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Utilities Expects Early Completion of Pecos Valley Co Purchase

Completion of purchase of the McCamey, by the West Texas Uti- been in ill health for some time. lities Co. is expected by company officials to be within another 90

West Texas Utilities is now op-Camey, the company spokesman of Rankin 19 years ago. the San Angelo branch said. The change Commission.

The two utilities have been operating virtually side by side in the Wednesday aren for a number of years. The Fecos utility's consumers were mostly located in the oil fields of Upton and Pecos Counties. Matt Dillighem, district manager for the West Texas Utilities, McCamey, probably will take charge of the sales and service of the Pecos cor-

Company officials understand tion was to be dropped and that the McCamey Lions' Club that the name of the Pecos corporader the name of the West Texas Has Guest Program Utilities Co.

The exact purchase price was not known, but it was estimated conservatively at \$1,500,000.

was to pay Pecos Valley an amount \$937,830. The net free assets would include the power plant at Girvin on the Pecos in Pecos County.

Notice to McCamey Mothers of Six Year-olds

There will be a meeting of preschool mothers at the McCamey elementary school building Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock p.m.

All mothers having children entering school for the first time, or those who will be six years old by September 1st, 1944, are urged to be present as this is an important

Political Announcements

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 22. 1944.

For Representative 88th Legisla-

tive District O. E. GERRON (Ector County)

For County Judges 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. 1 H. G. YOCHAM (re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 2:

W. C. McDONALD

W. J. PRICE

ED GUY BRANCH

For County Commissioner Pre.

TOM TRIMBLE

BOB WAITS

J. O. CURRIE (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Pre. 4:

BURLEY McCOLLUM (For Second Term)

For Constable, Precinct 4 F. D. (Shorty) BELCHER

Longtime Resident of Rankin Dies Sunday

Marion O. Wheeler, age 70, died suddenly at 2 p. m. Sunday from a heast attack in his Recreation Hall Pecos Valley Power and Light Co., that he operated in Rankin. He had

Mr. Wheeler was born in Cove Springs, Ala. May 11, 1873. He resided in Love County, near Marietta, Okla., for 22 years and lived for erating "in effect" the utility in Mc- awhile in Kansas. He moved to

Survivors besides the widow are purchase, in process for the last one son, C. E. Wheeler, Houston; year, was approved at Philadelphia one daughter, Mrs. S. W. Brown, last week by the Securities and Ex- Jal, New Mexico; one grandson, Billie George Kelly, U. S. Navy. Services were held at 4 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Rankin, with the Rev O. O. Moore, paster, officiating.

Active pail bearers were C. G. dress. Taylor, Rolph Daugherty, Jack Smith, Arch Hall, Bob Schlagal, all of Rankin.

Arrangements were under the direction of Harris Luckett Funeral

The McCamey Lions' Club met Monday night for their regular, meeting and had as their guests the The Associated Press reported Wagner, Ed Barfield, Dwayne Tayfrom Philadelphia that West Texas lor, Harley Turner and Ralph Brown. These boys had charge of equal to its net free assets plus the reogram for the evening and conducted a ouiz program on the "Housing Conditions" "Slums" and curernt questions. There was a round table discussion on "Can the War be Won Against Germany by Bombing?

John G. Prude, superintendent of schools in Rankin, was also a guest and entertained the club and guests with cowboy songs.

RECONVENED SESSION OF THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS

APRIL 28, 1944 BE IT REMEMBERED that on this the 28th day of April, A. D. 1944, the Honorable Commissionre-convened in Regular Session at the Court House in Rankin, Texas, with the following members present and presiding:

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

W. E. Yates, Commissioner, Pre-J. O. Currie, Commissioner Pre-

Burley McCollum, Commissioner J. E. Simco, Sheriff Ralph H. Daugherty, County

WHEREUPON the following proeedings were had to-wit:

MOTION by Currie seconded by Yates that Upton County, Texas employ Mrs. Fred Gibson as County Librarian at McCamey, Texas, at a monthly salary of \$40.00 per

All Commissioners voting Aye. MOTION by Commissioner W.E. Yates seconded by Commissioner McCollum that the Commissioners' Court pay Mrs. C. L. Burress the tract for the months of May, June, July and August, 1944.

All Commissioners voting Aye.
MOTION by Commissioner Yates
econded by Comissioner McCollum that this court adjourn.

All Commissioners voting Aye. Wm. R. Edwards, County Judge. Ralph H. Daugherty, County

THE STAT EOF TEXAS COUNTY OF UPTON

I, Ralph H. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court of Upton County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Minutes of Commissioners' Court of Upton County, Texas as the same appears of record in my office in Book 3, Page 113 of the Minutes

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL AT OFFICE in Rankin, Texas, this the 2nd day

of May, A. D., 1944. Ralph H. Daugherty, Clerk of the County Court, Upton County,

By Dorothy West, Deputy.

Bert Morgan returned Wednesday from Dallas where he had spent the past three weeks under the care of doctors there.



WITH THE COLORS

Pvt. Thomas H. Warren, Jr. left was inducted into the armed service and will be stationed there Pyt. Thomas is the son of Mr. and uated from McCamey High School and altended Texas University for carried by the agencies has been re one term. Following is Thomas' ad-

Pvt. Thomas H. Warren, Jr. 3358078; Co. A 4320 Unit Ft. Bliss, Texas.

Pat O. Pauley who left some weeks ago for U. S. Navy V-12 service is stationed in Monticello, Ark. where he is attending school. Following is Pat's address:

Pat O. Pauley A-S U.S.N.R. Horsfall Hall No. 110 Navy V-12 Unit A & M College Monticello, Ark.

