# THE STRATFORD STAR

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#### STRATFORD, SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1942

# Bishop John M. Moore to Conduct Revival Here for Methodist Church

preach in a week of revival services WILL SAVE \$3,200,000 in the local Methodist church beginning Sunday morning, October 11. surance rates which Commissioner Louis, Missouri, San Antonio and policy holders \$3,200,000 in the next Dallas, Texas, and as Home Mission | twelve months was announced today secretary of the church, he was elec- effective August 1. ted a bishop of the old Methodist Affecting many classes of properchurch, South in 1918. As a bishop ty, the reductions cut the rates on marketing of livestock, livestock he served the church in foreign fields dwellings as much as 25 percent. products, eggs, and fruits and gegein the Orient and Brazil and in the Some classes were increased due to homeland, presided over most of the unusually heavy losses in recent according to all estimates is approxiconferences of the southern branch years. Hall said of the church.

years.

of services in the Texhoma Methodist in ratio to fire record credits. church prior to his engagement in Stratford.



Major General Dwight D. Eisenhower is the commander of all American troops in Europe. A tank warfare expert, Eisenhower will have charge of all American troops in the European theatre of operations according to a War department communique.

#### 65 PERCENT DROP IN SALES

# Rev. J. B. Thompson announces that Bishop John M. Moore will STATEWIDE FIRE REDUCTION

A statewide reduction in fire in-After serving pastorates in St. Marvin Hall estimated would save

Hall estimated that of the total usual, he explained. Bishop Moore was a leader in the that time, the cost would be \$13.88, unification movement that brought as an instance, the annual cost of a together three branches of the \$5,000 policy on a one story frame June stood at 187.2—that is 87.2 per due to hatch in a few days, that do Methodist church in the United dwelling with a shingle roof and States and has been in the fore- tenant occupancy before June 15, front of every forward movement of 1936, was \$37.50 today, with the new Protestantism for more than forty cut and other reductions made since that time, the cost would be \$13.88, The Bishop will preach in a week varying slightly from town to town

> Reductions were attributed to cooperation of the people, through fire prevention measures, in cutting down losses in Texas. With reduced losses it has been possible for insurance costs to be lowered, Hall said. Loss records are established over a ing done by Texas 4-H club boys is charge of the program in the county, five year period, and adjustments an example to other organizations reports that the County Commissionmade annually.

Commission is also considering best. broadening the coverage of insurance policies.

# **Poultry Group To** Meet In Dallas

Dallas-Poultry's part in the winning of the war will be the theme of the Texas Baby Chick Association, annual convention, to be held here at the Baker Hotel, August 17-20. President U. H. Mileur, Sudan, will preside.

Recent trends and discoveries will be discussed. Texas A. & M. College ties. has a report to make on their recent discoveries in the use of cottonseed meal in poultry feeds. The stimulus of the war on the dehydration of for rubber are not yet available. eggs will receive attention. Inflation, Based upon reports from 129 counvictory programs and poultry diseases will also receive attention.

The largest exhibit in the history motor vehicles and in lumber and inspection, according to A. H. Demke, paper collected and sold for \$832, building materials took a 65 per- Stephenville, secretary. The exhibi- and bonds and stamps bought, \$39,cent cut in their dollar sales during tors will provide the talent for Mon- 456.02.

# **Poison Received To** Take Care Of New **Grasshopper Menace** Entomologists who have made a

Farm cash income of Texas during June totaled nearly \$65,000,000, grasshopper survey for the Sherman or 58 percent more than June, 1941, county, area, report a rather uni-Business Research has reported.

**Big Increase Is** 

Shown In Farm

**Cash Income** 

tables. The Panhandle wheat crop, mately 87 percent greater than

the state's farm cash income for period 1928-32. Each of the crop re- wheat in this area. porting districts of the state shows a margin above that base periodranging from 35 percent to as much as 393 points.

# **Texas 4-H Club Boys Accomplish** Much In War Work

From rifle-training classes to Victory Gardens, the war-work beof what can be done by willing ers have about twenty carloads of

on feed substantially out number the per sack of mixed bait will be made livestock and poultry projects of last to help cover costs of maintainence year, and field crops and Victory of the station. U. S. Department of gardens s h o w great increases. Agriculture furnishes the poisoning Through May, 6,039 victory gardens bait materials free of charge to the were being grown, compared with county in connection with their 1,471 in 1941.

Rifle training and first aid classes are being attended by the boys. Some Virgil Higgins counties have organized labor patrols which are helping with farm work in Dies In Dalhart their communities and home coun-

They have taken an active part in all salvage campaigns, including collection of scrap rubber, but totals ties, the figures show: 3,478,554 pounds of scrap iron collected: 57.-826 pounds of aluminum collected Texas business firms dealing in of the association will be ready for and sold for \$750; 190,804 pounds of

#### Dr. F. A. Buechel, statistician for form infestation of Mexicanus the University of Texas Bureau of grasshoppers over the entire county, according to Art Bralley, Sherman Much of the gain was attributed County Agricultural Agent. Poison to the opening harvest of the new to deal with the menace is on hand. wheat crop as reported for the The Mexicanus or migratory hopmonth, but there were also larger pers, are reddish brown with an irregular black patch on the neck and are about one inch in length. Although comparatively small, they are strong fliers, and sometimes gather in great swarms and migrate long distances. There are usually

The Bureau's statistical index of two generations of this species each year, and it is the second generation, cent above the June average for the serious damage to young fall sown The Mexicanus hopper lays its

eggs in grain stubble, grass land or idle land that has grown up in weeds. This habit gives wheat growers who summer fallow their land a chance to poison the young hoppers around the edge of clean tilled fields. This

practice has proven very successful if poisoning is started before the hoppers fully develop wings. The County agent, who is in Hall added that the Insurance workers who mobilize to do their poisoning material on hand and the poison bait mixing station at Strat-According to L. L. Johnson, state ford has already been opened. Dave boys' club agent, beef cattle, hogs, Taylor is foreman of the mixing

sheep and poultry the boys now have station. A nominal charge of 10c grasshopper control program.

Virgil Higgins, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, died August 5th in Loretta Hospital at Dalhart.

He was twenty-one years old at the time of his death, and prior to his illness had been working in Stratford as a grocery clerk.

Funeral services were held August 6th at the Christian Church, Stratford, with Rev. E. R. Pigg officiating assisted by Rev. L. B. Chaffin. The body was interred in Stratford ceme-



#### WALTER LASLEY Jr.

Another outstanding member of the armed forces contributed by this region is the young man whose picture above is familiar to everyone. Lt. Walter Lasley Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lasley, is now studying at the Field Artillery school at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, his course of study bearing the title of Battery Officers Course No. 61. Those who know his past record have no fears of his success at the work he has undertaken in the Army.

He was born in Texhoma, Sept. 23, 1920 and attended grade school at Stevens. His first two years of high school were spent in Texhoma. His junior and senior high school years were spent at Stratford high school. He attended Texas A. & M. College, where he attained both scholastic and farming honors. In his junior year he placed first in the stock showmanship contest, and when he received his Bachelor of Science degree on May 12, 1942, he was named a distinguished member of his class.

On May 16, immediately following his graduation from college, he received a commission in the United States Army. He was one of the eight students from his class of seventy who were selected to attend the advanced training school at Fort Sill.

During the summer and on vacations he has assisted his father on their ranch. Two of his brothers, Orland and Sam, recently enlisted in the Navy.

Howard Green Is **Reported Missing** 

in action" by the War Department.

ippines at the time of the final sur-

render and he will be considered as

render of Corregidor, May 7, until

definite information to the contrary

from him since November 7, 1941.

His parents have received no word

Pvt. Dale Schafer returned Mon-

day night to Lowery Field. Denver.

Colorado, where he is stationed, after

a visit here with his mother, Mrs. L.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Green received

is received.

missing from the date of the sur-

# **Carload Of Scrap** Set As Quota For State Junk Rally

Sherman county farmers are all set to take part in the National Scrap harvest which will come to a climax in this county on August 29th with a Junk Rally, with the county quota set at a car load.

NUMBER 45

Metals and rubbers are needed for war purposes and an all-out program has been planned under the auspices of the War Production Board and the Texas Salvage committee. Eleven farm implement manufacturers who h a v e representatives throughout Texas are assisting in the scrap harvest, and B. I. Toline of the John Deere Plow Company will serve as chairman through the Farm Equipment Institute and National Farm Equipment Association.

Chairman Sam Wohlford of the Sherman County Salvage Committee, will direct the campaign in this county. Collection depots to which the farmers will deliver the scrap will be established at Texhoma and Stratford. Farmers will haul their scrap to these points for shipment.

Lester Blickenstaff, who has been designated by the M & M machinery people to offer assistance to the local organizations in a number of the panhandle counties, was in a meeting with some of the men in Stratford, Tuesday evening. In an effort toward setting up a working organization the following men in their respective precincts were appointed by Sam Wohlford, county chairman: T. F. Baskin, J. B. Craig, W. T. Crabtree and Chester Guthrie. These men are to select helpers from their precincts. On August 19 at 9 p. m. at the City Hall in Stratford, another meeting is to be held with the above named men together with their helpers, with Mr. Blickenstaff and possibly a junk dealer who buys extensively, for further discussions and planning.

All types of scrap material are needed, but there is a particular need for scrap iron and steel, and other metals, and rubber. Every acre of every farm should be canvessed for discarded farm implements, broken parts, worn hoes shovels, broken hammers, nails wire, broken household utensils, tires inner tubes, hose, belting, gloves, rubber soles, boots, in fact everything made of rubber and metal.

To "harvest" all scrap scattered on the farms of the nation is the prime purpose of this drive and to deliver it Word has been received by Mr. to channels which will lead to war Stratford; a brother, W. A. Higgins, and Mrs. Louie Green that their son, production. The nation desperately Howard Norvell Green, of the Army needs scrap to use in building guns, Army and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Air Corps is considered as "missing planes, tanks, ships and other weapons for the fighting forces at the Mr. Green was serving in the Philfront.

year ago, a joint report of the Uni- las committee on entertainment, The Dai-June from their totals in June a day night's entertainment. The Dal-Research and the U.S. Bureau of number of diversions. the Census reveals.

# Women Can Join Army or Navy Now

If you are tired of teaching school, keeping house or just sitting on the porch and talking, the army and navy can use you-that is if you are between the ages of 21 and 45 and are a woman.

Lieut. Col. Marvin B. Durrette, commander of West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, Lubbock, has stated that his office is now accepting applications from women for the WAAC auxiliaries. He stated that women previously recommended to Washington whose applications for officers candidacy are awaiting final decisions may be enrolled as aux- FORMER STRATFORD BOY iliaries without prejudicing their IS NOW COMPOSER rights if later selected as officer candidates.

and 10,000 enlistees. The age limits born and reared in Stratford. are between 21 and 50 years of age, and no enlistment will be taken from EXAMINER'S DAY CHANGED a woman with children under 18 graphy, finance and physics.

#### CURRENT PROGRAM AT THE ROXY

Tonight, "SHEPHERD OF THE OZARKS" with Weaver Bros. and Elviry.

Friday and Saturday, "SECET AGENT OF JAPAN", starring Preston Foster and Lynn Bari. Sunday and Monday, "SHIP AHOY" with Eleanor Powell and Red Skelton.

Tuesday, "WHO IS HOPE SCHUY-LER" with Joseph Allen Jr and Shella Ryan.

Aug. 19-20, "REMARKABLE AN-DEW" starring William Holden and Ellen DrRew.

# versity of Texas Bureau of Business headed by Wiley Akins, promises a Sulphur Producer

#### ELEMENTARY EDUCATION STRESSED IN TEXAS FOR GRADE TEACHERS

stride toward better teachers for the world's annual output in 1940. state's grade school classrooms, the cation has decided to require all its students majoring in elementary with the world production of 2,- crop. education to pass three examinations 732,088 long tons in 1940. -one in the subject matter they plan to teach, one on hearing ability, and one on speech.

graduation to make up his de- periods. ficiences.

A former Stratford resident, Will PAINT TO BECOME SCARCE B. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bourk The U. S. Navy office of Naval Of- Green, is now playing solo clarinet the A. & M. College Extension Serficer Procurement in New Orleans with the famous K. L. King band at vice has announced. The shortage is now taking applicants for the Fort Dodge, Iowa. In a recent band will be felt especally in paints, var-Women's Reserve, U. S. Navy. As concert at Boise City, Oklahoma. nishes, and enamels for interiors. presently planned the Women's Na- Mr. Green conducted his own com- The reason is, these require natural church building has been announced val Reserve (the WAVES) will be position, "Flying With the Colors", or synthetic resins. For some time composed of around 1000 officers and made quite a success. He was synthetic resins have been ear-mark-

John Ed Stepp, highway patrolyears of age. Inquiries should be ad- man assigned as drivers' license ex- tured for civilian purposes. dressed to the New Orleans office. aminer in Stratford, has changed The Navy is particularily interested the time of giving examinations here in women with specialized training in to the second and fifth Fridays of chemistry, business statistics, lang- each month. He has heretofore been uages, mathematics, transportation, in Stratford each Thursday afterradio, engineering, psychology, mech- noon to give the examinations. He anical engineering, journalism, geo- will be here from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. on the designated days.

