

SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS

THE WOMAN'S PAGE

FEATURES AND FASHIONS

COOKERY HINT

Save all stale bread and cracker crumbs for stuffing, meat extenders, and scalloped dishes; store in refrigerator. Save all vegetable juices and liquids for soups, sauces, gravies, and for the liquid in braised meat dishes and stews.

RATION RECOMMENDATION

When you use cheese to flavor dishes use a strong-flavored cheese. You will need less of it.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

REAL DISCOVERY FOR HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

Dangerous High Blood Pressure (Essential Hypertension) is usually marked by distressing symptoms such as dizziness, throbbing headaches, sleeplessness and nervousness. If disregarded, this may lead to Heart Trouble, Stroke, Paralysis, Hardening of the Arteries or Kidney Trouble. Diamonex, discovery of a heart specialist, is designed to quickly aid in the relief of these distressing symptoms.

A Chicago resident says: "I suffered from High Blood Pressure for several years with increasingly severe throbbing headaches, dizziness and shortness of breath. I showed the Diamonex formula to my doctor and, on his advice, tried the treatment for two weeks under identical conditions as previous treatments. Within only three days my bad headaches and dizzy spells were gone. My high blood pressure was reduced and I sleep fine."

National Wartime Nutrition Guide For Health...eat some food from each group...every day!



IN ADDITION TO THE BASIC 7... EAT ANY OTHER FOODS YOU WANT

This is the National Nutrition Target, designed by Government nutrition experts to help people plan well-balanced meals. The idea is to include something from each of the seven food groups in the menu every day, to hit the bulls-eye of good health.

Seven Food Groups Are Keys to Health

To help housewives tell at a glance whether their families are getting the right foods every day, the War Food Administration has designed a Nutrition Target, scientifically arranged for quick planning of healthful menus.

With this aid, any cook easily can see whether her meals contain something from each of the seven groups of foods that scientists have discovered are essential for good health. By eating some food from each group every day, a nutritionally sound diet may be achieved.

Target Aids Meal-Planning. In wartime especially, the Nutrition Target has an important function. It is often necessary to make substitutions in menus.

Suppose you had planned a meal of grapefruit juice, steak, green beans, carrots, potatoes, and bread and butter with cheese for dessert. But you couldn't get the juice, steak, or potatoes what would you substitute?

A look at the Target gives you the answer. Instead of steak, you might have poultry, fish, eggs, or baked beans. Instead of grapefruit juice, you could substitute a raw cabbage salad. And instead of potatoes, you might use cauliflower, parsnips, or summer squash. The resulting meal would still be balanced and nutritious.

Nutrition Facts Given In Folder. The facts of good nutrition are

Home Care Can Extend Family Meat Rations

AVOID WASTE AND SPOilage BY PROPER STORING AND SERVING

Home is an important conservation center in wartime. Correct methods of storing and serving meat can do a great deal to conserve it in the home so it will yield the greatest number of servings possible. Spoilage and waste are the two enemies of these objectives and the thrifty homemaker's practices are directed to eliminate them.

Without proper care food will spoil before or after cooking. Jessie Alice Cline, home economist, states that uncooked meat keeps best when it is stored uncovered or loosely covered in the coldest part of the refrigerator.

Store Cooked Meat Covered. Cooked meat should be stored in a covered container in the coldest part of the refrigerator.

When purchasing ready-to-serve meat in large quantities it is helpful to remember that cured dry and smoked sausages keep almost indefinitely in the refrigerator.

