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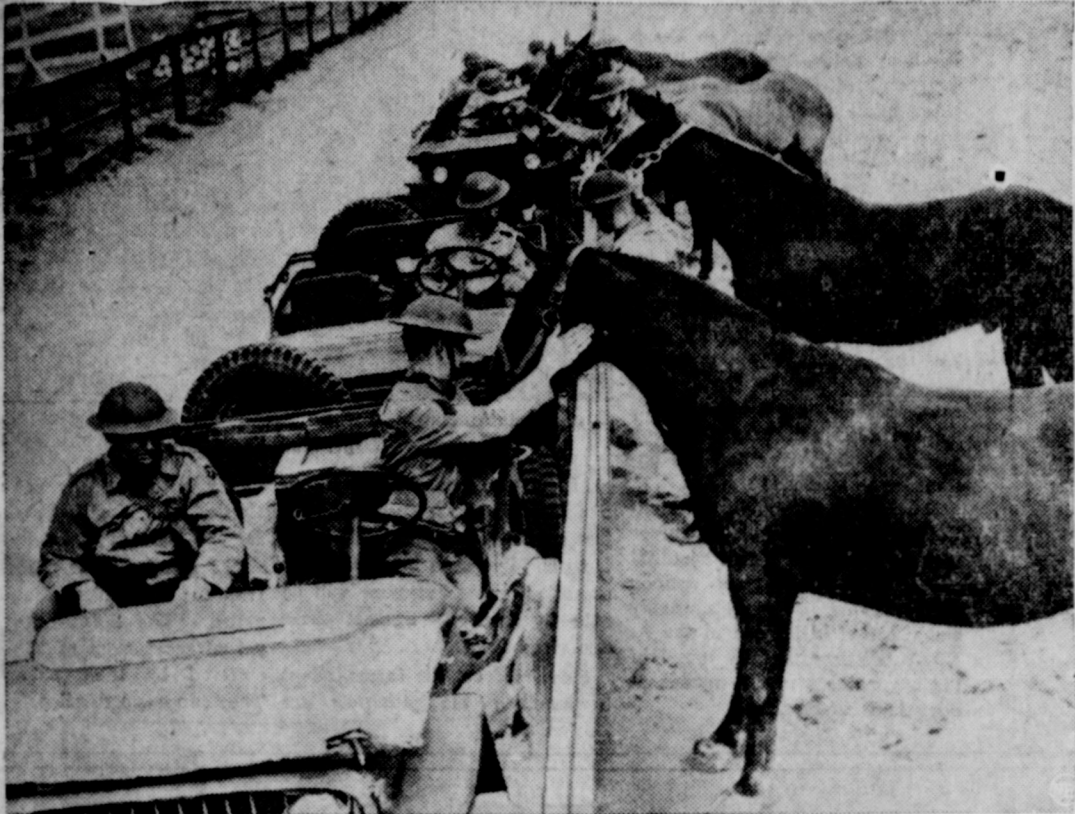
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## Parting—The Price of Progress



Members of 107th Cavalry Regiment at Fort Ord, Calif., stop to talk over old times with their mounts which have been replaced by mechanized equipment. (U. S. Army Signal Corps photo from NEA.)

## PROCEEDINGS IN COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Motions Submitted:  
2336-2263 Mrs. C. E. Donaldson, et vir, vs. D. W. Clark, appellants' motion for rehearing.

23367-2263 Mrs. C. E. Donaldson, et vir, vs. D. W. Clark, appellants' motion for oral argument on motion for rehearing.

2338-1998 The Aetna Casualty & Surety Co. vs. Aaron L. Block, appellee's motion to return mandate without payment of costs.

Motion Granted:  
2338-1998 The Aetna Casualty & Surety Co. vs. Aaron L. Block, appellee's motion to return mandate without payment of costs.

Motions Overruled:  
2334-2252 Queen Newman Reavis vs. Arthur Taylor, appellee's motion for rehearing and remittitur.

2335-2252 Queen Newman Reavis vs. Arthur Taylor, appellants' motion for rehearing.

2337-2268 Mrs. C. E. Donaldson, et vir, vs. D. W. Clark, appellants' motion for oral argument on motion for rehearing.

Cases Submitted May 8, 1942:  
2302 The First National Bank of Post, Texas, vs. Republic Supply Co., et al. Howard.

2303 Lee Brewer vs. Mrs. Gustie Hampton, Comanche.

Cases to be Submitted May 15, 1942:  
2305 Robert E. McKee vs. L. P. Reed, Brown.

2306 Safeway Stores, Inc., of Texas vs. Kathel Bell Fitzgerald, et al., Taylor.

2307 Charles A. Skipping, et al., vs. Ernest L. Skipping, et al., Brown.

## MacArthur Batman Now Is In The CCC

ASHLAND, O. (UP)—Marshall Johnson, 57-year-old Negro, is chopping trees and clearing land at the Ashland Civilian Conservation Camp these days, but he affectionately recalls his days in the army as butler to Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

Johnson was MacArthur's batman for four years when the present supreme commander of the United Nations' forces in the Southern Pacific was superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy at West Point.

"I should have stayed with him," Johnson said. "Like all other young fellows, I just had to get out of the army. I had money and I just had to get out and spend it."

Of all his memories Johnson cherishes most the fact that MacArthur, then a brigadier general, signed his discharge.

"He was a mighty fine gentleman and a real officer," Johnson said.

## C. J. Daniel Dies At Home In Cisco

C. J. Daniel of Cisco, brother of Mrs. B. A. Tunnell of Ranger, died at Cisco early Friday morning, according to Word received here today.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made because of the serious illness of George Daniel, father of the deceased, who has been ill for some time and took a sudden turn for the worse Thursday night, just a few hours before his son's death.

## Bicycle Riders Are Offered Free Paint. Jobs All In White.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UP)—Most of the 40,000 bicycles in Kansas City will be painted white, if citizens cooperate with the police department.

In making tests police found that bicycles painted white were much safer for night use, as they could be seen more easily by motorists.

The police agreed to paint the bicycles free of charge if riders would bring them in.

## Big Madagascar



Map compares size of Madagascar with that of California.

## PBA Aims For A Half Million In War Residences

CHICAGO (UP)—More than half a million war workers in crowded industrial centers will move into trim new "American Cottage" style homes this year if plans of the Public Buildings Administration materialize.

Gilbert Stanley Underwood designed the compact homes for the government agency, and officials hope 550,000 of them will be built this year. Some already have been completed.

An exhibition model erected here cost \$3,750. On the basis of that price, a war worker would pay \$37.50 a month rent if he lived there. On April 7 a survey revealed that in those homes already occupied, workers earning an average wage of 40.97 a week paid \$30 a month rent.

The unit built here consists of a living room, two bedrooms, kitchen and dining room. Heat comes from a modern forced air furnace, and the kitchen is complete with a refrigerator, stove, and cabinet sink.

Present plans are to rent the homes unfurnished, but if a tenant doesn't want to use his old furniture, or has none, he can get newly designed furniture for his new "cottage."

Fate of the home building program when the war ends still is problematical, but some housing experts feel that hundreds of thousands of such units may solve a long-existing peace-time housing need.

## Nationals Get Service Choice

OTTAWA, Ont. (UP)—Canada and the United States have come to an agreement whereby citizens of one country will be allowed to decide under which flag they prefer to serve.

The agreement, confirmed in an exchange of notes between Washington and Ottawa, primarily concerns citizens eligible for Selective Service in the United States or Compulsory Military duty in Canada.

Thus, any Canadian living in the United States who has not taken out first citizenship papers, will be given an opportunity to apply for service in the Canadian armed forces before being inducted by the U. S. This agreement applied only to "non-declared" Canadians. Those who have filed first papers—declaring intention of becoming a U. S. citizen—are being, and will continue to be, treated as though they were already citizens.

This agreement affects the U. S. citizen in Canada similarly, relieving him from the possibility of compulsory military service without a chance of enlisting under his own flag. The Canadian government plans to ask parliament to amend the Naturalization Act to provide the "first paper" procedure of the United States.

Canadians in the United States who wish to take advantage of the agreement to return home for duty will be given the proper forms to fill out by their local draft boards.

## 17 JAPANESE SHIPS ARE NOW ACCOUNTED FOR BIG CORAL SEA BATTLE

### Smuts Visions A Swing Toward A Christian Idea

POTSCHEFSTROM, South Africa—(UP)—Prime Minister Jan Christian Smuts predicted here that "a revival of religious faith" will follow the present sufferings in the world.

In a speech marking the 100th anniversary of establishing the Dutch Reformed Church in this pioneer town, Smuts said that the church should keep out of the present materialistic and political conflict "in order that it may be helpful in the crisis of religion which is coming."

Smuts is virtually the only head of a nation who also was a world figure in the last war.

Referring to his exceptionally long part in world affairs, the premier said:

"Speaking from a longer and wider experience and reflection than has, perhaps, been the lot of most others, I wish to say this: Fundamentally the world has no need of a new order or a new plan but only of an honest and courageous application of the historical Christian idea.

"Our Christian civilization is based on an eternal order—an endless plan in the message of Christ. . . . In the twilight of today I see on the horizon, not the Man of Moscow, not the Man of Munich, not the Man of Rome, but the Man of Galilee."

### Road Stripe Paint Substitute Found

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah (UP)—The Utah state highway department has discovered a longer-wearing, less expensive, and more readily visible synthetic product to replace the familiar stripe of paint down the center of its highways this year.

