### O. C. Fisher For Congress

Meet my friend O C. Fisher, our able and popular district attorney. Mr. Fisher has announced his andidacy for congressman of this

He was born and raised in Kimcounty. While he was younger an he is now, he turned author d wrote a book entitled; "It occured in Kimble". In my opinion Pisher's birth was among the most portant events that ever occured



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Kimble county, tho he doesn't by so. In fact, Fisher doesn't know that I am writing this about him.

After he grew up among the denzens of the "Hill Country" and ac uired a husky body and a brilliant mind as is common with the offpring of those hardy pioneers. Fish went to college and got a good nally settled down in San Angelo practice his profession.

As time went by, we saw in this istrict attorney and we elected ard in April. im and still have him.

nen to represent us in Congress whose views and attitude toward Uncle Sam and the Administration more congenial with our senti neuts, it behooves us to put forvard our most available and ablest nan. That man, in my opinion is D. C. Fisher.

In these critical days, we must out only our truest and best men n guard. Fisher is one of these le is just plain "Old West Tex", ith policies and sentiments that at our ideals in the matter of the ommon defense of our land and ountry.

Fisher has never yet given comort to Hitler and his wolfpack by rying to lay the blame of the World Var treaty on England and Uncle

Fisher is and has supported the dministration in its all out dense policies.

I hope you boys will not go outh next summer and will not orget the awful sore of Pearl Harer.-Uncle Bill

Its bonds or taxes. If you buy your money then be worth?

### An Ultimatum



#### Noratadata Club With L'Jean McEntire

L'Jean McEntire was hostess to the Noratadata Club Monday night. Mrs. Fred Alien, president of the club, presided at the business meet-

The club is helping to sponsor a Home Nursing Course which will meet every Monday and Wednesday night from 7. 9 o'clock, beginning the 15th of February. Mrs. Hughes a registered, graduate nurse will be the instructor.

The club also voted to buy a deducation. He majored in law and fense bond also, at the meeting, the club elected Mildred Atkinson and L'Jean McEntire as delegates to rep resent the club at the District oung man the "makin's" of a good Meeting of Federated clubs at Men-

"Building a Home" was the topic Feeling the pressing need of a for the program Mrs. Dayton Barrett gave a discussion on "Planning and Construction aff House", and Mrs. Fred Allen gave a talk on "Building A House and Living Together".

> Miss Flo Allen won high score and Miss Mickey McGuire won Bin-

#### V. E. Davis For Sheriff

In this issue we are announcing Vern E. Davis as candidate for reelection to the office of Sheriff Tax Assessor collector of Sterling Coun-

Not very many people in Sterling County know how many years this candidate has served the people in this capacity, but there are those who were born and have grown to manhood and womonhood since he was first elected, but the average citizen has had such unlim ited confidence in his ability to execute the laws that they never gave serious consideration to any other candidate.

While he is a friend to the honest onds, you simply put away the man, yet, he is a terror to the noney you pay them for a rainy crook and evil doer. The crook who ay. If we fool along and not buy knows Vern Davis would travel a bonds, it will then be only a tax thousand miles out of his way that eceipt you will have to show for he might not come through Sterhe money you paid out. If we ling. That is one of the reasons vere to lose the war, what would why he has been so popular with the citizenship of Sterling County.

### Hit Them Where It Hurts .... BUY BONDS!



Make no mistake—this is a life or death struggle. Men are dying in your defense. Dying that America may be safe!

Give our fighting men the guns, the planes, the tanks they need! Bonds buy bombs. Every dime, every dollar you put into Defense Bonds and Stamps is a blow at the enemy. Hit them where it hurts - buy bonds! Bonds cost as little as \$18.75 upstamps as little as 10 cents up.

### Social Hygeine Day

The Sixth National Social Hygiene Day will be observed in Tex as on Wednesday, February 4, 1942. Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health ennounced today.

ing of large groups of workers into war industrial areas," Dr. Cox said today. "A recent survey of 216,000 industrial workers in one large city showed 2.98 per cent to be infected with syphilis and 9 per cent with gonorrhea. We must fight vice our workers.

"Physical fitness not only of our soldiers, marines, and saliors but also of our civilian population, will determine the effectiveness of our war effort." Doctor Cox stated. "We must realize that the nation's de fense depends on a healthy civilian population, able to produce needed materials."

