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ARISTOCRATS OF SECTION'S LIVESTOCK IN LOCAL SHOW

LIGHT VOTES RECORDED IN TWO CITY ELECTIONS

In the Slaton Independent School Trustee election, held last Saturday, 116 votes were recorded, with H. T. Swanner, C. E. Lilley and G. G. Green receiving the largest number of votes, placing them in the three places to be filled. Mr. Swanner received 95 votes, Mr. Lilley 75 votes and Mr. Green 78 votes.

The new School Trustees have been installed, as have the new City Commissioners.

WAAC Recruiting Chairman, Local Paper Praised

LUBBOCK, (Special).—Mrs. W. B. Price, Lubbock, County Chairman for WAAC Recruiting, and the Slatonite were praised today by Lieut. Col. Marvin B. Durrette, commanding officer of the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, for work done during the past three months in recruiting for the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

"Without the splendid help of our County Chairmen, newspapers and other civilian workers, the WAAC Recruiting Drive for the quarter just concluded, would have been a dismal failure," Col. Durrette stated.

New quotas are soon to be announced for the months of April, May and June, Col. Durrette said, and it has already been indicated that hundreds more capable women are needed from this district for the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. Women interested in joining the WAAC were asked to contact either their County Chairmen, nearest U. S. Army Sub-Station, or visit the Headquarters Office of the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District in Lubbock.

Col. Durrette reminded West Texans that the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps is open to all women between the ages of twenty-one and forty-four, inclusive, who are citizens of the United States by birth or naturalization, and have no dependents or children under 14 years of age.

Job Printing Neatly Done.

SLATON TO DO SHARE IN 2ND NATIONAL WAR BOND DRIVE

In a special called meeting held last night at the City Hall, plans were to be discussed and committees formed to co-operate with the Lubbock County War Finance Committee to raise the Lubbock County quota of \$3,700,000.00 in the month of April for the 2nd War Loan Drive.

William Sewell was appointed as the Slaton Captain of the War Finance Committee which is an organization formed for the purpose of promoting the sale of War Bonds during the Second Drive, and is working in conjunction with the War Bond Committee and the Victory Committee.

Slaton's part of the Lubbock County Quota of War Bonds to be sold this month, is \$200,000.00 and will include sale of War Bonds of every denomination and of all the series that are on the market.

"We expect to reach investors who have the means to purchase bonds in large denominations and to get every man, woman and child in Slaton to increase their present holdings of Bonds or Stamps. We have not failed to come up to expectations yet, and there is no

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Boy Scouts Plan Court Of Honor

The Boy Scouts of Slaton are planning a Court of Honor, to be held at their home in the Park, near the Club House, beginning at 8 p. m., April 22. The Scouts cordially invite everyone who is interested in them to come out and see what they are doing. The ceremony will be short, but very interesting.

Cubs To Meet Monday

Pack 28, Cub Scouts, will hold their regular monthly Pack meeting Monday night, at 8 o'clock, at the High School Auditorium. A number of awards are to be made and candles lighted. A short program has been planned, and all parents and friends of Cubs are urged to be present.

Six Ministers To Lecture Here

Using six preachers from neighboring towns, the Church of Christ begins a Bible Lectureship Sunday, April 11, with Thos. F. Shropshire of Post preaching the first sermon at 11:00 a. m., on the subject of "Congregational Co-operation." At 8:30 p. m. the audience will hear Garnie Atkisson of Tahoka, speak on, "The Spirit of Christ in Christians."

"Although this meeting is intended primarily for the members of the local church, this does not mean that we will not welcome the attendance of visitors or appreciate their presence, for we wish to extend to the entire town and community a cordial invitation to be with us at any and all of these services," says J. Luryl Nisbett, minister.

Special attention is called to the service of Monday evening, when G. C. Brewer, Minister of the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, will speak on the subject of "Marriage and Divorce." Mr. Brewer, an outstanding evangelist and author of religious books, has studied and lectured extensively on this subject and the public is urged to hear this sermon.

The meeting is to continue through Friday, with lectures each evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Monday evening: "Marriage and Divorce," G. C. Brewer, Lubbock. (Continued on Page 6)

Johns Dairy Makes Changes

Due to wartime conditions, such as shortage of labor and supplies, the Johns Dairy will discontinue the bottling and selling of raw milk May 1st, but will deliver their milk to Lubbock and will distribute Borden's Pasteurized Whole Milk, Borden's Homogenized Milk, Cream and Cottage Cheese to both the local wholesale and retail markets.

Mr. Johns stated that he has no intention of quitting business, but intends to continue to serve his customers in this territory and will operate under all Grade A restrictions.

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Awards Totaling \$146 Go To Best

Weather permitting, the Second Annual Lubbock County Calf, Hog and Lamb Show, that is scheduled to be held tomorrow, on the East Side of the Square, promises to be the stellar livestock exhibition of West Texas for 1943, as no other livestock show is scheduled in this County or any of the nearby territory.

Under the sponsorship of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce and under the supervision of A. C. Strickland, Agricultural Instructor at the Slaton schools, and directed by the F. F. A. Boys of Lubbock County and of the Wilson community, and with the co-operation of the 4-H Club Members, the best calves, hogs and lambs of the State are expected to be on display here.

W. A. Mowery of Lubbock, who is considered one of the best informed Livestock Judges in the Southwest, will be the Judge and the following F. F. A. members will be the officials of the show: Show Superintendent, Henry Payton; Show Secretary, Kenneth

Lilley; Superintendent of Hogs, Jack Greenfield; Superintendent of Sheep, John Brown; Superintendent of Calves, Milton Jochetz.

The show will start as soon tomorrow afternoon as possible, the judging to begin at 1:30 p. m. Any FFA or 4-H Club member may enter as many animals as he wishes. Prizes will be awarded amounting to \$146.00 in Cash and War Bonds with \$25.00 in War Bonds being given by the Kiwanis Club of Lubbock. Ribbons for first to fifth places will also be awarded.

No charges will be made for attendance and the public is invited. Pens will be provided for the animals and those who expect to show are requested to have their animals on the ground by ten a. m. Saturday.

"Whether you are an expert on fine animals or not, you will enjoy seeing how they are judged," says Mr. Strickland, who has been devoting most of his spare time for the past 2 months to the Lubbock County Calf, Hog and Lamb Show.



ABOUT SLATON

Women in the Service

CEDAR FALLS, Ia., April 2.—Dorothy Del Oats, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Oats, Rural Route 2, Slaton, Texas, was included in a class of 1,029 WAVES graduated from a five-week indoctrination course at the Naval Training School, Women's Reserve, on the campus of Iowa State Teachers College here today.

While here she was given a series of aptitude tests to determine where she can best serve in Uncle Sam's Navy. She will now be assigned to a school to learn a Navy trade, such as radio operator, link trainer operator, aviation metal-smith, parachute rigger, radio control tower operator, and photographer.

