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A Common Paper for Common People

## Gas Ration Coupons Must Be Endorsed

Motorists and all other gasoline users were reminded today by the Donley County War Price & Rationing Board that all the coupons in their gasoline ration books must be endorsed immediately.

Coupons in new books issued after July 22 should be endorsed as soon as they are received from the War Price and Rationing Board. In addition, users should write endorsements immediately on any coupons now in their possession or received before July 22.

In the past it had not been necessary to write notations on coupons until they were actually used to buy gas.

Immediate endorsements are required under a new OPA amendment both as a convenience to the public and as a help to OPA investigators in checking misuse of ration coupons falling into the hands of persons not entitled to them.

"Under the new plan the motorist by spending a few minutes endorsing his coupons all at once will save delay and trouble when he goes to a filling station to buy gasoline," the Board said.

"The new requirement also means greater protection to the motorist whose book is lost or stolen, since the finder or thief will not be able to pass off the coupons as his own by writing in his own license number," the Board added. "By cooperating in making these endorsements promptly the rightful holders of a gasoline ration will be rendering invaluable assistance to OPA in its job of detecting and preventing a black market in gasoline and gasoline coupons.

Endorsements make it possible to distinguish the coupons that have been properly used from those that have been obtained by theft, counterfeiting, and illegal purchase, and put into unlawful use by black market operators. Individuals who endorse these coupons will thus help OPA see that gasoline is distributed and used in a fair and equitable manner."

Attention was called to the fact that whenever a motor vehicle registration number is changed, this change shall be noted by the War Price and Rationing Board or State Registration official, on the front cover of the book. The coupons bearing the old number may then be used without change.

With the exception of "E" and "R" coupons, the information to be noted on gasoline coupons will remain the same as previously:

1. In the case of "A," "B," "C," "D," "T-1" or "T-2" books, the license number and the State of registration of the vehicle are to be written in the space provided, except that in the case of interchangeable coupon books issued for official or fleet vehicles, the information shall be the official or fleet designation (or the Certificate of War Necessity number in the case of commercial vehicles not operating under fleet designation), and the State or city or town in which the principal office of the fleet operator is located.

2. In the case of "E" and "R" books, the name and address, as it appears on the cover of the books should be endorsed on the coupons. However, "E" and "R" books, unlike the others, need not be endorsed immediately, but may be endorsed at the time the gasoline is purchased. Where gasoline is purchased in bulk lots and is delivered to the premises of the "E" or "R" ration-holder, no endorsement at all is required. Where delivery is made to the purchaser at a filling station, bulk station, or any place except the buyer's premises, the coupons must be endorsed.

Mrs. Grover Terry and small son Cecil of Wapato, Wash., Mrs. Hugh Vawter of Los Angeles, Cal., and Robert Micham of Memphis visited with their sister, Mrs. Harry Blair and family, Sunday, Mrs. Vawter left Sunday night for her home in Los Angeles.

## Consumer Table of Point Values To Be Displayed

Local meat dealers and grocers were urged today by the local rationing board to post in a conspicuous place the current OPA official consumer table of point values for meats, fats, canned fish and dairy products.

"Surveys have shown that there is no more effective method of speeding up service and generally reducing the delays and inconvenience of rationing than to display the point table in a prominent place," the Board said. "Customers then may tell at a glance the point value of the various meats and other rationed items and determine beforehand just what items they desire. If the table is not available, housewives are obliged to obtain point values from clerks, with subsequent delays in service."

The local board also suggested that food retailers keep the table of trade point values in a handy spot. Some meats sold at retail are listed only on the trade table, and customers should be able to refer to it. In addition, the retailer needs the trade table to check the point value of purchases from his supplier.

The consumer table is available at both the local post offices and the local rationing board, while the trade table may be obtained at the local rationing board. The meats-fats rationing regulation requires retailers to post the consumer table for each ration period.

## PFC. VIRGIL T. MAXEY PRESENTED GOOD CONDUCT RIBBON

Col. William G. Schaffler, Jr., Commanding Officer of Geiger Field, Wn., pinned a good Conduct ribbon on Pfc. Virgil T. Maxey of Clarendon at a presentation review at Geiger Field, Washington, recently. Pfc. Maxey was among some 200 enlisted men at Geiger to be honored for "exemplary behavior, efficiency, and fidelity" during the past year. The presentation was made before a large number of troops who were drawn up in parade formation and after the ceremony Pfc. Maxey joined his comrades in passing in review before Colonel Schaffler and his staff.

## Alvis Koen Here On Visit After Seeing Service In Pacific Ocean Area

Radio Technician 1st. Class Alvis Koen left yesterday afternoon after a visit with his mother, Mrs. E. D. Koen and family.

Alvis has seen a lot of action since enlisting in June, 1939. He was at Pearl Harbor when the Japs attacked and has seen action in the South, Southwest, Asiatic, Western and Northern Pacific. He was in the battle for Java, Coral Sea, Midway, Attu, and Marshall and Gilbert Islands. He has been on a destroyer most of the time but has seen some action on most all sea going craft including the submarine. During this time, the ships that he was on always came through the battles without serious damage.

After being in that war zone, he stated that the Japs were much better fighters than we had given them credit for, and further adds that he thinks it will take quite some time to wipe them out.

After leaving Clarendon he will report to Seattle, Washington where he will be an instructor awaiting the commissioning of a new ship that he will be assigned to.

Before entering the service, Alvis lived at Wellington most of his life for the exception of about five years at which time the Koen family lived at Lelia Lake.

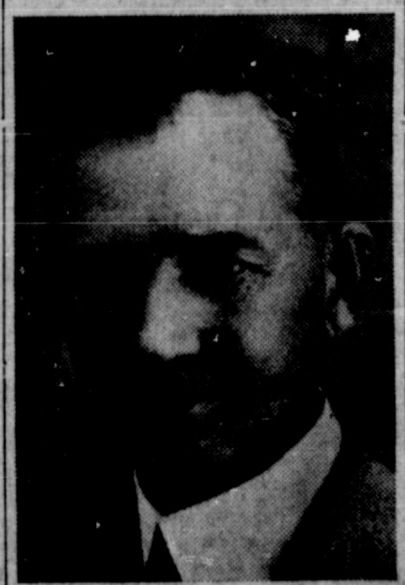
## OPA Clinics To Be Held In August

A series of local War Price and Rationing Board clinics have been scheduled for the 71-county district of the Office of Price Administration, Howard Gholsen, Lubbock district director, announced today. The clinics will be held throughout the month of August in ten towns with the boards participating in the clinic in their immediate vicinity.

The clinics, of one-day duration, will be devoted to a morning session of general discussion and afternoon rationing and price clinics where board members will review their various problems. District Officers from Lubbock will be present at each clinic and will lead the discussions.

The Donley County Board will meet in Amarillo, August 19th.

## Evangelist



Rev. Gardner, evangelist, will do the preaching at a revival which begins here Sunday, August 8 at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Gardner is a former pastor here several years ago, and once again will be renewing old acquaintances and making new ones.

## FORREST MCCRARY BUYS BARTLETT GROCERY

Forrest McCrary announced this week that he had purchased the stock of the Bartlett grocery and would take over the business beginning next Monday. He plans to do quite a bit of re-arranging of stock and fixtures and will make his official announcement in the Leader next week.

Mr. McCrary is well acquainted with the grocery business, having followed this line for the past several years.

## Last Tribute Paid D. O. Stallings

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at the Methodist church for D. O. Stallings, with Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum Jr., officiating.

Mr. Stallings passed away last Friday morning at the Clarendon Clinic after a short illness.

He was born September 9, 1869 in Bedford County, Tenn., and moved with his family to East Texas in early childhood and settled at Honey Grove, Texas. In 1890 he moved to the head of Tule Canyon near Tulia and married Mairrie Pearl Britain July 9, 1899.

During his time in the Panhandle, he lived at Hereford, Bovina and Channing before coming to Clarendon in 1916.

He worked as a ranch hand and farmer up until the time he moved to Bovina. Started work there with the Cleero-Smith Lumber Company and worked with the Bovina Mercantile Co. Was one of the founders and served as cashier of the First State Bank of Bovina and was later with the First State Bank of Channing.

He started in the coal business soon after arrival here. He was a member of the Methodist church and a member of the Lions Club and was a strong supporter of both organizations, and had the record of not missing a Lions Club meeting in the past 15 years.

Besides his wife he is survived by two children, Mrs. J. Roy Wells of Huntsville and Loyd Stallings of Pampa. Three brothers, A. A. and R. J. of Tulia and F. A. Stallings of Slaton. Three grandchildren, all sons of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stallings.

Pallbearers were J. R. Porter, J. T. Patman, M. S. Parsons, M. R. Allensworth, W. W. Taylor and A. W. Simpson.

The entire Lions Club was honorary pallbearers. Burial was in Citizens cemetery with Buntin Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## Baptist Revival To Begin Sunday August 8th

Beginning Sunday, August 8th, and continuing through the 22nd, the local First Baptist Church will hold a revival with Rev. David M. Gardner of St. Petersburg, Fla., doing the preaching. Rev. Gardner is an evangelist of renown ability and comes highly recommended for his excellent preaching and good sound messages of the gospel.

Rev. Gardner will be remembered by many old friends here, he having served as pastor of the Baptist Church some 25 years ago. Mrs. Gardner is a former Clarendon girl and will be welcomed by many friends and acquaintances.

"We are very fortunate in being able to acquire the services of a man of Rev. Gardner's ability," Rev. E. L. Moody, local pastor, said in commenting on the revival.

"We extend a hearty welcome to the public to attend the revival and enjoy the wholesome messages that Rev. Gardner will bring."

The song leader during the revival will be W. D. Kidd of Clarendon who is skilled along this line of work and enjoys singing as well as leading others. He urges that as many as can come out and help with the singing.

Morning services will begin at 10 a. m. and night services at 8:45 p. m.

## CLARENDON SCHOOLS TO START AUGUST 30

According to information released by Supt. H. T. Burton, all Clarendon schools will open on the morning of August 30th. A complete program will be announced at a later date.

A majority of the country schools will start the 16th of next month with possibly one or two exceptions which will start on the 30th along with larger schools that they are connected with.

## Pictures of All Donley County Service Men & Women Wanted For Special Victory Edition

### AUGUST 1st IS DEADLINE FOR TRANSFERRING OF PUPILS

Miss Ruth Richerson, County School Supt. states that the transferring of pupils in school districts where grades are not taught must be done on or before August 1st.

It is very important that the proper authorities be notified and the transfer made or the district where the pupil is to attend school will fail to receive the money allotted by the state for each pupil.

If a pupil has been promoted to a grade not taught in the school district, then a transfer must be made to a district where the grade is taught. It is urgent that this step be made before August 1st.

