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Ector County Attorney, Honor Roll for Six O. E. Gerron, Candidate For Representative

O. E. Gerron, now serving his third term as County Attorney of Ector County, announced his candidacy for State Representative of the 88th Legislative District in the

Democratic primaries.

He formerly served in the Legislature from Ellis County, Texas, when he was 21 years of age. He also served as County Judge of Coke County before he moved to

Gerron is married and has two sons. He has resided in Ector County, Texas, for the past ten years. He is President of the Ector County Bar Association and is Attorney for the Sand Hills Hereford Association. He is well known in legal circles of West Texas.

He told friends that he believes he has had valuable experience in legislative and governmental affairs which would qualify him to ably represent this large district.

If elected, he said, he would represent the entire district without favoritism to any county, unit or group. Gerron said, "I have no pet bills or legislation to sponsor in order to promote publicity for myself, but I do have a desire to study legislation and vote intelligently upon the same. I further desire to ascertain the needs of my district and expend my full energy in carrying out a successful program for West Texas. When this mighty conflict is ended, I want to be in a position to aid and assist returning War Veterans in the normal way of

During a visit in Upton County, Gerron said that he would appreciate the active support and cooperation of citizens in his race.

Gerron further stated that he would release a complete statement concening his candidacy at a later

MRS. E. D. YATES IS IMPROVED AFTER OPERATION

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yates returned to Temple Monday for medical treatment. Mrs. Yates underwent an operation and was reported to be getting along nicely at this time and that no complications of any sort had set in. They were ac-companied to Temple by the Rev. and Mrs. O .O. Moore who have rel- soon as material arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates are now at the home of her sister in Temple.

Weeks Term Announced

Second grade: Mary Maude Hannaford, James Merriman.

Third grade: Gentry Holmes, Billy Mac Hyde, Wallace Gary, Fourth grade: Mona Sue Branch, Wanda June Burleson, Jean Shaw, Lloyd Yocham.

Fifth grade: Ann Hemphill, Mar-garet Key, Marvin McEwen, Elisa-beth Prude, Billy Ross Wheeler. Sixth grade: Jimmy Workman, Joveta Yocham.

Seventh grade: Theo Blue, James Gamblin, Jean Starnes.

Eighth grade: Roy Lee Bell, June Caruthers, Wanda Lee, Joan

Eleventh grade: Herman Calcote, Marie Lee, John Robert Prude. Twelfth grade: Mary Alice Bell, Daphne Snell, Christine Yocham. Anna Maude White.

McCamey Locker Plant Approved by the War Production Board

It is now an assured fact that McCamey citizens and environs will have the convenience and pleasure derived from a frozen food locker storage plant in the

Clint Anderson, owner of the plant, has received word from the War Production Board that such a plant has been approved for the town of McCamey and the order for the lockers has already gone forward Mr. Anderson states.

The plant initially is to have 300 lockers and although a large majority of these have already been rented there are still a few available for prospective renters. Mr. Anderson has chage of the renting and anyone desiing a locker should contact him.

Such plants have been meeting with great success in other towns and due to the fact that there is no other frozen food locker storage plant within a radius of fifty miles of McCamey, it is expected that not only the local citizenry, but surrounding communities would avail themselves of the opportunity of procuring a locker in the plant. In fact, such is already the case.

Work on the plant will start as

How's He Doing, Professor?



Corporal Lillian Waldhelm of the Wemen's Army Corps teaches radio code to Aviation Cadets at the Army Air Forces Navigation School, Honde, Texas. She gets a real thrill when 'her boys' win their wings.

To Methodist Society

The Methodist Women's Society afternoon when the first lesson of a new study, "For All of Life" was given. The study was presented by by Mrs. S. H. Boyd and the Lenten service was in charge of Mrs. Will Stephenson.

was presented to the baby of Mrs. Walton Harral, baby Virginia, and she and Elsie Sharon Wheeler, baby daughter of Mrs. Ross Wheeler who received the membership last year were both presented with pins, the presentation being made by Mrs. Stanley Eddins.

to Mesdames S. H. Boyd, W. T. returned home Monday evening Dunn Lowery, John G. Prude, with him this week while Mr. Stanley Eddins, Delbert McEwen, Louder has been recovering from Will Stephenson, Ross Wheeler,, the fluand Miss Myrtle Brick.

sent at this meeting.