## **ISSUED FOR WEEK AUG. 8TH**

Persons to whom tire and tube certificates were issued during the week August 8th, are listed below: Stratford-Homer Blake, 1 pickup involved, should be reported on the tube; Dick Diehl, 1 truck tire and regular quarterly Social Security tube; E. S. Roper, 2 truck tires and tubes; Leslie H. Parker, 1 truck tube; of the Amarillo office of the Social G. N. Mallett, 1 pickup tire; Roy Security Board, announced today. Boney, 1 truck tire and tube; T. S. Brannan, 2 pickup tires and 1 tube; correct the false impression of many employed by several firms at the Chas. Cameron, 1 truck tire and tube employers that work on a short dur-John Lavake, 1 pickup tire and tube; ation need not be reported. C. F. Kauffman, 2 truck tubes and tires; G. L. Taylor, 1 pickup tube; Leslie H. Parker, 1 pickup tire and tube; M. L. Keener, 1 pickup recapped tire.

# In The World

Tax reports on sulphur production R. A. Higgins of Lubbock. filed with Comptroller George H. Sheppard indicate that Texas is Austin, Texas-Taking a broad now producing more sulphur that the BROOMCORN HARVEST

The state's production for the 2,980,090 long tons, as compared

Production for the reported period was compared with 2,226,188 tons all extra labor, the problem has befor the comparable period of 1940-41 Beginning this fall each new stu- and 1,959,581 tons for the comparadent in the elementary education ble months of 1939-40, representing department will have to take the ex- percentage increases of 33.88 and aminations but will be given until 52.08 per cent respectively for those

The state's income from the sul-12 months.

Paint is about to become scarce, ed for exclusive war use, and the Hooker. War Production Board has recently ordered a 50 percent cut in the are invited to the ceremony. amount of natural resins manufac-

and daughter, Kay are visiting her ments are usually just names by mother, Mrs. J. P. Roberts.

tax returns, Dewey Reed, manager

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Higgins, a sister, Mrs. Earl Albert of who is serving in the United States

# WORKERS NEEDED FOR

tery.

A shortage of workers is threatening the broomcorn harvest in Wes-University of Texas School of Edu- 12-month period ended in June was tern Kansas and other nearby regions where broomcorn is a staple

Intensified by the building of four new avaition fields which are taking come so pressing that a meeting of broomcorn growers was held recentlyl in Rolla to seek a solution.

V. Schafer. made for lodging and boarding of a large number of harvesters, with

word Tuesday that their son. Bill phur tax was \$3,780,315 during the from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per week. The Green, who has been with the armed forces in Spain, has been transferred to Cuba. He wrote that it was quite hot and he would like to see a

# HOMECOMING PLANNED

Camp Barkeley, Texas, that Corporal Leslie H. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson, has been pro-

between substantial food and lovely

who work steadily for one employer.

Local, state and national problems of vital interest to farmers at this advised.

time will be discussed in a series of sub-district meetings to be held in the Texas Panhandle during the first week of September under the sponsorship of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

**Panhandle Meeting** 

The meeting to which Sherman county farmers are invited will take place September 3rd at Dumas with W. M. Deck of Perryton, vice-president of the Texas Farm Bureau, in charge.

These conferences are being substituted this year for the annual fall district wide meeting in order to conserve tires and enable every interested farmer to attend and take part in the discussions.

same time are entitled to the old-Subjects to be discussed will inage and survivors insurance benefits clude the grain storage problem. "Temporary, part-time, intermit- which are provided by the Social Sethe farm labor supply, use of wheat ness and death of our loved one and tent, or casual labor, which is in the curity Act. The benefits are comand other grains in the manufacture course of an employer's trade or puted on the basis of the total wages of synthetic rubber, and many other business should be reported, even received from all employers who are problems connected with farming though the amount of wages in- covered by the Social Security Act. under wartime conditions.

# **Bins Are Full; Wheat** Stored On Ground, **Bins For Sale**

Bins erected at Stratford and Texhoma by the Commodity Credit Corporation are almost full and there are still several thousand bushels of wheat piled on the ground.

Erected for the purpose of providing badly needed storage for farmers, the bins are probably all that will be provided to take care of this year's crop. The government will ship in several extra carloads of bins to the section, but these bins will not be available for storing this year's wheat except if bought by farmers or elevator operators. Some of these bins will be erected for the Word has been received from purpose of storing any farm stored wheat that goes out of condition through the year. Others will be erected and the unassembled bins moted to Staff Sergenat and ordered will be stored in them. Farmers may want to buy some of these bins for storing barley, grain sorghums or any other storage need, and this will be permissable, according to R. C. Buckles, chairman of the Sherman County ACA. Some of the extra bins will be shipped later to the corn belt farming section, state officials have

> The Commodity Credit has erected some 250 bins at Stratford and Texhoma, which has provided about cne-half million bushels storage for the farmers. This wheat belongs to the Commodity Credit Corporation. and may be used in the manufacture of synthetic rubber in the near future. The wheat in this section tests rother high to be used for feeding purposes under the President's plan to make 125 million bushels of Commodity Credit owned wheat available for feed, Art Bralley, Sherman County Agricultural agent, pointed cut.

#### **CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown to us during sickfor the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alberts Janny and Aldridge Higgins. 13

each such worker, and the required information should be reported the same as that for regular employees Reed added that night watchmen, The announcement was made to janitors, and others who may be

All wages paid for services render- | volved is small," Reed said. "Emed, regardless of the length of time ployers shoull record the name and Social Security account number of

Orva Mathes Memorial church at to Camp Adair, Oregon Methodists and interested citizens Farming In War Is

Main Topic For

There is a whale of a difference

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Woodward refreshments, and lovely refreshthe society writer.

At the meeting arrangements were board to cost \$1.00 a day and room

Social Security Board Makes Important

Announcement

average wage for broomcorn cutters will be around \$6.00 a day, although this will vary.

snowstorm. FOR HOOKER CHURCH A homecoming program combined with the formal opening of a new for August 30th at 11 a.m. by the

# The Strattord Star Brown Ross, Owner I. D. Divine, Editor

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> (July 30, Aug. 6-13-20) H. J. R. No. 1 A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49-a, requiring all bills passed by the Legislature on and after incoment the Legislature on and after January 1, 1945, appropriating money for any purpose, to be sent to the Comptroller of Public Ac-counts for his approval, and fixing the du-ties of the Comptroller with reference thereto; authorizing the Legislature to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by the General Revenue Fund on September 1, 1943; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and providing for the submission of this amendment.
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLA-TURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas he amended by adding thereto, immediately after Section 49a. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts with enceeds and follows:

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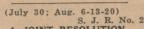
AN INVITATION TO ALL TRUCK OWNERS AND OPERATORS

tirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approv-ed obligations owing by said fund on Sep-tember 1, 1943, provided such bonds shall not draw interest in excess of two (2) per cent per annum and shall mature within twenty (20) years from date." Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional A-mendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, being November 3, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said funds

November, 1942, being November 3, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropri-ation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comp-troller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appro-priations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding Sep-tember 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Ac-

Legislature and Comptroller of Public Ac-counts with reference thereto." Those opposing s a i d proposed A-mendment shall write or have printed on

mendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words: "Against the Amendment to the Consti-tution of the State of Texas, requiring ap-propriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to avail-able funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such avail-able funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public



"Section 33. The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any

mg the fund accounts to be cleaned uttrapped to the state of the state

Fund of the State and placing its current accounts on a cash basis the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance, sale, and re-

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tirement of serial bonds, equal in principal Navy who are assigned to duties in State tion, providing that the Legislature may in Institutions of higher education." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballots, leaving the one ex-pressing his vote on the proposed amenda

pressing his vote on the proposed amend-ment. Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dol-lars, or so much thereof as may be neces-sary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, act otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

# (July 30; Aug. 6-13-20) S. J. R. No. 21

## A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitu-tion of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural Col-lege for the construction of a building on lege for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to de-ficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31st, 1937. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLA-TURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows: "The Legislature is authorized to appro-priate so much money as may be necessary.

"The Legislature is authorized to appro-priate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the cam-pus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31st, 1937." Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in Novem-

Tuesday after the first Monday in Novem-ber, A. D. 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon: "For the consti-tutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to pay for building constructed for John Tarleton Agricultural College;" and "Against the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to pay for building constructed for John Tarleton Ag-

ricultural College". Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one ex-pressing his vote on the proposed amend-

ment. Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expenses of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

#### (July 30; Aug. 6-13-20) R. No. 24 H. J. R. A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article V of the Constitution of Texas by providing that

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certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil,

is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas. Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proc-lamation for said election and to have it published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of this State. See 4 The sum of Ten Thousand

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the Rate Treasury not otherwise appropri-ated to pay the expenses of said publication and chetter and election.

> (July 30; Aug. 6-13-20) H. J. R. No. 23

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the state of Texas auth-

the Constitution of the state of Texas auth-orizing the lending of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office build-ing or buildings; providing for repayment to the Permanent School Fund; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expense of the necessary proclamation and expense of publication. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLA-

TURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article 3 of the Consti Section 1. That Article 3 of the Consti-tution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 49-b, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 49-b. The Legislature may provide by law for the issuance of not more than Two Million Dollars (2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to the Permanent School Fund for the construc-tion in the City of Austin of a State office building or buildings, and the State Board of Education is bereby directed to invest not more than Two Million (\$2,000,000) dol-lars of the Permanent School Fund therein. Such bonds shall be executed on behalf of the State of Texas by the Governor and Comptroller, and shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three (3) per cent per annum, payable annually; they shall be of such de-nomination as may be prescribed by law, and shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five "Sec. 49-b. The Legislature may provide shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-live (25) equal installments beginning one (1) year from date of issuance; and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to set aside into a special fund annually at the begining of each fiscal year until all of said bonds shall have been paid off and discharged, a sufficient amount of the first moneys coming into the Treasury for the moneys coming into the Treasury for the use and benefit of the General Revenue Fund not otherwise heretofore obligated to the payment of bonds and interest, a sufthe payment of bonds and interest, a suf-ficient amount to pay the interest becom-ing due and the bonds maturing during such fiscal year. From said Fund, the Treasurer shall pay the interest on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Per-manent School Fund. The nower hereby manent School Fund. The power hereby granted to issue bonds is expressly limited to the amount stated and to five (5) years from and after the adoption of this grant

by the people." Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the quali-fied voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas ' authorizing the in-vestment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund." the Permanent School Fund.'

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment to the Consti-

<sup>ch</sup>Against the Amendment to the Consti-tution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more that Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund." Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proc-lamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Consti-tution and existing laws of the State. Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$3,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of suit and foreclosure of lien against Royal Pendleton, Administrator of the Estate of Harry G. Provines, deceased, the Estate of Harry G. Provines, deceased, the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, Ben Russell, Arthur O'Dell, Clyde O'Dell, Prairie Investment Corporation. W. G. Mc-Nabb, W. D. Cooke, L. W. Mathews Panhandle Power and Light Company, W. O. Bryant, E. W. Butler Jr. train 18 and 19-year-old men for Mrs. Delphia H. Provines, Dalhart key positions, and emphasized that National Farm Loan Association, E. W. Butler, Robert Naugle and H. B. Naugle in Cause E-270.862 on the "Until now war production has docket of said Court styled The Fedhad first choice of registrants, but eral Land Bank of Houston vs. Royal under new instructions it takes sec- Pendleton, et al, I did on the 5th ond place, with family relationship day of August A. D. 1942, at 4:30 and dependency ranking third," Col- o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described property of said defend-"All war production plants have ants, said premises containing 1436 been advised to use 3-A men with acres, more or less, located 8 miles Northwest from Stratford, Texas, and most generally known as the Provines land, being out of the T & N O Railway Company Survey, Sherman County, Texas. And on the 1st day of September A. D. 1942, same being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the Courthouse door He said new deferment categories of Sherman County, Texas, in the cannot be made effective immediate- City of Stratford, in said County, I ly because every local board requires will offer for sale and sell at public

# Thursday, Aug. 13, 1942

RAF AND THEIR FEMALE AIDES



These are members of Britain's these who were behind the recent Royal Air Force and a group of the devastating air raids which are aimmembers of the Women's Air Force ed at the crippling of German in-Auxiliary. It was people such as dustry behind the fighting fronts.

