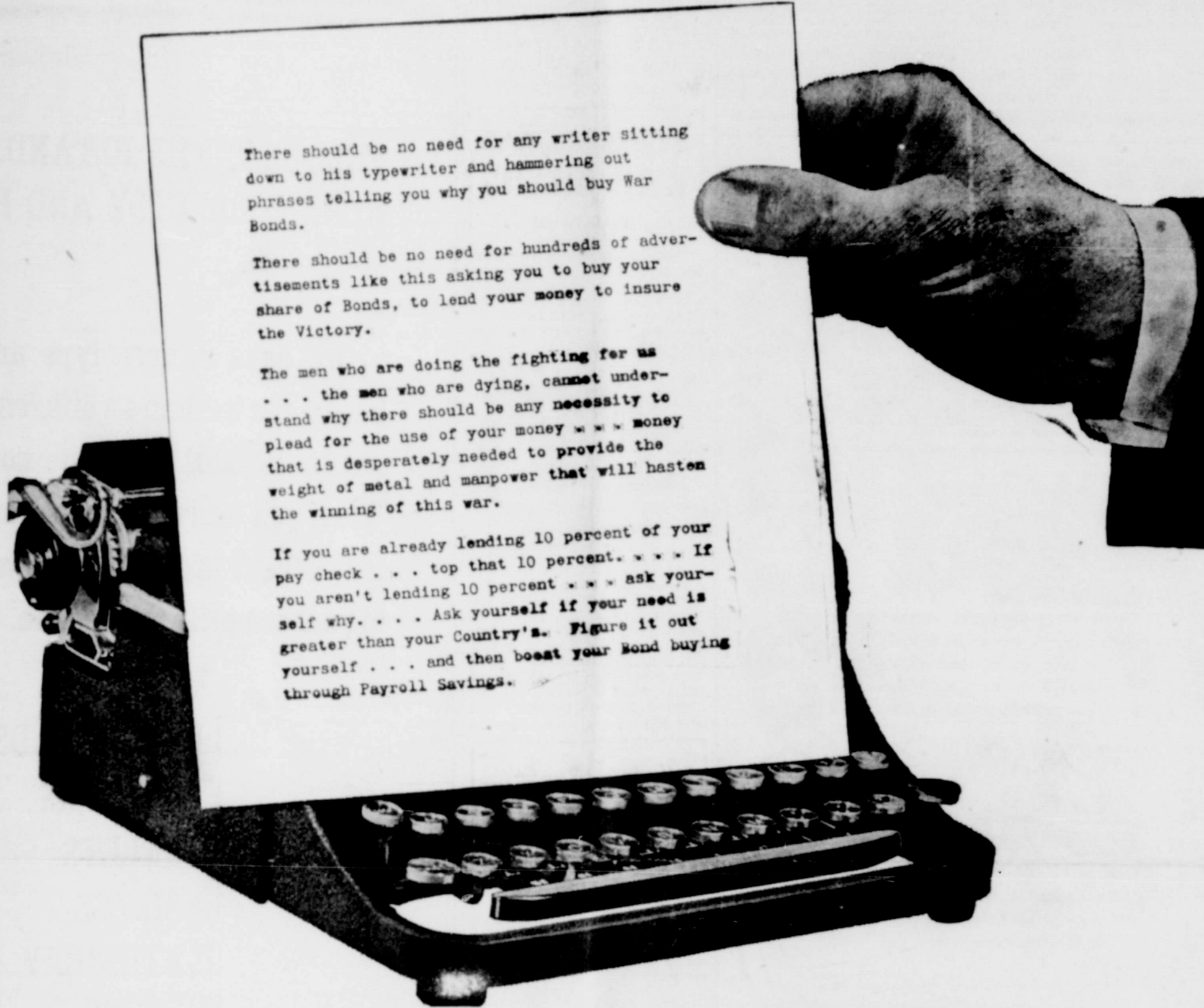


# "By Helping Business You Help Yourself" The Floyd County Plainsman

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## THIS ADVERTISEMENT SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN WRITTEN



**YOU'VE DONE YOUR BIT—NOW DO YOUR BEST!**  
**Boost Your Bond Buying Through The Payroll Savings Plan**

The Treasury Department acknowledges with appreciation the sponsorship of this advertisement

### World's Largest Synthetic Plant Is Operating

Beaumont, August 23.—Opening of "Rubber Rancho Grande"—the world's largest "plantation" for man-made rubber and the biggest plant scheduled in the nation's synthetic rubber program—was celebrated as a major victory in the battle of rubber by festive Texans here today. Production at the giant plant, situated a nearby Port Neches, began last week. With an annual capacity of 120,000 tons, "Rubber Rancho Grande" will account for nearly half of Texas' share in America's far-flung effort to replace tree rubber with synthetic, George W. Vaught, vice-president of the B. F. Goodrich company, which built the plant and will operate the first two of its four 30,000-ton units for the government, told civic, state and industrial leaders at a dinner held to mark start of production.