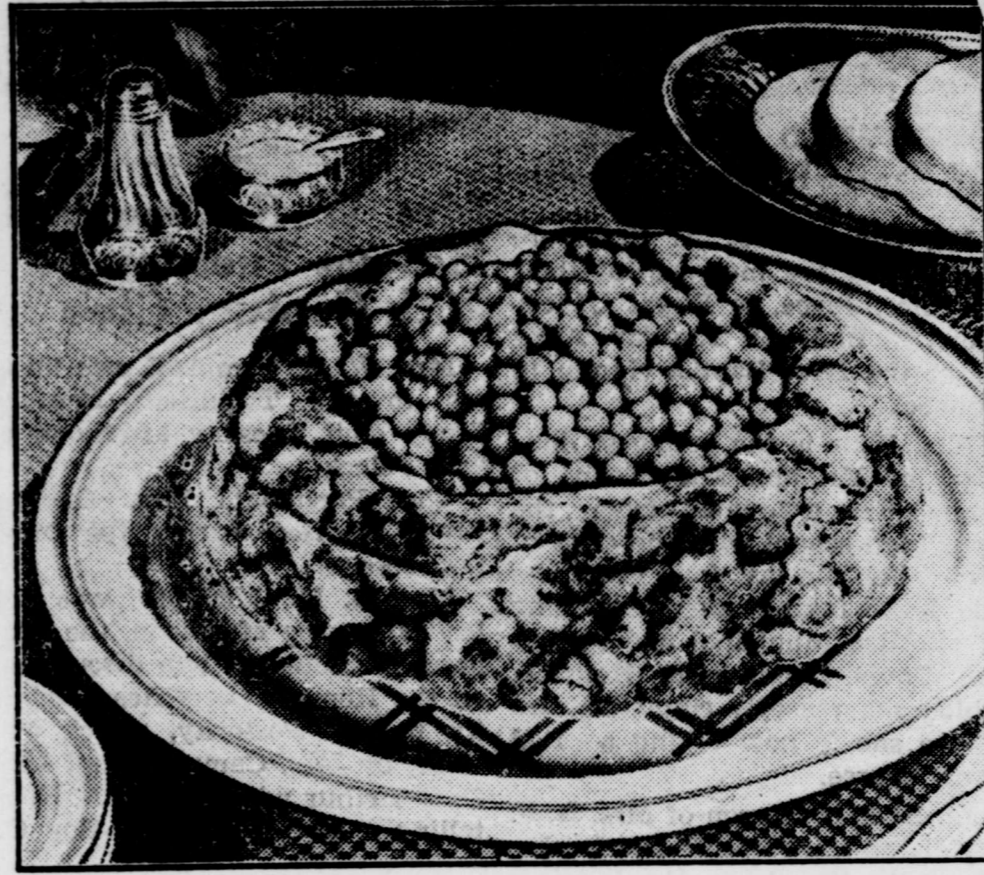
All meat bones should be saved to use in making soup stock. Cool stock quickly and refrigerate. If stock is not used immediately it should be heated to boiling daily to prevent spoilage.

Carving Needs Sharp Knife. Careful carving of a roast does a great deal to increase the number of servings it will yield. The most important tool to supply the carver is a sharp knife used on a properly cooked roast.

Serving each person two thin slices will seem more generous than one thick slice and will help to make the meat go further.

Utilize every bit of left-over meat. There are so many ways in which even the smallest piece can be used in combination with other foods that not one bit should be wasted.

Magic Bread Ring Stretches Meat



Enriched white bread crumbs combined with squash, an egg, and meat make the Magic Bread Ring pictured above that stretches one pound of meat to serve six. Baked to a golden brown and filled with buttered peas, green garden beans or succotash, it's delicious and nutritious.

By Kathrine Wellingbrook

THE new universal use of enriched white bread and flour will increase the average intake of Vitamin B1 in the American diet by about 64 per cent, according to Dr. R. R. Williams, chairman committee on cereals, food and nutrition board, National Research Council.

This is a fact that should interest all homemakers, for B1 is the vitamin that's often called the "sparkplug" for the energy-food we eat, putting it to work for us so that the body derives the greatest benefit from it.

In Bread, It's 'Free'

When we get this extra share of Vitamin B1 from enriched white bread, it's actually a gift from the baker, for although it costs him more to make, he doesn't pass this cost along to the consumer.

Two one-ounce slices of enriched bread, eaten at each meal, supplies at least 38 per cent of the minimum daily requirement for B1, 15 per cent of the daily need for niacin (another B-vitamin), and 15 per cent of the daily iron requirement.

Magic Bread Ring

- 2 cups soft enriched white bread crumbs
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 lb. ground pork
3/4 lb. ground veal
2 1/2 cups cooked, mashed squash
1 egg, unbeaten
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper

Mix together all ingredients in the order given. (If the squash has not been seasoned, an additional teaspoon of salt may be needed.) Pack mixture into a ring mold and bake in moderate oven (375° F.), about 1 hour. Turn out of mold and fill center with buttered peas or any other fresh vegetable. Serves six.

Kitchen Hints To Conserve All Food Value

METHOD OF PREPARATION AFFECTS RETENTION OF NUTRITIVE ELEMENTS

Food follows the flag in our fight for freedom. Food produced here will go to our armed forces, our allies and to feed conquered peoples. It will help to win the war abroad. It must also help to win the war at home.