# **Oil Refineries May Be Converted To** Make Synthetic Rubber

Washington-Oil Coordinator Ickes reports the nation will be able to August A. D. 1942. produce 250,000 more tons of synthetic rubber than anticipated this Sherman of Sherman County, Texas. year by converting existing oil refineries. The refineries will be converted voluntarily by the oil industry to produce butadiene-an essential ingredient of buna synthetic rubber.

Original plans called for production of 870.000 tons of synthetic rubber. But Ickes says a recent survey revealed that existing oil plants could be converted to produce about 200, 000 tons of butadiene a year. That's enough to make from 240,000 to 250,-000 tons of buna rubber.

About 30 nucleus plants will produce the butadiene, but Ickes says that altogether, about 75 percent of the oil industry will help in the effort. Approximately 90 percent of the equipment needed for the conversion will be second hand. In addition, the plants will produce toluene. used to make dynamite; benzol, an ingredient of aviation gasoline, and styrene, another synthetic rubber ingredient.

#### NOTICE OF SALE The State of Texas County of Sherman

By virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Harris County, Texas, 55th Judicial District, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 27th day of May. 1942, in favor of the Federal

auction, for cash, all of the estate, right, title and interest which each and all of said defendants have in and to the above described premises. Dated a t Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, this 5th day of

J. W. GAROUTTE,

#### THINKING OUT LOUD

Proverb for the day: All things will come to the other fellow if you sit down and wait.

Horse sense is just some stable thinking.

The more that people try to get even with one another, the more they get at odds.-Rays of Sunshine.

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be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

# Army To Get **Choice Of Men**

Col. Clive E. Murray, state draft director, said Saturday that defense industries have been warned not to the army has first priority on manpower.

onel Murray explained.

small children, skilled men under 20 and over 45 years old, and women," he said.

Men whose wives are working will be inducted if draft boards need them to meet immediate quotas despite a new Washington ruling protecting family relationship, the director declared.

about sixty days to reclassify each registrant.

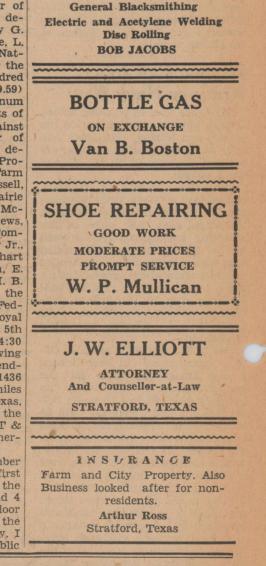
"Quotas must be met," he emphasized, "even if it means inducting men who might have been placed in a deferred status under new regulations.

#### IT NEVER CAME

Mary, aged four, paying a visit to a friend with her mother, who is of a talkative nature, got tired and began to inquire about going home. Her mother rebuked her, and said 'It's very rude to interrupt while I am speaking; you should wait until I finish."

"But," said Mary, sadly, "you don't finish."

Wooden-soled shoes, designed to conserve war essential leather, are now being produced by a Midwestern shoe manufacturer. Hard maple and sugar pine are the woods used.



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THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1942

By ARTHUR STRINGER W.N.U. SERVICE

THE STORY SO FAR: To help his partner, Cruger, keep Norland Airways in business, Alan Slade agrees to fly a "scientist" named Frayne and his assistant, Karnell, to the Anawotto river in search of the trumpeter swan. With the proceeds Cruger has bought a new plane, a Lockheed, which is stolen while Slade is away. The plane must be found, or Norland Airways is through. When he returns Slade starts out again, with only two meager clues, to recover the plane. The first clue is the "devil bird" the eskimo, Umanak, believes comes from Echo Harbor. The second is Slade's hunch that the lost plane and the swan-hunter. Frayne, are somehow connected. He flies back to where he left Frayne, only to find that Frayne is apparently just hunting swans. There is no sign of the lost plane.

Now continue with the story.

#### CHAPTER X

He would be glad, he knew, to hear the roar of that engine again. He even quickened his pace as he recognized the cove where his ship was anchored.

Then his gladness vanished and a tingle of apprehension went through his body. For as he glanced down at the waterfront he saw that his mooring lines had been cast off and his plane was adrift. He could see it moving in the freshening breeze, circling slowly about until the pontoons grounded on a gravel-bar.

His response to that discovery was both immediate and unreasoned. He went sliding down the ridge side and splashing through the shallows as he rounded the cove end. The intruder aboard the plane must have seen him as he went.

Slade could make out a wideshouldered figure clambering down to a float, a figure that hesitated for only a moment and then leaped into the shallow water and waded ashore. Once ashore he slipped away into the spruce slopes and was lost to sight.

Slade's first impulse was to race after him. But the most important thing, he remembered, was his plane. He went splashing out and climbed aboard. There his quick eye inventoried his instrument board. assessed engine and controls, and discovered no damage to his ship. His smile was grim as he replaced the breaker assembly which was essential to the life of his motor. Its absence, he suspected, had kept that wide-shouldered intruder from taking off and disappearing into the unknown. And that wide-shouldered skulker, he had every reason to believe, was Frayne's man Karnell.

Indignation was still burning through Slade's body as he gunned the motor and rose into the air. He circled twice over the lakeside spruce slopes, searching without re-



A figure that hesitated for only a moment and then leaped into the shallow water.

hostility went out of their faces. But us," said Cruger. "Every ship in Zeke's eyes remained troubled. "You mustn't do things like that, Lindy. I might've given you a air hole through the esophagus.'

"I'd rather you gave me a meal," said the new-comer, as they shook hands and headed toward the shack. 'You're too old to keep to a sixteenhour day like this.'

Minty pointed an accusatory finger at the flyer.

"So you're givin' us the go-by these days?" he questioned. "What does that mean?" asked

Slade as they trudged shackward. "Weren't you in this neighborhood two nights ago?

Slade stopped in his tracks. 'Why do you ask that?'

"''Cause I heard you when you came down to pick up them gas drums. And I heard you the day before, over the hills," Minty asserted. 'Wait a minute,'' cried Slade.

'You don't mean my gas is gone?' "You know it's gone, you night-prowlin' puddle-jumper. But why in

neck did you tote off them two dozen old ore bags?" Slade studied the two old faces

so wrinkled with concern. "You say you heard a plane?" he

questioned "We sure did," said Minty. "Ana neard it more 'n once. What's more, seen it.'

"This," said Slade, "is going to need a little looking into." Zeke agreed with him.

told us he wanted to stay anchored 'We don't want no strangers there until after the freeze-up.' snoopin' round this territory," he proclaimed.

WRIGHT PATTERSON

#### PROBLEM OF FOOD **IN POST-WAR WORLD**

No living man can know more of the terrors of starvation on a people or the needs of meeting such conditions than does Herbert Hoover. His wide experience during and following World War I and during the Russian famine, gave him pre-eminence in that field.

In a recently published book, "The Problems of Lasting Peace," by Herbert Hoover and Hugh Gibson, the authors say the first great problem to follow the final command to cease firing will be to feed the starving people of Europe and Asia, friend and enemy alike. To do that, they estimate it will take 30 million tons, 60 billion pounds, of food.

Supplying that food will be largely the job of American and Canadian farms. It means wheat, corn, rye and barley, hogs and cattle and dairy products in enormous quantities. It means a continuous supply, not for weeks or a few months only, but probably for some years. It means food for people of starved France, Holland, Nor-

way, Belgium, Spain, Greece, Poland, China, the Dutch East Indies, the Philippines, Germany, Italy, much of Russia, the Balkans, Denmark and other lands. It means a greater job than has

faced the American farm during the war period, when only ourselves and people of the Allied nations were to be fed. It means tilling more acres and more careful cultivation that every bushel of grain, every pound of meat may be saved.

It means continued rationing for months or years for people of America that we may divide with and succor the starving peoples of the

world. For such a job we need bumper crops for this year and next year and the year after. We will have no need to worry about surplusesthere will be none. There will be a food stuffs the American farm can

produce. The American farmer will do his job. He will not wrangle about Our business in such a world is hours or wages or social advance- to preach the gospel of grace, winments. He will give unstintingly of | ning men to Christ, that they may his time and labor and ability. He will do that because he is first of all such a man, willing to yield even

a humanitarian, an American. Out of it all may come a continued foreign market for the products of American farms. That depends on the kind of peace terms made when the war is over. If those

"And perhaps later," said Slade. mean an increased market abroad for American farm products. Such terms would embody the principles of the Atlantic charter, plus economic freedom.



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Lesson for August 16

# **ISAAC PRACTICES PEACE**

LESSON TEXT-Genesis 26:18-31. GOLDEN TEXT-Blessed are the peace-makers: for they shall be called the chil-dren of God.-Matthew 5:9.

To talk peace in a warring world seems almost futile, and so it is, unless it be the peace of God. In a world largely dominated by the philosophy that might makes right, and in which men demand what they call their rights, taking them even by lawless and violent methods, it is increasingly difficult to proclaim the truth that patience and meekness are not weakness, but are Christian virtues worth emulating. The story of Isaac is interesting from beginning to end. He was an ordinary man, one of the common people. He had come through varied experiences of victory and defeat before the time of our lesson. Fearing a famine, and apparently not trusting God at the moment, he had gone down from the promised land to the country of the Philistines, there redigging the wells which his father Abraham had dug. The result was that he prospered. Ere long, however, envy on the part of his enemies taught Isaac that I. Peace in This World Is Tem-

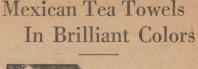
porary (vv. 18-21).

Isaac had prospered, but he was still out of the promised land, and while he was in the land of Philistines he could expect no permanent peace.

We are in the world. We long for peace, and would throw all our influence and service into the cause of bringing a righteous peace to the troubled peoples of the world. But let us not be misled by that desire into the support of unscriptural and impossible peace programs. This world is a sinful world, and as long need for every pound, and more, of as that is true, there will be strife and war, that men (as James puts it) may have the gains thereof for their own pleasure.

become men of good-will. Isaac was what seemed to be his right, rather than cause contention.

Undoubtedly there are times when one must defend his name and his possessions, but all too often those who do "stand for their rights" terms are along the ideological lines have wrecked homes, churches, and the American people wish for, it nations, and have gained nothing but an empty vic





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Sacajawea Memorials

Sacajawea, the Indian girl who guided the Lewis and Clark expedition from North Dakota to the Pacific in 1804 and 1805, probably has more memorials than any other American woman, says Collier's. In addition to a number of statues, shafts and tablets, they include a fountain; song, airplane, river, peak and mountain pass. Monuments have even been erected in memory of a son and granddaughter.



**Costly Revenge** It costs more to revenge injuries than to bear them.



THE STRATFORD STAR, STRATFORD, TEXAS

ward for any sign of life there. Then he veered back and circled twice over the island-studded water where he knew Frayne's observation post to be. But the only sign of life he caught from that quarter was the sudden wing-flutter of a huge maletrumpeter, who interrupted his watchful driftings to lift his long neck and fling a cry of defiance up at the cloud-cleaving wings of his rival. Slade caught the sound of that trumpeted challenge, even through his engine roar, as he turned south and headed for the camp at the mouth of the Kasakana.

Slade had the feeling of being in more friendly territory when he saw Lake Avikaka once more under his floats. But no welcoming figures emerged from the shack as he circled over it in the evening light. No kindly old voice called out to him as he moored beside the landing stage.

That left him both puzzled and depressed, until his ear caught the sound of a distant detonation. He knew well enough the meaning of that blast. It meant that Zeke and Minty had foregone their usual supper hour to keep on with their mine work, delving like badgers along some new drift or pounding rock at the bottom of some new test pit.

Slade, standing back between the shadowy ore piles, could see Zeke crimp a mercury cap with his teeth and stick it into a dynamite cartridge before disappearing in the pit mouth. It was that old sourdough's fixed rule, he remembered, never to use powder until down to hard rock. Their methods may have been those of a passing generation, but they had found something worth while. For after a second detonation and a second scrambling down the pit mouth Slade could hear Minty's cackle of triumph as he inspected a fragment of blue quartz which Zeke's tremulous fingers held just under his nose.

"She's rich, all right," cried Min-"You can see her with the naked ty. eye.

'She's the best yet," Zeke agreed as he continued to squint at the ragged quartz slab. "And now we know she's there, you old thimbleribber, it's about time to call it a dav

It was then that Slade called out to them. That call, through the long-houred evening light, caused Minty to wheel about with a startled grunt at the same moment that Zeke's long arm swung out to catch up a rifle that had rested unseen against the windlass frame.