Pfc. Charile Young of the Fesos Army Air Field arrived Wdnesday for a short leave with his perents and friends.

Mr. and Mr. Clarence Weddle recently received word that their son, Sgt. Marvin Weddle of Sky Hartor Airport, Phoenix, Arizona has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant.

Lt. James Norwood Frierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Frier son, who received his wings afte graduating from the Army Air Base at Fort Worth in January of this year is now stationed at Gowen Field, Idaho, where he is a pilo of one of the E-34 bombers at the Idaho Air Base.

Pfc. Wade Scott of Minreal Wells arrived last weekend to spend a ers' Court of Upton County, Texas, ten day leave with Mrs. Scott and

> ents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meeks. Jack has been in the Naval service six months and is stationed in San Diego, Calif. He attended school here and later married Pauline Mullenix of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Meeks have two sons who live with their mother in San Angelo.

Lt. Harvey E. Jacobsen, brother of O. O. Jacobsen visited here over Mrs Thomas Dies in the weekend. Lt. Harvey is Plans and Training Officer and has been Midland Tuesday stationed at Jefferson Barracks, St Louis, Mo. and was enroute to Salt Lake City where he will be stationed a few weeks before he will be transferred to California.

Aviation Cadet Lawton M. Sides has finished his cours at Manmouth College, Illinois, and is now at Central State College, Edmond, Okla.

Capt. Cuthbert Carl of Camp sum of \$39.00 additional to he rcon- | Fannin arrived Wednesday for a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carl.

nin arrived Tuesday for a short nesday. Burial was in the Midland

leave with his daughter, Marjorie, cemetery. and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell. A card from Major Roy R. Priest

states that he is still at Headquarters, 8th Service Command in Dalall his friends in the area.

Seelye of McCamey has recently Brown from high school. been home on a furlough. Mrs. Seelye met him in Orient at the home of his uncle, Elmer Allen. A Howard E. Stoker. Mr. and Mrs. sister, Edith Myrle McGuire also John Fussell, M. and Mrs. Jim Herfrom Orient to Dallas where they and daughter, Joy.

visited his sisters. Eloise Cotton of Mrs. Claudia Watts, teacher of Dallas and other relatives.

Cpl. Seelye enlisted in July, band is employed. 1941. He received his training in San Diego, Calif., and was sent to the Hiwaiian Islands in November 1941. Since then he has been in three engagments in the Southwest Pacific. He landed in the States, March 12, following more than a year of foreign service. His furlough is for 20 days.

Property of Upton County Citizens

Upten County was not missed in the storms which have caused damage over most of the State of Texas last weekend and during the week. McCamey suffered from a hail storm Saturday. Claim adjusters, carpenters and roofing men have been busy since last Monday morning in getting estimates of material and labor necessary to make re-Thursday for Ft. Bliss where he pairs to roofs damaged early Saturday morning after old man weather roared in with about a ten-minute hail storm. Recording agencies re-Mrs. Thomas Warren, Sr. He grad- port that almost every composition roof on which storm insurance is ported to be damaged by hail. It is estimated that the average loss will

run approximately \$197.00. The C. G. Forescr agency reports that it is es.imated that the total will be approximately \$825.70. The Key Insurance Agency reports approximately \$6300.00.

It is expected that owners of damaged roofs will receive checks and Mrs. L. W. Stacy. in payment of losses within a few days after reports are made by the ed usters to the various insurance companies.

Considerable damage was done in Rankin Monday by flood waters ch overed the entire lower part town. Coming in from the scuthcast the flood water 'ook a toll of an estimated \$500.00 worth of sheep on the Henry Neal ranch. Houses in the area were inundated. home reported was 17 inches which was the depth of the water inside the editor's home Monday.

Traffic on the highways between Rankin and Big Lake was halted for several hours and likewise between McCamey and Rankin

Upton Citizens May Buy Pineapples Through War Food Committee

The marketing committee of the War Foods Committee of Upton County will assist local citizenry III in a safe place. in taking orders for pineapples to be delivered in the county around Jack Meeks S2c left Tuesday after May 22nd, These are recommendate book will be book will be to the County Home Demonstrations as long as earlier food books tion Agent as high grade pineapples and will be shipped direct to

this county from the growers. Orders for pineapple must be placed with a member of the marketing committee or at the office of Mrs. Nettie B. Messick by Saturday, May 6th. They will be \$3.20 a dozen.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Midland, died in a Midland Hospital Tuesday, May 2. Mr. Thomas is District Superintendent of the Humble Pipe Line Co. They had resided in Midland about six years, moving there from Cisco.

armed service on the west coast; second son of Mr. and Mrs. Aycock. one daughter who resides in Dallas Pvt. John Menefee of Camp Fan-Methodist Church at 4 p.m. Wed-Funeral services were held at the

Dunbar School Closes

Graduation exercises were held las. He asks to be remembered to at the Dunbar School Friday night. Supt. Howard E. Stoker presented diplomas to two graduates, Matty Cpl. Charles W. Seelye of the U. Watts and Gladys Bracy, from ele-S. Marine Corps, son of Mrs. Louise mentary school and to Barbery ly.

The following visitors were pre sent for the exercises, Mr. and Mrs. lives there. He and his mother went rington, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor,

Houston and Pearl Hienzman of the Dunbar school left Tuesday for Benenicia, Calif., where her hus-

> Sheriff and Mrs. J. E. Simco returned the first of the week from a business trip to Ballinger, Cisco and Coleman. They were joined in Abilene by their daughter Miss Mildred Simco and other friends for a fishing trip to Cisco Lake.

