



WRIGHT PATMAN'S
Washington
WEEKLY NEWS LETTER
— CONGRESSMAN — TEXAS

Deliveries to England

Every effort is being made by the pro-Nazis to flood this country with defeatist arguments, alleging that it is impossible for Britain to succeed. The business executives, who are in Washington to organize defense, are afraid the American people do not fear Hitler enough. It is thought that the crisis is too immediate to permit the risk of a long debate in Congress, since such a debate would be used by Hitler in a diplomatic offensive to prove that America is not united and may withdraw aid from Britain.

It is thought in Washington that no half-way measures can save Britain now; that America must assume militant leadership in favor of quick aid to Britain or face the probability of a complete German victory.

Farmers

The suggestion by Mr. Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury, that one billion dollars of peace-time cost can be eliminated is not heartening to the farmers, since he proposes to take most of the money from agriculture. The Members representing agricultural districts will not permit this, if it can be avoided. Within the past week, the House passed the Fulmer Bill, calling for farm commodity loans at 75% of parity. This bill is likely to pass the Senate by a larger majority than in the House and the per cent upon which commodity loans may be obtained greatly increased. Now, as never before, the farmer's interest must be carefully watched and diligently looked after. Otherwise, the farmer will be the forgotten man in this emergency.

National Defense Program

Since May, 1940, the production of airplanes has been trebled and is expected to be doubled before the end of 1941; the production of tanks has increased 600% and must be quadrupled before the end of this year; powder, 1,000% increase, to be trebled; small arms ammunition, 1,200% increase, Garland rifles, 300% increase, and both of these must be doubled before the end of the year; thirty-caliber machine guns trebled, but must be increased five-fold, and fifty-caliber machine guns quadrupled in production since May, 1940, but must be increased five-fold before the end of 1941.

Postpone Taxes on R. E. A. Lines

A two-year tax-exemption of the transmission lines of the State Rural Electrification Cooperatives was voted recently by the Iowa Legislature. The Legislature turned down the offer of the R. E. A. State Committee to have the 35,000 R. E. A. subscribers pay a 3 per cent sales tax on their monthly current bills in favor of an outright exemption from taxation for 1941 and 1942. The bill exempts the whole line, but not the two generating stations for two years, and returns the transmission lines to the tax rolls again January 31, 1943.

Discriminatory Freight Rates

President Roosevelt gave some cheering news to the Southern States, when he announced at his press conference recently that he was giving study to removal of the freight differentials between the north and the south. The question has been in the public eye, because

of the coal strike and the refusal of southern operators to pay wage increases unless some solution is found for the added cost they have to pay to get their products to the market.

Malnutrition

President Roosevelt has announced a National Conference on Nutrition to be held in Washington May 26-28, under the direction of Federal Security Administrator McNutt, to study means of applying scientific knowledge of foods on a national scale. The President said the conference will consider the importance of eliminating malnutritional diseases among defense workers, the armed forces, and American families generally.

RABIES SPREAD THRU ANIMALS BESIDES DOGS

AUSTIN.—Reports from the Pasteur Institute of the Texas State Department of Health indicate that positive examinations of animals for rabies (hydrophobia) during the first four months of 1941 were statistically less than for the same period for the past two years, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

The Pasteur Institute reports that 164 animals have been shown to have had rabies since the first of the year, out of 474 examinations. During 1940, 1,488 examinations were made, revealing 394 positive cases of rabies in animals and 1,094 negative. This was a decrease from 1939's cumulative 1,975 cases, of which 583 were found to be positive and 1,392 negative.

Rabies in man is rare but highly fatal unless Pasteur treatment is promptly instituted. It is significant that one death in 1939 and one in 1940 were reported from rabies in Texas, so successful was the Pasteur treatment in the cases of persons bitten by the rabid animals.

Rabies in man usually results from the bite of infected dogs, though rabies may be spread by calves, sheep, squirrels, skunks, and horses. As a precaution against the spread of rabies, Dr. Cox advises penning up all dogs suspected of having rabies and keeping the animals under observation for at least ten days, but not destroying the animal. This holds true for other animals similarly suspected of rabies.

If a dog dies within the observation period, arrangements should be made to send the head of the animal to the Pasteur Institute, Austin, for rabies examination. The family physician or local health officer can make arrangements for shipping the head of the animal.

"Promptly after rabies has been established in animals, persons who have been bitten should begin treatment to prevent development of symptoms. Treatment should be begun before laboratory examination has been made in case a person has been bitten in the face or on the hands, or has received extensive wounds," Dr. Cox advises.

An officer accompanying an officer senior to himself walks, stands or rides on the senior's left.

YOUR ALMANAC by Herbert

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"NOTHING IS INVINCIBLE TO THE BRAVE NOR IMPREGNABLE TO THE BOLD."—ALEXANDER

Cunningham Wins Seventh Place in Cotton Classing

have treated 250 bushels of cotton seed, beside the corn. Anyone wanting seed treated should see the FFA boys in the near future.—Larry Bell, Reporter.

Cunningham cotton classing team, composed of Wallace Gipson, Gerald Kennedy and Larry Bell, and M. D. Humphrey, vocational agriculture teacher, went to College Station and won seventh place in classing cotton. In the state contest they won the highest score for this area.

The boys are doing a great work in treating seed for planting. They

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MOTHER'S DAY THOUGHTS

I think of you on this day,
My own sweet mother dear;
My mind turns backward
To things of yester-year.
With your dear hands of toil,
On a far distant day,
You lovingly showed me how
To hold my palms together to pray.
You taught the simple prayer,
"Now I lay me down to sleep."
Happy memories of that childhood time,
Forever, I shall cherish and keep.
—Maldia Blow.

MARCH OF SCIENCE

Percy: "Here's a man who has invented a device for looking thru walls."
Flage: "Some kind of new ray?"
Percy: "No—a window."

Fulbright FFA Wins First Place in Leadership Contest

Fulbright FFA group won first place in the Chapter Conducting contest held last week at Mt. Pleasant.

The following members, accompanied by heir teacher, John Harkrider, represented the Fulbright FFA chapter: Bill Legate, president; A. D. Tucker, vice-president; Albert Mitchell, Reporter; Buck Ramsey, treasurer; Morris Brumley, secretary; Mr. Harkrider, adviser; James Murphy, first conductor; Jerry Thompson, second conductor; Charles Guest and Gordon Cardwell, greenhands.

This makes the team eligible to enter the area contest at Commerce Friday, May 9. Last year the Fulbright team won first place at the area and state. We hope to win first place again this year.—Albert Mitchell, Reporter.

Rugby Boy Gets Pig for Contest

Fred Swint Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swint of the Rugby community, is one of eight Red River county boys chosen to receive a registered Poland China pig in a five-county contest sponsored by a chain store organization. Mr. Swint says winner in the county will be given a registered Jersey heifer to feed out. A special award will be given winners in the cattle contest, Mr. Swint says.

Pigs are expected to be received about May 10.

