

The Devil's River News

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FORTY-THIRD WEEK

New Registrants To Be Classified Immediately

Immediate classification of Selective Service registrants of the Fifth Registration (June 30th) was announced today by General J. Watt Page, State Selective Service Director.

Local Boards throughout the State have today been instructed by State Headquarters memorandum to proceed immediately with the classification of all registrants of the Fifth Registration who have reached their twentieth birthday.

The men registered in the Fifth Registration, General Page pointed out, were those between the ages of eighteen and twenty, inclusive, and in Texas affected approximately 132,000 men.

"The Selective Training and Service Act, as amended," General Page stated, "sets out that except as otherwise provided, every male citizen of the United States and every male person residing in the United States, who is between the ages of twenty and forty-five at the time fixed for registration, or who attains the age of twenty after having been required to register, shall be liable for training and service in the land or naval forces of the United States.

"Accordingly, all registrants of the Fifth Registration are, upon reaching their twentieth birthday, subject to induction when their order number is reached."

No national lottery was or will be held for registrants of this age group, General Page stated, and order numbers have been assigned on the basis of birth dates of the registrants (and alphabetically as to registrants born on the same date).

Registrants who have not reached their twentieth birthday will not be mailed a Questionnaire, he said, but immediately upon attaining their twentieth birthday they will be mailed a Questionnaire and classified in accordance with current Selective Service Regulations and policy for filling calls.

Distribution of 2,467,000 pounds of poison checked the grasshopper menace to success of the Food for Freedom drive in Hockley County. H. D. Pool, county agricultural agent, says few farmers in the county failed to put out bait from one to six times with effective results.

J. W. Trainer returned home last Thursday after a five weeks stay in a San Angelo hospital.

Mrs. Velma Shurley has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Robert Moffett and Mr. Moffett in Fort Worth.

Jester Predicts Victory in RRC Race

Corsicana — Predicting victory because of general approval of his win-the-war program for the Texas Railroad Commission, Beauford Jester this week swept through the final phase of his first campaign for public office.

The Corsicana lawyer and farmer whose friends term him, "a war veteran for a war job," declared he is daily receiving word of support from all sections which indicate he will lead the balloting by a wide margin Saturday.

Jester's service at the front in the first World War has attracted the attention of most Texans, since this gave him a first-hand view of needs of fighting men. Likewise, it showed him how American soldiers fight through when they get the supplies and support they need on schedule and in sufficient quantities.

Jester this week reiterated his first campaign pledge when he entered the race, that he would turn the full energies of the railroad commission to pushing the war program. "There is nothing more important to our war effort than the production of oil and the maintenance of transportation," he declared, "I shall do all within my power to see that nothing stands in the way of proper functioning of these two great industries in the interest of our war effort."

He called attention to his platform plank for farmers, written in the interest of a group whose problem he knows because of his own participation. "The farmers and ranchers of this state," Jester declared, "deserve a transportation system which is capable of moving their heavy wartime production to markets on schedule and at a rea-

Happy Birthday

Saturday, August 22—

Mother Turney
Howard Peters, Jr.

Sunday, August 23—

Mrs. Clyde Gardner
Monday, August 24—

Lem Eriel Johnson
Edgar C. Saunders

Tuesday, August 25—

Mamie Wright
Billie Jo Barker
Otto Mund

Wednesday, August 26—

Ernest Carroll
Mrs. P. J. Taylor
Mrs. Carl Morrow

Thursday, August 27—

Melvin Glasscock
Mrs. Tom Davis
Mrs. Mildred Cauthorn

John Allen Ward

Friday, August 28—

Mrs. L. W. Elliott
Mrs. Bert McIntyre
Albert Murray

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mann and Jack Runkles spent a few days in San Antonio.

Sally Ann Wallace of Blanco is now living with her aunt Lee Labenske and Mr. Labenske.

FISHING LICENSE EXPIRE

All present fishing licenses will expire August 31, and new ones will have to be bought, Earl Franks, game warden for this district, announced Thursday. Licenses may be bought at several business houses in town.

Final Rites Held For Sid Martin

Funeral services for Sid Martin, former Commission man in Sutton County who died in Del Rio Wednesday, were held here Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Reverend L. K. Brown conducted services at the Sonora Burial Park. Martin was survived by his wife, a daughter living in Arizona, and three sons, Jack Martin, Guy Martin, and Herbert Martin, of Del Rio, and Mrs. Harvey Morris, a niece.

Pallbearers were J. D. Lowrey, W. E. Caldwell, Ralph Trainer, A. W. Awalt, Alvis Johnson, and Neill Rouche.

Health Department Warn Against Trenchmouth

Austin—Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, has released some interesting information concerning Vincent's angina which was commonly called "trench mouth" during World War 1.

Dr. Cox states that Vincent's angina is a specific infection producing inflammatory condition of the mucous membranes, more commonly those of the mouth, and the disease is spread by indirect as well as direct contact.

"Because of the readiness with which this disease is transmitted, it has been occasionally found in epidemic form among school children and other groups," Dr. Cox states. "Vincent's angina assumed epidemic proportions in the front line trenches in 1914-1918 and it was during this period that the disease became generally known as trench mouth."

Although trench mouth is now worldwide in distribution, reasonable application of preventive measures which are merely those in line with approved personal health practices will be found a sufficient defense against this infection.

According to the State Health Officer the most common causes of Vincent's angina are neglected mouths, broken teeth fillings, and other types of oral irritation. Daily hygiene, plus the periodic visit to the dentist can be relied upon as reasonable buffers against this infection. However, persons who are very careful regarding oral hygiene can acquire this disease by using infested drinking cups and eating utensils and other personal articles; also by kissing, though healthy gums and mucous membranes have a much superior resistance to the infection than does an unclean mouth.

sonable rate. I know the problems of these men and I shall vote to give them the best truck, bus and train service for their goods that we can get."

Mohair Release, Rain, Better General Conditions In Sonora

975,000 POUNDS
HAIR ON HAND

With ranchmen somewhat cheered both by the government's order releasing mohair for civilian use and by fairly good county wide rains, general conditions in Sonora and Sutton County appeared improved this week. A complete report of the mohair release is found on the Ranching Page.

At present there are two mohair clips on hand at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company's warehouse. These clips, coupled with the one now in the making, will total about 975,000 pounds to be sold. Previous to the release, mills had assured the warehouse that the entire stock would be bought. Although the ceiling on mohair is at present 62 and 82 cents, best offers yet have been in the neighborhood of 47 and 57 cents.

Of course, the War Production Board had intimated that there would be a 20 cent differential between the coils of grease wool and grown hair. It would be advisable, according to the wool house, for growers to keep their yearling hair separate in the coming clip.

As far as the wool situation is concerned, the Army has promised to buy all the domestic short wool clip. Two months at least will be necessary, however, to make up the allocations and orders.

Mrs. W. W. Taylor Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. W. W. Taylor were conducted Thursday afternoon at the Taylor home in Junction. Mrs. Taylor, who had been in ill health for sometime, passed away Tuesday night.

Survivors, besides the husband, Captain W. W. Taylor, well known in this section as a former Texas Ranger Captain, include a daughter, Mrs. W. B. McMillan, four other daughters and two sons.

Pallbearers were Cecil Craven, Fred Mudge, Conrad Holekamp, J. C. Graham, Omer Wright, and Clay Secrest. The Reverend F. M. Carney conducted the rites. Interment was at the Junction Cemetery.

Mrs. Joe Berger, Mrs. O. L. Richardson, Mrs. J. V. Alley, Betty Taylor, Edith Mae Babcock, and Sammie Jeanne Allison spent Saturday at College Station visiting O. L. and Glenn Richardson, Wilfred Berger and Eugene Alley.

BUDGET HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on the county budget for the year 1943, as prepared by the County Judge will be held at the Court House at Sonora by the Commissioners Court of Sutton County on the 29th day of August A. D. 1942 at 10 o'clock a. m. Any taxpayer of said County may be present and participate in said hearing.

Alvis Johnson

HAWKSHAW—

Game Wardens Use Tricks Of Detective Game In Hunting Violators

Of all the State's law enforcement men, the Game Wardens probably are having the easiest time of it, so far as living in war time is concerned. Because the Game Wardens never were accustomed to soft living in the first place.

In pre-Hitler days the Game Warden would take out after a law violator and chase him through the loneliness of the Brush Country or the vast desert of the Trans-Pecos. If he lost the trail at midnight he wasn't frantic and he didn't long for his soft bed at home. The Game Warden always carries essential groceries with him, so he would build a fire, cook a meal and enjoy it. Then he would haul out his bed roll and have a sound night's sleep. The next morning he would again be on the track of the scoundrel who had violated the game laws. The Warden still lives this rugged life.

Hair In The Biscuit Dept. It's been going on for years, but few people know anything about

Run-Off Votes Cast Saturday

Run off for several state offices and one federal office will be held tomorrow, voting times and places to be the same as they were in the first primary. Leading race is the one between James V. Allred who is seeking to dethrone the incumbent, W. Lee O'Daniel. Second most interesting race is the one between Pierce Brooks, erstwhile Walkathon Promotor, an Beauford Jester.

Voters will notice that the names of O. C. Fisher and Leo Brown are on the ballot. Although the opponents of both men have officially withdrawn from the race, the State Democratic Committee issued a last minute order that the names be added. No explanation was given of the move.

James Caldwell underwent a major operation in a San Angelo hospital Thursday morning.

GOOD OLD DAYS—

When A Family's Social Prestige Might Hang On Papa's Mustache

The following story which will bring back memories to Sutton County old timers, was left on the editor's desk this week. It was unsigned. Although it sounds quite a bit like one of Bob Burns famous tales, it may be possible that Sonora had a budding author.

In the old days whiskers played a more important part than they do now. A man wasn't judged then by the amount of cold dash on hand. He was rated according to the kind of beard he grew.