Mrs Boyd Cox is Hostess Rankin Boys Take Part In Cactus Relays in Iraan

of Christian Service met at the intendent John G. Prude accompanhome of Mrs. Boyd Cox Monday ied a few of the Rankin boys to Miss Myrtle Brick for the first the morning while Blondy Cross chapter. The devotional was read took over the gun for the afternoon. first place in the vaulting; Jack A life membership to the Society Garner won third place in the 100 daughter while this was not her yard dash and 4th place in High Jump. John Robert Prude won 4th place in the shot put and 4th place in the high jump.

in Hobbs, N. M. with his daughter, The hostess served refreshments Mrs. Dave McKelvy and family, He Walton Harral, Swafford, and Mrs. McKelvy has been here

The next lesson of the study will Mrs. Tyson Midkiff, president c be given when the society meets the local P.T.A., Mrs. S. H. Boyd with Mrs. John G. Prude next Mon- Mrs. R. D. McSpadden and Sup day afternoon. The study will be and Mrs. John G. Prude attende conducted by Mrs. S. H. Boyd, Mrs. the district meeting of the Parent Ross Wheeler and Mrs. W. T. El- Teacher Assn. in Odessa Wednes has been stationed in Wisconsin rod. All who are interested in tak- day, A number of State and District visited friends here the first of the ing the study are asked to be pre- officers were present for the meet-

Tom Trimble Announces Wool Buying Slated His Candidacy for Commissioner Prec. 3

The Journal was authorized last reek to announce the candidacy of Tom Trimble for County Comnissioner of Precinct No. 3.

This is Mr. Trimble's first time to seek public office in the county, Mr. Trimble needs no introduction ived in Upton County for the past fourteen years. At one time, Mr. Trimble was the County Road Superintendent for Upton Highway Department and has had considerable other experience in road main-

Mr. Trimble stated that if elected to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct 3 he would use il interest to be conservative with the taxpayers' money.

The Journal recommends the candidacy of Mr. Trimble to the voters of Precinct 3 for their consideration in the forthcoming July

Mrs. W. J. Green and **Bud Hurst Married**

Mrs. W. J. Green and Bud Hurst were quietly married at the Bapist parsonage last Saturday afternoon, with the Rev. Seth Hughes, Baptist minister reading the rites. The only attendant was Mrs. R. C. Schlagal, daughter of Mrs. Green. Bud Hurst has lived in Rankin over a period of years where he is employed at the Court House. Mrs. Green has lived here until the past few years since 1927 and has spent considerable time here visiting her permanent home.

Lake visited friends here Wednes-

Mrs. J. T. Langford left Tuesday daughter, Mrs. George Frietag, and 12, 1943; Pvt. Wayne W. Watts, dis-

Mrs. Tom Workman left Wednesday for San Francisco for a visit charged May 13, 1941. vith her son, Lt. Tommy Worknan, Mrs. Workman and their aby. Tommy is expecting a transer and his wife and baby who have een with him on the West Coast vill return home with Mrs. Worknan when she leaves there for Rankin in about ten days.

Tech in Lubbock was here with her nation's synthetic rubber program over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Miller spent the weekend in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elrod and carry out the program. children of Andrews spent the weekend here visiting friends and the government and private com-

Mrs. Effie Earnest spent Saturday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stephenson spent the weekend in San Angelo,

Mrs. J. H. Plumber of Mullen is Cowan, and also her sister, Mrs. Poss Wheeler.

weekend in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wheeler and Mrs. B. T. Hatchell spent Saturday in San Angelo.

Mrs. Cora Ligon was called to San Angelo this week due to the

Marcus Price, A-S, stationed at the U. S. Naval Training Station at Tarragut, Idaho, is home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Price. Marcus has been in the

this week a hobo picnic was planback of the Carruthers home. Present at the meeting were Dixie Black, Maxine Glidewell, Joan Starnes, June Carruthers, Wanda Lee, Martha Etta Schlagal, Ella Ruth Elliott, Wilma Payne, Elizabeth Prude, Marline Holmes, Elaine Tomlinson and Vera Pearl Moore.

Buy War Bonds.

To Get Started Soon

Washington, April 12-The War Food Administration today directed the Commodity Credit Corporation o proceed with a \$200,000,000 purchase program designed to support prices of domestic wool from the 1944 clip.

The CCC will develop a schedule of purchase prices which, generally o the voters of Precinct 3, having speaking, will be the ceiling price on wool, less specified marketing costs. Except for a small quantity of off-grade wool, the purchase schedule will be virtually identical, officials said with that in effect last year.

Officials said this year's crop was expected to total around 440,000,000 pounds. Since the purchase prices are somewhat in excess of current market prices of foreign wool available in large quantities, the bulk of the domestic crop is expected to be purchased by the CCC.

