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## RED CROSS QUOTA RAISED IN FIVE HOURS

### French Leaders Brought Together



The bringing together of the two French leaders—key men of the two main factions of divided France—was one of the big achievements of the historic Casablanca conference. Shown, left to right, are Gen. Henri Giraud, commissioner of French Africa; President Roosevelt; Gen. Charles De Gaulle, Fighting French leader, and Prime Minister Winston Churchill.

### Brother of Local People Succumbs in Dallas Hospital

R. W. (Bob) Sandifer, 76, pioneer Plano business man and brother of C. P. Sandifer and Mrs. L. G. Andrews of Crowell, passed away in a Dallas hospital Wednesday, Feb. 27, following an operation. Funeral services were held from the Christian Church in Plano Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. W. Nicholas. Interment followed in the Plano Mutual Cemetery.

Mr. Sandifer was a native of Mississippi and was born Oct. 25, 1866, near Magnolia, Miss. He came to Texas with his parents when a baby and the family settled in Dallas County 2 1/2 miles north of where Garland is now located and lived until 1876, moving from there to Collin County. He was one of the leading dry goods merchants in Plano for many years and was a prominent citizen of Plano throughout his life.

He is survived by his wife; one brother, C. P. Sandifer of Crowell; three sisters, Mrs. L. G. Andrews of Crowell, Mrs. L. D. Campbell of Vernon, and Mrs. Ida Chapman of Henryetta, Okla. One half-brother and four half-sisters also survive and they are Jack Sandifer of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ethel Skages and Mrs. Papy M. Stewart of Dallas, Mrs. Linda Carpenter and Mrs. May Ball of Justin.

### Certificate of Title Numbers Required for Registering Cars

In order to register cars and receive new 1943 tags, the law requires that certificate of title number accompany the application for registration for each vehicle, it was announced this week by Tax Collector A. L. Davis. Cars cannot be registered without these numbers and it is urged that all car owners bring them to the tax collector's office at the time they apply for 1943 tags. New 1943 license tags must be on all cars by April 1, Mr. Davis said.

### Knitting Chairman Named at Thalia

Mrs. J. K. Langley of Thalia has been appointed as Red Cross knitting chairman in that community. Mrs. H. Schindler, chairman of the War Production for Foard County, asks that all ladies who can and will do some knitting for the Red Cross there apply to Mrs. Langley for their work. Mrs. Schindler further states that all sewing which is under the quota for the county has been let out for making. There is yet quite a lot of yarn to be made up in the required garments, sweaters, helmets, etc., and those who will assist with it, may apply either to Mrs. J. A. Stovall, Knitting chairman for the county, or to Mrs. Schindler.

### Gordon Cooper Will Operate Gulf Station

Gordon Cooper assumed his duties as operator of the Gulf Service Station on the northeast corner of the square Monday morning, having bought the stock from Bill Bell, who has been operating the station for the past several months. Mr. Cooper is a well known oil man in this section, having been wholesale agent for the Conoco products for 4 1/2 years, and at the same time operated a service station. For the past two years he has been in the oil business in Sweetwater until he sold his interests recently and moved back to Crowell. Mr. Cooper and his family are now living in the A. W. Lilly home two blocks east of the square.

### Former Citizen Passes Away Tues.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lanier left Wednesday afternoon for Amarillo in response to a message that Mrs. Lanier's grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Blakemore, had passed away. She died in Hereford where she had been residing in the home of her son. She had been ill for several months. Mrs. Blakemore is a former resident of Crowell and Foard County, she having lived here with her late husband for many years.

### For Labor Draft



Bills to draft labor for war industry, covering both men and women, were introduced into the house and senate, respectively, by Rep. James Wadsworth of New York (left), and Sen. Warren R. Austin of Vermont (right). The draft would be handled on the selective service principle. They are shown looking over the measure before it was presented.

### Death Claims Mother of Mrs. C. W. Thompson

Mrs. A. M. Ragland, mother of Mrs. Chas. W. Thompson, passed away at her home in Pilot Point on Friday night, Feb. 26, following an illness of several months. Mrs. Thompson had been with her mother for the past three weeks. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Pilot Point Sunday afternoon, Feb. 28, at 2:30, with Rev. G. C. House, pastor of the church, officiating. Mrs. Ragland was a charter member of the church and her last attendance at services was in the spring of last year when the church had a home-coming. She became ill soon after.

Mrs. Ragland was born in Kentucky, Florence Jane Kendall, on Nov. 23, 1855. She went to Collin County with her parents, the late Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Kendall, in early childhood. She was married to Dr. A. M. Ragland in 1881 and had been a resident of Pilot Point for more than seventy years. Dr. Ragland was a prominent physician of that section. He preceded his wife in death 24 years.

Mrs. Ragland was the mother of seven children, one having died in infancy and Will A. Ragland passed away in 1941. The surviving children are Mrs. Edd Moore and Mrs. Will Riney Jr., of Pilot Point; Mrs. Thompson of Crowell; Mrs. Auburn Setzer of Valdeese, N. C.; and Beverly D. Ragland of Seattle, Wash. The latter two were unable to attend the services. One brother, John C. Kendall, resides in Fort Worth. She is also survived by thirteen grandchildren, four great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews, a large number of whom were present for the funeral.

Mrs. Ragland was a true Christian, a loving mother and a good neighbor, always living the principles of Christianity in which she believed. She was beloved by all who knew her. She had many friends in Crowell, having visited in the home of her daughter here on numerous occasions. Her last visit here was immediately following the storm last year when she came with other relatives, so licentious about the welfare of their loved ones.

C. W. Thompson went to Pilot Point Saturday to attend the funeral, accompanied by Mrs. T. B. Klepper, a niece of Mrs. Ragland. They, with Mrs. Thompson, returned home late Sunday.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital  
Patients In:  
Mrs. Ralph Kuba (Mex.)  
Patients Dismissed:  
Paul Gunter  
Mrs. O. L. Myers  
Leland Fleisher  
Mrs. S. T. Knox  
Mrs. J. H. Albert (col.)  
and infant son  
Boyce Cox  
R. R. Lanier

### JOINS WAVES

Miss Frances Hill, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill and teacher in the Crowell schools for a number of years, recently enlisted in the WAVES in Dallas, leaving Monday afternoon for New York City to be assigned to duty.

### Garland Burns Dies in Accident Near Decatur

Garland Burns, former resident of Foard County and son-in-law of Mrs. N. A. Crowell, was fatally injured in an accident which occurred at his farm home near Decatur early Tuesday morning. Mr. Burns was hooking a trailer to a truck at the time of the accident and was caught between the two vehicles. His body was found shortly afterward by his son, Ray.

Funeral services for Mr. Burns were held at Decatur Wednesday afternoon and were attended by M. F. Crowell, Lt. J. M. Crowell, Mrs. Marion Crowell and Mrs. Agnes McLaughlin.

### Men in Service

Seaman Secondclass Alton Cavin, who is located at the U. S. Naval Station near Grand Prairie, is at home on a 10-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cavin.

A. J. Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert of Rayland, who joined the Navy Dec. 1, has been transferred from San Diego, Calif., to the University of Oklahoma at Norman, where he is taking training in airplane mechanics.

Sgt. Joe Eddy Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddy of Crowell, has been transferred from Fort Bragg, N. C., to Fort Custer, Mich., where he is working in the supply department of the Military Police headquarters.

A release from the Army Air Forces Technical Training School at Amarillo says that William L. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Morgan of Crowell, has begun an intensive course of study in Aviation mechanics at the Army Air Field there.

A/C Ted Longino, who is now stationed at Stamford, spent the week-end here visiting in the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino. He was accompanied by three friends, A/C Lewis Oats, of Miami, Fla.; A/C Marvin McNair, Haines City, Fla.; and A/C Tommy Moore of Columbus, Ga. They returned to Stamford Sunday afternoon.

Pvt. Hubert C. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown, is located at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. His address is 407 TSS (SP) Flight H, Bks. 826, Sheppard Field. He is in the Army Air Corps.

A letter received from Pvt. J. T. Tamplin last Friday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tamplin, stated that he had arrived safely in Africa.

Lieut. J. M. Crowell, who is stationed at Stinson Field, San Antonio, has spent the week here visiting relatives and friends.

Pvt. Glendon Hays of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent from Monday until today visiting his mother, Mrs. R. E. Hays, and family.

Pvt. Billy Diggs of the Lubbock Army Flying School at Lubbock was here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Diggs.

### Men Inducted Into U. S. Service Feb. 25

The following men passed the physical examination for induction into the United States service at Abilene on last Thursday, Feb. 25. Two of them, Ralph Fleisher and Dewitt Cauthon went directly from Abilene to Camp Wolters at Mineral Wells and the remainder will leave Crowell Thursday, March 4, for that place. They are:  
Floyd J. Richter, Calvin M. Dawson, Elmer R. Gidney, Joe P. Farrar, Billy J. Collins, Edwin B. Edgin, Wayne H. Cobb, Henry A. Taylor, Otis B. Cavin, William L. Ownbey, Billy J. Hudgens and Homer T. Gobin.

### FIRST AID COURSE

W. V. Favor, First Aid chairman for Foard County, states that any one wanting to take a course in First Aid, any where in the county should make the desire known to him. He says that a class can and will be started as soon as there are enough wanting it to justify the organization.

### Organization Plans Were Made at Banquet Thursday Night; Work Was Started at 10 o'Clock Friday Morning

The quota of \$2,250.00 which was assigned to Foard County in the American Red Cross War Fund drive which was slated to begin on Monday morning, March 1, had been subscribed after five hours of work by the volunteer solicitors on last Friday. More than the amount of the quota was pledged and approximately \$3,000.00 has now been turned in.

The American Red Cross National drive was officially opened in Foard County on last Thursday night with a banquet at O'Connell's Lunch Room for all community chairmen and leaders.

The invocation was given by Mrs. T. W. Cooper of Vivian and, after the dinner, County Chairman George Self was in charge of the program. He made a splendid talk on the workings of the Red Cross organization and of its operations in Foard County after the disaster last spring in the form of the tornado. Chairman Self called on J. A. Stovall, general chairman of the drive, who, in turn, called on all community chairmen. Each one declared his enthusiasm and assurance that his special community would do its share and more. The quota was almost positive proof that the quota set for the county would be reached without difficulty. Chairman Stovall showed a check for \$250 from the Wagoner Estate and expressed the appreciation of the county for the generous amount.

Mrs. H. Schindler, chairman for War Production for the county, gave a report of the work done recently and of the work which was before the county for completion at an early date. She also expressed appreciation to all communities for their hearty response to the calls made upon them. She reported that a shipment of finished garments would be made at an early date and that there was quite a lot of yarn on hand at the present to be made into sweaters, mufflers, helmets and wristlets.

Following the enthusiastic meeting, the committee chairman, with their committeemen, went at the task Friday morning and, in five hours, the quota had been oversubscribed. And, at that time, all the workers had not been heard from. It is believed that Foard County is the first county in the nation to go over the top with its campaign. This is heartening to the workers and to all Foard County people, for it plainly shows the appreciation felt by everybody for the ready response made to the tornado sufferers last spring and for the wonderful rehabilitation assistance which was given to the town and county through the Red Cross organization.

T. S. Haney served as chairman for the rural districts and a splendid job of organization was done by him and his committeemen. Thalia was the first community to report an oversubscription. Their quota was \$350 and, in four hours after starting, they reported \$396 and it has risen since that time to something more than \$600.

