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## News From Our

### Men In Service

Promotion of Travis E. Bland from S. Sgt. to Technical Sergeant was announced recently "some-where in England" by Col. Albert J. Shower, commanding officer of a Liberator Bomber Station. He is the son of J. W. Bland of Hedley and is crew chief of a Liberator bomber. He entered the Army Feb. 14, 1941.

SM 2-c G'ndon Cherry is now stationed at Portland, Maine.

Pfc. Emory Stone is at home on furlough from Mobile, Ala.

### Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank each and every one who stood by us through the long illness, and who came in the hour of death when our loved wife, sister and daughter was taken from us. Your kind deeds and words of sympathy helped us be stronger. May God reward you richly.

W. C. Brinkly and family  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Read and family

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Musick and daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Roach and daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Arvie Ford

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ford and family

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Read

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read and daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Ferguson and family

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wood

### Robert R. Wilkinson Is Awarded Bronze Star Medal

With the American Division on Bougainville—Private Robert R. Wilkinson of Hedley, Texas has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service against the Japanese when they were launching their suicidal attack in March. He is a member of a howitzer section which kept firing even though enemy shells were falling less than fifteen yards away. This section played a big part in the final silencing of enemy artillery. Private Wilkinson entered the army in June 1940. While he was in the States he was stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas. He has been overseas for over nine months. Among the places that he has been stationed at are New Caledonia and the Fiji Islands. He is the son of George Wilkinson of Quail, Texas. Before entering the service he was engaged in farming.

### Stationing At A Glance

Shoes—Airmen stamps 1 and 2 good indefinitely.

Meats, Fats—Red stamps A8 through C5 good indefinitely.

Processed Foods—Blue stamps A8 through Z8 and F5, good indefinitely.

Sugar—Stamps 30, 31 and 32 good indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40 is good for five pounds of canning sugar through February 28, next year.

Gasoline—A-12 coupons are good through Sept. 21.

## The Harmony Club

The Harmony Club met and organized Thursday July 20 in the home of Mrs. A. C. Williams. The club elected officers for the ensuing year; president, Bobbie Lee Hall, sec.-treasurer, Joy Blankenship, vice-president, Joan Ray Moreman, reporter, Vera Bain.

The object of the club is to create a new interest in the composer and their compositions. At the last meeting each person took a composer and played one of his compositions, but hereafter a composer will be selected and each one will play one of his compositions.

Those played last meeting were: Cradle Song, Brahms, Anita Bain; Watzung in the Night, Chopin, Carolyn Reeves; Blue Danube, Strauss, Bobbie Hall; Penseroso, Heiler, Mary Alice Hunsucker; Pathetic, Tschaiakowsky, Joan Ray Moreman; Serenade, Schubert, Wanda Shaw; Cradle Hymn, Nevin, Mrs. A. C. Williams. Gail Williams favored us with a number, The Volga Boatman.

The next meeting will be at Vera Bain's Thursday, August 3rd at 2:00 p. m. Anyone who plays and would like to join will be gladly received. Come and help the Harmony Club grow.

## CITY SHOE SHOP

Have you seen the sandals that we are making? Come in and have your feet measured for a pair.

We also do shoe, harness and saddle repair work.

374p R. E. Beach, Prop.

The last rain practically insured a cotton crop. About the only thing that could happen is a hail. C. L. Johnson at the bank can insure against hail at the reduced rate.

## Giles News

By Mrs. Arthur Ranson

Clifford and Patsy Nell Hoggard from Ardmore, Okla. are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kay Autry.

Mrs. W. I. Rains visited in the Watt home Sunday.

Mrs. Ozier Hoggard and sons, Robert Ray and Ronnie Kay have returned to their home in Hillsboro after spending 3 months visiting relatives here and at Amarillo.

Mrs. W. Z. Hoggard from Fort Worth and Miss La Vada Hunt from Ardmore, Okla. visited Mrs. R. O. Kelley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eden, Mrs. H. B. Eden, Mrs. Caroline Bullcock and children of Brice visited in the Jack Eden home Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Levi and Richard Stotts visited Mrs. John Ode in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale and children from Crosbyton visited the Baker family last week.

Miss Bonnie Eden is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Barkley in Ft. Worth.

Memphis shoppers Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wylie and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stotts.

Pfc. Bill Proffitt from La Junta, Colo. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Proffitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranson visited their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Godfrey Jr. in Memphis Sunday.

## Lions Club News

Edward Lee Usrey of the U. S. Navy who was on a L. S. T. boat in the D-Day invasion. His talk was very much enjoyed by the Lions and the Boy Scouts present.

The Boy Scout troop which is sponsored by the Lions Club was the guest of the club. Their new charter was presented to the Troop by C. L. Johnson, Chm. of the Scout Committee. Scout Master, Cocarell presented awards and certificates to the scouts and Leon Reeves presented each scout with a neckerchief as a gift from the Lions Club.

No directors meeting will be held this week on account of the revival meeting going on at the Methodist Church but Program Chairman Chas. Rains and the other members of his committee promise a good program for next week's meeting.

For Sale—not to be moved, the T. R. Moreman residence, also the residence just north of my home. Terms if desired.

Ray Moreman

## Good Gulf Is Back In Town!

I have opened the Gulf Service Station one block east of Wooldrige Lumber Co., and will appreciate your trade.

J. A. Bowling

Would like to buy good used pre-war baby bed.

383p Mrs. Winfred McPherson

## Methodist Church

There are many things that are important in these days. We need to provide for the material needs of ourselves and those who are dependent upon us. We need to help the war effort. But if we fail to build for a greater and a deeper spiritual life we are indeed failures, for as Paul said, "the things that are seen are temporal, but the things that are not seen are eternal." If all our provisions are of the temporal we lose all for they pass away.

Come, worship with us, and provide things eternal. Bro. C. R. Gates, our visiting evangelist is preaching, each time, a simple Gospel message.

Let's give of our best for Him who gave all for us.

Clifford Johnson is attending the convention of Lions International at Chicago this week.

Blanche Sue Dudley of Memphis visited here this week.

Rev. C. R. LeMond and family of Turkey visited here Tuesday.

Sgt. Clyde and Seretha Thomas announce the arrival on July 31, of a fine little son. He has been named Richard Henry.

Miss Richerson Thanks Voters

To the voters of Donley County: I wish to take this means of expressing my appreciation for the consideration shown me in the past election. I appreciate the extended confidence bestowed on me and will continue to render the best service possible.

Ruth M. Richerson  
Supt. of Schools  
Donley Co.

Ennis Favors

The election is over, and I wish to say, I ran my race on my own merits and not the demerits of any one. I feel that the many unfounded and untrue charges made against me and my family, were made in the heat of the campaign and without due consideration, and despite the sting, I hold no ill will towards any one, and will do my best to represent all the people of the District during the next two years as I have done in the past.

Ennis Favors

## War Dads Club

The local Chapter of the American War Dads will meet Monday night, August 7th at the American Legion Hall. This will be the business and social meeting with the ladies invited, business, program and eats as heretofore. Let's all try to come as there are many things the Dads and Mothers can be doing now to aid the ones in service and it is time they were beginning to make post war plans.