Mail and Floods Damage Revival To Start at McCamey Methodist Church Sunday, May 7

A revival meeting will start a the Methodist Church, Sunday, May 7, according to an announcement by the local pastor, the Rev. J. H. Estes. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Fred J. Brucks, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church in San Angelo.

Rev. Brucks comes highly recom mended as a pastor- evangelist. Services will be twice daily, at 10 a.m. in the morning and at 8:15 in the evening. The public is cordially invited to attend these ser-

IcCamey Students Mak Trip to Regional Meet

Twelve High School Students went to El Paso for the annual regional meet, April 20-22. The group was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs H. E. Stoker, Mrs. Tommy Barrow

The one-act play, 'Life With Mother" won third place. The cast included Erma Edwards, Betty Jan Cooke, Beth Warfield and Shirley Pulley. The play was directed by Mrs. Tommy Barrow

The extemporaneous speakers, Pat Keefer and Bob Kellerman en two second places. They d moved current events about the home front. Both debater teams competed with El Paso High School representatives and the local teams Shirley Kleinman and Joan Cole, and Joe Lambeth and George Garrett won two seconds. The declaimers were Nelda Jean Stacy and Bobby Beardon.

Save Your Ration Books Cautions Chairman

Housewives were advised today by C. H. Fisher, general chairman of the Upton War Price and Rationing Board to take good care of War Ration Book IV and to keep Book

All buying of rationed foods i now done from Book IV and that book will be in use about three

Applications are frequently received from people who want replacements for ration books that have been lost or damaged. Since no more ration books are to be ! printed soon, replacement may be come increasingly difficult, Mr

Fisher said. Book III must be kept, even though it is not used for food buy ing, since it contains airplane stamp one now good for shoes and will probably continue to be used for shoe rationing.

Hospital Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Aycock announce the birth of a son born, May 2nd. He weighed 8 pounds Mrs. Thomas had been in ill and 8 ounces and has been named health the past few years. Survi- James Jackson. Mr. Aycock was vors besides her husband include formerly principal of the High two sons, Frank Thomas, some- School, but is now employed with where in England and J. W., in the the Shell Pipe Line Co. This is the

> Mrs. J. R. Finch of Rankin was admitted this week for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. J. Hunsinger of Big Lake underwent major surgery May 1st and is reported doing nicely.

Miss Dorothy St. John, daughter of Mr .and Mrs. Geo. St. John underwent major surgery Tuesday, May 2nd, and is getting along nice-

Mrs. J. W. Rosser of Big Lake was admitted this week for major

Mrs. R. D. Taylor of Odessa, sister of Mrs. B. H. Koger of Mc-Camey, was admitted, April 30th for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harwell are parents of a son born April 29th. He weighed 6 pounds and 1 ounce and has been named Daniel, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bushong are parents of a daughter born, May 3rd. She weighed 6 pounds and 8 ounces and had not been named Laughter, Sr., of Abilene. Wednesday.

Clint Anderson Visits McKloskey Hospital

Clint Anderson returned Friday of last week from a business trip to College Station. Enroute home he visited the McClosky Hospital where he talked with boys who had seen service with his brother, Tom Anderson, who was with the 36th Division in Italy. One of the boys was with Tom when they were both wounded but could give Mr. Anderson no information as to where his brother was hospitalized. Mr. Anderson stated that altho most of the boys with whom he talked had lost arms, legs and some of them were blind, that their morale was of the highest and there was still umor and vitality among them. There are now 2500 soldiers at McClosky and two wards of Ger-

nan prisonres who are patients. Miss Mary Day, sister of Mrs. S. B. Ramsey, who has been employed in San Angelo spent two days this week visiting in the Ramsey home. She was enroute to Sweetwater where she has accepted a position.

Oil Taxes Pay Fourth of Texas' Pubic School Educational Bill

Dallas, May 4-Taxes paid by the Texas oil industry meet the cost of educating one out of every four chool children in Texas, according cryey just completed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

Total cost of operating the State's public schools in 1943 was \$96,086,-675, of which the petroleum industry paid \$22,421,262 in direct taxes, not including the gasoline which is paid by the motorist but collected for the government by the oil industry.

There are numerous independent school districts in which oil is paying the bulk of the taxes- in two instances, a full 90 per cent last year; and in 14 others, including one entire county, oil paid more than 80 per cent.

Where oil foots the chief part of the school bill, the expense per pupil runs much higher than in the state as a whole. Taking 10 such districts, including one entire county, the average per pupil was \$173.38, compared to the State average of \$64.30, which, by the way, was an increase of \$2.88 over the

preceding year. The oil industry also aided in retiring outstanding bonds in the school districts, and in one instance oil's part of the cost was slightly over \$64 per student.

McCamey Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Guyger of Midalnd spent Sunday with Mrs. Guyger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burley McCollum.

Mrs. Clint Anderson and daughter left this week for Albany where they will visit her parents and a brother who is on leave from the Armed Service.

J. S. Key of Odessa was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blake and baby of Midland visited Mrs. Blake's grandmother, Mrs. F. A. Perkins last weekend. Mrs. Blake is the former Helen Akin of Mc-Camey.

Miss Nell Tipton who has been living in Alamogordo, New Mexico, has moved back to McCamey and is employed at the Vogue Beauty Shop where she was formerly em-

Misses Pauline and Floy Ruth McWilliams formerly of McCamey visited friends here last weekend. Pauline is Home Demonstration agent of Pecos County and is now living Fort Stockton. Floy Ruth is employed by the Humble Oil and Refinery Co., Midland.

