

THE SANDERSON TIMES

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Small Chance of Tires for Civilian Use From Synthetics

Farmers To Have First Choice From Available Stockpile

With the nation's stockpile of tires practically gone and the synthetic rubber program holding little promise of tires in quantity for civilian use in the near future, farmers will get first choice of the last batch of government emergency tires, it was announced today by chairman J. M. Hayre, of the Terrell County War Price & Rationing Board.

The chairman said that he had been informed by the district Office of Price Administration that the nation was now entering into its gravest tire crisis—the long-feared gap between the time we would be at the bottom of the barrel on tires and the time tires made of synthetic rubber would be available for civilian use. The best available estimate is that this crisis will continue for the next six months, in view of the fact a deficit of more than 3,000,000 tires is anticipated during that period.

The hope of the farmer lies in the 2,000,000 "bottom of the barrel" emergency tires, those that are repairable but not recappable, said the chairman, the national food producers may bridge the gap.

Rural dealers throughout the southwest have been advised to place their orders for these emergency tires directly from the Rubber Manufacturers' Association or the Defense Supplies Corporation, if they have not bought them before. However, if they have obtained them otherwise before, they should go through their usual sources of supply.

This is not the "last call" on these tires, according to the chairman. A dealer may order as few as 25 tires or as many as 200. Delivery price to the dealer is 50 cents and the retail price to the consumer one dollar.

The board chairman also announced a general "tightening up" in the issuance of supplemental gasoline rations in a new campaign to conserve automobiles and tires. This will be accomplished through stricter enforcement of existing regulations, he said.

Mrs. Clarence Jessup left Wednesday for Eldorado for a visit with her parents.

NEW MINISTER IS SECURED FOR CHURCH OF CHRIST

Boyd Denman of Thorton, Texas, has been secured as minister for the local Church of Christ, according to announcement made this week and will move here with his family the latter part of this month. His work here will begin with the first Sunday in August. He has been minister at Thorton for the past two years.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to hear and become acquainted with the new minister.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR H. M. WILSON HELD FRIDAY

Funeral services for Homer M. Wilson, 51-year-old ranchman of the Big Bend country, were held Friday morning of last week at 10:30 o'clock from the home of his mother, Mrs. T. A. Wilson in Del Rio. The Rev. Fred C. Ruffe, rector of St. James' Episcopal Church officiated, and burial was in the Masonic Cemetery, with Masons in charge.

Wilson died Wednesday morning of a heart attack in his ranch home in the Chisos Mountains. A brief service was held in Alpine Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock before the funeral cortege started for Del Rio.

MRS. MEY RESIGNS POST WITH AAA; MISS WILSON HERE

Mrs. Dorothy W. Mey, who has been serving as secretary in the Terrell County Agricultural Conservation office, resigned that position effective July 15, she announced last week. Mrs. Mey is relieved by Miss Cornelia B. Wilson who arrived Monday of last week from Snyder where she has been employed in a similar office.

Mrs. Mey stated that she appreciated the cooperation and assistance from ranchmen and committeemen during the time she was serving in this capacity and hopes that the same assistance and cooperation will be given Miss Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Corder and daughters, Misses Billie Jo and Mickey left Monday for a visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. Bill McElroy and daughter, Gail and Miss Janice White left Monday for San Antonio where they will visit several days.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES AS RESULT OF AUTO ACCIDENT

Funeral Services In Winters; Burial At Pecos Monday

Funeral services were held in Winters Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock for D. J. (Pat) Moran, 65, who died Sunday in a San Angelo hospital of injuries suffered when a pick-up truck in which he was riding crashed into a culvert on the San Angelo and Mertzton highway near Twin Mountains Saturday night. James F. Black, Church of Christ minister, officiated. Mr. Moran received a brain concussion and chest and other injuries in the accident.

Following the funeral services in Winters the body was taken to Pecos for burial.

Pat Moran was widely known in West Texas newspaper circles, having had employment as a printer and linotype operator in many newspaper plants in this section. At the time of his death he was employed with the Winters Enterprise, residing with a daughter, Mrs. Edna Fischer. He was employed with the Sanderson Times in 1938 when the present owners purchased the plant from Mrs. Addie Boling, and had been employed here three years. He will be remembered in Sanderson by former readers of the Times as the originator of "Column Right," which was filled with wit and humor from his versatile pen. From Sanderson he went to Balmorhea where he edited a paper there for several months before accepting a position with the Winters Enterprise where he had remained until his death.

Survivors other than the daughter with whom he was making his home in Winters are two daughters, Mrs. Mamie Bowling, Pecos, and Mrs. Merle McClellan, Coleman; and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Moran, Midland.

INJURED TUESDAY

Tom Parsons suffered a broken right arm and bruises Tuesday when he fell from his horse. Mr. Parsons was standing on the saddle so he could repair a telephone line when the horse jumped, causing him to fall. He was taken to a San Angelo hospital Wednesday.

Miss Betty Frazor left Sunday for Fort Worth. She will visit friends there for about two weeks.



PAT MORAN

RE-OPENING OF KERR HOTEL CAFE IS ANNOUNCED

J. W. Downum, manager of the Kerr Hotel, has announced in this issue of the Times the re-opening of the Kerr Cafe, service to be resumed August first.

