# COCHRAN COUNTY RED CROSS DRIVE STARTS SATURDAY <br> TRAIL DUST 

Bakery Prowler Not Hungry

Benefit Polo Game To Be Played Sunday Afternoon


| Seniors To Give | Vet Official <br> Play March 13 |
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| To Visit Morion |  |

Overseas Mailing Orders Changed
 New Dodge On Display

STATEMENT TO TRIBUNE READERS
War Vet Asks For County Job

Boxing Tournament Scheduled
For Morton High School
Lumbermen To
Hold Session
In Lubbock

Morton Couple
Wed In Lubbork

Local Girl To
Head Group At McMurry College

## WHY DON'T WE HAVE LUMBER FOR HOME BUILDING?

There are Plenty of trees, plenty of lumber mills, but very little lumber for home building. WHY?

Here are the simple facts behind the lumber shortage-these facts are stopping Home Building:

## 1.

Over $50 \%$ of our lumber was once cut by small mills. Thousands of these mills were put out of business during the war by OPA ceiling prices. OPA still clings to wartime policies and these mills are still out of business.
2.

OPA's blind "hold the line, 'policies, plus lack of enforcement, have led to the development of a huge Black Market in lumber. "Black Market" lumber is lumber that costs the people more money than they would pay if lumber were flowing to them through the normal channels of distribution-the retail lumber dealer.

## 3.

Wartime ceiling prices made it profitable for the lumber manufacturer to cut sizes of lumber for war uses but not suitable for home construction. As OPA continues this unrealistic policy, manufacturers continue to cut lumber sizes which are unsuitable for home construction. In some cases premium prices granted by OPA encouraged production of lumber not usable for Home Building. Proper peacetime adjustments have not yet been made to encourag production of home construction lumber such as flooring, ceiling, siding, millwork, plywood - all essential items in home construction. This situation affects all lumber production.

## 4.

The manufacturers of lumber have been provided with a hidden premium on export lumber. The OPA has made it more profitable to produce lumber for export to foreign countries than to produce lumber for home construction.

These are merely examples from the lumber field which indicates the type of OPA action that is blocking the production of home building materials in many fields.

The fact remains thai homes cannoi be buili by any industry or Government agency without materials.

Homes cannot be built without lumberwhether that home be wood frame, brick, concrete, or stone.

The lumber and building material dealers, and the contractors of the nation can build all the homes needed-If they have the materials. But the flow of materials must be unblocked. Only increased production of building materials can solve the so-called housing problem and the unrealistic pricing policy of OPA is the biggest present block to increased production!

Any government program that does not FISST remove the obstacles blocking production of materials will simply add additional difficulties to the problem facing the industry.

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## Historic Town

Fears Bypass


## Boot Black

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Texas War Bond Buying Pleases State Officials


| Of High Quality Irish Linen | BOOK LOVERS CLUB |
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## Classified Ads

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## Baker's Grocery <br> Butch Baker, manager

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Yes, your new electric kitchenwith all its conveniences and econo-mies-will soon be here. Your work in the kitchen will be so much easier-even fun. A real relief from kitchen drudgery.... Whether you plan to build or to remodel your present home, you will want a new all electric kitchen with the new, modern, electrical servants. With electricity so cheap, they will serve you at little cost.


Welcome Home Fireman First Class Edward
Vernon Byyum was discharged
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MIDWAY CLUE NEWS
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Tribune, Morton, Cochran County, Texas, Thursday, Mareh 7, 1946
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LOUIS and A. J.
P. O. Box 836 Morton, Texas

Massey-Harris Sales and Service

## Farm Specials

## , <br>  <br> THE GHEAT NEW DODGE

 MAKE YOUR GRAIN DOLISTER SHARES
all makes

## HOT WATER HEATERS

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Special Prices on 1 Gallon and Five

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all sizes
PUMP JACKS STEEL TOWERS WINDMILLS

If We Do Not Have What You Need, We Can Get It For You
Your Friendly Massey-Harris Dealers
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Veterans Should File Claims For Pension Benefits

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GARDEN CLUB NEWS
Mrs. J. B. Knox was hostess
to the Cochran County Garden
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Walkie-Talkie Will Be a Civilian Soon

Dr. Chas. C. Murray, Jr. optometrist Houms 9.000. 6.00
 on Balcony at "Lesters" . Lubbock

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10 yzans expriarizce watch and clock repairing
located at
THE RADIO LABORATORY Ben Crites

## Ray's Hardware

 Furniture and Appliances
## Scrictly Fresh

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TOOL BOXES
TOOL BOXES
Engine Air Pumps To fit farm trucks, tractors and passenger cars.

TRIMZ Ready Pasted Wall Paper
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Comes in a variety of patterns, suitable for any room in house

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"I'm the wife of a physician and the mother of six growing children. I must budget my strength carefully; my time more carefully; and my money most carefully. Thanks for Piggly Wiggly."

Flour
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25 Pounds
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## HOMINY Van Camp's 146

## \section*{Bunch} <br> Radishes

BARRROTS
Pound PABBAGE
Pound
Hot Peppers

Fresh, Pint
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Mayflower, Pound
Margarine
Pound
Rib Roast
Fresh or Dry, 4 for,
YEAST

89C
18 C
23 c
18 c
10 C