## American Legion

The local post of the American Legion will meet in the Hall Tuesday night, August 8th at 9:30 P. M. This will be a strictly business meeting. Delegates to the state convention to be elected and other important matters to come up.

## W. S. C. S.

July 24 was the occasion of a delightful get-together of the Womens Society for Christian Service of the Methodist Church. They gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pickett to spend the day. There were fourteen adults and seven children present, including the Pastor's family.

The highlight of the day was a typical Methodist dinner of fried chicken and all the good things that go with it, served by the Picketts. Each member attending contributed a pie or a salad. It was a time of wonderful fellowship.

In the afternoon the regular weekly program and business session was entered into, which was doubly enjoyed, owing to the good dinner and the fine fellowship after this, refreshments were served by the hostess.

The children spent the entire day playing in the sand and water, thoroughly enjoying the freedom of the great outdoors.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid and son Don Gene of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Davis and son Gene and Mrs. J. L. Lamberson spent last week end with the A. G. Cooper family near Poolville.

Cecil Nash and family have moved from Wichita Falls back to Amarillo where he will again be employed with the Star Lumber Co. They stopped over here Saturday night on their way to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bridges visited in Clovis, N. Mex. last week end with their daughter Mary.

Patricia Tucker of Fort Worth is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. P. Trimble.

Templeton Thanks Voters

R. L. Templeton today issued the following statement to the people of this county:

I wish to thank each and every one of my many friends for the wonderful support you gave me in the recent election. I will never be able to personally thank every one who helped me, but I do want those of you who read this to know that I shall always be grateful for the way this county got behind me in this race.

This was my first bid for a public office; it will not be my last. Once more I want to thank those many people who were so loyal.

R. L. Templeton

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## Old Settlers Picnic

On July 29 a meeting was called to decide about the Old Settlers Picnic. Fourteen were present, and all voted to have the picnic. Charles Rains acted as temporary secretary.

The date was set for Aug. 18, and committee chairmen were appointed as follows:

To get lumber out, W. I. Rains  
Tables, R. E. Mann  
Water, Tom Tate and Frank Jones

Master of ceremonies, Charles Rains  
Coffee and tea, Claud Nash, Tom Bain and Malcolm Glass

Pop, Charles Rains  
Program, Walter Moss  
Music, Walter Moss

Traffic, Scoutmaster and Boy Scouts  
Register, Frank Jones

The picnic is Donley county's annual event. Start planning now to attend and to do your part toward making it a success.

## Family Reunion

A family reunion was enjoyed Sunday in the W. W. Wiggins home in honor of Pvt. Jeff Wiggins, who was at home on furlough from Camp Wolters, Texas.

Those enjoying the day included Mrs. Jeff Wiggins and children of Canyon, Mrs. T. J. Wiggins, Mrs. Elvia Davenport and daughter Margie of Borger, Mavis Myers of Amarillo, Walter Bill Wiggins and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wiggins and the honoree.

Mrs. Mary Jo McCauley is visiting her husband, Pvt. John McCauley, in Georgia.

J. E. Blankenship has been quite ill for two weeks but is now doing nicely.

Steve Donald and wife and Inez Blankenship, all of Goodnight visited in the J. E. Blankenship home recently.

Mrs. H. F. Curtis and daughter Sandra of Hereford visited in the Clyde Bridges home this week.

Mrs. D. B. Kempson and children went to Borger this week to join her husband who is employed there.

Mrs. Ruth L. Duncan left this week for Borger where she will make her home for the present.

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## IMPROVEMENTS

The J. C. Wooldrige Lumber Co. is getting a new roof this week.

## Revival Meeting

A 10 day revival starts Aug. 10 at the Church of Christ. Bro. Manchester of Clarendon will be the preacher.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

C. E. Johnson at the Hedley Telephone Co. will write fire and hail insurance.

Mrs. Mack Noland and son and Joel Plunk of Summerfield have been visiting in the W. W. Plunk home.

Radell Latimer and family Amarillo visited here last week end.

County Judge R. Y. King was a Hedley visitor Monday.

Ernest Taylor is reported doing nicely after an appendectomy Sunday night in a Memphis hospital.

Phone your news to 101.

Write to Service Men

The American Legion and the American War Dads have a nationwide campaign for every one to write to someone in service at least every week. This is a good move and we should all do our best, for where ever our boys are fighting they want letters from home.

Informers Rates

Please remember that the former rate is \$1.50 per year, Donley county, and \$2.00 year elsewhere, except that service men get the \$1.50 rate.

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., write your fire and hail insurance.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE HEDLEY INFORMER

War Bond Dollars Are DOUBLE DUTY DOLLARS

Donley Co. Memorial Fund

NR means Not Reported

Quota Amount Paid

Clarendon..... \$1500..... \$1250 50

Chamberlain..... 100..... 75 50

Midway..... 50..... 51 50

Jericho..... 50..... 50 50

Bairfield..... 50..... 48 50

Rudgins..... 50..... 51 50

Lolla Lake..... 200..... 211 50

Sunnyview..... 100..... 97 50

Glenwood..... 50..... 49 50

Fairview..... 50..... 42 50

Windy Valley..... 100..... 98 50

Martin..... 175..... 200 50

Ashtola..... 100..... 100 50

Goldston..... 100..... 70 50

Skillet..... 50..... 50 50

Hedley..... 225..... 225 50

Giles..... 75..... 75 50

Whitefish..... 50..... 51 50

Smith..... 50..... 50 50

Warkine..... 15..... 15 50

Bray..... 75..... 75 50

McKnight..... 100..... 100 50

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Reports of Revolt in Germany Follow Bomb Attack on Hitler; Yank Forces Push Guam Drive

Released by Western Newspaper Union. (EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

DEMOCRATS: 1944 Platform

Declaring that their platform really was Franklin D. Roosevelt himself, the Democrats meeting in Chicago for their national convention renominated the President for a fourth term, and called for the continuance of New Deal domestic policies and the creation of a world organization to preserve peace through use of force if necessary.

For agriculture, the Democrats pledged price guarantees and crop insurance, and declared their objective to be to keep it on a parity with industry and labor; extend rural electrification and develop broader domestic and foreign markets for farm products.

For the postwar period, the Democratic platform asked compensation for workers during demobilization, reduction or repeal of wartime taxes and simplification of the tax structure, and encouragement of risk capital and new enterprise.

Besides U. S. participation in an organization to keep world peace, the party's foreign relations platform called for extension of the administration's trade policies, and reaffirmation in the principles of the Atlantic Charter.

PACIFIC: Jap Shakeup

With the invasion of Guam, U. S. forces took one step closer to the Japanese and Asiatic mainland, even as the enemy reorganized his government at home with the fall of Premier Hedeki Tojo and his cabinet.

In reorganizing the government under leadership of two confirmed militarists and advocates of Japanese expansion southward, official Tokyo declared that the objective was to give the civilian element



British forces clean out Nazi snipers on outskirts of Caen.

