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# DAWSON COUNTY COURIER

WHERE TEXANS ARE TEXANS

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## Food Retailers To Submit Forms For Ration Token

Most banks in the Lubbock OPA District have reported that only a small percentage of food retailers has filed applications necessary for the issuance of new ration tokens, which will be supplied by OPA through the banks next February, as reported today by J. Doyle, rationing executive for this district.

It is very necessary that the banks have these applications so that they will be able to secure and supply all tokens to consumers through the retailers," said the rationing executive, adding "The manufacture and distribution of two billion tokens are tasks that stagger the imagination, and unless all retailers file their requests in sufficient time, there is danger that when the token plan is put into effect, many retailers will be without these necessary means to carry on their business. Retailers, therefore, are urged to fill in these forms immediately and to present them to their banks."

While the original deadline for filing these applications was December 15, retailers may obtain necessary forms through wholesalers and submit them immediately in order not to be left out of the new program, Settle pointed out.

## Grady Birdwell Has Gun Basic Training

A-C Grady M. Birdwell, has just completed the Army's Primary Flight Training Course at Thunderbird Field, No. 1, Glendale, Arizona, and has now commenced his Basic Flight Training at another air field.

A-C Grady M. Birdwell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Birdwell formerly of this city.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS—

## Subscribers Are Asked To Check Expiration Date

Courier readers are asked to watch the expiration dates on their paper in order that they may not miss a single issue of The Dawson County Courier, your home town newspaper.

In other words, if the number following your name on the paper reads 12-44, that means that your subscription will expire on January 1, 1944 and that unless your subscription is renewed your paper will be stopped at that time.

The subscription price of the Courier is \$3.00 a year in Dawson, Martin, Gaines, Borden and Lynn Counties, and \$2.00 for six months. For a limited time only a 2 year subscription will be offered for \$5.00, or you can save one dollar by taking a two year subscription. The subscription price outside this territory is \$4.00 a year, except for men in the armed services which remains at \$3.00 a year.

## 'Europe's Crossroads' To Show at Palace On Tues. and Wed.

The latest March of Time film, "Europe's Crossroads," will show here at the Palace Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 28 and 29.

It is a vivid and colorful picturization of neutral Portugal, center of wartime intrigue and at the same time an interesting experiment in the "corporate" state, and is another scoop by Director Jean Pages.

This is new material, a fact which makes it double significant in the light of the rapidly-changing face of European events.

The film shows some of the most striking manifestations of Portuguese life and culture, impressive sequences on the role of the Catholic Church in Portugal, and shows the statues of labor and education in Portugal, as well as the principal industries.

Climax of the film shows the way in which Portugal has so far maintained her neutrality, steering a different course in the storm of intrigue that washes her shores.

Pvt. Eddie Hayes of Sheppard Field, spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with friends.

BACK THE ATTACK—WITH WAR BONDS

## Bankheads' Hear From Son, C. L., A Jap Prisoner



Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bankhead, Sr., have received a card from their son, C. L. Jr., who was reported missing in action in Java early in

## Aid Enlisted to Smash Black Market In Gas, Says OPA

Feb. of 1942.

This is the first word the parents have had from C. L. Jr., in 22 months. He is a prisoner of the Japs in Burma.

He volunteered for service in Lubbock in 1940, and has been overseas since December of 1941. He was with the National Guard Unit, 36th Division. C. L. Jr., a member of the Lost Battalion, was the only Lamesa boy in the unit who disappeared in Java.

Mr. and Mrs. Bankhead reside in the Key Community.

## Mrs. R. Reed Receives Word From Her Son

Mrs. H. E. Reed has received word from her son, First Class Machinist Mate A. J. (Bill) Reed, stating that he is now on the Gilbert Islands, and is well and uninjured.

He has been in the service a year, and has been in foreign service for three months.

A camel has twice the carrying power of an ox.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS—

The aid of banks in the Lubbock district of the Office of Price Administration is being enlisted in a new nationwide drive to smash the black market in gasoline, it was disclosed today by Owen W. McWhorter, chief OPA enforcement attorney.

He reported a strong appeal has been directed to all banks where gasoline ration coupons are deposited by suppliers of gasoline who collect gummed sheets of gas ration coupons from filling station operators.

"The gasoline rationing program, for a number of reasons, has recently attracted the attention of a sizeable number of racketeers and petty chiselers," OPA's appeal to the banks stated.

Thefts and counterfeiting of coupons in some areas have reached alarming proportions. In an eastern city, for example, a counterfeiting ring was recently uncovered; it had passed enough counterfeit coupons to supply gasoline to take 1,000 bombers over Berlin in five raids. "We are now engaged in a drive to stamp out these practices."

The Lubbock district's ration bank executive, Oscar J. Walker, disclosed simultaneously that all banks in this district have been called on to observe strictly two simple rules to strengthen gasoline ration enforcement. He listed the rules as follows:

1. Report any suspicious coupons to the district office.
2. Refuse to accept for deposit any gummed sheet which is not completely filled out on the face. In tracing the coupons, the firm name and address of the dealer collecting them are essential, as well as depositor's endorsement.

## Used Vehicle Sold Must Be In Accord With Regulation

All sales of used commercial motor vehicles, whether by private owner or dealer, are covered by OPA regulations according to J. B. Mooney, District Price Executive.

No sale can be made at a price higher than that provided under the regulation and a certificate of transfer must be filled out and filed by the used truck or other commercial vehicle owner when he applies for gasoline rationing, Mooney said.

The certificates of transfer and ceiling prices for used vehicles can be had from local War Price and Rationing Boards.

