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News From Our Men In Service

Pfc. Foster D. Pickett is now in Sicily. He writes that he is feeling fine and wants all his friends to write to him. Get his address at the Informer office.

J. E. Kidd is now located at Camp Wallace, Texas, and would be glad to get letters from home. Get his address at the Informer office.

Pvt C. C. Horschler is now in the Signal Corps at Camp Crowder, Mo.

S 1-c Tom Hunnicutt writes that he is getting the Informer about a month late, but that he really enjoys every issue.

Clarence F. Sharp of the U. S. Navy, who is stationed at Williamsburg, Virginia, visited his family in Hedley and Amarillo the past week.

Pfc. Clarence Moss of Columbus, Miss., is at home on furlough.

Cpl. W. H. Dumas of Bowie was a Hedley visitor Monday.

Lieut. Albert S. Martin is now stationed in Brazil.

Kraft Cheese Co. Issues Magazine

Dairy farmers of the Hedley area have just received the first 1944 issue of the Producers' Edition of the Kraftsmen, a service magazine for dairy farmers issued by the Kraft Cheese Company. The issue is devoted to articles on problems of the dairy farmer, with a special emphasis on "Where and how to get critical items of farm supplies and equipment."

Kraft has instituted a program throughout its procurement area aimed at helping farmers increase production of quality milk. A series of advertisements appearing in The Informer stresses things of immediate interest to the dairy farmer, based on recommendations of the extension service at the state college of agriculture.

The Kraftsmen magazine reaches 50,000 Kraft farmer patrons. It is edited by Walter Lloyd, former editor of the Ohio Farmer. It will be issued every two months, in the future.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for the sympathy and kindness shown us in the death of our loved one. May God bless everyone of you.

The Moreman family

Mrs. Leon Carter is visiting in Prescott, Ark., and Sherman.

Ray Doherty of Amarillo visited here Wednesday and Thursday.

Methodist Church

A. B. Cockrell, pastor
W. P. Doherty, Supt.
Church School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching Service 11:00 A. M.
Youth Fellowship 8:15
Night Services 9:00

Red Cross Notes

The last allotment of Red Cross sewing is finished and there will be no more work at the Work Room for the present.

E. L. McKinzie

Mrs. Clyde Bridges and Mrs. W. I. Rains attended the funeral of E. L. Kinzie, a nephew of Mrs. Rains, at Amarillo Saturday. He was a former Hedleyan.

Singing

Sunday, June 11, is Singing Day again at the Nazarene Church. Everyone is cordially invited.

For Sale—Delta cotton seed, \$1.50 per bushel.
293p J. H. Koeninger

For Sale—Model A roadster, good motor.
L. M. Harris

The time to insure your cotton against hail is before the hail comes. Insure with C. L. Johnson at the bank.

Will do planting for the public.
293p Virgil McPherson

Joan Ray Moreman is reported doing nicely after an appendectomy Monday night in a Clarendon hospital.

Giles News

By Mrs. Arthur Ranson

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Glass spent the week end recently visiting in Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Foster and family of Amarillo and Misses Nina Jo Foster and Doris Merle Everett of Memphis visited in the Foster home over the week end.

J. M. Baker made a business trip to Dallas this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ode of Amarillo visited Mrs. Ode's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stotts.

E. M. Glass was transacting business in Tucumcari, N. Mex. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rains, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bridges of Hedley visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watt Sunday.

Miss June Kelley of Lelia Lake spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kelley.

Those visiting in the Kay Autry home Friday afternoon were Mrs. Herbert Blackmon and sons of Amarillo, Mrs. T. C. Johnson, Mrs. Bernie Johnson and daughters of Hedley, Mrs. R. O. Kelley and daughters, Mrs. Arthur Ranson and Mrs. Ozier Hoggard and sons.

J. T. Wylie spent the week end with his sister Mrs. Alfred Ivey of Clarendon.

Those shopping in Memphis Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Foster, Mrs. W. B. Proffitt and daughter Irene, Mrs. J. O. Stotts, Mrs. Chas. Levi, and Mrs. J. T. Wylie and children.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Godfrey Jr. and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Liver and sons visited in the Ranson home Sunday.

Miss Theresa Kelley is visiting Miss Lois Cooper in Amarillo this week.

Prayer Service

Many Hedley folks gathered at the First Baptist Church Tuesday night and a wonderful service was held. The pastors and congregations of all the churches participated in this service, as well as the American Legion, War Dads and other organizations.

For the people of Hedley Tuesday was a very sad day for most every one had loved ones participating in this great invasion. We feel sure this wonderful prayer service will be appreciated by all.

To win this war we home folks must work and pray and we must pray. The more we do these things the quicker this war will end. In the last World War 10,000 boys were killed and wounded on Nov. 10th one day before the war ended. If we can cause the war to end one day, one hour, or even one minute sooner, think of the lives that can be saved.

Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Stanley of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shults of Anadarko, Okla., and Mrs. C. B. Bell of Houston attended the funeral services of T. R. Moreman here last Thursday.

