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## Technical Sergeant Raymond Winifred Hamm Accidentally Killed July While on Maneuvers at Leesville

Technical Sergeant Raymond Winifred Hamm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamm, of the Sandhill, was accidentally killed in a motorcade while on maneuvers at Leesville, Texas, July 29, 1942.

Information given by Horace Tatum, Jr., of Leesville, Texas, who accompanied Hamm, of the Sandhill, to Floydada, the accident was caused by a shock from electric shock crossing of a telephone line with high voltage electric line. At the same time Raymond A. Hamm, of Indianapolis, Indiana, also killed in the same motorcade. There were five others severely injured and in the hospital and all were shocked by the shock. All of the men were of the 2nd Infantry Division.

Hamm had been stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, ever since he enlisted in the army October 21, 1940, following graduation from Leesville High School that year. He went through school and was an outstanding student in all of his classes, making without final examination it was said that he had progress in army training in line for further advancement.

Services were held Sunday morning for Sergeant Winifred Hamm, age 20, at 10 o'clock at the First Methodist church. Rev. L. N. Lipscomb officiated, conducted the services assisted by George Roberts and P. D. O'Brien of Leesville, Texas.

Sergeant Hamm was born June 22, 1922, in Lubbock, Texas. He enlisted in the army October 21, 1940 and was stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas. He was brought by train to Leesville where it was met by a hearse and taken to the funeral home, and then to Floydada, Texas. Sergeant Hamm was buried in the National Cemetery at Leesville, Texas, Saturday night until time for the funeral services Sunday morning.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hamm, of the Sandhill, two brothers, Ed and Melvin; two sisters, May and Florence; also his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows and Mrs. Buck Formby; uncle, Roy Burrows; aunts, Mrs. Horace Allen, Mexico, Missouri; Mrs. T. E. McNutt, Waco; all of whom were present for the funeral.

Survivors were Billy Henry, Collins, Billy Brown, Ed Minor, Jr., Leland Walton Jones, and Adrian Hamm.

Funeral services were made in Floydada, Texas, by Harmon F. Cavanaugh in charge of arrangements.

## Wheat Sowing Decision Has Been Reached

Can you shift part of your wheat acreage to warcrops?

The Texas U. S. Department of Agriculture War Board this week asked wheat growers that question and urged them to "think twice before seeding your entire wheat allotment."

"Where land usually planted to wheat is suitable for the production of warcrops, we urge farmers to cut their wheat plantings and increase their plantings of warcrops," B. F. Vance, board chairman, declared. "The national wheat acreage allotment of 55,000,000 acres, the minimum under the law, will produce far more wheat than we can use, especially in view of the two-year supply already on hand."

Other crops more vital to the war effort can be grown in place of wheat in most of the Texas wheat area, Vance pointed out.

## New Students' Friend are These Two Girls



Solving the problems of new students at Texas State College for Women is the job of Seniors Evan Adams (top) of Dallas and Abbie Rutledge of Alice. Miss Adams is president and Miss Rutledge is vice-president of the Student Advisory Council, composed of representative students from each college department.

### A CORRECTION

In a story appearing in last week's Plainsman it was stated that in Commissioner's Precinct No. 3, W. C. Plumlee lacked only 4 votes winning a majority over A. D. Monk in the primary election.

It has been called to our attention that the story should have read 54 votes.

Mr. Monk and Mr. Plumlee will enter the second primary runoff in the commissioners race which is to be decided on August 22.

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## Sub-machine Guns Get a Bath



Marine Corps parachutists clean the barrels of their sub-machine guns with hot, soapy water after a day of target firing. Every Marine receives training and practice in firing and care of the rifle, pistol, sub-machine gun, automatic rifle, machine gun, trench mortar, hand grenade and rifle grenade.

## Out of Town Relatives and Friends Here for Hamm Funeral

Out-of-town relatives of the Hamm family who were present for the funeral services of Sergeant Raymond Winifred Hamm, Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church were:

Mrs. S. M. Moon, and son, John, of Longview; Mrs. Harrison Green, Dallas; Mrs. Berdie Edgar, Mesquite; Mrs. Leona Richardson and children, Jenny Paul and Anita, of Hale Center; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hamm, Mrs. Lewis Ray Hamm, of Olney; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Edgar, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Edgar, and Herman Edgar, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Williams, Lubbock.