Mr .and Mrs. E. D. Veal and son, Donnie, will leave Saturday night for Brownsfield where they will spend the weekend visiting Mrs. Veal's mother.

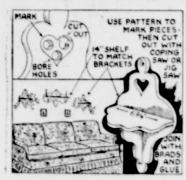
Mr. and Mrs. Benny Baron and son of Lubbock spent last weekend here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver O. Jacobsen had as their guest Tuesday, Dan T.



O YOU have a large wall space somewhere in your house that looks rather bare? Why not fill it with a group of matched brackets on which you may make an attractive arrangement of brica-brac and trailing vines?

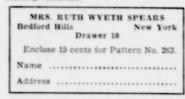
This sketch shows a set of three brackets in a quaint old-fashioned heart design over a davenport in



the living room. The center bracket is fourteen inches wide with one of the matching smaller brackets on each side. A school boy who has the use of a coping saw or maybe a jig saw may make these grace-

a Jig saw may make these grace-ful brackets.

NOTE—Mrs. Spears has prepared an actual size pattern for all the pieces of this set of wall brackets, with complete directions for cutting, assembling and fin-ishing. The lines of these brackets are so well proportioned that you will be proud to own them. Ask for Pattern 263 and en-close 15 cents, which covers cost and mailing. Address:



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enjoy solid foods
— avoid embarrassment of loose 2. Pure, harmless,
plates. Helps prepleasant tasting. All druggists - 30¢. Money back if not deligi



WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Unending Allied Air Offensive Blasts Nazi's Western Defenses, Railroads; Lag Seen in Farm Machinery Output; Dutch East Indies Bombed by British

(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.) . Released by Western Newspaper Union



Camp Gordon, Fla.—Newspaper men touring southeastern camps ride amphibious tank at Camp Gordon, Johnston, Fla.

EURCPE:

Unending Raids

An unending procession of U. S. and British bombers soared over western Europe blasting the invasion path, while in the Balkans to the southeast, Axis forces went over to the attack to shore up the Russians' drive on Rumania and Hun-

Big bombers, medium bombers and strafing fighter planes all participated in the Allied aerial attacks on France, the Lowlands and Germany, with rail communications leading to the invasion coast and airports and aircraft factories the principal targets. In one 36-hour period alone, Allied aviators made no less than 6,000 individual flights over the west.

Axis counterattacks in the Balkans took form as the Russians advanced on Carpathian mountain passes leading into the rolling Hungarian plains, and other Red forces threatened the rich Rumanian oil fields around Ploesti. In the Crimean peninsula jutting into the Black sea, Russian forces laid siege to the big naval base of Sevastopol, where Axis troops flocked after a lengthy

Demand Loyalty

As western Europe crackled under the Allies' savage bombing offensive

sion path, Nazi No. 2 Hermann Goering and Nazi No. 3 used Hitler's 55th birthday to loudly appeal to the German people for unduring the hectic

period to follow. Said Goering: "A thousand dangers

may lie ahead New anxieties and burdens may prove inevitable . . . No sacrifice and no privation should be too great to make for Germany . . . Our gift to the fuehrer is our vow not to lay down arms until we have assured the Reich's future."

Said Goebbels: " Said Goebbels: " . . . Even the greatest leaders of history will be faced with occasional setbacks and defeats . . . It will not be possible to form an accurate and just idea of the individual war events and factors which have been decisive in the war until the war is over . . to serve our aims means to be loyal to the fuehrer and to follow him through all the storms of war. . .

FOREIGN HOLDINGS: U. S. Stake

After a canvass of more than 200,000 individuals, estates and trusts, and 16,000 business firms, the U. S. Treasury established American holdings in more than 50 foreign countries at \$13,300,000,000.

Although two-thirds of the holdings of household goods, bonds and factories are in Allied or friendly nations. U. S. national's stake in Axis or occupied countries totals \$3,775,000,000, of which \$1,290,000,000 is in Germany, \$265,000,000 in Italy, \$90,000,000 in Japan, \$65,000,000 in Rumania and \$55,000,000 in Hun-

By far the largest U. S. investments are in Canada, aggregating \$4,375,000,000 and holdings in Great Britain total \$1,030,000,000. Investments in Cuba amount to \$785,000,-000; Mexico, \$420,000,000; Argentina, \$355,000,000, and Brazil, \$330,000,000.

MANPOWER: Biggest Problem

During 1944, manpower and not material will constitute the biggest obstacles to resumption of the production of civilian goods, the War Production board's planning and statistical chief, Stacy May, re-

Although reductions in certain munitions programs may reach considerable proportions toward the end of 1944, the question of converting facilities to the manufacture of civil-ian goods will revolve around the army's call for manpower for casualty replacements, May said. Because of declines in construction employment and increasing efficiency in factories, however, more workers may be made available for con-

sumer goods, May declared. Sufficient steel, aluminum and opper probably could be obtained for civilian production later in the year, May said, but shortages of necessary parts or accessories might form serious bottlenecks.

PACIFIC:

Raid Treasure-House

Storehouse for Japanese oil, tin and rubber, the Dutch East Indies were hit by British bombers for the first time in nearly a year and a half, with docks, warehouses and shipping left in flames in the northern end of the islands.

While the bombers whacked at this treasure-house of natural re-sources which have fed the Japs' industrial sinews of war, British and Indian troops continued their desperate defense of the Bengal-Assam railroad in eastern India, feeding U. S. and Chinese forces hacking In U. S., Canada out a supply road to China in northern Burma.