I reckon nobody had a finer flow than Uncle Bilbo.

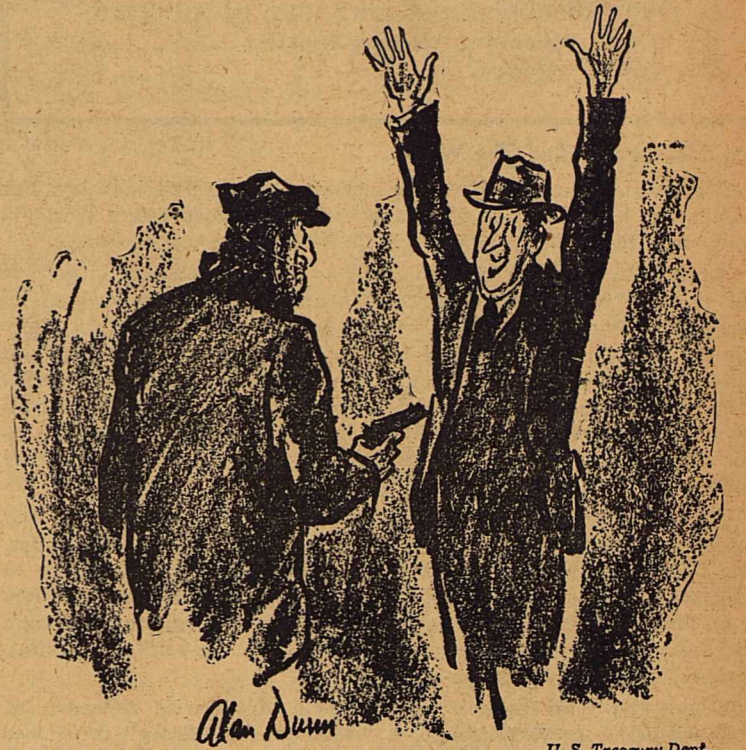
When he joined the Confederate Army he swore he never would shave until the Yanks were licked, and the only time he patronized a barber shop was when he went in to read the morning paper.

Bilbo was mighty proud of his mustache.

Aunt Emmie used to say he spent all of his time between twisting it and shaving his mule's tail. I've seen him stand in front of the mirror for a solid hour getting the "handle-bars" on his upper lip to suit him. But when he did get ready Wild Bill Hickok never looked more like a fighting man.

Our connection wasn't much in the money and we couldn't run with what was called the "silk stocking" layout. But Uncle Bilbo's mustache commanded a right sharp respect. A lot of people were afraid of him and they treated all of us quite civil on that account. He was our leader and when we went to a fourth of July barbecue candidates would come over to the wagon and brag on the new babies.

I'm telling you it was an awful let down when an accident happened to our Uncle's whiskers. He went to blow out the candle one night and they caught fire and were so badly singed he had to cut them off. He looked perfectly harmless after that and we lost our standing in society.



"Tough luck, old man—my money's all in nontransferable War Savings Bonds."

SCHLEICHER COUNTY GETS 800 ACRE WHEAT ALLOTMENT

Schleicher County's share of the 1943 National wheat acreage allotment of 55 million acres has been set at approximately 800 acres, according to Mrs. Fdossie Whitaker, Administrative Officer of the local Triple A office.

Mrs. Whitaker said that 1943 wheat acreage allotments for individual farms will be released as soon as details for the 1943 Federal Wheat Crop Insurance program are complete. Wheat allotments, farm wheat yields, and farm premium rates will all be included in the notification to the farmer.

In announcing the national wheat acreage allotment for 1943, Agriculture Secretary Wickard asked wheat producers whole lands and equipment are suitable for growing other crops needed more urgently in the war effort, to hold this land for those crops rather than plant it to wheat. In areas where more urgently needed crops can be grown successfully, the war production plans to be worked out for individual farmers will call for a wheat acreage substantially less than the allotment. In areas where wheat produces more feed grain per acre than other crops, however, farmers will be encouraged to plant their full allotment.

"America will be going into the 1943 crop year with approximately a two year wheat supply," the Secretary said. "Consequently, even with relatively low yields, the 55 million acre allotment will result in supplies well above any probable emergency. Domestic food requirements of 500 million bushels could be produced on 40 million acres."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy at the passing of our loved one. The Taylor Family

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Howell of Paris, Texas are spending several days here visiting friends.

Miss Roe Nixon of Pearsoll has been a visitor of Noani Hutcherson for a week. Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson drove Misses Nixon and Hutcherson to San Antonio Tuesday and from there they will go on an extended trip through Mexico.

Mrs. J. L. Nisbet spent several days in San Antonio and Houston.

ASSIGNED LEADING ROLE IN "WHAT'S BUZZIN' COUSIN"

Ann Miller, lovely young dancing star of stage and screen, has just been assigned by Columbia, her home studio, to the leading feminine role in the forthcoming "What's Buzzin' Cousin?" Phil Harris and Rochester (Eddie Anderson) are set for the production, and producer and director will be selected within a few days. Miss Miller was a Broadway sensation in the latest edition of George White's "Scandals." Her first picture for Columbia was "You Can't Take It With You," and more recently, she has made for the company "Time Out For Rhythm" and "Go West, Young Lady," in addition to being featured in a number of topflight pictures on loan to other major companies.

Lt. Merck, Nurse Arrives In England

Second Lt. Lois Merck, U. S. Army Nurse, has arrived safely in England according to a cable received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Merck Sutton County ranchers.

Miss Merck graduated from Sonora High School in 1938 and upon completion of her nurses training at Breckenridge Hospital in Austin she served as an Army Nurse at Fort Sam Houston. She is the only girl from Sutton who has a commission in the Army. She was one of the first nurses to volunteer for foreign service.

Miss Natha Thompson, secretary in the Sheep and Goat Raiser's office has returned from her vacation.

Masons Obtain Work Certificates

SIX FROM OTHER TOWNS PASS ALSO

Certificates showing they were proficient in Esoteric Work adopted by the Grand Lodge of Texas were issued to W. T. Hardy, E. D. Shurley, Alvis Johnson, Leonard Caldwell, Paul Turney, and W. C. Gilmore, Tuesday. Examinations were held by R. H. Brooks, of San Angelo, member of the Grand Lodge Committee on work.

Others passing the examination were R. D. Nicholson of Del Rio, V. B. Ross and M. O. Grooms of Rooksprings, T. E. Small of Eagle Pass, John W. Hall of Brackettville, and W. A. Stroman of San Angelo.

Ten Sonorans Navy Volunteers

The United States Navy increased its personnel by ten men Wednesday when a group of Young men here enlisted. Four of these, Clarence Smith, Vernon Cook, J. C. Berry, and Clyde Henderson, have already left for Houston. The remaining six, who will receive orders in a few days, are Edward (Foots) Kring, Duward (Slim) Swails, Mansil Crumley, James Whiddon, Blanton Franks, and Monroe Puryear.

Buy Funeral Home Here

J. L. Ratliff and Son of Eldorado have assumed the directorship of the Berger Funeral Home, effective last Saturday. Mr. Berger will continue his ranching interests in Sutton County.

Ratliff at present is director of the Ratliff Funeral Home in Eldorado and is in partnership with his son in the retail business there. Plans have already been drawn up for a model Funeral Home to be erected here.

that matched the piece of leather, and the upshot was that two brothers paid fines of \$36 each for illegal night hunting.

August Bond Quota \$10,700; Sold So Far - \$5,891.25

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Your Storekeeper And The War

This country owes a debt of gratitude to the retail industry. For no industry has shown a more aggressive and cooperative spirit in dealing with the tremendous problem imposed on our war economy.

Long before Federal price control was adopted, retailing in general went to work to hold prices down. Whenever possible, it lowered its operating costs and passed the savings on to the consumer. In many instances, it voluntarily reduced its own modest margins of profit in order to control prices. It is a significant fact that over a long period of time, wholesale prices increased to a far greater extent than retail prices. In other words, had retailers increased their mark-up on the basis of the wholesale price index, the cost of living would have been substantially higher than it actually was.

As shortages and priorities became severe, retailers took the lead in advising consumers on how to select and use suitable substitutes. They issued factual information which showed the consumer how to make many kinds of articles last longer. And in the food field, retailers are an important factor in advancing the National Nutrition Campaign, which is designed to guide the housewife in preparing healthful, appetizing meals at minimum cost.

Today the retailers are proving their abilities as salesman of War Stamps. A short time ago, a "Retailers for Victory" drive was started, in which all kinds and sizes of stores participated. The object is to sell \$1,000,000,000 worth of War Stamps and Bonds each month for the duration. Reports on the early weeks of the campaign show that, as usual, America's retailers are doing the job with complete and spectacular success.

Your store in short is more than just a place where goods the bought and sold in routine fashion. Retailing is working to protect the consumer to the ultimate of its abilities on the one hand—and to give maximum service to the war effort on the other.

President Thanks Oil Industry

On June 12, the President of the United States, in a radio address, asked the people of the nation for scrap rubber, and entrusted the job of collection to the American oil industry. On June 15, the campaign started. And on July 10, when the drive ended, the government had 454,155 tons more scrap rubber than it had on June 15. The success of the campaign may be judged by the fact that some rubber experts doubted could be acquired.

Shortly thereafter, the President wrote a letter to the chairman of the Petroleum industry War Council, which is composed of representatives of the nation-wide oil industry. In conclusion, he said: "You and your associates have done a grand job and I want you to know that your government appreciates the splendid results achieved. My heartfelt thanks to you and to all who work with you."

The results of this campaign were not achieved by chance. They were, to the contrary, achieved through careful planning and hard, intensive work. For instance the Standard Oil Company of California recently announced that practically all its employees took an individual and active part in the collection drive. This company alone collected almost 18,000 tons—which is the equivalent of more than a ton for each of its employes. That is typical of the oil industry as a whole.

