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NEW BCD, C OF C DIRECTORS ANNOUNCED

FORMER SLATON BOY SHOWN BATHING ON GUADALCANAL

In this week's Life magazine is an attention compelling photograph of a group of American soldiers bathing on a beach near Guadalcanal. The soldier standing in relief at the very front of the picture was identified by Charles Roberts, fireman on the Santa Fe, as his brother, Harold S. Roberts.

Another brother of Harold is James Roberts, who is a linotype operator at the Slatonite. Harold's father is Charles Roberts, Sr., of Andrews, Texas, who will be remembered by many people here as a teacher in the Slaton Public Schools. Harold attended school here at the time his parents lived here.

The photograph of the men on Guadalcanal was reproduced in the Lubbock Morning Avalanche last Wednesday and was also shown in many other daily papers over the nation.



OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

AMARILLO ARMY Air Field—Sammy E. Finley brother of Bay Finley, Rt. 2, Box 173, Slaton has begun an intensive course of study in aviation mechanics at this Army Air Field, one of the newest schools in the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command.

He will spend several months at this great mechanics' school, and upon graduation will be sent to one of Uncle Sam's air bases, there to do his part in keeping America's "Flying Fortresses" harassing the Axis. In addition to mechanical training, his course here will include army discipline and courtesy, military drill and physical exercise to put him in the peak of condition.

Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.—Pvt. Thomas Q. Porter, 254 North Sixteenth Street, Slaton Texas who

recently entered military service, has arrived at the Engineer Replacement Training Center here for an intensive training program in preparation for combat engineering duty.

Training will include basic subjects like close and extended order drill, manual of arms, rifle marksmanship and combat principles as well as the functions of military engineering—use of tools and equipment, building of fixed and floating bridges, demolitions and construction of roads and obstacles. Soldiers go from here to tactical units or to special training or officer candidate schools.

SHEPPARD FIELD.—Pvt. William E. Stringer, son of Edward A. Stringer, of Delia, Texas, has graduated from an intensive course in aviation mechanics and now is prepared to blast the Axis.

Sheppard Field, near Wichita Falls, is one of the many schools in the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command which trains the specialist technicians who maintain our bombers and fighter planes in perfect combat condition. He now is eligible to become crew chief on a bomber and to win a rating as corporal or sergeant.

Before entering the school, he was trained at one of the basic training centers of the Air Forces Technical Training Command and learned to fight the Axis with other things besides the tools of his trade. Men trained by the Command are adept in the art of protection and offense as well as repair.

Roland Anderson, pharmacist mate in the United States Navy, has been a visitor at the home of his father, Claude Anderson. Roland reports that he likes his work in the Navy and is getting some good experience.

Floyd R. Swagerty, a former Slaton boy has attained the Battalion championship in light heavy weight boxing. While in previous

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DAVIS, KENNEY, SEWELL, CROW, KAVANAUGH WIN

Switch Engine And Freight Train In Collision

In the collision between a switch engine and a freight train last Monday morning about one mile north of Slaton the caboose of the freight train and one box car were burned, two box cars almost demolished and turned over and the switch engine turned over and torn loose from the tender.

At the time of the collision, three men were in the engine, two of whom jumped just before the impact and the engineer rode the engine down. The collision occurred at about three o'clock Monday morning and the Slaton fire department was called to fight the fire and used water supplied by switch engines and tank cars from the Santa Fe wells. Most of the wreckage was cleared away Monday. The collision caused only minor delay in train traffic schedules.

SPECIAL MESSAGES TO BE GIVEN

Rev. C. J. McCarty, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Lubbock, will deliver a message over KFYO, beginning at 2:15 each Sunday throughout the month of February.

Man From This Section Killed In Action Awarded Purple Heart

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Luman have received a Purple Heart Decoration from the War Department, in honor of their son, Aaron W. Luman, who showed Bravery in Action and who was killed in defense of his country on November 8th.

Aaron W. Luman was a 4th grade Technician and was 31 years of age at the time of his death. His parents live 6 miles west of Slaton.

Has Operation

Reports late Thursday from a Lubbock hospital where Dr. W. E. Howard underwent a mastoid operation last Tuesday afternoon, were that he is rapidly improving. Dr. W. E. Payne of Slaton assisted in the operation.

William Howard Introducing

A son, William Howard, Jr., was born Tuesday, February 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoffman, in Douglas, Arizona. He weighed 8 lbs. and 11 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman formerly lived in Slaton.

Methodist Youth To Give Play

The members of the Methodist League of Slaton have been rehearsing under the direction of Mrs. H. C. Gordon for a two act play to be given at the High School Auditorium on the nights of February 18 and 19.

The title of the play will be "First Day of School", and the cast will be made up of members of the League and some of the adults of the church.

If you want a good laugh and wish to help the members of the League to redecorate their chapel by all means come to the "First Day of School."

The votes cast for new Directors of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce at the banquet held on Jan. 26th, were counted Tuesday night at the regular meeting of the B. C. D. and C. of C. The five men who received the largest number of votes were as follows: W. T. Davis, O. D. Kenney, O. O. Crow, W. R. Sewell and M. S. Kavanaugh.

All five men have accepted and will become Directors of the organizations at the next meeting on February 23rd, at which time new officers will be elected.

Briggs Robertson was appointed at the meeting last Tuesday night to be Secretary-Manager for the Slaton C. of C. and B. C. D. for the next twelve months and means to bring Slaton before the proper authorities as a prospective site for an Alcohol Plant were discussed and tabled until the next meeting.

The five new Directors represent a wide range of experiences in the business world. Mr. Davis operates the W. T. Davis Gin, one of the largest Gins on the South Plains. O. D. Kenney is manager and owner of a large Automobile and Tractor Parts Company. O. C. Crow is a member of the firm of Crow-Harral Chevrolet Co., W. R. Sewell is Cashier of the Citizens State Bank, and M. S. Kavanaugh is Superintendent of the Slaton Independent Schools.

TAX MEN TO VISIT HERE

A letter from the Treasury Department at Dallas to the Slatonite stated that Deputy Collectors Men M. Hawkins and Fred L. Merrick will be at the Post Office on February 19th, 1943, from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., to render assistance with income tax problems to any who desire it. This will be the only visit that can be made to your city before the end of the current filing period on March 15, 1943.

As personal exemptions for single persons has been lowered to \$500 and married couples to \$1200.00 per year, there are very few individuals who will not have to make returns. Those wishing help in figuring returns should make plans to contact one of these deputies on the days given above.

U. S. O. LOOTED

The Slaton Police, the Santa Fe Watchman and most of the women of Slaton are looking for the meanest thief on the South Plains, the one who broke in a back window at the U. S. O. rooms in the former Harvey House building and took about \$12.00 in silver, 5 cartons of cigarettes, some stamps and 5 cartons of candy.

The theft occurred some time Thursday night Feb 4th, and left the women with very little to offer the transient service men who stop over here.

W. M. CATES FAMILY LEAVE FOR NEW HOME

Mrs. W. M. Cates and daughters, Corinne, Carolyn and Charlotte, are leaving Monday to join Mr. Cates in their new home in Los Angeles, California. Mrs. Cates and girls plan to spend some time with Louis Cates and Mrs. Cates' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bordenkischer, in Oklahoma, before going on to California.

Two Mexican Boys Under Arrest Here

Two Mexican youths are in the Slaton City jail, charged with taking mail from a box in the Slaton Post Office, after Postmaster Scudder and Dave Sanders set a trap for them.

One of the boys admitted having taken the key when J. T. Osborne left it in his box several weeks ago. Since then, Mr. Osborne has

SLATON DEFENSE GUARD CAN ACCEPT 35 NEW ENLISTMENTS

Co. C, 39th Battalion of Texas Defense Guard, is now participating in a state wide intensive military training program designed to familiarize men with all military fundamentals. The instruction, equipment and training program enables the enlistee to receive at home the same training that is given in the Army.

All equipment is furnished by the War Department, there being no expense to the individual soldier.