The CCC owned 185,000,000 pounds of 1943 wool as of March 11.

14 Upton County Men Receive Discharges From Armed Services

Fourteen Upton County men have received discharges from the armed services.

Those receiving discharges and the date received included: Seaman Second Class John Edward Marquis, discharged Aug. 13, 1943; Seaman First Class Edward Otis Taylor, discharged Oct. 16, 1942; Pvt. Buddy Meixner, discharged July 27, 1943; Pvt. Jack B. Rasmussen, discharged Dec. 7, 1943; Pvt. Nealie W. Moore, discharged March 12, 1943; Pvt. John R. Hinde, discharged Feb. 20, 1943; Pvt. Cecil B. Foster, discharged March Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clark of Big 6, 1943; Sgt. George Worthington Ramer, discharged Jan. 10, 1939; Tech. Terry Edward Olinger, discharged May 4, 1943; Tech. J. W. Duff, discharged Oct. 28, 1943; Sgt. for Austin where she will visit her George C. Miller, discharged June charged Oct. 18, 1943; Pvt. William E. Howard, discharged Nov. 1, 1943; and Pvt. Truman E. Wagner, dis-

PETROLEUM INDUSTRY BRINGS \$350,000,000 WORTH OF INVESTMENTS TO TEXAS

The Texas Petroleum industry. mother of industrialization, has brought to this state close to \$350,-Miss Neva Rae Taylor of Texas 000,000 worth of investments in the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Taylor, which represents an outlay of \$750, over Easter. Oil and Gas Association said in a statement accompanied by a map which shows that Texas ranks first among the seven areas chosen to

This investment in Texas is by panies in eleven plants which convert petroleum products into base stocks used to make rubber-frompetroleum and six other plants which process these stocks into raw

The rubber program in Texas means steady jobs for about 7,640 skilled workers in these plants with siting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. an annual payroll of around \$18,-000,000. At the rate of four persons to a family, this industry will provide a livlihood for more than 30,ceeds the population (1940 census) of Tyler, Abilene, or San Angelo. The Japs may have thought they had us licked when they cut off our

supply of natural rubber from the Malay Peninsular, but the petroemergency.

The petroleum industry offers its rubber branch as an inviting market for other Texas resources. Rubber processing requires huge quantities of sulphur, zinc oxide, fullers earth, clay, asphalt, cotton seed oil, mineral oils stearic acid, glue, magnesium oxide, salt, soap, acids,

Carbon black is an essential ingredient of many finished rubber items, especially tires. The carbon black branch of the petroleum industry, with an original investment of about \$23,000,000 in thirty-seven plants in Texas, has been asked to make more of its product as synthetic rubber requires about onethird more carbon black than does natural rubber.

Miss Myrtle Brick spent the 000 Texans, a number which ex-

illness of her brother.

service since February.

At the Junior 4-H club meeting numerous other chemicals and cords for tires. ned for Friday, April 14, to be held

Political Announcements

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 22,

For Representative 88th Legislative District O. E. GERRON (Ector County)

For County Judge: A. B. HOLLEY WM. R. (BILL) EDWARDS (For a second term.)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: J. E. SIMCO (Re-election)

For County & District Clerk: RALPH H. DAUGHERTY (Re-election)

For County Treasurer MRS. ELIZABETH RAINS (Re-election)

For County Attorney: JOHN A. MENEFEE (For Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. H. G. YOCHAM (re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 2: W. C. McDONALD W. J. PRICE ED GUY BRANCH

For County Commissioner Pre. 3 TOM TRIMBLE BOB WAITS



I got a big kick out of some he sent me

from several counties where they still have

rohibition. Particularly from some head-

es that read 'Drunk Driving Arrests Rise',

"I watched conditions pretty carefully during our 13 years of prohibition in this

country. The only thing I could see we got

out of it was bootleg liquor instead of legal

liquor...plus the worst crime and corrup-

tion this country has ever known.'

ENAFES MOROLINE SCRAPES PETROLEUM JELLY 100

How Oyster Feeds

An oyster pumps more than 15 gallons of water through its shell



Unpredictable River Hwang-Ho river has changed its mouth 11 times.

ENDS 5-YEAR SIEGE OF CONSTIPATION!

"Now as Regular as Anyone!" Says H. C. Durand

Here's a sincere, unsolicited letter every disappointed "doser" will

ter every disappointed "doser" will want to read:

"I'm 82 years old, and have been constipated over 5 years, going as much as 5 days without a movement. Pills and laxatives would relieve me only for the day I took them. Next day I'd be as bad as ever. Then I tried KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN. Am now on my second box, and as regular as anyone could want, thanks to regular use of your wonderful product!" Mr. M. C. Durand, 221 N. Columbus Ave., Freeport, Long Island, N. Y.

