

From The Editor's Window

Lew Ayers, Rudy Valee, and Clark Gable are now in the service of Uncle Sam in various capacities. Lew Ayers, who is known to be opposed to war, is serving in the medical corps, Gable in the army as a private, and Rudy Valee is a coast guard band leader.

Farmers May Plant Not Exceeding 3% Over Allotment

New ruling on amount of cotton. Cotton farmers who plant their allotment by not more than three acres or three per cent, which is the larger, will not be considered as "knowingly overplanted" and may be eligible to receive a part of their conservation payments but they will be subject to conservation penalties and marketing quota penalties, B. F. Vance State AAA administrative officer has announced.

Farmers Report d Rain General Over Putnam Territory

Farmers coming into town Saturday reported rains pretty general and all thought the rain would be very beneficial to everything since most cotton and feed had not suffered very much. Only a few early crops of cotton was damaged before the rain with the most of the late cotton being in just the right stage for a rain as it had not quit growing.

J. W. WILSON, CISCO INJURED SWIMMING, DEATH FOLLOWING

J. W. Wilson well known former citizen of Cisco died at Placitos August 20th, from injuries received while swimming in the Gulf and was fatally injured when he dived in shallow water and his head contacted the gulf floor, breaking his neck.

20 Men Quota Is Given County By Navy Recruiters

In the U. S. Navy's campaign to enlist at least 6,000 men during the months of August and September Callahan county has been assigned a total quota of 20 men, Callahan county has enlisted 8, Lieutenant Ridout, Jr., Officer-in-charge of the recruiting district of North Texas, announced yesterday.

MRS. J. T. PURVIS IN EL PASO HOSPITAL

Word was received here this week that Mrs. J. T. Purvis recently underwent a major operation in the Masonic Hospital at El Paso. The latest reports were to the effect that she is convalescing normally.

SENATE FIGURES

Table with columns for Senator Name, O'Daniel, and Allred. Lists names like Baird, Belle Plaine, Cottonwood, etc.

LT. GOV. RACE

Below are figures showing how John Lee Smith and Harold Beck ran for Lieutenant Governor in Callahan County.

Table with columns for Candidate Name, Smith, and Beck. Lists names like Baird, Belle Plaine, Cottonwood, etc.

John Barr Passes Away At His Home Monday Afternoon

John Anderson Barr, 66, prominent, long time resident of Cross Plains, died at his home in the Northwest part of town Monday afternoon shortly after six o'clock, succumbing to an illness of several months.

George W. Daniels Buried In Cisco Tuesday Afternoon

G. W. Daniels an old time Citizen of Cisco and Eastland County died at his home in Cisco early Monday morning. He came to Eastland county in 1880 from New York, and settled in what is known as the Dan Horn community now and moving to Cisco in later years.

NATIONAL DEFENSE PRESENTS TEXANS ON ALERT AUG. 30TH

Austin, Texas—Air Raid Wardens in Texas will find out how their organization functions in an actual air raid by listening to the third program of a series of thirteen radio broadcasts, presented by the National Defense Committee for Texas, over Texas Quality Network Stations on Sunday, August 30, from 2:00 to 2:15 p.m.

Water Rates Reduced First Reduction Of Rates

The City council met in regular session Tuesday evening and among other things reduced the water rate from a minimum of \$2.00 per meter to \$1.50 and the gallonage from three thousand gallons per meter to only two thousand gallons allowed for each meter in place. This rate is estimated to pay expenses and leave a balance in the fund to meet the expenses of the system.

Tom Dodd Killed In Altercation In Ranger Saturday

News has just reached Putnam that Tom Dodd a former resident of this place had been killed in an altercation Saturday night in Ranger but the particulars are not known. He was married here to Miss Golda Steadham also a former resident of Putnam moving to Ranger a number of years ago where they have resided since. Mr. Dodd was buried in Ranger Monday afternoon. Survivors are his wife and four daughters.

M. M. Little's Brother Died At Abilene Friday, August 8-22

M. M. Little received a message from Abilene Friday stating his brother Jessie Little was seriously ill and not expected to live. He died later in the day. Little who was born near Austin, had been employed by the Continental Oil Company at Abilene for the past seventeen years.

