

## Change Made In Germany's High Command

### General Zeitzler Revealed As New Chief Of Staff

BERLIN, (From German Broadcasts), Dec. 10 (AP)—The Berlin radio broadcast a Transocean agency dispatch today which said that "for the first time the public has learned that Infantry General Zeitzler is chief of the general staff of the army."

(The Nazi regime apparently took this unusual means of making the first authorized announcement of an important change in the German high command, reports of which have been reaching the outside but never with Berlin's confirmation.)

(The post given Zeitzler formerly was held by General Franz Halder, who has been mentioned as one of several army leaders believed to have fallen under Hitler's displeasure and been marked for a "purge.")

The Transocean dispatch said: "Thursday's Berlin Nachtausgabe (newspaper) published a photo with the following caption: "The fuhrer at a military demonstration in conversation with the chief of the general staff of the army, Infantry General Zeitzler."

"This photo shows Hitler with nine officers, in the foreground the fuhrer and General Zeitzler, a man of heavy build in the prime of life.

"For some time Berlin has spoken of General Zeitzler as one of the most ingenious German general staff officers, whose great efficiency has asserted itself since the campaign in the west (France and the lowlands) and who therefore was promoted rapidly."

General Zeitzler, a comparative unknown among Nazi generals and apparently a newcomer to the top ranks of Hitler's war chiefs, is believed to be an expert in armored warfare.

## More Rental Rooms Needed

There is a new upsurge in the demand for housing in the city, particularly for apartments or rooms to accommodate couples.

Mrs. L. A. Eubanks, chairman of a special chamber of commerce committee to obtain volunteer listings of quarters by people who have not rented before, said Thursday that in the past few days many people have been unsuccessful in finding a place to live. She said couples need to be accommodated, and if apartments are not available, rooms are wanted. She renewed the appeal for persons who will help relieve the housing situation to call the chamber of commerce and list their accommodations.

## Bombs Trap Train Inside A Tunnel

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP)—An RAF Mosquito bomber, shuttling between the entrances of a railroad tunnel 40 miles northwest of Paris in a dusk attack yesterday, apparently sealed a train inside, the air ministry said today.

The flier, it said, neatly laid one bomb at a mouth of the tunnel and then, noting that a train was entering from the other side, bombed that entrance also.

The ministry said the train was bottled up, at least temporarily, and did not appear from either end during the 10 minutes that the Mosquito hovered over the tunnel.

The flier said smoke poured from the first entrance bombed.

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## Allies Poised For New Drives As Air Strength Mounts

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Royal Air Force bombers flew last night launch mighty new drives against the Axis in North Africa at any moment in both Libya and Tunisia, under formidable and ever-growing air power.

Reports by the Morocco radio that the Americans and British already had sprung anew to the attack on both sides of the Axis' narrowing last foothold on the Mediterranean's African shore apparently were premature.

Advances from Tunisia, however, indicated that the Allies there no longer were hampered by the pinch for air support and that the crucial battle for the last 50 miles, the approaches to Bizerte and Tunis, might explode at any moment.

A communique from allied headquarters in North Africa said there was little activity except patrolling in the forward areas yesterday because of rain which has made much of the terrain impassable.

"Our aircraft bombed a small enemy column in the southern sector," the communique said.

On the opposite side of Africa, a British communique said the Eighth army was "allowing the enemy to rest in the El Aghaila area."

This was the strongest language used officially since the British paused before Nazi Marshal Rommel's long-prepared line but it referred, still, only to patrol and artillery activity and British military sources in London said it did not mean that the westward offensive again was under way.

When the Eighth army smashes into the enemy's Libyan line, these sources said, its blows will leave no doubt that it has hit in force again—and that might be any day.

In Tunisia, the allies and Germans both were reported probing cautiously for weak spots and speeding preparations for the decisive battle.

Reports of allied air blows, both destructive offensive smashes and successful defensive air fighting with evidently plentiful and well-varied warplanes, indicated that air mastery was swinging back to the allies.

When the British and Americans closed virtually to the thresholds of Tunis and Bizerte their drive was handicapped by the lack of adequate air bases close to the front. Now, however, Associated Press reports tell of ground commanders telephoning for air coverage as casually as calling for a taxi.

Again, British headquarters reported that allied twin-engine fighters—probably American P-38 Lightnings—had pounded on an enemy air convoy northbound from Africa and had shot down two German transport planes near Lampedusa island, between Sicily and Tunisia.

A Reuters report said allied paratroopers had penetrated within 10 miles of Tunis and carried out a series of demolitions southwest of the Tunisian capital.

Both axis communique reported heavier skirmishing between armored patrols in the Tebourba area. The Italian communique said an allied armored car attack west of Tebourba was repulsed and a German communique said eight allied tanks were set ablaze in another thrust southwest of the town.

## Holidays For Schools Set

Students in the Big Spring schools will have their customary two weeks Christmas holiday, classes dismissing the afternoon of Friday, December 18, to resume on Monday, January 4.

The dates were authorized by trustees in a meeting Wednesday evening.

No decision was made as to date of opening the Mexican and negro schools, which have been closed during the harvest season. Many of these students are still at work, Supt. W. C. Blankenship reported, and it probably will be after the first of the year before a scholastic schedule is resumed.

The board voted for installation of two additional drinking fountains in the West ward school, after the Parent-Teacher unit there had made the request and furnished \$50 of the cost. Plans also were discussed for a sewer connection at the South ward school.

A tax report revealed that the district showed total tax collections of \$69,269.24 during the period from Sept. 1 to Dec. 3. This included \$2,978.77 in delinquent taxes. In addition, \$2,875.75 in taxes has come in this month, the last month during which discounts are offered.

## Liquor Rationed In North Carolina

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 10 (AP)—Rationing of liquor began in North Carolina today under a coupon system similar to federal rationing of other commodities.

Consumers may buy one quart before December 15 and two quarts in the period December 15-31. Two quarts may be bought January 1-15 and two more January 15-31. After February 1 the ration will be one pint a week.

North Carolina has a local option law, under which 25 counties have voted for legalization of liquor sales.

## Reds Thrust Deeper Into Enemy Lines

### Germans Defeated In Counter Drives At Stalingrad

By EDDY GILMORE  
MOSCOW, Dec. 10 (AP)—The Red army has spread seven miles deeper into enemy lines on the central front near Velikie Luki, recapturing 13 settlements, while the Germans still have failed in their six-day effort to regain the initiative on the Stalingrad front, Soviet dispatches reported today.

Attacking with ski troopers supported by tanks painted white to blend with the snow, the Russians apparently are slugging at mail communications on the central front which extends northwest of Moscow roughly from Rzhev to Velikie Luki.

On the Stalingrad front, although slowed down by violent German counterattacks during the past several days, the Russians were reported still pushing gradually forward as their offensive there entered its fourth week.

Russian reports said the Nazis apparently were trying not only to smash the Soviet offensive but also to mount one of their own, presumably in the belief that the Red army is exhausted after an advance said now to have retaken 63 towns.

Some of the Germans' counter blows have been in parts of Stalingrad itself, Red Star said, but they have been content with purely defensive fire in the factory district. There, the army newspaper added, the Russians systematically are destroying pill boxes and other fortifications in the still difficult task of clearing the enemy from the besieged city.

It said the Germans had exposed themselves in trying to wrest the initiative from the Russians and had suffered heavily from trench mortar fire turned on them virtually like a spray from a hose.

Although axis forces have been separated on the western banks of the Volga and Don and driven from both rivers in some sectors, they were said to be showing no signs of faltering in defensible positions despite a grave strain on their communications.

In the Velikie Luki area, far west of Moscow, the Germans were reported to have thrown a regiment of infantry, with the support of several dozen tanks, against Soviet forces which had cut a highway.

Dispatches from the front said the Russians repulsed several counterattacks, and threw their ski troopers into the fray. Artillery and trench mortars were used to pound the enemy into retreat and then the Germans were driven from a nearby settlement.

## Ethiopia To Get Lend-Lease Help

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Ethiopia, newest member of the United Nations, today was qualified for lend-lease aid by orders of President Roosevelt.

The White House made public a letter from the president to Lend-Lease Administrator E. R. Stettinius, Jr., saying:

"For purposes of implementing the authority conferred upon you as lend-lease administrator by executive order number 8226, dated October 28, 1941, and in order to enable you to arrange for lend-lease aid to the government of Ethiopia, I hereby find that the defense of Ethiopia is vital to the defense of the United States."

## Monday Bond Total Placed At \$91,000

What appeared to be a final tabulation Wednesday evening showed that Big Spring and other Howard county citizens purchased more than \$90,000 in war bonds on Monday, during the special Pearl Harbor Day observance.

Later checks were made with the various issuing agencies, Chairman Ira Thurman reported, to show a grand total of \$91,000. This was beyond the expectations of the most optimistic workers.

## Cafes Convicted For Failure To Report All Coffee

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—In the first trials of their kind in the nation, seven New York restaurants were convicted yesterday by an Office of Price Administration examiner of failure to declare coffee stocks properly in recent rationing registration.

If the trial examiner's findings are upheld in Washington, the offending restaurants may be penalized by loss or suspension of their right to buy any rationed commodities.

## LEAVES CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Senator Lee (D-Okla.) has closed his office in the senate office building and is en route home for a rest before reaching a decision on what he will do after his retirement next month.

## Son Receives Medal

Lieut. D. J. Callaghan, son of Rear Admiral Daniel J. Callaghan, receives from President Roosevelt a Congressional Medal of Honor and citation for his father, who was killed during the battle of Savo Island during which the task force the admiral commanded sank 24 and damaged ten Japanese warships.

## Gona Base In New Guinea Is Occupied By M'Arthur's Men



Water's No Barrier—U.S. soldiers laden with packs and followed by native porters made into a turbulent jungle stream in New Guinea. American and Australian forces have driven close to Japanese bases on northeastern shore of New Guinea in recent fighting.

## Melvin Beene Found Dead From Gas

Charles Melvin Beene, 22, was found dead from asphyxiation Wednesday evening in his room at the Warren Tourist camp across from the State hospital.

A verdict of accidental death from fumes from a gas heater was returned today by coroner Walter Gries.

According to Sheriff Andrew Merrick, who investigated the death, Beene had apparently returned to his room Tuesday night around 11 o'clock. Officers theorized that he turned up the gas heater and went to bed. Time of death was set around 3 o'clock Wednesday morning.

