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HOME SERVICE DEPARTMENT EASTLAND COUNTY RED CROSS IS AIDING MEN IN SERVICE

Department said to be doing more in proportion to population than any other county in state of Texas

(EDITOR'S NOTE)—The following article has been prepared to familiarize the public with the work that is being done by the Home Service Department of the Red Cross in Eastland County, and to encourage the people to contribute to the War Fund Drive for the Red Cross which will begin March 1.

What is the Home Service Department of the Red Cross? Who is entitled to Home Service? What is the Home Service committee of the Red Cross doing in Eastland County?

These are only a few of the questions that might be asked concerning this vastly important branch of the American Red Cross as the War Fund campaign gets under way March 1. Two thirds of all donations to the Red Cross War Fund will remain in the county and the greater part of that will go to the Home Service department.

Home Service is a Red Cross Chapter program which concerns the welfare problems of members of the military and naval forces of the United States, and of disabled ex-service men and their dependents. It is a primary obligation of all Chapters under authority of the Congressional Charter.

W. C. Campbell, Eastland County Home Service chairman, and E. E. Freyschlag, former County Red Cross officer, were advised by Red Cross officials that this county is handling more Home Service problems in proportion to population than any Chapter in the state of Texas. This is due to the large proportion of Eastland County men in military service.

Through the Home Service department committee members perform such duties as reporting to servicemen any illness that might occur in that soldier's home; locate for a soldier his family with whom he has lost contact; help solve problems of dependency in a service man's home; secure emergency furloughs without delay when there is a death or serious illness in the home; secure complete reports on those wounded or missing in action; help tide soldier's family over a financial emergency, or help straighten out any other of the great variety of tangles that human beings seem unable to avoid.

With Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins as county chairman of the War Fund Campaign, the following committee heads have been named:

Cisco, Mrs. George Fee; Ranger, Judge L. R. Pearson; Gorman, Leonard Stewart; Rising Star, Frank Robertson; Carbon, Frank Stubblefield; Eastland, Mrs. Jack Frost.

The Light Wasn't A Light After All

NEW YORK, Feb. 22, (UP)—An air raid warden during a black out last night told Stephen Du ya, an undertaker, three times to put out the light he was carrying.

Patience exhausted, the warden stepped up to enforce his order, and apologized. The light was a diamond pin in Duryea's necktie, glimmering in the moonlight.

Saboteur



Headline of shoe rationing, this impractical pup lurches on cowhide with a side of shoestrings.



ENSIGN MAY

Above is Ensign C. E. May, Jr., who has just received his commission at the New York USNR Midshipman's school. He is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. May, before reporting for active duty about March 15.

Ensign May, who is a native of Ranger, is a graduate of the University of Texas where he was a member of the Chi Phi fraternity. At the expiration of his leave he will report to Ohio State University, at Columbus, where he will be stationed with the Naval Reserve.

SECRETARY OF NAVY WARNS OF SUB DANGER

WASHINGTON — The Navy today announced the destruction under dramatic circumstances of two Axis submarines, but Secretary of Navy Frank Knox warned that Germany is building U-boats "much faster than we are sinking them."

Knox's warning was made at a press conference shortly after disclosure that a U. S. destroyer had blasted one submarine to the bottom of the Atlantic and that a Merchantman's armed crew had sunk a Jap submarine in the Pacific.

Knox said that merchant ship sinkings in the last three months had been at a reduced rate but that, nevertheless, the sub "most emphatically" is still an exceedingly grave menace.

Dr. Rainey Placed on Naval Academy Board of Visitors

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 22.—Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the University of Texas, has been appointed by President Roosevelt as a member of the Board of Visitors to the U. S. Naval Academy for 1943. Secretary of Navy Frank Knox announced.

Secretary Knox's letter sets forth the functions of the board as including the following: to report on the adequacy and conditions of physical equipment; to recommend changes in the physical equipment considered necessary or advisable; and report upon the general state of morale and discipline.