The local Company is now commanded by Capt. Wm. R. Sewell, who was transferred to this command from Co. D at Levelland,

Slaton Man Working Hard To Give Ration Service Here

Referring to the Salute to him published by the merchants and business men of Slaton in this paper on January 29th, in which the merchants expressed their appreciation for the work that is being accomplished for the rationing program through the leadership of Mr. Briggs Robertson, the Secretary to the Slaton Chamber of Commerce has sent us the following letter:

A. M. Jackson
Slaton, Texas
Dear Friend:

JIM ELLIOTT RETIRES AS MANAGER OF UTILITY CO.

Jim Elliott, who has been the manager of the local Electric Power and Light Company for the past 23 years, announced this week that he is retiring from active service with the Southwestern Public Service Co.

Jim, who has been in the Utility business for the past 40 years, came to Slaton to help construct the Slaton Independent Power & Light Co., and has been the manager of the property since it was taken over by the Texas Utilities Co., later the Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co., and now The Southwestern Public Service Co.

During his long residence in Slaton, Jim has made many friends. He will continue to make Slaton his home.

W. L. Pearson, now local manager of the Southwestern Public Service Co., in Lubbock, will take over the duties of Manager of the



JIM ELLIOTT

Slaton office on March 1st.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ABOUT GASOLINE CREDITS

Q. What credit is affected by this Directive?

A. Credit in connection with the sale of any petroleum product by or through any retail outlet.

Q. What is meant by retail outlet?

A. Retail outlet is defined as any place of business where motor fuel is sold at retail, including, but not limited to, any place of business where motor fuel is delivered into the fuel supply tanks of motor vehicles or motor boats.

Q. What is included in the term, "petroleum products"?

A. The term "petroleum products" is not defined in the Directive, but would include gasoline, lubrication oil, grease, kerosene, and any other product of petroleum.

Q. Does this Order affect credit arrangements of farmers and others buying gasoline at bulk plants?

A. This is strictly a filling station or retail outlet credit directive and does not interfere with any credit in connection with wholesale or bulk deliveries.

Q. When did the directive be-

come effective?

A. The directive became effective commencing February 1, 1943.

Q. Who is affected by the Order?

A. The Order provides that no person shall, directly or indirectly grant or accept or participate in granting or accepting of credit in connection with the sale of any petroleum product by or through any retail outlet.

Are there any exceptions contained in the Order?

A. Yes, there are three specific exceptions and one general exception: (a) Sales of petroleum products to the United States, any State, Territory of the United States or any political subdivision of the foregoing, or the District of Columbia; for its exclusive use; (b) For use in motor boats for commercial purposes; (c) For use in motor vehicles displaying "T" ration stickers.

The general exception is that nothing in this Order should be deemed to prohibit the use or distribution of coupon or script books when sold for cash.

Q. Where and how are script

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OUR WHOSIT DEPARTMENT



Last weeks Whosit brought a large number of answers all of them were different except two. After investigation we have awarded the pass to the Palace Theatre to Mrs. W. T. Driver who reported early Friday that the little fellow who posed with the puppies was her nephew, Bird Thomas Slater. The picture was taken 11 years ago according to Mrs. Driver and young Mr. Slater now lives at Hico, Texas.

He was a prodigy child and could do all kinds of things at that age and the photograph was published for that reason. One other person identified the child as the Slater boy, one woman reported it to be Bug Guinn when he was a boy and another that it was a photograph of a young fellow by the name of Young.

We awarded the pass to Mrs. Driver because she was the first to turn in that identification and the Slater boy was the only one to be twice identified.

This week we have a group of enthusiastic looking young women who were evidently looking for the birdie to hop out of the camera. To the first person to identify the largest number of these young ladies will receive a pass to the Palace Theatre.

Scout Entertainment And Ceremony Attracts Large Attendance

In one of the most successful Scouting entertainments ever held in Slaton, the Potluck Supper given February 8th at the Club House, over 150 Scouts, Cub Scouts and parents and friends of the Scouts turned out. Paul Stevens acted as Toastmaster and song leader, the invocation was given by Lurly Nesbitt, Scoutmaster of Troop 28. The Candle Lighting Advancement Ceremony for Cub Scouts was held under the direction of W. T. Cherry, Cubmaster, and the awards were as follows:

Carl Lewis, Jr., Wolf, Wolf Gold,

Wolf Silver; Clark Self, Jr., Wolf; Wolf Gold, Wolf Silver; Wyman Richey, Wolf; Glyndon Dawson, Wolf; Jimmy Cherry, Lion Silver; Davey Kenney, Lion; Jim Porter, Bear; Bear Gold, Bear Silver; Alton Kenney, Bear; Johnnie McCormick, Lion; Joe Davis, Bobcat.

The Court of Honor for Boy Scouts was presided over by G. T. Baldwin, Chairman of the Slaton Court of Honor. Awards were made to the following Scouts:

Merit Badge for Carpentry, Harold Culver; Carpentry, Weldon Collins; Book Binding, Wayne Brown; Second Class Badge, Bobby Conner; Second Class Badge, Wayne Brown; Tenderfoot Badge, Roscoe Champion.

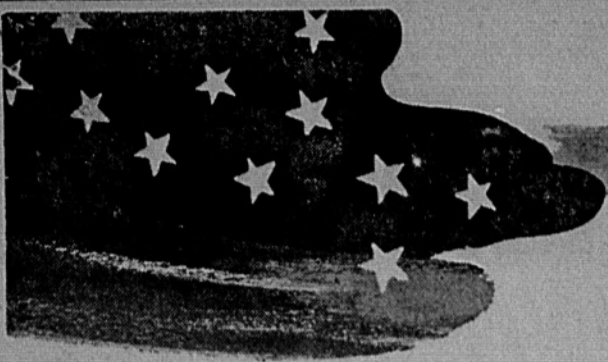
Tenderfoot Awards for Troop 28 were: Welker McDonald, W. A. Sikes, Jr., Joe Ferrell Elston, Don John Crow, Everett Kenney, Claude L. Ward, Eddie Lee Huff, John Zimmerman, Wayne Kenney. Second Class Awards were: W. A. Sikes, Jr., Everett Kenney.

Salute to the Flag was led by Patrol Leader John L. Gordon. An Investiture Ceremony was held for Tenderfoot Scouts, in charge of J. Lurly Nesbitt. Troop 29, under the direction of Scoutmaster E. J. Brock, gave an exhibition on First Aid, which was led by Roscoe Champion. Short talks were given by L. B. Hagerman, John Hannah and G. M. Unger, Scout Executive from Lubbock, who is in charge of South Plains Council, B. S. A. Program closed with "Taps" and Scoutmaster Benediction led by Mr. Unger.

MINISTER AND WIFE HOLDING MEETINGS



Reverend Welton Parrish, Pastor of the Four Square Gospel Church, and his wife have been serving services at their home at 1st Panhandle Street while the church is being constructed on Texas Avenue. Rev. Parrish is the son of the late Sneator Pink L. Parrish.



