### Schools Opened On September 1st With Big Enrolment

School days began again Tuesday for Stratford school children.

Figures of the first day's enrolment showed a total of 89 pupils in the high school and 235 in the grade school, an increase over last year due to new families moving into

After morning enrolment and giving lists of supplies and books to pupils, school dismissed to reconvene Wednesday morning for regular

There are still two vacancies present in the faculty. Until regular teachers can be hired for the places two substitutes have consented to act. Mrs. Grady Pearson is teaching the sixth grade. Mrs. L. B. Chaffin,

A new instructor this fall is Mrs. Roxie Campbell, who is teaching science and math in the high school.

The school bus situation is still something of a problem. However, Judge L. P. Hunter, county superintendent of schools, hopes to have all bus routes completed and drivers hired within a very short time.

### CCC Plans To Make Wheat Feed Plentiful

Farmers in any Texas county can obtain feed wheat this year.

Feed wheat will be distributed dirman, Texas USDA War Board, an-

Producers may have wheat delivered at their customary shipping point upon proper certification that ON PREPARING KITS it will be used for feeding livestock and poultry.

for corn, have been released for feeding purposes.

### Mary Ellen Bowen Dies Early Tuesday

Mrs. C. R. Bonar and Mrs. George was 77 years old at the time of death. viduals or clubs fill them.

Born November 17th, 1864, Mrs. Woodward, Oklahoma, Mrs. Sarah E. rangements for one will probably be Lee of Lubbock, Texas, Thomas W. Wichita, Kansas, Mrs. Bonar and Farmers Attending Bowen, Dumas, John H. Bowen, Mrs. Skillin. Her sister, Mrs. Wm. Meeting In Dumas V. Burgess, resides at Supply, Okla.

Funeral services were held at 3 Thompson officiating.

### LITTLE DANGER SEEN OF GRASSHOPPER MENACE

Following a survey made of county Guymon, reports that there is little Bralley, county agent, has announced.

of grasshoppers, has disappeared, is featured speaker for the program. and any damage which occurs will be on a small scale in widely separated localities.

Poison to deal with the grasshoppers is an hand in the county, and can be obtained by anyone desiring it. It is well that the poison is on hand, Mr. Bralley stated, because it will be ready for an emergency and can be on hand for next year.

### CONTRACTS GIVEN CO. MEN

Contracts for painting the wheat bins being erected in Sherman county have been let to Carl Reynolds, Texhoma, and Ralph Harding, Strat-

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton.

Turkey Red and Chief-Kan seed wheat for sale. Stratford Grain Co. 

### CURRENT PROGRAM AT THE ROXY

Tonight, "JUKE GIRL" starring Ann Sheridan and Ronald Regan.

Friday and Saturday, "GRAND CENTRAL MURDER" with Van Heflin and Cecelia Parker.

Sunday and Monday, "MY GAL SAL" starring Rita Hayworth and Victor Mature.

Tuesday, "SILVER STALLION" with David Sharpe and Leroy Ma-

Sept. 9-10, "BLONDIES BLESSED EVENT" starring Arthur Lake, Penny Singleton and Baby Dump-

### Bishop John Moore To Speak Here



BISHOP JOHN M. MOORE

Just one month from this week the local Methodist church announces a week of revival services in which the guest preacher will be Bishop John M. Moore of Dallas.

Rev. Thompson, pastor of the local faction that the Bishop has been Beginning at 2 p. m., a meeting will secured for this engagement. He is, churches of Texhoma and Stratford, seases and feeding. Raisers, feed where he will preach one week at dealers and hatchery men are in- will reflect a sharp downward trend, each place. It is the desire of both ectly by the Commodity Credit Cor- pastors that all of the people of have sick chickens or turkeys may rubber quota. poration or through the regular these communities avail themselves bring them for diagnosis by Dr. channels of trade, B. F. Vance, chair- of this unusual privilege, and hear W. A. Boney, veterinarian, who will o ver unfilled applications from Bishop Moore as many times during be present. Also appearing on the month to month", Mr. McGee said. his stay as possible

### RED CROSS SEEKS HELP

Local clubwomen, missionary societies or other groups interested in Through recent Congressional ac- special projects for their work this tion, 125,000,000 bushels of CCC fall are asked to see Mrs. Shuler wheat at 85 percent of parity price Donelson, volunteer Red Cross chairman for the county, concerning the preparation of kits which are given King, 33, of Clayton, New Mexico to every soldier leaving on foreign

The kits, Mrs. Donelson said, contain cards, cigarettes, a novel and Day Rodeo program in Dalhart Sun-Mrs. Mary Ellen Bowen, mother of mending kits. The Red Cross has day afternoon, Sept. 6, at 2:00. made arrangements for purchasing Skillin, died unexpectedly early on of articles for the kits wholesale and the morning of Tuesday, September tax free. They provide the tape and 1st, in the home of Mrs. Bonar. She material for wrapping the kits. Indi-

Mrs. Donelson reports that local Bonar was married on February 26, women working with the Red Cross luck and missed his last calf. 1889 to Wm. H. Bowen. They moved have 40 sweaters completed. Interest to Stratford in 1925. She is survived has been expressed in having a home by six children and a sister. Her nursing course given this fall under children are Mrs. C. W. Highley of direction of the Red Cross, and ar-

Farmers from Sherman county p. m. Wednesday with Rev. J. B. are among the group attending a meeting today (Thursday) at Dumas under the sponsorship of the Farm Bureau.

The conference is designed for the purpose of informing farmers from areas, P. N. Betson, entomologist of five counties in this area of legisdanger of grasshoppers becoming a affecting agriculture and is one of a danger in the coming season, Art series of sub-district meeting scheduled for the Panhandle. R. G. Arnold, organization director of the The Mexicanus, most destructive American Farm Bureau Federation

### CEILING PRICES ON MEAT ARE CONFUSED

livestock and the marking of numerous ceiling prices on livestock prodwide degree of unfairness in various destroy it. wholesale and retail meat markets, government officials announced last

Ceilings are placed on different grades of meat and by calling "good" meat "choice", a higher price can be obtained for it. Some wholesalers and retailers have also created new grades not common before ceiling prices went into effect, and conse-Miss Grace Sutton of Amarillo quently no fixed prices are present COUNTY FAIR PLANS TO spent the weekend with her parents, for them. And several wholesalers BE DISCUSSED SATURDAY are selling price-controlled meat only if meat not under ceiling is also purchased. No regulation to take care of this discrimination is as yet in effect.

### SILO EXPERT TO ARRIVE IN COUNTY SEPT. 11TH

Sherman county on Friday, Sept. 11th, to consult with farmers on

their silo problems. While here he will consult with farmers and inspect trench silos INSTRUCTOR AT LUBBOCK which have been erected, Art Bralley, county agent, said.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends for their loyal support at the polls in ford highschool and from Texas last Thursday. the run-off election. Their votes Tech. He has been employed in sevwere deeply appreciated, and I will eral textile mills and has worked in fulfill the duties of the office to Waco. which I was elected to the best of my ability.

FLOYD KEENER.

### **Draft Registrants** Must Inform Board Change In Status

Draft board registrants must keep the local board informed of any

This announcement followed discovery of the fact that men who because of the quota shortage. have registered and are classified the birth of a child, which changes puts them in a different classifi-

A great deal of trouble both to the registrant and the draft board can be avoided if this is done.

### Program For Poultry Clinic Is Completed

Plans for the poultry clinic to be held in Stratford next Thursday were completed this week by Art Bralley. county agent, and Mabel Martin, home demonstration agent.

The clinic will begin at 10 a. m. when groups will leave the court house to make field trips to various church is enthusiastic in his satis- poultry farms and hatchers nearby. be held in the court room for the being brought to this section by the purpose of discussing poultry divited to attend. Poultry owners who program will be George McCarthy, extension service.

### Rodeo Planned for Dalhart Next Sunday; Roping Contest

Dalhart, Texas, Sept. 1-J. C. and Pat Lewis, 27, of House, New Mexico, will meet in a \$2,000 roping match that will headline a Labor

.The men will be renewing an old rivalry and Lewis, in addition, will be defending his unbroken ten-year string of victories. They roped in Clayton last year and were only seconds apart till King had hard

In Dalhart Sunday, each will rope and tie ten wild Mexican calves.

A bronc peeling match, junior steer riding event, and a contest roping open to cowboys in this tristate area as well as to turtle association members will round out the

### **Treatment For Smut** On Seed Is Advised

College Station—Seed treatment is a safeguard against ravages of smut in winter grain crops, according to E. A. Miller, agronomist, and although much progress has been lative and administrative decree made in controlling stinking smut, by chemical treatment loose smut cannot be controlled by this method because the fungus is carried inside

Spores of loose smut are distributed about the time healthy wheat is in the flowers germinate and grow into the young kernels. Infected Failure to place price ceilings on kernels when mature cannot be distinguished from healthy ones, but when planted the smut fungus Martin ucts has resulted in confusion and a threads grow up with the plant and

The hot water treatment is an effective control, but requires a vat or similar container where gas or steam is available to control the temperature. A mixture of one pint of commercial formaldehyde with from 10 to 40 gallons of water at a tempera- ing Board. ture of 60 to 708 degrees may also be used.

There will be a joint meeting of packages. the county Victory Council with the GRAVES VISIT HERE USDA war board on Saturday, September 5th, in the district court

According to Art Bralley, county agent, plans for a county fair will be E. R. Eudaley, trench silo expert discussed, together with poultry imfrom A. and M. College, will be in provement, eradication campaign, campaign, and other topics of interest.

### ARTHUR FOSTER TO BE

Arthur Foster, nephew of Mrs. C. SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT R. Foster, has been chosen as an instructor in the textile department at Texas Tech College, Lubbock.

Mr. Foster graduated from Strat-

wheat for sale. Stratford Grain Co. is invited.

### September Tire And **Tube Quotas Have** Been Deeply Reduced

Mark McGee, state director of the War Price and Rationing Board, changes in their family status which last week re-emphasized the fact that might affect classification, Mrs. all motorists must intensify tire con-Ruby Palmer, secretary, announced servation, and that many persns on the eligible list for tires and retreads are going to be disappointed

"Both truck and passenger car tire have failed to report such things as allotments have been reduced sharply for September," Mr. McGee extheir place on the board's list, and plained, "and we're obliged to make these reduced quotas serve only the most essential needs.'