When Beene failed to come to work Wednesday at the State Hospital where he was employed as an apprentice fireman, R. W. Orr, also employed at the hospital, called at his room and saw the body of Beene lying on the bed.

Funeral services are pending awaiting arrival of a sister from California. Beene is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Beene of Wiley, three brothers, Horace of Big Spring, J. Howard and Billy Don, both of Wiley, Tex., and four sisters, Mrs. William Ables, Caddo Mills, Mrs. William Blakeley of Southgate, Calif., Mrs. Wallace Wright, Greenville, Tex., and Helen Juanita Beene of Wiley.

Eberley Funeral home will forward the body to Dallas this evening where it will be taken overland to El Paso City where burial will be held.

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## UNITED STATES 12TH AIR FORCE ADVANCE OPERATIONS BASE, Nov. 28 (Delayed)

—Led by one of the heroes of Major General James H. Doolittle's raid on Tokyo, medium bombers of the Twelfth Air Force battered docks, warehouses, railroad yards and oil storage tanks in a night raid on the port of Sfax, in Tunisia, and then swooped to as low as 25 feet to machine-gun their targets.

Fires visible for 75 miles were left burning among the oil tanks. Particularly heavy damage was reported done to the railroad yards and warehouses on the quays of this important communications port at the top of the Gulf of Gabes, 140 miles south of Tunis.

It was the first operational flight of this squadron and all of its planes came home safely.

The flight leader was Major David M. Jones of Winters, Tex., who won Tokyo. Distinguished Flying Cross for his role in the bombing of Tokyo. Another veteran of the Tokyo attack, Lieut. Richard Miller of Fort Wayne, Ind., also participated.

## INAUGURATION

KINGSVILLE, Dec. 10 (AP)—Dr. Edward Newton Jones, former dean of Baylor University, will be formally inaugurated Saturday afternoon as new president of Texas College of Arts and Industries.

## Turin Is Blasted Again By The RAF; Damage Is Heavy

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Royal Air Force bombers flew last night into the smoke still rising from the destruction wrought Tuesday night at Turin, mangled Italian arsenal city, and loosed explosives ranging up to four-ton block-busters in a one-hour assault which left large new fires spreading in the industrial areas.

Great damage was acknowledged in the Italian high command communique broadcast today from Rome.

The air ministry said that three bombers failed to complete the round trip from Britain across the Alps, but said "a strong force participated—suggesting 300 or 350 planes."

Gunnery of a four-motored Lancaster were credited with destroying an enemy fighter.

Despite the smoke pall over Turin, the bombardiers could pick out their objectives, the air ministry said.

"When the last bomber left an hour later, large new fires were spreading in the industrial areas, the ministry added.

The Italian high command said the raiders hit many buildings.

"Numerous fires were started and damage on the whole was great," its communique reported.

"The number of victims from the preceding (Tuesday night) raid are 75 dead and 112 wounded. The losses of last night are not known yet."

In other war zones, the air ministry said that a coastal command plane torpedoed an axis supply ship off the coast of Norway yesterday and a Halifax destroyed an enemy aircraft over the Bay of Biscay.

Both firebombs and explosives were employed in the effort to deal the coup de grace to Turin, once great industrial center on the River Po.

A Reuters dispatch said watchers at Ticino, Switzerland, 90 miles away, saw lightning-like flashes on the horizon and heard the thunder of intermittent explosions, apparently from the super bombs.

The issue is one that is of great importance to every farmer and cotton producer. Weaver said, and urged that farmers take an opportunity to vote in their community Saturday or at the AAA office in Big Spring.

## DIES OF INJURIES

ELECTRA, Dec. 10 (AP)—Adrian O. Woods, 33, Amarillo salesman, died in a hospital here today from head injuries received in an automobile accident on Thanksgiving Day. Burial will be at Amarillo.

## Six Points In County For Youth Registration

Youths who reached their eighteenth birthdays in the period between July 1 and Aug. 31 will be registering Friday at six points over the county in the nation's sixth registration of available manpower.

Registration will be conducted at the schools in Knott, Foran, Vealmoor and Coahoma, at the postoffice at Vincent and in room 15 on the second floor of the First National Bank building in Big Spring.

Chief Clerk Margaret McDonald announced today that Gene Salazar at the United Dry Goods Store had volunteered to aid in registering Mexicans and others not able to speak English. Those desiring to do so may register at the store with Salazar, who speaks both languages and will be equipped with the necessary supplies to register youths who need interpreters.

Registration will be held at the schools through Fridays only, but the Big Spring and Vincent offices will be open all day Saturday.

Those who became eligible from September 1 through Oct. 31 are to register from Dec. 15 through Dec. 24, and those with birthdays occurring between Nov. 1 and Dec. 31 are to sign up during the remaining days of December.

## Japs Pushed Into A Tight Spot At Buna

### General Himself In Field To Direct The Cleanup

By The Associated Press  
American and Australian troops who learned jungle fighting in the wilds of New Guinea and beat the Japanese at their own game have occupied the Gona coastal base of invaders and crowded their remnant into a narrowing death trap at Buna, 12 miles to the south.

The announcement was made today by Prime Minister John Curtin of Australia who said Gen. Douglas MacArthur took to the field himself to direct this first cleanup in his campaign of vengeance for Bataan.

Gona, of the northeast coast of New Guinea, was seized by the Japanese four and a half months ago. From it they once drove over the Owen Stanley mountains to within 32 miles of Port Moresby in a determined attempt to win that jumping-off point for invasion of northern Australia.

Now all that remains of that ambitious effort is the beachhead at Buna, flanked on both sides by allied penetrations to the sea and pressed back almost to the settlement.

With their sea-borne reinforcements beaten off by allied bombers, the Japanese had made one last effort to break out of the trap at Gona. Their night attack was stopped cold, and the last of their resistance collapsed.

Allied headquarters, meanwhile, added another chapter to the lengthening accounts of the exploits of America's heavily armed long range bombers.

It is reported that Flying Fortresses and Liberator bombers clashed in a furious aerial duel with Japanese fighter planes off the coast of New Britain. When the fight was over the bombers—without a single loss—had knocked down 10 of the enemy planes and so greatly damaged four others that they probably were unable to reach base.

In Australia, Prime Minister Curtin told the House of Representatives in a war review that Australia must be prepared to fight a holding action until the allies could turn their attention undividedly upon Japan.

Curtin said that even before the fall of Singapore Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt had decided that the first task was to defeat Germany.

Curtin warned that even with the improvement in the picture to the north, Australia must still be prepared to resist strong air and sea-borne attack. These, he said, could be expected to come from Japanese concentrations on the island of Timor, 400 miles northwest of Port Darwin.

"Australia has much to be thankful for," said Curtin. He added that "recently it has been American seapower that has been the bulwark between Japan and Australia."

He declared, however, that there was "nothing to justify the optimistic view that the end is in sight."

Broadcasts from the Vichy and Berlin radios disclosed that months after the fall of Bataan and Corregidor, the Japanese still had been unable to clean up American and Filipino resistance in the scattered Philippine islands.

These broadcasts said the Japanese naval headquarters had announced the landing of Japanese marines on certain of the islands and said violent fighting was in progress.

The Tokyo radio said last week that American and Filipino resistance continued, but that it was being cleaned up.

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### New Doctors Appointed To VD Clinic

Dr. J. E. Hogan and Dr. J. M. Woodall of the Malone-Hogan clinic and hospital will succeed Dr. R. G. Bendler as directors of the first venereal disease clinic, City Manager Boyd McDaniel said today.

### Meat Sharing Is Pledged

Approximately 900 agreements were obtained in a city-wide canvass to secure pledges of cooperation in the "Share-the-Meat" program, Fontilla Johnson, county nutrition chairman said Thursday as she began an analysis of the returns.

Air raid wardens distributed literature and information on the program and obtained pledges in about 98 per cent of the cases, Miss Johnson said preliminary study of the reports showed.

The two per cent refraining from pledges of cooperation mostly did so because they were not clear about the program, but there were some who admitted they had no desire to sign.

One woman told the worker who called on her that she "intended to eat all the meat she could" as long as she could get it.

The reports did not include results from the rural sections, which are due to be turned in this week end. Community and neighborhood leaders are directing the campaign in the rural territory to extend the distribution of slightly inadequate meat supplies voluntarily.

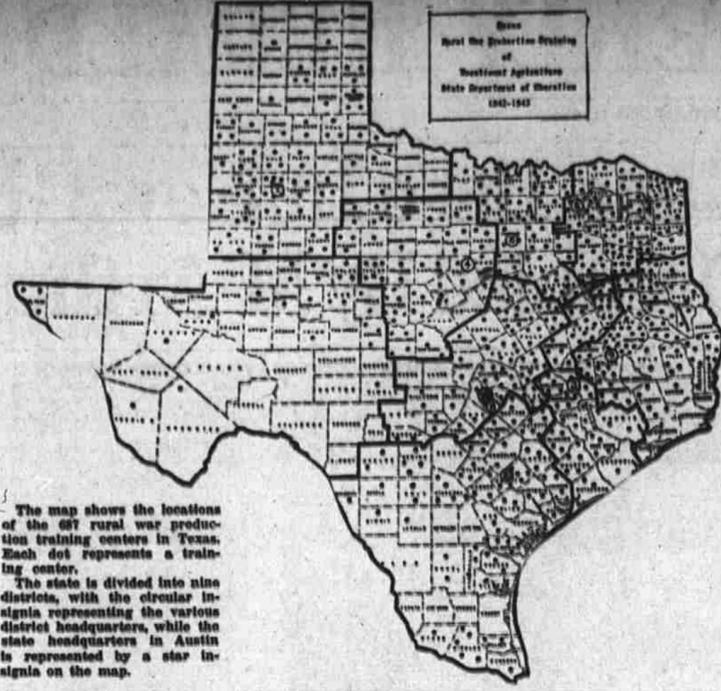
**PROMOTIONS**  
WICHITA, Kas., Dec. 10 (AP) — Promotion to the rank of major of Captains George T. Caldwell and Beverly H. Warren was reported today by Col. Ray G. Harris, supervisor of the midwest procurement district, army air forces.

**"Boy, it's cold at this air-raid post"**  
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**HANES UNION-SUITS** (See Figure 2) For men who need extra warm underwear. Fluffy and comfortable. Tailored to short chest width and trunk length—they won't pinch or pull. Ankle-length legs. Long or short sleeves.



### Many Farmers Enrolled In War Training

More than ten thousand farmers of Texas are attending the 687 rural war production training courses now being offered in 288 communities in Texas, according to Robt. A. Manire, state director of vocational agriculture of the state department of education, who is in charge of the new program.