### NEW DAUGHTER BORN

Corporal and Mrs. Kyle Glover are the parents of a daughter, born Saturday, August 21, at Pitts' hospital. Corporal Glover, who is stationed at McCain, Mississippi, arrived home Saturday noon on a furlough. Mother and daughter are thought to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Keishner, of Dallas, are visiting her mother, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

### Planned Program For Schools is Recommended

Austin, August 26.—As war service for school boys and girls continues to loom as an important phase of school activity, a University of Texas educator urges school administrators to set up a planned program now—before registration for the fall term gets under way.

Dr. A. L. Chapman, in a recent article in The School Executive, recommends classification of the areas in which a school system serves the war effort, and the assignment of a teacher to each area who is especially qualified to supervise that particular type of work. "Beware of the enthusiastic, well-meaning individual who pushes some activity so that it receives undue attention to the neglect of other equally important phases of the war services of the school," he cautioned.

Mrs. John Stapleton returned home last Wednesday from Savannah, Georgia, where she and Lt. Sapleton had been for several weeks. Lieutenant Stapleton has been ordered to over-sea duty, and Mrs. Stapleton will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton.

LET CAVANAUGH DO YOUR JOB PRINTING.

### YOUTHS MAY ENLIST IN AIR SERVICE AND CONTINUE SCHOOL WORK

South Plains Army Air Field, August 26.—Youths of seventeen years of age who want to enter the armed services but hope to finish their education first have that chance by enlisting in Uncle Sam's Air Forces.

The opportunity of choosing training is available to South Plains youths who are as yet too young to enter training as pilots, navigators and bombardiers. Complete details of the program can be secured by writing the public Relations Office at South Plains Army Air Field, Lubbock, Texas.

The youths will have to obtain the written consent of their parents. When he starts he will receive special aviation cadet wings and will be allowed to finish his present semester of education before being called.

Miss Mollie Crum, of Waco, came Friday for a visit with her sister, Miss Lucy Crum. The Misses Crum went to Canyon Saturday afternoon and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, and Sunday they went to Friona where they visited their brother, Mart Crum. They returned home Sunday night.

Mrs. Bob Smith returned home last Wednesday from San Diego, California, where she visited two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Phil Merry and Mr. Merry.

### Miss Estelle Gary Becomes Bride of Capt. Lois Turner

Miss Estelle Gary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary, and Captain Lois Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner, were united in marriage Saturday at Amarillo. Miss Gary met Captain Turner in Amarillo when he was returning home on a thirty day furlough.

Captain and Mrs. Turner will be stationed in Florida, and plan to visit in Fort Worth with his sister, Mrs. Richard Tubbs and Lieutenant Tubbs on their way to Florida.

### FLOYD COUNTY'S QUOTA IN THIRD WAR LOAN IS SET AT \$383,400

J. M. Willson, county chairman, of Floyd County's Third War Loan drive, announced Monday that Floyd County's quota would be \$383,400. Stating that this amount was allotted to individuals and non-banking institutions.

### SALES TO BE COUNTED IN THE DRIVE

(a) Series E and Series F Savings Bonds, at cost, Series G Savings Bonds and Series C Savings Notes from September 1st until drive closes.

(b) 2 per cent Treasury Bonds and 7-8 per cent Certificates of Indebtedness from September 9th until drive closes.

### SPAAF Football Team This Fall Announced

South Plains Army Air Field, August 26.—Plans for a ten-game schedule for the SPAAF football team this fall have been announced, with four dates already set and the remainder still tentative.

Prospects are bright that the "Commandos" may furnish the South Plains section with one of the strongest teams in the area during the fall and winter months. Capt. Nathan B. Eubank, athletic director, said practice would start the latter part of the month.

Games already have been scheduled with Lubbock Army Air Field, Texas Tech's Red Raiders, Kirtland Field of Albuquerque and Randolph Field of San Antonio. The Commandos meet the Raiders at Tech Stadium October 16, in what may prove to be the highlight of the schedule. The SPAAF team journeys to Albuquerque to play Kirtland Field on October 30.

Capt. Eubank has contacted Amarillo Army Air Field, Pampa Army Air Field, Big Spring Army Air Field, San Angelo Army Air Field, Midland Army Air Field, Sheppard Field and Camp Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Colville and son, of Amarillo, visited this week with Mr. Colville's mother, Mrs. W. M. Colville.