Relatives of the Burrows family were:

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Burrows, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Everet Johnson, and Floyd Thompson, of Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Thompson, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burrows and children, of Lubbock; Mrs. Sam Thompson, of Plainview; Mrs. Horace Allen, Mexico, Missouri; and Mrs. T. E. McNutt, of Waco.

Out-of-town friends of the Hamm and Burrows families:

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tatum, Sr., and Mrs. E. H. Tatum, Jr., of Lamesa; Sergeant E. H. Tatum, Jr., of Headquarters 2nd Infantry Division, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas; Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Everly Allen and son, Rellis, of Lubbock.

### DALBY EMPLOYEES

Employees of the Dalby Truck Company, of Lubbock, who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Ruby Stewart, E. R. Craft, Ralph Lockard and Mr. Kirkland.

### WEEK END CARLOADINGS FOR AUGUST 1, 1942

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending August 1, 1942, were 23,955 compared with 22,682 for the same week in 1941. Cars received from connections totaled 12,062 compared with 8,341 for the same week in 1941. The total cars moved were 36,017 compared with 31,023 for the same week in 1941. The Santa Fe handled a total of 35,741 cars in the preceding week of this year.

## Small Power Generators Are Wanted

County USDA War Boards are conducting a search for small power generating plants for the U. S. Army Signal Corps. B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA War Board, has announced.

The plants are needed for operating communications equipment, especially at remote bases where current is not available from established plants, the War Board official said.

Types of power plants (both engine and generator) needed include gasoline, diesel, kerosene or fuel oil driven motors, operating 110- to 220-volt generators, AC only. Equipment of these types can be used in capacities from 500 watts to 25 kilowatts and larger.

The boards are being asked to locate plants not now in use and to advise the state board, Vance said. All negotiations in connection with inspection and approval for purchase will be handled by the Army Signal Corps directly with the owner.



## Jester Opens His Campaign Friday Night at Corsicana

Corsicana, August 6.—Opening his runoff battle for the State Railroad Commission, Beauford Jester will discuss the importance of his campaign in a radio speech to a statewide audience from his home town, Corsicana, at 9:30 p. m. Friday, August 7th. The talk will be carried over a fifteen station network.

"Texas oil and transportation are vitally important to our war effort," Mr. Jester said. "Most of the oil that will fly our planes, power our mechanical divisions, and fuel the ships of America and her Allies will come from Texas. There must be no bottlenecks in Texas' oil production and transportation facilities."

"The people of Texas need a war veteran and a fully qualified Railroad Commissioner who will see to it that every industry regulated by the commission can and does function at its maximum in our war effort," Mr. Jester declared.

A native of Corsicana, Jester is a graduate of Texas University and served from 1932 to 1935 as chairman of the university's board of regents. He interrupted his law studies to go overseas in 1917 as an infantry captain in the 90th Division. He saw action in the St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne offensives. Returning to the law after the Armistice, he completed his studies and has practiced in Corsicana ever since. He has taught a Sunday school class in his Methodist church since 1924, and since 1935 has been a member of the State Advisory Board of the National Youth Administration.

## Insured Farms May Earn Premium Cuts

A reduced cost plan by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation for those insured wheat growers who have built up large premium balances in excess of losses will go into effect with the new 3-year contract beginning with the 1943 crop, according to the State AAA Committee.

In some cases, this reduction plan will cut an individual's 1943 crop insurance premiums as much as 50 percent, the maximum allowed. This maximum reduction will be given the farmer only in those years when no loss occurs.

To qualify for the lower premium, a farmer must have insured his wheat crop for an unbroken series of crop years up to the present, with few or no losses. In general, if his total paid in premiums, less indemnities, during this period equals or exceeds his insured production for 1943, the farmer will receive a 50 percent cut in his premium.