Nearly a half million dollars in hand tools and equipment for farm machinery repair were placed in the vocational agriculture shops last year for the out-of-school youth training. On the new program this equipment is being used in 282 courses in farm machinery repair being offered farmers in 188 counties in Texas.

The new program also provides for courses to be offered farmers, with the view of helping them increase production of certain commodities, particularly peanuts, milk, eggs, poultry, pork, beef, and mutton, lamb and wool. Only one commodity is considered in any one course, but demonstrations and illustrations cover all practical improved practices for that commodity.

**Ration Board Halts Night Sessions**  
With the help of five soldiers from the Big Spring bombardier school, the War Ration and Ration Board held its last night session Wednesday evening and cleared out a great amount of work, B. F. Robbins, chairman said today.

**Ned Boyle Remains In Critical Condition**  
The condition of Ned Boyle, locomotive engineer run over by a motor car in the F & P railroad yards Tuesday night, remained critical today as doctors prepared to set a second broken leg and administered treatment for a serious skull fracture.

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### 1943 Newspaper Supply To Be 24 Pct. Under Present

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP) — Canadian and United States government officials informed the newspaper advisory committee today that the supply of newspaper in 1943 would be about 24 per cent under the current rate of production.

### Gift Buyers Are Out Earlier, And Selections Covering A Wide Range

This year's soldier gift-buyer has the sales of his wife, mother, sister, sweetheart or little brother down pat, the trend of early shopping shows, for soldiers are not in the least fighting shy of size items.

### Livestock

FORT WORTH, Dec. 10 (AP) — Cattle and calves mostly steady; bulls fully 25c higher for week. Feeders steady; stocker classes dull and weak.

### Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS Afternoon temperature about the same as yesterday. Little change in temperature tonight.

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### Richland School Will Transfer To Fairview

Trustees of the Richland school after several days of discussion following the burning of the Richland school house Friday in a blaze of unknown origin, voted to utilize the Fairview school house for the remainder of the school year, the county superintendent's office said today.

### Seasonal Demand For Sales Help

A seasonal demand for sales clerks to assist in local stores during the Christmas rush season has been reported by Manager O. R. Rodden of the United States Employment Service.

### Oil Movement Is Falling Off

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP) — Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes said today the 260-mile, 34-inch oil pipeline from Texas to Illinois would be fully installed some time next week, but that it might lie useless more than a month for lack of pumping equipment.

### Tire Inspectors Must Take Exams

An explanatory session for local tire inspectors and members of the tire panel was conducted Thursday morning at the Crawford hotel by Tom Hendrick of Lubbock, regional OPA representative.

### Salvation Army's Donations Lagging

Contributions to the three Salvation Army kettles have dropped off considerably, according to Major L. W. Canning, but funds already received show gains over the 1941 total donated to the organization for charity work.

### Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys control 18 million of the body's fluids which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and don't work right in the daytime, many people have to get up at night. Frequent or empty passages with smarting and burning sometimes show there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable mental energy.

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Large Glass Fruit Bowls, very special at . . . \$1.49  
Nut Bowls with Cracker at . . . \$1.19 and \$1.49  
3-Pc. Carving Sets, Stainless steel with stag handles . . . \$2.98

**GIFTS FOR MEN:**  
English Ascot Ties in Christmas Box, each . . . \$1  
Other Beautiful Ties also boxed at only . . . 49c  
DRESSING SET—necessary toilet articles conveniently packed in beautiful leatherette zipper cases. The gift that will delight him for many years . . . \$2.98  
Cocktail Mixers . . . \$5.95  
Liquor Serving Sets . . . \$1.98 to \$8.00  
Humidors with Pipe Racks \$1.29 to \$4.95

**"TRU-VAL" SHIRTS**  
SHIRTS—"Tru-Val" with non-wilt collar, form fitting; shirts of distinction, new patterns and plain colors, all sleeve lengths and sizes at a special Christmas price of only . . . \$1.39

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**Quilted Housecoats . . . \$1.98 - \$2.98 - \$4.95**  
**Fireside Flannel Robes . . . \$4.95**  
**Beautiful Lace Trimmed Gowns . . . \$2.98**  
**Bed Jackets to Match . . . \$1.29**

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Dolls, large and small . . . \$8c to \$2.98  
Doll Dishes . . . \$50c to \$1.19  
Doll Furniture  
Double Decker Doll Bed . . . \$2.99  
Stand-up Blackboards, ea. 79c & 98c  
Streamlined Sparkling  
Mechanical Train . . . \$1.59  
Desk and Chair Set . . . \$4.49  
Cowboy Suit . . . \$1.49 & \$3.49  
Footballs, Official size, Simulated leather . . . 98c

**Gifts for Every Member of the Family!**

The "Good Behavior" Slip  
Buy them in your right length . . . tall—medium—short.  
Will not twist when you walk (2) will not strain seams when you bend (3) will not ride up when you sit . . . \$1.39

Lovely cotton lace cloth in choice of dainty patterns. Long-wearing, washable.

# Registration Of Teen-Agers Will Start Tomorrow



## AP Suit Termed By Solon Attack On Press Freedom

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10. (AP)—Describing the justice department's anti-monopoly suit against the Associated Press as "evidence of a determined effort on the part of the bureaucrats at Washington to freeze the bill of rights," Representative Plumley (R-Vt.) asserted today there was "no justifiable excuse for an attack on freedom of the press."

"If press and political freedom are to live, this suit should be thrown out of court," the New Englander said in a speech prepared for delivery in the house.

"The people stand to be the big losers. If, by any chance, this suit is lost, the people will have been deprived of one of the safeguards of democracy."

He described the action as "more than a lawsuit" and said it was "an effort to take something away from the people that is needed now as never before in our history."

"The monopoly suit against the Associated Press seeks to accomplish a total governmental control, to constitute a greater monopoly, as it, under its guise of relief for the public, would allegedly destroy a lesser," Plumley said.

"In the attempt of the administration circuitously and surreptitiously to throttle a free press, there is concealed a weapon even more potent and dangerous and poisonous than was its effort to control the court."

He said the government "already holds the power of life and death over radio," and gives orders to the motion picture industry, leaving the newspapers as "our bulwark, frank, free and fearless."

"The very nature of the Associated Press organization," he said, "guarantees objectives reporting, an unbiased and uncolored report of each of the events about which it tells. That is what the new deal hates."

"The right of association of men or of newspapers with associates of their own choice in free speech or a free press is a fundamental right—as fundamental as the bill of rights itself. What profits it the liberty of citizens if the free speech right is sustained but no one permitted to come and hear? Oh what a demand that news shall be gathered, printed and made public only when done in conjunction with all comers? . . . A fundamental American right is threatened in this suit against the Associated Press. If it is lost, the whole American people are the losers, not just the Associated Press."

## Many Of The Half-Million In Service

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10. (AP)—Youths who have become 18 since last June 30 start registering tomorrow for induction into the armed forces.

Selective Service estimates there are more than a half-million in this age group. But many of them already have enlisted.

The schedule, calling for three one-week registration periods for youths grouped by their birth dates:

December 11 to 17, inclusive—those born on or after July 1, 1924, but not after Aug. 31, 1924.

December 18 to 24, inclusive—those born on or after Sept. 1, 1924, but not after Oct. 31, 1924.

December 25 to 31, inclusive—those born on or after Nov. 1, 1924, but not after Dec. 31, 1924.

Inductions of youths of these ages were expected to vary to some extent depending upon preparations made by local boards to meet draft calls with older men and also on how rapidly the boards can classify the younger group for service.

The war department announced that the order suspending voluntary enlistments will not interfere with the army's volunteer officer candidate program. However, men who have passed their 38th birthday will not be accepted as candidates although those who had been ordered by Dec. 5 to report for induction will be taken for training.

The order in which 18-year-old youths will be classified for induction will be determined by their birth dates with the oldest coming first.

Those traveling during their registration period will register with a draft board in the place where they happen to be, but their cards will be forwarded to their home boards, which will include the registrants in their quotas and have permanent jurisdiction over them.

Those having more than one place of residence will register wherever they are at the time, but may choose between their residences for purpose of assignment to a local board.

Youths who become 18 after Dec. 31 must register on their birth dates. This group is expected to average about 100,000 a month.

Any 18 or 19-year-old registrant attending high school who is ordered to report for induction during the last half of an academic year may have his induction postponed until the end of the academic year upon written request to his draft board.

Addition of the new registrants to the list of draft eligibles will postpone to some extent the induction of childrens married men, but their addition has been offset in part by the recent stoppage of induction of those 38 or older.

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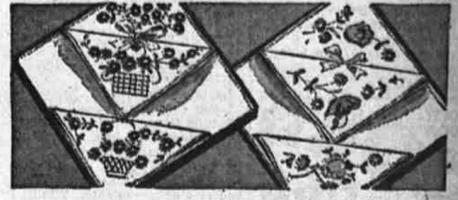


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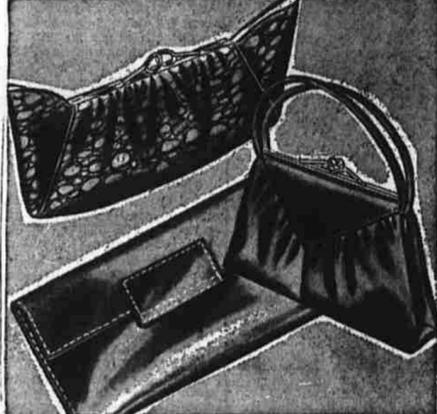
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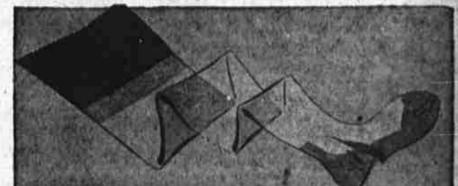


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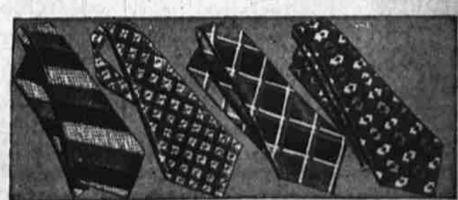


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## RADIO PROGRAM

**Thursday Evening**  
5:00 Minute of Prayer.  
5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon  
5:15 Dollars for Listeners.  
5:30 Leslie Nichols & Seymour Korman.  
5:45 Bobby Sherwood's Orob  
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.  
6:15 The Johnson Family.  
6:30 Confidentially Yours.  
6:45 Fight Night.  
7:00 Where To Go Tonight.

