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Tea, Schilling, 1-4 lb.	23c
Glabber Sirl Baking Powder, two lb. for	22c
Hypro, quart	15c
Grape Nut Flakes, large box	150
Seap, C. W., large size, 6 bars	25e
Branges, Galifornia, dozen	15e
	5 1-2c
Perk Granulated Scap	22c
Soap. Palmelive bath size, two for	21c
Gottee, 4 lb. backet Bright & Early \$	1.14
Apples, Delicious, per dozen	200
Fresh Tematoes, pink, ib.	140
Squash, yellow. Ib.	7 1-2c
Bake Rite, 3 lb. can	72c
Krispy Grackers, two lb. box	310
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Clarendon and Memphis hospit gram rendered, however several als in ambaiances and private who were to have been on precars for emergency treatment, were unable to attend due to sick and all were reported much bet ness. Man and boys of the ter Wednesday Beds were charch served and eleaned up foll made for many in the Cooper lowing the banquet Several of Hotel, Secority State Bank, and the ladies assisted after a nam the effice of Dr. D. H. Con

ber of those who had planned to Doctors treating the patients belp were kept from helping on here included Dr Keith Lowell, account of the sickness of school Dr Lours Lowelland Dr Gerden children and teacher.

Stewart, all of Clarendon, and Mrs Rath Duncan received Dr D. H. Cox

METHODIST CHURCH

recognition as the oldest mother present and Mrs W. H Jones re ceived the same recognition as the eldest daughter Mrs Blaine Doherty and daughter received Due to the Baccalaureate Ser bonors as the youngest daughter mon at the school at 12 o'clock and mother present Toose pres Sunday the Methodist church ent enjoyed the banquet We

will not have the morning wor f-elsure that it will be made an ship service May I as pastor. annual affair, and of course we arge that you attend Sunday nope that next time there will be schoel and then go to the School no wholesale sickness to mar the for the Baccalaureate Sermon, enjoyment of the occasion The No will have the regular service ladies appresiate this spiendid . Sunday night Let us make a sponse gives to this enterprise. day the appreciation due mether continue throughout the year.

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Regulation Order

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C R LeMond, paster

Tire Rationing

County has been issued four pass Among services specifically ex enger car tires and ten tubes as d cluded from the OPA's Maximum 17 passenger car retreads They Price Regulation are professional were also issued 82 tires for advertising, insurance, entertain trucks and tractors, 40 tobes and ment, transportation and barber 49 retreads for trucks,

shop If a person issued a certificate Local retailers must mark the decides he does not want the tires maximum prices, i e., the high it is very important that this cerest prices charged in March, 1942, tificate be returned to the counon cest of living commodities of ty office within thirty days.

tered for sale on or after May 18 Persons guilty of abuse or neg Local retailers must file a list ligence in care of their tires may of their maximum prices on cost be denied certilicates even of living commocities with the though they are otherwise elig:nearest Price and Rationing bie We are asking all who have board of the OPA on or before received tires to conserve them June 1, 1942 Celling prices go as much as possible as our quotas inte effect May 18

Every person who owns or ac quires one er more retail stores must register each of these stores

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NAZI WARSHIPS: **Three** Cripples

Last February when the three Nazi warships, the battleships Gneisenau and Scharnhorst, and the cruiser Prinz Eugen, made their startling escape from the Nazi-held port of Brest through the English channel, a naval offensive in northern waters to cut the United Nations Arctic supply line to Russia was foreseen.

Now the British admiralty has explained why such action has been lacking. An announcement from this source indicates that the three ships will be out of action for some time. They were severely damaged, say the British, by torpedo and bomb-ing attacks in their channel flight, and by British mines and submarine action later.

Thus instead of six powerful war-ships to smash at British and U. S. fleets, the Nazis have only three capable of immediate action.

NON-VIOLENCE:

Gandhi's 'Defense'

Mohandas K. Gandhi once more proved his power over India's masses when the All-India Congress party's working committee decided to urge a policy of "non-violent non-co-operation" if their country is invaded by Japan.

The Congress thus returned to the ideas of Gandhi in spite of the more belligerent attitude of Jawaharlal Nehru and other party leaders who have stated that India must fight. Peace-loving Gandhi has advanced his policy of non-violence to the point of opposing the scorched earth policy.