In announcing the re-opening of the cafe Mr. Downum states that the cafe, services possible under present conditions will be offered at reasonable prices. He extends a cordial invitation to former patrons and friends to visit them when in need of food.

The cafe has been closed for the past five months because of the labor situation.

CITY BARBER SHOP IS NOW OPEN AND READY TO SERVE

John and J. J. Whistler have opened the City Barber Shop, located in the Kerr Hotel, which has been closed since April, and extend a cordial invitation to friends of Sanderson to visit them when in need of tonsorial service.

John Whistler states that they will retain their interest and continue to operate the Whistler Drug and that Johnnie will continue to do drenching and vaccinating for ranchmen when they desire.

The shop was re-opened Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. W. H. Buchanan Entertains Members Of Friday Bridge Club

Bouquets of dahlias decorated the home of Mrs. W. H. Buchanan when she entertained members and guests of the Friday Bridge Club in her home last week.

High score prize for the bridge games went to Mrs. Ted Baker and Mrs. P. P. Courtney was awarded the prize for second high score. Mrs. Mary Lou Keller received the guest prize.

A delicious salad plate and iced tea were served to Mesdames Jack Laughlin, Horace Fletcher, Ted Baker, Mary Lou Keller, S. H. Underwood, C. P. Peavy, Austin Nance, J. S. Nance, Jess Mullins, John Green, P. P. Courtney, and Conway Pickard.

Scout House Is Scene of Birthday Party Saturday

Carrie Marie Turner celebrated her thirteenth birthday Saturday of last week by entertaining the Girl Scouts and a few others at the Scout House.

The guests enjoyed playing monopoly, three deep, and a scavenger hunt, and also enjoyed admiring the many gifts received by the honoree.

Sandwiches, cookies, and punch were served to Ruth Benede, Barbara Anderson, Betty Sue Yeates, Jeanine Rackly, Doris Duke, Margaret Newton, Margaret and Josie Klassen, Joan Byrd, Ora Mae Blackwelder, Cecelia Goode, Jeanette Cobb, Carol Lawrence, Mary Nell Gates, Janie Louis Turner, Patricia Allen, Mrs. C. F. Pickard and Miss Elizabeth Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Baker left Wednesday for a few days visit in El Paso.

YEARLY CAMPAIGN UNDER WAY FOR CEMETERY FUNDS

Owners Have Been Notified of Dues; Firms Solicited

The yearly campaign to raise fund for the Sanderson Cemetery Association is under way, according to John L. Newton who is in charge of the campaign.

Letters have been mailed to all persons who own lots in Cedar Grove Cemetery with a statement of the yearly dues which are always paid in July. At the same time the business firms of the town are contacted for funds for the upkeep of the local cemetery.

Persons who wish to contribute toward this fund are requested to contact Mr. Newton either in person or by mail. Persons receiving statements of the amount of their yearly dues are requested to mail in the dues promptly.

DEATH OF NOLAN BAKER IS LEARNED HERE BY FRIENDS

Nolan Baker, former employee with Asa Jones and with Bud Waters, died suddenly at his home in Kerrville July 8th from a heart attack according to word received here by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blackwelder from Mrs. Baker. Mr. Baker was employed by a shoe store and had gone down to open up that morning. He became ill and returned home, dying that night at 11:30.

Funeral services were held the following Sunday at Kerrville with interment in the Garden of Memories Cemetery there.

Survivors other than the widow are sister, Mrs. Alma Hargrave of Chicago, Ill., his mother and a step-daughter.

Women's Auxiliary Meets With Mrs. Helen Downie

The Womens Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met Monday, July 12th at 4 P. M. at the ranch home of Mrs. Helen Downie.

The meeting opened with the singing of "O Zion, Haste Thy Mission." There were twelve members and four visitors present. Mrs. John Byrd conducted the Bible study on the 8th chapter of Acts. Mrs. W. E. Grigsby conducted the program on "In the Vanguard" telling about the things missionaries have accomplished. "Onward, Christian Soldiers" and "Go as a Witness for Jesus" were sung during the program. Mrs. Byrd closed the meeting with a prayer for the boys in service.

A social hour was enjoyed during which delicious refreshments of punch, ice-cream, cake and mints were served to the following members and guests: Mesdames J. E. Mayberry, Ernest Jessup, J. W. Byrd, C. L. Sims, Joe Brown, Elton Secret, Earl Pierson, R. E. Corder, Ervin Grigsby, Walter Gregory, C. C. Mitchell, and Miss Mabel Lanum.

BREAKS COLLAR BONE

Little Don Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Hubbard, fell out of their automobile last Saturday, breaking his right collar bone. They took him to a hospital in Fort Stockton where it was set.

Miss Nina Barger, clerk of the Terrell County Selective Service Board, returned Monday from a two-weeks visit at Robert Lee Field July 24. PRIVATE ALLAN HARDGRAVE, U. S. Army Air Corps, is stationed at Lubbock with his brother. AVIATION CADET JOHN HARDGRAVE, U. S. Army Air Corps, finishing his college training at West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon, Texas. LIEUTENANT JOE KERR, U. S. Army Air Corps, was here from (Continued to Page Four)

FROM TEXAS TO TOKIO

By Billie Corder

BILL LEA, SEAMAN SECOND CLASS, U. S. Navy, writes from a spot of land near Alaska...