He pointed out that these reductions come at a time when all vehicles, especially trucks, are working overtime to meet the heavy demand for the fall movement of farm crops, and for wartime construction and industrial production.

"The result will be that our Board will have to apply the eligibility preference yardstick with even more severity," he said. "The shoe will pinch in many cases but we hope everyone will take these decisions with a wartime spirit of patriotism, and know that we are trying to do our duty honestly and impartially in

a national emergency. The State Office of Price Adminis tration headquarters has advised the Sherman county rationing board that from now on monthly quotas in order to stay within the year's

"It is no longer possible to carry "There will not be sufficient quotas specialist with the A. and M. College in future months to relieve such carryovers. We must now eliminate all applications that are not essential to the war effort and to the public health and safety.'

Tire and tube certificates were issued to the following for the week ending August 29, are listed below.

Texhoma-C. B. Dodson, 3 recaps Stratford-O. H. Ingham, 1 recap for pickup; C. F. Kauffman, 2 recaps for pickup; Vernon Morris, 4 recaps for pickup; W. A. Bryant, 1 plow tire recapped; Eustace Carlton, 2 recaps (defense worker); Bennie Brown, 4 recaps (defense worker) New tires & Tubes, Stratford-J. G. Cummings, 1 pickup tire and tube; W. J. Trainham, 1 pickup tire and tube; E. W. Butler, 1 pickup tire and tube; Hose Flores, 2 pickup tires; J. H. Martin, 1 pickup tire and tube; Cline Gilbert, 1 pickup tire & tube; F. A. Judd Ranch Co., 2 pickup tires W. F. Wiginton, 1 pickup tire.

### tires and tubes. 125 Attend County Picnic On Saturday

About 125 residents of Sherman county attended the county-wide picnic held last Saturday evening on the court house lawn.

Fried chicken and choice cakes were the most popular items on a varied menu.

In the rolling pin throwing contest, Mrs. Emil Blanck and Mrs. Shuler Donelson were the winners. A foot race between men dressed in women's clothes and women dressed as men resulted in victory for the men. A child-calling contest bein bloom, he said, and these lodging tween men and women was won by the women.

The picnic was held under the sponsorship of county home demonstration clubs lead by Miss Mabel

### FIVE POUNDS OF SUGAR GIVEN ON STAMP NO. 8

Until October 31st War Ration Stamp No. 8 can be used for the purchase of five pounds of sugar, according to Mark McGee, state director of the War Price and Ration-

Mr. McGee said the allotment of five pounds on Stamp No. 8 will permit household users to buy sugar in larger packages, and it also will help to dispose of five, ten and 25-pound

### FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graves and RANCH CHANGES HANDS son, Donald, were here the latter part of last week visiting with friends, and looking after business interests. Mr. Graves is a former publisher of the Star, but has been located near Pomona, California for by Horace E. and Guy C. Saunders, some time where he is publishing a brothers. weekly paper.

### FOURTH SOFTBALL GAME

The Dalhart softball team will return with renewed energy for another game tonight after inflicting a defeat upon the Stratford group

At present, the games have left Stratford as a two-time victor and are played on the high school field,

### Federal Rent Control In Defense Area Administered From the Amarillo District

covers all houses, apartments, trail- without the consent of the area rent er houses, tourist courts, rooming director if the tenant pays the maxihouses, hotels and any similar places | mum legal rent. either rented or offered for rent.

cluded in the Dalhart-Dumas-Sun- work on the farm are subject also

ray rental area.

Instead of operating the area sephas been decided in Washington to to September 1 for a period extendmake the area a part of the Amarillo ing beyond that time. defense rental area. In addition to these five counties, the Amarillo area only to the first payment on and af-Randall counties, where control was paid \$40 for rental of an aparteffective August 1.

ney-director at Amarillo will be the rent regulations for the 20 days exattorney-director for the seven coun- tending beyond the date when rent ties. In the near future, however, the Office of Price Administration plans to establish a sub-area rent control office in Dalhart.

Unless the property has been subed from ordinary maintenance and arillo. repair, the rent should be the same September 1 as that of the freeze date, March 1, 1942, which was designated by the Office of Price Ad- no more rent and the landlord shall ministration as the maximum rent accept no more than was being paid date for this area.

been first rented since March 1, the in the areas where rent control goes maximum legal rent should be the into effect September 1.

### Santa Fe Line Is Discontinued

Clayton, N. M.—Service over the state Commerce Commission here Agricultural Marketing Administra-Monday.

Chambers of Commerce in the effected areas have fought the pro- ceived increased food purchasing posed abandonment, but the com- power in the form of blue food pany has announced that the govern- stamps each month since the proment has already requisitioned all gram began. "Farm products often track and bridge material on the come to market in season and out in line for war use.

Examiner Jerome K. Kyle, was to commodities by consumers was not determine if the line is a public con- increased, "Mr. Boyd explained. "The and tubes; Pronger Bros., 1 pickup Fe asked ICC for authority to aban- about this increased use." tire; F. D. Brannan, 1 pickup tire; don the line. In answer to questions by counsel opposing the abandon- to change by the department of agriment Examiner Lyle explained that culture each month, it was pointed Sunray-L. N. Lanners, 4 pickup the government's action in taking out. Therefore, the commodities for up the track did not affect the mat- which farmers need added markets ter of public convenience and neces- can be included on the list at all sity and that the hearing was con- times. ducted simply to determine that question

More than 100 persons were present, including witnesses for the railway, interested livestock men and business men, as well as representatives of the New Mexico and Oklahoma State Corporation Commissions. United States Senators Carl Hatch and Dennis Chavez were interested spectators. Jefferis testified that the line was unprofitable and continued operation was burden- Flag Is Raised Over motives and equipment badly needed New Ordnance Plant some. He said that manpower, locoto serve the country or industries

have claimed the line is necessary ing several Stratford people. and essential and lack of it will cause inconvenience to residents of the section.

### GORES ARE INJURED

IN AUTO ACCIDENT Worth Gore and four sons were evening of Wednesday, August 26th.

Their car collided with a tractor about 8 p. m. and the Gores were One, a recorded speech by General L. taken to Loretto hospital in Dalhart. H. Campbell Jr., Chief of Ordnance, Billy Wayne Gore suffered a broken said "Together, we are all looking left arm and Jerry Gore, a broken forward to two more flag-raising collar bone. The others received cuts ceremonies. One will be in Berlin; and serious bruises for which they the other will be in Tokyo. The flags are being treated.

### HUGE CIMARRON

A big land deal has been consummated in Cimarron county with Carrol Purvines. R. F. Surratt, and Lewis E. Williams, of Carson county Texas, purchasing the ranch owned CIVILIAN WAR WORKERS

The ranch comprises 15,405 acres adjoins Union county, New Mexico, on the west. Ernest Wright has been the ranch manager for the Saunders brothers.

### HOMER KAUFMAN INJURED

First causalty of the new school the war effort. year was Homer Kaufman, son of given Dalhart one game. The games Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Kaufman, who these positions may be obtained from Turkey Red and Chief-Kan seed starting about 8:45 p. m. The public day while playing on the school vice district, custom house, New

### Federal rent control became ef- | first rent charged, pending review by fective in the Dalhart-Dumas-Sun- the area rent director. Applications ray war rental area on Sept. 1. Be- and petitions for adjustments may ginning on that date all residential be made either by the landlord or rents should be no more than they tenant. Beginning September 1 in were on March 1, 1942. This control the area, no evictions can be made

Farm dwellings which are rented All of Dallam, Hansford, Hartley, to persons who do not spend the Moore and Sherman counties are in- majority of their time engaged in to rent control.

There will be no rebate where rents arately, as was originally planned, it above the maximum were paid prior

The maximum-date rent applies includes the counties of Potter and ter Sept 1. For example, if a tenant ment on August 20 for a period ex-With the combining of the two tending to September 20, he cannot areas, Riley Strickland, the attor- get a refund under the maximum control becomes effective.

Until the Dalhart office is opened, questions and complaints of landlords and tenants may be referred to stantially changed with a major Riley Strickland, Area Rent, Directcapital improvement as distinguish- or-Attorney, 406 Fisk Building, Am-

Under the regulations, beginning September 1, the tenant shall pay for the same accommodations on the If a house or living quarters has freeze date, which is March 1, 1942,

### \$500 In Food Stamps Are Issued In County

Over \$500 in blue food stamps Santa Fe Railway line between were issued to needy families in Boise City and Farley will be discon- Sherman county from April 1, 1942 tinued Saturday, General Manager through July 31, 1942, according to G. C. Jeffries announced at an Inter- Dan L. Body, area supervior of the

An average of 19 families have resuch heavy supply prices would be The hearing, conducted by ICC ruinous to the farmers if use of the food stamp program nelps bring

Blue stamp food lists are subject

The complete list of blue stamp foods for the period Sept. 1 through Sept. 30 are as follows: fresh pears, fresh apples, all fresh vegetables including sweet and Irish potatoes, shell eggs, corn meal, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched wheat flour, self-rising flour, and whole wheat (Graham)

Flag-raising ceremonies at the are now tied up on the little-used Cactus Ordnance Works last Saturday at Etter brought out a large Interested persons in the district crowd of Panhandle citizens, includ-

The large garrison flag which now flies over the plant was presented by Major S. Gruneck, area engineer, to Major John W. Quillian, commanding officer. A bugler of the Army Air Forces Glider School at Amarillo injured in an automobile collision blew "To the Colors" and the flag on the Stratford-Dumas highway the was raised as the National anthem was played.

Two talks featured the ceremony. will be our Old Glory." The other speaker was W. S. Stowell of New York City, president of the Chemical Construction Corporation, operators of the plant, who with Mrs. Stowell made a trip especially for the flagraising event.