The workers for the Drive in all sections follow:  
Crowell, Business Section—John Risor, chairman, Mrs. Payton Powers, A. L. Davis and Dwight Moody; Residence Section—Mrs. W. B. Johnson, chairman, Mrs. Paul Shirley, Mrs. M. L. Hughton, Mrs. Jim Cook, Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, Mrs. F. W. Mabe, Mrs. W. L. Scott, Mrs. Clint White, Mrs. Lewis Ballard, Mrs. H. K. Edwards, Mrs. Grover Cole, Mrs. J. W. Hazelwood, Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mrs. Ben Greening, Mrs. Tom Russell, Mrs. G. H. Kinchloe and Miss Ida Mae Yount.  
Thalia—A. B. Wisdom, chairman; E. G. Grimley, J. C. Taylor, C. W. Gray, Mrs. H. W. Gray, Mrs. H. W. Wood and Mrs. Mack Edens; Foard City—A. W. Barker, chairman, Mrs. Grady Halbert and Mrs. Cressie Farrar; Good Creek—Dale Jones, chairman, Mrs. Dale Jones and Mrs. Maggie Stinebaugh; Texaco Plant—Frank Allison, chairman, Jim Hagan and J. B. Fairchild; Vivian—Mrs. Tom Cooper, chairman, Mrs. James Sandlin; Margate—W. A. Dunn, chairman, W. F. Bradford, Ray Hysinger and Mrs. Ray Hysinger; Rayland—Mrs. J. H. Roberson, chairman, Mrs. Tom Lawson; Black—Mrs. Jack McCoy, chairman, Mrs. John Carter, Tom Bursey, Mrs. C. D. Hall and Homer White; Riverside—Mrs. Bailey Rennels, Four Corners, Mrs. Frank Cates, Colored Section—Crowell—Ben Bird; Mexican Section—Louis Rivers.

The quotas for the various communities which were set are as follows: Crowell, \$1,250.00; Thalia, \$350.00; Texaco Plant, \$50.00; Four Corners, \$50.00; Foard City, \$125.00; Good Creek, \$50.00; Riverside, \$125.00; Margate, \$150.00; Vivian, \$100.00; Black, \$75.00.

The amounts subscribed by these communities are: Crowell, \$1,627.92; Thalia, \$597.67; Texaco Plant, \$91.00; Four Corners, \$37.00; Foard City, \$166.35; Good Creek, \$81.90; Riverside, \$127.00; Margate, \$192.50; Vivian, \$113.14; Black, \$97.93. Reports from Rayland are to the effect that they are over-subscribed but the exact amount is not yet known.

### MOVE TO ROBY

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Carter and three sons, Edgar Frank, Harold and Neal, moved this week to a farm near Roby. Roby is Mr. and Mrs. Carter's former home. They had lived in Crowell for the past four years. Mr. Carter being manager of the Etter Tractor Co. until last year when he bought the interest of Munson Welch in the Magnolia Service Station. Mr. Carter says they like Crowell and hope to be able to return here some time and make their permanent home.

### GRASSHOPPERS HATCHING

Grasshoppers are already beginning to hatch in the vicinity of Fred Borchardt's farm south of town. Fred brought a sample of his grasshopper crop, which bids fair to be too plentiful, to the News office last Thursday. He says lots of them are already hatched out and he is afraid they will do great damage to crops this year.

### Shoe Rationing Steps Up Shoe Sales



Shoe shops throughout the country are doing a gold-rush business, particularly in women's shoes, incident to rationing. Continuing until June 15 a pair of shoes may be purchased upon presentation of Stamp No. 17 of War Ration Book No. 1. Photo shows a shoe store in New York doing a rushing business with Stamp No. 17.

### Yanks Pay Visit to Jerusalem



U. S. army Liberator bomber fighters, having seen action against the enemy in the Middle East, were allowed time off for a visit to Jerusalem. Here they are bidding good-by to a keeper at Solomon's stables.

St. Louis.—Taking old alarm clocks apart and repairing them is a project of Junior Red Cross members. The renovated timepieces will go to defense workers who have been unable to buy alarm clocks here.

Students at the world's largest bombardier college, Midland, Texas, drop about 200 practice bombs during their twelve-week training, gaining experience equivalent to forty combat missions.



Items from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE  
(By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Herschell Butler was a business visitor in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday.

James Adkins was a visitor in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday.

Leonard Tole and family of Thalia visited his father, Ernest Tole, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Johnnie Matus spent from Thursday until Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Joe Matl, of Bomarton in a Wichita Falls hospital. Mr. Matl is very ill.

Ellis Wilson was a visitor in Fort Worth over the week-end.

Miss Berdell Nelson spent the week-end with her parents in Vivian.

Leroy Gibson and wife and mother of Vernon visited in the Cap Adkins home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Bursey and son, Charles Howard, left Saturday for Camp Wallace near Galveston to visit her brother, James Long. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Long, of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Sudie Bradford of Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs and daughter spent Sunday in the Lee

Harris home of Lockett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis of Vernon visited in the K. Pope home Sunday.

Mrs. Nena McGill of Dallas is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Wesley, and family.

Mrs. Vaughn of Vernon spent Sunday with her son, Jude Vaughn and family.

Mrs. Odie Minor of Floydada visited her aunt, Mrs. Allie Huntley Friday. Mrs. Minor had been called to Denton on account of the serious illness of her father, Lute McMurry.

The following were dinner guests in the Monroe Karcher home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Lois Lambert, Willie Karcher of Five-in-One, Ernest Streit and family, Carl Haseloff and son of Lockett, Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughter, Emma, of Vernon; Ewald Schroeder and son, Audury.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mahoney of Quanah spent Sunday in the George Wesley home.

Mrs. Juanita Huston and children, Peggy Jo and Buzzie, of Memphis, Mrs. Bob Huntley and Joe Atwell of Vernon spent Sunday in the Cap Adkins home.

Mrs. Mary Richter has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Freudiger, of Megargle.

Floyd Richter was inducted in to the service Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Veal of Rayland spent Sunday in the Dock Hudson home.

Mrs. Evelyn Adkins spent the week-end with Violet McGee of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Earthman and son, Keith, of Vernon spent Sunday in the R. G. Whitton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zipperly of Vernon visited in the Ben Bradford home Sunday night.

The Riverside Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the Riverside school house. Seven members were present. Next meeting will be March 9 at the school house.

Billings, Mont.—To prove that "homes hadn't been picked clean," Junior Red Cross members followed up the community scrap drive with a "clean-up" in which they collected 50 tons (nearly \$400 worth) of scrap metal.

FOARD CITY  
(By Marjorie Marlow)

Mrs. Luther Jobe of Paducah and son, Freeland, of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Manning and children, Marshall and Lucile Carroll of Crowell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow and daughter, Mildred, Wednesday afternoon. Freeland left Thursday for Mineral Wells where he was inducted into the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weathers and son, James, moved from Dr. Hill's farm to Crowell last Friday.

Mrs. Emma Singleton returned to her home at Houston Saturday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Key, and her sister, Mrs. G. G. Mills, and son, Marcus.

C. W. Beldeman returned to his home at Thalia Monday after a visit with his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel.

There will be a Methodist Week of Dedication Service at the Foard City church Friday night, March 5.

Mrs. Luther Marlow and daughter, Mildred, spent from Wednesday until Friday with Mrs. Marlow's sister, Mrs. Luther Jobe, of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Weathers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Simmons Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patton and son, Don, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gentry and daughter, Jo Ann, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar and son, Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. Miller Rader visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox of Gilliland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston McLain visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patton of Crowell Saturday night.

Miss Mildred Marlow spent Friday night with Miss Jo Ann Gentry of Crowell.

Joe Farrar went to Abilene last Wednesday for the final examination to be inducted into the Army. He returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dennis and daughter, Gail, of Thalia visited her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Glover, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston McLain visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, of Truscott Thursday night.

THALIA  
(By Minnie Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. B. Ford of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers of Benjamin attended church services here and visited Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford Sunday.

Mrs. Beatrice McKinley left Monday for Bryan, Texas, to visit her husband, Pvt. Travis McKinley.

Mrs. Marlin Woodson visited relatives in Tulsa, Okla., this week.

George and Erma Mae Dodson of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dozier here last week-end.

Royce Cato and family visited in Texarkana, Ark., recently.

Ray Jonas and family of Amarillo visited relatives here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox in Gilliland Wednesday.

Mrs. Fid Gamble visited her brother, Jack Doty, and family in Rock Crossing Wednesday.

Mrs. W. N. Cato and daughter visited relatives in Harrold Wednesday.

Mrs. C. O. Johnson and son, Billy, and Mrs. Loyd Fox and daughter, Patsy, visited their mother, Mrs. C. C. Wheeler, in Wichita Falls Friday.

W. O. McDaniel of Crowell and Pat McDaniel of Good Creek visited here a while Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins visited in Amarillo Thursday and were accompanied home by Mrs. W. H. Boyd and son.

Nan Sue, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shultz, underwent a tonsil operation in a Vernon hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Ben Hogan and daughter, Miss Mary Jo, of Denton visited here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Long, Robert Long and Mrs. Howard Bursey and son, Charles, visited their son and brother, James Long, in Camp Wallace, Galveston, a few days this week.

Sammie Payne, James Adkins and Joe Hudgens went to Abilene Thursday for their examination for the service.

Mrs. Maple Wilson of Four Corners visited her sister, Mrs. Raymond Grimm, last week-end.

SAFETY SLOGANS

Recklessness is no indication of courage. Brave men are always careful.

A minute of safety beats a month for repairs.

A dead camp fire means a live forest.

The price of safety—common sense.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To prevent metal salt-shaker tops from corroding, cover the inside of the tops with paraffin.

To improve the flavor of meat, add bits of left-over jelly when basting roast.

Running cold water into an aluminum pan while it is hot will cause it to warp out of shape.

It is better to slave now than be enslaved later. Give your scrap metal to the Army now.

Any Person Must Present Stamp 17 To Get Pair Shoes

Confident that citizens here will co-operate with the wartime shoe rationing program Chairman C. R. Seale of the Foard County War Price and Rationing Board explained:

"All retail sales on rationed shoes were stopped from Sunday, February 7, until Tuesday morning, February 9. This freeze period let the dealers sort out rationed shoes from unrationed types. Beginning Tuesday morning of last week, any man, woman or child can get shoes by presenting Stamp 17 in War Ration Book 1. The book is the same one used for coffee and sugar rationing.

"Stamp 17 will be good through June 15. Anyone entitled to War Ration Book 1 who hasn't been issued one may get it from his local board.

"Discussing the need for rationing civilian shoes, Mr. Seale said: 'Americans have been buying shoes faster than manufacturers can make them. Heavy sole leather and skilled manpower are both subject to first call by the United States armed forces. That's why civilian shoe production in 1943 could not possibly keep pace with an uncontrolled demand. By rationing now, before excessive buying reduced shoe stocks to a danger point, both the public and the trade will benefit.'

"The plan is simple and the ration is liberal. There are only four main points for consumers to remember:

1. Stamp 17 in War Ration Book 1 is good for one pair of shoes between February 9 and June 15 in any store that sells shoes. If you buy by mail, enclose the stamp with your order.
2. Stamp 17 is transferable among members of a family living in the same household and related by blood, marriage, or adoption. For example, fathers or mothers can use their stamps to buy shoes for their children.
3. Persons who do not possess War Ration Book 1 may apply for this book at a local War Price and Rationing Board.
4. If a person needs to buy shoes and has no Stamp 17 in his immediate family which he can use, he may apply to his local War Price and Rationing Board for a shoe purchase certificate.

"Equally simple is the procedure for the store which sells shoes:

1. Beginning Tuesday, February 9, you must collect Stamp 17 or a shoe purchase certificate for each sale of a single pair of shoes.
2. "Save all stamps and certificates collected from your customers. Do not pass them on to your wholesaler or supplier. You will be informed what to do with them in the near future.
3. You may continue to buy from your suppliers with complete freedom, except that you will owe him stamps and purchase certificates for every pair received. You may receive any shipments that were in transit as of 3:00 p. m., February 7, without regard to rationing.
4. "Keep records of all shoes received and sold after the order became effective.
5. "At any time before February 12 members of the trade may deliver or ship to consumers shoes that had been ordered by them and had been wrapped, marked, or set aside for delivery before February 7. In these special cases, the shoes may be delivered without collecting ration stamps.
6. "Within a short while, shoe retailers will be required to open a ration banking account and to deposit therein all of the stamps 17 and shoe purchase certificates they have collected.

