Everyone will ride farther if you share-the-ride with your neighbors! We've got to stretch the rubber on our tires a long way. To do this, workers going to factories will want to form share-the-ride clubs—five people in one car rather than one person each in five cars! Housewives, too, will want to do their part by car-sharing when they do their shopping. Car-sharing means your car will have a longer life because you alternate driving with riding; you will save gasoline; and you will know you are helping Uncle Sam!

Share Your Cars and Spare Your Tires

Big Spring Herald

Draft Delinquents Advised To Report

AUSTIN, Jan. 14 (AP)—Men listed as delinquents under the selective service act will be allowed to comply with their obligations if they report to their local boards during January, General J. Watt Page, state selective service officer, said today.

He warned that vigorous action for deliberate violators was planned by the FBI after Feb. 1, explaining that many now listed as delinquents have merely been careless. Selective service hopes to have its records clear of these by that date, Gen. Page said.

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Little change in temperature this afternoon and not quite so warm over the Panhandle. Colder tonight in the Panhandle and South Plains. Little change in temperature elsewhere. Windy.

EAST TEXAS: Little temperature change except slightly warmer on lower coast and in extreme south portion tonight.

City	Max.	Min.
Ahlens	60	37
Amarillo	58	32
BIG SPRING	64	36
Chicago	31	8
Denver	61	49
El Paso	57	33
Fort Worth	63	41
Galveston	56	50
New York	31	21
St. Louis	34	26

Yours! WITH EVERY PACKAGE!

Act today! Get smart, beautifully patterned tableware—perfect for making up a set you'll be proud to own—at an amazing bargain! Also—get the extra, healthful advantages of Mother's Oats! Remember, whole-grain oatmeal leads all cereals in body-building Protein! It's triple-rich* in "soot-fatigue" Vitamin B—for growth, energy!

MOTHER'S OATS
Truly, America's SUPER Breakfast Food

TOMATO JUICE	Heart's Delight No. 10 Can	62c
CRACKERS	Brown's Krispy 1 1/2 lb. Box	27c
PINEAPPLE	Sliced or Crushed No. 2 Can	27c
BABY FOOD	2 cans	13c
Peas	No. 2 Can	16c
Corn	No. 2 Can	12c
SOAP	Medium Bar	6c
CHERRIES	Maraschino Type 7 oz. Bottle	19c
PRESERVES	Pure Fruit Several Varieties 2 lb. Jar	55c
PEACHES	No. 2 1/2 Glass	38c
Walnuts	lb.	39c
YAMS	lb.	7c
LETTUCE	Giant Head	10c
APPLES	Small Jonathan Doz.	10c
PORK CHOPS	lb.	37c
BEEF RIBS	Roast or Stew lb.	21c
PICNICS	lb.	33c
BOLOGNA	lb.	19c
ROAST	lb.	27c
HAM	lb.	65c
EGGS	Dozen	36c
CATSUP	14 oz. Bottle	19c
SAUER KRAUT	Lb.	15c

Robinson and Sons
GOOD THINGS TO EAT
Corner Gregg and 6th

Oats Unrationed, Helps Meet That Wartime Budget

In the National Oats' spring campaign, appearing in the Herald, housewives will learn about the new and varied uses of these delicious tasting oats in filling wartime budget needs—not only as the top breakfast food, but on lunch and dinner menus as well—as a basic food that is not rationed, and costs less than 1-2 cent per serving.

In addition to a consistent series of 110-line black and white newspaper ads appearing each week on Thursdays, there will be large space advertising in leading women's and farm magazines of the South that will urge housewives to "save National 3-Minute Oats to their families regularly."

These newspaper and magazine ads, displaying the National 3-Minute Oat Men—Peppy, Thrifty and Delish—will feature National 3-Minute Oats as a Basic War Food for Vitamin B₁, Iron and Energy—and the A-1 War Food for Health, for work and for finer flavor.

In the world is a shepherd's hut 17,100 feet above sea level in the Andes of Peru.