If "paid in" premiums during the unbroken series of crop years are slightly less than his 1943 insured production, the grower's premium cost for the 1943 crop year will be counted toward the premium balance and a proportionately lower premium cost will be given him.

In no case will farmers be granted the lower rate simply because they have built up a premium balance from a large operation and shifted to a smaller operation. Adjustments will be made in cases where growers have materially reduced acreages or lowered their insured production for any other reason.

This premium plan was designed to distribute the cost of insurance more equitably by recognizing the smaller risk on those farms where there have been few or no losses.

The plan is comparable to the practice of some commercial insurance companies which refund some of the premium in cases where the insured suffered no loss during the insurance period.

### SECOND SUNDAY SINGING AT SOUTH SIDE CHURCH

The regular Second Sunday Singing will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, new time, at the South Side Baptist Church. All interested in good singing are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Pitts of Amarillo, returned home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Pitts came Thursday and visited with her mother, Mrs. Sarah K. Duncan and Joe came Saturday night.

### CARD OF THANKS

We acknowledge with deepest and most sincere appreciation your help, kind words of sympathy and the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hamm and family,  
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows,  
Mr. and Mrs. Buck Formby.

### TO THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I appreciate the honor and privilege of being nominated to serve, again, in the office of County Treasurer. It shall be my purpose and pleasure to give you the most faithful, courteous and efficient service of which I am capable.

Thank you.  
MRS. O. M. CONWAY.  
(Political Advertisement)  
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## Senator John Lee Smith Issues Statement



Senator John Lee Smith, of Throckmorton, high man in Saturday's primary for Lieutenant Governor, issued the following statement today:

"According to late returns I am leading Senator Beck by over 35,000 votes. This is, of course, very gratifying to me. I am grateful to the many loyal friends throughout Texas who faithfully labored in my behalf. I had not a single paid worker. These friends carried my candidacy to the people. I trust always to be worthy of such confidence.

"The recent campaign was one between gentlemen. All my opponents were excellent and worthy men. There was no abuse and no bitterness.

"In the run-off campaign, I am sure the same high type of campaign will be conducted. Senator Beck is my friend and I am sure our campaign, though strenuous, will be pleasant."

## Office of Collector Of Internal Revenue Calls Attention

Reports reaching the office of Collector of Internal Revenue indicate that most persons subject to the \$5.00 automobile tax due July 1, 1942, have already purchased the required Stamp but that in some sections many automobile owners have failed to purchase this Stamp. Beginning August 1, 1942, a concerted drive by Deputy Collectors in every section will be undertaken, and all persons subject to the tax, using their cars without the Stamp affixed, will be vigorously prosecuted. Such tax evaders will be subject to a \$25.00 fine and thirty days imprisonment in addition to payment of the tax. This automobile use tax is a war measure, and all patriotic people should respond without delay.

The most important thing to remember is that the \$5.00 automobile tax Stamp cannot be purchased from Post Offices after July 31, 1942, and purchases will have to be made from the Collector of Internal Revenue, and late purchasers will be required to establish the fact under oath that they have not used their cars prior to the purchase date of the Stamp, in order to avoid penalty.

This is a final notice, and further this statement is made by direction of the Bureau of Internal Revenue in Washington.

### VISITING IN SOUTH TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hatley and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham left Sunday afternoon on a ten days vacation trip. The party plans to spend several days fishing at Buchanan Dam, and probably a few days at San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49a, requiring all bills passed by the Legislature on and after January 1, 1945, appropriating money for any purpose, to be sent to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for his approval, and fixing the duties of the Comptroller with reference thereto; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by the General Revenue Fund on September 1, 1943; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto, immediately after Section 49, a section to be known as Section 49a, to read as follows:

"Section 49a. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts in advance of each Regular Session of the Legislature to prepare and submit to the Governor and to the Legislature upon its convening a statement under oath showing fully the financial condition of the State Treasury at the close of the last fiscal period and an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements for the then current fiscal year. There shall also be contained in said statement an itemized estimate of the anticipated revenue based on the laws then in effect that will be received by and for the State from all sources showing the fund accounts to be credited during the succeeding biennium and said statement shall contain such other information as may be required by law. Supplemental statements shall be submitted at any Special Session of the Legislature and at such other times as may be necessary to show probable changes.

