RANGER, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JUNE 27, 1944.

British Cut Important Railway To Caen

36TH MEMORIAL THREE GROUPS TO BE ERECTED OF NINTH AIR AT TEMPLE, TEX FORCE PRAISED

man who fought with the 350 Division in World War I and the bloody campaign in Italy in World War II will be paid a last ing tribute in the memorial to be erected at Temple by the people of Texas for that gallant division

The memorial will be of utility ian design, built around a mus eum. The design is being selected by statewide competition amons the architects of Texas and direc ted by the Texas Society of Architeets under a committee header by E. B. LaRoche of Dallas,

cash prize or \$1,000 will go te the architect submittin; the best design and prizes of \$500, \$300 and \$200 to second, third and fourth place winners. fourth place winners.

Major Gen. Fred L. Walker, ommanding general of the 36th Division now fighting in Italy, has written his congratulations to the 36th Division Memorial Commispreisident, Walter rey, editor of the Temple Daily Telegram, on the plans for

honoring his great division. Wounded veterans who have been returned as battle casualties to McCloskey General Hospital here estimate that the 36th has suffered such heavy casualties from killed, wounded, captured essential replacement that only 10 per cent of the original division which was the Texas National Guard, is now in action.

The Memorial Commission ha indertaken a statewide campaign te raise between \$250,000 and \$500,000 to erect this shrine. All contributions, the collector of internal revenue has advised, are deductible for purposes of 'ncome tax computation.

The commission has asked tha contributions of both cash and war bonds be sent directly to W. Guy Draper, treasurer, 36th Div 419, Temple. The commission also has ecquired full rights to a new Texas song, "I'm a Texan," dedicated to the 36th, copies of which may be obtained for \$1.00, with all profits to the memorial.

Unusual Specie Of Fish Found In Texas River

AUSTIN. Tex. (UP)-This a fish story in reverse. It's about a little fish; not a big one.

The little fish involved is, of landings on beachheads. ficially a sub species of mircrop terus punctulatus. The amezing thing about it, outside of its nam is the fact that the fish-which reaches a size of seven inches at ter two years of growth and rarely ely tops ten-is found only South Central Texas.

That information was revealed today by Marion Toole, Chief Aquatic Biologist of the State Game could hardly believe it when the came to attention back in 1874 a total of 15 rounds of ammun when a couple of Frenchmen tion in 45 seconds. came over here and caught one in the San Antonio River. Since then It has been established by science Tex., said. "But the gun had been that the sub-species of micropterus puntulatus, which actually is the crew was alert and the am-

It now reposes, pickled, in Toole's Museum.

July 1 Deadline On Car Stamp

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)— Texas 15th St.) Portland, Ore,: Pvt. not make his next descent until motorists were warned today they James Ainsworth, of (161 South he was 11, bue he's been "going have only until July 1 to buy the Main St.) Homer, N. Y.; Pfc. below" ever since.

sale. They can be bought for meets a German Gustav, one of many tight places.

St.00 each at any Texas postof the two has to give way." Dirks His father awned and operated fice. Failure to display one after said. "There was no doubt in my. coal mines and Cox literally grew can conditions and as a result his wife that he has seen most of the enemy-held American island on the other. Martin was elected July 1 will result in a heavy pen- mind who would give way this up in one, absorbing much mining has given lend-lease to Fascist England and that he did not par- life afternoon tonight and Wed- alty, officials warn.

Marianas, today. alty, officials warn.

A NINTH AIR FORCE FIGHT-ER FOMBER BASE, England -Three fighter bomber groups of the Ninth Fighter Command including one commanded by vetcommended by Licutenant Ger eral Lewis H. Brereton, command ing general of the Ninth Air Force or the part they played in the

read: "On 7th June groups of your command furnished coninuous support to the beachhead area. The situatio there was critical and the excell ent attacks and continuous sup port rendered by you restored a delicate situation. Please pass my personal congratulations to the group commanders concerned for their fine work. Brereton.'