The product, termed gilsonite, is a lustrous type of asphalt discovered near Fort Duchesne, Utah. Highway officials, upon learning that highway-paint was out of the question this year because of the shortage of necessary Chinese oils, it was discovered that the substance could be adequately applied to the center of all concrete highway, and that it would wear better and cost less than highway paint.

On black, asphalt highways, officials plan to roll white granite chips into a thickened gilsonite mixture as a substitute for paint.

### Two U. S. Vessels Are Reported Sunk

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Two medium sized United States merchant vessels have been torpedoed in the Caribbean Area, the Navy Department announced today.

Survivors from the two vessels have been landed at an East Coast port, the communicate stated.

### Battle May Be Major Turning Point In Expected Japanese Invasion Activities In Australia Area, But Battle Still Undecided

By United Press

American and Allied warships and airplanes fought the greatest naval battle of the war against the Japanese in gleaming Coral Sea, off northeastern Australia today, with 17 Japanese vessels already knocked out of the fighting and the major turning point in the Far Eastern conflict is possibly at hand.

But the outcome of the battle, which is now in its fifth day, has not yet been decided. There was no tendency in official Allied sources as yet to take an optimistic viewpoint of the bitter fighting that may well decide the immediate safety of the supply lines from America and the vulnerability of Australia to the threatened invasion.

The tone of all official statements in Australia was grave and restrained, pending official information on Allied losses, which the Japanese claimed were an American 32,000 ton battleship, two American aircraft carriers, a British battleship and a British or Australian cruiser.

The Japanese claims were generally regarded as inaccurate and exaggerated. The British, for instance, positively denied in a communique today that any British battleship had been sunk or damaged in the engagement.

But a battle of great scope was indicated by sketchy communique from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters. According to these reports the Allies would be likely to suffer severe losses in a drive to come to grips with the enemy and to continue the engagement as long as possible.

Communique covering the action, which began on Monday, failed to make clear the course of the battle, except in a general way.

Apparently Japanese warships, transports and supply vessels, which had been massing in the New Britain Island area, north of Australia, began moving through the Solomon Islands in the general direction of the supply line to America.

At the same time the Japanese occupied islands in the Louisiade Archipelago, which has one end at the eastern point of New Guinea Island.

The famous feud is believed to have started over a 50-cent debt on a hog. It ended by the marriage of a Hatfield boy to a McCoy girl. Fred Hatfield said that no one pays any attention to the feud now.

"But fighting is in our blood," Fred said, "and there'll be plenty of Hatfields and McCoys out there in the Atlantic and Pacific shoot-out."

### Ten Cent Crap Game Ends In Murder

MEXIA, Tex. (UP)—It was only a ten cent crap game, but it developed into an argument and finally a shooting scrape.

Result: Jack Mims, 30, negro, was killed by a blast from a shotgun. L. C. Means, 35, negro, faces a murder charge. W. D. Bell, 25, negro, is charged with assault with intent to kill. James Palmer, 30, negro, is charged with conspiracy to commit murder. All three have been released under bond, pending action of the grand jury, which, it was presumed, will determine who won the ten cents.

### Red Guerillas In Bryansk Sector Of Front Are Active

LONDON—Moscow radio today reported the recapture of 245 villages and settlements by guerillas in the Orel Sector of the Bryansk Front, 225 miles southwest of Moscow.

The report also told of annihilation of more than 35,000 Germans in fighting that extended from Leningrad to the Crimea.

German reverses, with severe losses, were reported in the Leningrad area, and reports were issued that the Red Air Force had about knocked out German air forces in Finland and Norway, which had been preying upon far northern ports, through which Russia has been receiving supplies.

### THE WEATHER

West Texas—Little temperature change tonight except slightly warmer in northwest and in extreme north portion, occasional rain today and tonight in southwest.

## AIR MINSTER PREDICTS BIG AIR INVASION

BIRMINGHAM, Eng.—Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair said tonight that British and American bombing squadrons will give the German Luftwaffe a "terrible summer" in preparation for an Allied invasion of the European continent.

"That is our opportunity and we must give it no rest. We must hammer Germany out of shape," the air minister said.

"When it will be, how long it will take, I cannot tell, but then will come an invasion."

"I do not mean invasion of Britain, although that is always a possibility against which we must be constantly vigilant. I speak of invasion by British forces of the continent."

## Treasury Requests For Income Taxes Reduced One Half

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The House Ways and Means committee's staff of experts today proposed individual income tax increases that would yield less than half of the \$4,300,000,000 sought from this source by the Treasury Department.

## Judge Splits Fee For Traffic Fine

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—Cupid got Mrs. Elizabeth Andrus into trouble, and then helped her get out of it.

She told Judge A. E. Wheelock she was hurrying to get a young couple to the marriage license bureau, so her husband, a minister, could marry them, when she was halted for a traffic violation.

"How much did your husband get for marrying the couple?" asked the judge. When told that the fee was \$5, the judge decided to "split" an original fine of \$5 to \$2.50.

## Happiest Man Gives Formula For Happiness

OGDEN, Utah (UP)—To be happy, according to G. (Old Timer) Robinson of Arizona, is to have a movable home, a bed, regular meals and an occupation to keep the mind busy. Robinson should know—he claims the title: "The World's Happiest Man."

Robinson is a prospector with 50 years of dirt-scratching behind him, spent searching for the "mother lode." And the fact that he hasn't found it had nothing to do with his joy in life.

As Robinson himself put it: "Sometimes I've hit it big. But, come what may, I'll still have my outfit"—which consists of a heterogeneous wagon-affair on rubber wheels, pulled by three burros—Baldy, Red and Grandma—"and at least I'm happy."

Robinson came through here recently on his way from "somewhere in Arizona" to the middle fork of the Salmon river in Idaho, where he hopes to "hit it big" this summer. When prospecting isn't so good, he said, he accepts a "nominal fee" to pose for pictures. Robinson emphasized that his "outfit" was always "self-supporting."

He averages about 25 miles a day in his burro cart, but he isn't "in any hurry" because the "gold will still be there" when he arrives.

## Welder Bicycles To North For A Job

McKEESPORT, Pa. (UP)—John McCollam, 58-year-old Tampa, Fla., welder, was so anxious to "fight the Axis" that he pedaled his bike all the way from Dixie to the western Pennsylvania industrial area in hopes of landing a war job.

The workman rolled wearily into McKeesport, announced it had taken him two months to cycle north, and explained that if he had no luck at local plants, he'd move on to Detroit. McCollam said he stopped at Baltimore, but couldn't get work at the Bethlehem shipyard because the rigid test given welders there was too much for him. However, he claims a leg injury suffered in an accident several years ago won't handicap him in his trade, and he expects to find a job as an acetylene welder.

## One Of Its Belles



Natives of Madagascar number a million. Above: one of them.

## Deny Rumors Of A Soap Shortage

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (UP)—The Saturday night bath seems likely to continue as an American institution despite the war, since a recent survey by the Illinois Manufacturers' Association indicates that there will be plenty of soap available for the duration.

Taken to clear up rumors of an impending soap shortage, the survey likewise indicated that Illinois will have a big interest in bathroom, kitchen and laundry.

The state ranks as one of the largest soap producers in the nation, with three of the largest factories, and 24 smaller factories producing \$25,305,567 of soap and glycerin annually, according to the last government census.

Although glycerin, a by-product of soap, is used largely in the manufacture of explosives, the Association pointed out that glycerin constitutes only about 4 per cent of certain jellies and hand soaps, and soon will be eliminated even in these.

The survey revealed that soaps made of tallow contain about 8 per cent glycerin, while coconut oil soaps are partially composed of an even larger estimate around 14 per cent. However, the glycerin content is removed from both types for various important uses.

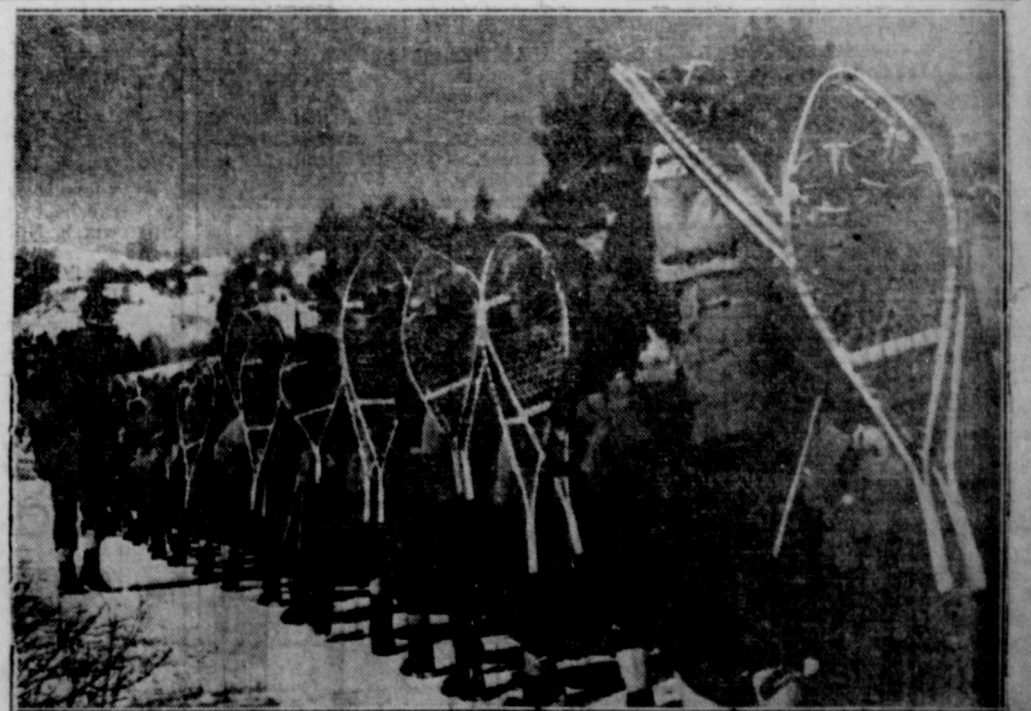
According to the Association, therefore, the more soap manufactured, the more glycerin available for the war purposes. It is believed that enough stocks of soap-producing copra, babassu and palm kernel nuts from South America, the South Seas, and Africa will be imported to produce sufficient glycerin for all wartime purposes.

