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SHORTAGE OR PLENTY

Government agencies have conducted consumer surveys which bear out the general belief that at the end of the war American consumers will be in the market for every luxury and necessity in the book.

Gems of Thought

HUMILITY
True humility is not an abject, groveling, self-debasing spirit. It is but a right estimate of ourselves as God sees us.
--Tryon Edwards

There is no humiliation for humility.
--Joseph Roux
They that know God will be humble; they that know themselves cannot be proud.
--Flavel

Human pride is human weakness. Self-knowledge, humility, and love are divine strength.
--Mary Baker Eddy

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It never occurred to us boys along in the early 1900's that life was lacking in things to see and do. A bill poster was sure to have an audience of barefooted lads as he piled paste and brush; and so would a painter as he painted a Bull Durham sign on the side of a barn in the edge of town.

There was a checker game to be viewed in the back of the drug store provided a boy would keep quiet. Or we would watch horse-shoe pitching on a vacant lot or another game in which the players tossed silver dollars into holes.

Getting a new hat or a new suit or new shoes was an adventure. A boy wanted a pair of shoes that would squeak so that everyone would hear and then look, and they would see that he was wearing new ones.

Some people, who are making salaries that were never dreamed of a few years ago in the days of W.P.A., are flinging their money around and then when the war is over and the nation gets back to normal production, such people are going to be mighty sad.

Credit Association Is Nearing Total Home Ownership Goal

Long strides toward complete local ownership of production credit associations are being made and only 11.2 percent of the 1942 income of the associations in Texas came from the government investment, according to reports of officers and directors of the Stamford Production Credit Association who attended the district conference in Akleno July 14 and 15.

President J. B. Pumphrey said that the Stamford association now has \$178,310.00 in member-owned capital and \$75,292.00 in earned surplus, or 81 percent of the total capital structure. "Ten years ago when we started out to have a locally owned co-operative to finance farmers and stockmen from a dependable source in all kinds of times, we started from scratch. Today we have 1,264 member-owners and \$1,291,275 in loans outstanding. Our goal is to become totally member-owned as rapidly as possible."

Those attending the conference from the Stamford Production Credit Association were: J. B. Pumphrey, president, Old Glory; J. F. McCulloch, vice-president, Stamford; C. G. Burson, Haskell; Lester Henley, Guthrie; Clark Forbis, Afton, and J. L. Hill, Jr., sec'y-treas, Stamford.

Noise is said to produce fatigue. The noise produced by some orators certainly does.

4-H Club Boys and Girls Enjoy Camp In Seymour Park

Two hundred and forty 4-H Club boys and girls of Baylor and Knox Counties attended the 4-H Club Encampment held at Seymour Park on Friday and Saturday, July 21 and 22.

Swimming was the greatest diversion of the evening. Each boy and girl had to have a partner before they were allowed to swim. When the whistle blew each person was to find his or her partner. In this way one could check to see if all were safe. The boys swam for an hour then the girls swam for an hour.

A picnic lunch was served at 7:30 that was enjoyed by all. After supper everyone went up to the tennis courts. The group entered in a sing-song led by Helen Willard, Home Demonstration Agent of Baylor County and R. O. Dunkle, County Agent of Knox County. After the group singing a number of games were played. The games were directed by Lucille King, HD Agent of Knox County, Mr. Dunkle and O. K. Hoyle, Agent of Baylor County.

Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves despite the shower that drove them from their beds at 1:30 a. m.

Club Girls Make Lamp From Steering Wheel

Given a few odds and ends, county extension agents sometimes demonstrate miracles. But the demonstration is their Pandora's box of methods to teach farm people greater efficiency and how to multiply their home comforts.

Edith and Fay Ryder, Knox County 4-H Club girls, desired to make a floor lamp out of the steering wheel of an automobile.

Next morning, Edith took a washboard and rubbed the soaked paper into pulp. Flour was added to thicken it and form a paste and the bucket placed on the stove.

