Sonora, Texas, Friday, July 14, 1944

THIRTY-EIGHTH WEEK

New Rules For Blood Donors Received Here

NEXT DONATIONS TO BE AUG. 3

Mrs. M. G. Shurley, who last week announced that another group of blood donors, to be composed of at least 100 persons, will go from here to make blood donations on August 3, has urged that all who can make donations notify her or another member of the Blood Donor Committe. Those working with her are Mrs. A. W. Awalt, Mrs. C. W. Gilmore and Boyd Lovelace. Since it is almost impossible for the committee to see all prospective donors, it is asked that they sign up voluntarily and as soon as

The committee has received a new set of requirements for blood donors which follows and which should be read carefully by those who plan to make the donations. Age: those between 18 and 60

Weight: 110 pounds or over. Temperature: Not acceptable if

temperature is over 99.5. Hemoglobin: 80 percent by Tal-

lgvist Method. Blood Pressure: Systolic between 100 and 200. Diastolic should be

checked by physician when over Pulse: All variations from nor-

mal (60 to 100) should be called to attention of Center Doctor. History: Donor to be asked fol-

lowing questions by the Center nurse: (1) When did you last donate blood? (Eight weeks period must elapse. (2) Have you had any illness within the last month? (Donors with chronic sinusitis or hay fever are acceptable if not in acufe stage. Doctor should be consulted about colds and sore throats.) (3) Have you ever had any chronic or serious illness, including operations? (4) Have you had malaria within the past 15 years? (5) Have you ever had clinical pulmonary tuberculosis? (6) Have you ever had diabetes? (7) Have you had undulant fever in the last five

Eating: Only those donors who have a heavy meal with fatty foods within two hours are to be postpon-

Pregnancy: No donors are accepted who are pregnant or who have delivered in the past nine WHACTURE OF months or have had a miscarriage within six months. Jaundice: those who have had it

within six months are rejected. Consult doctor if any member of family has had it.

have had it within last five years should be rejected.

Virus infections: those who have had dengue, yellow fever, virus pneumonia and the like within the last six months are to be refused. Shots or vaccinations do not disqualify but doctor should be consulted.

Cured syphilis does not disquali-

No one on flying status is acceptable. No one who is to do work with heavy machinery within eight

hours is accepted.

Menstruation and tooth extraction do not disqualify.

DAMERON, ROSS TO JUDGE AT MINERAL WELLS SHOW

To serve as judges of sheep and entries, respectively, at the annual show and sale to be first annual show and sale to be on and Goat Breeders Associatiation in Mineral Wells on Monday,

wyn sheep judge, having served hy years as superintendent of A Third Sation e, but this is sirist exper-

as a judge, although he has g been identified with the breed-of registered goats.

rs. J. H. Brasher returned with friends and relatives.

LIDAGIM fiss Katha Lea Keene left Tues-for Austin and from there she go with friends to Mexico for a month's vacation

acationing this week in Corpus John W. Hull, Gertrude Reming dependents, es Earl Lomax.

Ben Martin.

Bond Sales Reach \$353,838 alb1

Topping of the bond quota of \$265,00 in the Fifth War Loan two weeks ago did not mark the stopping place for Sutton County Bond buyers, as the purchases of the bonds this week reached \$353, 838, according to records at the First National Bank. This figure is \$32,838 more than last week's total of \$321,00, which indicates that the salaried buyers are really buying to the limit of their abilities.

George H. Neill, War Finance Chairman of the county, urged that the citizens continue to buy bonds, especially the "E" Bonds, as all bonds purchased during this month will be added to our quota figure, although the drive ended officially last Saturday, July 8 Neill also said that the amount counties like Sutton oversuscribe will go toward making up what other counties lack of meeting their quota.

Particularly noteworthy in the bond drives that have been conducted here is the fact that little or no personal solicitation has been necessary in order to meet the quota. The majority of purchases have been made in each of the War Loan Drives voluntarily and promptly.

Last Wool Purchased Here Is Shipped

Shipments of wool to Eastern firms, made last week, cleared the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company of the 1,000,200 pounds of wool that has been sold this year. The two buyers were French Worsted Co. of Rhode Island, and Emery and Conant of Boston, the latter naving bought 941,000 pounds.