\$30,000 Turnover In L'stock Sale

In a good sale held at the Big Spring Livestock auction grounds Wednesday, 800 head of cattle sold for a total price of \$30,000, it was reported today.

Springer cows, which were most in demand, sold for \$65 to \$80. Bulls sold from \$9.50 to \$11 and fat cows up to \$10.50. Butcher cows went for \$8 to \$10 and common butcher cows for \$6 to \$8.

Butcher yearlings brought \$10 to \$12.50 and common butcher yearlings \$9 to \$10. Stocker steer calves sold for \$14 to \$14.50 and stocker heifer calves for \$12 to \$13.50.

LEADS THE WAY

SAN DIEGO, Cal. — When the husband of Mrs. Gene Norco was sent overseas with the Navy, she decided to pioneer a new field of work for the war widows left behind. Although she was not even a typist herself, she was always interested in the mechanism of typewriters. She took a special course of instruction, and now has a thriving business of cleaning, adjusting and repairing typewriting machines of all makes.

Chocolate Coffee Cake



NOW that not one drop of coffee can go to waste, you'll try to make only what you need each time. But occasionally, unless you're a superwoman, you'll have a half a cup or so left over—and that's where this cake comes in. Instead of throwing leftover coffee away, use it for flavoring luscious desserts like this Coffee Chocolate Cake—ration-minded cake, by the way, because it uses only half a cup of sugar and just one egg. Look for the tested recipe on this page.

Economical but fit-for-a-king, Coffee Chocolate Cake is just the ticket for winding up festive dinners or jollyng the family along on meatless days. Easy and quick to make it'll give you that "holier than thou" feeling because you'll be making every drop of coffee count. Here's how:

Coffee Chocolate Cake
 2 cups sifted cake flour
 2 1/2 teasp. baking powder
 1/4 teasp. soda
 1/2 teasp. salt
 1/2 cup shortening
 1/2 cup sugar
 1 egg
 1/2 cup dark corn syrup
 1/2 cup leftover coffee
 Mix and sift flour, baking powder, soda, and salt three times. Cream shortening; stir in sugar slowly and cream until fluffy. Stir

in well beaten egg. Add 2 tbsps. of sifted dry ingredients; beat well. Stir in syrup. Add remaining dry ingredients and leftover coffee alternately, beating well after each addition. Bake in two 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 25 minutes. Turn off heat; let cake remain in oven 5 minutes longer. Cool and frost as desired.

Rent Property Must Be Listed By Tomorrow

Friday is the last day for rental property owners to list their property with the Rent Control office, R. L. Cook, inspector in charge, reminded Thursday.

To date there have been approximately 2,550 rental units listed and 40 rooming houses and hotels registered at the office. Cook estimated that there were probably another hundred units still to be registered before the deadline.

Every day there are some 65 to 70 units registered at the rent control division but those who have yet to list their property are urged not to wait until the last minute in order not to swamp clerks and office personnel.

Charles Sullivan, attorney-examiner, for the local office, also told that there has been some confusion on the part of tenants who receive a copy of the landlord's registration. These are not to be returned to the office, Sullivan said, but kept by the tenant for his own information and use.

If there are any complaints or objections which the tenant finds from information on the register, he is to report this to the rent control office within 15 days after the copy of the register is received.

To Issue New List On Use Of Fuel Oil

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—A new preferential list of fuel oil and gasoline consumers in the petroleum-short east was promised today by Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes.

Ickes said he was working with the Office of Price Administration and the war production board on a substitute for the cancelled original list, which omitted amusement places but gave all other fuel oil consumers equal rating.

Cancellation of the original list was decreed by Ickes yesterday restricted eastern gasoline and fuel oil e-sellers and industrial and commercial consumers to a ten-day petroleum supply limit.

This restriction, Ickes said, was intended to provide for more equitable distribution of the limited amount of petroleum products on the east coast.

Expected from the restriction were homeowners' fuel oil tanks, filling stations, suppliers' bulk terminals and refinery storage.