SUGAR STAMP NO. 8 GOOD FOR 5 POUNDS

War Ration Stamp Number 8 will be valid for the purchase of five pounds of sugar during the ten-week period beginning August 23 and ending October 31. Ralph Ashlock, chairman of the Callahan County War Price and Rationing Board, announced yesterday.

18.91 Inches Of Rain As Compared With 26.22-1941

Table comparing rainfall in 1941 and 1942 by month: January (1.21 vs 1.92), February (2.83 vs 2.7), March (5.15 vs 6.0), April (4.11 vs 6.09), May (7.80 vs 4.41), June (1.40 vs 4.29), July (2.28 vs 1.6), August (4.44 vs 3.09), Total (26.22 vs 18.91).

Mrs. Jim McKehan Succumbs In Sipe Springs Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Esther McKehan, 44, were held Sunday afternoon, August 23, at five o'clock at the Baptist church in Cottonwood with Rev. Baldree, pastor of Putnam Baptist church, and Rev. Slayden, Cottonwood Methodist pastor, officiating.

Many Candidates Expected To Bid For Smith's Job

Election of John Lee Smith, of Throckmorton, state senator from this — the 24th district, to the lieutenant governorship opened the door Monday for candidates aspiring to succeed him.

Joe Neuman Died At His Home In Abilene Friday

Funeral for Joe Neuman 82 years of age was held from the Elliott funeral home in Abilene Sunday afternoon. Mr. Neuman came to Putnam about 1910 and purchased ranch about nine miles north of Putnam and went into the cattle and sheep business where he lived for a number of years before moving to Abilene where he could give his children a college education in 1924.

ALL COTTON LOANS ON THE 1941 CROP HAVE BEEN EXTENDED

It has been announced from College Station that all loans on cotton for the year 1941 have been extended for an indefinite period, the Texas A&M College Extension Service reports. Maturity date previously was July 1st, 1942.

Shall Brave Men Die Because You Failed To Help?

By B. H. Freeland. Heeding the call of brave men for implements of war, America is today busy with one of the most extensive drives in history—that of collecting every available ounce of scrap metal.

Tank Cars Are Forbidden To Haul Gasoline In 20 States

Petroleum Co-ordinator Ikes Friday issued an order prohibiting railroads from delivering gasoline in 20 states in the middle west and southwest in a move to release an estimated 5,000 to 6,000 cars for supplying the east.

W. L. Henry Baird Sells Cattle For \$103 Per Pair

W. L. Henry and company of Baird sold 41 pairs of stocker cows and calves on last Thursday's Abilene market for \$103 average net price. The top pair bringing \$123, that being the price paid for a choice set.

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**Political Announcements**

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic primary July 25, 1942.

**For Judge:**

B. H. FREELAND

**For County Clerk:**

LESLEY BRYANT

**For County Collector:**

T. W. BRISCOE

**For Sheriff:**

C. R. NORDYKE

**For County Superintendent:**

B. C. CHRISMAN

**For District Clerk:**

RAYMOND YOUNG

**For Treasurer:**

WILL McCOY

**For County Commissioner:**

OLIVER ALLEN

JOE B. MCINTOSH

**THANKS**

I want to thank my loyal friends for the splendid support they gave me in Saturday's election.

I will do my best to merit that support and will always be found working for the best interest of the precinct, with what means are available to me.

Thanks again,  
O. D. ALLEN

The average household uses eight light bulbs a year. Last year the Army bought more than 8,000,000 to light the way to victory.

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**FISHING NOTICE**

Positively no fishing or hunting on my premises around the lake. Please take notice. All parties caught will be prosecuted.

Mrs. W. M. Isehower

**O'DANIEL CARRIES PUTNAM BY 185 TO 134 FOR ALLRED**

In the second primary election here Saturday there was 322 votes cast against 334 in the first primary in July. The vote for United States Senator was O'Daniel 185 and Allred 134. In the race for county commissioner, Allen 253; Joe McIntosh 180 giving Allen a majority of 73 votes. The vote by boxes were; Putnam, Allen 194; McIntosh 120; Hart, Allen 6 and Joe McIntosh 21; Pueblo Allen 22, Joe McIntosh 14 and Admiral Allen 31 and McIntosh 19. This is the third term as commissioner for Mr. Allen being first elected in 1938.