Sounds like "magic," doesn't it? Yet, KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN teally can, and does, get at a com-

it? Yet, KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN really can, and dbes, get at a common cause of constipation—lack of certain dietary "cellulosie" elements! That's because it is one of Nature's most effective sources of these elements—which help the friendly colonic flora fluff up and prepare the colonic wastes for easy, natural elimination, KELLOGG'S

prepare the colonic wastes for easy, natural elimination. KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN is not a purgative! Doesn't work by "sweeping out"! It is simply a gentle-acting, "regulating" food!

If your constipation is of this type, eat KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN or several ALL-BRAN muffins daily. Drink plenty of water. See if you don't find welcome relief! Insist on genuine ALL-BRAN, made only by Kellogg's in Battle Creek. only by Kellogg's in Battle Creek.





SKIN IRRITATIONS OF

Acne pimples, eczema, factory derma-Acne pimples, eczema, factory dermatitis, simple ringworm, tetter, salt rheum, bumps, (black-leads), and ugly brokenout skin. Millions relieve itching, burning and soreness of these miseries with simple home treatment. Goes to work at once. Aids healing, works the antiseptic way. Use Black and White Ointment only as directed. 10c, 25c, 50c sizes. 25 years' success. Money-back guarantee. Vital in cleansing is good soap. Enjoy faterials and the size of the siz cleansing is good soap. Enjoy fa-ous Black and White Skin Soap daily.



Used by thousands with satisfactory sults for 40 years—six valuable ingrents. Get Carboil at drug stores or w Spurlock-Neal Co., Nashville, Tenn.



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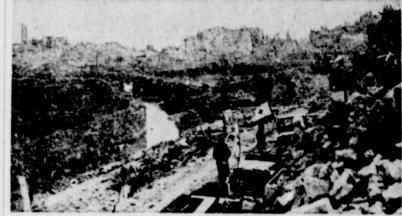
t. Dr. Wernet's vent sore gums.
Powder lets you 2. Economical;
enjoy solid foods, small amount
avoid embarrassment of loose 3. Pure, harmless, All druggists - 30¢. Money back if not delighted



WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Increased Activity in Pacific Sector Marked by U. S. Blows on Jap Bases And Heavy Fighting in Burma, India; 4-Fs Get Study in Manpower Crisis

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Italy-Against a background of war's ruin at Cassino, an Allied medical unit moves to the front to attend the wounded.

AGRICULTURE:

To peg consumer costs, War Food

Administrator Marvin Jones ordered

the \$3,000,000,000 Commodity Credit

corporation to use its powers and

In addition, the CCC was ordered

to purchase, sell, store and trans-

port food and farm products involved

in the WFA's price-support and lend-

Strongly bucked by the farm bloc

in congressional debate but upheld

by administration forces, the food

subsidy program will cost the CCC

between \$650,000,000 and \$800,000,000,

Increases in returns on meat ani-

Prices received by farmers aver-

and Rumanian forces recently in-

As the Germans drew back in the

east, Allied bombers headed over

western Europe to drop their ex-

plosives over the expected invasion

routes and hammer at Nazi produc-

traded punches at Anzio below

Rome, while action tapered at Cas-

sino, where Germans clung to their

the Prut river to lunge into Ru-

From London last week came re-

With the reich's collapse, the au-

thoritative London Sunday Observer

said plans called for British occupa-

Germany, U. S. control of the south-

ern and south-central parts, and

Russia of the eastern section. Sym-

bol of Germany, Berlin would be oc-cupied by all three powers.

Before establishment of stable gov-

ernment, the Big Three would also

occupy Austria, and any movement

for that country's union with Ger-many would be discouraged, with

closer economic ties with the Bal-

Looking toward eastern Europe,

information leaking from sources

consulted on perfecting details of

the Teheran agreements indicate Moscow will annex the Baltic states

and eastern Poland and Balkan ter-

ritory considered traditionally Rus-

and exercise influence over Bulgaria, Rumania and Hungary.

corporated into the Nazi armies.

funds for subsidizing food prices.

Food Subsidies

lease programs.

it was estimated.

partment reported.

the 1909-'14 standard.

congress.

EUROPE:

In Balkans

defensive posts.

Occupation Plans

Russia and Britain.

kans suggested.