There are many practices homemakers can adopt to safeguard the nutritive value they get from available food. Jessie Alice Cline, home economist, suggests the following as a guide to conservation.

Fruit and vegetable peelings should be left on as often as possible. If they are removed the preparation should take place as short a time before cooking as possible.

Apples, melons, grapes, peaches and pears should be washed before being stored in the refrigerator. Bananas should be stored at room temperature.

Store uncooked meat uncovered, or loosely covered with wax paper. Store cooked meat covered. Store all meat in the coldest part of the refrigerator.

Render fat trimmings in double boiler after grinding or chopping fine, strain through cloth and keep covered in the refrigerator to use for seasoning, frying and shortening. Save all fats and gravies and store covered, in the refrigerator. Minerals are lost only through their solubility in water.

FIRE PREVENTION



Extinguish All Glowing Matches

Never dispose of burning or glowing matches in containers which are filled with inflammable material. Always be sure that every spark is out before throwing it away.

Jones Plaining Mill

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666 666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

FASHION PREVIEW



SOMETHING really special is this smart, all-wool jacket dress featured in the September Good Housekeeping Magazine. Red or green bows add to its eye-appeal.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS BY BOYCE HOUSE

"Little Aleck" Stephens, who was vice president of the Confederacy, made a point when he was joint-debating in a race for Congress. His opponent, a heavy-set man, said, "Why, I could swallow Stephens at one gulp."

Al Borofsky, genial Galveston attorney, tells of a little incident about Melvyn Douglas, movie star, who entered the army as a private and was stationed at a camp near Galveston.

There is one group in this country that is contributing nothing to the war effort; on the contrary, it is a liability. They are criminals who have been found guilty and are "laying out" their fines in jail.

Every patriotic citizen is willing to buy all the war bonds he can and to pay his share of the taxes to run the war, but he is not willing to have his money on these unpatriotic, lawless bums, who are infesting the jails of the land.

Expressive expression: He resembles an accident looking for something to happen.

Flavor Pot-Roast With Cranberries

For a different flavor in pot-roasts, try cooking cranberries with the meat. You'll have an exceptionally fine, good gravy. Have 3 or 4 pounds of chuck boned and rolled at the market. Dredged with flour and brown in hot lard. Season with salt and pepper. Pour over it 2 cups of tart cranberry sauce, with 1 cup hot water. Cover closely and cook

\$20.72 Is Average Old-Age Assistance Pay For October

AUSTIN, Oct. 6—The old age assistance rolls made a net decline of 313 cases during September, leaving on the rolls for payment in October 182,305 persons. Total payments amount to \$3,776,807.80, which is \$18,930.32 more than the cost the previous month.

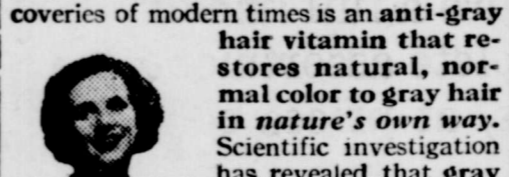
The blind rolls made a net gain of 61 persons. A total of \$112,970 will be paid in October to 4,604 recipients, averaging \$24.54 per person.

The aid to dependent children rolls sustained a net loss of 362 families, representing 838 children. A total of \$233,938 will be distributed in October to 11,018 families representing 24,295 children.

slowly for about 3 hours adding more water if necessary. When done, remove the pot-roast to a hot platter and thicken liquid for gravy.

Gray Hair? NEW VITAMIN RESTORES NATURAL COLOR

Free Booklet Tells Of Thrilling Discovery; New Hope For Millions One of the most sensational scientific discoveries of modern times is an anti-gray hair vitamin that restores natural, normal color to gray hair in nature's own way.



Scientific investigation has revealed that gray hair, in many cases, may be due to a vitamin deficiency. Scientists have also discovered the particular vitamin that is necessary to restore color to the hair in such cases.

Not a dye—not a tint—not a drug—not a medicine! It is a valuable food supplement. If you are among the millions of people who find themselves handicapped, in business or socially, because of gray hair, mail coupon below (or write) for free booklet about this marvelous new vitamin discovery. There is no cost or obligation, so send today.

United Vitamin Products, 9 W. Washington St., Chicago, Ill., Dept. 5. Send FREE BOOKLET to:

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NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION WEEK



Let's Protect Our Country From the Ravages of Fire

Do you carelessly toss your cigarette to the winds? . . . or throw lighted matches into waste baskets? . . . or smoke in bed? . . . or clean garments at home with gasoline or naphtha?