EUROPE: Stubborn Foe

Allied forces continued to slug forward in Normandy, gaining ground by the yard in the face of stubborn German do-or-die resistance all along the curving front.

Fighting was intense both on the western end of the front where U. S. forces pressed forward against the enemy holding out behind the cover of the tall, thick hedgerows checking the countryside, and on the eastern end where British armored columns broke through the foe's formations in the open plains.

With about 75,000 men facing the British in this sector, Nazi Marshall Rommel attempted to curtail the Allied drive by sharp counterattacks. British forces exerted the heaviest pressure in recent fighting because the open country allowed use of their armored equipment behind terrific artillery barrages.

Internal Revolt

With the Allies pressing in on all sides, Hitler is faced with internal revolt within Germany, with the Nazis reporting that a clique of army officers sought to establish a new government and prepare the groundwork for surrender.

Climax of the sensational plot was the attempted assassination of Hitler with a bomb, which exploded within 6 feet of him, causing him slight injury and more seriously hurting 13 of his aides.

Moving swiftly to quell the revolt, which reportedly had the support of high ranking army officers, the Nazis executed several of the ring-leaders and designated Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler as commander within Germany to suppress the uprising. Rebels' plans reportedly called for seizure of control of the country through military units.

Addressing the German people over the radio after the attempt on his life, Hitler roared: "... I am convinced that by stamping out this very small clique of traitors... we will now at last create that atmosphere in the rear at home which the fighting front needs..."

Russ Advance

Russian armies continued to exert the strongest pressure on the eastern front, continuing their drive on East Prussia in the north and rolling deeper into Poland farther to the south.

As the Russians pressed the Germans on the east, Allied troops moved against the Nazis' vaunted "Gothic line" in northern Italy, with an easing of their problems of supply promised with the capture and hasty repair of the western seaport of Livorno, through which 17,500 tons of shipping can be cleared daily.

With German resistance stiffening around East Prussia, the Russians swung the brunt of their attack further southward in Poland, outflanking the big industrial city of Lwow and fanning out on the open plains below Warsaw. The Russian breakthroughs continued to force the Germans to pull back to prevent encirclement from the rear.

HIGHLIGHTS... in the week's news

AMERICAN DREYFUSS: Oberlin M. Carter, former U. S. army engineer who has been called the "American Dreyfus" because of his long fight to clear himself of a court martial conviction, died in Chicago at 88. He was charged and convicted of defrauding the government of two million dollars in connection with a project in Savannah,

NO MORE POLYCAMY: The Navajo tribal council, elders of the Indian tribe of 50,000 living in New Mexico, Arizona and Utah, has formally banned plural marriages. CHOLERA: An outbreak of cholera in India has resulted in 34,850 deaths in three months. Fatalities are largest in the districts of Muzaffargarh, Rawan, in north

WORLD BANK: Stability Sought

Seeking to stabilize the internal conditions of countries and minimize possibilities for unrest in the post-war world, 44 allied nations came to agreement on raising an \$8,800,000,000 fund, which would be used to make currencies available to individual states for settling trade balances.

At the same time, the nations moved to agreement on a \$10,000,000 world bank, which would extend \$2,000,000,000 in long-term loans to different countries for reconstruction and development, use the other \$8,000,000,000 to guarantee similar loans made by private investors.

With U. S. participation in the two projects dependent upon congressional approval, the U. S. share in the \$8,800,000,000 fund would be \$2,750,000,000, and its contribution to the \$10,000,000,000 world bank would be about \$3,000,000,000.

BEEF: July High

Because of smaller shipments and stiffening market competition, prime long-fed steers came into increasing demand, with buyers at the Chicago yards paying \$17.65 per hundred-weight for choice cattle, the highest price for July since 1919, and peak for any month since April, 1943.

This year's July top compared with \$17.10 paid in 1943; \$15.85 in 1942, and \$13 in 1941. Highest July sale on record was the \$18.75 in 1918.

The majority of steers and yearlings also shared in the price advance, with top heifers rising to \$17.35 to equal the highest July sale on record, and the best return since August, 1920.

GI READING: Politics Permitted

Even as the army expanded the list of magazines permitted to circulate among GIs to 189, Sen. Robert Taft (Ohio) pressed for a relaxation of regulations designed to curb the distribution of political literature in the services.

Declaring that an amendment to the Hatch act only forbid the circulation of government printed material to soldiers, Taft said it did not prevent the transmission of any political literature to troops if sent by individuals, corporations or political parties at their own expense.

In expanding the list of magazines which might circulate among GIs regardless of the political material they may possess, the army said it based its action on studies of soldiers' reading habits abroad and purchases at posts at home.

Home Front

Tobacco

Because cigarette manufacturers have only about one year's stocks of tobacco on hand, and a recent War Food administration order restricted their purchase of 1944 fine-cured tobacco for aging to 70 per cent of the amount they processed last year, smokers may continue to feel the pinch of short supplies.

Iron Ore

During the first six months of 1944, lower Great Lakes blast furnaces consumed 44,290,320 tons of iron ore, approximately 198,000 tons more than the previous record set last year. As of July 1, stock piles on U. S. and Canadian docks totaled 26,853,414 tons, about 559,000 more than at the same date in 1943.

Oil

U. S. oil production soared to 4,602,350 barrels a day during the week ended July 15, increasing about 500,000 over the same period last year. As of the same date, gas stocks stood at 82,252,000 barrels compared with 75,391,000 in 1943.

RAIL FINANCE: Big Deal

In one of the railroads' biggest financing deals in years, the Great Northern considered plans for calling in \$119,887,700 of bonds and notes, to further cut fixed interest charges to about \$10,000,000 yearly, compared with \$12,506,172 in 1943 and an average of \$18,194,079 for the 1921-'31 period.

Under the Great Northern's tentative proposal, it would cover the redemption with the issuance of \$100,000,000 of new general mortgage bonds, and the remainder from funds from its treasury. About \$4,000,000 would be paid in premiums for calling in the old bonds and notes before maturity.

With the completion of the new financing, the Great Northern would then have an outstanding bonded debt of approximately \$249,000,000, besides an additional amount of equipment trust certificates and conditional sales obligations.

MARSH HARES

Gov. James H. Davis of Louisiana has signed house bill 875, thereby officially changing the name of muskrats to 'marsh hares'. The intention of the framers of the bill was to increase the sale of muskrat meat. The new name, it is hoped, will be attractive or at least neutral, in contrast to the somewhat repellent impressions conveyed by "muskrat" and "rat."

The flesh of the aquatic rodent is esteemed as a delicacy in Louisiana and where muskrats are common

Lending Daytime Dignity to Your Couch or Cot in the Living Room



ARE you using one room for living and bedroom these days? Or perhaps you have had to put an extra cot in some corner of your house or apartment. In either case it is worth while to give a little extra care to the daytime appearance of the bed. A flat box on casters holds all the bedding for the simple cot shown here and slides underneath out of sight.