"From and after January 1, 1945, save in the case of emergency and imperative public necessity and with a four-fifths vote of the total membership of each House, no appropriation in excess of the cash and anticipated revenue of the funds from which such appropriation is to be made shall be valid. From and after January 1, 1945, no bill containing an appropriation shall be considered as passed or be sent to the Governor for consideration until and unless the Comptroller of Public Accounts endorses his certificate thereon showing that the amount appropriated is within the amount estimated to be available in the affected funds. When the Comptroller finds an appropriation bill exceeds the estimated revenue he shall endorse such finding thereon and return to the House in which same originated. Such information shall be immediately made known to both the House of Representatives and the Senate and the necessary steps shall be taken to bring such appropriation to within the revenue, either by providing additional revenue or reducing the appropriation.

"For the purpose of financing the outstanding obligations of the General Revenue Fund of the State and placing its current accounts on a cash basis the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by said fund on September 1, 1943, provided such bonds shall not draw interest in excess of two (2) per cent per annum and shall mature within twenty (20) years from date."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, being November 3, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bill passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, provid-

ing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Mrs. George Gearhart is Honored With Shower

Mrs. George Gearhart was honored by her friends in the Dougherty community with a miscellaneous shower given at the Dougherty school building Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Misses Maudell Hinton, Helen Ring, Helen Powell, Christine Hinton; Mesdames Orland Howard, Tate Jones, Bill Webb, Jim Morrison, and Ott Glassmoyer.

The punch bowl on the serving table was surrounded by marigolds, and lighted candles were placed on either side. Punch and cookies were served to the guests presided over by Mrs. Orland Howard.

Mrs. Tate Jones received the guest, and Miss Maudell Hinton had charge of the bride's book. Miss Helen Ring furnished music while the guest arrived.

Those registering were: Mesdames J. T. Pool, Ada Hinton, E. J. Foster, R. H. Crawford, R. T. Jones, Sam Lide, Darrell Caruther, Lewis Blum, J. G. Cage, S. M. Crawford, T. M. Law, Winifred Robinson, C. A. Caffee, F. M. Covington, G. E. Edwards, Clarence Hammonds, A. H. Kreis, H. N. Powell, J. T. Campbell, C. J. Pharr, Bill Norman, Jess Glover, M. J. McNeil, Claude Ring, C. Bartlett, Al Edwards, Harlon Cage, Roy Fawver, and Cullin Ballock.

Misses Mozelle Edwards, Ruth Kreis, Delzie Bradford, Leona Holmes, and the hostesses.

MRS. BILL FORD IN PLAINVIEW HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bill Ford, who has been seriously ill for several days in a Plainview hospital, is reported to be slightly improved. Mrs. Ford is a niece of Mrs. J. C. Wester.

MOVED TO AMARILLO

Mrs. Verne Elliott and daughter, Evelyn, accompanied by Mr. Elliott moved Sunday to Amarillo where they will make their home. Mr. Elliott has been in Amarillo the past month.

HOW THE RAILROAD TAX BILL HAS GROWN

Railroad tax accruals in the first half of 1942 have amounted to considerably more than for the full year, in any of the prosperous pre-depression years. In the latter 'twenties the railroad tax bill reached a level, for the first time, amounting to an average of a million dollars a day or more. Railroad taxes were steadily below this level from 1930 to 1940, but the total tax bill reached a new high of \$396,394,774 in 1940. Tax accruals for the first half of 1942 were in excess of \$475,000,000.—Western Railways' Committee on Public Relations.