NEEDED FOR SERVICE An immediate need for additional and is about 25 miles southwest of civilian war workers in several oc-Boise City. A small part of the land cupations has been stressed by the tenth U. S. Civil Service district. Nurses, automotive advisors, student instructors for Army and Navy air forces, stenographers and typists, and expeditors for the maritime commission are all critically needed for

Full information concerning all received a broken collar bone Tues- the manager, 10th U.S. Civil Ser-Orleans,



THE STORY SO FAR: Because he and his partner, Cruger, need the money to keep Norland Airways in business, Alan Slade agrees to fly a "scientist named Frayne and his partner, Karnell, to the Anawotto river in search of the trumpeter swan. With the proceeds Cruger buys a plane, a Lockheed, which is stolen. When he returns from the Anawotto Slade starts out to look for the plane. He has three clues, one of which appears to have lead up a blind alley. Slade thought the missing plane had some connection with Frayne, but when he returned to where he left the swan-hunter there was no trace of the plane, and Frayne appeared to be hunting swans. The second clue is the story of Umanak, the eskimo, about a "ghost" plane that is supposed to come from Echo Harbor. The third clue is Slade's hunch that if he finds a fiyer named Slim Tumstead he will find the plane. Tumstead, who knows about the Lockheed and about Frayne, has disappeared. Now Slade, Umanak, and Slade's old prospector friends, Zeke and Minty, are all out looking for the plane. Slade has just learned that his hunch was sound. Tumstead is with Frayne, and they have a plane somewhere.

Now continue with the story.

### CHAPTER XIII

"On the contrary," retorted the older man, "you will sail away quite comfortably on the Kovalevka when she takes out her cargo. You will be carried safe and sound to Vladivostok, with money enough, remember, to give you three years of travel in Europe and all the vodka your

heart may desire." Tumstead seemed to be consider-

"But why doesn't your Kovalevka show up?" he questioned.

"She will come," was the precisenoted answer, "when we are ready for her. Ice conditions have not been of the best. And we, too, have been a little slow in getting our shipment in shape."

"So damned slow," Tumstead retorted, "your stuff won't be any use to you. While you're combing the icicles out of your hair the war'll be over."

"Silence," commanded the steelier voice. "The men of my race are taught to do what they are com-

manded to do." "And some of it," retorted the other, "I'd call uncommonly dirty

"It is not for you to question the nature of my work."

Tumstead's laugh was harsh. 'No, I'm merely a flyer," he acceded. "But I'm not the kind who can keep a ship going without gas." It was the older man's turn to

stand thoughtful. "That is a problem," he finally said, "which we must in some way solve.'

Tumstead's repeated laugh was edged with bitterness.

"I've gathered in everything that's lying round loose between here and the Pole," he protested. "And the next pinch may put us all in the dog-house."

'I think not," said the other. "And we have a problem more imminent."

"What problem?"

"Those snoopers which you spoke of. A means must be found to discourage them." The speaker's glance circled about in the uncertain light that surrounded him. 'They may be closer than we imagine."

As Frayne disappeared within the tent Tumstead groped about for his fallen cup and reached once more for the coffeepot. Slade, watching him, backed quietly away through the underbrush. But his retreat was a brief one. He worked his way down the hollow between the hills and slowly ascended the opposing slope. Then, seeking what cover he could find, he circled back toward the lake front. He stopped, from time to time, to listen and look. But nothing, as he went, came between him and the object of his advance.

That objective was the shadowy tangle of spruce trees at the water's edge. He noticed, as he drew nearer, how a rough ramp of spruce logs had been built out from the hillside. It was so plainly a landing stage, to make easier the passing of heavy freight into a plane cabin. that no shock of surprise touched Slade when he peered under the matted treetops. For, standing there in the shadows, he saw the stolen Lockheed.

He climbed to the rough-timbered ramp and advanced to where two filled ore bags stood together at its outer edge. He stooped over one of the bags, intent on determining its contents.

He failed to see the bare-shouldered and burly figure that emerged from the tree shadows behind him and quietly reached for a spruce bole as long as the long bare arm that wielded it.

He failed to hear any movement as the newcomer crept forward, as silent as a shadow, and brought the spruce bole down on the stooping flyer's head.

Slade went down like a clouted

Slade, as consciousness slowly returned to him, found it no easy matter to orient himself. His head throbbed and his body seemed cramped into quivering helplessness. Then the singing in his ears and the quivering of his frame merged into the throb and drone of a motor.



He failed to see the bare-shouldered and burly figure that emerged from the tree shadows.

in flight.

He thought, at first, that his bodily helplessness was due to being so tightly wedged in between soiled ore bags and the pilot's seat. But it was due, he found after an effort or two to move, to the fact that both his hands and feet were tied.

Memory came back to him as he lay back trying to figure out the reason for all this. The final mists eddied away as he looked up and saw that the man at the controls was Tumstead. Slade made no effort to speak. Instead, he quietly tugged and twisted, in the hope of freeing himself. But his struggles were without result.

The plane's pilot, however, must have become conscious of them, for his smile was sardonic as he glanced back over a shrugging shoulder. "Coming round?" he nonchalant-

ly called out. "What does this mean?" demanded Slade.

Tumstead flew on for a moment or two of silence.

"It means you're lucky to be alive," he finally announced. "That bullhead who knocked you out went back for his Luger. He was all set to give you the works."

Slade seemed to be giving thought to that statement. 'What are you going to do with

me?" he asked. "That," retorted Tumstead, "is what I'm trying to figure out. The

easiest way, of course, would be to drop you overboard. And that's where you'd go, all right, if we both weren't flyers.' "Then as one flyer to another,"

Slade asked, "why did you steal this plane?" Tumstead's reply to that was a

snort of laughter.

"That's my own affair," he said. 'And you should have known better than nose in on it." "You're flying for Frayne," said

his prisoner.

"Can you suggest anything better?"

Slade considered that question. "Yes," he answered, "I know something better."
"What?"

"To head back to Waterways with this Lockheed, while there's still a chance of saving your scalp."

Tumstead's laugh was hard and

"Not on your life," he proclaimed. "It's your scalp you need to worry And it's going to be some about. time before you get back to Waterways."

"Why do you say that?" Tumstead's glance went over the terrain beneath his floats.

"Because, a little farther on, I'm going to drop you where you'll stay anchored for a considerable stretch

of time," he said. Slade's response to that was to struggle against the cords constricting his wrists and ankles. But those struggles, he still found, were use-

"Are we over the Anawotto?" questioned Slade, embittered by the

thought of his helplessness. "We are," answered Tumstead. 'And it's sure empty country."

Slade's trained ear told him, a minute later, that they were dropping lower. But from where he lay he could see nothing of the outside world. He concluded, from the length of time that Tumstead taxied along the surface, that the waterway on which they had landed was by no means a small one. He could hear

the grating of the pontoons on a gravel bar.

"All out," cried Tumstead. He half-swung and half-tossed his prisoner ashore, where with a still deeper sense of helplessness Slade tumbled full length along the pebbled slope. There, after taking a shuddering breath or two, he writhed and twisted about until he was able to fight his way back to a sitting posture.

"So you're going to leave me here?" he said.
"I am," said Tumstead. "And I

can't waste time on talk." "But why are you doing this?" persisted Slade.

"Because you got too ambitious." Slade watched the plane being warped around in the shallows. A He awakened to the fact that he surge of desolation swept over him

was in a plane, and that plane was | as he glanced about at the ice-scored and barren-ridged island surrounded by its lonely reaches of open water. That island, he saw, had little to offer him. Any scrub timber that grew between its ridges, he realized, would be too small for the making of a raft. And even with a raft to deliver him from that watery prison, he further realized as he stared about at the distant bluehazed horizon, he would face a wilderness quite empty of life.

"I won't get away," he said, "and you know it." Tumstead's laugh was defensively

gruff. "Let's hope for the best," he said as he turned back to his cabin. He emerged, a moment later, with a sheath-knife in an old and battered holster. But as the other man unsheathed the knife Slade saw that the blade was keen-edged and long. His eye remained on Tumstead as he stepped closer, the knife in his hand. The quick look of apprehension that came from his captive caused Tumstead's dark face to

crease with a smile. "I'm not that yellow," the latter announced as he stooped and cut the cords that bound Slade's wrists together. He was about to do the same with the cords that bound the ankles. But on second thought he drew back and replaced the knife in its sheath. This, after a moment's hesitation, he tossed a few paces farther up the shore slope, discreetly out of reach. Then as Slade sat trying to work life back into his benumbed hands the older man cooly explored the other's pockets. From them he extracted a lighter and a package of cigarettes.

cynic smile played about lips as he touched the little flame to a cigarette end and tossed the expenditures that war makes nec-

served. of fags for over a week I'll keep the dens are today a real asset. smokes."

"So that's all the chance you give FAST DRIVING me," said Slade, watching him as AND TIRE CONSERVATION he luxuriously inhaled.

"It's about all I can afford," Tumstead said as he swung about and in these days of attempted tire conglanced down at his fellow-flyer. No look of commiseration softened the older man's face. But for a moment a frown of meditation wrinkled his forehead, a frown followed by a small shoulder movement of dis-

"Happy landing," was his curtly ironic exclamation as he turned away and climbed aboard his ship. The man on the beach waited for the roar of the motor. But that familiar crescendo of sound failed to greet him. What he heard, in-

stead, was Tumstead's cynically indifferent voice calling down to him. At the same time a package was tossed ashore. "That's a pound of German army chocolate," Tumstead announced as

he tossed still another object toward the motionless figure on the shore slope. beef." "And here's a can of bully-

gratitude came from that still motionless figure.

"And here's something for your curt call as he threw overboard an empty tobacco-tin which struck Slade on the shoulder and came to a rest between his throbbing knees.

Slade sat watching the plane as it taxied across the gray-blue water and rose in the air. He continued to watch as it headed northward over the blue-misted ridges and faded away along the empty skyline.

He sat without moving until the ache in his tightly bound ankles reminded him of other things. Then he looked about for the sheath-knife. He gave a gulp of gratitude when he saw it lying there, within ten paces of him. It took him some time to worm his way to the knife. But a little of the listlessness went out of his face as his fingers closed about the heavy haft.

He lost no time in sawing through the cords and freeing his feet. When he attempted to stand up, however, he discovered that his benumbed legs were unable to support him. He had to sit there, for several min utes, waiting for feeling to com

back to them. (TO BE CONTINUED)



NO TAX MONEY

FOR 'CIVIL FRILLS'
REPRESENTATIVE CANNON of Missouri, chairman of the appropriations committee of the house, in a recent statement said war appropri-

ations made from June 1, 1940, to June 29, 1942, totaled 228 billion dol-That was war appropriations only

and did not include any expenditures for the civil functions of the federal government. It means an expenditure of approximately \$2,000 for each man, woman and child in the United States, a mortgage on each family of five for close to \$10,000. It represents two-thirds of all the national wealth of the nation; more than four times the value of all the farms, the livestock, poultry and farm buildings.