However, the housewife is cautioned that although an adequate supply of raw material for soap-making will continue to be manufactured in this country, or else imported, she will be wise to conserve all food fats, greases, lubricants and table scraps from which soap-producing fats may be extracted.

## Britain Lays an Egg



This big splash will be followed by a bigger crash if a ship hits this mine dropped off the coast of England by a British minelayer.



PREPARED FOR ARCTIC OPERATIONS—Uncle Sam's soldiers are trained for duty in all climates. With snow shoes slung over their bags, the men in this platoon are marching into the snow-covered trails along lofty summits of the Rocky Mountains for their field maneuvers. They are equipped for winter fighting at home or for rugged action in Alaska or other regions of the far north. These troops are instructed in operating from natural camouflage and in the deep snow.



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IT would be very easy, reading the headlines, to suspect that some persons or cliques in Washington are using the work to knock down a few big corporations which offend against certain current economic ideologies.

We hope this suspicion is uncharitable. At the same time, we hope the unpleasant accusations which have been made by certain assistants to the attorney general will prove to be unfounded.

For some time news columns have been pockmarked with allegations that certain American concerns have deliberately hampered our war production.

There is the long series of cases in which Thurman Arnold and his assistants attribute this obstructionism to international cartels, under which German producers are said to have given Hitler all the strategic materials he wanted while our corporations selfishly kept output below national requirements.

More recently there is the charge that the largest producer of steel, Carnegie-Illinois, and the fourth largest, Jones & Laughlin, persistently have violated priority regulations over a period of almost a year.

THIS last accusation seems almost unbelievable, even though it is made by the responsible War Productions Board which includes a high ratio of presumably sound, non-political, essentially conservative business men.

Big Business has many past sins for which to answer. Nobody any longer assumes automatically that a corporation title and an upper bracket salary are evidences of either supreme intelligence or unassailable ethical standards.

Nevertheless, it seems highly improbable that such concerns as Carnegie-Illinois and Jones & Laughlin have deliberately and persistently violated the law and flouted the national will to win this war. The coveted Navy Department E's awarded to both companies—almost simultaneously with WPB's charges—in recognition of their war production contribution, would raise a question, even if common sense did not.

As for the cartels case, there is compelling ground for wondering whether some young lawyers' enthusiasm for headlines did not lead them astray.

General Electric, for instance, is accused of causing a bottleneck in machine tools by restricting production of tungsten carbide under a pooling arrangement with Krupp.

A meeting of osteopaths decided that golf scrambles the spine. Not to mention the vocabulary.

Sanitariums are places where people who are run down wind up.

### ENGLISH POET

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Pictured British poet, \_\_\_\_\_

2 Hasten. \_\_\_\_\_

3 Drone. \_\_\_\_\_

4 Ovum (comb. form). \_\_\_\_\_

6 Music note. \_\_\_\_\_

18 Sailor. \_\_\_\_\_

20 Station (abbr.). \_\_\_\_\_

21 Grain (abbr.). \_\_\_\_\_

22 Aged. \_\_\_\_\_

24 Twice five. \_\_\_\_\_

25 Greek letter. \_\_\_\_\_

26 United. \_\_\_\_\_

27 Music character. \_\_\_\_\_

29 Real. \_\_\_\_\_

30 Interweave. \_\_\_\_\_

32 Meadow. \_\_\_\_\_

33 Mohammedan nymph. \_\_\_\_\_

34 Sicilian mountain. \_\_\_\_\_

36 Sand bar near water's surface. \_\_\_\_\_

37 Unit of work. \_\_\_\_\_

39 Social insects. \_\_\_\_\_

41 Ethereal. \_\_\_\_\_

43 Footlike part. \_\_\_\_\_

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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REAL ODOR EDUCE  
RID LOTS AYHAE  
PLEVELLITITLAE  
AN SO OHMP  
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SA PT LOVER  
LOV LRETRC  
RIFLOATEPODEH  
ATAR ORALNEV  
22 Aged. MIREMEAT  
ERODE BONAPARTE

**VERTICAL**

2 Exclamation. \_\_\_\_\_

3 Opposed to miss. \_\_\_\_\_

4 Trim. \_\_\_\_\_

5 Exclamation of satisfaction. \_\_\_\_\_

6 Light, hasty meal. \_\_\_\_\_

7 Print measure. \_\_\_\_\_

8 Particle. \_\_\_\_\_

9 Girl's name. \_\_\_\_\_

10 Behold! \_\_\_\_\_

11 Obstacle. \_\_\_\_\_

15 Color. \_\_\_\_\_

17 Entirely. \_\_\_\_\_

19 Corrector. \_\_\_\_\_

20 Street (abbr.). \_\_\_\_\_

21 Antelope. \_\_\_\_\_

23 Exiles. \_\_\_\_\_

26 Fruit (pl.). \_\_\_\_\_

28 Chimneys. \_\_\_\_\_

29 Four (comb. form). \_\_\_\_\_

31 Exist. \_\_\_\_\_

32 Famous Southern general. \_\_\_\_\_

35 Possessing flavor. \_\_\_\_\_

38 Stinged musical instruments. \_\_\_\_\_

40 New English dictionary (abbr.). \_\_\_\_\_

42 Border. \_\_\_\_\_

44 Place to sit. \_\_\_\_\_

46 Land measur. \_\_\_\_\_

47 Solitary. \_\_\_\_\_

50 American poet. \_\_\_\_\_

51 Beverage. \_\_\_\_\_

53 Feathered neck scarf. \_\_\_\_\_


55 Symbol for molybdenum. \_\_\_\_\_

56 Plural (abbr.). \_\_\_\_\_

57 Chaos. \_\_\_\_\_

59 Size of shot. \_\_\_\_\_

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### Scrapbooks



### This Sergeant Acts Dual Role With Carrier Pigeons and Bayonets

A worker of miracles is Master Sergeant Max Bronkhorst. At Fort Sam Houston, Texas, he is engaged in the dual capacity of training homing pigeons for the Signal Corps and in teaching New York clerks, Pennsylvania steel workers and young farmers from half a dozen states in the dexterous use of the bayonet.

He has been breeding carrier pigeons since his boyhood in Rotterdam, Holland, nearly half a century ago. He brought a basketful of his Dutch birds to America long before the first World War and with him they entered the United States Army. Both made good. Nearly everybody knows how pigeons are used in modern warfare for auxiliary communications and for pilots of airplanes whose radios go wrong. Parachute troops and military intelligence agents also need the courageous feathered messengers.

Very few are downed by gunfire, the sergeant says, but a good many are killed by hawks and cats. He declares that with the best of food and care a pigeon will serve the Army and the nation for as long as 10 years.



—U. S. SIGNAL CORPS PHOTO.  
Sergt. Max Bronkhorst

I have never seen anything handy with the bayonet but he like them, he says. These men are singles out the Pennsylvanians just superior, and that's all there is to it. I've seen bayonet fighters of all races but none will be able to stand up against these American boys.

Soldiers from the farms, adept in handling the pitchfork, are They can come to grips." "Especially these Polish boys from the steel mills," the sergeant grins. "The Poles have a perpetual resentment of the wrongs suffered by their native land."

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# BESKOW'S

COME IN TODAY



### Views War As An Aid To Character

By United Press  
NEW YORK — The war will shake education out of its rut and give it new impetus as a character builder, Dr. James Madison Wood, president of Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., said on completing a tour of eastern junior colleges to observe their reaction to the war program.

"Most of the junior colleges are following the advice of Brig. Gen. Lewis Hershey and continuing programs at a normal pace," said Dr. Wood.

**Home Training Boosted**  
The difference will be in emphasis," he pointed out. "The junior colleges won't concentrate on just accumulating credits. With the great emotional and industrial upheaval of this war, emphasis will be placed on functional education.

"More than ever before educators will realize the importance of training boys and girls for the

useful tasks of life.

"War emotion will drive us to a new appreciation of the home as the social unit of democracy. At Stephens we are increasing the courses that train young women for greater usefulness in the home."

### Side Saddle Hop Given New Names

MIDLAND, Tex. (UP)—The old side-saddle hop is out! It's the stratosphere hop now! The Gulf Coast Air force Training Center's cadet conditioning program has "souped up" exercises with fancy aviation terms.

Budding bombardiers at Midland Army Flying school now do these aviation calisthenics:

Motor warmup—waving the arms.

Climbing turns—bend.

Power dive—to prone position.

Blackout—grab knees and yell.

Takeoff, landing and stratosphere hop—the old side-saddle hop which means waving arms and hopping on legs.



