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OUR WHOSIT DEPARTMENT



We have some interesting looking people in this week's Whosit Contest and some faces that should be easy to recognize. The four boys in the top picture must have won a cut glass loving cup or something and the young folks in the lower illustration seem to have found something between a steam locomotive and a jeep. To the first person to identify give a pass to the Palace Theatre.

Last week pass was won by Mrs. Tony Angerer of West Lynn Street, who identified the little girl who was watching a group

of pigs make hogs of themselves, as her sister Marcella Hodge's. The picture was taken in 1932 on the Jim Benton farm near Posey where Mrs. Angerer's father, J. H. Hodges, was living at the time.

INFLUENTIAL SOUTH PLAINS CITIZEN DIES

HE Girls; FFA Boys Exchange Class Subjects

The first three days of last week the H. E. Girls and the Agriculture Boys exchanged class studies. This change was made to create variety in each class and to cover a particular unit of instruction that ordinarily each class would not receive.

The first two days the H. E. girls discussed rules of parliamentary procedure and on the third day they did drill work on the subject they had been studying.

The boys were instructed in Social Conduct and correct table etiquette. This constructive study will not only be useful to them at home, but it will be valuable to them on all public occasions.



Mr. J. R. Finney has received a copy of a booklet on the bombing of Pearl Harbor by the Japanese showing many tragic action scenes and giving much information on the battle. It was sent him by his son J. R. Finney who is serving with the Provisional Hospital in Hawaii. His other son Pat Finney is also in the armed service and serving in the heavy engine shop at Camp Claiborne, La.

Funeral ceremonies were held last Sunday afternoon at 2:30 PM from the Methodist Church for W. H. Sewell, who died December 4th. Reverend H. C. Gordon conducted the funeral.

The unexpected death came as a shock to many friends of Mr. Sewell who had been encouraged because the seemingly prompt recovery he appeared to be making from a recent operation.

William Howell Sewell was born August 11, 1877, at Nashville Tennessee, and came to Texas at the age of 22 and settled at Colorado City where he met and married Miss Pink Robertson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Robertson. He later practiced law in Abilene and Eastland. He moved to Slaton in 1925 and was a valued citizen in his community until his death.

Mr. Sewell was an active member of the Methodist Church in Slaton where he was a member of the choir. He was one of the most successful agriculturists in Lubbock County and was a pioneer in the development of the long staple cotton industry on the South Plains. As a progressive citizen and a man of good influences he will be greatly missed.

He is survived by his wife, one brother Charles of Pampa, California, and one son William R. Sewell of Levelland, Texas.

Health Drive To Be Saturday

A drive to make Slaton Conscious of the efforts of the State Anti-Tuberculosis campaign is being staged at the public schools today where the children are being asked to purchase badges for 10c. The revenue from the badges will be turned over to the Lubbock County Branch of the Texas Public Health Association. On Saturday the local association will put on a drive to sell badges to the people of Slaton and the women who are in charge of the local drive are appealing to every citizen to buy one of the badges as the revenue will aid in helping to stamp out tuberculosis in the state and in Lubbock County.

Mrs. T. P. Keane is the Slaton Chairman for the drive and Mrs. L. B. Johnson is co-chairman.

BRIGGS ROBERTSON TO TALK ON DEMOCRACY

An address on Democracy will be delivered today beginning at 2 p. m. over K F Y O by Briggs Robertson. This is one of a series of addresses being made by Mr. Robertson on the Veterans of Foreign War programs. One address is made each month.

NEGRO RECOVERING FROM GUN SHOT WOUNDS IN BOTH LUNGS

George Tellos, the Slaton negro who was shot through both lungs last Sunday morning at a cafe in the Flats, was reported late Thursday to be recovering from the wounds inflicted by another Slaton

ing occurred at an early morning and the man was taken to the hospital where Dr. Roy dressed his wounds.

FARMERS TO VOTE SAT.

Saturday December 12 has been set as election day for the Referendum on Farm Control and all farmers are urged to vote on the question. The balloting will be held in the Mayor's office at the City Hall.

The outcome of the election will affect every farmer in this section as well as all over the State as the farm program is to be decided Saturday. If you are a farmer come in and vote.

"The Elopement of Ellen" To Be Presented Tonight At School

"The Elopement of Ellen," a farce comedy in three acts will be presented tonight at 7:30 p. m. at the High School Auditorium by the Junior Class under the sponsorship of Miss Maud Dean and Mrs. D. J. Neill.

Entertainment between acts will be featured by Jimmy Cherry, Billie Jean Tucker, and Glynn Williams.

Pre-high school age children may be admitted for 15c and high school children and adults for 30c with tax included.

The play cast reads as follows: Richard Ford, a devoted husband, Bobby Smith; Molly, his wife, Mary Ann Wilson; Robert Shepard, Molly's brother, John Frye; Max Ten Eyck, a chum of Robert's; Wayne Ferguson; Dorothy March, engaged to Max and a guest of Mrs. Ford's, Gwendolyn Hanna; June Haverhill, an economics student from Wellesby College, Gene Martin; John Hume, Rector of St. Agnes; Milton Joehetz.

NATIVE OF MEXICO BURIED HERE

The funeral of Arturo Flores, native of Old Mexico who died at Wilson last Wednesday night, was held in Slaton last Thursday. Burial was in the Mexican section of Ingwood Cemetery.

Funeral Held In Tennessee

Funeral services were held this week in Monterey, Tennessee for L. M. Verble, age 40, who was shot early Saturday in Lubbock. The Williams Funeral Home of Slaton had charge of the shipping of the body to Tennessee on Saturday night.

Mr. Verble was a conductor on the Santa Fe Railway System with eighteen years service. The body was accompanied by Mrs. Verble.

Gas Rationing Board Meetings Decided Upon

Members of the Slaton Gasoline Rationing Board will meet next Saturday at the City Hall from 1:30 p. m. until 3:30 p. m. and on Wednesday Nov. 16 between the same hours of the day. After that date the board will meet on Saturdays only from the hours of 1:30 p. m. until 3:30 p. m.

Hospital Report

Surgical	Medical	Births
Mr. C. Hilbers	James Smith	Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Squalls, Lubbock on the birth of a son, 7 lbs. and 12 ozs. The father is a farmer.
Mrs. J. N. Reasoner	Mr. J. I. Cranfill	Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spence, Post, on the birth of a daughter (Kay Francis) 7 lbs 11 ozs.
Howard Henry	Doyle Wayne Williams	Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts on the birth of a daughter (Diana Elizabeth) 7 lbs, 2 ozs. The father is employed by the Santa Fe in Slaton.
George Tellos	Mrs. A. L. Williams	Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morgan, Slaton on the birth of a son 8 lbs, 14 ozs. The father is a rancher.

All Local Merchants Have Good Variety Despite War



A survey of the Slaton stores show that while the Christmas shopping has been brisk that shoppers are still holding back many of their purchases.

Some of the merchants seem to feel that because of the disappearance of many gift articles from the market that people are having a hard time selecting substitutes for gifts upon which they had decided early in the season.

Many women report that the selections of many gift items are better here than in larger shopping centers and that prices are still practically what they were last year. The merchants report that people are buying more substantial gifts this year than ever before and that many items will be given this year that are usually not considered as worthy of being Christmas gifts. There are more items for sale here that are not now being manufactured and the local merchants have not increased prices because of the shortage.

While this Christmas will be a war time Christmas lacking the sparkle and tinsel of the years past it will be solenized by more sober thinking and by a closer feeling of co-operation and the merchants of Slaton report that they are straining every effort to supply worthwhile merchandise for Christmas giving.