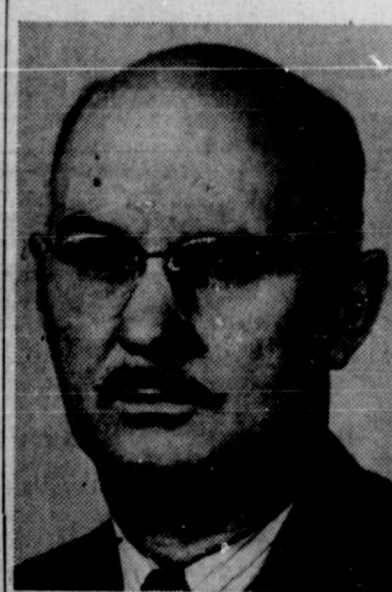
## Any Stranger May Be Wanted Now

Late Sunday night Senator Fred H. Hardie's slumbers were disturbed by a melee of language and footsteps stumbling over debris in the back alley. Upon investigation, he discovered a bevy of soldiers carrying guns. The Senator's curiosity was somewhat aroused at which point he felt privileged to inquire "What the h--l is going on out here?"

A young fellow in uniform of the nation stepped up and allowed as how they were searching the ice plant and the mortuary of Buntin for an escaped prisoner of war from the McLean house of detention, etc.

Senator Hardie made an effort to find out if the escaped party had announced that he would be found only in an ice house or a mortuary. He had no luck. He could find out little of the description of the alleged escapee. The hunting party left shortly afterwards without further disturbance.

## Song Leader



W. D. KIDD Leading the song service at the revival which begins August 8th at the local Baptist Church, will be W. D. Kidd of Clarendon who is skilled in organizing choirs and is an excellent singer himself. Mr. Kidd is director of the Junior choir at the Baptist Church.

## SCHOOL ELECTION FAILS TO CARRY

The election Saturday to determine the consolidation of the Quail and McKnight school Districts failed to carry, Miss Ruth Richerson, county school superintendent, has announced.

According to information received by her, a majority of voters in the Quail district were in favor of the consolidation while a vote of 21 for and 28 against was recorded at McKnight. A majority vote favoring the consolidation in both districts would have been necessary in order to consolidate the districts.

## VERNON RAY CHANDLER DIES FROM FALL

Vernon Ray Chandler died a few hours after falling from an up story window in the Latson Apartment about 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The lad of 5 years was said to have been sitting in the window when the latch came unfastened and fell about 18 feet to the concrete sidewalk in front of the M-System grocery.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Chandler who only recently moved here from Odessa to work on the oil well south of town.

Buntin Funeral Home prepared the body for burial and Hampton Vaughn funeral home of Wichita Falls came for the body Sunday morning.

Vernon Ray is survived by his parents, one brother and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Hull of Wichita Falls.

The boy had lived with his grandparents practically all his life and had only been with his parents on a visit the past two weeks.

## SERVICE HELD MONDAY FOR ELIZABETH MORRISON

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Elizabeth Morrison at the Church of Christ with M. F. Manchester officiating.

She passed away at her home here Sunday after being in ill health quite some time. She was born and raised in Clarendon and received her schooling here. She is survived by her father, Lee Morrison and a sister, Ruby Lee.

Burial was in Citizens cemetery with funeral services in charge of Buntin Funeral Home.

## THOSE OUT OF TOWN ATTENDING FUNERAL OF D. O. STALLINGS

Those attending the funeral service for D. O. Stallings Saturday from out of town were E. C. Brittain, David M. Britain, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stallings, Gladys Stallings, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Stallings of Tulia; Mrs. J. L. Barnes, J. L. Barnes Jr. of Memphis; Mrs. Arthur Teed and Mrs. Bruce Pratt of Pampa; Mrs. Maude Mauk of Hereford and Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Wilder of Pampa.

## Cotton Choppers Still Needed

Farmers in Donley county are still in need of many cotton choppers says County Agent H. M. Breedlove. "We have placed a large number of farm laborers on farms," he said, "but still have a large request by farmers for such laborers at this time. We are asking that all persons living in town that would like to work on farms to call at the county agents office and register so that we might place them on farms of farmers requesting this labor. Due to the severe shortage of labor in the county this is very important and every citizen who does not have a job should give this his immediate attention.

"Food is one of the most important items on the home front for the men in the armed forces, and it is the job of every person at home to do all that he can to see that food is produced for the men on the fighting fronts. Any person wishing farm labor can register at any time that he desires and state the kind of farm labor that he wants and we will try to find a farmer wanting that kind of labor and see that he is placed on a farm. Register at once if you are interested in this type of labor.

Do you have a son or daughter or other loved one serving in the armed forces? Yes - well, the Donley County Leader wants to borrow their pictures so that they will appear in a special issue of the paper along with five or six hundred other pictures of boys from this section.

The forthcoming Victory Edition of the Leader will be a lasting tribute to the men and women from this county who are serving their country. It will be an issue to be kept and read for a lifetime, and it certainly will not be complete unless you furnish us a picture of your loved one who is in service of his or her country.

The picture you bring to the Leader office will not get lost. Neither will it be damaged. It will be returned to you in the same condition as that in which it was received. Any size picture will do. All will be enlarged or reduced so as to be two inches wide by three inches deep.

A head-and-shoulders picture is always better than any other kind. It is better if it is black and white and not tinted. Small kodak pictures do not do justice to the service man or woman and they should be brought in only if they are positively the only ones available.

Bring in your pictures this weekend or as soon as possible so that work can begin on the project. Pictures from Lelia Lake, Hedley and other parts of the county as well as pictures of Clarendon service men and women are wanted.

With the proper cooperation of parents, brothers, sisters and other loved ones, this Victory Edition of the Leader will be complete. So, if you know of someone who used to live in Donley County, won't you write and get their picture for us?

Another thing - - there is no cost nor obligation for your loved one's picture appearing in the Victory Edition of the Leader.

We feel that we are rendering a public service in issuing such an edition since the cost of the engravings are almost prohibitive, and the least you can do is help to see that we get the pictures of Donley County men and women who are serving in the armed forces.

Won't you make a special effort to see that we get a picture of someone you know?

## Ration Reminder

**War Ration Book I**  
SUGAR—Stamp 13 valid for five pounds through August 15. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 good for five pounds each through October 31 for canning sugar.  
COFFEE—Stamp No. 22 (1 lb.) good through August 11.  
SHOES—Stamp 18 valid thru October 31.

**War Ration Book II**  
MEAT, etc.—Red stamps P, Q, R, and S, expire July 31. Red stamp T is valid July 25, expires August 31; U is valid August 1, expires August 31; V is valid August 8, expires August 31; W is valid August 15, expires August 31.

**PROCESSED FOODS**—Blue stamps N, P, and Q remain valid through August 7th.

**War Ration Book III**  
MEAT, etc.—Red stamps P, Q, R, and S, expire July 31. Red stamp T is valid July 25, expires August 31; U is valid August 1, expires August 31; V is valid August 8, expires August 31; W is valid August 15, expires August 31.

**GASOLINE**—"A" book coupons No. 7, good for four gallons each outside the East Coast shortage area, must last through September 21st.



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**YOUR 1943 INCOME TAX**

(SERIES 4)  
By J. A. WARREN,  
Income Tax Service  
Clarendon, Texas

This week we shall deal with required data and records necessary for filing your 1943 income tax returns.

For wage earners, those who have been and are subject to the 5% Victory Tax and the 20% withholding tax, it will be necessary for you to have at the time of filing, a statement on form V-2 for Victory Tax and W-2 for the withholding tax, showing the amount of Victory Tax withheld up to July 31, or June 30th, depending upon your pay periods, and the amount of tax withheld from wages under the 20% tax for the last 6 months of the year. The latter, of course, will be estimated to Dec. 31, as you must file for the entire calendar year. These statements must be furnished by your employer, so if you have not received yours, better do so and keep them for your own benefit, otherwise you cannot receive credit on your income tax you will owe for these amounts paid in. It must be definite.

All businesses, and professions, such as merchants, lawyers, doctors, and all such as are required to file, farmers included, and who are not subject to either of the above withholding taxes, will keep their business records much as heretofore, their business expenses, as salaries, rents, and all other business deductions, inventories, gross sales, merchandise bought, etc., for merchants. Farmers will keep their records of gross income, all farm expenses, as farm fuel, labor, ginning, feed

and seed bought, and an itemized list of all farm expenses, bearing in mind that your family expenses, such as groceries, private car expenses, clothing costs, etc., must not be included. Do not keep any record of such expenditures for income tax purposes.

Remember your FINAL filing dates, Sept. 15th for all except farmers, and Dec. 15th for them. Begin early, for if all wait till those dates, none will be in on time. Guess before those dates.

It is not definitely known as yet just when the forms for filing will be released by the Treasury Department. They should begin to come out soon after August 1st, but that is only a guess. But as they are received by the Tax Payers, such persons should immediately begin their preparations for filing their Estimated Returns. This office, as heretofore will have these forms for the public, without obligation, as soon as they are obtainable.

It is our opinion the best way to arrive at your Estimated Return is to take your 1942 records, which everyone should have, compare them as to income and expenses thus far, then guess or estimate for the remaining portion of the year, from these records, and pay your 1943 tax accordingly and be sure you are on time.

**Glass For Insulation**

"A four-inch layer of glass wool will insulate against heat or cold as well as a 14-foot concrete wall" declared Dr. Alexander Silverman of University of Pittsburgh and glass consultant for the WPB, in a General Electric Science Forum address.



Bureau of Public Relations U. S. War Department  
**OLD GLORY WAVES ON SICILIAN COAST**—This U. S. Signal Corps photograph, received by radio, depicts exciting scenes on the beach when American troops landed from invasion barges on the southern shore of Sicily. Within a few hours the soldiers of Lieut. Gen. George Patton's American 7th Army and their British and Canadian allies firmly established themselves with adequate equipment and pushed aggressively toward the interior of the island.

**Tank Truck Equipment Conservation Is Still Needed In Deliveries**

Over the whole nation approximately 500 special permits were issued in June under General Order ODT 37, which regulates local delivery of gasoline, fuel oil, and other liquid petroleum products, according to an announcement by the Office of Defense Transportation. The order became effective June 1st.

Analysis of the permits showed that despite the Northeastern gasoline shortage and heavy seasonal agricultural needs, fewer than 60 farms obtained permits giving relief from the minimum drop requirements for motor fuel; that about two-thirds of the permits were to relieve industrial users, many of them on the West Coast; and that nearly all of the remainder were issued to permit delivery of motor fuel directly from supplier's tank truck into the fuel tanks of motor equipment.

Commending both dealers and consumers of liquid petroleum products for their cooperation in thus conserving the gasoline and tank truck equipment used in making deliveries of such products, the ODT asked for continued conservation through the coming months.

