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Discussing the problems in holding their place in the production line, the economist said that already one third of the farm labor supply, involving family laborers and employed help, either has left or been taken from the farms. Two thirds of this decrease has been in family labor, suggesting why the government has stabilized the manpower supply engaged in dairy, livestock and poultry production.

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SPANISH CLASS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS IS POPULAR

Austin, December 3.—"Se habla Espanol" at the University of Texas—an increasing number of students are taking the language as their major study, while 21 students have done well enough in it to be elected to Sigma Delta Pi, honorary Spanish society.

Records of the romance languages department show that more and more students are taking one or two courses in foreign languages. Demands for graduates are increasing, too, as the censorship division of the federal government expands.

Among those initiated by Sigma Delta Pi this week was Ruth Kreis, of Floydada.

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Terracing Under Farm Program For 1943

Under the 1943 AAA program the farmers of Floyd County have the opportunity to build terraces and receive full payment for these terraces irrespective of the soil-building allowance including the cost of the terraces in addition to the regular soil-building allowance.

For example: A farm has a soil-building allowance of \$150.30 and the farmer wishes to construct 50,000 feet of terraces. The soil-building allowance would then be \$550.30 (The \$150.30 regular allowance plus \$400.00 for the ter-

aces.) This will enable farmers to construct all terraces in one year instead of spreading over a period of several years the terracing program of the farm.

The maximum payment rate for the construction of terraces is 8-10 cent per linear foot or 80 cents per hundred feet.

The regular allowance may be devoted to simple practices such as cover crops, strip cropping, contour tillage, deferred grazing, contour furrowing pasture land, planting trees, controlling gullies, providing fire guards, and growing a home garden.

It is seldom wise for a farmer to attempt to lay out and build terraces without competent advice or supervision. Well built terraces are permanent improvements; improperly built or maintained, they may be inadequate and inefficient.

Available are agencies to assist in the work. Programs and work plans of soil conservation districts, technical planning and supervision by the Soil Conservation Service, financial assistance from the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, educational work by the Extension Service, and numerous other agencies operate to help

farmers and ranchers achieve practical conservation of their land.

Mrs. A. N. Ward visited in Canyon from Thursday until Monday with her sisters, Miss Joannette Courtney and Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, who moved to San Antonio two weeks ago to make their home, have returned to Floydada. Mr. Martin was employed while in San Antonio with Duncan Field Air Corp.

Mrs. H. O. Cline and others spent the week end in Waxahatchie visiting her mother and other relatives.

Mrs. P. G. Stegall visited Lubbock Sunday and Monday with friends.

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Sandhill School Dedicates Pole and Banner in Program

Short program Monday the Sandhill School dedicated Pole and Banner as part of the war program at the school. The following was carried out: A play of Floydada High School played "The Call to Color" by Herman Graham and Edman advanced colors and the flag. Lieutenant Harry Morckel of Floydada Home Defense Guard led the flag in the spirit of the occasion. Landers led the student body in the pledge to the flag. A Vairie Burke led "Star and Banner." This is the first of a series of programs that will be given at Sandhill School, Miss Mark Kirk, principal, announced. Sandhill School has made outstanding showing in the annual drive during the fall and winter.

Meat at Butchering Time Recommended

Butchering time has arrived and farmers are asking how to combine the Share-the-Meat Program when they have excess quantity of fresh meat. W. Snyder, animal industry specialist for the A. and M. Extension Service, suggested an answer to this question. He says, stagger butchering hogs. Instead of butchering two or three at one time, butchering one, then wait a few weeks for another. This will allow you to share fresh meat with your neighbors at butchering time. You can "take turn about" in butchering, trading meat between

them. Third, cure hams, shoulders, bacon, and loins. Can the sausage. This leaves the spareribs, head and feet the only meat to be consumed at the time of butchering. The other parts of the animal such as the heart, liver, and tongue are not included in the weekly sharing allowance. Mr.



WOMEN AT WAR

Betsy
The little girl tugged gently at her mother's sleeve.

"Now, Mother?" she asked. "Now can't we write my letter?" "Why of course, Betsy," Mrs. Carson grinned. "Are you going to write it or am I?" "Well," Betsy said. "Maybe you'd better kind of say it to me. Only I'd love to write it." "All right, then, Miss Carson, take a letter," her mother said, walking slowly up and down the room. "Ready?" "Dear Mr. Morgenthau: The way I save money for War Stamp buying is to steer all the small household jobs toward my daughter, who is eight years old. She is so keen about buying War Stamps that I know all the money I might have paid to someone else for doing the jobs will go toward Victory when paid to her."

"Now make a list, Betsy. Windows washed, 60 cents. Apples picked from under the tree, 25 cents. Emptied trash cans, 4 cents. Sold string beans from the garden, 15 cents. Sold strips of spoiled film to children for sun-gazing, at one cent a yard, 20 cents. Total, \$1.24. Yours helpfully, I hope,—and then I'll sign it at the bottom."