With the parts assembled, the agent proceeded with the wiring. The cord was run through the block and the plug put on and tested. Next the socket was screwed to the 4x6 block, and rags cut in one inch strips were used to wrap the steering wheel. Lastly, the papermache was spread on the stand, smoothed and set to dry.

Famous people have degrees conferred on them, while the rest of us have to be satisfied with curfew words conferred on us when we do something out of turn.

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS



The old lyric "There's Something About a Soldier" might well be changed to "There's Something About a Texan." There very definitely is something about the way a Texan fights.

Sgt. Jimmy Logan of Luling, a fighting Texan, who fibbed about his age to get into the scrap, is the nation's newest hero. Here, boiled down to a bare synopsis, is what he did to win the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Another Texan, Colin Ray Sutton, of Taylor, made quite a fighting record almost by accident. The former Taylor Hi football star, whose Marine unit was supposed to be in reserve, volunteered to keep a front-line watch for a worn-out pal.

The Texas veterans of the fighting 36th, by the way, are being royally treated at the hospital. Among other things, they are regularly entertained by show troupes sent out over the "hospital circuit" by USO.

Corp. Bill Curry of Denison and Corp. Bill Marshall of Bonham were in the first wave to land in France. And 18 Texans were in the Navy's Air Group 5 which destroyed 429 Jap planes recently in the Pacific.

They were Lt. Comdr. E. E. Stebbins, Dallas; Lt. M. H. Taylor, Sulphur Springs; Lt. B. L. Taylor, Ft. Worth; Lt. Lester Hecktor, Breckenridge; Lt. S. O. Johnson, Sherman; Ens. I. M. Cauble, El Paso; Ens. T. R. Royster, Wichita Falls; C. F. Laws, Aviation machinists mate, 1st class, Houston; William Corbin, Jr.,

A news dispatch from Saipan reports "in the thick of the fighting was a unit led by Marine Major Tom Gaines of New Braunfels."

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The Texan's share in this war is truly a big one. Of every 18 men in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, one is a native of the Lone Star State. Recent reports show approximately 650,000 Texans in the services.

Every dispatch from the fighting fronts reminds us that the descendants of the heroes of the Alamo are first-string scrappers. The recruiting officer who told the boys up north that they should "join the army and help Texas win the war" was not far from the truth!

Capt. John A. Paul of Kerrville is wearing a bronze star won in the hard fighting at Bougainville. Lt. Bill Hogan of Clarksville, now recovering from wounds, has been given the Distinguished Service Cross for heroism in wiping out an anti-tank gun crew... and the same medal has

gone to Lt. Delbert C. Gates of Joinerville, with a citation which attests his "extraordinary heroism" in fighting off a Jap attack while armed only with an automatic rifle.

"Commando" Kelley, the Yankee Irishman who became a Texan and won the Congressional Medal of Honor by fighting heroically with Texas' 26th Division, stopped off in Austin recently to thank the "home folks" for their contributions to the war effort.

One of the youngest generals in the Army is C. D. "Casey" Vincent, veteran fighter pilot. He's only 29 but strictly a Texas fighting man.

Confidence borne with Pride...
Without brass bands and without gold medals the pharmacist plays his part in the American way of life. With confidence born of thorough training in the science of compounding medicines, his part is that of "Health Defender."
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HAVE YOU A TRUE PICTURE OF YOUR ELECTRIC BILL?
MANY folks don't. They're as far from the real facts as this photo in an amusement park mirror!
Proof? In a nation-wide survey, 42% of the people sharply overestimated the amount of their last electric bill. 59% didn't realize that rates had been reduced in the last fifteen years--and 95% didn't realize how much!
Actually, the average American family gets about twice as much electricity today as it did fifteen years ago for the same money.
"FOR the same money." That's the clue. You don't realize that rates are down, because your bill may be as much as it was fifteen years ago--or perhaps even more. But you have more electric appliances now. You're using more electricity--and you get about twice as much for what you pay.
* See "Report to the Nation," news program of the week, every Wednesday, 10:30 P.M., E.W.T., Columbia Broadcasting System.