Social Hygiene Day, nationally sponsored by the American Social Hygiene Association will be obser ved throughout the country on February 4, 1942. Army and navy officers, industry, management officer as follows: labor unions, health and welfare

agencies participate in this nation wide campaign and collaborate on legal, medical educational and pro tective measures to fight veneral disease among industrial workers.

"Physical fitness is the founda tion of a sound national defensethe prerequisite for victory, assert ed Doctor Cox. "More and more Americans are coming to realize that among the first enemies to be conquered in its present mighty There can be no strong nation where bodies are unfit; most as suredly there can be no military victory where disease acts as an insidious 'fifth column' within the ranks."

### **Urged to Conserve** Burlap

The Sterling County U. S. D. A War Board, which has been con verted from the County Defense Board, urges ranchmen and farmers to conserve burlap sacks as a safe guard against a possible shortage.

This shortage is eminent because of the War in the Far East which has reduced shipping facilities between the United States and India, Officer and Chairman on Health from which burlap is imported aland Emergency Medical Service, most exclusively. Along with this shortage our uses for burlap have "The menace of social disease increased 50 include vast quantiwill be made greater by the crowd ties for packing food for the Army and Navy, certain chemicals, and other articles such as items shipped under the Lend Lease Act.

The Sterling War Board, which operates under the direction of The State War Board, urges all citizens to cooperate in the Conservation of and venereal diseases and protect Burlap as well as other articles need ed for our armed forces.

#### "Sighted Sub. Sank Same"

A submarine had been lurking somewhere on the coast threaten ing American shipping a few days Case that his suitcase had spilt out ago. A petty officer was sent out in his bomber with orders to sight the sub if possible.

After being absent for sometime. the flyer reported to his superior

'Sighted Sub. Sank Same".

### W. C. McDonald Announces For District Attorney

It is usual and customary for all candidates for public office to make public Statement to the people and set forth his reasons for asking their support and confidence.

Accordingly, I announce my candidacy for the office of District At torney of the 51st Judicial District composed of the Counties of Ster ling, Coke, Tom Green, Irion and Schleicher.

In view of the great National emergency and our all out war ef forts, I will be unable to see each Voter personally, but I shall try to



W. C. (BILL) McDONALD

see as many as possible under the circumstances.

If you bonor me by electing me your Disirict Attorney, I will faith fully discharge the duties of that office to the best of my ability, and I will not engage in the private effort are the veneral diseases. practice of law of any kind, in any court, but will devote my entire time and efforts to the duties of the District Attorney's office.

I began the practice of law in 1933, I am married and have two children, a boy 14 years old and a girl 9 years old, I have served as County Attorney of Coke County since 1934, and have assisted the District Attorney in felony prosecutions there since that time; I am a Native of this 51st Judicial District and have lived in Coke County all

If elected your District Attorney, I will conduct the duties of such oftice with equal rights to all and Special priviledges to none, giving all persons the same consideration at all times.

Thanking you for your Vote and Influence, I am.

> Respectfully yours, W. C. (Bill) McDonald

#### Pilot Loses Suit Case From Flying Plane

Several airplanes were passing over the George Case ranch a few days ago. Some of the flyers were looping the loop and doing other stunts, George Case and others were watching the show.

Presently George saw something fall from one of the planes and be ing at quite a distance, be thought it might be a man he went out to investigate.

Before George got very far, the plane landed near the Case ranch house. The flyer informed Mr. of the plane while flying up side

They went out in search of it but failed to find it. The flyer resumed his journey.

Later, Mr. Case in company with others found the suitcase and mail ed it to its owner.

### Sterling City News-Record

W F Kellis. Editor and Owner

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#### "VACANCY"

According to the story an oil man died and went to Heaven, where all good oil men go. When he arrived St. Peter told him he was eligible to be admitted but they were awfully crowded. but to come in and soon perhaps he could find a VACANCY'. When St. Peter spoke the word vacancy he uttered the oil man's DREAM word. From that time on the oil man was HAP PY and spent his time at the County Clerk's office reading field notes and making sketches, in hopes of find ing the vacancy that would make him "GET WELL".