The British government again took the blame for India's stand. The Congress party's resolution declared that such a policy was necessary.



'ARNER Brothers' "Heroes Without Uniforms," a story of the American Merchant Marine, will be the first of a group of films telling us things that the government wants us to know. Lowell Mellet, co-ordinator of government films, recently submitted to industry leaders a list of 30 topics about which the gov-

ernment wishes the public to be informed. Originally it was planned to use his ideas as material for short subjects, but it now seems likely that some of them, at least, will be developed into feature-length pictures.

"Parachute Nurse" has what might be termed an All-Starlet cast, virtually an all-feminine one. When Charles Barton, the director, counted noses he found Marguerite Chapman, Shirley Patterson, Alma Carroll, and eight other beauty-contest winners.

Now it's Priscilla Lane who's having to learn card tricks. Jan Grippo, who tutored Veronica Lake for her

PRISCILLA LANE



"Fuller," says Aunt Netty, the other day. "Folks are like wine. Some sour with age, and some, like you, get better!"

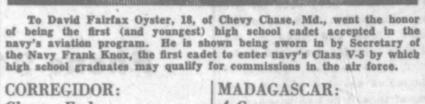
like you, get better!" "Møbbe," says I, pickin' up that it til compliment, "that's because I feel so good most of the time." For, you know, folks, when you jeel good your disposition's apt to be good, too. But to do that, you got to eat right, which includes gettin' all your vitamins. And KELLOGG'S FEP is extra-rich in the two most often short in ordi-nary meals—vitamins B; and D. Mighty fine-tastin', too. Try itt



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Chapter Ends

Even as the first British Commandos were landing on one important island (See Column Two-Madagascar: A Coup), American troops were en-gaged in their last stand for the Philippine island fortress, Corregidor, in Manila bay.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Corregidor and Other Philippine Forts

Fall After Constant Pounding by Japs;

Eastern Supply Routes Safeguarded

By Allied Occupation of Madagascar

(EDITOR'S NOTE-When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are these of the news anniyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

For almost a month since the fighting had ended on Bataan, American forces commanded by Lieut. Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright had been holding this fortified rock against a terrific air and artillery pounding by the Japs, thoroughly enrenched on Luzon, across the bay.

The Jap's final assault ended after about two days of constant hammering from big guns and aerial bombs. When the first Jap landings on the island itself were reported, military experts in Washington could see that the end was near.

It was from Gen. Douglas Mac-Arthur's headquarters in Melbourne, Australia, that the blunt announcement finally came: "General Wainwright has surrendered Corregidor and other fortified islands in Ma-nila harbor." The other island strongholds in addition to Corregi-dor are Fort Mills, Fort Hughes, Fort Drum and Fort Frank. If the Ru

Then from Washington, the war department reported that it had see the final defeat of Adolf Hitler's ". . . received a message from military might. For from Moscow corregidor that resistance of our came the report that Russian soltroops has been overcome. Fighting has ceased and terms are being arranged covering the capitulation of the island forts in Manila bay."

MADAGASCAR: A Coup

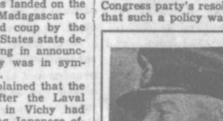
When British troops landed on the French island of Madagascar to forestall an expected coup by the Japanese the United States state department was not long in announc-

ing that this country was in sympathy with the move. British sources explained that the move was made after the Laval French government in Vichy had played host to visiting Japanese officials en route to Berlin. And thus, continued this story, the Vichy government was very unlikely to put up any opposition to a movement by the Japs to seize the important island which is considered a vital base for guarding the sea lanes in the Indian ocean off the east coast of Africa.

Retaliatory action by the French was to be considered as an act of aggression against the entire group of the United Nations, according to the U. S. state department and this country, with Britain pledged to re-turn the strategic island to France after the war.

RUSSIAN FRONT:

If the Russian soldier can fulfill diers all along the 2,000-mile Ger-man front had taken an oath to make this the final year of the war. Meanwhile other Russian dispatches told of a strong drive by Marshal Timoshenko's Red army of



Guiding force behind the Royal Air force's devastating bombing raids on Germany is Air Marshal Arthur Travers Harris. Continu-ous raids on strategic Nazi industrial plants and bases have resulted in a reported German request for a "bombing truce."

