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Progress Being Made On Bank

INCOME TAX DON'TS

Don't prepare your income tax return until carefully read and understand the instructions accompanying the forms. Make out a work-sheet and check it with the instructions before filling in the forms.

Don't delay in making out your income tax return. Tax problems deserve careful study and the early assembling of your data expedites this.

Don't destroy the data from which your return is compiled. You will need them for possible rechecking and varying the return.

Don't overlook any item or schedule on the form which you are required to fill out. They are all necessary to the exact computation of your income tax.

Don't omit any explanation or information that is essential to a complete audit of your return. An ounce of care may save you a pound of unnecessary expense, and time annoyance both to you and to your Government.

For the first time since a group of interested citizens began a drive to raise capital stock for a bank in Silverton, a fairly definite statement can be made on the progress of the undertaking. Nearly \$10,000 has been pledged by farmers, and business men, and in denominations ranging from \$50.00 to \$1,000. The aim of the original committee was \$15,000. Two-thirds of that amount has been subscribed in less than a month, and with new names appearing in the list nearly every day. It is fairly well assured that the amount will be raised.

Several interested men have been contacted in the effort to find a banker who wishes to buy the controlling interest. One banker in particular, spent a couple of days here looking at the territory and expressed himself as very well satisfied with prospects.

Several other men have expressed their willingness to buy stock in a large amount if the proper management can be secured. New men are being contacted every day and for the most part they are definite in their belief that Silverton needs and must have a bank.

The First National Bank of Silverton was not permitted to open again after the "bank holiday" of 1933, although according to residents at that time it showed a fairly strong financial statement. Several half hearted attempts have been made to establish a bank here since, but from lack of co-operative effort, none were successful.

With the large trading territory, and volume of business here there is every reason to believe that a bank would flourish. And now, after seven years, it seems likely that Silverton shall have that bank. If we are successful in obtaining a local financial institution, will be without doubt, the most forward step taken here in the last decade!

AB STEVENSON ANNOUNCES FOR CITY MARSHAL AGAIN

A. G. Stevenson has authorized the Briscoe County News to announce that he is again a candidate for the office of City Marshal again this year, subject to the City Election.

Mr. Stevenson has served in the capacity of City Marshal and night watchman for several years and has performed his duties well. He wishes to thank the people of Silverton for their cooperation in the past.

SIXTH GRADE HONOR ROLL

The sixth grade is having a roll for honor students, according to Anita Johnigan, reporter for that class. The students are put on the roll for good behavior each day. The teacher puts down the names of those who do not disturb the class and those whose names are named three times in one week are on the honor roll.

The following students were on the honor roll last week:

Wanda Leigh Moore
Vance Childress
Milton Clemmer
Anita Johnigan
Wanda Wood
Jeanne Dudley
Emma Lee May
Norman Strange
Travis Ellis
Jim Crow
Clara Bell Ziegler
June Ziegler
Joyce Dell Hardin

STYLE SHOW AT LUBBOCK

Buyers for the retail stores of this vicinity will be able to buy the very latest Spring and Summer merchandise at the Western Wholesale Market to be held at the Lubbock Hotel March 15, 16 and 17.

According to I. A. Stephens, President of the Association, more nationally known exhibitors are registered to participate in this showing than at any previous Spring market. The buyer's guide listing all exhibitors, will be sent to all retail merchants on March 11th.

Bernie Howell's orchestra will play for the buffet supper and dance on Monday night, March 17 to which all buyers visiting the market will be guests of the Association. The dinner dance last Fall was attended by 300 people, and a larger number are expected for the affair this Spring.

SOPHOMORE CLASS PARTY

Six members of the sophomore class enjoyed a pleasant evening in the home of C. C. Garrison. We were sorry that thirty other members had previous engagements and could not be there. After several amusing games, delicious refreshments were served at the Wood Drug.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reid are the proud parents of a girl born March 4, at Tulsa.

YOUNG SANDERS TO HAWAII

Homer Sanders, Jr. was accepted last week for a three year enlistment with the Army Engineer Corps. He will be stationed in Honolulu and is in San Francisco awaiting his sailing orders.

Junior has tried for several months to make the air service but was turned down because of a slight eye defect.

AUXILIARY WITH MRS. THOMAS

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Perry Thomas, Jr. in north Silverton.

Mrs. R. G. Alexander presided during the short business meeting when plans for attending Presbyterian were discussed, following Mrs. O. T. Bundy's secretary-treasurer report. Mrs. Fred Lemons brought out the thought of stewardship of time, in scripture reading and devotional. She led the lesson on "Influence of the Bible on Modern Personalities". Those on the program were Mrs. Sid Richards, Mrs. Lena Northcutt, Mrs. Monroe Lowery, and Mrs. Thomas. Each paper was interesting, well-given and well received.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to fourteen members. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. D. F. Wulfman, March 17.

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

COMPLEX MANUFACTURING TASK

THERE ARE 15,000 SEPARATE PARTS IN A MODERN ARMY TRUCK

PRESENT OUTPUT - \$2,500,000

1941 TOTAL PRODUCTION POSSIBILITY - \$750,000,000

A SURVEY OF THE MACHINE TOOL INDUSTRY - VITAL TO DEFENSE PROGRESS - SHOWS THE POSSIBILITY OF A TOTAL PRODUCTION OF \$750,000,000 FOR 1941, THOUGH PRESENT ORDERS TOTAL BUT \$423,000,000

THE OUTDOOR ADVERTISING INDUSTRY IN AMERICA DISTRIBUTES MORE THAN \$30,000,000 EACH YEAR IN PAMPHLETS

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN - WHO HAD GREAT REGARD FOR THE VALUE OF TIME, WAS THE ORIGINATOR OF OUR MODERN IDEA OF "DILIGENT SAVING TIME" - FRANKLIN SUGGESTED THIS IDEA IN 1734

Boys Livestock Show Here Next Friday

SUBSCRIBERS ARE KEEPING PAPER DUES WELL PAID

The last couple of weeks have brought several new and renewal subscriptions to the Briscoe County News Office and we want to take this way of saying "Thanks". Right now there are several subscribers whose papers are just on the edge, that is, in a few more weeks they need to be renewed. Several folks hesitate about paying because they say "There will be another dollar offer in a few days."

There will not be another bargain offer until some time about July, and there are several papers that expire before that time. The regular price of the paper is only 3 cents a week--the price of a postage stamp, or of three cigarettes.

One way you could do is to subscribe for the paper for the five months from now until July. The price for the five months is 65c. Then you can take advantage of the dollar bargain if you wish, and altogether you will be paying \$1.05 for 17 months subscription, or very little more than the dollar rate.

Folks we want to especially mention this week for their new or renewals are:

R. E. Wertz
West Texas Gas Co.
John Vaughan
R. N. McDaniel, Sr.
Conrad Alexander
Mrs. H. R. Braley
Mrs. H. G. Finley
Lubbock Chamber of Commerce
John Henry Crow
W. H. Newman
University of Texas
Virgil Chitty
Clinton Brown
I. F. Shaffer
Frank Trawick
Bob McGuire
A. L. Kelsay
Henry Teubel
Bob Dickerson
Billie McDaniel
Mrs. Loys Rowell

This week again, several hundred folks will receive the paper who are not subscribers. We want to mail you this paper every week. We cordially invite you to become subscribers.--R.H.

FFA NEWS

The FFA boys, under the direction of Victor Harmon, and the 4-H Club boys under Lem Weaver will stage their annual Fat Stock Show here Friday, March 14. This is the first year that the 4-H Club has taken part in the show.

The exhibits this year, promise to be more numerous than last year, and also of better quality stock. The increase in the size of the show and the quality of the stock show the progress that is being made by these young farmers.

The Lions Club Wednesday voted their whole hearted support of 4-H and FFA Club work and are starting the prize money off with \$15.00 cash. Merchants prizes will be made up this week and it is hoped that the prize money for the boys will be a lot larger than in former years.

Considerable discussion of project work for boys, was had at the Lions Club, and it was the opinion of that group of men that the work is one of the most important in the community. A committee from the club will contact buyers and try to have them here for the auction which will follow the exhibition.

This Friday the FFA boys will attend the Stock Show at Fort Worth and they will no doubt pick up several good ideas there on the showing of their livestock.

Here's what the FFA boys will be showing:

Dairy beef calves:

Jack Reeves 1
Garland Francis 2
Curtis Wimberly 1
Billie Gregg 1
Alvy Gardner 1
Buck Hardin 1
Roland Bell 1

Dairy Cows:

Joe Frank Hill 1
Travis McMinn 1
Kelton Newman 2
Alvy Gardner 1
Floyd Jackson 1
Lloyd Jackson 1

Dairy heifers:

Travis McMinn 1
Joe Frank Hill 1
Bobbie McDaniel 1

Fat barrows:

Travis McMinn 5
Joe Frank Hill 1
Troy Hill 1
J. C. Fowler 1

Gifts:

Travis McMinn 1
Garland Francis 1
J. C. Fowler 1
Billie Ellis 1

Fat Lambs:

Ben Garvin 2
Clenton Spilman 4

Hens:

J. C. Fowler White Leghorns
Cecil Seaney Rhode Is. Reds
Floyd Jackson White Leghorns
Alvy Gardner Rhode Is. Reds
Arrangement are being made for the showing of a class of Jersey bulls that will be shown without an offer for prize money.

4-H Club boys and their entries in the calf division are:

W. C. Donnell 1
Wayne Vaughn 1
Deane Vaughn 1
John A. Arnold 1
Robert Reeves 2
Fred Arnold 1
Carroll Brown 1
Bennie Gardner 1
Mutt Edens 2
Louis Sanderson 1

Dairy Cattle:

Milton Clemmer 1

Lem Weaver promises a complete list for next week's paper and there will also be a list of prize money and details of the awarding of prizes. Watch for it, and BE SURE to attend the boys' show and let them know that we are for them 100%.