7:15 Country Church of Holywood.  
7:30 News.  
7:35 Air Corps Show from San Antonio.  
8:00 Gabriel Heater.  
8:15 Bombardier Show.  
8:30 To Be Announced.  
8:00 Raymond Clapper.  
9:15 Sign Off.  
**Friday Morning**  
7:00 Happy Johnny.  
7:15 Musical Clock.  
7:30 News.  
7:45 10-24 Ranch.  
8:00 News.  
8:05 Morning Devotional.  
8:20 Morning Concert.  
8:30 Pinto Pete.  
8:45 For Ladies Only.  
9:00 Ian Ross MacFarlane.  
9:15 Radio Bible Class.  
9:40 The Cheer Up Gang.  
10:00 Sydney Mosley.  
10:15 Talk By Mrs. Roosevelt.  
10:30 News Conference.  
10:35 Yankee House Party.  
11:00 News.  
11:05 Dr. Aron R. Wood.  
11:10 KBST Previews.  
11:15 Bill Hay Reads the Bible.  
11:30 Edgewood Arsenal Band.  
**Friday Afternoon**  
12:00 Checkboard Time.  
12:15 What's the Name of that Band?  
12:30 News.  
12:45 Musical Varieties.  
1:00 Cedric Foster.  
1:15 Will Bradley's Orch.  
1:30 Philadelphia Orchestra.  
2:15 Neighborhood Calls.  
3:30 Man With a Band.  
3:45 Horse Race.  
4:00 Sheila Carter.  
4:15 Quaker City Serenade.  
4:30 Superman.  
4:45 Afternoon Swing Session.  
**Friday Evening**  
5:00 Minute of Prayer.  
5:01 Phillip Keyne-Gordon.  
5:15 Dollars for Listeners.  
5:30 Leslie Nichols & Stanley Quinn.  
5:45 Dick Kuhn's Orch.  
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.  
6:15 The Johnson Family.  
6:30 Halls of Montezuma.  
7:00 Where To Go Tonight.  
7:15 Speak Up For Democracy.  
7:30 News.  
7:35 The Cisco Kid.  
8:00 Gabriel Heater.  
8:15 Dance Orch.  
8:30 Double or Nothing.  
9:00 John B. Hughes.  
9:15 Sign Off.

## Oil Man's Estate Goes To Orphans

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 10. (AP)—The Tulsa, Okla., home of Tom Gilcrease, wealthy San Antonio oil man and Oklahoma landowner, will serve as the nucleus of a haven for orphaned Indian children, he announced yesterday.

The 80-acre estate, which adjoins the Tulsa country club, will be opened to the children before Jan. 1, he said, adding that after the war he plans to construct several buildings on the site to house woodworking, library, basket factory and other shops.

Gilcrease said he would install his library, containing several thousand volumes about Indians, at the orphanage, as well as his large collection of Indian art.

## Texas Birth Rate Is Up Sharply

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10. (AP)—Texas increased its birth rate last year to 21.2 per 1,000 population, signifying a sharp increase over births in 1940.

The department of commerce reported 136,291 babies were born in 1941 as compared with 126,687 the previous year. The rate was higher than the 18.9 for the nation as a whole.

Deaths in Texas declined as compared with 1940's rate. Last year there were 60,424 deaths, in 1940 there were 62,503. The drop in rate was from 9.7 per 1,000 population to 9.4.

The birth-rate increase over 1939 was even more marked. The rates three years ago was 19.1, based on 121,049 births.

The average incubation period of infantile paralysis is twelve days.

## Instructors In Red Cross Have Session

The people on the front line in the work of carrying the Red Cross program to the public—in water safety, first aid, home nursing, nutrition and water safety—summed up a year of work and mapped plans for 1943 as they gathered at the Settles hotel. It was the annual meeting, held in connection with a dinner program, of the Red Cross instructors association of Howard and Glasscock counties.

There are 35 instructors in the chapter, 19 in first aid, six in home nursing, five in nutrition and five in water safety; and under chairmanship of Stoney Henry they have worked in close collaboration. Already they are laying groundwork for starting new classes soon after the holidays.

S. A. McComb, president of the association, presided for the meeting; and at the annual election he was renominated to the office, along with these others: Jewel Barton, secretary-treasurer, and Neal Barnaby and Marguerite Wood, vice-presidents.

Shine Phillips, long-time chairman of the Red Cross chapter, brought the principal talk of the evening, lauding the Red Cross as the one unselfish organization operating throughout the world today, and commending the instructors for the great good they are doing in improving the way of living. Phillips said it was important that the Red Cross training courses be included in the curricula of all schools. R. W. Whipkey was introduced as new chapter chairman.

Those attending the meeting included Mrs. G. G. Sawtelle, chapter executive secretary; Mrs. J. G. Carner, Mrs. Joe E. Ratcliff, Marguerite Wood, Fontilla Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Freeman, Jewel Barton, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McComb, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Whipkey, Mrs. Ray Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harris, Mrs. Velva Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Jack T. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, Shine Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henry.

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U. S. Treasury Department

### Menus For Your Approval

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE

**Christmas Goodies**  
It is time to start the cake and cookie making ritual held sacred in many families. Store the cookies carefully in tightly covered earthenware or metal containers, keep in a cool place.

**Old-Fashioned Fruit Cake (Thrifty Special)**  
1 cup dates or prunes.  
1-2 cups raisins.  
1 cup sugar.  
1-3 cup shortening.  
1-3 cups boiling water.  
2-3 cups flour.  
1 teaspoon soda.  
1-2 teaspoons cinnamon.  
2-3 teaspoon salt.  
1-2 teaspoon cloves.  
1-4 teaspoon nutmeg or mace.  
1-2 cup chopped candied fruit peel.  
2 cups walnuts.  
2 tablespoons orange juice.  
Mix together dates, raisins, sugar, shortening and water. Simmer 10 minutes. Stir frequently. Cool and add rest of ingredients. Pour into shallow pan lined with waxed paper and bake 80 minutes in moderate oven.

Cool, cut in bars or squares and pack in a box.

**Bettina's Brownies (Good Keepers if You Can Hide Them)**  
1-3 cup shortening (part butter).  
1 cup sugar.  
2 eggs, beaten.

**Herb Tomato Scramble**  
3 tablespoons bacon fat (or other kind).  
3 tablespoons minced onions.  
3 tablespoons diced celery.  
1 tablespoon minced parsley.  
1-2 teaspoon sage.  
1-4 teaspoon sweet marjoram.  
1-4 teaspoon thyme (optional).  
1 cup tomatoes.  
1-4 teaspoon salt.  
1-8 teaspoon paprika.  
5 eggs, beaten.

Heat fat in frying pan, add onions and celery. Simmer 5 minutes. Add herbs, tomatoes and seasonings. Simmer, covered 5 minutes. Stir in eggs and cook slowly, stirring constantly until thick and creamy. Serve with hot toast or buttered toasted rusks.

**Holiday Salad Bowl**  
1 cup chowry.  
1 cup shredded lettuce.  
1 cup diced green beans.  
1 cup cooked spiced beets (pickled) (optional).  
1-4 teaspoon salt.  
1-8 teaspoon paprika.  
1-4 cup tart French dressing.  
Rub a salad bowl with garlic and add rest of ingredients. Cover and chill several hours. Stir several times with two forks to distribute flavors.

**Citricy Cookies**  
1-3 cup shortening.  
1-2 cup peanut butter.  
1-3 cup sugar.  
1-2 teaspoon salt.  
1 teaspoon vanilla.  
1 cup chopped dates, prunes or raisins.  
1-2 cup honey or corn sirup.  
2 eggs, beaten.  
3 tablespoons cream.  
2-3 cups flour.  
2-3 teaspoons baking powder.  
1-2 teaspoon cinnamon.  
Cream shortening, peanut butter and sugar until soft. Add rest of ingredients. Mix lightly. Chill dough and then break off bits and flatten down on greased baking sheets. Mark tops with fork dipped in flour. Bake 12 minutes in moderate oven—about 350 degrees F.

**Cream Shortening and Sugar**  
Add rest of ingredients and beat 2 minutes. Pour into shallow pan lined with waxed paper. Bake 25 minutes in moderate oven—about 350 degrees F. Turn the pan about several times and beat until brownies onto a cake rack and when cool cover with Victory Frosting.

**Victory Frosting**  
2 squares chocolate.  
1-8 teaspoon salt.  
1-2 cup sweetened condensed milk.  
1-2 teaspoon vanilla.  
Heat in double boiler chocolate, salt, cover and cook 5 minutes—or until very thick. Stir frequently. Add vanilla and beat until creamy and thick. Quickly pour over brownies. When firm cut into bars and pack closely in covered box. These will keep moist and flavorful for 10 days if carefully stored.

**Cocoanut Drops (Waxey Confections)**  
1-3 cup shortening.  
2-3 cup sugar.  
1 egg.  
1-2 cup orange juice.  
1-3 teaspoon salt.  
1 cup cocoanut.  
2 cups flour.  
1-2-2 teaspoons baking powder.  
1-4 teaspoon mace.  
1-2 teaspoon grated orange rind.  
Cream shortening and sugar. Add rest of ingredients. Mix lightly. Chill dough overnight. Drop portions of dough onto greased baking sheet. Bake 10 minutes in moderate oven.

**Short On Time**  
Egg dishes help the housewife, busy with her holiday cooking, keep the family satisfied.

Dinner Serving 3 Or 4  
Herb Tomato Scramble  
Buttered Boiled Shredded Cabbage  
Toasted Rusks Apple Butter  
Holiday Salad Bowl  
Victory Cookies Grapes  
Milk

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**STEAKS LUNCHES**  
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**Suppose we apply this standard to the farm of John Doe. He has two good dairy cows, two brood sows, from which he expects to raise twenty four market hogs, three hundred hens and plans to raise one hundred fifty pullets and two hundred fliers. He has a few turkeys and expects to raise eighty. His credits would be as follows:**

|                |     |       |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Milk cows      | 2   | Units |
| Hogs           | 27  | Units |
| Hens           | 40  | Units |
| Pullets raised | 0.8 | Units |
| Fliers         | 0.4 | Units |
| Total          | 9.7 | Units |

This would qualify this farm for one full time skilled worker until Feb. 1, when his plans must be to make a slight increase, and by April 1, he must increase to twelve units. He might do this by increasing any one of that he has or he might add turkeys to his poultry production, get some sheep, feed out some heaves or lambs by running them on sudan pasture during the summer and feeding them a few weeks before marketing.