For the fisherman and the game hunter, Eastland County offers much inducement. Four fine lakes are to be found where most all game fish abound, while for the nimrod he need but go to the outskirts of the city for good shooting in season of quail and dove. The more ambitious hunters journey to South Texas each season for bags like the one pictured above.

infants dedicated in baptism will notify the pastor of their desire and arrange to have the service on Mother's Day.

### County Chapter Of Red Cross Has Received Material

The Eastland County Chapter of the American Red Cross have just received shipments of materials to be made into garments to fill the spring and summer quotas for the armed forces and for refugees.

Following are the items to be made:

- 80 turtle-neck sweaters
- 44 navy and army helmets
- 32 sleeveless army sweaters
- 20 sleeveless navy sweaters
- 18 navy watch caps
- For refugees:
- 25 convalescent robes for children.
- 60 tweed skirts for women.
- 200 woolen tweed skirts for girls.
- 50 woolen tweed dresses for girls.
- 33 flannel twill for boys shirts
- 33 part wool flannel for toddler rompers

Red Cross room second floor, Eastland Bank building is open Wednesday for everyone, knitting and sewing.

permits to work the ore. Whitaker said the companies had the machinery and equipment needed to wash the ore for shipment "and mining operations will begin soon as it is set up near Etna (Minn.)"

### Peru and U. S. Sign A Trade Agreement

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 7—A reciprocal trade treaty between Peru and the United States was signed today at the Department office, a few hours before the expected arrival here of Peruvian President, Manuel Prado.



THERE they have Purina Startena feed to get you off to a flying start, Purina Growena to do an outstanding pullet growing job, and Purina Laying Mash to produce lots of eggs all year 'round. You'll see the difference Purina makes!



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Eastland, Texas  
Phone 175

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THERE'S A REASON

The Little 9c Food Store offers you a large variety of standard brand food products at reasonable prices and for your convenience is open from early morning until late at night.

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### Negro Is Charged In Eastland Court

Charges of theft from the person are on file in Justice of the Peace E. E. Woods court at Eastland against Fannie B. Cook (col) of Ranger. The complaint was sworn to by Lonnie Baker (col.)

Although the rate of savings by the American people this February was double that of February a year ago, this trend alone is not enough to check inflation, according to financial experts.

### HAMNER UNDERTAKING COMPANY

Phones 17 and 564  
Day - Night

### CHURCHES

Church of the Nazarene  
I. W. Justice, Pastor  
Church School—9:45

Last Sunday we discussed what is known as Christ's Day of Acliam. Next Sunday's lesson may be called the day of Authority. This picture of Jesus Christ, moved to the depths of His divine heart with righteous indignation against the abuse of the house of God i one of the most inspiring and forceful in the gospel record. Let us all go to church somewhere Sunday.

The Church service of worship begins at eleven as usual with old time gospel singing. At the services last Sunday morning a number came forward to the altar seeking pardon and purity.

We are giving the mothers a special invitation to our services next Sunday. Mother's Day this year comes at a very dark time. No other group feels the strain and suffers quite as deeply in days like these as do the mothers of our nation. Nothing is more valuable or will do more to influence the world for righteousness than the example of a christian life in the Mothers of our Country.

Sermon subject for Sunday at eleven a. m., if the Lord will permit, "A Mother On Duty".  
7:45 p. m.—N.Y.P.S. also Junior Society.  
8:15—Preaching hour.  
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening 8:15, W.F.M.S. on Friday 2:30 p. m.

### THE CHURCH OR CHRIST



A. F. Thurman, Preacher

Bible Study, class work—10 a. m.  
Preaching—11 a. m.  
Preaching—8:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed.—8:30 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Study, Monday—3 p. m. Please note the change in the evening hours.  
Sermon subjects:  
"The Two Mothers", 11 a. m.  
"World Upside Down"—Acts, Chapter 117—8:30 p. m.  
Always glad to have you—COME.

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
Mr. and Mrs. William Graff of Corpus Christi announce the birth of Linda Rae, 6 pound girl born Tuesday, May 5, at the Payne Hospital in Eastland. Mrs. Graff is the former Miss Virginia Foster.

Mrs. J. W. Cooper of Wayland is a medical patient at the Payne Hospital.

### First Aid Classes For Women Begin One Day This Week

First Aid classes for women for Tuesdays and Fridays of each week are to be started sometime this week, according to an announcement by Mrs. James Horton.

These classes are to be taught by Leslie Taylor of the Lone Star Gas Company.

Those interested in attending these classes should contact Mrs. James Horton.

Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite returned from a stay in Austin early this week. She visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hob Gray.

### The Methodist Broadcaster Weekly News of First Methodist Church

J. Daniel Barron, Editor Eastland, Texas

#### MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday will be Mother's Day. The occasion will be observed in our morning service. You will enjoy the hour. A large congregation will be present. Many doubtless will attend with their mothers. Those absent will be missed. Those present will be blessed.

#### VESPERS AT SEVEN

The seven o'clock vesper service will be sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service. The organ will begin playing at 6:50 and the hymns will be started at seven. Mrs. Jeff Haynie will be at the organ and Mr. Grady Morton will lead the singing. The pastor will bring a message you may need. This quiet hour each Sunday evening may be the difference in your life between victory and defeat. Try it out regularly.

#### YOUNG ADULTS

The young adults will meet at the parsonage at six o'clock, one hour preceding vespers. This is an hour of refreshing for this group. It could be a good one for you.

#### YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at eight Sunday evening, immediately following vespers. The Youth Hour would be richer were all the young people to attend the vesper service. We are counting on them being present one hundred per cent.

#### BOARD OF STEWARDS

Mr. Raymond McDaniel announces that the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Stewards will be held Monday evening at eight. Again important matters will engage our attention and again all the officials will want to be in the meeting.

#### GOOD NEWS

Sunday will conclude the sixth month of the Conference year. The preceding five months you have kept all the financial obligations of your church paid on time. It is possible—though it will take a pull—for you to keep the record clean for the sixth straight month. Many will catch up Sunday with their weekly offering and that will pull us through again, mabe.

#### DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Tuesday and Wednesday, May 12 and 13, the Cisco District Conference will be held at Cisco. Delegates from our church will be elected Sunday. Those not official representatives are cordially invited to attend as many sessions of the conference as they can.

#### WORLD SERVICE

The church lacks a little having its goal of one-half of its \$751 World Service. If our great church is to show its greatness it will have to do so by Sunday. A little more aid by some of our good people will enable us to report at the half-way point that we are half out on this most vital matter.

#### MEN IN SERVICE

Through the work of Mrs. Bert McGlamery, we are compiling a list of the names and addresses of the sons and husbands from the church who are in military service. Their families can help keep this information up to date. We intend to write these men as a church and send them religious publications from time to time. In this connection you can help by bringing to the church office religious magazines and other worthwhile magazines for us to pass on to the men in service from our church.

#### PASTOR HOME

The pastor is home from a ten-day conference on evangelism which was held in the Dallas-Port Worth area. The conference was led by Harry Denman who is the director of the commission on

## Congratulations....

### Perry's

YOU'VE COME A LONG WAY WE'RE PROUD OF YOU.....



A cool tip for a hot day... Refrigerate Yourself In An...

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SPORT COATS—by Clothcraft... All models and colors... \$12.50 to \$20  
SLACKS—Palm Springs and Varsity. Wool—Rayon—Cotton... \$5 to \$8.50

**STRAW HATS**  
DOBBS... STETSON  
LAMSON HUBBARD  
\$1.95 to \$5.

**SHIRTS**  
—ARROW—  
WHITES... FANCY  
SPORT  
\$2.25 and up

## SHOES

**JARMAN**  
TAN... BLACK  
DUAL TONES  
\$5.85 to \$8.95

**FLORSHEIM**  
WINGS... CAPS  
MOCCASINS  
\$10.50 to \$15.00

# The Men's Shop

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- STEAK, Loin or "T" Bone, lb. .32c
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- SALT PORK, lb. . . . .25c

**GROUND MEAT**  
lb. . .23c

### SPECIAL on CHEESE

- ARMOUR'S Cloverbloom, lb. . . 30c
- CRAFT'S Velveeta or American, 2 lb. box .59c
- CRAFT'S American or Pimento sliced, lb. . . . .35c
- HAMS Half or Whole, lb. 35c

BIG BOLOGNA, good grade, . . . . .18c  
BARBECUE, Assorted Lunch Meats, FRYERS

## S. L. (LEON) BOURLAND

Market in A & P Store



# Mickey Rooney To Be At Lyric On Mothers Day

## "Babes On Broadway" Mickey's

## Here Are Stars Who Spell Fun For You

### Latest Picture Booked Specially

### For Mother's Day At Lyric

#### IT'S LUCKY 7th HIT FOR MICKEY AND JUDY

America's box-office king and his girl friend, Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland, return to the screen for the seventh time together in "Babes on Broadway," which comes Sunday to the Lyric theatre.

Headed by this incomparable pair are more than 200 of Hollywood's outstanding youngsters, including Virginia Weidler and two dancing newcomers from the New York stage, Ray McDonald and Richard Quine. McDonald although he has played two dramatic roles on the screen, gets his first chance to show his hoofing as a partner of Mickey's and Quine. Adults in the cast include Fay Bainter, Donald Meek, Alexander Woolcott and Luis Alberni. "Babes on Broadway" is built for entertainment from the start to finish. Dealing with the scores of youngsters who yearly invade Broadway to fight for their "break" on the stage, it covers a wide panorama of theatrical life both front and backstage, with its tragedy and humor adroitly balanced by the musical interludes.