"Here is what is rationed: All unused shoes, including all types of boots and shoes made in whole or in part of leather, and all rubber soled shoes. All ordinary types, and such types as special work shoes, hard soled moccasins and casual and play shoes, fall within this definition and are rationed.

"These are not rationed: Soft and hard soled shoes slippers and boudoir slippers, infants' soft soled shoes, ballet slippers, ordinary waterproof rubber footwear, including rubber arctics, gaiters, work, dress, clog and toe rubbers and lumbermen's overs. Shoe repairs are not rationed.

"Special provisions are made for employers and institutions which purchase shoes in quantity to be furnished to or residents. In these cases, application must be made to the nearest District OPA Office in writing, stating the type and number of pairs of shoes needed and established, that hardship would result if the application were denied.

"Members of the armed forces needing shoes other than regular issue may apply to their issuing officers for a shoe purchasing certificate.

"Concerning local co-operation with the shoe rationing program, Mr. Seale added: 'I want to call the attention of the citizens of this community to the wartime necessity of making shoes last and of buying only when new shoes are actually needed. There are plenty of shoes now to take care of all civilians and these supplies must be conserved. We must save leather for war. Our fighting forces must have shoes. They need to march to victory.'

Make your scraps reduce the Axis to crumbs. Your scrap metal is needed now.

Nazis Take Time Out From Retreat to Eat



The crew of a German field gun have stopped their retreat long enough to partake of some much-needed food, on the Russian front. These men of the super race do not seem very happy about the fix they are in, with the Red army hot on their frozen trail. This picture was received in London from a neutral source after appearing in an Axis magazine.

Your Horoscope

March 1, 2.—You are honest, generally reliable and trustworthy. You seldom make failures as you have faith and confidence in your power to do things, so your undertakings are usually successful. You make friends readily but do not always keep them as you are at times dissatisfied and faultfinding. You are extremely fond of sports, hunting and fishing.

March 3, 4, 5.—You do not make many close friends but are true and faithful to those you like. You are capable of strong enmity. You are a careful financier or public official, steering clear of the rocks and rough places. You have a fine mind, clear reasoning and great abilities.

March 6, 7.—You show good judgment in your business undertakings, have a keen, active mind, and much executive ability.

Farmers Eligible for Loans to Extend Water Facilities

Opportunities to repair, enlarge or extend water facilities on many farms in Foard County for the better use of water for food production are pointed out by Julian Wright, Farm Security Administration supervisor.

Every county in Texas is now under the FSA's farmstead water facilities program and loans for this type of improvement may be made to farmers who meet the other requirements, and on whose farms it is clearly evident that such improvement will materially help increase the production of food and fibers.

The War Production Board is allotting materials for the manufacture of certain specific equipment, based on a percentage of equipment that was manufactured in 1940 and 1941.

It is expected that the necessary pipe, pumps and other equipment for farmstead purposes will be available to farmers who qualify for FSA water facilities, Mr. Wright said.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has stated that an adequate supply of water means the household, livestock and poultry should have fresh, clean water at all times and that the government should be plentifully supplied in continuous maximum production.

Any farmer who does not have an adequate supply of water properly distributed, and cannot finance it any other way, is eligible for an FSA water facilities loan, Mr. Wright explained.

Minneapolis.—David Ray struck by a street car after attending a Red Cross War Aid class for the blind. Mr. Ray Mace, a classmate, also blind, applied a head bandage so expert that it was untouched by the car until the man reached the hospital.

Brazoria County, Texas, produces a large percentage of world's sulphur.

Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

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Many West Texans in all walks of life are being introduced to a new variation of the old "hop, skip and jump" remembered from school days. It never became popular with top athletes who considered it "silly"... even "crazy".

Revival of this form of gymnastic in conducting the Nation's domestic affairs in time of emergency, and while fighting for survival, likewise is believed ridiculous by more and more thousands of people.

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### Items from Neighboring Communities

#### TRUSCOTT

(By Irene Myers)

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moody and children of Ranger visited Mrs. Irene Gerald and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Brian and children last week.

Billy Nichols of Benjamin spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nichols.

Hunter Lanier of Crowell was here on business Friday. He was accompanied by his granddaughter, Jolene Lanier.

Bob Randolph of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Marchbanks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Mooney of Goree spent Friday night with her father, W. W. Gleason.

Bob Whitaker of Munday spent the week-end with relatives here. He was accompanied home by his wife and son, who had visited her mother, Mrs. Jess Boykin, for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts and Helen Berg of Clovis, N. M., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Berg and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens.

Gaylon Parris visited friends in Sagerton last Thursday and Friday.

Wayne Young of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with his family here.

Lynn Jones left Sunday for a defense job in Dumas. Mason Harwell of Quanah is in charge of the lumber yard at the present time.

Mrs. Edna Whiteside of Vernon spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Eubank.

Riley Pippin of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with his family here.

Mrs. John Franklin and children visited relatives in Glen Rose last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordon of Goree visited his mother, Mrs. J. L. Bates, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Glidewell and sons of Odell visited relatives here and at Gilliland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Feemster and children of Vera visited in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Eubank, Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones and family last week were: their daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones and sons, Jimmy and Dan, of Abilene; Mrs. Ruby Gilchrist and son, Bobby, of Memphis; Bill Jones of the U. S. Navy, and J. C. Bradley of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker Jr. and son of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker. Mr. Whitaker is employed by the telephone company and is being transferred to Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Morgan, Mrs. Earl Kent and daughter of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Westbrook, last week. They, accompanied by Mrs. Westbrook, spent the week-end with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Joe Crump, in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge are visiting their son, Quincy Rutledge, and family of Elliott.

Miss Maurine Abston has returned home from Muenster after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Clure Flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Raines and children and S. T. Raines of Farmers Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis Sunday.

Miss Maurine Abston left for San Antonio Friday to work in the Quartermaster's Department.

Junior Edwards visited in Paducah Saturday.

#### MARGARET

(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mrs. William Blevins of Truscott spent from Sunday until Wednesday of last week with relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Bishop and little son Paul Dewayne, of Coaling, Calif., spent from Monday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, and other relatives. They are now visiting his parents at Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Bell and little son, Kenneth, moved Tuesday of last week to the Dunn place north of town which was formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollingsworth and children, Clyde Edward and Theora, of Burk Burnett spent from Thursday until Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Russell, and other relatives.

The Santa Fe bridge gang with Mr. Gage as foreman, and Mrs. Champion as cook, which had been stationed at Benjamin for a few days, was stationed here Friday.

Miss Jeanelle Ingle of Vernon returned home Saturday after spending several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blevins, who accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Powers and Jolene of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with her brother, W. A. Priest, and family.

Misses Ruby Priest and Carol

#### Rheumatic Fever Menaces Health of Young People

Austin.—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, commenting on the seriousness of rheumatic fever, today declared that this disease is recognized as one of the greatest killers among young people. Between the ages of 10 and 15, rheumatic fever causes more deaths than any other disease, the State Health Officer said, and in persons between the ages of 15 and 24, it is outranked only by tuberculosis.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that deaths in childhood from rheumatic fever have not decreased in a satisfactory manner during the past decade, and warned the parents of children to pay particular attention to the care and treatment of such predisposing diseases as tonsillitis and other upper respiratory infections.

"The diagnosis in this disease is not always easy," Dr. Cox stated. "Any child with suspicious symptoms should be under the prolonged supervision of a physician since along with a general involvement of the body, the heart is practically always involved. The symptoms may consist only of pallor, loss of weight, easy fatigue, unusual sweating, loss of appetite, and sometimes fleeting muscular pain and a little joint stiffness and a rapid beating of the heart. The more severe cases may show repeated nose bleeds, extreme nervousness, stiffness and pain in the joints, swelling of the joints, fever and pain over the heart."

According to Dr. Cox the majority of children who experience rheumatic fever suffer more than

#### Federal Income Tax Expenses of Farmers

A farmer who operates a farm for profit is entitled to deduct from gross income as necessary expenses all amounts expended (other than those constituting capital expenditures) in the carrying on of the business of farming. The cost of feeding and raising livestock may be treated as an expense deduction insofar as such costs represent actual outlay, but not including the value of farm produce grown upon the farm or the labor of the taxpayer. Also deductible is the cost of seed, minor repairs to farm buildings (other than the dwelling of the farmer), and small tools used up in the course of a short period.

The cost of fuel and oil used for farm work, as well as repairs and maintenance of farm machinery, is deductible as a business expense; but the cost of farm machinery, equipment, and farm buildings represents a capital investment and is not an allowable deduction. The cost, however, may be recovered by depreciation allowances. In the case of a farmer, the farm dwelling is not depreciable, except such part of it as may be used directly in farming operations. The cost of gasoline repairs and upkeep of an automobile if used wholly in connection with the taxpayer's farm operations, as well as depreciation thereon, may be deducted, but if an automobile is used partly for business and partly for pleasure or the convenience of the taxpayer or his family, the cost of operation may be apportioned according to the extent of the use for purposes or business and for pleasure or convenience, and the portion attributable to business will be deductible as a necessary business expense.

The cost of hired laborers and hired machines on a farm and the part of the board which is purchased for hired laborers are deductible. The value of products furnished by the farm and used in the board of hired laborers is not a deductible expense. Rations purchased and furnished to laborers or sharecroppers are deductible as a part of the labor expense. Amounts paid to persons engaged in household work to the extent that their services are used in boarding and otherwise caring for farm laborers are deductible, but amounts paid for services of such employees engaged in caring for the farmer's own household are not deductible expense.

Amounts expended in the development of farms, orchards, and ranches prior to the time when the productive state is reached may be regarded as investments of capital. The cost of planting trees, as well as the amounts expended by a farmer in the restoration of soil fertility preparatory to actual production of crops and the cost of liming soil to increase productiveness over a period of years are capital expenditures; but the cost of commercial fertilizers, the benefit of which is of short duration and which have to be used every year or so, even after a farmer reaches the productive state, is deductible as an expense.

Amounts expended in purchasing work, breeding, or dairy animals are regarded as investments of capital and may be depreciated unless such animals are included in inventory.

#### TYPICAL

One of the underlying reasons for the failure of government to control the growing domestic problem is the fact that numerous government agencies are more interested in using the war emergency to bring about social changes than they are in stabilizing prices and wages and the preserving of basic individual liberties.

A recent example of this policy can be found in the request of the OPA to the Inter-state Commerce Commission to rescind modifying freight rate increases granted by the Commission to the railroads some months ago to partially offset wage increases. Apparently the request was made on the ground of stemming the inflationary trend. Like the salary limitation of \$25,000 which came from the Office of Economic Stabilization, it is sheer politics—nothing more. It has nothing to do with inflation. To the consumer it would mean a possible reduction of the vast sum of two-thirds of a cent on the amount of wool in the ordinary suit of clothes, providing merchants could pass such an infinitesimal sum along to the purchaser.

Rate decreases would be in order providing the rails were making excessive profits. But they are not. They are earning less than 5 per cent on their capital investment, which is below the 5 1/2 per cent allowed by law, and which in actuality is not sufficient to build reserves to meet fully the rigors of reconstruction after the war. It is no secret that there will be need for tremendous outlays when that day comes, because every last ounce of equipment reserve is now thrown into the insatiable transportation de-

mands of war. Thanks should be given that the railroads have been able to carry the load. By so doing they are going far toward insuring victory. Hitler may lose the war solely because he underestimated the importance of German railroads, allowing them to fall into disrepair.