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The  
Difference



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Lace Trim and Tailored Slips

Priced at \$1.49



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Cotton Print Batiste, 2 Pair \$1.38

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Reduced to \$1.49, \$1.79, \$2.49

Close-Out Price on One Group of **WAIST PETICOATS**

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One Table of

## Straws

And

## Felts

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# \$1





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**Paint Supplies are  
 Diminishing Due  
 to War Needs**

are long, paints of many  
 are going to become scarce.  
 Bernice Claytor, special-  
 istic improvement for the  
 M. College Extension Ser-  
 vices shortages will be felt  
 in paints, varnishes,  
 enamels for interiors. The  
 is, these require natural or  
 resins. For some time  
 resins have been ear-  
 for exclusive war use, and  
 the War Production Board  
 50 per cent cut in  
 amount of natural resins man-  
 for civilian purposes.  
 are some of the specialist's  
 for choosing and us-  
 rior paints to the best ad-  
 gless paint, which washes  
 and is not too harsh in ap-  
 is, suitable for kitchens  
 bathrooms. Flat paint gives  
 appearance and is for  
 areas such as walls and ceil-  
 it soils less quickly than  
 paint, but it will not stand  
 well under washing.  
 is the cheapest wall  
 available. Though it can-  
 be cleaned, it can be washed  
 and a new coat ap-  
 The specialist cautions:  
 use calcimine on smooth  
 work or on walls which have  
 covered with oil paint." The  
 eventually will chip off  
 make later re-painting far  
 should be used only on  
 smooth surfaces, for it makes  
 chips, and scars more no-  
 Homemakers who want  
 the trouble of sandpaper-  
 planing uneven surfaces,  
 use a gloss or semi-gloss  
 instead of enamel.

**Good Circulation  
 Dairy Cow Is  
 Factor in Milk**

ood circulation of a dairy  
 a primary factor in the  
 she gives. Recent experi-  
 work, says G. G. Gibson,  
 dairyman of the Texas A.  
 M. College Extension Service,  
 so that 400 gallons of blood  
 through the udder for every  
 of milk a cow produces.  
 ply this by the day's yield  
 immense amount of work  
 heart does to fill her share  
 nation's milk bottles is  
 milkers have noticed upon  
 down that the udder did  
 appear to be full. Soon, how-  
 filled up because "the cow  
 her milk". The business  
 down" happens in this  
 stimulus associated with  
 is carried by the sensory  
 the brain, which sends a  
 to the pituitary gland,  
 releases a hormone which is  
 by the blood to the udder.  
 causes contraction of the  
 fibers in the secretory tis-  
 the udder, forcing the milk  
 lower part so it can be  
 the cow's job. But the  
 collaboration also is im-  
 Among do's and don't in  
 all of the cow's milk,  
 suggests: Regularity —  
 at the same time night and  
 a good milker must be  
 along with cows, other-  
 production results; and  
 to stimulate milk let-  
 considerable time in ad-  
 milking. Otherwise the

hormone which has been secreted  
 in the blood streams will be dis-  
 sipated and the edge gone from  
 the cow's ability to force down her  
 milk.

**Tree Ripened  
 Peaches are Best  
 For all Purposes**

The best peaches are those  
 which ripen on the tree.  
 Dispelling any doubt on that  
 point, J. F. Rosborough, horticultur-  
 ist of the Texas A. and M. Col-  
 lege Extension Service, then tells  
 those seeking the best canning  
 peaches to choose J. H. Hale, El-  
 berta, or a similar yellow free-  
 stone species. These varieties hold  
 their shape well when canned,  
 have a firm texture, and a positive  
 peachy flavor. Their skins are  
 easily removed, and there is more  
 flesh and less seed than with many  
 other sorts.

An easy way to remove the skin  
 of peaches preparatory to canning  
 is to place them in a cloth sack  
 and hold them in boiling water for  
 a few minutes, or until the skin  
 slips easily. Then dip them into  
 cold water before peeling.  
 Frank is another variety which  
 will be ripe soon. It is a yellow  
 clingstone which Rosborough says,  
 is excellent for desserts because  
 of its sweetness. The Indian, a  
 clingstone species with a red and  
 white mottled flesh, is suggested  
 for peach pickles. Because of its  
 firm texture it retains shape after  
 pickling. Firmness is essential in  
 any type of peach used in the can-  
 ning method. For preserving,  
 however, choose those which are  
 soft when pressed with the thumb.  
 They are a little sweeter and this  
 flavor is imparted to the preserves.  
 For ice cream, choose those bor-  
 dering in softness.