REGISTRATION DATES SET FOR YOUNG MEN AS THEY BECOME 18

According to information given out by the Lubbock County Draft Board registrations of young men who become eighteen years of age will be as follows:

Those who were eighteen in July and August register from the 11th of December to the 17th inclusive; those who were eighteen in September and October register from the 18th of December to the 24th inclusive; those who were eighteen in November and December register from the 26th to the 31st of December inclusive; those who become eighteen after January first register on their eighteenth birthday. The registration will be held in Lubbock at the offices of the Local Boards. Board No. 1 is situated in the Myrick Building, 6th Floor and Board No. 2 is located third floor of the Court House.

Adolph, Benito and Hirohito—the three blind mice. Make them run with ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day.

Like all other merchants Mr. Schuette reports that he is having difficulty in getting many lines of merchandise but he still has most of the things folks want and is making every effort possible to keep his stock full.



Headquarters Army Air Forces Gulf Coast Training Center, Dec. 11.—One of the largest classes ever to receive silver pilot's wings at the seven schools of the Army Air Gulf Coast Training Center, Dec. 11 ter is being graduated today, little more than one year after Pearl Harbor. Many of these already seasoned flyers will soon be carrying America's smashing vengeance to the Axis.

Among those to graduate will be Staff Sergeant Wiley H. Mudgett son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mudgett, 440 West Lynn St. in Slaton.

Sgt. Bill Watson of Camp Edwards, Mass. has been home on a furlough visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watson and grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cherry. From his look Uncle Sam is taking good care of him.

Cadet Billy Ball, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball is now stationed in Pasadena California where he is in training to be a meteorologist.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lott had as weekend guests their son, Wilson Lott, his wife and son Jorge Ray of Wink, Texas. Wilson Lott is leaving Dec. 14 for New London, Connecticut to enter Officers Training Course in the Coast Guards.

Mr. and Mrs. Lott have (Continued To Back Page)

Heaviest One-Day Snow Fall In Two Decades Is Recorded Here

Winter wonderland scenes thrilled outdoor enthusiasts last Sunday morning when the heaviest snow that has fallen on this area in one days time, was recorded by G. H. Orr who makes the recording of weather conditions a hobby since 1918.

Twelve inches of snow fell between midnight Saturday night Dec 5th and Sunday afternoon, Dec. 6th. Monday Dec. 7th was the coldest day of the year when the temperature fell to 9 above zero. While there was no great need for moisture in this region at this particular time the farmers report that it has not interfered with the late gathering of crops to any great extent.

Churches

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Services 11 a. m.
 Youth Church, 7:00 p. m.
 Evening Service, 8:00 p. m.
 Welcome to all to come and worship with us.
 J. Paul Stevens, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Bible Study 10:00 each Sunday morning
 Preaching at 11:00 and communion at 11:40
 Young People's Training Class, 7:00 p. m.
 Evening Services—8:00 p. m.
 Ladies Bible class Monday at 3 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.
 J. Lurvi Nisbett, Minister.

METHODIST CHURCH.
 Rev. H. C. Gordon, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:40 a. m.
 Church Services, 11:00 a. m.
 Junior League—5:15 p. m.
 Epworth League—6:45 p. m.
 Evening Services—7:30 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
 Rev. T. D. O'Brien, Pastor.
 Sunday Masses at 9 and 10:30.
 Week Day Mass at 7.
 'Everybody Welcome'

BAPTIST CHURCH.
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Church Services, 11 a. m.
 Preaching Service—7:30
 B. T. U.—6:30
 Rev. W. F. Ferguson, Pastor.

POSEY LUTHERAN CHURCH
 F. T. Sager, Pastor
 English services every first, second and third Sundays at 10:30 a. m. No services on fourth Sundays. "Come and worship with us."
 Lutheran Ladies Aid meets every first Thursday of the month. Luth-

day of the month at the Slaton club house.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Morning Services, 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Services, 8 p. m.
 Women's Missionary, Tuesday.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Rev. Wm. Howard Butler, Pastor.
 Bible School at 9:45 a. m.
 Church Services at 10:45 a. m.
 Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m.
 Evening Services at 8:15 p. m.

Foursquare Gospel Church
 225 E. Panhandle. W. W. Parrish, pastor.
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening service 8:30 P. M.
 Prayer Meeting every morning at 9 a. m.

not covet," deal with the heart, out of which are the issues of life. Covetousness is the root of much that is wicked and destructive in the world. The love of money makes men lie, steal, kill, cheat; in fact, "the whole realm of human interrelations is disorganized and broken up by the dishonoring of the tenth commandment" (Morgan).

The warning of our Lord, "Beware of covetousness" (Luke 12:15) is directly opposite to all ideas regarding such matters accepted by the world at large. The yardstick of success in the world—for an individual, an organization, or a nation, even for many a church—the possession of wealth, or property, or other "things". Let us write it large on our hearts and minds, then, that "a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth."

The one who was known to his friends (and to himself) as a "rich man" (Luke 12:16), but whom God knew as a "fool" (v. 20), had more than he could use for himself. He had to build new and bigger barns, and could not see the "barns" that were already prepared, for as Ambrose says, "Thou hast barns—the bosoms of the needy, the houses of widows, the mouths of orphans and infants." He was a fool who loved money for himself. One wonders what he had to say for himself when that very night he was called into the presence of God to give an account of his stewardship (v. 20). If you are similarly situated and have the same attitude, what will one say on that day?

In this dizzy age when many are so intent on making money that they have no time for home and children, church and fellowship; when men neglect their responsibilities and duties as citizens to gain; when any dirty business is all right if it produces a profit; when "for gold men betray their country; their friends, their God, their

Our Weekly Sermon—

Covetousness
 By the Rev. Harold L. Lundquist, D. D., Member of Faculty Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

The subject of covetousness seems peculiarly appropriate at this time of year when we are in the midst of preparations for Christmas, for it directs our attention away from things to God, from outward preparation to the preparation of the heart, from greedy desire to true liberality of heart. Christmas may be literally "made over" for all of us if we receive its truth.

The commandment, "Thou shalt

GIVE A BIBLE
 For Christmas—We Have A Big Stock

SLATON PHARMACY

Receives Medal For Heroism

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 11.—The Navy and Marine Corps Medal for heroism of military personnel in non-combatant zones was awarded today to a 37-year old Naval Lieutenant, Lieutenant L. H. Ridout Jr.

The Dallas District Recruiting officer swam to the rescue last July 4 of Mrs. John Leland of Amarillo, one of four persons spilled from an overturned boat at Lake McClellan, near Amarillo. He brought her ashore after she twice had gone down.

Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, in a citation made in behalf of President Roosevelt, termed Lieutenant Ridout's rescue of the woman a "gallant initiative in saving the life of another at the risk of his own."

FORREST BIBLE STUDY

The Forrest Bible Study will meet at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Methodist Church.

Lesson: Studies in the Book of Exodus, Chapters XIX-XL. Sinai (Contd.)

- 1 What kind of people alone did God want to contribute to the building of the Tabernacle?
- 2 Were all the gifts alike or did each one give what he had?
- 3 What is the reason the church treasuries today are not overflowing?
- 4 How did God signify His approval of the exact obedience of Moses and the people in the matter of the erection of the Tabernacle?
- 5 How much, in our money, do you estimate the Tabernacle to have cost?