### Hungarian Partridge Thrive in Texas Panhandle

"In the Panhandle, particularly in the Canadian River Country, the nesting ground has been built to order for Hungarian Partridges," writes Elting F. Warner, publisher of Field and Stream, in the current issue of that popular sportsman's magazine. A wire from Gene Howe, of Amarillo, Texas, quoted in Mr. Warner's article says that numerous large coveys have been raised from the original planting of 150 pairs of these speedy game birds, shipped in from Canada last March and April.

The partridge planting project was conceived in 1942, while Elt Warner, Tom Main of Alberta, Gene Howe of Texas and Lou Calder of Florida were enjoying a successful hunt near Brooks, Alberta. Hungarian partridges, plentiful in that area, furnished a big part of the sport. "We'd put up twenty or thirty coveys a day," Warner writes, and goes on to relate how they then and there planned to start the popular game birds in Texas, where along with other Southwestern States, the climate and nesting conditions are ideal. Warner and his hunting pals talked to every one they could find who knew anything about Hungarians, particularly Fred Green of Calgary, who imported the first Huns to Alberta thirty-five years ago. They read everything they could scrape together on the life and habits of the little foreigner, and among other things discovered that the hen lays her eggs in a small depression such as a hoof-print, or anything similar; that unless the soil is sandy and drains off rapidly, the water in these depressions rots the eggs. That is why the Hungarian partridge has not done well in many parts of the United States. But in the Panhandle, and in similar areas of New Mexico, conditions are deal.

On every ranch where the Huns were released the owners have agreed to take care of them and see that the coveys get a fair chance to multiply, and to furnish the game commission with periodical reports on how the birds are doing. A Field and Stream "game protective association" was organized, pledged to take care of the little band.

Murrell L. Buckner, chairman of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, and Gene Howe, a member of the commission, arranged for the distribution areas and supervised the planting. "We are in hopes," Mr. Warner says, "that three years from now there will be a short open season on Hungarians in the Southwestern states." He points out that the Huns are great migrants, and believes that the Texas stock will in time overflow into neighboring areas of similar climate and conditions, just as the birds migrated from their original planting all the way from Western Alberta through Quebec and Ontario, until now there are literally millions of these birds in Canada and our own Northwest.

So Gene Howe's wire is good news to Southwestern sportsmen who look forward to the time when Texas hunters can try their skill on one of the fastest, sportiest game birds of all—the Hungarian Partridge.

Mrs. Marivene Kemp and children, of Borger, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bob Smith and Mr. Smith this week.

Throw your scrap into the fight.

County U. S. Treasury War Finance Committee are Selected  
Following named persons of County will have parts in upcoming bond drive which scheduled to begin on September 1st and known as the Third War Loan Drive.  
Chairmen, J. M. Willson, Floyd County, Glad Snodgrass, Floydada; Sam Miller, Floydada; O. M. Watson, Floyd County, Lockney; G. Barber, Floydada, work department.  
County Chairman, North part Edgar Hays; South part Walton Hale.  
County Chairmen, North part Mrs. Henry Ford; South part Mrs. Henry Barber.  
County Chairmen, Lockney, Prof. J. M. Willson, Floyd County, Prof. J. M. Willson.  
County Chairmen of Local Committee, Conner Oden, Homehr G. Hagood, Gaines Davis, G. C. Tubbs, G. E. Fry, Walter Collins, Barbara Smith.  
District:  
District No. 4, R. M. Lee, No. 5, Lee Rushing, No. 6, L. E. Kiker, No. 7, Bud Collins, No. 8, David Batty, No. 9, Earl Edwards, No. 10, George Pigg, No. 11, Roe Jones, No. 12, John Grey, No. 13, A. H. Kris, No. 14, Claude Fawver, No. 15, Claude Ring, No. 16, W. C. Cates, No. 17, E. R. Porter, No. 18, Joe Smith, No. 19, A. T. Swepston.  
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District:  
John Holmes, Berry Valley, W. J. Cox, Mrs. B. B. Mitchell, Mrs. R. L. Ramsey, Mrs. R. L. J. F. Biggs, Henry Schacht and Her-  
Plains, Manard Fields, Star, R. L. Knox, Hill, John Lackey, Ben Quebe, Ben Robert C. Fisher, S. A. Chapel, Frank Jones, B. A. Howell, and El- R. E. Taylor, Cecil Pur-  
WHITE MEETING CALL FOR FRIDAY NIGHT  
First county wide meeting committee and interested will be held Friday night, at 8:30 at the county  
STOCK SHIPMENTS INCREASE OVER  
Texas has substantially expanded its shipment to market over 1942, the Texas Bureau of Research reports during the first half of 1943, Texas-grown livestock totaled 57,672 cars, or 7,500 more than in the first six months of 1942.  
Shipments declined—from cars in June a year ago to this year.