## Finley Woodul Is Wounded in Action

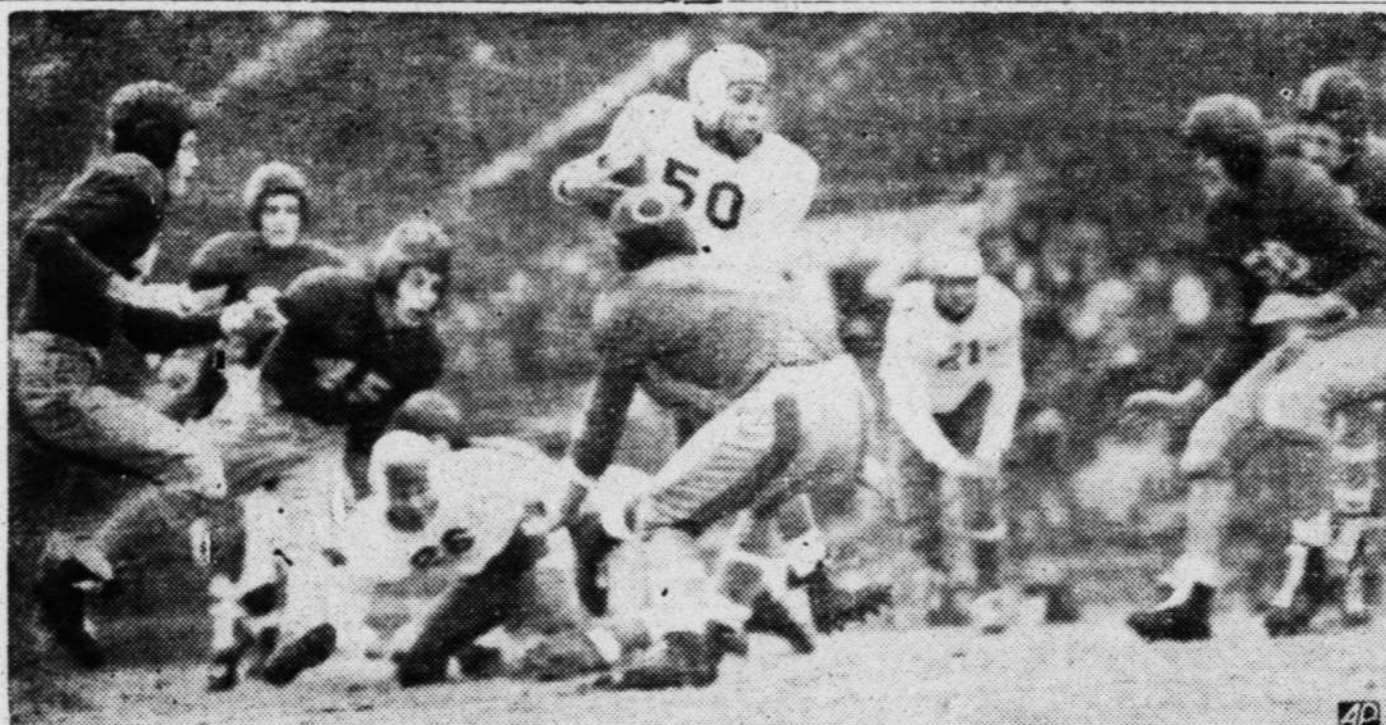
Pfc. Finley Woodul, whose wife is Mrs. Juanita P. Woodul, star route 2, of this city, was among a list of 247 U. S. soldiers wounded in action, the War Department announced Saturday.

Pfc. Woodul was wounded while fighting in the Mediterranean area.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woodul of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Moulton spent Sunday in Abilene visiting with relatives and friends.

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RATHBONE GAINS FOR ANGELO—M. Rathbone (50), San Angelo Bobcat quarterback, goes around right end for a 30-yard gain in the first quarter of the game with the Lufkin Panthers at Dallas Christmas. San Angelo defeated Lufkin, 26-13 to win the Texas High School Football Championship.



FIRST DOWN FOR LUFKIN — Oliver McKay, 150-pound fullback, goes through right tackle to gain ten yards for the Lufkin Panthers in their game with the San Angelo Bobcats at Dallas Christmas. The Bobcats won, 26-13, to take the State High School Football Championship.

## Flying Artillery



"Pistol Packin' Momma," in the form of a North American B-25 Mitchell bomber equipped with a 75 millimeter cannon, is a smash hit in the Southwest Pacific, where this plane and others like it have recently been hitting the enemy with the "flying artillery." A War Department announcement has revealed that the North American Mitchell is the first plane to be equipped with heavy artillery and has been a great success in smashing Japanese shipping and supply centers.

### HUGGINSBOTHAM Mrs. W. P. Cozart

Mr. Stephenson and sons who have been working for L. R. Cook moved to Lamesa Sunday. Aubrey Blackstock visited Lloyd Young Sunday.

J. H. Stokes and R. I. Archer of O'Donnell visited in the E. L. Cozart home Sunday. Mr. Archer also visited in the O. M. Archer home. Cathrine Fincher of Lubbock is home for the Holidays.

Mrs. T. L. Smith and daughters visited Mrs. E. L. Cozart Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Archer and family of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Archer Saturday.

Mr. Pounds, Mrs. E. A. Pierce, Grandmother Foster, and L. Cozart are ill with the flu.

Lou Ella Gandy visited in the Harry Tapp home over the week end.

Mrs. Sterling Scott visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gandy Sunday.

Washington Todd of Jacksboro, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fincher and family of Seminole were guests in the V. C. Fincher home Monday.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Church Friday night, December 24th. Every one is invited to attend.



ASSISTS VICE PRESIDENT — Harold Young (above), attorney, formerly of Dallas is general aid to Vice President Henry A. Wallace in Washington. Young's official title is "Secretary to the president of the Senate."

### FIVE MILE Amelia Foster

Mrs. Ira McCulloch left Wednesday afternoon for Florida where she will join her husband who is stationed there.

Lenia Deen Pillion is spending the Holidays with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wright spent part of last week in New Mexico visiting with friends and relatives.

Little Donna Jean Brand is doing fine and is able to be up part of the time.

There will be a Training School at the church each night this week through Friday night. We hope every one will attend.

## Hold Best Peanuts For 1944 Seed

Farmers who produced good quality peanuts this year will be wise to hold back an adequate supply for planting next spring. This advice from the A. and M. College Extension Service is based on the probability of light storage and heavy demand for meal, oil, and edible peanuts this fall and winter.

E. A. Miller, agronomist for the A. and M. College Extension Service, points out that it might not only be difficult to obtain seed next spring, but farmers would have to run the risk of getting seed of inferior quality. This would greatly

## The Navy Likes Noise

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Staff instructors at the Navy's primary flight instructors school here say they welcome trainees who have been exposed to terrific noises in civilian life.

The explanation given is that a man who's worked in a boiler factory has an easier time hearing an instructor's orders above the roar of a Navy plane's motor, since his skill at picking the human voice from a bedlam of background noises is developed.

The mastiff is the largest and most muscular dog.

The lens of the eye continues to grow in size throughout life.

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handicap their efforts to help reach large peanuts production goals for 1944.

Severe drought and other unfavorable weather combined this year to reduce the quality of high grade seed available in Texas. In choosing seed, Miller suggests that the farmer buy only peanuts which are sound and not shriveled and which grade well on the market. A germination test before planting also is advisable.

Peanuts should be stored unshelled, because they will germinate better than shelled seed, the agronomist says.



GETS VENUE CHANGE —Mrs. W. R. Newton (above) of Cameron, Tex., was granted a continuance and a change of venue at Olton, Tex., in her trial on charges of assault with intent to murder in the May 21, 1942 shooting of the late Dr. Roy Hunt of Littlefield, Tex. The case has been set for the first Monday in January in Hale County. Mrs. Newton's husband, Dr. William R. Newton, was sentenced to seven years in prison in the shooting. He is free under \$15,000 appeal bond. Dr. and Mrs. Hunt were found slain in their bed at their home Oct. 26.

## To Little Boys and Girls Under Teen Age

### DEAR LITTLE FOLKS: CHRISTMAS GREETINGS:

You will soon be in the teen age. Much bad talk now about the teen age group. You will have to watch your step. Guard against saying bad words. If daddy says bad words before you shame him. There is hundreds and hundreds of good words to use. It isn't nice a bit to use bad language. Some people think it is smart but its not. The best people don't use bad words. Be careful too about picking things up that don't belong to you. Don't swipe anything. To swipe is to steal. Stealers get in jail later on in life. Its not nice to be looking through some big steel bars out on the street at people who have their liberty. If daddy tells a story about how funny it was to get water melons out of the other fellows patch without permission shame him. That is really stealing. Little stealings lead to big ones and bigger ones causes people not to have confidence in you and you can't keep a job very long. Don't ever think it will never be known. It will and your reputation in the community is bad. "A good name is to be chosen rather than great riches."