Mrs. L. R. Tibbs

SANTA FE "CHIEF" TOPICS

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending December 5, 1942, were 22,694 compared with 23,739 for the same week in 1941. Cars received from connections totaled 11,666 compared with 8,341 for the same week in 1941. Total cars moved were 34,360 compared with 32,080 for the same week in 1941. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,057 cars in the preceding week of this year.

immortal souls," let us remind men that "we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain that we can carry nothing out." Let us really believe and exemplify in our lives the fact that the only real and worth-while gain in life is "godliness with contentment."

Ten per cent of your income in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.

Card Of Thanks.

To our friends who have been so thoughtful and kind to us during the illness and recent death of our husband and father, we wish to express our sincere thanks and to all of those who sent floral offerings, we wish to express our sincere appreciation.

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EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT
 J. T. Hutchinson, M. D.
 Ben B. Hutchinson, M. D.
 E. M. Blake, M. D., (Allergy)

INFANTS AND CHILDREN
 M. C. Overton, M. D.
 Arthur Jenkins, M. D.

OBSTETRICS
 O. R. Hand, M. D.

Clifford E. Hunt, Superintendent J. H. Felton, Bus. Mgr.

INTERNAL MEDICINE
 W. H. Gordon, M. D.
 R. H. McCarty, M. D. (Cardiology)

GENERAL MEDICINE
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TODAY AND TOMORROW

H-G Grocery Celebrates Its 1st Anniversary



Twice in the past year Mr. H. G. Schuette has enlarged the H. G. Grocery in order to properly serve his customers ... For this ever increasing patronage Mr. Schuette is most grateful and invites his friends and customers to visit him today and tomorrow and he pledges his best efforts to make it worth while for everyone in this community to visit H. G. Grocery often.

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SLATON PHARMACY

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A. M. JACKSON, Editor-Publisher

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LOCAL READERS—set in 8-pt. 10c per line of Five Words, net. To Agencies, 10c per line, with usual discount.

CARDS OF THANKS — 50 cents.

OBITUARIES, Resolutions, Memorials, (excepting accounts of death, news originating in this office), 5 cents per line.

POETRY, 10 cents per line.

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JUST TALK
by
A.M.J.

The glint that used to shine in a woman's eye when she found a bargain at Christmas time has gone but the desperate grab she makes at the last article in a line of merchandise that has gone the way of the automobile and the dodo, is far more dangerous, and I am predicting some hair pulling and face scratching in the department stores that will bring out the riot squad in many cities.

The price of an article is no longer of any great importance, its value is now governed by its degree of scarcity, and many of the former bargain hunters are now buying a lot of merchandise for which they have no more use than they had for the things they used to buy just because they were cheap.

Several weeks ago I saw a woman so loaded down with glass jars of coffee that she looked like a Coffee Counter on legs, another woman's cellar was so full of canned goods that she had to sell her electric washer. In both these fam-

ilies there were but three people. The trouble with me is that I would like to hoard a lot of candy bars and ice cream but I have waited too late on the candy bars and I cannot spend the next year or more fanning ice cream cones with a palm leaf fan to keep them from melting. Things sure are getting tough.

John Berkley phoned me last week and said that we had him stuck this week on our Whosit picture but he said he remembered butchering the hogs we had pictured.

It seemed to me that several of the swine resembled men I used to work for and I can look at the illustration and almost hear one or two of them grunt at me.

Over the Radio last week I heard a voice advertising General Electric blankets. It seemed that there were only a limited number left and those who wanted them would have to hurry. Perhaps I am a little behind time but it was the first time I had ever heard of an electric blanket but it sounds like a good idea. One could just crawl under, turn on the switch and get baked to a beautiful brown however what would happen to you if you should have a nightmare and stick your foot through the blanket?

The full effect of the gasoline rationing has not been felt yet. There seem to be about as many cars on the streets and on the highways as before rationing took effect but as soon as that extra tank full is gone there will be a lot of stalled cars and a lot of folks who will have to do a lot more walking than they are doing now. It is predicted that shoes will soon be rationed, composition soles will be used on old shoes and shoes will be made out of cloth but what I would like to know is what they are going to substitute for a weak and wobbly pair of knees.

From the American Legion Magazine:

Legionnaire A. J. Dowd of Selby Post, Java, South Dakota, avers that Diogenes, while making his rounds, met a World War veteran. "What were you in the last war?" he asked. "A private," sighed the old soldier.

Diogenes blew out his lantern and went home.

When the 39th Engineers were at Camp Marcy in France, just after the Armistice, writes Dayre

William of Tabor, the men were billeted in tarpaper shacks. The barracks were numbered and so were the bunks. One night as Williams was returning to his quarters he met a soldier who had had a large evening. Asked if he needed help, the soldier said he wanted to go home. "Just put me in barn 14, stall 156," he said.

A precocious five year-old was taken to the hospital to see a new baby brother. After sizing up the new member of the household, he asked where he came from and how much he cost.

"I got him at the hospital," explained the mother, "and he cost \$300."

"Gee-mi-nee!" whistled the youngster. "No hair, no teeth, can't walk and can't talk! Boy, did you get gypped!"

This snappy come-back by a patriotic Boy Scout pleased Legionnaire William J. Richardson of Springfield (Massachusetts) Post. Some Scouts collecting scrap happened to park a truck so that it blocked a local bus.

"Hey, you kids!" shouted the bus driver, "Get that truck out of the way. I've got a lot of people here who want to get home!"

"Listen, mister," called back one of the Boy Scouts, "I've got two brothers fighting overseas. They want to get home, too."

Sug Robertson has a classified advertisement in the paper this week for a farmer.

Sug says he has a good proposition for a good man who knows the farming business but he hopes the advertisement does not get him into as much trouble as a classified advertisement in the Star Telegram got his father into during the depression. The advertisement was for a man and his wife to live on a ranch in West Texas and the first day of publication brought so many people to the hotel where his father was staying that one entire floor was filled with applicants. Mr. Robertson Sr. was accused by the telephone operator of being a bootlegger, he had so many applications that he had to sneak out the back way and he ended up by not hiring any of them. This proves the power of advertising although the story has a very sad ending.

Since the radio has taken all of the joy out of murder, war and pestilence for the daily newspapers and since the front page of a paper that is thirty minutes old relates what the radio listener

13 Million Bale Market For 1943 Says Cotton Expert

POTENTIAL MARKET SET FOR COTTON NEXT YEAR

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 4.—Forget about talk of cotton "surplus" more and better cotton must be grown in this country if the combined demands of war, industry and civilian users are to be satisfied, Dr. A. E. Cox, University of Texas cotton expert, has declared.

There is a potential market for thirteen million bales in this country next year, the University Bureau of Business Research director said. Consumption for 1941-42 amounted to 11,200,000 bales, which is five million bales more than normal.

The unprecedented consumption last year was a result of war demands, and in 1942-43, this will be supplemented by increasing civilian needs and wants. But lack of mill capacity and the fact that some mills are forced to use lower grade cotton than is required for maximum efficiency will prevent the attainment of the 13,000,000 bale goal next year, Dr. Cox declared.

In addition to requirements for cotton lint, there is a very serious shortage of vegetable oils, and cottonseed furnishes one of the

heard the night before, it seems to me that the daily papers are going to have to make their appeal to people who are interested in more sedate news than death and destruction.

With the changes that war is making and which will be more startling after the war is over, I believe the daily newspaper will have to develop more originality and depend less upon the telegraph news from the big news services that make the daily papers all over the nation look like duplicate copies, the only difference the front pages being in the name of the papers and the way the contents is arranged. It might be a good idea for the dailies to take a few lessons from the weeklies—we may not be good but at least we do not look alike although some may say we smell pretty sour.