Dr. Rainey will attend the first meeting of the board this year in April, at Annapolis, Md.

An Unexpected Confession Comes From a Roll Call

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY AIR FORCES ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL, BRYAN, Texas, Feb. 22 (UP)—Pvt. Irving Jenks is a man of his name.

The Cleveland, Ohio, soldier was in formation answering roll call, when the sergeant tacked the wrong initials onto Jenks' name.

Jenks raised his hand.

"It's I. O. Jenks, sir," he said.

"You owe who?" the sergeant asked.

"Well, practically everybody, sir," answered Jenks.

RED CROSS TO OPEN WAR FUND DRIVE, MONDAY

Plans for the opening of the Red Cross War Fund Drive in Ranger, were made Monday afternoon when officials of the local unit met at the Chamber of Commerce.

L. R. Pearson, chairman of the drive, presided and Pleas Moore was selected as treasurer. Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall who is secretary for the Ranger Red Cross, will serve as secretary for the drive. Campaign committees will be appointed by a committee composed of Pearson, Dr. G. C. Boswell, and Rev. David M. Phillips.

Mrs. Arthur Murrell was appointed to have charge of the headquarters on Main Street and will organize a group of women for the work so that the headquarters may be open all the time.

Another meeting of the Red Cross chairman will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at which time Elmo Love of the St. Louis office will be present to assist in organizing the drive.

The drive will open March 1 and it was pointed out at the meeting that the public will be called upon to give more than ever before for the work of the Red Cross, since the government has delegated so much of the war effort to this great organization.

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 22.—Tire and gasoline rationing will keep most followers of Texas schoolboy basketball teams at home this year, but they need not miss the finals of the state tournament, since the three final games will be broadcast over a state-wide network.

Rodney J. Kidd, athletic director of the University of Texas Intercollegiate League has announced, The state tournament will be held in the University's Gregory Gymnasium the weekend of March 6th, Kidd said, and competition is scheduled for all three brackets of the League—classes AA, A and B. The finals will be held Saturday night, March 6, and the broadcast will run from 7 until 11 o'clock.

Stations carrying the play-by-play description of the games will include KNOW (Austin), KGNC (Amarillo), KFDM (Beaumont), KRLD (Dallas), KTRH (Houston), KPFO (Longview), KTSB (San Antonio), KRGV (Weslaco), and KWTF (Wichita Falls).

The safe used since 1879 by one family goes for war scrap

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 22 (UP)—A bank safe which has been in use since 1879 and has served two generations of pioneer Texas bankers is being donated to the nation's scrap metal drive.

The donation is being made by John E. Owens, vice-president of the Republic National Bank of Dallas, and president of the First National Bank of Willis Point, Texas.

The safe was brought to Willis Point in 1879 from Galveston by Owen's father and was used in the first bank established in Van Zandt County.

Ghost of the Palo Duro Revives Stories

CANYON, Tex., Feb. 22 (UP)—Old-timers here are reviving stories of phantom horses of the past.

It all started with a "mystery nag" that gallops out of Palo Duro Canyon, sweeps away in front of Sunday sight-seers and then gallops away out of sight.

The ghost of the Palo Duro is described as a white horse with long, flowing mane and tail. Several canyon visitors have reported seeing it racing along the rim of the big Panhandle hole in the ground.

Old-timers report a phantom herd of white mustangs roamed the Panhandle at one time and eluded all capture.

Yankee Clipper Crash Victims Still Sought

LISBON, Feb. 23 (UP)—With five bodies already recovered, harbor authorities and volunteers resumed search at dawn today for 29 additional passengers and crewmen believed killed when the Pan-American Airways Yankee Clipper crashed and sank in the Tagus River with 39 persons aboard last night.

No Gasoline Needed



This camel-power "motor" draws a heavy load and goes many miles to the gallon of water, but the wagon uses rubber tires. The camel, here resting outside a public building, is one of the odd sights our forces see "somewhere in India."