Informed sources who declined to be named said the new preferential list would be less liberal than the old, and probably would designate classes which would not be allowed to get petroleum unless supplies were ample after other needs had been filled.

The restriction order also ex-

Expanded Ickes' Authority Over Delivery of Motor Fuel and Fuel Oil to Secondary Supplies, Who Buy Stocks Brought into their Zone by Others, and Lifted Restrictions on Eastern Inter-zone Transfer of Supplies.

The Office of Price Administration announced it would make news photographers eligible for C gasoline coupon books for transporting non-portable equipment. Photographers who qualify under the amendment, effective January 20, will be eligible for sufficient gasoline to take pictures for their publications.

New Uniforms For Colorado's Guard

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 14 — The Texas Defense Guard unit at Colorado City is now completely equipped with winter clothing, according to announcement of Captain Louis Latham, local TDG commanding officer. Clothing for the company and for the supernumeraries was purchased through the cooperation of Mitchell county and Colorado City official action. The county bought shirts, trousers and caps; the city furnished blouses (jackets) for the guard uniforms.

CADET KILLED

MOORE FIELD, Jan. 14 (AP)—Cadet L. Z. Smith, 20, of Ponder, Tex., was killed yesterday in the crash of a training plane seven miles southwest of the field while on a routine flight, the field's public relations office announced today.

Texas Food Costs 16.6 Pct. Higher

AUSTIN, Jan. 14 (AP)—Food costs 16.6 per cent more in Texas today than at the time of Pearl Harbor.

Labor Commissioner John Reed reported that food costs have increased about 1.5 per cent per month since April, 1941. An increase of 1.5 per cent over the previous month was recorded in December, 1942.

Of 85 basic food items surveyed in 19 cities, 28 showed steady or slight declines while 56 increased. Reed said, emphasizing that indications are that food costs will continue the upward trend.

Extra Tires For County Approved

B. F. Robbins, general chairman for the War Price and Rationing Board, has returned from the Lubbock area office where he reported on needs for emergency tires for this county.

The office in Lubbock reported that it had received over 6,000 requests for tires over and above its regular quota from the 71 counties reporting in the area.

Robbins secured for this county's emergency quota, 25 extra tires including 12 truck tires and grade tires. These were issued Tuesday to Howard counties. Each county received a proportion of the extra tires above the regular quota.

Tulsa, though approximately the same size as New York state, has more than 750 miles of coast-

HELLO SHOPPER!
 Buy me for Vitamin B₁, Iron, Energy and Finer Flavor
NATIONAL 3-MINUTE OATS
 This type of food is among those recommended under the National Nutrition Program.
 A NATURAL WHOLE GRAIN CEREAL

SAVE YOUR TIRES!
 Shop at RED & WHITE
 SAVE TIRES SAVE MONEY

What a blessing it is to have a Red & White food store "just around the corner." It is the ideal place to do all your shopping. During these times save precious gas and tires by trading with Red & White—your own neighborhood food store, owned and operated by your neighbor.

Market Special

Baby Beef	
Short Rib lb.	19c
Fancy Sliced Bacon . .	39c
Fresh Made Pork Sausage .	lb. 25c
Pimento Cheese	1/2-lb. 30c
Fresh Ground Loaf Meat	lb. 22c
Fruits & Vegetables	
Sunkist Oranges	doz. 29c
Iceberg Lettuce	head 9c
Idaho Potatoes	10 lbs. 45c
Porto Rican YAMS	3 lbs. 19c

Buy War Bonds With What You Save By Trading At RED & WHITE

Large OXYDOL	23c
Red & White SALT	7 1/2c
Red & White CATSUP	14 oz. 19c
Stuffed OLIVES	No. 2 1/2 15c
Red & White MILK	Large 10c Small 5c
Cliff Sanitary BROOMS	69c
Aunt Jemima MEAL	5-lb. 23c

Gold Medal FLOUR	24 lbs. 1.29
Red & White COFFEE	Drip or Perk lb. 33c
Regular POST BRAN	box 10c