Looking to next year's crop,  
 Rosborough suggests removing all  
 weeds and vegetation, now, and  
 leaving the soil plowed and in the  
 pink of condition for the remain-  
 der of the summer.

**Growing Demand  
 For Saddle and  
 Draft Stock**

Austin, August 6.—In order to  
 help meet the growing demand for  
 saddle and draft horses and mules,  
 Texas farmers and stockmen who  
 need a stallion or jack should  
 make application immediately to  
 the Jack and Stallion Division of  
 the State Department of Agricul-  
 ture, Austin.

The department issued that  
 statement today with the announce-  
 ment that there are now several of  
 the state-owned jacks and stallions  
 available. The stallions include  
 Belgian, percheron and saddle  
 types.

The animals may be leased by  
 stockmen or farmers for \$30  
 yearly, with the remuneration to  
 be derived from breeding fees.  
 The fee limit is \$10. The ani-  
 mals will be delivered to the leasor  
 free of charge by the department.

Curtailed supplies of rub-  
 ber and gasoline is expected to  
 bring about a greater demand for  
 horses and mules, and thereby in-  
 crease the demand for the services  
 of the state-owned jacks and stal-  
 lions. It is estimated that the  
 state animals have already increas-  
 ed the wealth of the state by about  
 \$3,000,000, although since its cre-  
 ation in 1934, the Jack and Stal-  
 lion Division has never cost the  
 people of the state a penny for its  
 upkeep and administration.

**Suggestions on the  
 Harvesting of  
 Peanuts**

If the growing season was good,  
 the time for digging peanuts will  
 have arrived when the vines begin  
 to turn slightly yellow and prac-  
 tically all of the nuts are mature.  
 According to E. A. Miller, agrom-  
 olist of the Texas A. and M.  
 College Extension Service, matu-  
 rity of the nut is indicated by a  
 coloring on the inside of the shell  
 with darkened veins showing.

Directing his counsel to inex-  
 periented growers, Miller advises  
 digging peanuts in fields afflicted  
 with southern blight as soon as  
 they mature. An ordinary wide-  
 angle heavy sweep on a riding  
 planter is considered a good dig-  
 ging implement. It should be run  
 just deep enough to get all of the  
 nuts, and not too fast to shake the  
 nuts loose.

Vines may be stacked around a  
 pole the day they are dug if the  
 weather is clear. Poles three to  
 four inches in diameter and six  
 to seven feet long, sharpened at  
 each end, with two cross pieces  
 about 2 1/2 inches long nailed to the  
 poles six to eight inches above the  
 ground, should be used.

A few vines first are hung over  
 the cross pieces for a foundation,  
 and the stack then made by plac-  
 ing the vines around the pole, with  
 the peanuts to the inside pressing  
 the vines down. Occasionally a  
 vine should be divided and hung  
 around the pole to bind the stack  
 together. Keep the center about  
 a foot higher than the outside in  
 order to shed water. When nearly  
 completed, the stack should be  
 drawn to a point and a few vines  
 crowded down over the pointed  
 end of the pole, and them capped  
 with a small amount of grass or  
 hay.

**Health and Physi-  
 cal Stamina Will  
 Help Win War**

Austin, August 6.—"Not steel,  
 money, rubber, sugar, gasoline,  
 nor any other material equipment  
 can win this war without man-  
 power," declared Dr. George W.  
 Cox, State Health Officer.

The backbone of the entire civ-  
 ilian war program is the health  
 and physical stamina of the men  
 and women who stand behind the  
 machines, who mold the steel, who  
 conserve the rationed articles, who  
 volunteer for defense activities,  
 who earn the money that buys the  
 war bonds, who work the farms  
 and ranches that feed the fighters

and who look after the homes and  
 families that the military men are  
 fighting for.

There can be no doubt that the  
 protection and promotion of the  
 health of these people, then, is as  
 important to the outcome of the  
 war as it is to the lives and peace-  
 time welfare of the people them-  
 selves.