This arrangement makes it possible to cover the cot and pad with neatly fitted slip covers which give it all the dignity of a real sofa. The contrasting side section of plain material around the pad with end and center back cushions to match it is a nice touch. The improvised table from odds and ends also helps to make the couch do day as well as night duty.

NOTE—This illustration is from BOOK 6 of the series of homemaking booklets offered with these articles. Every page of this 32-page book gives clear step-by-step

ASK ME ANOTHER? A General Quiz

- The Questions
1. What metal has the highest melting point?
2. What is an ampersand?
3. What do the English mean when they say: "Ike's Snowballs"?
4. Is an armadillo classified as a marsupial or a mammal?
5. On the battlefield, what is meant by a "dragon wagon"?
6. What name is given to the small flag flying from the mast-head of a ship?
7. What is an iguana?
8. The emperor of what country regained his lost throne after five years in 1941?

- The Answers
1. Tungsten.
2. The short "and" sign (&).
3. The provost marshal's white-helmeted, white-gaitered MPs who roam London looking for AWOLs.
4. A mammal.
5. A tank transport used to haul disabled tanks to a repair depot.
6. Banderole.
7. A large American lizard.
8. Haile Selassie of Abyssinia.

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To relieve distress of MONTHLY Female Weakness (Also Fine Stomachic Tonic) Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is famous to relieve periodic pain and accompanying nervous, weak, tired-out feelings—when due to functional monthly disturbances. Taken regularly—Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against such annoying symptoms. Pinkham's Compound is made especially for women—it helps nature and that's the kind of medicine to buy! Follow label directions. LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Kidneys Must Work Well For You To Feel Well 24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood. If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that causes dizziness, headache, indigestion, and other ailments, they would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly. Burning, stinging or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer aching back-ache, constipation, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at night, swelling. Why not try Doan's Pills? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. Doan's Pills stimulate the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get Doan's today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores. DOAN'S PILLS

ATHLETE'S FOOT NEWS "80.6% of sufferers showed CLINICAL IMPROVEMENT after only 10-day treatment with SORETONE" Foster D. Soell, Inc., well-known consulting chemists, have just completed a test with a group of men and women suffering from Athlete's Foot. These people were told to use Soretone. At the end of only a ten-day test period, their feet were examined in two ways: 1. Scrapings were taken from the feet and examined by the bacteriologist. 2. Each subject was examined by a physician. We quote from the report: "After the use of Soretone according to the directions on the label for a period of only ten days, 80.6% of the cases showed clinical improvement of an infection which is most stubborn to control." Improvements were shown in the symptoms of Athlete's Foot—the itching, burning, redness, etc. The report says: "In our opinion Soretone is of very definite benefit in the treatment of this disease, which is commonly known as 'Athlete's Foot'." So if Athlete's Foot troubles you, don't emphasize with this nasty, devilish, stubborn infection. Get SORETONE! McKesson & Robbins, Inc., Bridgeport, Connecticut.

**Ammon-Lane Post**  
201, American Legion

Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. All Legionnaires are requested to attend.  
Obe Holland, Commander.

**Hedley Lodge No. 413**

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**Rationing At A Glance**

Shoes—Airplane stamps 1 and 2 good indefinitely.  
Meats, Fats—Red stamps A8 through Z8 good indefinitely.  
Processed Foods—Blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5, good indefinitely.  
Sugar—Stamps 30, 31 and 32 good indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40 is good for five pounds of canning sugar through February 28, next year.  
Gasoline—A-12 coupons are good through Sept. 21.

**Church Of Christ**

Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday by Frank Chism of Quanah. Preaching every 2nd Sunday by T. F. McKinney of Memphis.  
Welcome to the Church of Christ.

**Church of the Nazarene**

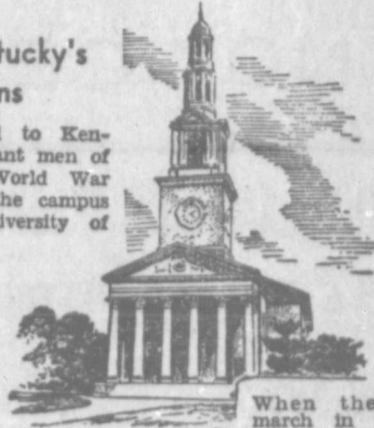
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**BONDS OVER AMERICA**

**To Kentucky's Sons**

A memorial to Kentucky's valiant men of the first World War stands on the campus of the University of Kentucky.



When the fascists march in with their tanks and trucks, the ditches and gullies are filled with the torn and bleeding dead, trampled over by passing armies.

**Back the Attack!**  
**Buy More Than Before**

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Sunday School every Sunday.  
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*War Bond Dollars Are*  
**DOUBLE DUTY**  
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**Simple Patterns**  
**Make Sewing Easy**



Get out in the sun in a sleeveless, low-necked dress that bares the way to sun-tanned beauty. You will be as cool as a penguin in this crisp natural color rayon. It is new in neckline and slightly full skirt, with bands of contrasting tan to add spice. Today's smooth fashions and simplified standard patterns make sewing so easy. By making your own clothes you can conserve on fabric and buy War Bonds with your savings. Back the Attack—Buy More Than Before.  
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**Informer Rates**

Please remember that former rate is \$1.50 per Hedley county, and \$1.00 year elsewhere, except that ice men get the \$1.50 rate.

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., write your fire and hail insurance.

Know any news? Phone 101.