V. O. KEY.  
(Adv.)

### MT. OLIVE Bertrena Stoudt

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornett and son and Mrs. Luther Stephens of Klondike visited the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Detherage.

Miss Ruth Bartlett, C. J. and L. R. Bartlett, spent the week end with friends and relatives in Levelland.

Winston Sargent, Seaman First Class from the South Pacific and Lucille Blakely of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stoudt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hubbard attended a funeral of a friend in Colorado Saturday.

We had our Christmas party Monday night. Everyone reported a nice time.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. W. P. Stovall is on the sick list.

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**FOUR TEXANS RIDE JEEP IN ITALY**—Riding a jeep somewhere in the mud of "Sunny Italy" are four Texas soldiers (left to right): Pfc. Thomas M. Hernandez of Oyana; Pfc. Phillip D. Brooks of Houston (rear); Pvt. Alfred Rivera of Taft, and Sgt. Charles E. Smith of Iraan.

### Dr. Cox Says—

Federal funds are now available with which to provide maternal medical care for wives of enlisted men in the armed forces and for medical and nursing care for their infants, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor has released funds to the Texas State Health Department with which to administer this program.

Two distinct services will be rendered under this program, explained Dr. Cox: complete maternity care for wives of enlisted men of the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grades in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard; medical and hospital care for sick infants under one year of age whose fathers are within these four pay grades.

Maternity care as provided under this program will consist of medical care during the prenatal period, child birth, and six weeks thereafter—including any complications resulting from pregnancy.

Sick infants will be given medical, hospital, and nursing care during the first year of life. Nursing care,



**GETS MISSING SON'S DECORATIONS** — Decorations awarded to her son, Sgt. Marvin R. Mickey, are presented to Mrs. Mary J. Mickey of Plainview, Texas, by Col. Ralph E. Holmes, commander of the Lubbock Army Air Field. Sgt. Mickey, reported missing in action following the August 1 low-level bombing raid on the Ploesti Oil Refineries in Rumania, was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster. He destroyed two enemy planes in previous action in North Africa.



### LOOKING AHEAD

by GEORGE S. BENSON  
President, Harding College  
Searcy, Arkansas

#### UNITED WE STAND

Aviation still sets me agape. The sight of a powerful four-engined bomber overhead, riding thin air in open defiance of the law of gravity, inspires awe. So does its obvious might as an engine of destruction.

Back of this mechanical miracle, on the ground, in not one place but many places, the wheels of industry are whirling to produce such ships. More than 3,000,000 men and women, more adults than live in Chicago, work in the aircraft factories of America, it is said. What a change! Only four years ago the entire payroll of this industry was less than 50,000 people.

Imagine what would happen if powers which created this huge expansion were suddenly reversed. Suppose the aviation industry had to go back overnight to its pre-war rank and nearly three million workers had to face life without employment.

#### A SENATE COMMITTEE

The United States Senate wisely

has appointed a committee on Post-War Economic Policy and Planning to study this problem and related ones. Testimony before this committee recently brought out the fact that nine of the principle airplane manufacturers have a total of 29,430 sub-contractors, and each of these has a circle of suppliers, perhaps five to ten.

It is plain to see that anything damaging one of these nine big manufacturers spreads out quickly into all industry and touches the affairs of small firms in many towns and cities. It hurts millions of working men and women, their grocers and butchers. Sudden cancellation of government contracts would do this. Aircraft manufacturers are especially exposed because of their extremely rapid development.

#### MUSHROOM GROWTH

Since Pearl Harbor every time an airplane manufacturer got a little money from one job, he needed it right away to handle a much bigger one. As a result, aviation firms are top heavy, doing more business than they have capital to handle. It is a patriotic work, entirely justified by the war emergency. Manufacturers have expanded their operations with the sole object of winning the war, without stopping to work about overexpansion.

Aircraft companies are headed

by alert men of ability, 1944-model pioneers. They are well able to take care of themselves personally, but without business they can't keep their workers. Having a healthy aviation industry after the war is everybody's good. Helping it settle down to a peace-time basis without wrecking the nation's whole business set-up is vital. The government alone can do this.

#### ACTION NECESSARY

By refusing to let aviation get tangled up in the borderless jungle of bureaucratic procedure, government can perform a vital service to national prosperity and national safety. When peace comes and contracts have to be cancelled, the government should move fast to pay for goods already ordered.

To an outsider it would seem sensible to put responsibility for winding up contracts in the hands of the same people who made them, namely, the Army and the Navy. They know what is involved, how much has been done, and what commitments contractors have made.

Army and Navy are organized for action and this will be an advantage when the war is over and people begin hunting work. Anyone who slows down this process with horse-play will be taking on himself one terrible responsibility, because the United States now has a million contracts in force valued at 75 billion dollars, enough to make or break private enterprise at the close of the war.

in the home, will be made available by local health departments where there are established services. Bed-side nursing care will be provided only upon the recommendation of the attending physician.

Forms of requesting care may be obtained from the local or State health departments, Welfare agencies, American Red Cross Chapters, USO Centers and local physicians.

The United States Congress made it clear in passing the legislation making provision for this service that this is not a "charity" service, but that it is to be provided as the right of any wife and infant of an enlisted man in the fourth, fifth, sixth, or seventh pay grades of our armed forces.

#### Victory Garden Record

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — California's Victory gardens this year have produced more than one and one-quarter million tons of food, says Professor B. H. Crocherson, director of agricultural extension of the University of California.

#### Live and Learn

GRANTS, N. M. (AP)—Two years ago Mrs. Pauline Heller went deer hunting and couldn't hit a deer. So she target practiced two years and this season went hunting again. She bagged a 10-point buck.

