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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS Compiled from instruments filed for record in office of the County Clerk and furnished by the BROWN ABSTRACT COMPANY

Mozell Holcomb to B B Botkin and wife part of the Hugh Cameron survey in Flat—150.00.

Roy Campbell and wife to Rabon Balch part of lots 1 and 2 blk 1 Wel's addition in Gatesville—2,800.00.

Bert Richardson and wife to Clarence Crawford 1-3 ac C Caze-noba survey—193.14.

Lester D. Britain and wife to Clarence Crayford 1-2 ac C Caze-noba survey—400.00.

R F Johnson and wife to O Claw-son about 176 acres of the A S Thurston et al surveys—10,000.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Chester Auckley and Beatrice Wright.



THEY ALSO HAVE SERVED

- Gus A. Koch, James F. Dorsey, James C. Whatley, Iva L. Johnson, Earl D. Odum, Vestal M. Newton, Frank T. Morgan, Lawrence T. Herring, Billy G. Manning, Virgil V. Parsons, Kenneth Paxton, Richard L. Johnston, E'roy Bohne, Weldon B. Quesenberry, Jack E. Edwards, Robert L. Williams, Max Vaden, Henry L. Millhause, Guy D. Walker

Markets

Table with market prices for various goods like Oats, Corn, Maize, Wheat, Eggs, Cream, Turkey Hens, Hens, Roosters, Fryers as of Monday, December 10, 1945.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanchard of Route 3, Gatesville, Texas, announce the arrival of a daughter. The baby was born December 7th at 2:30 P. M. On December 9th at 3:57 a. m. a baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Laird of Tama Star Route, Gatesville, Texas.

WAR BOND DRIVE \$50,000 SHORT ON E BONDS

Still we lag—Especially us little fellers who buy the "E" bonds. We need \$50,000 more bought this week to complete the quota of \$185,000, and Chairman Wade Sadler said \$135,000 had been sold.

He says, no concerted move will be made to complete this quota but it is expected that every individual and organization will exert every bit of their energy to see that Coryell County does not fail in this final Victory Loan Drive.

Texas has been sadly lacking in the Victory Bond Drive, and must have "re-converted" too soon to know that the war was not yet over, at least for many of the boys that are still on foreign soil, yes, many that will not be home until "after occupation".

Let's not let these boys down—or anybody else, for that matter. Of course, we're going to sell these \$50,000 in "E" Bonds.

TWO COUPLES GET "FIFTH FREEDOM" IN DISTRICT COURT

Two received divorces in District Court this past week, and they are: Lois Virginia Brake vs. George A. Brake, divorce granted. Ada Barr vs. Donald L. Baer, divorce granted.

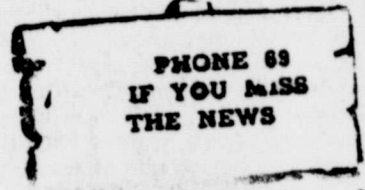
Annulment was granted to Ellen Douglas Dunne from John James Dunne.

AND, FROM THE SHERIFF'S DEPT. HERE'S THE COUNT

One State colored boy got out Saturday, and hasn't been found yet. Saturday night, a white boy got out, and was picked up by officers.

Two DB's are reported out from the DB Barracks.

Somebody got into Bert Wilson's store and took sausage, candy and cigarettes, Sunday, or Saturday night.



DEER HUNTERS

- C. P. Brasher, Mrs. C. P. Brasher, Mollie Belle Brasher, Herman Lynch, C. P. Brasher Jr.

PEARL SENIOR CLASS PRESENTS ANNUAL HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

Senior Class Students of Pearl High School will present their annual play Wednesday, December 12.

The play, entitled "Let Me Out of Here" is presented with special arrangements of a Cedar Rapids, Ia., publishing company.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this showing.

ANNUAL MEETING OF AMERICAN RED CROSS, DECEMBER 18

Annual meeting of the American Red Cross, will be at 3 p. m., December 18, at the District Court Room for the purpose of electing officers for the new year including a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and Board of Directors.

All citizens of Coryell County who have contributed \$1 or more to the American Red Cross are eligible to participate in this election.

TODAY'S EVENTS By Associated Press

GEN. GEO. PATTON INJURED IN CAR WRECK

MANNHEIM, Germany, Dec. 10 (AP) Gen. George Patton lap partially paralyzed today in a Heidelberg Hospital as nerve specialists were summoned from England and the United States to treat spinal injuries suffered when he was in an automobile accident yesterday. He was reported by doctors to be rational and his general condition was satisfactory.

JUDGE JOSEPH HUTCHESON HEADS GROUP

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP) President Truman today named Judge Joseph Hutcheson of Texas as United States Chairman of the 12-member Anglo-American committee to make recommendations for handling Jewish immigration to Palestine.

\$200,000 FIRE LOSS AT MEXIA

MEXIA, Dec. 10 (AP)—Fire starting in Yowell Drug Store's warehouse destroyed a business block here early today. Firemen fought the blaze for four hours in freezing weather. The loss was estimated at \$200,000.

HASHIMOTO TO TESTIFY IN COURTMARTIAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Commander Ike Hashimoto, captain of a Japanese submarine which is reported to have sunk the Cruiser Indianapolis July 30, arrived today to testify at the courtmartial of Captain Charles McVay, 3rd.