More Protein In Feed Will Help Shortage

The present indications are the protein feed supply for the next 12 months will be no greater than it was for the past 12 months, according to R. O. Dunkle, County Agent. This being true, the farmers and stockmen need to take steps to lessen the demand for protein feeds. This can be done by increasing the protein content of the roughages (grass, silage and hay). The younger a plant is the higher it will analyze in protein. This means keeping the grass young, tender, green and growing, if possible. This can be done, except in case of extreme drought, by close grazing and mowing.

The protein content of the hay can be increased by cutting the hay crop at a more immature stage than is now customarily done. The majority of the farmers of Texas let the hay crop mature before cutting. Sorghum can be cut when ripe analyzes about five per cent protein, whereas if it is cut in the bloom stage, it will analyze about eight per cent protein. If cut before heading, it will analyze about ten per cent protein. However, it is not advisable to cut sorghum hay earlier than the bloom stage on account of palatability (the livestock would not eat it well).

Such crops as Johnson grass and Sudan grass can be cut before heading and the resultant hay will be palatable. Johnson grass and Sudan grass cut before heading will analyze from 12 to 14 per cent protein, an average of 13 per cent. When cut in the bloom stage, it analyzes about nine percent, cut when seed have already formed, about six per cent. Thus you can see it pays to cut all grasses before heading.

The higher the protein is in the hay, the less cottonseed meal will be needed in the grain mixture. If you cut Johnson grass or Sudan grass after seed have formed, you will need 21 per cent protein in the grain mixture. If you cut it before heading, you will only need 14 per cent protein in the grain mixture for dairy cows.

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Sunday: 10:00 a. m.—Church School 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship 8:30 P. M.—Youth Fellowship 9:00 P. M.—Evening Worship Monday: 3:00 P. M.—Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday: 7:00 P. M.—Wesleyan Service Guild 9:00 P. M.—Play night.

First Christian Church

Sunday School—10:00 A. M. J. H. Atterbury, Supt. Communion—11:00 A. M. Church—11:15 A. M., first Sunday every month. Vesper Service—5:00 P. M., first Sunday every month. Rev. J. T. McKissick of Abilene conducts services first Sunday of month.

First Baptist Church

Phone 2821

Sunday: 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship 8:15 p. m.—Training Union 8:45 p. m.—Evening Worship Wednesday: 8:45 p. m.—Prayer Service and Bible Study.

Church of Christ

J. Cleo Scott, Minister

Sunday Morning Bible Study, 10:00 o'clock Preaching and Communion, 11:00 o'clock Sunday Evening Service—8:30 p. m. Ladies Bible Class, Monday, 3 p. m.

Lutheran Church

(Conducted by the Church of the Lutheran Hour, Missouri Synod) Services every second and fourth Sunday of each month. At the First Christian Church of Knox City. We preach Christ and Him Crucified. Time of services—3:30 p. m.

Foursquare Church

Rev. Joseph T. Hall, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:30 A. M. Morning Worship, 11:15 A. M. Evangelistic Service, 8:00 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:00 P. M. Saturday Divine Healing, 8:30 P. M.

The correspondence committee of the Knox City Foursquare Church has been writing letters to boys and girls in the service since October, 1943. A letter is written every month. The following is portions of letters recently received from some of the boys who have been written:

Westover Field, Mass. My Dear Friends in Christ: I received your very, very nice letter yesterday afternoon and indeed happy to say I was glad to hear from the church again.

As you know, I am in the East now and I am sorry to say that this just isn't my kind of country. It's nothing like our good western States where the people have that warm feeling of that old "western hospitality". The boys who live in the Eastern States will admit that the Western States are a lot more friendly, more hospitable and treat you nicer.

Somewhere in Australia.

Dear church members: I received your nice long letter a few days ago and was very glad to get it. After I finished it I let some of my buddies read it and they enjoyed it likewise.

We have church services every Sunday morning. Almost everyone attends and we have swell services. I am very fond of our chaplain.