Wool in the house now amounts

to about three million pounds, one half of it being 1943 clip. Of the approximate one and a half million pounds of this year's clip. both 12 months and 8 months, 950,000 pounds remain to be anpraised by Commodity Credit Corporation appraisers. All of the 1943 clip in the house has been appraisthe one and a half million still there being that which has not

BUG CATCHER TO BEGIN HERE THIS WEEK

Scheduled to go into production here this week is the Nisbet bugcatcher, which was invented by R. Nisbet & Sons, of San Angelo. Sheet metal work is being done in Eldorado by the Humphrey Hardware & Sheet Metal Works, and the City Motor Co. here will do the frame work and assembly. A number of the machines have already been manufactured at the Wendland Mfg. Co., San Angelo

The Bug-catcher is in use in seven other states, as well as numerous points in Texas. One of the machines is being used on several farms at Eldorado, and possibilty is seen for its use on many crops beside that of cotton, for which it was originally planned. At El-dorado and Welasco it is being used also on bean and cotton crops, and the farmer at Welasco has stated that he intends to experiment with using it next year on tomato and pepper crops.

DISCHARGED VETERANS URGED TO KEEP ACCURATE TERVICE RECORDS COMMENT OF THE PROPERTY OF THE

Dallas, July 17-The War Veter-24, are W. H. Dameron and ans Refler Association of 24, are W. H. Dameron and this prepared a Complete Envelope B. Ross. Dame on 18 2 wall this prepared a Complete Envelope B. Ross. Dame on 18 2 wall this prepared and Employment which contains information

heir dependents and 12 affidavitt forms needed

to corroborate a veteran's claim for Service Connected Compensation. It was pointed out that many

from San Antonio on Monday Wald War , neglected to keep after spending two weeks there a history of the wounds they received, the hospitals they were in, the officer doctors who treated them, the kind of sickness or disability they had in the service and. above all, their exact physical condition just after they came out of the service. Ten years after this war this information will be very Christi are Mmes. Joel Shellon, valuable to the veteran and his Christi are Mmes. Joel Shellon valuable to the veteran and his dependents, especially if his health

At the present there are 338,413 eterans of World War 1 drawing Mrs. Belle Steene and Mrs. Susie Service Connected Compensation, Blanton are in Houston this week, the guests of Mrs. Blanton's sonin law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. war drawing the same compensation. Those who need service or

Sgt. Brasher Awarded Cluster To Air Medal

With U. S. South Pacific Army Forces---Lieutenant General Millard F. Harmon, commanding U. S. Army Forces in the South Pacific, announced the award of the Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of an additional Air Medal on June 24, 1944, to Staff Sgt. Joseph H. Brasher, Jr., Sonora, Texas, for his work as aerial radio operatorgunner from May 2 to 9, 1944.

A bronze Oak-Lear Cluster is awarded for meritorious achievement while participaating in missions of a hazardous nature during which enemy opposition is met, or during which an area is traversed where enemy antiaircraft fire is effective or where enemy fighter patrols are habitually encountered. The missions for which the award was given were with the 13th AAF.

Clyde Henderson Makes High Mark In Navy Work

Ninth Naval District Headquarters, Great Lakes, Ill .--- Bluejacket Clyde Henderson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henderson, as elgible o qualify for he petty officer rate of signalman third class in recent graduation exercises aat the Naval Training School (Signals) at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Sent to the specialty school on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores, the Bluejacket successfully completed a course in receiving and sending International code by blinker, searchlight and semaphore. He also received instruction in the use of the pelorus and navigator's range finder as well as instruction in the fundamentals of weather, tides, light and sound, optics and electricity.

The newly-graduated Navy man is awaiting duty orders to go to sea or to some shore station.

Local Teacher To Attend 2nd Meet In Austin

Camp Swift, July 13,-- Demon-strations of how pre-induction OF Releases training serves the saltier and the nation, will be staged here July 18 Army Webieles and 19, when educators from more than 50 Texas counties meet for a two-day visit to Camp Swift Object of the assembly is to afford the school men an inside glimpse of the Army's needs for pre-induction training of high school students in order that study and training courses may be patterned along more effective and efficient lines.

Dr. L. W. Woods, State superintendent of instruction, has invited city and county school superintendents and other educators to attend the meeting which will be part of the program formulated by the 8th Service Command which will be represented here by Lt. Col. Jay

Among the school officials whose attendance already is assured is E. D. Stringer, superintendent of the Schools.

SIMMONS, GALINDO TO GO FOR INDUCTION MONDAY

Leaving Monday, July 24 for Fort San Houston, San Antonio for induction into the Armed Forces are Oscar Galinda and Dock Simmons. These two men are the only ones going from the local Selective Service Board on this Miss Melba Kleitoner, clift of the board, spin that the Annual

teen men will be een however as the last of this month to take their pre-induction physicals at Fort Sam Houston.

Mrs. C. C. Stroud left Wednesday for Fort Worth where she will visit with her mother in law, Mrs. C. B. Stroud, and her brother-inlaw Lt. (1-g.) Charles Stroud who has just returned from 18 months duty in the Pacific.