However during the interim he did not see many people, so he made inquiry of St. Peter and found the happy throng were all attend ing some kind of celebration which was lasting for several days (must have been an old fushioned Camp meeting) At this point the old man's brain really snapped into action. He saw a chance to make more room in Heaven. He rushed madly into the center of assembl age and holding up both hands for silence he shouted, "Fellows, they have just struck oil in Hell". The lease brokers left INSTANTA, if not sooner, followed by the company scouts and so on down the line Soon there was so much room the oil man became suspicious, and finally decided that there might be something to the RUMOR after all, so he left for the new AREA to get some first hand information.

(Written in honor of our visiting seismograph crews.—Useless

In a short time we will be allowed only one pound of sugar per week for each person. The doctors will tell you that one pound of sugar a week is as much as any one persou should consume in a week.

During the Civil War, we had but little salt, no sugar, no coffee and very little flour during the four years of the war. We spun and wove the cloth out of which our clothes were made, tanned the leather out of which our shoes were made and sometimes we had only rainwater to drank and cornbread to eat, yet, we got by with it,

of Pearl Harbor last December 7. \$2.09 and some postage. This stamp Investigators find that the heads of will do until July 1, then it will at the next election. The chances the Navy and Army at Pearl Har- cost you \$5 and will be good for a ber were the guilty sleepers. If year. Pretty digging, but we have Kimmel and Short are to be punish to whip Itchy Itchy, Mussy and Hit ed why not punish Wheeler and ler, you know, and it takes such that bunch who put those boys to things to do it. sleep by telling them that there was no danger, as well as delaying preparedness for the things that are landed in Ireland a few days ago, now happening.—Uncle Bill.

The Germans claim that Hitler is a direct descendant of Mohammed. So that was the name of ever landed in Ireland. Hitler's ancestor. Was it? Well, I onced owned a dog named Nero. Were I to insinuate that Nero was the progenitor of such a polecat as graye and growl.-Uncle Bill

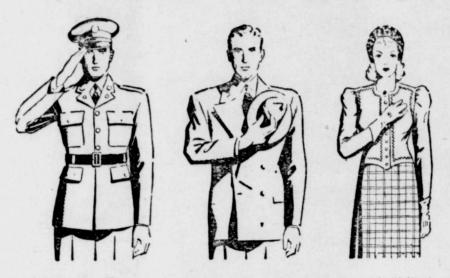


YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE RICH to help American Defense. That's the theme of the above poster, one of the newest of the Defense Savings promotional pieces now going up in streetcars, on bulletin boards, and at other public places. This poster emphasizes the point advanced by the Treasury Department that every American can-and must-pitch in if the United States is to have the arms and the tools necessary to protect her freedom.

#### W. C. McDonald Here

In company with our old time friend J C. Rabb, W. C. (Bill) Mc-Donald of Robert Lee candidate for district attorney of the 51st district. was a caller on this editor last Tuesday, Eisewhere in this issue, the reader will see this candidates picture and announcement, Bill is a product of Coke County and is considered a good Indian among those Coke County people. While County attorney of Coke County, he made it hot for crooks. He is a good N. H. Ree lawyer and if he is elected, we predict the office will be ably filled. He expects to put in all his time on the job.

### Every Patriotic American Salutes His Nation's Flag



Flag is passing in a parade or in a over the heart. review, all persons present should face the Flag, stand at attention and salute.

Those present in uniform should render the right hand salute.

should remove their headdress is held until it has passed.

During the ceremony of hoisting | with the right hand and hold it at or lowering the Flag, or when the the left shoulder, the hand being

> Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart.

The salute to the Flag in a moving column is rendered as the Those men not in uniform Flag approaches the spectator and

# Ice Skating Newest Sport at TSCW



A universal winter sport at northern colleges and universities, ice skating is unique at southern and southwestern schools because the mercury seldom drops to freezing point. This year at Texas State College for Women, Denton, ice skating is being promoted with the college providing a rink, five times the size of an average tennis court, which will be double-coated with ice on every occasion of freezing weather.

Here Miss Kathryn Kellett, left, art instructor; Bobbie Jo Sanford, Roanoke; Jeanne Hancock, Fort Worth; and Miss Mary Katherine Boone, instructor of health and physical education, try

Don't forget to go to the postoffice and buy a stamp for your Somebody was asleep at the door car tomorrow. It will cost you

> Among the American troops who are a number of Irish Paddies who are glad to be stationed among their kinfolks. Hitler may have reason to regret that these boys

Those dam Japs are beginning to contact some of Uncle Sam's boys with the result that the undertakers Hitler, he would turn over in his are kept very busy in the Jap

Coke Stevenson is making Texas a fine governor. It is a foregone conclusion that Texas people will not trade him off for a new man are that he will have the race all to bimself.