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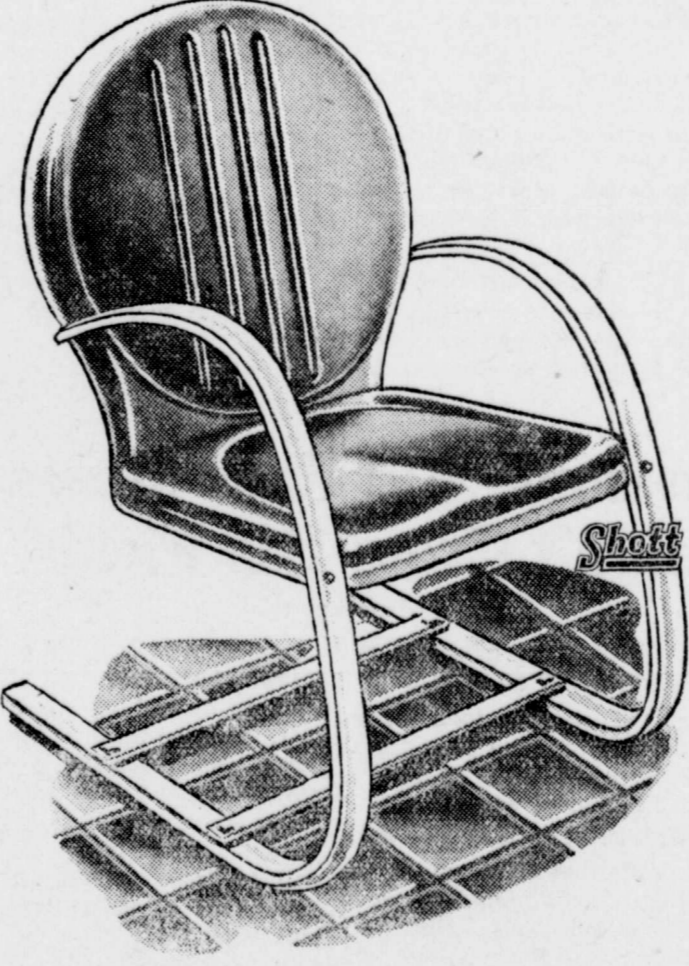
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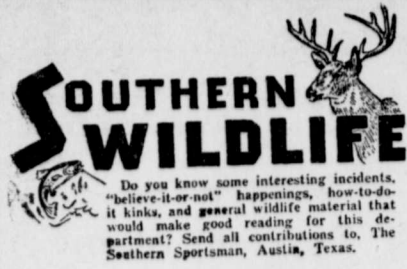
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Whatta Hen!

A. E. Aldrich is still scratching his head. When winter set in he transferred several white Leghorn hens from a colony house to the main henhouse. Several weeks later, while the boys were cleaning out the henhouse, a few of the hens got out, but they thought all had again been captured.

Weeks later, Jonathan Aldrich discovered a hen on the roost in the colony house. After a long tussle with pick and shovel, he managed to get the snow and ice away from the door and, stepping inside, he was amazed to see a dead fox lying in a corner on the floor. The hen, although reduced to little but skin and bones, was still alive.

Both hen and fox had entered the building through a small opening at the time of heavy snowfall and were trapped. A few oats scattered on the floor were the secret of the hen's remaining active, but how she escaped being devoured by a starving fox remains a mystery.

Kansas Bass Some Tough

Ed Pellman of Leavenworth, Kansas, and two other fishermen were casting from a boat on Tonganoxie Lake. As they were gliding along, Ed noticed a young rabbit near the water, apparently getting a drink. Suddenly the rabbit leaped several feet into the air and fell back into the water as if it had been shot. Ed then rowed close in, retrieved the rabbit on his oar and placed it upon the shore.

The bunny lay there for awhile as if dead. Then it began to come alive, jumping up and running around in circles. Appearing to recover completely from the shock then, it took off in high speed for the woods.

Ed's explanation of this strange occurrence is that, while he did not actually see anything strike the rabbit, he feels certain that a big bass struck it in the head and knocked the rabbit goofy! Have you got any better explanation?

How Long Do They Live?

Do you think size in an animal is any indication of the length of time it is likely to live? It is.

Among birds, it has been proved that geese, ducks and ostriches have reached the half century mark in age. Swans and parrots have been known to live for eighty years and more, while falcons and eagles, the patriarchs of the air, have lived to be one hundred years old—many more even longer than that.

Recently much publicity was given to a mule in Kentucky which died at the age of thirty-six. While this is no mean achievement for a mule, there are records of horses and donkeys which have reached the age of fifty.

The life span of a hippopotamus is about thirty-five years. Any self-respecting rhinoceros expects to reach thirty-seven—with a little luck, perhaps more. Elephants live longer than any of the above mentioned animals. Of all the mammals, however, it is the whale which holds the highest honors for longevity. Some of them are believed to be several centuries old.

Even though many animals have a longer life span than man, on the whole he has a longer life expectancy than any of them. Whether by other beasts or by man, an animal's life is threatened with every breath he takes, and only the fittest survive.

Good Bass Baits

Grasshoppers and crickets are good black bass baits. Try them when a brisk wind is blowing, and fish from the windward side. Small hooks should be used.

HELD ON TO RELIGION

At a testimonial gathering in the church, Old Mose got up and said: "Brudders an' sisters, you know an' I know I've robbed hen roosts, an' stole hawgs, an' got drunk, an' tol' lies, an' shot craps, an' cussed an' swore. But I thank de Lawd dere's one thing I ain't nebbber done; I ain't nebbber lost my religion."

RESIGNATION

A wealthy old woman who was very ill sent for her lawyer to make her will.

"I wish to explain about the disposition of my property," she said weakly.

The lawyer was sympathetic: "There, there!" he said, "Don't you worry about it; just leave it to me."

With resignation, the old woman said: "I suppose I might as well—you'll get it anyway."

Great Damage Flood Water Heavy Rains

Great damage was done to the roads and bridges in the southeastern part of Lamar county by the five-inch rain which fell last week, according to Commissioner John Roddy. Probably the biggest loss was the 90-foot steel structure over the Sulphur channel, known as the Gunn bridge. A fifty-foot bridge over Sandy below Minter was also washed out, and a bridge on the Deport-Lone Oak road near the Grant place undermined. Mr. Roddy states that a total of about forty bridges and culverts will have to be rebuilt or repaired. Schedules of mail carriers will be interrupted until repairs are made and bridges replaced.

The Woodard levee on Craft creek broke in several places with damage to growing crops, and the level land on Round Prairie is water-logged.

Some stock was lost by the high water. Reports reaching this newspaper include two head for E. M. Merritt of Pattonville, two for Cecil McDowra of Pattonville, seven for Lee Martin of Martin and several head drowned on the Puckering farm on Sulphur. There are probably many others unreported.

A car belonging to a Delta county fisherman was washed into Sulphur and found badly smashed by logs several days later a mile down the stream. Commissioner Roddy had it pulled out of the river with a tractor. The fisherman escaped to high ground.

HALESBORO

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hutson of McCrury, spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ward.

Several from here attended the senior play at Cunningham on Friday night.

Mrs. Virginia Wright and little daughter are visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Elmer Hutson at McCrury.

Joe Hobbs of Deport, was a week end guest of his grandmother, Mrs. John Hobbs.

Jimmie Ralph Woodall is ill with mumps at his home here.

We had no mail on Wednesday of the last two weeks, due to high water in Mustang creek. The overflow last Wednesday is said to have been the highest in years.

Mrs. Ellis Woodall was called to Paris Thursday by the illness of her grandson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Doyal Large, who is reported ill with infantile paralysis.

Maurice Hobbs and John Davis were in Paris Friday on business.

Mrs. W. R. Woodall of Deport, is visiting in the home of her son, Ellis Woodall and family.

J. D. Quinton, who has been confined to his home for several weeks by illness, was able to be in Deport on Friday.

News has been received here by Mrs. Robert Vaughn, that her husband, who is at work in the mines at Bisbee, Ariz., had a foot injured when a rock fell on it, and was unable to work.

F. M. and Homer Hobbs transacted business in Clarksville Tuesday.

Daylight saving was originated by Benjamin Franklin.

Ain't that Sump'n
By NUMBER SEVEN

To my own mother—and yours also, if you wish it—I say (with apologies to Gov. O'Daniel): To me you are sweeter than mountain music, stronger than the Rock of Ages, more lovable than the Sons of the Alamo and more beautiful than Beautiful Texas. Thanks for everything, Ma.

We have our American Legion and we are proud of it and of what it represents. But today, when the red winds of another World War are blowing hot across this country, we need an American Allegiance—an allegiance of the legions of true Americans whose slogan would be: "I am an American—try me."

Hero worship is one of the most commendable traits of human behavior, though occasionally the subject of worship is unworthy of the recognition he receives. Following the death of Jesse James, notorious outlaw and legendary hero of the Southwest, a ballad was written about him that has ever since echoed in the cabins of the cotton country, the huts in the piney woods and the homes on the high prairies and lofty mountains. Words of the famous ballad are printed below, with the explanation that Mr. Howard was an alias for Jesse James:

JESSE JAMES

Jesse James he was a man
Who was known throughout the land,
For Jesse he was bold and bad
And brave;

But the dirty little coward
That murdered Mr. Howard
Went and laid poor Jesse in his grave.