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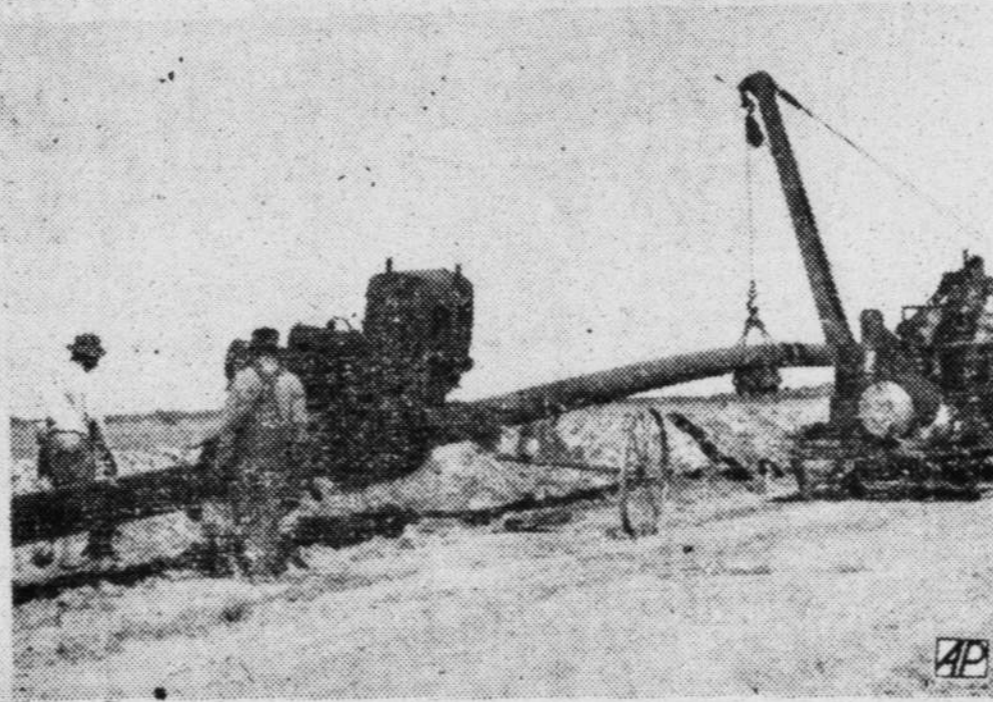
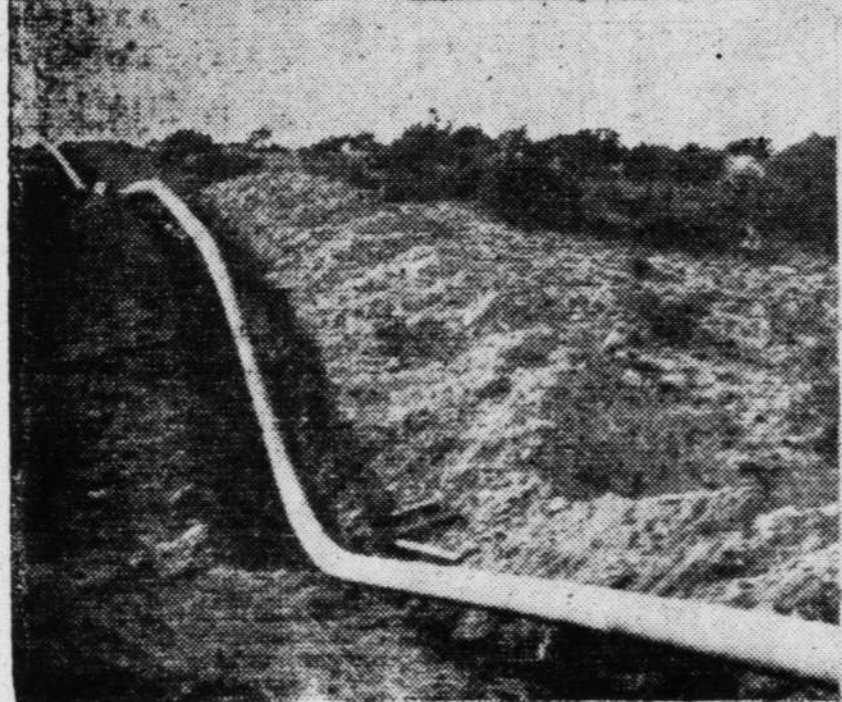
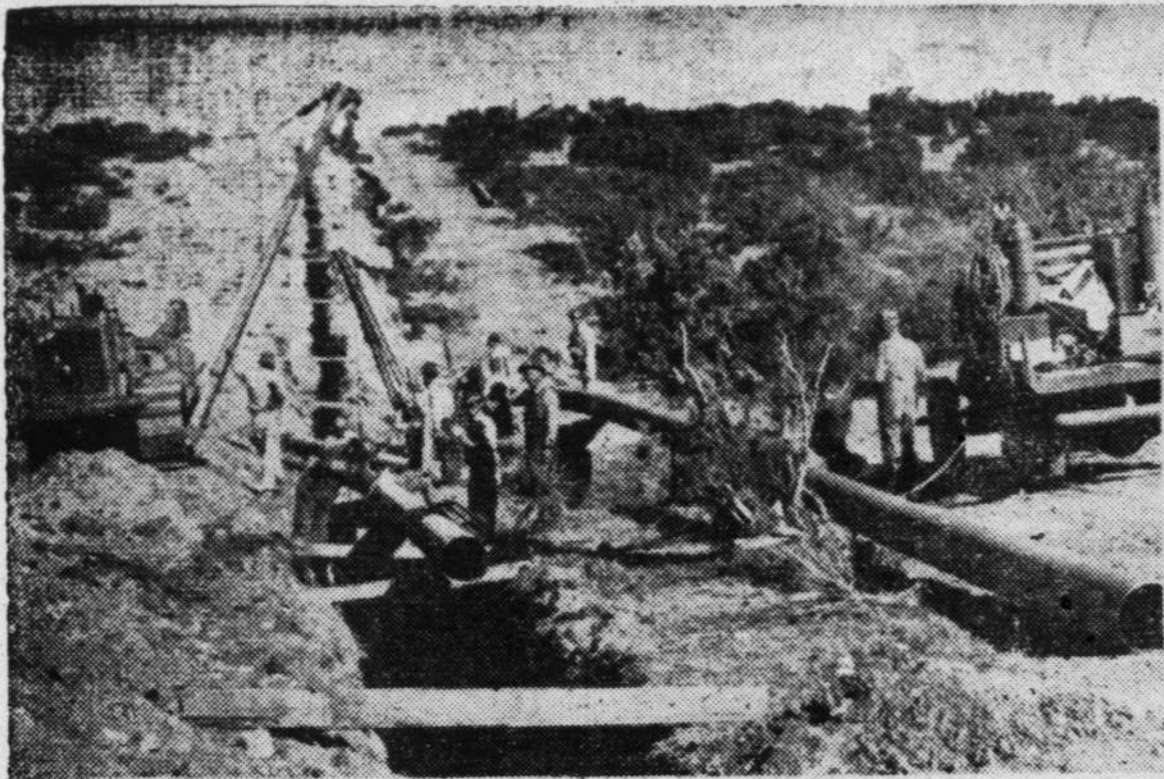
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**BRYANT PHARMACY**

#### Texas 4-H Safety Champ Wins National Honors



An exceptional record of farm safety achievements has brought high honors to James Neal Hutchins, 19, of Estelline, Texas. Named late entrant in the 1943 4-H farm safety activity, the boy added to his laurels by winning national honors. He received an all-expense trip to the recent National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, and a \$200 War Bond, provided by the Mennen Company. . . . Five years in club work, his safety work includes destroying weeds and grass close to buildings so there would be a fire lane, made repairs to eliminate shorts in electrical circuits, picked up broken glass, nails, tacks and wire in the yard, and put matches out of reach of small children. He also fixed broken or poorly repaired farm machinery, stored gasoline in safe place, mended broken steps, and always stopped tractor motor before removing the belt.