Mrs. T. J. Wiggins, Mrs. Elvia Davenport and daughter Margie left Thursday for Borger to make their home. Mrs. Davenport will teach English in the Borger schools next year.

V. F. Wade and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Harrison visited in Shamrock Sunday.

Willie Mae Greer spent last week end in Texline.

J. W. Noel, F. A. Finch and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson attended the banker's convention at Amarillo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Simmons spent Sunday in the J. R. Adamson home at Turkey.

Bill Harris made a trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Mabel E. Jones is attending the Texas Postmasters' convention at Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt visited in Memphis Sunday.

Ray Moreman To Install Locker System

Over 60% of the lockers have been sold, and it is now up to the government whether or not a permit will be issued for construction of the locker system. Mr. Moreman hopes to have definite information by the 15th.

LEGION-WAR DAD MEETING

The American Legion and War Dads and their ladies met in joint session Wednesday night. On account of the rain the attendance was smaller than usual, but the meeting was very good.

Obe Holland, Commander of the Legion Post, presided at the meeting, and the program, arranged by Mrs. W. C. Bridges and Mrs. J. G. Dickson was enjoyed very much.

The Legion and Dads will have their service men's pickup stand ready to be placed on the highway in the next few days. They have also done some work on the Legion hut which they plan to continue and have a first class home for the boys when they return.

We are strong for the Legion and Dads and hope they continue in their good work for the community and the boys and girls in service.

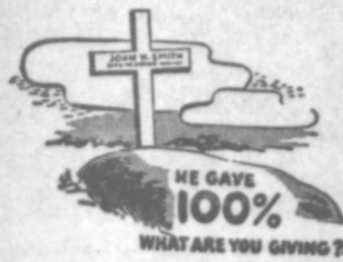
Peggy Zoe Stotts is now employed in the Goodall Hospital at Memphis.

Refunds to Income Tax Payers

While one million 1943 income tax refunds have been made by the Treasury Department, it will be several months before all of approximately 18 million taxpayers will get refunds to which they are entitled, according to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Each refund, however, will include interest at the rate of 6 percent per year from March 15, this year, to the date the refund is scheduled. First attention was given to claims of members of the armed forces. No action is needed on the part of the taxpayer unless he has changed his address.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE HEDLEY INFORMER

Fifth War Loan Drive



Since Tuesday almost every home or business house you pass has the radio on getting news of the invasion. Almost everyone of us has relatives or close friends in this big push, as it is called. Now that the invasion has started the boys in service will be called on to give their best effort and many of them their lives.

We home folks must also give our best effort in work and money. The Fifth War Loan Drive begins officially next Monday June 12th. Hedley's quota is \$49,700.00, the most money we have ever been asked to raise, and the surrounding school districts also have high quotas.

To raise this quota each of us will have to buy bonds and buy more bonds than ever before. Let's buy a bond to help in this drive and then let's buy some extra bonds for ourselves to help us after the war. Also why not buy a bond for your church, they will be needing a helping hand after the war.

Madden-Webb

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Theresa Webb of Fort Worth and Curtis E. Madden of Arlington, which took place on Thursday, June 1, at Fort Worth.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. J. W. Webb, and spent most of her life in Hedley.

The couple will make their home at Arlington.

Sugar Stamp 32 Good June 16

Sugar stamp 32 becomes good for five pounds of sugar on June 16.

Family Reunion

The children of S. F. Johnson gathered Sunday for a family reunion. Dinner was served after the children sang "Happy Birthday" for Clyde and Alfred Johnson.

A handkerchief shower was given to Mrs. A. M. Babiash of Calif. who is leaving for home soon.

Those attending were Mrs. A. M. Babiash of California and daughter of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Johnson and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mays and daughter of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Selby of Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson, Mrs. Barney Thomas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson and family the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Johnson.

The afternoon was enjoyed with music by Walter and Clyde Johnson, Virgil Johnson and R. W. Goode.

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., write your fire and hail insurance.

Lions Club News

At this week's meeting of the Hedley Lions Club the nominating committee will submit their nominees to the club for their approval. The officers and directors for next year as recommended by the committee are as follows: Earl Tollett, President; C. L. Johnson, Sec. Treas.; Leon Reeves, First V. P.; W. H. Moffitt, Second V. P.; Chas. Rains, Third V. P.; Alva Simmons, Lion Tamer; Otis Owens Taittister, and J. W. Noel and Chester O. Hill, Directors.

The Lions are planning an entertainment and bond rally on or about June 16th. They plan to get some outside entertainers if possible and put on a rally that will give Hedley a good start in the Fifth War Loan Drive that commences next Monday. Complete details of the rally will be in next weeks paper.

IMPROVEMENTS

The Cooper Hotel has been getting a new coat of paint this week.

Notice For Bids

Whereas, at the March term of court in 1942, the City of Hedley bought the property, known as the Edythe Antrobus Mahe property, all of Lots No. 4, 5 & 6 in Block No. 18 of the original town plat of Hedley.

And since the two years has expired since that sale, we hereby advertise for bids on said property.

Motion was made by W. C. Johnson and seconded by W. M. Biffle and unanimously passed that this property be offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the City reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

The City requests that you file your bid at the City Secretary office on or before July 4th, 1944.