Every American Vitally Needed For War Effort

At the present time when all types of business enterprises are in dire need of office employees, it is the duty of every capable person to begin training him or herself for such a position. Business executives are making the officer material for our armed forces and their offices must be taken over in one way or another, by those persons who may have been in their employ for several years.

Every person in the United States should be employed in some industry or enterprise by the first of the year as every American is vitally needed to do his or her part in this fight for the preservation of freedom and democracy of the American people.

One of the most practical answers to the question of preparing oneself for war work as well as civilian defense work and office positions, is a business course. Various courses along all stenographic

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Letters and packages were mailed at an increasing rate in Texas during October, the Bureau of Bus-

ness Research at the University of Texas has revealed. Postal receipts in the state were 10.6 per cent higher than they were during October, 1941, and total receipts were \$1,897,111.

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- Don't cook vegetables in large quantities of water. It boils away precious vitamins. Cook in as small an amount of water as possible.
- Don't keep gas on full after water comes to a boil. It's wasteful. As soon as water comes to a boil, turn gas down to a simmer.
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FOR SALE:—My home at 335 S 11 St. 5 rooms and bath. Approximately \$800 cash will handle—Call Carl Merrifether at 173.

FOR RENT:—4 room unfurnished house with bath at 955 West Lynn —write Earl Reasoner Rt. 2 Slaton for appointment.

WANTED:—Experienced farmer with best references wants to farm or share, 4 in family to work. Write or see W. T. Rochelle, Slaton, Route 1.

FOR SALE:—4-Room house with 3 lots, South Park addition, \$475-00. small down payment and terms to suit, see Hoffman Realty and Insurance Agency.

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WANTED:—Good proposition for experienced farmer. See or write Sug Robertson 1045 West Lubbock St. Slaton. —Phone 135 12-25

WANTED:—Automobile mechanic and helper—Crow-Harral Chevrolet Co.

FOR SALE:—Jersey cows, one registered bull, 21 months old. Ages of cows, one 6, one 4, two 2, one 3, one yearling heifer, two calves. Ernes Hornbuckle, location 4 miles south and 2 miles west of Southland. 12-25

FOR SALE: — 200 chick brooder house—C. A. Porter

FOR SALE:—Good 5 room frame house to move off lot. C. A. Porter

FOR RENT:—Modern furnished apartment at 255 S. 15th St. See Mrs. Carter Shaw at 735 West Seury. 12-25

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WANTED:—Housekeeper to care for children and do light housework. Will consider high school girl for room and board with small salary or just salary arrangement. Phone 151 or see Mrs. W. P. Layne at Layne Plumbing Co.

WANTED:—Room and board in private home. Claud Blossingame. Write or see me at Triangle Cafe after 4:30 p. m.

COOPER NEWS

Kathryn Robertson

Miss Marie Fibbs of Slide spent Monday night and Tuesday with Miss Virginia Mote.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Lee are parents of a son weighing 7lbs and 14 ozs, at 11:42 a. m. Saturday morning.

Walter Beverly, stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, reports that he likes the Army Air Corps very well.

Lieutenant Charles T. Potts, Jr. has been stationed at Camp Crowder, Neosho, Missouri, according to a letter recently received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Potts.

He received his commission recently from Fort Menmouth, New Jersey. Upon graduation he spent tend days with his parents and had been back in New Jersey only a short time when he received orders for the new assignment.

Persons participating in a sleigh ride Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mote, Wayne Mote, Marie Fibbs, Betty Robertson, Virginia Mote, Mary Helen and Royce Bruce, Max Robertson, James Bruce and Beatrice Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Meyers received a message last week that their son, Charlie, was injured in action in Africa.

Mr. E. R. Slater suffered a traumatic amputation of a finger while hitching his trailer to the car recently.

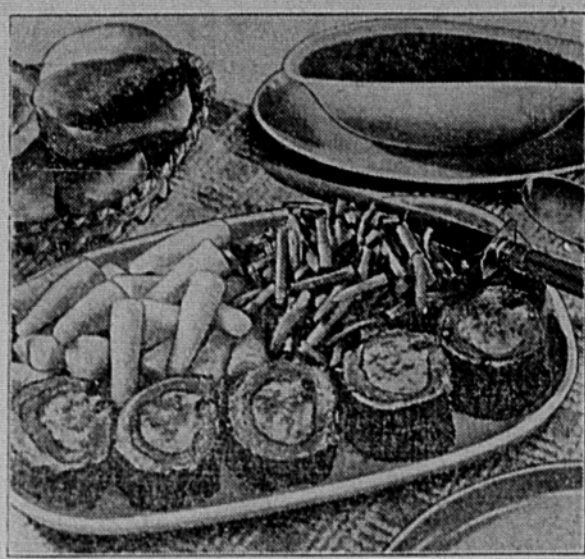
Due to the heavy snows the Cooper School was dismissed several days this week.

Mr. E. Groves of Wolforth was recently elected as high school principal. He succeeds Mr. E. F. Dawkins, who resigned to enter the employ of the O. P. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Oasie Perkins moved to the Cooper community last week.

HOW TO STRETCH THE MEAT RATION

by Dorothy Greig



WELL, girls, here's the situation: Meat kite-high in price. Meat rationed, voluntarily now, rigidly later.

Meat, some kinds, scarce.

And the problem: How to make every pound seem as bounteous as two pounds. How to keep Pa and the youngsters contented with the meat part of the meal.

It demands thought. It does indeed.

Here goes! First thought—call on rice, noodles, macaroni and bread crumbs to work their magic in stretching meat to bigger and better meat loaves, patties, and casseroles. Biscuit dough, atop a pie or as casing round a meat roll or sausage has its points, too.

But there are other extenders—and one of the best is condensed soup. A can of condensed vegetable soup, for instance, mixed with ground meat makes a larger and more nourishing stew, loaf or meat pie. Green pea soup, thick, just as it comes from the can, blended with mashed potatoes is rich filling for a meat roll—and has its flavor!

Or perhaps we just serve a hearty soup at the beginning of a meal as a substantial filler-in and builder-up. Select a soup thick with vegetables and pieces of meat. Scotch broth, oxtail, vegetable-beef, chicken, clam chowder and the like are all savory and sustaining.

In the following we have used a beautifully seasoned stuffing to plump our flank steak into a generous dish, and a rich gravy to heighten its flavor.

Baked Stuffed Flank Steak

Stuffing for Steak:
 3 tablespoons butter
 1 cup onions chopped
 4 cups lightly packed bread crumbs
 1 teaspoon salt
 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
 3 tablespoons chopped parsley
 1 egg, beaten

Cook chopped onions in butter until yellow but not brown. Then add bread crumbs (made from bread at least one day old), seasonings, chopped parsley and beaten egg. Mix well.

Put the stuffing on the flank steak and roll meat around it. Fasten meat with skewers or tie with string. Melt the fat in a pan and brown the stuffed flank steak on all sides. Place in a roasting pan or Dutch oven and pour the mock turtle soup which has been mixed with the water and heated in the pan with the steak. Cover and put into a moderate oven, 350° F. and bake 2-2 1/2 hours, basting and turning about every 45 minutes. The meat must be very well cooked and tender.

Serve "Baked Stuffed Flank Steak" on a platter and to the sauce in bottom of pan add 1 tablespoon flour mixed with 1 cup of water. Heat thoroughly and boil gently for about three minutes. Strain and serve. Serves 6 to 8.

Note: If flank steak is rather fat it may be necessary to skim off some of the fat before preparing the gravy.

Our fighting men are doing their share. Here at home the least we can do is put 10% of our income in War Bonds for our share in America.