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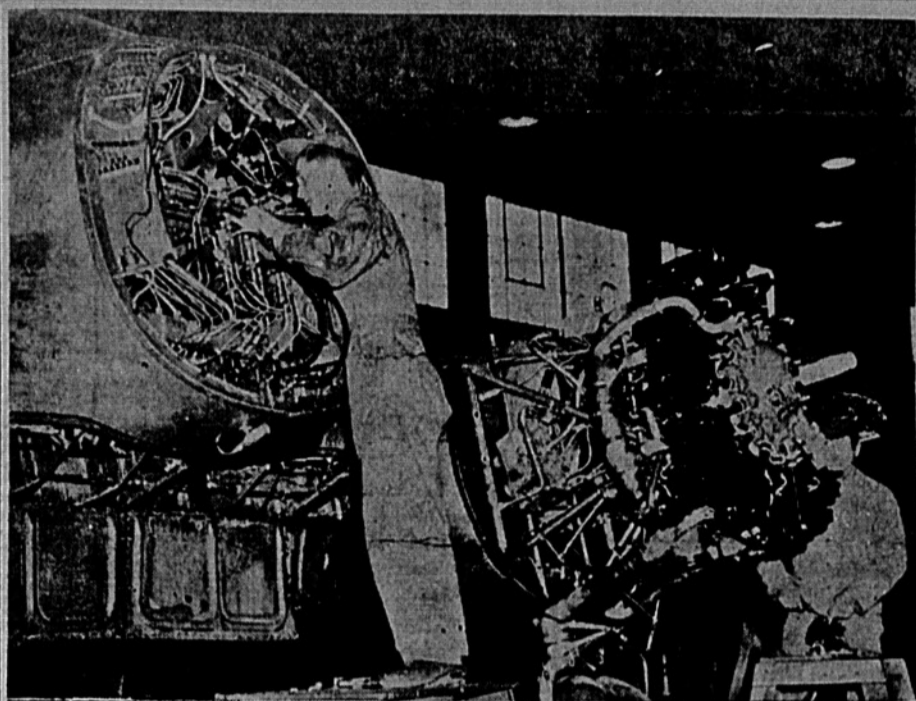
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"Inspection," shown in the top picture is thorough at the Lubbock Army Flying School and the planes are carefully checked. On the left is an instrument man checking the hundreds of wires, fuses and other items which lead to the instrument panel; to the right is a mechanic checking one of the twin-engine motors. In the lower picture are a few of the dozens of men in the unit personnel section, working at night to keep the records straight.

Helen of Scagravas happened to be here spending the week, and Dorothy, who is in training at West Texas Hospital came home with her brother. Other Sunday guests of the August Beckers were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jocketz and children of Slaton.

Sgt. Billy Lester, son of the Clem Lesters of Hackberry has recently been transferred from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to a camp in Virginia.

Pvt. Morvelle Denton is back in training at Camp Callan, California, after hospitalization of one year and fourteen days. His brother Roy, of Camp Haan, Calif., is visiting his sister in Santa Barbara, and will leave soon for desert maneuvers.

Pfc. Henry (Babe) King arrived here last Tuesday night.

Howard Smith is now back in service after spending three months in a hospital in New Guinea because of malarial fever, yellow jaundice and an infected finger.

Pfc. and Mrs. Bobbie Leakes, of Pampa were Wednesday visitors of the John Leakes. Bobbie is now supervisor of the Cadet Mess Hall.

Kenneth Rackler was in foreign service when he was thrown from a horse and his shoulder broken. He is now in San Francisco for an operation. His brother nario, who is stationed at McAllister, Okla. is now home on a 12 day furlough.

Pfc. Wilburn and Wilburn Cash are both in the Post Office Dept. stationed at San Bernardino, Cal. Milburn is employed in the distributing room and Wilburn in the assorting room at headquarters.

Carlos Wagoner who had not been heard from in several weeks, sent a letter to his mother on Monday.

Bruce Payton is in the radio Division in San Diego. Harold Pickens is in the Navy there.

St. Sgt. Shalon Carson was transferred from SPAFS Lubbock to Victorville, Calif.

Mrs. J. M. Carley and daughters of Lubbock spent Monday here with her daughter, Mrs. Dan Stewart and son.

Marie Lange of Bartlett came Wednesday to spend a week with Myrtle Wilke. Both girls will then visit friends in Missouri.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Mabry and grandson, Tommie of Lorenzo, visited the W. P. Lesters, C. H.

1804 Enroll

DENTON, Texas, Feb. 12—With registration standing at 1804, North Texas State saw its spring enrollment holding up well with new wartime defense courses attracting many students.

Because of the loss of both men and women collegians who have left school to join the various branches of the armed service or to go into industry, enrollment on the whole is down a total of 507 from that at the beginning of the fall semester, the largest drop being in the liberal arts field.

Those departments which offer courses of special importance in war times showed a tendency to hold up in the number of enrollment.

Lesters, and H. C. Whites Sunday. Other week end guests of the Whites were Mr. and Mrs. Kelly White of Portales.

Coach Lyle Brasfield took his senior basketball boys to the Open Tournament at Tahoka Friday. In their first game, James Fields, Leroy Voigt, Billy George Kelly, Wesley Scott and Billy White defeated Drau 35-7. In the final game, the same boys, with Jack West taking the place of Billy George Kelly were victorious 21-20 over New Home.

At the party on Billy Roy Williams fifth birthday, Carolyn Lee Walker gave a reading, "Horrors" and games were played. Refreshment plates contained valentines with suckers, banana cake, ice cream and peanuts. The guests were: Richard, Teddy, and Dot Jackson, Ronald, Ross and E. L. Dunn, LeRoyce Loveless, Mary Lou Field, Karen, Jerry and Donald Pennell Jr., Shirley Ann Bedford, Shirley Taylor, Sue Lancaster, George and Donetta Ellis, Rodney and Carolyn Walker, Aaron McNeece, Carlton Davies, Jo-Jo Harmonson, and Elton Truelock.

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ees despite the drop in general enrollment. Courses which have been designed purely for war training have high registration, with women students taking the place of men who have left the college.

Especially high enrollments was shown in the industrial arts department, the mathematics department, the science department, and in a new foreign language course, Portuguese.

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More About Income Tax Regulations

A single person, or a married person not living with husband or wife, is entitled to a personal exemption of \$1200 for the year if he can qualify as head of a family. A head of family is "an individual who actually supports and maintains in one household one or more individuals who are closely connected with him by blood relationship. Relationship by marriage or by adoption, and whose right to exercise family control and provide for these dependent individuals is based upon some moral or legal obligation."

Examples of head of family status would be a widower or widow who maintained a home for a dependent child, or a son who supported and maintained a household for a dependent father or mother. In order to meet the test of actual support and maintenance as head of a family, the benefactor must furnish more than one-half of the support and maintenance.

The term "in one household" ordinarily means under one roof, but if a father is absent on business or a child or other dependent is away at school, or on a visit, the common home being still maintained, the head of family exemption would still apply. Where a parent is obliged to maintain his dependent children with relatives or in a boarding house while he lives elsewhere, the additional exemption may still apply. If, however, with out necessity, the dependent continuously makes his home elsewhere, his benefactor is not the head of a family irrespective of the question of support.

The term "closely connected by blood relationship" applies to a person's progenitors and lineal descendants, to his brothers or sisters whether by the whole or half blood, and to his uncles, aunts, nephews, and nieces. Irrespective of any legal obligation of the taxpayer to support such dependent relatives, a moral obligation to do so exists, and if the individual is actually supporting and maintaining in one household relatives of this degree he is entitled to head of family exemption.

A taxpayer is considered to be "closely connected by marriage" with his step-sisters and step-brothers, but whether his right to ex-

ercise family control and provide for these individuals is based upon some moral or legal obligation must be decided upon the facts in the particular case. The same considerations apply to the status of a taxpayer because of support furnished to his father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, and sister-in-law. First cousins by blood, and cousins of lesser degree, are not regarded as so "closely connected by blood relationship," as to give rise to a head of family exemption.

A legal guardian who may maintain and support in his home a dependent ward is not entitled to the personal exemption as head of a family if the ward was not connected with him by relationship of blood, marriage, or adoption; nor is a taxpayer entitled to exemption as head of a family by virtue of maintenance and support of a child not legally adopted.

Southland News

Virginia King, Correspondent

The women of Southland, Hackberry, Pleasant Valley, Morgan, and Gordon will meet at the Baptist Church Monday Feb. 22, to sew stars on the Service flag. Thirty five names have been turned in and 100 stars are now sewed on.

2nd Lt. Garth Thomas and his wife arrived Monday for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Thomas.