Here is a clear cut case of playing politics with a public trust. It is not exceptional. It is merely typical of many similar instances that weaken the American war effort.—Industrial News Review.

#### HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Clear boiling water will remove tea stains from table linen.

Strained orange juice can be used instead of milk in white and yellow cake recipes.

Shrinkage in woollens is usually due to over-washing. In ordinary circumstances, three minutes is long enough for them.

Omaha, Neb.—Employees of a telephone company here use a relay system for Red Cross spare-time knitting; when an operator goes on duty she passes on her knitting to the operator she relieves.

#### ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2).
1. He is the son-in-law of Mussolini.
  2. It is a plan to put the income tax on a pay-as-you-go basis.
  3. Fifty-five per cent.
  4. Nevada.
  5. In Tunisia, North Africa.
  6. No, Flynn withdrew his name.
  7. In France.
  8. Liberia.
  9. New Hampshire.
  10. President of the Union Pacific Railroad.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bland visited in Fort Worth over the week-

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| <b>Sausage</b>           | PURE PORK Lb                     | <b>25c</b>    |
| <b>Pork Chops</b>        | Lb                               | <b>30c</b>    |
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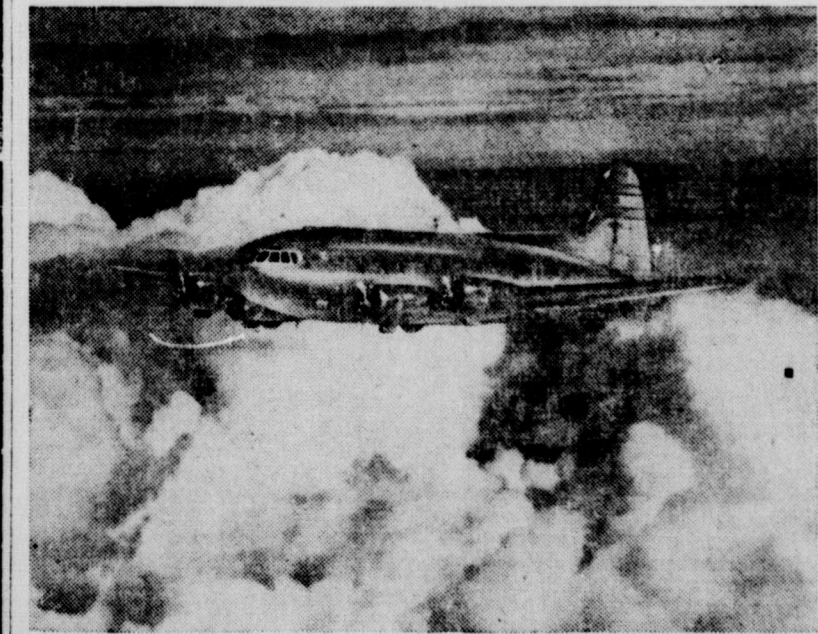
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Admiral H. K. Hewitt, USN, who was in charge of naval operations in the United Nations invasion of North Africa, is pictured with his wife on arrival in New York.

#### ELECTRONICS — THE NEW SCIENCE — BLIND LANDINGS



In the near future, airplanes which are now able to fly blind between airports will also be able to make blind landings in fog as thick as London's and there'll be no danger of collision. When the pilot of the future approaches his destination and finds the airport hidden under a blanket of fog, instead of having to fly on to the nearest open field he will merely turn on his electronic blind landing equipment, according to W. C. White, General Electric electronic engineer.

"Through his head-phones the pilot will hear signals guiding him to a point for the start of his glide, for the perfect descent that will bring his plane's wheels down on the concrete runway," White explains. "Before his eyes on the way down there will be an illuminated screen, much like the screen in a television set. On that screen from second to second will flash unmistakable signals, telling him whether he is losing altitude fast enough or too fast. He will know just where he is at every instant, not how high above sea level, but how high above the airport. All the obstructions his plane must clear will be known in coming in to a happy landing."

Although it sounds like a fantastic dream, it's coming true. Several blind landing systems are being developed by various government and private agencies. All of them depend on the magic power of electronic tubes not unlike the tubes in your radio set.

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We are predicting that when the going gets too tough in Germany the Nazi crowd will assassinate Hitler and then attempt a peace. They will figure that what they can't win on the battle field they will take a chance at winning around the peace table.

A white paper has been issued by the State Department in which it is stated that ten months before the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, Ambassador Grew notified Washington that the Japs would attack Pearl Harbor in the event of difficulty with the United States.

"Congress to Curb Bureaucrats" is a headline which appeared in one of our dailies recently. Congress is beginning to wake up it appears. Every one of the bureaus and bureaucrats was created by Congress and no one else.

War casualties of the American armed forces up to January 5, as announced by the Office of War Information, total 61,126. The total includes 8,531 killed, 7,389 wounded, 42,531 missing and 2,466 taken prisoner or interned in neutral countries.

Since the depression and the war, over two million people who formerly lived on farms have moved into town. We are predicting that after the war the tide will flow back to the farms.

Considering the fact that all people think about is making money, the surprising thing is that so few do it.

People who look back these days may not turn into a pillar of salt, but they may turn into a telephone pole.

The theme song of the British and American armies in North Africa might be "We are Romping on Rommel."

There may be a divinity that shapes our ends, but it does damned little about making them meet.

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HISTORY

St. Patrick's Day—March 17: Saint Patrick, who is honored on this day, was a patron Saint of Ireland. His death occurred March 17, 493. This anniversary has been celebrated in America from earliest times. Celebration outside the church began in Boston with the Charitable Irish Society, founded in 1737. The Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, founded in Philadelphia in 1780 observed the day. The day is usually celebrated in those sections, where there is an organization, with a dinner at which prominent speakers respond to toasts. In practically all sections of the country a bit of green, a shamrock, or a green ribbon is worn. Saint Patrick, according to the Roman Catholic authorities, was born at Kilpatrick, near Dumbarton, Scotland, in 387. At the age of 16 he was captured by Irish marauders and sold as a slave. He remained in servitude six years during which time he learned to speak the Celtic language. He escaped and fled to Britain. He studied at the Monastery of St. Martin at Tours and continued his preparation for religious work for eighteen years. He was commissioned by the Pope to work in Ireland. He went first to his old master and paid the price of his freedom, and, as the legend goes converted the man and his family to Christianity. He preached and taught in Ireland many years building churches, organizing parishes and performing miracles. He was captured by the Druids twelve times and was once by them condemned to death. He died March 17, 493, and is said to have been buried in the place where the Cathedral of Down was later built. There are in existence many interesting traditions and stories of the work that he did and the miracles he performed.

Ban on Sunday Sale of Beer in Texas Voted by House

The House of Representatives Monday voted to prohibit the sale of beer on Sunday, according to a news dispatch from Austin appearing in the daily papers. By a vote of 74 to 50, it adopted a Sunday closing amendment by Representative Donald of Bowie to the curfew bill designed to tighten restrictions on the sale of beer and liquor.

Donald's amendment knocked out a provision of the bill which would have permitted Sunday sales of beer after 1 p. m.

Representative Claude Callaway of Crowell said if the Donald amendment were not adopted it would amount to a desecration of the Sabbath.

"I'd rather have the Legislature go on record to keep the Sabbath holy than to add 3,000,000 men to our armed forces," Callaway declared.

"I don't want to say 'go to hell' with the Sabbath Day," he declared.

Opponents of the amendment pointed out that the curfew bill did not apply to any territory now dry under local option.

"You will destroy one of the institutions of South Texas if this amendment is adopted," said Representative Bell of Cuero. He said it was custom there for families to gather on Sunday afternoon to drink beer temperately.

The Army needs more planes, ships, guns. It needs your scrap metal to make them. Give it now.

The War Production Boards order to cut the use of dyes and pigment 40 per cent below 1941 will result in a saving of 55,000,000 pounds of dye and will also result in lighter colors for men's and women's clothing.

Cadets at the world's largest bombardier school, Midland, Texas, must learn not only the anatomy and operation of the secret U. S. bombsight, but also the construction and characteristics of each type of bomb.

30 YEARS AGO IN THE NEWS

Items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of The News of March 7, 1913:

School Notes On Feb. 28 we closed our first month's work in the new school building. We find the new building comfortable and convenient, and feel that its use adds much to the pleasure of both pupils and teachers. Patrons are cordially invited to visit us in our quarters, and thus encourage the students in their work.

Honor Roll—First grade, George Johnson; second grade, Walter Thomson, Zelda May Minnick; third grade, Charley Campbell, Roy Gentry, Maye Andrews, Marj Smith, Wilma Campbell, Alta Graves, Mildred McLarty; fifth grade, Dwight Campbell, Blanche McLarty, Earle Carter, Winnie Self, Ora Pittillo, Robbie Adams, Esther Griggs; seventh grade, Pearl Duncan; ninth, tenth and eleventh grades, Vera Barrow, Portia Brindley, Myrtle Westerman, Willie Young, Luther Westerman, Lee Lauderdale. —J. H. Hollingsworth, Supt.

Miss Macbelle Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brown of Thalia, died last Friday afternoon.

C. P. Sandifer, vice president of the Bank of Crowell, is in Dallas this week on business.

Mrs. Mark Henry returned the latter part of last week from Marlin where she spent a month.

Sunday School Class No. 7 of the Methodist Sunday School will bake at the postoffice building Saturday, the 8th.

Arthur Morrison, Oran Gaynn and Mr. Brown were here Sunday afternoon from Truscott coming over in Arthur's car. Oran had business.

First Monday was a business day in Crowell. Many people gathered in town that day and quite a lot of business was done in the trading places besides the merchants were busy.

M. H. Bishop of Vivian was here Saturday transacting business and made The News office a call. Mr. Bishop tells us that prospects for good crops in his community are good for this year.

A WEEK of the WAR

The Tunisian battle lines, which last week were changing rapidly under the German advance, are now pretty sharply delineated. When veteran Axis divisions broke through the southern range of mountains at Faid Pass and Sidi Bou Zid, overran Gafsa, and poured into the plains at Sbeitla, Kasserine and Feriana, the Allied forces were forced to retreat, forced also to abandon three airfields and destroy or abandon quantities of equipment and supplies, and to take up positions in the second range of mountains, the so-called "Grand Dorsal" that runs from Pont du Fahs south-westward just east of the Allied stronghold of Tebessa.

The threat to the right rear of the British First Army, immobilized by mud in Northern Tunisia just in back of Bizerte and Tunis, was apparent when the German columns continued their advance, pushing through the Kasserine Pass of the Grand Dorsal range toward Thala and Tebessa. Had this drive been successful, had the German forces succeeded in storming the passes and moving up toward the coast, the Axis could conceivably have broken the whole Allied defense in this area.

That this did not happen was a credit, said Secretary of War Stimson, to the fine action of American ground forces, the great skill of our air support, and the valuable help given by the British First Army. Our forces were not broken by the Germans. On the contrary, the counterattack that checked the enemy in the passes northwest of Kasserine and hurled him back almost 10 miles was a success. And although American losses in the first 10 days of the Axis offensive were heavy, they were probably not as large as first expected, as several American units which were cut off have made their way back through the Axis lines. Losses admittedly included substantial quantities of tanks, scout cars and field guns, but much of this material has already been replaced.

For the immediate future, Mr. Stimson predicted heavy fighting all along the Tunisian front. "We must expect setbacks and casualties. We must not expect any easy or quick victory in Tunisia." And to correct a misunderstanding on the employment of "green" American troops in the recent fighting, Mr. Stimson explained that although our men are highly trained up to the point of experience under fire, there is no substitute in training for actual battle experience. "Men must learn under fire the strategem of war."

The Battle Against the Submarine Following the Navy's disclosure that a German submarine had been sunk by an American destroyer in the Atlantic and a Japanese submarine destroyed in the Pacific by the armed guard crew of an American merchantman, Secretary of the Navy Knox stated that although our merchant ship sinkings were less last month than the month before, and although no doubt there have been other U-boat sinkings by Allied forces, the submarine "most em-

GIMME! GIMME!