"There are many other services  
 that health departments can and  
 are doing in their everyday work,"  
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### Student President Of Religious Council

With Miss Ruby Guthrie, Kaufman senior, as president, the student council of religious activities at Texas State College for Women sponsors early morning meditation services each Sunday in the Little Chapel-in-the-Woods. The council, inter-denominational and campus-wide, also has charge of vesper services each Friday night in the 24 residential halls and promotes activities of the Denton churches.

In 1939, Mrs. E. M. Roberts of the Giff Home Debonstration Club in Schleicher County cleared \$31.41 from a flock of 50 white leghorns. Her hens averaged 141 eggs each. The next year, with 52 hens, she cleared \$47.47, her hens averaging 141 eggs. Last year she had 72 hens which averaged 220 eggs and brought a profit of \$150—more than \$2 per hen. This year Mrs. Roberts has 125 hens which are laying Food for Freedom. She expects her hens to break all their previous records in 1942.

Lola Galloway, of San Diego, California, is home for a visit with relatives and friends.

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### Motor Association To Launch Educational Campaign

Austin, August 6.—The old familiar hitch-hiker sign—four fingers closed and thumb up—may have a new meaning when the educational campaign for drivers just launched by Texas Motor Transportation Association gets under way.

Instead of indicating that he wants you to slow down and give him a lift, a passing motorist who leans out of his car and gives you this signal will be warning you that you are driving on a partially flat tire.

Following suggestions of conservation conscious members who have been giving thought to every angle of tire salvage, the association has endorsed this plan and hopes to make the custom universal, not only for the duration, but for peacetime as well.

Roughly speaking, the procedure is for all motorists to keep a weather eye out for tires on the vehicle just ahead—whether it be truck or passenger car—and if there is indication of partially flat tire, make it a point to pass such car when it can be safely done, giving three short blasts of the horn to attract attention, followed by the "hitch-hiker" signal which will inform him of an impending puncture or, worse still, a possible blow-out.

Automobile associations and other transportation organizations throughout the country will be asked to cooperate in the movement with the hope of contributing, by this means, to the tire saving program of the Office of Defense Transportation and other Defense Agencies.

MRS. JOE PARRISH UNDERGOES OPERATION FRIDAY

Mrs. Joe Parrish underwent a major operation in a Lubbock hospital Friday. Mr. Parrish reports her condition as being satisfactory. Mr. Parrish is linesman for the Texas-New Mexico Utilities Company.

### Chevrolet Dealers Will Become Collection Depots

Detroit, Michigan, August 6.—More than 8,000 automobile dealerships in almost as many communities throughout the country will become collection depots in the government's scrap metal drive, under a plan proposed today to Chevrolet dealers by William E. Holler, general sales manager of Chevrolet.

All Chevrolet dealers and their 50,000 employees have been urged by Chevrolet to enlist in the scrap metal drive. Mr. Holler said, embracing a group that in the past decade has been responsible for disposing of more metal in the form of cars and trucks than any other group of merchants in America.

"Already Chevrolet dealers have served their government faithfully on previous occasions," Mr. Holler pointed out. "Many dealers were collection agents in the rubber scrap campaign and they materially contributed in the promotion of that all-important activity. They, as well as many of their employees, not only are buying War Bonds regularly but they actually sponsored community War Bond rallies and thus contributed very directly to the raising of war revenues. At present the entire Chevrolet retail organization is cooperating 100 per cent with the government's Office of Defense Transportation in the interest of preserving America's unexcelled transport carrier system and thus keep the nation's trucks rolling. This new drive will afford one further opportunity to serve the nation."

"Six million tons of scrap metal is the objective set by the government's War Production Board," Mr. Holler said. "With the public cooperating and Chevrolet dealers the country over assisting in the promotion of 'Salvage for Victory' campaigns, this goal will surely be attained. I am confident that Chevrolet dealers will support this program wholeheartedly as another evidence of their willingness to serve in any capacity that will contribute to Victory."

In a personal letter to each dealer, Mr. Holler wrote: "A crisis exists in our war production program which can only be solved by the patriotic cooperation of the American people. Uncle Sam today is faced with a serious shortage of iron and steel, and this shortage must be filled by a nation wide collection of scrap.