The general indoctrination course here consists of classes in naval customs and procedure, drill, physical training, medical examinations, and testing for future work in the Navy.

FORT DE MOINES, Ia.—Fannie E. Castleberry, of 405 W. Garza St., Slaton, Texas, was a member of the unit leaving the First Women's Army Auxiliary Corps Training Center here recently for service at Ft. Riley, Kan.

While at Fort Des Moines she received military training, preparing her to release a trained combat soldier from behind-the-lines work. Members of the unit will replace soldiers at such jobs as post-exchange workers, postal clerks, stenographers, switchboard operators, drivers of light motor trucks, chauffeurs, dispatchers, bookkeepers and typists.

for his basic training.

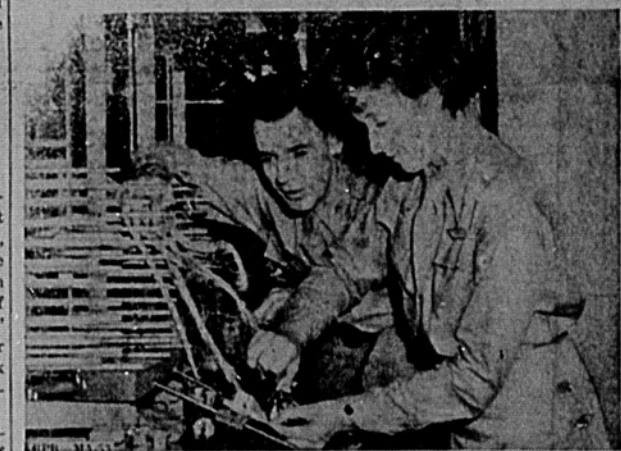
Edwin P. Boyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dugan Boyle, of Route 2, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal at the Lubbock Army Flying School, where he has been stationed since his enlistment last September. He is one of the airplane mechanics who help "keep 'em flying" at the big twin-engine school.

Cpl. Boyle was a farmer in civilian life. He and his wife are residing at 1026 Seventh street.

South Plains Army Flying School, April 3.—West Texas will soon have the only glider school in the nation, it became known this week.

South Plains Army Flying School, known as the "Home of the Winged Commandos," has been designated to continue the training of men in Uncle Sam's giant cargo and troop-carrying gliders. (Continued on Page 6)

She'll Replace a Fighting Man



The WAAC auxiliary shown above is receiving instruction in wire-testing from a Signal Corps officer. When she has completed her training, she will take her place with the Army, prepared to relieve some soldier for front line communications duty. WAACs are trained in many specialties, so that job-bound soldiers may be released for combat work.

FOOD PRODUCTION COURSES OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

A series of Food Production Courses that started Monday, March 29th, will be continued through next week. The Courses are on growing, processing and canning vegetables and are being held daily at the East Ward, the West Ward and at the High School. The classes meet from 9 a. m. until 11 a. m. at the West Ward, from 2 to 4 p. m. at the East Ward and from 4:00 p. m. until 6 p. m. at the High School. The classes are being instructed by Mrs. Shaw, the County Demonstration Agent, and are a part of the Government program to produce more food.

The classes are open to anyone interested in these subjects and those who did not start at the beginning may start next Monday. Excellent attendance has been shown in every meeting held, but many more can be accommodated.

BIVOUC TO BE HELD

Plans to have an overnight Bivouac at the Slaton Club House Park grounds Saturday night, April 17, are being arranged, when Texas Defense Guard Company C of Slaton and Company F or Tahoka will meet and go through all of the activities that would be necessary under regulation activities of this kind should these Companies be called upon to serve.

Demand For Macha Storm Proof Cotton Seed Exceeds Supply

H. A. Macha, originator of the Macha storm proof cotton that has been attracting so much attention in this section for the past two seasons, reports that he has sold out his entire output of seed for this season and is receiving requests for more seed every day.

This is the fourth year that the Macha storm proof cotton has been on the market and each year Mr. Macha has increased his production of seed cotton and each year the demand has been greater than the supply. The idea for such a cotton came to Mr. Macha in 1926 when cotton all over the South Plains opened at one time and much of it ruined before it could be gathered, due to a shortage of boll pullers. Mr. Macha constructed a sled and saved a large part of his cotton, while many of his neighbors had theirs ruined by hail and rain.

The next year he set out in search for bolls of cotton that held the cotton tight and found a few in his field that had the qualities he was in search of. By care-

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Baptist Church To Hold Revival



REV. C. J. McCARTY

The First Baptist Church will begin a series of Revival Services Sunday, April 18, and continue through May 2.

Rev. C. J. McCarty, Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Lubbock, will do the preaching. He is a fine preacher of The Word, and his timely messages will be greatly enjoyed.

The week day services will be held at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday services, 10:50 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.



WELCOME



LUBBOCK COUNTY 2nd Annual

CALF, HOG & LAMB

SHOW!



**Tomorrow, Sat., April 10
SLATON, TEXAS**

ON SHOW GROUNDS ON EAST SIDE OF THE SQUARE. COME AND ENCOURAGE THE F. F. A. BOYS AND 4-H CLUB MEMBERS WHO WILL DISPLAY THEIR ANIMALS--SEE THE BEST LIVESTOCK ON THE SOUTH PLAINS AND SHOP IN SLATON WHERE FEATURE VALUES WILL BE AVAILABLE.



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**AT
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WHEN YOU VISIT SLATON---**

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Marriott Electric Shop
Bain Bros. Oil Co.
Texas Grocery
L. C. Alvarez Radio Shop
Beulah's Beauty Shop
Loyd Tucker Service Station
Model Grocery & Market
Martin's Jewelry
Slaton Motor Co.

Heinrich Bros.
Citizen's State Bank
Palace Barber Shop
J. H. Brewer Insurance Agency
O. D. McClintock, Furniture
Alford, Grocery, 215 So. 4th
Guy B. Ely Service Station
Layne Plumbing & Electric
Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.

Evans Cleaning Plant
Crow-Harral Chevrolet Co.
Red Arrow Cafe
A. L. Brannon, Implements
Brasfield Plumbing Co.
Farmers Supply & Frozen Food Lockers
Union Compress & Warehouse Co.
Bostick's Helpy-Selfy Laundry
Payne's Ready-to-Wear
Rosewood Beauty Shop

WHAT THEY SAY



We would be glad to hear from you, Too!

"Slaton, Texas, April 3, 1943.
Dear Editor:
I would like to make an answer to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Zimmerman's letter on 'non-patriotic haircuts' at our educational institutions. At the beginning, let me say that I am completely impartial, since I neither know those involved nor am I enrolled here, having graduated several years ago.

"I might ask if their letter wasn't a direct contradiction to their aim. If everyone were to dedicate their time to such petty 'offenses' the country would, in all probability, starve and suffer from lack of patriotism. Shall we give up American traditions for one complaint? I recall no case in which a person suffered permanent handicap from having their hair 'sabotaged'. All I can say is if a

G. I. haircut is good enough for the army, it is good enough for me. "If the editor approves, I would like to have this published in direct reply to Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman's letter, for in a democracy there is always two sides to any question, regardless of its significance.