Jesse had a wife to mourn him
All her life,
The children they were brave;
But the dirty little coward
That murdered Mr. Howard
Went and laid poor Jesse in his grave.

It was on a Friday night,
The moon was shining bright,
Robert Ford had been hiding in a cave;

He did eat of Jesse's bread
And slept in Jesse's bed,
But he went and laid poor Jesse
In his grave.

It was Jesse's brother, Frank
That robbed the Gallatin bank
And carried the money from the town;

It was in that very place
That they held a mighty race
And shot Captain Sheeks to the ground.

Then they went to the station
Not very far from there,
And there Frank and Jesse did the same,

And the agent on his knees
Delivered up the keys
To the outlaws, Frank and Jesse James.

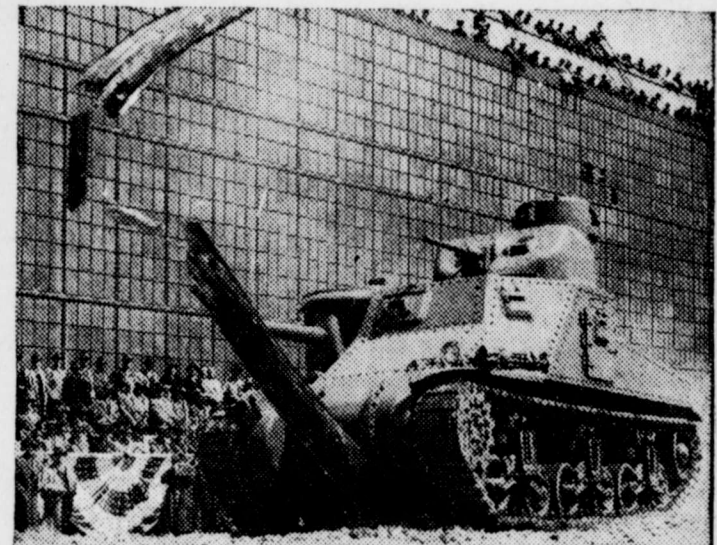
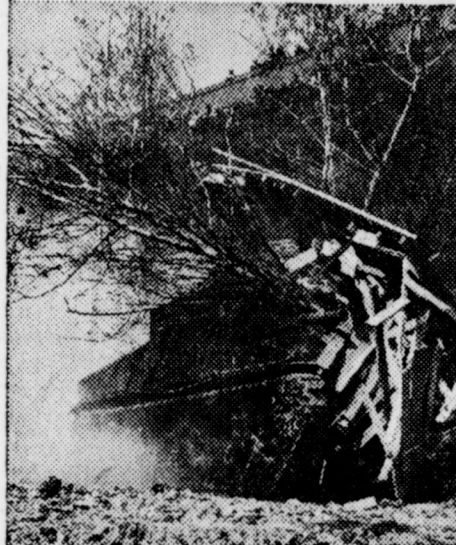
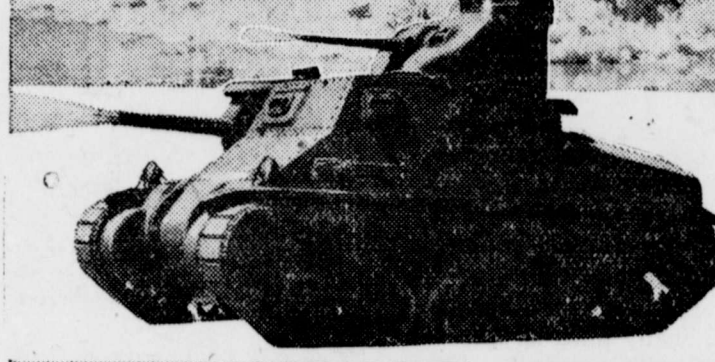
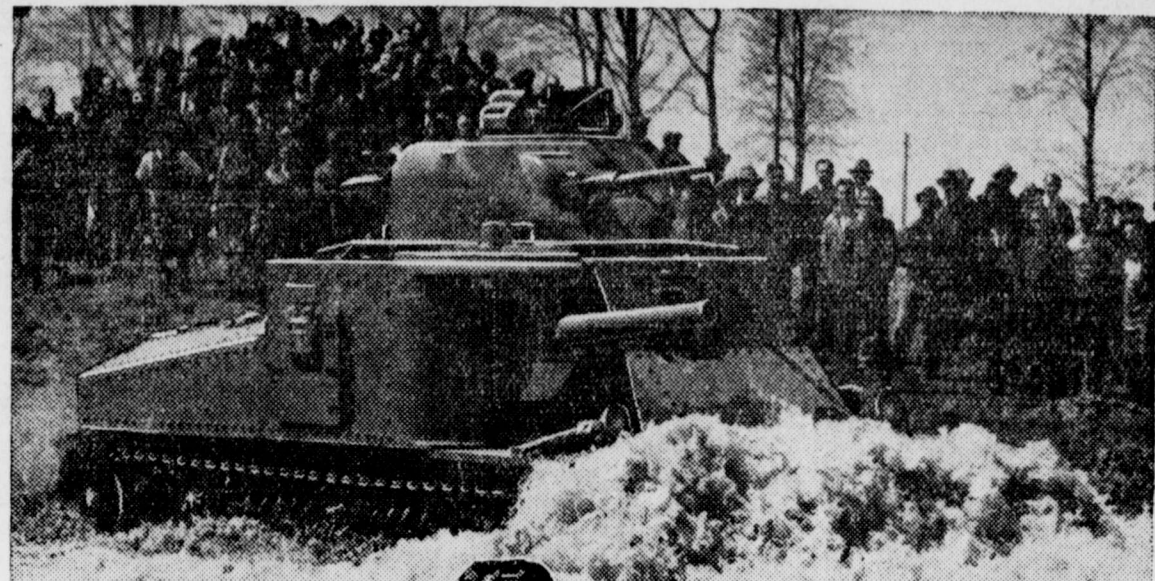
How the people held their breath
When they heard of Jesse's death
And wondered how he ever came to die;

But it was the sneaking coward,
The dirty Robert Ford
That shot Jesse James on the sly.
Jesse went to rest

With his hands upon his breast,
The devil he will look him in the face;

He was born one stormy day
In the county of old Clay
And came from a solitary race.

World's Toughest Tank Put Through Paces



Shown here in action is the world's toughest tank being dramatically tested before delivery to the U. S. Army. Called by military experts the "world's deadliest weapon of its kind", with firing power heavier and usefulness greater than the German tanks in Flanders and Greece, this very tank pictured above is the first 28-tonner completed in the U. S., with regulation armor-plate and guns, and ready for front line action. With K. T. Keller (right) President, Chrysler Corporation, which made this first tank in its new \$20,000,000 arsenal near Detroit, and Major General Charles M. Wesson, Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army, looking on, this tank, the first of hundreds to come (1) splashed through a deep stream, (2) fired its six guns, including 75mm. and 37mm. cannons, intermittently, (3) smashed through a house, and (4) at 25 miles per hour, snapped off telephone poles as if they were match sticks.

Every news item is supposed to have its five W's—Who, When, Where, What and Why. Advertising has its five W's, too—

WHY are Customers?

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FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1941

MOTHER'S DAY

Whatever Time may be, we like to think of it as a fertile field into which the seeds of life are sown by a Master planter—seeds that grow up and produce other seed and then fall back into the soil to make it richer and warmer for coming generations of seeds. It is significant that occasionally a seed produces other things than like seeds—new things, bright and cheerful that add to the appreciation and understanding of life and the complexities of life. Such a seed was Miss Ann Jarvis who, back in 1907, originated Mother's Day in Philadelphia, Pa., dedicating the second Sunday in May to mothers. But it was not until 1913 that Congress made it a national holiday. Next Sunday is Mother's Day. It is dedicated to the best mother in the world—YOUR mother. Let's all, in some way, honor mother on her day. It would be a hell of a world without her.