This campaign in itself is a fine answer to those who say that the oil industry has interfered with efforts to solve the rubber problem. The truth is that the oil industry will do anything in its power to provide this country with rubber, irrespective of how it is produced or manufactured. And right now the oil industry is making an invaluable contribution to the synthetic rubber program.

39 Years Ago

Born on Tuesday, May 12, 1908 to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Millard a boy.

Mack Luckie was in from the ranch Tuesday. Mack's hand is doing all right.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Adams were in from their place on the Llano near Ft. Terrett, Monday visiting.

J. D. Lacy was in from his ranch Monday for supplies.

D. H. Simpson, the livery man of Llano, was in Sonora Wednesday on his way home from a business trip to Ozona.

Bud Dail and Bruno Krusse were in from the Dail ranch Wednesday for supplies. Mr. Dail says they did not get their share of rain and is very much disappointed.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry McConnell, of Menardville, were in Sonora Wednesday on a visit, they were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Martin. Perry looks about the same.

Rube Caruthers, of Del Rio, was in Sonora several days this week attending to some business, Mr Caruthers says his family are all well and like their new home.

Sebe Word, one of O. T. Word's cowboy's was in Sonora Monday and ordered the News to be sent to his father in the Oklahoma Territory.

M. V. Sessum and son Jim were up from the ranch Tuesday trading.

Leslie Boston and B. F. Sims

were up from the D. K. McMullen ranch Wednesday after herders.

J. F. Harris was in from his ranch Tuesday trading. Mr. Harris is very well pleased with his ranch.

Jim Cauthorn was in from his ranch Wednesday for supplies and to attend to some business.

Owen and Jordan the painters returned from John Reiley's ranch Tuesday where they had been painting.

J. S. Rider who lives near San Antonio, was in Sonora Thursday, on a visit to his old friend George Allison. Mr. Rider was here about thirteen years ago and says things changed somewhat.

Robert Winslow who ranches near Vigo, was in Sonora Monday. Mr. Winslow has a bunch of sheep down on the Nueces and says they are doing fine.

Bob and Ben Mitchell were in Sonora this week.

Max Mayer left on Thursday for San Angelo on a business trip.

Rev. S. J. Drake will preach here Sunday and Sunday night.

Hiram Sharp was in from the ranch Saturday trading.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cahill and Mrs. E. E. Johnson went over to Ozona Sunday on a visit.

Fayette Tankersley has been receiving and praising on the two year old steers he recently bought from different parties.

Sol Mayer came in from the Middle Valley ranch Friday and left on Saturday to look after some cattle he is shipping in the Territory.

Sid Chapman was over from Menardville for a few days this week, attending to some business.

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I GIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

A great pile of newspapers stacked up while my campaign was going on. After that was over, I delved into the stack and the last one of all had been mailed to me by my aunt in Memphis, Tennessee—and when I ripped the wrapper off, there was the news that Judge A. B. Pittman had died.

Now perhaps none of the readers of this column ever heard of Judge Pittman but, because he was my friend, I hope you won't mind my writing something by way of a tribute; and because he was unique, I hope further that you will find these words of interest.

Judge Pittman was, perhaps more than anyone else, responsible for my becoming a newspaperman and so, if there were no other reason than this, I would always cherish his memory.

But this is to be about the Judge himself.

Judge Pittman presided over what would be, in Texas, the civil district court.

He was not a handsome man, except in the way that Abraham Lincoln was handsome—rough-hewn features that readily lighted with a smile, and kindly, gray eyes.

The Judge was a man of wide reading and of wider study of men. His sympathies were with the poor, the under-privileged, the voiceless.

He was unorthodox in his conduct of the court. You might go in and there would be a witness on the stand, and questions would be in progress and there would be a

jury in the box—but no one on the bench. A lawyer would arise, Judge Pittman always insisted that a lawyer must arise when he addressed the court—and say, "Your Honor, I object."

A man standing over by the window, gazing out on the street, would say, "Objection overruled," and the trial would go on.

Judge Pittman insisted on punctuality on the part of attorneys, jurors and witnesses. He imposed a fine of \$1 for each minute that anyone was late.

One day, the Judge entered the courtroom. It was one minute past 9.

"Mr. Clerk," he said, "enter a fine of one dollar against the court" and the Judge handed over the fine.

He had little patience with pomposity—with stuffed shirts.

A lawyer who didn't like a ruling gave out a statement to the press, severely criticizing the Judge. Everyone thought he would cite the lawyer for contempt of court. When he didn't, the reporters asked Judge Pittman for a comment on the matter. His reply was:

"It is the inalienable right of any American citizen to make a darn fool of himself whenever he wants to"—and that was all he would say about the attorney.

Judge Pittman really believed that "reason is the basis of law"—that common sense should govern trials—that the purpose of a court should be justice between man and man.

He disliked excess verbiage and high-sounding questions. A negro truck-driver was injured and he brought suit. A fellow truck-driver was on the stand and was asked:

"Did the plaintiff know, or could he have sworn by the exercise of reasonable prudence, that the truck was in defective condition?"

The witness walled his eyes in bewilderment.

Judge Pittman said, "What the lawyer means is, 'Did George over there know—or ought he to have known—that the truck was liable to break down?'"



A LOOK AT THE BOOK by DR. BOB JONES, JR. PRESIDENT OF BOB JONES COLLEGE

Shakespeare puts into the mouth of one of his characters in "The Merchant of Venice" these words, "The devil can cite Scripture for his purposes." The Scriptures themselves bear evidence of the accuracy of Shakespeare's observation, for the devil in tempting Christ quoted the Word of God. Evil and dishonest men have never hesitated to use a passage of Scripture in an attempt to justify their wrong course of action or to excuse their evil doing. Of course, such a procedure is in itself evil and dishonest since the Scripture is by them misquoted or misused or misapplied. The Word of God no where admonishes men to a course of action which violates the law of God.

Whatever else the Scriptures may or may not prove, they do testify that the Lord Jesus Christ is God manifest in the flesh. It is a sad fact that by many people today this great and primary truth of the Book is overlooked or forgot.

The darky grinned in relief and answered, "Naw, suh."

Judge Pittman believed that the office should seek the man, not the man the office. And so he never filed his name—friends would place it on the ballot by petition. He never had a card printed; he never made a campaign speech; he never asked a man to vote for him. And yet he was elected and re-elected for 20 years.

Judge Pittman was an able judge; he loved his fellow man; he was truly a great man.

Apollos preaching at Spheus convinced his hearers, "shrewing by the Scriptures that Jesus was Christ" (Acts 18:28). Christ Himself admonished His hearers to "Search the Scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life; and they are they which testify of Me" (John 5:39). Christ is the center of the Book, the burden of the prophets' message, the theme of the psalmist's lay, the chief character of the Gospels, the fountain head and inspiration of the Epistles, the sublime and majestic central figure of Revelation.

The Bible is the revelation of God's will and purpose and love for man. It is God's Written Word. Christ is the Incarnate Word—the Word of God come in the flesh. The Bible speaks of Christ. Christ manifests in His own wonderful person the truth of the Bible.

Men today wrest the Scriptures to prove their own pet theories and opinions. They are glibly quoting Scripture without regard for its purpose or true teaching. But the man who searches the Word diligently with open mind cannot fail to be convinced of this fact, that Jesus is the Christ, the One come in the flesh to redeem men from sin by the blood which He shed upon Calvary's cross. He must admit there is no doubt of the Scriptures teaching that "there is none other name under heaven given among men." In the sacred claims Christ as His Son, proclaims His Diety, acclaims His perfections. Through the Word the Father speaks to us of the Christ, "This is my beloved Son, hear Him."



Would You Do this Job for A DIME A DAY?



... and when you and the carpet are both worn to a frazzle, would you clean the oil lamps ... and do a week's wash on a knuckle-bruising board ... and run out to the springhouse after milk and butter ... all for the same 10 cents?

"No bargain!" you say. But Reddy Kilowatt, your electric servant, does all these jobs and more—for a dime a day or less in the average West Texas home. What's more, that dime's value has grown so steadily that nowadays it buys about twice as much service as it did ten or fifteen years ago.

It's about the biggest bargain in the world ... and probably the only household item that hasn't gone up as a result of the war!

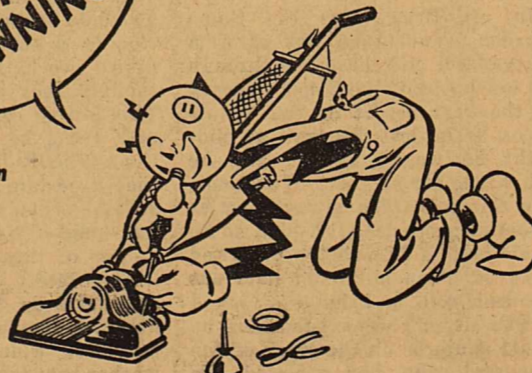
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Note From Berlin

"Poot Dot O'Daniel In - He Ain't Vorried About Der Var"

Son of a gun

W. R. Barnes received a letter from Aviation Cadet Nicholas Manfredi, wayward flyer from Randolph Field who landed here two weeks ago. He writes: "When I returned to the field I was met with a smiling welcome by the other cadets, but naturally the officers had to be very sarcastic about everything. All they did was give me hell about getting lost and never said a word about my saving their ship. However, I don't mind it. The only thing that bores me now is the kidding I get from everyone. It was okay at first, but now it's sickening to hear about it all the time."

We only have about two more weeks here and they might give us a vacation for one week. Thus, I wouldn't be a bit surprised if I found myself driving to your Sonora."