Major General Elwood R. Quesada, commanding general of the Ninth Fighter Command, in com menting on General Brereton's commendation radioed: "T h e spirit with which these groups accepted and performed their mission reflects great credit on them and I am most grateful for their efforts.: It is possible if not probable that their efforts were in a large part responsible for the attack on beach -- -- conti uing. History may show that they

Colonel Call in a message to h fighter bomber group person wrote. "During the operation re ferred to several brave men lo their lives. It should be most grafying to us all to know that their devotion to duty and self sacri fice prevented the enemy from bringing in reinforcements which n the loss of thousands of lives and possibly have thrown our invasion forces back into the sea.

into words my feelings in regards to the comrades referred to above, I am not unappreciative of the ef- son county on November 9, 1874 votion to duty exhibited by all for the past 18 years. He was ave been futile.'

command fighter bomber groups along with other of the Ninth Fighter Command have carried out countless missions in suppor of American ground forces France and in protection of

5th Gun Crew Fires 15 Rounds In 45 Seconds

and Fish Commission. He says the calm voice of the firing officer ion W. Cox, 85, the oldest active rare fish, an angler's delight, first assured them that they had fired coal miner in the United States

"It sounded almost imposs varmed up from previous firing

gun in an artillery battery of the after donning his work clothes, 30th "Texas" division before the he's ready to start the grind a-Gustav Line below Rome.

The crew, which had prevously gain. hoarted of 18 rounds a winute face when he was four and still fixed during the invasion of Italy, in-juded Russian-born Pvt. Hermand Ruvell. of (834 Southwest frightened his father that he did

have been sold since they went on When an American Gustav



INTO THE PLACID HILLS OF NOMANDY moves this endless line of troop reinforcements and supply trucks headed for the front lines on the French beachhead. Note the broken down barbed wire en-

tanglements to the left and the knocked out German pillboxes on

T. A. Towzen To Be Buried At **Tudor Wednesday**

Funeral services for Thomas ernoon at 3 o'clock with Wesle charge of the services. Interme will be in the Tudor cemetery

The deceased was born in Joh fort, ability, self sacrifice and de- and had made his home in Range personnel in the air and on the ground without which the entire Survivors include his wife. Mrs.

Townzen, of Odessa; three day ghters, Mrs. Jesse Hamilton, and Since invasion morning the Mrs. R. C. Myers of Odessa, and Mrs. Dewey Bradford of Level and. A step-son, Sam Mansker o Arlington, California and 13 grand children also survive.

Pallbearers will be Reed Campbell, Dr. E. R. Green, M. H. Bobo, Verne Peterson, J. D. John on and Aubrey Wynn.

Coal Miner, 85, Has Record Of 74 Years On Job

DU QUOIN, III. (UP)-Mas and perhaps in the world with a record of nearly 74 years of service in the mines near Du Quoin is still in harness,

Despite his almost threeters of a century at hard labor in damp, musty and gassy mines ly in Texas, and is most numerous set ready, with charges puiled.

"The other guns had fired onlight" except in midsummer, Cox.

It is nentally alert and physically came to light a few days ago when one was caught near Austin.

"The other guns had fired onlight" except in midsummer, Cox.

It is nentally alert and physically fit. He admits being a bit weary after a hard day in the pit, and tin. The howitzer was number four | ean hardly "make the riffle" but

He first went below the sur

Pfc. below" ever since.

St.) In his years of mining, Cox new 1944 federal use revenue George T. Shapella of (Coal St.)
stamps.*

Middlesport. Pa., and Germanborn Pvt. Gustav Dirks of (5511
only a few thousand of the stamps Dibble Ave.) Cleveland. O.

Selow ever since.