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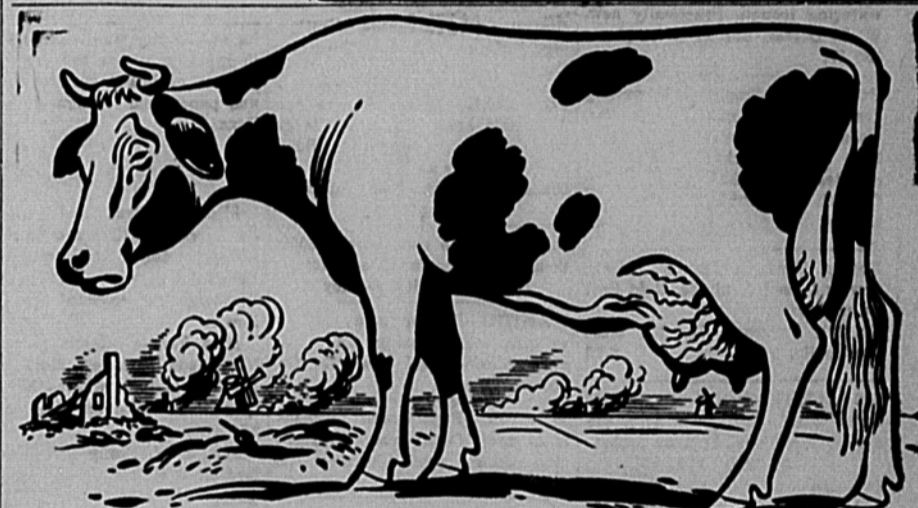
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TWO MEXICAN — — — (Continued on Page 4)

missed a number of packages and valuable letters which he reported to the Postmaster. A large piece of cardboard attached to a dummy package enabled Postmaster Scudder and Mr. Sanders to capture the Mexican boys in the act of taking the package Wednesday evening. Charlie Yates took the boys in charge and recovered most of the mail. Federal authorities are expected to arrive soon to take charge of the boys who are about sixteen years of age. The boys and their parents have resided in Slaton for many years.

Oil Production Is On Increase

Increased oil production is almost certain during 1943, and Texas, as both a producer and refiner of petroleum, will be called upon for a share of the increase, Elmer H. Johnson, industrial geographer with the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, predicts.

Current national output of oil is a little under four million barrels a day, Johnson pointed out, but a recent report to the Petroleum Industry War Council forecasts for the last part of this year an increase of more than a half-million barrels.

Oil refinery operations already constitute Texas' largest manufacturing industry, Johnson explained and war demands upon the industry have been steadily growing heavier. In addition to the tremendous expansion in production of high octane gasoline, oil refineries have been asked to produce such synthetics as toluol for high explosives, butadiene and styrene for synthetic rubber.

"Natural gas is coming to be recognized as a vital product also," Johnson asserted. "Considerable quantities of Texas gas are piped outside the state, even into Mexico. Natural gas as an industrial fuel is of growing importance, and its availability was a large factor in bringing plants for the manufacture of heavy chemicals, pulp and paper, and magnesium to Texas."

PERSONALS

Miss Jean Evans and Miss Eunice Florence will leave tomorrow afternoon for a week end visit in Brownwood, where Lt. James S. Florence is stationed at Camp Bowie.

Miss Fannie Castleberry and Miss Veda Park left Monday for Ft. Des Moines, where they will take their basic training in the WAAC's.

Mrs. J. W. Fralin and Miss Arlene Gant of Ft. Worth have been guests in the Claud Anderson home.

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Prepare Spring Gardens Now

COLLEGE STATION—If home gardens are ready, especially in the south half of the state, there are a number of vegetables which can be planted now, says J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist for the A and M College Extension Service.

Select a plot for the garden away from trees and shrubs where roots will not deprive growing vegetables of moisture and plant food. Remove seed and grass after spading or plowing, leaving the earth well-pulverized.

Make sure of good drainage in areas of heavy rainfall and plant on ridges six to ten inches high. In dry sections plant at surrounding ground level. For a garden 10 by 20 feet about 200 pounds of rotted stable manure should be spaded or plowed into the soil. For a half acre two or three wagonloads should be used. In areas of ample rainfall and sandy soil a 4-12-4 commercial mixture gives good results when mixed with the soil at the same time the rows are prepared at the rate of three to five pounds per hundred row feet. Do this five to seven days before planting seed.

February plantings should include English peas, cabbage and onion plants, Rosborough says. The peas should be planted 2 to 2-1/2 inches deep in the richest soil available. Good varieties include Little Marvel, Knott's Excelsior and Thomas Laxton. Set cabbage plants a foot apart in the row and onions three inches apart. Charleston Wakefield and Copenhagen are good spring cabbage varieties. Beets and carrots also may be planted now. Chaunteny and Danver's

Half Long are quick-maturing carrot varieties of the best quality. Early planted beets make this iron rich vegetable available early in April. White potatoes and sweet corn can be planted late in February or in early March.

Warm season vegetables come later, but right now, Rosborough suggests, plant the early ones and keep 'em growing.

Farmers who reclaim eroded or worn-out land by planting it with forest tree seedlings will find it less expensive to buy the seedlings from public or private nurseries than to try to propagate them on the farm, according to advisers of the forest products industries which produce and plant millions of such seedlings annually.

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The former chief architect of the French government who escaped from Paris the day before the Nazis took possession, Jacques Carlu, this week lectured at the University of Texas, discussing the relationship of European and American architectural design and development. Carlu plans to settle in Texas now.

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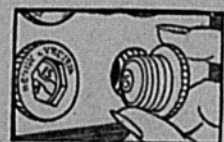
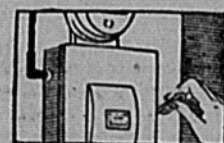
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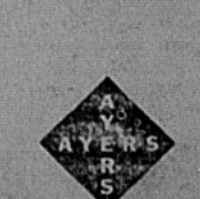
1943 Food Production Goals Announced by U. S. Dept of Agriculture

PRODUCTS	1942 Production	1943 Production	% Up	Price Support
Hogs	10,800,000,000 Pounds	13,800,000,000 Pounds	27% Up	13.25 Cwt. Chicago
Eggs	4,414,000,000 Dozen	4,780,000,000 Dozen	8% Up	Annual Av. 34c Per Dozen
Chickens	3,118,000,000 Pounds	4,000,000,000 Pounds	28% Up	90% of Purity
Turkeys	485,000,000 Pounds	560,000,000 Pounds	15% Up	90% of Purity
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Society - Clubs

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Personals

Mrs. C. E. Delaney of Ft. Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wolf and her sister Mrs. Douglas Keese.

Cpl. W. T. Ward of SPAFS Lubbock and Tech. Sgt. J. B. Ward of Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Texas, were dinner guests in the J. W. Ward home Saturday evening. Mrs. C. A. Clifton was also present.

Frank Todd has transferred from Texas Tech to North Texas State Teacher's College. Frank's mother, Mrs. R. H. Todd, has just returned from Denton, where she has been with Frank for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Shelton had two out of town guests last week; Mrs. Frank Free, Mr. Shelton's sister of California, and Mrs. A. W. Leach, Mrs. Shelton's mother of Terrell.

Mrs. W. D. Cooper and girls of Albuquerque, N. M. are visiting Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Chick" Garland.

Mrs. Les George of Los Angeles, California, returned home last Sunday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nix.

Mrs. Joe Rhoades and baby daughter, Carolyn Jo, who are with Mrs. Rhoades' mother, Mrs. Lula Caldwell, had out-of-town guests Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hall and son, Tommie, and Miss Hazel Rhoades of Lubbock; and Mrs. Roland Rhoades and son, Billy, of near Wilson.

J. L. Suits, brother of Mrs. J. D. Norris, and family of Petersburg were here visiting Sunday. Mr. Suits is the editor of the Petersburg Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Shelton of South 10 St. had as their guests for the weekend, Mrs. R. D. Shelton and sons of Amarillo.