"Yes, I've always wanted to come to Alaska, and now that I'm here, I'd like to go on to say, China or any place, I'm ready... The town I went to was more like a small Western town or an old boom town on its come back... This morning we walked quite a way and saw lots of water... a few of us took a swim—cold and how!!... I saw lots of snowcapped mountains... The sun is still shining when lights go out at ten o'clock, and it beats us up at five in the morning. I wish the ranchers in West Texas could have some of this light—then they could really work their men from sunup to sundown!... We have the best of barracks and food... He takes Spanish and surveying courses... SAM THOMPSON, AVIATION MACHINIST'S MATE SECOND CLASS, is here on a 15-day leave for a visit with his parents. He left Sunday to return to his base at Barrin Field, Alabama... LEE MCSPARREN, PETTY OFFICER THIRD CLASS, is home on a five-day leave from the West Coast... The ex-Times columnist who gave out with stockmen's shipping news in Dale Vuelita is now PRIVATE WALTER G. DOWNIE, U. S. Army Air Corps... He is stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls... Mrs. Downie, the former Alice Evans of San Antonio, recently joined him... PRIVATE JOSE FLORES, U. S. Army Air Corps, is stationed at the army air base at Caspar, Wyoming... "SEABEE" JAMES BLACKWELDER works in the Headquarters Department somewhere in the South Pacific... He likes his job... James is keeping an eye peeled for any other Sanderson boys that he might run across in his territory... PRIVATE FIRST CLASS PABLO GUTIERREZ, U. S. Army, is training for desert warfare in California... No slandering of California climate intended... AVIATION CADET HORACE SHELTON, U. S. Army Air Corps, is moving to Stockton, California... He will be granted a commission as Second Lieutenant July 28... The added expense that comes with being an officer was realized by Horace when he bought his lieutenant's uniform... There are always disadvantages... PRIVATE LUCIO GONZALES, U. S. Army, is stationed in New Orleans, Louisiana... A Sanderson friend who was recently in California ran across PRIVATE FIRST CLASS DICK SULLIVAN, U. S. Army, Tank Division, in the glittering Hollywood Palladium... There were 8,000 registered that night... Dick was, before his transfer to the Tank Division, an instructor in a motor school... CORPORAL LAURENCE GUTIERREZ, U. S. Army, Finance Department, is stationed in Albany, Georgia... We remember him as the local music-maker who tickled the ivories with such rare finesse... All four Hardgrave boys are in the Army, and three of them in the Air Corps... CORPORAL JACK HARDGRAVE, U. S. Army, has been selected for an Army Specialized Training course at the University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho... he was stationed at Fort Louis, Washington... SERGEANT LEE HARDGRAVE, U. S. Army Air Corps, is finishing a special instrument course at Randolph Field... he will report back to the Lubbock Army Air Field July 24... PRIVATE ALLAN HARDGRAVE, U. S. Army Air Corps, is stationed at Lubbock with his brother... AVIATION CADET JOHN HARDGRAVE, U. S. Army Air Corps, finishing his college training at West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon, Texas... LIEUTENANT JOE KERR, U. S. Army Air Corps, was here from (Continued to Page Four)

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LECTORSHIP BY DEFAULT

There is a possibility that this nation may go totalitarian by default. And if that happens, we will see "the beginning of a cycle of tyranny and impoverishment such as other nations have experienced when the individual was superseded by the state."

The danger of America going totalitarian arises from the illusion that government is blessed with an inexhaustible supply of wisdom and cash, which can be drawn on freely without any string attached to freedom.

Our republic became great because it has always been a land of individual enterprise. Its people grew strong because they were free and self reliant.

The people of many nations are counting on this country. The men and women of America are literally the last hope for a better civilization.

It Happened in Sanderson TEN YEARS AGO

This week—Remember?

July 21, 1933

Stockmen in this locality are rejoicing this week over a slow, steady down pour of rain which began at about 4 o'clock Wednesday morning and continued at intervals until late afternoon.

Born Friday, July 14, to Mr.

TOM MILLER ASTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Answer the "U" BOATS WITH YOUR WAR BONDS!

HITLER CAN NEVER STOP OUR WAR SUPPLIES UNLESS YOU STOP YOUR BUYING OF WAR BONDS.

IT IS YOU AGAINST THE "U" BOATS.

INVEST IN VICTORY. INVEST FOR PERSONAL SECURITY. BUY WAR BONDS AT THIS BANK. OUR SERVICES ARE FREE.

THE SANDERSON STATE BANK MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORP.

and Mrs. Fred Talbot an eight pound boy. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Miss Kathleen Sullivan left last Sunday for Austin where she will attend the second summer term of the University.

Mrs. E. B. Litton and children returned Tuesday from a visit in Tennessee with relatives.