City of Hedley, Texas
By J. P. Devine
City Secretary

Methodist Church

The invasion has begun. Let's honor those sons of ours by attending church Sunday and consecrating ourselves anew to God and the church. If we desire peace, we must seek it through practicing the principles which Jesus taught. The basis of peace is universal brotherhood, and this comes through a deepened spiritual life; through a walking, day by day, with Jesus Christ.

Sugar Stamp 37 Invalid

Sugar stamp 37 in War Ration Book 4 will never be used, OPA announced. Because many housewives mistakenly sent this stamp to their local boards when applying for home canning sugar, instead of the correct stamp—sugar stamp 37—OPA has announced that sugar stamp 37 will not be used at all, so that no one will suffer for this mistake.

Notice

There has been some complaints about loose cows and chickens injuring gardens, etc. It is a violation of a city ordinance for cows and chickens to run at large. Please keep them fastened up.
By Order of the City Council

THE THUNDER OF INVASION IS ROLLING WESTWARD!

"INVASION IS ON!" Each minute as you read this our American boys are hitting the beach-heads giving their all that we may remain free men and women. Our prayers to a merciful God follow each and every one of them.

We here at home have more to do than beat our breasts and lament. We MUST help! We CAN! We WILL!

Let every American REDOUBLE his or her efforts on every War Program. Only maximum tempo is sufficient to assure complete Victory at the earliest moment.

Buy EXTRA bonds. Save and prepare every bit of waste paper. Don't waste even a spoonful of used kitchen fats. Add to your Red Cross Donation. WORK HARDER! Sacrifice for God and Country.

There should be NO GRANDSTANDS in the grim game of war, NO ONLOOKERS. Every man, woman, and child is needed in the LINE marching to Victory and Freedom!

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Allies Continue Advance in Italy; U. S. Airmen Rain Blows on Japs; Political Break Looms in South

Released by Western Newspaper Union. (EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Walkout—Strikers mill outside of Parke, Davis & Company plant at Detroit, Mich. (See: Labor.)

PACIFIC: Buck Air Power

Nibbling further at Jap air power based in the eastern New Guinea area as a defensive bulwark of the Indies and the Philippines, U. S. aviators continued their strikes against enemy airdromes in the region and U. S. ground forces fought over rough country to set up airfields for them.

As General MacArthur's air and ground forces struck out at eastern New Guinea, navy bombers from a strong task force of aircraft carriers hit at enemy island holdings farther to the north, dotting the roadway to the enemy homeland.

U. S. casualties in the eastern New Guinea area remained light as Doughboys expanded their holdings with support of heavy artillery, tanks and warplanes.

POSTWAR: Churchill Speaks

Organization of the great powers emerging victorious from the war into a single force to preserve future world peace was outlined by Prime Minister Winston Churchill in a discussion of foreign policy in Britain's house of commons.

To prevent either the planning or conduct of future wars by "restless and ambitious nations," Churchill said the Allied powers intend to set up a world organization equipped with all necessary means for maintaining order.

Touching on the delicate Russian-Polish situation, Churchill declared that Poland's surrender of territory in the east might be countered by acquisition of German land.

SOLID SOUTH: Threaten Break

Long rumored, southern rebellion against the New Deal's social reform, especially in regard to the advocacy of Negro equality, took tangible shape in Texas, where the regular Democratic organization instructed its presidential electors to cast their vote for the party's nominee in the electoral college only if the national convention:

- 1. Votes disapproval of efforts to nullify state laws for segregation of white and colored school children;
2. Backs up Texas' opposition to the Supreme court ruling opening Democratic primaries to Negroes;
3. Seats the delegates selected by the regular Texas Democratic party instead of delegates chosen by a rival rump organization, composed of members who broke with the regular party over its instructions to the electors.

Electoral Vote

While calmer minds sweated over working out a compromise between the two factions in Texas, speculation arose as to what might happen if the 23 Texas electors should join eight similarly dissatisfied North Carolina electors in voting against the Democratic candidate in the electoral college, whose vote determines the presidential winner.

Since the 31 Texas and North Carolina representatives in the electoral college, made up of electors chosen by the states, could form a majority for either side, they could swing the election to either a Republican or Democrat, being free to vote as they wished. Or then, again, they might vote for an independent person, in which case neither of the two regular candidates would receive a majority and the presidential election then would be referred to the house of representatives. In the house, the party in the majority would decide the election.

MISCELLANY

CITRUS RECORD: The Texas crop of grapefruit and oranges this year was the largest in history, and sold for the highest price, the general manager of the Rio Grande Valley citrus exchange said. Grapefruit yield was estimated at 17,539,081 boxes and oranges at 3,354,359 boxes. Total value of both crops was set at \$33,469,000 by the exchange official.

EUROPE: Back Nazis to Wall

With Fifth army troops on the southern front joined with their comrades on the Anzio beachhead, and with the British slugging through the Liri valley to the east, Allied forces in Italy locked hands for a knock-out punch against the Germans below Rome.

