

EDITORIAL PAGE

"What a Man Does For Himself Dies With Him— What He Does For His Community Lives On and On."

SETTLE SURRENDER TERMS NOW

In a few weeks the perennial problem of a contract for the nation's coal miners will be due to bloom. Inasmuch as wartime strikes dictate the settlement terms of current labor controversies, the following editorial from the Baltimore Sun is especially timely:

"The steel industry has asked Mr. John L. Lewis to present his terms for a new coal contract as soon as possible. The present contract lapses on March 31, and the steel men well know that Mr. Lewis' men 'do not work without a contract.' Hence they want to get a new contract negotiated long before Mr. Lewis' men feel it necessary to strike. For a coal strike now, with coal supplies at new lows, would cripple the war industry.

"Actually, however, it is not primarily the steel men who ought to be getting ready to do business with Mr. Lewis. It is the government men who handle war labor relations. The question of contract terms in coal always ends up in government labor tribunals. And the government labor tribunals, after striking attitudes of great firmness in opposition to Mr. Lewis, always end up by surrendering to him—after his men have struck.

"What we suggest this year is that the government work out the terms of its surrender to Mr. Lewis before Mr. Lewis feels it necessary to strike. In 1941, after all, the government denied to Mr. Lewis the universal closed shop in coal—and then contrived to deliver it to him after his men had struck. In 1943 the government denied to Mr. Lewis a \$2-a-day wage increase in coal—and then contrived to deliver it to Mr. Lewis after his men had struck.

"Surely, with increased experience in the field, the government really ought to be able to handle the thing a little more tidily this time. Surely the art of economic planning by government has now advanced to the point where the surrender to Mr. Lewis can be planned before, rather than after, the war industries have been threatened by a general strike in coal."

NO IMMUNITY

For some reason there is an inclination to view private concerns which happen to be known as "public utilities," in a different light than other private industries. The electric industry is a public utility, but it is also a private industry with all the problems of any other private industry. In its current struggle to defeat encroaching government ownership of electric power production, it is fighting a battle in which the welfare of every private enterprise is closely involved. If tax-exempt government competition can be used to destroy a private electric company, it can be used to destroy the business of a shirt manufacturer. The fact that the former may be classed as a public utility, while the latter is not, makes little difference in the basic issue. It is easy enough to declare an industry a public utility—Argentina recently declared gambling a public utility. When government launches a campaign against private industry, no company, no individual, is immune. If this had been better understood during the past few years, the government power planners in the "utility" field would have made little headway.

A FITTING ANSWER

Some idea of what it takes to discover a new oil field and bring it into production is told in news accounts of eight American oil companies in Columbia, South America.

One company spent \$457,000 just in aerial mapping, gravity meter, seismograph and other geophysical and surface geology before putting in a test well. Another company estimates its cost of testing at \$800,000. After the oil has been discovered and brought to the surface it must be transported to market. In the case of the Columbia exploration, most of the search for oil is being conducted in remote sections, requiring the construction of costly roads through hundreds of miles of trackless jungle, to move in drilling machinery, and the construction of hundreds of miles of pipelines to get the oil out. In one area a 625-mile pipeline may be needed which would cross the foothills of the Andes at an elevation of 8,500 feet. Its cost would probably be in the neighborhood of \$75,000,000.

And yet when the oil reaches the consumer, it retails for a few cents a gallon! If anyone questions the value to the nation of efficiently operated, competitive private industry, these figures provide a fitting answer.

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YOUR PROBLEM

The President's last budget message to Congress forecasts a public debt of \$292,000,000,000 by June 30, 1946, and an annual interest bill thereon of \$4,500,000,000. That breaks all records for public debt, and is far beyond that of any other nation in the world. One would naturally take it for granted that facing such a terrific financial burden, our country would adopt a policy of economy in peacetime government expenditures.

But what are we planning? For one thing, an announced Federal program for seven TVAs to blanket the nation at a cost that will run into billions of dollars. Up to June 30, 1943, the original TVA had received \$667,969,270 in appropriations from Congress. No one knows what the seven TVAs will cost, but they will take billions.

The desire in Washington for nationwide government ownership of electric power, is not motivated by an urge to render an otherwise unobtainable service, but rather to extend the field of tax-exempt government-owned business to the ultimate destruction of one branch of private taxpaying enterprise and the expansion of state socialism.

The United States had the most progressive electric industry in the world before TVA was ever heard of, and it still has, as is evidenced by the fact that no section of the country which depends on private electric service has been rationed on electricity.

After seeing hundreds of thousands of our boys killed and maimed, and virtually bankrupting ourselves fighting the evils of state socialism abroad, it is difficult to understand why we at home allow its clutches to be fastened on us in any way, shape, manner or form. This is not primarily a problem of the private electric industry; it is a political problem that affords the very foundation of our whole philosophy of government.

THOSE CREEPING COSTS

No housewife needs to be told that living costs have risen substantially in recent years. She comes in contact with this unpleasant fact almost daily in the course of shopping. In respect to other costs, such as building a home, for example, many people are living in blissful ignorance. If fire should destroy their homes they would awake with a shock to the realization that those homes were a lot more valuable than they had thought—and that in the light of today's values, were inadequately insured.

Never before was it so essential to prevent fire and never before was it so necessary to check values periodically and insure accordingly. Regardless of adequacy of insurance protection, there is a good chance that much property destroyed by fire at the present time cannot be replaced at any price.

The fire insurance industry is doing everything within its power to prevent fire, through various organizations designed for that purpose. Chief of these is the National Board of Fire Underwriters. Its engineering staff, operating in every state, has brought about standardization of fire-fighting equipment, better fire resistive construction of buildings, and other advancements. It cooperates with public authorities in curbing mischievous incendiaries, and arsonists who set fires for profit. Model legislation for local supervision of fire hazards and for other means of control also are constantly studied and recommended by the Board's experts. It also initiated fire prevention week.

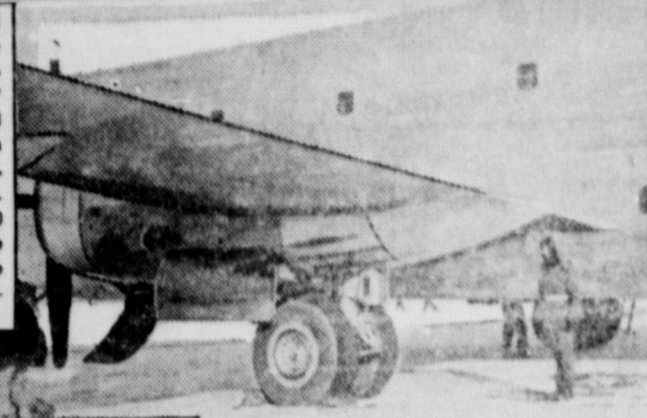
All of these things the fire insurance industry is doing on behalf of fire prevention. The least that property owners can do in return is to observe caution individually.

Candidate: "How did you like my speech on the agricultural situation and problems last night?"
Farmer: "Wasn't bad, but a good day's rain would do a lot more good."—Metuchen, N. J., Dairy Farmers' Digest.

In The WEEK'S NEWS



BASIL O'CONNOR
—Chairman of the American Red Cross returned recently from study of Red Cross operations in Great Britain, France and Italy. The \$200,000,000 War Fund to be raised in March, he says, is sorely needed for relief work.



WORRIED ABOUT YOUR TIRES?—This Boeing C-97, world's largest airplane, which recently set a new transcontinental record averaging nearly 400 miles per hour, lands its 130,000 pound gross weight on these Firestone synthetic rubber tires. Average car weighs one-fortieth as much.

GRACE OF LINE—Designed to portray the rhythm of fashion in motion, floating skirt panels animate this slender, blue crepe afternoon gown successfully worn by screen actress Helen Claire.



LEADER OF LIBERATION RAID—Lt. Col. Henry Mucci, who led Rangers and Filipino guerrillas to rescue veterans of Bataan, Corregidor and Singapore from Japanese prison camp behind enemy lines on Luzon, wears battle dress in this photo taken earlier in the Philippines.

WHAT COOKS SNOOKS?—She's done it again. "Toasties Time's" Baby Snooks has cooked up some more trouble for herself. This super-imp who disturbs the CBS airwaves every Sunday evening, here stares ruefully at another batch of biscuits.



FILLS OLD JOB ON FURLOUGH—Pfc. Ernie Jones, home on a 20 day furlough after 31 months in the South Pacific, changed to work clothes and reported for work at his old job in a tire factory, because he said "they needed help."

the Coliseum, which seated 87,000, and the Circus Maximus, (the scene of chariot races), which could seat 385,000 persons. There was at least one building, a palace, which was 10 stories in height and the dome of the Pantheon was 290 feet high. The walls of the city had a circumference of 21 miles and the aqueducts had arches that were 100 feet high, water being piped into the houses. The Romans were masters of the art of war and, in attacking a walled city, they made use of towers, some of which had a height of 135 feet.

When the Coliseum was dedicated, the celebration required 100 days and 5,000 wild animals were slaughtered. What a story for a sports writer!

Can you remember:
Tree-sitters?
Mah jong?
Red Grange?

When you hear a man talking about his "culture," you can be pretty sure he doesn't have it.

The Beauregard Bryan papers, embracing more than 2,500 documents, recently were accepted for the University of Texas library by the Board of Regents. They were a gift from Thomas W. Streeter of Morristown, N. J., and comprised the private papers of Bryan's grandfather Ira Randolph Lewis; the papers of his father, Moses Austin Bryan, who was the grandson of Stephen F. Austin, and those of Beauregard Bryan.

A Want Ad in The Times Pays

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The Bible is the only source of all Christian truth;—the only rule for the Christian life;—the only book that unfolds to us the realities of eternity.—Sir Matthew Hale.

To refuse to see in others that which one does not wish to express in one's self is to reduce the Golden Rule to hourly and daily practice.—Alma Shierbaum.