What We Think (By Frank Dimon)

The announcement that an invasion of Europe would come within the next nine months is, in my opinion, the most important announcement that has yet been made by the Allies in relation to the war.

Notwithstanding the fact that the announcement carried with it the statement that the invasion would result in the largest casualty list the Allies, and especially this country, has yet suffered, it was received with a sense of satisfaction by every one. The universal, if unexpressed feeling, with which the announcement was received was: "Now we are beginning to get somewhere."

Heretofore it has been a waiting-to-get-ready job, a defensive battle. The immediate objectives were not always definite. We will do this and so as soon as we do this and so. We must be on the defensive until such and such a time. This, while necessary, has not been an altogether satisfactory situation. It has been too indefinite, too uncertain and offering nothing tangible upon which the individual could lay hold. It has been a program of getting ready now to do something after while.

Especially has such a situation been difficult for Americans. They are too impatient for such a program. They want action and want it now. They want to know where they are going, and when.

Now that the announcement has been made and the time limit set, there will come a new feeling in the minds of everyone. This feeling will furnish a clear cut motto, a reason, a theme for everything that we are going to be-

phatically" is still a very grave menace. All measures that we know that could help reduce the submarine menace are being used. Mr. Knox said, but there is nothing on which to predict any hope for early stoppage or cure. The day before, the Navy had announced a serious loss—the submarine sinking of two passenger-cargo ships in the North Atlantic with approximately 850 casualties, both civilian and service personnel—more than 600 of the 900 aboard the first vessel and more than half of the 500 aboard the second ship.



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LOCALS

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Misses Clonita Russell and Jean Orr, students at Texas Tech at Lubbock, were week-end visitors at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellis spent Sunday in Paducah visiting Mr. Ellis' mother, Mrs. Emma Ellis, and other relatives.

Edward Roark and Truman Taylor, who attend Texas Technological College at Lubbock, visited at home over the week-end.

Get your fruit jars, caps and lids now. You probably will not be able to get all you want later. Both Kerr and Ball now on hand.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Emmett Peterson and son, Billy Matt, of Lamesa and Mrs. Bernard Bray and son, Monte, of Turkey, visited their sister, Mrs. Johnnie Gamble, over the week-end.

Mrs. Hines Clark returned Monday night from New Orleans, La., where she has been for the past two weeks. Her grandson, Sherbourne Male, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Male, who has been seriously ill, has entirely recovered.

Dish sets, white or decorated; barrel tumblers, goblets; water sets.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Allen and son, Ray, have moved to Dumas, where all three are employed in defense work.

Mrs. J. A. Stovall is in Austin this week visiting her daughter, Miss Modena Stovall, who is employed in the Census Department.

Men's and boys' blue denim work pants, good quality; cloth and leather gloves.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Claude McLaughlin, who submitted to an operation in the Quannah hospital Monday, is reported to be improving rapidly.

Mrs. Ab Fox and daughter, Juanita, spent the week-end in Dumas visiting their husband and father, Ab Fox, who is employed in defense work there.

Mrs. Tommie Johnson and Miss Juanita Brown returned Sunday night from Austin and San Antonio where they had spent about ten days visiting friends.

Wash boards, ironing boards and pads, auto seat pads, chair cushion sets. Gift articles, rugs, linoleum, paint, wall paper, picture framing.—W. R. Womack.

Charles Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis of Crowell, and telegraph operator for the Santa Fe Railroad, has recently been transferred from Muleshoe to Ft. Stockton.

R. S. Carroll, who has operated the service station in the Vivian community for a number of years, has recently gone to Fort Worth where he is employed in the Consolidated Aircraft.

Miss Mildred Cogdell of Eunice, N. M., spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, and friends. Miss Cogdell teaches in the High School in Eunice.

Roy Canup of Ardmore, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup, last week. He, with his mother, Mrs. G. M. Canup, spent the week-end in Abilene in the home of their brother and son, 1st Sgt. Wayne M. Canup and Mrs. Canup.

Too Late to Classify

SEWING MACHINE Repair work and parts for all makes of machines. At Olds Grocery Building, Friday and Saturday, March 5 and 6.—Scotty. 35-1tp

Mrs. Recie Womack and small daughter, Francey Ann, returned home last week from McAllen, where they visited for five weeks with Mrs. Womack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Roberts of Munday were visitors at The Foard County News office for a short time Wednesday afternoon. They were en route to Quannah for a short visit with friends.

J. E. Harwell of Lawton, Okla., is in the Quannah hospital, having had an operation Monday. He is said to be doing as well as possible. Mr. Harwell formerly resided in Crowell.

Grover Crowell, who lives near Rising Star, spent the week-end here visiting his mother, Mrs. N. A. Crowell, and other relatives and friends. Grover was reared in Crowell, but has not made his home here in many years.

Mrs. Clyde Eddy has gone to Seattle, Wash., to be near her husband, Pvt. Clyde Eddy, who is in the Coast Guard Anti-Aircraft Artillery. Mrs. Eddy is working in the bookkeeping department of the Navy at Bremerton, Wash., near Seattle.

Mrs. John Lee Orr of San Diego, Calif., was here last week visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ura Orr. John Lee, who is in the Navy, and who has been located in San Diego since his enlistment, expects to spend the week-end here.

Mrs. J. T. Carter and three children, Jan, Sandra and Johnny, of Dalhart arrived in Crowell Tuesday night. After a short stay, Mrs. Carter and small son left for Corpus Christi in response to a message that her mother was very ill. George Carter of Quannah accompanied them here and took Mrs. Carter back to Quannah where she took the train to Corpus Christi.

Necessary Protein for Dairy Cows Very Important

In a recent communication from E. R. Eudaly, A. & M. Extension Dairy Specialist, to County Agent D. F. Eaton, the following important suggestions were made:

That failure to keep the protein content of the grain mixture fed to dairy cows in balance with the roughage in the ration, causes greater loss in milk production than any other one thing.

Since the small grain grazing season is about over and grass has not yet appeared and it will be some weeks before sudan pasture develops, the supply of available protein will be lessened. Therefore, the need for supplying it by the use of supplemental feeds.

Two facts are to be remembered, (1) a low protein roughage requires a high protein grain mixture, and, (2) a high protein roughage requires a low protein grain mixture.

Since protein is the only element which stimulates milk production, it is imperative to keep the correct balance between the grain and the roughage to assure maximum production. Too little protein quickly lowers the yield and too large a percentage has a similar reaction, with the further hazard of possible harm to the cows.

Available in the agent's office is a bulletin that gives sufficient information to aid in figuring just how to keep protein balance in the ration by varying the mixture of feed used.

To determine the proper mixture, one needs to know the crude protein content of the roughage feed, dry basis, as shown by the tables in Bulletin Number B-69. This is subtracted from 27, the difference will indicate the protein requirements of the grain mixtures fed. By adjusting this mixture, one can arrive at the proper mixture required to balance the feed ration.

This ration usually consists of about one-third hay or silage, one-third pasture and one-third grain concentrates.

A cow weighing 1,000 pounds will eat about 20 pounds of dry matter in roughage daily. If she is grazing on small grain, on green grass, or sudan, around 85 per cent of this is water, so the cow has to eat a vast amount to get her required roughage. If silage is used, she has to consume about 60 pounds to supply her needs, even then, she needs some hay. As grazing fails, she will eat more hay, a part of which should be legume hay to supply protein.

Protein supplied through hay is cheaper than through concentrates. Therefore, feed all hay she will consume.

As indicated above, there must be a proper balance between all three feeds.

The first section of the largest pipe line in the world has been completed from Longview, Texas, to Morris City, Ill. This section is laid with a twenty-four inch pipe, a distance of 501 miles at a cost of \$35,000,000. Work on the second section to extend to New York by way of Philadelphia is under way. When completed the line will carry as much oil as could be carried by 85 tankers by way of the Gulf of Mexico and up the Atlantic sea coast. The line will do away with the submarines with which the tankers must contend.

A "greenhouse" is not only a place where plants are raised. It also is the name given to the bombardier's nest in the nose of a bombing plane.

Subscription List of News Largest in Many Years

The Foard County News completed on March 1st one of the most successful subscription campaigns in the history of the paper, at which time the fall bargain rate of \$1.50 per year was withdrawn. At the present time it is necessary to print 1,500 papers each week to take care of the subscribers and extra copies sold at the office.

Renewals and new subscriptions received at this office since Feb. 22, follow:

- Mrs. H. W. Norwood, Vernon; Wilburn, Nichols, Sweetwater; Mrs. Pete Bell, Hobbs, N. M.; Herman Blevins, city; Clarence Garrett, Foard City; Mrs. Annie Ayers, Scottsville, Tenn.; Truman Taylor, Lubbock; Frank Halenack, Rt. 1; H. S. Wallace, Thalia; R. H. Sikes, San Angelo; J. N. Johnson, Fort Worth; Clyde Self, Thalia; Pvt. Garland Taylor, Maxwell, Ala.; Grace C. Norris, Houston; Bill Manning, Rt. 2; Mrs. Lena Wedel city; J. P. Davidson, city; Charley Hinkle, Rt. 1.

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ROTARY CLUB

The program for the Rotary Club Wednesday at noon was given by Rev. H. A. Longino, Rev. Longino recently attended a meeting of the Dallas Rotary Club and he gave to Crowell Rotarians thoughts that he obtained from the program of this meeting.

Short talks were also made by the secretary, J. A. Stovall, on the Foard County Red Cross War Fund drive, and George Self, Red Cross County chairman, and by Henry Ferguson, who attended the Rotary Club luncheon in Dallas last week.

Training for the cadet bombardiers at the Midland AAF Bombardier School, Texas, includes the bombing of Tokyo. "Tokyo" is a scale-model reproduction of the real thing, set up on the school's vast prairie target range.

There are about 15,000 banks in the United States.

FDR Envoy in India



William Phillips, personal representative of President Roosevelt, is shown at the left talking with members of the American and Indian press, following his arrival at New Delhi, India. The trip was made by plane. In the center, with glasses, is Durga Das, of the Statesman. Half-hidden behind the turbaned man is Herbert Matthews, an American newspaper man. At the right, wearing a turban, is A. S. Iyengar of the Shore Tribune.

MORE MILK FOR BUTTER

A shortage of butter for civilians has cast its shadows of late. This was most noticeable because it came at the season's low production period and prevailing high demand.

The amount of butter which can be made depends upon the volume of milk produced. Texas dairymen have been asked to produce two per cent more than they did in 1942. Some may be inquiring how they can do it, faced as they are with less labor than in normal times.

E. R. Eudaly, dairyman for the A. & M. College Extension Service, says that the best known way is attention to better feeding. A small, well-fed herd may produce as much, or more, milk than a large one less well fed. Weeding out unprofitable cows returns larger profit on feed.

The cheapest feed for a dairy cow is good permanent pasture of the kind which enables her to get all she wants in about two hours of grazing. But as permanent pastures will not last the

year 'round, temporary pastures should be provided for as a supplement. Sudan grass serves best in summer and early fall, and small grains, such as oats, barley and wheat for winter and early spring, Eudaly says. Further, a cow needs some concentrated feed along with pasture to provide milk-making elements not furnished by grass alone.

When pastures are lacking, silage is the best substitute. In addition to pasture and silage, a good dairy cow needs dry roughage, such as hay and dry bundles of grain sorghum, sweet sorghum, or sudan grass. This is especially desirable in the early spring when the grass is sappy or watery. Dry roughage also should be kept before the cows when they are eating silage.

Good management calls for protection of cows from cold, and shade in warm weather. They also need abundant clean, cool water in summer, and good, clean warm water in winter.

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W. R. Womack Try Here First, We May Have It.