JOHN L. LEWIS AGAINST TRUMAN'S POLICY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP)—John L. Lewis today declared the enactment of President Truman's labor legislation proposals would be "to the advantage of the rich and powerful and those who would oppress labor".

WITH THE COLORS



Pvt. Raymond E. Johnson at Ft. Benning, Ga., has completed his nine weeks of intensive training and has been graduated from the basic and advanced courses of the Communications School. Included are Communications, Riggers, De-

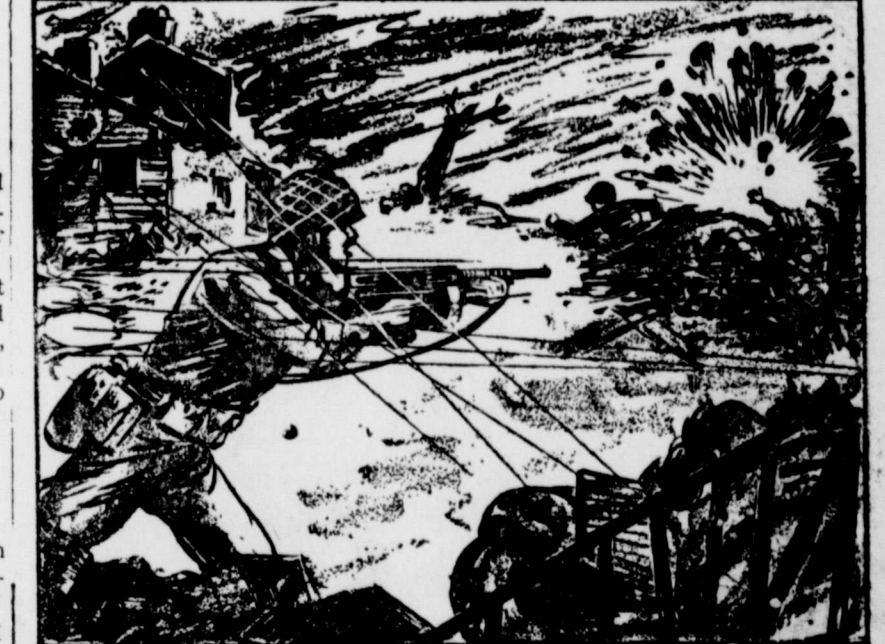
molitions and Airborne Orientation. Only qualified jumpers may apply and only the better men for each qualifying class will receive this instruction.

He is a brother of Mrs. Betty Lou Johnson of Osage.

Pearl Harbor—(Delayed) Carl Chambers, fireman, 1-c, of Gatesville is in the staging area here, being processed for transportation to a separation center in the U. S. A. and a discharge from the Navy.

S-Sgt. Francis C. Ward of Gatesville, has been discharged from the U. S. Army at the Ft. Knox Separation Center.

AMERICAN HEROES by WOODY COWAN



SEEING his two squads of infantry pinned down by enemy machine-gun fire, Lt. Beryl R. Newman, Fargo, N. D., boldly advanced, wounding two with his Tommy gun and chasing two others into a house. When the latter two attempted to retake a gun, he killed them. Then he kicked in the door of the house and forced eleven armed enemy gunners to surrender. He was awarded the Medal of Honor. Victory Bond investments can support men in all services who made this drive for final victory. U. S. Treasury Department

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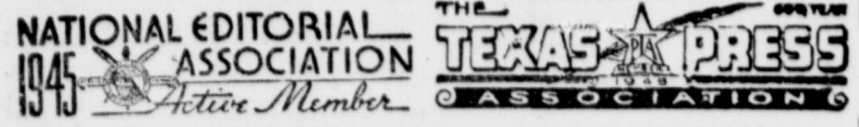
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AUSTIN, Dec. 7 (AP)—Although prices are high and materials scarce, builders are going ahead with residential work and construction awards for November hit a peak of \$28,921,431, the Texas Contractor said Friday.

The November total compares with \$8,979,466 for November of last year, and \$23,377,316 for October of this year.

Broken down, this shows \$6,611,098 for engineering; 2,983,023 for residential and \$19,324,310 for non-residential.

The residential total is the largest since May 1944, when over



Research

A salesman representing a firm of efficiency experts managed, several years ago, to gain admission to the office of a small manufacturer, one who employed fewer than 200 people. The solicitor made a sale. He induced his prospect to hire the services of the system fixers who, he promised, would show the owner how to save a great deal more of his factory's annual earnings.

After contracting for this rather high-priced advice, the owner of the business was impatient for results. He could hardly wait for the first "expert" to come and prune out needless expenses. Less work and more profit on the same volume always seems attractive. Finally came a polished man of 40 wearing spectacles with conspicuous rims on a chisel-shaped nose.

He Liked Action

The owner of the plant and his hired adviser walked solemnly together through offices and shops. They were returning to the main office when the expert's eye fell upon an idle man—an old man, sitting at a desk looking out a window. As soon as they were out of ear-shot, the expert exclaimed: "That old fuddy-duddy is a net loss. Discharge him! He is just sitting there dreaming."

"Do you suppose he is dreaming?" inquired the owner of the factory. "Day-dreaming, to be sure," replied the expert. "Well, that's just fine," said the owner. "Now we won't be needing your help. Every so often that old chap has a day-dream, and the cheapest one he ever had brought this firm half a million dollars of new business. Don't disturb him as you go out."