Ray Caldwell left Wednesday for points in California where he will visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Goode, Sr., were Del Rio visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duncan and children were in town Monday from the Prosser and Brown ranch.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

Fort Stockton Pioneer — In line with the needs of times, courses of instruction in the Fort Stockton schools will shift emphasis from the musical and fine arts phases to more practical teaching crafts, with new courses in woodworking, manual training, and mechanical drawing to be inaugurated this fall for high school students.

Uvalde Leader-News — Twenty war housing units have been programmed in Uvalde, Preston L. Wright, regional representative of the National Housing Agency, announced this week, and construction work is expected to get under way on seventeen of the units within the immediate future.

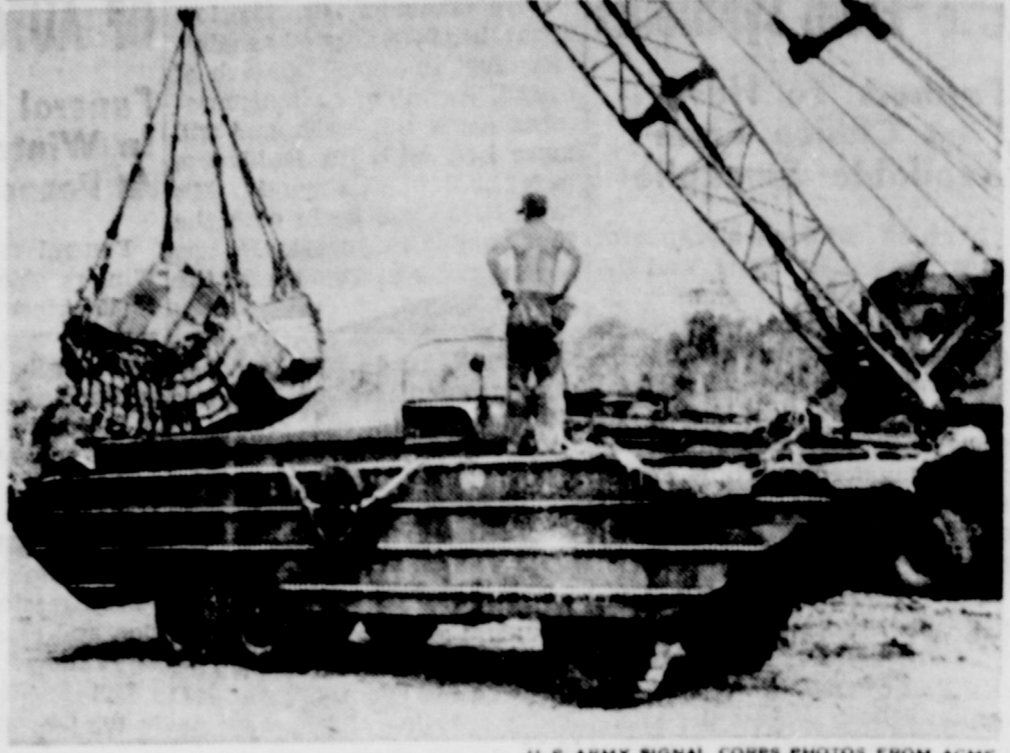
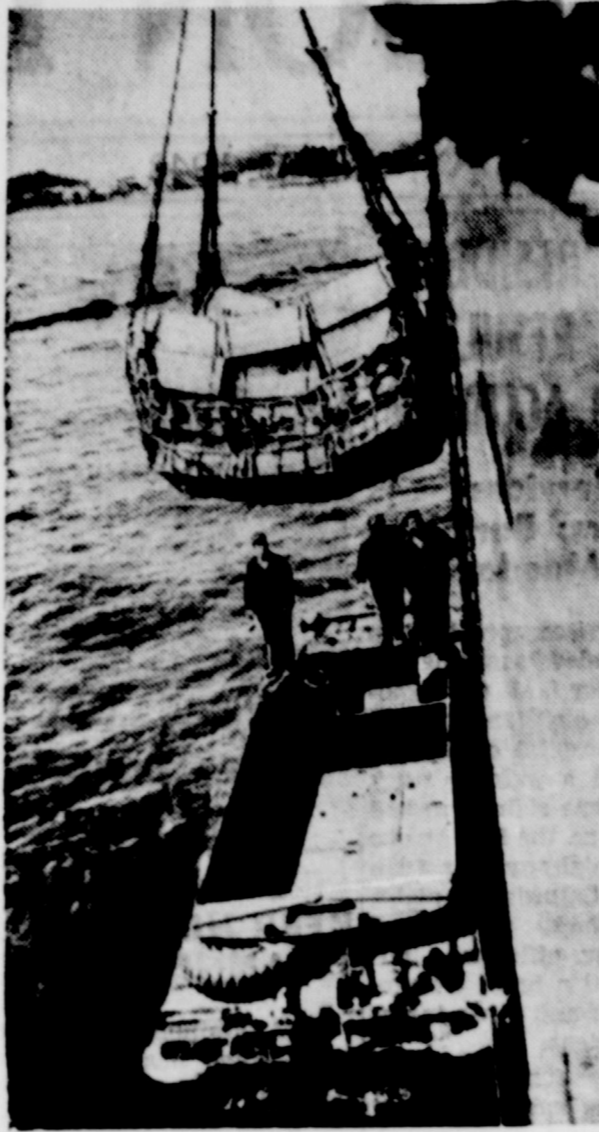
Ozona Stockman — In order that service men might have a place where they can rest, relax, play games, take a bath, etc. while on leave in Ozona, plans are under way for the establishment in the business section of a service men's club.