#### New "Hoe Down"

These cover a wide latitude of dances and song numbers ranging from such old-timers as George M. Cohan's "Yankie Doodle Dandy" to such brand new numbers as "How About You" and "Hoe Down," the latter also introducing a new dance which is destined to sweep the country.

There is so much entertainment packed into "Babes on Broadway" that it is hard to single out any one specialty, but a definite highlight of the proceedings are the imitations done by Rooney and Miss Garland—Rooney doing Harry Lauder, Richard Mansfield and ending up with "Bombshell from Brazil," in which

#### GENE AUTRY SINGS "DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS" IN NEW FILM

"Deep In The Heart of Texas" the song hit that is sweeping the nation, is featured by Gene Autry in his new western picture "Heart of The Rio Grande" playing at the Connellee today and Saturday.

A number of other elements combine to make "Heart of Rio Grande" a stand-out among the Autry films. One is the inclusion of Edith Fellows, who at last has a good meaty role with which to prove her ability. Smiley Burnette is as funny as ever, and a miniature edition of Smiley, played by a roly-poly youngster named Joe Strauch, Jr., garners his share of laughs.

Sarah Padden, a tried and true character actress, scores in the role of "Mrs. Captain Forbes," the stout-hearted widow of a sea captain who keeps the Smoke River Ranch going in the face of great odds.

he does a brilliant take-off on the fiery Carmen Miranda. Judy also scores with her impersonations of Blanche Ring, Fay Templeton and Sarah Bernhardt. Produced by Arthur Freed and directed by Busby Berkeley, the team who scored with such previous successes as "Babes in Arms" and "Strike Up the Band," M-G-M's new musical has been produced with a lavish hand, a particularly lavish number being the minstrel show finale. It tops anything seen on the screen in some time.

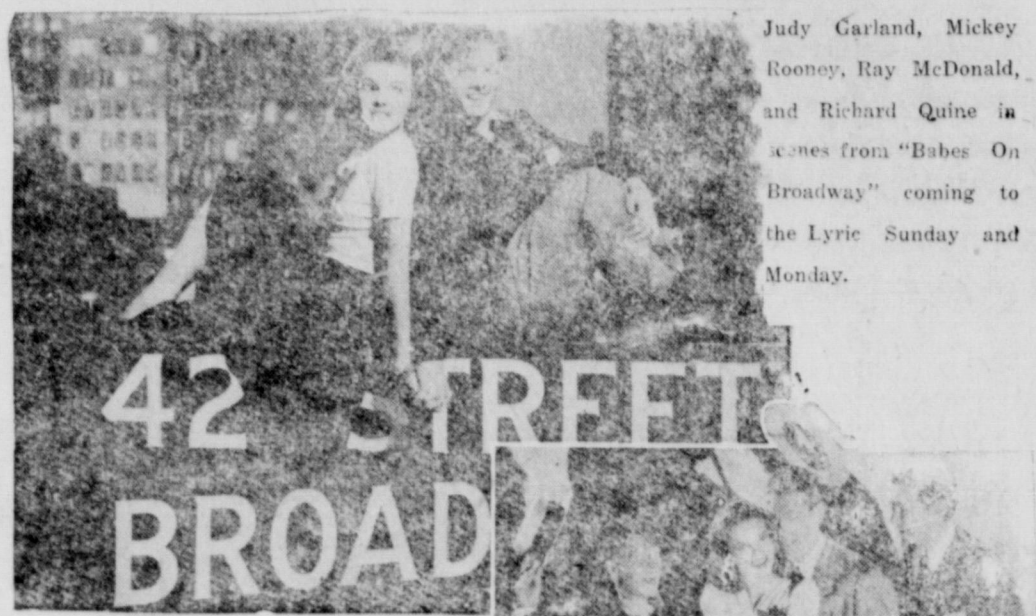
Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag and smile, smile, smiliet! In fact, if you drop around to the Connellee Theatre Sunday to take a look at "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," Columbia's hilarious new comedy, you'll laugh out loud! The film, launchees a new comedy team on the cinematic horizon and if we're any judge, Jackie Gleason and Jack Durante are going to go places in a big way!

Jammed with laughs, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," tells the story of two patriotic rejectees who start their own army after being rejected by Uncle Sam. Determined to do their bit, the boys enlist the aid of their willing neighbors and start what they call a Home Defense Army. After appointing themselves the chief officers, the boys really go to work and form the whackiest army that ever wore khaki!

The sergeant gets his stripes off a barber pole, the corporal's crazy and the entire outfit is the dizziest bunch that ever marched around in circles. As if this isn't enough, Borrah Minevitch and his entire crew of Harmonica Rascals complete the company and add their roaring, riotous rhythm to the merry melange of mirth and melody!

Of course, the boys eventually are whipped into shape and actually prove their worth by aiding police officers in capturing a band of desperate murderers. But before this is accomplished, the screen is filled with the slap-happiest comic antics we've seen in many a moon, and "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," insures itself a prominent place along with other uproarious laugh-hits of the season!

In addition to Gleason and Durante who are simply wonderful in their roles, other members of the cast whose performances stand out include Florence Rice, as the lovely sweetheart of the camp; Bruce Bennett, as a regular Army Lieutenant; Billy Curtis, as a mischief-



Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney, Ray McDonald, and Richard Quine in scenes from "Babes On Broadway" coming to the Lyric Sunday and Monday.



Above scenes are from "Rings On Fingers" the comedy hit rated as the funniest story since eve double crossed Adam out of a rib. Henry Fonda, Gene Tierney and Laird Cregar have the leading roles. "Rings On Her Fingers" is playing at the Lyric today and Saturday.

our midget member of the Home Defense Army; Mabel Todd, as Gleason's girl-friend; and Forrest Tucker, as the menacing murderer.

#### SHORT SUBJECTS TO BE SEEN AT THE LYRIC THIS WEEK

Today and Saturday's program includes a Merle Melodie cartoon "Bird Came C.O.D.", A Ted Husing sport reel "Quick Returns" and the latest news of the world.

Sunday and Monday's program features Walt Disney's Pluto cartoon "Leand A Paw" and the latest news of the world.

Tuesday and Wednesday's program features Lowell Thomas in "Heart of Mexico" and the latest "Information Please" subject.

Thursday's program will have Ray Whitley in "Cactus Capers."

#### LYRIC TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY



—PLUS— INFORMATION PLEASE LOWELL THOMAS

## SHIRLEY MAKES TRIUMPHANT RETURN IN KATHLEEN

Shirley Temple is back on the screen again. Taller, slimmer, with dark hair instead of light, she has grown into a beautiful girl of twelve.

"Kathleen," which opens Tuesday at the Lyric theatre, is Shirley's first picture in two years. It is a tender story in which she plays a split personality, as a girl unhappy in real life but happy in her dreams, which finally come true.

**A New Life**  
When Shirley enrolled in Westlake School for Girls last year, it was with no little speculation as to how she would fare. There were some who feared she might not be able to adapt herself to a life away from the studio and away from show people. Some wondered if the other girls would be able to forget she was a motion picture star, and would accept her as one of them.

But Shirley herself attended to that. She was so bashful and frightened, despite her enthusiasm that for a time the youngsters were a steelemate. When the girls realize that Shirley wasn't going to high-hat them, she became just another student. She made friends rapidly and easily. In response to natural questions about other stars in the pictures, bound to be asked from time to time, she would give fresh and courteous answers. But nothing ever was said about her own career.

The opportunity to attend school made possible many things Shirley had not known previously to any great extent. She was able to join numerous girls' clubs and organizations including the Campfire Girls, and take part in their social activities.

The last year also has brought out new talent in Shirley. She has developed, for one thing, an amazingly keen interest and taste in clothes. She designs dresses herself, and even has had one of them made up for her own wear.

The young star also has developed a flair for art, painting in water colors and pastels. When Artist James Montgomery Flagg visited her on the set, he caught her in the midst of a drawing and professed himself amazed at her ability, and especially her sense of color values.

In one sequence, which ought to satisfy the public which is always sending the stars suggestion on the hair up or down problem. She wears the front in a softly-waved pompadour, with the back hair combed into a soft bob resting on her shoulders.

Through her school assignments she has taken to reading newspapers and current event periodicals. Her work has limited her reading time, except for actual school work, but now she has joined the "Book of the Month" club.

A year of this life, into which Shirley has fitted as easily as she has into her screen career, has made a great hit with the youngster. And more than anything else, she has loved the association with other growing girls.

Yet, the girl has been acting since she was five was growing increasingly eager to return to work. Although she was the first member of her family to enter into a professional career, she now definitely has acting in her blood.

It was Shirley's own pleading that persuaded her parents to allow her to return to the screen.

**Two Films a Year**  
Shirley now will make not more than two films a year, thus



SHIRLEY TEMPLE

giving her the opportunity to continue her school work. She returned to class immediately after completing her role in "Kathleen."

#### CONNELLEE NOW PLAYING

**THE HEART OF THE RIO GRANDE**  
GENE AUTRY  
Hear Gene Autry Sing "Deep In The Heart of Texas"

leen," missing only three weeks with her classmates. During the period, she studied on the set under a private tutor, who gave her the same lessons she would have had in school. She is in her freshman year of high school, with French probably her best subject, and English, algebra, ancient history and art on her schedule. She also is continuing the piano lessons which she began as a child.