In his years of mining, Cox
has worked nearly all the mines
around Du Quoin and has never
suffered so much as a broken bone, although he has been in

ELBA ISLAND CONQUEST IS NEW ALLIED VICTORY



FRENCH COLONIAL TROOPS are shown here leaving landing craft near Marina Di Campo, Elba island, st of the historic island where Napoleon maintained his famous villa is now complete, and during the fierce struggle with Nazi troops, 1,800 German prisoners were taken by the Allies. U. S. Signal (International Soundphoto)

Sharp Drop In Used Car Prices Expected By OPA Park On July 4

DALLAS, Tey. (UP)-Uses car prices in the Dallas area will take a sharp drop on July 10 her reunion, announced today when the OPA puts its new dollars and cents ceiling prices in effect, it appeared today.

A survey of the current used car prices among Dallas automobile dealers has disclosed that zices in mid-June ranged from bring friends with them A hasnum prices the OPA will allow. The checkup showed that late

todels of at least two higher priced cars are bringing prices twice as high as the new OPA ceilings. As an example, the ceiling of 1941 Ford deLuxe Tudor wi around \$1,350. A good 1941 Buick now brings \$2,000. The ceiling will be \$1,095.

ATTACKS U. S. LEND-LEASE

MIAMI, Fla. (UP) Raul Gamero, El Salvador delegate to Bruce Harris who is now station-the International Monetary Con- ed with the United States Army in ference at Bretton N. H., charged Wales has been promoted to first today that the United Statte De- lieutenant and is senior aide to partment of Justice is not fully in Brig. Gen. McMahon. dictatorships.

Thurber Reunion To Be Held At

In the afternoon, Rev. T. C

Jordan a former pastor at Thur ber will speak at the gathering.

Lt. Bruce Harris Gets Promotion

Word has been received that Lt.

ticipate in invasion .

Ft. Worth C of C Aids Romance

FOR WORTH, Tey. (UP)-The Fort Worth Chamber of Con ne in the South Pacific, Enclose was a money order. The sergean aid he wanted to buy a birthday present for his girl in Fort der at the Strawn hospital and Worth but found it difficult to was then taken to his home in top in the war zone.

The chamber did the job. HEAVIES RAID OIL PLANT

MOSCOW, (UP)- The East-

n Command of the U. S. Strat- GOP Leader Hits gic air force announced today hat American heavy bombers of rating from Russian Bases attack ed a German operated synthetic il plant at Drohbezy in Poland Monday.

GUAM RAIDED

Domei-Jap - News Agency reported approximately 1,100 Democrats to a "war between two 44,000 airplane mechanics, and 45,248 gunners, Additionally, 7, pain today Tuesday in a resumn. gain today Tuesday-in a resump- imented" society on the one hand

very session express the sent

rat since I saw you last and ion't intend to so please sto

Soldier Shot By Strawn Officer **During Fight**

A hearing was held Sunday beore the district attorney of Palo Pinto co. to investigate the circum tances surrounding an aftercation which took place on the Main st. of Strawn Saturday night about 10 o'clock.

nesses a difficulty arose between Johnnie Fox of Ranger and a sollier from Gorman by the name of Crouch, and the two left the cafe and walked out to the sidewalk where they had heated words and of his deputies walked up and attempted to separate the two. As Bradford held the soldier whose arms, he jerked loose and knocked Eradford to the sidewalk. Bradford then fired two shots at the soldier and one of the shots struck im in the left shoulder.

The soldier was given treatment for the wound in his shoul-Gorman. It was stated that the soldier was home on leave from 26 months service in the South

New Deal Today

uhlicans and anti fourth term

defenses. A British radio corres pendent reports that a nearby

The British pushed forward more than six miles in a wide wheeling offensive to surround

LONDON. (UP)- Powerful fermations of American and British heavy bombers from pest area, and in railway yards

French patriots are

tempt to storm Polotk failed

Texas Was Uncle Sam's Choice For U.S. Air Force

FORT WORTH Ter e army has disclosed officially it when Uncle Sam committed neelf to build the world's greatat air force, his eyes turned to

And that fact is backed up by Air Forces Training Command at Fort Worth which converts into