**Donley Co. Memorial Fund**

	NR means Not Reported	Quota	Amount Paid
Clarendon	.....	\$1500	..... \$1289
Chamberlain	.....	100	..... 78
Midway	.....	80	..... 61
Jericho	.....	65	..... 38
Bairfield	.....	50	..... 45
Hudgins	.....	85	..... 211
Lela Lake	.....	200	..... 211
Sunnyview	.....	100	..... 53
Glenwood	.....	80	..... 90
Fairview	.....	60	..... 42
Windy Valley	.....	100	..... 80
Martin	.....	175	..... 238
Ashtola	.....	195	..... 191
Goldston	.....	105	..... 79
Skillet	.....	65	..... 20
Hedley	.....	525	..... 275
Giles	.....	70	..... 82.00
Whitefish	.....	50	..... 61.50
Smith	.....	50	..... 30.00
Watkins	.....	15	..... NR
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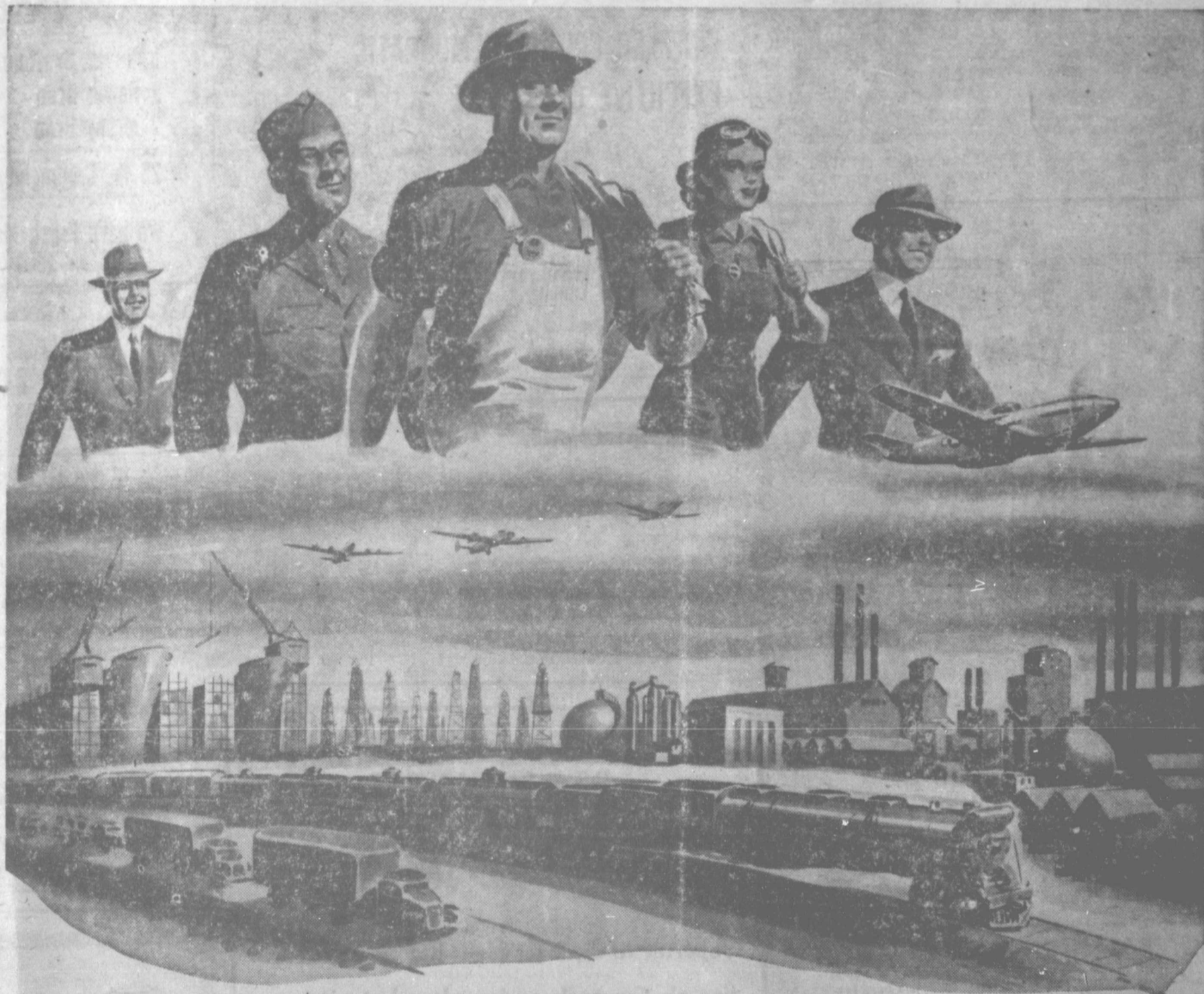
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**Save Bond Money**



Pinafores have come out of the nursery and taken the place they deserve in fashion. Besides being flattering and practical for warm weather, they are easy to make—an ideal choice for a beginner's sewing project. The ruffled, be-ribboned pinafore pictured here is especially beguiling, and can be worn with or without a blouse. Make it yourself and put the money you save into War Bonds. The pattern may be secured at your local store. Back the Attack—Buy More Than Before.  
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**Political Announcements**

- For District Judge  
Luther Gribble
- For District Attorney  
Sam J. Hamilton  
(Reelection)
- For County and District Clerk  
Helen Wiedman  
(Reelection)
- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector  
Guy Wright  
(Reelection)
- For County Treasurer  
Mrs. Margaret V. Thompson  
(Reelection)
- For County School Superintendent  
Ruth M. Richerson  
(Reelection)
- For County Judge  
R. Y. King  
(Reelection)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 3  
J. A. Tollett  
(Reelection)  
Rollie Kelley



**UNITED for Victory**

All the facilities and all of the manpower of our Companies are UNITED for Victory. Helping to win the war is STILL our No. 1 Job. We know our courageous armed forces shall continue, uninterrupted, on their march to Berlin and Victory, but we must keep in mind the war is yet to be won. No one appreciates more than our fighting men the importance of adequate war equipment. Production and transmission of natural gas and oil are essential to winning the war. We shall continue to dedicate ourselves to these important tasks. We are UNITED for Victory!

**UNITED GAS-PIPE LINE COMPANY**  
and Associated Companies

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**EMERGENCY AMBULANCE**

In case of accident or sickness, on the highway or at home—

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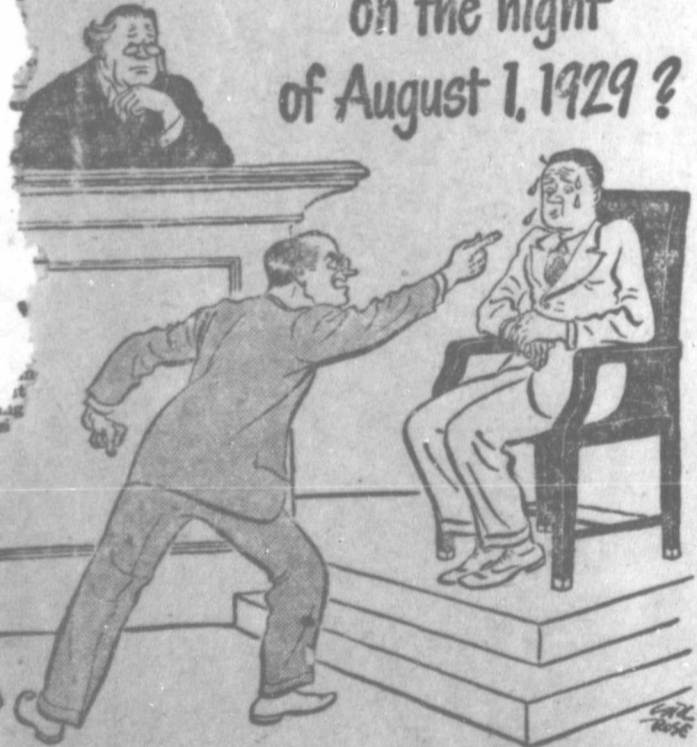
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Where were you on the night of August 1, 1929?



Could you remember, if you were squirming on the witness stand? Probably not. Fifteen years is a long time.

Maybe, being August first, you were writing checks to pay the monthly bills. Do you remember how much you paid for electricity?

That's a tough one, too, isn't it? Actually, if yours is an average household, your electric bill may have been a little less than it is now.

But today you're getting twice as much electricity for your money!

How come? Well, while the price of electricity was coming down, your use of electricity was going up. You have a lot more electric appliances in 1944 than you had in 1929. But you enjoy all these added comforts at little, if any, added cost!