Big Bend Sentinel, Marfa — Rapid increase in the "population" of Fort D. A. Russell in recent days is being caused by the influx of Chemical Warfare Service officers, sent here for duty with the units of the 85th Chemical Warfare Service Battalion, the activation of which was announced last month.

Alpine Avalanche — The "out-of-bounds" regulations, in effect here for the past two weeks following a reported case of infantile paralysis in Alpine, are lifted, as of today, July 16. Dr. Joel Wright, city health officer, announced yesterday.

Fort Stockton Pioneer — Relief of Fort Stockton's housing shortage moved nearer reality this week with tentative approval by representatives of the defense Plant Corporation of a 26

The "Duck"... America's Newest Invasion Vehicle



U. S. ARMY SIGNAL CORPS PHOTOS FROM ACME

This is the Army's newest, most unique military vehicle... the 2 1/2-ton, six-wheel seagoing truck. Officially known as model DUKW, it has been aptly nicknamed the "Duck" by all who are familiar with its remarkable

amphibian performance.

These photographs from New Caledonia in the South Pacific are the first to arrive from the fighting fronts.

Left—The "Duck" alongside a freighter is loaded with much-

needed supplies for American Forces on New Caledonia.

Above—With driving power switched from propeller to wheels, the "Duck" heads for a supply depot inshore.

Below—Unloaded by a crane, the

"Duck" is ready for another trip to the freighter standing by offshore. In actual tests, these huge amphibian trucks have carried 35 men on land even more when in the water.

apartment project and the taking of an option on 13 lots on which to construct the duplexes as soon as final approval can be secured from Washington.

AT THE PRINCESS—

'BEHIND THE 8-BALL' JAM SESSION OF LAUGHS, SONGS

The Ritz Brothers, who should appear on the screen more frequently, are welcomed headlines in a very funny film comedy, "Behind the 8-Ball," which opens Friday and Saturday, July 30 & 31 at the Princess Theatre.

Appearing with the hysterical brothers are Carol Bruce, Dick Foran, Grace McDonald, Johnny Downs and William Demarest. For extra good measure, the film presents Sonny Dunham and his orchestra.

All of these competent performers have logical parts in the story, the action of which takes place in a rural summer theatre. A musical show is in the throes of production and is apparently headed for oblivion when its two guest stars are mysteriously murdered. At this point, the Ritz Brothers are engaged to substitute for the victims.

Music, murder clues, dancing and slam-bang melodrama are

merrily merged in the plot which swings along dizzily until the real culprit is discovered. Miss Bruce sings several numbers written for the film by those ace Boogie purveyors Don Raye and Gene de Paul.

The Dunham orchestra provides extentional accompaniment and Harry Ritz himself vocalizes dramatically the famous hit tune "When My Baby Smiles at Me." Ironically, it is Harry's fantastic impersonation of Ted Lewis that trips the phantom assassin of the story.

TYRONE POWER, MAUREN O'HARA IN 'BLACK SWAN'

The master story-teller's most exciting story of the sea, Rafael Sabatini's "The Black Swan" has been translated into a rousing adventure film. Said to retain all the lusty tang of the book, the film looms all the more glorious, in its swashbuckling way, thanks to the gift of blazing Technicolor.

Starring Tyrone Power and Maureen O'Hara, the film coming Sunday and Monday to the Princess Theatre features a cast fully equal in magnitude to the richness of the story—Laird Cregar, Thomas Mitchell, George Zucco and hundreds of others.

Rafael Sabatini's breath-taking tale is a classic, of course. The book has yet to be written that can match "The Black Swan" in virility, in the tempestuousness of its romance, the breathneck pace of its turbulent action, the fury of its stirring characters.

And the story's offspring the motion picture? Well, the word

"motion" would seem to hold the answer. Tales that live between covers of a book, almost breathe to millions when endowed with the scope and movement of the screen.

The film's story is known to virtually all. It holds a nautical telescope, so to speak, over the whole era when villainy wore a sash and a cutlass, and the only political creed in the world was love, gold and adventure. It tells the saga of the freebooters,

those bold seafarers turned loose by greedy princes to waylay other greedy princes.

The dashing role of Capt. James Waring, a buccaneer who plunders a ship's prize or a lady's lips with equal abandon, would seem to be tailor-made for Power. And who better for his two-fisted brother brigands of the sea than the cinema's most hisable character actors—Laird Cregar, Thomas Mitchell, George Sanders, Anthony Quinn

Maybe Tomorrow...



Maybe Tomorrow we can get that all-electric kitchen we've had our hearts set on... and enjoy the convenience, coolness and spic-and-span cleanliness that modern electrical equipment will bring to our home.

But Victory Comes First and everything else is secondary until the war is won. That's why we're putting every cent we can spare into War Bonds. We figure that the more we work and sacrifice the sooner peace will come and the sooner we can carry out our plans for post-war better living... including that electric kitchen we've dreamed of for so long.