Play This New Game, Name The Stars, You May Win \$10

Here's a new kind of contest for our readers this week--and one that pays off in cold cash. A prize of ten dollars (\$10.00) cash will be paid the winner--and here's how you may earn this money --

1. Cut this entry blank out and beside the advertiser's name, write down the name of the movie star whose picture appears in that particular advertisement in this week's Briscoe County News. Scattered through the pages of this paper you will find 24 advertisements with pictures of movie stars in them. Be sure you list every one.

2. Think up a snappy slogan about the Palace Theatre, in as few words as possible and write it on the blank lines provided below in the entry blank. Example: "The Best In Entertainment."

3. Mail or hand your entry blank into the box office of the Palace Theatre by Friday Night, next week, March 14th. The first entry blank, with the most movie stars identified correctly, and with the snappiest slogan for the Palace Theatre, will win the \$10.00 cash prize. The winner will be announced from the stage of the Palace Theatre on Monday Night, March 17. Anyone can enter except employees of the Palace Theatre or the Briscoe County News.

- Willson and Son Lbr. Co. _____
- H. Roy Brown _____
- Dave Ziegler _____
- City Bakery _____
- Silverton Hatchery _____
- Phillips 66 Service Station _____
- Briscoe County News _____
- Burson Motor Co. _____
- Kirk's Cafe _____
- City Tailors _____
- Dee's Bowling Alley _____
- Maurice Foust _____
- Whiteside and Co. _____
- Tull Implement Co. _____
- J. T. Luke _____
- Farmers Food Store _____
- Bain's Cafe _____
- King's Beauty Salon _____
- Panhandle Service Station _____
- Eads and McEwin Grocery _____
- Wood Drug Store _____
- Bomar's One Stop Station _____
- Ellis Texaco Service Station _____
- Crass Motor Co. _____
- MY SLOGAN _____
- My name is _____
- Address _____

BOY SCOUTS ACTIVITIES ANNOUNCED FOR YEAR

With the winds of March come the varied activities of the Boy Scouts of the South Plains Council, with headquarters at Lubbock. The main event on the program for the month is the remaining seven district First Aid contests and Council meet at Lubbock Friday, March 21 when the qualifying patrols meet for the council honors.

District meets scheduled are: N'Western, at Sudan, Monday, March 3; S'Western, at Seminole, Friday, March 7; Northern at Plainview, Saturday, March 8th; Western at Whiteface, Wednesday March 12; and Southern at Lamasa Wednesday, March 19.

Dr. William N. Orr, Littlefield and District Chairman, met with his Northwestern district committee this Monday at Sudan. E. C. Heath, Brownfield, met with the Southwestern committee at Brownfield on Tuesday; and John Shewe-make, Lubbock, Central district on Wednesday. The Northern district meeting at Plainview, with Bob Hooper chairman is at the Hilton Hotel at 7:30.

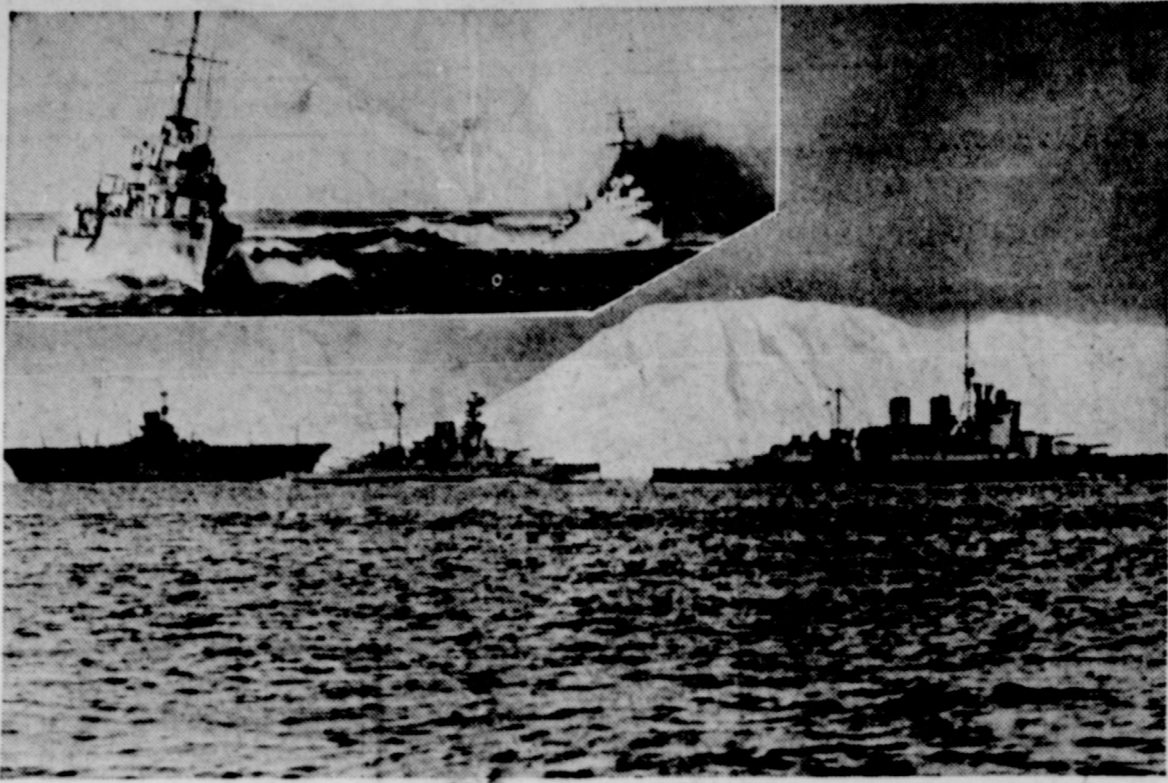
March 15 and 16 week end, many troops are expected to camp at Camp Post and the Camp Mammy Haynes near Silverton. Field executives will be on hand to co-ordinate the program. This is the third of the year's week end camps.

Training courses are slated for Plainview, Spur, Morton, Levelland, Lorenzo, Silverton and Floydada during the month. On March 29 and 30 the Short Term Camping Course will be staged for all leaders at Camp Post.

Mrs. Clyde Wright returned Monday, from spending a pleasant week end in Dallas with her daughter and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Wright and Elva were guests at a dinner and theatre party given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ninde for several out of town friends, on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Witcher were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Guard British Aid to Greece



Three powerful units of the British fleet are seen off the Rock of Gibraltar as they helped cover passage of convoys through the Mediterranean to Greece. The warships are (left to right) aircraft carrier Ark Royal, an unidentified battleship, and dreadnaught, Renown. (Inset) British destroyers making high-speed turns when attacked by enemy aircraft while conveying ships through Mediterranean.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Nazi Troop Detachments Enter Spain; Hitler Threatens New Sub Warfare; U. S. Invokes Priorities on Aluminum And Tools, as New Defense Measure

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

TONE OF WAR: Stepped Upward

Generally speaking, the advent of March saw the war news on all fronts stepped upward to new peaks of activity, rumor and expectation of a far more bitter and decisive year than 1940.

There were more than minimal signs that Hitler was preparing to launch vital moves on at least two fronts, with possibility that he might add a third theater of war to his effort and might include Japan to take over a fourth.

Most war observers returning to this country and able to speak freely expected the invasion attempt to be dated somewhere between March 15 and May 1.

Resumption of test daylight raids over England were viewed as a certain sign that the day was not far distant.

The move in the Balkans was apparently being made, with Bulgaria scheduled as the avenue through which Nazi hordes would be given an open road to the Greek northern frontier.

Signs were less definite that this might be accompanied by a move to aid Italy in Africa, or that Hitler would make a general Mediterranean offensive part of his spring plan.

A move which sent detachments of Nazi troops into Spain was explained by German sources as the sending of aid to Santander, badly wrecked

With the lease-lend bill close to a final vote stage, the curtain was about to rise on an increased tempo in the war, and opposition members of congress in both house and senate were loud in their claims that 30 days would see this country added to those actively in the war.

INDUSTRY: Priorities

First real force of the current U. S. defense economy was felt by the aluminum and machine tool producers as mandatory priorities for these materials were announced. E. R. Stettinius Jr., priorities director of the Office of Production Management of the Defense Commission issued the orders requiring that producers fill all defense orders in preference to nondefense when necessary to meet defense order delivery dates.

In his statement Stettinius said that OPM had tried to keep allocation of aluminum and machine tools on a voluntary basis but it had become "necessary and desirable" to enforce priorities so that defense industries could get the supplies they need.

FAR EAST: Crisis for U. S.

Most vital to this nation was the crisis on the Far Eastern front, perhaps part of the major Hitler plan to weaken England by embroiling the United States and Britain in a war with Japan.

In this great diplomatic poker game the stakes were the maximum. Steps in the struggle, much of which was being carried on behind closed doors and in diplomatic chambers, became gradually news items.

The British announced that the waters off the Malay states were being mined. The Chinese reported 150,000 Japanese troops were ready to move in the general direction of Singapore.

The Dutch East Indies called all ships into neutral ports. These were just outward manifestations that Japan, under Axis pressure, was staging a show in the South Pacific, a show that had repercussions from the White House when the President gently chided newsmen and members of congress for letting General Marshall's statement of the seriousness of the situation become public property.

In this game Germany was seen as a kibitzer, but one who had Japan handling her chips on a fifty-fifty basis.

In the midst of it all came the announcement from Japan that Nippon stood ready to act as mediator to conduct negotiations for peace by all nations anywhere who were involved in war.

This move received a cold reception in Washington. Sumner Welles saying that with conditions at their present pass, this nation was looking to deeds, not words, and that Japan, instead of being a peacemaker, was stirring up trouble by her actions and troop and naval moves.

That Japan was either divided in her reactions in the game of diplomatic and military bluff was evident from what was made public. Ambassador Nomura talked peace, discounted war. Japanese papers, some of them, said Nomura's task (of preserving peace) was hopeless.

Two things appeared certain in the Far East. Hitler was moving warily and under cover, and Japan was moving under pressure from her Axis partners, apparently unwillingly.