Lucky because I just stopped one in the leg. But Smith and Weinberg and Farley... they're dead. Dead because we didn't have one more grenade to throw!

That's an American soldier speaking. Speaking your language.

He's asking for more guns to fight with. More tanks, more planes, more grenades to crack down on the enemy with.

Well, let's give them to him!

Let's loan 10% of our pay to the Government. Let's put it in War Bonds. Let's loan Uncle Sam the money to make more tools of war.

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If you are...

1. Already setting aside 10% of your pay in War Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan—boost that 10% if you can.
2. Working in a plant where the Plan is installed, but haven't signed up yet—sign up tomorrow.
3. Working in a plant where the Payroll Savings Plan hasn't been installed, talk to your union head, foreman, or plant manager—and see if it can't be installed right away. The local bank will be glad to help.
4. Unable to get in on the Payroll Savings Plan for any reason, go to your local bank. They will be glad to help you start a Plan of your own.

Movie Reporter.

Barbara Jo Allen—cast as "Vera Vague" in Republic's "Hi Neighbor," now showing at the Palace Theatre, —is probably the only Hollywood star who carries on a deliberate and consistent campaign to be homely and dim-witted.

She may be "vague" to her radio audiences, but she is pretty astute when it comes to crashing the movie game. Realizing that in a town full of glamour girls, one more was a mere drop in the ocean, Barbara skinned back her hair, donned stiff collars and antediluvian hats and created her screwball characterization of "Vera Vague."

Van Heflin, who is gaining recognition for his portrayals of two-fisted th-men, brought more realism than was necessary to a scene in "Seven Sweethearts." For the cameras, Heflin had just rung for room service in a hotel "manned" by seven glamorous girls. When Albert, the waiter, in person of blue-eyed Peggy Moran, goads him into taking more food, Heflin slams the door in her face and shouts, "If you were a real Albert I'd punch you in the nose!" A howl from Peggy ruined the scene. "I knew Mr. Heflin was a realist," she exclaimed, "but not so-o-o real!"

The door had slammed too hard and Heflin, inadvertently, had given her that threatened "bust in the nose."

RED CROSS SHIPS BOX TO ARMED FORCES

Average weekly production per unit of Southern pine mills declined 10.7 per cent during October from the same month last year, but the number of unfilled orders at the end of the month showed a 34.5 per cent increase, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research has reported.

Red Cross ship ped a box of sweaters, watch caps, scarf and gloves to the armed forces this week and five convalescent robes to the Army and Navy overseas hospital.

Donations this week were one kit bag filled by Mrs. A. M. Jackson, five by the Jr. Civic and Culture and 10 decks of cards given anonymously.

There has been an advancement in the price of the articles contained in these kit bags and it now costs \$1.20 to fill one.

Mrs. J. H. Brewer, knitting chairman, requests that everyone knitting squares for Afghans turn them in by Saturday.

Next week's chairmen are Mrs. Dick Ragsdale and Mrs. Joe West, Monday; Mrs. W. R. Lovett and Mrs. R. H. Todd Tuesday; Mrs. W. P. Florence and Mrs. Jim Elliott, Wednesday.

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Engineers Soon To Wear Dresses

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 11.—One hundred girls at the University of Texas are to be selected this month as Engineering Cadettes, to be given a year's intensive work in aeronautical engineering under the supervision of a representative of the Curtiss-Wright Corporation.

While taking their training, the Cadettes will be paid by the Corporation, and after completing the work, they will be employed in Curtiss-Wright plants.

Already approved by both the American Council on Education and the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education, the program was undertaken to provide women with technical training to replace men in aircraft plants.

The University of Texas is one of the eight colleges chosen as training centers, and is the only one of the group located in the South or Southwest.

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THE November issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine presents this simple dress, softly draped at neckline and hips. It can be made into a dinner dress by hooking in sequin-spangled net sleeves which come with it.

"Bolivia-Peru" Subject For Study Program

Mrs. J. P. Halburton was hostess to a meeting of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club at her home, 325 South 9th, Monday evening December 7.

The meeting and program was initiated with the Roll Call which was answered by each member with a Spanish word which was, when translated, an article of food.

Subject of the program of study was "Bolivia and Peru." Mrs. Max Arrants presented a talk entitled "Impressions of Bolivia." Mrs. Oree Glascock concluded with a talk on the subject, "Lima, Peru."

At the business meeting names were drawn for a gift exchange to be held at the Christmas meeting December 21st at the home of Mrs. Odie A. Hood.

A decision was made to investigate a method of helping some family on Christmas to have a happier holiday.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Levi Self, Harmon Thompson, Melvin Tudor, Lola Mae Collins, Glascock, Arrants and Misses Mary Watkins, Myrtle Teague, Mary Lee Thompson, and the hostess.

WSCS Circles Meet Monday

Circles II and III of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Charlie Walton Monday afternoon. Circle I met in the home of Mrs. L. R. Tibbs. Subject of study for all circles of the afternoon was "Facing This Hour." All circles are to meet at the home of Mrs. J. E. Eckert Monday, December 14.

James Seideman and Kirby Scudder, Jr. were in Dallas Tuesday through Saturday of last week. Both boys were sworn into the Naval Air Corps at the Dallas Recruiting Office.

Mrs. R. G. Garland and daughter Candace of Amarillo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard spent last weekend in Pampa where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Howard's brother, Sam Stinnis to Miss Elise Harbison of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Adair have returned home from Clovis where Mr. Adair underwent an appendectomy several days ago.

Miss Ruby Nell Keith, of Paducah, employed in the Santa Fe offices, spent the weekend visiting friends in Lubbock.

Miss Frances Crowther was a guest of Miss Elizabeth Goffinet and Miss Betty Henslee in Lubbock last weekend.

Miss Connie Henry spent the weekend in Lubbock where she was a guest of Miss Rixie Leverett.

Mrs. E. M. Lott underwent a tonsillectomy in the Lubbock General Hospital this week.

Mrs. Robert Hall Davis, left Saturday for Indianapolis, Indiana to stay until February with her husband who is stationed at Fort Harrison there. Mrs. Davis is the former Patsy Ayers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Ayers.

Milton Kessel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kessel, left last week for New York City where he will enter Naval Officers Training at Columbia University.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts are Mrs. J. H. Travis of Brownfield, mother of Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. C. W. Roberts of Andrews, Texas, mother of Mr. Roberts.

Mrs. P. A. Minor underwent major surgery in the Lubbock General Hospital a week ago Thursday and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Etter and daughter Carolyn have recently moved here from Sweetwater and are staying at the L. C. Odum residence temporarily.

Mrs. L. C. Odum spent two days of this week in Plainview where she visited her niece, Mrs. C. E. Williams. Mr. Williams is ill in a Plainview hospital.

Jenny Lou Garland Weds James Hill

Miss Pickle To Present Pupils In Piano Recital

Miss Mary Evelyn Pickle will present pupils in a piano recital Tuesday evening December 15, at 7:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church.