E shootum damum Jap, Romani, et Hun. Which in the West Texas language means, Remember Pearl Harbor and buy a bond.

Although outnumbered ten to one, General McArthur and his men are giving the Japs a run for their

The reason why Hitler's men are running away from Moscow, is because they can't fly.

The Japs may realize soon that Hitler has played them for suckers.



SAVING METALS

There is an old story about the writer and philosopher, Elbert Hubbard. When he was driving along a country road one day, his keen eye spied a

discarded horseshoe lying in the dust. He told his young son to pick up the horseshoe, and take it home as a good luck to-

A little later, the son called his father's attention to a pile of old horseshoes at the side of the road, spilled out of an overturned junk wagon. 'Leave them right there," said Hubbard. "One horseshoe picked up is a good luck symbol—a pile of

them is merely junk." Those junk piles today have a new significance.

For a good many years, we have had such a large supply of metals, and they have been so cheap, that we have given little thought to reclaiming or salvaging them from broken or discarded machines.

World-wide war has changed that. Now we are embarked on a program of building ships and

planes and tanks and guns that will make unheard of demands on our supply of iron, steel, copper, aluminum and other metals.

Already we are faced with strict rationing of metals for peacetime uses, and certainly we shall have to learn to get along without a good many of the things we have come to look upon as a matter of course. without much thought of their

This condition imposes a new and very important responsibility on every citizen. His first duty is to repair and make useful everything made of metal that can be put into working order. His second duty is to collect and turn over to the proper authority every pound of metal that is not working-every broken machine or part, every discarded tool or utensil.

War is destructive. It uses up, mostly without possibility of reclamation. The greater part of the metals we must put into war supplies will be permanently gone from our national supply. We may be facing a very long period during which no metals will be plentiful and cheap for peacetime purposes.

An increasing supply of scrap metals must come from the factories and the farms. City homes do not use metals in such large quantities - household machines are seldom heavy, farm machines

So every farmer has a special obligation, to seek out every fence corner, to look in and behind every farm building-for metals that can be reclaimed and put to use.

Thus we can contribute to winning the war quickly-to keep terrific losses of life and property to a minimum-to protecting the supply of metals we need in our every-

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R SALE-Two blood hound eady for training .- Louis Bade

T. Davis was a business visitor allas last Wednesday.

e destroyed a small house on N. H. Reed Ranch last Wednes It had been occupied by a

tue Peavy stationed at Camp spent last week end visithis father, B. L Peavy and other ves here.

veral cases of measles have d among the children of ng City. Also a few whooping th cases are reported.

ter a sojourn of a week or e in a hospital at San Angelo, nty Agent H. P. Malloy is back ne as lively as ever.

four laundry will be appreciated call for and deliver all laundry John Purves-tf

or Sale; 5 room house on 2 lots Foster addition of Sterling City Mrs. G. A Stockton tf

or Sale: 7 used doors, 1 mattress stove and 1 coal grate all in condition. 2t. Phone or see C. N. Crawford.

Brennand of El Paso was ing friends and attending to s here last Tuesday. Mr. noend is one of the pioneers of part of West Texas.

BB Clydene Everitt, a student at ardin-Simmons University at spent last week end visit parents Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Is Married She returned to her cole Monday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dearen and attended the funeral of Del-Pat) Dearen at Colorado City It Tuesday, Deceased, who was hew of A. W. Dearen, died at Hospital in Dallas, last Mon-

Dorsey B. Hardeman enterthe Lion's Club at its weekcheon last Wednesday. The ch was so instructive and patriic that it is planned to have it ated at an early date where all e people can hear it

Additional ones who gave to the Cross.

re. Harvey Glass Glass Garrett 2.00 Breauer 5 00 D. P. Glass 1.00

G. C. Potts of Big Spring is here week helping in the pressing od cleaning establishment at the Store while Bob Rose is his eyes a rest. Grover is the old time boys of Sterling and is always a welcomed ad

The drilling site for the Gulf Corp. in Sec. 28, Blk. 12, S. P. Ry. Co. in Foster's pasture was staked Wednesday. This location is miles south and slightly east erling City, Drilling is expectbegin at an early date. The act depth is 8,000 feet unless uction is encountered before

### GROWER'S SKILL OFTEN SETS PRICES PAID FOR BROILERS



ng market quotations, the broiler producer would do well to look to himself for the answer to that all-important question. For the man who raises broilers can do a lot to dictate his own price, if he just makes up his mind to do so, according to J. H. Burrell, Purina Mills' Broiler Specialist.