Yours truly,
"A person who still has a sense of humor."
Signed: Kenneth Tanner, 355 South 9th, Slaton, Texas."

George Dubose, linesman, of Slaton, and Robert (Chuck) Green, chairman, of San Angelo are now employed by the Santa Fe.

Have your prescriptions filled at TEAGUE'S DRUG STORE by a registered pharmacist.

WOMEN AT WAR

Mom

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

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

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

"Hey, Pop! It's from brother!" Small Joe was pulling the envelope apart and diving into the contents.

"Hey, look what he sent me." He passed over an oblong of thick, crinkly paper while he leaned over the sheet of writing-paper.

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

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

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

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

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

"Well, can't let our soldier boy beat us to buying War Bonds, can we, old lady?" was all he said.

She shook her head again. "I guess if he can give up his job and go off to war I can do some fighting back at home," she said in a queer voice. Small Joe looked up at her in surprise. She saw him looking at her and spoke sharply. "Well, Joe, we're about ready to eat. Say grace."

Small Joe folded his hands and bent his head as he had been taught. "Oh Lord, we thank thee for this food and all thy bountiful gifts . . . Amen," Pop said.

"Amen," Mom said. "Now eat your good sausages."

(Story from an actual report in the files of the Treasury Department.)

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

More Grain To Be Needed

COLLEGE STATION, April 5.—Texas farmers were asked this week to plan for maximum production of all feed grain crops during 1943.

Citing increases in cattle, sheep, hogs and chickens throughout the state for 1943, B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, declared this week that it would take maximum production of all grain crops to see them through this

American People Face Acid Test in Treasury's 2nd War Loan To Raise 13 Billion Dollars in Three Weeks

The Nation Dare Not Fail in This Greatest Financing Task in History—"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Washington, D. C.—Coming as it does upon the heels of income tax payments, the people of America will face an acid test this month when the Treasury's Second War Loan drive opens April 12 with an objective of thirteen billion dollars to be raised through sale of Government securities.

A substantial part of this huge financing, the most stupendous ever undertaken by any government in the world's history, must be loaned by people in ordinary walks of life.

High Government officials have pointed out that the nation must not fall in this duty to our men on the battle fronts who are now carrying the offensive to the enemy at every stage. It is obvious to every thinking man and woman that as the United Nations take this offensive against the dictators, the cost of war operations increases in proportion.

The American people must no longer think of war costs in terms of equipping a soldier, building a tank or plane or a ship. We must now think in terms of the cost of battles, invasions and new offensives. Attacking armies cost more money than equipping that army and we must meet that increased cost by buying more War Bonds and Second War Loan Securities.

They Give Their Lives.

It is not only necessary that the American people left here at home assume this additional participation in the war effort—it is an honor to do so . . . for we here at home can do no less than attempt to approach the sacrifices of our brave men out on the fighting fronts to whom the last great measure of sacrifice is but a daily offering. They give their lives . . . we are asked only to lend our money.

And that is the theme of the Second War Loan, "They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Financial experts who know monetary conditions in the nation point out that at the present time there is in liquid funds, cash and commercial bank deposits over and above taxes and present investment in Government Bonds, and over and

above what can be bought this year because of restrictions and rationing . . . approximately 40 billions of dollars which should go into Government Bonds.

Every dollar of these forty billions of dollars available, which is not invested in Government securities during this War Loan Drive, a "wild" dollar which, together with its mates, will tend to increase inflation. Uncontrolled inflation might raise the cost of living to a point where the dollar is worthless. It can happen. It happened in Germany after the last war when the price of a loaf of bread cost more than an annual wage.

Invested in Government securities, your dollar will work for you. It will hold down inflation because it is harnessed in war work; it will help buy food, transportation, munitions for our boys on the front lines and it will earn interest that, together with your original loan, will come back to you later to help you buy the things you cannot buy today . . . to insure your peace of future.

Remember those boys out there . . . in Tunisia . . . in the South Pacific . . . They give their lives—You lend your money.

we are going to need enormous amounts of feed grains this year," he said.

According to state statistics, producers had a total of 7,518,000 head of cattle on hand Jan. 1, 1943, compared to 7,444,000 head at the same time in 1942 while the ten year average from 1932-41 indicates only 7,272,000 head.

He pointed out that on Jan. 1, 1943, Texas producers had a total of 10,677,000 sheep compared to 10,552,000 on Jan. 1, 1942. From 1931-41 producers stocked only 8,162,000 head.

Indicating the increase in hogs, the chairman explained that this year's total was approximately 2,655,000 head compared to 2,042,000 last year and that the average during the past 10 years was only 1,835,000 head. The biggest increase for Texas shows in production of chickens, according to statistics. Last year, a total of 31,681,000 chickens were shown while the tabulation of Jan. 1, 1943, indicates a total of 36,975,000 head. During the last 10 years, the average was 25,624,000.

"We now have 812,000 more cattle, hogs and sheep and over five million more chickens than we had during 1942 and for these reasons

THIS WEEK'S LESSON.

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 11.

The Golden Text is: "God be merciful unto us, and bless us; and cause his face to shine upon us; that thy way may be known upon the earth, thy saving health among all nations." (Psalms 67:1,2).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And ye shall serve the Lord your God, and He shall bless thy bread, and thy water; and I will take sickness away from the midst of thee. (Exodus 23:25).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Sci-

ence and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Sickness, sin, and death, being inharmonious, do not originate in God or belong to His government. His law, rightly understood, destroys them" (page 472).

ENVELOPES WINDOW at the Slatonite

To Relieve Misery of COLDS take 666

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The New PALACE OF EATS CAFE, even with war time restrictions, is becoming the most popular place in Slaton to eat.

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Come Tomorrow to the Lubbock County CALF, HOG AND LAMB SHOW

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GET YOUR FARM IN THE FIGHT!

USE CONSERVATION METHODS FOR BIGGER YIELDS Now!

More FOODS The Pople of This Section Can Do Much to Help Win the War by Raising

ELECTRIC APPLIANCES

for Food Preservation, such as Electric Refrigerators, Frozen Lockers and Electric Cookers, as much as possible, as

ELECTRICITY IS PLENTIFUL

Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

ON THE HOME FRONT

As the first week of meat rationing draw to a close, complaints about "excess" stocks of meat were coming in from many different points in the region. After several weeks of staring at barren counters, housewives and butchers again began to feel that we are still in beautiful America, although the country is at war.

There were evidences that many types of meat were moving slowly, some markets reporting that they were fearful that stocks would spoil. Only advice that the Office of Price Administration could offer was to the effect that consumers should spend their points regularly and should not wait until end of the month. This way the supply of meat in the butcher's counter will be moving regularly and will stay fresher.