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For the second time we are greatly indebted to the San Angelo Standard Times for a bit of poetry. The piece was printed a few days ago in that paper and although we realize it enjoys a wide circulation in this county, we want to make sure EVERYBODY gets a chance to read it. The poem was written by Sgt. G. C. Dalton of Camp Wallace.

I'm writing this short letter

And every word is true.
Don't look away Draft Dodgers
For it is addressed to you.

You feel at ease and in no Ganger
Back in the old home town.
You cooked up some good story
So the draft board would turn you down.

You never think of the real men
Who leave there day by day;
You just think of the girl friends
That you get while they're away.

You sit at home and read your paper
Jump and yell, "Well Win!"
Just where the HELL do you get that "we" stuff?
The war will be won by MEN.

Just what do you think, Draft Dodgers,
That this free nation would do,
If all the men were dodgers,
And afraid to fight, like you?

Well, I guess that's all, Mr. Slacker
For I suppose your face is red,
America's no place for your kind,
And I mean every word I said.

So in closing this letter, Draft Dodgers
Just remember what I say
Keep away from my girl, YOU BUM
For I'm coming back some day.

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Not that we think it will do any good, but we want to throw a little light in the corner of W. Lee O'Daniel. Of course, anybody knows that nobody voted for him; he just sort of accidentally carried the country. Before we start we want to announce that anyone wishing to defend this traitor to his people may do so in these columns providing he sign his article.

The current issue of LIFE magazine states in an article about the Congress in general that American citizens, if they want to do something to help their country during these dire times, should defeat ten members. W. Lee O'Daniel is listed as one of those. He has consistently done nothing to help the war effort or to remain informed as to the war situation. He had the effrontery to state that the President "was hiding from him" last Spring when the Atlantic Charter was being drawn up. He had the total ignorance to state in June that "We are over the hump," that we are so near the end of the war that it is no longer worth discussing. At the time this amazing gem of intelligence was presented to the people of Texas, Marshall Rommel was smashing his way across Egypt and the Nazi's main army was using Russian bayonets for toothpicks. Yes, the war WAS almost over that time. But Senator O'Daniel didn't know who was winning.

This Newspaper is very interested in knowing who in Sutton County wants to hurt the United States enough to vote for this man. We will give five one dollar War Stamps to the first person who presents us with an article supporting this man's candidacy.

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Here are a few of shopping notes for Mr. and Mrs. America: These are the things you can't buy today: Tires, because all but 3 per cent of our rubber came from places now controlled by the Axis. Typewriters, because the skill that made typewriters now makes small arms, and more metal, man hours, and machine hours go into a typewriter than into a Garand rifle. Trouser cuffs, because the cuffs from 21 men's suits use as much wool as one Army uniform. Phonograph records, because shellac, which comes from India, will make only six records, but will waterproof the primer cups of 100,000 rounds of .30 caliber ammunition.

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The Devil's River News

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD RELEASES MOHAIR TO CIVILIANS; MILLS ASSURE QUICK SALE

On August 13 mohair, both kid and adult, was released by the War Production Board from added restrictions of wool Conservation Order M-73. Mohair can now be secured by both woolen and worsted mills in unlimited quantities. This announcement was received with much optimism by Texas mohair growers, many of whom have three clips in possession.

Fred T. Earwood, President of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association, officers of the National Wool Growers Association and other livestock organizations of Texas and Arizona, have worked unceasingly on this matter since the original restrictions which were imposed in January. The problem has been presented to Washington officials on several occasions. Many of the inequities of Wool Conservation Order No. M-73, as applicable to mohair, were aired by Earwood during recent Senate wool investigations in Washington.

Officers of the TS&GRA have urged complete release of the fiber since February when it was learned that mohair was not listed in military specifications. On January 4th the original Wool Conservation Order No. M-73 was issued. This order set aside (or ear-marked) approximately 55 percent of all domestic wools including mohair for military use, although mohair was not used in Army fabrics. After consistent effort by the TS&GRA, amended Wool Conservation Orders released in March, made adult mohair available to mills on the basis of three pounds of mohair in exchange for one pound of war quality wool allocated to such mills on the worsted spinning system, and five pounds of mohair in exchange of one pound of wool allocated to mills on the woolen system. In this order kid mohair was "frozen" entirely for military use. By June Texsa Association officers were successful in getting kid mohair released on the same basis as adult hair, although continuous efforts were made to secure unrestricted use for both classes of the fiber.

Delay by the WPB in liberalizing the use of mohair has resulted in an accumulation of approximately 19 million pounds, with a clip of approximately 8 million pounds being shorn at the present time. Growers, however, are now in a position to influence greater use for mohair in blending it with other civilian materials. Growers and WPB officials feel that present wool restrictions to civilian manufacturers, coupled with the demand for civilian goods, will result in a more substantial use of mohair. Steps have already been taken to promote its use through the American Wool Council, a promotional organization for wool and mohair growers.

Prior to the curtailment of automobile manufacture, about 65 per cent of the domestic mohair clip was used in upholstery materials.

Imagine how happy Hitler will be when we send O'Daniel back to the Senate. After all O'Daniel, Wheeler, and Nye voted to disband the Army just before Pearl Harbor. 1tc43

Mrs. Frank Knapton and son Frankie have moved to New Jersey to live with Mrs. Knapton's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and son Frankie spent a few days in San Antonio last week.

Skaggs Elected T. A. G. R. A. Head At 22nd Annual Meet At Rocksprings

BREEDERS REALIZE \$10,000 FROM SALE

As their 22nd annual meeting, show and sale ended Saturday, members of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' Association counted the event eminently successful.

The show, featuring the greatest aggregation of fine Angoras in the world was followed by a sale in which the top buck brought \$525 in the first day of the two-day sale, 57 number one bucks sold for \$83.50, 39 number two's brought \$37.50, eight number one does' brought \$28.75 each. In Saturday's sale, the number one bucks brought \$54.85, and the total of 74 head entered in the day's auction brought \$47.88 per head.

Marvin Skaggs, Junction was elected president of the association for the coming year, succeeding Authur Davis of Con Con, president for the past two years. C. F. Briggs of Del Rio was elected first vice-president, H. R. Sites of Wimberly was named second vice-president, and J. R. Stewart of San Angelo was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Registered goat breeders realized over \$10,000 from the sale of goats here last week. Awful good when present conditions are considered.

Rocksprings was voted the site for next year's annual meeting, show and sale. Next quarterly meeting will be held at Uvalde Nov. 7.

Jack Richardson of Uvalde consigned the yearling buck that sold for \$525 to M. D. Taylor of Vance. This was the highest price paid in the association's sale for several years. The buck was awarded last year to Richardson in appreciation for his services in the auction ring in the 1941 sale. He fitted the animal and showed him several blue ribbons in the show Wednesday, then topped the sale with him Friday.

Nine directors elected to serve through 1942 included C. F. Briggs, last week. Awful good when A. E. Mayes, Rocksprings, J. A. Ward, Jr., Sonora, and H. R. Sites, Wimberly.

The proceeds from the sale of a goat donated by Claude Pepper of San Antonio went to the American Red Cross.

The Texas Angora Goat Raiser's Association donated the proceeds from the sale of a fine buck to the Navy relief.

Following were the judges at the 1942 show:

Long Mohair Class—B Type (Flat Lock) Fred T. Earwood and C. A. Pepper, Jr.

Short Mohair Class C Type (Ringlet) Seaton Prentice and Armer Earwood.

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AAGBA Special—C Type, Seadell Rio; L. A. Clark, Rocksprings, Richie Special—Fred T. Earwood, Seaton Prentice and Armer Earwood. Miss Lucille Cowser of Rocksprings, was again chosen as the "Sweetheart" of the Texas Association.

Winners of each class in the show were as follows:

Short fleece class, C type: Bucks two years old and over—

W. S. Orr and Son, Rocksprings, first; M. Taylor, Vance, second; Brooks Sweeten, Rocksprings, third; Joe B. Ross, Sonora, third; Otto Mund, Sonora, fourth; Joe Gardner, Roosevelt, fifth.

Bucks, one year old and under two—C. A. Pepper, San Antonio, first; Sam F. Cooper, Leakey, second; W. S. Orr and Son, third; M. D. Taylor, fourth; G. A. Bonner, Leakey, fifth; Sam Cooper, sixth; Joe B. Ross, seventh.

Champion buck—C. A. Pepper.

Does, one year old and under two—W. S. Orr and Son, first; G. A. Bonner, second; Claude Haby, Leakey, third; G. A. Bonner, fourth and fifth; W. S. Orr and Son, sixth.

Does under yearlings—Claude Haby, first; Sam F. Cooper, second; W. S. Orr and Son, second; M. D. Taylor, third; Joe B. Ross, fourth; G. A. Bonner, fifth.

Champion doe—W. S. Orr and Son.

Breeder's flock—W. S. Orr and Son, first; Sam Cooper, second; M. D. Taylor, third; G. A. Bonner, fourth.

Get of sire—W. S. Orr and Son, first; G. A. Bonner, second; Sam Cooper, third; A. Davis, Con Can, fourth.

AAGBA Special (for registered Angoras shorn since Feb. 1, 1942), bucks—C. A. Pepper, first; Sam F. Cooper, second; W. S. Orr and Son, third; M. D. Taylor, fourth; G. A. Bonner, fifth; Claude Haby, sixth; M. D. Taylor, seventh; Sam F. Cooper, eighth.

AAGBA Special, does—W. S. Orr and Son, first; G. A. Bonner, second; Claude Haby, third; G. A. Bonner, third and fourth; W. S. Orr and Son, fifth.

B Type.

Buck, two years and over—Joe Gardner, first; G. A. Bonner, second; Richarz and Davis, Uvalde, third; W. S. Orr and Son, fourth; J. A. Ward, Jr., Sonora, fifth; G. A. Bonner, sixth.