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This being so, the main Hitler plan was said to be to strike in several different directions, i. e., Greece, Gibraltar, Africa, Malta, Suez, and in the South Pacific in order to screen the chief and central effort to land troops in Britain.

It is figured, so these authorities say, that this plan might conceivably mislead the British into moving considerable groups of war units from one territory to another, might keep the fleet busy at the wrong place, might cause the sending of many British air squadrons away from the isles themselves.

Should this turn out to be based on fact, then it would push the date of the invasion attempt back from earlier estimates, and make the May date seem more likely than one in March or April.



IRUN, SPAIN.—German sentries are shown here "goose-stepping" on their posts at the point where Spanish territory meets that of "occupied" France. Detachments of Nazi troops have been reported to have entered Spain.

by hurricane and fire. In many quarters, however, it was pointed out that Santander was 150 miles below the French border, and that this force might be the vanguard of a Spanish-Nazi army which would make an attack or a feint against Gibraltar.

In a speech on the 21st birthday of the Nazi party Hitler told his people that a new phase of the war was coming in a short time and threatened a new and more terrible submarine campaign against British shipping. He said that new submarine crews had been trained and new U-boats would be launched in the coming stepped-up attack.

The general belief was that Hitler's master plan of strategy was unfolding itself gradually in a series of moves, some of them military, some of them diplomatic.

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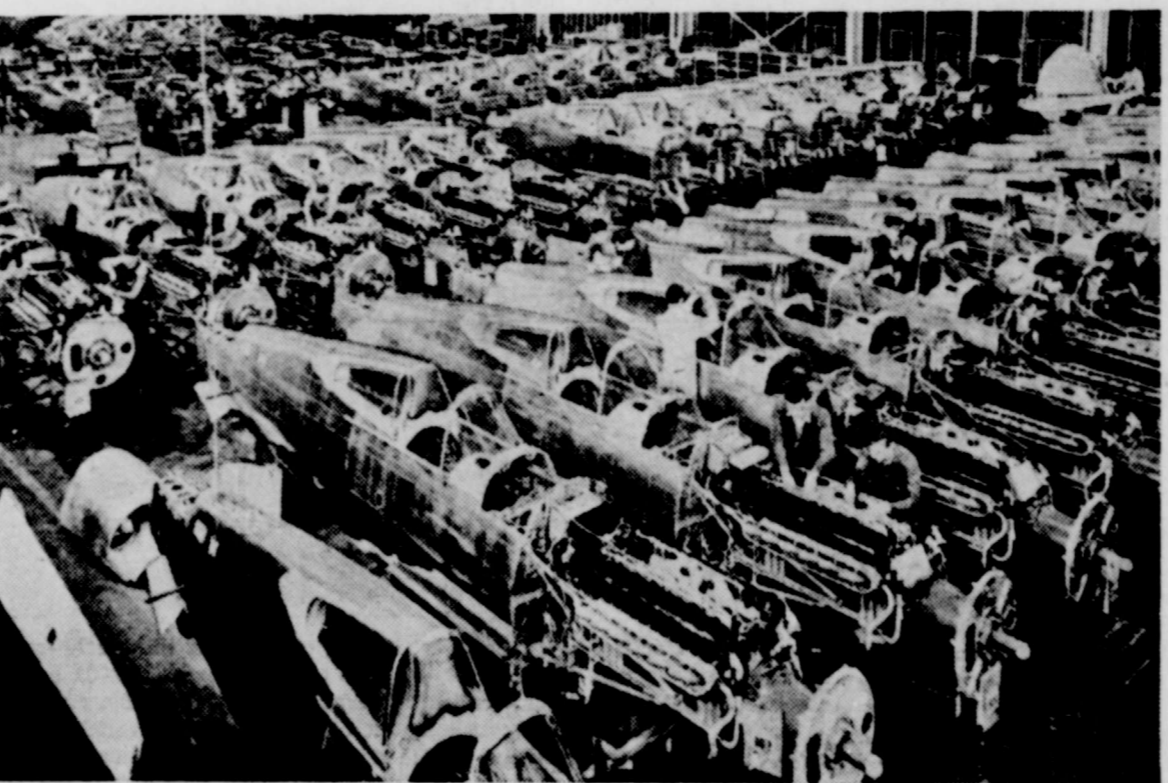
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U. S. DEFENSE . . . in the news

OPM Associate Director Hillman said 37,200,000 persons are now employed in non-agricultural industry—an increase of 2,200,000 since last May, and the greatest increase in any similar period. Secretary of Labor Perkins said a survey of 11 key defense industries revealed "at least one-half of the plants covered were operating at least six days per week."

FWA Administrator Carmody announced that the army and navy will select tenants and set rentals for defense homes occupied by their enlisted or civilian personnel and the other defense homes will be only for the use of families whose principal wage earners hold essential defense jobs. The defense worker's rental will be set according to his income and not the size of the home.

New Fighters for Uncle Sam's Air Force



Interior view of the huge Curtiss-Wright plant in Buffalo, N. Y., showing the mass assembling of the new Curtiss P-40 pursuit ships for the U. S. army air corps. This plant turns out 10 planes daily, and will soon increase this number as additional trained mechanics are put to work in the new plant buildings.

When Enemies Become Allies



For the moment at least, enemies become allies to help a wounded soldier. A British officer and an Italian prisoner are shown in this sound-photo carrying an Italian casualty at Bengasi, Libya, to an ambulance. Another wounded soldier is on the ground awaiting assistance from the friendly enemies.

British Convalescent Home Kept Busy



At a hospital in the northeast section of England wounded Royal Air Force pilots and girls of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force are now "in mending." The hospital is used by the R. A. F. and the W. A. A. F. Picture shows convalescents walking about the grounds.

Found Years Later



Wrecked plane of Charles Stanton, of Dorchester, Mass., which disappeared with its five passengers June 20, 1937. It was recently found by four farmers in a jungle near San Jose, Costa Rica—its passengers a tangled heap of bones.

Canada's Navy on Job



Two officers of the Royal Canadian navy watch over a convoy from the bridge of their destroyer. With the increasing flow of war materials to Britain, Canada is kept busy.

Washington Daily New Envoy to Britain Is Staunch 'New Dealer'

Shares Pres. Roosevelt's Political Views; Announce 'Social Defense Work' To Bolster Home Front.

By BAUKHAGE National Farm and Home Hour Commentator.

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WASHINGTON.—Few American ambassadors have been chosen because of their philosophy. John Winant, just taking over his new duties as envoy to the Court of St. James, was.

Externally he is not the type to wear knee breeches and genuflect to royalty.

He is tall, Lincolnlike appearing. He is no orator. He has had no previous diplomatic experience. He is anything but the glass of fashion, although he comes from a wealthy New York family. He was once Republican governor of New Hampshire. President Roosevelt called him in to head the first social security board. Later he was director of the international labor office at Geneva.

Many persons in Washington will tell you they cannot see why this man was chosen for our most important foreign diplomatic post. Within limits it is anybody's guess. This is mine:

Mr. Roosevelt believes that America is to play the dominating role in the peace that is to come. He believes that the democracies must have a definite program to offer the bewildered and bleeding peoples of the earth as the totalitarians. Hitler has named his. It is national socialism. Roosevelt has his—the New Deal.

If Great Britain Wins.

If Great Britain wins the war, her chosen representatives will dictate the terms which will shape the new world. If they are to be persuaded to do the job on the American plan they must understand what that plan is. Therefore, since the man whose function it is to interpret the United States to Great Britain in the pre-war days is our ambassador, he must truly represent his President. Of course all ambassadors are supposed to be the personal representatives of their head of state but under these circumstances the President's envoy extraordinary must be a man who Mr. Roosevelt believes, believes as he believes.

That is the reason the President sent Harry Hopkins over in the fateful interlude between a Kennedy and a Winant.

John Winant will talk to the king or the prime minister or whomsoever is head of the peace-making government, in the language of President Roosevelt. That is not precisely the language which Joseph Kennedy spoke so understandingly to the Englishman he knew best and respected highly, the late Neville Chamberlain, the language of the conservative liberal, the man of property. Winant's language is the language of what he would probably describe "social values"—for he is the New Deal incarnate.

President Has Plan For 'Social Defense'

At a recent White House press conference the President took a lot of time to answer an open letter from an ex-marine, World War veteran. The writer said that when the last war was over he had announced that he'd cheer the boys to the next one and then enjoy a big steak and onions. But when he tried it after seeing some draftees march by, the steak didn't taste. He wanted to know what folks, too old to join the army could do for national defense. The President said he would announce a plan soon. That plan is based on a report submitted by a committee, the chairman of which is Mrs. Florence Kerr, assistant WPA commissioner here.

Later I asked Mrs. Kerr about it. This was her reply:

"There are social defense jobs to be done in every home town in America. From border to border and coast to coast communities need more services in health, welfare, education, recreation. Everywhere there are things to be done to make America a better place in which to live."

Fields of training, says Mrs. Kerr, in which millions of men, women and youth will be engaged for defense on the home front will include: Food training programs, dealing with all subjects related to food, food conservation, food handling, gardening, canning, mass

feeding, vitamins and tance, food for children, diet, nutrition and matters related to food and the

Aptitude testing, first-ty first; community work; map reading, map making; community health, hygiene; are just a few fields in which more workers are needed.

"On a volunteer basis ex-teachers of language op nation-wide oppo classes in Spanish," M "Western hemisphere give such training un and many individuals to such an opportunity selves better for wor

"Co-operating with prations, such as Girl Sre Girls, and other groups, great numbers can be interested and tr forming their home de through volunteer ing girls."