OPA spokesmen were quick to

point out that rationing books do not produce meat—they merely insure equal distribution of the supply available. It may be well to remember, they pointed out, that stocks may decline again in the future, because the Federal government's set-aside order has been suspended for two weeks in order to move a supply of meat into markets.

Again here is how the red stamps in War Ration Book are to be used:

A stamps, worth 16 points, became valid on March 29 and expire April 30.

B stamps, worth 16 points, became valid on April 4 and expire April 30.

C stamps, worth 16 points, became valid April 11 and expire April 30.

D stamps, worth 16 points, become valid April 18 and expire April 30.

E stamps, worth 16 points, become valid April 25 and expire at a date yet to be announced.

It should be remembered that

the red stamps are also used for edible fats and oil (including butter), cheese and canned fish.

Everyone should know by now that civilians may expect less meat this year than they ate last year. Rationing has been instituted to assure that each American gets what he needs out of our reduced civilian supplies, but it will be difficult to guarantee adequate diets unless black markets are suppressed. For black markets not only deprive the average citizen of his fair share, they cut sharply into the utilization of extremely valuable parts of carcasses.

The War Department on March 31 stopped the discharging of men over 38 years old. Hereafter, such individuals will be transferred to an inactive status in the enlisted reserve corps, subject to the following conditions:

The man must request transfer to an inactive status to enter an essential industry, including agriculture, and accompany his request by a statement from the War Manpower Commission to the effect that his release is desired. The man will be recalled to active duty upon request of the War Manpower Commission.

Maternity care for wives of service men and care for their infants will be available shortly for those who apply to State Health Departments, according to Katherine F. Lenroot, Chief of the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor. Following appropriation by Congress of \$1,200,000 to meet estimated needs to July, plans are being rushed to extend such aid to women in the 48 states, Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

Maximum prices for all retail cuts of pork went into effect throughout the U. S. April 1, and the OPA will issue, in the immediate future, similar schedules of maximum retail prices for beef, lamb, mutton, and veal. Price Administrator Brown regards the action as a major blow against the black market in meats and a step

toward simplifying retail food pricing.

Tire dealers or persons selling or servicing farm equipment are now entitled to keep on hand a maximum of six rear-wheel tractor tires. Dealers who have the replenishment portions (part B) of rationing certificates calling for truck tires may restock with tires suitable for farm equipment instead.

School bus operators who did not receive revised Certificates of War Necessity before April 1 may obtain supplemental gasoline allowances if necessary. ODT has announced. An appeal form may be obtained from the nearest ODT district office.

Since the outbreak of war, the U. S. Public Health Service has given X-ray examinations for tuberculosis to nearly a quarter of a million people. Slightly more than one in every 100 persons examined have significant tuberculosis of the lungs. From 55 to 60 percent of the cases are in the early stage most amenable to treatment, usually without sanatorium care. From 35 to 45 percent of the cases discovered are moderately advanced, and only three to four percent far advanced.

Movie Reporter.

America's favorite screen family is back again at the Palace for preview Saturday night, Sunday and Monday. The James K. Harveys and their irrepresible son, Andrew, rollick through another hilarious adventure in the newest picture of the popular series, "Andy Hardy's Double Life."

Andy, otherwise known as Mickey Rooney, is back with a brand new girl and a firm determination to launch his college career. Esther Williams is the choice for Andy's newest romance. She starred in Billy Rose's San Francisco Aquacade in 1940. In the same year she won the national one hundred yard free style wom-

an's swimming championship. In making her film debut with the Harveys, Miss Williams wins the most coveted feminine role Hollywood has to offer. She follows in the footsteps of such screen personalities as Lana Turner, Kathryn Grayson, Judy Garland, Donna Reed and Patricia Dane, girls who made a short-cut to stardom through this series.

Twenty babies kept Robert Taylor in a dither, when he had to take care of them in scenes in "Stand By For Action," showing at the Palace Theatre Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. They played babies rescued at sea by the destroyer Taylor was an officer on... Charles Laughton drew a round of applause when he played his first scene... a stirring speech recommissioning an old Navy destroyer... It was his first appearance at M-G-M since "Mutiny on the Bounty".

So you want to be a movie actor? Well, hearken to this! Many directors insist on using imported quinine water instead of soda pop because the fizz registers much better on film.

Jerry Colonna and his zany sidekick, Vera Vague, had to drink three bottles of the bitter stuff each for one scene in Paramount's "Priorities on Parade," showing at the Palace Theatre today and tomorrow, with Ann Miller, Betty Rhodes and Johnnie Johnston in the cast.

The quinine water used in the picture as a substitute for soda had to be brought 6,000 miles from England.

Union News

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Rev. Todd filled his usual first Sunday at the Union Methodist Church. The Revival meeting will start Wednesday night, April 7, with Rev. Berry Baker doing the preaching. Everyone is cordially invited to come.

Mr. Fielding and Mr. E. A. Robertson were elected Trustees for the Cooper High School District Saturday.

Most all the Cooper High School pupils played hokey on April Fool, while the few remaining pupils played numerous games all day.

Mrs. M. D. Gamble, George and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble visited the Aliens this week end.

Miss Mildred Payton was transferred from Lubbock Army Flying School at Lubbock, to Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson visited his mother, Mrs. T. L. Peterson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Stacy and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Stephenson, Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Gamble received word of the arrival of a granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Sunday. Mother and baby were doing nicely. The baby was named Charlotte Beth. Mrs. Allen will be remembered as Christine Gamble. Mr. and Mrs. Brown Montgom-

ery visited her mother, Mrs. T. L. Peterson Sunday.

Mrs. B. B. Jones was unable to attend church Sunday because of the illness of her daughter, Tommy Ruth.

Mrs. D. J. Speed is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. M. D. Gamble. Those visiting there Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robertson and daughters, Katherine and Betty Marie, Dick Cade, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Prasley and son, Don, and Mr. D. J. Speed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Prasley and son, Don, visited his mother, Mrs. S. J. Prasley, Sunday.

Everyone is enjoying the spring weather we are having. Most everyone is planting a victory garden and flowers.

The community is enjoying the progress of the Union Store, which has just been remodeled. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Davis own and operate this store. They have a first class grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hampton of Clovis, New Mexico returned Monday for a visit with friends and relatives. Miss Garnetta Hampton, who has been in Clovis with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hampton, also returned to visit her parents and

friends. She is employed ice cream parlor in Clovis.

A Box Supper was held week at the Cooper High School. Many attended and the school receives the benefit.

A 40-volume history of the erican Indian, illustrated by more than 2,000 photographs and plates has been placed in the University of Texas Library's Rare Book Collection.

Farm cash income in Texas February totaled 50 million dollars, compared with 35 million in February, 1942, according to the University of Texas Business Research

Advertisement for Black Draught featuring a cartoon illustration of a child and a man, with the text 'You child should LIKE BLACK DRAUGHT'.