In the South Pacific area, U. S. army and navy bombers teamed up to plaster the Japs' Caroline islands, gateway to the inner approaches of the enemy's principal Asiatio

AGRICULTURE: Machinery

Because of the necessity of stepping up production of landing barges and other invasion craft cemanding critical material, farm machinery output this year may not feach expected levels, War Food Administrator Marvin Jones revealed.

Although too early to make predictions, Jones said, machinery output should exceed 1940 figures. None has been allocated to the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation administration or for export, he

As of April 1, Jones revealed, machinery production totaled 36,000 combines, 9,000 balers, 23,000 side rakes, 44,000 spreaders, 121,000 tractors and 15,000 cornpickers.

At a time when Selective Service was tightening up on farm deferments, the U.S. department of agriculture reported that farm workers as of April 1 totaled 9,080,000, or about 228,000 less than a year ago.

With a better organized farm labor program and seasonal help from volunteer workers, however, the USDA expected rural America to meet this year's expanded food goals despite the inroads into help. Although only 2 per cent lower than April, 1943, the farm labor supply was 54 per cent of the prewar average, the USDA declared.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

PROFITS: The meat packing industry had a net income of only 1.1 per cent on sales in 1943, the lowest for any major manufacturing industry, the American Meat institute re-

BANANAS: Shortage of shipping between South American and United States ports is seriously handicapping importation of bananas, trade officials say.

HERO: In a curious case of marine hero, who is also a deserter from the marines and the army, First Class Private William B. Murphee of Tennessee left the army after nearly six years of service and then joined the marines to win the cross as a member of Carlson's Raiders. Walking away from a marine hospital, he was later detained and held for discipline.

GOP:

Keynoter Named

Selection of Gov. Earl Warren of California as opening speaker, or keynoter, at the Republican national convention in Chicago, June 24, has served to modulate the extreme nationalist and internationalist ele-

ments in the party. Brawny, 6-foot Governor Warren who first jumped into the political spotlight on the west coast through his racket-busting, stands by the GOP's Mackinac declaration on foreign policy, stressing international

cooperation with other nations with-out impairing U. S. sovereignty. Said Warren: "As Republicans, we must avoid discord that would interfere with our displacing the White House palace guard with an administration more competent to win the war and solve our postwar problems, domestic and foreign."

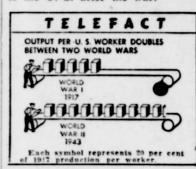
LEND-LEASE:

Extension Debated With congress considering extension of lend-lease until June 30, 1945,

debate centered around subjecting the President's final settlements with foreign recipients to legislative scrutiny. Under terms of the lend-lease

measure, the President had sole authority to make final settlements, but in extending the act to 1945, the house wrote in an amendment which prohibits him from negotiating final settlements involving international committments without congressional approval.

During the course of house debate on the new measure which was sent to the senate by a 334 to 21 vote, the majority killed Republican efforts to compel foreign nations to return lend-lease munitions to the U.S. after the war.



PLAY BALL:

Majors Open

More than 123,000 fans were on hand to witness the opening of the 1944 major league baseball season, with the largest crowd of 30,154 watching the Chicago Cubs spank the Cincinnati Reds, 3 to 0, at Cincinnati, and the smallest of 4,030 watching the St. Louis Cardinals blank the Pittsburgh Pirates, 2 to 0, at St. Louis.

The New York Yankees' Johnny Lindell drove out the majors' first home run against the Boston Red Sox to lead his team to a 3 to 0 victory, and the Philadelphia Athletics and Washington Senators played the first extra inning game, with the A's winning in the 12th, 3 to 2, when Rookie Erwin Hall doubled home Babe Siebert.

STRIKES:

Strikes at Montgomery Ward and company and the Ford Motor company of Canada crowded the labor spotlight.

At Ward's, the nation's No. 2 mail order house, the company resumed shipment of freight and parcel post after railroad and teamster unions had tied up deliveries in sympathy with the CIO's United Mail Order, Warehouse and Retail Employees union, which struck over the firm's refusal to extend a bargaining contract upon order of the War Labor

About 14,000 employees of the Ford company's Canadian plants remained idle after a walkout in pro test over the firm's discharge of CIO stewards for investigating members' grievances during working hours, and the company's subsequent can-

cellation of the union's contract. SOLDIERS' WIVES: Arrive in U.S.

Anxious to look over their new homeland, 90 Australian brides or fiancees of American soldiers arrived in the U. S. from "Down Under," with one expressing the be-lief that if they got good Irish stew now and then, they should learn to

Wife of a marine corporal from Shinnston, W. Va., Mrs. Doris Jean Lebash, said: "The American boys . bluntly told some of us, we in Australia were 10 years behind the times. They told us we couldn't wear American clothes, and that we'd never see such beautiful girls as we'd see in this country.'

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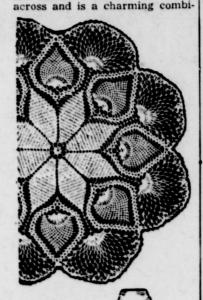
It is costing the government less this year to provide "board and room" for the millions of enlisted men in the army. Economies have

men in the army. Economies have trimmed the annual expenditure to an estimated \$465.06 this year.

The estimated figures include \$215.35 for food, \$173.70 for clothing, \$44.70 for individual equipment (excepting arms and ammunition), and \$31.31 for barracks equipment. Production costs on many items supplied by contractors have been reduced.