## LYRIC SUNDAY - MONDAY

**IT'S AMERICA'S FAVORITE FUN-STARS IN THEIR BIGGEST MUSICAL HIT!**



**ROONEY GARLAND BABES ON BROADWAY**

**SEE - The Hoe Down and other grand dances!**  
**HEAR - "How About You?" "Clutlip, Chewie, Carry On" - many more!**

—EXTRA— PLUTO CARTOON LATEST NEWS

## 'Rings' Keeps 'Em Laughing!

### New Comedy Stars Henry Fonda, and Gene Tierney

A bell-ringer for the fans if there ever was one is 20th Century-Fox's "Rings On Her Fingers," the gay romantic comedy which made its debut at the Lyric Theatre today.

Packed with comedy, the picture makes the most of its hilarious plot to keep Henry Fonda and Gene Tierney in a constant state of uncertainty while a slew of laugh-provoking situations resolve themselves.

Making her first appearance in a youthful modern dress role, Gene Tierney turns in a neat performance as she romps through the film matching wits with Fonda.

The story is just right for the two stars. Gene plays the part of a shopgirl whose services are enlisted by two shady characters, Laird Cregar and Spring Byington, to mulet millionaires out of their money. Gene, at first, is unwilling, but the prospect of gorgeous clothes, swank hotels, travel, palm trees and all the accoutrements of a glamorous debutante win her over. Naturally, the victim turns out to be Henry Fonda, a guy who has finally saved up enough to buy the boat he's always dreamed of.

The performances are everything expected of them. Gene gets away from the costume roles she has been playing to add just the right touch to the debutante

part, and Fonda continues his series of delightful comedy characterizations. Laird Cregar who is rapidly turning into one of the best "heavyies" in filmdom, turns in another grand performance and Spring Byington, Henry Stephen-

son and John Shepperd are just right.

We think you'll get a grand kick out of "Rings On Her Fingers," so beg, borrow or steal the price of admission to get a glimpse at this movie treat!

## OVER 70 MOVIE STARS TO APPEAR IN PERSON IN DALLAS MONDAY NIGHT

The Hollywood Victory Caravan featuring over 70 outstanding Movie Stars who are appearing throughout the United States in behalf of the Army and Navy Relief Societies will appear in person at the big show to be held in Dallas Monday night at the Fair Park Auditorium.

Tickets for the show are on sale now and to accommodate local theatre goers who wish to attend the show, reservations may be made through the manager of the Lyric theatre here in Eastland.

The prices for the Dallas engagement will be \$1.55, \$2.20, \$3.30, \$5.50 and \$11.00 including tax.

The show has already appeared in Washington, Boston, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and after the Dallas engagement will appear in Houston and San Francisco.

including five pianos, three sectional dance floors and an array of musical apparatus. The show runs for three hours and is under the direction of Mark Sandrich of Hollywood.

Stars who will appear at the Dallas show are: Desi Arnaz, Joan Bennett, Joan Blondell, Charles Boyer, James Cagney, Claudette Colbert, Olivia DeHavilland, Cary Grant, Charlotte Greenwood, Bert Lahr, Laurel and Hardy, Groucho Marx, Frank M. Hugh, Ray Middleton, Pat O'Brien, Merle Oberon, Eleanor Powell, and Rise Stevens. Bob Hope will MC the show and other stars will join the show when it reaches Dallas.

The stars are donating their time and all the proceeds other than what is used for absolute necessary expenses will go to the Army and Navy Emergency Relief fund. Every one who can is urged to go and may get their tickets at the Lyric theatre in Eastland.

The battle of hair up and down has no problems for Katherine Hepburn, who co-stars with Spencer Tracy in "Woman of the Year" coming to the Lyric May 17. One day the star wears her hair in a long flowing bob, and the next it is looped into an enormous pompadour with a dressy hat topping it.

But she solves both problems

## LYRIC

Thursday, May 14  
**BACK AGAIN to jolt you from your seats!**  
**DEAD END KIDS**  
**LITTLE TOUGH GUYS**  
**TOUGH AS THEY COME**  
THURSDAY, MAY 14th PLUS SURPRISE FEATURE-8 P. M.

## CONNELLEE

SUNDAY ONLY  
**A SALUTE TO LOVE! Uncle Sam's Boy has heart trouble... only she can cure him!**

**TRAMP, TRAMP, TRAMP.**  
with Jackie GLEASON, Florence RICE, Jack DURANTE, Bruce BENNETT  
Cartoon Novelty Reel Serial

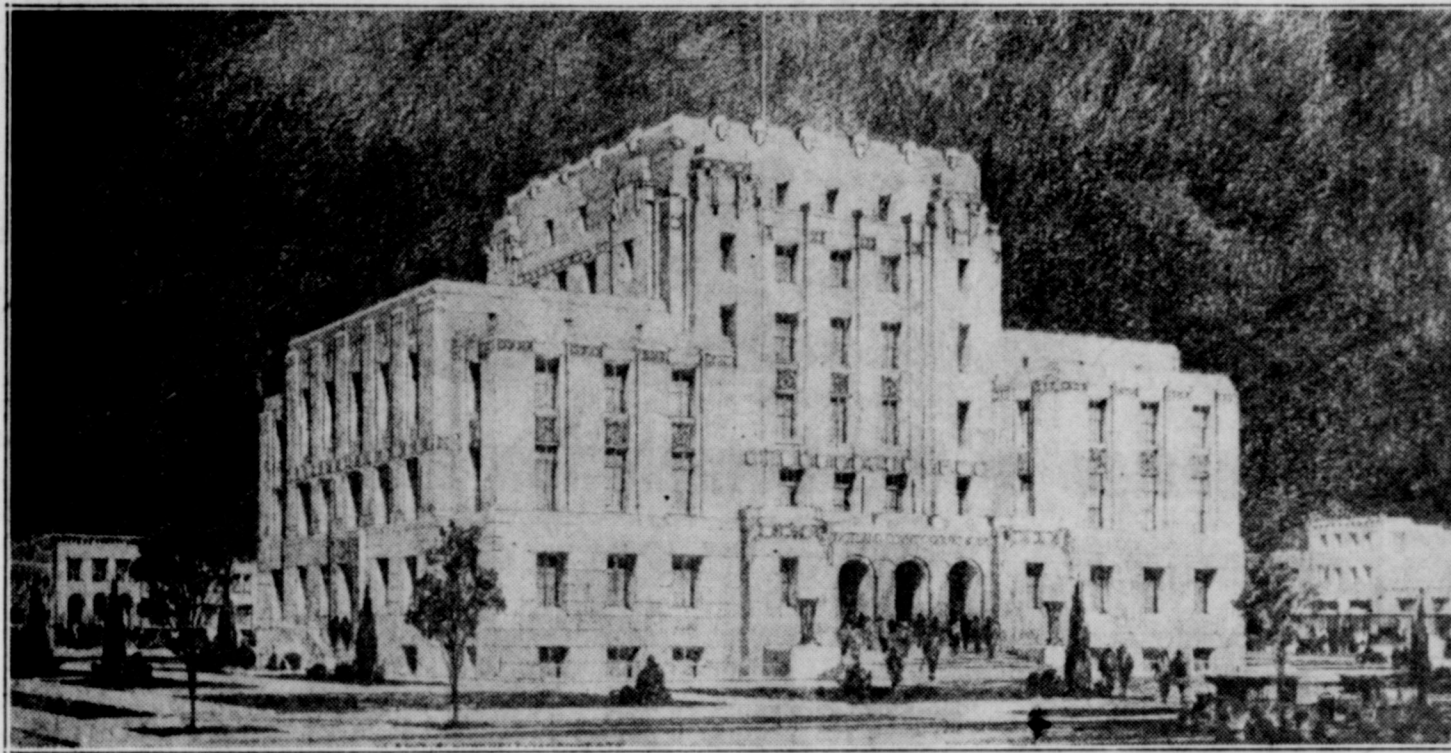
**IT'S LARCENY...but he loves it!**  
**HENRY FONDA IS NUTS FOR GENE TIERNEY**  
She looked like a million...while looking for a million!  
**"RINGS ON HER FINGERS"**  
Color Cartoon  
Ted Husing Short Latest News  
**LYRIC - NOW PLAYING**



# PERRY BROS. SECTION

EASTLAND, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 8 1942

## Eastland And Eastland County Extend Congratulatory Greetings To Perry Brothers Upon Re-Opening Of Their Enlarged Store



Eastland County, Texas Courthouse which cost the citizens of the county over \$300,000.00 and of which they are justly proud. In the cornerstone of the building which this replaced was found the famous Horned Frog which for thirty years had slept peacefully and was alive when taken from his long resting place.



### Sowell Supervises 17 Counties For Perry Brothers

Seventeen counties is not such a territory in some of the northern states but in Texas it means that a man must be on the jump "to get around." That perhaps is the reason that S. M. Sowell district supervisor for Perry Brothers in this section of the state has little time to waste in the course of each day's work. That he doesn't waste it is demonstrated by the fact that he has been with firm for past fifteen years during five years of which he has occupied the position he now holds. Mr. Sowell is a native of East Texas, Nacadoches county, where mother nature paints all the soil a reddish color, and the folks have the true southern accent in their speech.