Advertisement for Eaves Produce featuring 'We Have A Big Stock Of CERTIFIED FIELD SEEDS THAT WILL GROW THE Vitamins FOR Victory' and 'We also have a big stock of SACKED FEED'. Includes images of pea, bean, and corn cans.

It's Time to Think About Easter Bake a Batch of Eggs and Rabbits



Make Easter baskets bright with homemade molasses bunnies and nut-filled cookie eggs.

MAYBE there won't be as many candy eggs and animals for Easter baskets this year, but that doesn't mean that baskets for the youngsters won't be as gay as ever. Just to prove the point here are two easy-to-make cookie doughs that with a turn of the wrist can be shaped into delicious Easter eggs and crisp molasses bunnies. Be sure to bake a batch of each for the youngsters in your family. The recipes go like this:

Easter Eggs 1/2 cup butter 1 teaspoon baking powder 1/2 cup sugar 1/2 cup ground nutmeats 1 teaspoon vanilla 2 cups cake flour 1/2 cup All-Bran

on greased baking sheet. Bake in moderately hot oven (400°F.) for 10 minutes. Yield: two and one-half dozen eggs.

All-Bran Ginger Bunnies 1/2 cup shortening 1 1/2 teaspoons sugar 1/2 cup molasses 1 1/2 teaspoons ginger 1/2 cup All-Bran cinnamon 2 cups flour 1 1/2 teaspoons soda 1/2 teaspoon salt Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly; add molasses and bran cereal and mix well. Sift flour, ginger, cinnamon, soda and salt together and work into creamed mixture a small amount at a time. Mix well; chill; roll dough to about 1/4 inch thickness on lightly floured board. Cut with floured rabbit shaped cutter. Bake on lightly greased baking sheet in moderate oven (375°F.) about 12 minutes. Yield: Approximately 4 dozen rabbits.

Advertisement for Teague Drug Store featuring 'WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF DRUGS and REMEDIES for your LIVE STOCK' and 'We carry one of the largest stocks of Serums and Remedies for Livestock on the South Plains'. Includes 'WELCOME To Call Hog and Lamb Show Visitors'.

Advertisement for Purina Feeds featuring 'NOW YOU CAN GET THE NATIONALLY FAMOUS PURINA FEEDS For Livestock and Poultry' and 'Why feed ordinary Feeds when You Can Now Get Purina at The Farmers Supply and Frozen Locker'. Includes 'E. R. LEGG, Prop.' and 'Phone 444'.

Advertisement for Cottonoil Co. featuring 'Why is COTTON AN ESSENTIAL WAR CROP?' and 'Here is what we get from our Cotton Crop: With every 500-pound bale of lint we grow, we get about 900 POUNDS OF COTTONSEED, 400 POUNDS OF COTTONSEED MEAL OR CAKE, 240 POUNDS OF COTTONSEED HULLS, totaling 640 POUNDS OF LIVESTOCK FEED, about 75 to 80 POUNDS OF COTTON LINTERS FOR GUNPOWDER TO BLAST THE AXIS, and about 130 to 140 POUNDS OF COTTONSEED OIL.' Includes 'COTTONOIL CO. WEST TEXAS' and 'ADD A BALE FOR VICTORY IN '43'.

Advertisement for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company featuring 'ANNUAL REPORT TO TELEPHONE USERS' and 'A Summary of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's 1942 Annual Report, Recently Issued'. Includes 'PEARL HARBOR' was only three weeks old as 1942 started, but already the telephone system had felt the first of war's pressing demands.

Santa Fe CHIEF TOPICS

The appointment of C. W. Taylor, formerly of Slaton, as Assistant to the General Superintendent of Transportation, succeeding the late Jesse Bethurem, was announced today by J. J. Mahoney, general superintendent of Transportation, of the Santa Fe Railway.

Taylor was born at Copperas Cove, Texas, May 18, 1898 and began his railroad career with the Santa Fe in 1920 as maintenance clerk at Temple, Texas.

He transferred to Slaton, Texas, in 1921 as assistant division accountant. Taylor was appointed Division Accountant there in 1922 and four years later was advanced to Chief Clerk to the Superintendent at Slaton.

He came to Chicago in 1940 and was made chief clerk to the General Superintendent of Transportation in that year, in which position he has served until his present appointment.

O. R. Satterlee, traveling car agent, succeeds Taylor as Chief Clerk at Chicago. Satterlee was born at Scotland, Illinois, in 1900 and began his railroad career with the Burlington Railroad as a stenographer-clerk in 1923.

He joined the Santa Fe at Amarillo, Texas, in 1927 as steno-clerk in the Superintendent's office and subsequently served in various secretarial capacities at Amarillo.

La Junta, Clovis, Slaton and Pueblo, before coming to Chicago in 1941 as secretary to the Assistant to the Operating Vice-President.

He was appointed traveling car agent in the general superintendent's office last October.

Carl Pirse, Fresno, California, a Conductor on the Santa Fe's Valley Division is appointed to succeed Satterlee as Traveling Car Agent with headquarters in Chicago.

W. D. Cooper and wife have been transferred from Albuquerque to Slaton, where their friends are proud to have them among Slaton citizens.

There have been several promotions among the employees at the Roundhouse, which include the promotion of Machinist Helper J. B. Riney to Machinist Helper Apprentice; B. A. Hanna to Machinist; J. L. Osborn to Sheet Metal Worker Helper Apprentice; L. M. Howell to Boilermaker Helper Apprentice; J. E. Robertson to Sheet Metal Worker; E. Grundy to Machinist Helper.

Former Chief Clerk to Master Mechanic, at Slaton, who is now holding the position of Assistant Chief Clerk to the Mechanical Superintendent at Amarillo, C. P. Monzingo, was in Slaton the first of the week on business.

Several men have entered the service as locomotive firemen in the last few days.

Coppersmith A. H. Shelton was all smiles and walking on thin air, the morning of April 3rd, and when the evidence was discovered, it was found that he was "Grand-Pa," there having arrived at the Raudin McCormick home that morning a large girl.

If the production is as good as some of the bragging about their gardens among shop employees, it won't be long before the grocery stores will be out of business, as far as garden vegetables are concerned. From all reports, everyone has a garden in the making and some almost ready for use.

Farmers Sign Up On Food Program

COLLEGE STATION, April 5. — Sign-up of Texas' 418,000 ranchmen and farmers under the 1943 Food for Freedom program began tapering off this week as counties started filing final reports in the state AAA office.

According to the Texas USDA War Board approximately 90 percent of all farms and ranches already have signed for maximum production under agriculture's war program, which calls for increases in nearly all commodities.

Counties which have not completed their campaign were notified this week by B. F. Vance, chairman of the board, to complete plan

sheets immediately and transmit county figures for state tabulations.

Purpose of early tabulations is to ascertain whether all goals have been pledged or whether adjustments are necessary in some counties.