The program will be as follows: Frances Ruth Edwards, "A Journey In The Arctic," by John Thompson; "Sonatina," Carl Rienecke, Op. 136, No. 1. Joy Holloman, "Hallowe'en Night," Michael Aaron; "Sonatina," Heinrich Lichner, Op. 266, No. 1. Glynna Williams, "Bach Inventin," C Major; "Sonata," Beethoven. Mary Leonard Harral, "Sonatina," Heinrich Lichner, Op. 266, No. 1. "For Elise," Beethoven. Betty Jo Gentry, "A Merry Game and Song," by Walter Rolfe; "The Knight and The Lady" by John Thompson; "The Owl's Question" by John Thompson. Freddie England, "Sonatina," Carl Rienecke, Op. 136, No. 1; "Tango," Constance Berna; "The Jester," Franz Anton Maichelbek. Peggy Bruner, "Clown Capers" by Milo Stevens; "Away He Goes" and "Whistling Jockey" by Elizabeth Quab. Ethalyn Young, "Stepping High" and "Tony's March" by Elizabeth Quab. Kay Porter, "Arriving At The Fair" by Elizabeth Quab; "Hop Toad" by Bernice Frost. Martha Mack, "Jumping Joan" by Sarah Coleman Bragdon; "Arriving At The Fair" and "Whistling Jockey" by Elizabeth Quab. Martha Lou Loveless, "Minuet, G-Minor" and Minuet, G. Major" by Bach; "Spinning Song," Ellmenreich; "Sonatina," Fritz Spindler, Op. 157, No. 8.



MRS. FRANK W. GIANNOBULE

Miss Coston Weds SPAFS Sergeant

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Coston are announcing the betrothal of their daughter, Juanita to Staff Sergeant Frank W. Giannobule of South Plains Army Flying School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Giannobule of Des Moines, Iowa.

The ceremony took place in Lubbock, Texas, Tuesday, December 1.

The bride was attired in a gold crepe suit with accessories of luggage brown.

The couple have made their home temporarily in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Settle of Springfield, Kentucky, parents of Thomas J. Settle, arrived in Slaton Thursday and will remain here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Settle and children until after the New Year.

Ceremony Read At Parsonage On Sunday

Miss Jenny Lou Garland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Garland and James E. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill of Pampa, formerly of Slaton, were united in marriage Sunday, December 6, 1942 at 5:00 p. m. at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church with Reverend H. C. Gordon officiating with the single ring ceremony.

The bride, a graduate of Slaton High School, wore a light blue suit with rust accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Mr. Hill is employed at the Santa Fe shops and prior to his residence in Slaton for the past two years, made his home in San Angelo.

Witnessing the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Garland, parents of the bride, Miss Beatrice Garland, a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, parents of the groom and Mrs. H. C. Gordon.

The Hills reside at 155 South 6th Street.

Sewing Dates Re-Announced

The order of Eastern Star is to meet in the Red Cross Sewing Rooms the 1st and 2nd Fridays in each month in order to fill the quota they have accepted. Mattie Lee Serogins, Worthy Matron, has extended a plea to all members for their participation in the Red Cross work.

HOMEMAKERS CLASS

The Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church will have its regular business and social meeting December 17 at the home of Mrs. W. T. Driver. Each member will be expected to participate in the filling of the Christmas baskets for needy families by bringing various articles of food.

Luncheon To Be December 12

The Christmas luncheon of the Senior Civic and Culture Club will be held December 12 in the home of Mrs. H. R. McKee, 305 North 4th St. The luncheon will begin at 1:00 p. m. and mesdames C. L. Heaton and Laura Rhodes will participate in the special Christmas program.

Mrs. A. C. Lamar of Corsicana, formerly of Slaton, arrived Wednesday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. Gus Seel. Lamar son of Mrs. Lamar, who is a student at St. Edwards Military School at Austin, Texas will join his mother and grandmother here for Christmas. Mrs. Lamar has recently undergone major surgery in Dallas.

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DEAR SANTA —



Dear Santa Claus, I am a little girl 7 years old and I am in the 4th grade. I am writing to let you know what I want for Christmas. I would like to have a pair of skates, a nurses kit, and a sewing set. Also fruits, nuts, and candy. Please don't forget the other little boys and girls. Your loving friend, Betty June Deal, 255 West Panhandle, Slaton Texas.

Dear Santa, I am a little boy four years old. Please bring me a bus and a pair of house shoes and bring me some candy, fruit and nuts. Santa, don't forget my little cousin, Ophelia, who lives at Southland, and don't forget my other little cousins, please. Your little friend Lewayne Bloxam, Slaton Texas Route 2.

Dear Santa Claus, I would like a middle-size bike for Christmas if you have one—if you don't it will be o. k. also a two story doll house, a small violin, some coat hangers for my doll clothes—a doll trunk and, oh yes, I would like a new doll, sixteen inches tall, with blond curly hair. I love you, Santa, Cynthia Loveless, 905 West Garza.

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ON THE HOME FRONT

Here's a special message to the farmers, stock raisers and dairymen of the Southwest from the Office of Defense Transportation:

No farmer is to be put out of business as a result of the ODT's Certificate of War Necessity plan.

As long as the tires, spare parts and gasoline are available, the ODT will help every farmer get enough tires, spare parts and gasoline to carry on his necessary truck operations.

Any farmer who is dissatisfied with the amount of mileage and gasoline allowed in his Certificate of War Necessity for his truck or trucks should take the matter up immediately with his county agent, his county war board or his county farm transportation committee.

If the agency contacted is convinced that any farmer should have been granted more mileage and gasoline, it will recommend that a revised Certificate be issued.

This recommendation will be made to the ODT District Manager serving the county in which the farmer lives.

Farmers who have received Certificates allowing them sufficient mileage and gasoline for a limited period are urged to delay filing appeals with their county farm transportation committees until those whose Certificates contain obvious errors have been taken care of.

If a Certificate does not contain an obvious error, the farmer's OPA war price and rationing board will grant him a gasoline ration in an amount provided by the Certificate. In accepting such a ration the farmer does not forfeit his right to appeal for an Additional gasoline allowance later. Appeals may be filed at any time.

If a farmer has received a Certificate which does not allow enough gasoline to operate the mileage allowed in the Certificate or which contains other errors obvious on the face of the Certificate, the farmer should do two things.

First, he should go to his OPA war price and rationing board, present his Certificate and ask for a temporary transport ration. This ration will be granted by the OPA board, giving the farmer enough gasoline to operate until January 1.

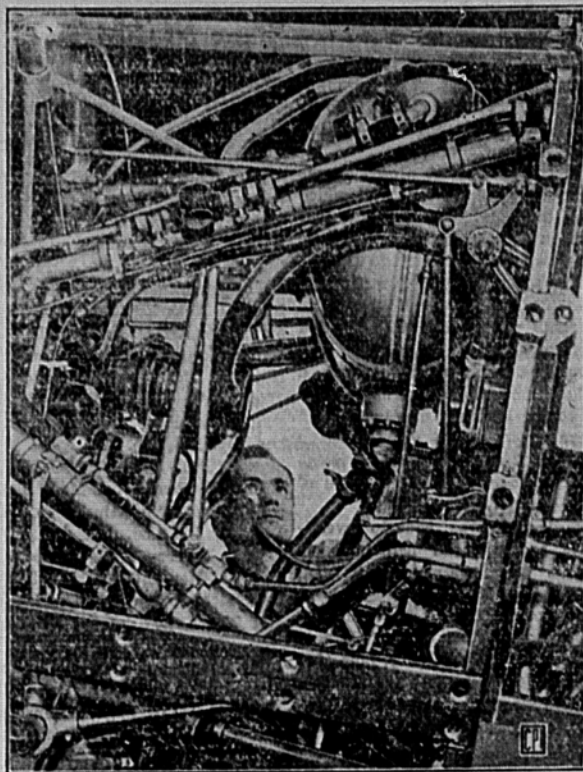
Then the farmer should take his Certificate to his county agent, county war board or county farm transportation committee and point out that an error apparently has been made. The agency then will take up the case with the proper ODT district office.