HD Agent Gives Instructions For Growing Tomatoes

"Produce and Conserve" are nutshell words of this war that pack real meaning. Plant gardens now, so you will have plenty to eat and conserve, for food rationing is here.

If tomato plants have not been planted in plant beds, this must be done immediately. Prepare your box or tub in this way—Mix 1-2 top soil, 1-4 barnyard fertilizer and 1-4 sand, placing about 3 inches in the box. On top of this place 1 inch of sand and plant tomato seeds in rows about 1-2 inch deep and 2 inches apart. Plant the seed about 3 or 4 to the inch. Cover one half inch. The final step is to add a layer of small sized gravel—about the size of a pea. The gravel helps prevent damping off the young plants.

Sprinkle the bed with water. Some recommended varieties are Marglobe, Rutgers, Bison, and Porter. When the temperature is above 40 degrees F., keep the cover off and expose even at night when the temperature is above 40 degrees after the plants are well out of the ground.

Plant spinach now, if you haven't already done so, and remember it requires a firm seed bed. Prepare the seed bed and then pack it down by walking on it. Plant some beets, carrots and lettuce now. To make the lettuce head, use the New York variety, and thin the plants. This should be done in Feb. or March. In April, plant leaf lettuce for home use.

Officer Declares Open Season on Hunting in City

GOOSE CREEK, Tex., Feb. 22 (UP)—City Marshal Ed Dickens has declared his own open season on youngsters who do their hunting within the city limits of the town.

In addition to gunning for chickens and family pets, the city marshal says the boys have shot out an estimated \$500 worth of windows in the First Christian Church.

The city marshal is out to see that the town settles down and "any child caught shooting guns in Goose Creek will be arrested and prosecuted."

Fresh Vegetables Price Ceilings Are Set By OPA

WASHINGTON — Emergency price ceilings were placed on five fresh vegetables today, and the Office of Price Administration issued its order last night. It orders food distributors to sell tomatoes, carrots, cabbage, peas and snap beans (wax or green) at prices no higher than charged between late Thursday and Wednesday.

Sharp price advances in fresh fruits and vegetables—the only major food group not controlled by price ceilings—were reported last week. Announcement Sunday of the drastic curtailment of canned goods to be allowed civilians boosted prices higher and there were indications that they would have skyrocketed near the end of the week during which it is impossible to buy any canned vegetables or canned fruits.

Summary For Day of OPA Rulings And Regulations

Point values for all processed foods that go on sale under rationing next Monday, March 1, were made public today by OPA. The values, which fix the size of the individual ration, were described by OPA Administrator Prentiss M. Brown as reflecting the critical shortage in canned and processed foods available for civilian use during the next year and a half.

The ration, as fixed by the point values, will reduce consumption of the restricted foods to less than one-half of the amount which civilians used during the year 1941-42.

The second scheduled curtailment of newspaper—a proposed cut of not to exceed 10 per cent, which would have been effective April 1, is to be held in abeyance at present. A greater volume of wood has been cut in Eastern Canada than was expected, easing the situation for the time being, the WPA announced.

Petroleum Administrative Order No. 8 limits the drilling of oil wells to one well to each 160 acres in the Barnhart Field, Reagan County, Texas, superseding WPA order M-68 which authorized 10-acre drilling. Officials of the Petroleum Administration for War commented that the Barnhart field is located in an area where "substantial excess capacity exists which cannot be utilized because of limited transportation facilities."

DEMAND FOLLOWS STALIN'S STATEMENT THAT RUSSIA IS BEARING ALL WEIGHT OF WAR

Lord Beverbrook calls for second front and suggests Northwestern Europe as the logical place to strike

LONDON, Eng. (UP)—Demands for the immediate opening of a second front in Europe, while the Russians have the Germans on the run in the east were renewed today against a backdrop of Joseph Stalin's assertion that in its absence the Red Army is "bearing the whole weight of the war."