**QUOTAS FOR NEW SLAUGHTER LICENSING PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED**

Colege Station, August 26.—Texas farmers will continue to operate under the slaughter permit system which went into effect August 15.

Explaining the program this week the state USDA War Board said that farmers, who are Class 3 slaughterers under the licensing program will operate as before and in September will have a quota basis of 100 per cent of their September 1941 quota.

Other classifications of slaughterers under the new slaughter licensing program are Class 1, or Federally-inspected, and Class 2, non-Federally inspected slaughterers.

The new order provides, the board explained, that if a farmer did not slaughter in 1941, he may deliver meat derived from livestock which he slaughtered primarily for home consumption but

that quotas for these deliveries would not exceed 400 pounds of meat per farm family in one calendar year. Farmers falling in this classification must obtain slaughtering permits from county USDA war boards.

Previously, the farm slaughterer was allowed to take his choice between killing three animals for sale, of which only one could be bovine, and 300 pounds of meat. Under the new order, farm slaughterers whose quotas are more than 400 pounds will be issued permits by Food Distribution Area Meat Marketing Supervisors or the FDA Regional Director.

E. L. Upshaw, state representative of the Food Distribution Administration and a member of the state USDA War Board, Austin, recently was appointed Texas Meat Marketing Supervisor. Assisting him are area supervisors, located in various parts of the state, and local war meat committees in all Texas counties.

**TEXAS FARMERS RECEIVE FIRST NEW CROP GOAL**

A wheat acreage of 5-million acres next year compared to 3,416,674 acres during 1943 is a new wartime production job for Texas farmers.

Asked to share the national increase of 26 percent above this year's seeding, the approximate 40,000 wheat farmers will receive acreage goals in plenty of time before fall planting, B. F. Vance, administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, has announced.

As in previous production programs, the 5-million acre state figure will be allocated by counties and each wheat farmer urged to meet a specified acreage during 1944. Panhandle counties are expected to absorb most of the increase.

"Texas farmers are being urged to reserve land for other needed crops such as soybeans, feed crops, and dry beans and peas when they map out plans for next year's

wheat crop," Vance said. He added that they also are being encouraged to continue sound farming practices, which have been in operation for several years.

The 68-million proposed acreage for the nation during 1944 compares with 54-million acres planted this year. The largest acreage ever planted was 80,814,000 acres during 1937.

National increase of wheat is being called for during 1944 since total consumption has increased largely because of its use for feed. Demands for flour and other wheat products are expected to become greater as starving peoples are liberated from Axis domination, the AAA official said.

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**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

**Water Camel**

Thirst is one enemy of armies and navies that may be frustrated by a generous supply of water. Typhus, another dreaded plague is another enemy that must be subdued in Africa, in the jungle islands of the Pacific.



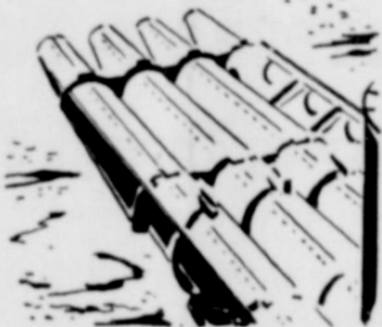
So the "Lister Bag," more often called the "water camel," or just "camel," is used. The "Lister Bag" is a khaki colored canvas bag having a capacity of about 30 gallons.

It will require many War Bonds to provide enough "camels" for our fighting forces at home and abroad. Yours too! "Back the attack with War Bonds." U. S. Treasury Department

**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

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**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

**V Mail**

When a soldier or a sailor is low in spirits there is nothing that will cheer him up as much as a letter from home, so the War and Navy Departments have devised a method for getting "the word" to its fighting men with the greatest dispatch. This is the microfilm method of transmitting letters, known to all of us as V-mail.



Any news from home is bound to please our soldiers and our sailors but the news they want to have most is the news from our production front and news that we are winning our fight against inflation by our savings and investment in War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

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J. L. Suits, editor of the Petersburg Journal, was a business visitor in Floydada Friday.



For economical good eating buy those fruits that are most plentiful. Summer fruits and vegetables are abundant, easy to serve and highly nutritious.

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FROM BASIC FOODS THREE

As a ready-to-eat sweet, Grapes have new appeal for the war-time housewife. Just wash and serve. Eating Grapes fresh is the best way to enjoy their rich flavor.