Bolinger's Gro. & Mkt. Phone 373 500 N.W. 3rd	Tracy's Food Market Phone 157 1801 Sourry
Whitmire's Food Market Phone 78 1015 Johnson	Pritchett Grocery 1000 11th Place Phone 1903
Packing House Market Phone 1534	116 Main

RADIO LOG

Thursday Evening
 5:00 Minute of Prayer.
 5:01 Phillip-Keyne-Gordon.
 5:15 Dollars for Listeners.
 5:30 Foreign News Roundup.
 5:45 Dick Kuhn's Orchestra.
 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
 6:15 The Johnson Family.
 6:30 Confidentially Yours.
 6:45 Wage-Hour Clinic.
 6:55 News.
 7:00 Where to Go Tonight.
 7:15 Jimmy Joy's Orchestra.
 7:30 News.
 7:35 Skyline Patrol.
 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
 8:15 Teddy Powell's Orchestra.
 8:30 To Be Announced.
 9:00 Raymond Clapper.
 9:15 Sign off.

Friday Morning
 7:00 Happy Johnny.
 7:15 Musical Clock.
 7:30 News.
 7:45 Meditations.
 8:00 News.
 8:05 Morning Devotional.
 8:30 Morning Concert.
 8:30 Pinto Pats.
 8:45 For Ladies Only.
 9:00 Ian Ross McFarlane.
 9:15 Radio Bible Class.
 9:40 Cheer Up Gang.
 10:00 Sidney Mosley.
 10:15 Karl Zomar's Scrapbook.
 10:30 Yankee House Party.
 11:00 News.
 11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
 11:10 KBST Previews.
 11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.
 11:30 Edgewood Arsenal Band.

Friday Afternoon
 12:00 Luncheon Dance Varieties.
 12:15 What's the Name of That Band.
 12:30 News.
 12:45 Dinah Shore.
 1:00 Cedric Foster.
 1:15 Baron Elliott's Orchestra.
 1:30 Mutual Goes Calling.
 2:00 News.
 2:15 You Can't Do Business With Hitler.
 2:30 Shady Valley Folks.
 3:00 News.
 3:05 Affairs of Tom, Dick and Harry.
 4:00 Sheila Carter.
 4:15 Quaker City Serenade.
 4:30 Superman.
 4:45 Our Gal Sunday.

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 7:15 They're the Barries.
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 7:35 Big Spring Bombardier School.
 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
 8:15 Chico Marx's Orchestra.
 8:30 Doubt or Nothing.
 9:00 John B. Hughes.
 9:15 Sign Off.

Coloradoan Listed As Jap Prisoner

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 14 — The first word since the fall of Bataan concerning the fate of his brother, J. K. White, came to N. H. White, Jr., in Colorado City this week. According to official government announcement, Corporal J. K. White is now a prisoner of the Japanese government in the Philippines. An ex-employee of the Col-Tex Refinery in Colorado City, Corporal White enlisted three years ago. He had been stationed in the Philippines with the air corps at Nichols Field for two years before the war.

FOR SOLDIERS' WEDDINGS
 DETROIT, Mich. (UP)—Part of the permanent equipment of the Detroit USO Club is a minister, music, flowers, decorations, cake, corsage—a complete setup for weddings of service men on leave. A wedding present is always added.

For Robust Health - For Abundant Energy...
GRAPEFRUIT
 Texas Seedless Grapefruit
 Sweet-Juicy Full of Vitamins
Lb. 3¢
 96 Size