'Put it down, you old quartz-chipper; put it down," was Slade's cry as he advanced toward them.

The two taut figures relaxed

'How about that nincompoop in specks who's nosin' out swans' nests?" questioned Minty. "He's the only outsider within a crow flight this camp.'

"But he has no plane," said Slade. 'And no need for one."

"Well, he'd better keep clear o' this claim," croaked the embattled Minty

"But two can play at that game, Minty," Slade pointed out. "And there's something going on between here and Echo Harbor that needs a bit of looking into."

"I seen a plane all right," maintained the scowling Minty. "But I can't figger out why he'd be flyin' across empty country."

"Or what in heck he'd swipe two dozen ore bags for," added Zeke. Minty's apprehensive eye rested on the young flyer.

"Looks to me, son, as though you was the bird to do some needed scoutin' round here. That Snow-Ball Baby o' yours could cover the whole Barrens while Minty and me was footin' it through fifteen miles o' muskeg.''

"You're right, Zeke," Slade ac-knowledged. "And after I swing south tomorrow I'm coming back to do a little investigating along the Anawotto.

Slade, hightailing it for his home port on the Snye, headed southward with a sense of something unfinished, a contradiction unreconciled, a problem unsolved. His first move, after landing and having a few hurried words with the redoubtable Cassidy, was to hurry over to Cruger and his plain-boarded administration building.

"What held you up?" was that tions. official's curt demand.

"Stolen gas," said Slade. "There's somebody robbing our emergency caches.'

Cruger, at that announcement. wheeled about on him.

"At what stations?" "At Wolf Lake. And later at Avi-

kaka.' The pilot could see his chief's mouth harden with exasperation.

"So we're getting it from all us.' sides!" exclaimed Cruger. "You know, of course, we haven't spotted a trace of that lost Lockheed?" Slade nodded.

"I talked with Cassidy, down at the dock. I'd a question or two I wanted to ask him. It didn't help net. And a magazine rifle. And an much.

"Nothing from Cassidy has helped much," said his partner. "But a plane can't be carried off like a snatched pocketbook. It can't be hidden away and it can't be sold and it can't be passed on to others." 'Then what's the answer?'' asked something bigger than a trumpet. Slade.

"That's something still ahead of

I saw him on my way south. All he seems to want just now is to be left alone." "It just doesn't add up," said

this Dominion has to pass govern-

mental inspection and carry a li-

cense. It can't make a move with-

out being checked and counter-

checked. It couldn't land across the

Line without customs permits and

it couldn't stay there without be-

Slade's altogether unsatisfactory re-

go from here to Aklavik in fourteen

hours," contended Cruger, who add-ed, not without acerbity: "And keep

Slade was willing to let that pass.

motives," he asked, "in the swip-ing of that Lockheed?"

the older man. "But I know this

much: a crack-pot who'd high-jack

ready to take chances in the air."

as it went up to the wall map.

Anawotto, isn't it?'

you've got on your run?'

a plane like that would always be

"He must have known how to fly."

Cruger's eye became meditative

"You mentioned the Avikaka," he

said. "That's well on toward the

Slade acknowledged that it was.

"It's not on my run. But it's empty, all right. Mostly bird life and barrens. It's the district I

Cruger's gaze became reflective.

"Oh, yes; the swan-hunter. He

dropped your swan-hunter in.'

"About as empty country as

"Did you ever stop to think about

'I'm not a mind-reader," retorted

"It's a pretty big country," was

"Not to a cloud-dodger who can

ing reported."

his eyes open!"

Cruger Slade tried to make his smile a

casual one. "How about me trying to make it add up?" he suggested. He had, as he stood there, been doing a bit of rough and ready mathematics of his own.

"What could you do?"

"After dropping my pay load at Conjuror's Bay," Slade suggested, 'I might scout around where I felt it would do the most good. I mean, scout around in earnest."

Cruger's glance went up to the wall map again.

"The field's too big," he said, 'no one man could fine-comb that territory. And in a couple of weeks we'd have you to look for."

"I'd take a chance on that," said the man with the Viking eyes. "But you wouldn't even know

what you were looking for.' "Don't be too sure of that," was the delusively casual reply. "I've a hunch or two I'd rather like to

sound out." 'About what?''

try

"First, about that Anawotto coun-"This company can't operate on hunches," Cruger averred in a voice

that was less friendly than his gaze. 'And that's a fine country to get lost in." "I don't think I'd get lost," Slade

said. "I know the lay-out there a low who tells the American worklittle better than most bush hawks. And if I went in I'd go with camp ing ships, planes, guns, tanks or equipment and extra fuel and ra-

"And grow whiskers and go native," observed Cruger, "and leave us with two planes out of service!" Slade ignored the note of mock-

ery. "I usually get back," he an-

Cruger's face lost its frown. "You do," he acknowledged. "But a trip like that would mean twoway radio, to keep in touch with

"I wouldn't want radio," said Slade. "That would be spilling the beans to everyone between Edmonton and Point Barrow. What I'd rather have would be a belt ax and an air mattress, and perhaps a fish extra mosquito bar. The flies are bad in that section these days."

"Sounds to me, Lindy, as though you wanted to follow up that looneybird-lover and look for swans." "No, I won't be looking for swans," said Slade. "It will be for

(TO BE CONTINUED)

U. S. HISTORY **IN OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS** 

Washington crossing the Delaware; the ill-fed, ill-clothed, illhoused patriotic army at Valley Forge; the surrender of the British army at Yorktown; the signing of the Declaration of Independence; the struggle of Lewis and Clark through the western wilderness - what a thrill of patriotic fervor all of these, and hundreds of other incidents brought to me as a small boy when I studied American history in that old brick schoolhouse at Ainsworth, Iowa. It was such study that laid the foundation for my love of Ameri-

ca, my respect for our institutions, my appreciation of the freedom inherited from that ragged, frozen little army at Valley Forge. Today in 22 of our 48 states. American history is not a required study

in the public schools. Small wonder that we are drifting away from our ideals, that our ideology is changing to a following of false gods. Our children need the lessons taught by the hero worship of our patriotic forefathers and what they endured. that we may enjoy the blessings of American freedom and opportunity.

#### **ESSENTIAL?**

The labor union organizer, the felman he cannot have a job at buildother war equipment unless he pays the price of union membership, is considered essential to the war ef-

TO LISTEN IN ON THE "ARMY us a better idea of what the American army is doing, its efficiency and high standards, and it also gives all of us civilians that morale without which no war can be won.

A FEW YEARS AGO, DR. TUG-WELL was insisting that advertising was an economic waste. The government is not finding it so as applied to the sale of war bonds. Advertising is selling them just as advertising sells merchandise.

The peace of this world is temporary. Is there then no real abiding peace and joy?

II. Abiding Joy Is Found in Fellowship With God (vv. 22-25).

When Isaac came up into Canaan, the land which God had promised to him, he found real peace and an abiding joy in renewed fellowship with God. Even so, the Christian man and woman who will step out of a spiritually destructive fellowship with the ungodly world and come over wholeheartedly into the spiritual Canaan of full consecration and separated living, will find true peace and satisfying communion with God.

Our thought, however, has wider application—one much needed today. There is to come a time when this world will have true and abiding peace which shall cover the earth like the waters cover the sea. When the One who has the right to reign, the Lord Jesus Christ, returns to take His throne, then, and not before, will there be true peace.

We await that day with longing which grows more intense as men grow more violent in their hatred. But is there nothing more we can do?' Yes, we learn from Isaac's experience that-

III. A Godly Life Is a Testimony to Warring Men (vv. 26-31).

These men were wicked men, even speaking falsehood in their claim of friendship toward Isaac (v. 29). Now that they perceived that God was continually blessing Isaac in spite of their repeated injustice toward him, they decided that it would be well to make a covenant of friendship with him. Even those who follow the way of war and aggression cannot deny the effectiveness of true Christian testimony.

Observe also that by his patience and kindness Isaac ultimately made friends out of his enemies. "It is better to turn enemies into friends than to beat them, and have them enemies still." And so this man with the patient, self-sacrificing spirit brought peace not only to himself, but to those about him, because he believed and trusted God. 'When a man's ways please the Lord, he maketh even his enemies to be at peace with him" (Prov. 16:7).

What can we do to bring peace today? We can pray that God will help America and her allied nations to turn to Him in repentance of sin, and in a desire to so honor His name that He may be able to give His blessing. When Hezekiah spread before the Lord the threat of his enemy, God undertook for him in a mighty way, because his heart was right toward God (Isa. 37:14-20). Will he do less for us?

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# Sentinels of Health Don't Neglect Them!

Don't Neglect Them! Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—li/s itsel/—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good heath is to endure. When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide dis-tress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of diziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffinees

getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all

under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out. Frequent, scanty or burning passages are sometimes further evidence of kid-ney or bladder disturbance. The recognized and proper treatment is a diuretic medicine to help the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body waste. Use Doan's Pills. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are endorsed the country over. Insist on Doan's. Sold at all drug stores.

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teer. \* \* \* HOUR" on the radio gives to all of

# **Delbert** Cummings Weds In Amarillo

Miss Dorothy Dee Sammons, Amarillo, became the bride of Delbert Cummings, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cummings of Stratford, at a became the bride of Roy D. Worley, ceremony performed this past week son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Worley at a Methodist parsonage in Amarillo.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sammons of Amarillo, and the groom is the son of Mr. and officiating. Mrs. William P. Cummings. The hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Swain Lawler, Mrs. N. L. Lawler and Miss Fran- and a corsage of orchids. She is a ces Elaine Lawler of Brady are vis- graduate of Stratford high school iting Mrs. A. M. Gladish and Mr. and and also attended West Texas State Mrs. W. E. Kelly.

Mrs. Tim Flores received word Stratford. last week that her son-in-law, Irvin Ingle, who is in the navy, has been homa high school and attended Pantransferred from San Diego, California to Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barr and family left Monday for their home in Plainview, Texas after a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris announce the birth of an 8 pound son, Aug. 6th at the home of Mrs. T. D. Chisum, with Dr. J. W. Norvell attending. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Wright Davis were in Amarillo Mon- and was buried Wednesday. day on business.

Miss Mildred Mattason from Dumas visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duby weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. Friday night.

Will Leslie of Borger, District manager of the Panhandle Power & Light Co., was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Oleta Gilley is visiting in Spearman this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Gren.

Christie Jo Roberts Weds Roy Worley In

Abilene Ceremony Miss Christie Jo Roberts, daughter

of Mrs. Josie Roberts of Stratford, of Texhoma Saturday evening August 8th at 8 o'clock in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church of Abilene, with Dr. Hamblen, the pastor,

Attending the bride as maid of couple will make their home in Dal- honor was Mrs. Buster Gum, a cousin of Mr. Worley. Mr. Worley was attended by Buster Gum.

The bride wore a white silk suit Teachers' College at Canyon. She was employed at the AAA office in

Mr. Worley is a graduate of Texhandle A. & M. College at Goodwell. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Oklahoma A. & M. College Stillwater. He is a member of Alpha Pi Mu Fraternity and is now in the United States Army, stationed at Camp Barkeley, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Worlev have established their home in Abilene.

Mrs. C. A. Wilson received a message last Thursday that her brother, J C. Wheeler of Houston, died sud-Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Kelp and denly Tuesday morning, August 3

> Mr. and Mrs. Royse Hall and family from Hedley, Texas, were B. Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. Kirkwood.

M. H. Harrison is enjoying a trip with Mr. Lackey to Santa Fe and Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Cone Donaldson and E. W. Butler are in Temple for treat. ment at the clinic there.

POPPIES FOR DAY DREAMS, ON THE Flower-of-the-Month Kerchief 50c The flaming colors of poppies and gladioli are blended by kimball on a kerchief that will add zest to country club whites and city blacks. Add

# The Stratford Star

# Katherine Coons-Russell Brown **Rites Solemnized In California**



MRS. RUSSELL W. BROWN

Miss Katherine Coons, daughter a warrant officer in the United of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Coons, was States Army band. He was formerly married Thursday evening, August | 6th, to Russell W. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brown of Carmen, panhandle, having taught dancing Oklahoma.

The ceremony took place in the Stratford and Texhoma. chapel at Camp Callan near San They have established their resi-Diego, California, where the groom is dence in California.

#### SPURLOCK GIRLS SEE MODEL ROOM

Accomplishment of one of their rides were enjoyed at Rita Blanca fellow-members in decoration of her Lake, Sunday evening by: bedroom was viewed Monday after-Sammy Lou and Janny Lasley, Mary noon by the Spurlock 4-H girls at their regular meeting.