You only get rid of your enemies by making them your friends; and you can only do that by loving your enemies; that is one of the great "laws of life."—Sir Wilfred Grenfell.

No one could ever love his neighbor as himself if he listened to all the "buts" that could be said.—Bulwer-Lytton.

His work is done, and we have

only to avail ourselves of God's rule in order to receive His blessings, which enables us to work for our own salvation.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Sgt. Howard Collins, who is stationed at LaJunta, Colo., came in last week to spend several days with his wife and with his mother, Mrs. Ora Collins.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to each and everyone for the many kind deeds bestowed upon us during our bereavement and sorrow. The burden was made lighter from the many kind words of sympathy during the death of our beloved father, uncle, and friend. We wish to express our appreciation for the lovely floral offering.

May God's richest blessing be bestowed upon each and everyone of you.

We wish to express our appreciation for places to stay and the good foods that were brought in during our sorrow.

Chester, Andrew, Ardell, Randall and Raymond Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brannon and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pentycuff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brannon and baby, Mrs. J. W. Carden.

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My grandpa never cared much for politicians. Of one, he said, "I'd like to buy that fellow for what he's worth and sell him for what he thinks he's worth."

And of one perennial office-holder, grandpa remarked, "He can change sides like a chameleon can change color—in fact, he's better'n a chameleon because I heard of one of those little lizards being placed on a piece o' changeable silk and he strained himself to death."

Grandpa summed up a joint debate between two candidates: "Brown's speech was like a Mother Hubbard—it covered everything and touched nothing; Jones' speech was like a flapper's dress—it touched everything and covered nothing."

Would it be correct to say that a photograph of John L. Lewis is a "striking" likeness?

"The grandeur that was Rome," Poe wrote—and the city that ruled the world 2,000 years ago possessed such glories as the temple of Apollo, built of solid white marble;

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Civilians At War

The Government needs and asks its citizens in this 168th week of the war to:

1. Hold series "A" bonds (the "Baby Bonds" that went on sale in 1935) and reinvest the proceeds when they begin maturing March 1st. War Bonds offer the same interest: \$4 for every \$3 invested.
2. Look for dollar-and-cents price ceilings posted in your shoe repair shop. Such services are now under OPA price control.
3. Place specific orders now for fertilizers and insecticides for farms and victory gardens. Transportation and manpower shortages may seriously delay deliveries.
4. Use V-Mail and help share overseas cargo space. Shipments of whole blood and typhus vaccine urgently need the plane facilities V-Mail will save.

Household Fats To Rescue

Homemakers of Town and Farm again are asked by the War Food Administration to come to the rescue of a wartime program. WFA states that it is looking largely to the people in agricultural areas to increase the quantity of salvaged fats this year to the 250,000,000 pounds needed to meet United States military, industrial and civilian requirements. Last year housewives turned in 170,000,000 pounds. M. L. Wilson, director of the Extension Service, has called upon all state directors of the service to enlist the aid of their field forces in helping to speed the drive for used fats turned in from rural areas. WFA advises and asks all housewives to keep a tin can in a handy spot in which to pour used cooking fats. When the can is full the fat—can and all—should be taken to the local market where the butcher or grocer will pay two red points and up to four cents a pound for every pound turned in. Salvaged fats are used to help make munitions, medicines, synthetic rubber, military and civilian soaps, parachutes and a score of other wartime necessities.

Tax Exemptions Explained

In response to numerous inquiries arising from new provisions of the individual income tax law relating to exemptions for husbands and wives, and the income of minors,

Joseph D. Nunan, Jr., commissioner of Internal Revenue, made the following statement today:

"Husband and wife exemptions—The new law requires that if a husband and wife file separate returns, each must take his own exemptions on his or her own return. Both exemptions can be claimed on the same return only if (a) they file a joint return, or (b) if one of them had no taxable income and was not the dependent of another taxpayer. In applying this rule to wives of men in the armed forces, it should be borne in mind that the tax laws exempt and disregard the first \$1,500 of active service pay received each year by a member of the armed forces. The result is that most members of the armed forces have no taxable income, in which case their exemptions can be claimed by their wives.

"Income of minors: The new law provides that the earnings of children shall be considered to belong to the children, and not to their parents, for purposes of the Federal income tax. As a result, minors who had \$500 or more income last year must file income tax returns the same as adults. Therefore, parents need no longer include in their own income tax returns the earnings of their children.

"Income under \$500: Persons whose income last year was less than \$500 are not required to file income tax returns, but frequently will find it advisable to file. In the case of a single person who had less than \$500 income from which tax was withheld, the filing of a return will bring a refund of the tax which was withheld. In the case of a married person who had less than \$500 income whether or not any tax was withheld from it, the person should file a joint or combined return with her husband (or his wife) so as to get the full benefit of their exemption.

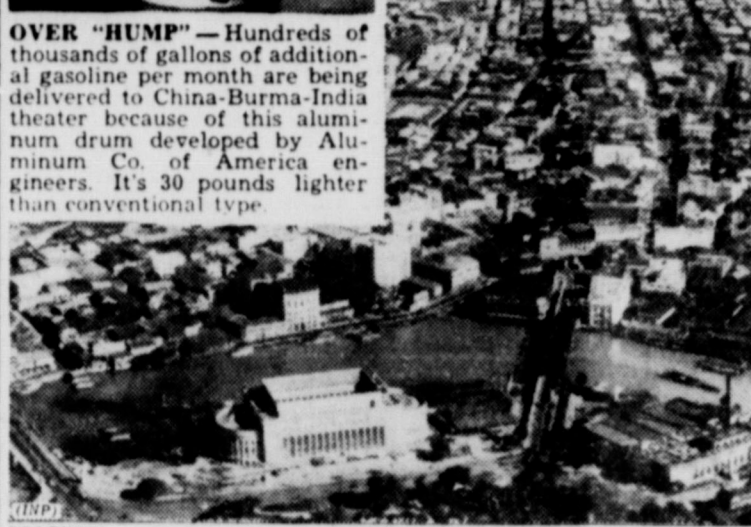
"Time to Time" Food Shortages

Civilians may continue to expect food shortages "from time to time" as a result of multiplying military and lend-lease needs, but these shortages will not be serious if farmers repeat their record productivity and if Americans plant victory gardens and do as much home canning as possible. Marvin Jones, War Food Administrator, declares: "There is need for all of the meat and milk and vegetables and grains and dozens of other foods that the nation's farmers can produce," Jones said. "Farmers are being asked to plant more acres to crops this year. Farmers and their wives as well as older people and children on farms are working to the limit of their ability, and the help of city and townspeople will be needed in addition to meet this year's needs." He said the surest way to assure a full supply of fruits and vegetables for home use is to

People, Spots In The News



SOLDIER FUN—Female Impersonators in outlandish garb, form a chorus line behind a soloist during the Navy show "Honky Tonk" at Fort Mears theater at Naval Air Station, Dutch Harbor, Alaska.



OVER "HUMP"—Hundreds of thousands of gallons of additional gasoline per month are being delivered to China-Burma-India theater because of this aluminum drum developed by Aluminum Co. of America engineers. It's 30 pounds lighter than conventional type.

MANILA—"PEARL OF ORIENT" retaken by Gen. MacArthur's troops. This airview of Manila, modernized and elevated to the status of a metropolis by American engineering skill, was captured by Americans without much damage. The Pasig River is in foreground.

grow a garden and do as much home canning as possible.

Where the Pocket Knives Go

The mystery of where that pocket knife you wanted to buy has gone is cleared up by an announcement this week of WPB. To meet the urgent need of bomber crews, ski troopers, sailors, and other members of the armed forces for pocket knives, employment in the pocket knife industry must be expanded to point that will permit production in the first half of 1945 of approximately 5,000,000 pocket knives per quarter, WPB states. Each pocket knife is a miniature engineering project. Making the simplest type of knife requires about 40 separate operations, while a more complicated four-bladed knife, containing some 20 pieces, requires about 100 operations.

Black Market Report

Organized black markets in meat and sugar are reappearing in dangerous proportions in the United States, and their existence is dependent largely on counterfeiting of ration coupons, the Office of War Information said on the basis of information provided by the Office of Price Administration, U. S. Secret Service and the Alcohol Tax Unit of the Treasury Department. Fresh mushrooming of counterfeit activities constitutes the principal problem now confronting government enforcement agencies. Printing of bogus coupons has become widespread in the meat and sugar fields whereas it was formerly flagrant in the gasoline business officials said.

OPA executives said that the illegal diversion of gasoline through counterfeit and stolen coupons has been almost stopped while organized black market activities in liquor have been virtually eliminated. They denied the existence of any organized black market in cigarettes, claiming the "petty chisellers" are the chief supporters of this illicit market.

Although Federal Agencies have achieved considerable success in coping with organized black markets, they are increasing, not relaxing, their day-to-day vigilance against any new racketeering gangs which might try to spring up.

Officials cited the harm done by the individual consumer who basically creates and perpetuates the demand for illegal or stolen coupons by his willingness to pay extra sums for more than his rationed share. They emphasized that the citizen's willingness to "chisel" induces the racketeer to take advantage of the resultant high profits, thus enabling the criminal to thrive and expand his activities.

Authorities emphatically said that counterfeiting, theft and illegal distribution of all types of ration coupons constitutes one of the

greatest menaces today.

More than a 1,000 persons were arrested by special Treasury and OPA agents during 1944 for counterfeiting activities. OPA also has imposed thousands of sanctions for violations of rationing regulations besides obtaining more than 5,000 convictions under criminal statutes. Injunctions and suspension orders likewise were used to check black marketing.

Chester Bowles, OPA Administrator, made the following appeal to solicit more active public participation in continuing efforts to keep black markets down to the minimum:

"If all consumers in America were to adhere strictly to rationing regulations, enacted for their protection, and reported all observable violations, we would not have such an evil as black marketing. Black markets are perpetuated by consumers collectively. Every black market purchase affects the honest consumer. Every American who participates in any kind of a black market deal, no matter how financially trivial, does disservice to the war effort and to his law-abiding neighbor.