Since the a then the soldier knocked Fox to blue yonder" the air corps sings the sidewalk. Si Bradford and one about is bluer and higher than al-Command is in Fort Worth and wife was also holding one of his General Youst has his national

> The training command has gix nd 14 contract flying schools

The press release reveals that ince Jan. 1, 1942, the training enmand has conducted over 50 The training produced over 20 different types of aviation specialists, rangin from fighter, en. Clight engineers and admin-

CHICAGO STADIUM (UP)

The Republican leader of the House, Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Mass., today summoned Rep. uhlicans and anti fourth term term to the leader of the training command in Texas turned out 44.958 pilots 12.766 navigators, 12.958 bombardiers

WEST TEXAS -- Partly cloudy

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Keep Eye Open for Spies, la Columnist's Warning

And a Strange, Nazi Accent

By HELEN ESSARY Central Press Columnist

. WASHINGTON-Those warnings against spice you see in taxicabs, trains and shops—don't regard them carelessly. There are indeed spies about, Be on the alert to catch a suspicious word or

glance, and report your discovery to the proper authorities, promptly.

Mrs. Joseph H. Grew, wife of the state department's director of Far Eastern affairs, had an experience on a train coming from New York recently that combined danger, drama and very, very quick

Mrs. Grew was in the diner at a table with several strangers. The train was gailoping and playing leapfrog with telegraph poles as Washington-bound trains often do after a delay in New York. At one violent lurch a man in the uniform of a British officer

spilled a cup of coffee on Mrs. Grew. "Ach, Mein Gott!" he cried. Then quickly changed his apology to English words. Proves Mrs. Grew, having recently lived in Japan where

her husband was ambassador to Japan and before that in Turkey where he also headed the United States mission, had had good training in foreign languages and foreign ways.

She was immediately suspicious of the involuntary exclamation. Only a German would cry "Mein Gott," she reasoned. The uniform must be a disguise and illegally got. The man was likely a spy. She at once told the train conductor what had happened. He wired a report ahead to Washington. When the train stopped here, a group of FBI men met the coffee spiller and carried him off under arrest. Mrs. Grew was told later that the fellow was one of the most dangerous of German spies. The United States Secret Service had been looking for him for two months.

. WHILE ON THE SECRET SERVICE THEME, loyal Frenchmen are saying that as the Ailied troops go farther and farther inland into France, the truth about this unhappy Nazi-infested country will be discovered. The British, French and American Secret Service have been keeping close watch on France. The British and French reports, so I am told, have been in agreement for the most part. The American report has varied slightly from these two. But now the real picture of France as she was and as she means to be will be revealed to the world.

The old France is dead-forever, a young Frenchman explained to me as we sat in War Secretary Henry L. Stimson's press conferen room at the Pentagon building waiting to hear the war department's report on the progress of the fighting. Gen. Chafles De Gaulle is truly a sincere and able fellow I was told. But he is also a wise fellow. He knows that the cause which he so bravely fostered when France was deep in national degradation is now far greater than he is.

€ THE CAPITAL IS BEING RAPIDLY DRAINED of young men. There have been hundreds of them here and there in offices and at recreation centure. Now the best of youth and valor is being dragged into the war net where they squirm as helpless as fish in a net.

The young soldiers who came to my house were listless about the war—until D-Day. During the past week six fine, strong boys stopped in to say goodby. They were leaving for the front at once. "Gee, I can't wait to get over," each one said, "I've got to have a chance to do my share in this fighting."

We talk of beachheads and the sea coast of France without realizing, many of us, the sort of place we are speaking so casually about. Sea coast to many American minds means miles of sandy beach with only a light house beyond

the twenty-third sand dune. Land in The French countryside, if you haven't been there, seems in your American minds as open country as those bare stretches between Washington and Bulti-Old France

There are no bare stretches in France. Normandy, where the biggest assaults are being made is thick with farm houses and tiny villages. The beaches are not mere sand and sea. They are settled with houses and busy with people. It would not be possible to land anywhere along the Franch coast without being seen by hun-

Railroad lines weave and interweave across the fields and through the dozens of small towns. There is no breathing space for the Allied troops as they cut their way through dynamite and cold steel toward Berlin.