A part of the weight, however, was being sent against American, British and French troops in Central Tunisia, where stiffening resistance checked heavy German armored thrusts, inflicted casualties and netted Axis prisoners.

The second front issue came alive again soon after official pronouncements following the Casablanca conference "virtually committed the Allies to striking at Western Europe this year."

Lord Beverbrook, former member of the British War Cabinet de manded action at once, saying the hour is at hand to stake all to "decide the fate of nations." He said northeastern Europe was the best place for the blow to fall.

Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador in London, likewise appealed for immediate attacks by the Americans and British in order to place Germany "between two powerful hammers knocking at her from east and west."

Chief of Police George Murphy issued an appeal today for the cooperation of the public in keeping cows and chickens properly penned in order to keep them from doing damage to gardens.

Chief Murphy stated that within the past few days there have been six complaints from persons bothered by stray cows and he reminded that there is a city ordinance requiring people to keep them penned.

It was pointed out that never before have gardens meant so much, since people will be so dependent on them because of rationing and people are urged to respect the efforts of their neighbors by seeing that cows and chickens do not get into these gardens. "If owners of cows and chickens will consider how they might feel at having their garden trampled and eaten by stray cows and chickens, then they will be more thoughtful of others," Chief said.

Chief Murphy stated that since gardens have become a war necessity that the police department will cooperate in every way to see that garden owners have protection from damage and that the campaign against stray cows and chickens will be the year around. Since the public has been warned about the matter, people will have to let themselves be fined against them.

TYLER, Texas, Feb. 22 (UP)—There wasn't any fire but plenty of fur flew and firemen answered the call.

A Tyler woman, after finishing her shopping, returned to her car and stepped on the starter. Instead of the soft purr of the motor, loud wails came from under the hood of the car.

A flighty passerby turned in an alarm. Meanwhile, somebody else lifted the hood of the car and investigated. A cat was caught between the fan and the radiator.

Seven-Year-Old In Predicament Knew What To Do

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 22 (UP)—Here's a kid that's going to get along in the world.

Seven year old Jackie Ellington went to sleep in a moving picture theater. When he awoke shortly after midnight, he found himself alone and the theater locked.

He went to a phone and dialed a number — he didn't know whose number it was.

To a woman who answered Jackie explained his predicament and asked for help.

The woman phoned the police and when they arrived they found Jackie crawling out the front door. He had broken a small glass to effect an exit.

Jackie, armed with the suggestion he carry an alarm clock as well as money the next time he goes to a movie, rode home in the police car.

Man at Work



With mom and pop away to work, William Hetch, Jr., of San Francisco rolls up his sleeves and concentrates on the important job of peeling family spuds.

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TODAY'S SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Service Sports Editor

It's a very rare occasion when a player becomes mixed up and pops a basketball into the wrong basket. I've been around longer than I care to remember, and did not see this remarkable feat accomplished until the other night, when Fenesky, the great star of St. Joseph's of Philadelphia, shot and missed, and the rebound hit the head of a La Salle athlete and bounced smack dab through his own mesh.

That, my friends, is understandable, with all those healthy young men scrambling under the net, jumping and fighting for the leather.

But here's one that stops you, and Dr. James A. Naismith tacked up his peach baskets in the gymnasium of the Springfield, Mass., Y. M. C. A. 52 years ago.

This is the story of both clubs becoming confused, striving desperately to contribute two points to each other, with the defensive outfits working equally as hard to prevent the gift.

It happened just the other night in Toledo, when that city school's remarkable all-freshman varsity, one of the finest in the game, played Findlay College of Ohio. Following a time out, the Rockets became rattled, attempted to score in Findlay's basket,



OUR MEN IN SERVICE

LUBBOCK Tex. Army Flying School, Feb. 22.—Aviation Cadet Merrill B. Wilson of Ranger the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilson of Joseph Apartments has reported at this twin-engine advanced flying school for the final lap of his training. On his graduation, he will be made a flying officer.