**What To Do**  
First: check your production. If there are not enough units of production already in your plans, begin at once to plan an increase.  
Second: If there is a skilled worker of draft age on your farm that is needed there according to this standard, notify the Selective Service Board, giving them the data pertaining to your production and plans.  
Third: If you will need a farm hand in the operation of your Victory farm, notify the Employment Service and give the data you will employ such help. Do this now.  
Fourth: Do not complain about regimentation, because it is absolutely necessary to win the war. The regimentation is coming to your relief now if only you will cooperate.  
Fifth: Don't be afraid to plan the production of the above meat products. The president has said that parity prices for these things would be guaranteed by the government during the war and for two years after it is over.  
Sixth: You have never had a better opportunity to serve your country and there has never been a time when you needed more than in 1943.

It's a pleasure to check needed items and shop at the Robinson Grocery.

Here are suggestions for this week's food list... and don't forget War Bonds and Stamps.

|                    |              |     |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|
| Pure Lard          | 4 lb. Carton | 72c |
| Gold Medal Flour   | 12 lb. Bag   | 69c |
| Crystal White Karo | No. 5 Jar    | 45c |
| Hall Brand Figs    | 32 oz. Jar   | 49c |



**National 3-Minute OATS** 3-lb. 30x **27c**

**JOLLY TIME POP CORN** 2 TINS **25c**

**Kraft DINNER** Pkg. **10c**

**Welch's Grape Juice** Qt. **49c**

**Calumet Baking Powder** 25 oz. Can **29c**

**Fruits AND VEGETABLES**

|                  |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
|------------------|---------|-------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|---------------------|------|--------------|---------------|----------|---------------|
| Collards         | Mustard | Cauliflower | Hubbard Squash | Egg Plant | Hot Pepper   | Red Pepper | Cucumbers | Avocado   | Russet Potatoes | White Rose Potatoes | Yams | White Onions | Yellow Onions | Lettuce  | White Squash  |
| Yellow Squash    | Turnips | Endive      | Spinach        | Carrots   | Green Onions | Celery     | Tomatoes  | Rutabagas | Cabbage         | Beets               | Kale | Parsley      | New Potatoes  | Radishes | Tender Greens |
| <b>FRUITS</b>    |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Delicious Apples |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Winesap Apples   |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Oranges          |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Tangerines       |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Pomegranates     |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Grapes           |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Pears            |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Bananas          |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Grapefruit       |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |
| Cranberries      |         |             |                |           |              |            |           |           |                 |                     |      |              |               |          |               |

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**Choice GRADE A MEATS**

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| Fork Sausage                | . lb.         | 33c |
| No. 7 Out Steak             | . . . lb.     | 29c |
| Shoulder Pork Roast         | lb.           | 33c |
| BOLOGNA                     | . . . . . lb. | 19c |
| Chuck BEEF ROAST            | . . . . . lb. | 27c |
| Baby Beef LIVER             | . . . . . lb. | 35c |
| Smoked Ring Sausage         | . lb.         | 29c |
| No. 1 Longhorn Cheese       | . lb.         | 35c |
| Boneless Perch FISH         | . . . lb.     | 38c |
| Spiced Rath's LUNCHEON MEAT | . . . . . lb. | 37c |

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# War Board News

A weekly column conducted by members of the Howard county USDA War Board.

## Farm Standards For Wartime Are Listed

For each full time first class worker your farm should reach the following standard of production of things needed to win the war.

There should be twelve units of food production. A unit may be any one of the following:

- 1 good milk cow.
- 3 beef cows.
- 5 yearlings.
- 4 two year old steers.
- 4 feed lot cattle.
- 30 swes.
- 80 feed lot lambs.
- 15 hens.
- 250 chickens raised.
- 500 broilers or fliers raised.
- 40 turkeys raised.
- 9 hogs raised.

Now you may not have all of the above. You could qualify with any one of them or any combination you may choose. Suppose you produce 25 market hogs during the year that would be four units, then suppose you have four good dairy cows that would be four units, two yearlings would be 2-3 units. Three hundred hens or ten years in jail, or both.

These facts are stated by OPA emphatically to call attention to the wide scope of the order. All slaughterers, including small country slaughterers and butchers, and custom slaughterers who kill animals belonging to others, are subject to the terms of the order, as are farmers who kill animals except for the use of themselves and their families. Anyone, to repeat, who kills and delivers to others, animals from which are obtained beef, veal, lamb and mutton, and pork, is accountable. They must keep records of all they slaughter and deliver, and they must keep within the limits set by the order for deliveries to civilians.

Slaughterers, other than those killing more than 500,000 pounds in a quarter are limited to no more than the same amount of each of the kinds of meat that they slaughtered and delivered to others in the corresponding quarter of 1941. The larger slaughter-

## Meat Plan Affects Slaughtering

Every person in his United States who slaughters and delivers to others even so much as one animal of the sort listed in the meat restriction order of October 14 is subject to the restrictions of the order and to its penalties in case of violation, OPA has advised. Farmers who slaughter animals only for their own use are exempt, and are not subject to any fine. Animals covered are cattle, calves, sheep, lambs, and hogs. Delivery of meat from these animals to civilians is limited so that there shall be enough for the fighting forces of the United States and its Allies.

Records of all slaughter for delivery to others must be kept and be available to inspectors of the OPA, by anyone from the country butcher, or the farmer who slaughters meat for others, to the largest packing houses. False statements of the number of animals slaughtered and delivered, or other violations of the restriction order, subject offenders to fines up to \$10,000 or ten years in jail, or both.

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ers are limited to deliveries considerably below 1941 levels.

Community and Neighborhood Victory Leaders were on the job throughout the county last week carrying war information concerning the Share the Meat program to the people in their groups. In Big Spring the air raid Sector Wardens with their block leaders made the house to house contacts. Mrs. A. B. Partridge took the lead in securing these workers.

This Share the Meat Campaign was under the general direction of the Civilian Defense Council with Horace Reagan, general chairman, and the Extension Service through the Victory Council handled the program in the rural communities.

The County Nutrition Committee also assisted.

Briefly, this Share the Meat Program is a voluntary sharing of meat so that all civilians will get their proportionate share after the needs of our military forces and Allies have been met. Each family visited was given an opportunity to cooperate with this program, and reports show that about 100 per cent of the people contacted agreed to cooperate. The amount of meat allowed in this set up is 3-1-2 pounds per week for person 12 years of age and over; 1-1-2 pounds for children 6 to 12; and 8-4 pounds for children between 6 months and six years.

A leaflet called Share the Meat for Victory was left at each home which explains all points of the program. All civilians are asked to limit their consumption of beef, veal, mutton, lamb, and pork, including canned meats and sausage made from these meats. Poultry, fish, and variety meats, such as liver, heart, sweetbreads, etc., are not included.

Whether you were called on last week or not, you are urged to cooperate with this number one government program which will help prepare us for actual rationing which is expected to begin in January.

If you wish further information on this Share the Meat Program, you may come to the local Extension Service Office, or if you live in town, go to the civilian Defense Office. Copies of the leaflet will be sent to persons requesting them.

Homemakers, this is an opportunity for you to use your ingenuity in "stretching" this meat allowance, and in using the meat substitutes of which there are so many.

## Cities Defeat Bond Proposals

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20 (AP)—Local bond issue proposals fared badly at the hands of war-conscious voters this year.

The census bureau reported today that a survey of municipal elections in 205 cities showed that bond issue proposals totalling \$15,800,000 were rejected by the voters while those amounting to only \$7,000,000 were approved.

Nearly \$2,000,000 of those approved were for airport developments at Burlington, Cedar Rapids, Mason City and Waterloo, Iowa; Amarillo, Tex.; Fargo, N. D.; Oklahoma City and Springfield, Mo.

In all, 36 bond issues amounting to \$22,800,000 were voted on in 23 cities. Bond issues fared better in the south than in other

Replaces "Regular" Santa  
SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — A Springfield store's regular Santa Claus has gone into war work, so an 83-year-old retired minister has taken his place. The Rev. George Cummings donned whiskers and the regular trappings of Santa Claus. Despite his age, the store manager says Mr. Cummings is the best "Santa" he ever had.

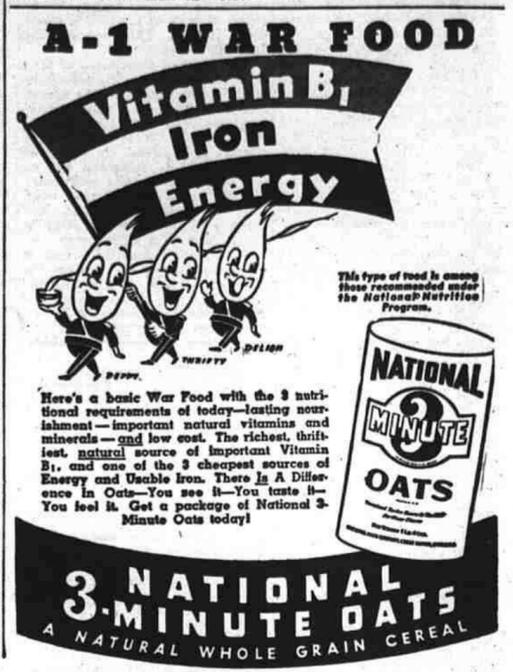
area, the bureau said, southern voters approving \$5,200,000 out of \$5,400,000 bond proposals submitted.

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## Ann Sheridan To Mexico City To Get A Divorce

BURBANK, Calif., Dec. 10 (AP)—Red-haired Ann Sheridan, the film actress, left by airliner for Mexico City at 1:55 a. m. (PWT) today to get a divorce from her screen star husband, George Brent.

Miss Sheridan posed for photographers before boarding the American Airlines plane, but had no comment except that she expected to return as soon as her objective was achieved. She was due in Mexico City about 3:10 p. m. (PWT) today.

She married Brent at Palm Beach, Fla., last Jan. 5, and said shortly afterward that they had drawn a code for a long and happy married life. They separated Sept. 29.

## LECTURE TONIGHT

Subject of R. E. DeLafield's lecture on Bible prophecy at the Seventh Day Adventist church, 12th and Runtals street, this evening, will be "The Supreme Sign of the Approaching End." The service starts at 7:45 an dthe public is invited to attend.