Ruby Lee Sweny, their club demand Dixie Lee, and Grandpa Lasley, onstrator, showed her bedroom and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sears and son, the improvements made in it. The and Mr. and Mrs. John Dubbs. girls saw an old rocker which had been painted and re-upholstered; a

# Achievement Rally Is Planned For County 4-H Girls

Sherman county 4-H girls are making plans for their annual Achievement Rally to be held in the court house at Stratford on Wednesday, August 19th.

Nearly seventy girls are expected to take part, and the rally will be an all-day affair in which all girls in the county are asked to take part.

Under the direction of Miss Mabel Martin, home demonstration agent. and Mrs. Oma Ellison, county sponsor, a full day has been planned. The girls will register at 10 a.m. and arrange exhibits of their sewing, canning, and other work. At 10:30 the ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burk meeting will be called to order by Green and other relatives returned Frankie Mae Dodson, Sherman county Gold Star girl.

Group singing for the morning meeting will be lead by Mrs. T. F. Oklahoma on their return and vis-Baskin, council chairman, and Mrs. George Roberts and Mrs. Meritt Sweny will have charge of games. Following the games each club in the county will put on a short skit carrying out the "Food-For-Victory" theme and emphasizing the ideals of 4-H work.

Each girl will bring a covered dish for lunch and all will eat together in the county club room.

In the afternoon session, Mrs. Ellison will present pins to all girls comcompleting their last year's work. Mrs. Baskin will present Frankie Mae Dodson with her Gold Star Pin from the A. & M. College of Texas.

Following the presentation of awards, several educational demonstrations will be given by the girls and Miss Martin will instruct them in finger painting and family recreation.

All mothers and girls in the coun-The bride is well known over the ty are invited to be present.

> Judge L. P. Hunter returned Sunday from a four-days' visit in Albany. Missouri.

W. G. O'Brien was in Kansas City Missouri over the weekend looking after business interests.

Mrs. A. L. Cooper and children visited Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cooper and family this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Kelp and E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasley daughter. Miss Jerry visited Sunday afternoon with relatives in Dalhart

> Tommy Wickfield and family, who visit, returned Monday.



## Thursday, Aug. 13, 1942

# PERSONALS

A large group of Stratford people left Wednesday of last week on a fishing trip to Barlow's Ranch, Colorado. Those who made the trip were: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and son, Mrs. Earl Riffe and children, and Mrs. W. T. Martin. Mrs. Riffe returned Monday and the others planned an extended vacation at the ranch.

Mrs. Ralph Harding and daughters, Mrs. Ernest Cummings and family and Mrs. J. G. Cummings motored to Dalhart Thursday and spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. W. P Cummings.

Will B. Green, who has been visitto his home at Storm Lake, Iowa Friday. His parents took him to Liberal and they stopped at Hooker ited Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Reccius.

Mrs. Latimer Murfee and Miss Roberta of Houston, Texas arrived Thursday of last week for a visit with Mrs. Murfee's parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price and Mr. and Mrs W. N. Price and family.

Mi. and Mrs. Tom Taylor. Amarillo, were visitors this weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Taylor. They returned Sunday taking their daughter, Patricia Lane who has been visiting her grandparents, with them.

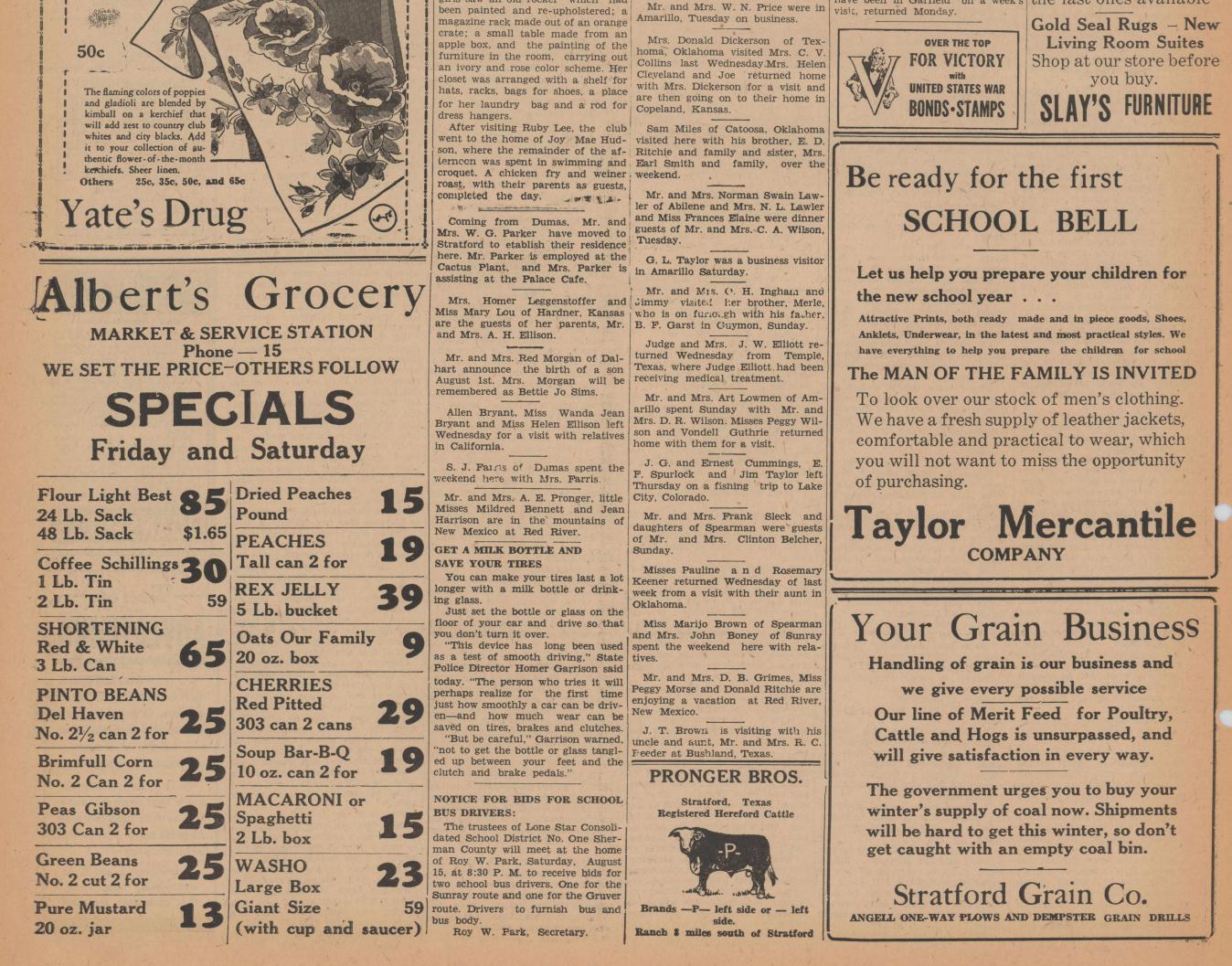
Mrs. Earl Smith, Miss Mava and Jack Smith drove to Amarillo Monday with Sam Miles, who has been visiting them from Catoosa, Oklahoma. Mr. Miles went from Amarillo to his home in Catoosa.

Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams, Misses Rowena McAdams, Bertha King, and Margaret Ritchie, Mrs. E. D. Ritchie and Randolph McAdams were visitors of Mrs. Gene Foster in Dalhart, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Floyd Brannan, Mrs. Willie Belle Brannan and Ila Fern Brannan motored to Amarillo, Monday.

# Just Received

Another shipment of **Innerspring Mattresses** have been in Garfield on a week's the last ones available



in Amarillo. Spearman, Dalhart.

**OUTING ENJOYED SUNDAY** 

A picnic supper and motor boat

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lasley, Misses

band instructor at the Panhandle A.

& M. College, Goodwell.

# Thursday, Aug. 13, 1942

#### HOME-FRONT CASUALTIES

Since the attack on Pearl Harbor. casualties in America's armed forces have included 4,801 dead, 3,213 in advance, the war department adwounded and 36,124 missing—a total of 44,143. But for the same period the National Safety Council reports that on the home front 60,000 Americans have died from accidents and 5,500,000 have been injured. Many thousands of these victims have been defense workers and key men in essential industries. Their loss impairs measurably the nation's strength.

Every accident here helps the Axis to drain America's man power that is needed for Allied victory. As pointed out by Ned H. Dearborn, executive vice-president of the council, "casualties on the battlefront Preaching 8:30 p.m. are a necessary sacrifice to perpetuate our freedom. Casualties on the materials of war.'

ARMY CHRISTMAS MAIL MUST BE SENT EARLY

Washington, Aug. 9-Four months vised the public Saturday to do its Christmas mailing early to soldiers overseas.

Postal officials urged that holiday packages, cards and letters be mailed in October, explaining that anything sent after November 1 "very likely" would fail to reach the soldier before Christmas.

#### Church of Christ A. C. Huff, Minister.

Bible Study 10 a. m.; Preaching 11 a.m.; Communion 11:45 a.m. Young Peoples meeting 7:50 p.m.

Song drill every Wednesday night.

home front through accidents, are first take a heavy toll of the enemy preventable and hinder the efforts but the accident victim dies in vain. of our fighting men by sabotaging One of the most patriotic and most the production of the weapons and useful kinds of civilian war work is the prevention of accidents and the The soldier or sailor who dies may conservation of man power.

# Lovely Underwear



Our new supply of satin gowns and slips for ladies and misses is something you will not want to miss inspecting. Cut to fit, trimmed in dainty laces, and in pastel shades, you will want several of these for your wardrobe.

All for \$1.00

Children's panties in sizes 1 through 12 are among our new shipment. And we also have a complete stock of these in women's sizes.

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# The Stratford Star

#### MADE WAR NEWS DICTATOR

# **Farmers Are Told**

Washington, D. C .-- Elmer Davis

press, radio, film industry and all other news sources, either federal or private and answers only to the President.

# **Test Papers Of Pupils Present Choice** 'Boners'

Berkeley, California — Correcting examination papers at a large university is not all dull routine. Now and then the professors come across some choice "boners."

Here are some gathered in a survey by the Daily Californian, student publication of the University of California

"The dome of St. Clement's is supported by eight peers all of which are unfortunately cracked." "Browning wrote principally heroic

cutlets. "Shakespeare lived at Windsor

with his merry wives." "A spinster is a bachelor's wife."

"The object of 'he' is 'she'." "William Tell shot an arrow thru an apple while standing on his son's head

"The opposite of pessimist is bigamist.

"A grass widow is the wife of a vegetarian." "The Mediterranean and the Red

canal.'

# WANTADS

FLOWERS: Call Mrs. H. M. Brown.

Farmers who will need to buy oats and barley for their winter's feed requirements and who have the storage space available should look into the possicility of buying now.

**Small Grain Feed** 

May Be Short

Small grain prices usually are at the seasonal low during harvest time and tend to strengthen with the coming of fall and winter. The high is usually reached in late winter or early spring.

The total production of these crops for the United States is estimated at 41/3 million bushels, or 126 million more than last year.

There will be, however, greatly increased numbers of livestock to consume this surplus of small grains.

# A New Marine In **His First Seven** Weeks In The Corps Americans can outfight anything

on earth. Average Americans are inherently equipped to fight anybody else to a standstill. Watching civilians become Marines in seven weeks is one way to feel asbolutely certain that Americans can outfight anything on the earth.

The basic elements of a good Marine are in almost every man who passes the enlistment qualifications. They have to be brought out, and that is the job of the recruit depot in those first seven weeks. During the first two days he becomes part of a squad, a platoon and a battalion He sees the doctor, the dentist gets his uniforms, his rifle and seabag and other noecessities. Soft hands learn the feel of a rifle and bayonet. He is taught to face right and left and about, how to stand and answer in a military manner, how to march, halt and counter-march.

During the next 18 days he learns how to pack a "heavy marching order", how to pitch shelter tents how to stand guard, how to drill like clockwork, extended order drill and bayonet practice. He learns the theory of offensive and defensive combat, first aid, how to 'improvise stretchers, how to take care of himself and others who may need him; and how to take orders.

When he takes his first part in a parade, he learns his part in relaton to large groups, what it is like to be part of a brigade, a division, a corps or an Army. It is brought home to him that while his serial number and uniform have robbed him of his individuality, his training is bringing out his own peculiar Sea are connected by the Sewage qualities which his country needs to win this war. He realizes that a new world is being built, that he is helping to build it.