Buck, yearling and under two—Jack Richardson, Uvalde, first; C. A. Pepper, second and third; Sam F. Cooper, fourth; G. A. Bonner, fourth; Claude Haby, fifth; G. A. Bonner, sixth; Sam Cooper, seventh; H. R. Sites, eighth.

Buck kid under yearling—A. Davis, first; Sam Cooper, second; G. A. Bonner, third; Claude Haby, fourth; W. S. Orr and Son, fifth; G. A. Bonner, sixth.

AAGBA special, does—H. R. Sites, first; G. A. Bonner, second and third; C. A. Pepper, fourth;

Meat Shortage Not Expected

BUT CUTS WILL BE FEWER

College Station—Housewives may have fewer cuts to select from than they found in the butcher shop a year ago, but this should not be taken as representing a serious shortage of meat.

According to Roy W. Snyder, animal industries specialist of the Texas A & M College Extension Service the reason for the apparent shortage is that much of the pork, beef and lamb which ordinarily is sold in the fall months is not quite fat enough, nor in a condition to make good meat just now. This has been true for the past 25 years, or even longer.

"We are not short of meat animals here, nor in the United States. They are not quite ready for market."

Indicating the meat resources of the country, Snyder said that more hogs were slaughtered in June than in any corresponding month heretofore, excepting December, 1934. Around one million head of cattle were killed in June, and the beef slaughtered from January through June was more than in any previous six months on record. More than one and one half million lambs were killed in June, and the total for the first six months of the year was the greatest on record for that period.

Beginning in late September and onward through the winter, American meat eaters will hear a different story," Snyder added. "Farmers are rushing the feeding of meat animals as fast as they can, and they will be coming on the market soon. Farmers are doing the patriotic thing in feeding their beef and pork so that animals of maximum weight will be sent to the stock yards."

Until cattle, swine and lambs begin rolling to market in full volume, Snyder suggested that consumers voluntarily adopt these practices:

1. Buy what the butcher has rather than find fault because he hasn't the steak, chops, or bacon wanted.
2. Plan meatless meals occasionally.
3. Learn to be an expert nutritionist and substitute the foods which are plentiful, and of almost equal value, to those used ordinarily.

O'Daniel says the war will be over soon and is not worthy of discussion in this campaign. WHAT DO YOU THINK? 1tc43

J. A. Ward, Jr., fifth; Sam Cooper, fifth.

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S. J. R. No. 21
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 21st, 1937.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows:

"The Legislature is authorized to appropriate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31st, 1937."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D., 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon: "For the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to pay for building constructed for John Tarleton Agricultural College;" and

"Against the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to pay for building constructed for John Tarleton Agricultural College."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expenses of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

H. J. R. No. 24
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article V of the Constitution of Texas by providing that the Legislature shall have the power by local or general law, in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants to create other courts having exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters; fixing the time for an election therefor; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for a proclamation of such election and the advertisement thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

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Section 1. Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 22-a and reading as follows:

"Section 22-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by local or general law (without the necessity of advertising any such local law), in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants according to the then last Federal Census, to create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at a special election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, at which time all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Those voters opposed to such Amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have it published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

S. J. R. No. 20
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 33. The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of

the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, nor to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the third day of November, 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional Amendment permitting the accounting officers of this State to draw any pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

"Against the Constitutional Amendment permitting the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballots, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

H. J. R. No. 1
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49a, requiring all bills passed by the Legislature on and after January 1, 1945, appropriating money for any purpose, to be sent to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for his approval, and fixing the duties of the Comptroller with reference thereto; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by the General Revenue Fund on September 1, 1943; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot, providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto, immediately after Section 49, a section to be known as Section 49a, to read as follows:

"Section 49a. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts in advance of each Regular Session of the Legislature to prepare and submit to the Governor and to the Legislature upon its convening a statement under oath showing fully the financial condition of the State Treasury at the close of the last fiscal period and an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements for the then current fiscal year. There shall also be contained in said statement an itemized estimate of the anticipated revenue based on the laws then in effect that will be received by and for the State from all sources showing the fund accounts to be credited during the succeeding biennium and said statement shall contain such other information as may be required by law. Supplemental statements shall be submitted at any Special Session of the Legislature and at such other times as may be necessary to show probable changes.

"From and after January 1, 1945, save in the case of emergency and imperative public necessity and with a four-fifths vote of the total membership of each House,

no appropriation in excess of the cash and anticipated revenue of the funds from which such appropriation is to be made shall be valid. From and after January 1, 1945, no bill containing an appropriation shall be considered as passed or be sent to the Governor for consideration until and unless the Comptroller of Public Accounts endorses his certificate thereon showing that the amount appropriated is within the amount estimated to be available in the affected funds. When the Comptroller finds an appropriation bill exceeds the estimated revenue he shall endorse such finding thereon and return to the House in which same originated. Such information shall be immediately made known to both the House of Representatives and the Senate and the necessary steps shall be taken to bring such appropriation to within the revenue, either by providing additional revenue or reducing the appropriation.

"For the purpose of financing the outstanding obligations of the General Revenue Fund of the State and placing its current accounts on a cash basis the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by said fund on September 1, 1943, provided such bonds shall not draw interest in excess of two (2) per cent per annum and shall mature within twenty (20) years from date."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

H. J. R. No. 23
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the lending of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office building or buildings; providing for repayment to the Permanent School Fund; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expense of publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 49-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b. The Legislature may provide by law for the issuance of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to the Permanent School Fund for the construction in the City of Austin of a State office building or buildings, and the State Board of Education is hereby directed to invest

not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund therein. Such bonds shall be executed on behalf of the State of Texas by the Governor and Comptroller, and shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three (3) per cent per annum, payable annually; they shall be of such denomination as may be prescribed by law, and shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five (25) equal installments beginning one (1) year from date of issuance; and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to set aside into a special fund annually at the beginning of each fiscal year until all of said bonds shall have been paid off and discharged, a sufficient amount of the first moneys coming into the Treasury for the use and benefit of the General Revenue Fund not otherwise heretofore obligated to the payment of bonds and interest, a sufficient amount to pay the interest becoming due and the bonds maturing during such fiscal year. From said Fund, the Treasurer shall pay the interest on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Permanent School Fund. The power hereby granted to issue bonds is expressly limited to the amount stated and to five (5) years from and after the adoption of this grant by the people."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

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MISS JAMIE TRAINER, Editor

Mrs. Lee Patrick Entertains Club

Mrs. Lee Patrick entertained the Firemen's Wives bridge club Thursday evening at her home. Mrs. A. H. Adkins won high. Jello

with whipped cream and cookies were served.

Present were Mesdames J. H. Brasher, J. H. Trainer, George Barrow, J. B. Jones, Lewis Rouche, A. H. Adkins, Erwin Willman, Mat Adams, C. W. Taylor, G. G. Bennett, Beamon Speed and Hubert Fields.

Mrs. C. A. Tyler Hostess To Club

The Pastime Club met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Tyler last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Rees won high club and Mrs. A. W. Awalt high guest. Summer flowers were used as floral decorations. Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Members present were Mesdames Ella Wallace, Rose Thorp, O. G. Babcock, Robert Rees, John Bunnett, W. E. Caldwell; guests present were Mesdames A. W. Awalt and J. E. Rogers.

San Souci Club Meets At Home Of Edwin Sawyer's

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer were hosts to the San Souci Club Saturday evening at their ranch.

A chicken supper was served to Messrs. and Mesdames W. P. Truitt, Howard Kirby, Troy White, Miss Jan Gilson, Russell Davis,

Mrs. S. M. Davis Honored On 86th Birthday

On August 19th, Mrs. M. S. Davis celebrated her 86th birthday anniversary. Mrs. Davis was born in Fayette County, Alabama, in 1856. In 1867 she moved to Burnett County, Texas and in 1890 moved to Sutton County, where she has been living ever since. S. M. Davis, husband of Mrs. Davis served as sheriff of Sutton County for eight years.

Mrs. Davis has six living children, Mrs. W. T. Covington of Plainview, Mrs. H. B. McGonagill of Dallas, Mrs. Ben F. Meckel of Sonora, Mrs. J. R. Davis of Sabin, Mrs. W. E. Wallace of Sonora, and Mrs. M. C. Clark of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Davis has 16 grand children and nine great grand children. Four of her grand sons are in the Armed Forces.

Mrs. Davis has served a full and busy life. She is a charter member of the Baptist Church and has been active in Church work. Since the start of the war, Mrs. Davis has knitted 35 sweaters for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wallace honored Mrs. Davis with a birthday dinner Wednesday. Guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Meckel, and daughter Jerry, Lavelle Meckel of Eldorado, Mrs. Jimmie West and daughter Barbara Anne of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. George Barrow, and children.

and Mrs. H. A. Ward.

A. C. Elliott's Hosts To Club

The Friday night bridge club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott.

A fried chicken supper was served before bridge.

Mrs. P. J. Taylor and George Wynn were high scorers. Mrs. R. A. Halbert and L. E. Johnson won the bingo prizes.

Attending the party were Messrs and Mesdames L. E. Johnson, R. C. Vicars, W. C. Gilmore, R. A. Halbert, Mrs. P. J. Taylor, Miss Ada Steen and George Wynn.

Announcements From The Churches



BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday School — 10:00
 Morning Worship — 11:00
 Training Union — 7:45
 Evening Worship — 8:30

Vacation Bible School will begin Monday and last through Friday. The time for the classes will be 8:30-11:30. Preparation day will be held Saturday afternoon at 3:00-5:00. The faculty will meet at 3:00 and the students at 4:00. Refreshments will be served at 5:00 and following that a parade down town will be held.