AT THE	PLAYING DATES	PALACE THEATRE	MAJESTIC THEATRE	TOWER THEATRE
THEATRE	TUES. Dec. 28	A Picture as Bright as It's Stars! "YOUNG IDEAS" —with— SUSAN PETERS HERBERT MARSHALL MARY ASTOR RICHARD CARLSON	Boston Blackie Beats the murder rap! "THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME" —with— CHESTER MORRIS ERIK ROLF JEANNE BATES	Someone gets burned when there's three on a love-match! ANN SOTHERN MELVYN DOUGLAS
	WED. Dec. 29	Jap Villainy Exposed! "BEHIND THE RISING SUN" —with— MARGO TOM NEAL J. CARROL NAISH	RICHARD VALLIN VEDA ANN BORG BOBBY LASSON —in— "SMART GUY"	—in— "THREE HEARTS FOR JULIE"
	THURS. Dec. 30			—with— LEE BOWMAN RICHARD AINLEY MARTIN LINDEN



**WEST TEXAS OIL ARTERY UNDER WAY** — Construction of Magnolia Pipe Line Company's 12-inch, 337-mile crude oil pipe line from Midland to Corsicana is pictured above as work progressed south of Big Spring. Upper left: Pipe sections are rolled into position over ditch. Upper right: A welder works on a section of the pipe. Lower left: A stretch of the completed pipe is

ready to be lowered into the ditch and covered. Lower right: A machine coats the pipe with an asphaltic preparation to combat rust and corrosion. The system, which will be completed by March 1, will have an initial daily capacity of 42,000 barrels and 200,000 barrels will be required to fill the line. This will mean increased allowances for several oil fields.

**Women Continue to Contribute to USO**

Women who contributed refreshments to the USO week before last were Mesdames Z. T. Davis, Clyde Adams, Robert H. Smith, who donated doughnuts; and Mesdames I. R. Ashley, C. L. Proctor, and Joe Alexander, who brought cookies. Since the USO party given the soldiers Wednesday evening, December 22, ladies have continued with their donations. Mesdames E. J. Burkhead, Truman Campbell, C. Terry, E. W. Renner, and Bernice Gillmore contributed refreshments since that time.

Chief Petty Officer Owen Jones, Jr., of Davidville, Rhodes Island, spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Owen Jones, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ogle of Roswell, New Mexico, spent Thursday here visiting with friends.

Misses Ann and Betty Hurt, both students of Tech, Lubbock, are visiting here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swanson Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Underwood of Ponca City, Oklahoma, are visiting here with relatives and friends during the Christmas Holidays. Mr. Underwood is a Flight Instructor at Ponca City School of Aeronautics.

Miss Betty Joyce Smith of Dallas is visiting here with Miss Dorot Ross Gibson.

**S. S. Card Should Not Be Accepted for Cashing Checks**

Bankers and business men who normally cash checks for people should not accept social security account number cards as means of identification, according to J. Hassler Strickland, manager of the Big Spring Social Security Board office. The practice is not only dangerous but the social security cards were not intended to be used for such purposes.

"Several individuals have recently applied for account numbers," Strickland stated, "who admitted they had no jobs and only wanted the account card in order that they might cash checks at stores without having to go to the bank."

It was explained that the holiday

season usually brings forth many fraudulent checks in cities, especially in Army camp centers. Individuals should not accept social security account cards for identification in paying out money on checks, drafts, money orders, etc.

A social security account card is used for the purpose of identifying the wage earner's old-age and survivors insurance account which is maintained by the Social Security Board.

The cooperation of all business men is urged by the Social Security Board, Strickland said.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Q. Martin are visiting with their daughter, Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond F. Neill and baby, in New Port, Arkansas, this week.

Staff Sgt. Johnnie Clark of Huntsville, Texas, spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with his mother, Mrs. E. E. Hatchett and other relatives and friends.

**Farm Slaughterer License Lifted**

Any Texas farmer who has some hogs he would like to butcher and sell the meat may do so freely until next February 17. He doesn't need a permit or license to dress as many hogs as he may wish to sell, and he may sell as much of the meat as he wishes.

According to information to the A. and M. College Extension Service from the War Food Administration all of the regulations restraining this freedom of action heretofore have been lifted, for a 90 day period ending February 17, next. The WFA emphasized, however, that this relaxing of regulations applies only to hogs. Accordingly, the number of pounds of meat and lard produced from home slaughtered hogs which a farmer can sell or give to people not living on his farm during this period will be limited only to his processing capacity.

The temporary suspension of a permit for farm slaughter of hogs does not mean that regulations of the Office of Price Administration have been lifted. Ration points must be collected for pork sold at or below the established ceiling price. Ration stamps collected, along with the report form, must be sent each month to the local war price and rationing board on all pork and other rationed food sold.

Reminding that lifting the restrictions applies only to hogs, WFA officials point out that the limit on the number of cattle, calves sheep or lambs which a farmer may slaughter, or the amount of meat from these animals which he may sell still is in force. He may sell only the amount of beef, veal, mutton or lamb which his permits allow him.

It is explained that the reason behind relaxing restrictions upon farm slaughter of hogs is to bring into use all of the slaughtering facilities available—on farms, in towns or in cities—to take care of the record crop of hogs produced this year.

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**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Atterbury and children spent Sunday at Symer visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earles and Mrs. M. A. Haney of O'Donnell spent Christday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams.

Miss Audrey Faye Bailey and Miss Nellie Mae Bailey of Dallas spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ranson of Amarillo spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ranson and Mrs. Alice Banta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Farley spent the holidays in Temple where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Charles Hudson and other relatives and friends.

Captain and Mrs. Cleve Austin and children and Mrs. Hall of San Antonio are visiting here with relatives and friends.

Miss June Winner of Tech, Lubbock, is spending the holidays here visiting with relatives and friends.

Lt. and Mrs. John B. Pipes of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Weldon Lindsey of Dallas are spending the Christmas Holidays here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey.

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**AIRPLANE AMBULANCE**—The sick and injured of the Wichita Falls area now can be brought to hospitals via the air lanes. Above, is one of Texas' first civilian airplane ambulances, recently put into operation by a Wichita Falls funeral home.

**NEW YEAR GREETINGS**

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**FIRE SWEEPS DALLAS DEFENSE PLANT** — The Austin Bridge Company plant at Dallas, which manufactures incendiary bomb cases was heavily damaged by a fire which destroyed thousands of dollars worth of vital war materials. This photo was taken while the fire was at an early stage. The glare was so bright it could be seen for 80 miles.

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

These records were taken from the county clerk's office beginning December 15 and extending through December 18:

### MINERAL DEEDS

S. N. Allen to Ray A. Albaugh, all of section 7, 8, 17 and 18 in block 33, township 5 north, T and P Railway Company Surveys, December 15.

First Trust Joint Stock Land Bank to First National Bank of Chicago, surveys 7, 8, 17 and 18 in block 33, and 8 acres out of the southeast corner of survey 13, block 34, township 5 north, T and P Railway Company Surveys, December 16.

### OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE

Fritz C. Govler and wife to Ray A. Albaugh, 1st tract, being all of the south 1-2 of section No. 5 in block 36, township 4 north, T and P Railway Company Surveys in Dawson County. Second tract: all of the south 1-2 of section 6, block 36, township 4 north, T and P Railway Co. Surveys, December 20.

### WARRANTY DEEDS

Henningsen Lamesa Inc., to Henningsen Brothers Inc., 1st tract: the west 40 feet of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and all Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block No. 7 of the Lindsey Addition to the town; also the alley in block 7. Second tract: all lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, in block 4 of the Lindsey Addition, and that part of north 6th street lying west of the railway tract between block 4 and 7 of the Lindsey Addition, December 14.

Federal Life Insurance Company to T. R. Koen, all of tract No. 38 of the Higginbotham Harris Subdivision No. 1, by R. W. Higginbotham; J. M. Higginbotham, and Jno. G. Harris, of the east part of survey No. 1, the west part of survey No. 2 and all of survey 3, block O-1, W. H. Godair, original purchaser, and all of league No. 279, Hutchinson County School land, December 14.

W. L. Woodward to R. J. Boardman, the south 1-2 of section 75, block 35, township 6 north, T and P Railway Company Surveys, December 14.

Ray R. Barrett to H. D. Brown, the north 1-2 of lots 1 and 2 in block E of the Miller Addition, December 15.

D. A. Adams to H. C. Adams, all of lot 3 in block 19, of the original town of Lamesa, December 15.

Atlas Life Insurance Company to M. Q. Martin, all of section No. 31 in block "M" of the E. L. and R. R. Railway Company Survey, December 15.

Dewey Carpenter to C. B. McCuller, lot 1 in block 12 of the Lindsey Addition to the town, December 16.

V. O. Key to R. A. (Skeet Noret) the middle part of lots 1, 2, 3, block 4, of the J. W. Watson Addition to the town, December 16.

Donald Williams to Ella M. Wade, land out of section 6, block 35, township 5 north, T and P Railway Company Survey, December 16.

R. F. Nix to P. H. Oates, 1st tract, all lots G and H of the Rosa A. Adams Subdivision of block 9 of the original town of Lamesa; 2nd tract, 75x140 feet out of the southwest corner of block 9 of the original town of Lamesa, December 17.

Pauline McSpadden to W. D. Ar-

nett, lots 1, 2, in block 32 of the original town of Lamesa, December 17.

Jesse T. Pruitt to O. A. Roberts, all of the north 1-2 of lots 10, 11, 12 in block 40 of the original town of Lamesa, December 17.

J. N. Barron to D. L. Adcock, 1st tract, all of the south 1-2 of the northeast 1-4 of section 30 in block 35, township 6 north, of the C. C. S. D. and R. G. N. G. Railway Company; 2nd tract: 106 2-3 acres of land out of the west 1-2 of section 30, in block 35, township 6 north of the C. C. S. D. and R. G. N. G. Ry. Co., December 18.

Robert McFadin to Willie Hunter, a tract out of the northeast quarter of section 68, block 8, E. L. and R. R. R. Co. Survey, December 18.

F. P. Works to D. L. Adcock, the

## Fiber Cases Will Move '44 Egg Yield

Fiber cases will have the job of moving to market at least 80 per cent of the 60 million eggs expected to be produced in 1944.

On that account the War Food Administration and War Production Board urge egg handlers and dealers to report without delay the approximate number of fiber cases they will require for next year's marketing season.

According to information to the A. and M. College Extension Service from WFA, reports of egg case requirements should specify the number needed at least for the period February 1 through June 30, and should list the names of the expected suppliers. Report forms are available at field offices of the War Production Board and when completed should be sent to the Containers Branch of WPB at Washington.

The importance of ordering cases from suppliers at once is emphasized. There will be less chance of repeating the shortage of 1943 if requirements for next year are known and orders for egg cases are placed early. The shortage at the peak of the 1943 marketing season forced many producers, handlers and others to transport eggs in pails, fruit crates and other makeshift containers. That experience makes it imperative to obtain a close approx-

southwest 1-4 of section 31, block 35, township 6 north, C. C. S. D. and R. G. N. G. Railway Company, December 18.

E. C. Driver to V. O. Key, all of lot 6 in block 2 of the second Morning Addition to the town, December 18.

F. E. Towns to Robert C. Marlin, all of the north 140 acres of the west 360 acres of section 10 in block 34, township 5 north, T and P Railway Company Survey, December 18.

## Reappointed Chairman



W. B. Clayton, of Houston, Texas, and Washington, D. C., will again lead the Texas celebrations of President Roosevelt's birthday for the benefit of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The 1944 campaign will be conducted from January 14 to 31 to raise funds for continuing the fight against the dread disease. A great increase of polio cases in 1943 necessitates an intensive campaign with the entire state participating, Mr. Clayton said. All members of the Texas executive committee and all local campaign directors have been requested to serve in 1944. George Waverley Briggs, of Dallas, has accepted the state vice-chairmanship and will be in active charge of the campaign.

ximation of actual needs now so that materials and equipment may be allocated to manufacturers as soon as possible.

Re-use or salvage of wooden and fiber cases both will help, but are not expected to supply more than a small part of the entire need for 1944, WFA indicates. Main dependence will be on fiber cases, which after more than a year of fairly general use have proved largely successful.

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**WANTED: 2 or 2 passengers to Fort Worth on the 24th. PHONE 142-M. 99-100 chg**

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**LOST: Endgate from Ford Pickup, between Forrest Lumber Co., and Sunset Freight Warehouse. FORREST LUMBER CO. 98-101 chg**