Betsy was puffing like a grampus from her labors. The tall, painstaking letters tottered bravely across the sheet of paper. Gravelly Mrs. Carson took the pen to sign. "Mother, would it be the proper etiquette if I signed it too?" "Perfectly proper, I think," Mrs. Carson said without a smile, and handed the pen back to Betsy.

(Letter from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.)

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Snyder says similar management should be followed when a family butchers beef, veal, and mutton.

Finally, the specialist says: "If these suggestions cannot be followed, farmers may find it necessary to consume larger quantities of meat in any one week, but the average of two and one-half pounds per adult should be maintained throughout the year. The important thing is: Don't waste meat and don't eat more than your share."

Free publications on killing, cutting, and storing are available from county Extension Service agents or from Extension headquarters at College Station.

Keep Dairy Cows Comfortable for Better Results

College Station, December 3.—A comfortable cow puts more milk into the bucket!

A shelter shed deep enough to keep cows dry in cold, rainy weather is the best means of providing comfort, says E. R. Eudaly, dairyman for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Good dairy cows need to rest, but they won't lie down in mud unless they are exhausted. Exhaustion lowers milk production about as much as wet and cold do. On that account the floor or earth under the shed should be higher than the ground outside and slope outward so that rain which blows in from the open side will run into the gutter at the outer edge. To assure dryness the floor should be of sand, gravel or shell. Keep the gutter open.

Eudaly says that it is a good rule to make the depth of the shed twice its height at the front. The length should be regulated by the number of cows and whether they have horns. Dehorned animals need 30 square feet of floor space each, but those with horns should be allowed 45 square feet. Dairy

cows require somewhat warmer shelter than fattening steers. They have no protecting fat, their coats are scantier and their hides usually are thinner than those of steers.

"It is not possible to get maximum milk production unless cows are sheltered from cold," Eudaly explains. "It is not necessary to build anything expensive—a shed which will keep the cows dry and warm will do. But it will not do much good to give the cows shelter

and no roughage to eat. Cows were made to eat roughage—meaning silage and hay—and best production cannot be had without it. Texas is short of milk. It is highly important to keep the cows on the job this winter."

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Lider, of Amarillo, visited Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Lider's brothers, R. E., and Luther Fry and families.

Judge and Mrs. G. C. Tubbs visited in Levelland Sunday with their daughter, Miss Mary Louise Tubbs.

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Nation - Wide Cotton Vote Comes up Saturday the 12th

No government loan can be offered on cotton in 1943 if marketing quotas are rejected in the nation-wide referendum Saturday, December 12, Frank Seale, state AAA committeeman, reminded cotton growers this week.

Seale, himself a Robertson county cotton farmer, pointed out that the law prohibits the Commodity Credit Corporation from making loans on cotton in any year in which quotas are rejected.

The government loan has served as a floor under cotton prices ever since 1938, the first year quotas were in effect, the AAA committeeman declared. Currently, the basic cotton loan rate of 16.97 cents a pound, 90 percent of parity, is supporting the price of cotton.

"With our huge supply of cotton and with world prices equal to about half what we're getting for cotton, there is no telling what would happen to American cotton prices if the loan were removed," Seale declared.

Cotton growers will vote for the sixth time on marketing quotas December 12. Each year for the past five years they have voted overwhelmingly to use quotas as a means of assuring each producer his share of the available cotton market, Seale indicated.

Mrs. Richard Tubbs left last Tuesday for San Antonio, where she will be employed and where her husband is stationed in the Army Air Corps.

Mrs. R. Fred Brown and son, and Mrs. W. H. Simpson, returned home last Thursday from Stockton, California, where they visited the past two weeks with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

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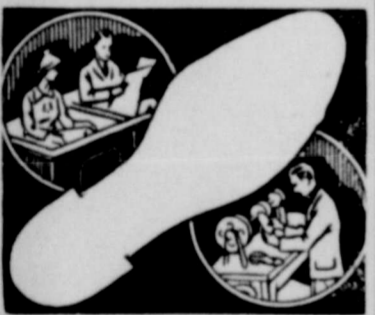
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Bing Crosby to Honor Texas Glider Schools

Lubbock. — Announcement has been made that Bing Crosby and the Kraft Music Hall will salute the "Winged Commandos" of South Plains Army Flying School over a nationwide NBC hookup tonight (Thursday.)

Schools at Dalhart and Stuttgart, Ark., also will share in this unusual honor to be paid the newest wing of Uncle Sam's Army Air Forces.

At the same time, Bing Crosby and the Kraft Music Hall will dedicate a portion of their program to "Winged Commandos" the South Plains School will be dedicating its big post recreation hall.

Representatives of the school will be in Hollywood to participate in this unusual tribute.

The South Plains Army Flying School is one of the world's largest glider pilot training centers. It, along with the schools at Dalhart and Stuttgart, trains men in Uncle Sam's large troop-carrying gliders.

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