Next comes his tour of three weeks at the rifle range. He learns to fire of shipping facilities has tied up the .22 caliber rifle and .30 caliber nearly 80 percent of the last Puerto Want: To buy 100 bushels or more rifle, and the automatic pistol. He Rican sugar crop, Jose Oscar Bravo of Oats or barley. Lester Plunk. 2tp learns the use of the hand grenade, of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, vicethe Thompson sub-machine gun, the president of the Mayaguez Sugar

#### **DRAMA-PACKED CONVOY VOYAGE**

Navy escort in a convoy on the Atlantic coast. The blast was ascribed eign posts. to an enemy mine. Here a survivor dries his face with a towel after being near blinded and choked by the oily waters. A quick and efficient ;ob was done by the Navy in rescuing survivors. It so happened that the Navy Department had permitted a photographer and several correspondents aboard, none of whom bargained for the ensuing incident on such short order.

#### COUNTY BOYS LEAVE FOR 4-H ENCAMPMENT

Robert Steel, Stratford 4-H club boy, has been named to take special part on the program at the District 4-H club camp at Lake McClellan August 13-15. He will discuss "How Dimes Can Help Win the War"

Junior Adams, president of the Spurlock club, has been selected to assist in the flag raising ceremony. Other Sherman county club boys scheduled to make the trip in the Stratford school bus are: Charles Roach, Don Roach, Jimmy Meyer, and Sherman Holt of Texhoma; Erwin Cartrite, Richard Adams Jr., Neil Spurlock, Leonard Cartrite, and Jim Sweny of the Spurlock club; and Harold Cameron, Archie Foreman, Bobby Bachman, Billy Weston David Steel, and Robert Steel of Stratford. Harvey Spurlock, Geo., V. Roberts, Grady Pearson, and A. P. Bralley are the adults who will accompany the boys to the camp.

#### SHIP SHORTAGE HURTS PUERTO RICAN SUGAR

Salt Lake City, Aug. 9-Shortage

# **V-Mail Is Now** Here For Use In Writing Soldiers

When you write to that soldier in Australia or Ireland or to that sailor 'somewhere in the Pacific" the post office here has a special letter sheet for your use.

Known as "V-Mail", the stationery is of standard minimum weight but is so designed that letter and envelope are the same, the letter folding into an envelope: There is also provided a small space for the name and address of the person who is to receive the message, for the sender's name and address, and for the military censor's clearance. Nothing can be enclosed with the message and no more than three sheets will be given to a patron. Postage is the same as on ordinary mail.

Designed only for members of the armed forces, the public should not send such letters to persons who are not members of our armed forces or who do not receive their mail through an overseas military installation. The use of such mail lowers the weight Atlantic Coast - A sudden blast of mail and from such letters photosank a collier that was under U.S., graphs can be made for even more weight-saving transmission to for-





#### of New York shown in photo is the Chief of Office of War Information. The fifty-two-year-old former school teacher and radio commentator has supreme authority to deal with the

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Come to us and satisfy your Hardware and Farm Implement needs. We offer undisputed quality.



Wanted: Scrap iron. \$7.00 to \$8.00 per ton. Stratford Salvage & Wrecking Yard

Housekeeper cleaning Wanted: house and care of children. Would consider couple for garage apartment, Mrs. W. N. Price

Strayed from the Cactus plant, one bay horse, 7 years old; has 1 white hind foot, and saddle marks, weight about 1100. Notify Richard Adams, Sunray, Texas. 3tp. NOTICE TO SCHOOL

#### **BUS DRIVERS**

The Board of Trustees of Spurlock Common School District No. 4, Sherman County, will receive sealed bids for driving a school bus from the Spurlock school to the Sunray School for said district for nine months, during the 1941-42 school term. Said bids to be mailed or delivered to Judge L. P. Hunter

on or before August 21, 1942. Trucks must be privately owned but district has bus bed, and driver and bus must be able to qualify under Article 2687 School laws. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

E. W. Carter. President. Arrell Cummings, Secretary,

Elmer Hudson, Member. District No. 4 Board of Trustees.

(July 30; Aug. 6-13)

NOTICE To SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS

The Trustees of Stevens Common School District No. 8. Sherman county, Texas, will receive bids for transporting pupils on their three routes known as the North, Central and



The Golden Rule fits everywhere, or probably would if tried.



Browning Automatic Rifle, the mach- company, said Saturday. ine gun, the 27 mn gun and the 81

mn infantry mortar. A Marine's training never really ends, but watching a civilian be- in storage in his country awaiting come a Marine in 7 weeks, is to see how America will win the war.

# **Baptist Church**

(Fern A. Miller, Pastor)

Sunday School 10 a. m., L. P. Hunter, Superintendent; Morning Worship 11 a. m.; Training Union 8:00 p. m., D. R. Wilson, director; Evening Worship 9:00 p.m.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 8:30.

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO CLIFFORD HERMAN HOGAN, CLE-MENT POWELL, MARY E. POWELL, EL-SIE MAE YOUNG, a widow, GLEN S. POW-ELL and wife, LULA POWELL, EARL E. POWELL, and wife, LULA POWELL, RAY A. POWELL, CLEMENT D. POWELL, RAY A. POWELL, CLEMENT, EACH AND ALLAND, WILLIAMS, GEORGE W. CLEVELAND, ROLAND ROBBINS, S. ARCHENHOLD, M. ARCHENHOLD, C. FAULKNER, C. A. STEELE, and G. A. STEELE, and T H E HEIRS, THEIR HEIRS, and LEGAL REP-RESENTATIVES OF EACH AND ALL OF T H E DEFENDANTS ABOVE NAMED, THE DEFENDANTS ABOVE NAMED,

T H E DEFENDANTS ABOVE NAMED, GREETINGS: You are commanded to appear and ans-wer the plaintiff's petition at or before ten o'clock A. M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, same being Mon-day, the 7th day of September, 1942, be-fore the Honorable District Court of Sher-man County Taxes at the Court Honce in

man County, Texas, at the Court for Sher-man found, Texas, at the Court House in Stratford, Texas. Said suit was filed the 22nd day of July, 1942. The file number of said suit is No. 1004.

The style of the case is Helen Hogan Al-son and Raymond Allison, husband and ife, plaintiffs, vs. each and all of the the defendants above named or otherwise iden tified.

known as the North, Central and South routes, for the school year 1942-43. Sealed bids to be mailed or delivered to Judge L. P. Flunter on or before August 21, 1942. Bidder must be able to qualify un-der Article 2687 School Laws. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Board Members: Joe Hamilton, Merritt Green

alleging additionally that plaintiffs have title thereto under the three, five and ten year statutes of limitation; that the deyear statutes of limitation: that the de-fendants actually own no interest therein and any apparent interest should be remov-ed as a cloud upon plaintiffs' title; and seeking recovery of the title to and posses-sion of the lands and premises above de-scribed together with the removal of any apparent clouds upon the title of plaintiffs, damages in the sum of \$1,000.00, costs of court and general relief. Issued this the 22nd day of July, 1942. Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Stratford, Texas, this the 22nd day of July, 1942.

22nd day of July, 1942. J. R. PENDLETON, Clerk,

District Court, Sherman County, Texas. By: Lelah Boney, Deputy. (July 30; Aug. 6-13-20)

Stopping in Salt Lake City en route to Washington, D. C., Bravo said 500,000 short tons of sugar was shipment and "we are losing 5 cents per 100 pounds a month in shrinkage alone. Unless the sugar is shipped before the next grinding season we will have no place to put next year's crop.

"There is no justice in the universe. "Why so?"

"Well, night falls but it's always day that breaks."

# An Old French Cowhand Makes His Way Home

VICHY.-A French soldier who escaped from a German prison camp in Silesia said he had led a cow across most of Germany and had been mistaken by Nazi patrols as a farmhand taking the animal to pasture.

He and the bedraggled cow arrived in Amiens four weeks after he left the prison camp. He said the cow had nearly died of fatigue, and they had to rest several days in the Rhineland.

He sold the cow to an Amiens butcher.

# **Refusal of Priorities**

Halts Big Highway Job EDMONTON, ALTA.-Because the federal oil controller has refused priorities, some 60 miles of main highway surfacing which was to have been done in Alberta this summer has been suspended, probably for the duration.

While asphalt will be made available for road repair work, materials for the long-range program which the provincial government planned will not be available because of the demands on the country's fuel requirements for war purposes.

One thing folks have found out, is that when they don't have any education, they just naturally have to use their brains.

If the meek inherit the earth very soon, they will also get enough debts to keep them meek for a long. long time

The mind of man may be compared to a musical instrument with a certain range of tones, beyond which in both directions we have an infinitude of silence. John Tnydall.



PAINTS

Tractors and 26 inch one-way Plows will soon be on display in the near future. These are difficult to obtain now so plan to get yours immediately.

We suggest you cooperate with the scrap metal drive by selling old scrap about your place.



Commissioner"

(Paid Political Adv.)

THE STRATFORD STAR, STRATFORD, TEXAS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1942

# Six Million Farmers Throughout U.S. Producing World's Largest Food Crop

# War Material Vital, but Soldiers and Workers **Must Get Nourishing Food**

Uncle Sam's farm-the whole United States—will produce this year the biggest food crop in the world's history! Harvesting of this planned production for the war effort has begun and the immensity of it all is an all-time tribute to the American farmer.

Off Uncle Sam's farm assembly line every minute of every day throughout 1942 are coming something like 108,000 quarts of milk,

onca plane up there. In its wings, tail and fuselage are 650 square feet of cotton linen. Yes, Uncle Sam's farmers are turning out war crops this year. Corn and wheat, for example. Most

of it goes for feed and food, but some is used in making ethyl alcohol which in turn is employed in making explosives, synthetic rubber and other products.

Peanuts and soybeans are used to make oil which replaces other oils employed in cooking, and releases them for use in nitro-glycerine explosives. Oil from soybeans and flaxseed is used in the paint and varnish covering our ships and planes. Flax is a source of linen for parachute harnesses and rigging. Wool from our sheep makes uni-

Take that swift-winging army Aer- | guns turned out this year will be determined largely by the kind and amount of food our workers eat. The newest type planes need high

#### Milk and Shipping

In 1942 we are building 8 million tons of shipping-a tremendous amount. But the farmers of Minnesota and Iowa alone will produce more than 8 million tons of milk in 1942.

octane gas no more than our war workers need highly nutritious foods

Better Food Means More Guns. Good food, in fact, can be translated more or less directly into guns. For example, the British minister of labor has said to our agricultural



#### Washington, D. C.

WAGE STABILIZATION You can write it down that the President will use his executive powers to keep wages in check rather than ask congress for any new legislation dealing with wage stabilization.

There are two reasons for this: (1) Wage control legislation would be sure to stir up another bitter congressional controversy, as bad or worse than the brawl over farm parity prices. It might even require months to get both houses to agree on a bill satisfactory to the administration.

(2) The President believes that the policy proposed by the War Labor board's recent steel wage decisionlimiting wage increases to 15 per cent over scales prevailing on January 1, 1941-plus additional rationing of consumer goods, will be sufficient for the time being to brake inflation threats to the working man's pocketbook.

Inside fact is that the War Labor board is contemplating only one further step in its wage stabilization program, and this is not so much an anti-inflation move as a conces-sion to certain labor groups and a contribution to the prosecution of the war.

secured with half-inch screws. Wages in certain industries, including shipyards and tool-and-die plants, are above the 15 per cent increase ceiling set by the board. This raises the question-shall wages in these industries be brought down to conform with scales in other war plants which pay below the ceiling? The answer is-there will be no reduction in wages. The President has decided definitely against this.

gration of workers away from vital war plants paying below the 15 per cent ceiling, the War Labor board is planning to amend its wage policy to permit the payment of "premium wages" (above the ceiling) in such plants.

Note: One industry sure to be allowed "premium wages" is aircraft, which has lost many workmen, by piracy and migration, to higher-paying shipyards.

#### \* \* \* NEW ARMY FOOD

To save shipping space, the army is sending food overseas in dehydrated form. Experiments in tastepreserving dehydration have been carried out and tested on a group of army cooks.

At the Chicago depot of the quartermaster corps, the cooks sat down to a meal of dehydrated foods, principal item on the menu being scrambled eggs made by adding water to a yellow powder.