Tomorrow is Worth Sacrificing and Saving For—Buy More War Bonds



STRICTLY BUSINESS

by McFeatters



"No, that new building isn't a factory addition—that's where we fill out our government forms."

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

Your Savings

EXECUTE LITTLE MEN

ALL PAY YOU BACK TOJO

MORE WAR BONDS

will be American justice for

your bond buying

PAYROLL SAVINGS

COMMUNITY PRICES

will continue to establish

your hair... others

Barber Shop

Delmar M. Randall

Office of E. A. ROBERTSON

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No second chance...no other choice

FOR THOSE WHO FALL and freeze on the lime-covered floors of the cattle cars that carry them to German labor camps—there is no other choice.

For the little children of Tepelini and Salonika and Athens who wait with swollen stomachs for the food ship that never arrives, there is nothing else to do—but wait.

For the Russian peasant with no choice but to burn his home before the Nazis reached it; for the Chinese of Nanking who suffered the terrorism of the Jap; for all of those in

nameless graves and numberless cells—for all of them—there was no second chance, no other choice.

But for you—a choice still remains. For you—among all the peoples of the world, the road to freedom is still clear.

Never before have we been able to measure the price of freedom for ourselves and our children in such tangible terms. Will you help to keep the road to freedom open? Will you invest—all you can—in War Bonds?

It's not so much to ask. Many of us are

making more money than we have for years. The things we'd like to buy with that money are scarce—or unavailable. So, we're asked to loan money at good interest—\$4 for every \$3 when the Bonds mature. Money to help pay for the war—keep prices down—provide peacetime jobs and peacetime goods and a generally decent world for all of us when the war is won.

Chances are you're already in the Payroll Savings Plan—buying War Bonds—doing your bit. But don't stop there. Raise your sights! Do your best!

YOU'VE DONE YOUR BIT --- NOW DO YOUR BEST!

BOOST YOUR BOND BUYING THROUGH THE PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN

Patriotic ranchmen of this section, whose names appear below, join in bringing to you a series of messages which have been prepared and mailed out by the War Savings Staff of the United States Treasury. These messages are brought in an effort to encourage the purchase of war bonds and other activities necessary for the winning of the war. The boys in the front lines are willing to GIVE their LIVES... are you willing to LEND your MONEY?

- E. W. HARDGRAVE
S. L. STUMBERG
G. K. MITCHELL

- CIRCLE DOT RANCH
BIG CANYON RANCH
R. N. ALLEN

- ARVIN & HARKINS
R. M. GATLIN & SON
J. M. CORDER

Princess Theatre

Sunday - Monday
Matinee Sunday, 2:00 P. M.

"THE BLACK SWAN"
IN TECHNICOLOR
MAUREEN O'HARA
TYRONE POWER

Wed. - Thursday
"TARZAN TRIUMPHS"
JOHNNY WEISSMULLER
FRANCIS GIFFORD

Friday - Saturday
July 30 and 31
"BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL"
The RITZ BROTHERS
CAROL BRUCEDICK FORAN

FOR DEFENSE BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS

FROM TEXAS—

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Pecos this week-end visiting his mother. — CPL. HAROLD SCHROEGLER, who is stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso, is here for a 10-day furlough with his sister, Mrs. C. C. Mitchell. —

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gilbert left Wednesday for their home in San Angelo after visiting several days here with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hanson.

Classified

NEEDED AT ONCE: 25 mechanics minimum experience one year as mechanic general repairing of engines or other mechanical experience. Salary ranges from \$140 to \$198.00 monthly. Apply in person or writing to Supt. of Maintenance, PACIFIC AIR SCHOOL, LTD., Fort Stockton, Texas. 21-4c

Would like to buy late model used car in good condition. Write or phone D. L. Cross, Alpine, Texas. 17-4c

FOR SALE—A few yearling billies, Lem Henderson breeding. Worth the money. Write Ferral Roark, Pumpville, Texas. 19-4p

FOR SALE—225 nice, smooth Rambouillet yearling bucks, polled and horned. J. M. Corder. 2c

NEEDED AT ONCE: Mechanic helps men or women no experience necessary salary ranges from \$95.00 to \$140.00 monthly. Apply in writing or in person to Supt. of maintenance, PACIFIC AIR SCHOOL LTD., Fort Stockton, Texas. 21-4c

Rattle of the Rail

H. B. Persch, night working foreman is on a two weeks vacation. He and family will visit in San Antonio.

Engineers R. S. Ingram and I. P. Noses have been assigned to regular freight runs out of this point.

An interesting Safety meeting was held at the Masonic Hall 2:30 P. M. Monday afternoon, with officials present from San Antonio, Houston and other points.

Fireman F. T. Baker made a visit to El Paso Wednesday.

Fireman J. A. Reagan died in Del Rio Sunday after a brief illness.

W. J. Ferguson went to San Antonio the past week-end where he met Mrs. Ferguson who had been with their son, Staff Sergeant W. J. Ferguson, Jr., at Swannanoa, N. C. Sergeant Ferguson has been confined in a hospital there for the past several weeks, but is somewhat improved at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson visited in San Antonio with their daughter, Miss Mary Ferguson, before returning home Sunday.