"Poultry meat that goes to market is usually graded fancy, average, or poor grade, according to quality," says Burrell by way of explanation. "Every is determined largely by the class into which his broilers go.

"Fancy grade broilers are recognized by their fine finish, meaty thighs, full breasts, more edible meat, and naturally bring a better price and more profit per pound. The average or poor grades are just as easily 'spotted' by poor fin-ish, thin breasts, less edible meat, and tough and stringy bodies. In such birds there is little or no margin of profit for the producer.

Favorable Balance

"From these comparisons, the broiler his birds when they go to the market," tation, is in the bag!

What price broilers? Instead of read- Burrell says. "If he adopts and holds unswervingly to the policy of growing broilers that have the fancy grade finish and bring the top price when they go, that producer is sure to have the balance of profit in his favor, in the

"To achieve such results, a man must obviously develop and maintain absolute control over every factor that enters into broiler production. He must have good stock to begin with, and give them good care in comfortrell by way of explanation. "Every able, clean surroundings," says Bur-producer knows that the price he gets rell. "Most important of all is the feed he uses in his broiler operations

"Good feed is absolutely essential in the development of fine quality poultry meats. Such feed must be bought on the basis of the quality of broilers it produces and the cost of producing them. To be sure, the price per bag on such feed runs higher than average. Sometimes it makes a man back away and say, 'too high.' He is tempted to turn to something 'just as good but

What's in the Bag? "The best advice I can give a broiler raiser will understand what I mean man is, "Don't buy broiler feed by the when I say that the price his broilers price that's on the tag. Instead buy bring depends so much upon him, since according to the amount and quality he is responsible for the condition of of broiler meat that you know, by repu-

# Miss Ada Davis

Miss Ada Davis and Gus Caruthers were married at Fort Stockton its primary elections in July 1942 on January 14, and will make their Chief Justice Court of Civil Appeals home at Alpine.

The bride, who is a sister of Mrs. For Congressman 21st District Henry Bade, is well known here, having spent the major part of her For State Senator life in this vicinity. She has a host of friends here who wish her much happiness in her marital life. The bridegroom is a well known stockman of the Big Bend country.

#### **Curtailed Deliveries**

Notice is hereby given to oul customers and others concerned, that in order to co operate with the National Defense Program, we the undersigned have agreed that except in cases of emergency. We will not deliver goods after 12 o'clock M. February 1.

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R. D. Smith, minister

You are invited to attend the services at the Church of Christ. You will always be welcome and your presence will be appreciated.

Bible class at 10.00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a.m., Communion Services at 11:45 Preaching at 7:45, p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:45 Wednes

day evening. A very cordial welcome.

#### Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following candidates for offices in Sterling County subject to the action of the Democratic party in

E. F. Smith

O. C. Fisher

Pensose B. Metcalfe For Representative 91st District

Dorsey B. Hardeman For District Attorney

W. C. (Bill) McDonald

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector V. E. Davis

For County Judge: G. C. Murrell

For County and District Clerk:

Prebble Durham

For County Treasurer: Sallie Wallace

#### **Baptist Church**

Sunday

A.m. 10:00 Sunday School lesson 11:00 Worship Service

6:00 Training union 7:00 Evening worship Wednesday

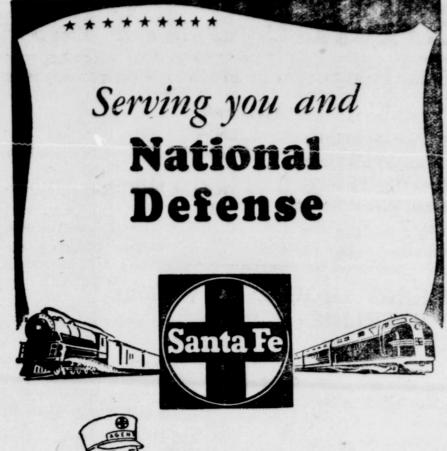
P,m. 2:30 Missionary Society 7:00 Weekly Teachers meeting