## Reminds Them of Home

LOS ANGELES—A poll taken at the Griffith Park USO canteen here showed that a majority of the service men using it wanted to do some of the homely chores they had done at home, bringing in the wood, working in the garden and even polishing the recreation hall.

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## 813th Squadron

The 813th Squadron has again proven it is one of the best squadrons on the field by leading all others in the war bond drive. One hundred per cent was its goal and through Major Tedder's and Captain Hall's hard work along with other members of the Squadron the 813th was able to achieve just that. We do not wish to use the ordnance department as the goat for this column because the enlisted men in the squadron are men of outstanding character who possess traits of good soldiers. But it seems they are no match for the 813th in athletics. What Lt. from this field bowled in the fifties in league competition? Most improved bowler: Major Tedder. The worst bowler: (censor-

## November Brought Dry Weather And Killing Frost

November, according to the monthly meteorological summary released by the U. S. department of commerce weather bureau here, produced two things—a welcome and continued autumnal drouth and a killing frost that was a killing frost.

The month showed only .07 of an inch moisture, .06 of the amount falling on Nov. 5. This affirmed reports from the Wolcott SCS gauge in northwestern Martin where only .12 of an inch fell. The SCS Brunson ranch (northern Glasscock county) had .59 of an inch, and other reporting gauges showed none. All moisture came out of the same "spell."

First freezing weather came on Nov. 22 with 27 degrees, which had the expected results on vegetation. Followed by more cool weather and clear skies, it had a general beneficial effect. After the freeze, there was only one night where the temperature failed to sag below 40 degrees. November showed 21 clear days, six partly cloudy and only three cloudy.

## Navy Enlistments Must Be Finished By December 15

Only those who applied for enlistment before midnight of Dec. 5 in classes V-1 and V-7, for college students and V-5 for aviation cadets may be shipped to Dallas to complete enlistments, Fred Baum, recruiter in charge of the navy sub-station here said Wednesday.

New orders further decree that such applicants must act to complete enlistment by Dec. 15. "That means they would have to be shipped from here not later than Sunday," he said.

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ed)...but you might guess... FLASH! The Women All-Stars from Big Springs defeated the 813th in a grudge match at the local bowling alleys. This makes one piece with the third and deciding match to be played in the near future...P. S. The losers will buy the dinners for the winners. NEWS IN THE SQUADRON: T-Sgt. Gayle F. Hoard along with Cpl. Joseph Moody and Sgt. Tilly P. Botti expect to be leaving the squadron in the near future for Officer Candidate School, Miami Beach, Florida...Wedding balls will soon ring for S-Sgt. Michael Constantine who is contemplating leaving the bachelor ranks. The future Mrs. Constantine is expected to arrive in Big Spring within a few days from San Francisco, California...Our squadron commander hopes the fellows in the squadron who are on night flying will go directly home instead of stopping down town for a bite to eat. Ask T-Sgt. Richmond or S-Sgt. Sherard...Sgt. Brown of the armament dept wears the largest size in shoes and caps of any one in the squadron...Sgt. Milton H. Sibilsky has a case on a waitress at a local restaurant, he says it's love at first sight...Sgt. Botti has been planning on furlough soon, but at the present time is undecided as to where his destination will be. He seems to be caught between two fires, Reno, Nevada, and East St. Louis. MEN ON FURLOUGH...Cpl. Cross, Sgt. Gill and Sgt. Landers...Captain Hall, adjutant, is very proud of the way they have worked in the various departments and in the area in a successful effort to keep the 813rd on top in every department...The men in the organization wish at this time to thank Mrs. Hall, wife of our adjutant, for the curtains in the day room. This was made possible after many tedious hours of work. It has made a remarkable difference in the neatness and home looking appearance of the day room...THE SOLDIER OF THE WEEK: Pvt. Irl Patrick Kling is voted as the outstanding soldier of the week for his hard work and pleasant attitude as a member of the line crew that helps to "Keep 'Em Flying".

## 100,000 Loans Made Through Land Bank

The Big Spring National Farm loan association has had a big part in the 100,000 Federal Land Bank loans closed in Texas. According to Ira J. Driver, secretary-treasurer, 624 loans have been made in this territory to farmers and ranchmen.

"The recent closing of loan No. 100,000 in Grayson county through the Sherman National Farm loan association makes us proud of the service rendered by the Land Bank system in its 25-year history. This loan was only a few miles away from loan No. 1 closed in 1917, and today is in good standing, well on the road to being paid off through systematic payments out of the earnings of the farm under a long-term, low-interest rate loan."

The Big Spring National Farm loan association has closed 624 Land Bank loans, and 345 Land Bank Commissioner loans for a total of \$2,261,000.00, out of which \$298,200.00 has been retired. Mr. Driver said that the national farm loan associations in Texas owning the Federal Land Bank of Houston have closed approximately \$344,000,000 in Land Bank loans and \$83,000,000 in Land Bank Commissioner loans. Of this amount, about one-third of the number and one-half of the face amount of loans closed have been repaid.

Officers and directors of the Big Spring Farm Loan association are W. S. Satterwhite, president; Walter Robinson, vice-president; M. M. Edwards, H. G. Cross and C. E. Anderson, directors, and Ira J. Driver, secretary-treasurer.

## Many Service Men's Names Listed With County Judge

Between three and four hundred coupons and letters containing names of Howard county men now in the armed services have been received at the county judge's office, James T. Brooks said today. When the roster of names has been obtained, the proposed roll of honor will be erected on the courthouse lawn. Plans now are to have the board erected before Christmas.

Parents and members of families of men of Howard county now serving their country in any branch of the service are asked to contact the county judge's office as soon as possible in order that the roster may be completed.

## NEGROES FINED

Four of five negroes picked up last night by city police for gambling were fined \$15 each in corporate court Wednesday. Case against the fifth, who is in the army, was dismissed. Fines of \$15 also were assessed against two more men for drunkenness, and two liquor law violations were transferred to the Liquor Control Board.

## MONTGOMERY WARD'S

## SECOND STATEMENT

## TO NATIONAL WAR LABOR BOARD

The Following Statement Was Submitted To The National War Labor Board At Its Meeting In Washington On December 8, 1942

The War Labor Board on November 5, 1942 issued an order that Wards "incorporate" in a contract with a C.I.O. Union at Chicago:

1. A clause establishing a form of the closed shop, called "maintenance of membership", together with a check-off of union dues from wages.
2. A clause providing for compulsory arbitration on any questions the union wishes to raise.
3. A clause guaranteeing in these uncertain times present wage and working conditions for a year.

Wards rejected this order of the Board for these reasons:

1. The Board was without authority. Congress, the only law-making authority under the Constitution, has not empowered the Board to order any employer to do any of these things which the Board demanded of Wards.

2. The order violated the fundamental principles of liberty. Liberty requires that an employee be free to join or to resign from a union without jeopardizing his livelihood. Liberty requires that an employer be free to employ the person best suited for the work.

3. The order was in itself illegal. The order required Wards, first, to interfere with the free choice of its employees to resign from the union; second, to give support to the union by a check-off of union dues; and third, to discriminate against employees if they resigned their membership in the union, all in direct violation of the National Labor Relations Act.

4. Wards operates in a highly competitive field composed of one million seven hundred fifty thousand and retail establishments. It is unfair to impose burdens upon Wards and not upon those with whom it is in competition.

The imposition of the closed shop against Wards cannot be justified by reference to the so-called No Strike agreement. Wards was not a party to this agreement. Wards had no voice in the selection of those who, as representatives of industry, attended the conference in December, 1941, which formulated this agreement. Wards has never ratified the results of that conference.

Furthermore, the conference itself did not agree that the War Labor Board might impose the closed shop principle. Those acting as representatives of industry expressly recommended to the president that this issue not be considered by the Board. The Board, in ordering a form of closed shop at Wards, has acted contrary to these expressed recommendations of the industry representatives.

If Wards had had the right to test the legality of the Board's demands in a court, Wards would have done so, but Wards was deprived of a remedy in the courts by the Board's complete lack of legal authority to compel obedience of its order. The court will only act when legal rights have been violated. The courts have declared that the mere making of demands which do not have to be obeyed does not in eyes of the law, violate any legal right. The Board's very lack of authority thus resulted in a denial to Wards, as it has to other employers of a right to relief in the courts.

The president of the United States as well as the Board is wholly without constitutional authority to order any employer to do the things demanded of Wards. Nevertheless, in deep respect for the president and his great responsibility in time of war, Wards said, in rejecting the Board's order:

"If Congress imposes closed shops, compulsory arbitration or contracts for a year's duration on employers, or if the president of the United States, as commander-in-chief in time of war directs that Wards accept the Board's ruling, which we earnestly believe are illegal and uneconomic, we will respectfully obey."

The president on November 18 wrote the company, saying:

"As commander-in-chief in time of war I direct Montgomery Ward and Company to comply, without further delay, with the National War Labor Board's directive order of November 5, 1942."

Wards immediately answered:

"Your order of November 18th has been received and will be promptly obeyed."

Wards thereupon altered the general form of its contracts with unions and incorporated, word for word, the clauses ordered by the War Labor Board. This document was offered to the union. The company has fully complied with the president's direction and will continue to do so.

The document which the president has directed Wards to sign is not a contract. The requisite of a contract is that there be a meeting of the minds or agreement between the parties. There has been no agreement between Wards and the union. The document which the president has ordered Wards to sign affects the rights and liberties of Wards and of its employees. Therefore, in order that the document itself may be clear and state the facts, Wards informatively included these three sentences:

"The following provisions are not voluntarily agreed to by the company. In the company's opinion they are illegal and unsound. These provisions are copied verbatim from the War Labor Board's order of November 5, 1942, and are incorporated herein, on the company's part, under duress and only because the president of the United States as commander-in-chief in time of war has expressly ordered that they be included."

These three sentences are in all respects true. They do not alter the effect of the provisions ordered by the Board—provisions which Wards will carry out. Nevertheless, the union has refused to sign the offered document.

Wards will be happy to accept any improvement in the wording of this statement, but Wards will resist any attempt to hide the truth by a change in its substance.

On January 9, 1941, the president said:

"In the future days which we seek to make secure, we look forward to a world founded upon four essential human freedoms. The first is freedom of speech and expression—everywhere in the world."

Wards feels that it is bound by the rules of good citizenship to make sure that the single truth about these provisions and Wards acceptance of them be not hidden from or misrepresented to its hundred thousand employees, its sixty thousand shareholders, and its many millions of customers. The elimination of this statement would serve no purpose but to conceal the truth from readers of the document.