It has been discovered that one pound of dehydrated turnips will



BLUE AND WHITE CABINET

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UE MORNING GLORIES IN APPLIQUE DESIGN FOR CURTAINS AND TOWELS

limit to the gay color and good

cheer that you may have with

brightly painted cupboards and

towels decorated with pieces from

your scrap bag. In this bathroom

a morning glory applique design

is used for towels of two sizes

The handy towel and lotion cupboard is painted white outside and morning glory blue inside. The sides, top and bottom are screwed

together at the corners. Use half-

inch metal angles as shelf sup-

ports, or make grooves for a neat-

er job. As shown in the sketch,

the cupboard is trimmed and

made rigid with plywood scallops

NOTE: Here is news for the man with hammer and saw. Whether you have a coping saw from the dime store or an

To keep bread in the best condi-

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place.

through.

cool place.

in a warm place.

and for curtains.

DOP

EDA

expensive band saw, you may now mak cut-out scallops for any purpose desired Pattern No. 207 includes scallops fron one and a half inches to nineteen inches together with numerous illustrations o their use in home decoration. The lady with needle and thread will want pattern No. 202 with ten hot iron transfers of the Morning Glory designs. Patterns are 10 cents each. Order by number and address: address:





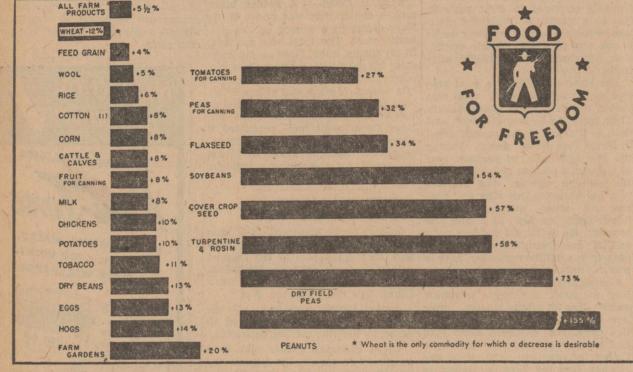


### Buy more oranges at a time - they keep

You don't have to cut down on fresh foods just because you shop less often these days. Simply buy oranges in larger amounts. They're naturally good keepers!

They give you protective vitamins and minerals you need, especially vita-min C. They satisfy your sweet tooth-save sugar. Those stamped Sunkist cooperating growers.





#### American farm goals for 1942, showing increase over 1941 production.

our fighters. Food is one essential

without which no man can fight or

Bataan Proved It.

Look at Bataan to see how

true that is. Look at Bataan to

see the importance of food. Ac-

cording to reports, mule meat

and rice were all our forces had

to eat from early February un-

til the time of ultimate surren-

2½ pounds for civilians.

work.

Think of it! EVERY MINUTE.

If you saw the U.S. navy riding majestically in a sea of milk, chances are you'd call it a night-mare. But could be! Our farmers this year are scheduled to produce 57 billion quarts of milk-more than enough' to float not only our navy but every battleship, aircraft carrier, cruiser, destroyer and submarine owned by the United States, Britain, Russia and all the other United Nations combined.

If you are good at mental pictures, maybe you can visualize 50 billion eggs. That's enough eggs to make a line reaching seven times from the earth to the moon.

Or 221/2 billion pounds. of meatnough to pave seven four-lane highways an inch thick from New York to San Francisco-seven of them. Or 91 million acres of corn-an area one-fifth larger than Italy and Sicily combined. But why all this production of food and fiber? It isn't a part of our victory plan to drown the Nazis in milk or to bombard the Japs with eggs and potatoes.

45,000 pounds of potatoes, 73,000 forms for soldiers and clothes for officials: "Give us the meat, eggs, and clothes for officials: "Give us the meat, eggs, and cheese, and we'll increase prohelmets, and boots are lined with duction 15 to 20 per cent.' shearling sheep skins. In fact, the

Again, an appalling loss of pro-duction is suffered annually through sickness of workers. In 1941 more average soldier uses 100 pounds of wool a year, against an average of than 20 times as many man-days were lost by sickness as by strikes. But vital as are these materials for The most common sickness is the our weapons of war, they are much ordinary cold, and the best prevenless important than the food, which tive for it is a good diet. nourishes our workers and sustains

So, it's the job of our farmers to keep our men fit-as fit as our machines. It's their job to provide the vitamin A which helps fliers see at night; the vitamin B which helps curb sea-sickness, nervousness and digestive troubles; the vitamin, C which wards off scurvy, bad teeth, irritability, listlessness and plagues which in the World war took a big-ger toll of lives than bombs, bul-

Instead, to prevent piracy and mi-

#### Farmers Build Planes and Ships.

Well, food and fiber are not merely so many bags of wheat and so many bales of cotton. They are Flying Fortresses and big battleships, like the Washington and the North Carolina; and aircraft carriers, like the Wasp; and General Grant tanks; and workers in the factories and brave men at the front. Those are the crops our farmers are harvesting this year in 3,022 counties of the United States.

der. We just couldn't get through to them with enough pork and beef to do them any good. And what happened? Our last counter-attack failed, not because of bullets or bombs, but because of sheer exhaustion. A shortage of food and sleep had drained out almost the last dregs of vitality. Bataan fell only after its defenders no longer had the physical strength to stand.

That time, food worked for the enemy. Given the shipping, six million American farmers are determined that from now on food shall work for us. They know that today a tractor used in production of food is just as important as a tank on the battlefield. They know that what they do on their farms is important. The number of planes, tanks and lets, shells and gas combined.

Yes, vitamins and good food are war weapons. But to get themand especially to get the right amounts of the right things—is a colossal task.

That is why goals are just as necessary for agriculture as they are for plane or tank manufacturers. We want a specific number of fortresses, or medium bombers, or pursuit ships, or training planes.

So, too, in agriculture, we want a specific amount of pork, of beef, of milk, and all other farm products. Fortunately, our farmers are ready for the job. Eight months before Pearl Harbor they began turning out war products requested by the British for lend-lease shipment. Three months before Pearl Harbor, farmers were fully organized on a war-time basis.

#### Farm Production Is Planned **Production.**

On April 3, 1941, Secretary of Agriculture Wickard called for a big expansion in the products which the has revealed that the over-all British had just made known they would need under lend-lease: evaporated and dry skim milk, cheese, eggs and pork. And our farmers set out to see that neither our own folks nor the British would run short.

During the summer of 1941—still several months before Pearl Harbor-the department of agriculture went to work on a plan to get war production goals for all farm products. The production goal idea had been used for years by Triple-A on basic crops, but it was a new departure to apply it to all farm products. It meant estimating our own needs, those of our Allies, the allowances necessary for food reserves, and finally the ability of farmers to produce. It meant breaking down the national goals into state, county, and finally into individual farm goals. It meant the contacting of practically every producer by a Triple-A farmer committeeman.

Size of this undertaking is almost beyond comprehension. The six million farm plants in the United States are more than twice as many as all the other business establishments in the country - factories, mines, oil stations, country stores, city retail shops. To get six million farmers co-operating in war production is by far the biggest job of subcontracting of the entire war. But it has been done-and the United States is the only nation that has gone into this war with plenty of food ammunition.

serve 28 persons, after water is added. \* \*

**BEHIND THE AIR CORPS** This war will be won or lost in the air. But despite that fact the air forces will win or lose the war on the ground. In other words, the success of operations in the air depends on ground crews, who outnumber air crews ten to one.

Featured in the headlines and the newsreels every day are the pilots and machine gunners. But the uning Camel cartons to send anysung heroes of this war are the where to men in the armed forces. ground crews. -Adv.

Real fact is that it takes only one man to pilot a fighter plane, but it takes eight or ten maintenance men to keep it in shape to fight. A fourengine bomber requires a flying crew of nine, and a maintenance crew of 25. Often a ground crew will be assigned exclusively to one plane, and will become attached to it with the affection a stable boy has for a race horse.

Chief of Staff General Marshall strength of the air force is expected to reach 1,000,000 men by the end of 1942, and 2,000,000 by the end of next year. If the war is won in 1943, it will be won by these 2,000,000 men. But 1,800,000 of them will be "fighting" on the ground.

They are the overall-boys, the grease monkeys, the men who spend all day overhauling an engine which has been flying all night, the men who know what heat is like in the deserts of Africa, because they don't get up in the air for relief, as do the pilots.

#### **OVERSEAS CANDY**

The quartermaster corps is in the market to buy 2,500,000 pounds of hard candy: peppermint, orange, lemon, lime, anise, and cherry. The hard candy is being bought for overseas troops, as part of the regular field ration. Official explanation is that candy is an excellent source of energy.

**AFRICAN CAMEL CREWS** 

They are the mechanics, the armorers, the metal workers, the welders-yes, and they are the pick and shovel men who build the landing fields in foreign posts, and repair them after enemy bombers have passed over. They are also the cooks and the mess boys, the pay masters, the doctors, and the truck drivers. In short, they are the men who perform every duty that keeps a plane in the air.

They do everything except replace the African camels.

From an old French word "mes" derived from the Latin word "missus" meaning a course at a meal, comes the Army's name "mess" for its breakfast, dinner, and supper. Favorite meal with the soldier is chicken dinner -his favorite cigarette, Camel. (Based on actual sales records from Post Exchanges.) A carton of Camels, by the way, is the gift he prefers first of all from the folks back home. He's said so. Local tobacco dealers are featur-

dependable brand of juicy, richflavored Californía oranges. Look for the trademark on skin or wrap.





#### HE'S A **"SELF-STARTER"**



JOHNNY STEGER. famous sports photographer, leads a hectic life chasing action shots all over the country. He says, 'Night and day I'm on the go. And I've found that one way to help stay on my toes from early morning to noon is to eat a good breakfast. I like a big bowl of Kellogg's Corn Flakes with fruit and milk. Tastes swell and what a Self-Starter!"



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Threshing wheat in Bartholomew county, Indiana. This picture was taken on the Perry Thompson farm at the height of activities.

# Triple-A Committeemen Enlist Farm Cooperation

exploding on Hickam Field and spreading ruin over Hawaii and the Most of the goals were set higher Philippines, Triple-A committeemen were covering the country enlisting farmer co-operation-voluntary cooperation.

There were shortages to contend with-shortages of labor, shortages of machinery and equipment, shortages of burlap, baling wire, and dozens of other supplies. The state and county war boards have worked pleasure cars and luxury gadgets.

Even while Japanese bombs were | with every available agency to keep

Most of the goals were set higher than production had ever been before. Only a few were lower. Wheat, for example, was down 12 per cent from the 1941 level because there was already a two-year supply of wheat on hand. We couldn't afford to use land, labor, and materials for a crop that isn't needed, any more than we can now afford to build THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1942

THE STRATFORD STAR. STRATFORD. TEXAS

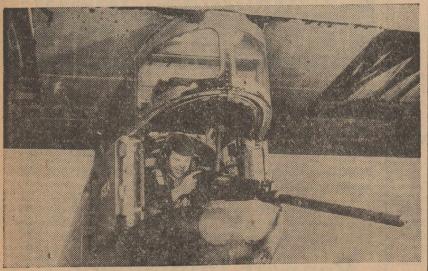
Off to Court

A Corner of Egypt's Battlefield



Gunners of the British Imperials are shown placing their anti-aircraft guns where they will do the most harm to Axis fliers in the battle for Egypt. They are digging in along one of the supply routes on which trucks may be seen speeding in the background. These lines, near Cairo, are the favorite targets of enemy aircraft.

Protection for the Ferry Command



Sergt. Jack Early of New Orleans, assistant radio operator and tail gunner, is shown in the rear turret of his U. S. ferry command "Liberator" plane in England. The ferry command has been delivering planes to England since the start of the war and has, in many ways, been responsible for the bombing of large German cities.



Tin Goes to War



Pattern No. 8199 is made in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 40. Size 14 dress and jacket requires 6¼ yards 39-inch material. seems to be wearing. For individual style excitement the long torso top of this model is banded with ribbon-here you can effect a plain color contrast with a printed ma-THE short cut to glamour these terial-or a plaid, striped or printed contrast with a plain fabric.

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It is generally conceded that HOUSEWIVES:  $\star \star \star$ women are the fair sex. But does

**TURN 'EM IN!** 



1. Does February ever have five Sundays?

2. To what political party did George Washington belong? 3. Does a beam of light from the

sun travel equally as fast as a beam of light from a candle?

4. What had the following wom-en in common—Lot's wife, Blue-beard's wife and Adam's wife? 5. How many Pilgrim Fathers landed from the Mayflower? 6. What capital city of what

6. What capital city of what country has had three names all

within this century? 7. What is the date of the year following 1 B. C.?

8. What is a shaddock?

9. How many countries does the Iberian peninsula contain?

#### The Answers

1. Yes. It will again have five in 1948 and 1976.

2. The Federalist party. 3. They travel at the same

speed. 4. Curiosity about forbidden matters led to disastrous conse-

quences. 5. One hundred two.