**Everybody's War**

By Nathan Howard Gist

This greatest of world conflicts involving the five continents and the seven seas, is a war that must never end until it is finished, until the last enemy of justice and common decency is overthrown. There is no need of talking peace nor discussing an armistice until the menace of all peace is removed.

Why does America fight? Because she cannot do otherwise and keep her soul. Human liberty is too precious, human lives are too sacred, the bodies and minds and souls of men mean too much to see them ground to pieces under the iron heel of a heartless tyrant.

He who would torture the bodies of men, poison their minds and the minds of their youth with vicious propaganda, starve their souls, and deprive them of their spiritual birthright is the foe of all men.

America fights because she must keep faith with an unforgetten past, with those who fought and bled and struggled in behalf of civil and political liberties. America wants this world to be free—free from the raids of the bully, free for law-abiding, honorable people who have no quarrel with anyone, to live a life of peace.

**HENRY FORD IS AN ETERNAL PIONEER**

Henry Ford on his seventy-ninth birthday remarked, just a little wistfully, that he "guessed he was getting on in years." Not at all, Henry, not at all! You're probably as young right now as you ever were, in mind—which is the part of man that counts. And still as good a man, as serviceable to the nation and the world, as anybody likely to be thought of at the moment aside from two or three statesmen—even though that man Kaiser in California, who would almost take a contract for a new world and deliver it week after next, may be crowding you a bit.

What changes Henry Ford has seen, and been a part of, in these fifty years since he started putting men on wheels! And yet he is not satisfied. He is still pioneering, still "in there pitching, with every-

America has never gone to war unless to clean up some ugly mess which others created. America has never been the aggressor, but she has several times accepted war rather than submit to evil. She has no thirst for more territory. She would not plunder the lands of others. America, with grim determination, has resolved to fight ruthlessly throughout the world, and on nearly a score of battlefronts this war will go on. It will end only when the enemy is conquered. For it is to the interest of the whole world that the dictator be overthrown.

This is everybody's war. As the net results, the gains will be for those who stand four-square for human liberties. We must fight if we would live; fight that a mother may have her child; that a man's home may be his castle; that common decency may survive; that all may enjoy life, liberty; and the pursuit of happiness.

**POULTRY WILL TOP LIST VICTORY FOOD SPECIALS**

Fried chicken every day in the week, not just on Sunday, is in order, says Lawrence Norton, chairman of the Kansas U.S.D.A. war board. Poultry meat will top the list of Victory food specials this month.

He points out that the record supply of friers and other market poultry produced as a by-product of the campaign for more eggs has made this delicacy available in plentiful supply. Officially, poultry meat will be a Victory food special July 16 through July 25.

Heavy consumption of poultry meat will help poultrymen meet the national egg goal, for it will enable them to get a fair price for the boilers and friers that must be produced to get the necessary number of pullets. Dried eggs are one of the concentrated foods that are being shipped to our Allies in huge quantities, and in addition are a favorite for our own troops overseas.

Increased consumption of poultry meat will also release for lend-lease other meat more adapted to ocean shipping.

Texas State College for Women has the only department of library science in Texas that is accredited by the American Library Association for the training of school librarians.

**NOTICE**

For lease Mission Filling Station at Putnam.

Mary Guyton

thing he's got." He now uses his whole vast manufacturing system to make weapons of war, though he is opposed to war, doing it for the secure peace he hopes will follow. His mind is beyond motor cars, and beyond war, in a new, more rational and comfortable world. But he wouldn't be content with anything he ever got. He represents the Eternal Pioneer.

**Scrap Metal Rally To Be Over County Saturday, Sept. 5th**

An extensive drive for scrap metal is getting underway throughout the Cross Plains trade territory and is to be culminated with an enthusiastic rally here September fifth. The Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Club has posted a prize of \$5. to be awarded the person selling the greatest amount of scrap in Cross Plains during the week of August 31 to September fifth.

Every city and hamlet in the United States is being urged by the War Production Board to throw its entire force behind this movement in the endeavor to secure sorely needed metals for the nation's war foundries and mills.