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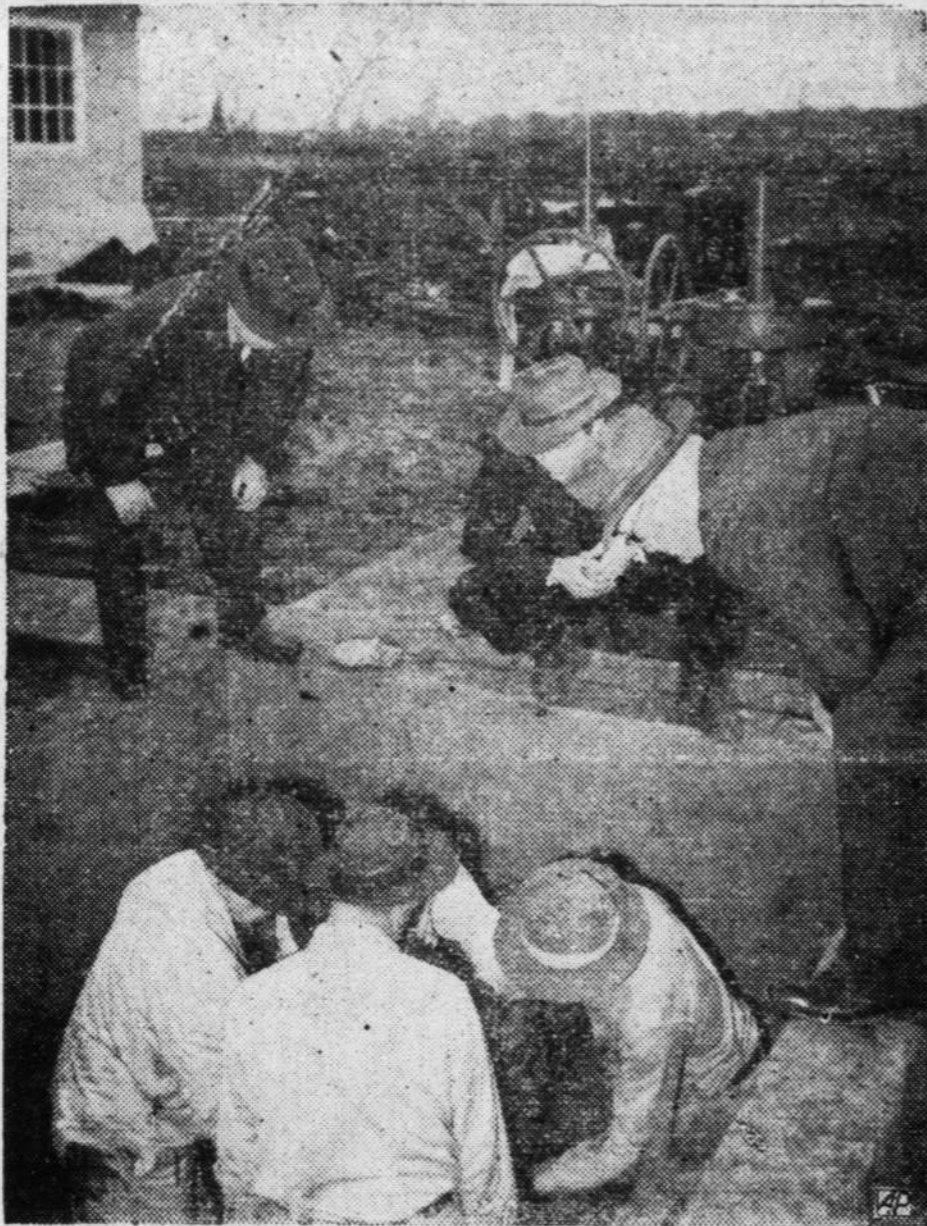
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OPEN ALL NITE

**DECEMBER 18**

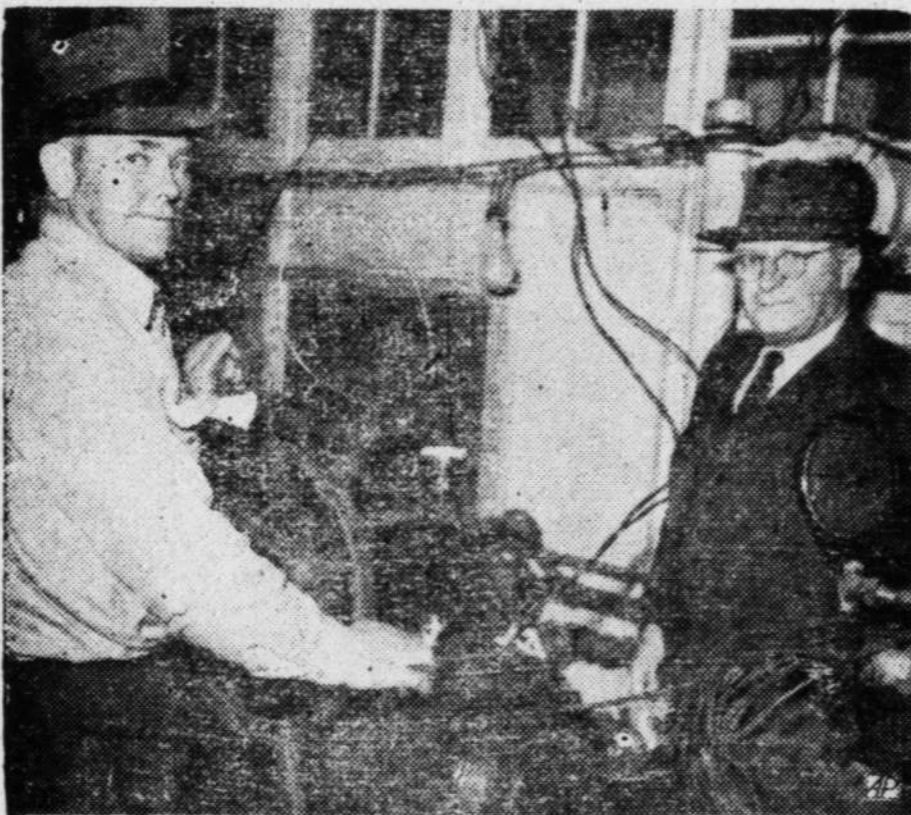
We must sell all Brunswick passenger tires before December 18 because the price will go down then; so please HURRY and help us out so we will not lose money on this tires.

**B. E. NEEDLES**

1502 Avenue H Lubbock, Texas



**STARTING FIRST GASOLINE TO EAST FROM TEXAS** — Workmen "put in the pig," a swab which cleans out the new petroleum products line which runs from Baytown to New York via Houston and Beaumont, prior to the first gasoline run. Watching the workers are (left to right) Bert Hull vice-president and general manager of the War Emergency Pipe Line; C. J. Stuart, Allis-Chalmers engineer; and C. M. Rosenbrugh of the Texas Company, construction superintendent on Pump Stations A. & B., Baytown and Beaumont. The line, which parallels the "Big Inch" crude oil line, received 150,000 gallons of motor gasoline as its first charge. About 3,500,000 barrels of petroleum products will be required to fill the line.



**PETROLEUM PRODUCTS INTO NEW LINE** — Joe Spurlock, chief pumper, gets the nod from C. M. Rosenbrugh of the Texas Company (right) to open the valve and let the first charge of petroleum products flow toward the east in the new pipe line from Baytown to New York. Pumps pushed the first charge of 150,000 gallons of motor gasoline into the 20-inch line.

**Oran Helms Sends 5 Jap Bullets to Brother**

Hubert Helms has received 5 Japanese bullets from his brother Oran R. Helms, of the U. S. Coast Guard. His brother sent them from the South Pacific area where he is located. He picked up these bullets on an island after they had run the Japs off.

The five bullets were sent to Hubert through the mail in a large box with the governments permission. Two of them have sharp points like needles and the others are more blunt.

Hubert has left one of the bullets at the Courier office for display purposes. It is in a case with Japanese writing on it.

Pvt. Stanley Wilkes of Amarillo spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with his wife, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wilkes.

**Home Destroyed By Fire Sun. Nite**

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a 4 room farm house located 2 miles east of McCarty Sunday night at about 12 o'clock.

The house had been occupied by J. M. Ranson for the last 20 years until he recently moved to a farm that he had purchased.

The house belonged to Dr. D. F. Southard and Dr. E. W. Mitchell, who reside elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holder and children Adren and Riter and Mrs. Pat Cook and son, Carroll spent Sunday in Monahans visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bradford.

The first friction match was manufactured in 1818.