Ideas Have Life

Creative work has its peculiarities. It takes place inside people's heads, and superficial critics don't look that deep. First comes the germ of an idea; then careful analysis. Since no one person can know all about anything, research is necessary. Research is costly too, because it must be carried on by men who have special knowledge and special skills.

Inventions don't go into production direct from the dream stage. Manufacturing profits begin when multiplied copies of an invention start coming off the assembly line, but mass production permits no guesswork. The dream is necessary but numberless laboratory tests and exhaustive practical experiments must pave every invention's road to market. Many a good idea has died unworked for lack of research—too costly.

Increase the Yield

In America are many factories—geese able to lay golden eggs, such as employment, prosperity and progress. The fertile 14-carat gander in the flock is *Research*. Without this motivating influence industry may start its post-war program and pursue a well-charted course, efficiently amputating cost after cost until there's nothing left to cut off, but it's the road to ruin.

Not many weeks ago I read a scathing criticism of American business. In it the author hoisted a red flag in warning against capitalism. He pointed to hundreds of thousands of dollars spent annually in industrial research by a mere handful of wealthy corporations. I have only this to say: I hope they spent all he said and more, because the brightest spot in the outlook is research.

GENERAL BRUCE DECORATED FOR PACIFIC FEATS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—"Aggressive leadership" of the 77th Infantry division in Leyte and Okinawa campaigns today won for Maj. Gen. Andrew Davis Bruce, Temple, Texas, an Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a second Distinguished Service Medal.

The award was for operations between November 1944, and June 1945.

The War Department citation said:

"Unexpectedly ordered to throw his division into the invasion of the Philippines, he quickly prepared the plans. Four days after landing on the east coast of Leyte, elements of the division were in action and soon after the entire force expected a full scale assault, landing on the west coast of Leyte."

"Under skilled leadership, the division attacked XXX turned northward XXX killing 14,000 enemy soldiers and taking large quantities of supplies before capturing Pa'ompon, the last enemy base on Leyte."

"From the Philippine Islands the 77th made several assault landings in the Kerama Retto islands, to secure transport anchorage for Okinawa invasion forces and a location for the emplacement of heavy artillery."

"(Bruce) reembarked his command, attacked and captured Ie Shima with its well developed fighter strips."

"The division then was committed to the Okinawa battle, where with other elements of the 24th corps it destroyed powerful enemy positions, and forced the retreat of the enemy southward."

"The unqualified success of the 77th division in all of its operations greatly influenced the outcome of both the Leyte and Okinawa undertakings and was attributable in large measure to aggressive leadership of General Bruce."

CEILING PRICE OF NEWSPRINT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—The ceiling price of newsprint will be raised \$6 a ton by OPA, generally effective the first of the year, in line with annual contracts, officials said Wednesday.

The action would put basic port prices of newsprint and side-run newsprint at \$67 a ton.

OPA's order says the action primarily is to assure an equitable price, but that it should also operate to prevent further decreases in United States newsprint production during 1946.

At present only eight United States mills are producing newsprint. The United States output has been declining sharply during the past two decades because it is more profitable to produce finer grades of paper, or other paper products.

Removal of newsprint controls at the end of the year was asked again by members of the committee meeting with the printing and publishing division of the civilian Production Administration.

TRUMAN FOR FREIGHT RATE EQUALIZATION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (AP)—President Truman said Friday he favored an equalization of the freight rate structure.

He told his press conference that he had spent much of his time as a senator fighting for a rate structure on freight movement fair to all sections and that he still felt the same way about it.

He made this comment when asked about pending litigation growing out of the interstate Commerce Commission decree of early this year calling for rate adjustments.

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THE Army Answers

Your Personal War Problems

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Q. I am confused over the Army point, age and length of service requirements for the discharge of enlisted men. Would you please list them?

A. An enlisted man may be discharged from the army if:

1. He is 38 years or older, or
2. He is 35, 36, or 37 and has completed two years of honorable military service, or
3. He has four years of military service regardless of his age, or
4. He has three or more children under 18 dependent upon him for support.

Q. My son is a warrant officer overseas. Does he come under the discharge system for officers or for enlisted men?

A. Separation requirements for commissioned officers apply also to warrant officers.

Q. My husband wants to open his own gas station when he gets out of the army. Is it true that if he doesn't earn a certain amount of money a month, the Government will pay him the difference?

A. Under the GI Bill of Rights, if an eligible self-employed veteran makes less than \$100 a month,

he may receive the difference between what he earns and \$100. Certain requirements as to length of service and reason of discharge must be met, and these also determine the number of months the payments are made.

FACTS FOR THE VETERAN

(American Red Cross News Ser.)

(Bernard L., World War II veteran, enlisted in the Navy on his 18th birthday. During the time of his active service in the Pacific, he was seriously injured when a Japanese flying bomb struck his ship. He married about a year ago and his first child was born a short time ago.

Seaman first class Bernard, hospitalized for four months, expects to be discharged from the navy in the very near future. At the time of induction, he made application for \$10,000 National Service Life Insurance, naming his mother as beneficiary. Recently his wife received a letter from him in which he said he might not be able to carry so much insurance after discharge. On receipt of letter, his wife called on the home service chairman of her local Red Cross Chapter, asking for counsel in the matter.)

This insurance problem is characteristic of those facing young veterans who have had little employment experience prior to their entry into service. These men are concerned with their employment future and their ability to carry what seems to them a large amount of insurance. A veteran should not attempt to convert his insurance until he can decide what amount monthly he can meet from his income.