**Regulates Deliveries**

Pointing out that the order strictly regulates the use dealers may make of their tank truck equipment and the manner in which they must make deliveries of fuel oil and motor fuel, the ODT asked specifically that:

1. Farmers and other bulk consumers order and accept delivery of all the motor fuel they can take at each delivery.
2. Orders for motor fuel be placed at least two days in advance.
3. Delivery of every order be accepted the first time the truck calls.

4. Storage capacity be increased wherever possible.

5. Truckmen be given all coupons and tax exemption certificates covering a delivery at the time it is made.

ODT asked farmers and other bulk consumers not to:

1. Ask dealers to deliver less than 25 gallons of motor fuel to a farm or less than 150 gallons to any other bulk consumer.
2. Ask for delivery of an order of either motor fuel or fuel oil in less than 48 hours.
3. Ask the truckman to come back later to deliver an order.
4. Ask the truckman to drive around the farm or the factory fueling up equipment here and there.
5. Ask the truckman to drive back again to get coupons, pay or tax exemption certificates.

Issued to save gasoline, manpower, tires, and oil tank truck equipment, the ODT order provides that every truck must be fully loaded when it leaves the supplier's terminal and that it must be routed in the manner that best saves mileage and time; that a truck must be used solely for making tank truck deliveries; that deliveries may not be made directly into the fuel tanks of automotive equipment and that no call-back may be made unless it empties the tank truck or is made in conjunction with another delivery at the same premises.

**FROZEN METER**

Exposure meters have gone to war, and can "take it". It is reported that a G-E exposure meter which had been frozen in a solid cake of ice after the truck it was on had fallen from a bridge on the Alcan Highway in Alaska operated perfectly when recovered and thawed out.

**To Sell Or Not To Sell New Cotton**

Texas farmers—are you in a quandry about whether to sell your new cotton, or to hold it for better prices?

If so, Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas cotton marketing authority, has drawn up a list of "pros" and "cons" which may help you decide.

He won't recommend which you should do, but lists the arguments for and against as follows:

For holding:

1. Acreage this year is the lowest for nearly 50 years—21,995,000 acres, as compared with the peak of 44,608,000 acres in 1926.
2. Parity prices have gone up an average of 10 points per month during the last five months. In June the parity price was 20.34 cents, with a guaranteed loan of 90 per cent of parity, or 18.31 cents in June.
3. Production this year will be 1,800,000 pounds less than last year's harvest if the average yield per acre is as much as the average

for the past five years, or 246.1 pounds.

4. Civilian consumption, now curtailed by the war, should be boosted by accumulated buying power when the war is over. Exports through lend-lease and other channels will likely be increased substantially for the duration as Allies recapture territory in Europe and reduce the Atlantic submarine menace.

5. The present seemingly large carryover in this country is of low grade short staple cotton—which in normal times goes to export and will be in demand when the war closes. Consequently it should not push down prices of the current crop.

For immediate sale:

1. Mill consumption is trending downward since January, due to labor shortage, unsatisfactory results from three-shift operations, and the narrowing mill margins resulting from advancing cotton prices and "roll back" of finished products in some cases.
2. Mills are reducing stocks, and delaying purchases, due to uncertainty as to the duration of the war, to "very optimistic" reports about the yield of the new crop, and to narrowing margins of profit.
3. Prices listed in futures contracts are progressively lower from October to July of next year, with July, 1944, being quoted at \$3 a bale under quotations for October, 1943.
4. Price ceilings on raw cotton may be established if prices threaten to rise above the 21.38 cents per pound for middling 15/16-inch on April 7.
5. The average weight of cotton goods purchased for civilian consumption is much lighter than the average weight for war purposes—which would mean fewer bales would be required to keep mills at their present rate of activity when they return to civilian orders.
6. There is a substantial accumulation of Indian cotton in India which will be a depressing influence on the price of our low-grade short staple cotton when the war is over.

Mrs. R. M. Morris returned home Sunday after a weeks visit with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hilliard at Childress.

**PASTIME THEATRE**

**MATINEES—SAT. & SUN. and HOLIDAYS**  
Begins at 2:00 p. m.  
**—OTHER DAYS—**  
Shows Begin at 5:30, 7:30, 9:30

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY**  
JULY 30-31st

Joe Brown and Judy Canova

**"CHATTERBOX"**

Cartoon  
11-25¢

**SATURDAY PREVUE**  
**SUNDAY & MONDAY**  
JULY 31st - AUGUST 2nd

**IT'S DARING! IT'S DELICIOUS!**  
Luscious Lana makes every girl's dream come true when she steps from behind a soda counter and crashes high society.

**Lana TURNER**  
**Robert YOUNG**  
**"SLIGHTLY DANGEROUS"**  
with **WALTER BRENNAN**  
DAME MAY EUGENE ALAN WHITTY-PALLETTE-MOWBRAY  
Screen Play by Charles Lederer & George Oppenheimer - Story by Ian McLellan Hunter and Alison Hamilton  
Directed by **WESLEY RUGGLES**  
Produced by **PANDRO S. BERNAN**

Also  
Eagles of The Navy  
11-30¢

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 3rd**  
**GAYLE STORM**  
—in—  
**"Rhythm Parade"**  
Comedy  
Bargain Day—11-15¢

**WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY & FRIDAY, AUGUST 4-6th**

**NOEL COWARD**  
and  
**JOHN MILLS**  
—in—

**"In Which We Serve"**  
News  
11-30¢

— COMING —  
**"EDGE OF DARKNESS"**

**COZY THEATRE**

**SATURDAY, JULY 31st**  
**CHAS. STARRETT**  
—in—

**"Frontier Fury"**  
Chapter 9  
**"KING OF THE MOUNTIES"**  
11-20¢

**STRAW HAT SALE**  
Starting Saturday



OUR COMPLETE STOCK OF SUMMER HATS TO GO AT  
**\$1.00 to \$2.25**

**SWIM SUITS**  
BOTH LADIES' AND MEN'S  
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MEN'S WEAR

**Seeing is Believing**

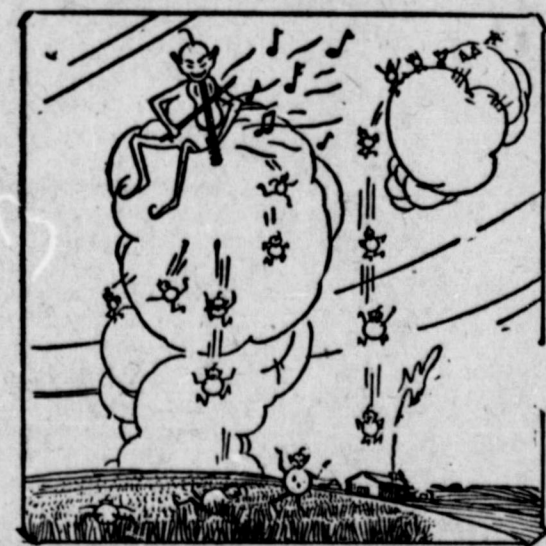
**THE OLDEST EYE GLASSES STILL IN EXISTENCE BELONGED TO WILIBALD PERKHEIMER WHO LIVED IN THE FIFTEENTH CENTURY. THEY WERE HELD IN PLACE BY THE HAND WHEN IN USE.**

**ASSEMBLING AIRPLANE MOTORS...**  
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**FOREWARNING.**  
When you read along in the story to where the pair gets "dreadfully" in love, you come to realize that one or the other will

soon begin "dreading" the fights they will have.  
**MEAT RATIONING.**  
A local modest—very modest—man was telling me today about finding a worm in the sauerkraut served him in a restaurant in the Panhandle metropolis the day before. When he complained to a waiter, she very kindly showed and convinced him that the thing

was nothing but a miniature wiener.  
**WITCH BURNER.**  
Men who stick to the straight and narrow never see any curves.  
**PESTS.**  
Americans have a great inventive genius, but no one so far has invented a method of forcing departing guests to close the screen

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**STRONG METHODS.**  
When our troops got over into Sicily, they soon learned how to capture the Wops by a bloodless method. They merely displayed food station signs offering free garlic and spaghetti to all comers. The soldier Wops came in herds to surrender, most of whom had

been without their favorite foods since March.  
**NO FOOLS, NO FUN.**  
Blue Bug Bessie says that she can fool all of the men some of the time, and that she can fool some of the men all of the time, but if you will just let them have their way about it, they'll make fools of themselves most of the time.  
**BEER SCARCITY.**  
When our military strategists get near the Germans, they also display free beer signs. Another bloodless method of capturing the enemy even if it has caused a beer shortage in America. In Tunisia, it is reported that as high as twenty thousand would come in with uplifted hands and ask for beer. They got it, and when the word got out on the field, still other thousands came in for the drinks. American strategists are using their heads to better advantage this time. The above stories were told me by a returned soldier Saturday. He claimed he had seen both or all methods used to induce the enemy to surrender, and the food and drink methods beat anything yet-planned. I also said that the French fought the Americans to beat the band when they first landed in Africa until they found out that food, drink and cigarettes were theirs for nothing. Then they forgot the "honor of their country" and most of them got on a spree and filled up all-round.



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**MIDWAY**  
Mrs. John Goldston

Guests in the Longan home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Mosley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Longan and Miss Peggy of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longan, Mr. and Mrs. Nelce Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bankhead and boys of Amarillo spent Sunday in the W. K. Davis home.

Miss Evelene Louise Chamberlain spent Sunday with her grand mother, Mrs. Rhode in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain Sunday evening.

The Midway ladies met in the home of Mrs. Dick Tomlinson this past week and worked on an afghan for the Red Cross.

A delicious dinner was enjoyed. Mrs. Tomlinson was given a handkerchief shower it being her birthday. A lovely birthday cake and ice cream was served in the afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Tomlinson Sr., Mrs. W. D. Higgins, Mrs. Bob Williams, Mrs. Margaret Cole and Bobby, Mrs. Edith Longan, Mrs. Nelce Roberson, Mrs. Everett Stevenson, Mrs. H. R. King, Mrs. Loyd Moreland, Mrs. Swinney, Mrs. John Goldston, and hostess Mrs. Dick Tomlinson. The ladies will meet the 3rd Thursday in August with Mrs. H. R. King to finish the Red Cross afghan.

Mrs. Clifford Davis and son Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Burson of Silvertown were over Friday. They were dinner guest in the W. K. Davis home. Billy remained over for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and son, formerly of Amarillo, have moved to their ranch and farm home near Silvertown. Mr. Davis is farming and dealing in cattle. He is also manager for Mr. Burson's business.

We regret very much the illness of Mrs. Gambie who is confined to her bed again.

Mary Williams spent Saturday in the Meaders home.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Luttrell spent Sunday with relatives at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland and Mr. Cannon spent Sunday in the George Bulman home.

Mrs. Bill Word and daughter Ann spent Sat. night at the JA with the Words.