Farm Prices

RATIONING:

Announce Changes

More gas, freer use of fuel oil and food coupons and ration changes in vegetables, fruits, meats and oils were announced by OPA.

To maintain the distribution business, it was announced drivers hold-"B" cards will be allowed an additional 100 miles a month, while expiration dates for fuel oil coupons will be eliminated before the fall season of heavy consumption gets underway.

Because many shoppers cashed in their red and blue food coupons for tokens at expiration dates, OPA took off all time limits on the stamps.

While all frozen fruits and vegetables were taken off rationing, beef flank meat, pork liver, lamb and mutton hearts, liver, sweetbreads and tongue, beef tongue, cooked and barbecued pork spareribs and pork tongue were cut 1 point. Shortening, salad and cooking oil were slashed 1 point. Points on canned carrots and tomato juice also were reduced.

DRAFT:

Eye 4-Fs

To fill up the industrial and agricultural ranks left vacant by the drafting of all men except key workers under 26, the government called for the induction of all 4-Fs not engaged in essential occupations and a congressional committee moved to shape special legislation for such a program.

At the same time, it was revealed Selective Service was scrapping its unit system of deferring agricultural workers, only giving consideration to a man's regular employment on a farm and the problem of replacing

Under the government's proposal, 4-Fs doing nonessential work would be enlisted as reserves and directed civilian pay, or they would be en-rolled in labor battalions for employment at army pay if they re-

fused to accept the assignments.

Of the nation's 3,500,000 4-Fs it was estimated that about 1,000,000 were engaged in non-essential work.

PACIFIC:

Threaten India

As bold Japanese forces thrust toward the highway hub of Imphal in India, Adm. Louis Mountbatten rallied

Allied forces to a

stand to hold this

key to land commu-

nications all along

the 600 - mile Bur-

In the Southwest Pacific area, strong U. S. naval forces

mese front.



again challenged the Admiral Japanese fleet to Mountbatten come out and fight by attacking the enemy's sea base of Palau, 460 miles from the Philippines, but the Nips once more withdrew. On New Guinea, New Britain and Bougainville, Allied ground forces continued to press the Japs, as U.S. airmen impeded reinforcement of their bat-

tered troops by shooting up shipping and bases. Seeking to capitalize on their surprise of the Allies in India when they burst from the Burmese jungle from three points to converge on Imphal, the Japs maintained heavy pressure in the face of stiffening British resistance. Beyond Imphal lay the Bengal-Assam railroad, supplying Lieut. Gen. Joseph Stilwell's U.S. and Chinese troops pushing the Japs down the Mogaung valley in far northern Burma.

SURPLUS GOODS: Consult Business

To prevent a disruption of ordinary business channels, U. S. agencies entrusted with the disposal of surplus war goods for civilian use have been instructed to confer with the War Production board's 750 industry advisory committees on distribution of material through estab-

lished outlets. Although most members of the industry advisory committees are manufacturers, some wholesalers and retailers have been included in the groups, and it will be their task to help determine normal outlets for certain goods, the amount of material to be released, and whether distributors should bid for the merchandise, negotiate for its purchase or buy it at auction.

While the new procedure was announced, Rep. Wright Patman (Texas) pressed for enactment of a bill under which retailers would be given equal voice in the disposal of surplus war goods along with the bigges manufacturers and wholesalers.

GERMANY:

Production Efficiency

Striving to stretch their human and material resources to maxinum, Germany's production czars have reached into industrial and domestic activity alike.

In industry, the Nazis have spared men and metal by reducing locomotive models from 119 to 13, and they have economized on shipping space by extensive dehydration of foods. More efficient methods reportedly increased steel, copper and aluminum output while decreasing man

To keep working women from per-forming house tasks at home, the Nazis have organized groups to mend their stockings and attend to other domestic functions. Persons from 65 to 70 have been enlisted to assist service men at railway de-

Finds Long Way Back



Taken to St. Petersburg, Fla., by his master and then given to a resident there, an Irish setter, Duke, so longed for his old home that he traveled 1,200 miles back to it at Roann, Ind., where an old friend, Rev. Robert Collins, found him bloody-footed and exhausted.

Informed of Duke's plight, his master wired Rev. Collins funds to tion centers. In Italy, both sides care for the dog until he should re-

ARMY AND NAVY: In pushing the Germans back to the Carpathians, the Russians ad- Furloughs

vanced to within 30 miles from the old Czecho-Slovak border, while farther to the southeast, they crossed

Because of shipping difficulties and preparations for campaigns, the army will continue to grant furloughs on an individual basis rather than to whole units, Sen. Guy Gillette (Iowa) was advised by the war department.