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AUSTRALIA: A Jap Headache

For over a month the United Nations had been letting the world know, with Japan included, that their strength in Australia was assuming increased proportions. American troops in large numbers have been poured on to this continent to aid in its defense and to participate in the expected offensive action to recapture the East Indies and the Philippines.

Evidence of this increased strength has been indicated by the

news dispatches of hard-fought air battles off the coasts of this important outpost. In one week-end, Allied headquarters reported a toll of 20 Jap planes destroyed and four Jap ships blasted by planes in scattered battles to the north and northeast. In one thrilling 35-minute fight a four-motored Jap flying boat was severely damaged.

This activity added impetus to the reasoning projected by military strategists to the effect that Japan was concentrating naval forces preparatory to a flank attack on U.S. communications in the South Pacific.

Japan must cut these vital lines. if she would stall the threatened offensive against her. With the U.S. occupation of the French island of New Caledonia these communication lines of the United Nations have been further secured.

Alarmed by this news, Japan's opening moves were seen coming from the Marshall islands either through the Gilbert and Ellice islands or through the Solomon islands and the New Hebrides. Added to these developments was the earlier report that strong Jap naval forces which had gathered in the Bay of Bengal as a threat to India had suddenly disappeared. Only the Japs knew where they were headed, but the United Nations expected next to see them along the sea lanes between San Francisco and Sydney.

WAR LABOR SUPPLY:

Reaches High Peak

Chairman Paul V. McNutt of the War Manpower commission has estimated that the number of men employed in war work by the end of 1942 may reach 17,500,000, com-pared with 1,500,000 at the begin-Guerrilla warfare and sabotage ning of 1941.

McNutt said that although labor, is contemplated.



Premier Marshal **Josef Stalin** Timoshenko

the Ukraine, which cut deep into the Nazi position in the Donets industrial basin. This wedge would offer an effective obstacle to the German offensive aimed at the oil of the Caucasus.

RESOURCES:

Strong opposition to the war department's plan to lower the draft age to 18 or 19 was seen in congress as Louis B. Hershey, national selective service director, instructed state draft directors to include men of the 20 to 21 and 36 to 44 groups in the June calls.

At present the army and navy both are accepting voluntary enlistments of 18 and 19-year-old youths. Lowering the minimum draft age would make approximately 2,500,000 young men eligible for conscription.

An alternate plan was suggested by Sen. Claude Pepper of Florida. This would call for the pre-draft military training for those less than 20 years old. Success of either proposal depends largely upon the war department's ability to convince the house and senate military committees that they have exhausted military man power resources in the 20-46 age brackets.

However, Paul V. McNutt, chair-man of the Way Manpower commission, stated that no draft or regimentation of workers is contemplated.

JUGOSLAVIA: Harassing Hitler

Out of Istanbul, Turkey, came a report that the Nazis were being forced to send additional large numbers of troops into Jugoslavia to

Guerrilla warfare and sabotage have been sweeping the area in increasing degrees since the passing like materials, must be re-directed of winter and sending of Nazi forces for war production purposes, no here on the eve of Germany's spring draft or regimentation of workers offensive was good news to the Russians.

The practice of granting army and "quickie commissions" to unnavy qualified civilians was condemned by Rep. Charles I. Faddis of Pennsylvania, chairman of a house subcommittee on army matters.

At the request of Faddis, who declared that congress must stop such action, the house military committee had written into the army pay bill an amendment requiring that future commissions be granted only to graduates of officers' training schools, National Guard and ROTC officers, or those who completed military courses at approved schools. He stated that "Too many of these

commissions are being issued. It may be true that in certain cases a man from civilian life is needed for a commissioned post, but there is no reason to commission a thousand of them."

FOUR DESTROYERS:

A new world's record was estab-lished at Kearney, N. J., when four destroyers slid down the ways in a mass launching which Gov. Charles Edison of New Jersey described as "the equivalent of a splendid naval victory.