The American people do not offer any protest against this expenditure for war purposes. Our liberties are worth all, and more, than any price the war may cost. But the American people do protest any expenditure for governmental nonessentials whether they be made by municipal, county, state or federal governments.

The war is loading us with an indebtedness on which generations yet unborn will be paying. We, the American people, protest against adding to that terrific cost any single dollar of other expenditures that is not absolutely essential. Such nonessential expenditures are being made by every governing body in the United States, those of the towns and cities, the counties, the states and the federal government.

That 228 billion dollars is ten times our total expenditure for the World war. It is a far greater sum than the cost of operating the federal government throughout the entire period since it was founded, including the cost of all previous wars, and the end is not in sight.

Money to pay for the war, yes, but no money for frills in the civil operations of any of our governing bodies is the edict of the American people.

INFLATION

IN COUNTRY AREAS PEOPLE of the country communities are experiencing some effects of the inflation they are talking about in Washington. I live in a small place in the center of a great fruit and vegetable section. Here a year ago you bought a head of lettuce for two and three cents. Now you pay 15 cents and up. All other vegetables are proportionately high. That is an evidence of inflation. Houses that were renting a year ago for from \$20 to \$25 a month are now renting for from \$50 to \$75. Another evidence of inflation caused by the war and the vast government essary. Price ceilings are helping "You may need that," he ob- on some few food items but by no "But seeing I've been out means all of them. Victory gar-

IT IS SPEED CRAZED YOUTH that does most of the fast driving servation. To cure the malady why not confiscate the family bus when son John is allowed to, or does, drive it at from 50 to 70 miles an hour. The confiscation of a few cars would conserve more tires, result in more sane driving, than the rationing of gasoline.

HITLER IS SAID TO THINK of himself as a new Napoleon, and is attempting to emulate that illustrious dictator. His campaigns in Russia and Africa closely parallel those of Napoleon. It is possible St. Helena may also be his end.

HOARDING' PENNIES THE PENNIES of that period

when I was a boy were large and weighty, about the size of a silver quarter, or a two-bit piece, as it was commonly known. Pennies were not in very general circulation and He shrugged when no word of about the only use made of them was as a coin to deposit in children's banks. In some sections of the West as late as 1890 nickels and dimes cigarettes," was Tumstead's last were almost unused, the smallest coin in general use being the quarter, and all money west of the Missouri was gold or silver. A dollar bill was unknown. Today America could hardly continue to function without pennies.

Our per capita income has increased and our standard of living has risen, but sales taxes have depleted the source of revenue for the children's banks.

We hoard pennies as those of us west of the Missouri formerly hoarded quarters.

JOES, JOHNS AND BILLS PAY U. S. TAX LEVIES

IN 1940 the state governments collected, as various forms of special taxes, from business a total of \$3,110,000,000. But it was the Joes and Johns and Bills who paid those taxes when passed on, as they had to be if business was to survive, to them as consumers and patrons of business. For the same year the federal government collected as taxes on business a total of \$4.341.-555,000, and this, too, was paid by the Joes and Johns and Bills.



Washington, D. C. IMPROVED NAVAL POSITION

Behind the Solomon islands battle are some optimistic naval facts, entirely aside from the announcement of victory. These facts had to be very carefully considered even before U. S. naval chiefs started to invade the Solomons.

One of these naval facts is that the Japs have suffered very severe losses in cruisers. Although it has escaped public notice, U. S. forces have been bumping off this fast, important type of warship with deadly regularity, so that Jap cruiser strength is now cut at least in half, perhaps more.

Another known naval fact is that the Japs have lost approximately half of their airplane carriers. And with air power what it is today, this is the type of vessel they can least afford to lose.

On the American side of the picture is the fact that U. S. repairs of ships sunk or damaged at Pearl Harbor have been miraculously swift.

All this obviously was taken into consideration before the United States started a major engagement and the offensive in the South Pacific. For Admiral King had to calculate the risk of the Jap admirals rushing a large force to the Solomon islands

Simultaneously he also had to figure the risk of a Jap attack on various other vital points-Midway, Alaska, Hawaii, even the continental United States.

Top admirals these days do not take chances. Not when the fate of a nation depends on them. Therefore, it requires only a mathematician to figure that the scale of American strength in the Pacific has turned. It reached its low ebb just after Pearl Harbor, when the navy was unable to do anything about the Philippines, Singapore, or Java.

But now the Battle of Midway has shown that Hawaii and the West coast can be defended by land-based planes. No Jap ship dares come near land-based planes without committing suicide.

This leaves a reinforced fleet to operate in the Pacific. Top naval men are not doing any crowing yet. But at least the naval picture seems to counterbalance some of the bad news from Russia-which is going to get a lot worse.

BURIED SILVER

Ten years ago, President Roosevelt and Cordell Hull held a series of discussions with the foreign ministers of Europe in preparation for the London Economic conference, at which one of the chief proposals of the United States was world use of

At these conferences, the late Sentor Key Pittman, of ver state of Nevada, droned through a regular 45 minute lecture on silver which American experts knew almost by heart and which put Hjalmar Schacht, German finance minister, to sleep. After Pittman had finished, the German minister woke up with a start, hastily brushed "We accept silver. Now this is

what we want in return."

The London Economic conference was a dismal failure. But the United States had committed itself so completely to silver in these preliminary talks, that it undertook a silver program, which actually meant that the world sold its silver to us at an artificial price and we buried it in the ground at West Point, N. Y. It was a fine thing for Mexico, China and Canada and a great victory for Senator Pittman and the Rocky Mountain states. Also it resulted in the U.S. treasury accumulating two and a half billion ounces of silver-other than coin.

Today, however, there is a shortage of industrial silver. And yet the treasury will not open up the giant hoard of silver gathering mold at West Point.

Shortage Amid Plenty.

What has happened is this. About 5,000,000 ounces of silver monthly is being mined in the United States, which is ample to care for war needs, but not enough for ordinary commercial needs, especially for the silver industry of New England.

The silver industry, which makes knives, forks, and household ware, formerly used alloys and critical materials—all of which have now been dispensed with. However, silver is not a critical material. There is plenty mined for the war effort but not enough to supply the 80,000,-000 ounces needed annually for the silver industry.

So New England silversmiths now ask that they be permitted to buy a mere 80,000,000 ounces out of the two and a half billion ounces which the treasury has buried.

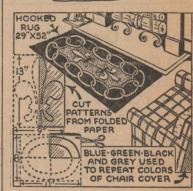
MERRY-GO-ROUND

Though the U.S. navy gave the royal run-around to the Sea Otter, Germany is now reported building exactly this type of shallow-draft, automobile-engined boat for use on the Danube, the Black and Caspian seas-against Russia.

• When the WPB made a survey of junk dealers it found 6,000,000 pounds of "scrap" silk stockings on hand. This is a "gold mine" for making silk bags to hold gunpowder for the navy.

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tern with wax crayon. The rug colorings have been planned to repeat tones in the room color schemes.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Brazil's Declaration of War on Axis Aids Western Hemisphere Solidarity; 'Largest' U. S. Convoy Reaches Britain; Marines Score Again in Pacific Drive

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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U. S. fliers in London celebrate after the first raid on Hitler's European arsenals. Target of the first raid was Rouen, France, which was left in flames. Center: Holding the wire from the first bomb dropped by a Flying Fortress is Capt. William Musselwhite of Jackson, Miss.

### LARGEST CONVOY:

Arrives in England

Shape of things to come in Europe was clearly etched by the announcement that the largest U.S. troop convoy ever attempted in this war had landed safely in Great Britain. Military experts quickly viewed this move as a speed-up gesture in United Nations' second front plans.

Included in the convoy were "many thousands" of soldiers and airmen plus vast quantities of war materials. Troops were swiftly disembarked and scattered to the interior of England, there to join other units already in training for the attack on German held Europe. "Special units" and "task forces" in the convoy added weight to the theory that U. S. troops will play an increasing role in future Commando raids or other action on the conti-

### MORE ACTION:

In the Pacific

As U. S. forces were continuing their mopping up activities in the Solomon islands word from another sector of the Pacific indicated that the marines had done it again. This time it was the Gilbert islands that felt the power of a marine detachment as it smashed a Jap seaplane base, radio installations and stores on the island of Makin, island in the Gilbert group. This action came

in the form of a hit and run attack. Caught entirely by surprise, the Japs were so confused that bombers from other bases actually destroyed their Jap planes on the

Meanwhile all was not quiet in the Solomons, scene of the earlier and more extensive action by the U.S. forces. Here the marines were busy cleaning out the Japs that retreated to the hills after initial successes were scored by the American at-

Trouble for the marines came from another source but an official communique from Pearl Harbor revealed that it had been treated with ypical marine thoroughness. This was a night attack by fast boats of 700 Japs who stormed the marinereld positions from the sea. After night and day of fighting, 670 Japs were dead and the other 30 were captured. Marine losses were 28 cilled and 72 injured.

### WAR PRODUCTION:

An Important Date

Straight from the source that should know-the War Production board-the nation learned how it was doing in the battle of the assembly lines. Donald Nelson, WPB chief, told the U.S. frankly where it stood. It amounted to this: War production is ahead in some categories, behind schedule in others. Biggest problems are shortages of materials and balancing of output among various agencies and service branches. These, he said, are getting vigorous attention.

Such production also now has a date objective. Nelson said that S. war production is being planned to provide the maximum impact on the enemy by July 1, 1943. This does not mean that our offensive will necessarily reach its peak by that date but this is the definite strategic goal of production and all production will be gauged by the one question: "How much will it contribute to the war effort by July 1, 1943?"

### **ELECTRIC POWER:** Less for Civilians

In a move to readjust its wartime power expansion program the War Production board has halted or suspended work on 85 public and private power projects. In addition, the WPB assigned such low priority ratings to 28 federal projects that completion probably will be postponed until after the war, unless new demands arise. The WPB said that "civilian inconvenience and

sacrifice must be expected."

Angered by months of Axis aggression, Brazil became the first South American nation to declare war upon Germany and Italy, thus swelling the ranks of the United Nations to 29. Brazil's declaration of a state of war climaxed a week filled with mass demonstrations against the Axis sinking of five Brazilian ships with the loss of approximately 600

BRAZIL AT WAR:

First in South America

The state of war did not include Japan, although Brazil broke diplomatic relations with all three Axis nations last January.