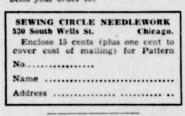
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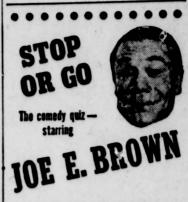
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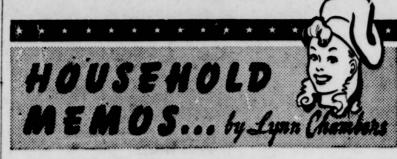
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Help Yourself to a Salad!

Salad Magic

Salads are in season summer, winler, fall and spring, but in spring you can really have all the variety you want. There are crisp greens aplenty, perhaps fresh from your own garden, and loads

of fresh fruits and vegetables to complete the demands of health and satisfy the appetite for really fresh - from - the - garden

Everywhere you go you hear people saying, "A salad is just the thing," or "I want something green and crisp." It's a sign of spring, this desire to eat foods that fit with the newness and freshness of spring.

A new idea for serving is to try a salad buffet for it will save your preparing individual salads for everyone. Simply set salad ingredients in bowls, park them on a tray and whisk them into the dining room for everyone to make up his own combination. In the picture illus-trated above, you will notice the bowl of salad dressing is surrounded by crisp greens, and then there are bowls of grapefruit sections with avocado pears, strawberries, pears or peaches and prunes stuffed with cottage or cream cheese and nutsall the makings for salad for helping yourself to any combination that appeals to you and your guests.

Salads can double for both the salad and dessert course, or they cas be the mainstay of your lunch-

eon for the club. *Salad-Dessert Loaf. (Serves 6)

I envelope plain unflavored gelatin 14 cup cold water

2 egg yolks 1 tablespoon melted butter or substitute

1/3 cup mild vinegar 3 tablespoons vinegar 1/2 teaspoon sait teaspoon paprika

Few grains cayenne, if desired % cup milk 2 tablespoons canned pineapple juice cup prepared fruit

1 cup evaporated milk, whipped Soften gelatin in cold water. Beat egg yolks and salt. Add vinegar, salt, butter, cayenne, paprika and pineapple juice gradually. Whip lightly. Add milk and cook in top of double boiler un-

til of custard con-. sistency, stirring constantly. Remove from fire and dissolve softened gelatin in hot custard mixture. Chill. stirring occasionally while cooling. When mixture begins to set, fold in whipped, evaporated milk and fruit, cut in small pieces (orange, cherries, canned pineapple, grapefruit,

Lynn Says:

Give Yourself Health! Egyptians cultivated salad foods such as onions and garlic; Romans enjoyed chicory and lettuce. Why ouldn't you?

Your cues to a good salad are few but important: ingredients should be well chilled, attractively arranged and served with the proper dressing. Most fruit salads take a whipped cream dressing or cooked dressing or mayonnaise flavored with fruit juices. Occasionally, in the case of a bland fruit or citrus fruit, a

french dressing is a must. Seafoods are usually marinated before mixed with other ingredi-ents. Marinate shrimps, crab-meat, etc., in french dressing even though you may use mayon-naise to hold the salad together. The above trick may also be tried with potato salad. It improves flavor.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu

Broiled Chicken New Potatoes Peas Biscuits Jelly *Salad Dessert Loaf Orange Marmalade Lars Coffee *Recipe Given

peaches, pears or any desired fruit combination). When firm, unmold on platter and garnish with green pepper. Trim platter with salad

Shrimps in a salad can make up the main dish for a warm night supper without too much fussing on your

Shrimp Salad. (Serves 6) 2 No. 1 cans shrimp 21/2 cups diced cooked potatoes 1 cup diced celery 14 cup chopped green pepper 12 cup french dressing 2 tablespoons lemon juice

1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup mayonnaise Salad greens 3 whole tomatoes, cut in wedges 8 green pepper rings

Ripe olives Combine shrimp, potatoes, celery and green pepper. Add french dressing, lemon juice and salt. Chill. Just before serving, moisten with mayonnaise. Serve on chop plate garnished with salad greens, tomato wedges, green pepper rings and

A salad that's substantial and really good is one that combines fish with macaroni. A

subtle combination of seasonings makes it just perfect eating: Macaroni-Salmon Salad.

11/2 cups flaked salmon, tuna or crabmeat 1 cup cooked macaroni 1 cup canned peas

1/2 cup diced celery 2 tablespoons minced pimiento 2 tablespoons chopped sweet pickle Salt and pepper to taste

Mayonnaise Combine ingredients in order given. Toss lightly with dressing and serve, well chilled in lettuce cups. The following salads are cool and vitamin-rich, perfect foil for warmer

cups raw carrots, grated 1 cup raw cabbage, shredded ¼ cup raw celery, chopped ¼ cup onions, diced Cooked salad dressing Mix together vegetables with just

Raw Vegetable Salad.

enough dressing to hold together. Lettuce Rolls. 1 head lettuce cup cottage cheese 1/2 cup seedless raisins

1/2 cup chopped nuts

1/2 cup mayonnaise Combine cheese, raisins and nuts. Blend well with mayonnaise. Add salt to taste. Use large lettuce leaves and spread with cheese mixture. Roll as for jelly roll; chill and serve.

Dressing Variations. French Dressing: Crumble 1/4

ound roquefort cheese into 1 cup french dressing. Serve over greens. Lemon Cream Dressing: To 1 cup chilled, evaporated cream, whipped, add 3 tablespoons honey and 1 table-spoon lemon juice. Serve with Fruit Salad.

Mayonnaise: Add ¼ cup chili sauce, 2 tablespoons pickle relish, and 2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped to 1 cup mayonnaise. This is good over

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Tales of the Big Town:

Williston Rich of the Time mag factory tried for years to convince his colleagues there that Bob Hope would make an interesting profile . . . But he was always nh-nh'd . . .