All of these seemingly innocent acts can hinder the War effort and delay Victory for your country!

In Case of Fire—

- Notify Fire Department Immediately
Crawl Through Smoky Passages
Make Rope of Sheets If Exits Are Cut Off



Spur Security Bank

Advertisement for Spur Produce, featuring a man in a hat holding a newspaper that says 'ALLIED VICTORY'. Text includes: 'Sell your eggs direct to us this week-end. Cream and Fryers are in demand. We pay you top prices for Eggs, Cream, Poultry and Hides. Spur Produce Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murray'.

Society-Club News

1933 Study Club Sells \$5,775 Bonds During Loan Drive

The 1933 Study club met Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. C. Payne.

The president, Mrs. O. R. Claude, presided during the business session, where it was disclosed that the club had sold \$5,775 worth of bonds and stamps during the recent bond drive. Plans were made and discussed for the systematic purchasing of bonds by the club during the year, and to assist in keeping the library open full time.

Mrs. W. F. Gilbert was leader for the afternoon. Members answered to roll call with "Rules on Health and Safety." Those bringing parts on the program were Mrs. Thurmond Moore discussing "These Need Never Die"; Mrs. Dee McArthur, "Health for Women Over Forty"; Mrs. J. L. Koonsman, "New Skin for Burns"; Mrs. J. W. Carlisle, "An Epoch-Making Cure for Venereal Diseases."

Refreshments of Delicious home made cake and ice cream were served to the following members: Mmes. E. H. Bodecker, J. W. Car-

lisle, O. R. Claude, W. F. Gilbert, J. L. Koonsman, Troy Laxton, J. C. Mason, Dee McArthur, C. H. McCulley, Coy McMahan, Thurmond Moore, J. C. Payne, J. C. Ramsey, and one new member, Mrs. Everett McArthur.

Mr., Mrs. J. A. Koon Announce Marriage Of Daughter in April

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Koon are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Joyce, to Flight Officer Floyd R. Blair, on Tuesday, April 20, at the First Baptist church in Lubbock.

Mrs. Blair is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Koon of Spur. She graduated from the Spur high school with the class of 1937. For the last four years she has been taking nurses training at McAllen Municipal and Jefferson Davis hospitals in Houston, which she recently completed, and where she is now taking a Red Cross course.

Lt. Blair is the son of Mrs. B. F. Middleton of Afton. He is a graduate of the Hico high school; was a student in the University of Hawaii at the time of the bombing of Pearl Harbor. Since that time he has been in active service overseas, where he has been decorated repeatedly for meritorious service in line of duty. He returned to the states last April. At his time Lt. Blair is stationed at Carlsbad, New Mex., where he is an instructor.

Mrs. Blair will join him there after the first of the year.

W. I. Smith Home Is Scene of Family Reunion Sunday

Last Sunday the Smith family and their relatives gathered at the home of W. I. Smith in the Catfish community for a family reunion in honor of Corp. Floyd Smith and wife who are here from Fresno, Calif.

The following were present for the 12:00 o'clock meal: Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kearney and son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Estle Hairgrove

and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Doty Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Smith and family, Mrs. Smith and daughter, Leona.

The afternoon was spent in looking over the old family albums which provided a lot of fun, especially for the younger generation. Corp. Smith showed the family some beautiful scenes he had gotten in his travels which were greatly enjoyed.

Only one of the Smith children was absent from this group, a son who lives in California.

Corp. Smith will return to his station about the 18th of this month.

Mrs. W. S. Campbell Hostess Tuesday To 20th Century Club

Mrs. W. S. Campbell was hostess to the Twentieth Century Study club Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The President, Mrs. George Link, presided during the business session.

Mrs. O. M. McGinty was the leader for the afternoon, the program consisted of two discussions on the Home Makers Responsibility to Her Posterity, which was given by Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. O. C. Arthur with Mrs. J. A. Koon telling a true story of A Boy On a Raft.

At the close of the program hour the hostess served most delicious home made cake and ice cream to the following members: Mmes. George S. Link, O. M. McGinty, Paige Gollihar, Cliff Bird, Emma Lee, B. F. Hale, P. C. Nichols, T. H. Blackwell, F. B. Crockett, Erie Foster, O. C. Arthur, O. B. Ratliff, J. A. Koon, E. D. Cook, and the hostess, Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Mack Woodrum Elected Secretary 1931 Study Club

The 1931 Study club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Karr Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Mrs. R. C. George presided during the business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. Winston Brummett. Mrs. Mack Woodrum was elected secretary to serve during Mrs. George Glover's leave of absence.