Mrs. William Tarrillion and daughter, Helen Marie, and sons, Joseph and Robert, and their cousin, Martha Ann Tarrillion, are here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr.

NEGLECT MAY INVITE PYORRHEA
Do your gums itch, burn or cause you discomfort, druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. CITY DRUG.

LOOKING AHEAD—

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We must maintain necessary regulations but we must relax needless ones after the war or sink to European living standards which, at best, are no more than half as high as our own.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Murrain and daughter, Miss Ruth, and son, Dan, returned from Del Rio Friday of last week where Dan recently underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gray of El Paso were here Tuesday and Wednesday visiting with friends.

Mrs. F. W. Callahan and children of San Angelo are here for a visit with Mr. Callahan this week.

Mrs. J. L. Osgood returned Thursday from a few days visit in Houston with relatives. She was accompanied home by her nieces, Wilma Osgood and Hazel Kleb, who will visit in the Osgood home.

G. O. Williams, geologist, and Robert Kinna, both of San Antonio, have been here since Friday of last week on business.

Miss Francis Wilms of Lockhart is here this week visiting with Mrs. C. C. Mitchell. Miss Wilms will be remembered as a member of the Sanderson School faculty two years ago.

Mrs. Landon Rose, Mrs. Tol Murrain and Mrs. Dorothy W. Mey visited in Del Rio the first of the week.

Mrs. W. J. Simmons and children, Norma Jean and Sherry spent the week-end in Del Rio visiting with relatives.

Miss Shirley Naylor of San Antonio is here visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Duke.

Church Services

BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
7:30 p. m. Training Union.
8:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
Monday:
3:00 p. m. Meeting of Missionary Society.
Wednesday:
8:30 p. m. Prayer Service and Bible Study.
James O. Todd, Pastor

METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday Services:
9:55 a. m. Church School
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
3:30 p. m. Church School, (Dryden).
4:30 p. m. Worship (Dryden).
8:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
Nursery maintained during morning service at Parsonage.
Rev. John Klassen, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study, 10:00 A. M.
Song Service begins 10:50 A. M.
Preaching Service, 11:05 A. M. and 8:15 P. M.
Communion morning and Evening.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Mass every Sunday at 8:00 and 9:30 a. m.
Mass on week days at 7:30 a. m.
Rev. N. Femenia, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. John W. Byrd, Pastor
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Evening worship at 8:00.
Choir practice, Wednesday at 8:00.
Woman's auxiliary every 2nd and 4th Monday at 8:00 p. m.

ST. ELIZABETH EPISCOPAL MISSION
First Wednesday of each month, prayer and communion services at 10:30 a. m.
Auxiliary Guild meeting, 2:00 p. m.
Arch Deacon W. H. Martin

MEXICAN METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday Services:
10:00 a. m. Church School
11:30 a. m. Youth Fellowship
8:30 p. m. Preaching service
Worship services: Thursday at 8:30 p. m.
Everyone welcome.
Rev. F. O. Calderon, Pastor



RATION REMINDER

GASOLINE—"A" book coupons No. 7, good for four gallons each outside the East Coast shortage area, must last through September 21. Within the shortage area "A" book coupons No. 6, good for three gallons, are valid July 22. "B" and "C" coupons cut to two and one-half gallons in twelve of the Northeastern states of the shortage area. "B" and "C" coupons good for three gallons in the remaining five states of the Eastern shortage area.

SUGAR—Stamp No. 13 good for 5 lbs. through August 15. Stamp Nos. 15 and 16 are good through October 31 for 5 lbs. each for home canning purposes. Housewives may apply to their local ration boards for more if necessary.

COFFEE—Stamp No. 22 (1 lb.) good through August 11.

FUEL OIL—Period 5 coupons valid in all zones through September 30. Period 1 coupons in new fuel oil rations become valid July 1 and are good for 10 gallons each.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) is valid through October 31.

MEAT, ETC.—Red stamps P, Q and R good through July 31.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps N, P, and Q, remain valid through August 7.

MARVIN JONES' CROP REPORT

War Food Administrator Marvin Jones said recently that, on the average, farmers are meeting this year's production goals for field crops. Earlier reports indicated that livestock and livestock products also will reach production goals. Mr. Jones said: "We will have enough food in this country—given at least average weather for the rest of the year—to give civilians adequate and healthful diets, in addition to meeting military and other essential wartime requirements. This does not mean, of course, that there is any better chance than appeared earlier for having all the food that civilians would like to buy, or that civilian supplies for some individuals items will not be far below the demand.

"For some important crops—including rice, oats, flaxseed, and potatoes, estimated 1943 acreage is well above the year's goals.

"Acreage of corn, hay, barley, grain sorghums, cotton, and tobacco is about at the goals. Acreage of sweet potatoes, dry field beans, peanuts, and sugar beets is below 1943 goals."

SOLDIERS' LIFE INSURANCE
Soldiers—at home and abroad—are reminded that less than three weeks remain in which they can get National Service Life Insurance without a physical examination. Until August 10, 1943, every application will be accepted regardless of the individual's condition. After August 10 a rigid physical examination will be required.