In this drive to save rubber, Southwest OPA officials have moved quickly in every instance to take care of emergency situations and to keep the wheels of transportation rolling. Truck operators, passenger car fleet operators, and non-highway users of gasoline

have been authorized to purchase gasoline on OPA's emergency form R-555, or to use any slip of paper as long as the operator signs his name, and address, his vehicle registration number, and the amount of gasoline obtained. This action was taken to care for only the operators who have not yet secured their ration books from hard-working local boards, and will be ineffectual only until they have secured their books. It never has been the purpose of OPA or any other agency to keep essential mileage users off the road. The Government is only trying to look ahead—to be sure that these same operators are still on the road a year from now, or two or three years from now. If unnecessary travel continues and trucks and cars continue to drop off the road at the clip which they have been dropping off, the Government will have failed in its duty to the people of this country of keeping vital transportation coning. Foresightedness now may save us much grief in the future.

The Government's idle tire purchase plan may prove to be the most important factor of the entire mileage rationing picture. On November 30, it was estimated that 6,250,000 passenger-type tires had been turned in and officials said that slightly more than half of these are usable in their present condition or can be made usable by repairs or recapping. The usable and repairable tires will be placed back into trade channels as soon as possible and will be rationed to consumers on the basis of essential mileage. The other tires, graded as scrap, will be ultimately converted to reclaimed rubber to augment the nation's supply of crude rubber. Many thousands of tires made from reclaimed rubber are now being stocked by dealers all over the nation in preparation for the requests for tires under the mileage rationing program. The whole program is designed to furnish tires to all, based on essential mileage. The essential mileage part of the program, of course, is guided by the gasoline rationing regulations.

IT KEEPS THEM FLYING



FEW sections of aircraft demonstrate elaborate construction so graphically as this motor and fuselage assembly of the Canadian-built Harvard, swift single-motor training craft of the Royal Canadian Air Force. An advanced trainer, the Harvard is used as the pursuit plane prototype in the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, and is one of the most popular craft of the many used during training. Harvards are built in a brand new plant, under contract from the Department of Munitions and Supply, where hundreds of workers, many of whom are women, are employed. This factory also produces the rugged, dependable all-purpose "Norseman" of Canadian design and manufacture.

At the present time, Canada is looking after a substantial part of the requirements of the Air Training Plan. It is building operational planes for the Royal Canadian Air Force, and it has accepted substantial orders for training and service

planes from England and the United States. With a current production of more than 400 planes a month, which would compare with a production of some 5,000 a month in the United States, Canada is therefore now looking after a substantial part of the requirements of the Joint Air Training Plan. To simplify and speed up the output, the manufacture of aircraft in Canada is now confined to nine types as compared with the 15 types which, at one time or another, have been in production. These are: an elementary trainer, the Fairchild Cornell; a single-engine advanced trainer, the North American Harvard; a twin-engine advanced trainer, the Canadian Anson; a twin-engine reconnaissance bomber and bombing and gunnery trainer, the Bristol Bolingbroke; a coastal reconnaissance amphibian, the PBY Catalina; a single-engine fighter, the Hurricane; a twin-engine fighter; a four-engine long-range bomber; and a navy dive bomber.

Elton lived in Coleman prior to his enlistment in the Army. Fulton "Shorty" Fletcher writes from New Guinea: "This is a sort of odd place, but the novelty soon wears off. Jungles, natives, tropical fruits—none of the commercialized stuff like one finds in Hawaii, but the real thing. Any tourist would be foolish to come out here. It is the hottest place in the world, besides having the fiercest mosquitoes. About the only recreation is taking in a native dance. They are rugged looking individuals with the rig-up they put on. The guys who make those "G-strings" for the night club "babes" would find a good market here. Some of them wear them, but the rest are nature lovers."

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Southland News

Virginia King, Correspondent

The snow Saturday night and Sunday must have helped a lot of people with the gas rationing situation as very few cars were seen in town. There were no classes at school on Monday or Tuesday and no certainty that classes would be resumed on Wednesday. Lonnie Collinsworth, Walter Kellum, and J. D. Hord who lives at Lubbock, attended the Mason's Grand Lodge at Waco Thursday through Saturday of last week. W. R. Craft met them in Post and went with them as far as Sweetwater, where he visited his son, Dick Craft and family.

Mrs. Ted King received from Washington, D. C. Sunday, her release and also the appointment of Mrs. Flora Truelock, as her successor.

Mrs. Walter Wilke and son, Marlos visited in the Walter Kellum home Friday of last week. The infant, Marlos' name is a combination of Marcus and Carlos, his paternal and maternal uncles.

Mrs. C. W. Gary found her husband's lost purse, and also the four twenty dollar bills.

Mickey Ward and her mother of Slaton, were guests in the L. L. Harlow home last week. It is not learned whether or not the weather will postpone the Harlow's moving date originally set for next Saturday.

The Gene Draper's moved Thursday to Slaton where Mr. Draper is employed.

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day to Slaton where Mr. Draper is employed. Paul Moore, who was ten years old last Thursday and Mary Frances King, who was nine on Monday, had made plans to have a joint birthday celebration, but due to the distance of two miles of deep snow separating the two residences, Mary Frances celebrated alone. Elton B. Carter, son of Mrs. G. L. Anderson, has been in a hospital in Pittsburg, California for a month and as yet Mrs. Anderson has not learned the cause of the se-

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Slaton merchants have been preparing for months for just the conditions that have arrived and most all of them have more to show in better quality gift items as well as everyday needs and it is now better to shop at home and get more attractive prices and better selection than you can elsewhere.

Check over the names of the merchants who are sponsoring this publicity and give them an opportunity to show you how well they can supply you with the things you want or need. These business firms and merchants have many items that are not on the market at the present time and will not be until the war has ended and those who wish to make

worth while Christmas gifts should make purchases now.

The farmers of this section are especially welcome in Slaton at the stores and business institutions whose names appear on this page. The merchandise that the farmers of this part of West Texas need has been carefully selected by the business men of Slaton and they can take better care of their wants in many lines such as tractor parts, men, women and childrens clothing, high quality mattresses, photographs, flowers, food needs and hardware of all kinds. The best workmanship in welding and the best grain market in the state are right here in Slaton where poultry and live stock feeds are prepared according to scientific formulas.