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The marriage of Miss Juanita Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams of 2014 Ninth St., Lubbock, and Lt. William M. O'Brien, son of Mrs. Alice M. O'Brien, Gilmer, took place Sunday at 3:00 o'clock in the First Methodist Church with Rev. H. C. Gordon officiating.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin wedding dress with a sweetheart neckline, long torso and long sleeves with a finger tip veil of silk net. For "something old" she wore a lavalier set with three diamonds that her mother wore at her wedding. She carried a blue chiffon handkerchief for "something blue" and her bouquet was of white gardenias surrounded by sweet peas.

Members of the bridal party were Miss Geneva Eubank, Maid of Honor, Miss Mary Lou Gordon, and Miss Viola Day. The girls wore taffeta under net and corsages. Winston O'Brien, the bridegroom's brother was best man. Bob by Williams and John Fry were ushers.

A reception was held in the Williams' home at Lubbock following the wedding. After the reception the couple left for a short wedding trip to Clovis, N. M. They will make their home in Lubbock.

The Williams family formerly resided in Slaton and Juanita graduated from Slaton High School and Texas Tech. Lt. O'Brien graduated from the University of Oklahoma.

HIGH SCHOOL HOLDS ELECTION OF FAVORITES

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DEMONSTRATION CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Slaton Home Demonstration Club will meet Wednesday Feb. 17 at 2:30 at the Club House.

Miss Clara Pratt, Home Demonstration Agent will attend this meeting and all members are urged to be there.

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Mrs. S. A. Peavy In Charge Of Aux. Program

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met Monday afternoon at 3:00 in the home of Mrs. K. L. Scudder. Mrs. H. E. Howard gave the devotion on "Loyalty to Christ Through the Power of the Holy Spirit."

Mrs. S. A. Peavy was in charge of the program entitled "The Supreme Stewardship". A business meeting was conducted and the officers for the following year were elected. Ten members were present.

RED CROSS MAKING DRIVE FOR OLD CLOTHES

The local Red Cross is making an urgent appeal to people in and around Slaton for old shirts and clothes to be made into children's clothing.

During the absence of Mrs. McKee, Mrs. J. G. West will be production manager.

Next week's chairmen are: Monday, Mrs. Gus Seal and Mrs. Chas. Whalen, Tuesday, Mrs. R. H. Todd and Mrs. W. R. Lovett, Wednesday, Mrs. W. R. Florence and Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

Shower Honoring Mrs. Hallman Given At Slaton Club House

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Winifred Hallman, the former Fern Wheatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wheatley of Slaton, was given Friday February 5, at 8 p. m. at the Slaton Club House.

Mrs. W. H. Proctor, dressed as a Spanish Senora, greeted guests at the door after which they registered in a Spanish type brides book presided over by Miss Thelma Joe Felton. The book was painted especially for Fern and Winifred by Mrs. Johnny Tunnell and lay on a table decorated with cactus and beautiful hand made zarapes.

Rolled sandwiches, nuts and hot chocolate on a pottery plate with a little Spanish man as plate favors were served by Senorita Billie Lively. The plate favors were hand painted by Mrs. T. K. Martin. The refreshment table was covered with a red and white check linen cloth. The center piece was of fruit, Spanish gourds, and Spanish and Indian jugs. To complete the South American idea through out the room cactus, grasses, jugs, baskets, zarapes, and Indian rugs were arranged.

Miss Donna Sanner rendered piano selections during the evening. Miss Mariam Gordon was mistress of ceremonies and was dressed as a Spanish senorita. "For Me and My Gall" was sung by Mrs. C. O. Clifton and Mrs. John Cosgrove, also dressed in Spanish costumes. "Men" was read by Miss Mary Ann Schmidt, followed by "He Met Her on Monday" and "Conechita" sung by Mesdames Clifton and Cosgrove. Miss Viola Martin gave a reading com-

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UHD Club Meets In Griffin Home

"Food Will Win the War", was discussed at the Union Home Demonstration Club, which met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. L. Griffin.

Members present were Mesdames F. A. Nelson, Spencer Brewer, R. M. Cade, T. L. Pettersen, Ray Pierce, H. M. Cade, Otho Doyle, C. D. Tapp and W. F. Doyle and one guest Mrs. Floy Gaddy.

The Club will have a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. R. M. Cade March 4.

MISS CLARA PRATT TALKS TO H. D. CLUB

The Posey Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. S. N. Gentry. Miss Clara Pratt, County Home Demonstration Agent explained to the group how millions of working hours that are lost in our country every month could be saved by eating the right kind of food.

A covered dish luncheon was served and Red Cross work started.

The club members surprised Mrs. O. R. Patterson, their retiring president, with a handkerchief shower.

Those present were Mesdames Benton Patterson, L. K. Hart, Wesley Gentry, Lewis Melcher, J. I. Cranfill, Ott Earl Patterson, F. T. Sager, J. M. Shafer, O. R. Patterson, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. M. Shafer.

New Tricks in Making Ice Cream



HERE'S a recipe for homemade ice cream in keeping with the times! It doesn't require the whipping cream ordinarily used, and the sugar content is cut almost to nothing by substituting glassed light syrup. The finished product is an unusual flavor combination and quite as tasty as any refrigerator ice cream you've ever made.

A cup of ordinary cream may be whipped easily if a tablespoon of lemon juice is added. Although the addition of lemon juice naturally produces a slightly acid flavor, it is not noticeable in the finished ice cream.

To make one refrigerator tray of Ice Cream: soak 1 teaspoon gelatin in 1 cup milk for five minutes. Scald mixture over low heat. Stir until gelatin is dissolved. Remove from heat and add 1-4 cup sugar, 3 tablespoons glassed syrup (red label) and 1-8 teaspoon salt. Blend well, chill until mixture is slightly thickened. Add 1 tablespoon lemon juice to 1 cup ordinary cream and whip until stiff. Fold chilled milk mixture into whipped cream. Add 1-2 teaspoon vanilla extract and mix well. Turn into freezing tray of refrigerator and freeze. Stir thoroughly as soon as mixture appears to be slightly frozen around edges of tray and again as soon as entire surface has begun to freeze over. Serve in sherbet glasses, decorating with cherry if desired.

Mrs. Holloman Art Exhibit Entertains WCS

The Women's Society of Christian Service had its weekly meeting Monday afternoon at 3:00 in the home of Mrs. W. L. Holloman. Mrs. Charlie Walton had charge of the program, and Mrs. H. C. Gordon gave the devotion. Refreshments were served to 10 members. The monthly social meeting will be next Monday at 3:00 in the home of Mrs. Minnie Smith with Mrs. M. W. King as assistant hostess.

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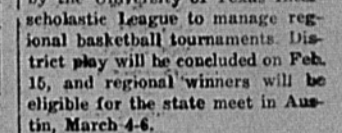
Five Year Old Buying Bonds

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Brewer, who live near Slaton, are very much pleased with their five year old grand son Alton Hall who has bought two War Bonds that he has paid for with money he has made at odd jobs. Alton who is a bright little fellow is hustling to buy his third bond.

week in the window and will continue until all members have exhibited.

Pictures that have been shown so far are the works of Mrs. W. S. Bradshaw, Mrs. T. K. Martin, Mrs. J. R. McAtee, Mrs. J. D. Barry, Mrs. W. H. Dawson and Mrs. C. F. Anderson.

New emergency regional executive committees are being set up by the University of Texas Inter-scholastic League to manage regional basketball tournaments. District play will be concluded on Feb. 15, and regional winners will be eligible for the state meet in Austin, March 4-6.



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JUST TALK
by
A. M. J.

By driving up and down back alleys and through reports whose sources I must keep secret for fear of giving information to the enemy I have dependable figures that at least two women in Slaton have called their old fashioned bloomers back into service and according to my estimate there is one who had a pair on her clothes line unless what I saw was a pink wagon sheet that had been torn down the middle.