PROGRAM TO AVOID CLOTHES RATIONING
A program to make clothes rationing unnecessary, recently announced by Donald M. Nelson, chairman of WPB contains these six points: (1) increased production, (2) orderly and adequate distribution, (3) more "volume" merchandise, (4) allocation of materials to essential needs, (5) increased imports of burlap, and (6) proper care of clothes by consumers. There is an adequate supply of textiles to meet civilian needs, the WPB has determined.

FARMERS WILL GET GASOLINE
Farmers are entitled to first call in receiving motor fuel when they present valid 'E' or bulk coupons or ration checks which are issued pursuant to Ration Order 5-C of the Office of Price Administration. Dealers (whether retail or wholesale) must accord them this privilege. This means, that if necessary, the dealer shall not deliver any motor fuel for any non-agricultural or non-military use until these preferred demands have been

"satisfied"—statement by Acting Petroleum Administrator for War Ralph K. Davies.

DAIRY PRODUCTS SUPPLIES

Civilians will get 8 of every 10 pounds of butter produced in the year which began July 1, the War Food Administration has announced. The Armed forces will get 1½ pounds, and the Russian Army will get ½ pound. Civilians will also get 5½ of every 10 pounds of cheese, and 4 and one-third cases of evaporated milk out of every 10.

DRY BEANS FOR CIVILIANS

Civilians will get more dry beans and peas this year than they consumed in 1942, said the WFA in announcing allocations of these foods. More than half of the 22,200,000 hundred pound sacks of the beans will go to civilians, who will also get 1,624,000 bags of dry peas—more than the 1935-39 average civilian consumption.

CANNED VEGETABLES AND FRUITS

Nearly 70 percent of the canned vegetables, and 53 percent of the canned fruits and juices available in the next 12 months will go to feed civilians. These quantities, allocated by the WFA for the 12 months beginning July 1, constitute about 4 percent more canned vegetables but about 40 percent less canned fruit than were consumed on the average during the 1935-39 period.

EGG SUPPLIES HOLD EVEN

About the same quantity of eggs will be available to civilians in the 12 months beginning July 1, as in the same period last year, the WFA has indicated. Of a total of 5 billion dozen eggs, civilians will get about 3½ billion dozen.

SOLDIERS SEND MONEY BY RADIO

American soldiers overseas except those in Alaska, Hawaii, Panama Canal Zone, and Puerto Rico may now send money home by radio. In a recent week more than 9,000 soldiers sent nearly \$1,000,000 in amounts of \$10 or more, with no maximum limit. Money may be transmitted to an individual payee, or to a bank. The process is speedy and sure. If a soldier desires to do so, he may also purchase war bonds by this method.

NO CORN FOR LIQUOR

Corn cannot be used for manufacture of distilled spirits and high wines, a recent directive of the War Production Board says. The action was taken to conserve stocks of corn for essential purposes, although the amount of corn saved is likely to be small because distillers already had shifted largely to the use of wheat.

NO COTTON QUOTAS FOR 1943

The War Food Administration, on recommendations of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, has announced that there will be no marketing quotas for the 1943 cotton crop and that no quotas will be in effect for the 1944 crop. On July 1, farmers were cultivating about 8 million acres less cotton than the acreage permitted in 1943, and about a million and a half fewer acres than they were cultivating on July 1, 1942.

FARM LAND VALUES

Farm land values on March 1, 1943 were higher than they were in 1942, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics said, in explaining that the index of average per acre values had risen to 99. (1912 to 1914 equals 100). The index of average per acre values in March, 1942, was 91. A low point of 33 was reached in 1933 in the aftermath of inflation started during the last war. One anti-inflationary force at the present time is the fact that many farmers have been using a considerable part of their cash income to pay off mortgage debts.

COUNTRY SHIPPER BERRY PRICES

Maximum prices of seven kinds of fresh berries for the table and home canning use

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have been set by the OPA. Maximum prices, per pound, f. o. b. country shipping points, are set as follows: red raspberries 18 cents; black raspberries 16 cents; youngberries, boysenberries, loganberries, and blackberries 15 cents; gooseberries 11 cents. These prices represent a sharp rollback at the country shipper level and comparable prices have been established at wholesale, both of which are expected to reduce prices of berries to consumers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee S. of Fort Stockton visited here last Thursday with their family from a visit with their family at Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert San Antonio, and Mrs. Downie of Brownsville this week visiting at the home with friends.

Postal Labels at the Times

8 MILLION POUNDS OF WASTE FATS
American housewives salvaged almost 8 million pounds of waste kitchen fats in May—highest total since the fats and grease salvage program was started. This result surprised government officials who said that a drop might have been expected because meats and fats have been rationed since March. Nevertheless the 8 million pounds is only about 50 percent of the needed quota of 16,667,000 pounds per month.

ROLLBACK OF VEGETABLE PRICES

Effective July 20, a rollback of about 25 percent in the price of lettuce and 50 percent in the price of cabbage was ordered by the OPA. This was the first step in a program to cut back the excessive prices of fresh fruits and vegetables to keep the cost of living down.

Homer Gatlin went to Del Rio Thursday where he attended the funeral services of Homer Wilson Friday.



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