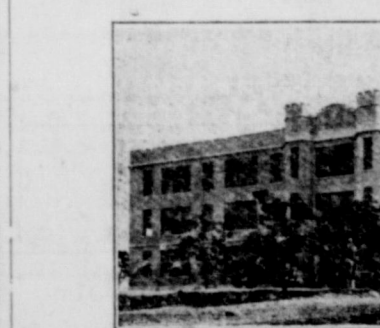
One would hardly expect to find as young a man as Dale Parham occupying the position of manager of one of Perry Brothers' largest Stores but the policy of this firm is to keep an eye on likely material for its personnel of managers on the graduating classes of high schools and colleges throughout Texas and wherever a student is found who is outstanding in his scholastic work he is almost sure to receive a call from the personnel manager of Perry Brothers.

Mr. Parham completed his high school work at Mt. Pleasant, Texas, attended Abilene Christian College and soon afterwards joined the organization, with whom he has since been associated.

His first experience as a store manager with this firm was at Ennis, Texas where he spent four years. He was selected to fill the management of the Eastland store about two years ago, where his genial and courteous manner has gained him many friends. Mr. Parham is married and resides at the Hillside Apartments. He is a member of the Church of Christ and is affiliated with local business organizations.

### Lions Attend Meet At Breckenridge

A number of Eastland Lions attended the meeting of District 2-E at Breckenridge Thursday at noon. Among those attending were D. L. Kinnaird, district zone chairman; W. T. Verner, secretary of the Eastland club, and R. V. (Rip) Galloway. Verner is a member of the district nominating committee.

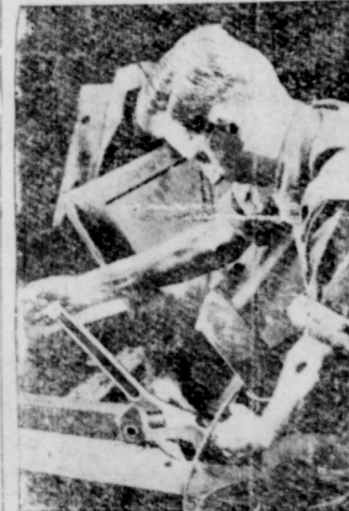


As an inducement to prospective residents, Eastland offers one of the best school systems to be found anywhere. Above pictured is the high school which occupies an ideal location on one of Eastland's building sites overlooking the city. The scholastic census shows Eastland to have around eleven hundred students.



Church of Christ, one of six fine churches to be found in Eastland.

### Producing Parson



The Rev. Milford C. Butterfield labors at anti-axis evangelism six days a week at Hudson Falls, N. Y., war plant and preaches on Sunday at Advent Christian Church in same town.

### Reopen Old Mine Closed For 41 Years

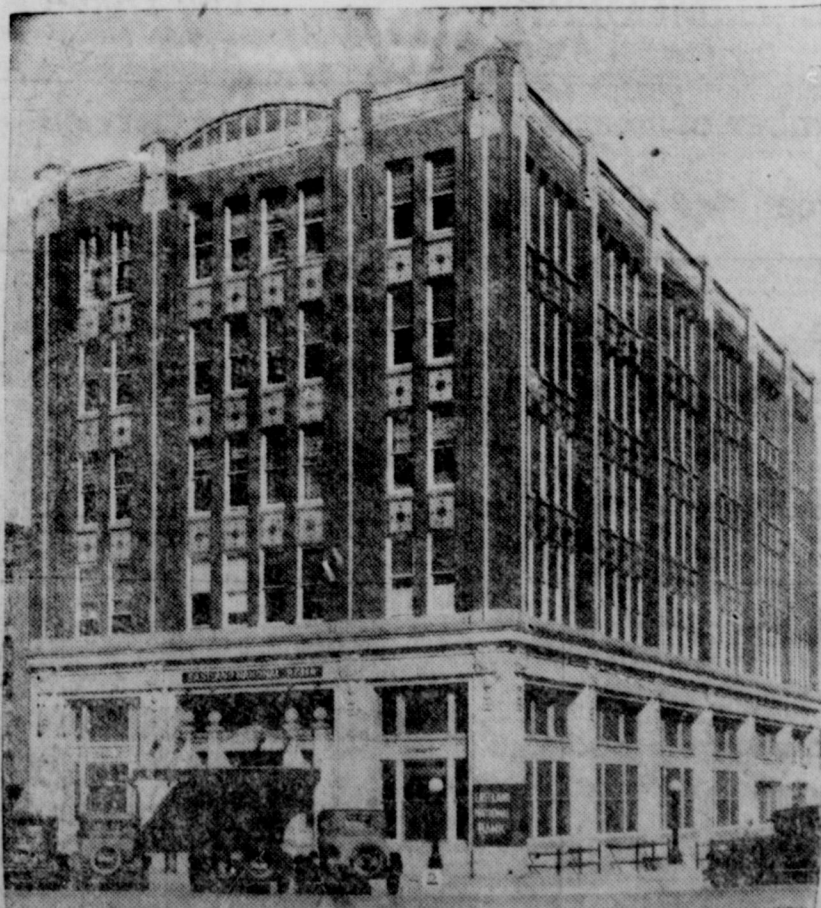
POST ROYAL, Pa. (UP)—On the night of June 10, 1901, two blackdamp explosions rocked a coal tangle across the Youghiogheny river from Fitz Henry and brought death to 18 miners.

Today, workmen are exploring the old diggings, removing tools and lunch pails which were dropped by the men when the blasts occurred, and preparing to reopen the pits after 41 years of idleness. A belated search for the body of John Peoples, of West Newton, even is under way, for it's believed his remains are in some unexplored part of the shaft.

The deserted mine is being reopened because of the war emergency.



Connellee Theatre, possibly the largest playhouse in West Texas and one of two located in Eastland operated by the Interstate Amusement Company. Whose local manager is Cecil Barham.



The Eastland National Bank Building. A five story fire-proof structure that cost \$250,000.00 to build. It houses the bank and many business firms.

## PERRY BROS., INSTITUTION 65



By J. H. TANNER, Secretary Eastland Chamber of Commerce

Congratulations to Perry Brothers, for the splendid improvement they have made to their Eastland store. They have shown their interest in the future of Eastland in a substantial manner. Eastland has come a long way since it had a population of 855 in 1910. There were the days of dusty and narrow streets, flickering electric lights and a somewhat inadequate supply. Today we find Eastland one of the cleanest, most modern cities in West Texas.

Through perseverance and faith in its future on the part of its citizens, Eastland is what today, a modern city. Our beautiful square is one of the best anywhere in the country, and it variably elicits favorable comments from strangers passing through. Doubt that any city of comparable size has as many improved streets as Eastland. Some fifteen miles of paved streets are a source of pride to our citizens. Our supply is ample to support a larger population. The recent improvements in the raising of Lake Eastland Dam has greatly to the capacity of our Lake. We are served by one of the largest electric power plants in West Texas. This plant with 1000 horse power, not alone us, but many other cities distant as 300 miles. Our gas system assures our citizens a steady and inexhaustible supply of this cheap and clean fuel. Our utilities are second to nowhere.

Eastland's public schools ranks among the best in Texas. Our high school has a fine affiliation, and is one of the best equipped and most modern in West Texas.

Eastland is truly proud of its churches. Some eight denominations are represented here, of them having church homes of great beauty.

Our climate, though may be so well known throughout the country as the greatly publicized climate of California, is exceeded even by that great state.

These are facts well known to all of us citizens of Eastland. There is something intangible about Eastland. It is that desire so often expressed by those who have left here, "we were back in Eastland." We live in a fine town and by our perseverance and by our faith will make Eastland a greater place to call home. There is no one who lacks the vision to see the value of his holdings, the prospects of his prosperity, separately bound up in the future of this City.

The average work week of employees in manufacturing industries in this country now hours.

In a modern army a division of ground force will use as much as 75,000 gallons of gasoline in 24 hours.

In Germany the work week averages at least 60 hours. In the average work week is about 70 hours.



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# NEW RULES ON CREDIT HIT INSTALLMENT DEALS

## Most Articles Used In Every-day Life Covered By Reserve Board Order

Effective at midnight Tuesday, May 5th, regulation orders were issued in compliance with President Roosevelt's recent request that people pay off their bills and stay out of debt as much as possible. Hitherto, the purchase on credit of a score of articles had been regulated, but Tuesday's rules lengthened the list to 46 classifications and stiffened the requirements.

The rules apply only to forty-six listed articles and no others. They provide:

1. Cash purchases, no restrictions.
2. Charge accounts, must be paid by the tenth day of the second month following purchase, but no down payment required. For instance a listed article bought any day up to the end of this month must be paid for by July 10. That date also is the deadline for charged articles on the list which were bought before Tuesday.
3. Installment credit, any person buying a listed item on the in-

stallment plan must pay one third down and the balance in twelve months, except that automobiles may be bought one third down and fifteen months to pay, and furniture and pianos one fifth down and twelve months to pay. Regardless of total price, payments must be at least \$5 per month.

The rules also tighten up conditions under which cash loans up to \$1,500 may be made by banks or other lenders. The cash loan rules provide:

1. If the loan is to be repaid in a lump sum, it must be paid up in ninety days. And if the loan is to be used to buy a listed article the amount of the loan must not be more than the purchase price of the article minus the down payment. This type of loan was not restricted previously.
2. If the loan is to be repaid in regular installments it must be paid up in twelve months, except that if it is to be used to buy an automobile or motorcycle it may run fifteen months. If the loan is to be used to buy a listed article, the amount of the loan must not be more than the price of the article less the down payment. Also if the loan is to be used to pay off a debt previously made to buy listed articles, the loan must be paid up

in six months. Board officials said that one of the most drastic features of the new rules was the requirement that monthly payments be at least \$5. In effect this provision shortens the payment time on a large number of the listed articles.