Professional racketeers are blamed for the making and distribution of counterfeit ration stamps. More than \$1,000,000 has gone into the pockets of racketeers in two months alone from the sale of bogus gasoline coupons, and as a result counterfeiting activities to the food fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mahan and daughters of Abilene were here for the funeral of Lige Brannon last Saturday and visited relatives here over the week end.

CARD OF THANKS

We certainly thank each and every friend and neighbor for every kind and loving word and deed done in our behalf in the death of our loved one, Adron Rutledge. Especially do we thank you for the flowers and dinner, and we thank the dear preacher for the message he gave.

Mrs. Adron Rutledge and children, Amos Rutledge and family, C. E. Dougherty and family, J. B. Barnes and family, Robert Dodson and family.

Brannon Rites Held Saturday

Funeral services for Elijah L. Brannon, 57, who died at Texas City on February 13, were held from the First Baptist church in Munday at three o'clock last Saturday afternoon.

Services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Albertson, and interment was in the Johnson cemetery by the Mahan Funeral Home.

Mr. Brannon returned to Munday from Texas City several months ago and followed his trade of carpenter here. He left on Sunday before his death for a visit with relatives at Texas City.

From the time of its arrival here Wednesday night, the body was at the home of Mrs. Emily Carden until the funeral.

Surviving him are five sons, Corp. Andrew Brannon, stationed in Washington; Chester M. Brannon, Texas City; Sgt. Ardell Brannon, Taft, Calif.; Randell Brannon, A. M. M. 3/c, somewhere in the Pacific; and Raymond Brannon, A. M. M. 3/c, Fallon, Nev.; three brothers, Charlie and Watie, Fort Worth, and Sam, Weatherford, and one grandson.

Pallbearers were E. Y. Johnson of Munday and five nephews, Fred, Seymour and Walter Brannon, all of Silverton, and Doris and Marcell Pentycuff, Texas City.

Rhineland News

Pvt. Albert Kuhler left Thursday for Camp Roberts, California, after spending a furlough with relatives and friends here.

Cpl. Daniel Loran, who is enroute to Florida, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Loran.

C. L. Wilde S. K. 3/c, visited with friends in Fort Worth the past week.

Misses Martha and Evelyn Simok of Seymour visited with friends here over the week end.

Pvt. Joe Birkenfeld has returned from overseas and is visiting his mother, Mrs. A. F. Homer, and other relatives and friends.

Sgt. Albert Redder of Fort Bliss, Texas, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Redder.

Misses Dale and Jean Wilde, and Mrs. Margaret Kelley and children, all of Fort Worth, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilde over the week end.

Miss Bernice Decker of Abilene spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Decker.

Sgt. and Mrs. Phillip Homer are spending a furlough here with relatives and friends. Sgt. Homer will report to Lincoln, Neb., at the end of his furlough for further training.

Miss Roselia Loran of Wichita Falls visited with relatives and friends here over the week end.

Miss Helen Homer of Wichita Falls visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Homer over the week end.

Sgt. Herman Herring left Wednesday to report back to a camp in Oklahoma, after visiting with relatives and friends here.

Pvt. Albert Brown of Amarillo Army Air Field visited with relatives and friends over the week end.

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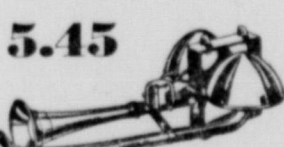
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Society

Munday H. D. Club Holds Its Regular Meeting Wednesday

The Home Demonstration Club of Munday met Wednesday, February 14, at 2:30 p. m. in room 7A at the elementary school building. This was a regular meeting with nine members and two visitors present.

One delegate was elected to the district meeting in Seymour, which will be held in April. From the one delegates elected from each club in the county three will be chosen at the council meeting in March.

Mrs. J. C. Gollehon gave a report from the last council meeting and gave some worth while information on work the council has planned for the year.

The program for the meeting of the 14 was tying and dying of material. Mrs. J. O. Tynes displayed a lunch cloth made of a feed sack which had been twisted and dyed.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the home of Mrs. J. O. Tynes, February 28, when Miss Lucile Kling will give a demonstration on making hot tamales.

Baptist W. M. S. Has Business And Social Meeting

Ladies of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met last Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Rose Jones for a business and social meeting and royal service program. Mrs. Wallace Reid was co-hostess.

The home was beautifully decorated with potted plants.

Mrs. A. U. Hathaway led the devotional. Mrs. J. E. Reeves, president, was in charge of the brief business session.

Following the social hour a delicious plate was served to the following members: Mmes. Neil Hardin, Leland Hannah, C. R. Parker, J. E. Reeves, C. N. Smith, J. F. Simpson, B. L. Blacklock, Walter Skiles, Wallace Reid, A. U. Hathaway, and Rose Jones.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. J. Keel, with Mrs. C. R. Parker as co-hostess.

LOCAL COUPLES UNITED IN DOUBLE CEREMONY

A double wedding ceremony was performed on February 10, uniting Jimmie Fuller and Miss Joy Fay Coley, and M. L. Wood and Doris Jean Coley. The brides have resided in Munday for the past twelve years.

The grooms are well known Vera boys, having graduated from the Vera high school.

ROXY

Munday, Texas

Friday, February 23:

Richard Dix in "The Kansan"

With Jane Wyatt, Victory Jory.

Also No. 6 of

"Zorro's Black Whip"

Saturday, February 24:

Double Feature Program

—No. 1—

"Let's Go Steady"

With Jackie Moran, Pat Parrish, and Skinny Ennis.

—No. 2—

"Murder in the Blue Room"

With

Anne Gwynne, Donald Cook.

Sunday and Monday, Feb. 25-26:

Jon Hall, Louise Albritton in

"San Diego I Love You"

With Edward Everett Horton and Eric Blore.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, February 27-28-29:

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine"

With Sylvia Sydney, Fred McMurray, Henry Fonda, Fred Stone, and Nigel Bruce.

Special notice to our customers! Please arrange to attend the theatre in the early evening, as we will abide by War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes order to close at 12 midnight.

Munday Study Club Holds Meeting On February 16th

The Munday Study Club held its regular meeting on Friday afternoon, February 16, at the club house with Mrs. Leland Hannah as hostess.

Mrs. J. C. Harpham was director of the program on Italy. Miss Maud Isbell discussed the interesting topic "Behind The Lines In Italy," and also gave current news on Italy.

The program was followed by a business meeting, with Mrs. Chan Hughes as acting president.

432 Kit Bags Made By County Red Cross Chapt.

The Knox county chapter of American Red Cross has made and shipped 432 kit bags since January 1, 1945. These kits consist of comfort items, such as cigarettes, playing cards, writing paper, pencil, envelopes, razor blades, hard candy, shoe shine cloth, shoe laces, plastic soap boxes, soap, pocket size book and a small sewing kit.

One is given to each service man when he embarks for foreign service and another when he returns from the firing line. They are also distributed among the wounded in hospitals on foreign soil.

The material for making the kits is furnished by area headquarters, but the contents are purchased by the local chapter, costing approximately \$1.00 per kit.

They are made by specifications furnished by the military. The military also designates the contents and asks that Red Cross chapters not leave out, or add to, the articles called for by the specifications.

The Knox county chapter also shipped 16,200 surgical dressings this week. This brings the total number made by the county chapter to 268,800 in the past two years.

Mrs. Don Estes and Mrs. Joe C. Butler visited their husbands, Ptes. Don Estes and Joe Butler, who are receiving basic training near Temple, Texas. While away they visited interesting points, including the state capital and Texas University.

Mr. and Mrs. Bub Hackney of Fort Worth are here for a visit with Mrs. Hackney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Horan, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Peek and little son, Melvin Leroy, of Paint Rock spent the week end here with Mrs. Peek's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Albertson.

Activities of Colored People

Last Saturday, Rev. W. A. Alexander of the Church of God in Christ, and his wife, returned from Coleman, Texas, where the district meeting was held. They reported a very nice meeting.

Service was good last Sunday at the Church of God in Christ.

Monday night Rev. H. B. Forecott of Abilene, preached a powerful message. He spent the night with Rev. Alexander and left Tuesday morning for Oklahoma City where he will conduct a revival.

Mrs. Elmo Hendrie has a Bible class organized for Thursday night at the Church of God in Christ with Mrs. Clarity Cherry and Aline Johnson as the teachers. Everyone is invited.

Preaching will be held Thursday night instead of Bible class. Friday night the Home Foreign Mission band will be held in the home of Mrs. Elnora Hendrie, who is president. Come prepared. You will be served something delicious.

The colored lunch room wish to thank the white missionary society for their weekly support.



Service Men Only —



Selected as the most glamorous debutante of the 1944 social season, Anne Sargent Lincoln, shown above, is eschewing social activities for the duration to devote most of her time to service activities as a member of the A. W. V. S. and the Navy League. She dates service men only.

Rutledge Rites Held On Friday

Funeral services for Adron Rutledge, who passed away on Wednesday, February 14, were held at four o'clock last Friday from the Church of Christ in Munday. Minister Floyd Spivey of Haskell and Minister V. L. Wilson of Munday conducted the service.

Interment was in the Johnson cemetery by the Mahan Funeral Home.

Mr. Rutledge, a local mechanic, was a native of Knox county, having been born at Knox City on January 11, 1911. He was 33 years, 8 months and 3 days of age.

He is survived by his wife and four children, Lester, Betty Sue, David Lee and Ronnie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rutledge of Fort Worth; a brother, Homer Lee Rutledge, who is in the navy, and three sisters, Mrs. Abby C. Daugherty and Mrs. Peggy Killian, both of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Stennie Opal Barnes, Abilene.

Pallbearers were A. C. Boggs, Lonnie Offutt, Coy Phillips, Sam Beaver, Clay F. Grove and B. A. Yarbrough. Honorary pallbearers were Fred Broach, W. H. Hart, Lee Haymes, Sied Waheed and Cody West.