Mrs. T. L. Naylor spent the past week in the Carl Naylor home and is visiting in the John Naylor home this week. Mrs. Naylor is recovering from a recent illness.

**LELIA LAKE**

Bob Leathers son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Leathers left Thursday for Boca Roton, Florida where he enters military training.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Howard and sons, Mrs. Elmer Chenault, Misses Sallie Campbell and Sue Wood, all of Amarillo spent Sunday here with home folks.

Mrs. E. R. Myers returned Friday from several days visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sanders of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Scott of Oklahoma City came Tuesday for a visit with her sister and family, Mrs. Charles Young.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reynolds of Ashtola spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds.

Mrs. E. J. Myers of Ft. Worth left Monday morning after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dutton.

Misses Pauline Bain and Margaret White students of W.T.S.T.C. of Canyon were home over the week end.

Vernon Bain left Saturday to work in wheat harvest around Hale Center.

Mrs. Boner Howard of Lubbock visited with homefolks past week.

Mrs. C. H. Holland and son Ray were in Amarillo Saturday being called by the death of a friend.

Miss Lotte Mae Holland of Amarillo left Monday after week end spent with her parents.

Friends gathered Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolford to celebrate birthdays of Mrs. Wolford and Olen Usery. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Frank Clark and daughters spent Saturday in Amarillo with Mr. Clark who has been in hospital for past ten days. He is improving but slowly. Mrs. Clark has only a few days ago returned home from Clarendon Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen White of Shamrock visited relatives here Sunday.

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## McDONALD-BARNES

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Jeanne McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDonald of Plainview, formerly of Clarendon, and Edwin J. Barnes of the U. S. Army.

The marriage took place Saturday, July 17, in Las Vegas, Nev. at the Methodist Church with the pastor, the Rev. Harold E. Broughton, officiating at the double ring ceremony. The couple was unattended.

The bride wore a softly tailored white silk jersey dress with white and gold accessories and an orchid corsage. She carried a Mexican lace handkerchief belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. J. D. Jefferson of Clarendon.

The couple will be at home in Barstow, Calif., where the groom is stationed at Camp Irwin. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnes of Marshall, Texas.

Mrs. Barnes graduated from Clarendon high school and Junior College and from Texas Technological College in Lubbock. She has been employed at the Marshall News Messenger for the past year.

## GARDEN CLUB

The Garden Club met in regular session in the home of Mrs. Frank Phelan. The landscape was beautiful with the fresh green lawn, freshly trimmed hedge, bright pink crepe myrtle and gladioli. Making a perfect setting for a garden club meeting. The entertaining rooms were decorated with gladioli and display of dish gardening.

Mrs. John Goldston presided over the business session. The program, in charge of Mrs. H. C. Brumley, consisted of a quiz of "Flower Superstitions," explanation of the dish garden and its function in modern decoration. The growth and propagation of fine chrysanthemums was discussed by Mrs. Joe Goldston.

Cooling refreshments were served as the club toured the yard and garden.

Guests present were Mesdames Ben Tom Prewitt, Paul Smithey, Frank White Jr., and S. T. Sayre, Miss Stegall of Kingsmill.

Members present were Mesdames Bill Bromley, H. C. Brumley, U. J. Boston, A. L. Chase, Walker Lane, Will Johnson, H. T. Warner, Johnny McMahan, J. L. McMurtry, John Goldston, Joe Goldston, and the hostesses, Frank Phelan, Rayburn Smith, Lee Holland.

## KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Mrs. R. A. Hay entertained the Needle Club at her home Thursday afternoon, using red and white roses for decoration. The regular needle work and pleasant conversation were the main feature of the afternoon.

In the late afternoon, Mrs. Hay assisted by her daughter, Portia, served a lovely refreshment plate to Mesdames W. B. Sims, H. C. Brumley, Frank White Sr., Grover Heath, Eugene Noland, Eva Druffin, Ed Speed, W. A. Massie, R. R. Dawkins and Misses Ida and Etta Harned.

## HOMEcoming OF HODGES CHILDREN IN BELLEVUE SUNDAY, JULY 18th

An occasion which has been an annual event for a number of years was the homecoming of children of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hodges, deceased, which was held Sunday, July 18, at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodges in Bellevue.

Due to war conditions less than half of the entire family was present. However, the ten brothers and sisters were there. Ten to fifteen of the family are serving in different branches of the armed forces, and the family has grown to number 122 in all.

"At the noon hour such a lunch was never seen." Following the noon luncheon, religious songs and discussions of childhood days were a feature until late in the afternoon ending a glorious day, as those present with glad hearts at having been able to attend, departed for their homes.

The meeting next year will be on the 3rd Sunday in July, but the place is not yet determined as there are two invitations. It is hoped by the family that the war will be over by the 1944 meet and that all may be present.

Those of the brothers and sisters present were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Manning of Grandbury, Mrs. J. C. Estlack of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Joplin, Bowie; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hodges, Mrs. J. B. Wadsworth, Vashiti; Mr. and Mrs. Rew Hodges, Duncan, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hodges, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hodges, Bellevue.

## WINDY VALLEY CLUB

Mrs. Dell Barker was hostess to the Windy Valley Club July 21st. Two quilts were quilted.

Members present were Mrs. Bert Ayers, Mrs. Cap Anderson, Mrs. D. Swinney, Mrs. Will Barker, Mrs. Molder, Mamie Mills, Gladys Seago, Mrs. Crone, Mrs. Waddell, Grace Ayers, Nova Barker, Mrs. Shaw.

Mrs. Earl Barker will be given a stork shower at the next meeting which will be August 4th. Mamie Barker will be hostess.

## STORY TELLING HOUR

The story hour meets every Tuesday on the Courthouse lawn at 7:30, and all children are invited to attend. 28 children and 3 mothers were present Tuesday. Mrs. C. A. Burton tells the stories and the mothers assist in entertaining the children.

## CARD OF THANKS

In our hour of bereavement we take this means of expressing our appreciation for the many acts of thoughtfulness and kindness extended to us at this time. We pray that each of you may have friends such as ours when times as these come to you and yours.

Mrs. D. O. Stallings and Family  
R. J. Stallings  
A. A. Stallings  
F. A. Stallings

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toler and family of Amarillo spent the week with her mother, Mrs. N. S. Percival.

## GARDEN GLANCES

"America beautiful lies in the hands of the gardeners."

It seems a bit odd this year that the grass is greener, flowers and vegetables are doing better in the shade of trees than in full sunlight.

A cool looking location on the highway is the block including the homes of Bill Ray, Edd Speed and Harry Blair.

The Taylor's living on the east highway have a number of bright colored zinnias blossoming in their garden.

The Carl Almond landscape is one of the beauty spots of the city. A number of bright purple phlox are to be seen on the gardens of Jess Pool and H. W. Fitzgerald.

Victory gardens have suffered quite a bit from the hot dry weather but with some added moisture some things are still surviving.

## Church News

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
J. J. Grubbs, Pastor  
Sunday school—10 a. m.  
Preaching—11 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed.—7:30 p. m.

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST**  
Rev. Frank H. Hutchins, M. A., Clergyman  
Mr. Walter B. Knorpp, Lay Reader

Sunday, August 1st — The Sixth Sunday after Trinity—11:00 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
L. Guy Ament, Pastor  
Just to remind you that next Sunday 11 a. m. you ought to be in God's house for worship. Then Sunday night at 8:30, service for your help and uplift in the Christian's life.

Next Wednesday night we have prayer service and Bible study. We invite all to attend and worship with us. You are the loser if you do not attend.

Next Wednesday at the Christian parsonage with Mrs. Ament the Missionary society meets for the monthly program. All the ladies are invited and expected. A welcome awaits you in this home.

## 100,000 Dehydrators Ready For Market By Sept. 1st.

Remember the sweet-smelling dried apples, peaches, and other fruits Grandmother used to keep on hand for the long winter months? This year you'll have a chance to dry your own in up-to-date home food dehydrators. You can use the dehydrators not only for any fruits you may be too busy to can, but also for carrots, beets, and other Victory Garden vegetables.

**Ready Sept. 1**  
To make sure that every possible method of food preservation would be available to take care of this year's greatly increased garden crops, the War Food Administration requested the War Production Board to permit the manufacture of home dehydrators and offered to relinquish critical copper and steel from its own allotment for the purpose. WPB has now approved a program calling for the production of 100,000 dehydrators before September 1st of this year and has authorized 31 manufacturers to participate in the program.

As a starter, 89,000 of the dehydrators are scheduled for production by commercial concerns. The rest will be made by students in vocational training centers. After fabrication and assembly of the dehydrator parts by the students, the finished dehydrators will remain in the schools for training purposes.

**Models Approved By WPB**  
When buying one of the new dehydrators, you'll have your choice of 11 different models. The Office of Production Research and Development, WPB, has approved all the designs, from the standpoint of construction as well as on the basis of the quality of the product turned out.

Built in the form of compact cabinets, the dehydrators will take up little space in the kitchen. They average about 36 inches in height, 26 inches in depth, and 25 inches in width. The outer walls may be of natural stained



Bureau of Public Relations U. S. War Department  
**DOWNS FIVE JAPS IN 45 MINUTES**—Lieut. Murray J. Shubin, 26, of Pittsburgh, Pa., proudly points to the line of five Japanese flags indicating the number of enemy planes he shot out of the sky in three-quarters of an hour over Guadalcanal. In his hand are two empty shells signifying two other Jap aircraft to his credit—in all seven "sures" and two "probables" marked up for this latest air ace of the Pacific. Lieut. Shubin fights with the 13th Army Air Force. (U. S. Army Air Forces photo.)

or white-coated wood or wall-board.  
Each dehydrator will be a self-contained food drying unit, complete with its own heating device—an electric heating element, light bulbs or fuel burner. Temperature, humidity, and air flow will be controlled by a fan or blower and a thermostat.

## Drying Will Be Simple

Using a dehydrator will be easier than canning. Complete instructions, telling not only what foods can be dried and how long each takes to dry, but also how the finished dehydrated product should be stored and later prepared for the table, will accompany each dehydrator.