The declaration of war cleared the way for immediate measures to secure the protection of what has been termed the most vulnerable land area on the Atlantic side of the Western hemisphere—the Natal bulge only 1,600 miles from Dakar in Africa. Military men long have pointed to this sector as the place where Axis forces would strike first if they were able to consolidate their African and European positions.

Brig. Gen. Amaro Soares Bittencourt, Brazilian military attache to the United States, said that Brazil "is defending the continent," and that "we must congregate and re-unite all our military elements for the defense of the northeast, the strategical point on the bulge of Brazil for invasion by the Axis."

### RUSSIA:

Bloody Battle

Good news resulting from Allied offensives in the Pacific was offset by continued reversals on the Russian front. As the Nazi pincer movement drove relentlessly toward Stalingrad, the official Soviet communique admitted new crossings of the Don river.

"In the area northeast of Kotelnikovo," the communique said, "our troops fought intensive battles with large tank and infantry forces. On various sectors the Germans, at the cost of tremendous losses, managed to advance.'

Fresh Nazi reinforcements, brought out of the reserve pool or shifted from other sectors, were thrown into the bloody battle for Stalingrad. The reckless disregard of losses gave evidence of Nazi desperation for a knockout blow to the Red army.

Stalingrad is a rich prize. Its prime importance is in its location on the Volga river, along which the oil of Baku and Allied supplies shipped through the Persian gulf reach central Russia. In addition, the city's huge plants produce tanks and war supplies, and its oil refineries add to its strategic value.

### COMMANDO RAID:

'Official Success'

As Allied service chiefs studied the results of the Commando raid on Dieppe, official sources declared that the operation fulfilled its objective. Valuable information on Nazi defenses was secured.

The raid, employing British and Canadian Commandos supported by American Rangers, was a nine-hour battle on the Nazi-fortified coastal defenses at Dieppe, midway between Calais and Le Havre. Initial German estimates placed the invader force at 15,000, but the exact number remained an Allied secret. The force carried tanks and artillery with them.

"As the result of heavy fighting our casualties were high but not unduly so in view of the operation," the British communique said. "The navy lost a fairly large number of landing craft because naval craft did not leave the French coast until it was known that every possible man had been taken off.

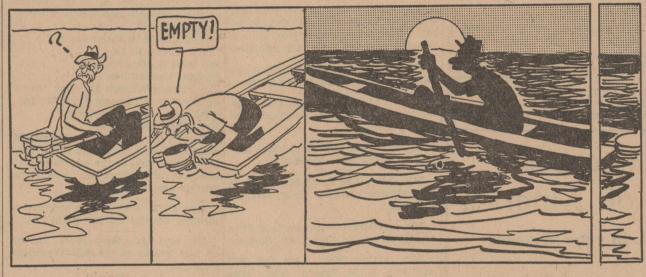
The raiders were reported to have destroyed ammunition dumps, a sixgun shore artillery battery, a large anti-aircraft battery and a radio location station.

Reports from Vichy placed British dead at 500.

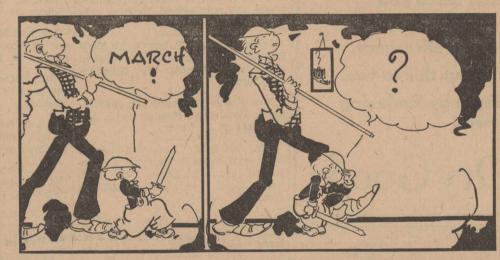
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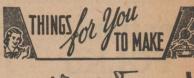
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The New England Yankee called the year 1816 "Eighteen Hundred and Froze to Death." There was frost and snow every month during 1816 in New England, according to reports. January of 1816 was only slightly colder than normal; February was warmer than usual. But Maine got a heavy snowfall in April, with farmers planting their crops while wearing earmuffs and mittens. The ice did not go off Lake Erie until May 10. On May 15, it was freezing in Pennsylvania and Virginia. The abnormal cold of 1816 also hit Europe.

All summer prayers for warm weather to save the crops were offered up in Swedish churches. It was cold even in northern Africa in the summer of 1816.

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First meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association of Stratford torium Monday, September 7, at of Mrs. E. J. Massie. 3:15 p. m. Preceding the general p. m. in the book room. All members are urged to attend.

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Embroidery club members met will be held in the high school audi- Thursday, August 27th, at the home

Mrs. Cone Donalson and Mrs. meeting, executives will meet at 2:30 Paul Wilson were guests. After an afternoon of work and conversation, refreshments were served. Members present were: Mesdames

Butler, Flores, W. G. O'Brien, Shirk, Kelly, Allen, Calvird, Buckles, Arnold, Robinson and Massie. The next meeting will be with Mrs.

W. T. Martin on Thursday, Sept. 24th at 3 p. m.

PRISCILLA CLUB MET WITH MRS. ROY PARKS

Members of the Priscilla club met in the home of Mrs. Roy Park. The afternoon was spent visiting and

Refreshments were served to the Ranges and Butane un- following members: Mesdames Sidney Park, V. M. King, Roy and Luther Browder, C. F. Moon, Frank Velma Williams, J. B. Craig and the

The club will meet next in the home of Mrs. Sidney Park, Thursday September 10th.

Mrs. Arthur Klowetter returned to her home in Calvert, Texas after a visit with her daughters, Mrs. C. T Watson and Mrs. W. N. Price and families. Charlotte Watson returned with her grandmother to spend the

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### **PERSONALS**

Miss Jerry Kelp, Miss Selma Mullins and Miss Bobbie Wiginton visited in Dalhart Thursday of last week with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mitchell of Independence, Kansas, have returned to their homes after a several days stay in this section where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marwith their grandson, Harry Simms and family.

Miss Dicksie Henson of Seminole, Texas has been visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arval Fleming, the past two weeks.

Mrs. Herman Borth is in Halstead. Kansas hospital receiving medical examination.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vin-

Mrs. Latimer Murfee and Miss Roberta left Monday for their home in them to Amarillo

John Bird, who is in the navy and left Monday for that place after a ten-day furlough here with relatives.

Tommy Adams from Plainview was here Monday visiting with friends. R. L. Baskin was in Kansas City,

Missouri transacting business over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Edtheridge motored to Amarillo, Monday.

Miss Mary Carter of Littlefield, is here visiting with her sister, Mrs. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown took Miss Marijo Brown to Spearman, Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Ross, Art and Bill and Mrs. H. M. Brown took Miss Mary E. Brown to Amarillo Monday, where she will attend business col-

Leon Wilson, J. T. Brown, To Nech Ramon, Dean Turner and Edward Smith spent Sunday in Guymon,

Mrs. Frank Sewell and son of Oklahoma City spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. F. L. Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Devo Oquin, who have been living in Dalhart have returned and will make this their home. Devo is employed at Albert's

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cameron Harold and Rita Evelyn were Dalhart visitors, Friday,

Miss Rowena McAdams and Mrs. Lucille Morse were in Amarillo on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Bill Trainham and Mrs. Floyd

Saturday

Mrs. Nelle Alexander, returned home Saturday from Dallas, Texas where she attended Southern Methodist during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor returned Tuesday to make their home here. J. B. Walsh is adding two rooms

and a front porch to his home. Albert Adams has had recently a new roof put on his home.

Billy Sweny left Sunday for his home after an extended visit with his aunt and cousin, Mrs. Eva Ullom and Stanley.

Randolph McAdams spent the weekend in Dalhart with his sister, Mrs. Gene Foster and family.

Mrs. J. W. Norvell, Mrs. Leta Boswell and son, Mac returned Sunday from a visit in Edgar, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Blackwell and

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Graves and Donald of LaVerne, California, en route home from a visit in Kansas with relatives, stopped for a visit fice and avoid confusion. with friends here from Thursday to

Miss Helen Pemberton, Jerry Pemberton and Alana Davis spent the weekend in Liberal, Kansas.

Rev. and Mrs. Fern A. Miller returned Friday night from a visit in McAlester, Oklahoma with their par-

Mrs. Burk Green has accepted a position at Brown's Food Store.

Mrs. J. R. Pendleton and Miss Mildred Pendleton were Amarillo \$1.10 visitors Tuesday.

> Little Miss Shela Duby spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Copeland in Amarillo.

Miss Alla Jo Ravia spent from Wednesday through Saturday with Miss Ernestine Thompson at Stratford, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin were in Dalhart, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Price and Jeanne were in Amarillo Tuesday on

Earl Riffe and sons, Conrad, Donald and William were in the mountains of New Mexico on vacation last

### Christmas Gifts for Men Overseas Must Go Out Early

Do your Christmas mailing early. This may seem untimely advice, but the post office department is warning people who want Christmas gifts to reach relatives in the armed forces abroad that parcels and cards shall and family of Texhoma and intended for them should be mailed during the period beginning October 1st and ending November 1st. Such mail should be marked "Christmas Parcel" and special efforts will be made to effect delivery before in the classroom and in outside Christmas.

Parcels should not exceed 11 length, and the public is asked to training September 5th. Eight games order that vital shipping space Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates visited in may be saved. Articles should be Texhoma Sunday evening as the packed in sturdy boxes and covered with strong wrappers, which should be folded in such a way as to permit quick inspection by censors, the postoffice department said.

In addressing the parcels to mem-Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Price took bers of the Army, the name, rank, Army serial number, branch of service, organization, A. P. O. number of the addressee and the post office stationed at San Diego, California, through which the parcels are to be routed should be shown, as in "From: John R. Doe.

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To: Private William D. Doe (Army Serial No.), Company F. 167th Inf., APO 810, care Postmaster, New York. New York."

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Mrs. C. T. Watson has accepted a position at the Cactus plant.

on last Friday to the Bill Trainham

Mrs. A. L. King and Lloyd were visitors in Amarillo Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl and Howard Gibbons attended the livestock auction at Dalhart, Friday.

200 head of steers from L. B. Haile, Sam Calvird, Red Dortch and Clyde

Martin were in Dalhart Friday at the livestock sale. Mrs. Homa Weatherly and chil-

Pasadena, Texas. J. R. Marshall is now employed at the Stratford Grain Company, starting with the firm a few days ago.

Mr. Tackle of Jacksboro, Texas is here vsiting with his son. Bonnie Tackle and family.

Leon Guthrie of Corpus Christi, and his cousin, Miss Fleta Sullivan Brannan were visitors in Dalhart, of Fort Worth, arrived Monday morning to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie. Ira Guthrie who has been working in Borger is home for a short visit before entering Panhandle A. & M. College at Good-

### 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; Even-

ing Worship 9:00 p. m. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 8:30.