As the fighting in Italy came closer to a showdown, invasion preparations continued, with thousands of Allied bombers ripping up German defenses and airfields in western Europe, and the Allied command issuing detailed instructions to the underground to report enemy troop movements to U. S. and British soldiers when they land.

Tottering under the combined pressure of Lieut.-Gen. Mark Clark's Fifth army and the British Eighth, the Germans fell slowly back to the southeast of Rome for a bitter defensive fight, while Allied aircraft hampered their movements by a steady bombardment of supply lines and motorized concentrations.

LABOR: Local Punished

While the CIO United Automobile workers suspended officials of a local union for a strike in the Chrysler plant at Detroit, Mich., the CIO Gas, Coke and Chemical workers sanctioned the walkout of 1,900 members of a local at the Parke, Davis and company drug factory in the same city.

In suspending the local officers for the walkout which resulted from their support of a CIO chauffeurs' union fight with a rival AFL organization, the United Automobile workers said they had violated their contract with the company, the UAW constitution, and their no-strike pledge.

Accusing "Parke, Davis and company of a 'vicious union busting campaign,'" the Gas, Coke and Chemical workers supported its local's strike, which halted production of blood plasma, penicillin and smallpox vaccination for military and civilian use. Protesting that the position of the union, the local's president defied a War Labor board directive to return to work before resuming negotiations.

FOOD: Supply Good

A factor in the government's possible restoration of rationing on point-free meats may be the necessity for assuring a more equal distribution of such meats, three federal agencies reporting on the general food situation declared. Meantime, some cuts or better grades of meat may become more difficult to obtain.

Although supplies of canned fruits and juices will continue at low levels for the rest of the year, fresh apples, peaches, pears and cherries will be more plentiful. The situation in canned vegetables can be expected to grow tight. Increases in stocks of margarine, shortening and other edible oils will probably offset declines in butter and lard. Because of record spring production of eggs, need for greater consumption persists.

"Civilian diet is sufficient in calories, proteins, iron and vitamin A, but with little margin . . . in the B vitamin and C vitamin," the agencies reported.

BIG GUNS:

The army has sharply increased its demand for large caliber cannon and ammunition it is announced, giving rise to speculation that military leaders anticipate long and severe fighting after invasion beachheads have been secured.

New plant construction has been approved and factories now on a standby basis will return to full operations, official sources disclose. Ammunition schedules have been stepped up to four or five times previous levels.

AGRICULTURE: Farm Machinery

With manufacture of harvesting and haying equipment furthest behind schedule, the War Production board's \$871,000,000 farm machinery and spare parts program for the year ending June 30 was 13 per cent off on May 1.

Because of accelerated production in the final few months, however, the WPB expects the program to finish up only 10 per cent behind schedule, although manufacturers of combines will have up to September to meet their quotas.

As of May 1, production of harvesting machinery was 33.4 per cent off schedule; tractor attachments off 28.2 per cent; barn and barnyard equipment off 25.8 per cent; farm pumps and windmills off 16.4 per cent; farm wagons, gears and rollers off 16.5 per cent; harrows and rollers off 14.5 per cent; cultivators and weeder off 13.9 per cent; dairy farm machinery off 13 per cent; planting, seeding and fertilizing equipment off 11.8 per cent, and farm poultry equipment off 11.3 per cent.

Land Values

With farm land values showing a 15 per cent increase for the year ending March 15, they stood at 114 per cent of the 1912-'14 level, according to statistics of the U. S. department of agriculture.

One-third of the sales financed by credit last year involved mortgages of 75 per cent of the sales price, the USDA reported.

With the average debt per acre on newly acquired farms about one-fourth higher than two years ago, large turnover was reported in 1943, with some operators selling holdings after a few months. Many city buyers reputedly were purchasing farm property as an inflation hedge.

CONGRESS: Investigate Ward's

Investigating the government's seizure of Montgomery Ward and company's Chicago mail order plants, a congressional subcommittee heard Attorney Gen. Francis Biddle declare that inasmuch as the concern was indirectly involved in the war program through sale of productive equipment to farmers, the President could use his judgment in taking it over during a labor dispute to restore operation.

Thus, the Attorney General concluded, if the seizure was not warranted under congressional statutes, it was legal under the President's wartime emergency powers.

Because his interpretation of the law is his own opinion, the Attorney General said, he stands correction-by a court, or congress itself can intervene to make any changes in legislation which might eliminate abuses.

Strange Tail



There's no end to the versatility of the American Seabee, as shown in this picture from distant Midway Island, where navy construction experts secured a length of 3/4-inch manila rope to Bossy's severed tail to provide the milk cow with a switch. Carpenter's Mate J. A. Pierson, Sheffield, Pa., is the milker.

RAILROADS: Government Rates

In exchange for the grant of land for right-of-ways to the railroads during the expansion period of 1950-1970, the government received reductions of 50 per cent on passenger and freight rates.

Amended in 1940 to apply only to military goods and personnel following railroads' complaints against the heavy burden of relief shipments especially during the depression period, total abolition of the reduced rates came before congress, with the house approving by a 236 to 16 vote.