Red River county boys who pick up a few dollars selling coon and mink hides during the winter months will have to grease their traps and put them away for five years, due to a recently-passed law for Red River county which forbids trapping these animals over that period of years. They must be getting scarce in the county. Good coon hounds must now be coaxed into treeing opossums and squirrels. Coon hunting was great sport in Red River county along Sulphur and Cuthand before the levee districts came and so much timber was cut.

Taxes in Texas were boosted 18 per cent by the bill passed last week by the legislature, it is estimated by economical minds. Some additions were made to old taxes and many new ones enacted. It is estimated to raise about \$22,000,000. This in the face of the demand of the federal treasury for eleven billion eight hundred million. Texas will pay 3.75 per cent of this total or \$438,570,000. This sum represents \$274.58 per family of four. To this add the additional \$22,000,000 demanded by the Texas legislature, and we have a total tax debt that will be back-breaking at tax-paying time. What Texas and the federal government both need is economy and less unnecessary spending.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
 in Pittsburg Gazette

Yugoslavia found her soul, but lost her head.

Train yourself up in the way your child should go.

A man begins to get old when he thinks his grandchildren ought to be in bed by nine o'clock.

This is that gorgeous season when a man is convinced that what his health needs is a day or so fishing.

We have enough oil in Texas to pour oil on the troubled waters, but who wants to get out on the water?

Our idea of an optimist is a man who reads the daily accounts of boat sinkings and then expects to see his ship come in.

A United States senator has made this observation: "A man is never dead politically until he quits shaking hands with people."

The old fashioned woman who was satisfied with one spinning wheel now has a great granddaughter who is not satisfied unless she is spinning four.

Now that Uncle Sam will establish a base on Greenland, he will experience little trouble getting plenty of men to stay there during July and August.

With an important senatorial election coming up in Texas, those who did not pay their poll taxes are going to suffer a sad disappointment. Poll tax payments in the state fell off one-third.

Sensible nations don't become excited over signed treaties. The day when a treaty was regarded as something sacred passed with the Kaiser in World War No. 1 and Hitler in World War No. 2.

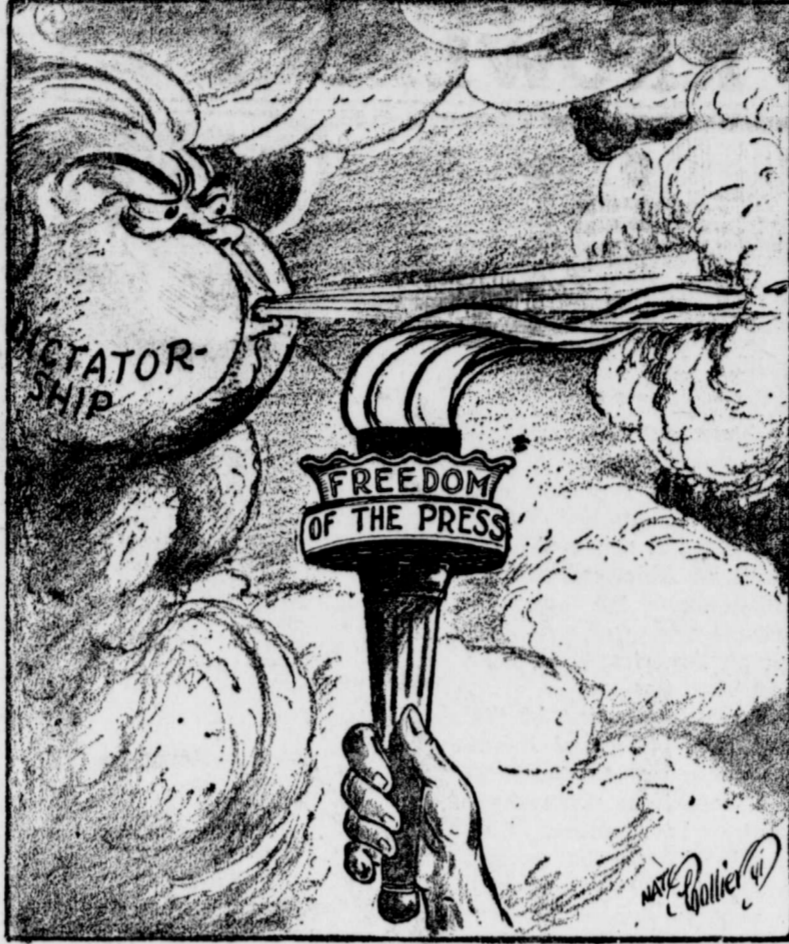
It hasn't been a very long time since the spending of a billion dollars by our government was considered wild extravagance. Now we are spending twenty billions and everybody thinks it is the thing to do.

Sunday, May 18, has been designated as "I am an American" Day. Why not observe the other 364 days accordingly? It is not enough to be an American for only one day. And it is not enough to be anything but a good American, either.

The governor wants the legislature to investigate job-selling in the Texas public school system. It will take about thirty thousand dollars to make the investigation, but the money will be well spent if there is any chance of killing this nefarious evil which, it is said, exists in many sections of the state.

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Talco Choral Club Presents Program at Paris Junior College

Musical selections by a choral group of the Talco elementary schools were presented at the assembly program Thursday morning at Paris Junior College in Paris.

Accompanied by L. E. Gilbert, head of the music department in Talco schools, the group was directed by student W. Joe Norris and accompanied by another student, Peggy Lou Slye.

Numbers presented by the chorus included "Santa Lucia," "Goodbye, My Lover, Goodbye," "Hallowe'en Night," "Soldiers' Chorus," "Before All Lands in East and West," "Boating Song" and "The Seasons." Two accordion numbers, "The Blue Danube Waltz" and "Under the Double Eagle" were given by Mr. Gilbert, and a tap number was given by Wanda Beth Carl.

Members of the group are Lavonne Alexander, Mary Jo Carlisle, Jerene Chapman, Joylan Cramer, June Duke, Mary Jo Easterling, Mary Helen Foster, Bertha Frugia, Addie Fae Harris, Wynema Hutchison, Martha Jean Hoffpauir, Mauriense Reeves, Laverne Pass, Juanita Butler, Evelyn Ford, Molly van Winkle, Lou Catherine Norris, June Sullivan, Barbara Mansfield, Dorothy Ann Vest, Guylene Pinkston, Fern Whitney, Margie Rene Williams, Marion Trimble, Pauline Roach, Dorothy Holder, Joy Parker, W. B. Price, Viola Hazelwood, Juanita Wiggins, Ruby Nicewarmer and Hildred Williams.

Mrs. Alice Ruth Tidwell of Deport, was a guest during the week end of Mrs. W. C. Crawford of Talco.

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LOCAL NEWS

PHONE 101 LUCILLE BELL, Reporter

Tommie Pirtle made a business trip to Paris on Tuesday.

Stimey Miller visited in Pittsburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley made a business trip to Paris on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones and A. C. Jr. visited in Kilgore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crawford and children visited in Paris on Monday.

Felix Jones was in a Paris hospital Tuesday for medical examination.

George Massad spent the week end in Tyler with his brother, Frank.

O. R. Medlin of Hawkins, visited here on Sunday with his wife and children.

Miss Thelma Wages returned to her home Saturday after treatment at a Paris hospital.

Miss Pauline Reagan of Paris, visited here Monday night with Miss Marie Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mayfield visited Sunday in Hawkins with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dolan.

Misses Lucille Bell, Polly McAlister and James Bell motored to Deport on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hardin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Loven in Paris on Sunday.

Richard West has returned to his home in Talco after surgical treatment in a Paris hospital.

Mrs. W. E. Mitchell Jr. of Glade-water, spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. John B. Brown.

Mrs. Lottie McFerrin spent the week end in Bridges Chapel with her daughter, Mrs. A. Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAlister and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Maze made a business trip to Tyler Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tidwell of Deport, spent Sunday evening here in the home of Mrs. W. C. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Travis spent Sunday in Paris with Mrs. Travis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Harris.