With conditions being what they are I would not be surprised to see such things as hot biscuit, corn pone, fascinators, oak furniture, cotton rib stockings, cane bottom chairs and glassys, come back into style again along with the old-fashioned wing proof bloomers and I want to take off my hat and bow with respect to the women who have sense enough to keep warm these days in such sensible garments. As to myself I took a nose dive to the bottom of an old trunk when that last cold spell hit and dug out two pairs of long handed underwear that I wore when Harding was elected President. They are extra snug around the hypotenuse but make up for the tightness there by giving me extra room where my chest should be and around my shafts making them uncomfortable to sit down in but giving me great relief when I stand up which is good for me as I have been sitting down too much of lately anyway.

Perhaps some folks who have arrived upon the scene since the development of paper napkins, bobbed hair and electric refrigerators will not know what glassys were and I would like to explain that they were far more delicious than ice cream cones or double rich malted milks. You could get them only in an old fashioned country grocery store where they kept hams in yellow canvas covering hanging from the ceiling. They were made by scraping ice off the big hunk in the old fashioned refrigerator with a rusty little box affair. You selected your flavor from an array of bottles filled with colored liquids. One was a flaming red, another a bilious yellow and another a sea sick green. The red was supposed to be strawberry, the yellow lemon and I have yet to discover what the green was supposed to represent but take it from me, a glassy was something worth walking miles over corn rows to get on a hot summer day.

Hugh Adair has it all figured out that the war will last for at least three years longer. K. C. Scott says he will buy me a new hat if it is over by the end of this year, as I predicted, and Harry Stokes says that he has not decided whether a man goes like I am because he goes into the newspaper business or goes into the newspaper business because I am like

I am. But just the same I am sticking to my guns and I still think that Shicklegruber and his friends will be polished off before we start writing 1944 on our correspondence.

Every Sunday evening for the past two weeks I have looked out into our back yard at the pile of worm eaten lumber scraps, the sway-backed clothes line and a couple of old corn stalks that never had an ear of corn on them and plan what I am going to plant in my garden this spring. My wife says she does not want a lot of staff she will have to can and I don't want a lot of stuff I'll have to dig so I think I'll plant butter beans, squash and turnips. The butterbeans will grow on the fence and I won't have to stoop over to gather them, neither one of us will eat squash so I can just let them grow and not worry about them at all and perhaps this will be a bad year for turnips. Last year I planted nothing but corn and tomatoes. The corn turned out a failure, as I hoped it would, but the doggone tomatoes swamped us and the neighbors would not even come over and gather them my back tied into a double and when I went out and got bow knot scooping them up to offer to Leonard Herral and to J. H. Brewer they both accepted them with a suspicious glint in their eyes as if I intended seeing them for a big advertisement in the Slatonite and I could tell that they were making up some extra good excuses right then but leave them just the same. If you read the Slatonite last year you may have seen those extra nice ads on insurance and what to do to your car in case it developed influenza or something.

Mariam Gordon has taken over the mysterious duties as Society editor of the Slatonite formerly performed by Miss Frances Crowther. Mariam is big eyed at some of the complicated ways we go at grinding out the good, bad and just common run of news in the paper and stands ready to go through the front door whether it is closed or not should the newspaper press blow up when we start it on Wednesday afternoon. Should you see a young woman go by with flying tresses and an expression like someone who had seen a raven it will most likely be Mariam and you can bet that the rock crashes at the Slatonite has had another bad day and is not doing its printing job well.

There are a good many signs of spring such as Mayor Teague counting noses for the City Election, women wearing queer looking things on their heads, men out swinging golf clubs at imaginary balls, a few brave golfers on the links, Briggs Robertson with a pair of snappy whitish colored sport shoes, the few remaining old dodgers standing on the corner watching the women make the windy corners, the fruit trees swelling and getting ready to get frost bitten. Ray Ayers taking business trips here and there where his relatives live and boys flying kites.

Santa Fe CHIEF TOPICS

Dr. Julius H. Parmelee of Washington D. C., director of the Bureau of Railroad Economics of the Association of American Railroads testified today before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington at a hearing on the petition of the Office of Price Administration and other Government Agencies for elimination of the increase in railroad rates authorized early in 1942. Dr. Parmelee who appeared in support of the retention of the rates said in part: "Railroad of the United States are rendering more service to the country than ever before. Since war began in Europe in 1939 demands upon them have more than doubled. In 1942 the railroads rendered 1-3 more freight service and 80 per cent more passenger service than in 1941. But if they had performed all this 1942 service at present wage levels, and also at present levels of taxation, prices and depreciation, the railroads would have received for this greatly increased use of their plant and equipment, with its added wear and tear, little more in net earnings than they did in the previous year.

"It is under these present price levels and conditions that the railroads must do business now and in the future. This year they will not pay federal taxes on the 1942 basis, but on the higher basis of 1943. That means an increased expense of \$306,000,000 on the volume of business done last year. This year, as material, supplies and fuel, bought in earlier years are used up and worn out in service at an increasingly rapid rate, they must be replaced with coal, oil, ties and other material and supplies bought at present higher prices. That means an increased expense of approximately \$98,000,000 on the volume of business done last year. Applying the present rate of depreciation to the property in use in 1942 means still another \$114,008,000 a year of railroad expenses.

Consolidated regulations governing all communications entering or leaving the United States have been put into effect by the U. S. Office of Censorship. They replace separate sets of regulations for postal, cable and telephone censorship, and parallel the voluntary code of wartime practices for the American press. Prohibited subjects include troop movements, weather forecasts and rumors which might give aid and comfort to the enemy.

Housewives in Texas, Oklahoma, and Louisiana sent 355,124 pounds of waste fats from their kitchens to the firing lines during November, according to a report released by General John A. Hulen, WPB region salvage manager. The Southwest region ranked less than one per cent behind the leading region in the nation. General Hulen said. The November collections amounted to 35.9 per cent of the month's quota set by WPB. Texas collected 40.9 per cent of its monthly quota; Louisiana, 32.7 per cent, and Oklahoma, 16.8 per cent of its quota.

Rationing of canned, dried, and frozen fruits and vegetables will begin on February 20. Beginning Monday, February 22, housewives will register for War Ration Book No. 2, which will allow a total of 48 'points' for each member of the family for the month of March. Stamps will have values of 8, 5, 2, and 1. If a family has more than 5 cans per person on hand, stamps will be removed from the book in proportion to their excess holdings. Official point values will be made public as soon as stocks are frozen. Registration probably will be held in local school houses and one member may register for the whole family.

Some foods need not be counted. They include canned olives, canned meat and fish, picklers, relish, jellies, jams, preserves, spaghetti, macaroni, noodles and all home-canned foods.

Twenty-nine occupations were announced as non-deferable for any reason by the Bureau of Selective Service of the WMC on Feb. 2. All occupations in an additional 19 manufacturing, 8 wholesale and retail, and 9 service activities were also called non-deferable. Any man in these occupations is advised to get into war work immediately. After April 1 he will not be deferred if he stays in his present job. Even if he has dependents, he will be drafted unless his work contributes to the war front.

Among the non-deferable occupations are everything from bootblacks to gamblers. Bartenders,

ON THE HOME FRONT

When critical labor shortages develop in the Southwest region, hiring controls and labor stabilization will be established by voluntary agreements between labor and management, Henry LeBlanc, acting deputy region director of the War Manpower Commission announced. The only current critical labor shortage in the region which includes Texas, Louisiana, and New Mexico, is in the Beaumont-Port Arthur-Orange section, Mr. LeBlanc said. An acting WMC area director has been named there and an area labor-management committee has been set up, with equal representation of labor and management, to advise with the director on local manpower problems.

OPA tire inspections, required under the mileage rationing regulations, already have rescued an estimated 400,000 passenger car casings which were so worn or damaged that they needed immediate repair to save them for furmate is based on a sample survey of the experience of inspectors so

bar boys, beauty operators, bell boys, bus boys, butlers, charmen and cleaners, cosmeticians, custom tailors and furriers, dancing teachers, dish washers, doormen, elevator operators and starters, errand boys, fortune tellers, gardeners, greens keepers, housemen, hairdressers, newsboys, night club managers and employees, porters, private chauffeurs, soda dispensers, ushers, valets, and waiters, with few exceptions, are non-deferable regardless of where the activity is found.