**Yuletide Party Enjoyed By Local Soldiers Wed., 22**

Men stationed at Lamesa Field were given a Christmas party at the USO Wednesday evening, Dec. 22.

The men heard a very interesting and entertaining program at this time. Mrs. Ruth McLaughlin told the Christmas story, "The Tale of the Inn-Keeper," and Christmas carols were sung by the Methodist Choir, under the direction of Mrs. N. H. Price; and by Girl Scouts, under the direction of Mrs. Gordon McGuire, Jr. Miss Tiny Gambill sang, "I'll Be Home for Christmas."

Each man was presented with a Christmas gift, and thanks go to the different Sunday School classes, organizations, social clubs, store employees, and other individuals who donated gifts for this occasion.

Following the program refreshments were served by Mrs. J. H. Harp, Mrs. Matt McCall, Mrs. Laura Horton, and Miss Erma Sprawls, assisted by Mesdames Durwin Echols, Jr., E. V. Wilkes, Tom Burnside, W. D. Arnett, Vernon Bryant, Harry Pace, Joe English, E. R. Tinsley, J. D. Boldin, Sam Richardson, I. R. Ashley, D. O. Pieplow, Miss Ruth Magee, who donated refreshments for the occasion.

**A-S James Boone Is Training In Oklahoma**

A-S James Hogg Boone, son of J. H. Boone, Sr., of this city has arrived at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, for a course of Army Air Force instruction lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an Aviation Cadet in the Army Air Forces.

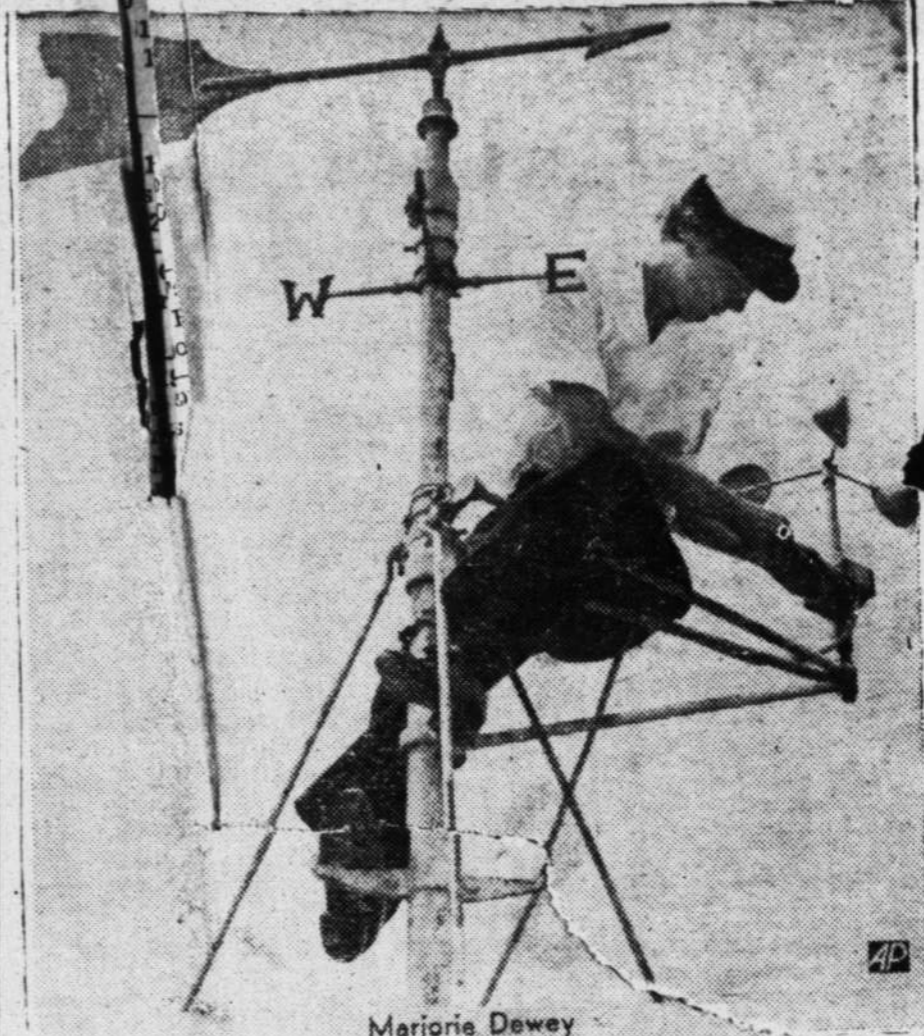
During this period he will take numerous academic courses, as well as elementary flying training.

Lt. Harold Simpson of San Marcos, Miss Nell Francis Simpson of Sierra Blanca and Miss Eleanor Simpson a student of the University of Texas, Austin, spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Simpson.

Lt. and Mrs. Edwin Speck, of Thermal, California, spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Speck.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Middleton spent Sunday in Odessa visiting with relatives, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Banta of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haney of Odessa, Dr. Miller of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Carmachiel of Roger, New Mexico, and Mrs. Billie Thomas of Big Spring spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting in the home of Mrs. Alice Banta.



Marjorie Dewey

**UP IN THE CLOUDS** — Being atop a tall tower doesn't seem to bother this pretty Wave, Marjorie Dewey, Aerographer Mate, 2nd class, who is shown adjusting the anemometer which collects weather information on top of the aerography quarters of the Corpus Christi Naval Air Training Center. She is from Lincoln, Neb. (AP Photo from U. S. Navy.)

**Xmas Day One of City's Quietest**

Lamesa experienced one of the quietest Christmas Days on record Saturday. Even the weather was calm after two days of light sleet, and rain which accompanied approximately 15-100th of an inch of moisture. Following the holiday, swirling snow fell again Sunday night, and continued on Monday, the 27th.

On Christmas Day there wasn't even the sound of popping firecrackers, one of the holiday traditions of past years, to mar the quietude of downtown Lamesa, the war having caused a shutdown of manufacture of fireworks.

The downtown district was closed during Christmas Day and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gibson and daughter, Captain and Mrs. Cleve Austin and family and Mrs. Eugene Cox and daughters spent Sunday in Farwell visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. David Collins and daughter of Sulphur, Oklahoma spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collins.

**Man Attempted to Break Safe Sat. at Richardson's Store**

According to Sam Richardson, owner of Richardson's store in this city, a burglar entered his store through the skylight and attempted to crack the store safe Christmas night.

At about 9:30 that night Richardson went to his store to turn the lights, which frustrated the burglar. The burglar went out the back of the store into the alley, where local officers located him. He is being held in the local jail.

Richardson reports that some small change had been taken out of the cash register, and the knob knocked off the safe as a result of the attempted burglary.

Mike Hall spent the Christmas Holidays in Lubbock visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Hoffman of Stamford spent the Christmas Holidays here visiting with friends and relatives.

BACK THE ATTACK—WITH WAR BONDS

# Clearance Sale

ON ALL

## LADIES WINTER COATS

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SALE STARTS....

TUESDAY 9 A. M.

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# HURT'S

Fashions for Men, Women and Children