PINK BEANS Cello Packed 2-Lb. Pkg. 19¢	Grapefruit, Oranges and Tangerines Are Victory Food Specialists	Grapefruit Foster Pink 64-70 Size Lb. 5¢	Carrots Winter Garden Crisp Sweet Doz. 5¢
Great Northern BEANS Cello Packed 2-Lb. Pkg. 19¢		Oranges Texas Valencia Lb. 6¢	Potatoes Commercial Idaho Rural 10 Lb. 29¢
		Oranges California Sunkist Lb. 8¢	Texas Yams U.S. No. 1 2 Lb. 15¢
		Tangerines Arizona Fancy Lb. 10¢	English Peas Sunkist Fancy Lb. 15¢
		Apples Fancy Winesap 125-128-150 Size Lb. 10¢	Cauliflower Sunkist Doz. 10¢
		★ Same Low Prices Every Day in the Week ★	
		Baby Limas Cello Pack 3-Lb. Pkg. 35¢	Lettuce Crisp Solid 4 and 5 Doz. Doz. 10¢
		Dumplings Our Best 7-Oz. Cello 10¢	Onions California No. 1 Yellow Lb. 4¢
		Noodles Gooch's Egg 5-Oz. Cello 5¢	Rutabagas Fancy Waxed Lb. 3 1/2¢
		Prunes Small Evaporated 3-Lb. Cello 35¢	Genuine Calavos 2 1/2 Lb. Doz. 10¢
		Bread Julia Lee Wright's ENRICHED-White 24-Oz. Loaf 11c	Su-Purb Sterilized Soap 12-Oz. 20¢

Safeway Quality Meats

Pork Roast Shoulder Center Cuts Lb. 35¢	Pork Liver Fresh Sliced Lb. 25¢	Wieners Star or Iowa Lb. 33¢	Pressed Ham Vacuum Cooked Sliced Lb. 55¢	Young Hens Waste-Free Lb. 39¢	Bacon Grade A Sliced Lb. 39¢	Oysters Fresh Standards Lb. 49¢	Perch Fillets Lb. 32¢	Sliced Halibut Lb. 35¢	Fresh Pork Chops Center Cuts Lb. 35¢	BUTT CUTS Lb. 32¢
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Other Values

Coffee Edwards Full Strength 1-Lb. Bag 25¢	Coffee Airway Roaster Fresh 2 1-Lb. Pkg. 41¢	Mustard French's Prepared 9-Oz. Jar 14¢	Matches Favorite 6 Boxes 23¢	Raisin Bran Post's 2 8-Oz. Pkg. 25¢	Cream of Wheat 12-Oz. Pkg. 25¢	Pickles Esquisite Sour or Dil 4-Oz. Jar 12¢
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Flour Values

Kitchen Craft ENRICHED 24-Lb. Bag 98¢	Flour Gold Medal 24-Lb. Bag 1.10
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Rob Ross Pancake FLOUR
 20-Oz. Pkg. 9¢

DOG FOOD
 Bar-B-Kubes 7-Oz. Pkg. 5¢

Popular Pear NECTAR
 12-Oz. Can 9¢

RIGHT RESERVED TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

SAFEWAY

Lieut. Adams Home On Furlough—

Forsan Bombardier Got His First Crack At Japanese On Guadalcanal

From Pearl Harbor to Guadalcanal is a 3,000 mile jump in time and space. It took just that for Lieut. John Camp Adams to get in his first lick at the Japs.



LIEUT. JOHN CAMP ADAMS

Visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Adams, Forsan, and friends, Lieut. Adams related how his crew had a surprise and stormy welcome waiting when it put into Hawaii December a year ago to begin its first foreign service.

3-Way Aim Outlined For Traffic Safety

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Martin Co Adds To Milk Output

STANTON, Jan. 11—That Martin county intends to increase its dairy production for this year is evidenced by the fact that James Jones and Bill Clements of Stanton have shipped in some 25 young Jersey cows the past week and all have been sold to various parties who are to figure in the increased milk production.

Stubborn Enemy

He has seen both dead and live Japs and concedes that they are pretty stubborn fighters. "They don't fight too much during the day," he said, "but when night comes they crawl out like vermin. They know enough English that they mix up all in your lines, and it makes it pretty tough."