LAFF-A-DAY

"Who goes there, babe?"

YOUNG AND OLD ALIKE UP IN ARMS FOR HITLER NOW



IN THIS COUNTRY we sing "they're either too young or too old," but in Germany there is no such alogan. Proof of this is shown above as two Nazi youngsters, captured on the Allied beachhead in Norndy, stand before their American captor, Taken in the same bag of Nazi prisoners of war were the grizzled veterans in the background.

Austin to be used in making gas.

Mayor James E. Whitsell, having

cana's possibilities The result

pipeline, tanks and a refinery lis associates in the Eeast, hower, read scientific reports th

150,000 barrels a year at 50 cents a barrel and agreed to build

Corsicana Had One Of Texas' First Oil Fields

in a series of articles on Tex- od for oil this time, instead of oil history, of timely interest water. This well made 2 1-2 bbls the Texas Mid-Continent Oil a day. By the end of '96 Corsicand Gas Association is observing ana had five producing wells and

needed rels. It should be borne in mind n additional water supply and that the entire production of Texas a contract was let to the Am-rican Well and Prospecting Com-any to drill three wells. The first on June 9, 1894, at a depth April 1898 the field had 100 gested this idea); because it had 1,027 feet, bit a strong show- producing wells, as well as 13 dry way up outside the casing The only market for the crude, was for drilling of more wells

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Marshall Islands, First Class Petty Officer E.C. Scarbough wrote that he had oppened a package of gun clips and found that the packing slip said: "Inspected by Mrs. Bertice Scarbough.

"Those clips you work on have scarbough, employed in a local saved us several times," he wrote. war plant has proof that sre's di- "I wanted to send your packing into a watery fox-hole, where it

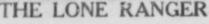
Birthday Present

HAVERVILL Mass. (UP)-Golfer Arthur Emery's 62nd birth day was his happiest; After trying for 25 years, he finally made a hole-in-one with his two sons

Back The Attack



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LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

NO. SIR! NO MATTER HOW HARD I THINK I CAN'T REMEMBER



IT WAS AWFUL DARK AN' FOGGY AN' WHEN I HEARD ROBBERS TALKIN BOUT ROBBIN AND KILLIN' FOLKS ---



BY FRAN STRIKER

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That rural sections of the United States are "Going to Town" in the Fifth War Loan Drive is suggested by scattered early reports received by the Agriculture Section, War Fin-ance Division, Treasury De-partment. In Carroll County, Georgia, agriculture's \$100,-000 share of the county que ta was oversold by \$80,000 or June 6, six days before the drive opened. In Alabama, where county farm quotas are broken down into "Beats," broken down into roughly equivalent to township other states, several beats had surpassed their quota Gregory County, South Kako ta, reached its goal two day before the drive officially op ed. More than 20,000 far machinery dealers in the U. have been enlisted as worker in the Fifth War Loan Drive

Used Cars Under Price Control

Beginning July 10, all us passenger cars come un-Price Administration has ected. All sellers- individua owners as well as dealers come under the program. Ceilings will vary by model, body type and make and will cove about 6,000 models manufac-tured from 1937 through 1942 There will be an "as is" an a "warranty" price for each model and body type. Ceilings will drop at the rate of four per cent of the "as is" price every six months. Permiss additions to ceiling prices are provided for extra equipme Separate prices are given f each of three geographical re gions. When a sale has been completed, the buyer and sel er must fill out a transfer certificate and turn this in to th

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By HELEN ESSARY Central Press Columnist

. WASHINGTON-Those warnings against spies you see in taxiabs, trains and shops-don't regard them carelessly. There are indeed spies about. Be on the alert to catch a suspicious word or giance, and report your discovery to the proper authorities, promptly. Mrs. Joseph H. Grew, wife of the state department's director of Far Eastern affairs, had an experience on a train coming from New

Mrs. Grew was in the diner at a table with several strangers. The train was galloping and playing leapfrog with telegraph poles as Washington-bound trains often do after a delay in New York.