The destroyers were the U.S.S. Fletcher, the U. S. S. Radford, the U. S. S. Quick and the U. S. S. Mervine. The exceedingly brief time in which they were constructed plus their condition (90 per cent complete) were the factors responsible for the world's record.

MISCELLANY:

Chicago: Uncle Sam's wartime call for more food will be answered by a 17,081,000-acre increase in the area planted to 14 major farm crops this spring, according to a state-ment of the Middle West Soil Improvement committee. "To make this additional acreage yield bigger crops," said the statement, "farmers will have to rely on soil management, including intelligent rotation, application of the correct analysis of fertilizer for particular crops and soils and the growing of fertilitybuilding legumes.

London: Seventy Czechs, taken to Germany for forced labor, were reported shot after a strike in the plant where they were working. Vichy: The execution of 55 French hostages in reprisal for the assassination of two Nazi soldiers was announced together with the sabotage of two more German troop trains in the occupied zone.

Salt Lake City: Seventeen persons were killed when a United Air Lines Mainliner plowed into a mountain peak while circling for a midnight landing during a wind and sleet storm.

Island" you'll see a setting that's absolutely authentic. The contracting firm which made the actual defense installations for the Wake Island marine garrison before the Japanese attack is in charge of con-struction at the Salton Sea location for the picture. It is recreating on the shores of the California island sea an exact duplication of the Pacific atoll establishment. John Farrow is directing "Wake Island," with a cast including Brian Donlevy, Robert Preston, Albert Dekker and Barbara Britton.

then.

"Crossroads." the Hedy Lamarr-William Powell picture, brought up a slight dilemma at Metro. Powell, Basil Rathbone and Felix Bressart all had mustaches, and all were loath to part with them-but three was just too many for one film. Powell is a suave diplomat in the picture, Rathbone felt that a villain must have a mustache. Bressart couldn't bear to part with his. You'll have to see the picture to find out who lost out.

That's Ginger Rogers' mother whom you'll see as Ginger Rogers' mother in "The Major and the Minor"; she'll be making her screen debut. She had been a drama editor and a dramatic coach, she's been in charge of the younger players at RKO and this past year she's been installing a dairy at Ginger's 1.100-acre ranch in Oregon-but never before has she been an actress.

The famous musicians of the fu-

lure may find themselves forming a "Those Who Were Helped by Major Bowes" association. For instance, take the Aquaviva brothers. Anthony, 17, a clarinetist, recently on the Major's program, said that if he won a prize he'd help his young er brother, Nicholas, to get the kind of tutoring he was getting. Anthony won \$100, second prize. The Major suggested that he have Nicholas audition for the program. Nicholas, 14, won first prize. So Ma-jor Bowes, with the help of everybody who yoted for the lads, helped them along.

ODDS AND ENDS-Returning to the ODDS AND ENDS-Returning to the lot where she was an important star, Evelyn Brent reported to Paramount to play a role in "Wreeking Crew"; Rich-ard Arlen, Jean Parker and Chester Mor-ris co-star in it . . . Harry Sherman may reunite several famous western stars in "Buckskin Empire"-William S. Hart, Hoot Gibson, William Farnum, Jack Holt and Richard Dix . . . Vivian Leigh is be-ing sought for the lead in "Frenchman's Creek" . . . William Warren is in London during an air raid in his new "Lone Wolf" during an air raid in his new "Lone Wolf" comedy thriller; last time he was actually there was during a zeppelin raid during the last war.



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First Signal Officer IN THE post library at Fort Monmouth, N. J., is a simple velvetcovered box with an engraved plate which reads: "Compass and chain worn by Brigadier General Albert J. Myer, First Signal Officer, U. S. Army. Presented by his daughter, Miss Gertrude Myer, through Major General Campbell B. Hodges, by the Chief Signal Officer to the Commanding General, Fort Monmouth, March 3, 1942." This latest addition to the collection of early signal corps equipment at Fort Monmouth is a memorial to the man whose foresight and pioneering with flags and torches, during and after the Civil war, blazed the way for the

When 20-year-old Albert J. Myer was graduated from Hobart college in his native state of New York in 1847, his graduation thesis was titled "A Sign Language for Deaf Mutes" and it contained the germ of the visual signaling system which he was to devise later. After his graduation from Buffalo medical college, he practiced for three years. Then, in 1854, he was commissioned assistant surgeon in the army and ordered to New Mexico.