With other midwestern senators, ports indicating Allied plans for postwar Europe shaped by the U. S., ment about the possibilities of furloughing the 34th division, which has been overseas for more than two years and is made up of men from Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dation of western and north central kota, Nebraska and Iowa.

While the war department admitted many empty cargo ships were returning to the U. S., it added that there was a problem of shore handling once the vessels reached here.

New Construction

Heralding an intensification of the war against the Japanese, the U.S. navy asked for 1½ billion dollars for the construction of shore facilities, principally on the West coast. Plans call for the building of fleet and cargo piers, supply depots, avi-ation training bases, harbor im-

provements and repair depots. Expansion of present hospital fa-cilities from 60,000 to 30,000 beds and provision for malaria recuperation centers also were included it the plans.

WITHOUT COUNTRY

A bill has been passed by the house which would make men who fled the United States to avoid the These expatriates would be forever barred from reentering the United States. The bill was sent to the senate for action.

The house immigration committee reported that many men have gone into Mexico to avoid induction. Ir the vicinity of El Paso, Texas, alone, more than 800 evaders are known to have crossed the border.

for you to make



DELIGHT to any dainty lass is this beruffled pinafore embroidered with swimming ducks or darling cubs. You may use these exciting motifs on other garments, too. All simple stitchery.



The oven should be hot for baking vegetables and the baking time should be just long enough for them to become tender but remain firm.

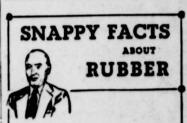
If the radiator fins on your car or tractor get bent, try straightening them with a common table fork, the prongs of which have been cut down to about one-fourth inch length.

Children's bean bags for play may be made from scraps of closely woven material such as denim, cut and stitched to a 4 by 6-inch size and then filled with one cup of beans.

Old horseshoes, filed to wedge shaped points on one end and drilled and bolted to your ladder, make sturdy hooks for use on the roof ridge.

Pattern 731 contains transfer pattern of 12 motifs ranging from 34 by 114 inches to 6 by 914 inches; complete directions Sixteen cents in coins brings you this





Planes fly in supplies and bring out crude rubber from Central American plantations.

In building a battleship It takes 150,000 pounds of rubber. This is equivalent to the rubber used in the mall passenger-car tires.

The first city omnibus lines, the forerunner of modern bus transpo

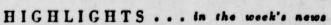
In war or peace

B.F.Goodrich

FIRST IN RUBBER

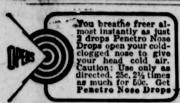






DAIRY SUBSIDIES: Charles Holman, secretary of the National Cooperative Milk Producers federation, told a senate committee that subsidies on dairy products would have to be increased by \$200,000,000 a year to give farmers a fair return. This would raise the total paid to milk producers from \$550,000,000 to \$750,-000,000. Holman is opposed to the whole dairy subsidy program.

SAVINGS: In the first two years of war, savings of the American peo-ple have increased by more than 50 per cent, represented by war bonds, bank deposits and life insurance. The total of these three items on January 1 of this year was 91 billion dollars. About 12 per cent of in-dividual income goes into these forms of savings, according to the Institute of Life Insurance.



Pull the Trigger on Lazy "Innards"



when constipation makes you feed punk as the dickens, brings on stomach upset, sour taste, gassy discomfort, take Dr. Caldwell's famous medicine to quickly pull the trigger on lary "innards", and help you feel bright and chipper again. DR. CALDWELL'S is the wonderful senna laxative contained in good old Syrup Pep-ain to make it so easy to take.

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SENNA LAXATIVE CONTAINED IN SYRUP PEPSIN

CAUTION: Use only as directed.

One thing a soldier is afraid of is a display of emotion. That's why his slang so often sounds derogatory. For example, he refers to the silver eagles on his colonel's shoulder straps as "buzzards." But when he speaks of his favorite cigarette, he says: "Camels." They're first with men in the Army as well as with Sailors, Marines, and Coast Guardsmen. (According to actual sales records in service men's stores.) And though there are Post Office restrictions on packages to overseas Army men, you can still send Camels to soldiers in the U. S., and to men in the Navy, Marines, and Coast

SUFFERERS!

Guard wherever they are .- Adv.

Don't Despair! Try This

Proved, Amazing Relief! Proved, Amazing Relief!

Put an end to the nagging discomforts and embarrassment of Psoriasis. Try NINAL — amazing Psoriasis application discovered by Chicago doctor! NINAL'S different relief is due to a very effective method of compounding that carries the beneficial action of the ingredients to the base of Psoriasis patches. Tends to remove crusts and scales of external character, located on outer layer of skin. Apply NINAL externally at any time. Won't stain clothing or bed linens, won't interfere with work.