**VITAMIN-RICH**  
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FROM BASIC FOODS TWO

A year-round salad favorite, the tomato enjoys prestige for several good reasons: flavor, food value, eye-appeal. Slice or quarter - no trouble to serve. Good cooked, too.

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FROM BASIC FOODS THREE

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## West Texas State College Opens September 21

Canyon, August 26.—The fall semester at West Texas State College opens September 21. The work has been planned especially for war-time needs. Dr. J. A. Hill, the president, said every effort had been made to plan the year's work to meet the needs of Panhandle students.

"So many families are divided and conditions are so disturbed everywhere, we felt that boys and girls going to college this fall would want to attend the home school so they can be near their families and avoid the difficulties of war-time travel," Dr. Hill said. "Consequently we have done everything possible at West Texas State to be prepared to care for all the Panhandle students."

## Santa Fe System Transfers Tucker to Coast Lines

Amarillo, August 23.—The appointment of Clarence R. Tucker, assistant general manager of the Santa Fe Western Lines to the position of assistant general manager of the Coast Lines, was announced today in Amarillo by G. C. Jeffries, general manager.

Tucker, one of the youngest officials on the System to attain the important post as assistant general manager has had jurisdiction over the Southern District of the Western Lines, with headquarters in Amarillo. The appointment was made by E. E. McCarty, general manager of the Coast Lines.

He succeeds to the position on the Coast Lines vacated through the retirement of F. J. McKie, because of ill health. McKie served the railroad for more than 43 years, and was well known in the Southwest territory where he was superintendent of the Plains division with headquarters in Amarillo from 1921 to 1928. In the latter year he was promoted to the assistant general managership of the Coast Lines.

## PLANT SMALL GRAIN PASTURE—IS ADVICE TO STOCK OWNERS

A wheat, oat or barley pasture will stretch the available supply of protein feeds, but for best results this small grain grazing should be planted in September.

E. R. Eudaly of the A. and M. College Extension Service says that more protein in the roughage which cattle eat—pasture, silage and hay—means that less will be required in the grain mixture. Small grain planted in September usually furnishes more grazing and withstands more cold than when planted later. But if September is too dry, by all means plant in October. October planted grain often will provide good grazing.

Cotton fields are ideal for small grain for pasture because there usually is about three inches of loose top dirt, which makes preparation unnecessary. If picking isn't finished follow the pickers with the drill. The drill will not hurt unopened cotton nor will the wheat, oats or barley interfere with later picking, or late picking injure the grain, Eudaly says.

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## Thief Changes Mind

**After Debut in Crime**  
FRANKFORT, IND.—"I thought I wanted to be a thief, but I guess I don't," said a note to a proprietor whose drugstore was burglarized of \$50.  
Accompanying the note was the \$50 and an extra dollar to repair the front-door lock, which the conscience-stricken burglar had broken in gaining entrance.

## Lost 141 Days in Australian Wilds

**Yankee Sergeant Watches Three Comrades Die.**

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA.—Staff Sgt. Grady Gaston of Frisco City, Ala., is recovering in an army hospital from near starvation, after being lost 141 days in Wild Gulf country in northern Australia and watching three of his companions die.

Gaston and five others survived the forced landing of their Liberator bomber after returning from a raid on a Japanese base in December.

Two of the survivors, Capt. Norman Crosson, Cincinnati, and Sergt. Loy Wilson, were found by searchers 13 days after the forced landing.

Gaston and Co-Pilot Lieut. Arthur Speltz, Albert Lea, Minn.; Bombardier Lieut. John Dyer, Boston; Navigator Lieut. Dale Grimes, Boston, remained lost during days of wandering.

Gaston said the four shot a steer on the third day.

The first to die was Grimes, who was drowned while attempting to cross a stream to reach a passion fruit vine.

"We lived on snakes, fish, and crocodiles, which we had to eat raw because we had no matches to light fires," Gaston related. "By early February my weight had dropped from 168 to 100 pounds."

"On February 10 we decided to make for a nearby water hole. Dyer collapsed. We went on to get water for him, but when we returned he was dead."

"On February 24 Speltz died in his sleep. From then on I lost track of time. Some days I found nothing to eat. Once I fought off a pack of dingoes (wild dogs) which had killed a cow, so I could get some meat."

"I had nearly given up the fight when some black boys found me."

## Pet Dog Shuts Icebox, Child Killed at Play

CHICAGO.—Stalked by tragedy since even before his birth, six-year-old Le Roy Barton of 1530 W. Monroe street, died alone in his home.