Since the Food for Freedom program aims at maximum production from the entire state instead of from individual counties, some goals necessarily are re-allocated after pledges have been made by producers.

If goals have not been pledged in all counties, other localities in the state will be given an opportunity to increase their pledges to make up the differences. Through this summer of adjusting, the State USDA War Board expects

all goals to be pledged. Final date for adjusting farm goals has been set for June 1 and no adjustments may be made after that date, Vance said and explained that all producers would be notified to their specific war crop

goals before planting time.

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Not a single commercial failure occurred in Texas in February, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research points out.

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Suit Dresses will be in the front ranks of that Easter Parade, so get yours in navy or pastel crepes \$17.50 to \$24.75

Choose that Easter-and-after Frock from a whole gallery of dresses of every style, color and pattern prints, solids, checks and stripes \$14.95 up

Ignition key in your pocket—
ACID locked in your engine

YOU CAN'T "pull the cork" to clear out every cylinder after pocketing that key. A chemical mixture always lingers inside. The corner druggist would tell you that the cylinders hold the acid products of combustion...the makings of corrosion.

You didn't have all that worry heretofore, when the worst acid was chased out by fast and frequent driving that thoroughly heated the engine. Now however, when you're counting every coupon, how soon will it be till you drive enough to make the engine stay real warm? Meanwhile, with acid in your engine, as it stands for long stretches, you'd better take the precaution of having its insides OIL-PLATED by changing to Conoco Nth motor oil this Spring.

OIL-PLATING is really a close cousin of platings you see every day retarding corrosion. Conoco Nth oil—at a popular price—includes the costly synthetic that makes OIL-PLATING come between acids and inner engine surfaces. Unlike any mere liquid lubricant, ready to drain down to the crankcase promptly, OIL-PLATING tends to stay at its topmost point in an inactive engine, keeping up a long interference against acid attack on inner parts that can't always be replaced these days. The simple key to OIL-PLATING is Conoco Nth oil for your needed Spring change—at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station today. Continental Oil Co.

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First Lady of Louisiana



Mrs. Sam Houston Jones, "First Lady" of the State of Louisiana, is shown with her six-year-old daughter, Jelks, in the charming governor's mansion at Baton Rouge.

THIS WEEK'S WAR MOVES

The German Afrika Korps, retreating up the Tunisian coast toward the Tunis-Bizerte triangle, has been playing a series of delaying actions.

According to OWI Director Elmer Davis, Rommel's withdrawal from the Mareth Line was made under cover of a sandstorm, which saved Rommel from the devastating air pounding the Allies had been prepared to inflict on him.

Reports of Axis losses so far are incomplete, but Secretary of War Stimson said the Axis has lost large numbers of Germans and Italians killed, several thousands made prisoners, and large quantities of guns, tanks and vehicles.

The Allied success at the Mareth line—forcing Rommel to abandon his defense system and flee to the north—was attributed, by both Director Davis and Secretary Stimson, to the leadership of General Sir B. J. Montgomery and the skill of the British Eighth Army.

All week Allied Air Forces have been harassing the retreating enemy columns, and a cordon of British, American and French ground troops continues to press the Axis force into an ever-narrowing area in Eastern Tunisia.

mel's and Von Arnim's troops would give the Axis a strong army in good defensive positions—the defense perimeter of Bizerte.

Pan American Day To Be Observed

For a number of years, April 14 has been observed as Pan American Day. It means more than ever to us, now that we are trying to be good neighbors with the people south of the Rio Grande.

The Spanish Department of the local High School, under the direction of Mrs. Minnie Ray Swafford, has arranged a special program in observance of the day, to which patrons and friends are invited.

There will be a presentation of the flags of the Pan American republics, after which Mrs. William Dingus, member of the staff of the Foreign Language Department at Texas Technological College, will speak on the importance of the Good Neighbor Policy.

The program will be presented next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the High School Auditorium.

MARKING TAGS and marking PENCILS at the Slatonite

For The Convenience Of Our Customers We Will Be Open Sundays ETHYL GAS gal. 17c Reg. BRONZE GAS gal. 16c WHITE GAS gal. 13c Due to Government regulations we will not sell Petroleum Products on Thursday, however, store will be open. BAIN BROS. OIL CO. 850 So. 9th on Highway

WATCH RATION POINTS, BUY FRESH VEGETABLES

NOW that there is widespread rationing of food stuffs, housewives are finding it necessary to keep a careful accounting of the points expended on their ration cards.

Processed foods are subject to this rationing and fresh vegetables, the sales of which are not subject in variety.

Good Housekeeping Institute in the April issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine has these suggestions to make.

- 1. Don't be daunted by limited choice in vegetables. Make up for lack of variety by cooking available vegetables expertly, by concocting new ways to serve them, by combining two vegetables. This is what we have been doing in our Institute kitchens, and we find we are creating a new interest in vegetables. Buy truly fresh produce, preferably grown near by. To conserve freshness and food value, get vegetables home, cleaned, and into refrigerator promptly. Remember that when your rationing stamps are gone, you can't buy canned or quick-frozen vegetables until the next rationing period begins. So do this: 1. Keep tab on current point values of all rationed processed food you buy. Clip the Official List from the newspaper, and use it when you make shopping lists. Note changes on grocer's list, too. 2. Plan meals two or three days ahead, and add up points your choices call for. Budget your points for each week of the rationing period. If you spend over your weekly allowance, you have less for coming weeks. 3. Whenever possible, use unrationed market vegetables instead of commercially canned or quick-frozen. 4. Don't buy cans or pack larger than you need. The larger they are, the more points require.

WITH OUR MEN (Continued from page 1)

Already the program at SPAFS is being geared up to meet the extra demands brought about by the change.

Less than a year old, the school has been recognized as the leading glider pilot training center in the nation. Five times within a month recently towpilots and glider students broke the flying record at the school.

Challenged to prove that the glider did have a vital role in military operations of the United Nations, officers, instructors and the students themselves have pitched in as a team to overcome problems which naturally occurred as the program got under way and to push the training to the point where it gained the attention of a nation at war.

South Plains Army Flying School, April 3.—Eight Texans received commissions as second lieutenants and appointments as flight officers this week at the graduation of another class of "Winged Commandos" at SPAFS.

Those receiving their wings at the big glider school include, as lieutenant: Gus T. Griffith, of Kirbyville; as flight officers: James Erwin Ferguson, of Pharr, Ira A. Thurman, jr., of Houston, Zane H. Graves, of Beaumont, Thomas M. Ward, of Dallas, Joe N. Gilreath, of Fort Worth, and Roy C. Kenny, of Stephenville.

Roscoe Mercer, who is an M. P. at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, is visiting his family here. Roscoe reports that he likes his work.

SLATON TO SHARE (Continued from Page 1)

reason why we cannot go over the top this time," said Mr. Sewell. Farmers and business men will be asked to redouble their efforts to purchase War Bonds and everyone who is receiving an income of any kind will be checked upon. This will be one of the most ex-

POSEY ITEMS

Ruth Gentry

Visitors in the W. E. Burns home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Boyce and children of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Joplin of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burns and baby of Lubbock.