7:30 Mid-week Devotional We welcome you, Claude Stovall, pastor

#### Methodist Church

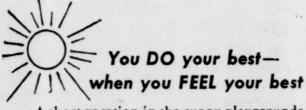
Pastor Lowell O. Ryan Church school 10 a. m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock

Young People's Service 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock



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#### STIRRING AROUND **STERLING**

By Gadabout

There's been quite a bit of excitement these last 2 weeks. Basketball as usual, was the high spot in the enterrainment.

There were 34 from Sterling that attended the Coshoma game last Friday night.

Our "man" Sharp has been seen around quite a bit, Sunday however he seemed to be losing out.

At the show Saturday night ad miring Gene Autry's wonderful voice were: Lloyd and Billy Sue Jack and Jerrie, Mitzi and Unk Claude and Arlene, Wardell and Ruth, Frances Mae, Marie and Joan

Then at the Palace lending an Dan. ear to the rending music of Glenn Miller were S. H. Sers., Freda, Nan, SixthGrade Sue, Ross, Beatrice, Lena, Marylene. Arlene, Marie, Tom Dee and Eloise, Winston and Billy Sue, (look out Lloyd) and a few Jr S. H. Sers. Peggy and Rosemary were work

ing main after the show. Coke drankers after the show were Ross and Sue, Winston and Billy Sue, Tom Dee and Eloise, Jack and Jerrie and others.

Fred Mitchell was seen making the rounds with John and Dixie Saturday night. All before 9:30

Miss Dean and Coach Brown were seen here and there over the week end. What happened to B. H. W. and Soph B. S. E.

Paula Sue and Neal J. have been seen together over town after a long absence Details?

Plans are being made for high school annuals. Anyone interested in one see: Supt. O. T. Jones.

Dr. W. J. Swann is recuperating after a short illness.

Jerrie seemed awfully interested in Chippy Sunday afternoon or was it his friends?

Fishermen on the Conche Saturday were: Coaches Burnetts, Brown Miss Dean and Johnny. A total of two fish were caught.

Church goers Sun. night were: Miss Dean and Mr. Brown, Eloise and Tom Dee and Winston and Billy Sue.

County Agent H. P. Malloy is home after an illness in the San Angelo hospital.

Everyone is glad to see you home again, Mr. Malloy. We missed you around school and our big city.

Saturday night dates were Winston Churchill and Jessie Vern Martin, Zelma Ray Purvis and Scooter Carr and last but not least Mozelle King and Chester Bright,

Cycling over town on bikes Monday afternoon were: Mitzi, Arlene ane Elouise. Freda Mae and Nannie Mae turned western as well as cruel. They were bouncing around on Clintons shetland pony. Jamie Sue must have bounced off because I didn't see her.

See you at the game Friday night.

#### Fifth Grade

Margaret Ritter has the measles We miss her very much and hope she can be with us soon.

a bond.

#### WE WONDER

Who were acting so childish Sun

If B. Sue, Winston, Eloise and Tom Dee enjoyed the show and church late Sunday.

Who was with Lloyd and Billy Sue Saturday night.

Who Big John was supposed to have been with Sunday night.

Who thought Claude was so cute Friday night,

If the boys enjoyed the game or the girls most. Who the new Hedy Lamar was

that Winston saw in town Satur If Paula Sue had a good time

Why everybody is crazy about

We are working for the March of dimes. We have \$200. We have missed 5 of our members this week. They all have the measles Hurry up and get well kids. The Little Workers of America have been enjoying their club. Bobby gave the program this week.

# **Colds Continue** a Very Serious **Poultry Problem**

Exact Cause of Disease Remains Unsolved.

Long a serious problem to poultrymen, the common cold continues to br one of his worst enemies.

"No one has discovered just what causes colds in poultry," reports R. E. Smith, head of the Sanitation Department of the Ralston Purina Company. "But it is well known that the disease often develops as a result of exposure to dampness, cold, drafts, and conditions brought about by crowding and poor ventilation.'

Smith explains that it is the vitaltty of individual birds in a flock that determines how the flock as a whole will react to unfavorable conditions. Once a few weak birds in a flock become infected, even healthy birds have a difficult time withstanding the spread of the disease germs.