### 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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Room requests have broken all records for this time of year and although rooms are still available, Canyon is expected to have a full quota of college students by the time school opens.

Most college activities will be continued, with war work stressed both

The Buffalo football squad, includpounds in weight or 18 inches in ing a dozen veterans, will start fall restrict voluntarily their size in have been scheduled, opening with a September 26th contest at Lubbock with Texas Tech.

### ANNUAL NFLA STOCKHOLDERS MEETING SEPTEMBER 5TH

Discussions of the twenty-fifth anniversary and the farmer-stockman's part in helping win the war will be high points at the annual stockholders' meeting of the Stratford National Farm Loan Association, Saturday, September 5th at the City Hall, according to Arthur Ross, secretary - treasurer. The meeting

will begin at 2:00 p.m. Close to seventy members and friends of the organization are expected at the meeting which will be devoted to a review of the association's affairs and plans, as well as timely reports from the County War Board, and other matters of interest

to this group of landowners. Back in 1917 shortly after the approval of the 'Farm Loan Act' farmers and ranchmen in different parts of Texas took the first steps to organize local associations made possible by the Act to provide a new kind of farm mortgage credit. This Mr. and Mrs. Hose Flores moved system of credit by and for the farmers and ranchers of Texas has had unusual growth during the past 25 years. It provides a loan that can be paid off in small amounts twice a year out of the earnings of the farm or ranch on which the loan is made. The loans are based on normal agricultural values and are repayable over long periods of time at Bill McCarty of Dalhart bought low rates of interest. The system has

proved highly successful, Members of the Stratford associa tion will elect new directors to serve on the board of directors for the next three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Green and Fred Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie dren left Saturday for their home in Parker and daughters spent last week at Red River, New Mexico.

J. L. Higginbottom returned Monday from an extended visit in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Tackle recently returned from their vacation.

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night they sound like some cosmic

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times—it is definitely a bad practice

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about merits of a vacuum cleaner raise crops needed in the war effort, pressed. She suggested that he talk

could do. up the cleaner, thrust his arm into scale. the chimney of the open fireplace, and brought out a handful of soot,

He then shoveled up some ashes from the grate and sprinkled them over the rug.

antly, "I'll show you what this vac- engaged in on a larger scale than uum cleaner can do. You'll be surprised, madam. Where's the electric

"Switch?" echoed the surprisedwoman, "we use gas!"

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ization under crisis never was exem-

plified so splendidly as the American

railroads have proved their worth and

excellence. It is a great job well done.

It is a sort of thing that Americans do

better than anything else. Our hard

common sense, our indomitable pur-

pose to achieve, all these are back of

our effort. The railroads have done

their work without friction with either

"And are they doing their job? You're

tions promptly, if necessary; check all

personal baggage not actually needed in

passenger cars; and spread the travel load

by avoiding week-end and holiday rush

freight cars only to your actual current

periods. When you make shipments, order

labor or capital. They have responded

"The American capacity for organ-

"The Sage of Emporia"

about America's Railroads

You ask me whether I think the American railroads. They were ready

jobs in this grave crisis. Well, I would after we repealed the embargo clause

rooster crowing to spell the dawn of to a great emergency with splendid

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civilian needs as well, in these ways: requirements; load them to capacity; and

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States is doing such a swell job as the just right tootin' they are!"

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intelligence.

don't ask your doctor to make a people working at arduous labor, ev-They know better than anyone else that the preservation of civilian health is absolutely vital to the war

Song drill every Wednesday night.

L. B. Chaffin, Minister Bible school 10:00 a. m., J. R. Pen- of cooperation among farmers. They dleton, Supt. Morning worship 11 a. are willing to help in this program m. Junior Endeavor 7:30 p .m., Mrs. of conservation and soil building, he C. R. Bomer, sponsor; Intermediate stated, and have shown a desire to Endeavor 7:45 p. m., Mrs. S. J. Cal- do their part. vird, sponsor; Senior Endeavor 7:45 p. m. Evening worship 8:30 p. m.

### War's drain on the nation's doc- house call if you are able to go to ery possible means of guarding and tors continues to grow rapidly. In his office. Second, don't call him at maintaining these standards must be time, it is likely that all physically inconvenient times unless there is an used. And you can be certain that fit younger doctors, and many older emergency. Third, when you do see the doctors will do their part. They doctors, will be called to military see him, don't waste his time in gos- will willingly work longer and hardservice. And so, the burden of work sip and idle talk. It may be all right er. They won't spare themselves.

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

time may, unwittingly, be depriving of medical attention. Spare your

A. C. Huff, Minister.

Preaching 8:30 p.m.

but the village housewife wasn't imless and show her what the machine

which he scattered over the carpet.

"Now," he said, smiling triumph-

### Land Measuring Plan Is Continuing With Approval Of Farmers As a part of the war effort and

continuing the special AAA experiment being carried out in Sherman county added effort is being put into the measurement of county land.

E. A. Wooten is county preference supervisor, and under his direction various reporters over the county are working to cooperate with the supervisors of this project, which contemplates complete reports on work done by farmers.

Sherman county is the only one left of twelve original counties in the nation designated for experimental work to avoid soil erosion and blowing. Farmers have been asked to tend every acre of their land and report on crops raised and developments attempted.

W. H. Spurlock, committeeman stated that he has found a fine spirit

Sherman county itself is not a county where a diversified crop pro-Choir practice Wednesday 8:30 p. m. gram can succeed, Art Bralley, county agent, stated. Although the gov-The salesman waxed eloquent ernment is urging all farmers to no good cash crop except wheat has ever been found satisfactory for the county and most farmers are continuing with plans for their fall plant-Beaming broadly, the man fitted ing of wheat on the accustomed

> However, a great many of the larger wheat farmers are feeding livestock and devoting more of their acreage to pastures. Smaller scale wheat farmers have shown much interest in dairy cattle, and it is probable that livestock raising will be heretofore contemplated by the county. Chickens and hogs have also become popular cash items.

Mr. Bralley also stated farmers are becoming much more interested than formerly in gardens where they can grow their own food. Many farmers have planted and are planning to plant gardens which will feed themselves, even though they provide no cash income.

The land measurement plan simply tries to coordinate efforts of farmers, Mr. Bralley stated, and give a complete picture of the accomplishment of the county. Although the measuring project was originally a federal experiment, it has interested seven other counties in the state which have undertaken such programs on their own initiative.

### BOOM TOWNS AND ITS EFFECT ON CITIZENS

Austin-What happens to a small town and its people when, almost overnight, the village becomes a

That question is a least partially answered by a study made of a defense boom town by the department of sociology at the University of Texas. Under the direction of Dr. Harry Moore, professor of sociology, a study has been made of Bastrop during the period of construction of Camp Swift, vast new army base in Central Texas.

"The friendly spirit of a town where everybody knew everybody else is evitably lost," reports Harold Garfinkel, research assistant. "Local customers, for instance, seemed to realize for the first time that their friends, the merchants, were in business to make money."

Long-time residents of Bastrop were in the habit of dropping into a store, talking to the merchant for a while, and then perhaps walking out without buying anything. With a 'boom' on, merchants were too busy for talk during working hours.

The major change, then, so far as the people were concerned, was a growing trend toward impersonal relations, Garfinkel declared. The social life of the town, once a very important thing, was neglected. Teas, bridge parties and other functions were almost forgotten, for Bastrop housewives were too busy. They were turning their spare rooms over to boarders, and many of them were doing all their own housework, because domestic help had flocked to the camp, where wages were higher.

"There was little contact between the old residents of Bastrop and the transient construction Garfinkel said. "The transients were there to do a job, and they had no interest outside that job. They took little or no part in church activities, and none whatever in civic affairs.

Mail from outside was an obsession with the construction workers, the sociologist found. The postmaster reported that they stood in line before the window opened, and rapped on the doors after the office was closed. They waited for an hour or longer for mail they didn't have, and called for it between trains.

"Now that the construction workers are gone, it still seems unlikely that Bastrop can in every way revert to its former free-and-easy, leisurely pace," Garfinkel said.

It is that way in every boom town, where defense work goes on.

### IMPATIENCE PAYS

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Working With Civilian Defense

### Red Cross Completes Plans for Any Emergency if Enemy Strikes

WASHINGTON.—IF ENEMY BOMBERS ROARED OVER AN average American community in a surprise night attack, emptying its bomb racks on the sleeping city to cause fires and explosions, maiming or killing men, women and children-how would the American Red Cross operate in such an emergency?

Traditional agent of the American people in disaster relief, the Red Cross would provide food, clothing and temporary shelter during the emergency period immediately following an enemy attack. As soon as the emergency had passed, state and local public welfare agencies would provide continued care for families on an individual basis in accordance with plans worked out by the Office of Defense Health and Welfare Services (ODHWS), the war activities branch of the Federal Security administration.

During an emergency the civilian defense authorities will control all services under orders of the local commander of the Citizens' Defense corps, unless the army has assumed jurisdiction.

However, in natural disasters and in disasters caused by accident or sabotage, the responsi-bility of the American Red Cross remains the same as in peace time. The term "disaster" will continue to be applied to them, but for the duration, "civilian war aid" is the term to be used to define all forms of relief to civilians affected by enemy ac-

National agreements which the American Red Cross has entered into with the OCD and the ODHWS recognizes the principle that civilian protection and civilian war aid are a public responsibility. Accordingly, the Red Cross will operate in harmony with whatever plans are laid down by these agencies nationally and State Defense councils and Citizens' Defense corps in the various communities.

While the scope of Red Cross participation in civilian war aid has been limited, the Red Cross emblem, long familiar in disaster relief work, will still be much in evidence. Red Cross personnel, facilities and re-sources will have a prominent part in the picture.

The degree and nature of Red Cross participation will vary considerably according to local conditions and the desires of defense authorities. For example, defense plans in a hazardous coastline community will be vastly different than in an inland community far removed from any apparent hazard.

If you are among the 3,500,000 Americans who have taken the Red Cross standard first aid training, you will have an opportunity to put your knowledge and skill to work as part of the Emergency Medical bers who have taken Red Cross nuservice set up by each Citizens' Defense corps.