Fourteen members answered roll call with vitamin rich food. A very interesting program on "Nutrition" followed. Mrs. Robert Simmons discussed "The Need for Nutrition Work and Its Purpose," and Mrs. Agnes Myers told about "Physical Effects of Undernourishment."

A refreshment plate of salad, toasted crackers, coffee and candy, was served to the following members: Mmes. R. C. George, Hobert Lewis, Agnes M. Marrs, Spencer Campbell, Jack Christian, Mack Woodrum, Murry Lea, Bynum Britton, Ray Penn, Rob Simmons, Harold Karr, Jerry Ensey, Miss Dorothy Elliott, and the hostess, Mrs. Karr.

Mrs. C. L. Love Is Hostess Wednesday To 1925 Bridge Club

Mrs. C. L. Love was hostess to the 1925 Bridge club last Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Fall daisies and nandinas were used as decorations.

At the close of the game hour the hostess served refreshments of tuna fish sandwiches and hot tea to the following members: Mmes. Henry Alexander, E. D. Engleman, Della Eaton, M. C. Golding, Fred Jennings, L. H. Perry, R. R. Wooten, and Miss Julia Mae Hickman. Guests for the afternoon were Mmes. Horace Gibson, Fred Hale, Carl Proctor and Mrs. O. B. Ratliff.

Mrs. Jennings won the club price which was war stamps, with



Noah Berry, Jr., Anne Gwynne, Richard Quinc and Martha O'Driscoll, in "We've Never Been Licked," a story of the cadets of Texas A. & M. College!

"WE'VE NEVER BEEN LICKED" INSPIRED BY FIGHTING "AGGIES"

Youth in command, is the significant theme of Walter Wanger's production, "We've Never Been Licked," coming Sunday-Monday to the Palace Theatre. Keyed dramatically to America's most exalted traditions and America's victorious progress on the war fronts of the world, the Universal picture has its chief locale in Texas, at the Texas A. & M. College, which has trained more U. S. Army officers than any other American institution.

The graphically filmed story is enacted by a cast of youthful celebrities including Richard Quinc, Anne Gwynne, Noah Berry Jr. and Martha O'Driscoll, all of

Mrs. Proctor winning the guest prize and was presented a box of talcum, with Mrs. Ratliff winning the cut prize of hand made pot lifters.

Mrs. W. C. Gruben Hostess Tuesday to 1917 Study Club

Outstanding in the new autumn club season was the meeting Tuesday, Oct. 5, of the 1917 Study club in the home of Mrs. W. C. Gruben.

A continuation of the study, "Islands in the Pacific," was conducted by Mrs. Nell Davis, who also gave a very interesting discussion on "Great Britain in the Pacific."

Mrs. Fred Haile, in her charming manner, gave a talk on "South America in the Pacific."

Mrs. Ned Baird rendered a piano solo as the closing number.

The next meeting of the club will be October 19 at the Pitch Fork ranch with Mrs. G. E. Burns as hostess.

Woman Is Killed In Collision At Dickens Saturday

Mrs. Henry Dieckmeier of Aspermont, about 50, was killed at 5:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the crash of an automobile and a truck and trailer at the junction of highways 82 and 62 in Dickens.

According to highway patrolman Mrs. Dieckmeier was in a car with her husband and son, Fred Dieckmeier, who is stationed at San Diego, Calif., Naval base. They were driving south from Roaring Springs. The truck was reported driven by A. O. Glisson, about 45, of Crosbyton, who was going east with a load of hogs.

The vehicles hit at an angle, patrolmen said, and were only slightly damaged. The door of the Dieckmeier car flew open at the impact and the woman was thrown to the pavement, a wheel of the trailer passing over her head and shoulder. None of the other occupants was hurt.

Patrolmen assisted Fred Christopher, Dickens county sheriff, in the investigation.

Mrs. Dieckmeier's body was taken to Campbell Funeral home in Spur.

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tive since appearing in such successes as "Washington Melodrama," "Melody Lane," "Broadway" and "Sin Town."
"We've Never Been Licked," an original story by Norman Reilly Raine, was prepared as a screen play by Raine and Nick Grinde. William Sickner was the cameraman and the picture was directed by John Rawlins who piloted the recent "Arabian Nights."