6. St. Petersburg, Petrograd and Leningrad, in Russia.

7. 1 A. D. 8. A pear-shaped citrus fruit.
 9. Two, Spain and Portugal.

Soothe and cool away heat AT rash and help prevent it-dust all over with Mexican Heat Powder—use after your bath. Costs little.

#### **Grief Remembers**

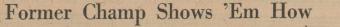
He who is pleased, forgets his cause of pleasure; he who is grieved remembers his cause of grief.—Latin Proverb.



Every mother in the land will want to bake these scrumptious cookies. Chil-dren will demolish a plate of them in a wink. Grown-ups rave about their "different" taste and new crunchy tex-ture. They're made, of course, with the famous cereal, Kellogg's All-Bran.

KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN FUDGE SQUARES 3 squares un-sweetened % cup flour chocolate ½ cup All-Bran ½ cup butter ½ cup nutmeats 2 eggs 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Melt chocolate over hot water and add butter. Beat eggs well, add sugar and beat until light and fluffy. Add melted chocolate and butter. Stir in flour,



Among the 900 plebes now at West Point is John Doolittle, son of Brig. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle, who led the bombing raid on Tokyo. Cadet Doolittle is toting a light machine gun during field training session.



days is to add a dirndl frock to your wardrobe. Today's pattern brings you the very style everyone

and an advard how **One Good Reason** 



Lieut. W. H. Dempsey helps to toughen coastguardsmen at the coast guard training school at Manhattan Beach, N. Y. Here the former heavy-weight champion is shown flashing some nifty footwork as an "unarmed foe" tried to grab his gun. Dempsey is athletic officer at the training school.

Army, Navy Officials at White House



Left to right: Adm. Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the U. S. fleet and chief of naval operations; Adm. William D. Leahy, chief of staff for President Roosevelt, newly appointed; and Gen. George Marshall, chief of staff of the U. S. army, shown as they arrived at the White If nominated, she will oppose Jos-Hayes for a conference with the President.

Mrs. Ernest Lundeen, widow of the late Senator Lundeen of Minnesota, has filed for the senate seat left vacant by her husband's death. eph H. Ball.

on a gondola car to be shipped to

factories for remelting. Housewives

throughout the nation have joined in

the tin salvage program, sponsored by the WPB.

Senate Candidate

that imply that the men are unfair?

"I never see your husband looking at another woman." "No, George is devoted to me.

Besides, he's so nearsighted.'

Ribbon Banded.

That Sort of Fellow "Is that man annoyed with you? I notice he didn't return your greeting.' "Oh, he lives next door to me. He never returns anything."

And Then Some "I always believe in weighing my words before speaking," said

Mrs. Hopkins. "And you don't give short weight, either," replied her husband.

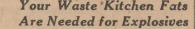
#### That Kind

"In my time I've had a dozen men at my feet," she boasted. "Chiropodists?" inquired her friend.

#### One Called For

A blushing young woman handed the telegraph clerk a telegram containing only a name, address and one word— "Yes." Wishing to be helpful, the clerk said:

"You know, you can send five more words for the same price." "I know I can," replied the young woman, "but don't you think I'd look too eager if I said it six times?"



voring. Pour into greased pan, making a layer about one-third inch thick. Bake in moderate oven (375°F.) about 20 minutes. Yield: Sixteen 2-inch squares (8 x 8 inch pan). ×

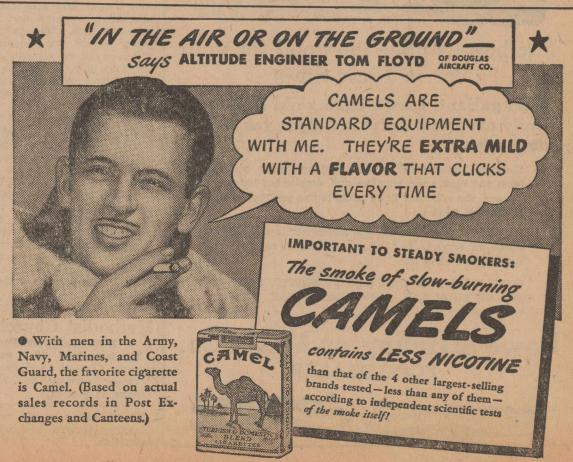


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# War Effort Tied Up In Tire Puzzle

ican cars will have to leave the na- ing driving. Car-pooling, the sharetion's highways by next December a-ride plan, is another. because of lack of rubber, the Office of War Information estimates; and out which may provide as many as a total of 13,000,000 will be immobi- 1,500,000 "effective" cars to be calllized by next June. The OWI, in ed into the nation's transportation the brief story below, tells what this service when the emergency becomes means to the U.S. war effort.

Every tick of the clock brings America closer to the moment when it will not have enough cars left in running condition to keep the country up to the transportation demands of a total, world-wide war.

Even if national pooling of tires gives the highest results expected of the scheme, authorities estimate that without the most careful conservation of tires the 28,000,000 automobiles with which America started this first year of war will be re-) duced to 22,000,000 by December, to 15,000,000 next June, 10,000,000 in December, 1943, and that a mere 4,000,000 will be running in June, 1944.

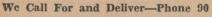
From the standpoint of war production, that will be as great a disaster as the loss of three-quarters of the fleet would be from the standpoint of national defense.

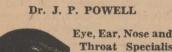
There are, however, many ways by which that day may be staved

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Here More Often?

Apart from tire-pooling, there is tire conservation, enforced by in-Editor's Note: Six million Amer- dividual efforts at slow, rubber-sav-

> Another plan is now being worked acute.

This is the number which, it is estimated, could be spared from the 10,-000.000 automobiles owned and driven in the rural areas of the country.

On farms where both a passenger car and truck are used, the truck can be used for doubled-up service. Where two or more cars have been used by a single farm family or farm unit, one can be made to serve. And a third alternative is to increase mileage Dobbin and Charlie and the farm wagon.

Dobbin and Charlie may be slow, but they may help pull America through.

# Western Cowboys Guard

### Army Ordnance Depot

PUEBLO, COLO .- Western cowboys are riding herd on something far more valuable than steers these days on the plains near Pueblo. They are serving as mounted guards at the huge army ordnance

depot near here and Maj. Harold Horse, of Kansas City, who at 29 is the youngest ordnance depot commander in the nation, says they are far more satisfactory than automobile patrolmen.

Besides their greater maneuverability, the cowboy guards can patrol the miles of arroyo-etched prairie without using precious tires or

gasoline The Pueblo cowboy guards, officials say, are the first ever used to guard a modern war plant. The bronzed guards wear old-fashioned six-shooters strapped to their hips and carry lassos on their sad-

dles. They say they are ready for anything-but so far they have not run up against anything tougher prairie rattlesnakes. They than shoot them just for practice.

## NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS INSEPARABLE

FROM LOCAL WELFARE Both here and in England millions would be enormous. of people seem to consider themselves completely qualified experts on military tactics and strategy. They know precisely what is wrong with the United Nations' High Commands, and they are convinced that they could remedy matters in short defenders with a vast superiority in order if they were put in charge. firepower. Writing in Collier's Quen-That widespread attitude underlies tin Reynolds, one of the best informthe aggressive demand that the ed of war correspondents. draws a British and the Americans immedivivid and probably accurate picture ately open a second front in when he says: "Let those who shout Europe loudest for the immediate establish-

In theory, the second front would be of immense, benefit to the Allied ment of a second front in France cause. It would divert men and machines and supplies from Hitler's Rus- cost, in equipment and life. Let sian and African offensives. It

# The Stratford Star

CHINESE HEROES AND JAP PRISONERS



China-From the scenes of the ed defeat on Japs in North Hunan current wars come these photographs battle. The lower photograph shows At top a Chinese officer salutes he- some of the 2,000 Japanese prisoners roic wounded Chinese after the un- who were captured by the Chinese derarmed Chinese forces had inflict- troops at Changsha.

of enemy-held territory is the most

difficult of all martial operations-

even after their complete victory at

Dunkirk, when British military pow-

er was all but destroyed, the Nazi

generals didn't feel confident enough

of success to make the attempt. The

enemy positions must be "softened"

first by days and perhaps weeks of

artillery fire-and guns do not ex-

ist which can adequately shell the

Germans positions from the British

side of the Channel. As a substitute

visualize for a momemnt the

them visualize the waters of the

white moon, and let them visualize

the bodies of thousands of British

waters. If the persuasive eloquence

of the second- front brigade is fol-.

front is impossible. To the con-

trary, every really informed military

lowed, no other result s possible."

lowed, no other result is possible."

and again, an over-water invasion Christian Church L. B. Chaffin, Minister

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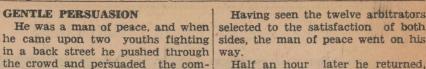
Choir practice Wednesday 9 p.m. Women's Council, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 3 p. m.

for artillery, dive bombers would NOTICE OF COUNTY BUDGET HEARING have to be used—and their losses

Notice of a public hearing on the The losses in men which would budget of Sherman County for the follow when the stage of landing year 1943, as prepared by the Counoperations was reached, is also stagty Judge, will be heard by the Comgering. Without artillery support, missioners' Court at the Courthouse the landing troops would have to in Stratford, Texas, Saturday, Aug. advance against completely shielded 2, at 2:30 p. m.

J. R. PENDLETON, County Clerk, Sherman County, Texas. August 13-20

All the people who act foolish, aren't acting.



Having seen the twelve arbitrators

Thursday, Aug. 13, 1942

Half an hour later he returned, and was horrified to find the whole

"Let me beg you, my good fel-lows," he said, "to settle your dis-"Good gracio "Good gracious, what's the matter pute by arbitration. Each of you now?" he asked. choose half-a-dozen friends to ar-"Sure, sorr," was the reply, "the

arbitrators are at work."



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France their opportunity to rise up against their conqueror and help destroy him. It would mark the start and American soldiers floating in of a real effort to break Axis power at home-where Axis power must eventually be broken.

So much for theory. In actual fact, opening the second front now would be one of the most hazardous operations in all military history. Accord- man is convinced that one will be ing to all reports, the Germans have opened in time. But it cannot be done wonders in fortifying their continental positions.. In France alone, they have about 300,000 seasoned troops which have been rigorously

As military history proves again

opened until everything is ready. That means that, first there must be many bombings of Germany and the Continent on the Cologne scale. trained in preparation for an Allied It means that Allied troops must be given more and better equipment invasion. These troops have abunthan they now possess. And it means that ways must be found of causing Their supply lines are secure, and distracting trouble for Germany at they lie across land, not across home.

would give the conquered people of Channel running blood red under a

Some experts believe that airgigantic amount of heavy artillery, power alone may create a second much of it taken from the Maginot front. They look forward to a time Line, along the French Coast, and when three, four, five thousand maevery possible invasion point is a jor bombers will be used nightly in

raids against the Axis. Major de Seversky is the most eloquent exponent of this doctrine and his recent best seller, "Victory Through Air Power" is a convincing work. The problems involved here are those of production, supply and coordination-and the last two are even more important than the first. We are producing planes on an ever-increasing scale. We have not yet solved the difficulties that lie in taking them, their fuel, their crews and their parts to the battlefronts and keeping them flying.

In any event, many of those who demand a second front at once are terribly uninformed. The High Command has not opened a second front simply because it knows that the time is not yet ripe—and because it also knows that the United Nations must not be subjected to another defeat of the Dunkirk, Singapore. Philippines, and East Indies variety. A great amount of groundwork lies ahead before we can really start a sustained offensive drive of any any kind against either Germany or Japan.

## Methodist Church

J. B. Thompson, Pastor Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. to 11:45. Vesper services 7 p.m. Junior League at 8 p.m.

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Binding Rings	Adding Mach. Paper, Per roll -	1
150 Page Ledgers Each 25	Legal Size Paper Per 100 Sheets	45
Single Entry, Double Entry, Cash and Record Books	MEMO PADS SPIRAL, EACH	. 5
Shipping Tags No. 4 per 100 25	Kraft Envelopes Legal Size, Each	5
THOR BRADS Box of 15 5	Shorthand Tablets	10
Shipping Tags No. 6 Per 100 35	Parcel Post Labels	10
Marking Pencils For Glass or Metal, each 25	Money Receipts	IC
Marking Pencil Leads 15 Box of 6 leads	TIME BOOKS	10
Adding Machine Ribbons 75	BULLDOG CLIPS	5
Typewriter Ribbons 60	Scripto Pencil Leads LONG LEADS	10
Card Punches _ 25	Red Thin Leads PER BOX	10
Correspondence Cards	No. 4 Hard Leads	10
Stamp Pad Ink	Typewriter Erasers EACH	10
Stamp Pads	Typewriter Tablets 100 SHEETS	15
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