In the present case, the home service chairman of the local Red Cross chapter advised the wife to continue his insurance for the time being; make the necessary change in beneficiary, if he so desires; and not to worry about his employment future or his ability to carry the insurance until he comes home.

The American Red Cross is prepared to assist the disabled veteran financially to carry his government insurance pending the settlement of his claim. Other benefits obtainable through the Veterans Administration, including vocational rehabilitation, pension, and employment service, also are available to this veteran to help him solve problems that are of deep concern to him.

Your local Red Cross Chapter Gatesville, Texas is prepared to

give you counsel and assistance with reference to benefits available to veterans and their dependents.

FBI ENLISTS BUSINESS MEN TO ASSIST IN FINDING BOWEN

William Bowen, a notorious forger and "hot check artist" with an extensive criminal record dating back to 1917 is being looked for by the FBI, which asks the help of business and banks in apprehending him.

He was in Temple November 24, 1945. He usually enters a bank and contacts an official, ostensibly to open an account. He states he has present employment in the city and gives a false resident address in the city where the bank was located. He then deposits one or more fraudulent cashier's checks and presents Selective Service registration card, a social security card, and a U. S. Army discharge paper, dated November 25, 1922. After opening the account, he normally has gained the confidence of the banker, who will then cash one of these forged cashier's checks or will advance him money on the strength of his new account. After Bowen has opened an account, he has usually been given a pass book

by the bank. He then cashes several checks on a newly opened account and moves on to another city. Upon arrival at the next city, he then approaches a bank there and makes similar representations as previously set forth, exhibits the pass book, and states to the banker that he would like to have his account transferred to this particular bank, inasmuch as he is now a resident. One of Bowen's specialties is the forgery of cashier's checks. These checks are usually white with a green lithographed border, bearing letters printed in black ink. They are usually drawn upon the Hannibal National Bank of Hannibal, Missouri. The forged signature of Walter L. Weaver, Vice-President and Cashier of the Hannibal National Bank, usually appears in the lower right-hand corner. In addition to banks, Bowen makes a habit of victimizing jewelry stores, department stores, drugstores, and hotels. At the present time, he has over seventy aliases known to the FBI, and extensive investigation is being made looking to his apprehension. This man is approximately 52 years of age, 5' 9" tall, weighs 158 pounds, has brown thinning hair, and blue eyes. It is to be noted that his left eye is defected and appears to be milky. He wears false teeth

is able to write with either hand, and usually carries a light brown billfold with lacing around the edge. He has a two-inch scar on the left side of his forehead above his temple and has his name William Bowen, and that of his girl friend, Savilla Nelson, tattooed on his chest.

Mr. Acers has requested that anyone having any information concerning this individual telephone the San Antonio Field division of the FBI, phone Garfield 4216 collect.

MARINES LAUNCH NEW DRIVE FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE

In a drive to uplift the U. S. Marine Corps on a peacetime basis, a new drive has just opened.

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TO: Annie Ray Blanchette, Greeting:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 28th day of January, A. D. 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable 52nd District Court of Coryell County, at the Court House in Gatesville, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 10 day of December, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 5530.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

Harry A. Blanchette as plaintiff, and Annie Ray Blanchette as defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Plaintiff and defendant were married May 4, 1943 and separated July 1, 1943. There was one child born to said marriage, who is now 2 and one-half years of age, said child being with its father. Cruel treatment is specially pleaded for grounds for divorce.

Wherefore plaintiff that defendant decided to appear and answer herein for judgement dissolving said marriage relationship, for care and custody of Robert Charles Blanchette, a minor, for cost, etc.

Issued this the 10th day of December, 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Gatesville, Texas, this the 10th day of December, A. D., 1945.

Carl McClendon

Clerk District Court, Coryell County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Irene Bromly, Greeting:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 21st day of January, A. D., 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable 52nd District Court of Coryell County, at the Court House in Gatesville, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 3rd day of December, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 5527.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

William Bromly as Plaintiff, and Irene Bromly as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Plaintiff and defendant were married in February 1944 and separated on January 1945, and by reason of cruel treatment the plaintiff was compelled to separate from the defendant. Wherefore Plaintiff prays for citation to the defendant commanding her to appear and answer herein, and on final hearing that he be granted a divorce both special and general in law and equity which he may show himself entitled to receive.

Issued this the 3rd day of December, 1945. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Gatesville, Texas, this the 3rd day of December, A. D., 1945.

Carl McClendon

Clerk District Court Coryell County, Texas.

12-4-11-18-25.

WAVE WEDS ARMY MAN

Nora Ella Faubion Sp. (D) 3-c of Washington, D. C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Faubion of Evans and Sgt. Truman Barker, formerly of Rusk, Texas, were married November 27th at the Church of Christ in Jacksonville, Texas. Rev. Taylor read the ceremony.

The bride wore a suit of wedding blue with brown accessories. She is a graduate of the Evans High School, and was employed by the Alamo Bank in San Antonio prior to her induction into the waves. She took her boot training in New York and has been in Washington until recently. She will receive her discharge in about two weeks.

Sgt. Baker served in the army

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BUS SCHEDULES

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8:30 A. M. 6:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M. 10:00 A. M.
4:00 P. M. 2:30 P. M.
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about five years and was a prisoner of the Japs for 42 months. He received only one card from his family during that time. He will report back to Brook General Hospital at Ft. Sam Houston in January.