When the Japs sign in, he's hard to blast out. Witness the episode around Tulagi where Japs threw out grenades Marines into their prepared caves. "Dynamite on sticks kinda quieted them, though," said Lieut. Adams. It won't be an easy job whipping the Japs back if what's been accomplished to date is a fair test, he thought.

Passenger Tires, Truck Tubes OK'd

A quantity of passenger car and truck tires was issued this week by the tire board of the War Price and Rationing board in weekly session.

New Work Is Hog Cholera Taking Toll

Hog producers are running into considerable trouble and heavy losses in some instances from a wave of hog cholera.

In recent weeks he has been kept busy answering calls to points far away as New Mexico. There appears to be infection in herds from Pecos this way and north beyond Lamesa.

Most of the trouble, said Dr. Wolfe, has come from hogs shipped in. He advised strongly against purchase of such animals unless the buyer knows for sure what he is getting.

Officials' Pay For Year Set

County commissioners met Monday to approve officer's salaries and to canvass election returns of the special election held Saturday to elect a representative for his legislative district.

Big Crowd Hears Varied Program

An enthusiastic audience witnessed an interesting Sunday afternoon Variety Program at the city auditorium.

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Ordered At Air Field

Additional outlay of construction funds at the Big Spring Bombardier school continues, with latest authorized project to be the resurfacing of runways and taxi strips.

John W. Sergeant, U. S. engineer in charge of all work at the field, announced Saturday that contract for this resurfacing work would be let next Wednesday, Jan. 13. The job is expected to run to several hundred thousand dollars.

Sea Casualty List Large

NEW YORK, Jan. 12 (AP)—The perilous task of sailing merchant ships in the submarine-infested Atlantic has taken the lives of at least 4,000 and perhaps more than 6,000 men since Pearl Harbor.

Tire Inspection Dates Changed

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Banks To Handle Ration Stamps; Program To Start On Jan. 27th

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP)—Nationwide operation of the "ration banking" program, intended to ease bookkeeping burdens and speed the handling of millions of coupons by rationing boards and dealers, will start Jan. 27, the Office of Price Administration announced today.

The program was tried out first in the industrial and commercial areas in New York state comprised of Albany, Troy, Schenectady, and surrounding communities.

Under the program, stamps and coupons taken in by storekeepers, wholesalers, and other dealers in rationed goods will flow back to primary suppliers through commercial banks, much in the manner that banks act as clearing houses for checks.

Beginning Jan. 27, the system must be used by: 1. All retailers of rationed goods (sugar and coffee initially, and processed fruits and vegetables when these programs go into effect) whose December sales of all foods totaled \$5,000.

Farm Parley Here Tuesday

Farm leaders of Howard county are being convoked Tuesday at 2 p. m. for a Mobilization Day program which will explain details of the 1943 victory food and feed campaign.

New Cadet Class At Bombardier School

A new cadet class—43-5—was ready to get into its routine Monday.

Employment Office Leads District In Total Placements

The Big Spring district office of the United States Employment Service led the Abilene regional office in the total number of placements for 1942, O. R. Rodden, manager of this office, reported Monday.

December Shipments Boost Scrap Total Past 9 Million Lbs.

December scrap metal shipments came near adding another million pounds to the salvage material to the Howard county total, Ben LeFever, chamber of commerce president, reported Monday.

Jap Sub To Be Shown Here January 20

Big Spring will have its first view of a Japanese submarine when the United States treasury brings here on Wednesday, Jan. 20, the two-man suicide torpedo boat captured at Pearl Harbor in December, 1941.

Howard County Man Holds Commanding Lead

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Jurors Summoned For Next Week

Summons for jury service for the first week of 70th district court to begin Monday, January 18, were sent to jurors this week.

Dawson Co. School Building Burns

LAMESA, Jan. 9 (SpI)—A fire of unknown origin which apparently started under the floor of the building Friday night, destroyed the McCarty school house, five miles east of Lamesa in Dawson county.