At Lubbock, Cadet Wilson will

complete the training he began in November at Coleman, Texas, and as

continued at Goodfellow Field, Texas. He was a student at the time he began training and was attending Ranger Junior College.

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- 2. Make Minor Adjustments, Tighten Screws**
Watch out for loose screws or other conditions that need prompt attention. A screwdriver and a pair of pliers are handy articles to have around so that you can make simple adjustments and repairs on many of your appliances to keep them working.
- 3. Call a Competent Repairman**
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Rationing At A Glance

RATION BOOKS

WAR RATION NO. 1—Used for sugar and coffee, will be required to obtain Book No. 2.

WAR RATION BOOK NO. 2—To be issued soon, will provide for rationing on a "point system."

Rationed Food Commodities

SUGAR—Stamp No. 11 in Book No. 1 good for 3 pounds until midnight, March 15, 1943.

COFFEE—Stamp No. 25 in Book No. 1 (for those for 1 pound until midnight March 21, 1943.)

MEAT—Voluntary share-the-meat program sets limit at 2 1/2 pounds per person per week. Meat will be rationed under the "point system" after Book No. 2 is distributed.

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Society

Mrs. Mary Boyvey Society Editor
PHONE 224

Nancy Lee Phillips Honored on Birthday

Mrs. Harlan Phillips, honored her daughter, Nancy Lee, with a party Feb. 20th on her 11th birthday.

Many games were enjoyed by all present and prizes were awarded to Byrdene Parks, June Ann Morton, Dole Weaver and Bobby Cross.

Barbara Bray, Betty Jo Penn, Mary Helen Kirkpatrick, Bobby Cross, Charley Campbell, Lucel Hinderson, June Ann Morton, Inez Mathews, Bryelene Parks, Jennie Jones, Nancy Lee Phillips, Mrs. Reuben Beck, Iretta Coleman, Ellen Cole, Father Duesman of Saint Rita's School and Mrs. Phillips.

New Era Club to Meet Wednesday

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday afternoon in the Blue Room of the Gholson Hotel. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Greer to be Hostess to Julia Alexander Grove

The members of Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 of the Woodmen Circle will meet with Mrs. Ruby Greer on the country club road, Wednesday at 12:30 p. m. for a covered dish luncheon followed by a social hour.

Personals

Mrs. Harry Henry, Mrs. Dean Crawley and Mrs. Fred Yonker spent today in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hodges are the guests of Lieut. and Mrs. Charles Hodges at Camp Howe Denton.

Mrs. Billy F. Mitchell has returned to Graham after spending the week-end with Billy's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell.

Mrs. Con Hazard received word Monday that her son, Archie, had undergone a tonsillectomy and that his condition was satisfactory. Archie is stationed at Randolph Field, San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitehall and son were Ranger visitors Monday night and today. Ernest was an outstanding football player when on the Ranger High School team several years ago. He is now traveling for the Austin Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClesker and son Glen, spent Sunday visiting their son and brother, Pat, at McClesker at Shepherd Field Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Nicholson will return home tomorrow from Dallas where they spent the week end with their daughter, Druane, who recently underwent surgery.

Mrs. Ted Rott is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elton Brooks, in Harrope.

Mrs. Jack Rawls visited her husband over the week end, Mr. Rawls is in the quartermaster corps at Camp Barkley, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Harrison Sr., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Harris, in Strawn, Sunday.

Miss June Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Gordon, under went an appendectomy at the West Texas Hospital, Monday.