"Today scrap is ammunition—it's guns, it's planes, it's bullets, it's tanks—and these materials must be supplied to our fighting forces in invincible volume. We have been informed reliably that there is enough steel and iron on the farms, vacant lots, and in city homes that, if collected, would be sufficient when used with other materials to make double the world's number of battleships afloat today or enough 2,000-pound bombs to drop three per minute for three years.

"Collection of this scrap is an opportunity to manifest patriotic cooperation which I know Chevrolet dealers will welcome. Their places of business are centrally located in their communities and are generally well known. I believe they will be ideal scrap metal collection depots, and we are asking that all Chevrolet dealers join in this worthwhile endeavor."

Promotional material, including window posters, window trim suggestions, and working plans for the staging of a local scrap drive are being provided dealers by Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Barker and son, Kenneth, left Sunday for Flagstaff, Arizona, where Mr. Barker will be employed.

Mrs. Charles Daniels, of Sumter, South Carolina, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hammonds.

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### A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the lending of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office building or buildings; providing for repayment to the Permanent School Fund; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expense of publication.

### BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 49-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b. The Legislature may provide by law for the issuance of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to the Permanent School Fund for the construction in the City of Austin of a State office building or buildings, and the State Board of Education is hereby directed to invest not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund therein. Such bonds shall be executed on behalf of the State of Texas by the Governor and Comptroller, and shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three (3) per cent per annum, payable annually; they shall be of such denomination as may be prescribed by law, and shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five (25) equal installments beginning one (1) year from date of issuance; and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to set aside into a special fund annually at the beginning of each fiscal year until all of said bonds shall have been paid off and discharged, a sufficient amount of the first moneys coming into the Treasury for the use and benefit of the General Revenue Fund not otherwise heretofore obligated to the payment of bonds and interest, a sufficient amount to pay the interest becoming due and the bonds maturing during such fiscal year. From said fund, the Treasurer shall pay the interest on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Permanent School Fund. The power hereby granted to issue bonds is expressly limited to the amount stated and to five (5) years from and after the adoption of this grant by the people."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McNutt, of San Antonio, visited over the week end with relatives here.

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### It's Up to the Worker Himself To Help Save

Lubbock, August 6.—It's up to the worker himself to determine whether he is interested sufficiently to assist his government in saving money, time, white paper, and other valuable items used in the issuance of duplicate social security account numbers because it is the worker's fault if he loses or misplaces his number and is therefore compelled to request us to issue him a duplicate, according to John D. Palmer, manager of the Lubbock Social Security Board field office.

"The ever-increasing number of requests for duplicate account numbers is creating a difficult problem," Palmer said, "which involves loss in money and manpower, and until the worker makes up his mind that he will be more careful in safeguarding his account number, the situation will remain unchanged."

It was pointed out that often a worker, when wishing to obtain a duplicate account number, fails to specify on the request form that he wants a duplicate instead of an original. "The obtaining of an original number by an individual who already has an account number," explained Palmer, "means that individual has established two old-age and survivors insurance accounts—a situation which results in confusion, difficulty, and the possibility that the worker's future benefits under the Federal insurance system may be jeopardized."

"A worker needs one social security account number which he should use throughout his working lifetime," Palmer continued, "and by all means and under all conditions he should preserve the original number and safeguard it against loss. Such care protects the worker in his future claim for benefits, or his survivors in case of his death, and results in economy in the administration of the program."

A worker is entitled to a duplicate account number card, it was stated, but he should use every care to avoid the necessity of applying for one.

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### TO THE VOTERS OF COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 1

### MISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 1

I wish to take this method of thanking you for your help and vote in the first primary and to say that I am in the runoff for the second primary of August 22, and would appreciate your continued help.

And to those of you who were released in the first primary, I will appreciate your vote and anything you can do to assist in my candidacy to the nomination.

I will try to see as many voters as possible between now and election day, but in case I should miss anyone, I take this method of soliciting your help.

I again thank you,  
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