At one violent lurch a man in the uniform of a Britton officer spilled a cup of coffee on Mrs. Grew. "Ach, Mein uspicien Gott!" he cried. Then quickly changed his apology to English words.

Mrs. Grew, having recently lived in Japan where Fortunate her husband was ambassador to Japan and before that in Turkey where he also headed the United States mission, had had good training in foreign languages and

She was immediately suspicious of the involuntary exciamation. Only a German would cry "Mein Gott," she reasoned. The uniform must be a disguise and illegally got. The man was likely a spy. She at once told the train conductor what had happened. He wired e report ahead to Washington. When the train stopped here, a group of FBI men met the coffee spiller and carried him off under arrest. Mrs. Grew was told later that the fellow was one of the most dangerous of German spies. The United States Secret Service had been looking for him for two months.

. WHILE ON THE SECRET SERVICE THEME, soyal Frenchmen are saying that as the Allied troops go farther and farther inland into France, the truth about this unhappy Nazi-infested country will be discovered. The British, French and American Secret Service have been keeping close watch on France. The British and French reports, so I am told, have been in agreement for the most part. The American report has varied slightly from these two. But now the real picture of France as she was and as she means to be will be revealed to the world.

The old France is dead-forever, a young Frenchman explained to me as we sat in War Secretary Henry L. Stimson's press conference room at the Pentagon building waiting to hear the war department's report on the progress of the fighting. Gen. Chafles De Gaulle is truly a sincere and able fellow I was told. But he is also a wise fellow. He knows that the cause which he so bravely fostered when France was

deep in national degradation is now far greater than he is.

• THE CAPITAL IS BEING RAPIDLY DRAINED of young men. There have been hundreds of them here and there in offices and at recreation centre. Now the best of youth and valor is being dragged into the war net where they squirm as helpless as fish in a net. The young soldiers who came to my house were listless about the war—until D-Day. During the pest week six fine, strong boys stopped

in to say goodby. They were leaving for the front at once.
"Gee, I can't wait to get over," each one said. "I've got to have a

chance to do my share in this fighting." We talk of beachheads and the sea coast of France without realizing, many of us, the sort of place we are speaking so casually about. Sea coast to many American minds means miles of sandy beach with only a light house beyond

the twenty-third sand dune. Land in The French countryside, if you haven't been there, Old France those bare stretches between Washington and Balti-

There are no bare stretches in France. Normandy, where the biggest assaults are bong made is thick with farm houses and tiny villages. The beaches are not mere sand and sea. They are settled with houses and busy with people. It would not be possible to land anywhere along the French coast without being seen by hun-

Railroad lines weave and interweave across the fields and through the dozens of small towns. There is no breathing space for the ops as they cut their way through dynamits and cold steel toward Berlin.

LAFF-A-DAY



"Who goes there, babe?"

YOUNG AND OLD ALIKE UP IN ARMS FOR HITLER NOW



IN THIS COUNTRY we sing "they're either too young or too old," but in Germany there is no such alogan. Proof of this is shown above as two Nazi youngsters, captured on the Allied beachhead in Normandy, stand before their American captor, Taken in the same bag of Nazi prisoners of war were

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Austin to be used in making gas. Mayor James E. Whitsell, having was that Cullinan contracted for 150,000 barrels a year at 50 cents a burrel and agreed to build a pipeline, tanks and a refinery.