Rationing

The following items are exempt: Canned fruits, chili con carne, frozen vegetables in containers over 10 pounds, fruit cakes, fruit pies, fruit puddings, jams, jellies, meat stews containing some vegetables, olives, paste products such as spaghetti, macaroni and noodles whether or not they are packed with added vegetable sauces, pickled with added vegetable sauces, pickles, potato salad, preserves, relishes, vegetable juices in containers over one gallon.

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Rectal, Hernia, Skin & Colon Specialist
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Blind, Bleeding, Protruding, no matter how long standing; with in a few days without cutting, tying, burning, sloughing or detaching from business. Fissure, Fistula and other rectal diseases successfully treated. See us for Colonic Treatment.

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Birthday Ball Planned For January 29

Big Spring and Howard county will stage its President's Birthday observance—to help build up funds for the fight on infantile paralysis—on Friday night, January 29, the local committee headed by Crover C. Dunham decided Tuesday morning.

Although the president's birthday is on January 30, the earlier observance will be held here so that orchestra music can be obtained for the dances. There will be dances at both the Settles and Crawford hotels. Jack Free's band will play at the former place, while the Crawford to furnish music for old-time dancing.

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The following items are exempt: Canned fruits, chili con carne, frozen vegetables in containers over 10 pounds, fruit cakes, fruit pies, fruit puddings, jams, jellies, meat stews containing some vegetables, olives, paste products such as spaghetti, macaroni and noodles whether or not they are packed with added vegetable sauces, pickled with added vegetable sauces, pickles, potato salad, preserves, relishes, vegetable juices in containers over one gallon.

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BIG SPRING BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REVIEW

PRESENTING EACH WEEK NEWS ABOUT LIVE PROGRESSIVE FIRMS AND INDIVIDUALS OF BIG SPRING

Women Cooks Turn Out Quality Meals At The Home Cafe

Rationing, shortages and other war time restrictions on food have hit all cafe owners and restaurants but as long as there is good food to get, the Home Cafe, 125 E. Third Street, will be serving it to satisfied customers.

Owned and managed by Mrs. Louise Lebkowsky, the cafe has only women cooks in its white kitchens. Serving from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m., the cafe provides good meals for many citizens in the area.

A specialty, which customers soon learn to look forward to, are the hot rolls, that taste better than those that Mother used to make. Many steady customers are more anxious to get their hot rolls than they are to see what else is on the menu.

Apparently, the military personnel of the city soon located the Home Cafe and adopted it for its own. For a large percentage of the cafe's customers are soldiers who call Mrs. Lebkowsky "Mom," confide their worries, troubles, and bring their wives around to meet her when they come to town.

The good food and good service provided by experienced waitresses along with genial greetings from Mrs. Lebkowsky have proved a combination that keep bringing new customers to the Home Cafe.



Feed Headquarters—Home of Big Spring's Western Grain & Seed company, owned and operated by J. B. Stevenson, is pictured here. From this location at 311 E. North 2nd go scientifically mixed feeds that are a factor in the war production program by helping boost the nation's meat supply. Western Grain & Seed handles the Burrus Texo Feeds, which includes balanced rations both for poultry and cows. Being stressed at this season are the chick starter and growing feeds which are essential to proper development of poultry flocks. Also to be had are all-purpose cattle feeds which are effective for milk production as well as for fattening. (Photo by Kelsey).

Smaller Staffs Kept Busy Meeting Auto Repair Needs

Factory-trained mechanics are doing heroic work in meeting the demands of a repair-minded public, Big Spring Motor Company officials report, and in the same breath pleaded for understanding of the problem on the part of motorists.

"We have 53 percent of the man power we had this same time last year," said J. E. Fort, vice-president and general manager, "and yet the demand is 100 percent greater."

V. A. Merrick, company president echoed this. "People who never knew about repairs are having to learn about them now. Heretofore, when something went wrong with the car, they just traded for a new one. Now there is no such trading, and they can't understand why a major repair job can't be turned out in 30 minutes."

Both officials pointed out that their mechanics, all experienced hands and key men in the company's service, are working as long and as rapidly as they can and still perform quality work. They urged public patience when delays are necessary.