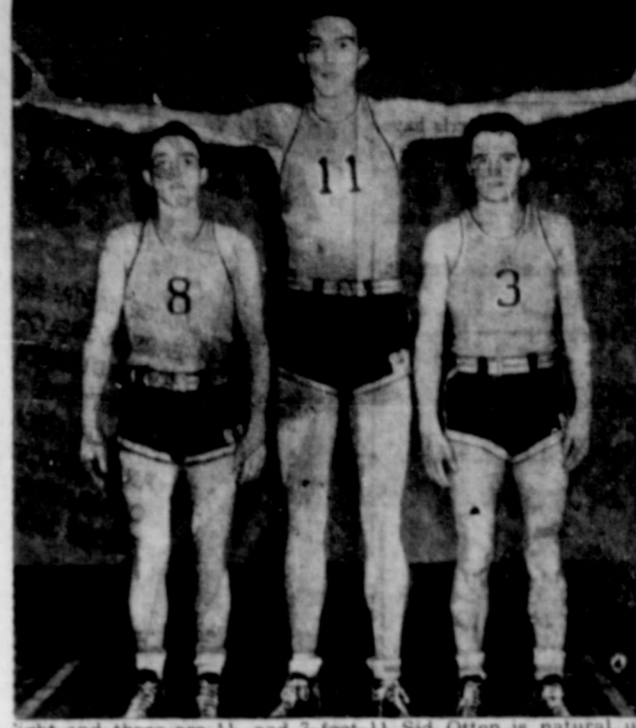
Mrs. Mary Cleveland has returned from Denton where she spent the week-end.

Mrs. George Allison, Mrs. Wilson Guest and Miss Inez Harrell have returned from a week-end visit in Dallas.

Mrs. Ralph Thomas and Miss Rita Gallagher of Ft. Worth spent the week-end visiting friends in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Joseph and

A Natural Under the Basket



Eight and three are 11, and 7-foot-11 Sid Otten is natural and asked for Bowling Green, O. University. Better on defense the fence, lowering center simply bats out would-be goals. Teammates are Joe Siesferth, left, and Carl Mike Kish.

Warning Issued On Dangerous Rheumatic Fever

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 22 — Dr. Geo. W. Cox State Health Officer, commenting on the seriousness of rheumatic fever, today declared that this disease is recognized as one of the greatest killers among young people. Between the ages of 10 and 15, rheumatic fever causes more deaths than any other disease, the State Health Officer said, and in persons between the ages of 15 and 24 it is outranked only by tuberculosis.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that deaths in childhood from rheumatic fever have not decreased in a satisfactory manner during the past decade, and warned the parents of children to pay particular attention to the care and treatment of such predisposing disease as tonsillitis and other upper respiratory infections.

"The diagnosis in this disease is not always easy," Dr. Cox stated. "Any child with suspicious

Advice Given On Planting and Care of Irish Potatoes

About March 1 has been recommended as the planting dates for Irish potatoes. Select a light sandy loam soil that is well drained and will warm up early.

The varieties recommended by the Extension Service are the Triumph, the Irish Gobbler, and the Katahdin which is especially recommended for home use. Plant the potatoes that was plowed last fall, if possible. Plow to a depth of 8 to 10 inches.

Use seed that has not been damaged in transit, and see that it bears an inspection card certifying it to be free of disease. A medium sized potato may be well divided by 2 cuts at right angles, thus making four pieces. In planting, open a furrow in the center of the ridge so that potatoes can be planted and covered easily with three to four inches of soil. Space planting at 14 to 18 inches.

Cultivate frequently to keep the surface soil and eradicate weed growth. As soon as plants appear, stir the soil between the rows and reasonably close to the plants to a depth of 6 inches.

Warning Issued On Dangerous Rheumatic Fever

symptoms should be under the prolonged supervision of a physician since along with a general involvement of the body, the heart is practically always involved. The symptoms may consist only of pallor, loss of weight, easy fatigue, unusual sweating, loss of appetite, and sometime muscular pain, and a little joint stiffness and a rapid beating of the heart. The more severe cases may show repeated nose bleeds, extreme nervousness, stiffness and pain in the joints, swelling of the joints fever and pain over the heart.

According to Dr. Cox the majority of children who experience rheumatic fever suffer more than one attack and each may last months or even at times one to three years. The final result depends on the amount of heart damage incurred. Closely supervised bed rest throughout the entire period of infection is essential in order to minimize this danger.

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