War-Gas Driven Increase in Finland

Recently we reported mental work being done partment of agriculture in Peoria, Ill. in the of alcohol from corn in Finland, where necessity come the mother of in ports coming to Wash were, I that they are already m mobiles without gasoline have wood-gas carburet cars. Finland in normal ports all of its petroleum, times it can get little or According to informati the legation here in your the Finnish ministry of transport has issued ordi defect that automobiles al land, including privately busses and trucks, must with the wood-gas carb soon as possible. The tions are ambulances and trucks of the fire brig every day now sees an the wood-gas driven ca streets of Helsinki. By vember, 1,900 wood-ga were in use in Finland, 4,250 charcoal-gas carb other substitute for gaso

And this affects the All tractors in agricultu being fitted with the wood-buretors. Nearly all bus ready running on wood-ga sengers are gratified wi sense of the noxious gas ally associated with gaso busses—one of the advan wood gas.

New service stations be be set up, for the serving not merely a question of the fuel but also of cleani buretors and emptying which must be done und

Last August, when wood-buretors were introduced land, the state appointed a tee to find means to financ purchase. This committee mendment, to set up a pa company in which the stat take part, was carried out establishment in October of stock company, Wood-Gas Credits, Inc., which exten up to a maximum of 70 per cent of the cost, toward the purcha new carburetors.

The ministry of supply and port also appointed a technic mittee to work on improv and modifications of the ca This work.

Although the developm of gas in Finland thus far has temporary expediency it may a future as a fuel in the mot In that case, Finland, acco the Finnish experts, with her of forests, would be in the of motor-fuel producing cou At all events, she would be pendent as far as her own afic is concerned.

However, if and when the once again secure their pol dependence, it is to be hope will be part of a world where plete economic independence necessary—a world where a free flow of all the product earth and of industry betwe tions.

BITS . . . By Baukhage

The Niagara County, N. Y., (where I went to grade school) Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs, made up of the membership of the county's eight conservation clubs, sponsored the county's 4-H club first-year tree-planting projects. The 4-H members actually planted the trees on idle land of the county; and leaders of the forestry project of the

U. S. department of agricultu ived instruction to the young in tree planting. . . . The United States is sur about another surplus—unemployed rural youth. Switzerland, a peaceful c rounded by a sea of bayon quite another problem.

The Lamp in the Valley

MUR STRINGER

W. N. U. Service

THE STORY SO FAR

Carol's father died in Alaska with an unproven claim which Trumbull is contesting. Lander quits his employ, becomes field manager for the Matanuska Valley project. Sock-Eye Schlupp, an old sourdough, and others, are skeptical of the project's success. Eric (the Red) Ericson has been stirring discord among the workers. At last, too, a school is put up. Salaria discusses Sidney with Carol. Salaria has no idea Carol is interested in him.

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Hunters' Helpers

As far back as human knowledge goes, man has been using certain members of the animal kingdom to help him hunt other members. The most familiar example, of course, is the dog, which is used in many ways: Fox hunting, deer hunting, and so forth. But there are many other examples not quite so familiar, some of which are shown in the accompanying series of photos.



Before the present war, Germans attempted to revive the sport of falconry on a large scale. Photo (left) shows a soldier falconer removing the victim (a rabbit) from the talons.



Hold that tiger! The big striped cat is easy to hold now, for he is dead, and is being loaded on a carrier elephant. The hunt was held on the vast jungle estate of the Maharajah of Gwalior, in India, in honor of former British Viceroy Lord Reading.

Right: The end of a cheetah hunt. The animal, streamlined member of the cat family, is trained to hunt deer. Human stalkers "spot" the deer and head it in the direction where the best run will give most entertainment to the hunters. Then a cheetah is turned loose.



A Chinese fisherman off on an expedition with his six cormorants. He puts an iron ring around the neck of each bird, to which is attached a light line. The ring prevents the bird from swallowing his catch, and the line keeps the bird under control.



One of the most ancient of sports is stag hunting. This photo was made during a stag hunt at the estate of the Count de Vibraye, near Paris. The stag attempted to swim the Cosson river, but the hounds cornered him for the kill.



A sunset scene in "good ducking" country. The hunters blaze away from their battery in the midst of their decoy flock.

GRASSROOTS

by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

PRODUCTION IS THE KEY TO OUR WEALTH

EACH ARTICLE of merchandise produced in American factories—every automobile, suit of clothes, agricultural implement, radio and the thousands of other things men build and use—adds to the national wealth. The more we produce, the wealthier we become as a nation, and as individuals.

Each pay day in each factory marks a step in the distribution of the national wealth. Of the value of all production, from 68 to 70 per cent goes to the men employed in the factories. That is labor's dividend. Another 24 to 27 per cent goes to government as taxes—municipal, county, state and federal.

What is left goes to those who provide the tools—the factory buildings and the machines—and to those who manage the business and find the customers.

That has been the method of distribution of America's wealth throughout all of our history. Under that method the distribution to the individual has increased materially, despite an ever-increasing population.

We, as individuals, cannot get more unless we collectively produce more. We cannot produce more by breaking down the industries in which we collectively do the producing and from which we individually receive our share of what we help to produce.

COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

AFTER AMERICA'S ENTRY into the first World war, a Committee of Public Information was organized, with George Creel a chairman, and the secretary of state, secretary of war and secretary of the navy as the other members.

Creel did not attempt to tell newspaper editors what they could or could not print.

Through his hands went such information as the government wished to give to the public and he controlled all war pictures from the allied lines. His big job was to maintain an enthusiasm for the war in which we were then engaged.

According to Walter Davenport, in Collier's, we will soon have another Committee on Public Information, the main job of which will be to create an enthusiasm for America's participation in the second world war. There is a difference.

PRIDE OF THE NAVY

—A FOUR-YEAR PRODUCT
THE FIRST REAL battleship the United States has built since we agreed with the rest of the world to cut down our navy, and actually scuttled some of our ships to keep that promise, will go into commission in April.

The new ship is the North Carolina, the largest and most modern fighting ship this country has ever built. A 35,000-ton monster, fitted with every appliance that will aid in making her a destructive terror to an enemy. She will carry a crew of 1,450 officers and men. It has taken nearly four years to build her and it would take four years to build another. We have not yet learned the secret of mass production in battleship building.

THE AFTERMATH

A MINNEAPOLIS MAN who had traveled through the airplane and ship producing towns of California, asked a native business man: "What will happen when the demand for defense equipment is over?"

The reply: "Just what happens when you stick a pin in a toy balloon."

The same question and the same answer will apply to every other state.

THREE GENERATIONS

A FEW DAYS AGO a disheartened man committed suicide in Los Angeles. His grandfather had amassed a fortune of several millions, but the last of it was gone, and the grandson killed himself. It was a case of "three generations from shirt sleeves to shirt sleeves." That keeps continuously redistributing America's wealth whether the third generation commits suicide or otherwise.

PHONY DEALS

WASHINGTON TELLS us there must be no profiteering in our defense preparations. Then we are told of funny or phony land deals, of funny or phony prices in the location of training camps. Wonder if a real investigation might reveal some profiteering or something else.

PATRIOTISM AND POLITICS

PATRIOTISM and partisan politics do not mix well. Patriotism says we must build ships and other defense equipment where they can be built best and quickest; that we must locate training camps at places most advantageous and best suited for the purpose. Partisan politics says our defense equipment must be manufactured where it will produce the most votes, or where those votes are most needed, and that training camps must be located with the same purpose in view.

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TLAR!!

AND THAT WINDS up this week's Yours True'ly. This is your Silvertown correspondent, who thinks that the flag at the court house should be flown every day, especially on days when boys are leaving for service.

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When the Patrol force was reduced for 1940, the report reveals that the death rate on streets and highways increased. During last year 174 more deaths occurred from traffic accidents than in 1939.

The January toll of 161 persons in Texas street and highway traffic accidents still presents a gloomy picture," the report stated. "This increase in deaths amounts to 9.5 per cent over the same month in 1940. In cities where stricter enforcement has been made the fatality rate dropped 16.7 per cent under January, 1940. However, on the open highways, where more patrolmen are needed, deaths from accidents during the first month of 1941 increased 32.4 per cent over the figures of a year ago."

BREEDERS DAY AT A.&M.

Breeders of horses, jacks and mules have been invited to attend the annual Horse and Mule Breeders Day at Texas A&M College,

Monday, March 3, D. W. Williams, head of the college animal husbandry department has announced.

Professor Williams has arranged a program for the one-day meet which will have several outstanding authorities for the speakers. Among these will be Robert Denhardt, secretary, American Quarter Horse Breeders Association; J. W. Bridges, president, Texas Palomino Association; J. W. Shepard, Plano; Lt. Col. M. I. Voorhes, San Angelo; R. R. Peoples, Tehuacana, president of the Texas Horse, Jack and Mule Breeders Association; and C. L. Wilson, secretary of the same organization; and members of the staffs of the college faculty, Texas A&M College Extension Service and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Highlighting the session will be the talk by Col. Voorhes on what the Army requires in horses and mules.

There will be no charge for the course other than a nominal fee for the luncheon at noon in the college banquet hall.

Francis Locals

Mr. Jack Fore and Son of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Fore and son's of Lockney, Mr and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and family were bedtime guests in the C. A. Simmons home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Sy Brister at South Plains.

Mr. Ted Ried of Dumas called in the Joe Rogers home Saturday.

Mrs. U. D. Brown and Mrs. W.

C Roberson spent Thursday with Mrs F A Fisch

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Welch and family of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberson and Miss Rubye Davis spent Sunday in Plainview with Mr and Mrs. A. L. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Strange and son Mr. and Mrs. Luther Campbell and family, Mr and Mrs. Lowell Rowell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Weaver and son of Antelope Flat, Mr. W. N. Edwards, Mr and Mrs. F. A. Fisch Mr. and Mrs. Hood Myers were dinner guests in the H. T. Myers home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kitchens visited Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fisch Sunday night.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal of Silvertown and I will appreciate your vote and support very much in the coming City Election.

A. G. (Ab) STEVENSON

Mrs. Aulton Durham and son were brought home Tuesday. Both are doing nicely.

Mrs. Ola Mills had a quilting Wednesday for the Bryant Brooks family. Twenty wemon were present and 5 quilts were finished.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Autry, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson spent Sunday in Canyon visiting Alma Ruth and Blanche.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Pearl Simpson were in Tulsa nesday.