Mr. Meldon Harris of Brownwood, visited relatives and friends in this community Thursday.

Mrs. E. L. Mangum and son, Ronald Lee, of Pecos are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and Veretta of Lubbock were visitors in the T. A. Johnson home this Sunday.

A farewell party was given in honor of Mr. Charles Gentry in the T. A. Johnson home last Wednesday. Games were played and gifts presented to the honoree. Refreshments were served to those present: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shaffer, Mrs. Carl Miller and Gene, Verne and Vaughn Campbell, Harold Morrison, Katie Jo, Betty Jane and Bobbie Ruth Johnson, Joseph and W. M. Joplin, Clifford Behlen, Bennie Moeller, Boyd, Allie Mae and Neva Ruth Belcher, Andrew and Joseph Loke, Aline Perdue, Alene Stephens, Rachel and Weldon Gebert, Maudene Harper, Billie Burns, Ella Faye Wheatley, Phyllis Williams, Mrs. S. N. Gentry and children, Irene and Louise Gentry, Mrs. M. P. Gentry and Imogene, Juanita Cox, Juanell and Nadine Hart, the T. A. Johnson family and the honoree.

Mr. Charles S. Gentry reported for induction into the Armed Forces April 2, but was temporarily deferred as the quota for the month had been filled in Lubbock County.

Mr. A. M. Campbell returned home Saturday after several weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weatherford and daughter in Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Redman of Tulia were visitors in the S. N. Gentry home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. E. L. Mangum and Ronald Lee, and Mrs. S. N. Gentry were visitors in the home of Mrs. O. D. Porter Sunday.

In the Saturday election of the Posey Trustees, Mr. L. B. Kitten

was re-elected and Mr. Mac Klattenhoff was put in as a new Trustee.

At the regular meeting of the Posey Board of Trustees, Monday night, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robertson were re-elected as teachers for the coming year.

COTTON INSURANCE

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said and explained that under the program all farms operated by one cotton farmer are insured under one contract.

Cotton crop insurance contracts are written in all cotton counties under the supervision of AAA committees or their representa-

tives. Either 50 or 75 percent of the farm's normal yield may be insured against unavoidable hazards such as hail, wind, rain, drought, boll weevil and insects.

Explaining the program to last-minute signers, Cothran pointed out that all-risk insurance goes into effect when the cotton is planted and protects the crop until it is weighed in at the gin. Premiums are due in the fall, or about cotton picking time, he said.

He urged cotton farmers in the northern and western parts of the state to make applications with county AAA committees before the April 15 deadline date, after which no applications will be made.

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JUST TALK

by
A.M.J.

If all the women around here would get as industrious as the woman Charley Tanner told me about, then we need not have to worry about the rationing and food shortage.

Charley said a friend of his, who travels over the South Plains a lot, saw a woman driving a tractor down near Southland. The tractor was one of the older models with mud guards over the wheels. On top of each of the mud guards was a kind of pen and in each pen was a young child. The woman stopped the tractor near the road and took a baby from a small crib down in the front of the tractor, nursed the baby, then fired the old tractor up again and was off in a cloud of dust, to make another round of the field.

Charley says it is rather discouraging when he comes home and can't even get his wife to get out and scratch around in their 5x5 Victory garden.

Several groccerymen have

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DICKSON'S HATCHERY

told me that the meat rationing has done more harm than good to date and that a lot of good meat has spoiled on their hands since rationing went into effect, due to the fact that many people bought all the meat they could store in their electric refrigerators and have been gorging on it ever since.

If the trend continues as it has started, the meat markets will be holding the bag on choice cuts of meat and selling all of the hamburger and cheaper cuts they can get, as most people are going in for quantity rather than quality. One woman in Slaton is said to have bought a whole cow and put it in the locker so that she will have meat to feed her dog, and another has canned about half a cow for dog meat. Both of the women own small dogs.

Kirby Scudder and T. J. Settle have been doing some experimental work with poisoned feed for sparrows. Kirby cheered, while T. J. made the rounds of the town on his bicycle. A count of defunct sparrows on the City Hall lawn the next day after the broadcast of feed showed better than a hundred. Kirby and T. J. are Victory Garden specialists, with Kirby nursing a few brave beans and things, that have stuck their heads out of the plot he is working out back of the Postoffice, while T. J. is getting the backache over a plot in his backyard.

If you want to know anything about fishing, hunting, gardening, bicycling and carpentering, T. J. is the fellow who can tell you, and if we do not watch out, he and Kirby will kill all the sparrows in town and the youngsters will have to go to Post to find sparrows to shoot. There is no telling what kind of complications things will be in before the garden season is over, with so many people going in for poultry and gardening. My next door neighbor, Leonard Harral, has chickens and garden both, he rides a bicycle, is President of the Rotary Club, is a member of the School Board and takes up the collection at the Methodist Church every Sunday and will on occasions, cut the hedge between us. However, the hedge has had to get mighty ragged looking before he gives up and takes over the job.

We wish to warn everyone that a two foot snow is due any minute now for Allan Payne has his window full of men's straw hats. He says he has sold one or two, which adds to my conviction that a snow storm is only a few hours away.

And another sure sign that winter has just started is Webber Williams strolling around town with his suspenders showing. Webber is just like the first experimental Robin, he shucks off his coat the first day the thermometer gets down to 60 and brings on a cold spell.

And another sure sign is the fact that we are going to have a Calf, Hog and Lamb Show tomorrow, which usually brings a couple of inches of rain ending up with a freeze.

Besides all of these, everybody knows we cannot get along without a pre-Easter cold spell, so girls, patch up your bloomers so they will last at least another two or three weeks, but do not plant your Victory Garden. Take my advice and be careful until I say that spring

is really here.

It is most probable that the rabbits are going to have a tough time laying colored eggs this Easter. Mrs. Carl Lewis, who is quite active in Cub Scout work, had it all planned to have an Easter Egg Hunt for the Cubs and she intended feeding the kids on candy Easter eggs. Up to date she has been unable to locate a single candy egg, which is most discouraging to me, for I had just about completed arrangements to join the Boy Scouts, so that I could get in on the candy egg hunt, but if she goes and substitutes real eggs on the boys, I won't join for I've choked down too many ordinary Easter eggs in my time to start over again.

Many a rusty dollar has crawled out of an old tobacco sack since the War Bond Drive started and even some old blanket size dollar bills have come out of hiding here in Slaton.

Several times I have seen men in the Post Office buying War Bonds and they were men who have put up the saddest stories I have ever heard about how terrible business is, or has been and what terrible prospects were in store for their particular kind of business and I am glad these men are not as faithless to our nation as they pretended to be in the future.