### A Chance to Help.

You may be asked to become members of stretcher teams or to give first aid to the injured, such as giving artificial respiration, stopping blood from spurting arteries, and care for traumatic shock. The Red Cross helps the Emergency Medical service by recruiting persons trained in first aid, and recruiting and training Volunteer Nurse's Aides to serve with Emergency Medical service units at base and casualty hospitals, casualty stations and first aid

control center, the operating headquarters of the local Defense corps from which all services are directed during bombing or other war emergencies affecting civilians. With information and instructions received from the commander or chief of the Emergency Medical service, the representative will be in a position to set in motion the chapter services which a particular situation de-

Throughout the country, and especially in small towns, Red Cross chapters are improvising equipment for possible use in emergencies. Commercial vehicles are being converted into canteens, ambulances and transportation units. In some parts of the country small chapters are combining to form "flying squadrons" which place disaster and civilian war aid on entirely mobile basis.

In view of the Red Cross agreement with ODHWS, local chapters are laying special stress upon the possible feeding of large masses of



As They Sew

Thousands of women, such as those pictured here, in clubs and churches and Red Cross chapters throughout the land, are sewing and knitting for the war wounded throughout the world. Civilians, too in war hammered lands benefit from

some lessons learned from the experiences of civilian relief workers in the bombed areas of Great Brit-Through an agreement with the American Restaurant association many persons may now be fed quickly and economically.



gas mask drill—might take place in this country, and with the same earnestness that they take place on the British Isle. Today, the Red Cross is preparing for any eventuality in case the enemy attempts to strike home here in the U.S.

people in bombed areas. For a | small suburban community, Lawrence, N. Y., has an efficient setup. Its Canteen Corps, made up of memtrition and canteen courses, go into action immediately after the "all clear" signal. It can prepare two meals for 1,500 persons. Within an hour after the order has been received, the Motor Corps transports the meals to the feeding center in the vicinity of the disaster. There is a second group of canteen workers, made up of mothers with young children, who are called out several hours later. Besides the large supplies for 1,500 emergency meals now stored in unit headquarters, the local chapter will, if necessary, buy food from local stores.

Wherever mass feedings become Local chapters of the Red Cross | necessary, the American Red Cross will have a representative in the will be able to put into practice scene of disaster, but victims at evacuation centers. Mobile canteen operations have been planned on a unit food load of 20 gallons of stew, bread, butter, coffee, milk and crackers for 200 persons at a time.

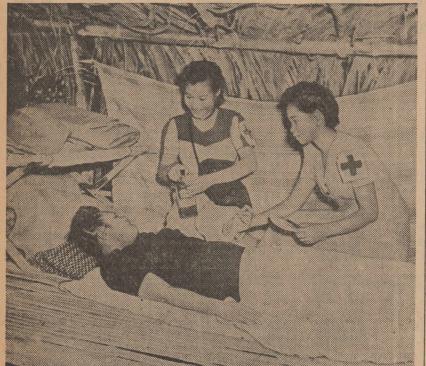
Red Cross chapters will handle inquiries concerning the safety of persons in the event of bombing or other enemy action. This is a logical Red Cross service.

Detailed plans are being worked out between local chapters and Defense Corps commanders and chiefs of the Emergency Medical service for use of Red Cross ambulance units, mobile canteen units and supplementary transportation when needed. Members of the Motor

In some cities business firms and industrial plants have formed reserve fleets of trucks and automobiles for use in possible enemy air raids. The Worcester, Mass., chapter has established so-called automotive parks in eight different sections of the city. Each park, centrally located for operations in its own neighborhood, serves as headquarters for the departure and return of the various motor services and personnel, including Red Cross Canteen corps, Motor corps, auxiliary ambulances and private cars and trucks forming part of the pool. These facilities will serve under direction of the Defense Corps Com-

In case mass destruction of

Chapters are making surveys of possible group shelters. In larger communities they are generally churches, schools, clubs, hotels and lodge halls. In smaller towns arrangements are being made to use churches, schools, grange and lodge halls. The machinery for mass evacuations is being created by regional, state and local defense authorities and the facilities and re-



When the furious fighting was taking place in the Philippines the Red Cross was there administering to the civilian population injured. This picture of two native Red Cross girls was taken by the army signal corps during the fighting on the island.

### Lasting Peace After War Aim of Scientific Institute

An international scientific institute of social scientists to guide Europe nto lasting peace after this war is advocated by Prof. Florian Znaniecki of the University of Illinois, an internationally known sociologist who beore the war was a leading savant of Poland.
"In this institute thousands of \*

scientists of various nationalitieshistorians, anthropologists, sociologists, psychologists, economists, religionists, linguists, students of art, students of education-would concentrate on an objective investigation of all those forces which pro-

result in cultural collaboration and social solidarity," he explains. On the basis of such studies, other scientists who, like engineers in the

material field specialize in applied knowledge, would draw plans for cultural collaboration on a European duce conflict as well as those which | scale. Active leaders in every field | ration of various culture groups."

of culture would realize these plans. "No post-war organization of Europe based on force and politics alone can stand," Professor Znaniecki believes. "There must be a cultural as well as a political unification of the continent.

"Tendencies of European culture groups to expand under the existing system of national states inevitably leads to wars. These conflicts can be counteracted by creative collabo-

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Lesson for September 6

AND PRESENT

result of the sale of intoxicants.

Christians-and especially Sunday

school teachers-should use this les-

son to drive home anew the great

lesson of moral accountability, of

the importance of man's choice of a

way of life, and the certainty of

I. Man is Morally Responsible (Gen. 13:13; 19:23-25).

from day to day, from pleasure to

pleasure, from sin to sin. Man was created in the likeness and image

of God, which means that he is a

personal being, knowing right from

wrong and possessing the power of

choice. Sodom and Gomorrah drew

upon themselves the judgment of

God because of their determination

to persist in horrible wickedness.

What happened to those cities, ter-

the omnipotent God to uphold him. But if he chooses to go in the way

of sin, he must look forward to the

judgment of God. It is important

II. He Chooses His Own Way of Life (Deut. 32:31-33).

vah—in whom his people trusted, and the corrupt standards of their

heathen neighbors, of Sodom and Gomorrah; but note it well, each one

made his own choice.

One greater than Moses, our Lord
Himself (Matt. 7:13, 14), spoke of

the two ways, and noted with sad-

ness that many go down the broad

road to destruction and but few walk

It is a vital matter that we teach

our boys and girls the great and

noble spiritual standards of Christi-

anity; bring into their lives the pow-

er of God through faith in Christ

that they may choose well for them-

selves and be able to lead a bewil-

dered war-shocked world in the

The need of humanity is great

now, but it will be even greater in

a post-war world of broken homes,

broken lives and broken hearts. We

must be ready to minister in the

III. Neglect and Ignorance Are No

Surprise attack is always doubly effective. "Remember Pearl Har-

bor." Yes, and remember man's de-

Satan would like to lull us to sleep

with the assurance that all is well.

The heart of man is prone to cherish optimistic thoughts; to magnify

that which encourages him to take

his ease; to keep away the fear of

reality by sweet music, good food,

The people of Amos' day, to whom this message was given, had come

to the point where prosperity had

made them at ease, when they

should have been actively alert;

foolishly serene, when they should

have been vigilant and ready for

Who can say that the same is not

in all too large a measure true of

the people of our own beloved Amer-

ica. Many elements enter into that

dangerous situation, but not the least

of them is our increasing use of in-

toxicants. It may shock some to

learn that the per capita use of al-

coholic beverages has increased

greatly throughout the country. The

appalling fact is that the city of

Washington, D. C., which should in

these days set an example of so-

briety and sanity, has led the na-

tion in the increase of the use of

That way is the way of captivity

(v. 7) unless we repent-and that

right soon. America needs to awaken to the dangers which threaten its

precious liberty-and, we repeat,

the liquor question is not the least

of these problems. We must win a

in the narrow way of life.

right way.

name of Christ.

Excuse (Amos 6:1-7).

feat in spiritual things.

and flowing bowl of wine.

Moses contrasts the Rock-Jeho-

1629-B

WHAT will look prettier or fresher on the summer land-

scape than you in this trim, slim

linen, a rayon weave or a crisp

cotton? Pattern No. 1629-B pre-

sents that all-time love, the dress which looks like a suit, in a spickand-span tailored version. Brisk

turn-down collar and lapels, patch

pockets and darts at the waist give

the top a precisely tailored air;

the skirt has front and back pleats

which give it good walking full-

ness while it maintains the slim

Slip, Pantie, Bra

shaped topper, which, with a slip,

Thanks for Living

No man is in true health who

can not stand in the free air of

heaven, with his feet on God's free

turf, and thank his Creator for the

simple luxury of physical exist-

ence.-T. W. Higginson.

silhouette wanted today.

two-piecer" made up in a cool

Life is not just a careless drifting

beast!" (Shakespeare).

judgment.

(Luke 10:10-12).

to remember that



the activities of such groups.

In some cases, a central kitchen and dining hall would be set up in an industrial cafeteria. The Worcester, Mass., chapter, for example, has provided for several mobile canteens to transport food from restaurants. Workers are to be fed at the



Scenes such as this one—taken in England during a Red Cross nurse

Corps often use their own cars.

mander.

homes by enemy action makes large-scale evacuation necessary, Red Cross chapters will provide food, clothing and tem-porary group shelter which may be needed for evacuees.

sources of the Red Cross are being made available to them as needed.

> victory over it soon, or we may find that it has won the victory over us -which may God in His mercy

strong drink.

Lord's Prayer The Lord's Prayer, engraved on the head of a small gold pin, is in possession of a pawnbroker in Butte, Mont. Three years of labor were required for the work.

CUNDAY SEWING CIRCLE CHOOL esson By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. eleased by Western Newspaper Union.)



frocks. The slip is of six gore construction, very easy to make, with a brassiere shaped top.

Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1621-B is designed for sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Corresponding bust measurements 30, 32, 34, 36 and 38. Size 14 (32) slip requires 21/2 yards 35 or 39-inch material, brassiere topper, 5/2 yard and panties 11/2 yards. Send your order to:

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Salt will curdle new milk: HERE'S the answer to the prob-lem of "what to wear under hence, in preparing porridge, gravies, etc., salt should not be slacks" - the pantie and bra added until the dish is prepared.

To retain the roughness of rough complete this useful underwear pattern. We designed this set for crashes and linen after they have been laundered, iron them on the the modern miss-who is wearing wrong side.