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46 oz. Can  
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**Tomato Juice**  
No. 2 Can  
**13c**

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<b>Spry</b>	3 Pound Jar	<b>.75</b>	
<b>Pineapple</b>	Broken Slices	<b>.98</b>	
	Gallon Can	<b>.98</b>	
<b>Coffee</b>	ADMIRATION		
	1 lb. Pkg.	<b>.31</b>	
<b>Lard</b>	PURE HOG		
	Bring your pail (4-Points) Pound	<b>.19</b>	

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<b>Fresh Beans</b>	<b>CORN</b>	<b>25c</b>	
Home Grown POUND	No. 2 Can—2 for		
<b>10c</b>	<b>PEAS</b>	<b>17c</b>	
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<b>LEMONS</b>	<b>JELLY</b>	<b>29c</b>	
360 Size—Sunkist	Assorted Flavors—2 lb. Jar		
<b>DOZEN</b>	<b>PICKLES</b>	<b>25c</b>	
<b>35c</b>	Sour or Dill—Quart Jar		
<b>CABBAGE</b>	<b>PEACHES</b>	<b>75c</b>	
Firm Heads POUND	Gallon Can		
<b>5c</b>	<b>SALMON</b>	<b>27c</b>	
	Pink—Can		
	<b>CATSUP</b>	<b>14c</b>	
	14 oz. Bottle		
	<b>GRAPE JUICE</b>	<b>29c</b>	
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**White Bread For Kisses In Africa**

White bread will get you kisses in North Africa, according to Pvt. Leroy Ceibert, a member of a company of Army Ordnance maintenance experts who were a part of the invasion force and who is now convalescing at an Army Medical Center in the States.

Ceibert, an auto mechanic and also a baker, accepted a dinner invitation from a French family in Algiers shortly after the invasion. He took with him a loaf of white bread he had baked. All the members of the family kissed him excitedly on both cheeks. It was the first white bread they had seen in years.

What most shocked Ceibert during his African experiences was that several captured Nazis wore bedroom slippers.

"You don't fight a war," said Ceibert decisively, "in bedroom slippers."

**HUDGINS**

Mrs. S. M. Harp

The Baptist revival is to start Sunday morning. Bro. L. Stonecipher is going to help Bro. Harsard hold it.

Jerry Perdue and Imogene Elliott spent Saturday night and Sunday with Magdaiene Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs were called to Amarillo last week to the bed side of a granddaughter who was seriously ill, but we are glad to report she is getting along fine at this writing.

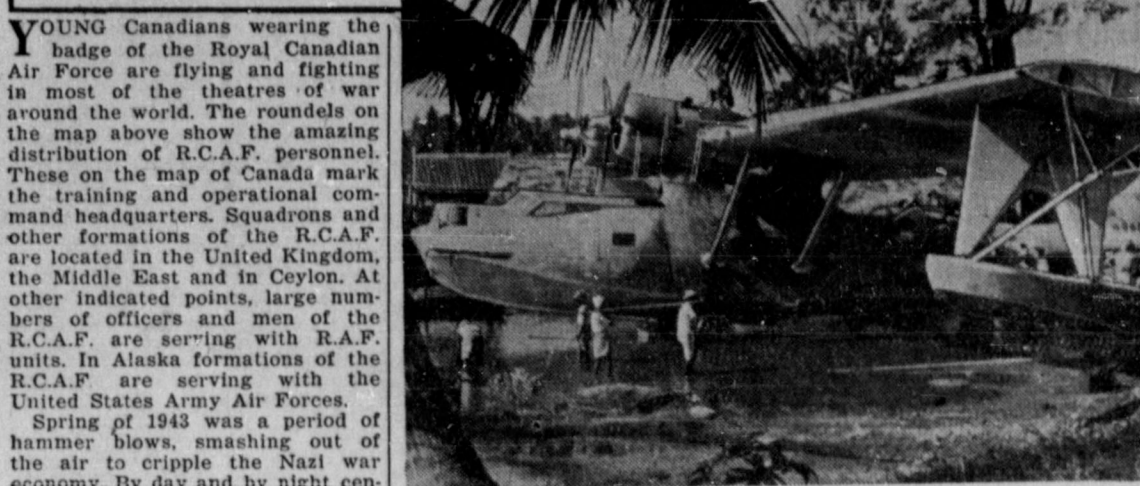
Eloys and Ermalea Elliott and Dan Tims spent Sunday with Bill and Mary Nell Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tims, Velma and Clyde spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Perdue of Midway.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jacobs and Loyd Wayne of Dumas visited in the O. L. Jacobs home the first of the week.

Mrs. Hugh Riley is at home after a months visit at Odessa.

**RCAF CARRIES THE WAR 'ROUND THE WORLD**



An American-built Consolidated "Catalina" flying boat undergoing repairs at a picturesque R.C.A.F. base in Ceylon, India. (Above) This map shows the far-flung points in the world where Royal Canadian Air Force personnel are located.

YOUNG Canadians wearing the badge of the Royal Canadian Air Force are flying and fighting in most of the theatres of war around the world. The roundels on the map above show the amazing distribution of R.C.A.F. personnel. These on the map of Canada mark the training and operational command headquarters. Squadrons and other formations of the R.C.A.F. are located in the United Kingdom, the Middle East and in Ceylon. At other indicated points, large numbers of officers and men of the R.C.A.F. are serving with R.A.F. units. In Alaska formations of the R.C.A.F. are serving with the United States Army Air Forces.

Spring of 1943 was a period of hammer blows, smashing out of the air to cripple the Nazi war economy. By day and by night centres of Axis industry and transportation felt the strength of growing United Nations air power. German war plants are being transferred to the east and to the south in an effort to escape beyond the range of the Lancasters and Halifaxes.

Planes of the R.C.A.F. bomber group participated in the largest night operation of the year when more than 600 bomber aircraft struck at Pilsen in Czechoslovakia and Mannheim and Ludwigshafen in Germany. It was good bombing weather, and the attack had a devastating effect on two of the enemy's largest and most important armament centres.

There are about 38 R.C.A.F. squadrons serving in the United Kingdom and elsewhere.

A majority of R.C.A.F. personnel overseas is serving with R.A.F. squadrons. R.A.F. units in every part of the world include Canadian personnel. Canadians make up one quarter of the "Flying Garrison" of Malta. The 1,000th Axis aircraft destroyed by a Malta-based plane was shot down on April 28 by Squadron Leader John Lynch of Alhambra, Calif., a U. S.-born R.C.A.F. flier.

About 2,000 Canadian airmen are taking part in the air battles over the deserts of the Middle East. In a fierce air combat over Tunisia on April 20, Sergeant Michael Askey of Winnipeg, a 20-year-old R.C.A.F. pilot shot down three enemy aircraft. Flight Lieutenant James Francis Edwards, 21, has destroyed 10 enemy aircraft over the Tunisian desert.

R.C.A.F. reconnaissance squadrons continue their fight against submarines along the Canadian coast. On April 26 Canadians carried out two of the 13 attacks on Kiska in the Aleutians, a U.S. Navy Department communique stated.

**LOCALS**

- Mrs. Geo. M. Thompson Sr. who visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson last week returned to her home at Memphis Sunday.
- J. H. Hurn, Mrs. L. N. Cox and Mrs. Elba Ballew and daughter, Elba Jean, were in Amarillo Mon.
- Mrs. Frank Thomas and Mrs. Alfred Estlack and daughters Ira Jean and Patricia Ann were Amarillo visitors Monday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank White Jr. had for week end guests, her mother Mrs. Blanton and sister, Mrs. Joanny Oakes of Amarillo.
- Everett Johnson of Shamrock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Johnson, Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Tom Connally of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, Sunday.
- Mrs. Hall of Abilene spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. McCleskey.
- Mrs. F. C. Baldwin and daughter, Rosemary, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Letts, left Monday for their home at Toledo, Ohio.
- Charlotte Merchant left Monday to visit her cousin Jacqueline Merchant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merchant of Pampa.
- Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Gentry of Amarillo visited in the Geo. Ryan home the week end.
- Marilyn Merchant returned to her home in Amarillo Saturday, after a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant.
- Mr. Alexander of Wellington is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Bairfield this week.
- Visitors in the Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren home over the week end were their daughters, Mrs. Tommy Mandril and Mrs. Harry Moore of Amarillo, also Mrs. Cora Patterson, a sister, from Pampa.
- Oscar Maxey came down from Dumas and spent Sunday with his family.
- Mrs. Nathan Cox and Mrs. Elba Ballew were in Amarillo Monday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Cap Morris and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and family at Claude Sun.
- Mrs. Essie Rush returned to her home at San Antonio Friday after a weeks visit with her mother Mrs. A. H. Baker.
- Mrs. L. E. Cauthen of Dallas and Mrs. T. H. Ferry of Arkansas are guests of Mrs. Linnie Cauthen this week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Hal Riley of Dalhart are visiting relatives in Clarendon this week. Hal is from the Bombardier school there.
- Mr. and Mrs. Red McCrary from Camp Howze at Gainesville, are visiting home folks this week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Robert Donnell and children of Levelland are visiting his mother, Mrs. A. C. Donnell.
- Pvt. Russell R. Morris is a student in the teacher-training center of the navy near Chicago.
- C. H. McCauley, former rancher near Plains, Texas, and a resident now of Grapevine down near Ft. Worth, was here Monday.
- Mrs. Margaret Hardin of Dallas is visiting in the Frank Hardin home.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane are back at home after working and visiting in Ft. Worth for several months.
- Mrs. Karl Adams and daughter June and Marilyn Sawyer have returned from a visit in Ft. Smith, Arkansas.
- Mrs. Karl Adams had for guests Sunday, her aunt Mrs. H. B. Lovett and sister, Mrs. Roger McCannell and son Glen of Pampa.
- Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams and daughter June and Marilyn Sawyer were Amarillo visitors Friday.
- Mrs. J. E. Neal of Austin is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson.
- Neal Thompson who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson, returned by plane to San Francisco, Thursday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chenoweth of Abilene visited his niece, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson, Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cauthen and two children of Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. Linnie Cauthen Tuesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCrary and daughter Lois and Mr. and Mrs. Red McCrary were in Amarillo Wednesday. Mr. McCrary received medical treatment.
- Mrs. Heronimus and children, Walter, Bettie Rose and Charles of Oil Center are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odos Caraway.
- Dr. B. L. Jenkins left Wednesday for Amarillo to visit his son, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins Jr. and son Britt.
- Mrs. J. C. Estlack who visited relatives around Bellevue, Bowie, and Vashit, also Kadane Corner last week, returned home Friday night.
- Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marsh and daughters Kay and Margaret of Ellinwood, Kansas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick.
- Mrs. W. L. McConnell of Perryton, Texas visited her mother, Mrs. J. D. Stocking last week. She returned home Saturday.
- Mrs. Florence Hvass of Lubbock is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lena Antrobus.
- Mrs. A. A. Mayes returned home Wednesday from a visit with a sister at Houston.
- Vehicle Registration Down**  
Although the registration of private and commercial motor vehicles in 1942 was 5 1/2 percent less than in the peak year 1941, it exceeded the registration of 1940 by more than half a million, Public Roads Administration of Federal Works Agency reported after completing its annual compilation of motor-vehicle registration statistics.
- SLAPPER SLAPS-SLAPPEE GETS OFF PRONTO**  
A story has been going the rounds that on a bus recently out in California, a big blatant woman was sounding off in a strident voice:  
"Yes, we're sitting pretty now! Last year my husband was on WPA, but now he's got a swell war job making \$15 a day - - - we've got a new car and I am getting a new fur coat, this week. It's okay by me if this war lasts a long time."  
A quiet-appearing nicely dressed woman across the aisle from her seat, calmly approached the woman and slapped her face hard.  
"That," she said, "is for my son who was lost at Pearl Harbor." She slapped her again. "And that is for my other boy wounded at sea." With a third and harder slap, she said, "and that is for by third boy who is still in the service."  
She returned to her seat. Nobody in the bus spoke for a long time and at the next stop the slapped woman got off.