His associates in the Forst how

hree derricks being burned down of the leading figures in the nabefore the undertaking was com-pleted as a water well at 2,470 ervised the construction and op eration of the refinery. The stills ot everyone regarded oil as were fired on Christmas Day, nuisance, however, and a com-

wells there derived power for drilling by a horse walking a-round a sweep): because of the on June 9, 1894, at a depth April 1898 the field had 100 rested this idea); because it had the first refinery in the State to place of one of the major com sanies-the Magnolia Petroleur Company; because it led to the ther, Dr. M. P. Cullinan, installed oil burning equipment in a Cotton eard of the achievements of J. Belt passenger train locomotive Cullinan in the Pennsylvania that ran between Corsicana and

Petty Officer Gets Gun Clips Packed By Wife

AKRON, O. (UP)-Mrs. E. C.

Marshall Islands, First Class Petty Officer E.C. Scarbough wrote that nice Scarbough.

"Those clips you work on have Scarbough, employed in a local saved us several times," he wrote, war plant has proof that sre's directly helping her husband by her slip back to you. but I had to divinto a watery fox-hole, where it

Birthday Present HAVERVILL Mass. (UP) he had oppened a package of gun Golfer Arthur Emery's 62nd birth clips and found that the packing day was his happiest: After trying dip said: "Inspected by Mrs. Ber- for 25 years, he finally made a hole-in-one with his two sons

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FOLKS ---



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BY FRAN STRIKER

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"Going To Town" In Bond

That rural sections of the United States are "Going to Town' in the Fifth War Loan Drive is suggested by scattered early reports received by the Agriculture Section, War Fin-ance Division, Treasury De-partment. In Carroll County, Georgia, agriculture's \$100,000 share of the county quota was oversold by \$80,000 or June 6, six days before the drive opened. In Alabama, where county farm quotas are broken down into "Beats," roughly equivalent to township in other states, several beats had surpassed their quotas. Gregory County, South Kakota, reached its goal two days before the drive officially open ed. More than 20,000 farm machinery dealers in the U. S have been enlisted as workers in the Fifth War Loan Drive

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Music Clubs Executive Committee To Meet

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastnd, president of the Texas Fed-Music Therapy being held on the man of Brady, sixth; Mrs. M.

, past State President of Mus- The conference on Music Ther Clubs, is in charge of plans for ent; Mrs. C. F. Gilehrist of Ft. Mrs. Paul Bard of Dallas, immedate past president of the Fed-eration. Mrs. Perkins has issued

special invitations to the District Held Friday Night Presidents over the state to attend the conference. District presidents are Mrs.

eration of Music Clubs, has call-d a conference of the executive Sherman, second; Miss Lois May- The captain held a scho nmittee of the state organiza- er of Paris, third; Mrs. Esloe & on for June 28th and 29th to Dixon of Port Arthur, fourth held in Temple, Texas, in con- Mrs. J. Meredith Tatton of Vicection with the Conference of toria, fifth; Mrs. Sheridan New ame dates at McCloskey General Fuller of Amarillo, seventh; Mrs. Henry Carlisle, Harlingen, eighth Mrs. R. E. Wendland of Tem- Mrs. . Richtmyer of the Nationa

apy is presenting as speaker tertainment of the committee, Mrs. Richtmeyer of the Nationa other members who are ex Foundation of Music Therapy ected to attend are Mrs. Few New York; Lt. Col. Guy C. Ranewster of Austin, vice presidall, M. C., Chief Neuropsychiatric Branch, McCloskey Genera Worth, secretary; Mrs. Ina Woot- Hospital; Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins n Jones of Abilene, treasurer; of Eastland; Dr. Robert L. Suth erland, Director of the Hogg Foundation at the University of Texas, and speakers will be pres nt from TSCW, Denten, and Southwestern University, at Georgetown.

> New Era Club Members Urged To Aid In Work

Mrs. Paul MacDonald, New Era Club chairman for war work anounced today that every memer of the club is urged to repor to the Red Cross surgical dress ings room for work on the net uota. The goal of the club is a 100 per cent attendance and members are urged to note the request.