Local Soldier Gets Decoration For Fighting In Italy

With the Fifth Army, Italy.—Private Exell T. Reynolds of Munday, Texas has been cited by the 39th "Battle Mountain" Regiment of the 88th "Blue Devil" Division and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for actual participation in combat against the enemy with the Fifth Army in Italy.

Standards for the badge are high. The decoration is awarded to the infantry soldier who has proved his fighting ability in combat.

The handsome badge consists of a silver rifle set against a background of infantry blue, enclosed in a silver wreath.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ford and family went to Fort Worth last week. They visited relatives in Weatherford, also Mrs. Ford's sister, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Scruggs and family of Poolville. They had a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Bertie Fisher and daughter, Agnes, of Big Cedar, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Fisher's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Fisher, who is making her home with her mother, Mrs. Dessie Fields.

Weekly Health LETTER

Issued by Dr. Geo. W. Cox M. D., State Health Officer of Texas

Austin—The Texas State Department of Health has been asked to assist in recruiting WAC Medical Technicians. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, believes that this offers a splendid opportunity to learn and be of real service to men recovering from battle wounds and illness in government general hospitals.

The first and most important qualification for hospital service is the earnest desire to render service to the sick and wounded soldiers in our Army hospitals. The applicant must be between the ages of 20 and 50 years. She must be a citizen of the United States. And she may be single or married, but she must have no dependent children under 14 years of age. She must pass a physical examination before enlistment. The minimum educational requirement for enlistment is the completion of 2 years of high school or equivalent; such as business, vocational, or trade schools. She need not have previous medical experience, the Army will train her.

General hospitals located in Texas are Harmon, Longview; Ashburn, McKinney; McCloskey, Temple; Broke, San Antonio; William Beaumont, El Paso. Women enlisted under this program will be assigned, after completion of training, to the hospital selected at the time of enlistment.

It is expected that at least 17 platoons of 15 each will be recruited in Texas. Applications can be secured at any county seat post office.

At least 85 per cent of the women recruited under this program will be trained and used as technicians.

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ATKIESON'S

Return to Philippines



One of the most dramatic moments in our journey to Tokyo was when Sergio Osmena, President of the Philippines, and General of the Army Douglas MacArthur returned to the Philippine Islands. Shown above as pictured in Cosmopolitan magazine are President Osmena (waving hat) and General MacArthur (at left with hip holster and dark glasses) landing on Philippine soil during the successful invasion and General MacArthur's return to Batan.

A small number may be used in clerical and administrative capacities. Women will, therefore, be recruited for duty with a WAC General Hospital Company.

Ensign and Mrs. T. R. Havins spent the first of this week here with Mrs. Havins' parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Albertson. They were enroute from Lauderdale, Fla., to San Diego, Calif., where Ensign Havins will be stationed.

Pfc. Raymond R. Roberts, who was injured on the 9th of January, has written his mother, Mrs. Minnie Roberts of Munday, that he was better. He was injured in his back.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade T. Mahan were business visitors in Seymour last Tuesday.



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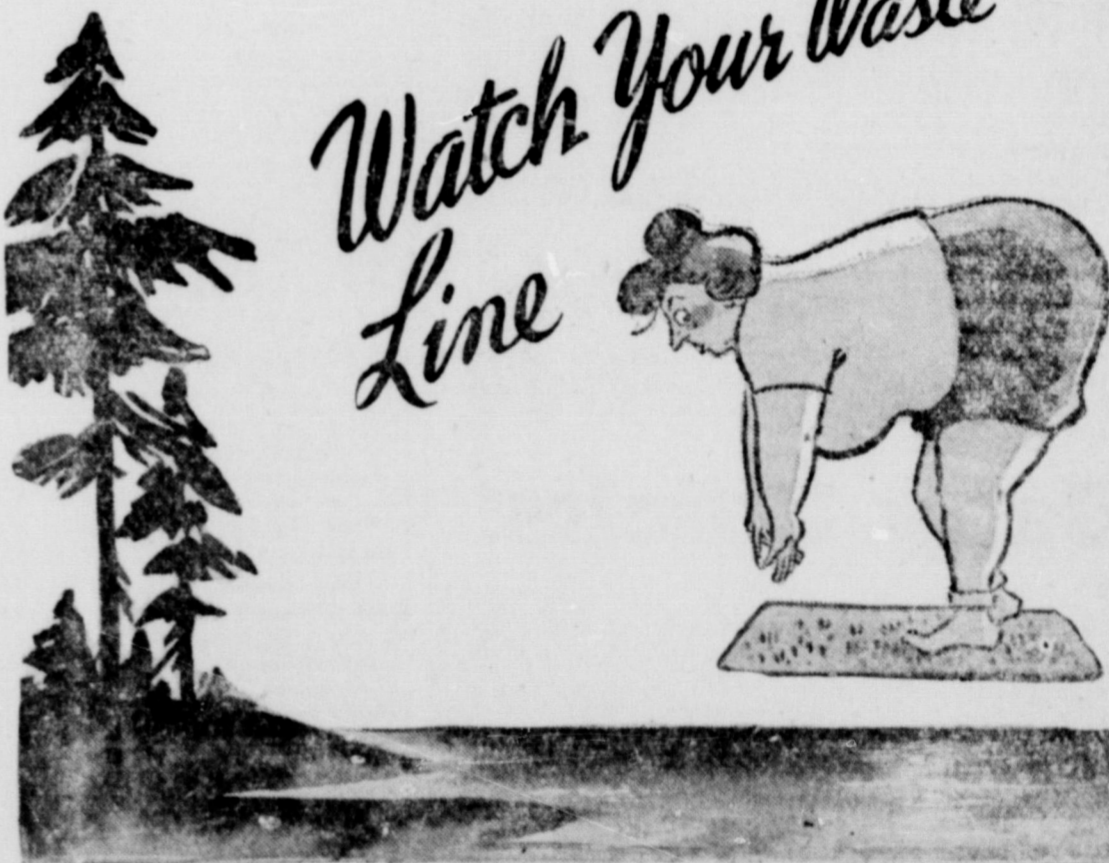
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Watch Your Waste Line



No doubt, we have been too wasteful with our food supplies the last few months. We had been told by a host of bureaucrats that an abundance of food was available and most of us "pitched in" and were almost back to prewar eating—now that we know the planned food program has resulted in limited supplies on the fighting line—even rationing of food being in effect on some fronts—the American people will not only accept fair play rationing, but will make it work so that the service men will get additional food.

To do this, every kitchen must be placed on wartime basis—this covers not only watchful purchasing and preparation of food, but also the extremely important saving of fats.

When everything is going along fine, many people easily forget their wartime programs, but in the production and delivery of electricity a permanent fight against waste is a necessity—with taxes mounting as in other businesses, and sometimes more in ours—continued maintenance of low electric rates necessitates the watchfulness of everyone in our organization for economy possibilities—we are holding our lines—and our customers in the ample use of electrical energy are fully cognizant that our war effort will not suffer as the result.

West Texas Utilities Company

At The Churches

BENJAMIN METHODIST CHURCH
J. P. Patterson, Pastor

CALENDAR

Preaching Second and Fourth Sundays at 11:00 a. m. Church school 10:00 a. m. each Sunday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Come all ye men! To the church next Tuesday night at eight o'clock. We will have a good program which you will greatly appreciate and enjoy. By all means set aside other things and come to this meeting. Mr. S. N. Reu of O'Brien, our Associational Brotherhood president, will be with us, together with a number of other men. They will render the program. The Brotherhood organizations in the churches of the Southern Baptist Convention are doing a magnificent work. They are leading our men into great fields of service. Come to this meeting.

All services at the regular hours next Sunday.

Next Tuesday the Haskell Association Workers' Conference meets with the First Baptist Church, Haskell. The program begins at 10:30. Let's have a good delegation from this church.

W. H. Albertson.

Miss Delores Campbell spent the week end in Abilene with her sister, Miss Dorothy Campbell.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Don R. Davidson, Pastor
10 a. m. Church School. A class with a welcome for everyone.
11 a. m. Morning Worship. The pastor will bring the message.
6:15 p. m. M. Y. F. Young people will enjoy this fellowship.
7 p. m. Evening Preaching. An informal service you will appreciate.
Wednesday, Choir practice at 7:30 p. m. Bible study at eight o'clock.

NAVY'S KILLED IN ACTION MORE THAN 5 TIMES TOTAL IN ALL PREVIOUS WARS

More than five times as many Navy men have been killed in action during the present war as in all previous wars of the United States combined.

Statistics from the Office of Naval Records and Library in the Navy Department show that total Naval losses in all wars involving the United States from the American Revolution through World War I amounted to about 4,232 killed in action. In World War II, 22,481 men of the Navy alone, excluding the Coast Guard and Marine Corps, have been killed in action, the Navy's annual report of February 12 reveals.

Approximately 1,356 men were killed in action in all early Naval battles and later minor engagements of the United States including the Revolutionary War, the

God Said "Bail Out"



When Flight Lieut. Arthur S. Ross, Jr., was downed over German-held territory during the Normandy invasion, and a voice he believes to be that of God told him to bail out, his chances of survival were so infinitesimal that the happy reunion with his wife and child, shown above, must be considered miraculous. In one of the most dramatic documents of the war, Ross describes in the February issue of Cosmopolitan magazine German atrocities which he witnessed, and urges that a stern peace be imposed on a defeated Germany.

War of 1812, the Mexican War, the Boxer Rebellion in 1900, and the Battle of Vera Cruz in 1914.

During the United States Civil War, deaths in Naval battles reached a total of 2,177. Eighteen Navy men died in action during the Spanish-American War, with 200 lost on the USS Maine proceeding the war.

Only 422 Navy officers and men were killed in action during World War I.