Almost six billion board feet of lumber a year will be required on American farms after the war, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Forest Service. More than 5,000 million board feet will be needed for repair and replacement of buildings, 700 million board feet for buildings on new farms, and 150 million for other uses.

Farm and mining machinery and equipment producers will hereafter be given more fuel oil for their production. Petroleum Distribution Order No. 3 which originally imposed a 40 per cent cut on fuel oils for uses other than space heating and hot water heating, has been amended to leave out farm and mining machinery.

Every major cotton mill in the country has been urged to produce more cotton fabrics and yarns in 1943. Military requirements come first, but there must also be enough cotton fabrics to supply all essential civilian needs. Producers of wool have also been urged to increase production by every means at their command.

Procedure to discharge men of 38 years and over from the armed forces will hereafter be simplified. No longer will it be necessary to have a trained replacement before a man of 38 can get a discharge. Application for discharge must be in writing and show that the man will be employed in essential industry.

It will take about 56 billion dollars worth of goods and services to maintain the civilian needs of this county on a minimum of bedrock basis, according to J. L. Weiner, Office of Civilian Supply of WPB. That 56 billion figure is 32 percent less than the value of goods and services used in 1941.

Silk and nylon stockings—232,158 pounds of them—were donated by American women during the month of December 15 to January 15. For two months, the total was 372,150 pounds, representing about 7,500,000 pairs of stockings. Powder bags for big guns, parachutes, and other vital war products are made from silk and nylon reclaimed from old stockings.

The smallest net monthly change in civilian employment in the federal government was recorded in November, when 2.3 percent more employees were added, said Civil Service Commission. At the end of November total civilian employment in federal service totalled 2,750,101 as compared with 2,687,093 a month before and 1,545,131 a year before.

Planes, tanks, guns, and other military equipment and supplies that rolled off American assembly lines in December 1942, was 14 percent greater than in November, said Donald Nelson, chairman of WPB. It was the greatest volume ever produced by U. S. factories in one month. During 1943 it is planned to produce about twice as much munitions as in 1942.

Holdings of B and C gasoline ration coupons may renew them by mail now instead of appearing personally before local war price and rationing boards. Same rules will apply to non-highway uses of gasoline, such as that for farm machinery and industrial equipment.

If a soldier's family is not getting their allowance under the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act, it may be because the soldier has failed to file a formal applica-

tion for it. Many soldiers declared their intention to file such an application last summer—before application blanks were available—but have not filed the actual application. The official War Dept. A. G. O. Form No. 625 must be made out by the soldier and filed with his organization commander.

"It is advisable", said a recent statement of the War Manpower Commission, "that young people have the fullest possible opportunity consistent with the war effort to complete their education. Those with special aptitudes and capacity for further training should continue their education in order to develop their maximum abilities" applicable to war and post-war needs.

Youths under 18 can best help the war effort by continuing in school, the WMC said. Many of them will have to replace persons who have gone to war work, but youths should enter the labor force only with adequate safeguards for their health and welfare, present and future.

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Weekly Sermon -- Raise More Food Says Lee Tudor

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Bible Study 10:00 each Sunday morning
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Young People's Training Class, 7:00 p. m.
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Ladies Bible class Monday at 3 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.
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Rev. H. C. Gordon, Pastor
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Church Services, 11:00 a. m.
Junior League—5:15 p. m.
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Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Church Services, 11 a. m.
Preaching Service—7:30
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English services every first, second and third Sundays at 10:30 a. m. No services on fourth Sundays. "Come and worship with us."
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Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Services, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Services, 8 p. m.
Women's Missionary, Tuesday.

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Bible School at 9:45 a. m.
Church Services at 10:45 a. m.
Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m.
Evening Services at 8:15 p. m.

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Servants of Masters
By George S. Schuler, Member of Faculty Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.
The world has had its eyes focused on the controversy, friendly indeed, between Gen. Henri Giraud and Charles de Gaulle, and that with deep concern. This controversy brings to mind very vividly those striking and all-important words of Jesus: "Whosoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant" (Matt. 20:26-28), and many similar passages. Paul, too, speaks in this way: "Yet have I made myself servant unto all, that I might gain the more" (1 Cor 9:19).

We are in a struggle against the enemy of the soul (in the case of De Gaulle and Giraud, the enemy of peace and national independence), which struggle calls for servants to do the will of our leader, the Lord Jesus Christ. Many leaders befuddle an issue, but faithful servants justify a leader. Human nature, for the most part, lusts after possession of high places. Often religious battles are lost for the many while leaders spar for the coveted post. The writer of Romans was inspired to write: "In honor preferring one another" (12:10).

Strange as it may seem, among the disciples there was a difference of opinion as to who would be the greatest in rank, privilege and authority. Jesus, with all kindness and consideration for the human feeling of His followers, rebuked them tenderly but with such finality that the subject never came up for discussion again. "If any man desires to be first, the same shall be last of all, and servant of all" (Mark 9:35). Ignoring this practice of "in honor preferring one another" may be found to be the occasion of church splits, church friction, and other disorders, all of which tend to defeat the plan and purpose of an all-out victory.

Two men, having in their possession jewels of extreme worth, met on a path too narrow for passing; one or the other had to retrace his steps. Since both held positions of superior rank, a battle of words, diplomatic notes, or armed force so fatigued the two opponents that they, both of them, were unable to cope with a third party, who picked up their potential wealth, stepping over them into the realm of success which might have been theirs. Moral of this

"Our President in his recent speeches has told us that we are becoming more and more dependent on our farmers and ranchers for food and clothing, not only for our use, but for that of our Allies as well," says Lee Tudor, of Slaton Coal and Grain Co.
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POSEY ITEMS

RUTH GENTRY
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry and Irene, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Johnson and boys, and Guy Gentry visited in the M. T. Johnson home in Lubbock Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hart, Linda Kay and Francis, and Mr. J. I. Cranfill visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cranfill of Lorenzo Sunday.
Linus Moeller and Lesley Rodgers were given a seven day leave last Tuesday. Linus spent his with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moeller and Lesley spent part of his visiting relatives of this community. They left Tuesday for Fort Sil, Okla. where they will receive their basic training.

Mr. W. M. Joplin's mother of Meadow is visiting in their home this week.

Misses Vernell Campbell, Betty Ross Maeker, Ella Faye Wheatley, and Ruth Gentry, and Linus Moeller, Charles Gentry, Clifford Behlen, and Vaughn Campbell were visitors in the home of Misses Katie Jo, Betty Jane, and Bobbie Ruth
story: height in religious experiences are attained through such humble acts as washing the feet of others, of which Jesus was our great example.

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STOCK SHOW CANCELLED

LUBBOCK, Texas, Feb. 12.—The 1943 South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show has been cancelled on account of war conditions, officials of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the affair, have announced.

For the past several years the exhibition has been held in this city during late March or early April, and large number of high-type calves, lambs and pigs have been entered by 4-H Club members and Vocational Agriculture students from 27 West Texas and three New Mexico countries, and completed for the prizes and trophies which have been offered.

THIS WEEK'S LESSON

"Soul" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 14.
The Golden Text is: "My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad. O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together" (Psalms 34:2,3)
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul...Shew me thy ways, O Lord; teach me thy path" (Psalms 25:1,

4). The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Material sense does not unfold the facts of existence; but spiritual sense lifts human consciousness into eternal Truth" (page 95).