East Ward News

The fifth grade girls of the East Ward school met Tuesday, September 28, 1943, and organized a 4-H club.

The following officers were elected: Leva Lou Frazier, president; Margaret DeLaine Wood, Vice-president; Annette Lee, secretary; Myra Alice Ratliff, reporter; Lucy Nell Boothe, song leader; Virginia Thomason, game leader; and Elsy Cleo Frazier, sponsor.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 2:30 p. m. At this meeting demonstrations will be chosen.

Back the Attack With War Bonds.

FIRE PREVENTION



Never Smoke In Bed!

The careless smoker is a menace to life and property. Don't smoke in bed. There is a danger of your falling asleep and setting the house on fire before you are aware of it.

Every Fire Aids the Axis.

Musser Lbr. Co.

FIRE Is Waste... WASTE Is Treason



The kind of "accidents" that cause fire—need not, must not happen—especially now that we are at war and every kind of waste sabotages the work that must be done to win! Fire brings in its wake loss of life, or at least injuries that can keep people from war production. Fire means loss of property which must be reconstructed; yet there are no supplies to spare, for building for civilian use. Fire must take our volunteer firemen from essential war work, interrupting their productivity until the fire's out. Every one of us must feel it a personal responsibility now to prevent fires.

Equip your home for fire prevention and you not only protect your own welfare and interest—you make another contribution toward Victory... just as every time you buy a War Bond you speed up Victory!

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Stetson Playboy --- \$ 5.00

Stetson Three Way -- \$ 8.50

Stratoliner Unlined -- \$ 7.50

Royal Stetson ----- \$10.00

XXX Beavers ----- \$15.00 and \$16.00

Staple Shapes ----- \$10.50 to \$13.50

SEE THEM ON DISPLAY IN OUR WINDOWS!

Better Yet — Come In and Try Them On... We Will Be Pleased to Show You Whether You Buy Or Not!

New Meat Market

I wish to announce to the public that I have opened a new meat market in the building formerly occupied by the Modernway Grocery, and will feature a full line of Home Killed Fresh Meats, and as complete assortment of Cured Meats as the market affords, at prices consistent with high quality products.

Mr. L. E. Langford of Goldthwaite, who has had many years experience in handling meats, will be with me to give you the very best meats and the best of service.

City Meat Market

AUSTIN BELL, Proprietor.

Personal

James Victor Allen was a visitor in Lubbock Sunday.
Mrs. E. M. Cox and Mrs. Floy Murry, who have been residing here, moved to Lubbock Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thrower of Healdton, Okla., and Mrs. W. J. Carter of Hamlin, were here last week for a few days visit with Mrs. W. T. Wilson.

Mrs. Wayford Cooper and daughter, Nan of Girard, were in Spur Tuesday to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Swatt Jones and small son, Jeff, who are here from Morton to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Don Ramsey spent Sunday afternoon at Aspermont lake where they did a little fishing for the last time of the season. No luck—they had a steak supper.

Frank Vernon, student in Texas Tech, has recently been elected president of the snor class and also elected president of Sociu fraternity there. Frank is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vernon of Spur.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooper

BEST PRICES

paid for your cattle and hogs. See me before you sell your Hogs and Cattle.

R. L. BENSON

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HOW MANY WAYS DO YOU CONSERVE?

Uncle Sam wants us to make the most of what we have — to conserve pre-war material so that we have more new goods to send to our fighting men. You can help in the nation's conservation program by keeping all your appliances and machinery in working order. We specialize in the upkeep of farm machinery and tractor work, acetylen welding. Let us help you keep your appliances and machinery up for the duration.

RAMSEY'S GARAGE

"WAKE UP, AMERICA!"



Will Subsidies Reduce Food Costs?

Moderated by FRED G. CLARK, General Chairman American Economic Foundation
As debated by

HON. EMANUEL CELLER
Member of Congress, 10th District, New York.

CONGRESSMAN CELLER OPENS: Inflation is the enemy that strikes at the heart of our economy. We can win victory on the battlefield and create disaster at home unless a long-range price control program is made effective. Carping critics of price roll-backs and subsidies are not new. Our government now pays about \$700,000,000 a year to keep down canner prices of vegetables; pay rail charges on gasoline to the East and coal to New England; hold the line of imported goods through high tariffs; keep high-cost mines operating, and subsidies are paid manufacturers and producers of machinery, mahogany, sugar, wheat (for the alcohol program), vegetable oils and cocoa. We are all in this war together. We must give the boot to the grippers and "business-as-usual" bellyachers. Indiscriminate criticism is no help. The necessity for subsidized to maintain and increase essential production springs from logical thinking and indisputable facts. The OPA proposes to subsidize where the cost increases necessarily. That is one payment made, and there can be no increase upon an increase, ending inflationary prices. Every price increase, if not absorbed or subsidized, sets the stage for a dozen more. Runaway inflation and economic disaster are the tragic results.