Texas' home-front army of more than 100,000 war chest leaders and workers was honored last week, when the state legislature invited top state war chest leaders to address a joint session of the House and Senate, and then unanimously passed a resolution of appreciation to all who helped in the recent war fund campaign in Texas.

In his address before the solons, Wayland D. Towner, general manager of the United War Chest of Texas, announced that Texas topped the nation in the drive, leading all big-quota states and surpassing its quota by 9.5 per cent.

Judge Ben H. Powell of Austin, president of the state war chest, made the principal address before the legislature, accepting the high honor on behalf of the many leaders and workers who took part in the campaign.

Meanwhile, Texans on the fighting fronts of the world continued to make new records, too, and many were honored by a grateful government during the past week. If the boys from the Lone Star state continue to spear-head the fighting as they have done in the past, there will be more medals than there are

cows in Texas when the war is over. Lt. Reed Daniels of Sour Lake, who already wore the Bronze Star Medal, has been awarded the coveted Silver Star for "gallantry in action against the enemy."

Pfc. Santos Livas of Alamo, has been awarded the Bronze Star posthumously for gallantry in Italy, where he was killed.

Pfc. Helmut Richter, whose home is near West, Texas, has won the Combat Infantryman's Badge, after proving his prowess in battle against the Japs during the Miak, Dutch New Guinea, engagement. The citation notes his "exemplary conduct in action."

And here is news of Texans taken prisoner by the Japs. Pfc. Joe Syvreck of West has been moved from the Philippines to a prison camp near Tokyo, according to a report to his parents by the War Department.

A more fortunate Texan, S/Sgt. Roy Hoblit of Gainesville, looks mighty cheerful in a photograph taken immediately after he was freed from a Philippine prison camp recently. Emaciated and obviously suffering from results of his mistreatment by the cruel Japs he still had plenty of Texas spirit left when the picture was taken, for it shows him grinning broadly.

Lt. Dorcas Easterling of Abbott, Texas, one of the heroic Army nurses who voluntarily remained in the Philippines to care for American wounded when the islands were captured, also was freed when our troops took a prison camp at Manila. She will be sent home soon for a rest leave.

And from the battlefronts of France comes good news for relatives and friends of men in the famed 36th "Texas" division. After 136 days of unrelenting fighting, the heroic division has been moved to a rest area for a well-earned "breather." One of the five hotels in the rest-area has been named "Hotel Logan" in honor of the famed Luling, Texas, hero, who won the Congressional Medal of Honor while fighting with the 36th in Italy.

AMERICAN HEROES



POSTHUMOUSLY a Silver Star was awarded to Pvt. Willis V. McFarland, St. Louis, Mo. When attempting to establish a beachhead on the Rapido River, Italy, Pvt. McFarland's unit was halted by enemy artillery fire. Dropping to the ground, he crawled over the shell-blasted shore to cut barbed wire, discharging his automatic rifle as he went. Thus he advanced through barbed wire entanglements until severely wounded. He gave his life fighting to free Italy, and the purchase of War Bonds will help continue that fight until all of the world is liberated from the Axis yoke.

U. S. Treasury Department

Silver Star Medal Is Awarded Everett Pruitt

By direction of the President and command of the 104th Infantry division commander, the Silver Star medal has been awarded to Lieut. Everett Pruitt of Munday for gallantry in action in Germany on December 16, 1944. The citation reads: "On the night of 16 December 1944 Lieut. Pruitt, intelligence and reconnaissance platoon leader, was given the mission of finding a suitable crossing place to be used in a forthcoming attack. Leading his platoon to the bank of the river, Lieut. Pruitt encountered small arms fire and, realizing the danger of the mission, ordered his men to dig in and cover him while he searched for a crossing place."

"At great risk to his life and in the face of intermittent machine gun fire from the opposite bank of the river, Lieut. Pruitt started out alone, and creeping and crawling to avoid detection by the enemy, he proceeded about 30 yards along the bank where he entered the stream and started to wade to the other side. When he was about one-third of the way across, the enemy opened fire on him from the opposite bank. Disregarding the heavy enemy fire directed at him, he continued to the opposite bank and returned to his men only after discovering a route by which the

stream could be forded. "His courage, ingenuity, and devotion to duty are in keeping with the finest tradition of the armed forces of the United States and reflect the highest credit upon Lieut. Pruitt and the military service."

LOCAL OFFICIALS ATTEND SCHOOL ON WATERWORKS

Harvey Lee, city secretary, and Ed Y. Johnson, water superintendent are attending a school for waterworks and sewage operators which is being held in Stamford three nights each week. The school is conducted by W. E. Cuzick, itinerant instructor with Texas A. & M. College in cooperation with the State Department of Health.

Various problems pertaining to operation of water plants and sewage plants are being discussed. Towns being represented in the school are Stamford, Albany, Aspermont, Haskell, Rule, Munday and others.

REMEMBER WHEN

—a barber pole was a real red, white and blue wooden pole as high as a man or higher? Those were the days when father had his own gold-encrusted shaving mug in the barber shop's glass case. Remember?

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FOR SALE—Eighty acres of land, north of where old Cottonwood schoolhouse used to be. For more information, write or get in touch with F. D. Brannan, Box 360, Stratford, Texas. 39-tfe.

FOR SALE—160 acres, well improved on Knox Farm. Making bale of cotton to the acre. \$109 per acre. Surface rights, 1,000 acres of good mequite grassland, 8.9 per acre. 350 acre stock farm. Missouri 5-room home less than 3 years old, \$60 per acre. 326 acres. Old improvements. \$30 per acre. Need listings on Knox county land. What do you have to offer? Chas. Moorhouse Commission Co. Offices, Benjamin and Brazos Hotel, Houston, Texas. 24-tfe.

LOST—Two five dollar bills Wednesday morning in the Post Office. Will give half to the finder if he will return it to the Post Office. ttp.

WE ARE getting good service on orders for repair parts for Avery machinery, Oliver machinery and Coleman stoves. Let us order them for you. Reid's Hardware.

FOR SALE—One saddle horse, cattle feeder and feed chopper. Mrs. S. M. Clonts, Knox City, Texas. 34-2tc

FOR SALE—Two good Jersey cows—dry and will freshen within two months.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—Case hammer feed mill, Glutton, knives and hammer type; Case three-bottom plows—good condition. ALSO harrows, scratchers, two-row go-devils, De Laval cream separators, and various small tools and equipment.

ALSO two and four wheel trailers—fair to excellent condition—good tires and tubes. See Jones & Eiland, Munday, Tex. 32-tfe

FOR SALE—Bundle hegari and cane, 5c per bundle. W. L. Orsak, 4 miles north of Sunset school house. 33-2tp

FOR SALE—Several good milk cows and springer heifers. George Floyd, 5 1-2 miles northwest of Munday. 32-3tp.

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HOME OWNERS—If you are planning on doing any painting this spring, see us before you buy paint. Firestone supreme quality house paint will save you money because it will go farther and stay longer. The Firestone Store.

FOR SALE—One Model A John Deere tractor with planter; also slightly used 8-disc John Deere one-way. Munday Hardware & Furniture Co. ttc.

WANTED—Real estate listings—farms, city property, etc. See me for real estate bargains. J. B. Justice, Goree, Texas. 33-4tp

FOR SALE—Plainsman combine maize seed, raised from first year state certified seed. \$2.50 per 100 at barn. Clyde Hackney, 7 miles southwest of Munday. 33-4tp.

FOR YOUR—Flower and garden seed, get the famous Burpee seed at your Firestone Store. 25-tfe

WAR BONDS In Action



Signal Corps Photo
Paratrooper Pvt. W. H. Higgins, Jr., drops in unexpectedly on his dad, Merchant Marine Capt. Higgins, aboard ship at Naples. The son's chutes and father's ship were sought with War Bond funds. Buy War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

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Senior News

We finally reached a decision about our class motto, colors, and flower. Now the invitations are being prepared for the good of class of 1945. We had a hard time convincing all the seniors to order invitations, for some of them seem to think they don't need to invite anyone to their graduation, because since its their graduation everybody will come anyway.

The seniors have purchased some practice sets for use in bookkeeping. We all seem to like them and are beginning to feel like real business ladies and gentlemen.

It's fun memorizing parts of Macbeth isn't it seniors, or is it?

Senior Life

On January 26, 1928, Rhineland was shocked to hear that Mr. and Mrs. John Albus had been blessed with a small bundle from heaven whom they called Charles Joseph. He grew up to be known to all of his friends as "Baldy."

At the age of six he began school here, passed through grammar school into high school and he may even graduate. Who knows!

"Baldy" has some queer characteristics as two wiggling ears. He is also gifted with the ability to impersonate Donald Duck and Fibber McGee.

In spite of all this he was president of his class during his freshman, sophomore and junior year and this year he is secretary-treasurer of the class.

Some of his favorites:
 Subject—Bookkeeping.
 Teacher—None.
 Pastime—Courtin'.
 Hobby—Datin'.
 Girlfriend—Wanda.
 Song—Sweet Adeline.

When Charles graduates, he wants to make a comfortable home for Wanda if Uncle Sam doesn't bother him. Charles, we wish you luck in whatever you undertake.

Junior News

Oops! The Juniors are kinda on the touchy side these past weeks. It couldn't be that those long awaited English work books have arrived, could it, kids? It seems that everybody looked forward to the day when he could just write simple answers in the spaces left blank by the thoughtful book company. So we thought, but to our sorrow, that workbook certainly contains many brain teasers. The juniors still haven't recovered from their first headaches, and the future doesn't look much brighter.

In a recent vocabulary test our English teacher asked Clarence the meaning of model. Clarence stammered for a few minutes and finally said, "Well, Miss Claus, it's like this. I wouldn't expect anybody to know that definition 'cause Webster wasn't certain of its meaning himself. He defined it in at least half a dozen different ways."

On Wednesday, February 21, 1945, the juniors will help celebrate Rhineland's Golden Jubilee. Yes, our little town had its beginning fifty years ago. We juniors are proud of our home town and we hope we'll become worthy citizens of it.