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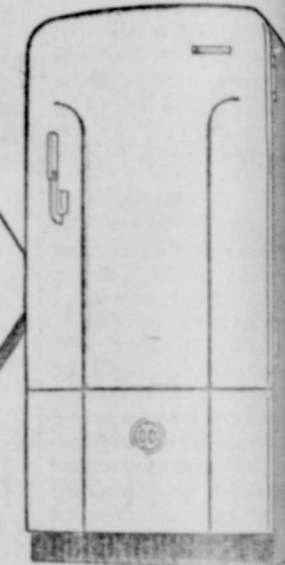
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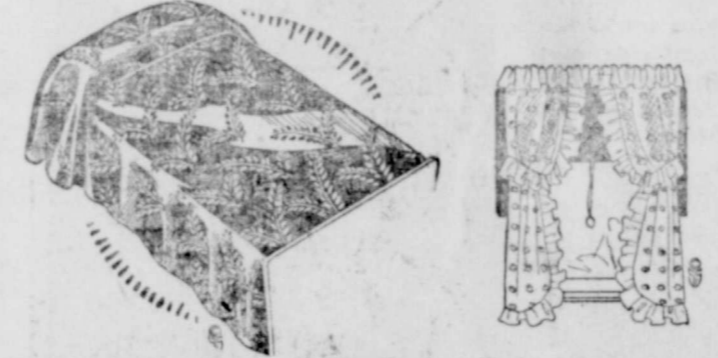
Buy Your Car Tag

You will buy your tag for your car or truck some time this month, of course. Why not do it early and avoid that last minute rush.

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Buying early in the month will be a great convenience to this office. Thank you!

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Silverton's Hollywood

By WALTER R. SMOCK

Thanks a million for the wonderful way in which you folks have received Odell and I since we arrived on the scene at the Palace—We both sincerely appreciate the fact that you have extended us a cordial welcome and have responded to our invitation to attend the Palace regularly.

In appreciation of this, we are going to continually strive to bring you the best and latest pictures we can get.

Motion pictures are by far the best and cheapest form of entertainment available. . . . Through no other medium can people today keep in close touch and harmony with other sections of the world at large. . . . the magic of the motion picture has brightened the lives of mankind in general.

We do not subscribe this compliment to all motion pictures. There are motion pictures unfit for anyone to see — we do not refer to this type of filth — However, the feature pictures and the shorts released by the major film companies contain little if any, of this filth. This all leads up to a fact which we wish to make clear to all our patrons. We will never knowingly show any program at the Palace which contains any of this dirt. We shall Free pass to Mrs. H. Roy Brown ever try to secure programs which the youngest patron can see with out serious anxiety on the part of parents.

Now, I want to tell you something about the grand programs we have scheduled for the coming week.

As everyone knows, "GONE WITH THE WIND" is the greatest motion picture ever made. . . . We were very fortunate to secure an early date on this picture for FRIDAY and SATURDAY. The presentation of this picture is strictly under the direction of the company which produced it. . . . Only two showings each day are possible—one in the afternoon and one at night. The admission prices are set by the company and therefore, on this picture it is out of our hands to keep our price to a top of 20 cents which we intend to do on all other pictures. There will be no reserve seats for this showing. . . . All the seats at the Palace are at such a distance from the screen that they will be comfortable—but first come, first served—The afternoon show on Friday and Saturday will start at 1:30 P. M. with the doors open-

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PALACE

Silverton

No. 1 PICTURE OF 1940

Sunday, Monday

A lonely man, a lovely girl

Struggling against the shadow of a remembered woman came between their lips . . . but these two had the courage to hope . . . and to live their love!



— ALSO COMEDY —

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During a three year period 1935 through 1937, after the Patrol force had been increased to 135 officers and men, the fatality rate decreased from 16.6 to 14.6 per hundred million miles of vehicular travel. The force was increased to 251 officers and men for 1938 and 1939, and in these two years the death rate dropped to a low of 10.2.

When the Patrol force was reduced for 1940, the report reveals that the death rate on streets and highways increased. During last year 174 more deaths occurred from traffic accidents than in 1939.

The January toll of 161 persons in Texas street and highway traffic accidents still presents a gloomy picture," the report stated. "This increase in deaths amounts to 9.5 per cent over the same month in 1940. In cities where stricter enforcement has been made the fatality rate dropped 16.7 per cent under January, 1940. However, on the open highways, where more patrolmen are needed, deaths from accidents during the first month of 1941 increased 32.4 per cent over the figures of a year ago."

BREEDERS DAY AT A&M

Breeders of horses, jacks and mules have been invited to attend the annual Horse and Mule Breeders Day at Texas A&M College,

Monday, March 3, D. W. Williams, head of the college animal husbandry department has announced.

Professor Williams has arranged a program for the one-day meet which will have several outstanding authorities for the speakers. Among these will be Robert Denhardt, secretary, American Quarter Horse Breeders Association; J. W. Bridges, president, Texas Palomino Association; J. W. Shepard, Plano; Lt. Col. M. I. Voorhes, San Angelo; R. R. Peoples, Tehuacana, president of the Texas Horse, Jack and Mule Breeders Association; and C. L. Wilson, secretary of the same organization; and members of the staffs of the college faculty, Texas A&M College Extension Service and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Highlighting the session will be the talk by Col. Voorhes on what the Army requires in horses and mules.

There will be no charge for the course other than a nominal fee for the luncheon at noon in the college banquet hall.

Francis Locals

Mr. Jack Fore and Son of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Fore and son's of Lockney, Mr and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and family were bedtime guests in the C. A. Simmons home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Sy Brister at South Plains.

Mr. Ted Ried of Dumas called in the Joe Rogers home Saturday. Mrs. U. D. Brown and Mrs. W.

C Roberson spent Thursday with Mrs F A Fisch

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald were bedtime guests of Mr. and Mrs Earl Cantwell Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons and family spent Sunday in Lockney with Mr and Mrs. O B Fore.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Welch and family of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberson and Miss Ruby Davis spent Sunday in Plainview with Mr and Mrs. A. L. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Strange and son Mr. and Mrs. Luther Campbell and family, Mr and Mrs. Lowell Rowell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Weaver and son of Antelope Flat, Mr. W. N. Edwards, Mr and Mrs. F. A. Fisch Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers were dinner guests in the H. T. Myers home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kitchens visited Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fisch Sunday night.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal of Silvertown and I will appreciate your vote and support very much in the coming City Election.

A. G. (Ab) STEVENSON

Mrs. Aulton Durham and son were brought home Tuesday. Both are doing nicely.

Mrs. Ola Mills had a quilting Wednesday for the Bryant Brooks family. Twenty wemon were present, and 5 quilts were finished.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Autry, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson spent Sunday in Canyon visiting Alma Ruth and Blanche.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Pearl Simpson were in Tulsa Tuesday.

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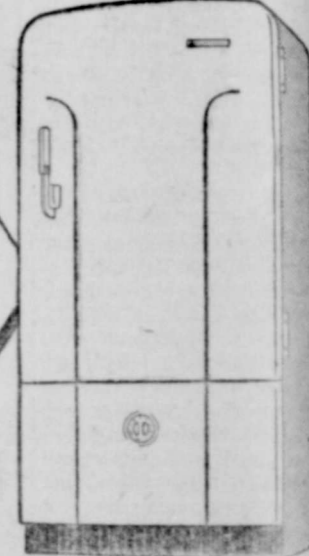
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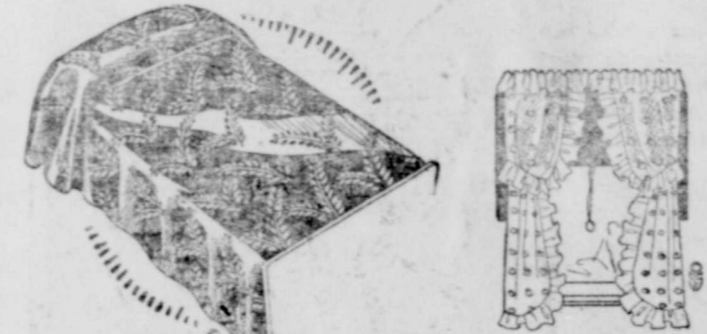
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You will buy your tag for your car or truck some time this month, of course. Why not do it early and avoid that last minute rush.

Do Me A Favor, Will You?

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Silverton's Hollywood

By WALTER R. SMOCK

Thanks a million for the wonderful way in which you folks have received Odell and I since we arrived on the scene at the Palace—We both sincerely appreciate the fact that you have extended us a cordial welcome and have responded to our invitation to attend the Palace regularly. In appreciation of this, we are going to continually strive to bring you the best and latest pictures we can get.

Motion pictures are by far the best and cheapest form of entertainment available. . . . Through no other medium can people today keep in close touch and harmony with other sections of the world at large. . . . the magic of the motion picture has brightened the lives of mankind in general.

We do not subscribe this compliment to all motion pictures. There are motion pictures unfit for anyone to see — we do not refer to this type of filth — However, the feature pictures and the shorts released by the major film companies contain little if any, of this filth. This all leads up to a fact which we wish to make clear to all our patrons. We will never knowingly show any program at the Palace which contains any of this dirt. We shall Free pass to Mrs. H. Roy Brown ever try to secure programs which the youngest patron can see with out serious anxiety, on the part of parents.

Now, I want to tell you something about the grand programs we have scheduled for the coming week.

As everyone knows, "GONE WITH THE WIND" is the greatest motion picture ever made. . . . We were very fortunate to secure an early date on this picture for FRIDAY and SATURDAY. The presentation of this picture is strictly under the direction of the company which produced it. . . . Only two showings each day are possible—one in the afternoon and one at night. The admission prices are set by the company and therefore, on this picture it is out of our hands to keep our price to a top of 20 cents which we intend to do on all other pictures. There will be no reserve seats for this showing. . . . All the seats at the Palace are at such a distance from the screen that they will be comfortable—but first come, first served—The afternoon show on Friday and Saturday will start at 1:30 P. M. with the doors open-

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PALACE

Silverton

No. 1 PICTURE OF 1940

Sunday, Monday

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Struggling against the shadow of a remembered woman came between their lips . . . but these two had the courage to hope . . . and to live their love!