DR. HAAKE CHALLENGES: It is impossible to answer the above statement in 100 words as it to cure ten conflicting diseases with a single prescription—and for the same reason. If Mr. Celler were willing publicly to recognize the truth about inflation, he would strike at the cause and tax the excess from incomes under \$5,000 a year which possess about 87 percent of the present excess purchasing power of the country. He would stop trying to hold down prices while letting costs go up. His subsidies for the real remedy—and they do not hold down costs.

CONGRESSMAN CELLER REPLIES: Yes, Dr. Haake, we are ill. We must examine the cure with indigent and healthy skepticism. Once, however, we determine the best cure, we must follow it with unwavering determination. The findings of Congress have all pointed to no more effective and just methods for stabilizing the cost of living than a roll-back of prices and subsidies. We need not hesitate in prescribing this cure—indeed we dare not! Great Britain and Canada, by subsidies, have held the cost of living line. Price control, of course, is a part of this plan. There's nothing pitiful about that—INFLATION would be.

Mrs. Jamie Barrett left Wednesday morning for Fort Worth where she will spend the winter with her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Costelow spent Sunday in Lubbock where they visited their sons, Maurice Costelow, and wife and John Joe, who is a student at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gilcrease left Wednesday for Lamesa and other points in West Texas to visit with relatives for a few days.

DR. ALFRED P. HAAKE
Nationally-Known Industrial Economist, Author, Lecturer

R. HAAKE OPENS: Subsidies will not reduce food costs. At best, they constitute a bribe to the producer not to ask enough for his product to cover fully his costs, and in this way may prevent further increases in price to the ultimate consumer. But, even this does not mean an actual reduction in cost. At worst, subsidies lead to completion of growing fascist government control of our economic life. An Americanized Hitler could slide in on a subsidy-greased bid for votes. The roll-back subsidies already in effect on meat and butter alone will save less than 30 cents a week to each of the consuming families. This means a total saving of about nine million dollars a year at a cost of 485 million dollars a year to the taxpayer. Saving nine million dollars at a cost of 485 million is not exactly a reduction in cost. The government planners now seem to lean more toward incentive subsidies as a substitute for the present failure. This would undoubtedly involve tighter government control over kind and quantity of food production. It would bring additional swarms of bureau-locusts to plague us with new worries and ultimately still higher food costs.

CONGRESSMAN CELLER CHALLENGES: Dr. Haake employs a familiar dust screen as to the cost of subsidies. His figures are fragmentary compared to the cost caused by unleashed rises in prices. The consumer pays for that pyramiding! A 1 percent increase in the prices government must pay would cost \$1,000,000,000. Subsidies to forestall increases are far less. The OPA reports scheduled programs on meat, fats, and coffee alone will save consumers between \$2 and \$3 and the government at least \$2 for every dollar paid out. This pays off in dollars and cents at 4 or 5 to 1! Government subsidization of high-cost copper production alone shows savings of \$35 for every dollar paid!

DR. HAAKE REPLIES: Mr. Celler does not deny the accuracy of my figures nor the soundness of my reasoning. Furthermore, if he is correct in claiming that subsidies save the consumer \$2 to \$5 for every dollar government spends, he proves that subsidies are not necessary at all. Government pays the subsidies only to compensate for selling below cost, and if the margin of profit were so large as to permit price reduction of \$2 for every dollar of subsidy relief, it would not be necessary to compensate business men at all. Perhaps Mr. Celler means that government spends \$2 to \$5 for every dollar of benefit to the consumer.

Mrs. Lodi Herbst of Dickens is here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Wilson.

Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell and daughter, Marie, left Monday morning for Austin where they will make their home, and Miss Whitwell will enter the University of Texas.

Keith Garner and Jackie Paul Draper returned last Friday from Fort Worth where they had visited Mrs. Dorothy Jones for several days.