Reunion of Brothers And Sisters Held

A reunion was held this week it the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gregory, Lone Star Gaseline plant of Mrs. Gregory. The brothers and sisters included: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hardeman, Watson and Nancy Carroll of Longview, Texas; Mrs. Monterey Craney of Spur, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Tur-ner Dobbins and Lois and Ramona



Political Announcements

publish the fell-wing announce-ments of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the cratic primeries:

COUNTY CLERK W. V. (Virgil) Love

COUNTY JUDGE C. H. (Harl) O'Brien

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C. W. (Charlie) Young, Jr. Roy L. Lane

E. F. (Edgar) Alton

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JOHN HART. (re-election).

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E. C. Satterwhite

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Phillips, Lubbock, Texas: Mr. and dall were in Cluburne during the Mrs. G. B. McKinley and grandson, Houston Rogers of Lubbock, services for Mrs. Leake Kuyken Texas; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Mc-Kinley and Mary Eutice of Lub-bock, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McKinley and Tom, Nell, Mona and is now a patient in the West and Kay of Lubbock.

Drill Team Practice

F, met at 100F Hall Friday evening,

R. Collard of Wichita Falls, first at 8:00 o'clock, with drill captain is the former Miss Mary Hamrick The captain held a school of in-struction. Twelve members were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Langston. Bepresent. All members are expect- sides Mr. and Mrs. Langston the ed to be present Tuesday 27, and degree work will be put on. randmothers living.

> Announcement of Recent Marriage Is Made

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Maria Rowch of Olden to Mr. Johnnie

ewman of Ft. Worth. The ceremony was performed in Ft. Worth, Friday nighgt and the young couple left immediately afterward for a visit with friends in Ranger and Olden.

Saturday night they were entertained informally by Olden and Ranger friends.

Victory Class To Have Meeting Tonight

Baptist church will have a bus- and Mrs. Olen Holloway, iness meeting tonight at 8 o'

returned to their home in Rising an automobile, Sunday has been Star after a visit with Mr. Lee' sister, Mrs. Mary Young.

Flight Officer W. C. Walsh has returned to his station at Ft. Wayne, Indiana after a visit with his wife and daughter who are making their home with Mrs. Walsh's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A ir in service.

Mrs. Gwen Meacham of Ft. Worth was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. David D. Pickrell. this morning.

Mrs. R. A. Disney has as he quests her brother and his family Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Roach of Ft. West Texas Hospital to their home Worth, and her sister, Mrs. H. W. Jones of Dallas. All will leav Wednesday morning for Okla homa City where they will attend a family reunion.

Mrs. Bruce Harris of Minera Wells was the week end guest of Mrs. Dan Milmo.

Mrs. Mary Young has as he guest her daughter-in-law and graddaughter, Mrs. D. A. Young and Mary Lou and her son, Cpl Carl Young who is stationed at Camp Van Dorn, Miss,

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Miss Mary Frances Ward of Ft. Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ward over the

Mrs. Dean Adams of Ft. Worth was the guest of her parents, Meand Mrs. Homer Landtroop over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Newman of Ft. Worth visited frie de and relatives in Ranger and Olden over the week end. Mrs. Newman is the former Miss Marie Roach of Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson and daughter Kay Lynne from Holli-The Victory Class of the First day were week end guests of Mv.

> Mrs. Lee Dockery who is a patent in the Harris Memorial Methedist hospital in Ft. Worth is reported improving.

Joyce Ray Fox who was treated at the West Texas Hospital for injuries received in a fall from removed to the home of his par ents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fox.

Jessie Gomez underwent a tor sillectomy at the West Texas Hospital this morning.

Worth Carlin underwent an em ergency appendectomy at the 103 for the brothers and sisters B. English, while Officer Walsh West Teyas Hospital Monday night.

> Mrs. Tom Hicks underwent sur gery at the West Texas hospital

> Mrs. Elmer Roberts and small r Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ungren nd son, John Erwin, of Wichita



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after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B.

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baby have been removed from the Dr. W. D. McGraw and

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family are spending a few weeks in Temple.

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