It seems to me that the more a man has, the louder he howls about being in financial straits. There is one sure thing and that is, that if War Bonds are not a sure investment, then a U. S. Dollar Bill is as worthless as the Confederate currency that Grandpa had in his old hair trunk.

Southland News
Virginia King, Correspondent

In the city and school election, Saturday, R. O. Rankin was chosen Mayor. Donald Pennell, Herbert Duna, Sampson Gilliland, M. A. Truelock and Ed Martin were elected Councilmen, and W. M. Weaver, City Marshal. August Becker and Horace Wheeler were re-elected as School Trustees.

The Junior play, "Let Her Go, Gallagher," was given Friday evening at the Auditorium, with Miss Frances Coffey as sponsor. The cast included Billy George Kelley, Wesley Scott, Rodrick Duff, Wallace Reed, Marilee Crisp, Nelda Smith, Allowance Eland, Roilla Rankin and Letha Ann Russell. Between acts a radio skit was given by the following Home Economics Girls: Wilma Wheeler, Annie Mae Voight, Mildred and Doris Nelson, Virginia King, Olive Davis, Frances Wilkins, Doris Becker, Janie Morris. The Juniors netted \$51.10 out of the play. This money will be used for the Junior-Senior banquet, which they hope to have this year.

Mrs. Harry Stotts was hired last week to teach in the Grade School here next year. Mrs. Stotts is now teaching at Earnum Springs and plans to move here as soon as her school is out. Her husband is em-

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Mrs. H. C. White and daughter, Mrs. Herman Irwin, accompanied Billy White to Lubbock Saturday, where he has secured employment at Montgomery Ward.

Last Sunday Clarence Voight fell and broke one of the bones in his right arm. He was playing in a wagon at the home of his uncle, Walter Voight.

Last Thursday night, at the home of Mrs. Cockrell of Pleasant Valley, a large crowd gathered to hear the violins, guitars and tenor banjos of ten musicians from Draw, Pleasant Valley, Morgan, Grassland and Hackberry. The regular weekly musical will be held at Hackberry schoolhouse Thursday, April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Spence and daughter of Seminole came Friday to spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Spence.

Mrs. Dicy Fry returned to her home in Winters Thursday, after a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. George Bahlman. Mr. Bahlman's sister, Hilda, had just returned to Winters after visiting here.

Clarence Gene Jensen of Brownwood came last Sunday night to spend two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Parker.

Ellery Lambright of Slaton came Saturday for a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, who recently returned from a fishing trip to South Texas.

Sunday was Linda Lee Davis' third birthday. Her dinner guests were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Oats.

Mrs. Wendell Saunders and daughter, Sharon Lee, of Hackberry spent Friday with Mrs. Dan Stewart.

Le Roy Voight arrived home this week, after spending ten days visiting friends and relatives at Bartlett.

Mrs. J. F. Pennell and daughter, Miss Johnnie Mae Pennell, left Friday for their home in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sokoll thought Charles Jr., was somewhere in North Africa, but Tues-

day he alighted from the bus and walked home. S/Sgt. Sokoll has been in foreign service for four months. He spent several days here.

Sunday morning, Mrs. H. A. King went to meet the bus. She was surprised when her son, Bob, got off and stayed until Monday afternoon with her.

Mrs. J. D. Chaffin of Pleasant Valley is the eleventh mother with three sons in the Service. Besides J. D., Jr., Wayne is in the Air Corps at Bryan, and Pfc. Tallie is in the Medical division of the Air Corps and is stationed at Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver, Colorado.

FORREST BIBLE CLASS.

The Ora Forrest Bible Study will meet at 3:00 p. m., Tuesday at the Methodist Church. Mem. vs. 1 Cor. 1:18.

Lesson: Studies in the Book of Numbers. Chapters 11-19. From Sinai to Kadesh.

- 1. At Kadesh Barnea, instead of going directly into the Promised Land, what did the Israelites do?
- 2. What three distinct stages in Israel's history are marked by Egypt, The Wilderness, Canaan? Typically what do those three stages stand for in the spiritual history of a saved soul?
- 3. When the spies returned from Canaan, what made the radical difference between the report of the ten spies and the report of Caleb and Joshua?
- 4. Why do you think God again made to Moses the offer He had made before? See 14:11, 12.
- 5. What two things kept the children of Israel out of Canaan at this time?
- 6. What keeps the Christian from a life of spiritual power and spiritual riches?
- 7. If one of the Israelites sinned ignorantly what was the penalty? If one sinned presumptuously what was the penalty?

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Wilson News

MRS. C. W. HUTCHESON

Faye Watson spent Wednesday night with Fama Honabass. Lois Snodgrass and Aonie Jane Gryder visited Patsy Standefer Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Putman visited her mother, Mrs. C. W. Hutcherson, and children, Tuesday night. Mrs. Sibyl Leftwich and Miss Imogene Powell spent the week end with homefolks in Lubbock.

Mrs. Robert Maeker had business in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. E. F. Alderson fell and broke her leg last Monday afternoon. She is in serious condition in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. W. A. Taddock and Mrs. W. C. Putman were in Slaton Thursday.

Wilson was well represented in Slaton Thursday, with 32 high school students. Well, they can tell why they were there, although it was April first.

Mrs. Lee Dickerson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Montgomery at Dixie Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Sanders spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taddock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lamb visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Ray of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Caldwell, Pvt. and Mrs. Carter Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Putman and Mrs. A. L. Perdue visited Mrs. C. W. Hutcherson and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle E. Hutcherson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Holder, Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. Todd filled his regular appointment at Union Sunday.

Ina Ruth McLaughlin spent Sunday with Dorothy Nell Watson.

Mrs. Effie Snodgrass received notice that her son, Hollis, would soon go overseas.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackson have been to see their son, W. H., who has been ill. He is stationed at Sheppard Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Swann spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pot Swann.

Pvt. and Mrs. Carter Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Caldwell spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurick Perkins visited their folks at Monroe Sunday.

Mr. Bruster of Morgan and Mr. Frank Schneider were elected as School Trustees Saturday.

Beulah Dougherty and Thelma Mears spent Friday night with Wanda Lou Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clary and Alfred and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCormack went to Justiceburg fishing Thursday.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Herbert Lamb are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lamb. S/Sgt. Lamb is stationed at Amarillo.

W. C. Putman and W. A. Taddock were in Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Hutcherson and A. L. Perdue were in Tahoka Saturday.

Robert Milliken has accepted a job in New Mexico in Civil Service work. He spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Putman. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kootz visited their mother, Mrs. Beahron, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lee Dickerson and father were in Lubbock Monday.

LOCAL BOY PLEDGES SOCIETY MEN'S CLUB AT TECH
LUBBOCK, April 2.—Charles Reese of Slaton is pledging Society men's social club at Texas Technological College. A total of 142 students signed preference slips for the seven men's social clubs on the campus.

Charles is the son of Mrs. W. G. Reese and is enrolled at Tech as a freshman mechanical engineering student.

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