As yet, the young couple have no definite plans as to where they will be located.—The Four County Press.

STEVENS-SHERRILL MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Miss Maxine Sherrill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sherrill of Houston, Texas, and Drue Eldon Stevens Boatswain Mate 2-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stevens of Copperas Cove, Texas, were married December 1st in San Francisco, California. The young couple plan to spend Christmas at home.

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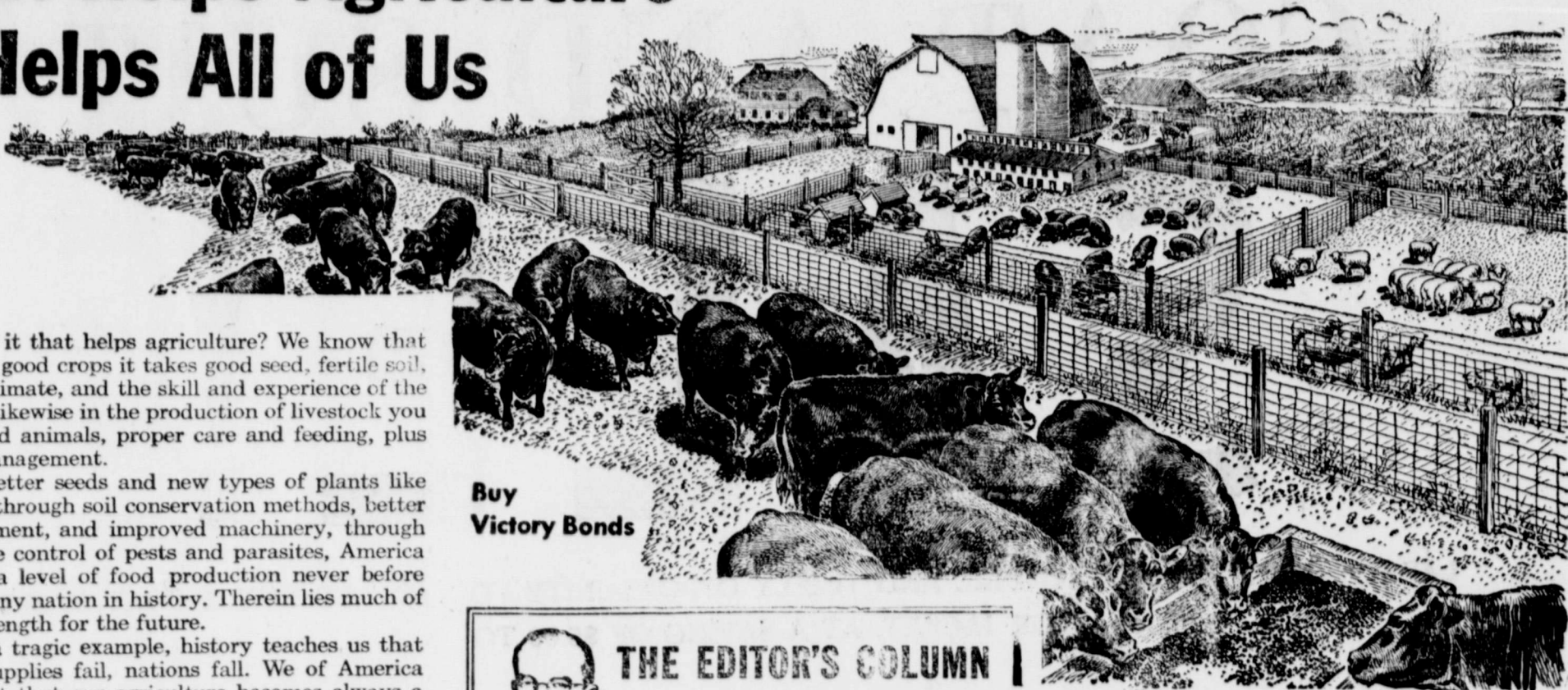
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John Holmes
President, Swift & Company



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... generally we should learn two things from life—what to do and what not to do.
... if work is a pleasure, a man sure can have a lot of fun farming.

OUR LIVESTOCK JUDGING METHODS

By R. G. JOHNSON

Head, Department of Animal Husbandry, Oregon State College

Domestic animals are machines for converting plant material into meat, fibers, and other human needs. Competition forces the modern farmer to evaluate efficiency in terms of tons or bushels per acre, dairy production in pounds of butterfat per cow per year, and poultry results in number of eggs per year. Thus, since the basic resource is feed and not animals, shouldn't livestock producers evaluate breeding stock on the basis of meat or of wool their offspring produces per 100 pounds of feed consumed?

The show ring standards for judging animals by external appearance have given us advancement up to a certain point, but breeding for the show ring does not always lead to efficient feed utilization.

A step in the right direction is the increasing use of proved sires. Today, through use of artificial insemination, the purebred breeder is greatly assisted in the establishment and increase of efficient blood lines.

Tomorrow's "yardstick" will not only be bigger yields per acre but also more pounds of meat and fiber per ton of feed.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW? How many of the amino acids essential to health are found in meat?

What governs the price of livestock?

In what dessert is meat an important ingredient?



OUR CITY COUSIN

Answers to these questions may be found in the various articles which are printed elsewhere on this page.