The faculty for the Vacation Bible School will be: Principle, Rev. F. A. DeLashaw; Pianist, Mrs. F. A. DeLashaw; Intermediate Superintendent, Mrs. E. R. Durham; Intermediate Teachers, Mrs. W. E. Wright, Mrs. H. M. Stephenson, Miss Wirt Ellis Stephenson; Junior Superintendent, Mrs. W. B. Johnson; Junior Teachers, Mrs. Lee Hart; Miss Elena Jean Durham; Primary Superintendent, Mrs. C. D. Crumley; Primary Teachers, Mrs. J. W. Sewell, Mrs. B. H. McGilvary; Beginner Superintendent, Mrs. Ben Mittle; Beginner Teachers, Mrs. Joe Hull, Miss Betty Taylor.

The G. A.'s of the Baptist Church have been to camp near Carlsbad on the San Saba River. The girls going were Elna Jean Durham, Pauline Hart, Jewel McGhee, Sidonia Nichols, Tina Ann Taylor, they were accompanied by Mrs. F. A. DeLashaw and Mrs. Lee Hart.

The R. A.'s left Wednesday afternoon for the same camp. Boys going were Jack Christie, Max Darrel Lindsey, Clayton Odom, Louis Johnson, Harold Johnson, Freddie Atkins. They were accompanied by Fred DeLashaw.

Methodist Church
 Men's Bible Class — 9:20 a. m.
 Sunday School — 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Worship — 10:25 a. m.
 League Service — 7:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship — 8:30 p. m.

The school of Missions will be held at Kerrville next week.

Attending from Sonora will be Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Brown, Mrs. Dee Word, Mrs. O. G. Babcock, and Mrs. E. D. Shurley. They will leave Monday and return Friday.

In conjunction with the School of Missions an important set-up meeting of the South West Texas conference, which meets in the fall, will be held. Rev. L. K. Brown will attend this meeting.

The St. Johns Episcopal
 11:00 — The second Sunday of each month for morning prayer. Rev. H. Evans Moreland.

Mrs. Cleve Jones Hostess To Club

Mrs. Cleve Jones, Jr. entertained the Just Us Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Sawyer.

Mrs. R. A. Halbert won high club and Mrs. E. D. Shurley was high guest. Mrs. C. A. Tyler won the cut prize.

Zennias and Petunias decorated the living room. A salad plate was served.

Members present were: Mesdames J. A. Cauthorn, Earl Duncan, G. H. Hall, R. A. Halbert, L. E. Sawyer, C. A. Tyler, Rip Ward; guests invited were mesdames Edwin Sawyer, E. D. Shurley, H. A. Ward, and J. H. Brasher.

Louise Merriman Weds Monroe Voight; To Live In Pasadena, California

Miss Louise Merriman became the bride of Monroe Voight, Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The double ring ceremony was read at the Baptist Parsonage by Rev. Fred DeLashaw.

Attendants at the wedding were Mrs. J. M. Merriman and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lyles.

The bride wore a blue chiffon dress with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink astors.

Mrs. Voight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Merriman graduate from Sonora High School last year. Until the time of her marriage Mrs. Voight was employed at the City Variety Store.

Mr. Voight, son of Mrs. O. A. Voight of Bartlett, attended the Bartlett Schools. He came to Son-

ora in 1940 and was employed at Cameron Lumber Co. He is now in the Army stationed at Pasadena, California.

Immediately after the wedding the couple left for Bartlett to spend a few days with Mr. Voight's mother. They will then go to Pasadena where they will make their home.

HONORED AT PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Shurley honored their son Billy with a party Saturday afternoon at the swimming pool. After a swim the group was treated to ice cold watermelon.

Present were Gene Wallace, Bo Trainer, Don Nicholas, Sid Awalt, and R. C. Luckie.



From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

WHENEVER I hear about anybody having a big family I think of Dad and Ma Hoskins. The Hoskins' had thirteen children.

They weren't a bad bunch of kids, by and large—but it seemed one or the other of them would always be having a fuss with the neighbors, or would break a window playing baseball, or some other kid trick. Kept Dad and Ma mighty busy all the time.

One day Dad got a bright idea. He called the whole family together for a special meeting at the dinner table.

He told them he was tired of checking up on them all the time. He said he thought they were old enough now to check up on themselves. The older children would watch the younger ones. They would have meetings every so often and hand out rewards or punishments.

Well, it was a crazy idea but the kids liked it and they started behaving better than they ever had before. The idea worked and Dad finally did get a little time for himself.

I mention this story about Dad Hoskins because it's something like what I understand the beer industry is doing to regulate itself.

As I see it, most of the beer industry behaves itself perfectly all right... but every now and then, I guess, a retailer comes along who runs a place that isn't up to scratch... sort of like a wayward kid.

So like Dad Hoskins' family, the brewers and beer distributors have united together in an industry self-regulation program to help the proper authorities "clean up or close up" offending retail places.

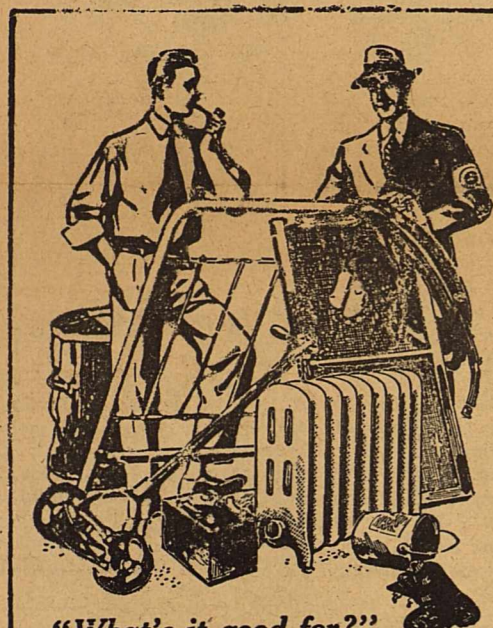
The brewers, who want to protect beer's good name, cooperate wisely with the authorities who enforce the laws.

From where I sit, that's a fine thing for the brewers to do... particularly when you realize that after all they're really not responsible for retailing conditions.

Joe Marsh

No. 41 of a Series

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"What's it good for?"
 "Guns, tanks, and maybe part of a plane"

JUNK needed for War

In the attics and cellars of homes, in garages, tool sheds, and on farms, is a lot of Junk which is doing no good where it is, but which is needed at once to help smash the Japs and Nazis.

Scrap iron and steel, for example. Old radiators, lengths of pipe, refrigerators, garbage pails, broken garden tools...

It may be rusty, old "scrap" to you, but it is actually refined steel, with most impurities removed—and can be quickly melted with new metal in the form of pig iron to produce highest quality steel for our war machines.

Even in peacetime our Nation relied on scrap to provide about 50% of the raw material for steel. Now production of steel has gone up, UP, UP, until today America is turning out as much steel as all the rest of the world combined.

But unless at least 6,000,000 additional tons of scrap steel is uncovered

promptly, the full rate of production cannot be attained or increased; the necessary tanks, guns, and ships cannot be produced.

The rubber situation is also critical. In spite of the recent rubber drive, there is a continuing need for large quantities of scrap rubber. Also for other waste materials and metals like brass, copper, zinc, lead, and tin.

America needs your active assistance in rounding up these materials. The Junk which you collect is bought by industry from scrap dealers at established, government-controlled prices.

Will you help?

First—collect all your waste material and pile it up.

Then—sell it to a Junk dealer, give it to a charity, take it yourself to the nearest collection point, or get in touch with your Local Salvage Committee.

If you live on a farm, consult your County War Board or your farm implement dealer.

Throw YOUR scrap into the fight!

JUNK MAKES FIGHTING WEAPONS



One old radiator will provide scrap steel needed for seventeen .30 calibre rifles.

One old lawn mower will help make six 3-inch shells.

One useless old tire will provide as much rubber as is used in 12 gas masks.

One old shovel will help make 4 hand grenades.

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Scrap iron and steel.
- Other metals of all kinds.
- Old rubber.
- Rags, Manila rope, burlap bags.
- Waste Cooking Fats—Strain into a large tin can and when you get a pound or more, sell to your meat dealer.
- NEEDED ONLY IN CERTAIN LOCALITIES: Waste paper and tin cans, as announced locally.
- NOT NEEDED at this time: Razor blades—glass.

Announcing

As announced in another column by Mr. Joe Berger, we have purchased the funeral business formerly owned and operated by him. We realize that we are following a man who has many friends, and no doubt many will regret to see him retire from this service in your community life. We assure you that we shall, at all times, do all that is within our power to render you the very best service possible. Mr. Berger has very kindly offered to assist us until we are more familiar with the business here.

It is our purpose to erect a modern funeral home in Sonora, one which we believe your citizenship will be proud. We plan to maintain a first class ambulance service, embalming service, and every convenience and service maintained by a modern funeral home. We are in a position to take charge regardless of the place in which death occurs. If it should occur elsewhere, call us, and we will attend to all details.

You will realize that we will find it very difficult to build under the present war restrictions, however, if possible, we shall begin construction in the near future. In the meantime, if you should need any service that we can render, just call us, in Eldorado, collect, or call Mr. Berger in Sonora.

We are taking this step because we believe in your town, in your citizenship, and in your future.

We are Sincerely,
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THE STATE OF TEXAS
To: Mrs. Earline Smith
and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 7th day of September, A. D., 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Sutton County, at the Court House in Sonora, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 20th day of July, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 936.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unreserved.

The names of the parties in said

suit are:

G. W. Smith as plaintiff, and Mrs. Earline Smith, as defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce, the said petition alleging that plaintiff has been for a period of twelve months an actual bonafide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in said County of Sutton for six months next preceding the filing of said suit; that plaintiff and defendant were married at Del Rio, Texas, on or about January 28, 1941, and lived together at Sonora, Texas, until on or about November 18th, 1941, when they were separated; that during the time plaintiff and defendant lived together plaintiff was affectionate

and kind to defendant and always provided for her support but defendant commenced a course of unkind, harsh and cruel treatment toward plaintiff after marriage which continued until they were separated as aforesaid and that defendant has been guilty of such cruel treatment against plaintiff of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable; that there were no children born of said marriage and no community property has been accumulated to be divided. Plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer said petition and for judgment dissolving said marriage, for costs of suit and for such other and further relief special and general in law and in

equity that he may be justly entitled to receive.