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Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

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ARIZONA

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10c --- Admission --- 15c



three of us were hunting through thick live-oak brush, walking about a hundred yards apart, relates R. H. Laschinger of the Gilmer Mirror. I had come out into a clearing, crossed it and was about to re-enter the timber when I suddenly heard a sound like the buzzing of bees. There, just about six feet ahead of me, stood a diamond back rattler, his tail whizzing so fast it was just blur, the upper part of his body erect with his head about a foot from the ground. I had never seen a rattler coiled to strike before, but it didn't take more than a second to realize that was what I was confronting. His head moved slightly, and from each side of his jaws protruded fangs a half inch long. I let out an Apache yell and jumped back about two feet and for a moment thought I could hear

snakes all about me. The others tell me I even cursed a bit. Harry Green was using my .250 Savage and I was armed with a .270 Winchester with a telescope sight. I never did like a rifle with a scope because it takes an unaccustomed person to long to find his object.

I knew now that the diamond back wouldn't be able to spring a distance of eight feet so I had plenty of time to find him in the sight. But even then it was so magnified that I could only see a small part of his body in the sight at one time. But I let him have it, the bullet of this high-powered "cannon" cut his body in two at two places.

What is behind the drive for a separate oil and gas commission? Could it be a desperate effort to stave off an increase in the tax on oil and other natural resources to pay old age pensions and other social security? These are questions that many people are asking.

By starting a hue-cry for something new, perhaps it is hoped to divert public attention from the proposal of increased taxes on oil on the same principle that a mother bird swoops and darts around in an effort to lead a small boy in the opposite direction from where her nest with the little ones is. If the people could be led to be-

lieve that—under the administration of the State Railroad Commission—the oil industry is in a sorry plight, then it would be difficult to lead the people to believe that not only is a separate commission needed but an industry in such shape couldn't stand any more taxes regardless of the need of the aged, the blind, the crippled and the school teachers. But those conducting such a campaign would seem to have their work cut out to try to prove that he oil industry is in a sad condition when a single company just the other day reported profits of 29,000,000 for 1940.

A job-hunter was offered a position as a lion tamer. The circus owner assured him, "It's easy; all you have to do is to show the lion you are not afraid of him." The man said, "No, I couldn't be that dicitful."

Did you hear of the man who rode out of a raging flood to safety on a bass fiddle? His wife accompanied him on the piano.

Reading a columnist's mail: "There has been a great deal of discussion of the 'plight of the railroads' and the trucks have been branded as the 'big bad wolf' of the situation by some. Recent figures show that two-thirds of the freight in the United States is hauled by rail and that only 7 per cent is transported by truck. Pipe lines haul more than this and the waterways carry nearly three times as much—and yet nary a word is heard against these systems of transportation."

And here's another: "Senator Morris Sheppard, dean of the United-States Senate, has introduced a bill against the sale of intoxicants around army training camps. Whether one always agrees with Morris Sheppard or not, all will freely concede his sincerity and his steady adherence to a cause through sunshine and through storm. There is nothing of the sail-trimming politician about him; he sets his eye on a distant goal and, statesman like, heads steadily toward it."

Word has been received here that Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blocker and Judy are remaining in Weslaco where he has employment.

Mrs. Bill Thompson and children are spending this week in Clarendon with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Bill Moore.

NEW HIGHWAY MAP ISSUED

The 1941 spring edition of the Texas Highway map issued by the Texas Highway Department is now available to the public. The cover of the spring edition is a natural color photograph picture showing a sunrise on the Gulf Coast of Texas, and the new map shows all State highways, cities and towns, and, as with every issue of the map, shows that pavement has been placed on many unpaved gaps since the last map was issued in the spring of 1940.

Features of the 1941 spring edition map are the new Federal census figures for Texas cities and towns. Shown on the map itself are old and gas regions, national forests, and principal lakes and streams. Inserts around the map show in larger scale the routes into and thru larger cities. On the back is a brief description of State parks, and other attractions; facts about Texas, and interesting pictures of industry and development in the State. The data includes comparative distances showing that it is farther between some cities in Texas than from the same cities to Los Angeles, Chicago, and Jacksonville on the Atlantic Ocean.

The Highway Department constantly strives to improve the map, and his edition is the most complete map yet issued. While new paving is shown, it is impossible, of course, to indicate on the map the many miles of old type paving on which reconstruction, improvement and modernization has been done.

The map is free to the public and copies may be obtained by writing the State Highway Department at Austin, or any of its District Offices.

TEXAS FIRE LOSSES

The average annual fire loss in Texas for the year 1930-39 was \$10,819,790, and the average annual dwelling fire loss in Texas for the same period of years was \$5,321,130 or .4918 per annum of the total loss Marvin Hall state fire insurance commissioner, reported today.

Because of the growing interest in home fires and fire hazards, Hall said he believed it a good idea to focus attention of all home owners in Texas on the importance of the dwelling house fire loss and the desirability of an annual dwelling house inspection by firemen. "Nothing has been accomplished

by the 'hit and miss method,'" Hall said. "We must have successful planning of fire prevention if fire losses are kept at an annual low figure. Now is the time for each fire department in Texas to organize a permanent fire prevention committee and make plans for an annual dwelling house inspection. It will be too late after the fires have occurred. If absolutely necessary, an annual dwelling house inspection in each Texas city and town can be financed at a reasonable cost, and certainly a very large saving to the citizens in the preservation of human life and property."

The Commissioner warned that a sharp upturn had been noted in the number of residence fires. Sixty-five per cent of 107,232 of the total number of 165,180 fires which occurred in Texas during the 10 year period of 1930-39 were dwelling fires.

During 1939, the last year for which complete figures are avail-

Champ Leaps Car at Sports Carnival



With the greatest of ease, Alfred Orhn, former national ski champion, startles the queen's "court" at the great Winter Sports State Park at Grayling, Michigan, by leaping over a Chevrolet Sedan. Miss Yvonne Bradley (third from the right) has been elected Snow Queen and, with her court, welcomes the colorful crowds of winter sports fans who arrive by the thousand in automobiles and trains. Six steel toboggan slides and acres of snow are now in operation, and three ski towers and marked ski trails are planned for this huge winter development under the supervision of the Michigan State Park Service and the Michigan State Park Dept.

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HOME TOWN NEWS



Cash and Reva June returned to her home Wednesday after the past few days.

Mrs. Bob Hill honored Bennett Haley Saturday with a farewell party. She left Monday for Tulsa to make their future.

Hughes and Coleman returned to Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. Raymond Bomar, and Rev. and Mrs. spent Sunday and in Crowell.

Mrs. Homer Sanders spent night in Floydada.

Whitacre of Plainview Monday on business.

Mrs. Herbert Stephens, visited relatives here.

Mrs. A. L. M. Fat Stock Show Tuesday.

Mrs. Charly Garrison spent Sunday in Mr. and Mrs. Ben remained for a longer.

Mrs. Bob Hill honored Bennett Haley Saturday with a farewell party. She left Monday for Tulsa to make their future.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob London spent Sunday in Canyon and attended the Fat Stock Show in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young in South Plains.

Those attending the Workers Meeting in Matador from the Calvary Baptist Church was Rev. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn, Mrs. C. M. Chapel, Mrs. Jim Bomar and Mrs. Jim Climmer.

Luther Gilkeyson was in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins in Malcolm Daniel, wife and son visited their parents last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel, Mr. Tom Anderson and Miss Lore Fanning attended a banquet at the odd fellows hall Tuesday night.

Elmo Walling, of Canyon spent the week end here with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon took grandmother Brannon to Sudan, where they visited a few days.

John Henry Crow, of Tech spent the week end here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGavock and son of Dimmitt spent the week end with relatives here.

Minyard Long, of W. T. and 4 roommates spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Baird, of Quitaque visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Foust Sunday.

Lavelle Montague, of W. T. spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan Montague.

R. B. Lowery, of El Paso spent from Friday to Monday here visiting friends.

Mrs. Pearl Simpson and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier spent the week end in Tulsa with relatives having dental work done.

Emory Mills is now employed in the AAA office.

Curley Allred of Plainview and a friend, Dorothy Lee spent the week-end here with Curley's parents.

Wilbur Garvin, of El Paso was here from Friday till Monday visiting friends and relatives.

Vivian Burleson, of Plainview spent the week end with her mother here.

Roberta McMurry, of Plainview was here over the week end visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bryant of Brownwood were here Friday night and Saturday visiting the L. E. Davis family.

The Sewing Circle will meet at Mrs. Mac McKinney's Wednesday with Mrs. Kemp Thompson acting as hostess.

Mrs. Bill Gerdes of Tulsa was here this week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green and children of Turkey were here Sunday visiting her folks Mr and Mrs. Willie Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kitchens and son spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Northcutt.

Jean Dudley spent Saturday night with Vesla Nelle Northcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bomar are driving a new Chevrolet car.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass and daughters were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fore of Littlefield visited in the C. A. Simmons home over the week end.

Mrs. Bruce Gerdues and Mrs. L. B. Dyer had dinner with Mr. W. C. Smith Sunday. That afternoon visitors in his home were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and son, Mr. Emmett Gerhus and Mrs. L. E. Davis and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and family and Gordon Fore spent Sunday in Lockney with Mr and Mrs. O. B. Fore and sons.

Mary Nell Hodges and roommate of South Plains were business visitors in Silverton Saturday.

Mrs. George Lee had a quilting Friday for the Bryant Brooks family. Three quilts were made.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle and daughter of Tulsa visited Mrs. Pearl Simpson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Howard and Lola were in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Riner and family spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Mrs. Hazel Lewis, Mrs. Broodley of Amarillo transacted business here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reid and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Reid.

Mr. Moody of Plainview transacted business in the County Clerks Monday.