St he went on a short holiday, and the bosses suddenly decided that Hope should be given a salute The piece was prepared by the guy pinch-hitting for Mr. Rich . . . So what? . . . So Reader's Digest picked it up and sent the pinch-hitter a check for \$1,000!

Some of the men from a redistribution center were entertaining at the Latin Quarter the other midnight . . . When they finished they tipped the waiters lavishly and called over a bus-boy to hand him a few dollars . . . "Thank you, a few dollars . . "Thank you, Lieutenant," he said, "but I couldn't accept any gratuity. Just waiting on you has been a pleasure. You see, I was wounded in your sector, discharged, and I'm now back helping the war effort by serving you and all other men in the war' Then he opened his white coat and displayed his campaign ribbons The officers stood and saluted the bus-boy. It was all very lumpyin-the-throat and thrilling.

A group of midtowners were gabbing about charges of "innuendo" over the radio, and a veteran recalled this Jimmy Walker story During his first campaign for Mayor of New York, LaGuardia charged the popular Walker with all sorts of corruption, and Walker never an-

"Why should I make his cam-paign for him?" he said to a pal. "I won't build him up. It would be fun, though, to ask him one question. What was he doing in Waterbury on July 16, 1928?"

'Was LaGuardia there then?" asked the friend.

"I dunno," replied Walker, "but if I asked that question he could deny it until he was blue in the gills. A lot of suckers would still believe there was something fishy about him and Waterbury!"

Sid Sheldon reports that a company of boys from the Army Signal Corps were sent to the induction station for overseas physicals. One of them (in the army three years) wandered into the wrong line and wound up being examined with selectees. The final doctor told him he was 4-F. "But," protested the soldier, "I'm already in the Army!"
"Nonsense," snapped the medico,

"get dressed and go home!" The poor soldier got back into uniform, returned to camp and said nothing. How do you explain to a Top Sarge that you're 4-F?

Congress refused to put another heavy tax on horse racing. It imposed 30 per cent tax on night clubs where servicemen get real recreation. Racing has a powerful lobby in Washington, and the night club owners (with a 600 million dollar industry) had a very weak lobby.

Some Chicago cafe people, however, sent the members of the Ways and Means Committee (and the Senate Finance Comm.) large posters, which burned the legislators to a crisp because they know they are true. The posters show thousands of people throwing away their money at race tracks. The caption: "No tax here! They had a powerful lob-

The opposite side shows men in uniform in night clubs enjoying themselves dancing, etc. The caption: "These boys are giving their blood and had no lobby. They pay 30 per cent extra for their fun!

That tax is the highest on anything

in our history.

The Intelligentsia: Tommy Harmon, the hero, will do a book on his war adventures for Crowell . Poet Joseph Auslander's "The Unconquerables" (poetry in epic form) is his best . . . Senator James A. Mead's book, "Tell the Folks Back Home," will arrive May Eth via Appleton-Century . . . Kyle Crichton of Collier's once wrote "the novel is a dying literary form. Stories are best told via straight reporting or biog" . . . Kyle's first novel, "The Proud People," is in its 3rd printing . . . Eighty-seven year old S. S. McClure (founder of the old McClure's mag) will receive the Order of Merit plus \$1,000 cash prize from the Nat'l Institute of Arts and Letters . . . Stanley Richards' new play script (a cartoon in three acts) is titled: "Marriage Is for Single People" . . . When Billy Rose hears about some heel or no-good he

After a recent raid in Italy (according to Irv Hoffman) an Army surgeon told the chaplain that one poor fellow was beyond hope. The

marks the name down on his very

long "Drop Dead List."

poor fellow was beyond hope. The chaplain leaned over the wounded man and said: "My dear fellow, you are badly hurt. Have you anything to say or any word for your family?" "My inside coat pocket," moaned the soldier, painfully.

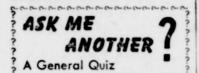
The chaplain felt the pocket and removed a wallet. "Is this what you want?" he asked . . . "Yes," whispered the soldier, "I'll bet you TH LT that I won't die!" He didn't.





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2. "Ad valorem" is a duty levied according to what? 3. How long will it take 1,000 airplane workers on a 40-hour

week to replace 60 bombers lost? 4. January 25, 1944, was the start of what year for China? 5. A febrile person is what?

6. What is the average length of an adult porpoise? 7. What country is on Mexico's

southern border? 8. Which way is shorter to Japan from San Francisco-by way of the Aleutians or via Hawaii?

9. James J. Davis was secre-tary of labor under how many Presidents? 10. In business what is meant

by a silent partner? The Answers

1. The Vatican City covers about

100 acres.

2. Value 3. One year

4. The 4641st year. Feverish.

6. Five and one-half feet. Guatemala. 8. By way of the Aleutians is shorter by 1,700 miles.

10 One who has invested money in the business without having assumed an active role in its administration

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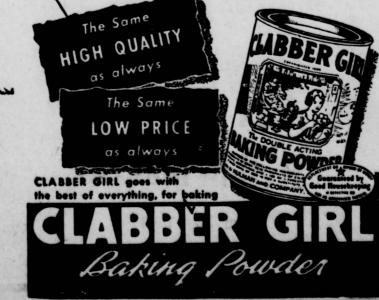


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Rankin News Items

Mrs. B. P. Miller made a trip to Big Spring Monday to return her was honored with a reception tea son to Rankin after a visit with relatives there.