Smith suggests the following eight point sanitation program as a safeguard against costly losses from colds:

- 1. Eliminate drafts, dampness and crowding.
- 2. Scrub fountains daily with a stiff brush and disinfect them with Chlorena solution.
- 3. If necessary, give the birds a mild
- 4. Clean the poultry house thoroughly and disinfect with a solution of Cre-so-fec.
- 5. Supply plenty of clean litter. 6. If colds occur, remove sick birds immediately. Burn those which
- 7. At the first observance of colds, close the house and dust the birds with Chlorena Powder until they sneeze frequently. Repeat with light dustings daily until the birds show improvement.
- 8. Keep the flock on full feed. If feed consumption drops, feed Layena checkers at night. To further increase feed consumption, it may be advisable to add an appetizer such as Chek-R-Ton to the laying mash.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Chlorena, Cre-so-fec and Chek-R-Ton are handled by our local Purina distributor for flock owners to help control the colds that may develop in their chickens. He can supply complete directions for the use of all three products.

R. P. Davis Barber Shop Remember Pearl Harbor and buy Try it for good service. We want to please you.

### Modern Betsy Ross, Artist in Needlecraft, Makes All Army Flags



The year 1942 marks the 165th anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes, today a battleflag proudly carried by American armed forces in every continent on the globe.

In January, 1777, the American people, elated by General Washington's recent victories at Trenton and Princeton, were seeking an emblem for the new nation. The Congress on June 14 following adopted a resolution providing for a flag of 13 alternate red and white stripes with 13 white pines. stars on a blue field. And then the inspiring story of Betsy Ross who made the first Star-Spangled Banner in her little upholstery shop in Arch Street, Philadelphia.

Today the modern Betsy Ross still sews in Philadelphia-any one of hundreds of women skilled in needlecraft. She plies her art in the Philadelphia Quartermaster Depot where all the flags used by the United States Army are

#### Story of Betsy Ross

Betsy Ross was born January 1, 1752, and died January 30, 1836, but it was not until a third of a century after her death that the legend of her handiwork in the making of the first flag became generally known. One of her decendants, W. J. Canby, related the incident before the Historical Society of Pennsylvania in 1870 and since then she has been exalted as a national heroine.

Nameless though they are to mil- a Swiss hand embroidering ma- Woodrow Wilson on May 29, 1916



-U S Signal Corps Photos.

Embroidering Quartermaster's Banner

lions of people who are thrilled | chine. The blue fields are placed by the sight of glorious banners in frames on a machine provided fashioned from their delicate with many needles and these turn stitches, they are rewarded by the knowledge that the flags they broidery, both sides alike. have wrought are today the signals of liberty and freedom afar amid the fogs of Iceland and in the battlesmoke of the Philip-

The most stirring sight at the Quartermaster Depot is the making of the flag. After thorough inspection of the cloth to insure that it comes up to rigid specifications, the bunting is marked and cut with an electrically driven cutting machine into strips of two lengths for making the flag. One hundred strips are cut in a single operation. The blue field for the stars is cut in the same manner. The material for stars is stamped out with a steel-cutting die on an electric-driven stamping machine. The alternate red and white stripes are joined together on a double-needle sewing machine.

Each blue bunting field is carefully marked for its stars, and the stars are stitched on with a special machine that produces a the flag, representing his grade zig zag stitch. Other operations complete the making of the flag Army and Navy. This color has of the United States.

The modern Betsys take keen and standards is a specialized art tassel secured immediately below pride in their work. Many have at the Philadelphia Quartermas- the flagstaff headpiece, consisting reached the highest perfection in ter Depot. The stripes and field of a gold-hued, spread eagle. The the art of embroidery, in design- are cut by hand but the stars are design of this flag was established ing and the blending of colors. made of solid embroidered silk on by Executive Order of President

UNCLE SAM's fast-moving ski

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#### Regimental Standards

Regimental colors and standards, with their coats-of-arms and mottoes, each distinctive unto its own military unit, are embroidered by hand. As many as 30 different shades of silk thread are used in embroidering each flag. This calls for exceptional skill and care to produce the predetermined designs in their exact blending of shades. All designs are passed upon by technical experts in the office of the Quartermaster General.

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