Local Committee. Charlie Odom, L. J. Cook and Claude King, and Fred Cook.

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**YOU CAN BUY A NEW GAS RANGE**

- IF ...**
- (1) Your present range is completely worn out and beyond repair.
  - (2) Your premises are not equipped with a range and you do not have cooking equipment.
  - (3) You are engaged in constructing a Defense Housing project.
  - (4) You are remodeling a large home and breaking it into several small apartments, you may purchase the ranges necessary to meet the cooking requirements.

**YOU CAN BUY A NEW GAS WATER HEATER**

- IF ...**
- (1) Your present water heater is completely worn out and beyond repair.
  - (2) Your premises are not equipped with usable means of heating water.
  - (3) You are engaged in constructing a Defense Housing project.
  - (4) You are remodeling a large home and breaking it up into smaller apartments, you may purchase the gas water heaters required to supply adequate hot water.

**YOU CAN BUY GAS HEATING EQUIPMENT**

- IF ...**
- (1) You have rooms in which you do not have some type of heating equipment. This includes appliances such as Floor Furnaces, vented and unvented Circulators, Gasroom Radiators and Radiant Heaters.
  - (2) If your present central heating plant is in need of repair, dealers will make the necessary replacements to put it into condition for the heating season. If it is beyond repairs that would restore it to workable condition, it may be replaced from stock if available.

See your gas appliance dealer or your gas company NOW so that you will be prepared for winter. If you are eligible for new equipment you will be assisted in making out the necessary signed application for your requirements.



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FRUIT COCKTAIL	---	18C
NO. 2 SPINACH	Can	12c
NO. 2 PUMPKINS		10c
IVORY TOILET SOAP,	BAR	5C
JELLO	All Flavors	8c
FRESH TOMATOES	lb.	10c
HAMBURGER MEAT	LB.	25C
STEAK	pound	35c
FRUIT JUICES,	All Kinds	12c
RUBBING ALCOHOL	PT.	25C
ROAST	Pound	25c
OATS,	Quaker	28c
LEMONS	DOZEN	25C
BANANAS,	Pound	8c
GREEN BEANS,	No. 2 Cans	12c
2 LB. MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE		69C
OXYDOL	Large	25c
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### HAIR CUTTINGS GO INTO FRENCH SHIRTS

War or no war, the fashion news comes from France, but it is doubtful that many Americans will care to follow the latest fashion trend as reported by the Office of War Information.

The latest, a Vichy broadcast

heard by the Federal Communications Commission reports, is hair shirts manufactured because of an acute textile shortage.

The shirts, pullover style, are made of barber shop clippings and from 400 to 450 pounds of human hair is being used each month in place of wool, the broadcast said.

In the United States about the only human hair used is that of decided blondes whose tresses are used in the manufacture of per-



### I GIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

tribute; and because he was unique, I hope further that you will find these words of interest.

Judge Pittman was, perhaps more than anyone else, responsible for my becoming a newspaperman and so, if there were no other reason than this, I would always cherish his memory.

But this is to be about the Judge himself.

Judge Pittman presided over what would be, in Texas, the civil district court.

He was not a handsome man, except in the way that Abraham Lincoln was handsome—rough-hewn features that readily lighted with a smile, and kindly, gray eyes.

The Judge was a man of wide reading and of wider study of men. His sympathies were with the poor, the under-privileged, the voiceless.

He was unorthodox in his conduct of the court. You might go in and there would be a witness on the stand and questions and answers would be in progress and there would be a jury in the box—but no

A great pile of newspapers stacked up while my campaign was going on. After that was over, I delved into the stack and the last one of all had been mailed to me by my aunt in Memphis, Tennessee—and when I ripped the wrapper off, there was the news that Judge A. B. Pittman had died.

Now perhaps none of the readers of this column ever heard of Judge Pittman but, because he was a friend, I hope you won't mind my writing something by way of a

one on the bench. A lawyer would arise—Judge Pittman always insisted that a lawyer must rise when he addressed the court—and say, "Your Honor, I object."

A man standing over by the window, gazing out on the street, would say, "Objection overruled," and the trial would go on.

Judge Pittman insisted on punctuality on the part of attorney, jurors and witnesses. He imposed a fine of \$1 for each minute that anyone was late.