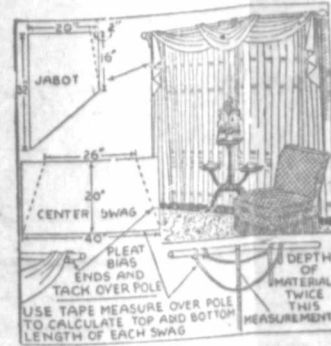
Although termination of the reduced rates would increase railroad revenues by more than 250 million dollars annually in wartime and 20 million dollars yearly in peacetime, the house bill calls for scaling down private shipping rates to reflect the higher income from government.

Popular Novelist Dies

Harold Bell Wright, the minister who became a successful fiction writer, died at the age of 72 in La Jolla, Calif.

Mr. Wright's most famous novels are "The Shepherd of the Hills," "The Calling of Dan Matthew," "The Winning of Barbara Worth," "When a Man's a Man," "The Recreation of Bryan Kent," "Helen of the Old House," and "The Eyes of the World."

Elaborate Window Treatments Vogue; Wooden Curtain Rods Replace Metal



THERE is a shortage of metal curtain rods, yet for two generations we have not seen such elaborate window treatments. The formal swags, cascades and jabots so dear to our grandmothers seem to be exactly right with the Victorian furniture that is gaining in popularity all the time.

Each piece of the draped valance shown here is cut separately. The diagram at the left gives the dimensions of the end jabots. The side swags cross in the middle and a center swag overlaps them. The measurements of this center swag are given here, but these will vary according to the space the swag is to fill. Each swag is cut bias at the ends and pleated and tacked over the pole, as shown at the lower left. The method of taking measurements is shown at the right.

Inebriate Soon Sized Up Situation and Lent Hand

A grave digger was hard at work. As he shoveled each spadeful of earth he became more and more absorbed in his thoughts, and before he knew it the grave was so deep he couldn't get out.

Came nightfall and the evening chill, his predicament became more and more uncomfortable. He shouted for help and at last attracted the attention of a drunk. "Get me out of here," he shouted, "I'm cold." The drunk looked into the grave and finally distinguished the form of the uncomfortable grave digger. "No wonder," he said, kicking a little dirt into the grave, "ya haven't got any dirt on ya."

NOTE—This is the third of a series of modern adaptations of period curtain fashions. Formal swag valances mounted on a valance board are illustrated with step-by-step directions in BOOK 1. The Normal type draped in one piece is shown in BOOK 5. Books are 15 cents each. Order directly from:

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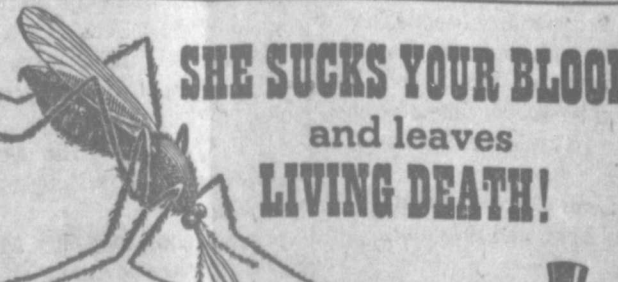
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Pvt. KEITH BAIN, U. S. Army
Pvt. BILLIE R. ANDIS, U. S. Army
Pvt. LLOYD VANDEVENTER, U. S. Army
Pvt. J. G. GUILL JR., U. S. Army
GAYLE PYEATT, Apprentice Seaman, U. S. Navy
JOE HADDER, Radio Tech., Air Forces
2nd Lt. ALBERT S. MARTIN, Pilot, Air Forces

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I therefore believe that it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies.

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Inform Rates

Please remember that the Informer rate is \$1.50 per year in Donley county, and \$2.00 per year elsewhere, except that service men get the \$1.50 rate.

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., write your fire and hail insurance.

Hedley Lodge No. 413

Hedley Chapter No. 413, O. E. S., meets the first Friday of each month at 8:00 p. m. Members are requested to attend.

Visitors welcome.
ETHEL KENDALL, W. M.
ETHEL KINSLOW, Sec.

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It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.
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2 cans Brimfull Corn	.27
2 cans Tomatoes for	.25
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½ gallon home made Sugar Cane Syrup	.43

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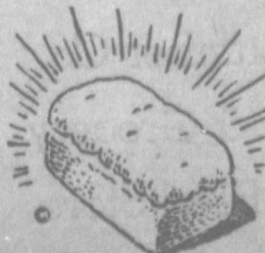
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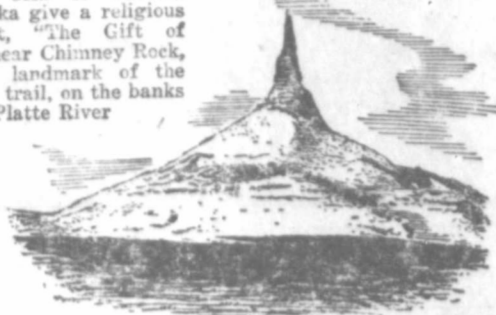
I once had to do a composition about the world's greatest invention being wheels. Just think of gear-wheels, water-wheels, and especially all the wheels for transportation! But right now the greatest thing of all, I'd say, is to keep wheels going; keeping your car in service, for instance. There's this and that to help you. There's one motor oil and another. Now from what I know, the explosions in any engine must produce acids, which brings up the bright idea of safely OIL-PLATING your engine's insides with Conoco Nth motor oil. You want to prevent damage from acids... internal corrosion! Some things are specially good at fighting corrosion, and OIL-PLATING comes in that class. Even chromium plating, just for comparison, couldn't stay closer to working parts than this protective OIL-PLATING. It battles corrosion, so as to help you preserve your transportation as soon as you switch to Conoco Nth oil.