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# North Africa

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EDITORS NOTE—The following letter was written by Lieut. John Ziegler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ziegler of the Country Club, who is now in North Africa or in the Sicilian area. Due to the length of the letter, it is being run in serial form.

(Continued from last week)

Contrary to the general belief in the States, Africa is not a warm country, as yet, anyway and the only way to keep from shivering all evening is to go to bed around 7:30, pile on three blankets and leave all of your clothes on and trust to luck, or your bed partner that you will keep warm. You can imagine the result of lying on a hard tick from 7:30 in the evening until five-thirty the next morning. Your hip bones and shoulders feel as though they had been sandpapered and then bruised. They say that it will get warm eventually, WE HOPE. The laundry situation for the soldiers here is really something. You either get some French family and argue about the price in two different languages or get one of the French soldiers to do it for you or do it yourself. I have been lucky in getting one of the French to do mine for five packs of cigarettes a week. They won't take money as they say they can't buy anything with it anyway, but they would rather have the cigarettes. They will also take candy, chewing gum or wafers. Cigarettes cost you 50c a carton so you can see how much my laundry is costing me. However, you must furnish one bar of G. I. soap each week. They don't have any soap to spare here.

The region in which we have been, so far, is similar to any agriculture region of the States. They grow an abundance of grapes and citrus fruits. Very little grain is raised and most of the area is under irrigation with more being planned for the future. They seem to have an elaborate system of concrete ditches, weirs and gates for their irrigation system, in fact, better than we have in the States. They use the old method of a horse, donkey, or oxen either side by side or head to tail, as power with the old hand plow in use. Most of the farming is apparently supervised by local Frenchmen, and they are very well up on modern methods in so far as fertilization, rotating of crops, etc., go; but the actual labor is, of course, done by the natives. I have seen more animals working in the fields since arriving in Africa than I have for a good many years in the States.

Due to the fact that I know absolutely nothing about the French language, my conversations so far have been limited to a wild waving of arms accompanied by various pitched grunts and groans, portraying I hope, something intelligible. Any conversation with a French officer seems to consist

the better off he is, especially when they have patch upon patch. You can obtain up to \$35.00 for a pair of army shoes from these people. It doesn't make any difference about the size for they will wear them anyway. However, most of them do not wear any shoes or sandals at all but go barefooted, walking over rocks and tin cans without apparent harm to their feet. Some of them can pick up a hot coal from the fire and light a cigarette with it. Talk about your hot people!!!

The Arab children, that is those who attend school, are required to dress like the French, but as soon as school is over they change into the traditionally Arab garb of rags and drapes and start begging from everyone (especially the soldiers) and poking through Army garbage cans. One of our boys was on the garbage truck the other day. When they drove up to the dump with a load of garbage cans full of scraps, etc., they were virtually surrounded by Arabs. They would set one of the cans off of the truck onto the ground and immediately the Natives would gather around and go "Pearl Diving" for the larger pieces. One Arab woman, without even bothering to roll the sleeves of her garment out of the way, reached the full length of her arm into a particularly juicy barrel and lifted out a heel of bread. She then squeezed the water out and handed it to one of her children, who took off for the house, on a high lope, followed by a swarm of screeching urchins of her own and other origins. Such a situation can be caused only by true hunger. Of course, the American soldiers have taught the native children a very crude, but spectacular English, a lot of obscene expressions that I doubt they know the meaning of. However, they all know the American "OK" and use it as a form of greeting. They say, "American OK good, German no good." They stand along the roadways yelling "give me bon-bon, give me cigarette, give me coffee, give me chewing gum." Coffee to them is the small round can of powdered coffee that come in soldier's rations. It seems that candy and cigarettes are a better medium of exchange than money.

While in town, we decided to get our shoes shined. We paid the shine boy 20 francs or 40c. The shines do not have a fixed price, but take what you give them. Consequently not knowing the value of the franc, as yet, we overpaid him as most soldiers do. No wonder he doesn't have a set price!!! This problem of getting a hair cut or shave here was something to consider at first. We have found out that by going to a French barber it is very interesting if not hair raising. A shave can be accomplished as quick as the wink of an eye. Between the fast lingo of French, with the customary loafers around the shop, Z-i-N-G down comes the razor, and you feel as if you should have increased your insurance before leaving the States. If you decide you need a hair cut you get it just as quick with a dry shave around the ears. When you are all thru you go to the wash basin to wash the lather from your face, which you do yourself. This adventure, is by far, the most unusual that I ever expect to have. Not unusual by the standards of life here, but EVERYTHING is so much different than anything we are accustomed to at home. While on the street one day a native beggar woman came along with a small baby in her arms. She was begging from everyone, as the baby ate an orange, almost as dirty as it was, but as she finished the orange she started to cry. The woman then proceeded to nurse the baby right then and there without taking any precaution about exposing herself. The baby itself being clothed to the mid-waist only. When one visits the poorer sections of any village, if that portion can be isolated, you can see example of abject poverty. This situation is caused partly by the natural backwardness of the lower class natives and partly by the Germans "borrowing" everything they could get their hands on. No matter where one goes you see things that are a shock to our way of living.

On one of my visits to town I saw a native carrying a chest of drawers, at least 8 feet high on his back. All you could see of the native, from the rear, was his spindly legs sticking out below the load. A little further on I noticed another native carrying 4 baskets, resembling our bushel baskets, filled with fruits. Later on I noticed still another native carrying, what appeared to be an extra heavy load on his back. My curiosity finally got the best of me and I went

## Young America Saves Tires and Gasoline



In millions of V-Homes throughout America the "express" wagon is returning to its own. Boys and girls, eager to do all they can to speed victory, are conserving rubber, gasoline and manpower by using their wagons for many of the small errands that formerly were done with a delivery truck or the family car.

up and lifted the load from his back, just enough to see how much it weighed. If it weighed a pound, it weighed 100 and this native had it on his back supported by a strap around his forehead. The native gave me a look of disgust and went slowly on his way. We soldiers watched him for at least three blocks and the old man never stopped once for a rest. As a whole they are not a large people but wiry, and loads such as the ones I have described are very often carried by men who appear to be around 50 or 60 years of age. Between the natives and the small donkeys they use considerable merchandise and freight are transported around the cities. Travel is accomplished mostly by the use of the small donkeys and horses. I am firmly convinced that the use of the donkey, as practiced in the U.S.A. has resulted in a gross waste of energy. They seem to load them down with about everything, from the kitchen sink to the piano. For an animal smaller than our burro he really earns his keep. We have seen them carrying loads that, at home, would bring both the WCTU and the Humane Society down upon your head, first because of the wine being hauled and second because of the unbelievable amount that can be supported by their spindly legs. I say the latter, because about all that can be seen to identify the mode of transportation is the small hoofs protruding below the load. While on the road during our move we passed what apparently was a tribal migration. Everything was carried by the power of the flesh, and of course most of it on the backs of the donkeys. The last straw—when I saw one loaded with everything from the back porch to the steeple and perched on top of the whole conglomeration were two old hens, nest and all. According to our load limits they would have been hauled into court for overloading. Several of the natives have the now famil-

iar, two wheeled cart (some with automobile wheels and tires on them) on which some of the wheels are not so round. They go bumping noisily along the streets, usually with a load of wine on them. The people who have cars or trucks have converted them into char-coal burners, as the only vehicles to use gasoline are those of the various armies.

One thing that I have noticed, that you might be interested in, is a good number of excellent saddle horses. They use them as a riding horse, also to pull heavy loads, and in fact almost everything. All the males are stallions, possibly because they seem to feel that any artificial alterations reduce the stamina of the animal. Outside of horses, the stock here is very poor compared with our own. In place of raising a herd of cows they will invariably have a herd of goats and sheep.

Perhaps the most remarkable thing I have seen in Africa is the beautiful stone work done by the natives. They are truly master masons. One can see retaining walls as well as arched bridges that are approximately 100 feet high, and you cannot detect a flaw in the uniformity of its stone construction. We are now located near a fairly large city, that is considerably cleaner and more modern than most, and after we get better acquainted with it, should be very interesting. There is a better class of people here, and although there are many Arabs living in this territory, they are not nearly so offensive as those we contacted before our arrival. As was true of our other location, the country seems to be very good farming land, and I am truly impressed with the fact that this is not the Africa I was taught about in school. At least we have not seen any jungle or desert as yet, but they tell me that the desert is not so far distant from here, but I am willing to take their word for it.

Everyone seems to be interested in that good old American Sport called "Elbow Bending." There has been, and perhaps, always will be quite a problem for the American Army. Americans as a whole have earned the reputation for trying to drink it all in one night, and also of generally strong drinks. There isn't any whiskey to speak of in this country. Champagne is out for the duration, and a very poor grade of beer. All you hear is Vine (French-Arabic for wine). The natives knowing that the Americans like strong drinks have used some drug compounds to step up their cheapest native wine. Let me tell you that it will cure dandruff, flat feet, fallen arches, etc., in one swallow. If one is fortunate enough to get acquainted with French officers you may be given a bottle of their private stock of Sweet Muscatel—now that's sompin'—but you can buy a pretty fair wine in the French Non-Com Clubs for 5 francs a bottle. It is the same type as that which is rationed to the French soldiers each week. In all of the larger towns you can be served a glass of your favorite wine at a table on the sidewalk in front of the cafe or bar.

Our evenings are all very calm and peaceful, spent in the most part writing letters home, and either openly or slyly getting out the pictures of the folks back home and by devouring them somewhat appeasing the prevailing feeling of homesickness.

In writing this letter I have tried to give you a picture of some of the things we see every day, also just what this country is like over here. As time goes on and we run into something new and different in making various moves I hope to be able to build up another such letter.

### NO CORN FOR LIQUOR

Corn cannot be used for manufacture of distilled spirits and high wines, a recent directive of the War Production Board says. The action was taken to conserve stocks of corn for essential purposes, although the amount of corn saved is likely to be small because distillers already had shifted largely to the use of wheat.

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**SEEING LONDON**—Newly arrived WAACS, standing by this ancient lamp post in the shadow of the Tower of London, during recreation hours view the historic Thames. They are relieving men for combat duty but have time to improve their knowledge of geography and English history.