James Bell, who is employed in Hawkins, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pluhiph of Overton, visited here Friday morning with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAlister.

Mrs. Myrtle Gage, Mrs. Myror Gage and Mrs. J. T. Stephenson and children made a business trip to Hawkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dunagan, Misses Frances Cornett, Lillian Nell McCowan and Mrs. R. C. Walker attended the home-coming and singing convention in Gilmer over the week end.

Misses Jessie McCullers, Addie Mae Hazlewood and Mary Ganaway visited in Mt. Pleasant on Thursday night.

Mrs. Guy Dunn, after surgical treatment at a Paris hospital, returned to her home in Talco on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lorraine McFerrin and baby, Gabbie Jean, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. R. A. David in Daingerfield.

H. G. Wright has been seriously ill at his home in Bogata since last Sunday. He is a pioneer resident of the Halesboro community.

Mrs. F. C. Barnswell, who has been in a Paris hospital for the past three weeks for surgical treatment, returned to her home here on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dunagan attended the funeral of C. C. Crawford, president of Tri-State Convention of Kilgore, in Tenaha on Thursday.

The senior class of the Bogata High School has had photographs made and grouped on a large board and enough pictures taken of the group to supply the whole class. This was observed Wednesday at the Praytor Studio in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Carrier of Cotton Valley, La., are the proud parents of a 9-pound baby boy, born April 30 in a Clarksville hospital and has been named Louis Merrick. Mrs. Carrier is the former Miss Alliere Goodwin of Talco.

Bob Woodward and Ray Vance of Talco, were guests of the Masonic lodge of Sulphur Bluff on Monday night, where a chicken barbecue was served. The Grandmaster and past Grandmaster of Dallas and Ft. Worth were present.

A number of Talco residents attended the semi-annual convention of the Titus County Singing Association at Mt. Pleasant on Sunday. One of the largest crowds within the history of the organization was present and lunch was spread picnic style at the noon hour.

Calvary Baptist

REV. S. D. LINDSEY, Pastor B. L. Gieger, Sunday school superintendent; R. J. Friday, BTU director. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. BTU at 6:45 and evening service at 7:45. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00 and WMU on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A very large crowd attended both the morning and evening services. The revival meeting is progressing with a very large crowd attending each night. The meeting began May 4 and will end May 11. Everyone is urged to attend. You are cordially invited to attend the Calvary Baptist Church during the revival meeting and every Sunday.—Reporter.

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS

Advertisement for 'The Pocketbook of Knowledge' by Topps, featuring illustrations and text about defense needs, a chemical company using an electron microscope, and a letter sent about oil.

OIL FOLLOWS NEGRO, SO HE IS OFFERED FARM

CROCKETT.—If oil really does refuse to stay away from the door of Willie Christian, negro farmer of Hawkins, then Jim W. Henry, Crockett farmer, wants Willie to move his door—to Jim Henry's farm. Mr. Henry, owner of a rich Trinity river black land farm in Houston county, has offered Willie a warranty deed to 30 acres of his land, provided Willie will build a house there and make it his home for 15 years.

Believes Stories

Said Mr. Henry: "I believe those stories about oil dogging Willie's footsteps wherever he lives. I am willing to try it out anyhow."

Willie lived on his farm in Gregg county in the East Texas oil field until royalty from producing wells made him wealthy 10 years ago and the continuous noise of drilling machinery began to bother him. Looking around for a farm far removed from the oil field and its noise, Willie bought a 160-acre tract a few years ago near Hawkins, where all was quiet. Now he finds himself living beside another oil field and his farm leased for possible development.

Mr. Henry is of the opinion that Willie may decide to move again, so he mailed to him the following letter:—Reporter.

Letter Sent

"I have read about oil continually dogging your footsteps, wherever you move to in East Texas. I hear that while you lived peacefully on your farm in Gregg county, oil was found on your land, and later on, due to the noise of machinery from nearby drilling wells, you decided to get away from it and bought a farm near Hawkins. Since the discovery of oil near your land there, you may be considering moving again.

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Methodist Church

C. S. WILHITE, Pastor The Rev. C. S. Wilhite, Miss Mary Hazlewood and Mrs. Geo. P. Grout attended a Daily Vacation Church School institute held at the First Methodist Church in Cooper on Wednesday, May 7. The Sulphur Springs district of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will meet Wednesday, May 14 at 10 a. m. at Sulphur Springs. It is expected that a group from the local church will attend.

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Friday and Saturday "The Texas Rangers Ride Again"

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"Mr. and Mrs. Smith"

with Carole Lombard Robert Montgomery also Comedy and News

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"The Devil and Mrs. Jones"

with Jean Arthur and Chas. Coburn also Comedy and News

Advertisement for Bond's Grocery & Market, featuring a photo of a woman and text about Mother's Day and grocery items.

Large advertisement for the Precision Oven, featuring an illustration of a woman using the oven and various text boxes listing benefits like 'No Watching', 'No Searing', and 'No Turning'.

Government Progress in the National Defense Program

President Roosevelt, saying the nation is confronted with a "critical situation," ordered all available machines pooled for defense work on a 24-hour day, 7-day week schedule. He also asked a reconvaas of the nation, including the armed forces, for skilled workers to operate machines.

DEFENSE NEEDS FIRST

Blackwell Smith said: "We cannot have business as usual so long as we must pay first attention to defense needs."

"We are not choosing between guns and butter," he said, "but between tanks and airplanes and ships, and some things which are not so essential."

"When you consider that our major defense effort is less than a year old, you begin to sense what the future holds. It will mean dislocations and difficulties, higher taxes, shortages in an undetermined number of products . . . and it certainly means an overall effort which will tax all the resources of the nation."

Commerce Secretary Jones said: "We have not yet made any sacrifices, but they are in store for us, plenty of them."

LABOR SUPPLY

The Social Security Board reported shortages of labor in certain machine shop occupations, shipbuilding and boilermaking and an increasing need for electrical, mechanical and optical instrument makers and wood patternmakers. The Labor Department reported 290,000 workers given employment in one month and said that 310,000 additional workers will be needed by September, 1942, in shipyards alone. The Civil Service Commission announced that persons up to 65 years old are now eligible for Federal trades and artisan positions.

COST OF LIVING
Secretary of Labor Perkins reported living costs of moderate income families in March were 2.6 per cent higher than before war started in Europe. She reported price rises in sugar, coffee, pork, butter, canned vegetables and certain fresh fruits and vegetables, rents, clothing and house furnishings.

Consumer Commissioner Harriet Elliott warned that some manufacturers were maintaining unchanged prices by lowering the quality of their products.

DEFENSE HOUSING
President Roosevelt approved legislation authorizing a \$150,000,000 expansion of the defense housing program and asked Congress for \$15,000,000 to purchase 14,200 portable houses, 6,900 dormitory units and an obsolete passenger ship to house defense workers during the housing emergency. Roosevelt reported \$5,000,000 previously appropriated for emergency purposes in addition to \$447,000,000 for the regular defense housing program, had

been used for 7,300 dormitory units and 3,800 trailers.

AID TO DEMOCRACIES
The President told a press conference he has ordered a survey to ascertain what, if any, planes may be procured immediately from civilian airlines. Navy Secretary Knox told a press conference the Navy has no combat ships available now for transfer to Great Britain, but that more high-speed "mosquito boats" will be turned over to the British as they come off assembly lines.

Treasury Secretary Morgenthau announced an arrangement under which the U. S. will contribute \$50,000,000, the United Kingdom, 5,000,000 pounds sterling, and China, 20,000,000 U. S. dollars, to a Chinese currency stabilization fund to be managed by a five-man board including a U. S. representative.

SHIPPING
President Roosevelt requested U. S. Maritime Commission Chairman Land to arrange a pool of at least 2,000,000 tons of existing merchant shipping which could be used to carry "food and the munitions of war to the democracies of the world." Admiral Land said the shipping would be drawn from the inter-coastal trade, Army and Navy auxiliary ships, the laid-up fleet, requisitioning of foreign vessels in U. S. ports and re-routing of commercial shipping regardless of the resulting inconvenience and loss of trade.