# THE WILDCAT

EDITOR: Mary Evelyn Edwards  
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 SOCIETY: Ada Jane Magee  
 HOME ECONOMICS: Evelyn Barker  
 SPANISH: Lowell Campbell  
 CLASS REPORTERS: Betty Scales, Billy Morrison, Raymond Hord and Albert Bird  
 REPORTERS: Monty Balcom, Jane Roark and Roy Joe Cates

### EDITORIAL

Do you know what the word Democracy really means? The dictionary says that it is a government directed by the people collectively. Democracy comes from the word demokratia—demos, meaning people, and kratia meaning rule. However, that isn't all. Democracy is the foundation for freedom of speech, freedom of the press, and freedom of religion. Democracy believes in and fights to preserve the right of the common man to stand up and do the best he can. Democracy is against those who push others around—be it a race, a creed, or a social class that is oppressed. Democracy strives to keep open the avenues of economic and political progress to all mankind. These are good reasons why America is at war now. Democracy strives to be friendly to all nations. Mr. Wilkie said of the present war, "A billion people are involved in this great movement. That's too many people to ignore even if we wanted to. But I'm sure most Americans want to see the kind of world that will include all nations as good neighbors. I myself hope to have a part in working toward that goal."

The boys in our armed forces are democratic. They know that they are fighting for something worth fighting for. They know that all men are equal in this country of ours. When you talk to these boys, one thing stays in your mind the whole time. And that is the spirit of these boys, their supreme cockiness, the confident way their eyes look back at you. They're heading into a grim job, yet they can play. That's because they know they're fighting for a winning cause. Remember that democracy means bearing responsibilities as well as possessing rights. And this is just what all the men in our armed forces are doing.

Democracy is the backbone of this nation; and regardless of what the rest may be, or what we have to do without, we intend to keep it this way.

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### BRIEF BIOGRAPHIES

Name: Craig Sandlin.  
 Nickname: "Babe."  
 Organizations: Junior Class.  
 Favorite radio program: Red Skelton.  
 Favorite actor: Melvin Douglas.  
 Favorite actress: Hedy Lamar.  
 Best dressed boy: Vernon Garrett.  
 Best dressed girl: Mary Edwards.  
 Most popular boy: Billy Short.  
 Most popular girl: Betty Johnson.

Best dancer for boy: John Thomas Raso.  
 Best dancer for girl: Ann Favor.  
 Best personality for boy: Billy Fred Short.  
 Best personality for girl: Ann Favor.  
 Favorite orchestra: Kay Kayser.  
 Favorite teacher: Miss Thompson.  
 Favorite subject: Algebra.  
 Favorite color: Blue.

Name: Valeria May Owens.  
 Nickname: Sister.  
 Organizations: Sophomore, F. H. T.  
 Favorite radio program: Fibber McGee and Molly.  
 Favorite actor: Alan Ladd.  
 Favorite actress: Bette Davis.  
 Best dressed boy: John Calvin Carter.  
 Best dressed girl: Mary Edwards.  
 Most popular boy: Booty Bird.  
 Most popular girl: Betty Johnson.  
 Best dancer boy: John Thomas Raso.  
 Best dancer girl: Bessy Gamble.  
 Best personality (boy): Clarence Orr.  
 Best personality for girl: Mary Edwards.  
 Favorite orchestra: HARRY JAMES.  
 Favorite teacher: Coach Graves.  
 Favorite subject: Algebra.  
 Favorite color: Brown.

### JAZZY JAZZ

We have asked a few of the students and teachers what their favorite songs are, and the results are as follows:  
 Miss Ferguson: "I'm Getting Tired So I Can Sleep."  
 Wanda Ketchersid: "When The Lights Go On Again."  
 Betty Zeibig: "Moonlight Mood."  
 Bit Adams: "Why Don't You Fall In Love With Me?"  
 Wanda Cobb: "I've Heard That Song Before."  
 Kenneth Archer: "Strip Polka."  
 Arnold Smith: "Captains of the Clouds."  
 Helen Jo Callaway: "I've Heard That Song Before."  
 John Thomas Raso: "Don't Get Around Much Any More."  
 Dorothy Hall: "I've Heard That Song Before."  
 Gordon Erwin: "I've Heard That Song Before."  
 Marjorie Broek: "There Are Such Things."  
 Naomi Teal: "Moonlight Becomes You."  
 Roy Joe Cates: "There Are Such Things."  
 Margaret Davis: "This Love of Mine."  
 Mary Edwards: "Don't Get Around Much Any More."  
 Ann Favor: "I've Heard That Song Before."  
 Betty Johnson: "Why Don't You Fall In Love With Me?"  
 Miss Motley: "There Are Such Things."  
 Booty Bird: "Tales From The Vienna Woods." (Does he feel all right?)  
 Harold Camp: "There Are Such Things."  
 Miss Thompson: "Moonlight Becomes You."  
 Yvonne McLain: "There Are Such Things."  
 The winner for this week is a tie between "I've Heard That Song Before," and "There Are Such Things." We will have another one of these polls next week so be thinking what your favorite song is.

### MEET THE TEACHERS

Name: Miss Thompson.  
 Teachers: General Math, Bookkeeping, Algebra II, and Spanish.  
 Schools attended: W. T. S. T. C., Canyon.  
 Likes: Bicycling.  
 Dislikes: Smart alecks, male or female.  
 Pet aversion: Sandstorms.  
 Eyes: Brown.  
 Hair: Brown.  
 Favorite actor: Charles Boyer.  
 Favorite actress: Bette Davis.  
 Favorite radio program: Information, Please!

### ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

As you can plainly see, we are starting a new column this week. If anyone has any problem, just write a letter to "John and Phoebe," and drop it in Locker 44. They will be most happy to help you.  
 Dear John and Phoebe:  
 There is a certain girl that I like very much. However, when I want to talk to her, a bunch of the silliest girls have ever seen begin to crowd around me. By the time I plow through them,

she is gone. What can I do to get rid of the crowd and talk to my girl?  
 Misfortunate.

Get a bottle of Ben Her perfume and a pair of handcuffs and follow the directions on the label.  
 John and Phoebe.

Dear John and Phoebe:  
 I am a Fish, and as near as I can figure, the best looking boy in school. All the girls are just dying to go with me, but I don't think any of them are worthy of me. Advise me what to do.  
 Stuck-Up.

I hear there is a fine brain specialist in Wichita Falls. He would probably understand your condition better than anyone else, and perhaps he could make you see the light. I am sure that when the girls discover your condition, they will not be too heart broken.  
 John and Phoebe.

### A TEACHER'S IDEAL BOY STUDENT

Hair: Clifford White.  
 Eyes: Z. D. Shaw.  
 Eyelashes: H. L. Blevins.  
 Lips: John T. Raso.  
 Hands: Vreeland McNeese.  
 Mentality: Lowell Campbell.  
 Personality: Bill Owens.  
 Dancer: How should I know?  
 Height: Bob Gobin.  
 Physique: Arnold Smith.

### A TEACHER'S IDEAL GIRL STUDENT

Hair: Margraet Davis.  
 Eyes: La Rue Graves.  
 Eyelashes: Jean Scales.  
 Lips: Jo Favor.  
 Hands: Ludell Murphy.  
 Mentality: Mentie Briscoe.  
 Personality: Betty Zeibig.  
 Dancer: Wanda Smith.  
 Height: Dorothy Greening.  
 Figure: Betty Johnson.

### THE TRANSMO PEEKER

Boy, oh boy! I know everyone is absolutely thrilled to death about coming back to school after those two "nasty" holidays. (Am I kidding?) Well, anyway, it certainly did help out your Peeker.

Three girls from Crowell seem to have a warm spot in their hearts for three guys "down Margaret way." They are Jenny Mabe, Sister Owens, and Patsy Ketchersid. Well, we wonder who the three lucky boys could be.

Guess what I saw! None other than Charles Wood and Jane Roark, and Sammy Payne and Bessie Gamble. Wow, that Bessie really gets around!

Sammy Jones was stepping out Saturday night with Kelly Bullion from Truscott. Well, well! Several people have been wondering what is the matter between Ruth Diggs and Elmer Boykin. Could something have gone wrong?

Marion Self was at the Preview with Leland Lewis Saturday night. (This isn't anything new—we just thought someone might be asleep.)  
 Wow! That Polly Davis seems to have made up her mind. The lucky boy is Delmar Paul MacBeth from Thalia, Dorgone it!

Some doings at Margaret Friday night (from all I hear): It seems that Edwina Ross gave a dance. It was a success, too. I suppose everyone saw who Betty Johnson was with all last week. For the benefit of those who did not, we'll tell you. It was a certain guy from Holliday by the name of Charley Winton (No. 4 to you). Seems she has at last found the "one and only." (That's what we're told.)

Rita Callaway is feeling pretty good. Her soldier friend, Sgt. Rudy Hess, was here Friday and Saturday. Did everyone get a good look?  
 Frances Ann Ayers and Gussie Joe Bledsoe were certainly feeling good last week. The reason was a certain ex-senior, by the name of Ira Jo Hart. Well, we didn't know he cared.

Weldon Moody was in town over the holidays. Good news, eh, what?  
 Evelyn Flesher has just this minute returned from a trip to

T. S. C. W. From all reports she had a super time. That seems to be her destination next year. (That is, if she gets out of high school.)

Now we know why Frances Ann Ayers has been looking so woo-begone the last few days. She and Johnnie Raso have broken up. Don't give up hope, Frances Ann. Maybe everything will turn out all right.

It seems that J. W. Sollis is now "courtin'" Mildred Marlow. That girl really gets around. We thought she and Cotton McNeese really had it bad. Oh, me! This changing world.

Some of the students from Tech were home over the weekend. Truman Taylor was here and was seen at the Preview Saturday night with Yvonne Williams. Jean Orr and Clonita Russell were also here. We're always glad to see some "exes" back.

Seen at the Preview Saturday night: Billy Nichols and Wanda Ketchersid double dating with Rita Faye Getaway and Wayne Cobb. This is getting to be an every night occasion. Also seen at the Preview Saturday night were Ann Favor and Roy Joe Cates. This is something fairly new. Rumors have it that he also enjoys the company of Polly Davis. Wow! He certainly gets around.

### JOKES

The portions had been small and the prices had been high. "Food will win the war," said the proprietor when the diner complained.  
 "Sure," the diner replied, "but how are we going to get the enemy to eat here?"

"Doctor's agree that drunkenness is a disease, and that the man who is a drunk should be treated by a physician."  
 "Yeah!" Most of the drunks I know don't care who treats them.

Good Housekeeping says, help your wife. When she wants you to mop the floor, mop up the floor with her.

The patient with stomach trouble was told by his doctor that he had been drinking too much and would have to stop.  
 "But," asks the patient, "what will I tell my wife is wrong with me?"

"Oh," said the doctor, "tell her you are suffering from syncopeation. That should satisfy her."  
 The patient did. "What is syncopeation?" asked the wife.  
 "I don't know," he replied, "but that's what the doctor told me."

When her husband had gone, she looked up the word in the dictionary. "Syncopeation," is defined: "Irregular movement from bar to bar."  
 Mary Edwards: "At last I've written something that has been accepted by a magazine."  
 Booty: "What was it?"  
 Mary E.: "A check for a year's subscription."

John Thomas: "I would like to have a job working for you."  
 Mr. Raso: "Well, son, business is rather slow, and I won't have much to do."  
 John T.: "Oh, that's all right. I won't do much anyway."

### THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Love is never lost. If not reciprocated it will flow back and soften and purify the heart.—Washington Irving.

Faith, like light, should always be simple and unending; while love, like warmth, should beam forth on every side, and bend to every necessity of our brethren.—Martin Luther.

Chicago.—A soldier wearing a distinguished service cross stopped in the Red Cross surgical dressing room. "I want to thank you women for supplying surgical dressings," he said, "if two of you worked all day you couldn't begin to make all the dressings I needed when I was wounded."