In the dry climate of the Southwest, where the clearness of the air made it possible to see objects at a great distance, Myer became enthusiastic over the poosibilities of visual signaling and devoted his leisure hours to developing a simple system. In 1858 the war department recognized the work of the young doctor by appointing a board to examine "the principles and plans of the signaling, mode of use in the field and course to be pursued in introducing to the army." The next year John B. Floyd, President



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Buchanan's secretary of war, commended his system to congress which appropriated \$2,000 for the "manufacture or purchase of apparatus and equipment for field signaling." It also authorized the appointment of one signal officer on the staff of the army with the rank and pay of a major of cavalry and on June 27, 1860, Assistant Surgeon Myer became Major Myer.

The army's first signal officer soon had an opportunity to demonstrate the value of his system. He was detailed to duty with Gen. E. R. S. Canby's expedition against the hostile Navajos in the Southwest, where an extensive test of his new system, using both flag and torch, proved a distinct success. The result was the opening of a signal school at Fortress Monroe, Va., under his direction and at the outbreak of the War Between the States, Myer was called upon to organize signal communications in the Army of the Potomac. Immediately after the battle of Bull Run, he submitted a plan for a separate signal corps but it was not until March 3, 1863, that this was done.

Within a year he was no longer Major Myer but Colonel Myer, having been brevetted lieutenant-colonel for gallantry at the battle of Hanover Court House and colonel for similar services at Malvern Hill. By the time the war ended he had been brevetted brigadier general.

After the war Colonel Myer, who had been relieved of duty as chief signal officer following a disagree-ment with Secretary Stanton of the war department, was reappointed to that post by President Johnson. He succeeded in having West Point include signaling as a permanent part of the cadet course and the naval academy at Annapolis also adopted his methods. Myer was promoted brigadier-general on June 16, 1880, and died in Buffalo, N. Y., two months later, on August 24, while still on active duty in the service he had organized.

Myer has another distinction which entitles him to the grateful remembrance of his fellow-Americans-that of "Father of the Weath-er Bureau." In 1869 he proposed that the peacetime activities of the signal corps be extended to include, sending out storm warnings. He influenced congress to establish the United States weather bureau under the direction of the signal corps and during its first 10 years it was supervised by "Old Probabilities," as Myer became familiarly known all over the United States.

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the old rags and papers over to

organizations conducting defense

Celery tops should never be thrown away. They may be used

as stock in soup or may be boiled

with turnips, carrots, or cauliflow-

er. Remove them from the pan

before serving. A new flavor will

Unwrap soap before storing. The

soap dries out, lasts longer when

exposed to the air several days

be added to vegetable stand-bys.

salvage campaigns.

before use.

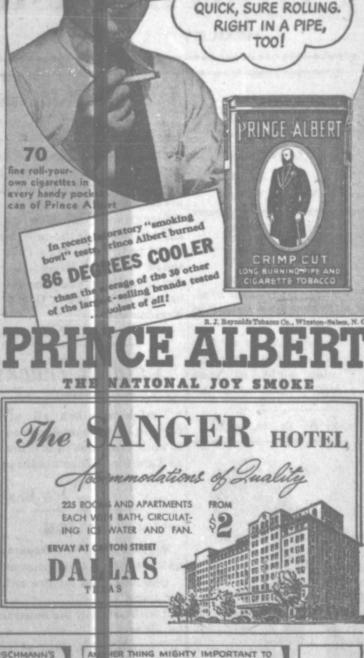
gram has now been expanded

ess, requires but a few minutes time on the part of the donor, and has no after effects. The blood is shipped daily in refrigerated containers to the laboratories, where it is processed into dried plasma, a light, straw colored powder that can be kept indefinitely and transported easily.

Plasma is the liquid part of the blood which remains after the red and white corpuscles have been removed. It does not have to be typed as does blood used in other transfusions. Once it reaches the field of battle it can be returned to liquid form in about three minutes by mixing it with distilled water.