SEND NO MONEY! Write for information that has helped grateful sufferers to new comfort! NINAL is sold only on a trial-deposit guarantee. If not fully satisfied, we refund deposit at your request, Write today to The Ninal Co., Dept. E. 8 South Wabash Ave., Chicago 3, Ill.



-Buy War Savings Bonds-

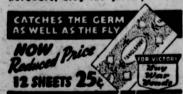




ANGLEFOO

Catch the early ones with

conomical not rationed. For sale at hardware, drug and grocery stores.



CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

BOOKS

WOMAN'S AWAKENING, Woman's Heri-tage, Stay Well and How; 3 books for \$1— plus five 3c stamps for postage. Margaret Innis Douglas, 5819 Monticello, Dalias, Tex.

CHICKS

AAAA GRADE, BLOODTESTED CHICKS

—ROP Sired English White Leghorns,
Golden Buff, Brown Leghorns, Golden Buff,
and large type Black Minoreas, Anconas,
White Wyandottes, Australorps, Black and
White Giants, Rhode Island Reds, Barred
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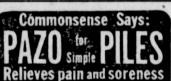
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The first time Sinatra came to H'wood he brought three suits. This H'wood he brought three suits. This time he arrived with 18 . . . What! Only three changes a day? . . . Spencer Tracy has beaten the gas shortage with a surrey . . . Sign in a jewelry shop window in Hollywood (over the wedding ring tray): "Is the feeling nuptial?" . . . Since there were no signs of their publishers (Scribner's) throwing a cocktail rod-(Scribner's) throwing a cocktail poddy in honor of their debut as novelists, Kyle Crichton and Robert Glassner chucked one for their publishers on March 6. The title of the new book is "The Proud People" . . . Garbo, who will never die as a favorite over at our house, was warned by a Hollywood paragrapher to watch her step . . . "My dear man," she said, "orchids never end up in gutters."

Brawls between the White House and Congress aren't anything new
. . . Almost every President has
gone through the Congressional
wringer . . When, frinstance, Coolidge's inner circle told him that the legislators were after his scalp, Coolidge gazed through the White House windows and calmly answered: "Well, I see the Washington monument is still there."

Novelette: Irving Berlin arrived the other day from England with messages for kin and loved ones of members of "This Is the Army." Berlin phoned parents, wives, sweethearts and pals, and took down messages to relay to the boys in his show now abroad. He made several hundred calls.

The most touching: Two soldiers gave him the same name of "the only girl in the world."

Broadway Rembrandt: The wiseguys are still talking about it breathlessly. A drunk wobbled into one of the saloons, clutching fistfuls of \$20 bills. He went to the bar and yelled: "Fill 'em up. Everybody

For a gag one of the wisenheimers asked him if he had two 20s for a

"Sure, sure!" he yelled back. "Anybody else want two 20s for a 10? I can keep this up all night. But I warn you, I'll break you!"

That kept up for half an hour, and finally, out of 20s, he staggered into the night. He kept his word, too. His 20s were counterfeit.

Ringside Seat: Robert Sherrod, whose new book, "Tarawa," is a click already, says the Pacific war was nearly two years old and he had seen much of it elsewhere when we invaded Tarawa. On the transport a youthful lieutenant asked Sherrod why he hadn't written a book. He said he was waiting for a real story.

On the first day on the Tarawa beach, where our troops held only a 20-foot beachhead, charges of dynamite were flung into a Jap pillbox. The officer turned to Sherrod, grinned and asked: "Will this one

Norma Shearer is expected to resume her screen career in the role of Katy (the mother) in "Tree Grows in Brooklyn" . . . Franz Werfel, author of "Song of Bernadette" (after two heart attacks), is able to leave his bed for two hours daily . . Maureen O'Hara and her groom

expect another image in June . . . G-Man Hoover has commended the alertness of Mexican officials, who last week captured four escaped German war prisoners and deported thern back across the border . . Of about 300,000 investigations by the FBI (for draft violations, etc.) more than 140,000 men are now available for military service. G-Men also got 7,700 convictions for

violators.