Even if you're hazy about everything else that's happened in the last 15 years, remember this wartime bargain. It's due to hard work by all our people—and sound business management.

**West Texas Utilities Company**

**NOTICE**

**NOW AS THE CAMPAIGN IS OVER AND IN VIEW OF MR. R. L. TEMPLETON'S NEWSPAPER ADS**

We desire to make this statement of facts. R. L. Templeton only wrote a letter to us, and never did file a formal application requesting his name be placed on the Democratic Primary Ballot, and has not filed with either of us such application until this day. We knew the law, and knew we could not place his name on the ballot, but trying to avoid criticism we asked the Attorney General of Texas for his opinion, and he advised us we were without authority to place the name of R. L. Templeton on the July Primary Ballot.

Mr. Ennis Favours knew nothing about our action, and had nothing whatever to do with the same. In fact he never talked to either of us in regard to the matter.

**WHEELER COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

A. B. CRUMP, Wheeler, Texas, Chairman

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Meets on the 7th of each month. All War Dads invited.  
 C. O. Hill, President.

**STRIBLING'S LICE OIL SPRAY**

Superior to dip because it not only kills live lice on livestock and poultry but also prevents their nits (eggs) from hatching.

ONE TREATMENT.

GALLON, \$2.25—enough to treat 30 to 50 weaning calves or 15 to 25 grown cattle.

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 Where You Are Always Welcome  
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We Buy Cream, Eggs and Poultry

100 lb. Sweet Feed	\$2.65
100 lb. Soy Bean Meal	\$3.25
100 lb. Thrifty Egg Mash	\$3.35
Block Stock Salt, plain	.48
6 cans White Swan Milk	.25
6 bars C. W. Soap	.25
2 quarts Vinegar	.17
Oranges, per lb.	.09
Lettuce, per head	.12
Lemons, per dozen (standard size)	.27
Table Salt, 4 lb. bag	.08
Sweet Potatoes, new crop, lb.	.08
New Spuds, lb.	.04
100 lb. New Spuds	\$3.85
2 lb. Del Monte Coffee, good to the last drop	.69
1 lb. jar Ovaltine	.68
2 Raisin Bran	.24
2 Jersey Bran	.23
25 lb. Cream Meal	.98

We have Fresh Meats at Low Prices

**Methodist Church**

A. B. Cockrell, pastor  
 W. P. Doherty, Supt.  
 Church School 10:00 A. M.  
 Preaching Service 11:00 A. M.  
 Youth Fellowship 8:15  
 Night Services 9:00

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**Kidneys Must Work Well**

For You To Feel Well  
 24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood. If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.  
 Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging backache, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at night, swelling.  
 Why not try Doan's Pills? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. Doan's stimulate the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get Doan's today. Use with confidence at all drug stores.



DON'T WAIT UNTIL WINTER To Get Your Heater

Come In And Make Your Selection Now!  
**THOMPSON BROS. CO.**  
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### CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

#### Business Opportunities

**DRUGSTORE**—Special buy, on best corner Highway No. 80, East Texas oil town; sales increasing; low overhead; will pay out first year of the building; splendid place for couple. JAS. A. WALKUP - Hawkins, Texas.

#### CATTLE RANCH

**LAMAR COUNTY CATTLE RANCH** Located 10 miles Paris, Texas. 240 acres divided in 5 pastures, 3 pools, on good road. Two sets improvements; electricity; 200 head cattle on ranch. Will sell place with or without cattle \$22.50 per acre. Will cooperate with agents. Owner, JOHN SCARBOROUGH, Paris, Texas. Phone 1524.

#### Cotton—Stock Farms

**BY OWNER—578-ACRE** combination cotton, stock farm; located 10 miles Hillsboro; 2 sets improvements. Pasture fenced hog, sheep proof. 125 acres cultivated. P. O. BOX 365, HILLSBORO, TEXAS.

#### FARM LAND

**201 ACRES—Mile west Fairfield, Texas.** 200 cultivation; everlasting water; 4 sets improvements; oil prospects good; \$40 acre. L. T. KAY - Fairfield, Texas.

**Near Colorado Agricultural College** and mountains, on main highway, 1/4 mile from consolidated school and store, 70 acres of rich level land with free, unlimited irrigation water, will produce \$5,000 to \$10,000 per year, two houses, large barn, brooder, fruit trees, sells \$100 to \$150 produce week-ends at stand, widow must sell, equipped or without \$4,000 cash will handle, easy terms. ROSEMOND M. FILLER, 1609 Broadway, Denver 2, Colorado.

**IDEAL STOCK FARM, 293 acres level sandy loam.** 2 miles S. W. of Quinlan, Texas, 50 miles east of Dallas. 2 houses, 2 barns, several outbuildings, 7 trees in yard, electric lights, butane system, and one well on place, 7 acres hog-proof pastures, 150 acres under new fence, 164 acres in cultivation, rest heavy timber, average 14 cords to acre. 300 acres leased to Magnolia Oil Co., grade school joining property. All-weather highway through property. Excellent crop land by 75 a. corn; 25 a. soybeans; 10 a. cotton; 5 a. cantaloupes; 25 a. cotton. Consider harvesting crop if buyer wishes. \$11,500; can be handled with \$5,000 cash, rest easy terms. 2 1/2 interest. Write T. E. Smith, Route 3, Quinlan, Tex.

**FOR SALE—Two good sandy loam farms** of 220 acres each, \$45.50 and \$42 per acre. 1/2 of all minerals go. Near Brownfield, Texas. Terry County. MRS. LAURA A. COTTEN, Box 263, Seagraves, Texas.

#### FAN BLADES

**NEW 4-WING FAN BLADES** Genuine Torringdon Blades. 10 inch.....\$2.00 7 1/2 inch.....\$1.00 9 inch.....\$2.10 6 1/2 inch.....\$0.90 8 inch.....\$1.50 Send money with order. We will send by Parcel Post Prepaid. CITY SUPPLY COMPANY, 1519 Congress - Houston 2, Texas.

#### FREEZE BOXES

**NO PRIORITY NEEDED—Quick Freeze Boxes**, for home or store, and milk coolers. Also Globe slicers, Pickwick poultry pickers and meat and bone saws, with McCLUNG SALES AGENCY, 1111 Houston Street, Tel. 5-2628, Ft. Worth, Texas.

#### HELP WANTED

**PERMANENT WORK FOR Welders, Fitters, Machine Operators and Helpers** 8 minutes from courthouse. Clean place, good working conditions; 50 hours weekly. **DALLAS TANK & WELDING CO., INC.** Plaza Silverdale 2001, 901-5 West Commerce St., Dallas, Texas.

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**INSIDE MACHINISTS** for Defense Work. **McDONOUGH IRON WORK** Galveston. All employment in compliance with W.M.C. Regulations.

#### PIANO FUNER

And Repair Man. Must be experienced. Good Salary. Shop or outside work. Permanent job for qualified man. Apply or write. **BROOK MAYS & COMPANY**, 1065 Elm St., Dallas, Texas.