> A smart cook puts vegetables on the table with a fresh garden look and taste. She wouldn't think of over-cooking them or pouring the juice down the drain.

> Don't rip off buttons in the clothes wringer. Fold them inside the garment and hold it flat as it goes through.



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

\* "SELF-STARTER BREAKFAST" A big bowl of Kelloge's Corn Flakes with some fruit and lots of milk. gives VITAMINS MINERALS PROTEINS FOOD ENERGY plus the famous FLAVOR of Kellogg's Corn Flakes that tastes so good it sharpens your appe-tife, makes you want to eat. \* KN. Kalbag

CARL WILLIAMS is a telephone company "trouble shooter". That's a job that's tough and plenty dangerous. Mr. Williams says: "I've got to be alert and on my toes every minute I'm working. I've found that eating the 'Self-Starter Breakfast'\* is a great help in starting the day right . . . and it tastes like a million!

### **RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUCCESS**

The man who advertises has assumed the responsibility for success. You would rather deal with a responsible man, wouldn't you?



Contributing wholeheartedly to the sales campaign, the Santa Fe has just brought out the first transcontinental railway roving War Bond billboard in the form of the above dining car, now operating on the Grand Canyon Limited, and which later will be used on the California Limited and the Ranger. Painted red, white and blue, the diner with the backing of a Minute Man sign, displays the message, "BUY WAR BONDS," on either side. Stewards in charge of the car are accredited members of the War Savings Staff of the U. S. Treasury Department. As an additional means of spreading the War Bond appeal, the Santa Fe is having the same message lettered on 200 box cars.

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The trustees of Lone Star Consolidated School District No. 1 Sherman county will receive sealed bids until Sept. 15 on a 3-room dwelling house bankable notes. The school board re- wheat flour, serves the right to reject any or all

bids. Mail bids to or see Roy W Parks, secretary, Gruver, Texas. (Aug. 27, Sept. 3-10)

### Blue Stamp Foods Are Announced

A few changes have been made in the list of Blue Stamp foods for the month of September, Carter M. \$1.50 Per Year in Sherman and Fears, area supervisor for the Agadjoining counties. \$2.00 Per Year ricultural Marketing Administration has announced.

Foods for September are the same as those for August except that fresh plums, peaches and oranges, and butter have been removed from the list because conditions do not warrant additional market support for the items at this time. The complete list of blue stamp foods for the month is as follows: fresh pears, fresh apples, all fresh vegetables including sweet and Irish potatoes, in good condition. House located 12 shell eggs, corn meal, hominy grits, miles northeast of Sunray, Texas. dry edible beans, wheat flour, en-House to be moved off present loca- riched wheat flour, self-rising flour, tion. All bids must be for cash or enriched self-rising flour, and whole

### Don't Neglect Your Car

This warning will also \_apply to trucks and all motor vehicles. Have them repaired by an experienced mechanic. War restrictions are such that your car or truck will have to last you for the duration, so get maximum service by keeping it in A-1 condition.

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### Nazis Grab 4½ Billion Yearly

Drain on Occupied Europe Computed in Report for Foreign Policy Group.

WASHINGTON.—Compared with the \$4,500,000,000 that the Nazis now exact annually from occupied Europe, "the \$500,000,000 which Gervey of the economic aspects of Gerby the Foreign Policy association.

The survey was prepared by Ernest Hediger, economic analyst of the association's research staff.

Military conquest of virtually the whole continent of Europe in little more than two years, it declares, "has been accompanied not only by wholesale confiscation of everything of immediate use to the German war machine, but also by the application of an entirely new system of invisible and permanent looting. To Finance Purchases.

"By imposing so-called occupation costs and exacting other financial tribute," it continues, "Germany has been able, while keeping the appearance of legality, to oblige the vanquished nations to finance its purchases, thus succeeding to a very large extent in saddling the costs of its war on them.

"In fact, the material wealth which Nazi Germany has accumulated in the countries occupied during the last three years has already paid for several years of war preparation.

'The renewable contributions extorted from the conquered territories can be conservatively estimated at about 15 billion reichsmarks a year.

"Against a background of total German civilian expenditure of 38 billion reichsmarks, this means that if Germany could not draw on the resources of the occupied countries the populations of the "old Reich" would have to substantially curtail their standard of living or seriously reduce military expendi-

"The foremost consequence of German exploitation," Mr. Hediger asserts, "is a threatened large-scale inflation in almost all European countries. Under pressure, all central banks of the occupied countries have been compelled to put into circulation large amounts of local paper notes with which the German authorities have deprived, and are still depriving, the people of their belongings in a perfectly 'legal'

Often some one is wishing that there was an old-fashioned boarding house located in every town. The old-fashioned boarding house where one could get meals and lodging for so much per week is a relic of the and more than one woman who found herself left alone with a few children saw that they had a good education all because she was a good cook and housekeeper and kept one of the old-fashioned boarding houses. Things have changed in the past several years, and the help proposition has been the main factor. No more can help be secured to run a home kitchen and dining clean. The truth is, it is even hard today to keep a hotel, or a cafe going all because no one wants to work in a kitchen when they can make more money out on some other job. The person who keeps a hotel or cafe at this time puts in about 18 hours each day, and all who have to board out should be grateful to people who are willing to slave the long hours, when they too, could maybe make more money out on some de-

One time two women were in their backyards gossiping over the back fences. One of the ladies said: "I am entertaining two locust preachers in my house.

The other laughed. "That was a funny slip; you mean local of course, my dear? "No, I said locust and I meant

locust. "But locusts—why locusts a re things that come in swarms, and eat

everything up, and — "Don't I know it!" snapped her friend, "and I am entertaining two of 'em in my home this week!'

Harvest is over, wheat bins are being built every day. Long rows of government built and owned wheat bins change the appearance of a piece of land, but just how effective the idea has been to help out in the harvest and the storage of wheat remains to be seen

It is said that "money is the root of all evil", and that is the reason we have to dig so darned hard to get

That tax schedule they are cooking up in Washington is not at all pleasing, and all would like to see the medicine tax mixers do a different job. In fact the tax bill is not at all palatable, but do you know of a better country than this one?

Peggy-And when you told him I was married did he seem sorry? Phyllis-Yes, he said he was very sorry, even if he didn't know the fellow personally.

### STRATFORD

Tough Customers-

Mention dust storms and watch the citizens grin, eyes alight— You've not seen a thing until you've | Coleraine, Minnesota, remembersd seen a real dust storm out here. If golden hearted lilies the other day you're tough you live through them. and reminisced so well that your If you're a sissy you pick up and scribe was made most envious be-

live here. It is also why they can't passed because Mrs. Buck also had get worked up to fever pitch over the funeral services for her dolls and many was finally asked to pay as war. Having once seen and lived pets when she was young. they are working. No marches are panties. But sort. They can get mad and cuss, but down!

> kind, which brought the American dollar to a value of 4,200 billion marks in Germany in November, 1923, has been avoided to this day only because severe rationing and price control of goods of all kinds have been introduced in the occupied countries simultaneously with reparation costs. Without such drastic measures, prices would have

soared to astronomic heights. "As living conditions slowly deteriorate all over Europe," the survey said, "unrest is bound to grow. In spite of German terror methods of government, the people are becoming increasingly outspoken in their resentment of problematic repayment and are trying to slow down deliveries of foodstuffs and raw materials to Germany.

"The longer the war lasts the less they will believe in the possibility of a German victory. Presently the last worker and the last peasant in occupied Europe will realize that it is useless to produce goods for a market in which he can find almost nothing to buy in exchange for his sweat and tears, and will slow down his work.

"Such passive resistance, the only kind possible so long as the conquerors and their henchmen disposed of all weapons, will call for larger police forces to control the fields and factories and will increase Germany's already great difficulties in ruling the conquered countries of

try, will be tougher and keener, and the world is a road of enchantment, a better breed for having fought it which, of course, we shall some day

Quoting-

Nellie Manley Buck, who writes the "Winding Trails" column up in cause she has never seen a golden-And that is why such hardy people hearted lily. But the envy quickly

reparation under the Young plan is through a particularly difficult time, She ran away from home once to a drop in the bucket," declares a sur- they cannot manage any excitement pick golden-hearted lilies which over a mere war. They do their part, grew out in the swamp, and she man military conquests published but they do it quietly without need- ruined a perfectly nice pink dress, a ing medals or flags to show how well white petticoat and the lace on her "we reach beneeded. No threats are needed. They | yond the edge of the slime and garnthink the axis powers are dirty ras- er with both hands the golden-heartcals that need to be licked. They are ed lilies, until our arms are full and NOW IS THE TIME TO eager to do it. And they don't stay heavily weighted. Almost, there are PLANT STATE FLOWER awake nights worrying over tire more lilies than girl by the time we rationing or sugar rationing. Folks turn, oh, so carefully, for our con- their yards or flower bed with the out here are not the complaining dition is bad enough without falling Texas state flower next year should as far as sitting around whining dress, the embroidery on our petti- bloom successfully, bluebonnets about the election, about Congress coat, the lace on our panties are should be planted in a sunny, well and about being asked to do too gooey with green slime and black drained spot. much. Panhandle citizens are not muck; and so are our arms and legs. like that. They are fighting the war Maybe we can wash off some of it turbed by cultivation. They can be just like they fought the dust. And were the "crick" runs thru the transplanted, but it is better to plant they, as well as the rest of the coun- swamp! Our face is dirty where we them where they are to grow. In have slapped mosquitoes and deer | parts of the state where it is too cold "An inflation of the spectacular flies; we are sweaty and tired and during the winter months for them the day is beginning to live up to the to grow in the open, they should promise of the sunrise; it is, like us, be started in flats, cold frames, or hot and sticky. Our stomach is so small pots and set in the open as empty by now that the dusty road soon as the ground thaws. seems terribly long; and then, we look into the golden hearts of the to cold and will thrive during spring wax-like lilies—deep down— and freezes. there is no more weariness; all thru

We hug close our armload of exquisite loot - maybe we whistle-for we were always that kind of a girl, regardless of old wives' warnings. In the shimmering haze of dust and heat we see far towers and golden domes and shining things which childhood does not distinguish—it knows only that they are there—like the golden heart of a lily. We forget our bedraggled condition; the "reckoning" at home

That is just what everyone needs in life. A few memories such as that and we can endure anything. The memory of a golden-hearted lily, of sand between our toes on a dusty road, and of the first time we thought we were in love can carry us over some rather rough spots later

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