I was very glad to hear that everything is going fine in the church. I'm glad we have someone praying for us because it makes us feel much safer.

I believe victory is just around the corner. The boys are wanting to get back and take up where they left off. I know there will be lots of homes broken, and there will be lots that won't.

c-o Postmaster, New York.

Dear Friends: I must write you a note before I go to let you know that I have greatly appreciated those lovely letters I've been receiving from you. I deeply appreciate your prayers and trust you will keep remembering your sons across the blue.

I have neglected to write you simply because my time heretofore has been rather limited. I've even neglected my darling mother and dad but they understand and I hope you do too.

Remember us all in your prayers.

New Guinea

Dearest correspondence committee:

I was very thrilled to receive the nice letter from you last week. I hope you will continue to pray for the boys in service. I am sure they attend church as often as possible

Water and Shade Are Important Items For Best Poultry Results

Water, which is a necessary part of any poultry ration, is especially important to good management of pullets on summer range. Shade also contributes much to their health and comfort.

During the hot summer months, says R. O. Dunkle, County Agent, pullets should drink large quantities of water. They will drink more if the containers are kept in the shade and supplied often with cool, fresh water. But they will not drink enough if they are forced to go far from the feeders to get it.

Feed and water containers always should be shaded and additional shade should be provided for the places where the birds idle. Pullets are inactive in the middle of the day and they need a cool, comfortable space to spend this time. If natural

and we are looking forward to being back in the community attending church services once again. The scripture was very nice, and I enjoyed reading the real meaning it had.

I don't get to attend church as well as I would like to now that I am in New Guinea, but I think of you very often and how I would like to be there with all of you. No doubt most of the boys from home are now in the service but if the Lord is willing we will return soon to the nice place we call home.

shade is available, the range equipment should be placed so the birds can get to it easily. If no natural shade is at hand, brush arbors may be built for temporary use.

Moveable range shelters not only provide shade for the birds during the day but serve as roosting quarters at night. The simplest type of range shelter consist of a water-tight roof over wire sides or wall. This structure enables the owner to confine the pullets when necessary and at the same time protects them from night growing animals. This type of structure is light in weight and may be moved easily from one part of the range to another.

As an initial step in good management, Dunkle suggests that all under size, off color, off type or unthrifty chickens should be removed. Any showing signs of disease or general unthriftiness during the growing period should be culled immediately. If this is done fewer culls will be found when the birds go back to the laying house.

Canned Fruit Juices Made Without Sugar

Fruit juices may be canned safely without the use of sugar, however, adding it helps hold the color and flavor of the juice.

This assurance comes from Lucille King, County Home Demonstration Agent who has received numerous inquiries on the subject from Texas home makers. The juice may be canned in glass fruit jars or in

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bottles with crown caps. If it is put up in bottles, a capper must be used. The agent especially warns against sealing bottles with corks dipped in wax or paraffin, because this type of seal will not withstand processing. Bottles and jars should be smooth, free from nicks and cracks. After washing, they should be heated in water until it boils. Crown caps for the bottles should be wiped clean with a damp cloth but should not be washed. Just before the caps are used they should be dipped in boiling water.

Miss King advises handling only small batches of ripe, firm fruit at a time. She says the secret of keeping the fine natural flavor and cool of the fruit lies in heating just enough to sterilize but not so much that the color and flavor change.

Berries, red cherries and plums

are prepared for juice by removing pits, crushing and heating to simmering. Then they are strained through a cloth bag. Add sugar as desired about a half to a cup of sugar to each gallon of juice, depending on the sweetness of the fruit. After the sugar is added, heat the juice again to simmering and pour into the hot jars or bottles. Fill jars to one-fourth inch of the top and bottles to one-half inch of the top. Adjust the lids of jars or seal caps on bottles. Process either pint or quart jars or bottles in a boiling water bath for 15 to 20 minutes.

They say you have to think fast in these times. Some folks think so fast that they have to do their thinking all over again.

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