DEFENSE FINANCING
The Treasury Department placed on sale U. S. savings bonds and postal saving stamps designed to obtain money for defense financing and provide investments for all citizens as a "cushion" against possible post defense depression.

FOOD FOR SOLDIERS, SAILORS
The OPM announced the American soldier and sailor is better fed than at least sixty percent of the U. S. population and better than any other fighting man in the world. Every man receives 5,000 calories a day, the agency said. The Army alone uses daily 1,000,000 pounds of meat, 600,000 pounds of potatoes, 700,000 quarts of milk, 125,000 pounds of butter and \$50,000 worth of bread.

NAVY
Navy Secretary Knox told his press conference the Navy's ship construction program is daily setting new records for speed. He said that since January one aircraft carrier, three cruisers and 20 submarines have been added to the fleet. Admiral Stark, Chief of Naval Operations, said U. S. naval policy is "to protect our coasts and our insular possessions from any enemy whatsoever; and to safeguard U. S. interests beyond our shores."

Once an old darky, when asked the secret of his success, replied: "Ah never attempt the impossible, and Ah always co-operates with the inevitable."

CUNNINGHAM
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wyatt were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dorries Sunday.

W. A. Dorries worked on the telephone line from Cunningham to Depert Monday. A slight damage had been done by the high water last week.

O. W. Woodard of Paris, was in Cunningham Sunday.

Miss Virginia Maxfield of Paris, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Williams.

Miss Hazel Deshazo of Cooper, visited her sister, Mrs. Joe B. Williams, the past week.

The play, "For Pete's Sake," was presented Friday night at the school auditorium by the senior class. The sum of \$33 was realized.

The banquet will be given at the school auditorium Thursday night, May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McGahan spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Street of Lewisville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bays of Paris, spent the week end in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Dave Kennedy.

Claude Kennedy and Dave Kennedy have opened a new store at this place.

Mrs. John Allen and son, Boze, have returned home after spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Fowler, and family of John-town.

Mrs. Lee Oats is reported improving after several days' illness.

Miss Elnora Wood, who is employed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McGahan, is spending this week in the home of her parents in Denton county.

Mrs. W. T. Lawrence has returned

to her home here with her infant son from a hospital in Paris.

Mrs. Garland Anderson and children of Glendale, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. H. E. Ladd.

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In Talco Four and Five Years Ago

From the Back Files of The Talco Times

Week of May 7, 1937

Tentative date for election on a \$150,000 bond issue to pave approximately 25 blocks of Talco streets and for construction of a \$20,000 municipal building had been set for May 22.

Sixteen new wells had been completed in the Talco field during the week.

Valedictorian of the Talco High School senior class was Miss Venedia Neeley. Miss Sue Wilson was salutatorian.

Dr. R. A. Tate, Talco health officer, had announced an anti-malaria campaign and drainage project that would employ 40 men.

E. M. Lide had been granted permit to construct a \$15,000 building in Talco to house a Ford agency and repair department.

Week of May 8, 1936

Baseball fans had a drive underway to secure funds to erect stands at the ball park. A large portion of the money had already been obtained.

With the good showing of the Gault No. 1 by Humble Company operators were satisfied with the field's location and derricks were springing up in both the townsite and in the field.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kelley had been called to Henderson to be the bedside of their daughters, Mrs. Don Wimp, who was ill.

Mrs. Ed Holder had returned from a Paris hospital, where she had been receiving medical treatment for ten days.

Funeral services had been held for Ernest H. Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barton, who was the U. S. Army at El Paso, and died on Tuesday.

LOTS OF MERRIMENT

"I love looking at her when she laughs."

"Why?"

"There seems to be so much fun in her having a good time."

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Calvary Baptist Having Revival

Attendance was in capacity at the Calvary Baptist Church on Sunday, for the beginning of the revival which started Sunday morning, with Rev. Raymond Smoot of Paris, preaching the gospel messages.

The pastor, Rev. S. D. Lindsay, and the entire church membership extends a welcome invitation to everyone to attend these services. The revival will end next Sunday night.

POOR OSWALD

Mrs. Jones had just been presented a beautiful new fur coat by her husband.

"You know, Oswald," she said as she stood admiring herself in the long mirror, "one really can't help feeling sorry for the poor thing that was skinned for this."

Come One—
Come All
TO THE

Conscience Fund Begun in 1811, Now Near One Million

In 1811 the Treasury at Washington started an account called the "conscience fund," into which was placed a remittance from a remorseful citizen who had evaded a federal tax.

In the 129 years since the fund was started it has received nearly a million dollars, a considerable amount of balm for guilty consciences.

A recent check came from a former doughboy who pilfered some chocolate candy bars from a government supply truck in France during the World War. He sent \$2 to pay for the stolen sweets.

The "conscience fund" would swell to enormous proportions if all Americans who have evaded their indebtedness to the government would follow the example of those who have already repented of their sins against Uncle Sam.

Every year, merchandise which would yield large sums in customs duties is sneaked into the country by tourists returning home after foreign vacations, as well as by professional smugglers.

There is widespread evasion also of many federal taxes, particularly the income tax, for which many have been severely punished.

The Americans who have poured money into the "conscience fund" apparently decided, after thinking it over, that one should be as honest with the government as with his fellow citizens. Which is a thought many more could ponder with profit.

Cow Produces 12 Tons of Manure Each Year

A 1,000-pound cow will produce on the average about 12 tons of manure a year, containing plant food equivalent to 700 pounds of nitrate of soda, worth \$12.60. 300 pounds sixteen per cent superphosphate, valued at \$2.45; and 240 pounds fifty per cent muriate of potash, worth \$4.80, totaling \$19.85 in fertilizer annually from the one animal, according to experiment station officials.

Second Road Bond Vote in Lamar June 7

Second election on the proposed \$200,000 road bond issue in Lamar county will be held on Saturday, June 7, according to an order passed Saturday afternoon by Lamar county commissioners.

Order for the second election following acknowledgement by the court of receipt of a petition signed by more than 50 Lamar county taxpayers voters.

First election for the bond issue was held May 5 and was defeated by 106 votes.

The commissioners also ordered the inauguration of the Federal Food Stamp Plan in Lamar county and the employment of an assistant county Woman's Home Demonstration agent for a period starting Sept. 1, 1941 and ending Dec. 31, 1941.

STAGES OF AGES

A negro woman applied for relief in Florida during last winter's cold spell.

"Have you any children?" asked the investigator.

"Yes, Sah, Ah's got foah."

"How old are they?"

"Well, now le's see—Ah's got one lap chile, one creeper, one porch chile and one yard young'un."

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Mass Meeting Asks All-Out Brittain Aid

"You can't stop a tank with an Enfield rifle; you can't beat a 400-mile-an-hour airplane with a 200-mile-an-hour airplane . . .

"Delays in defense production must be stopped by labor, else they will be stopped by our government, for the patience of the American people with such delays has been worn until it is frayed thin."

Thus did Lieut.-Col. Byron G. Blalock, Camp Bowie, in an address at a patriotic rally in Paris on Tuesday evening, hammer home two salient points in his address before some 2,500 citizens gathered at Wise Field.

Col. Blalock called upon his listeners to lend their undivided support to the President in this period of trial.

He said it hardly can be deemed fair to ask selectees to serve their country at \$21 per month while those at home "delay production because they want \$18 per day instead of \$14."

He did not declare all strikes are unjust, but did say in plain language that the workers of America ought to put off their wage demands until the emergency is past.

Strike Losses Increase
"The total man hours lost during the first four months of 1941 due to strikes is more than 12,000,000," Col. Blalock said. "The total for the whole of 1940 was 6,000,000 man hours. This sort of thing must stop. If labor doesn't stop it, the people of the United will, for their patience is about exhausted."

Col. Blalock said the German war machine today is unstoppable on land. He said it could and did roll aside the best opposition with which it could be confronted. It represents, he said, the expenditure of \$230,000,000,000 (billions) of dollars since Hitler came to power.