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THE EDITOR'S COLUMN

A smart steer on range goes to where the forage is best. A smart livestock producer sells where the market is best. There are many sources of information to help him decide where

that best market may be. Radio networks and nearby stations report daily on receipts and prices at central and local markets. Commission houses and their field men are ready to give personal advice on the best time and place to sell. Newspapers publish detailed descriptions of market conditions. Various timely reports are available from the U. S. D. A. and other impartial sources on trends and developments in the livestock-and-meat industry.

In making their bids, livestock buyers also use current market information. *Acceptance of any price offered is entirely up to the producer or his sales agent.* Meat packing plants and their buyers are located at so many widespread points that if a producer is not satisfied with prices offered by any one buyer, he has a choice of several others to which he may sell his animals.

Moreover, with 3,500 meat packing plants and 26,000 other concerns and individuals who slaughter livestock commercially, there is bound to be keen competitive bidding for your livestock. Barring meat rationing and price ceilings, livestock prices are governed by what the packer can get for the meat and by-products.

M. Simpson

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TEXAS RIVER PROJECTS TALKED IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (AP)—Col. David W. Griffiths, Army district engineer, Galveston, whose territory includes all of Texas, conferred here this week with Rep. Joe J. Mansfield of Columbus, Chairman of the House rivers and harbors committee about pending Texas projects.

The proposed dam on the Brazos River about 18 miles north of Waco received most of his atten-

Mansfield said would provide flood control and power to serve all the Brazos Valley to the south has already been authorized by Congress. Funds for the project have not been appropriated but Mansfield said they would be considered by Congress next year.

CIVILIAN WANTS ARMY SUIT BACK: SEES HOW 'TIS ON OUTSIDE

An East Texas Master Sergeant landed in the United States on October 9, 1945, and thirty days later he had enough, according to

of Waco, headed by Lt. Allison J. Dick, formerly of Gatesville.

The Sergeant was scheduled to appear at the army Separation Center at Camp Fannin to end his long service, and wired his willingness to report immediately, losing his remaining time, and offering to waive 60 of the 90 days reenlistment furlough if the army would guarantee him overseas assignment.

"It will be a relief to get back to a peaceful country," his wire concluded (it would be impossible to print all that the Sergeant said about civilian life).

BUY MORE WAR BONDS

BRITONS DIG 191 DAYS TO UNEARTH BIG BOMB

LONDON, Dec. 7. (AP)—British soldiers finally unearthed England's oldest, and most elusive unexploded bomb Friday after 191 days of digging.

A German plane dropped the bomb four and three-quarter years ago. Water complicated the digging. When the soldiers finally touched the fins they found the missile was not the 2,000-pounder they expected, but twice that size.

STEVEN-SHERRILL
Miss Marine Sherrill, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sherrill of Houston, and Drue Eldon Stevens, Boatswain's Mate 2-c and son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stevens of Copperas Cove, were married on December 1 in San Francisco, Cal. The young couple plan to spend the Christmas holidays in Texas. — The Four County Press.

KEEP ON

Backing the Attack

WITH WAR BONDS

Martha Logan's Recipe for MINCEMEAT

Yield: 4 quarts

1 pound cooked beef shank, chuck, or neck meat	1 1/2 pounds brown sugar
1 cup meat stock	1 quart cider
1/2 pound suet	2 teaspoons salt
4 pounds apples	2 teaspoons nutmeg
1/2 pound currants	2 teaspoons cloves
1 pound seeded raisins	3 teaspoons cinnamon
	5 tablespoons lemon juice

Pare, core, and chop apples. Chop together currants and raisins. Add apples, sugar, cider, and meat stock. Cook about 5 minutes. Grind meat and suet. Add with seasonings to apple mixture. Simmer 1 hour, stirring frequently to prevent burning. Add lemon juice.

This mincemeat may be made ahead of time and canned for use throughout the holiday season.

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SORGHUMS ON INCREASE AS CATTLE FEED

By A. D. WEBER

Head, Department of Animal Husbandry
Kansas State College



Proof that the new combine-type grain sorghums, Midland milo and Westland milo are the equal of corn as cattle feed, which was demonstrated recently at the Fort Hays Branch of the Kansas Agricultural Experiment Station, will interest feeders who fatten cattle in the Southwest.

Yearling steers fed these two new grains for 150 days gained 2 1/2 pounds per head daily. *This was equal to results gained by feeding yearling steers No. 2 corn over a like period.* The steers in each lot graded the same (choice), and sold at the same price (\$17.00 per cwt.). All grains were fed at the rate of 13 pounds per head daily. Each ration included sweet sorghum silage, 37 pounds; cottonseed meal, 1 1/2 pounds, and finely ground limestone, 1-10 pound.

Three similar feeding trials also proved conclusively that the new combine-type grain sorghums compare favorably with corn as cattle fattening feed—Wheatland milo, Colby milo and Westland milo being tested in these trials.

Increasing use of native feed grains, such as these new type grain sorghums, will greatly benefit the stability and prosperity of this agricultural region.

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UNION STOCK YARDS
CHICAGO 9, ILLINOIS

FOOD REQUIREMENTS DISCUSSED BY STATE HEALTH DOCTOR

Discussing the food requirements of a child enjoying maximum health, Dr. G. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has stressed the importance of a well-rounded diet and stated that a healthy and well-nourished child enjoys life because he is physically fit.