One day, the Judge entered the courtroom. It was one minute past 9.

"Mr. Clerk," he said, "enter a fine of a dollar against the court"—and the Judge handed over the fine.

He had little patience with pomposity—with stuffed shirts. A lawyer who didn't like a ruling gave out a statement to the press, severely criticizing the Judge. Everyone thought he would cite the lawyer for contempt of court. When he didn't, the reporters asked Judge Pittman for a comment on the matter. His reply was:

"It is the inalienable right of any American citizen to make a darn fool of himself whenever he wants to"—and that was all he would say about the attorney.

Judge Pittman really believed that "reason is the basis of law"—that common sense should govern trials—that the purpose of a court should be justice between man and man.

He disliked excess verbiage and high sounding questions. A negro truck-driver was injured and he brought suit. A fellow truck-driver was on the stand and was asked:

"Did the plaintiff know, or could he have known by the exercise of reasonable prudence, that the truck was in a defective condition?"

The witness walled his eyes in bewilderment. Judge Pittman said, "What the lawyer means is, Did George over there know—or ought he to have known—that the truck was liable to break down?"

The darkey grinned in relief and answered, "Naw, suh."

Judge Pittman believed that the office should seek the man, not the man the office. And so he never filed his name—friends would place it on the ballot by petition. He never had a card printed; he never made a campaign speech; he never asked a man to vote for him. And yet he was elected and re-elected for 20 years.

Judge Pittman was an able judge; he loved his fellow man; he was a truly great man.

Contrary to general belief, real poets are not long-haired dreamers but are men of action. Byron swam the Hellespont—no mean achievement—and he died while aiding the Greeks in their fight for freedom. Those were not empty words he wrote:

"The isles of Greece, the isles of Greece!  
Where burning Sappho loved and sung . . .  
Eternal summer gilds them yet,  
But all except their sun is set.  
The mountains look on Marathon,  
And Marathon looks on the sea,  
And musing there an hour alone,  
I dreamed that Greece might still be free—  
For standing on the Persians' grave  
I could not deem myself a slave."

And now for something in lighter mood, written no doubt by a sour old bachelor:

"The knot was tied; the pair were wed,  
Unto the preacher, 'Shall I pay  
To you the usual fee today,  
Or would you have met wait a year  
And give you then a hundred clear,  
If I should find the marriage state  
As happy as I estimate?  
The preacher lost no time in thought,  
To his reply no study brought,  
There were no wrinkles on his brow.  
Said he, 'I'll take three dollars now.'"

Really expressing the deep reverence that all men truly feel for womanhood are these lines:

"They talk about a woman's sphere  
As though it had a limit;

There's not a place in earth or heaven,  
There's not a task or manking given,  
There's not a blessing or a woe,  
There's not a whispered yes or no,  
There's not a life, or death, or birth,  
That has a feather's weight of worth—  
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Memories of a visit to St. Paul: In a sporting goods store, you can buy self-heating cans of coffee, beans and spaghetti. You just turn the can upside down, punch four holes in it, wait 10 minutes and the contents are piping hot—or so I was told—And there's a bit of the romantic connected even with the blankets they sell. Pointing to the design, a friend said, "This is a 3 1-2 point blanket," and explained that—in the 1700's—Indians swapped furs for blankets and a "3 1-2 point" one meant it was priced at three large beaver skins and one small skin.

More than two-thirds of the fish caught for commercial purposes in Texas coastal waters is shrimp.

Stamps Numbers 6 and 7 carry validity for the purchase of two pounds of sugar each until midnight of August 22.

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Flour, Gladiola	24 lbs.	97
Tomatoes, No. 2 size	2 for	21c
Vinegar, gallon dis.	23 apple	29c
Jewel or Vegetole	4 lbs.	70c
Salmon, Pink, tall	2 for	45c
Fruit Cocktail	tall	16c
Northern Tissue	3 for	19c
Raisins, Fresh	2 lbs.	25c
Rice, White	2 lbs.	19c
Dried Peaches	lb.	16c
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6. If victim is unconscious never give liquid.
7. Keep crowd away.
8. Try to cheer victim up—talk quietly and try to gain his confidence.
9. Don't let him see his injury.
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**FIFTH SUNDAY SINGING CONVENTION AT CISCO**

Fifth Sunday Singing convention to be held at the East Side Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, August 30th. Singing will begin promptly at 1:30 p.m.