### HELP FINISH THE JOB

10 PER CENT EVERYBODY EVERY PAYDAY IN WAR BONDS

U. S. Treasury Dept. WSS 722E

## WOMEN AT WAR

Mom

"Sausages for breakfast! Sausages for breakfast! I can smell 'em!" Small Joe came tumbling downstairs fastening the belt of his shorts as he came. He made a beeline for the kitchen. Pop was already sitting at the table, reading the paper, while Mom held the handle of the frying-pan over the stove. Small Joe came close and sniffed the delicious smoke, wriggling all over with early-morning joy.

"Better be thankful for them while you can still get them." One glance at Mom's face told small Joe this was one of her tight-lipped days. "Not a drop of coffee in the house, and no sugar left to put in it if there was. Some war!" Small Joe kept still.

"Letter for you, son." Pop said in his quiet voice. Small Joe made a leap for his place at table. There it was, a private personal letter for him alone, propped against his milk glass.

"Hey, Pop! It's from brother!" Small Joe was pulling the envelope apart and diving into the contents. "Hey, look what he sent me!" He passed over an oblong of thick, crinkly paper while he leaned over the sheet of writing-paper.

"A twenty-five dollar War Bond." Pop said slowly. Mom turned and looked at it over Pop's shoulder, with the frying-pan in her hand.

"Listen what he says. 'How are you doing, kid? Hurry and grow up so you can help me slap the Japs. Aren't you most big enough to get into the Army? Here's something for you in your name. Let's the whole family gang up and help to win this war.'"

Pop and Mom were silent. But small Joe didn't notice that. He was full of his letter and his War Bond.

"Gee, Pop, in six years I could get into the Army, couldn't I, Pop? Gee, Pop, I want to be a soldier like brother and fight in this war. Gee, isn't that grand nifty? Look, it was issued in Honolulu. It's mine!"

But Pop was looking at Mom and Mom was looking at Pop. There were tears in Mom's eyes. She shook her head sharply. Pop reached out and patted her hand gently.

"Well, can't let our soldier boy beat us to buying War Bonds, can we, old lady?" was all he said. She shook her head again. "I guess if he can give up his job and go off to war I can do some fighting back at home," she said in a queer voice. Small Joe looked up at her in surprise. She saw him looking at her and spoke sharply. "Well, Joe, we're about ready to eat. Say grace."

Small Joe folded his hands and bent his head as he had been taught. "Oh Lord, we thank thee for this food and all thy bountiful gifts. . . . " "Amen," Pop said. "Amen," Mom said. "Now eat your good sausages."  
 (Story from an actual report in the files of the Treasury Department.)

Amen: Say yes. Take your change in War Stamps. The least you can do is the most you can buy in War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

## THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

ONE ENTERPRISING MANUFACTURER HAS MOBILIZED A BILLION BEES TO MAKE HONEY TO HELP OFFSET THE SUGAR SHORTAGE

LOAVES OF BREAD FOUND IN THE RUINS OF ANCIENT EGYPT WERE FOUND TO HAVE THE SAME TEXTURE AND STRUCTURE AS MODERN-DAY BREAD

SO HE WILL NOT BE ROBBED OF HIS VOICE AND HEARS DURING AN ENEMY GAS ATTACK, A NAVY GUNNER WEARS A MASK EQUIPPED WITH MICROPHONE AND SET ENABLING HIM TO RECEIVE AND GIVE RANGE SETTINGS AND ORDERS

A NEW CHEMICAL KEEPS FIGHTER PLANE WINDOWS CLEAR OF RAIN STORMS

A LUMINOUS BAIT RECENTLY IS MOLDED OF A PHOSPHOR PLASTIC

## AMERICAN HEROES

The Japs kicked him in the face and stomach, smashed him with fists, knifed him, jabbed him with a pitchfork and left him for dead. Pvt. E. O. Moore came through this ordeal. Now you come through. You've done your bit; now do your best—Buy more War Bonds.

## Canada's "Quacks" Get In Their Wacks To Lick The Axis

Payday is welcomed by the members of the C.W.A.C. in a regular military "pay parade." Here, Lieut. Ellen Richards is shown passing out the pay cheques to the C.W.A.C. volunteers. These girls all live at Trinity House Barracks in Toronto.

HEADS turn when a C.W.A.C. swings along the street. Trimly garbed in shocky fitted suits, smart caps topping up-to-the-minute hair-do's, recruits of the Canadian Women's Army Corps now total 6,500 and expect to number 14,000 by March, 1943.

A major part of Canada's streamlined war machine, C.W.A.C.'s have to be past-masters in the art of makeup, for regulations specify that rouge, lipstick, powder, and other cosmetics be applied inconspicuously. Nail polish is allowed, but must be a natural tone.

Neat haversacks, giving an added air of smartness to the uniform, hang from the girls' shoulders to hold the miscellany of articles every woman carries.

Service issue includes four uniforms, three shirts, two pairs of shoes, stockings, gloves, rubbers, everything but under garments. For these \$15 is allotted when enlistment, and \$3 is allotted three months for replacing clothing and cosmetics. All tested articles are replaced necessary.

The wheel that does the squeaking needs the grease—and gets it. Pvt. M. Walton and D. Lowry of the C.W.A.C. now stationed at the Newmarket Basic Training Centre, overhaul an army truck for the grease-pit. Keeping Canada's equipment rolling is part of the job. Other girls are employed as mechanics, drivers.



U. S. Navy Announces College Program for Young Men, 17 and 20

Dallas, March 1.—The Navy is just announcing its new college program, affecting several thousand Texas Naval and Marine corps reservists still attending school, and young men between 17 and 20 not enrolled in any branch of the armed services.

Lieutenant Lyman E. King, in charge of the Navy's college program in North Texas, today reduced essentials of the officer training plan to question and answer form.

"I hope," he said, "to answer steadily mounting flow of questions from college and high school students, their parents and faculty members."

J. E. ATCHESON

Abstracts and Insurance Crowell, Texas

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Classified Ad Section

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 25c

For Sale

FOR SALE—Good National cash register.—Joe Eddy. 35-2tp
FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow with heifer calf.—Joe Eddy. 35-2tp

Notice

OPEN ALL DAY.—Ross Tire Shop. 35-2tc
To my customers who have Government Loan cotton—I have made arrangements with T. L. Hughton and S. E. Norris to buy your equities at any time you want to sell them.

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CHURCHES

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ELECTION ORDER

State of Texas, County of Foard, City of Crowell.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall, in the City of Crowell, Texas, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1943, the same being the first Tuesday in April, in obedience to an order duly entered by the City Council on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1943, for the purpose of electing the following: Mayor and four Aldermen to serve for a period of two years or until their successors have been elected and qualified.

G. A. Mitchell is hereby appointed Presiding Judge of said election, and is hereby authorized to appoint such help as prescribed by law.

Any person desiring to have his, her or their names placed on the Official Ballot as a candidate for an elective office within the City of Crowell, shall file his, her or their names with the City Secretary not later than seven days immediately preceding such election.

All qualified voters who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Crowell for a period of six months preceding said election shall be entitled to vote.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the laws pertaining to general elections in this State insofar as they are applicable.

All candidates for City office are required to sign and execute a loyalty affidavit and file with the City Secretary. Blanks can be obtained at the City Hall.

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor. GUY TODD, City Secretary. (SEAL) 35-1tc

nel in the 17-20 age bracket apply for the college program? A. Through their commanding officers.

Q. Will many of the students now in V-1, V-5 and V-7 or in class 3 (d) of the Marine Corps in an inactive status be called up soon? A. Yes, about July 1.

Q. How is the Navy Department handling the expenses of students sent to colleges? A. It is entering into contracts with selected schools for the training, housing, feeding and medical service of students. Colleges are being selected by a joint committee.

Q. How about the courses? A. The V-12 class will receive instruction in Naval organization and orientation as well as an academic curricula to insure production of officer material.

Q. May a student carry an elective course in addition to the Navy curriculum? A. Yes, so long as it does not interfere with the performance of assigned duties the student may take part in athletics and all types of campus activities.

Office Supplies. The News has a good stock of Office Supplies, small items that are needed in offices and business houses around the square. Mimeograph stencils, typewriter ribbons, large receipt books, Mephisto pencils, Scotch tape, ledger sheets, two sizes; letter files; file folders, two sizes; legal pads, filing trays, typewriter carbon paper, 8 1/2 x 11 and 8 1/2 x 14, also pencil carbon cut any size; stamp pads, all colors..

MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY. Now Let Somebody Kick. I TOLD YOU TWICE YOU CAN'T PLAY THET THING IN TH' HOUSE, NOW IM NOT GOIN' TO TELL YUM ANYMORE. AW, TAKE THET THING SOME-WHERES ELSE!! SQUEEE BLANKETS SQUAWK SQUEEE SQUEEE



# --SOCIETY--

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor  
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## 42 Club Entertains Husbands at Party

Mesdames A. Y. Beverly and L. E. Archer were hostesses at the home of Mrs. Beverly last Friday evening when the members of the 42 Club and their husbands were guests. Several couples outside the club were present. Spring flowers adorned the entertaining rooms and five tables of players enjoyed several hours of the game. A floating \$4 prize was, at the close of the diversion, given to Mrs. D. R. Magee for the ladies and to Paul Shirley for the men.

## Co-Laborers' Class Has All-Day Meeting

Mesdames R. J. Thomas, Sam Mills, Joe Brown and Herman Gentry were hostesses at the covered dish luncheon of the Co-Laborers' Class of the Methodist Sunday School last Thursday at the church. These special days are observed quarterly. After the dinner was served, an informal program and a singing was enjoyed by about twenty of the class members.

### THALIA 4-H CLUB

The Thalia High School 4-H Club met in the Home Economics room Friday with Miss Elliott, county demonstration agent, present.

There were seven new members: Faye Swan, Edith Blevins, Carolita Jones, Laverne Abston, Beverly Self, Frankie Mason and Axie McKinley.

At the election of officers the following were elected: Janice Ward, president; Evelyn Bradford, secretary; Laverne Abston, treasurer, and Hazel Marlow, reporter. The president appointed Evelyn Bradford as committee delegate, Hazel Marlow as committee alternate, Wilma Fleisher as bedroom demonstrator, Naomi Crisp as garden demonstrator, Mary Adkins, Faye Swan and Carolita Jones as social leaders.

Miss Elliott showed bonnets, dresses and coveralls which were modeled by Janice Ward, Mary Adkins and Edith Blevins. Patterns were shown and a number of patterns taken by each girl. Leaflets on how to make Dutch bonnets were given out by Miss Elliott.

Denver, Colo. — All Catholic nuns in Denver will take the Red Cross Home Nursing course.

on Saturday, March 20, at 2:30 p.m.

### COUNTY H. D. COUNCIL

The Home Demonstration Council of Foard County met in the office of Miss Elizabeth Elliott, the demonstrator, on Saturday, Feb. 20.

The president of each club of the county told of the ways of her club to make money for the treasury.

It was voted to have recipes printed in the Foard County News at various times, also to furnish the 4-H Club boys and girls with membership pins and labels. The slogan for the 4-H Clubs is, "I will try to feed a fighter and myself."

Miss Elliott discussed the ways in which funds are collected and used out of the district treasury. The next meeting of the council will be in Miss Elliott's office.

## Noted Artist Paints War Poster



Urging Americans to "Keep 'em Flying" through the purchase of more War Bonds, the above poster will soon make its appearance in several hundred thousand stores and display spots throughout the country. It was painted by Georges Schreiber, internationally known artist, whose pictures hang in the Metropolitan and Whitney Museums in New York and other museums in various cities.