Issued this the 23rd day of July, 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Sonora, Texas, this the 23rd day of July, A. D., 1942.
Seal

J. D. Lowry, Clerk
District Court, Sutton County, Texas

The Mind of Digestion
By

Alice E. Wilmot, D. C.

It appears that every cell of the body has a kind of intelligence of its own. The instinctive habits of growth, motion and assimilation are the results of the process of thought in each cell, of which we are not ordinarily consciously aware, but which is going on in every cell of the human body. The various groups of cells making up the different organs are also possessed of group intelligence which controls the action of that organ. It is still more or less of a mystery just where the intelligence originates which controls the functioning of the lungs, heart, digestion etc., but the potent fact remains that the central governing power of the conscious mind is able so to direct the mental forces so the cell intelligence may be stimulated to move perfect functioning, or depressed enough to cause sickness or even death.



We are sufficiently familiar with the sudden phenomenon of shock to the body produced by unexpected bad news, and to the sensation in the solar plexus caused by fear or anger. This acute effect upon the body has been observed by every one at some time or another, but because recovery is so rapid, very little serious thought is given to it. All psychologists, however, agree that about nine tenths of our thinking is unconscious that is to say is instinctive, or becomes so much a habit that we are not aware of it. Yet it is these unconscious, processes of thought from which we receive most good or harm accordingly as their nature is constructive or destructive.

The ill effect produced by worry over some serious problem or the sudden anger generated at supposed wrong can be only of small importance compared to the hidden tendency to worry over every problem and to be in a chronic state of suppresser anger. The occasional out break of sarcasm or

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criticism or jealousy displayed at meal time will undoubtedly upset digestion, but few seem to realize that the serious trouble which really exists is that chronic state of mind which is secretly depressing the moral functions of the body by the hidden workings of unlovely thoughts, which thoughts are directly responsible for those sudden outbursts of unwholesome ideas which find expression in fits of anger, jealousy, fear and the like.

One who has suffered from digestive disturbances has vivid recollections of many unhappy hours, and there is no denying the fact that even though the best food is used and used in the right way, yet the unconscious expectancy of trouble is so deeply impressed upon the memory mind of habit that there will be set up a tendency to look for distressing symptoms which will prevent the enjoyment of normal digestion until this is overcome. Especially I would urge upon you that you help yourself in every way possible by cultivating the habit of looking for improvement in every direction day by day, by the immediate benefits you will receive if the instructions herein contained are followed faithfully and if you know that you are making a sincere effort to do everything in your power to help yourself. It certainly will not be hard to imagine the improvement which you are entitled to receive from this dietetic regime.

As you go to the table cast aside every distressing thought whether it be worry over business, fear of indigestion, jealousy in love, criticism of others or in short any thought what ever that does not engender feelings of courage, love, confidence and poise.

Some suffer because of unjust accusations—to those I would suggest commit to memory the 37 Pslm. It will help you to meet the challenges and demands of mortal existence. It will revitalize you with a new faith. Our bodies may wax old like a garment but our life merged with the spirit of God and His Son will endure eternity.

Let us so govern our lives that each tomorrow finds us farther

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In 1935, the General Appropriations Committee of the Texas Legislature cut the Predatory Animal Appropriations from \$50,000 to \$2,400. The same appropriations committee deducted over \$230,000 from the General Appropriation Bill of the Livestock Sanitary Commission.

During a special session of the Forty-Fourth Legislature, Governor James V. Allred personally got behind a fight to raise the predatory animal appropriation and also to reinstate the over \$230,000 that had been deducted from the Livestock Sanitary Commission appropriation bill. After one of the hardest fights that had ever been made in behalf of the livestock industry of Texas, the fight having been led by Representative Spears of San Antonio, and Representative Stanford Payne of Del Rio, supported strongly by Governor Allred, the Predatory Animal Appropriation Bill was raised to \$60,000, the largest in the history of the State. The over \$230,000 was reinstated in the General Appropriation Bill for the Livestock Sanitary Commission, which controlled blow-flies, tick eradication, scabies, and other live stock parasites.

Mr. Spears and Mr. Payne will both verify the fact that had it not been for the able support rendered them by the then Governor, James V. Allred, that this bill would have died on the calendar.

We call upon you to give Jimmie Allred your support in this, his greatest fight, not only for himself but for America and for Texas as well. We of Southwest Texas should show our appreciation and our gratitude by rolling up a tremendous vote for Jimmy Allred in the forthcoming election.

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John Lee Nisbet spent several days in Kingsville.

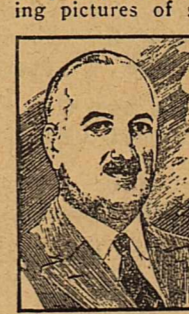
Clayton White is spending his vacation in Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hall were chosen delegates to the American Legion Convention in Fort Worth. Mr. Hall left Tuesday and Mrs. Hall followed Wednesday.

Science In The News

By **ORSON D. MUNN, L.H.B., L.L.B., Sc.D.**
Editor, Scientific American

Priorities on metals of all kinds is a subject much in the news today, yet the restrictions imposed have been so far felt by the general public more in the way of complete restrictions on certain types of goods rather than by old familiar articles dressed up in new form. Yet it is just this matter of new dress for old articles that



Orson D. Munn

shaped up one of the most fascinating pictures of scientific research and development that has so far come out of our present difficulties. Our armed forces need metals—metals of all kinds, from aluminum to zinc. Many of the common articles of household and personal use have formerly been made of these same metals. In fact it seemed, when priorities were first imposed, that many of these same objects would have to be removed from the market. Some of them, indeed, did disappear, but others started to change shape or color, to feel differently than formerly—substitute or alternate materials were being brought into play in an endeavor to supply to the American public those necessities that were demanded, yet at the same time not interrupt the flow of critical materials to those industries which are supplying our war needs. And these substitutes, developed by the application of scientific research, often are just as good as or even better than the materials they replace.

Probably one of the most outstanding developments of alternate materials as concerns the average man has been made by National Carbon Co., Inc., in the design of a new "Eveready" flashlight to meet the needs of the moment. Flashlights were hard hit by priorities, yet they are in even greater demand for civilian defense and other activities than they ever were in the past. Also, the armed forces themselves need flashlights. But

formerly flashlights used quantities of copper, brass, nickel, aluminum, chromium, and steel in their construction, and the armed forces need these metals even more for other purposes than they do for lights. With all these factors in mind, engineers in the world's largest flashlight-and-battery laboratory decided to design an "Eveready" flashlight that could be manufactured in quantities without using needed metals. That they have succeeded is a tribute to the intelligent application of lessons that have been learned about substitute materials and how to use them. In the new flashlight, the case is made of five layers of jute and craft papers firmly bonded and coated with a plastic varnish that renders the tube water repellent. The bottom of the case, made to the smallest possible dimensions consistent with strength, is clinched in place, the head being removable for battery changing. The reflector of this new flashlight is made of a molded plastic, saving aluminum. The reflector surface is plated with a silver-like finish to maintain light efficiency. Altogether, the strategic non-ferrous metals have been cut to an irreducible minimum. Even the use of steel has been cut to the bone. Yet, tests show, the unit is amply strong for even the roughest type of service that it is likely to encounter.

This is only one example of the many cases of substitute material use during wartime, but it is selected as outstanding because of the manner in which the designers and engineers went all the way in the use of substitutes, instead of trying to patch an old design with a bit of substitution here and a bit

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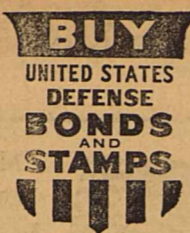
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Mohair Bans Lifted

During the past week the War Production Board acted to allow unrestricted use of mohair by civilians. Amendment No. 1 to Wool Conservation Order M-73 as amended, releases mohair completely from restrictions of the order. Practically all of the nation's mohair comes from Texas. Present stocks amount to 19,000,000 pounds and an additional 8,000,000 pounds will shortly be shorn. Mohair's use in military goods has not developed as rapidly as anticipated.

Dairy Salvage Sought

WPB's Conservation Division has begun a campaign to enlist the aid of the dairy industry and wholesale and retail outlets in the program to get in the scrap. More than a million pounds of scrap metals are expected to be made available to the war production drive as a result of a salvage campaign in the dairy industry. A minimum of 30 pounds of scrap from each plant has been established as the collection goal. With 37,000 dairy plants cooperating in the drive, the yield is expected to help greatly in adding nails to Hitler's coffin.

Conservation Division officials also appealed to wholesalers and retailers of food products to make a clean sweep-up of critically needed scrap materials accumulated in their storerooms and shops. A pound or two of scrap metal may look like a mighty small contribution, but added to the contributions of others it builds the pile higher. Nothing is too small nor too large for this drive. The scrap campaign may be the shot-in-the-arm so seriously needed in our war production. If we fail, the nation fails. There'll be no whips popped over our heads to get us in line as is done in the Axis countries. It's a patriotic task which we must all share, so that we may do the job the democratic way.

Sugar Outlook Good

Provided the shipping outlook in the Caribbean does not take a radical turn for the worse, sugar rationing allotments to consumers at least equal to those issued at the beginning of rationing are in prospect for the first nine months of 1943, OPA announced. This program will require the distribution of 4,173,000 tons of sugar, and an additional 830,000 tons will have to be on hand to insure an adequate supply in all sections of the country.