"Long live Rhineland!"

Sophomore News

We like to think that due to our study in Public Speaking, we put on an enjoyable program last Friday. The program consisted of:

A reading from "You Got Me Covered," by Bob Hope, which was given by Billie Ruth Humble. A skit was presented by three sophomores, Donald Decker, Maxine Williamson, and Robert Redder. Herman Schumacher then read a poem. Billie Ruth Humble sang, "Say A Prayer for the Boys Over There." Last but not least, was Betty Lou Smajstrala, who told jokes. Next week the freshmen will be in charge of the program.

Friday morning at the Home Room Club meeting, the roll was called and everyone had to answer, not by saying, present or here, but by giving a quotation from Abraham Lincoln.

The next entertainment is going to be "A Soldier for Susie," a twenty-minute patriotic play.

Freshmen Report

This week has been another busy week for the freshmen. We have finished the chapter about machines in science. In English we are studying about commas. In mathematics we have finished studying signed numbers, and have begun per cent.

Our Valentine party turned out to be a grand affair. We were very sorry that some were unable to be there.

Larry Kuhler was missing last week. We hope that he will be able to be back in class soon.

The freshmen are looking forward to our Tree Planting ceremony which is to be held February 21st. All Rhineland is grateful for what our pioneers did to make Rhineland what it is.

We are going to study geography for about a month, before we take Civics. The class looks forward to taking Civics, because they think it will be much more interesting than geography.

In history we are studying about the Civil War and is interesting. We have all memorized the Gettysburg Address.

We are trying hard to become better English students. It might take time and patience, but I'm sure we will turn out successes if we work hard enough.

In a recent class meeting we decided to call our club "The Wonder Workers Club." The whole class is working hard to make it a success.

We took our three weeks examination in spelling last Thursday. I'll bet Miss Claus was surprised that most of us made fairly good grades.

We had our Valentine party last Tuesday. Everyone enjoyed the good food. We really missed Bertha, who was ill.

Seventh Grade News

Well, another week has passed and it's time to make a report since our reporter, Doralene Kuhler, is ill, we are writing the news for her. We all wish her a speedy recovery. In English we are striving to improve our vocabulary by using encyclopedias to look up our sports, animals, etc. Our health assign-

Canada Meeting Rubber Quota

CANADA is winning the race for rubber. For the first time since Pearl Harbor, the home front can breathe more freely, confident at last that the armed services will not be handicapped for lack of this essential commodity.

On the site of an old Indian reservation, one mile from Sarnia, Ontario, a plant owned by the people of Canada in substantial production at the close of 1943, soon will be turning out 34,000 long tons of buna-S and 4,000 long tons of butyl each year.

This output, together with small quantities of neoprene from the United States, the still-essential natural rubber from Ceylon, Mexico, Brazil, and Liberia, and goodly supplies of scrap, will be sufficient to provide Canadian wartime requirements.

Still vitally necessary for the car-cases of large Army, Air Force, and essential civilian truck tires, for surgical equipment, for certain cements, and for certain other purposes, natural rubber is in seriously short supply. As compared with a consumption of 60,000 tons in 1941, Canada will have to do with only 10,000 tons in 1944. The normal peacetime consumption is about 35,000 tons. In 1944 the total consumption of rubber and its substitutes will be on this basis: natural rubber, 20 per cent; reclaim, 25 per cent; synthetic rubber, 55 per cent.

The existing supplies of natural rubber, as well as the output of synthetics, have been earmarked for direct and indirect war and essential civilian purposes.

As a result of measures adopted by Rubber Control, consumption of rubber for civilian purposes averaged in 1943 about 10 per cent of what it was before the war. Of this 10 per cent, tires have been provided for essential vehicles, but



since Pearl Harbor no tires have been made for the non-essential car.

Restrictive orders were not alone responsible for this saving of the priceless rubber supply. Much of it has been achieved by the use of substitutes and reclaim in the manufacture of hundreds of essential articles, including war supplies. This progressive reduction in the use of rubber is still going forward. Month after month the technical experts in the Control are devising new formulae for substitutions, and as soon as these have been tested their adoption is made compulsory.

beach, and with a calm sea, no trouble had been anticipated in the unloading.

Suddenly, however, the ships were subjected to artillery and mortar fire from concealed enemy positions which supporting gunboats and destroyers failed to locate and destroy. The landing ships were ordered to get off the beach, and all but one managed to do so under their own power in the manner peculiar to landing craft.

With the situation growing more difficult by the minute, the Apache was ordered in to assist the helpless vessel. The tug succeeded in closing with the landing ship, passing a towing pendant aboard and easing it off the beach.

The two retired to safety out in the harbor beyond the range of shore batteries, along with the other four landing craft.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dutton and daughter of Lubbock spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Borger spent the week end here with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Alice Allen, and with other relatives.

Capt. and Mrs. Willard Bauman and children of Wink, Texas, accompanied by Mrs. Bauman's father, M. G. Nix, visited with relatives in Dallas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Martin Jr., and Mrs. Tom Martin spent the week end visiting with relatives in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holder spent last Sunday in Abilene with Mrs. Holder's sister, Mrs. Hattie Williams.

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Goree News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kirk of Olney and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jackson of Throckmorton visited their uncle, J. M. Jackson, last Thursday. Mr. Jackson is on the sick list, but is improved some.

Mrs. Nell Stratton and Mrs. Jack Carter have returned from Dallas and Fort Worth, where they visited relatives for several days.

Mrs. Jack Coy and daughter, Frankie Lee, of Estelline are visiting Mrs. Coy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jones of Lake Creek were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Caldwell.

Mrs. J. H. Billrey, who has been a patient in the Knox county hospital, has improved and has been brought home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blankenship have received word that their nephew, Pfc. Grady Barnett, is missing in action. He was with the U. S. forces in France and Germany and had been serving overseas for a year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fritz of Seymour were visitors with Mrs. Fritz's mother, Mrs. J. E. Patton, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Sue Bates was a visitor in Seymour last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hampton had word that Mrs. Hampton's mother, who sustained injuries in a fall two months ago, is improving. Mrs. Hampton underwent surgery some time ago in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. Olive Dulaney, early pioneer of this city, has been on the sick list, but is improved. She is making her home at Cooper with a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Harlan.

Clyde Smith, seaman 3/c, who has been serving with the naval forces for more than two years, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith. Another son, Glen, is with the air forces in France and England.

Anarrie Edwards, who has been at San Diego, Calif. for three weeks received his discharge from the naval forces and came home last Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. M. Claborn has been on

the sick list, but is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. D. U. Donoho received a message last Sunday that a niece at Fort Worth had passed away. The family left here Sunday for Fort Worth to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Kate Glasgow has been on the sick list, but is improved.

Mrs. Lloyd Stewart, who has been a patient in the clinic hospital at Wichita Falls, is improved and has been brought home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts spent the week end in Roswell, New Mexico, visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Major and Mrs. A. C. Prendergast, and their little son, Peter Michael.

Mrs. Edgar Tanner of Midland spent the week end here, visiting with relatives and friends.

Ben Bowden and his roommate, Joe Lee, who are in naval training at Dallas spent the week end here with Ben's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bowden.

ATTENDS MARKET

Mrs. Joe Bailey King spent the first of this week in Dallas, attending the markets and purchasing new merchandise for the Baker-McCarthy store.

C. J. Reese left the first of this week for Amarillo, where he is undergoing a physical checkup at the U. S. Veterans' Hospital.

Mr. J. M. Moore of Houston is here for a visit in the home of Mrs. John Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cowan were business visitors in Wichita Falls last Saturday.

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AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE CONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, REPAIR AND REMOVAL OF BUILDINGS WITHIN THE FIRE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MUNDAY; PROVIDING FEES FOR PERMITS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS; DESCRIBING FIRE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MUNDAY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Munday, Texas, as follows:

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SECTION 2. PERMITS AND INSPECTIONS: No wall, structure, building or part thereof, shall be hereafter built, enlarged, or altered, until a plan of the proposed work, together with a statement of the materials to be used, shall have been submitted to the Water Superintendent, who shall, in accordance with the provisions herein contained, issue a written permit in triplicate for the proposed work. Permits to be kept on file with the City Secretary. All plans and specifications submitted to the Water Superintendent shall comply with all City ordinances of the City of Munday, Texas, and with Article 3271A of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas. Structures hereafter erected without a permit, or not in conformity with this ordinance, shall be removed.

No building shall be moved from within to within the fire limits, nor from one location to another within the fire limits until a permit shall have been issued therefor. No permit shall be issued unless such construction is in accordance with this ordinance.

The designated Building Inspector shall inspect, as often as practical, construction in progress to see that all provisions of this ordinance are being complied with.

SECTION 3. CONSTRUCTION REQUIRED WITHIN THE FIRE LIMITS: No building or structure of wooden, ironclad, (whether on wood or metal supports), stucco, or veneer type of construction, or any building whose walls contain wood supports, shall be permitted except as indicated in Section 4. No building shall hereafter be built, enlarged, or altered, except in accordance with this ordinance.

The thickness of walls shall be not less than as given below: Brick walls shall be not less than

12 inches thick, except that small one-story buildings with floor areas of 750 square feet or less may have walls 8 inches thick.

Reinforced concrete walls may be three-fourths of the thickness of brick walls, but in no case less than 8 inches.

Hollow building tile may be used as filler walls provided such walls are supported on reinforced concrete beams and footings, and by adequate reinforced concrete or brick pillars or columns spaced not more than 16 feet apart; walls to be not less than 12 inches thick. Small one-story buildings of less than 500 square feet floor area may have walls of 8-inch hollow building tile.

Solid stone walls shall be 4 inches thicker than brick walls for like construction.

All store and building fronts shall be of finished stucco, brick, glazed or quarry tile, terracotta, limestone, granite, marble or glass brick, and design and finish submitted to Building Inspector for his approval. Such fronts may have plate glass windows, or sash type glass windows set in approved settings.