## Lawrence Hagy, Panhandle Rancher, Named Chairman of Region 18 In United War Chest Drive

AMARILLO, July 26 — Lawrence Hagy, Panhandle ranchman and oilman who took an active lead in the USO campaign in the Panhandle area last year, has been named chairman of Region 18 in the war appeals program soon to be carried out by the United War Chest of Texas, Geo. A. Butler of Houston, president and campaign chairman, announced today.

"I am very pleased," Mr. Butler said, "that the Panhandle area has put forth a man like Mr. Hagy to direct its campaign. And I know that all the counties in the area will lend their full cooperation."

Mr. Hagy is well known in this section, having served as head of the Amarillo Community Chest and having worked in Red Cross drives. He is active in the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, is a member of the board of directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and served as a member of the Texas Centennial Committee in 1936. He is also a member of the Southern Petroleum Industries Committee.

Floyd Wright of Amarillo has been assigned by the United War Chest of Texas to work with Mr. Hagy as field representative for the Panhandle section. Mr. Wright is now engaged in contacting the leadership of each of the counties in the area.

"County chairmen for each of the counties in the region will be named by Mr. Hagy as fast as organization plans materialize," Mr.

Butler declared. "And we are anxious to see the Panhandle area to be the first to complete its organization. No quotas have been set up for the region, but these will be set up on a county basis, giving each county the full prerogative of determining its full share in the National War Fund."

## Corps of Engineers Need Skilled Men

In the battle areas around North Africa, American and British air power is striking the enemy with effectiveness that proves this method of attack may provide at least the prelude to Victory. Air men and airplanes are land-bound without airdromes. Thus, the prelude to air power lies with the Engineers who sharpen the wasp-like sting of our forces by laying down airports with unheard of rapidity. The Engineers built landing fields faster than the Air Forces could occupy them.

Lieutenant Colonel Marvin B. Durette, Commander of the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, says, "It is no longer a military secret—at least not to the Axis forces that had hoped to defend the islands of the Mediterranean—that the coastline of northwest Africa is ringed with airdromes. American Army Engineers are responsible for these bases."

Colonel Durette states that the Engineers are being called upon to build roads and hospitals in Australia; wharf facilities, storage areas, water supply systems, hangars and repair shops in New Guinea; and in all other theaters they are building installations for Victory.

"As our overseas forces expand, and as we go forward, more and more specialists are needed by the Corps of Engineers," Colonel Durette said. "We must continue to enlist men with the necessary skills to bridge the streams and build the roads for the advancing armies of democracy."

Men between the ages of 18 and 50 who are interested in serving in the Corps of Engineers and who have one of the skills needed by them should contact the nearest U. S. Army Engineers office. Complete information may also be obtained by contacting the U. S. Army Recruiting Office in Lubbock.

## CIVIL SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

The assistant investigator for the district headquarters of the Office of Price Administration, Lubbock, Texas, will be filled by civil service procedures, Elmer G. Hayes, local civil service secretary, said today upon the receipt of a civil service examination announcement for this \$2600 a year federal position.

Applicants must have one year of recent progressive experience, involving a knowledge of handling industrial purchasing or billing transactions involving a knowledge of the grades and measure of materials and of shipping procedures; or maintenance of accounting records, particularly in industrial operations, of purchase, production, cost, or sales; or distribution of goods involving expert knowledge of grades and uses of commodities and general knowledge of materials and production methods; or analysis of production methods and production procedures in the manufacture of commodities; or related experience providing fully equivalent knowledge.

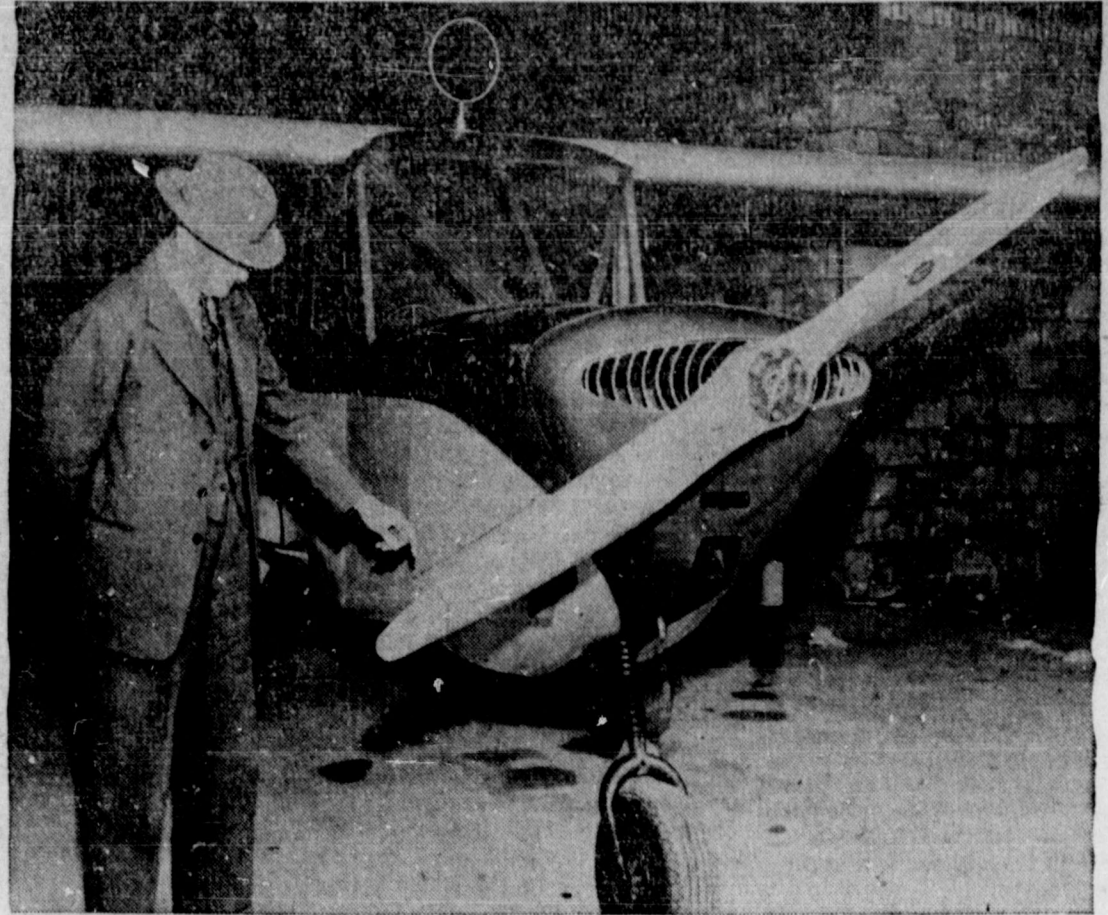
Mr. Hayes pointed out that the assistant investigator of the Office of Price Administration checks the preparation and submission of purchasing records, inventories, invoices, sales records and related documents which might indicate violations. He makes reports on specific violations, obtains evidence, and prepares written reports of his findings.

Application forms and further information may be secured at any first or second class post office or from the director of the Tenth Civil Service Region.

Applications must be filed not later than July 30, 1943 with the director, Tenth Civil Service Region, 210 S. Harwood Street, Dallas, Texas.

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## ★ ★ THE NEW SKYFARER ★ ★



President Frederick H. Mueller, of Grand Rapids Industries, Inc., is shown here with the "Skyfarer," which his organization will manufacture, marking the entry of Grand Rapids furniture makers into the field of complete airplane production. President Mueller, enthusiastic over prospects for the venture, asserts the plane is the safest plane in the air, easiest to fly and as simple to drive as an automobile, due to patented aerodynamic principles.

## Swine Sale At Plainview August 9

HALE CENTER, July 28—E. D. Heath and Sons, prize-winning Chester White hog breeders of this city, will hold a bred sow, boar and gilt sale Monday, Aug. 9, in the dairy show buildings in Plainview. Walter S. Britten of College Station, Texas, will be auctioneer in the event in which 30 fall gilts, 4 fall yearlings and 15 top boar spring pigs from the Heath farm will be sold. In addition, C. J. Hiltbrunner of Spring Lake, Texas, will offer 12 head of Chester Whites.

Practically all of the spring pigs in this sale were sired by Texas Lad, outstanding Chester White Boar, grandson of the grand champion in the 1939 shows in Illinois, Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska.

Heath and Sons jumped to prominence in the hog breeding field in 1939 when their sow, Lady in White, won the world championship trophy at the Treasure Island show in California. A litter mate of Lady in White, Tom Collins, won seven grand championships in state fairs in the middle west in 1940, including the famous Illinois show. Daughter of Tom Collins, Lady Collins, is the grand dam of most of the pigs in this sale, Heath said.

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## GOLDSTON

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We are sorry to report that Mrs. Wilson Gray received word last Tuesday that her son David is missing in action.

Those to visit in the Gray home Tuesday were Mrs. Raymond Farr, Mrs. Sam Dale Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ziegler, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bones and Kathleen Yankee. Kathleen spent the remainder of the week with her mother.

Mrs. Clark and son of Oklahoma is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Dishman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Farr of Cado Mills is visiting their son and family, Raymond Farr.

Joe Adams spent Saturday nite with Ray Lee Johnson.

Lorene Brock spent Saturday night with Irene Langford of Hedley.

Lamar Stewart visited in the Joe Dilli home awhile Wednesday night.

Dwayne Hudson spent Friday and Saturday in the Howard Stewart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nath Helton and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Brock visited in Borger last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie Hudson is spending this week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Brock and

family spent the week end in Spearman visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Johnnie Rains and family.

Vilas Ann Ziegler spent the week end in Canyon visiting relatives.

Mrs. John Ziegler spent the week end in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shields and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. King of Hedley.

Mrs. Joe Dilli and son Joe Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Orren Hott visited in the Ray Roberson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fulton and family visited in the H. C. Smith home Saturday evening.

Lamar Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart is home on leave for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vick and family visited in Memphis Saturday night.

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## MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD TO CHISLERS

We quote a stanza from a poem written by a hero at Bataan, who died for his country:

"And if our lines should sag and break,  
Because of things you fail to make;  
That extra tank the ship, that

plane,  
For which we wanted all in vain;  
Will you then come to take the blame?  
For WE—not you—must pay the cost,  
Of battles YOU—not we—have lost."

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## to Him the American Flag



# Means HOME!

It's the symbol of the safe -- the familiar -- the secure -- a haven to return to after excursions into the bewildering world outside! To those other boys --- older but reared in the same tradition -- who out there fighting for their country and their flag, it means the same thing! Since 1776 Americans have fought for their flag and their homes -- and what home implies.

The loyalty that has been shown through generations to the ideals of country and home must be and are being preserved. While many are far away fighting to defeat the enemies to their security, others are guarding the home front and planning for a future, free from all threats, which may be devoted to the progress of peace.