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Chimney Rock

Early each summer the church folk of western Nebraska give a religious pageant, "The Gift of God," near Chimney Rock, an old landmark of the Oregon trail, on the banks of the Platte River



In peace times thousands visited Oberammergau, Lourdes and many other shrines in Nazi Europe. Peace will come again. Prepare for it.

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Family's Sweet Tooth Is Readily Appeased



Sunshine angel cake, pictured above, is an appetite-tempting dessert that appeases the family's sweet tooth.

Selected from hundreds of recipes from Country Cooking readers of Capper's Farmer, by Marjorie Griffin, home editor, it is easy on sugar ration points.

White Batter
1 c. cake flour
1 1/2 c. sugar
6 egg whites
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. cream of tartar
1 tsp. vanilla

Sift flour with 1/2 c. of the sugar 3 times. Beat egg whites and salt until foamy. Add cream of tartar and beat until stiff. Fold in remaining sugar gradually, then flour-sugar mixture in 3 parts. Divide batter in 2 parts. Beat egg yolks until thick. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with very hot water. Stir in lemon juice. Fold this yellow batter into half of the white. Pour the two batters alternately into an ungreased tube pan. Bake in a moderate oven (325°) for 1 hour.

No frosting is needed for this cake, the Capper's Farmer expert points out. If the home-maker uses level measurements, the methods outlined above and the temperature suggested, she can make a cake that looks just as pretty and tastes just as good as the original pictured above.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Irene Wall of McLean visited here last week end. She was on her way to Hereford, where she will be employed.

Mrs. Buford Hinds and daughter Nancy Lou and Mrs. J. S. Hinds and daughter Marjorie Ann of Abilene are visiting in the Frank Kendall home.

Mrs. Annie Mary Plumlee and granddaughter, Miss Virginia Skelton, of Carthage, Tennessee are visiting relatives and friends at Hedley and McKnight. Mrs. Plumlee is a sister of Mrs. J. C. Hickerson.

Mrs. C. H. May of Port Arthur is visiting her brother, Lee Minyard.

Evelyn Dean Johnston of Plainview spent last week end here.

Mrs. Buford Bell underwent a minor operation Sunday in a Clarendon hospital.

Julian and Mary Alice Hunsucker visited in the D. C. Powell home at Turkey Sunday.

Donley Co. Memorial Fund

NR means Not Reported

	Quota	Amount Paid
Clarendon	\$1500	\$1055.20
Chamberlain	100	61.00
Midway	30	51.50
Jericho	65	36.00
Bairfield	60	45.50
Hudgins	85	21.50
Lelia Lake	200	211.56
Springview	100	76.00
Glenwood	30	9.00
Fairview	60	30.00
Windy Valley	100	30.05
Martin	175	239.90
Ashtola	195	121.83
Goldsten	105	66.50
Skillett	65	20.00
Hedley	525	274.40
Giles	70	82.00
Whitefish	60	61.50
Smith	60	30.00
Watkins	15	NR
Bray	70	37.00
McKnight	100	91.00
Total	3740	2652.44

Thrifty Sugar Saver Utilizes Corn Sirup



White sirup cake is the answer to many a home-maker's prayer for a sugar-saving dessert these wartime rationing days.

The recipe, selected by Marjorie Griffin, home editor of Capper's Farmer, was among hundreds submitted by readers of the nationally circulated magazine's Home Cooking department.

1/2 c. shortening
1/2 c. sugar
1 c. corn sirup
2 eggs, beaten
2 c. cake flour
1/2 tsp. salt

Cream shortening and sugar. Add sirup and blend thoroly. Stir in eggs. Sift dry ingredients together and add alternately with milk and sour cream. Add vanilla. Turn into 2 greased, waxed paper-lined 8 by 11-inch pans. Bake in moderate oven (350°) for 20-25 minutes. When slightly cooled, fill and frost with Quick Strawberry Frosting:

1 egg
1/2 tsp. salt
1 c. strawberry preserves

Combine ingredients. Beat with rotary egg beater until frosting will stand in peaks. Any tart jam or jelly may be used in place of strawberry preserves. Spread.