Emphasizing the importance to health of an adequate and well-balanced diet, Dr. Cox stated further that when a child is in good health, his appetite is good, elimination is regular and sleep is sound and untroubled.

"A child's appearance can usually help parents to judge the state of nutrition. A well-nourished child has good skin color and there is a moderate padding of fat over bones and muscles of the arms, legs and body. Muscles are well developed and strong. Teeth are good and the gums are firm and light pink," Dr. Cox said.

The State Health Officer stated that a finicky appetite or a tired feeling after a little exertion indicates malnutrition and the child

should see the family physician. Poor appetite can also mean the beginning of an illness and possibly that the child does not require as much food as he is being urged to eat.

Required as a diet for the preschool child and those of school age, Dr. Cox included milk, fruit, vegetables, eggs, meat, fish or cheese, cereal and bread and added that cod liver oil and other vitamin preparations are important in winter and early spring but should be prescribed by the family physician.

BEST NEWS STORIES OF 1945 AS JUDGED BY TCU NEWS SERVICE

The story of the atomic bomb was and is the No. 1 news story of 1945, in the almost unanimous opinion of students in the department of journalism at Texas Christian University, who characterized it as "an event of world shaking importance".

"The A-bomb is not only the most important story of 1945, but also of 1946, 1947, 1948, and many years to come", one student commented. "It stopped one war, but the question is will it start another?"

The students, asked by Prof. J. Willard Ridings, T. C. U. journalism department head, to name the "10 Best News Stories of 1945", nominated 27 stories for final consideration. Those that placed first and second were so ranked by nearly everyone, but 19 stories received votes for inclusion in the "10 Best" list.

The No. 2 story, just barely behind the A-bomb story, is the "Allied Victory Over Germany and Japan." "Peace! It's wonderful! was the paean of the people."

The remaining eight stories compositely rated as worthy of inclusion in the "10 Best", with typical comment, are:

3. Death of President Roosevelt. "Taxicab drivers and prime ministers, friends and enemies—all mourned the passing of the man who, more than any other in his day, had labored to serve mankind."

4. The San Francisco Conference. "Hope for tomorrow's world is born—appropriately enough, in the 'Land of Liberty.'"

5. Labor Party Victory in England. "Social change at the polls instead of by force."

6. Labor Management Strife in U. S. "A confused public can scarcely judge the merits of the case, but it does realize that it is the 'innocent bystander' who is liable to get shot."

7. Chinese Civil War. "Watched by the world as a testing ground of theories concerning international co-operation for world peace."

8. Trials of War Criminals. "Law and Order, on an international scale, is saying, 'Crime doesn't pay!'"

9. Where is Hitler? "The people love a mystery story—but they know full well where they hope Hitler is!"

10. Flag raising on Iwo Jima. "Probably the first time a photograph has been included in the '10 Best Stories' of any year. A thankful American people, emotionally overflowing, give their mass acceptance to this symbolic reincarnation of the 'Spirit of '76.'"

Mr. Roy E. Manning has just arrived from overseas, and received his discharge. He and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Manning, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Manning of Purlana.



WHILE FLYING over Germany, AAF Sergeant Alfred D. Reckley, Pittsburgh, Pa., a radio operator, was knocked unconscious by flack and didn't know what hit him until he awoke back at his air field. Now he is at Halloran General Hospital, Staten Island, N. Y., discovering how Victory Loan dollars help the wounded, and he is doing fine.

She Served



LIEUT. COMDR. WHITE Proud of her age—51—and of her service to her country, Navy Nurse Faye Elmo White of RFD 2, New Bethlehem, Pa., is supporting the Victory Loan and has accepted assignment to the Sampson, N. Y., Naval Hospital from the Pacific where she won the Bronze Star Medal. She also has the Italian Campaign Medal, the Victory Medal, American Defense Medal and the European-Africa-Middle Eastern Area Campaign Medal.

Dawn Over Death



ON A SMALL ATOLL on the road to the Philippines, a comrade pays his last respects to a fallen buddy who lies in the parched coral sands while at home Victory Bond dollars pave the way for aid to the hero's family.

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SOCIETY NEWS

BARBARA JEAN MANNING CELEBRATES 7TH BIRTHDAY

On the afternoon of December 1st, Barbara Jean Manning celebrated her 7th birthday with a party at her home on West Main Street. The table held a large birthday cake on which were seven candles, and the room was attractively decorated with fern and chrysanthemums.

Refreshments consisting of cake hot chocolate and stick candy were served to the honoree and these guests; Elaine Asher, Patsy Louise Jones, Barbara Ann Murrey, Sandra Ann Beck, Mary Frances Tracy, Sandra Baron, Patsy Ann Short, Nita Jean Sheridan, Neta Milliner, Clay Dean Music and Joe Reese Manning. Also her grandmother, Mrs. L. A. Manning of Purlmela, her aunt, Mrs. Dan Manning of Port Arthur, Mrs. Raby Short and Mrs. Floyd Murray of Gatesville.

COPPERAS COVE NEWS



Mrs. Pearl Vann, Corres.

Cpl. Herbert Groth has returned home to stay after several years of overseas service. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Groth.

Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Mrs. Sam Lee and Mrs. Opal Pratt spent Saturday in Waco shopping.

BAPTIST W. M. S. AND SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIAL

The Women's Missionary Society

LATE RECORDS



Late Used Phonograph Records.