DON RUPE

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson visited Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tabor of Clyde Monday, on account of illness of Mr. Tabor who has been poisoned with poison ivy and was quite sick for a day or so. Mrs. Tabor is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson.

Charlie Brandon of Crane and baby have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon this week returning to Crane Saturday.

Calvin King who has been in training camp at Norfolk, Virginia, for the past several months spending a few days with his parents, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Claud King.

Miss Christi Kennedy is home for a few days after spending the summer attending college at Lubbock visiting with her mother, Mrs. Ella Kennedy.

Miss Velma Eubank is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank enroute to Oklahoma City where she has accepted employment with the government.

Mrs. E. L. Jones of Hobert, Okla. who has been visiting with her father, T. F. Mercer for the past several days returned to her home at Hobert Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Mary Lou Bolton of San Saba returned to her home Tuesday morning after visiting with Miss Nila Jones and other friends in Putnam for the past few days.

Mrs. E. E. Sunderman has returned from an extended visit in West Virginia and Illinois, she was gone about three weeks. She reports a nice trip and had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maher were shopping and looking after business in Cisco Tuesday morning.

Mrs. E. P. Whittaker and Mrs. H. E. Butler were shopping in Baird Monday.

G. W. Jeter and R. D. Williams had business in Baird last Monday morning.

Mrs. Dr. Baxley will leave for her home in Chicago Friday after spending several days with her father, Y. A. Orr who has been ill.

Mrs. Flora Adkins will return to her home in San Antonio, Friday afternoon being with her brother, Y. A. Orr for several days.

County Commissioner O. D. Allen received a message Saturday morning from Austin stating his aunt Mrs. Lou Coats 86 had died. The remains were shipped to Moran where the funeral was conducted at the First Baptist church with the Rev. Blair, Eastland County Missionary conducting the services, after which she was buried in the Dennis cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Allen attended the funeral at Moran.

Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Ella Kennedy were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moore of Goree, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kennedy and son, Perry Kennedy of Fort Worth, Miss Lois Kennedy of Camp Barkley, Abilene, Miss Chrysta Kennedy, of Breckenridge, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds and baby of Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds and baby of Tulsa, Okla., visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Cunningham from Thursday until Tuesday.

To leave Mission Filling arrad To leave Mission Filling Station, Putnam.  
M. Guyton, (1tp)

**SACRED HARP SINGERS TO MEET IN ABILENE SUNDAY, AUGUST 30**

The Old Sacred Harp Singing Convention will convene in Abilene Sunday, August 30, for an all-day celebration. The singing class will be held in the district court room. Everyone is extended a most cordial invitation to attend and the Sacred Harp singers are especially invited and urged to attend.

**AUTO TABS FOR 1943 1-2TH SIZE '42 TAGS**

Automobile license tags for 1943 in Texas will be "tabs" instead of tags; will be 1-20th the size of this year's tags, but will cost the automobile owner just the same fee he paid this year, according to information from the state highway department at Austin.

The "tab" for next year will use just four square inches of metal, being one inch high and four inches long. It will contain two letters, four numerals, the name of this state, and the numerals '43. The plan is to have the tabs inserted in the plate holder, at one corner, to show that the 1943 license fee has been paid; but leaving the 1942 license tag with its larger numerals in place, both rear and front, on the car for easier identification by number.

Purpose for the tiny tag is to save metal. Production of the tags put out for 1942 cost the state approximately \$122,000. This year the state plans to save approximately one-third of that much money, and 19-20th of the sheet metal used this year.

Washington is just now beginning to brace itself against the coming war of inflation, being several months behind schedule, as usual.—Shreveport Journal.

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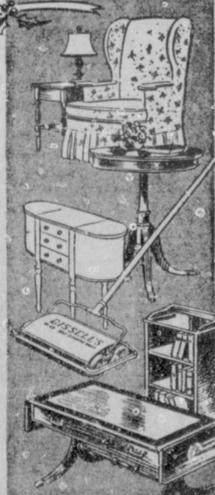
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