Good Care Makes Bedding Last Longer

BEDDING is too scarce to handle carelessly these wartime days, since civilian supplies of sheets, blankets, mattresses and pillows have been cut to meet military needs. But beds can still be comfortable and neat looking if given good care, Mae Ferris points out in the Rural Home Section of nationally circulated Capper's Farmer. Here is her advice on how Mamma, Dad and the Kids can cooperate:



"Pillow fights may be fun, but feathers are scarce. The govern-

ment has duration claim on all good ones such as goose and duck. Mary and John are old enough to understand that beds are made to sleep in. They can romp elsewhere. "Don't keep the winner running if distracted. Shut it off before attending to Junior's nose or answering the telephone—then sheets have no chance to get twisted. Careful laundering can add months to the life of your linens. Strong soaps and excessive bleaches will



weaken the fibers and make sheets more prone to wear thin and tear. "Sitting on the side of the bed breaks down the mattress side walls, to say nothing of the outside coils in spring units. The chair or stool at the side of the bed is for putting on shoes. The metal to be used for civilian bedding was cut

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce on grounds of cruel treatment, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Clarendon, Texas this the 22nd day of May A. D. 1944.

Attest:
Helen Wiedman Clerk,
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BONDS OVER AMERICA * * *

Uncle Tom's Mansion

Among antebellum American ladies who overcame the handicap of petticoats was Harriet Beecher Stowe who wrote "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in the shade of these stately elms in Brunswick, Maine, and contributed greatly to the abolition of slavery.



Abolition of slaves under the domination of a "master race," is one of the major aims of this war. Keep yourself free too.

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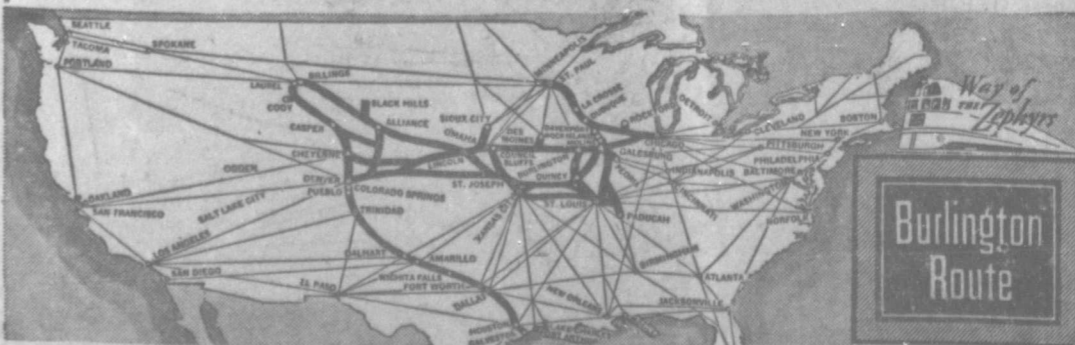


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Have you ever stopped to consider just how important this "doing without" program really is? It lacks the drama and the lustre of more direct action, to be sure, but our entire war effort might very well collapse without it.

Take the one item of travel, for example. Thousands, yes tens of thousands of people are foregoing pleasure travel these days. By thus "doing without," they are assisting America's railroads in handling their gigantic war assignments with speed and efficiency. It's a job that simply couldn't be done without the public's willingness to "do without."

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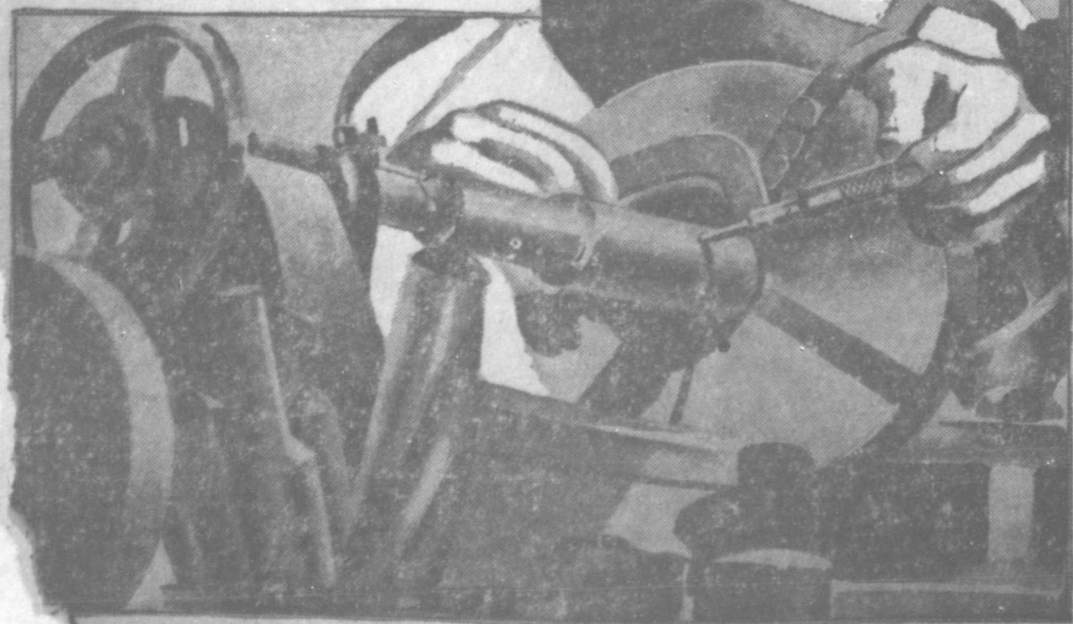
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The Once Over by H.I. Phillips BEQUEST TO THE BOSS

A New York man left a will leaving all his money, about \$5,000, to the three members of the firm for which he had worked for 22 years "in grateful remembrance of the treatment accorded me as an employee." In these days when the boss is so widely denounced as a "Simon Legree, an exploiter of his workers, etc.," this becomes almost the NEWS ITEM OF THE GENERATION.