Wards has cheerfully met with the union and with this Board whenever requested. Wards has promptly obeyed the direction of the president. Wards insists that its right to tell the truth not be destroyed.

MONTGOMERY WARD AND COMPANY  
Sewall Avery  
President



Color Of Ink Is Important

These Men Are Popular At The Flying School; They Pay Off



Purple ink is just purple ink to most people — but to men in the finance department at the Big Spring Bomber School, purple ink is a headache. Green ink—and any other color than ordinary blue-black, for that matter — produces trip-hammer palpitations in finance department heads, for regulations prescribe that man may sign payrolls only with blue-black ink. Invariably, someone signs with some other color—and the trouble begins. The process is lengthy and troublesome. He who signed with the off-bred ink must be chased down and made to sign the roll again. By this time, the department has discovered some other gentleman of the khaki colored uniform has a fondness for green ink, and it starts all over. Once an entire squadron used the same purple-filled with green ink—and the fi-

U. S. Cotton Estimate Is Some Lower

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 (AP)—The agriculture department today in its final cotton report of the year estimated the 1942 cotton crop at 12,982,000 bales, or 247,000 bales less than was forecast a month ago. This reduction was attributed to crop damage caused by excessive moisture and leaf worm infestation in Oklahoma and Texas, and to a scarcity of harvesting labor in western sections of the cotton belt. The department said this year's crop was grown under relatively favorable conditions. The yield of 27.1 pounds to the acre sets a new record, the previous record having been 26.9 pounds in 1937. A month ago the department placed indicated production at 12,982,000 bales. Production was 10,744,000 bales last year and average production in the ten years 1931-40 was 13,108,000 bales. The indicated yield in 27.1 pounds to the acre compared with 27.9 pounds indicated a month ago. 25.9 pounds produced last year, and an average of 25.0 pounds in the ten years. The area for harvest this year is placed at 22,228,000 acres, compared with 22,228,000 acres last year and 22,861,000 acres two years ago.

Lieut Edson Is Buried With Full Military Honors

Full military honors were accorded 2nd Lieut. Arthur Clifton Edson at burial services conducted Tuesday afternoon at Stanton. Lieut. Edson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brick P. Edson of Stanton and a native of that town, was one of seven crew members killed last Friday when their four-engine army bomber crashed and burned in the desert near Florence, Ariz. The body was returned to Stanton Tuesday morning, and services were conducted at 2 p. m. at the First Methodist church. The pastor, Rev. Kendall, was in charge of rites there, while the chaplain from the Big Spring Bomber school led in military ceremonies at the graveside. A cadet detachment from the air school here made up the firing squad and the AAF band led the Classmates of young Edson from the Lubbock advanced flying school where he received his wings upon graduation in September, served as pallbearer. Born Sept. 30, 1921, young Edson had been on active duty since leaving the field at Lubbock. Survivors besides his parents are his grandfather, Alfred C. Edson of Stanton; a brother, Boyce Edson of Midland; and three sisters. Mrs. Edson is Mrs. Fay Smithson and Mrs. Lillie Maude Bohlen of Stanton and Mrs. Robert Hoover of Dallas, whose husband, a captain in the air force, is on duty in England and has received a military decoration. Bobby Hoover of Dallas is a nephew. Eberly Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Conservation Practices Aid In Production

"Food will win the war, and food will dictate the peace," according to Secretary of Agriculture Wickard. Farmers and ranchers of Howard and adjacent areas are taking no chances that their soil—source of all food production—gets away from them or fails to produce to its utmost ability. Records of the Martin-Howard County Soil Conservation District show that last year 137 farmers signed agreements for contour lines, terraces, strip croppings, approved range practices, etc. This involved the protection of 230,273 acres and brought the district's total in a year and a half of operation to 246 agreements covering 228,114 acres. During the last terracing season farmers in Howard county had 1,013 miles of lines run and built 200 miles of terraces. This year they have had 1,000 miles run to date and built 40 miles. Some 200 miles were run in Martin county last year and 90 miles built. This year there have been some 50 miles run. Farmers have repeatedly declared that the conservation program is the controlling factor in their productivity. Typically, Clyde Denton said that terraces on his place held enough water from one rain to keep his crop growing through a summer drought and thus the maximum advantage of early autumn rains. W. Lay, whose place suffered last year breaks from a 13-inch flood, still was very much sold on the benefits from his program. To prevent wind erosion, the district hopes in 1943 to make further contribution to the war effort by effecting vegetative control on the problem.

IF FERRIS IN FIRE WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Dec. 8 (AP)—Thirteen women patients were burned to death last night in one of New Zealand's greatest fire tragedies when the women's wing of the Beachiff mental hospital was destroyed.

Farmers Urged To Look Ahead To '43 Problems

Citing a recent statement by economists that 1943 is expected to bring the greatest demand ever known for farm products, and stating that next year's production difficulties will be tremendous, U. D. Kindrick, rural rehabilitation supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, this week urged farmers to begin planning their program of operations immediately. "Shortage of manpower already is a critical problem in many farming areas," said Kindrick, "and it will be much more critical next year. As the nation increases our army and steps up our industrial output, it is inevitable that greater problems will face those in agriculture. "Farmers in Howard County and throughout the United States," he continued, "will do well to forestall many hardships and disappointments by developing their basic farm and home plans during the winter months." The supervisor observed that farm operations often involve credit needs. He suggested that operators who may need to borrow funds for next year make their arrangements during December and January. "The Farm Security Administration," said Kindrick, "expects to receive applications for loans the next two months from many Howard county farmers. Under a directive of the Secretary of Agriculture, this agency has the responsibility for getting into full production the manpowers and resources of all farm operations who are unable to achieve their full output through their own efforts or through existing normal channels of assistance. He reminded farmers that FSA loans are available to eligible borrowers for practically farming needs, including the purchase of capital goods such as cows, hogs, sheep and so forth, and for operations.

Stanton Items Of The Week

STANTON, Dec. 7 (Sp1)—Jens Woody and his son of Houston returned this week from a deer hunt on the James Kenney ranch south of Marathon with 4-point and 20-point bucks. The latter, killed by the senior Woody, was in the velvet—a rare find on a buck killed by a hunter—and weighed around 200 pounds. All twenty points were visible on the head, although some were small. Both were killed on the run. James Kenney, son of Mrs. Bertha Kenney, Midland, and nephew of Woody, had just arrived at the ranch from Madison Square Garden, where he tied Toots Measfield in the world's championship steer roping, and the occasion was one where two champions met, as Woody is holder of the world championship in pistol marksmanship. Jimmy Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Des Rogers of Stanton, left this week to enter Hardin-Simmons University to take advanced flight training, since completing his preliminary course at McMurtry, he has been home a week awaiting orders.

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 43, 45, AND 46 OF A PRINTED ORDINANCE ENTITLED, "ORDINANCE GOVERNING AND CONTROLLING THE BIG SPRING SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM," PASSED AND APPROVED ON 3RD DAY OF JULY, 1924, MAKING SAME CONFORM TO PART TWO, "STANDARDS FOR DEFENSE HOUSING," ISSUED BY THE OFFICE OF DEFENSE HOUSING COORDINATOR, DATED FEBRUARY 11, 1942, AND DECLARING IN EMERGENCY. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS: SECTION 1. Section 43 of the City of Big Spring Ordinance governing and controlling the Big Spring sanitary sewer system passed as an ordinance on the 3rd day of July, 1924, is amended so that it shall hereafter read as follows: "Sec. 43. Except as otherwise provided in this ordinance each and every fixture must be equipped with a water trap placed as close to fixture as practical, provided, however, a single set of bathroom fixtures consisting of one commode, one bathtub, and one lavatory may be connected to one stack under the following conditions. All fixtures must be connected in the vertical part of the vent stack, and the total distance from any trap weir to the vent opening shall not exceed 36 inches. The tub drain shall connect into the vent stack at the same elevation of the commode drain. And provide further that a sink may be connected to the vent stack if such sink is provided with an approved grease trap, and the total distance from the trap weir to the vent opening shall not exceed 24 inches." SECTION 2. Section 45 of the above mentioned ordinance is amended so that it shall hereafter read as follows: "Sec. 45. All connections of lead pipe to cast iron pipes and fittings shall be made with approved brass ferrules caulked to iron pipe and wiped to lead pipe. Provided, however, where brass ferrules are not available, drive ferrules may be used for commode connection, if a dump valve is placed at the top of the pipe at the top end of the drive ferrule. Said wiped joint shall have a minimum width of 1-1/2 inches and a minimum depth of 3/4 inch and shall be placed at the top of the ferrule to prevent the lead pipe from spreading away from the ferrule and prevent the ferrule from cutting through the lead pipe." SECTION 3. Section 46 of the above mentioned ordinance is amended so that it shall hereafter read as follows: "Sec. 46. Where vent pipes go through the roof, joints shall be made watertight by use of lead or zinc caulk and approved materials." SECTION 4. The said ordinance passed and approved on the 3rd day of July, 1924, shall remain in full force and effect save and except that the amendments hereinabove made and except any amendments thereto which may have heretofore been lawfully made. SECTION 5. The fact that there is a shortage in certain critical materials being used in plumbing, and the necessity of a continued use of a limited amount of these materials for defense, and other emergency. The rules requiring this ordinance to be read at three separate meetings is hereby suspended, and it shall be effective immediately after its passage and approval and publication as is provided by law. PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Commission this 24th day of November, 1942, all members present voting for passage of this ordinance. G. C. DUNHAM Mayor

Rent-Report Forms Here By Saturday

Blank forms for registration of all rental property owners except hotels and rooming houses will be on hand Saturday morning and Monday at the Rent Control office on the sixth floor of the Petroleum building, Charlie Sullivan, attorney-examiner, said today. Rental property owners may call for the forms on the two days prior to the registration in order to complete the work of registration as soon as possible. Sullivan said that it was hoped the complete registration could be done in ten days. James W. Stovall of San Angelo rent control office will be here Monday to assist the local office in the work of registering. R. L. Cook, inspector, will be in charge of the registration. Hotel and rooming house agents will not list their establishments until January 1st when a separate registration will be held for them. The office has heard many complaints this week from tenants charging landlords with excessive rent rates. Under the critical area's where Big Spring is located, all rent levels must not be higher than the rates charged March 1st of this year unless major capital improvements have been made on the property during this time.