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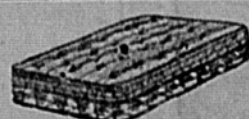
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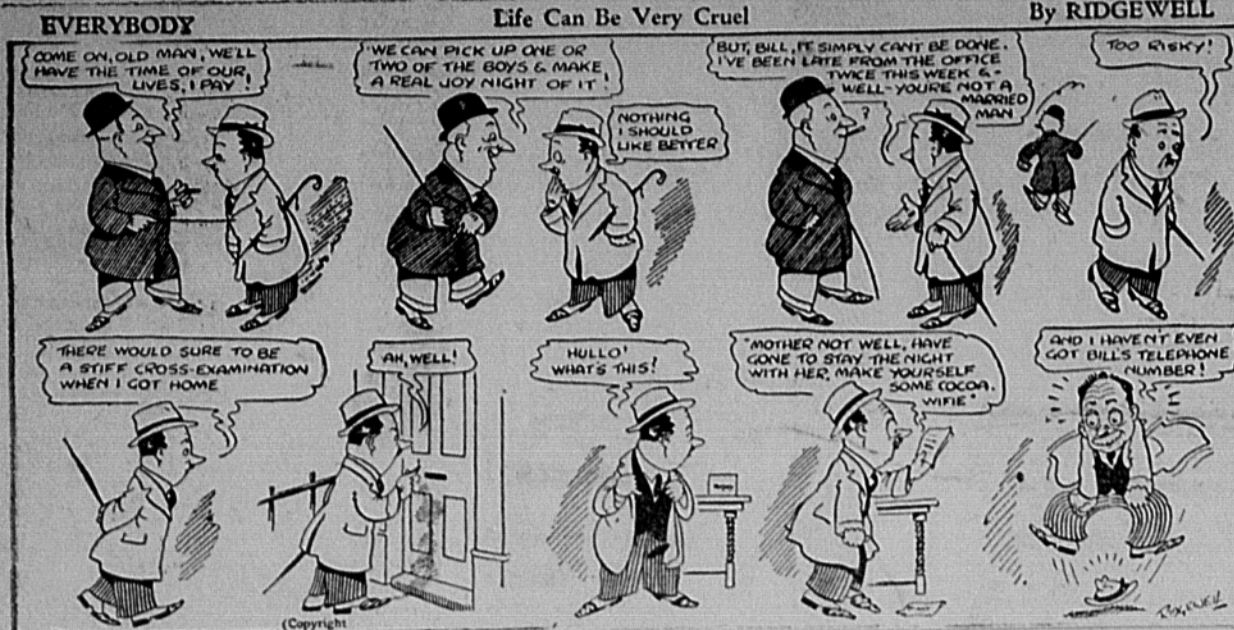
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MEN IN SERVICE
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two other sons in the service. George Lott is stationed at the Naval Air Base at Corpus Christi, Texas and Leonard Lott, is located at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.

Rodney McReynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McReynolds, who is stationed with the United States Navy at Chapel Hill, North Carolina, has recently received a promotion from Storekeeper, 3rd class to Storekeeper 2nd class. Rodney has been in the Navy since January 1, 1942 and was located at various Naval Stations in the East before being sent to the Naval Pre-Flight School at the University of North Carolina. Rodney has been granted a 14 day furlough and should arrive in Slaton around December 21. The McReynolds family are anticipating a merry holiday season.

Mrs. Jim Lamb says she had the thrill of her life last Monday when her son Wayne Lamb walked into their home on West Panhandle St. Wayne is in the navy and his mother had not heard from him in several weeks. Wayne reports that he has been serving on an airplane carrier and had seen some real action on his voyages to Africa.

When he joined the Navy he weighed 178 pounds, he now registers 205 pounds. He expects to be here for several days before returning to his ship.

W. T. Ward of Slaton has been promoted to the grade of private first class, it was announced today by Col. Norman B. Olsen, commanding officer of South Plains Army Flying School. "Home of the Winged Commandos."

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward, 515 West Lynn, Slaton.

John W. Grabber, Jr., of Slaton has been promoted to the grade of private first class, it was announced today by Col. Norman B. Olsen, commanding officer of South Plains Army Flying School. He is the son of William Grabber of near Slaton.

Grabber is a member of the SPAPS post band. He is a former

War Conditions Bring Increase Of Tuberculosis

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 4.—Emphasizing the importance of cooperating with the national tuberculosis control program, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today declared that war more than any other circumstance breeds the adverse conditions conducive to an increase in the prevalence of this disease.

"The history of tuberculosis throughout the world shows clearly that war brings an increase of this disease in its wake," Dr. Cox declared. "Exposure, malnutrition, fatigue, and physical hardships make it easy for tuberculosis to strike."

While war conditions in the United States do not at present approach those in Europe, Dr. Cox said that serious thought should be given to the fact that tuberculosis deaths in England and Wales increased 12 per cent between 1939 and 1941.

Dr. Cox outlined the symptoms of tuberculosis as ordinarily being fatigue, poor appetite, digestive disturbances, loss of weight, afternoon or night fever, lingering cough, pleurisy, hemorrhage, night sweats, and anemia. If any one of these symptoms persist, Dr. Cox warned that a physician should be consulted immediately and an examination given to determine whether or not tuberculosis is present. If this disease is diagnosed in its earliest stages Dr. Cox said that a great percentage of the cases can be cured.

TAHOKA MAN DIES HERE

Funeral services for E. C. Wilke who died at the Mercy Hospital here last Tuesday morning from gun shot wounds, had not been completed late Thursday as some of his near relatives had not arrived. Mr. Wilke was 67 years of age at the time of his death and had lived in Tahoka for the past 12 years.

shorts— (Not the underwear kind). Had is the past tense of money. A psychiatrist says the unmarried are considerably more likely to go crazy. Go crazy and get married, eh, doc?

member of the Slaton High School and Texas Tech bands.

Ensign R. E. Ayers has been transferred from the Navy Air Field at Corpus Christi, Texas to Kingsville, Texas, where he is in charge of the Engineering Department of A & R Field.

Dairymen To Be Helped

(Editor's Note: This is the 7th article of a series, published to help livestock producers in the "Food for Freedom" campaign.)

Through efficient use of their larger supplies of home-grown protein concentrates, dairymen in the Cotton Belt will have an opportunity to expand further their total milk production in 1943, the outlook report of the United States Department of Agriculture shows.

"The upward trend in milk production in the South Atlantic and South Central States is expected to continue. Feed grain supplies in October 1 were about the same as on October 1, 1941. However, larger supplies of cottonseed meal will be available in addition to a record large supply of peanut cake and meal," the Department's "Dairy Situation" states.

With the report stressing "materially larger" military and lend-lease requirements for milk and dairy products, the heavy responsibility upon Cotton Belt dairymen in the war effort is obvious. Dairy leaders throughout the region are emphasizing the necessity of well-balanced rations, many of them pointing out that most dairy rations do not contain adequate amounts of protein for maximum milk production. Protein, it has been pointed out, is the one and only element in feed that stimulates milk production.

Practical mixtures, containing adequate amounts of protein, are easy to prepare in the Cotton Belt through use of cottonseed

meal or peanut meal, or a combination of both. In all dairy feeding, it is essential that the mixture fed be selected to supplement the available roughage, and that each

cow be fed according to her individual production.

LOW-PROTEIN ROUGHAGES (silage, grain sorghum or sweet sorghum fodder or hay, cottonseed hulls, Johnson, Bermuda and other grass hays) are the most common roughages in the Cotton Belt. A practical mixture to supplement the roughages, or for cows on dry grass, is: 200 pounds of ear corn chops or grain sorghum head chops; 100 pounds of ground oats or wheat bran; 200 pounds of cottonseed meal or peanut meal; 10 pounds of ground limestone or oyster shell flour; and 5 pounds of salt. Jerseys and Guernseys require 3 1-2 pounds, and Holsteins 3 pounds, per gallon of milk.

HIGH-PROTEIN ROUGHAGES (Alfalfa and other legume hays) are adequately supplemented by this mixture: 500 pounds of ear corn chops or grain sorghum head chops; 300 pounds of ground oats or wheat bran; 200 pounds of cottonseed meal or peanut meal; 10 pounds of steamed bone meal; and 10 pounds of salt. Feed Jerseys or Guernseys 3 pounds of the mixture per gallon of milk produced, and Holsteins 2 1-4 pounds per gallon of milk.

MEDIUM-PROTEIN ROUGHAGES (combinations of silage, Johnson grass hay, cottonseed hulls or other low-protein roughage with legume hays) call for such a mixture as this: 400 pounds of corn meal, ground wheat or barley, or sorghum grain chops; 300 pounds of cottonseed meal or peanut meal; 200 pounds of wheat

bran; 100 pounds of ground oats; 10 pounds of ground limestone or oyster shell flour; and 5 pounds of salt. Jerseys and Guernseys require 3 1-2 pounds, and Holsteins 3 pounds, per gallon of milk.

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