For instance, the rules seem to allow a year to pay for a watch. But, if it costs \$30 and the down payment is \$10, and the balance must be repaid at the rate of at least \$5 per month the purchaser actually gets only four months.

Several relief clauses, however, soften the blow of some of the other provisions, especially on charge accounts. If a charge account is not paid up in the required forty to seventy days (depending on the day of month the purchase is made) the technical default can be cleared up by making arrangement with the merchant to pay up on the following six months on a fixed monthly basis of not less than \$5. Until such an arrangement is made or the default paid up, the merchant is prohibited from charging any more listed articles to such an account.

As in the old rules, there are other special exemptions or extensions for impoverished persons, students, farmers and others with seasonal incomes, or persons seeking cash loans for emergency expenses, and in other special cases.

**Complete List of Articles**  
The complete list of articles to which the new rules apply follows:

## U. S. Marines Sport 26 Types of Headgear



United States Marines wear a total of 26 different types of headgear in their performance of duty in the field and at the various Marine Corps outposts and stations. Pictured here are 20 of the total.

Room units air conditioners, home air conditioning systems, airplanes, attic ventilating fans, automobile batteries and accessories, passenger automobile tires and tubes; bedding, blankets, curtains, draperies and household linens and towels; bicycles, binoculars, field glasses, opera glasses and hand telescopes, pleasure boats and boat motors; clocks (electric or otherwise if designed for household or personal use); household electric dishwashers; household cooking stoves and ranges; all electric appliances if designed for household or personal use.

Floor coverings (including fabric and linoleum type rugs, carpets, mats and other materials, whether or not designed to be affixed to the floor); furnaces and heating units (including oil, gas conversion burners and stokers, all if used for household); household heating stoves and space heaters; household ironers; jewelry (including precious stones and costume jewelry); lamps designed for household use; lawn mowers, edgers and trimmers (whether or not power-driven); household lighting fixture; luggage, purses, handbags, toilet cases, and umbrellas. Motion picture cameras, projectors and lenses designed for film



**TIME OUT FOR A HOT MEAL**—While spring approaches in the Southland these soldiers, training with snowshoes and skis in the Rockies, enjoy hot stew, corn, rolls and coffee on the snow-covered mountain slopes of the remote Northwest. Left to right: Richard Robelia, Eau Claire, Wis.; Elbert Shafter, Superior, Wis.; Alvin Ranson, Branchville, Ind., and John Sala, Summerville, Mass.

gauges, less than thirty-five millimeters; still cameras; projectors, lenses, shutters and enlargers; all types of musical instruments; household electric organs; household plumbing and sanitary fixtures; household portable lights and portable or stationary flood-lighting equipment; radio receiving sets, phonographs and combinations; mechanical refrigerators of less than twelve cubic feet rated capacity; household sewing machines, silverware, including flat ware and hollow ware, whether solid or plated; sports, athletic, outing and games equipment; household suction cleaners and mechanical carpet sweepers.

Tableware and kitchen ware; equipment and utensils designed for household use (including pottery, porcelain, china, glassware and cutlery); household washing machines; watches; household water heaters; household water pumps; wearing apparel and furs (non-military, including footwear, headwear and haberdashery); yard goods designed for making of garments or for making articles of household use, household furniture (including ice refrigerators, bed springs and mattresses); pianos, automobiles, motorcycles and any materials or services used for repairs or improvements on noncommercial real estate.

## OUT OUR WAY



## Freckles and His Friends



## RED RYDER



## ALLEY OOP



## By Williams

FALL IN! PREPARE TO MOUNT! YE GODS! WHO EVER INVENTED SUCH A LITTLE HOLE IN A CANTEN? I'M GETTIN' BETTER--I GOT TWO DROPS AT TH' LAST PUMP AN' FOUR AT THIS'N! WHEN MY ENLISTMENT IS UP I'M COMIN' BACK OVER THIS ROUTE AN' I'LL FILL UP ONE CANTEN FER SPITE!

## BY HARMAN



## By Hamlin

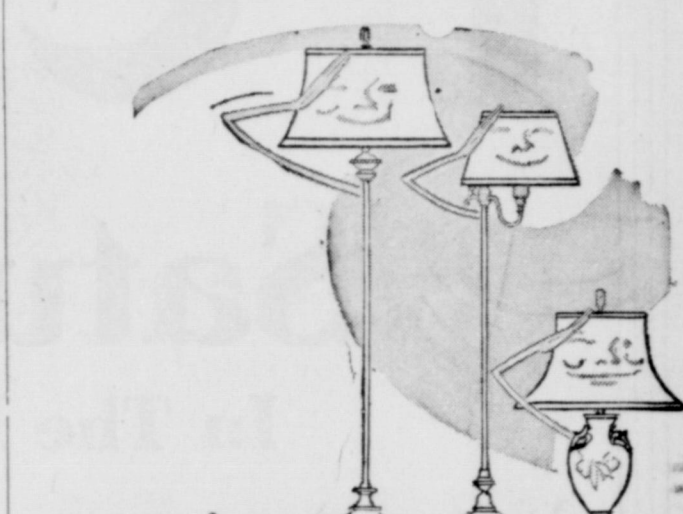


## THE PAYOFF

TENNIS and racing are tinged with blue, a reflection of the noses of their officials. The sport of kings is generally controlled by men with the wealth of Croesus. Tennis moguls were conspicuously absent from relief rolls. Yet of all the various sports, tennis and racing have done least for the war effort. It took Pearl Harbor and the entry of this country into war to give boxing an aura of respectability. The maligned pugilists have done a superb job. Boxing has an unsavory lore. It makes no pretense of improving any breed or giving a youngster a chance to "play the game he loves." It is a tough, brutal, vicious racket which has left many a nice-looking kid mumbled punch drunk nothings from a battered mouth. The men who control such effete sports as tennis or racing no doubt look upon boxers as disdainfully as the Romans did the gladiators.

Perhaps it is not so strange that when the emphasis was put on the quality, boxing should have come to the fore. It is a sport that, after some of the most concerted publicity ever had to weather. The general opinion is that the sport of kings is being very much of a two-bit sport in its latest proposals. Before this war is over, racing, if it still exists, will do a lot more. Amateur tennis insists it will do its share. Chieftains point out that their program is seriously curtailed by service inductions and an influx of talent into professional ranks. Why don't the amateurs play the professionals? According to Holcombe Ward, president of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, the Riggs-Kovacs-Budge-Perry tour was strictly a financial flop. There are no remaining amateurs capable of playing these men anyway.

U.S.L.T.A. is asking its 850 member clubs to play tournaments Memorial Day, July 4 and Labor Day with a \$1 entry fee to go to the Red Cross. Lawrence A. Baker, first vice president, is on the athletic panel of the Navy Relief Society and is planning tournaments for that fund. Matches at various camps will also be held.



# 3 simple ways TO GET THE MOST LIGHT FROM YOUR LAMPS ... and help your eyesight, too!

Here are three simple and economical ways to get more light from your electric table and floor lamps. Follow these suggestions, and you'll help your eyesight, too.

1. Keep lamps clean ... dustfree  
Reflector bowls and lamp bulbs gather more dust than you think. The dust collected on them in from one to three months can deprive you of much of the light your eyes need. Cleaning them with a damp rag, or washing will give you from 25 to 30% more light. Remove bulbs and reflector bowls before washing or cleaning with damp rag.
2. Replace dark shades  
If your lamps have dark shades or shades now turned yellow inside, you are losing light that your eyes need for easier seeing, less eyestrain. You may be losing as much as 50%. Clean them regularly; or if they're too bad, replace them with fresh shades and you'll get a lot more light. Even light-colored silk shades will give you more light if brushed weekly.



3. Place lamps to make light more useful  
Put them where they give eyes most help. Often, two or more of the family can use the same lamp when furniture is properly arranged. (One suggestion is shown above.) And don't get too far away from the lamp; a difference of twelve inches can cut your light as much as 50%.

**Save Metal by having Appliances Repaired**  
Lamps and other electric appliances should be made to last for the duration of the war, if possible, so that vital metals can be conserved. Make your electric appliances as good as new. Take them to an Electric Shop today for repairs.

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## Helen Childress To Be County H-D Agent At Eastland

Miss Alice Wheatley, Assistant Co. Home Demonstration Agent, since April 1, 1941 will be transferred to San Saba County on May 11 as Co. Home Demonstration Agent of that county. Miss Wheatley came to Eastland County from Italy, Texas where she was teaching Home Economics in the high school. She is a graduate of Trinity University in Waxahachie and has done graduate work in North Texas State Teacher's College in Denton. Miss Helen Childress of Wellington, Texas will assume duties as Assistant Co. Home Dem. Agent of Eastland County on May 11. Miss Childress is a graduate of Texas Technological College of Lubbock. At the present time she is County Supervisor of the School Lunch Program in Collingsworth County.

## Eastland Boy Will Receive His Degree

COMMERCE, May 6—Travis Lee Cook, son of Mr and Mrs. A. O. Cook of Eastland will complete requirements for the bachelor of science degree at East Texas State Teachers College in May. He will have a major in mathematics and a minor in physical education and English.



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