Some Positive Reactions From TB Skin Tests

First results Friday of the tuberculin skin tests given Monday at the high school to over 200 seniors and freshmen students showed seven girls and six boys with positive reactions. In some cases where a positive case is found, it may indicate that the student has had tuberculosis in the past and recovered or that the student may have the disease, the doctors explained. For the students whose tests showed positive, it will be recommended that their condition be checked further by X-ray by their family physician. The 13 positive reactions out of over 200 given, is a relatively small number, physicians said. Monday more skin tests will be given and those who were absent from school will be checked by Dr. R. O. Beckles and Dr. J. M. Woodard, who are in charge of the tests, sponsored by the Howard county Tuberculosis society. Nurses assisting the doctors were Juanita Pack, June Matson, Hilda Teague and Mrs. Lee Porter. J. A. Coffey was in charge of the students, whose parents had granted permission for the skin tests.

Let them have YOUR SEAT this Christmas

ALL of us believe that the men and women in Military Service are entitled to the right of way for the holidays. Furloughs will be liberally granted, enabling many of them to be with their loved ones for a few days. Transporting these folks will tax train facilities to the utmost. So we are asking the civilian population to refrain from traveling by train, particularly from December 15th to January 15th, unless absolutely necessary. There just isn't enough equipment to serve everybody. Maybe later on you can go if you must—while the fighting forces are chopping the Axis down.

W. D. Hornaday, 72, Dead; Noted In Journalism

AUSTIN, Dec. 7 (AP)—W. D. Hornaday, 72, veteran Texas newspaperman, journalism teacher and world-wide traveler regarded by many as the father of the oil riches that accrued to the University of Texas, died Sunday. Hornaday, who started his newspaper career in Indiana at the age of 17, came to Texas in the 1890's to work for the San Antonio Express. A teacher of elementary journalism, political reporter and correspondent for many of the nation's large newspapers, Hornaday became University of Texas publicity director in 1917. At the time of his death he was journalistic research historian for the university. In the early 1920's a news story he wrote from a bulletin prepared by Dr. J. H. Under of the university's bureau of economic geology, led directly in exploration and subsequent development of the Big Lake oil field. Hornaday was at one time publicity director for the National Railways of Mexico. Mrs. Walter Hornaday, Dallas, the former Anna Agnell of this city, is a daughter-in-law of the late W. D. Hornaday.

Ration Rush About Over

Night sessions of the local War Price and Ration board will continue only tonight and Wednesday night, B. F. Robbins, chairman, said today, as the largest part of the big rush for supplemental gas books is now over. The ration clerks with volunteer workers have been staying open each evening from 7 o'clock to 10 o'clock for the past five nights in order to get supplemental books ready for distribution. Volunteer helpers Monday night were J. L. Hudson and N. B. Frost. Since the beginning of gas rationing, the local board has processed some 4,000 applications and approximately 1500 more are ready to be called for by vehicle owners seeking supplementary mileage. Robbins urged car owners, who have applied for more gas, to come to the ration board either Tuesday or Wednesday evenings or during the day in order to clear out the applications on hand. Approximately 53 late registrants signed up yesterday for basic "A" books. SHEY ON OIL AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (AP)—Texas failed to produce its October oil allowable by 2,732,235 barrels, the railroad commission reported.

Foresyth Named Head Of IOOF

R. V. Foresyth was named noble grand of the V. O. F. Mullen lodge here Monday evening at a meeting which featured election of officers. He will succeed Alfred F. Gilliland as head of the local Odd Fellows. Vice-grand elected was Marvin Sewell, W. L. Nowell was elected secretary, Jim Granshaw treasurer and W. W. Bennett team captain. Foresyth will name several appointive officials later. Members participated in a program and were feted to a chicken dinner. Lodge members named Cecil Mason as representative to the grand lodge meeting in Dallas on March 2, 1943, and Gilliland was made alternate. Nowell serves in a double capacity for the lodge, being district deputy over the orders at Big Spring, Knott, Stanton and Midland. Earl Pley was given initiate work in the third degree and made chaplain to fill the unexpired term of David Smith, who left two weeks ago to become a naval aviation cadet. Odd Fellows urged soldiers who have had connections with the order to join in the regular weekly meetings each Monday at 216 1/2 Main.

Business Rushing At The Postoffice

Business picked up in a big way at the postoffice Monday as people paid heed to appeals to mail early. After an early morning lull, there was a double line at the parcel window all day. Stamp sales spurred and the rush was further aggravated by a heavy run on war bonds. Letter cancellations jumped to 19,511, the biggest single day's run of the current season, and comparable to the volume on Dec. 19 last year. Insured mail received ran to 240 parcels, which also represented a big gain over the same time a year ago. In the matter of receipts, the postoffice increased its advantage over for the first eight days of December 1941 to \$1,594.

USO Starts Operations

Although the deal for the Radford building as a permanent USO site is still pending the arrival of Harvey P. Smith, regional USO building bureau director, whose final approval is necessary, Director Ross Clarke has authorization over the operational budget and is continuing the work with present facilities until approval can be secured for remodeling, renovating and furnishing the building under USO specifications. Expense of operating the soldiers' recreation center, borne by the city, civic clubs and various individuals since its opening Oct. 8, has now been taken over by the national USO. Mrs. Ann Gibson Houser has been employed as part-time director under Clarke, but much of the actual planning and work is and will continue to be done by volunteers. Clarke explained that his position is more or less that of an executive director and one of his duties will be to fit the volunteer assistant into the job for which she is best suited.

Postal Volume Still Gaining

Postal volume eased up over the weekend, but not before the postoffice here had shown a \$1,091 gain over the first five days of December 1941. Postmaster Nat Shick reported Monday. However, a tremendous volume of soldier mail (Johnny Doughboy made the most of bad weather and Sunday by catching up on his correspondence) lived things up Monday, and the amount of parcel mail was steadily growing. Thursday there had been 13,180 cancellations, 15,559 on Friday, 11,113 on Saturday and a mere 3,149 on Sunday—but that Sunday drop was accounted the calm before the storm. For practical purposes, the "Christmas rush" was expected to materialize this week—else those mailing afterwards will have little assurance of delivery before the postman takes off to join in glad "Noels." China depends on the United States for large quantities of gin-seed, one of the orient's most ancient curative drugs.



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# BIG SPRING BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REVIEW

PRESENTING EACH WEEK NEWS ABOUT LIVE PROGRESSIVE FIRMS AND INDIVIDUALS OF BIG SPRING

## Drying System At Farmers Gin Adds To Cotton Value

Handling a larger volume than any other gin in the county, yet operating with rollers loose enough to guarantee longest lint, is the record of Farmers Gin Co.

Moreover, a new service of the gin this year makes it especially desirable from here to the end of the season as a place to gin. Reference is to the system of dryers the management installed this year. Because the harvest is definitely in the snap and bollie class, this service is extremely important. Snaps, and particularly bollies, carry a certain amount of moisture that not only makes it difficult to gin and with a decent staple let along coloring and damaging the grade if let alone.

But the dryers take this out and throw the fluffed cotton onto loose rollers and the cotton comes out with the maximum staple and grade.

Farmers Gin Co. has five stands which permits quick delinting of cotton without turning saws too rapidly whirling saws do no damage to lint if rollers are allowed to run loosely. Farmers Gin takes this added precaution to insure maximum returns for the farmer.

Now that the ginning season is getting down in the short rows, Farmers Gin will be getting ready to operate its delinting plant for the third season. It is a dry gas process which is regarded as particularly desirable because it terminates with a ceseran treatment of seed, and in effect, the gas and this treatment eliminates fungus threats. Too, small and defective seed are graded out, so that the strongest seed are left. Thus, germination invariably is much higher and stands are better because they come more quickly and from seed that are unhampered by any diseases. Farmers all over mid-West Texas flock in to make the most of the delinting, and more and more of local farmers are flocking that it pays well to let Farmers Gin strip the seed.



**Expansion**—Because of greatly increased volume of business (it's three times what it was in 1941), Beaty's Laundry at 601 Gollad street will be enlarged next year. It is planned by Ben Alexander, manager. Here is shown a part of the interior of the Beaty plant, which employs 25 people in turning out quality laundering. (Photo by Kelsey.)

## Call Service Advocated By Beaty Laundry

It's Cheaper, And A Help In The War Emergency

Beaty's Laundry, managed by Ben Alexander, is about the busiest place in town these days. Business has tripled since December, 1941, according to records, and more and more Big Spring people are sending the family bundle out for laundering.

When government officials announced that no more bleach would be sold for commercial use, Beaty's set to work and discovered a substitute which keeps colors perfect. In fact, white things are even whiter when cleaned with the new chemical.

The plant employs twenty-five persons, has nine modern presses, four checkers, and a seamstress who mends all finished work.

The present building at 601 Gollad with a floor space of 50x120 feet, will be enlarged the first of the year to accommodate the decided increase in laundry business.

Beaty's, like other local laundries, is encouraging call business which is much cheaper and quicker. Although it still maintains a delivery service it has been limited because of the manpower shortage.

Ben Alexander, manager of the local plant, is no newcomer in his line of work. For the past two years he has operated the Beaty's Laundry for W. H. Beaty who owns plants in Roswell and Hobbs.



**Farmers Gin** has a service this year that farmers find especially desirable now that the harvest is exclusively snaps and bollies. It is a system of dryers which draws most of the moisture from this naturally lower grade cotton, fluffs it and causes it to gin out and grade much better. Soon Farmers Gin will operate its cottonseed delinting plant, affording an increasingly popular service for farmers of this area who have found it pays to have seed delinted the Chemgas way. (Kelsey Photo.)

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## Car Upkeep Is Very Vital Now; Harry Lester Has Parts, Service

If you own a car these days and times, you have learned or will learn that taking care of the old family buggy is mighty important. Parts that formerly were easily replaced with new ones are hard to find nowadays.

Conserving what you have is the watchword now of new American economy, forced on by war, and to keep your car in good working order requires expert workmanship such as is furnished at Harry Lester's Auto Supply Shop at 404 Johnson Street.

Harry Lester's shop offers his customers 21 years of experience

in the automobile supply business, experience that pays off in satisfied patrons and better serviced cars.

The machine shop specialties of Harry Lester's offer shaft grinding, lining and reaming main bearings, grinding pressure and complete brake and drum service.

In the parts department, the shop carries Perfect Circle piston rings, Thompson valves, pistons, chassis parts, Auto-Lite and Delco-Remy ignition service.

Before the war, automobile owners waited until something broke down or wore out before replacement was made or even a check-over made of the car.

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