25c Each

W. C. BRADLEY RECORD SHOP

Between Main & Leon On Eighth Street

and Sunday School class of the Baptist Church met for a social with Mrs. Sam Lee Monday at 2 o'clock, with Mrs. Opal Pratt as co-hostess.

Names were drawn for forget-me-not pals, games were played and refreshments served to the following: Mrs. Luther Parnell, Mrs. Alvin Clements, Mrs. Floyd McCall, Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Dorothy Vann, Mrs. R. L. Horner, Mrs. L. W. Uselton, Mrs. K. C. Mears, Mrs. K. W. Trumble, Mrs. L. L. Cockrell, Mrs. A. O. Womble, Mrs. J. G. Brock, Mrs. W. E. Grimes and Mrs. J. L. Baker.

The 3rd and 4th grade children gave a birthday shower for their teacher, Mrs. D. E. Stevens, Friday, November 30th. After the club program was dismissed, cookies were served. Mrs. Stevens said that it was the best birthday she had ever had.

Cpl. Carl Advance who was stationed at Camp Hood, arrived this week to visit old friends.

Mrs. A. T. Hull and son, Dale, Mr. Jess Turner and son, Jack, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McBride spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sittre near San Antonio.

Miss Norma Mickan left Tuesday for Fort Worth to visit her sister.

Week end visitors with Mrs. Julia Stevens and Mrs. Pearl Vann were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stevens and children of McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Karl of McGregor, D. E. Stevens, Doris Stiles and Joyce LaJuan of Copperas Cove.

Mrs. Ira Stil's and LaJuan attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Sam Mitche'l.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooke have moved to Goose Creek from this city. Mrs. Cooke will be remembered as the former Miss Margaret Sheridan. She and her daughter Paulette and Mrs. R. W. Key of Houston, recently visited Mrs. Lester Manning of Gatesville.

RUBBER STAMPS



THE NEWS

What SANTA BROUGHT

ONLY 11 MORE SHOPPING DAYS

There are only eleven more shopping days—Shop in our second floor departments where you will find loads of fine gifts for the youngsters, man and lady—On this floor—a complete assortment of fine furniture—toys—wallpapers—novelties of all kinds—pictures—home goods and Christmas wrappings— On the main floor—complete assortment dresses—coats—footwear—baby goods—men's goods—toiletries—

WOMEN'S HOUSE SHOES

We are showing a wonderful assortment of ladies' house shoes in fancy mule types trimmed in fur, corduroys—and the all kid leather soles as well as Multi color house shoes—A fine assortment.



\$1.89 up



FINE BAGS FOR HER

Either in fabrics, plastics, capes or genuine Cal' skins—A fine assortment in all the leading colors and shapes—

\$2.45 to \$15.00



Large Assortment Dresser Sets

We are showing a beautiful assortment of dresses in elaborate boxes—These are shown in the popular plastics and other fine material See these sets on Second Floor—

YARDLEY AND WRISLEY PRODUCTS FOR CHRISTMAS

We have just received from Yardley of London a complete assortment of fine toilettries—These all excellent for either her or his gift (Exclusive at Leaird's). Also a complete assortment Wrisley products such as fancy soaps, colognes, powders, etc.



BEAUTIFUL 32 and 53 PIECE DINNER SETS

Just received for the Christmas selling several beautiful designs in dinner sets. Dinnerware is very scarce today and we suggest this item as one of the best for gifts—Priced—

32 piece sets from \$7.95 up

50 piece sets from \$13.45 up



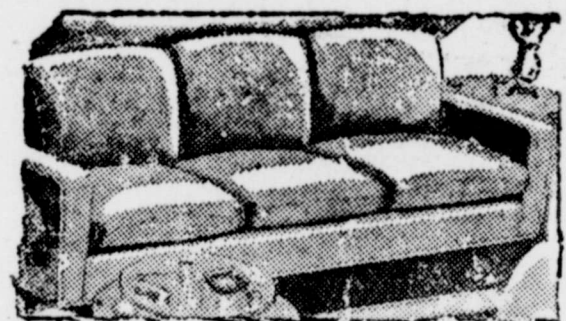
CHINA TABLE LAMPS

Here is one of the finest china lamps we have sold in many seasons. Several designs as well as shapes—beautiful white rayon shades. Complete with globe, only—

\$9.95



PREWAR STUDIO DIVANS



Nothing would be better for Christmas than a fine constructed studio divan—For this week's selling we are

showing beautiful wine and blue velvet—Here is a hard-to-get item, so shop early on them. Studio Couches

\$49.50 up

ROCKERS — ALL SPRING CONSTRUCTED
ROCKERS — PRICED FROM — \$9.95

A VERY "RUGGED" BOY, IF YOU ASK US!



But, he's looking for Old Santa, just as well as Mom and Pop. He knows, already that City Drug is all macked-out for Christmas, and that you can find just about anything for any member of the family down at Mr. Weise's

CITY DRUG STORE

"THE NYAL STORE"

A. E. Weise, Owner.

TOYLAND

SECOND FLOOR

This floor is crammed full of fine gifts for the kiddies as well as the grown-ups—

Shop for the new all-metal goods that have just arrived—

All Metal Scooters

All Metal Loop-the-Loop

All Metal Wheelbars

Fine asst. books

Dolls

Games, Rockers, Color Sets.

Guns

LEAIRD'S DEPT. STORE

BYRON LEAIRD, Proprietor