Fatefully, it was Le Roy's best friend, his dog, Baby, which was responsible for his untimely death. While playing hide and seek with Baby, Le Roy jumped into the icebox. The dog, anxious to find his master, jumped up against the door, slamming it closed.

The boy's mother, Mrs. Oma Barton, was not at home at the time. It was her neighbor, Miss Lucille Niles, who phoned to say that Le Roy was missing. Mrs. Barton hurried home from the club where she is employed as a waitress, and she and Miss Niles started to search the neighborhood. Later, police were summoned. But still there was no trace of Le Roy.

Hours later the two women noticed that there was some untouched food on the back porch. Fearfully the mother ran to the icebox. Her worst fears were realized. For inside lay her son's body. His torn clothing gave mute evidence of his struggle to free himself.

A coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

Le Roy's father died four months before the boy's birth.

## Contractor Refuses to Make Profits on War Work

KANSAS CITY.—J. E. Dunn, Kansas City contractor, doesn't want to make money out of the war, so the government is ahead \$400,000 on one big army contract.

Dunn's bid of \$1,864,655 last year for construction of a quartermaster depot at Kansas City was \$250,000 below the next lowest bid and he explained to United States army engineers it was his desire to build it at cost. But his profit turned out to be \$178,000.

Now he has renegotiated his contract and scaled it down another \$158,000. He told engineers he would pay federal taxes and then divide the balance among the Red Cross, USO and other organizations.

## Conscience Bothers Man Who Took Relief Checks

OMAHA, NEB.—Clarence Turpin, 27 years old, figured a clear conscience was worth more than the \$45 he said he accepted unfairly in unemployment compensation checks two years ago, so he surrendered to detectives here.

Held for investigation, he told officers he received the money in his home town of Indianapolis.

"I'm not entitled to that money, and I just can't rest until I've been back there to straighten it out," he said. "My conscience won't let me. I accepted the checks after I had found employment."

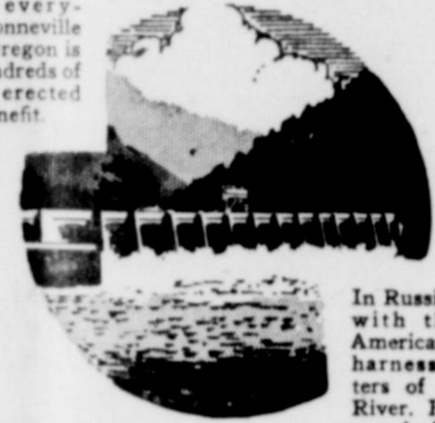
## BONDS OVER AMERICA

"Eternal vigilance is the price of Liberty."  
Thomas Jefferson, author of these words, left a monument to freedom, the University of Virginia at Charlottesville.



**Be Vigilant Buy War Bonds**

For years our government has worked to improve conditions for our citizens everywhere. Bonneville Dam in Oregon is one of hundreds of projects erected for our benefit.



**Keep in Step Buy War Bonds**

In Russia the Soviets with the help of American Engineers harnessed the waters of the Dnieper River. Hitler's Huns marched in and the Russians destroyed their greatest work of this generation.

a new lease on Summer  
a new look towards Fall

by Nelly Don

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1. Polka dot Patricia Crepe rayon with the new bishop sleeves. Navy, Brazilian brown, Forest green. Washable, 12-40.
2. Young, streamlined casual that's trim and right for many plans. Metro crepe (rayon and acetate) in red, gold, black, Oxblood blue. 10-20.
3. Bouquet print spun sheer rayon in a Fall-minded coat style. Gallant blue, Cedar brown and Rustic rose. Washable, 14-44, 16-22.
4. Tailored but dressy, this important two-piece in Nelly Don's Super Romaine rayon. Navy and black. 10-40.

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**TIME TO FILE DECLARATION OF INCOME AND VICTORY TAXES FOR 1943**

If you filed an income tax return for the year 1942, you will, within the very near future, receive a letter from your Collector of Internal Revenue. In former years such a letter at about this time of the year would be a reminder for you to pay another quarterly installment on your income tax for the prior year. This year, however, the letter which you will receive will enclose forms and instructions for filing a Declaration of your estimated Income and Victory Taxes for 1943—the current year. The first of such forms were placed in the mail Tuesday, August 17th, by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the Northern Division of Texas at Dallas. Additional forms will be sent to others of the approximately six hundred and fifty thousand persons who filed Income Tax Returns with the Dallas Collector for the year 1942, as soon as the forms are received from the printer.