#### 8 GOOD MEN

**BOOKKEEPER—PLANTATION MAN** CATTLE MAN. Who will and want to work. Good Pay and Living Conditions. **W. E. KNIGHT**, Route 1, Shreveport, La.

#### AUTO PARTS MEN

We have several positions open for experienced pickers and packers. Good compensation for qualified men or women. Apply to Mr. Langston, C. S. HAMILTON MOTOR CO., 710 N. Pearl St., Dallas, Texas.

#### WANTED—PRINTER-OPERATOR

able to do any printing in a country shop. Montgomery County News, Conroe, Texas.

#### HOUSEHOLD HINTS

**99 HOUSEHOLD HINTS**, book untold value in home, make work easier. Learn new secrets, 25c. Weatherman's Book of Knowledge. Worth many times cost to farmers, ranchmen, business men. 25c. Postpaid. N. H. BOOK PRINTERS, Italy, Texas.

#### MACHINERY

**PREWAR RUBBER BELTING**, hammer mills, repairs, manganese hammers, screens and bearings for Models W. T. S. U. X. Crackerjack, gas engines, bathtubs. Agents wanted. **LESTER MILL MFG. CO.**, Box 177, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

#### MIDGET BIBLE

**MIDGET BIBLE**, size postage stamp, 54 pages New Testament, well bound, illustrated. Great novelty, luck piece, 25c. Postpaid. The N. H. Book Printers, Italy, Tex.

#### REAL ESTATE

**FARMER COUNTY—125 to 250 a.** prime, edge city; grade dairy; golf club; all field each side; city gas thru it; school bus milk truck service; fine water; home sites released as sold; cheap \$20, part time \$5. Also Parker County, 250 a. extra good, all flat valley, curly mesquite past, and cult. stock farm; no breaks, gullies or water; good road, school, \$40, cash 1/2, bal. 5%; cheap for the class. **TAYLOR**, Texas.

#### REGISTERED CATTLE

IS REGISTERED Polled Hereford cows, good age, with 14 calves, and one bull. Domino breeding. **EARL C. MORRISON**, Walnut Springs, Texas.

#### TRACTOR PARTS

**Farmers and Gin Owners** We have for immediate delivery, new American Bosch magneto for tractors, etc. Dealers take notice. **ELECTROMOTIVE CORP.**, 8208 Commerce, R-3483, Dallas, Texas.

#### Gather Your Scrap; Throw It at Hitler!

**HELPS HEAL SCRAPE RAZE MOROLINE** PETROLEUM JELLY 10¢

## Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

**THEY** do tell us that Alan Ladd's popularity with the bobby-socks brigade has made him Hollywood's No. 1 "lock-et star." Alan, currently starring in "Two Years Before the Mast," received 7,200 requests in one week from young fans asking for lock-et photographs, and the demand became so heavy that Paramount's fan mail department has made up 100,000 special, small-sized photos of the star, which can easily be cut into a heart-shape, to fit the lock-ets favored by his teenage admirers.

Marilyn Maxwell likes her birthday, August; in August she decided, while singing with Ted Weems' orchestra, to go to Hollywood and try acting. After six months at the Pasadena Playhouse



MARILYN MAXWELL

she got a screen test with Metro, whose trademark is Leo, the August sign of the zodiac. But—it was in December that she did her first guest spot with Bing Crosby, leading to her present contract.

Robert Watson, former stage star who portrays Adolf Hitler in "The Hitler Gang," knows his subject well—this is the fifth time he's played that role. But this time it's different; it's his first completely serious characterization of Hitler.

Jane Duprez, who portrays Cary Grant's chief romantic interest in "None but the Lonely Heart," says she never got her big screen break until Producer David Hempstead ordered her to turn from brunette to blonde for the role. She had her hair bleached, and since then has received many other important offers, all calling for blonde tresses—it looks as if she'd become a permanent blonde.

One of radio's new singing sensations is handsome Larry Douglas, starred on the CBS "Here's to Romance" Thursday evenings. Though he's been chief vocalist with Carmen Cavellaro's band and has sung in several stage hits, this is his first coast-to-coast radio program.

Fanny Brice—"Baby Snooks"—to millions of radio listeners has assembled a collection of pictures by children all over the world that rates serious consideration. She says that the impish character she created for radio led to her interest in children's paintings, and so to her making this collection. Many of the pictures are from countries now overrun by Hitler. Forty-seven of them have been shown in art galleries in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Baltimore and Rochester and recently in New York City.

Chief Willow Bird, of the Apache tribe, is celebrating his 32nd year in pictures and his 1000th film role by appearing in RKO's "The Girl Rush." But don't suppose for an instant that he's playing an Indian—he'll be seen as a gold miner!

A soldier in Los Angeles lost his wallet, which contained the furlough money he'd been saving up in order to visit his family for the first time in 11 months. Newspapers printed the story. Imagine the feelings of that GI Joe when he received a check in the mail—a check for \$100, which he's going to hate to spend, because it bore the autograph of Frank Sinatra!

A very special laurel wreath should be given lovely Jane Froman; in "Here's to Romance" and "Stage Door Canteen" broadcasts she asked to be permitted to sit on stage during the show, because "making an entrance on crutches looks too dramatic." She's the girl who was seriously injured in the Lisbon Clipper crash, while she was on her way to entertain our men in overseas service.

**ODDS AND ENDS**—Told on the set of "Murder, He Says" that he had just become a papa, Peter Whitney got excited, tripped over a cable, and sprained an ankle. The Jublatree CBS newsmen, met 10 years ago while working on a strawberry plantation, and started their musical careers as singing writers in a Florida hotel. . . . Walter Abel was star of the "Armstrong Theater of Today" the Saturday that Betty Caine, of the air, was the voice of the Quaker Girl. . . . 28 hours of radio's top programs go to invasion troops each week. . . . 100 mistered-out servicemen have roles in the Edward Robinson "Mr. Finkle Goes to War."

## With Ernie Pyle at the Front

### Pillboxes and Tanks Wrecked in Street Fighting

#### Yanks Take Another City With Only Snipers and One Pillbox Left

By Ernie Pyle

**IN NORMANDY**—On up the street a block there seemed to be fighting. I say seemed to be, because actually you can't always tell. Street fighting is just as confusing as field fighting.

One side will bang away for a while, then the other side. Between these sallies there are long lulls, with only stray and isolated shots. Just an occasional soldier is sneaking about, and you don't see anything of the enemy at all. You can't tell half the time just what the situation is, and neither can the soldiers.

About a block beyond the hospital entrance two American tanks were sitting in the middle of the street, one about 50 yards ahead of the other. I walked toward them. Our infantrymen were in doorways along the street.

I got within about 50 feet of our front tank when it let go its 75-millimeter gun. The blast was terrific there in the narrow street. Glass

came tinkling down from nearby windows, smoke puffed around the tank, and the empty street was shaking and trembling with the concussion.

As the tank continued to shoot I ducked into a doorway, because I figured the Germans would shoot back. Inside the doorway there was a sort of street-level cellar, dirt-floored. Apparently there was a wine shop above, for the cellar was stacked with wire crates for holding wine bottles on their sides. There were lots of bottles, but they were all empty.