Numerous cases have been reported where plasma saved the lives of American soldiers and sailors suffering from burns and traumatic shock, and Red Cross plasma has been distributed to our armed forces operating in the Atlantic and Pacific war theaters. However, thousands of additional donors are needed to supply the full requirements for the army and navy, and to provide plasma for any civilian emergencies which may result from enemy action in this country.

Red Cross Blood Donor centers are located in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Buffalo, Rochester, N. Y., Indianapolis, Detroit, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Boston, Milwaukee, Cleveland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Chicago, Cincinnati, Brooklyn, and Washington, D. C. (Prepared exclusively for WNU.)



CUT SETS RIGHT, TOO.



May We welcome ye For For day, Saturday and Monday We are paying cash for Eggs and Gream					Pastime Theatre Clarendon, Texas Last Times Fildsy May 16 Bob Hopo, Vera Zorina In Louisiana Purchase In Technicology Saturdsy Only May 16 Jane Withers In	Or Write Your Fire & Hail			
Oran Two dozen 25	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	nice size,	nons por dozon Bc	New Spuds 5 lb. 29c	Young America Sunday and Monday May 17 18 (Preves Sat Night Discontinued) Paulette Goddard in	INSURANCE Notice to Farmers (dame, sudan, and peas, 4 Summer failowed and			
Boffee, Breaken Pinte Beans, 8 Balad Dressing, Bnions, Crystal Grapofruit Juica). Dolito, qt. ja Ihito, 4 lb.	for 25e	Post Toasties Corn, No. 2 Apple Butter, Meal, 20 lb. Squash, two	can for 90 quart jar for 150 bag 590	The Dead End Kids and	There seems to be quite a bit of confusion as to how much con- serving acres or Government Land will be on each farm and why they have not been notified by the county office In November and December, Community Committeemen con- tacted farmers to sign up 1942	government land if plowed b fore June 18 and clean tills throughout the year. 5 Forest tree strips sultivated government land. 6 The only time idle land is go ornment scree is when new to races are constructed on them is the 1942 crop year. 7 Sweet sorghums, eate rye bu- ley, or milist cut green for hay is		
Save your : and Grape			Fresh Cukes Peaches, w	ater pack, 2 1-2 can 15c	Douglas in We Were Dancing Geming Attractions May 24-35 "How Green Was My Valley" COZY THEATRE Saturday Only May 16 Chas. Starrett in Riders of the Bad Lands	This sheet contains, as well as a commedity report for defense purposes the cotton allotment in Section I Erection resisting or soll conserving acres (Gevern ment Land) in Section IV near center of page, and Sell Building			
Flour, Vallanci Soap, Grystal Parkay Oleo, 1	hite Laundr	y, 6 bars for	\$1.69 25c 24c	Roast, beef or pork lb. 24c		These were the official notice of allotments but as some farmers seem to have misplaced these forms. I will try to explain how to arrive at the Government area This year the Government land	cane and left on land or can be cut provided a stabble 12 inches bigb is left standing. If you have lost your allotment or farm plan sheets, drop us card and we will send a sheet with cotton allotment, gover ment acres and sell building a lowance. Walter J Flynt Church of the Nazarone Howard Smith, Paster		
Pork Chops Iean, per 30	135,2254	Longhorn,	Kraft's per Ib. 7c	Sausage, all pork per ib. only 296	Supt Payne announces that there will be no school until Men	basis for all farms in the county No matter how email or how large 20% of the total cropland must be devoted to a non depisting trop or land use throughout the year, if the operator expects to receive			
Bring	s your Chickens, Gream and Eggs for top prices				ers time to fully recover from the feed poisoning. The Baccalaureate service will be held Sunday at 12 o'clock, as planned. The school program scheduled for Friday night has	payment on the ection allotment In the amount a preducer fairs to plant this 20% the same persent will be dedected from big setton			
w.						Dayment. Oa this Government land may	Evening service 7.80 p. m. Prayer meeting Wed. 7:15 p m Everyone is cordially invited in stend these services.		
MS:	ste	m Ca	ash (Grocery	Mrs D R. Bratine and daugh ter left Sunday for their home in	the instructions herein stated. 1. Any bienzial legume including new accding (seeding qualifies the crop as gov. land regardless	HEDLEY LODGE NO. 413 Hedley Chapter No. 416 O. E. E. meste the first		