Not all of the people who receive these forms will be required to file declarations on or before September 15th. The following persons are required to file such declarations:

(1) Single, or married but not living with spouse at the date prescribed for the making of the declaration (whether or not head of a family), if he had for 1942, or reasonably expects to have for 1943—

(a) gross income of more than \$2,700 from wages subject to withholding; or

(b) gross income of \$500 or more from all sources, if more than \$100 of such income is from sources other than wages subject to withholding.

(2) Married and living with spouse at the date prescribed for the making of the declaration, if he had for 1942, or reasonably expects to have for 1943—

(a) gross income from wages subject to withholding which, when added to his spouse's gross income from such wages, exceeds \$3,500; or

(b) gross income from sources other than wages subject to withholding which, when added to his spouse's gross income from such sources, exceeds \$100, and also his gross income from all sources exceeds \$624 for 1943, or the aggregate gross income from all sources of both spouses amounts to \$1,200 or more for either 1942 or 1943.

(3) Also, required to file declarations are: Individuals, regardless of marital status, who were required to file an Income Tax Return for 1942 and whose wages subject to withholding for 1943 are reasonably expected to be less than such wages for 1942.

Heavy penalties are provided for failure to file a declaration required under the law, or to pay the amount of estimated tax which is to be paid when such declaration is filed. Therefore, you will want to study the instructions carefully, and file the declaration on or before September 15th, if there is any possibility that you may be required under the law to file the estimate of your Income and Victory Tax for the year 1943. Farmers must file their Declarations of 1943 estimated Income and Victory Taxes on or before December 15th. Farmers are deemed to be those persons having at least 80 per cent of gross income derived from farming operations.

At the present time the office and field officers of the Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas, Texas, are studying the provisions of the new law so as to be able to assist the taxpayers in the Northern part of Texas in the preparation of their declaration forms. It is planned for the field deputy collectors to visit practically all of the larger cities and towns during the two week period beginning Monday, August 30th, and ending Saturday, September 11th. Further information as to the time these visits will be made and the places which will be visited by

the zone deputy collectors will be given in advance by way of posted and newspaper notices, and appropriate radio announcements.

In order to obtain the assistance of these zone deputy collectors, you should have immediately available the following information:

(1) The amount of tax shown on your 1942 Income Tax Return

(2) The estimated income and deduction items expected for 1943.

(3) The estimated amounts of Victory and Withholding taxes withheld by your employer from your wages or salaries during 1943.

(4) The payments you have made during 1943 to the Collector of Internal Revenue to be applied on your 1942 income tax.

Zone deputy collectors will be glad to render all possible assistance in properly preparing your declaration forms if you will bring along this necessary information.

In addition to the visits of zone deputy collectors to the various cities and towns in Northern Texas, the zone offices located in the sixteen larger cities, Dallas, Fort Worth, Amarillo, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, Abilene, Eastland, Odessa, Paris, Sherman, Texarkana, San Angelo, Tyler, Corsicana, Longview and Nacogdoches, will be open during business hours for practically all the time between now and September 15th, when the declaration is to be filed. Zone deputy collectors located in these offices will also be glad to render you all possible assistance.

Remember—when you receive the forms and instructions from your Internal Revenue Tax Collector within the next several days—you should study the instructions to determine whether you will be required to file a declaration. If so, you should assemble at the earliest possible moment the information necessary for preparation of a declaration. If you need assistance in preparing the declaration of your estimated Income and Victory taxes for 1943, you should immediately consult a zone deputy collector in one of the sixteen zone offices located in the major cities of Northern Texas or, if you reside in a smaller city or town, you should watch your local newspapers for information as to the visit to be made by a zone deputy collector during the two weeks period beginning Monday, August 30th, and ending Saturday, September 11th. Except for farmers who are to file their Declarations on or before December 15th, other persons required to file such forms must file them on or before September 15th, or become subject to severe penalties. Declaration Forms 1040 ES filed on or before September 15th, 1943, may be amended by similar Forms filed on or before December 15th, 1943, if events occur after September 15th having a material effect on the estimated Income and Victory Taxes due for 1943.

A new assistant professor of economics to join the University of Texas staff this fall, Eastin Nelson, comes from a position at the University of Panama and a post as advisor to the Panama government.

Already catalogued for publication in the forthcoming encyclopedic Handbook of Texas are more than 10,000 topics. The two-volume history will be published in 1945 by the Texas State Historical Association. University of Texas historians are compiling the work.

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**Hit by Two Trains, Gets Scratch on Head**

KNOXVILLE, TENN. — Ed Cloud and Earl Thomas were rolling across the railroad tracks in their heavy truck when a locomotive hit them.

The engine tossed the vehicle right onto the pilot of another engine headed in the opposite direction. A scratch on Cloud's head was the only casualty.