Mrs. Jess Brannon, Mrs. Seymour Brannon and Mrs. Richard Hill were in Tulsa Monday.

Mrs. Middleton of Tulsa spent Sunday with Mrs. Ola Mills and family.

Mrs. J. C. Bomar, Mrs. C. M. Strickland and Durene were in Tulsa Saturday to have Dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shives and Billy of Tulsa visited Mrs. V. R. Bomar Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clutter of spent the week end here with Mrs. Florence Fogerson. Visitors in her home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Rily Day of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Birchfield.

Marriage License were issued to James Horace McDonald and Julia E. Reid February 21, 1941. Both of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar attended the Fat Stock Show in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Lottie Mae Ford, Home Supervisor of Tulsa transacted in the FSA office Monday.

Miss Anna Lee Anderson visited in Lubbock over the week end.

Miss Virginia Knapp spent the week end with her mother in Lubbock.

Mrs. Ola Mills visited in Tulsa Saturday. Etta Mae remained until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clutter of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Downs and daughter of Sunray, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brittan, Jr., of Turkey spent Sunday with their father Mr. W. F. Brittan.

Mrs. E. K. Hilgenberg is here collecting information in connection with the Historical Museum Project of Canyon, sponsored by the WPA under the supervision of Winnie D. Hale.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Leverette attended the Workers meeting in Matador Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cowart and Mr. and Mrs. Looe Miller were business visitors here Tuesday.

R. H. Stodghill returned to Plainview Sunday after spending the week end here with his parents.

Mr. Emmett Gerdes of Tulsa was here Sunday evening on business.

FARM DEBT ADJUSTMENT

Special consultations on farm debt problems will be available to farmers and creditors of Briscoe County on March 7 to the County Court House, when Mr. Peter F. Murray, district debt adjustment specialist of the Farm Security Administration of Lubbock, makes his regular visit to this county.

This announcement was made today by Claude C. Carpenter, county rehabilitation supervisor for the farm Security Administration. Mr. Carpenter said all farmers or land owners having difficulty in working out debt adjustments that will enable present operators

to continue farming and take care of outstanding debts are eligible for this free and confidential service.

"Debt adjustment for both debtors and creditors," Mr. Carpenter said, "is a service made possible by the Farm Security Administration. Every effort is made to work out a voluntary and equitable agreement and still prove satisfactory to his creditor."

Consideration is given to all possibilities for consolidation of debts, extensions of contracts and in some cases refinancing if necessary, it was said.

Mr. Carpenter said that creditors and debtors may obtain complete details about this free service by contacting him at his office in Silverton at the County Court House.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, as required by law, that Bomar's Pharmacy, owned by T. C. Bomar and D.O. Bomar, located at 309 -A, Main Street, in the City of Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, has made application with the Texas Liquor Control Board at Austin, Texas, for a Medical Pharmacy Permit.

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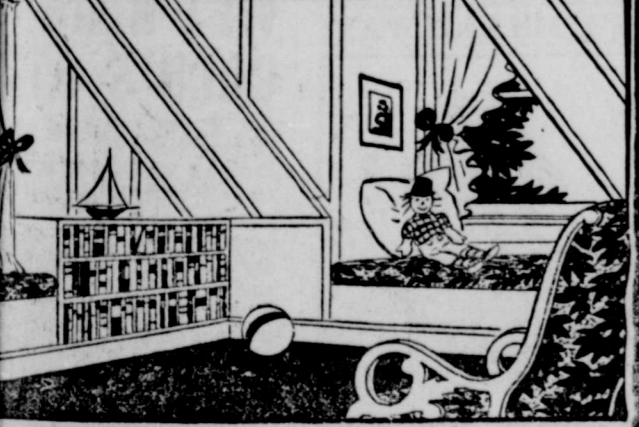
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BEFORE REMODELING



AFTER REMODELING

Remodeling a room, wallboard, lumber or other may be used for the walls and ceiling, or they may be plastered. A good quality flooring, durable and safe, will assure added life and color. This work and the installation of built-in beds, bookcases, cabinets and plumbing may be accomplished with funds obtained from the lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the FHA.

It is an ideal time to remodel, redecorate or repair your home. Work of this kind not only reclaims waste space but it back into use but also raises the value of the property. There is more to owning a home than just living in it. "Setting up" the home is easy on today's attractive FHA terms. The simplicity of the FHA Modernization Credit Plan allows small excuse for denying a home renewed life.

Willson & Son
Lumber Co.
Silverton

You'll like these TIME- and MONEY-SAVING FEATURES of JOHN DEERE TRACTORS

- Simple, rugged 2-cylinder engine that burns low-cost fuels successfully
- Straight-line transmission—no bevel gears
- Forced crankcase ventilation to prevent formation of oil sludge
- Full-pressure lubrication
- Positive gear-driven fan—no belt
- Thermo-siphon temperature control
- Belt pulley on crankshaft—full engine power to belt
- Unobstructed vision
- Simple maintenance—everything easy to get at
- Hand clutch easily operated from the tractor seat, standing up, or from the ground
- The most complete line of integral and drawn equipment
- Foot-operated differential brakes
- Hydraulic power lift
- Ample platform for easiest operation while standing

Come in and let us show you why these features make a John Deere your best tractor investment.

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SILVERTON, TEXAS

YOUR FUEL DOLLAR GOES FARTHER IN A JOHN DEERE

SPECIAL PRICES on Chassis Lubricant

We have a limited amount of Phillips 66 Chassis Lubricant that we can sell at less than ordinary gun grease prices.

10 pound bucket 90c

Get Our Prices On Lee Tires

PHILLIPS 66 SERVICE STATION
Smoky Alexander Alvin Redlin Berton Hughes

STRONG, HEALTHY CHICKS From Blood Tested Flocks

Day old 7c-8c
Week old 8½c-9½c
2-weeks old 10c-11c

Complete Stock of Feeds, Feeders and Brooders

SILVERTON HATCHERY

CITY BAKERY Venus Gillispie

We want our Bakery to be "THE" bakery!!

We're trying to make our bread and pastries so pleasing that when you think of bakery products, you'll naturally think of CITY BAKERY!! Pay us a visit this week.

HELP! HELP! HELP!

We want you to help us to help you to keep your car looking better!

If you haven't had the car washed since the muddy spell, don't put it off any longer. Drive in or call us. We promise you a quick, long lasting wash job.

PHONE 33-M
DAVE ZIEGLER'S STATION

If You Read in Bed You'll Want This Bag

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

THIS bag was planned as a hospital gift for someone who was finding days in bed difficult enough without having books, magazines, writing materials and spectacle case scattered about and forever getting lost.



may be sewed to box springs and there you are with everything at hand.

The bag shown here was made of a remnant of heavy cotton upholstery material in tones of green with a touch of red in the pattern.

NOTE: As a service to our readers Mrs. Spears has prepared a series of six booklets of her original ideas.

Form for Mrs. Ruth Wyeth Spears, Bedford Hills, New York, enclosing 10 cents for each book ordered.

INDIGESTION

Gas trapped in the stomach or intestines may act like a hair-origami on the heart.

Deception The silly when deceived exclaim loudly; the fool complains; the honest man walks away and is silent.—La Noue.

MOROLINE HAIR TONIC

Duty Toward Health To do all in our power to win health, and to keep it, is as much our duty as to be honest.—T. F. Seward.

TO RELIEVE MISERY OF COLDS

In Ignorance Nothing is so firmly believed as what we least know.—Montaigne.

Nervous Restless Girls!

BUREAU OF STANDARDS

A BUSINESS organization which wants to get the most for the money sets up standards by which to judge what is offered to it, just as in Washington the government maintains a Bureau of Standards.

THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young

BIG TOP

By ED WHEELAN



LALA PALOOZA

The Major Gets the Gong

By RUBE GOLDBERG



S'MATTER POP—Mountain Skirmish Work

By C. M. PAYNE



MESCAL IKE

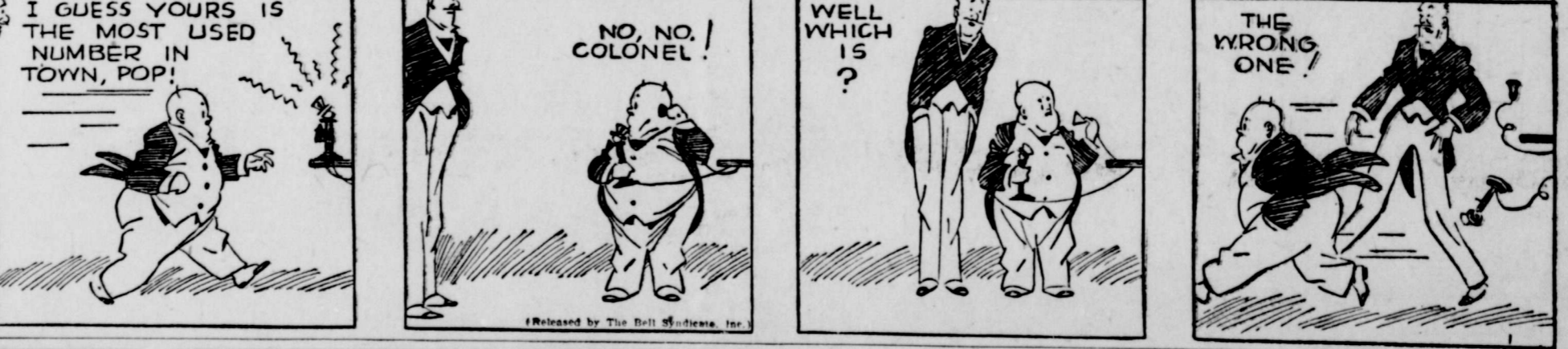
By S. L. HUNTLEY

Handy Gadget at That



POP—Pop's Right

By J. MILLAR WATT



THE SPORTING THING



SUBURBAN HEIGHTS



HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

Shrubbery should be pruned in the late winter rather than in the spring.

To prevent the inside cover of a catsup bottle from sticking, coat it with paraffin.