"Not gold or silver dollars, but commandeered labor and bartered goods—goods bartered for materials needed for war. The \$230,000,000,000 spent by Germany is now being used in implements of war. And how much has our government appropriated for defense? Thirty-three billions of dollars, and most of this is on order and not yet available."

Other speakers on the program were Lieut.-Col. James M. Caviness, Parisian now also stationed at Camp Bowie, and Harry Wilson, Brookston farmer and stockman. O. W. Boswell presided.

The mass meeting adopted unanimously a resolution calling for all-out assistance to Britain, the conveying of ships carrying aid to Britain, increasing the personnel of land, sea and air fighting forces "in order that there may be assembled for the defense of this county and this hemisphere the most powerful armaments of modern warfare, so that when the day of conflict shall

NEW HAGANSPORT

By MRS. E. W. BURKS
Ernest Clevenger of Panthers Chapel, spent Saturday night with G. E. Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dodson carried Mrs. McDuffie to Gilmer, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Scudder, and Mr. and Mrs. Dodson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dodson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dodson and family of James.

Louis Cole and Andrew Carroll of Ft. Bliss, visited home folks here over the week end.

Mrs. John Wilks and family spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barron of Oakdale.

Miss Dora Parchman and Misses Reta Fay and Leta May Alford of Mt. Vernon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Talley and daughter, Ada Merle. They attended Sunday school at the Church of Christ at Old Hagensport.

J. C. Lee and wife of Mt. Vernon, are visiting in the Walter Connors home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams and children are visiting relatives in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison of Mt. Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Coe.

Mrs. Ada Keener moved from the Coe place to rooms at Billie Banks home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cannaday spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mays at Sulphur Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Crowston were water bound last Wednesday night and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tulley of McCrury. Traffic was stopped on Sulphur bridge.

Jack Fogarty of Talco, will preach at the Church of Christ, beginning Sunday and each second Sunday of the month. He will preach Saturday night, Sunday morning and night. Everybody is invited to come out and hear him.

The flood on Sulphur was the center of attraction last Thursday. It is believed there were between 1200 and 1500 people there during the day. It was a sight to watch the water roll over the highway. Crops and land were badly damaged.

Gerome Dyer took his father and Mr. Dennis Payne to Dallas Saturday for treatment.

Mrs. Mary Nell Henry took her pupils to her mother's, Mrs. Mince at Eureka Friday for a picnic.

BLACKEYED PEA PIE IS NEW TABLE DELICACY

A new table delicacy has appeared—blackeyed pea pie. Credit is given Mrs. Ed Wilson, route 4, Athens, for discovering that pie made from blackeyed peas is delicious and the rival of pie made from sweet potatoes.

"Come, we shall be able to successfully defend these shores against barbaric invasion from whatever source and from whatever direction it may be undertaken."

JOHNTOWN

By LILLIE DRYDEN
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jennings of Paris, visited Sunday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Watts.

Aubrey Cooper, who is in the U. S. Army, stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso, arrived Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stringfellow and son, Ronnie and Mrs. Vera Stringfellow and son, Ray of Dallas, spent the week end with relatives here and in Clarksville.

Ted Baxter narrowly escaped injury Saturday night when a car sideswiped his car, smashing the left side.

Johntown school closed Friday. The children presented an enjoyable program in the school auditorium Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Phifer and the Misses Vida Bell and Maggie Lou Greer of Gilmer, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. E. G. Peacock and daughters, Misses Margaret and Mary Earl, and Lee Ray Ragland of Texarkana, spent the week end at the W. J. Hawkins home.

Rex Womack, recreational leader, accompanied a group of children from the Johtown school to Avery Saturday to the county-wide play day.

Bob Smith was taken to the Grant hospital in Deport Friday for medical treatment.

Burford Denny, who is employed in the NYA camp at Avery, spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oliver and daughter, Dorothy of Talco, visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Oliver's sister, Mrs. Katie Pirtle.

Ted Baxter and Mrs. Gene Hawkins transacted business in Avery and Clarksville Saturday.

A Mother's Day program will be presented at the Methodist church Sunday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Arnold and baby of Halesboro, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wooten, this week.

G. A. Vaughn is ill this week. Inquiries have been received by Johtown people from Billy Hood of Lorenzo, who is graduating. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hawkins.

MORE JEWS IN UNITED STATES THAN ANY OTHER COUNTRY

The American Jewish Committee estimated the Jewish population of the world in 1939 (year of last estimate) at 15,748,000. The country with the largest Jewish population is the United States, with more than 4,770,000.

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MAPLE SPRINGS

By DOROTHY TEMPLES
Frebert Belcher of Valliant, Ok., is visiting relatives and friends here.

S. M. Morgan of Dallas, transacted business in Maple Springs Monday.

C. L. Taylor of Clarksville, was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. E. V. Duke and Dorothy Temples attended the funeral of Mrs. Ward Wednesday in Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Tommie Jo Flanagan of ETSTC, Commerce, and Alford Flanagan of SMU, Dallas, visited their mother, Mrs. A. V. Flanagan, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Matthews and children, Lucy Sue and Jackie Ray of Houston, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Temples, this week.

Jimana and John Taylor, Caylon Sanders and Wallace Fry attended the singing convention in Mt. Pleasant Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harbour and children visited Mrs. Betts, who is seriously ill in the Texarkana hospital, Sunday evening.

Jimmie Lain and family visited friends and relatives in Hagensport Sunday.

Paul Harbour, Joe Bob Temples and G. W. Johnson had an enjoyable trip to Austin this week.

Miss Jimana Taylor presented her music pupils in a recital Wednesday evening. Those appearing on the program were: Rose Angle, Janie Wilson, Dorothy Temples, Adelia Land, Mrs. Bill Land, Peggy Stephens, Sterlin and Mary Ellen Napierkie, Mrs. E. V. Duke and the rhythm band as guest musicians.

Maple Springs school will close Wednesday, May 7. There will be further notice of the high school play.

High school students will go to Daingerfield park on Tuesday for a picnic.

Mrs. E. V. Duke, Mrs. J. S. Temples and Dorothy Temples attended the singing convention in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

FOR MEN ONLY

If you are one-half the man your mother thinks you are, or dreamed you would be, you will not have to be reminded that Sunday is Mother's Day.

CUTHAND

Mrs. Smith of New Boston, visited her brother, Herbert Tuck and other relatives here last week.

Miss Geraldine Upchurch of Boxelder, was a week end guest of Miss Wanza Sue Brooks.

Phillip Brooks of Brownwood, was a visitor of homefolks Sunday. Miss Faye Fuller of Clarksville, is spending a few days with her mother and sister.

Mrs. Ella Varner returned home last week after several weeks visit with her sons in Mt. Pleasant.

Hershel Tittle had the misfortune of getting several ribs broken Sunday afternoon when thrown from a horse.

Atha Province of Turner's Lake, was a victim of a paralysis stroke several days ago and is in a serious condition. His son, Leon, of Cuthand, has been with his father all this week.

Miss Cora Cheek of Ft. Worth, has returned home after several weeks visit with Mrs. L. S. Mankins.

Roy Capps and family were guests Sunday at the home of T. D. Latimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker West of Talco, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Will Arnold, parents of Mrs. West.

The schools at Maple and Mt. Livingston closed Friday. Mrs. L. S. Mankins spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Jim Watts at Johtown. Troy Cavnar of California and Burrus Cavnar of Amarillo, were here last week because of the serious illness of their mother.



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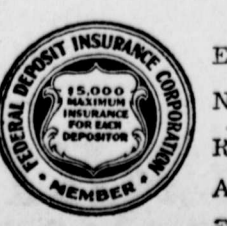
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HUMBLE CAMP NEWS

By LOUISE THORNTON

Jane Rosson is confined this week by illness.

Mrs. Eddie Ray made a business trip to Bogata Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Dyson made a business trip to Paris Thursday.

Mrs. Blackie Henderson made a business trip to Paris Friday.

Mrs. Jack Van Winkle made a business trip to Commerce Monday.