Mrs. W. N. Graves and daughter, Valera of Fresno, Calif., returned last Saturday a week ago after a visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lewis are the parents of a new son born Wednesday, Sept. 29, weight seven and a half pounds. He has been named David Clark. Mother and baby are reported doing nicely. Mrs. Minnie Lewis left the 26th for Junction to be with her daughter-in-law and son, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lewis.

FIRE PREVENTION



Remember To Turn Off Electrical Appliances

Disconnect cords when you have finished using your iron, toaster, and other electrical appliances. Thousands of dollars each year are lost due to carelessness in leaving electrical gadgets connected.

Every Fire Aids the Axis.

Merchants Fast Motor Lines

MANNANA LAND

Down along the Texas border On the banks of the Rio Grande, I stood amid the sand and cactus And gazed into Mannana Land.

Looked across its miles of deserts To the mountains standing high, Grim and silent, silhouetted There against the evening sky.

Tumbled rocks and dry arroyo's Rustling leaves abruptly still, A Shurhra standing sentinel On a low and distant hill.

I saw the scarlet Ocillo Favorite flower of Mexico, Flaunting all its brilliant colors Swaying gently to and fro.

And the Yacca, standing proudly Stately tall, and pearly white, With the dawn it softly closes Fading with the morning light.

As I stood in perfect stillness Heard the night-hawks hungry cry Watched it circle o'er the desert Hunting, searching for its prey.

I heard the coyote's lonesome howl As if mournful of its fate, Echoing across the wasteland Calling to its lowly mate.

Felt the night-wind, soft, caressing Bringing scent of sage and rain, As I gazed in startled wonder On that lonely, wild terrain.

Scurring clouds across the heavens Twinkling stars and moonlight sheen, Seemed to cast a spell of magic O'er this strange and peaceful scene.

All of this, as if a picture Painted by an unseen hand, Seemed to whisper, "You'll remember" Always, this Mannana Land.

—By Madaline Ward Faulkner.

Miss Carlo Sennings of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Kate Sennings, and sister, Mrs. Adelaide Sennings here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harkey were here from Dickens Saturday, trading with Spur merchants and visiting with friends on the streets.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter were in Lubbock Tuesday of last week, where Mr. Lassetter is receiving treatment for an eye trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Burchett of Clovis, New Mex., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson for the week end.

Mrs. Jim Hohn was a pleasant visitor at the Texas Spur office this week.

Mrs. E. L. Caraway, Mrs. B. F. Hale, and Mrs. M. H. Brannen attended the district convention of the Christian church in Lubbock this week.

Levi Meador Sr. left Friday for Fort Worth to attend to business affairs.

Lem Walden was a business visitor in Crosbyton Friday of last week.

Cecil Caplinger left Wednesday for Dallas where he will be employed.

Mrs. C. R. Hawley and children of Dickens were shopping in Spur Monday.

F. G. Harmon returned to his home at Floydada Wednesday after a two weeks stay in Spur, where he looked after the Chandler Funeral Home, in the absence of Mrs. C. B. Chandler.

WARTIME Health WEEK

OCTOBER 1-11



It's a Duty to Stay Healthy

Next to Godliness is cleanliness, the first requisite of good health.

With the shortage of doctors, it is your duty to guard your body from germs that are carried into the system. Fatigue is "Open Sesame" to disease and germs that surround your body at all times. When you are in run-down condition they find entrance and succeed in overcoming the feeble resistance that your body is able to summon up. Don't give these germs a chance to keep you from your job, get plenty of rest and nutritious food. To remain healthy, strong and fit, follow these simple rules: Sleep at least seven hours a day; eat plenty of fresh vegetables and fruit; exercise out of doors; see your doctor and dentist often for check ups; get plenty of sunshine; keep clean. Your health is vital for production—for Victory. Guard it well.

DR. P. C. NICHOLS

City and County Health Officer.

FIGHT FIRE ON THE HOME FRONT



WE CANNOT AFFORD TO WASTE PRECIOUS MATERIALS!

Principal fire causes in home and industry through which nearly one-half billion dollars in property are lost annually are due mostly to carelessness.

Scarcity of material and labor make it especially necessary for every American to take precautions against fire . . . to avoid setbacks on our road to VICTORY!



1. Do not smoke in bed. Put matches, cigars and cigaret butts in metal containers.
2. Completely enclose wood and coal fireplaces with wire screen.
3. Be sure floor lamps and extension cords are in good repair.
4. Disconnect electric appliances as soon as through using them.
5. Burn oily rags. Set oily mops in the open air. Never store easily flammable materials in closets.

SPUR CREAMERY