WE ARE THE GUARDIANS OF THE HOME FRONT! WE ARE HERE TO KEEP THE HOMES OF AMERICA INTACT UNTIL THE DREAMS OF NEW AND BETTER FUTURE CAN BE REALIZED.



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### Old Roosters To The Block

Older roosters should be sold as soon as the hatching season is over. This is the advice of H. M. Breedlove, County Agent for A&M College Extension Service. Young cockerels should be separated from the pullets and laying hens until the next breeding season.

Better eggs and bigger money returns to producers result from selling roosters. Germ development is rapid in fertile eggs in summer months. Due entirely to that cause, about seven per cent of the eggs reaching the market daily are a total loss for food. This is equal to more than three hundred thousand eggs a day in Texas, Breedlove says.

Fresh eggs comprise one of our most valuable articles of food. You can realize that these huge losses every day take a big bite out of the food supplies of our soldiers and civilians, and the food we can spare to our fighting allies. It also means less money for you. Moreover, price ceilings are set on the basis of graded eggs. So be sure that yours are quality eggs.

Two simple precautions will cut these losses to a minimum. First, remove all male birds from the flocks during summer. This assures production of infertile eggs. Second, see that the eggs are cooled out before being placed in cases and kept in a cool place until marketed. These steps will reduce loss to less than one per cent within two weeks.

If all roosters in Texas, except those in hatchery flocks, were sold it would add about six and one half million pounds of meat to our supply, and save about thirty million pounds of feed during the next three months. Market prices on roosters are very good at present, Breedlove says.

### RED CROSS VOLUNTEER SERVICE

From all over the world come letters from grateful servicemen and their families, from officers, from prisoners of war, from wounded men in hospitals, from shipwrecked seamen—to thank the Red Cross for what it is doing and for keeping the faith.

Mrs. McCleskey's Sunday school class of the Baptist Church have turned in 86 soap cases for the Soldier's Kits, 6 pillow tops, which go to the Army Hospitals in the Panhandle. These ladies also helped to make button-holes in garments for our last shipment. This class has been very active and will take out more sewing at their next meeting. The following ladies are members of this class: Mmes. G. C. Heath, Claude Darden, Ed Speed, Clyde Butler, Ed Barnes, R. C. Bingham, A. W. Simpson, C. L. Goin, Hugh Riley, J. E. Hunt, E. L. Moody, Floyd Oller, Curtis Thompson, Walker Lane, Mrs. Cap Lane.

Donations for the Red Cross were received this week from Mrs. S. T. Sayre and Mrs. Kelly Chamberlain.

Magazines for our Soldier's Kits were received this week from Mrs. Walter Knorpp.

Anyone wishing to do sewing, please call Miss Molesworth, phone number 365 or leave word with Mrs. C. A. Burton at the library.

### PICTURE SLIDES ON MISSION WORK

Picture slides on Mission work in Texas and the Southlands will be shown Wednesday evening, August 4th at the Baptist Church. Anyone who is interested is cordially invited to come and see them.



Bureau of Public Relations U. S. War Department  
**MAIN STREET SOMEWHERE IN SICILY**—This photograph, radioed to the United States by the U. S. Signal Corps, gives a characteristic picture of an Italian city after American occupation. The inhabitants are resuming their normal lives. Scenes of a terrorized populace such as were witnessed in Nazi-occupied Poland, Greece, Russia, Holland, Belgium and France have not followed the Allied invasion. Axis prisoners are brought in by the truckload and seem to be enjoying the ride.

### New Amendment Tire Regulation Now Effective

We wish to call your attention to a new amendment to the tire regulations which became effective July 24, 1943.

This amendment states in substance that an applicant for a spare tire, other than persons eligible under section listed below, must show that he does not own or control a tire which can be used or repaired for use as an emergency spare tire regardless of its condition. An applicant who is eligible for a spare tire may be issued no better than a certificate for a Grade III tire, unless he establishes eligibility under the section below:

An applicant may obtain a certificate for any grade of tire or tube, if he clearly establishes that he must answer emergency calls which require him to operate a passenger automobile at high rates of speed, and that the vehicle is:

- Used exclusively for maintaining fire-fighting services or in investigation or patrolling necessary to the maintenance of public police service; or
- Used for making necessary professional calls by a physician, surgeon, chiropractor, osteopath, or dentist, licensed as such by the appropriate governmental authorities and regularly rendering necessary professional services of an emergency nature outside his office; or
- Used as an emergency maintenance vehicle by a public utility and is clearly and permanently marked as such.
- Used for rendering professional services at agricultural establishments by a farm veterinary, licensed by the appropriate governmental authorities and regularly rendering much professional services.

### C. L. DEBORD SERVICE HELD WEDNESDAY

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon for Charles Lester DeBord at McKnight with M. F. Manchester, officiating.

Mr. DeBord passed away as a result of a heart attack Monday. He has been a resident of Donley County for the past 35 years.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Elsie Burdine of Amarillo, Mrs. Bonnie Muncie of Roswell, N. M.; two sons Alton DeBord, U. S. Army and Leslie DeBord of Hedley and three brothers.

Pallbearers were Tom Tate, Walter Burdine, John Tate, Hoberert Moffitt, Vance Alewine and W. H. Clay.

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

### WAR PRISONERS IN U. S.

Prisoners of war interned in the U. S. total 65,058, the War Department has announced. Of these, 45,355 are Germans, 19,641 are Italians, and 62 are Japanese. The Japanese are interned at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, and the others in 37 prisoner of war camps situated in 20 states.

Janet Stegall accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Chase home Friday. Mrs. Chase visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Stegall at Kingsmill, Thursday and Friday.

### Clarendon Clinic Hospital Notes

**Births:**  
 Mrs. Cleo Woods of Clarendon, a boy.  
 Mrs. Loraine McAnear of Ash-tola, a boy.  
**Surgical:**  
 Neta Pearl Aduddell.

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### POSTPONE INDUCTION OF STUDENTS

Induction of students 18 or 19 years old may be postponed until the end of their academic year, the Selective Service Bureau of the War Manpower Commission has announced, if their call to the armed forces comes during the last half of a school year. This applies to students in high schools and similar institutions.

Joyce Smith and Mrs. George Ella Donlon were in Amarillo Saturday and Sunday shopping.

### Best Year Yet For Trench Silos

According to county agent H. M. Breedlove, this fall should be one of the biggest years for trench silos in Donley county. Farmers can store feed in the trench silo and leave it there indefinitely the county agent states. Feed in the trench silo will mean that the farmer or rancher will not run out of feed in the dry years and the feed will be as good in ten years as it was when it was put in the silo.

Due to the large number of cattle in the county, many farmers have expressed their desire to put feed in the trench silo and feed cattle for the market this winter. The government is asking for fat cattle ready for the butcher and this is one way of having plenty of good feed for the livestock. Some of the oldest trench silos in the county are on the Forrest Sawyer farm, two miles north of Clarendon. Mr. Sawyer has filled these silos each year and fed cattle in the winter. He thinks that this is one of the best ways to preserve the feed from the weather and keep it over a long period of time until he is ready to feed some cattle for the market.

Mr. Sawyer states that his silos will never be empty unless he has fed up all of his feed or just does not make the feed.

Breedlove states that bulletins on the preservation of feed by the use of the trench silo can be obtained at his office by calling for them.

U. J. Boston was in Amarillo Sunday on business.

### J. A. WARREN HOME TAKES ON ADDED APPEARANCE

During the lean years sometime back when property was selling at a song here, J. A. Warren had the wisdom and foresight to buy a home for his family. Today, this home, located at 207 East 4th St., is undergoing a pleasant appearance. Just recently a new roof was put on and a new papering job completed throughout.

At the present time, an additional room is being added, giving the home 6 rooms and bath. The entire outside is being covered with "brick siding", which gives a beautiful buff brick appearance, and adds much to comfort and appearance of the home. This, together with beautiful lawn, flowers and shade trees, makes it one of the prettiest little homes in town.

All the "brick siding" is being done in a natural buff brick color, and all outside woodwork trimmed in white.

The best part of it all, is the fact that the home is paid for, has a nice location and would bring a profitable return if sold today.

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 Marco—46 oz. Can ... 25¢

**COFFEE** Folgers—1 lb. Jar ... 35¢  
 Admiration—1 lb. Pkg. ... 31¢

**SPRY—3 lb Jar** ..... 75¢

**VEGETOLE** 21¢  
 ARMOUR'S—1 lb. Carton

**KARO** 17¢  
 BLUE LABEL—No. 1 1/2 Glass

**CORN** Our Darling—No. 2 Can ..... 17¢  
 American Beauty—No. 2 Can ..... 13¢

**PEACHES—Concho** 27¢  
 Syrup Pack (sliced or halves)—No. 2 1/2 Can

**SALMON—Pink No. 1 tall can** 26¢

**CHEERIOATS** 2 regular Pkgs. for ... 25¢  
 KIX  
 WHEATIES  
 WHEAT CRISPIES  
 PUFFED RICE

**CLOROX—1/2 gal. Jug** ..... 29¢

**DREFT—Large size** ..... 26¢

### —IN OUR MARKET—

You can always rest assured that the meat you buy at our market is fresh and wholesome. All our grain fed baby beef and pork is home killed and of the very best quality. We always have your choice cut - - - and it's always tender and delicious.

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<b>GREEN CABBAGE</b> POUND <b>4 1/2c</b>	<b>P &amp; G SOAP</b> 22 Bars <b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Table MOLASSES</b> 1/2 Gallon Jar <b>58c</b>	<b>Ranch Style COFFEE</b> 3 Pounds <b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Kerr LIDS</b> 10 Dozen <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>K. B. SHORTENING</b> (20-Points)—4 lbs. <b>79c</b>

<b>PEACHES</b> GALLON <b>75c</b>	<b>FLOUR</b> M SYSTEM 24 lbs. <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>SUGAR</b> PURE CANE 15 lbs. <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>Corn Flakes</b> MILLERS 13 Boxes <b>\$1.00</b>
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<b>Dreft Washing Powder</b> BOX <b>25c</b>	<b>Bulk Apple Vinegar</b> GALLON <b>30c</b>
<b>SOAP</b> Life Buoy and Camay—15 Bars <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>TOILET TISSUE</b> 22 Rolls <b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Lean Pork Chops</b> (8-Points)—Pound <b>35c</b>	<b>Fresh EGGS</b> DOZEN <b>35c</b>

<b>ROUND STEAK</b> (12-Points) lb <b>39c</b>	<b>GROUND MEAT</b> (7-Points) lb <b>25c</b>	<b>ASSORTED LUNCH MEAT</b> (6-Points) lb <b>29c</b>	<b>TENDER Beef Roast</b> (9-Points) lb <b>25c</b>
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WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF ANY ITEMS.