Mrs. D. A. Morgan and sister visited their father in San Angelo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gartman have returned home after a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. S. C. Cowan is in a Jacksonville hospital this week for medical treatment.

A. L. Rodgers is in the Gilmer hospital this week having his tonsils removed.

Miss Zenith Steele of Hawkins, visited friends in the camp several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Loggins of Paris, visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Loggins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis and son of Paris, visited Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Sockwell on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Needham and children spent the week end in the M. D. Vansau home.

John Tellus Ray and Lois Jean Kirkham visited friends in New London on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Stephenson of Hawkins, visited friends in the camp last week end.

Miss Lillian Allison has returned home after an extended visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Anderson and Mary and their guest, Dixie Lee, were in Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman and children made a business trip to Mt. Pleasant on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reeves and family visited friends and relatives in Mexia over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Parker and children, Joy and Bobby, made a business trip to Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Walker visited friends and relatives in Galveston and Houston last week end.

Mrs. Arthur Dyson and sisters, Mary Louise and Bessie Fae Kelly, visited friends in Hawkins Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Shaw returned home Thursday from a Paris hospital, where she has been undergoing medical treatment for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones and sister, Mrs. Agnes Plott of Mineola, visited in the J. H. Dickerson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Holloway made a business trip to Tyler Monday. Mrs. Holloway also visited friends in Gladewater.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. King Jr. and daughter, Martha Kay, visited Mrs. King's parents in Grapeland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Maywald and daughter, Judith Ann of Gladewater, spent Wednesday through Saturday in the J. H. Weatherall home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Strack of La Porte, who have been transferred to Hawkins, visited in the L. A. Allison home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Walker visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Murphy of Big Sandy, and returned home by Hawkins where they visited friends.

Cecil Johnson received a graduation gift from his brother, who is in the Navy in the Hawaiian Islands, which was a Hawaiian guitar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Foster visited her mother in Maud Sunday. While there she visited her uncle in Queen City and also attended church.

Mrs. Miller entertained the Thursday Bridge Club. Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. S. C. Cowan, Brotherton, Ramsey, Doherty, Rudy Warnell, Kirkham and K. O. France. Mrs. Cowan won high.

Jerry Boone and Jack Smith entertained a group of friends Saturday with a party. Delicious refreshments of cake and punch were served to the following: Mary Ruth Smith, Lois Jean Carlisle, Oleta Nicewarner, Mary Jo Loe, Jack Swope, Bob Later, John Carl Farrell, Betty Foster, Wanda Jean Alford, Jewel Smith, Charlene Allums and Marion McAfee. An enjoyable time was reported by all.

War Millionaires Have Tough Time

Here is comfort for all of those—including some of our British friends—whose chief worry is that out of war orders will spring a new crop of American millionaires.

According to Benjamin M. Anderson, professor of economics at the University of California (Los Angeles branch), a man making \$1,000,000 in one year in New York state, would turn over \$807,000 to federal and state governments in income taxes at present schedules. To make \$1,000,000 net, he would have to earn \$7,141,075.

If every new millionaire contributes \$6,000,000 to the income tax bill, not to mention several hundred other taxes, we should welcome a regiment of them.—Nation's Business Magazine.

Too Much Speaking Writer Declares

There is too much speaking in the world, and almost all of it is too long. The Lord's Prayer, the Twenty-third Psalm, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, are three great literary treasures that will last forever; no one of them is as long as 300 words. With such striking illustrations of the power of brevity it is amazing that speakers never learn to be brief.—Bruce Barton in Collier's.

LEGEND OF "LOST NIGGER" GOLD MINE LURED MANY HUNTERS TO DEL RIO

Tales of the famous "Lost Nigger Mine" over in the Ladrone Mountains across the Rio Grande from the Texas side in the Big Bend country are numerous and varied. There is wrapped about the old mine tradition and legend which have braved the years, which have been added to; which have been trimmed down, expanded or decreased as the will of the individual who wove them determined on the spur of the moment.

But, through them all, a negro, Bill Kelley, known more commonly as Seminole Bill, hailing from the Santa Rosa Mountains near Del Rio, stands forth as about the most sought after negro in the history of the Southwest.

Seminole Bill and Del Rio figure prominently in the innumerable attempts which have been made to locate the Lost Nigger Mine. Hundreds of fortune hunters have come to Del Rio in an attempt to track Seminole Bill. During many years, perhaps long after Seminole Bill turned up his toes and passed on, they continued to visit Del Rio.

Seminole Bill knew the exact location of the Lost Nigger Mine in the Ladrone. Bill Kelley was the one who found the old mine.

In 1884 the Reagan brothers, Jim, John, Lee and Frank, drove a great trail herd of cattle down into the Big Bend region. They were the first to run their cattle along the Rio Grande in Texas. Their reasons for this move are known only too themselves.

In 1887 Bill Kelley joined the crew. One night the cowboys were seated about the campfire. Below them the Rio Grande murmured its monotonous tune. Above a glinty silver moon shone down over the Lone Star State. Stars studded the skies. Coyotes yapped on neighboring hills. And were answered by their mates from across the draws.

Into the camp stalked Seminole Bill to inform the Reagans he had found a rich gold mine. Thinking the negro had chanced upon a Mexican and had absorbed too much tequila, they held him up to ridicule.

"Why didn't you bring some of it back?" he then was asked after waxing serious on his declarations. Negro superstition conquered him, he said. "The gold wasn't intended to be found by me. It ain't mine. It'll mean my death, sho'. But you'll come an' I'll show yo' where it is."

Wild gold mine yarns were ancient things about campfires even in 1887 and so things went merrily along. However, next day Seminole Bill did fetch into camp samples from his mine. They fairly glittered with gold. Excitement broke out in all its brutal fury.

Then Seminole Bill, fearing he would be killed, "borrowed" a horse and shucked off into the night. Since that night Bill Kelley or Seminole Bill was one much sought negro. Fortunes have been spent in trying to run down Seminole Bill. Other

fortunes have been spent in turning up the Ladrone Mountains. Expeditions have been formed and many excursions into the region have been made.

But the Lost Nigger Mine defied re-discovery. Tales galore have been told of the old mine. Some maintain it was a treasure buried after a bandit tribe had robbed Monterrey of its riches and were forced to plant their loot in the Ladrone, then speed on away from those who gave chase.

Others advanced this theory and that. Some said it was drift gold. Others said it was a rich ledge.

The Reagans spent huge sums of money trying to find the Lost Nigger Mine. Acting on one hot tip obtained while at San Antonio, one of the Reagans wired to Del Rio ordering an outfit of horses and provisions be made for him on the instant for an expedition into the Ladrone. The expedition was made. The mine was never found.

Seminole Bill, inheriting the name due to the fact he had a habit of melting into the Indian tribe of that name on occasion, was heard from, according to fantasy, here and there and everywhere on both sides of the border.

One report had his enjoying the fleshpots of Monterrey, spending lavishly, keeping his women well dressed, disappearing from the city every three or four weeks for a few days only to return with a few pouches of ore which netted healthy sums.

Whether the Lost Nigger Mine was on the Texas side of the Rio Grande or on the Mexican side offers a conflicting problem. But tradition wrapped about the old mine is enjoyable to read.

And in his "Coronado's Children," J. Frank Dobie, Texas author, dwells extensively upon the old tale and spins about all the available yarns existing concerning it.

DEPORT MERCHANTS WANT MUSTANG CREEK CHANNELED

A tentative move toward channeling Mustang creek in Deport and south of town a sufficient distance to take care of flood waters was made this week when Mayor W. I. Lawler wrote a letter to the Works Progress Administration at Dallas citing the danger of overflows to the city and asking for information on obtaining a WPA project in doing the work.

DEPORT'S WATED PUMP MOTORS DROWNED

The two electric motors used in the pumping station at the Deport city lake, which were overflowed by flood waters last week end sent to Dallas to be baked dry, arrived early Saturday and were installed. The reserve water supply had given out in some parts of town, due to lack of sufficient pressure to push the dwindling supply up inclines.



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