I went back to the doorway and stood peering out at the tank. It started backing up. Then suddenly a yellow flame pierced the bottom of the tank and there was a crash of such intensity that I automatically blinked my eyes. The tank, hardly 50 feet from where I was standing, had been hit by an enemy shell.

A second shot zipped the pavement at the side of the tank. There was smoke all around, but the tank didn't catch fire. In a moment the crew came boiling out of the turret. Grim as it was, I almost had to laugh as they ran toward us. I have never seen men run so violently. They ran all over, with arms and heads going up and down and with marathon-race grimaces. They plunged into my doorway.

I spent the next excited hour with them. We changed to another doorway and sat on boxes in the empty hallway. The floor and steps were thick with blood where a soldier had been treated within the hour.

What had happened to the tank was this: They had been firing away at a pillbox ahead when their 75 backfired, filling the tank with smoke and blinding them.

They decided to back up in order to get their bearings, but after backing a few yards the driver was so blinded that he stopped. Unfortunately he stopped exactly at the foot of a side street. More unfortunately there was another German pillbox up the side street. All the Germans had to do was take easy aim and let go at the sitting duck.

The first shot hit a tread, so the tank couldn't move. That was when the boys got out. I don't know why the Germans didn't fire at them as they poured out.

The escaped tankers naturally were excited, but they were as jubilant as June-bugs and ready for Lore. They had never been in combat before the invasion of Normandy, yet in three weeks their tank had been shot up three times. Each time it was repaired and put back in action. And it can be repaired again this time. The name of their tank, appropriately, is "Be Back Soon."

The main worry of these boys was the fact that they had left the engine running. We could hear it chugging away. It's bad for a tank motor to idle very long. But now they were afraid to go back and turn the motor off, for the tank was still right in line with the hidden German gun.

Also, they had come out wearing their leather crash helmets. Their steel helmets were still inside the tank, and so were their rifles.

"We'll be a lot of good without helmets or rifles!" one of them said.

#### Nazis Continue to Surrender When Going Gets Tough

We saw coming up the street, past a wrecked German truck, a group of German soldiers. An officer walked in front, carrying a Red Cross flag on a stick. Bob Capa, the photographer, braved the dangerous tunnel at the end of the side street where the damaged tank stood, leaping past it and on down the street to meet the German.

## PATTERNS SEWING CIRCLE



Due to an unusually large of current war conditions, all time is required in filling a few of the most popular pat-

**SEWING CIRCLE PATTERN** 238 South Wells St. Enclose 20 cents in coins if pattern desired. Pattern No. .... Size. .... Name ..... Address .....

**BEAT THE HEAT** Sprinkle heat rash in hot spots with MEXSANA. Soothe. Save most in big tub. **MEXSANA** SOOTHING MEDICATED POWDER

#### SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

A recent report of the War Department showed that Army requirements of crude or synthetic rubber for combat material include 810 pounds for a medium tank; 105 pounds for a lighter plane; 404 pounds for a 77 mm. gun carriage, down to 1 1/2 pounds for a gas mask, and 19 pounds for a mile of field wire.

Government officials estimate that an average of one million gallons of alcohol a day will be used this year in the production of synthetic rubber. This is a big contributing factor in the shortage of certain types of beverages.

**Three-Piece Play Suit** FOR the newcomers who like to get out and play from morning until supper time—a three-piece costume of bonnet, jumper or jumper-dress and matching panties is the right garb for any little girl!

Pattern No. 8663 is in sizes 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years. Size 3, dress and panties, requires 2 1/2 yards of 35 or 39-inch material; bonnet, 3/4 yard.

**Household Hints** A coat of white shellac applied to the cover of your cook book keeps it looking like new.

Hemming a new frock will be easier if you cut a piece of cardboard to the exact width you want the hem and use it as a marker. Start the hem, insert the card and slip it along as you work.

To fix window screens so you can see out and the neighbors cannot see in, paint the inside of the screens with a thin white enamel.

#### ARMY MERCHANDISE AUCTION SALE

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**HOW TO PUT JELL IN JELLIES**

Do you remember when grandmother had trouble putting the "jell" in jellies? Or, once in a while, when she turned the jelly out on a plate, it would stand but not quiver, and the color was dark and the jelly had lost the fresh fruit flavor? One of the reasons for her trouble was the lack of a range with quick-cooking facilities. Long cooking always reduces fruit flavor, darkens color, and may even break down the pectin which is responsible for the "jelling" quality. Now, quick-cooking gas ranges



make jam and jelly making easy and are available everywhere. Even homemakers living in suburban, rural or semi-rural areas have regular gas service through "bottled" or "tank" gas. For quivery, tasty blackberry jam, use these directions: Wash and hull berries, allowing 3/4 cup sugar for each cup of fruit. Mash fruit as it heats. Bring to boiling; add sugar and cook until thick—not more than 20 minutes. Seal in hot, sterilized glasses.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cooper of Amarillo spent last week end here.

Mrs. Myrtella Deahl and Joan Ray Moreman visited in Hobbs, N. Mex., last week.

Aubrey Lee Cherry and T. R. R. Kidd returned Saturday from a visit to Clovis, N. Mex., Amherst, and Amarillo.

Laura Smith of Amarillo spent the week end with the Blankenships.

J. O. Adamson has returned here from Lubbock, where he has been for some time.

J. R. Howell left Tuesday for Dallas to enter the U. S. Navy.

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**WAR BONDS in Action**



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**Two Recipes for Point-Free Pork**



Point-free pork is good eating if thoroughly cooked to bring out the full, rich flavor.  
Rural housewives who have modern gas ranges supplied with "bottled" or "tank" gas are fortunate, for they can easily maintain the constant low temperature necessary to cook pork so it is uniformly browned, with a crisp but not hard crust so that it slices neither crumbly nor dry.  
Cooking pork is fuel-saving because of the low temperature used, and that, too, is important, for butane and propane in these gases have gone to war. They fortify high-test aviation gasoline, treat and cut metals, and make synthetic rubber and dynamite.  
Here are point-wise recipes for homemakers who want to take advantage of economical pork cuts:  
**Drumsticks.**  
(Serves 6)  
1 1/4 pounds lean pork, ground  
3/4 cup fine bread crumbs  
1 tsp. salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1 egg, beaten  
1 tbsp. grated onion  
1/2 cup milk  
Combine all ingredients. Mix well. Shape into cakes resembling drumsticks. Insert a wooden skewer into each cake. Roll in crumbs or flour. Brown in hot fat. Cover. Fry over very low flame about 20 minutes longer. Brown 2 tbsp. flour in 2 tbsp. pan drippings. Add 1 cup hot water. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Season with salt and pepper.  
**Sausage Rolls.**  
(Serves 4)  
12 link sausages  
12 thin slices of bread  
Broil sausages. Remove crusts from bread. Roll each sausage in slice of bread. Toast under broiler. Garnish with tomato wedges and parsley.