SECTION 4. FRAME BUILDINGS IN FIRE LIMITS: The following frame structures are permissible in the fire limits:

a. Temporary one-story frame buildings for the use of builders.

b. Wooden fences not over 8 feet high without roof or cover.

SECTION 5. ROOFS: All buildings or structures hereafter constructed in the fire limits shall have incombustible roof coverings. No roofing on an existing roof shall be renewed or repaired to a greater extent than 10 per cent of the roof surface, except in conformity with this ordinance, and in no instance shall more than one permit be issued each existing building in any one year.

SECTION 6. REPAIRS AND ADDITIONS: Any existing building within the fire limits which may hereafter be damaged by fire, decay or otherwise, to an amount greater than 50 per cent of its present value, exclusive of the foundation, shall not be repaired or rebuilt, but shall be removed. Extensions, remodeling, or additions to existing buildings shall not be considered as repairs, and shall not be permitted except when conforming with Section 3 of this ordinance.

SECTION 7. ARBITRATION: Whenever an applicant for a permit to repair any existing building already located within the fire limits is made by any person or firm, and the City Council and the applicant disagree on the extent of repairs to be made, and a permit is denied by the designated Building Inspector, then the City Council or Commission shall appoint a competent and disinterested person, and the applicant shall appoint a competent and disinterested person, which said two persons so appointed shall select a third member, and these said three persons shall appraise the building, examine the plan of the proposed work and the statement of materials and labor to be used in the repairing or rebuilding of said building, and make a signed written report of their findings to the City Council. If such report reflects clearly that said rebuilding or repairing would be a violation of this ordinance, then such application for permit shall be denied by the City Council, and if such report reflects that the person seeking

said permit has complied with said ordinance, and the requested rebuilding or repairing is not in violation of said ordinance, then said City Council shall issue a permit for the proposed rebuilding or repairing.

SECTION 8. VALIDITY OF ORDINANCE: If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole, or any part or provision thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 9. FEES: A fee of \$3.00 shall accompany each application for a building permit.

SECTION 10. PENALTIES: Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance or fail to comply therewith, or who shall violate or fails to comply with any order or regulation made thereunder or who shall build in violation of any detail statement or specifications or plans submitted and approved thereunder, or any certificate or permit issued thereunder shall severally for each and every violation and non-compliance respectively, upon conviction, be fined in sum not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars. The imposition of any penalty for any violation of this ordinance shall not excuse the violation nor permit it to continue and all such persons shall be required to correct or remedy such violations or defects within a reasonable time and when not otherwise specified, each ten days that prohibited conditions are maintained shall constitute a separate offense. The application of the above penalty shall not be held to prevent the enforced removal of prohibitive conditions as provided in Section 4 of this ordinance.

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Queens Help "King" Mechanize



Women war workers are not all at shipyards or plane plants; Marie Aldrich and Dolly Ash, feminine welders, are working in a Texas machine shop building mechanical harvesters for cotton, "The Nation's No. 1 War Crop."

Harvesting 6 to 8 bales a day, at savings estimated by farmers at \$25 per bale or more as compared with hand methods, such machines are helping to solve wartime labor problems and to insure the postwar future of the Cotton Belt's most valuable crop.

Homemade "sleds" and "strippers," converted grain combines, and a limited number of commercial pickers will harvest thousands of acres of cotton in 1945, and leading implement manufacturers have successful harvesters ready for postwar production. Combined with mechanical cotton choppers, flame cultivators and other new implements, these machines are revolutionizing the production of the crop which brought growers one and one-half billion dollars revenue from its lint and seed in 1944.

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Washington News Letter

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, D. C., Feb. 17—Dramatic events on the many war fronts this week dwarf all domestic news. Still, it's a bold official who will predict just when the end of hostilities will come. Here's how some of the higher ranking military men have guessed in the past. Said Admiral Halsey on New Year's Day of 1943: "1943... will see the complete absolute defeat of the Axis." Said General H. H. Arnold in February of 1943: "I have an appointment in Berlin a year from today." Said Lieut. Gen. Mar. W. Clark in November of 1943: "It is my hope and belief that before (November 1944) the Battle of Europe will have terminated in a smashing victory." In December of 1943 General Eisenhower thought, "The Allies will win the European war in 1944." Under Secretary of War Patterson, in August of 1944, thought, "Victory over the Germans is not far off." And General Marshall wrote in the Army and Navy Journal for Dec. 7, 1944: "Before this statement is published, hostilities might have terminated in the European theater."

The fear of some Washington officials that the 50 German generals now prisoners of the Russians headed by their prize officer, Field Marshal von Paulus would be set up by the Russians to run Germany seems to have been cleared by the Big Three Crimean conference. Eyebrows in Washington lifted

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this week with the report that new Secretary of State Stettinius on his visit to Moscow gave a Russian actress a 3,000 ruble (\$240) bouquet of flowers. Notwithstanding Russian devotion to the opera, this doubtless to the vast majority of Russians was conclusive evidence of capitalistic extravagance. Stettinius, former chairman of the board of directors of U. S. Steel, is a rich man and this was simply change out of his own pocket.

Retiring Commissioner of India Affairs, John Collier, makes an interesting report. Since he took over the administration of Indian Affairs in 1933, and secured adoption of Collier's Reorganization Act by Congress in 1934, the income of Indians has increased 300 per cent, their death rate has decreased 15 per cent, and their population has increased since 1900 53 per cent. The population is now 377,000. Historians estimate the Indian population of America was never more than about 900,000.

Reports indicate France is going through her worst winter. Only 20 per cent of the national industrial equipment is usable due to shortage of raw materials. The best hotels are without light or heat. Even French troops lack blankets and overcoats.

The Pacific Coast longshoremen are still working on a 6-hour day, and get time and a half or double time for overtime. San Francisco operators contend that one-third of the present force of longshoremen could do the present job more quickly than all are now doing if they would really work at it.

Petroleum Administrator Ickes estimates that military needs require at least 27,000 new oil wells during 1945.

The war has given strong impetus to long-range weather forecasting. The U. S. Weather Bureau eventually expects to make regular forecasts over a 10-day period, and to plot general trends over longer periods. This will be of great benefit to farmers, vegetable and fruit growers and cattlemen, as well as to industry and trade, aviation, shipping, railroads, public utilities, and the public in general.

Before the war the U. S. had only a few hundred aviation weather stations. Now Army Air Forces alone operates observation stations all over the world, manned by G. I.s. Some of these stations are in lonely spots with almost no human contacts. These boys are refuting Mark Twain's remark that nobody does anything about the weather. While they don't control it, they do report the kind to be expected.

At this time Washingtonians

would welcome some sunny weather. Recently we have had a few days of springlike, cloud filtered sunshine which made farm reared desk workers here long for the pleasure of walking barefoot over freshly plowed earth.

Among visitors to my office this week were Kay Pokorny of Wichita Falls, in the Merchant Marine, Sergeants Frank B. Heath of Wichita Falls and S. K. Sampson of Decatur, stationed at Fort Belvoir, Major Charley Smith of Vernon, Captain W. Kline McGee of Wichita Falls, Private H. T. Cardwell, Jr. of Vernon and his wife of Graham, stationed at Fort Meade, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Remington of Newcastle.

IN BASIC TRAINING

Idell M. Montgomery of Munday has arrived at the Infantry Replacement Training Center at Camp Wolters to begin his basic training as an infantryman. He has been assigned to a battalion stressing rifle training.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brannon and family of Sliverton, Tom Brannon and family of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pentecuff of Waco, and Doris and Marcell Pentecuff of Texas City were here last Saturday for the funeral of Lige Brannon.

S. W. Reeves spent the week end in Lubbock, visiting with his son, Guy Reeves.

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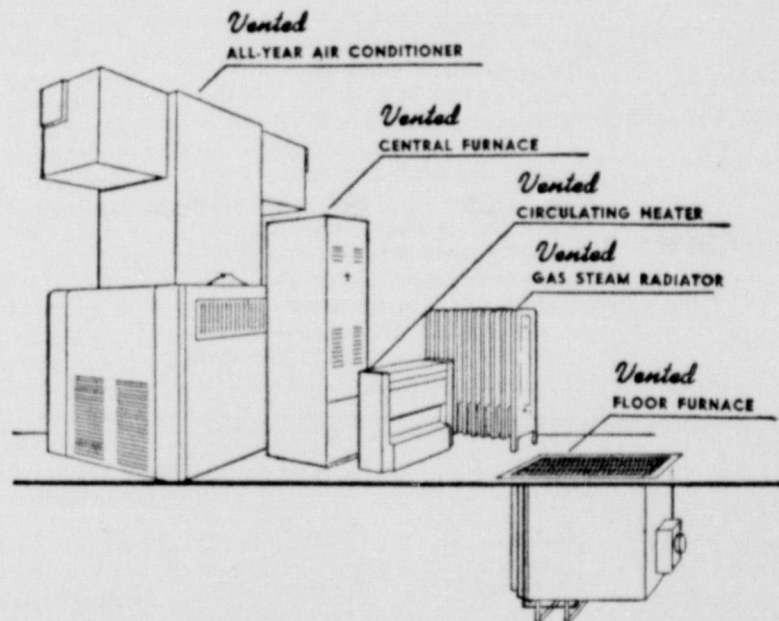
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Three Hefner Boys Have Visit; Meet In Italy

Word was received here last week that Pvt. Roy L. Norwood and Pfc. Eugene C. Sanderson, both Hefner youths, had met somewhere in Italy. After an enjoyable night together, they strolled over to a nearby camp and spent the day with another Hefner boy, Sgt. Marshall D. Steward. The three reported a very nice time together, recalling past events.

Pvt. Norwood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood of Hefner. He has been overseas 18 months and is with the field artillery forces. He has participated in several major battles.