**Flying Fortress Gunner Real Hero**

**Beats Off Foe, Douses Fire, Saves All On Board.**

LONDON.—Credited by a Flying Fortress pilot with a heroism that, "by the will of God alone, did not cost him his life," Sergt. Maynard H. Smith of Cairo, Ill., was reported to be a likely candidate for the highest decoration that the government can award.

Sergeant Smith, a 32-year-old ball-turret gunner, not only manned two gun stations to repel a pursuing Focke-Wulf 190 over Europe, but helped one of three crewmates to bail out, gave first aid to a wounded tail-gunner and virtually beat out with his hands a fire that ravaged the midsection and the tail of the battered plane.

The Fortress had participated in a raid on St. Nazaire, and was heading home when a German plane got in a burst that caused an explosion in the middle of the plane. It wrecked the electrical controls and fired the radio room. The radio man and one waist gunner bailed out, but the other waist gunner got stuck halfway out the hatch.

Sergeant Smith pulled him back and helped him to a rear escape hatch. Then, with a sweater around his face to keep off the spreading flames, Sergeant Smith gave morphine to the badly wounded tail gunner.

After that he fought off the German, using first one gun, then another, finally the fire got so bad that his own ammunition began exploding within the ship and Sergeant Smith had to throw the blazing wreckage out through the holes in the sides.

When all the extinguishers and water were gone, he used his hands to beat out the flames. Meanwhile, the pilot, Lieut. Lewis P. Johnson, a Kentuckian, brought the crippled ship in for a landing. Sergeant Smith had the fire just about under control as the wheels touched the ground.

Lieutenant Johnson said that Sergeant Smith's "complete self-sacrifice and utmost efficiency were responsible for the safe return of the aircraft and the lives of everyone aboard."

**'You'll Never Know' Tune Work of Colorado Convict**

CANON CITY, COLO. — Warden Roy Best of Colorado penitentiary said that contrary to the title's implications, the public should know the story behind the catchy tune, "You'll Never Know."

He said the popular piece was written behind the prison walls by No. 22339—Charles W. Forbes, 22-year-old inmate who has about six months to go on a three-year term for automobile theft.

"He wrote both the words and the music," Warden Best disclosed, "and the advance payment and royalties are making him the richest inmate we have."

Forbes, who works in the prison bake shop, entered the prison October 31, 1941, from Trinidad, Colo. His income is being held in trust for him.

**Taxicab Driver Catches Baby Tossed Out Window**

BOSTON. — A baby girl — tossed from a fourth-story window of a flame-swept tenement—was caught by a taxicab driver on the street below during a fire that ended the lives of three of her family.

As the fire trapped the family on the top floor of the four-story brick building in Boston's North End, Mrs. Connie Sabbo, 35, dropped her 20-month-old daughter Ann into the arms of James Carrabis, 27, who had run from his cab when he saw the structure in flames.

But Ann's elder brother, 14, and her grandfather, Salvatore Infantino, 63, were burned to death, and her grandmother, who leaped from a fourth-story window, was killed. Ann's mother and two uncles also jumped and were severely injured.

**Pinioned by Rock, Lives Six Days in Coyote Den**

CODY, WYO.—Barney Roussan, a government trapper, was in a critical condition after being pinioned by fallen rock for six days and nights in a coyote den near Meeteetse.

Dr. R. C. Trueblood, who termed Roussan's ordeal "the most gruesome I've ever heard of," said the trapper had eaten from one to three coyote pups, raw, before the rescue, and had slashed his arm and a rib "trying to find an artery" after giving up hope of rescue.

Roussan, about 40, crawled into the den seeking coyote pups. He was trapped by a rock falling on his back and legs.

**Course in Fundamentals of Radio Will be Offered**

Denton.—With radio taking an increasingly important role on both the fighting front and the home front, the North Texas State Teachers College physics department is launching a nine month course in fundamentals of radio with the beginning of the fall term.

The new course will give the student a working knowledge of the essentials of radio, principally from the standpoint of radio communication. It will also prepare the student for the government examination for a radio operator's license, following intensive training in the especially equipped radio room on the campus.

William Tittle, who has served for a year in England as a military observer with the ordnance division of the British Army, and who has also studied radar in the electronics division of the Signal Corps, will teach the radio course.

Consumption of electricity in Texas jumped 45.5 per cent during June over May, University of Texas Bureau of Business Research records show.

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Popularity of the Texas Memorial Museum, on the University of Texas campus, hasn't waned with gas rationing and transportation difficulties. An average of 1,000 visitors tour the museum each week, attendants report.

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