Quotation Marksmanship: Walter Lippmann: The writers who have nothing to say are the ones you can buy; the others have too high a price . . . James J. Walker: A reformer is a guy who rides through a sewer in a glass bottom boat . . . Ben Hecht: He ate like a man with a stowaway under his vest . . . Mark Twain: It ain't so much the things people don't know that makes trouble in this world, as it is the trouble in this world, as it is the things that people know ain't so . . B. Kay: He beat a hasty retreat like a Congressman screaming: "I was misquoted" . . . Hildegarde Schine: Little forget-me-nots looked up and laughed . . . Mary Roberts Rinehart: Gnawing on her grievance like a dog on a bone . . F.
Gasner: A deep kiss, up to the
heart . . . M. Bonnston: No words
could translate the thoughts in her eyes.

Dancers' Mirror: Maestro Melba of the Cotillion Room sums up the types of dancers who pass his gaze. To wit: The girl who doesn't shag, but will stand practically still while her partner does; the unmanage-able trio on the floor—he, she and her hat; the chap who looks like a left halfback and waltzes through the crowd in much the same way he does on the gridiron; the dippers who get into positions seen else-where only on auto radiator caps; the couple that ogles the orchestra, waiting for heaven knows what.





Patchwork Apron.

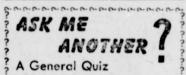
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The Questions

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2. What are a ship's davits? 3. WAC officers and enlisted personnel wear replicas of the head-

gear of what warrior maiden?
4. Who were the first printers? 5. What is the supercargo on a

The Answers

1. Grinning. 2. Cranes for the lifeboats.

Athena.

4. The Chinese. The officer or person on a merchant ship in charge of the commercial details of the voyage.

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APRIL 10, 1944

BE IT REMEMBERED that on this the 10th day of April, A. D. 1944, the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Upton County, Texas, re-convened in Regular Session at the Court House in Rankin, Texas, with the following members present and presiding:

Wm. R. Edwards, County Judge. H. G. Yocham, Commissioner

Burley McCollum, Commissioner Pre. 4 Ralph H. Daugherty, County

Clerk. Joe Starnes, Deputy Sheriff.

WHEREUPON the following proceedings were had to-wit: The monthly reports of Wm. R. Edwards, County Judge; F. D. Bel-

cher, Constable; Ralph H. Daugherty, County and District Clerk; J. E. Simco, Sheriff, Assessor and Collector; for the month of March 1944, are hereby approved in open Rankin,

MOTION by Burley McCollum seconded by J. O. Currie that Upton County appropriate \$15.00 per month beginning April 19, 1944 and ending April 19, 1945, to purchase books for the Library at Mc-Camey, Texas.

All Commissioners present vot ing Aye

MOTION by J. O. Currie seconded by Burley McCollum that T. A Scruggs practicing attorney of this court, be employed as special advisor to this court and the officers of Upton County at a salary of \$50.00 per month which motion was properly presented and the following vote were had thereon.

Commissioner Currie voting Yes Commissioner McCollum voting Commissioner Yocham

County Judge Edwards "cting

It is therefore ordered that mid T. A. Scruggs be and is hereov amployed as special advisor to this court and the officers of Upton County, Texas, at a salary of \$50.00 per month beginning April : 1944 and that said salary be paid mon't-

ly as other saleries are now paid. MOTION by Commissioner Burley McCollum seconded by Commissioner H. G. Yocham that this does hereby authorize its depository, the First State Bank of Rankin, Texas, to authorize its New York Correspondent (Chase National Bank) to honor the requests of the Trust Department of the Guarantee Trust Company of New York up to \$16,085.00 plus customary disbursement fees, such transfer being for the sole purpose of paying our Upton County, Texas, Court House and Jail Bond, in accordance with our call whereby \$17,000.00 of this issue were called for payment at par and accrued interest November 1, 1943, and it is hereby understood that all interest

is denied after the called date All Commissioners present vot-

ing Aye.

MOTION by Commissioner Currie seconded by Commissioner Mc-Collum that this court recess subject to call. n All Commissioners present vot-

ing Aye. Wm. R. Edwards, County Judge. Ralph H. Daugherty, County

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J. O. Currie, Commissioner Pre. CLASSIFIED ADS

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the County Court of Upton County, | cords of Upton County, Texas. Texas, do hereby certify that the utes of Commissione's' Cyart April, A.D. 1944. Meeting, on April 10, 1944, as the Ralph H. Daug

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND above and foregoing is a true and OFFICIAL SEAL AT OFFICE in correct copy of the Original Min- Rankin, Texas, this the 11th day of Ho

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Meeting, on April 10, 1944, as the same appears of Record in Book the County Court, Upton County, No. 3, at page 112, of the Minutes Texas. of the Commissioners Court Re-By Dorothy West, Deputy.

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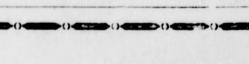
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