Mrs. J. Linton Clark left Monday for a week's visit at Fort Sill, Okla with Lt. Clark.

Miss Maggie Taylor and Mrs. Walton Harral were among those attending the Eastern Star meeting in Midland last Thursday

Will Dudley never liked his

wife's pet parrot. Claimed the

parrot called him "Stinky"-and ate his pipe tobacco. And the

Missus sald it served Will right

his pipe indoors

. she'd told him not to smoke

To make her point, the Missus

grabs Will's pipe and throws it

out the window. So Will grabs

the parrot and throws him out

too. Looks like unpleasantness

-till in comes the parrot with

Will's corn cob in his mouth.

(And whistling "Home Sweet

Home," Will claims.)

No. 85 of a Series

Reception for Bride

Mrs. Roy Morgan, recent bride, at the home of Mrs. Jack Smith Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Clint Shaw was co-hostess with Mrs. Smith for the occasion.

After greeting the honoree the guests were served refreshments from a beautifully laid table, adorned with tapers and centered with sweet peas. Mrs. Clint Shaw presided at the punch bowl.

A large number of guests called during the afternoon

Well. Will and his wife both

bust out laughing . . . and made

peace over a friendly glass of

beer, allowing how it's pretty

silly getting mad at one an-

From where I sit, that's

mighty happy ending. If all of

us would live and let live in a

spirit of tolerance - whether it's

tolerance for a parrot or a pipe

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Annual Barbecue to be Held at High School

C. Snell and the 4-H Club members have completed plans for the anual barbecue to be held at the 8 o'clock. A lamb has been donated by the Rancher's Wool and Moboys' fathers have donated goats. ed to bring cakes, pies or salads.

Oliver O. Jacobsen of McCamey will be the principal speaker of the evening. Songs will be sung by the Rankin High School girls' cuartet.

The High School students, faculty members, club boys' parents and the school board members are cordially invited. Special invitations will be sent to other guests.

Party Honors Mrs.

Mrs. Nettie B. Messiek was hon-ored on her birthday last Thursday evening by a surprise party at the home of Mrs. Walton Poage. Mrs. Dunn Lowery assisted in the enterinment. Members of the Rankir Home Demonstration Club and the Joland Club presented her with a lovely gift. Bridge and 42 was played. Refreshments were served o Mmes. Tyson Midkiff, Walton Harral, S. H. Boyd, Thornton, W E. Yates, Al Turner, J. Linton Clark, C. J. Holcomb, Hamp Carter, W. C. McDonald, Ralph Daugh-erty, Jack Smith, W. T. Elrod, J G. Prude, the honored guest and

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Messick Last Thursday

the hostesses.

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Rankin Juniors Fete Seniors with Banquet

Carrying out the theme of "Hitch your Wagon to a Star" the Juniors entertained for the Seniors of the High School, Monday, May 8th at Rankin High School with the annual banquet at the Yates Hctel Saturday evening. Decorations hair Assn. and most of the club were made of blue crepe paper with tinsel stars from them. The Mothers of the boys have been ask- table was centered with a flower arrangement using the colors of the decorations. Mint cups were small wagons with attached stars. The program was a small booklet which included the data of the Senior class and the menu.

The welcome address was given by Herman Colcote who was toastmaster for the occasion. Toast to the Seniors was given by John Robert Prude and the Toast to the Juniors was made by Clayton Dameron, class president. The senior girls' quartet gave two rumbers; class history was given by

ckie Monroe; the class propiecy by Verda Nell Fording; A vocal solo by Supt. John G. Prude and wo more numbers by the girls' wartet. All numbers were in keeping with the theme for the evening. The guest list included the Senors, the Juniors, the High School faculty, the Junior room mothers and t'e senior room mothers.

Entertainment Honors Out-of-Town Guests

Mrs. Charles F. Hemphill enterained formally Saturday afternoon from the hours of four thirty to six thirty o'clock in hono of her mo-ther, Mrs. J. O. Gordon, Mrs. Jewel amily spent the weekend in San Nixon and Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard, Mrs. Nixon being te Worthy Matron of Albany Chapter No. 733, and Mrs. Howard, the Deputy Grand Matron of District 3, Section 4.

The invited guests were members of the Order of the Eastern Star of Rankin Chapter. Those attending were Mmes. Porter Johnson, Boyd Cox, Jim Robbins, Grimin Taylor, J. T. Dameron, H. F. Neal, J. D. Starnes, Georgia Burress, Used pre-war household furnish- Grover Jones, Myrl Glidewell, Clint Shaw, Ralph Daugherty, ton W. Harral, Paul Crandell, and Misses Maggie Taylor,

Worthy, and Louise Malaise. Miss Malaise attended in the dining room while refreshments were served from a beautifully laid table with white lace cloth. A crystal bowl held snapdragons and carnations artistically arranged, reflected from a large mirror formed the centerpiece. Crystal holders held blue, pink and white tapers at each end of the table. The pastel color scheme was carried out in spring flowers throughout the house. Mrs.

The guests returned to Albany

W.S.C.S. Continues Study

The fourth in a series of studies of the W.S.C.S. was given at the home of Mrs. Stanley Eddins Monday afternoon. Mrs. Ross Wheeler gave the devotional and Mrs. W. E. Stephenson gave the lesson.

to Mmes. John G. Prude, W. T. El-rod, S. H. Boyd, O. O. Moore, R. O. White, E. D. Yates, and Miss Myrtle Brick.

The concluding lesson of book will be given Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. R. O. White and Mrs. O. O. Moore will have the lesson while Mrs. Stanley Eddins will Lovely refreshments were srved give the devotional.





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