Utility Construction Halted

At the request of the Secretary of War and in view of critical shortages of copper and steel which are affecting important parts of the war production, WPB has halted further construction of electric power and light projects which it previously had allowed to proceed on the basis of 40 percent completion on December 5, 1941. The action applies to both public and private utilities. Under the WPB order, no additional or expansions to electric systems are permitted except as specifically authorized by the Director General for Operations.

Housing Area Designated

Eagle Pass, Texas, has been added to the list of defense housing critical areas by the War Production Board, thus making priorities aid available to builders of war housing units in the district. Builders may obtain application forms and information relating to priorities assistance from their nearest FHA office.

Oil Order Re-issued

WPB has re-issued preference rating order P-98, under which the oil industry obtains materials, without change, to remain in effect until September 15. At that time a new order supplanting P-98 probably will be ready for issuance. R. Eugene Risser, region WPB director at Dallas, was advised.

Funeral Industry Prices Controlled

Because funeral services are rendered incidental to and in connection with commodities, such as a casket, a vault, an urn, a burial garment and miscellaneous funeral merchandises or supplies, OPA's legal division has ruled that the funeral service industry is subject to provisions of the General Maximum Price Regulation.

Dried Fruits Frozen

An order "freezing" in packers' hands the entire 1942 production of dried apples, apricots, peaches, pears, prunes and raisin-type grapes, and the carryover from the 1941 crop, has been issued by WPB. The order was issued to make the dried fruit available for the armed forces and lend-lease shipment. The supply not purchased by the government will be made available to civilians.

Rent Control Area Added

Designation of Norman, Okla., as a defense-rental area brings the total of such areas in that state to nine. In announcing the designation, Price Administrator Henderson recommended that rents be cut back and stabilized at levels of March 1 this year. The Norman area, which includes Cleveland and McClain counties, will be given 60 days in which to meet the Price Administrator's recommendations. Lawton is the only defense-rental area in Oklahoma in which OPA has invoked federal rent control thus far.

War Construction Up

Employment on war construction projects has increased nearly 45 percent within the past three months, with a comparable decrease in employment on non-war construction projects, the Secretary of Labor reported. An additional increase of 200,000 persons in war construction work is anticipated before peak employment is reached in the third quarter of this year.

Price Report Due

In the event that manufacturers of consumer goods and building materials offered new goods for sale between April 1 and August 1 this year they must file a report with OPA by August 20, officials in the region OPA office at Dallas reminded. Specific methods for pricing new goods in the consumer goods and building materials categories are provided in OPA's maximum price regulation No. 188.

Lumber Shortage Seen

WPB officials estimate that over-all lumber requirement this

year for military, war housing and essential civilian needs will exceed estimated production by 6,000,000 board feet. The temporary "freeze" order on some grades of softwood construction lumber, issued by WPB some weeks ago, is expected to be replaced soon by a permanent order establishing a system of rigid control.

Truck Conservation Urged

With the statement that America's present supply of trucks must last for the duration of the war, ODT Director Eastman appealed to the nation's housewives to aid in conservation by demanding fewer services from delivery trucks. "If housewives space their purchases so that fewer trips are necessary, carry their own packages wherever possible, and, finally let those upon whom they depend for necessary delivery services know that they are anxious to cooperate in ODT's conservation program, they will be doing their country a real service in this emergency," Eastman said.

Volatile Oils Exempted

OPA has exempted sales and deliveries of volatile oils, sometimes called "essential oils," from the provisions of the General Maximum Price Regulation. These oils, of which peppermint and spearmint are the most important, are used in the manufacture of confections, pharmaceuticals and dentifrices, and are distilled on the farm by growers of the plants.

Gas Not Sold On Sundays In Louisiana

The state of Louisiana has passed a law making the sale of gasoline illegal on Sunday. Under this new law, which became effective August 9, gas sales are prohibited from 12:00 midnight Saturday morning to information just received from the American Automobile Assn. in Washington, D. C., according to Miss Ruth Turner, Manager of the Alamo Motor Club.

The terms of this law are quite stringent, permitting only 5 percent of the service stations in the

SWAT IT— 1942 Model Houseflies Carry Typhoid

College Station — Homemakers are willing hosts to an enemy—the common fly. It's a disease carrier and pest. Swat it! says Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement of the Texas A&M College Extension Service.

Flies spread typhoid fever, dysentery and other wasting diseases which cause thousands of deaths yearly. They breed in refuse.

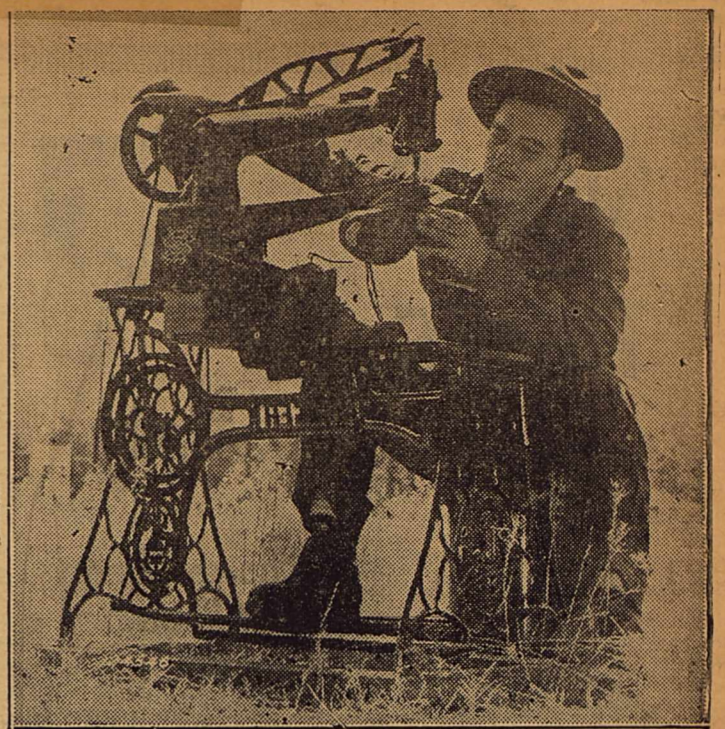
Get rid of them by destroying breeding places, keeping the yards clean and having a sanitary toilet. Screen windows, doors and chimney openings. Trap them before they get into the house (a fly trap is easy to make), and crack down on 'em when they get in. Use fly sprays and get every member of the family to help destroy them. Keep at the job.

Mrs. Claytor suggests checking screens often. Make sure that frames fit the doors and windows tightly, and patch holes and repair ripped places. Paint galvanized screens once yearly with thin paint or screen paint, and also paint frames to preserve them. Finally, cordings, should be well cared for doors so they'll close quickly.

Screen probably will have to last out the war she suggests and, accordingly, should be well cared for as they safeguard the family's health. It's a good idea to put on hooks or latches and protect the lower part of a screen door with a guard. Use two hooks at the bottom to keep window screens securely in place.

state to make emergency sales of gasoline to doctors, ambulances, and common carriers. If a motorist should run out of gasoline anywhere in the state of Louisiana after midnight Saturday, he will have to leave his car where it stops until midnight Sunday.

A list of the stations remaining open is to be furnished to the telephone companies and police



ARMY COBBLER—Had the shoeless Continentals a taValley Forge would have envied the United States soldiers of today when the Army carries to field every facility for keeping footwear whole and comfortable!

Despite the modern mechanization of the Armed forces, shoes are still a most important factor in the soldier's equipment. An Army shoe lasts about four months and in that time is re-soled twice. The shoe then is ready for salvage, and from this Uncle Sam also derives a percentage. With the latest equipment and skilled repairmen some of the camps and posts can turn out 900 pairs of re-soled shoes a day, according to the Quartermaster Corps. Millions of shoes have been bought for the Army since it is estimated that each man in the fighting forces will require 10 pairs during his period of service.

departments so that if a motorist needs emergency road service he will be advised where to secure it. The present outlook is, however, that it will be difficult to receive emergency road service on Sundays until the plan is perfected. It will, therefore, probably be a good idea for motorists entering Louisiana to plan their trip so that they will remain in force for the duration of the war.

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SYRUP, Steamboat, Gal. Can. 59^C	
BEANS, Pintos, CRC, 10 Lb. 60^C	
SOAP, P&G, 4 Large Bars 19^C	
OXYDOL, Cleans Everything Large Pkg. 26^C	Giant Pkg. 69^C
CAMAY, The Soap Of Beautiful Women, 3 Bars 22^C	
TOMATO JUICE, CHB, 2 - 12 Oz. Cans 15^C	
TOMATO JUICE, House of George, 47 Oz. Can 21^C	

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KELLOG'S Rice Krispies, 2 Boxes 25^C	
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CATSUP, Snyder's 14 Oz. Bottle 17^C	
SALAD DRESSING, Miracle Whip Jar 46^C	Pint 28^C
PEACH BUTTER, 30 Oz. Jar 24^C	
APRICOT BUTTER, 30 Oz. Jar 24^C	
GRAPE PRESERVES, Welches, 1 Lb. Jar 24^C	
PLUMS, Libby's Deluxe, No. 2 1-2 Can 19^C	
RED BEETS Libby's, No. 2 1-2 Can 13^C	
TOMATOES, Empson's 2 No. 303 Cans 23^C	
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CANTALOUPEs, Pecos, Each 11^C	
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PANTS, Boys Blue Denim \$1.39 Value, Pr. \$1 00	

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OXFORDS, Children's Black or Brown, Pr. \$1 49	
PANTS, Men's Blue Denim, \$1.75 Value, Pr. \$1 49	
SILK MATERIAL, Short Cuts, Values to \$1.25 Yd. 1-2 PRICE	
SHIRTS, Men's Gabardine, 3 Button Cuff, Each \$2 98	
HONEY & ALMOND CREAM, Reg. \$1.00 Size, Each 49^C	
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