Texas' 66 meat packing plants produced goods valued at \$85,461,648 in 1939, reports the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

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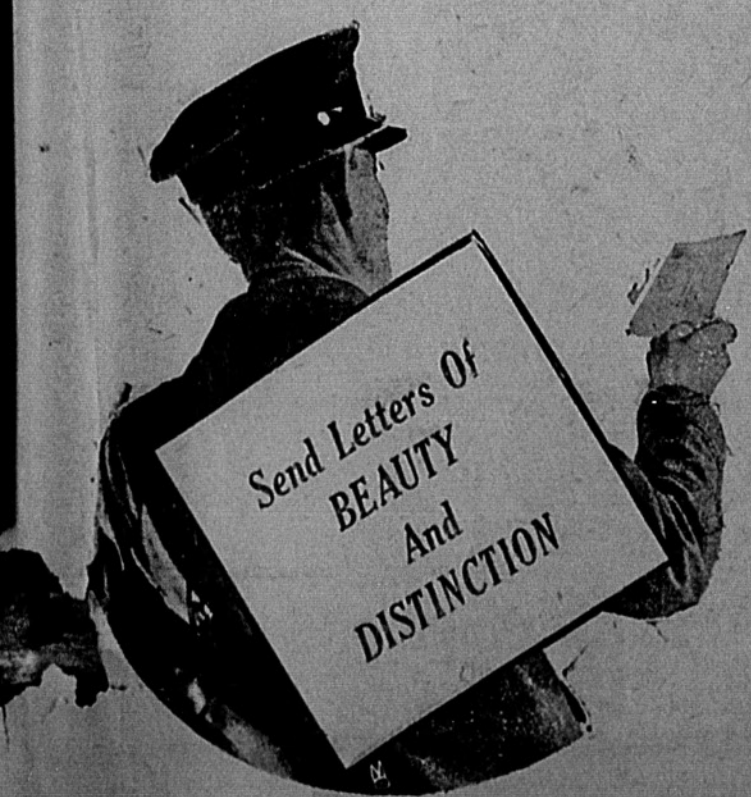
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WITH OUR MEN
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... camps, young Swagerty represented Camp Helen at the Houston Golden Gloves tournament in Houston, Texas, Jan. 25, 26, 27. Swagerty states that Camp Helen won the high point trophy by defeating the Houston shipyard team boys from the Coast Guard and 3 other army camps. Floyd is in the Coast Artillery at the present. After completing his medical training at Camp Berkeley rejected raising for a shoot at real army life in an army camp in which he served the 131st Field Artillery in 1939.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Floyd have received word that their son James E. Floyd has just been promoted to the rank of Sgt. James is with the Personnel Office at the Amarillo Army Air Field, and is expected to be home on a furlough soon.

Ray Debusk, enlisted in the army Air Corps, and stationed in Florida, is home with his family this week.

Private J. C. Tucker, of the Marine Corps, left Sunday for San

Diego, Cal., where he is a radio operator in a tank. J. C. has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Tucker of Slaton.

Mrs. C. E. Brown received a card from her son, Curtis, Jr., Wednesday that he has arrived safely "across".

Pvt. J. W. Martindale, stationed in Waco, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. J. W. Martindale.

"Dear Editor,

"I am a Slaton boy, have lived there for 22 years before joining the U. S. Marines, the best branch of the Service. I have been in the Service for 7 months and I can report that I like it fine.

"My mother is Mrs. C. C. Lynch, of 900 South 13th Street in Slaton. I receive the Slatonite from my friend, Mrs. E. E. Culver. She sends me every paper and I certainly enjoy reading it.

"I am now a Private First Class and am a cook for the Raider Battalion. I spent my Boot Camp Training at the Marine Base, San Diego, Calif. I went to the Cooks and Bakers School at San Diego. Upon completing my course there I was put in (or rather transferred) to the Raiders, and enjoy cooking for the toughest, roughest and best group of boys in the entire Marines.

"You may publish this letter in the Slatonite if you please.

"A weekly reader of the Slatonite"

ite and a local boy, Pfc. Homer L. Wild, 4th Marine Raider Btn."

Tech. Sergeant Everett L. Mangum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Mangum, 107 St., San Antonio, is now serving with the AAF at Pecos Army Air Field, Pecos, Texas, where he is a N. C. O. in charge of the Airways Comm. Det.

Tech. Sergeant Mangum was formerly employed at the Plains Lumber Co., of Slaton.

He is the husband of the former Lorene Gentry of Slaton.

Fred E. Splawn today wears the silver wings of an aerial gunner and the chevrons of a sergeant in the Army Air Forces.

He was promoted after successfully completing training at the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery School at Tyndall Field near here. His home is at 410 Ninth St., Slaton. He is the son of L. D. Splawn.

Sergeant Splawn, was thoroughly trained in operation of .30 and .50 calibre machine guns, first on ground ranges and later in the air. He will leave shortly to join a combat unit where he will receive additional training.

Aviation Cadet Estill Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Williams of south of Slaton, left February 1 for Santa Anna, California where he will attend Pre-Flight School of the Army Air Corps. Mrs. Williams will remain in Slaton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown, for a short while.

long distance call from her son, Lt. Clyde A. Williams of the Naval Air Corps last week. He is well and reports they are working seven days a week. Lt. Williams is an Advanced Flight Instructor.

Movie Reporter.

HERO OF NEW DRAMA TALKS ABOUT WOMEN

George Sanders, hero of "The Moon and Sixpence," showing at the Palace Theatre Prevue Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, made the unique discovery that women paid no attention to him until he began insulting them. Noow he's having lots of luck. He doesn't hold to the beautiful compliment that they are the most perfect things in life. "They are designed from an engineering point of view," says Mr. Sanders. "And the design can and should be improved upon."

For some time now, this young Englishman has leaned towards the Schopenhauer theories, at least as they regard women, but of late he has been less rigid in his viewpoint. Mr. Schopenhauer thought all ladies were ugly and, or, bowlegged. Mr. Sanders says that isn't always true and this, you see, is the great philosophical gulf between the two men.

GAS AND RUBBER CONSCIOUS!

RKO Radio's "The Great Gildersleeve," starring Harold (Gildersleeve) Peary, set an example for gasoline rationing and rubber conservation during filming of the picture.

A few examples of such scenes are: Gilly jumps in his car but discovers he's out of gas. The governor of the state's car is shown, but his chauffeur is making repairs. Cars shown on the street are stopped at intersections.

Harold (Gildersleeve) Peary on his motor scooter does the only riding in this hilarious comedy!

Claude Anderson and son, Roland, left Wednesday for Albuquerque. Roland is Pharmacist's Mate 2nd Class, stationed at Long Beach, California.

GASOLINE QUESTIONS
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books and coupon books obtained? A. Most gasoline suppliers provide coupon books upon request if paid for in full in cash.

Q. How can I handle credit to fleet operators when the fleet contains vehicles carrying "T" coupons and also vehicles with "A", "B" or "C" coupons?

A. Credit can be extended to the vehicle carrying "T" stickers, but not to the others.

Q. Must I insist on cash from employees of firms who present purchase orders which are payable by their firms upon presentation?

A. When a purchase order is presented and is accepted as payable in cash on demand, and where no credit entry is made in connection with the transaction, it is not considered that credit is involved.

Q. Can I give credit to buyers of fuel for non-highway use?

A. In most instances you can, because fuel is usually purchased from bulk plants or wholesale depots; however, if such is sold through gasoline pumps at a filling station, credit cannot be extended.

Q. Can I give credit on lubricating oil sales?

A. If the sale is at a filling station, credit cannot be extended; if lubricating oil is sold at an establishment from which gasoline is not delivered into the supply tanks of motor vehicles, credit can be extended.

Q. Can I give credit on lubrication or grease jobs?

A. Yes, a grease job is considered as a service rather than the sale of a petroleum product.

Q. Can gasoline sales be added to regular monthly storage accounts by garages or storage lots?

A. No.

Q. What is the penalty for a violation of the Order?

A. The penalty for violation of the Order is the same as for violation of any Orders of Petroleum Administration for War; a willful violation of the Order is punishable by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any person who violates the Order may be prohibited from

delivering or receiving any material under priority control. This means that if a dealer violates the Order, his supply of gasoline and oil may be discontinued as a penalty.

Q. Is the dealer the only one

required to obey the directive? A. No, the customer or any person accepting, or participating in the acceptance of unauthorized credit, is rendered just as guilty under the directive as the dealer who grants it.

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