Keep small objects such as marbles and pins off the floor and away from small children.

To keep a floor in good condition requires more than wax. Besides a regular waxing for the whole room, areas which are walked on most should be waxed more often.

Gas ovens will not run over door is left open a few minutes after gas has been turned off.

Prunes should be steeped in water in which they have been soaked.

In setting table for guests, use a shallow utility tray on your table to hold spoons, measuring cups, etc.

A good way to keep the table clean while cooking is to use a shallow utility tray on your table to hold spoons, measuring cups, etc.

Pull the Trigger Lazy Bowels, and Comfort Stomach

When constipation brings on indigestion, stomach upset, flatulence, gas, coated tongue, sour breath, your stomach is in a state of "pull the trigger" condition.

Our Vanity Hurts That which makes the others unbearable to us which wounds our own pride.—Rochefoucauld.

MORE PEOPLE DIE IN COLDS THAN IN ANY OTHER

This is because your resistance is lower after a long, hard winter.

Blush of Men Men blush less for their than for their weaknesses.—La Bruyere.

WET BLANKET COLD'S ATTACK

Just 2 drops Penetro Nose Drops instantly start you on the open-nose way out of cold-stuffiness.

And remember, free and easy helps cut down the time the miseries hang on and on.

Facts of ADVERTISING

ADVERTISING represents the leadership of a nation. It points the way to new heights of convenience, of happiness.

As time goes on advertising is used more and more and as it is used more all profit more.

of bringing a product to everybody concerned in the consumer industry.

LOW FOOD PRICES

MEAL, 20 lb. sack 39c
 MEAL, 10 lb. sack 25c
 CRACKERS, 2 lb. box 15c



SPUDS

10 pound sack
 18 cents

PALF OLIVE SOAP, 4 bars for 25c
 P & G SOAP, 5 bars for 19c
 TOMATOES, No. 2 cans 2 cans 15c
 CORN, No. 2 cans 2 cans 15c
 HOMINY, No. 2 cans 2 cans 15c

Pork & Beans 16 oz. 5c

IN OUR MEAT DEPARTMENT
 STEAK, round and loin pound 25c
 Dry Salt JOWLS, pound 10c
 Advance COMPOUND, 8 lb. carton 79c

Farmers Food Store

Silverton's hollywood

(continued from colored section)

ing and ticket sales starting at 12:45. The night shows will start at 7:00 P. M. with doors opening and ticket sales starting at 6:45.

There will be no Free-vue this Saturday night in view of the "GWTW" showing Saturday. Free pass to Mrs. Roy Teeler

For Sunday and Monday we have the very top picture of 1940—"REBECCA" has been acclaimed from coast to coast and from border to border as the finest picture made last year. This picture has two strikes against its general success in the fact that it has been generally talked of as "only a woman's picture". In the opinion of the writer this is not so at all. . . . After seeing ma-

Free pass to Mrs. Bob Stevenson ny pictures of all kinds screened and showing them continuously day after day, we thoroughly enjoyed this picture. It is not a blood-and-thunder picture, but parts will bring you to the front of your seats. We are going to be quite frank in not recommending this picture for children under 14 unless accompanied by parents. . . .

Whatever you do, don't fail to get into the contest of "stars" which is running in this issue of The News. . . . Here is your opportunity to earn \$10.00. . . . It is lots of fun and you might be the fortunate one. Turn to the front page and get the facts!

Well, folks we have tried to book a great week of pictures for you — everyone of you will enjoy seeing them all so until next week we'll

Be seein' you at the Palace!

AGGIE BRIEFS (cont.)

farm under the 1941 Agricultural Conservation Program times the acreage reduced for stamp payment.

Q. How would the cotton stamp plan work in the case of a farm operator with no tenants who planted ten acres of cotton in 19-40, has a 10-acre allotment in 1941, and has a normal yield, as determined under the 1941 Agricultural Conservation Program, of 250 lbs. per acre?

A. This farmer, if he wishes to participate in the supplementary program, could reduce his cotton plantings by one acre, leaving him a total of 9 acres. For the acre voluntarily reduced, he would receive cotton order stamps at the rate of 10 cents per pound for the 250-pound normal yield, or \$25.00 worth.

Q. If this same farmer had planted only 8 acres to cotton in cotton in 1940, how much would he have to reduce his acreage to earn his maximum amount of stamps?

A. He would have to plant only 7 acres of cotton in 1941, in order

to receive \$25.00 worth of stamps. (For the maximum stamp payment that can be received by a landlord or tenant, and for the division of stamp payments among landlords and tenants, see the next two questions.)

Q. What is the maximum amount of cotton stamps that may be earned?

A. Each producer may earn a maximum of \$25 worth of cotton stamps on one farm, except that producers interested in more than one farm or an operator of a farm with two or more tenants or sharecroppers may earn up to \$50 worth of stamps. No one may receive more than \$50 in cotton order stamps.

Q. What is the minimum stamp payment that will be made?

A. The minimum amount of stamps any eligible producer can receive is 50 cents worth; however no payment will be made to any producer on any farm for which he computed payment for the farm is less than \$5.

Q. How are cotton stamps payments to be divided among tenants and landlords?

A. The computed payment for the farm will be divided in the same manner as the payment with respect to the cotton allotment is divided.

Q. When will cotton farmers who take part in this program get their cotton stamps?

A. As soon as possible after cotton on the farm has been measured and performance certified by the AAA county Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel, and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Daniel of Tulla, and Mrs. Dawson made a trip to San Antonio, Houston and other points south last week they

We Want To Buy FARM PRODUCE

Special Poultry Prices Over the Week End



Quick Attention
J. T. LUKE
 Farmers Produce Co.



UNPAINTED BUILDINGS!
 DILAPIDATED PORCHES!!
 and
 UNSIGHTLY PREMISES!!!

... IN SILVERTON

At a recent gathering here an out-of-town visitor was asked to say candidly, just what impression he had on entering Silverton . . .

AND WAS HE CANDID? HE WAS!!

He said "I was impressed by the LACK OF CIVIC PRIDE among property owners. Roofs are unpainted, windows are broken out and in one case in particular there is nearly a block of business buildings whose awnings and fronts were in such a bad state of repair that I believed the buildings to be unoccupied."

THINK THAT OVER PROPERTY OWNERS!

The above statement came from a non-resident and one who was honest enough to say what was on his mind. It made no difference just what we thought, nor how angry his statement might make us.

LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT!

From a town-wide business standpoint we cannot afford to have strangers get this impression of our town. Look over your premises today — and look at them impartially and critically. Do they need repair? Will customers come more often if you boost appearances?

This advertisement is paid for by a group of citizens interested in the advancement of Silverton

Lubbock Sanitarium & Clinic

Medical, Surgical, and Diagnostic

- General Surgery
 - Dr. J. T. Krueger
 - Dr. J. H. Stiles
 - Dr. Henrie E. Mast
- Eye, Ear, Nose & Throat
 - Dr. J. T. Hutchinson
 - Dr. Ben B. Hutchinson
 - Dr. E. M. Blake
- Infants & Children
 - Dr. M. C. Overton
 - Dr. Arthur Jenkins
- General Medicine
 - Dr. J. P. Lattimore
 - Dr. H. C. Maxwell
 - Dr. G. S. Smith
- Obstetrics
 - Dr. O. R. Hand
- Internal Medicine
 - Dr. R. H. McCarty
- X-Ray & Laboratory
 - Dr. James D. Wilson

Resident
 Dr. Wayne Reeser
 C. E. Hunt J. H. Felton
 Superintendent Business Mgr.

SCHOOL OF NURSING
 X-RAY AND RADIUM
 PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY

WANT ADS

BARGAIN LAND SALE -
 FOR SALE - 240 acres of good land—3½ miles east of Silverton. Bargain price. Inquire at Briscoe County News. 45-tfc

FOR SALE - 3,000 bundles of Hogari and 8,000 bundles kaffir corn. Well matured and heavy grained feed. Priced at \$8.00 per ton in the field 14 miles southwest Silverton. 47-1tp

J. LEE FRANCIS

FOR SALE or trade, Portable John Deere Feed Grinder. 7 miles S. W. Quitaque at Grey Mule. Low price; also used furniture of all kinds for sale or trade. Have complete suites. 47-1tp

BUSTER SNODGRASS

FOR SALE---Gas range. 47-1tc
 MRS. D. O. BOMAR

FOR SALE---50 Tons number 1 alfalfa hay. 8 miles east and 3 miles North of Kress. 47-4tp

RAYMOND BLOUNT

The Chief Asset Of the Movie Stars is Their 'Personality'!



The chief asset of a FARMALL is economy, endurance and low first cost. See us before you buy a tractor.

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GEAR-GRIP
 THE SAFER TREAD
Firestone
 CHAMPION TIRES

CRASS MO
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stopped at Denton and picked up Emmett's son, who accompanied them on to Houston they visited Robert Daniel, who is in the army at Fort Sam Houston. The Almo and many other places of interest were visited.

Clyde Wright was in Quitaque Friday on business.

This is Floral Club meeting will be with Daniel.

Gay Witcher, and were in Amarillo on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Bob Dickerson sick list this week.



We're featuring these SLAX SUITS this week as typical of our store-wide offerings for Spring . . . Beautiful, new creations — easy to wear and easy on the eyes! Every department is radiant with new purchases for Spring. We especially want to call attention to the new shipment of silk dresses.

JUST RECEIVED Ladies Silk Dresses In all new Styles \$3.95 to \$7.95

Ladies Spring \$1.95 to \$2.95

Ladies Spring In Navy and Tan \$7.95 and \$9.95

NEW SLAX SUITS Long or short sleeve In sharkskin \$5.95 In Spun Rayon \$2.95-\$4.95

Ladies Spring Shoes in ties and pumps Patent — Blue and Sand Colored \$1.95 to \$3.95

Ladies Hand \$1.00 and \$1.95

SKIRT in silk and spun \$1.95 and \$2.95

Whiteside & Company

"The Store That Strives to Please"