## Dedication Week to be Observed at Methodist Church

The week from Feb. 28 to March 7 has been designated as "Week of Dedication" in all Methodist Churches of the nation and is being observed in the local church with special services. Rev. H. A. Longino announces that there will be a program at the church on Thursday night (tonight) beginning at 8 o'clock to which everyone is invited. The program will be a varied one and will be participated in by all divisions of the church. Special music, a play, a radio broadcast and other features will make up an interesting and helpful program.

## Honors Given to Miss Doris Campbell

Miss Doris Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Campbell, has been rewarded for maintaining a B average at TSCW and is thereby entitled to class exemption privileges this semester. Miss Campbell is majoring in business at the college and is among 180 students of the total 1,851 enrolled to receive this privilege. This information has been given through the news bureau of the college.

### WESLEYAN GUILD

The Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church met in regular session in the home of the sponsor, Mrs. M. S. Henry, Thursday evening, Feb. 25.

The guests of the Wesleyan Guild were: Enrichment of Spiritual Life, Practice of World Brotherhood, Promotion of Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities and The Highest Use of Leisure.

As a partial fulfillment of these goals, the guild members decided to use Bible study as part of this year's program. The Life and Letters of Paul were chosen for the first discussions and Miss Mary Ragland Thompson presented a very interesting lesson Thursday evening that included Paul's early life, his conversion and his first missionary journey. Mrs. Carrie Hart is leader for the meeting on March 11.

### GAMBLEVILLE H. D. CLUB

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Earl Davis, on Tuesday, Feb. 16, with ten members and Miss Elizabeth Elliott, the county demonstration agent, present.

Mrs. Milburn Carroll gave a reading on buying thread for different types of fabrics. Miss Elliott answered some questions on Ration Book No. 2. A discussion on home gardens and plans for them followed and the members were urged to plant Victory gardens. The WPB has put aside enough canning supplies for home canning needs.

Miss Elliott showed and explained some pretty and sturdy types of bonnets, house dresses, gloves, aprons and coveralls.

General uses of irons was the main topic of discussion in the demonstration given on home pressing.

Mrs. Davis served an attractive refreshment plate which emphasized the Valentine motif, to ten members. Miss Elliott and little Aldon Ray Harriett and Patricia Ann Prosser.

The next meeting of the Gambleville Club was held with Mrs. Milburn Carroll on Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The hostess talked on the importance of raising a Victory garden and said "Why not use a bit less sugar by serving the fruit salad refreshments instead of the sweet, rich desserts?" Mrs. Earl Davis said that a woman served higher as a home maker, having a tasty, wholesome meal on the

## County Agent Gives Suggestions on Care of Baby Chicks

Most hatcheries are turning out baby chicks by the thousands and many hundreds are coming into this county, according to County Agent D. F. Eaton.

There are always many lost and consequent disappointments. The reasons for their losses are many and varied.

The final results effect the total amount of poultry grown and the resulting production either favorable or unfavorable in direct proportion to the number saved. We can only suggest a few things that will aid in cutting down this loss.

First, be sure the chicks come from flocks free from Pullorum diseases, and that they have a good production record back of them, if you mean to grow eggs.

See that the chicks have a comfortable place to live, with clean feed, clean water, and clean floors and equipment.

Remember, management is a big part of the battle, that chicks started right, fed good feed, and kept warm, but not too hot or allowed to be chilled, has eliminated the major part of the trouble.

Remember, also, that if the above care is taken, you probably will not need to put any kind of chemical in the water. If you should wish to add something, use a mild antiseptic. None of these drugs will substitute for careful management.

Floor space should be provided at the rate of 2 chicks per square foot; feeders should have one inch space per chick. Allow one quart of water per 25 chicks, supply grit and clean, dry litter. Unless you have a large flock it is better to feed commercial chick mash. Chicks will usually accommodate themselves to the heat by drawing closer or farther away from hover. Chicks that are too hot or chilled, usually indicate by their actions; panting indicates too much heat and when they huddle together, they indicate they are cold.

The following feeding program is suggested: for the first two days feed chick-size grain and chick-size feed, from 3 to 5 weeks feed commercial chick starter; from 5 weeks until sold as broiler, commercial roller ration, and those kept as pullets feed growing mash.

Teach chicks to go to low roost at an early age. Pullets should be vaccinated against chicken pox and be treated for worms and kept free from lice and mites.

### FERTILIZER FOR GARDENS

There has been some uneasiness among those planning to grow Victory gardens that they would not be able to secure fertilizer in small quantities.

The county agent's office has been informed that the manufacturers plan to package fertilizer in small bags of 10, 25, 50 and 100 pounds to be handled by local dealers. So this may be available to growers.

This fertilizer contains three per cent nitrogen, eight per cent phosphoric acid, and seven per cent potash. This will be all right for most users.

A word about applying this fertilizer: It is a waste to broadcast it, so apply it in the row, thoroughly mixing it with the soil before planting the seed. This

table at 12 o'clock than in any other way. Mrs. Gertrude Morgan said "Now that we are all trying to save, why not make more use of left-overs?" Mrs. Willie Garret told some interesting ways to serve dried fruits.

Nine members were present at this meeting. The visitors were Mrs. Elton Carroll and baby; Miss Katherine Meadors, Mrs. Claudius Carroll and children.

## Newspaper Publisher Speaks Plainly

At a time when the functions of government and the powers of its boards and bureaus are growing so rapidly that no man knows how they are, and when they are actually usurping the functions of the courts, Arthur Hays Sulzberger, publisher of the New York Times, told 200 Detroit automotives and advertising executives that the press of America and industry must guard the fundamentals of our system of free enterprise against encroachments of government. Mr. Sulzberger said:

"I cannot overemphasize the power and authority piling up in Washington. I would be derelict if I were not to point out that there are those in my opinion who seek to use the smokescreen of America's foreign wars to promote and forward their American revolution."

"We of the press must be alert to protect the fundamentals of our system of free enterprise, and you must be doing some more egg hatching. You must be preparing to show the people of this country what industry can and will do for each man, woman and child in the community when our major task is completed, far away as that goal still is."

The men of industry must keep ahead of the procession in helping prepare a sound plan, said Mr. Sulzberger: "Let us paint it in all the colors of our genius—new houses, new cars, new education, new opportunity of every kind."

"That's what democracy offers when we, the people, do it. And to do all that, we need a free press."

In other words, industry must go on to the offensive. It has the brains and it has the capital. Management and labor must work together as never before.

Our people have everything to gain from a free enterprise system. They have everything to lose by the extension of state socialism. We have but to look around the world to prove this point to ourselves.

Real statesmanship, industrial and labor leadership, and an informed public must co-operate to see that the United States remains the land of individual opportunity. — Industrial News-Review.

should be done several days before planting, a couple of weeks possibly.

Heavy applications of fertilizer unless you plan to irrigate pour gardens, are not recommended. In the rural areas, good well-rotted manure is a valuable fertilizer.

### SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending February 27, 1943, were 21,801 compared with 20,923 for the same week in 1942. Cars received from connections totaled 12,745 compared with 8,028 for the same week in 1942. Total cars moved were 34,546 compared with 28,951 for the same week in 1942. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,155 cars in the preceding week of this year.

Scrap, Scrap, hits the spot; but, scrap metal piles are the best of the lot.



Leonora

Leonora straightened the objects on her desk with great care. She had put her desk at the end of her room facing the door so that when her mother came in she would have to cross the whole room under Leonora's stern executive eye to get to her. From movies and pictures in the newspapers Leonora had gotten a good idea of how the desk of a busy woman of affairs should look. With an important scroll, Leonora picked up a sheet of paper. Now she was two people — herself, the busy woman, and her own stenographer. "Miss Simpkins, take a letter to the Secretary of the Treasury, will you?" she murmured under her

breath. "Yes, immediately," she murmured back at herself. Leonora cleared her throat and looked at the ceiling for inspiration. Miss Simpkins bent over the sheet of paper hanging on the words about to fall.

"Dear Mr. Morgenthau," — "Got that?" — "Yes, madam."

"I am—ahem—thirteen years old and anxious to be of all possible service to the country at this time, ahem!"

"I earn a weekly income of from \$137 to \$212 by helping with the housework and by shovelling snow. I am at present in possession of one War Savings Bond and am buying stamps weekly. I want to become member of the 10 percent Club. I feel it to be—ahem—not only my duty, but my privilege." ("How do you spell privilege?" asked Miss Simpkins. "Don't bother me with these details," said Leonora)—my privilege as an American to invest at least ten percent of my income in War Bonds.

Yours truly,"

"Get that off at once, Miss Simpkins," said Leonora. "Yes, Ma'am! You certainly are an important woman, ma'am," said Miss Simpkins. (Letter from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.) U. S. Treasury Department.

## INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

The average soldier eats five pounds of food a day compared with four pounds for a civilian. Our army numbering 5,000,000 men consumes 15,000 tons of food daily, valued at \$2,750,000.

According to Dr. Harry Klein, U. S. Public Health Service dentist, the average person loses one tooth for each two and a half years of his life.

Brig. Gen. Billy Mitchell was court martialled by the Navy as a result of his vigorous effort to induce the Navy to recognize the fact that airplanes were a necessary support to the Navy. Now even the most prejudiced Navy man concedes Mitchell was right. In proportion to the population Nevada, with no sea coast, has

the largest number of men listed in the Navy. At least one-fourth of the nation's food production will be required for the forces.

The Encyclopedia Britannica now owned by the Chicago University. It was presented to the University by Sears Roebuck who financed its publication in 1920 by putting up a million dollars when the publication threatened with bankruptcy.

Refineries have succeeded in producing a 100 octane regular gasoline has an octane rating of 55 and premium about 76. The octane designates the anti-knock quality of gasoline.

Nazi losses so far in the war are estimated at 4,000,000 captured or permanently killed. Corresponding losses in 1917 were 4,259,000.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

I have bought the interest of Bill Bell in the Gulf Service Station on the northeast corner of 1st and 2nd square and began its operation Monday. The station will be known in the future as—

## COOPER'S SERVICE STATION

I take this means of extending a cordial invitation to my friends and old customers to visit me in my new business.

Will serve A, B and C cards from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. from Monday through Saturday.

Cars washed and greased.

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JUST ARRIVED

LADIES' SPRING DRESSES and SUITS

Choice of Style, Size and Color



Also New HATS and BAGS priced from \$1.98 up to \$2.98

New Shipment of LADIES' SLACK SUITS \$6.95 up to \$8.95

Ladies' Spring COATS and JACKETS priced from \$3.95 up to \$10.95

Closing Out 15 LADIES' DRESSES broken sizes, \$1.95 and \$2.95

20 LADIES' WINTER COATS \$8.95 and up

BIRD DRY GOODS STORE

The Friendly Store

## NOTICE

We have a complete line of Red Chain Feeds. Also plenty of bulk garden seeds.

Bring us your cream, eggs, poultry and hides for highest market prices.

### BALLARD FEED & PRODUCE

## RIALTO THEATRE

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LAST DAY THURSDAY

"A NIGHT TO REMEMBER" with LORETTA YOUNG, BRIAN AHERNE, "SPIRIT OF ANNAPOLIS"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

William Boyd "HOP-A-LONG CASSIDY" in "STICK TO YOUR GUNS" With Andy Clyde, "GANG BUSTERS" Sports: "Setting the Pace" Cartoon: "SHEEPISH WOLF"

IMPROVED OWL SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT AT 11:00

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" with FAY BAINTER, CAROLYN LEE, CARTOON "OLD BLACKOUT JOE"

SUNDAY and MONDAY

JACK BENNY and ANN SHERIDAN in "George Washington Slept Here" LATEST NEWS "ARMY MASCOTT" "JAPANESE RELOCATION"

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

Latest Issue of "MARCH OF TIME" Showing "A DAY OF WAR-RUSSIA 1943" Everybody Should See It

NEXT TUE.—WED.—THUR. GEORGE BRENT in "You Can't Escape Forever" added "TRAIL OF TWO KITTIES," Cartoon

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