Fortunately, Big Spring Motor is carrying a better stock of parts than it had six months ago. Judicious use of parts and a new public awareness of the need to have minor repairs done before a major overhauling is necessary has made parts supplies go farther than in ordinary times. Both Merrick and Fort foresaw an ample parts stock to carry through service demands for many months of the war.

"Most of these are pretty clean machines," said Merrick. "They are meeting with a good demand, and we are fortunate in having them, because in larger places dealers are clamoring for used cars."

Answers To Food Rationing Questions

LUBBOCK, Jan. 11. — Various questions puzzling the West Texas housewife regarding the forthcoming rationing of canned, bottled and frozen fruits, vegetables and juices, dried fruits and soups are answered by Howard R. Gholson, Lubbock district manager of the Office of Price Administration.

"The district office has received preliminary plans for the new rationing program, including a list of processed fruits and vegetables which will be subject to the regulations for rationing processed foods," the district manager said. "Further information will be passed along to the West Texas public as soon as it reaches the district office."

The commercially processed fruits and vegetables will be rationed under the point rationing system to be inaugurated after issuance of war ration book two in the near future. Rationing of foods covered in the new program will begin at a date to be announced later, possibly as early as February.

Rationing will be preceded by a short freeze, during which war ration book two will be issued to every man, woman and child. The freeze also will give food stores opportunity to build up supplies, train clerks, receive and post the official OPA list of point values and familiarize themselves with the values, and take inventory of their processed foods.

The housewife will know when point values are changed, because newspapers and radios will carry the announcements and every food store will have an OPA poster showing the current point values of each product. New posters will be issued when point values change.

Everyone applying for war ration book two will be required to fill out and sign a "consumer declaration" form stating exactly the stocks of processed foods on hand. Book two will have stamps removed for excess stocks, thus compelling applicants to use up present stocks before buying more. Heavy federal penalties can be applied to those making a false declaration.

Nothing canned at home, however, need be declared and no stamps will be deducted for home supplies. "It is expected, of course, that housewives will use their home canned goods instead of buying commercial products, thus helping to spread food supplies as widely as possible," said the district manager.

From the effective date of rationing order 13, the following processed fruits and vegetables will be subject to the regulations for rationing processed foods:

Canned and bottled fruits and fruit juices, including spiced fruits: Apples, including crabapples, ap-

plum, apricots, baby foods, berries, all varieties, cherries, red sour pitted, and other cherries, cranberries and saute, fruits for salad and fruit cocktail, grapefruit, grapefruit juice, grape juice, peaches, pears, pineapple, pineapple juice, all other canned and bottled fruits, fruit juices and combinations.

Canned and bottled vegetables and vegetable juices: Asparagus, baby foods, beans, fresh lima, beans, green and wax, beans, all canned and bottled dry varieties, including baked beans, soaked dry beans, pork and beans, kidney beans and lentils, beets, including pickled, carrots, corn, peas, sauerkraut, spinach, tomatoes, tomato catsup and chili sauce, tomato juice, tomato products, all other canned and bottled vegetables, vegetable juices and combinations.

Other processed foods: Canned soups, all types and varieties, dried, dehydrated fruits, prunes, raisins and all others, frozen fruits, cherries, peaches, strawberries, other berries and all other frozen fruits, frozen vegetables, asparagus, lima beans, green and wax beans, croccoli, corn peas, spinach and all other frozen vegetables.

The broad categories of items to be rationed include more than 200 kinds of fruits and vegetables, juices and soups and a variety of brands, grades and sizes and (See RATIONING, Page 7)

Posse Of Letters Chases Soldier

LAMAR, Mo. (AP)—Lieut. Fred Finley of Lamar has been complaining in his letters recently that the folks back home never write, but if his mail ever catches up with him he's going to have a real writing job on his own to do. His bride has written him 81 times but apparently the letters haven't followed him yet through England, Ireland, Scotland and Africa.

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