Pfc. Sanderson is a brother-in-law of Mr. Norwood. He received his training at Camp Hood last summer, was sent to Ft. George G. Meade, Maryland, and later to England and France. He is now serving with the infantry in Italy. His wife and three sons are residing at Hefner. They are former residents of Bridgeport.

Sgt. Steward is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steward of Benjamin, former Hefner residents. He has seen action overseas for 31 months.

Where the Cameraman "Looks Pretty"



Pvt. Anne W. Byrd, Women's Army Corps, adjusts an enlarger as she prepares to make copies of visual aid maps and charts for use in soldiers' classes at Fort Knox, Ky. Photography is one of many types of jobs done by the WAC.

Sgt. Earl Peek At Hot Springs For Assignment

Sgt. Earl M. Peek, Goree, veteran of 29 months overseas combat in the Asiatic Pacific, returned to the United States in January. After spending a 22 day furlough at home he reported yesterday at the Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station in Hot Springs, Ark.

The Redistribution Station is one of the installations recently set up by the Army Services Forces' 8th Service Command to reassign service men and women who come back to the United States from the fighting fronts under the rotation program.

These returnees will stay at the station for a period of less than two weeks, during which time they will be given a thorough physical examination and their records and back pay will be brought up to date. The veterans will then be given interviews so as to reassign them to the jobs where the Army will reap the fullest benefits from their experiences and qualifications.

Quartered in four of Hot Springs' major hotels, all recently acquired by the Army, returnees enjoy a broad program of athletics, recreation and entertainment, as a respite from the arduous tasks of war. In such surroundings where the hotel's services and furnishings have been maintained, their short stay will offer every opportunity for rest, relaxation and diversion. Their military duties are arranged to occupy no more than a few hours of the day and provisions have been made so that their wives can share the hotel rooms at small expense.

Bronze Star Is Awarded To Knox Boy For Service

With the Fifth Army in Italy—Sergeant Doris M. Steward of Benjamin, Texas, recently was awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service in direct support of combat operations on the Fifth Army front in Italy.

Steward, communications sergeant of an antiaircraft artillery unit fighting under II Corps, was responsible for the installation and maintenance of telephone lines on routes under artillery fire. He often worked for 72 hours without rest to keep the lines intact.

Overseas 31 months, Steward wears three campaign stars on his European Theater Ribbon.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Steward, live in Benjamin.

He has three brothers in the service, Corporal Raymond, fighting in the Pacific Theater and Seaman Second Class Elzie and Gunner's Mate Trittschu, both at sea.

For quick results, use a Munday Times classified ad.

Baptist Workers To Meet Tuesday At Haskell Church

A workers' conference of the Haskell Baptist Association will be held next Tuesday at the First Baptist church in Haskell.

The program will open at 10:30 Tuesday morning with a song service. During the morning the following topics will be discussed:

"A Religious Sinner Won to Christ," Leo E. Davis; "A Wicked Sinner Won to Christ," T. A. Keenan; "The Dying Sinner Won to Christ," W. T. Priddy.

Following the noon lunch, a board and business meeting will be held, after which C. A. Powell will talk on the subject: "The Repentant Sinner Won to Christ."

A good representation of churches is expected for this meeting.

SALE

Household Goods and Furniture Monday, February 26-1 P. M.

New model electric stove, late model Kelvinator Moistmaster, Maple Bedroom suite, living room suite, breakfast room set, baby bed, and many other household articles.

Sale at Mrs. J. E. Patton Residence Goree, Texas

Keep Up With Rationing

REMINERS
MEATS, FATS—Red stamps Q5, R5, S5, expire March 31; Red stamps T5, U5, V5, W5, and X5, expire April 28; Red stamps Y5, Z5, and A2, B2, C2, D2, expire June 2.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps X5, Y5, Z5, and A2 and B2, expire March 31; Blue stamps C2, D2, E2, F2, and G2, expire April 28; Blue stamps H2, J2, K2, L2, and M2, expire June 2.

GASOLINE—A-14 coupons good for four gallons.
SUGAR—Stamp 34 expires Feb. 28. Stamp 35 expires June 2.

FUEL OIL—East, periods 4 become good February 5, 1945; mid-west, periods 4 and 5 become good February 5, 1945. Far west, period 4 becomes good February 5, 1945. South, periods 4 and 5 become good January 29.

SHOES—Airplane stamps 1, 2, and 3 in book three, good indefinitely.

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When you get a certificate, get the best buy for your money. . . . Goodyear.

We have the following sizes in stock, no delay in delivery, if not in stock we may have them the next day.

9-24, 10-24 and 1125-25, 10-28, 11-28 and 1125-28, 11-36, 12-36 and 13-36, 10-38, 11-38, and 12-38. These are the most popular sizes in this section.

We also have the largest stock of Truck Tires we have had in some time. Plenty of six-ply tires for pickups.

Wheels for Cars and Trucks. Plenty for the Trailers in Ford, Chevrolet and Plymouth, regular and wide rims.

We have a few recapped tires left in 16 and 17 rim sizes. These have been scarce and will not have many more.

We have just recently been made a distributor for Dodge and Plymouth trucks and will enlarge our parts stock to take care of the demand.

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Distinguished Service Cross Is Awarded To Captain Paul Stanley

The Distinguished Service Cross, except the Congressional Medal of Honor, being the highest military award of this war, has been awarded to Capt. Paul W. Stanley, a veteran of African, Sicilian and Italian action, for extraordinary heroism in action near Carano, Italy.

The medal was presented to Capt. Stanley, three times wounded in this war, on January 29 somewhere in France in an impressive ceremony by the commanding general of the Third division.

The citation read: "for extraordinary heroism in action. At 0500 hours on 25 April 1944, Capt. Stanley led his company in an annihilating attack on the enemy near Carano, Italy, known as the 'Mr. Green' operation. Under orders to overwhelm a German company, reinforced by numerous machine guns and supported by tank and artillery fire, take prisoners and then withdraw. Capt. Stanley led his men forward through heavy fire to a 300 yard advance. When the assault was retarded by intense, grazing machine gun fire, Capt. Stanley ran and crawled 75 yards to the nearest tank and directed the destruction of the machine gun nest. With shells bursting around him, he moved fearlessly along his 250 yard front, encouraging the men and pressing the attack forward.

"Knocked off his feet by a close shell burst, he picked himself up, ran to his radio operator and, still under artillery fire, directed the destruction of an enemy tank. This accomplished, he led the assault which overwhelmed the German line, captured nine prisoners, and ordered his force to withdraw. One of his platoons became disorganized under artillery and mortar concentrations and ran into a minefield. Oblivious of personal danger, Capt. Stanley dashed 100 yards through shell fire to the platoon and directed his men to a prepared gap through the mines and barbed wire. As the withdrawal proceeded, Capt. Stanley was knocked unconscious by concussion from a shell burst. When he regained consciousness, he searched the impact area for other

casualties and, though injured in his side, proceeded 350 yards through harassing artillery fire to rejoin his men and led them in completing the withdrawal. His heroism and determination made the 'Mr. Green' operation one of the brilliant, tactical successes of the Anzio Beach-head campaign."

Describing the ceremony in a letter, Stanley wrote: "Yesterday the general presented me the Distinguished Service Cross at a ceremony with my old regiment, the 20th, present. I wish you could have been there. With the band, cannon's firing, colors, etc., it was quite an affair! The snow was falling heavily but things went along well in this freezing weather."

Capt. Stanley and his brother, Pvt. Virgil Stanley, who also is in France, have not met since both were sent to France. The two met in Africa and Italy earlier. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stanley, whose home is in Munday. Their father is employed in Abilene.

IN MEMORY OF ADRON RUTLEDGE

Our dear Adron has gone and left us; gone to heaven, way up there, where pain and sorrow are no more. Oh, he is missing from us friends and loved ones, too. He was always helping others. How he suffered no one knew.

Now his suffering is all over, and in our hearts, we all thank God, who will help us bear our burdens and drive our cares away.

It is in memories of the past we will always see his smiling face, for he was always smiling; cherry words he always knew.

And for this we can always be thankful—for his help and friendly ways. But, oh, dear one, we miss you, and our hearts are sore and sad, but we know some day we will meet you, and in God we put our trust.

He left a darling wife and children, a precious gift God gave. We will try not to grieve too hard, for we know you are at ease. Sometimes it is hard to see God's reasons for leaving us here below, but we can always trust Him for we know it's for the best.

Oh, dear one, we will always miss you; in our hearts we will always grieve. But we will trust in God to help us, 'till we meet in heaven above.—Written by his mother.

Southern T-6 Fred D. Searvey came in Monday, February 19, for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Searvey, and relatives and friends. He has been stationed at the Naval Station in San Diego for the past three months and has just finished a course in Firemen's School.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cammack of Matador spent the week end here with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Cammack.

Robbie J. Hudson In North Africa

ATC, Air Base, Casablanca—Sergeant Robbie J. Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry W. Hudson, Goree, Texas, is assigned to Cazay Air Base, Casablanca, in the North African Division of the Air Transport Command.

Cazay Air Base, world's greatest airport, is the midway terminal along the all year, all weather route to Europe, Middle and Far East.

Overseas one year Sgt. Hudson is stationed within five minute drive of Casablanca, scene of the Roosevelt-Churchill conference, and he has also visited the colorful African cities of Fedala, Rabat and Mazagan.

Sgt. Hudson was employed by the Santa Fe railroad at Amarillo prior to his entering the armed forces in April 1943. He makes his home with his parents in Goree.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jungman and Mrs. Carl Jungman and daughter, Ida Jo, were business visitors in Dallas on Wednesday.

OUR MEAT CURING VAULT WILL CLOSE ON MARCH 1st!

We will accept meat for curing in our vault up to February 28, and on March 1st the vault will be closed and no further curing accepted.

When meat on hand March 1st is cured, this vault will be converted into ice storage space. Customers are asked to bear this in mind and get their meats when they are properly cured.

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