Employers as a whole would forgo gladly the money if now and then they could get a similar expression of kind regard. Never have they needed anything more.

Can you fancy what a will of the following type might do for their morale? 1. Jarvis P. Withers, being of sound mind, do hereby declare this my last will and testament: 1. To the firm of Jones, Brown & Smith, by which I have been employed for many years, I give and bequeath a framed testimonial in which I declare that, while we had our disagreements and run-ins, I never once had the feeling that I was EXPLOITED; and in which I further testify that I at no time found them to be brutal, ruthless, money-mad hounds of hell, imps of Satan or all-around polecats.

2. To Hilary Jones, senior partner, I give and bequeath the sum of \$1,000. I figure I loafed enough on his time over the years to have cost him much more money. The days I got in late, left early and soldiered on the job must have meant quite a loss to the firm over the years. Mr. Jones was a little aloof, rather strict and wanted his money's worth, but after all he was my boss, my work, and my life.

3. To Prentice Brown I give and bequeath the sum of \$800. I never got to know Prentice very well. (He never got to know me very well, either. Looking back, it was rather a nice arrangement, and did not prove there was anything hellishly wrong about either of us.) Although Prentice was reputed to be of extreme dignity and quite a surpuss, I once entered his office when he had announced he was in conference. I found him playing the harmonica in his shirtsleeves. I always liked him for it. Then there was the time we both got into the elevator an hour late for work and he didn't look at his watch.

4. To Chidsey Smith I give and bequeath \$400. He never said a word the time we caught each other at a midweek baseball game when both were supposed to be sick. I recall many occasions when he might have fired me and didn't.

5. I order and instruct my executors to state to Messrs. Jones, Brown & Smith that it is not my conclusion that all employers are necessarily inconsiderate, money-pinching Simon Legrees. All my experience with them leads me to a conviction that they are at times human beings. The rumor that Jones has a cloven hoof is false. I once saw him with his shoes off. There has never been anything about Brown's manner to indicate he has a forked tail and spit liquid flames. I do not believe that Smith walks through fire as a hobby. It is my belief that the firm is not possessed of devils.

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WILLIAM BENDIX, star of the Blue network's Sunday airshow, "The Life of Riley," and the movies "The Hairy Ape," showed that he had lost none of his sales ability when he operated a booth recently at the bazaar for the new Birmingham hospital in San Fernando Valley. Bendix's booth, which sold unrationed groceries, did more business than any other. "Nothin's strange about that," remarked William. "I sold groceries for a livin' long before I thought of becomin' an actor."

The jig-saw puzzle photos which Ann Miller sent to servicemen fans had an unexpected aftermath. "I got your photo," one corporal wrote the star of Columbia's " Battleship Blues." "But one of your parts is missing."

The formation of Bing Crosby Productions, Inc., just had to happen; it was one of the few fields left. Bing had made his name in pictures, radio, sports, phonograph records. He organized, at his own expense, entertainment units to tour army camps. He's chosen "The Great John L." the story of John L. Sullivan, as his first story, Frank Tuttle as his director, United Artists as releasing agent.

Like many another star, Gary Cooper has been bitten by the producer bug. He made known his yearning to produce movies while filming "Casanova Brown"; International promptly signed him up as a dual producer-actor contract.

The new issue of the March of Time brings to the screen an exclusive story, "Underground Report," which shows how the people of Germany and their conquered victims are living. It is compiled from Nazi films recently captured in Europe, as well as from film footage smuggled out by the Underground.

Some servicemen overseas will see his baby for the first time when "Three's a Family" is released. Producer Sol Lesser intends giving a featured role in the comedy to a six-month-old child, preferably one who was born after his or her father sailed. It is Lesser's custom to send a 12-millimeter film abroad for the men to see before the picture is released here.

The most exclusive theater circuit in the world is that founded in Hollywood by Laraine Day; other members are Cary Grant, Deanna Durbin, Lou Costello, Alice Faye and Tyrone Power, who's non-activeness in the service, of course. Each member has a theater and exhibits 16-mm. prints of movies in which he or she has appeared. Miss Day will soon be showing "That Hunter Girl."

The tour Lily Pons and Andrew Kostelanetz are making through the Persia-Iraq area is expected to last from six to eight weeks. Miss Pons will sing the arias that we've all heard her do so often on the air, her husband will direct the soldier orchestras and will play piano duets with Carolyn Gary. Frank Versace, the fourth member of the USO troupe, accompanies Miss Pons on the flute and also plays solos.

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