Mmes. Earl Duncan, Jack West, Winnie West and A. C. Elliott were in San Angelo Monday. information from the War Veterans Relief Association, should

Mrs. C. C. Straud and Mrs. M. C. Scott attended the Ferguson-Mason wedding in Junction Monday write to it at 912 1-2 Main Street, might and were accompanied home Dallas.

by their brother, Lawson Johnson. Company

Last Rites Held In Del Rio Thurs. For Cody Wardlaw

Last rites were held in Del Rio Thursday afternoon for Cody Martin Wardlaw, 31, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wardlaw of Del Rio and nenhew of Jack Wardlaw of Sonora, who was killed when his truck overturned Tuesday night about 28 miles this side of Del Rio on the Sonora highway. Services were held at the home of the parents and burial was in the Del Rio cemetary.

Death was believed to be instantaneous, as he was thrown from the cab of the truck he was driving when it skidded into a highway marker at the side of the road and his body was found between the post and the cab. With him at the time of the accident, believed to have been between 9:30 and 10 o'clock, was his small son, Cody Martin, Jr., who stopped a truck immediately after the accident to ask for help.

At the time the accident occurred, Mr. Wardlaw was returning from the White Ranch to his Carta Valley ranch home. Ahead of him in another automobile were Mrs. Wardlaw and their small daughter, Mary Tonnelle.

Mr. Wardlaw was born in Del Rio on February 26, 1913, and he completed his public school education in the Del Rio schools, later attending Southwestern University, Georgetown. He was married to Miss Allene Tennelle of Texas City on June 30, 1934. His parents are both members of Sutton County pioneer families, his mother being the for-

mer Miss Emma Whitehead. Mr. Wardlaw had been in business with his father and brothers since before his college days. As a member of this group, he was one of the largest operators in West Texas. He was also a director of the Del Rio National Bank and active in social and business life of this area of West Texas. He was a member of the Del Rio Methodist

Suurvivors, beside the parents, widow and children, include two brothers, C. W. and Walter H., oth of Del Rio, and two sisters, Miss Mary Whitehead, also of Del Bio, and Mrs. Lloyd Carter of Mineral Wells.

For Civilians

Ceiling prices for 450 types and models of used Army motor vebeen received by the local War Price and Rationing Board, according to J. L. Nisbet, board

Army and OPA officials have decided upon ceiling prices for this used equipment, which will be sold from time to time, as the Army decides to dispose of it. Included among the vehicles to be sold are trucks, trailers, stationwagon-type carryalls, fire equipment, abulances and many other types of motorized equipment.

Sample prices of some of the more popular types of vehicles include: A 1941 Willys "jeep", sold "as is", \$643; sold by a dealer, warranted, \$796. A 1941 Chevrolet panel delivery 1-2 ton truck, "as is", \$498; warranted, \$616. 1940 1-2 ton Chevrolet carryall (station wagon), "as is", \$527; warranted, \$664.

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Here for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shurley is Mrs. E. E. Adridge of Eagle Pass.

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to the aplicant under ceiling prices.

man that simming tast tindi A. R. Nisbet of San Angelo was here Sunday and Monday visiting his son and grandaughter, John Lee Nisbet and Miss Marjory

O. C. Fisher, Lions Speaker Friday, Notes Dangerous Trends In Govt.

NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED BY ED. C. HILL

"Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" was the theme of the talk given by Congressman O. C. Fisher at the Lions Club ladies night and installation of officers program held at the City Park last Friday night. Congressman Fisher said that, although the most immediate and obvious problem is the winning of the war abroad, we should not neglect dangerous tendencies that are growing here at home today.

To preserve our democratic form of government, he said, we must never fall into the habit of taking it for granted. Although our Constitution has been the model for many governments, because of the perfection of its gaurantees of man's fundamental rights, it alone cannot maintain our democracy. Only the will of the people, backed up by the constitution, can do that.

Tendencies called to the attention off the listeners by Fisher tion of the listeners by Fisher ivities of the Fair Employment were those represented by the actious labor parties' plumping for socialized medicine, both of which are dangerous in that they both have support and are inimical to our ideals of democracy. In citing the danger of these two tendencies, Fisher showed the control they would have over individuals and how such control would harm initiative and freedom of enterprise.

More Oil Leases Made Here

Brokers for major oil companies are continuing to make leases in Sutton County, the total acreage of leases recorded in the office of County Clerk J. D. Lowrey since June 29, being 55,766.58 acres. Most of the leases were made for 50 cents per acre, with a \$1.00 per acre bonus, but some of the larger leases were made for 25 cents per acre.

County landowners who have leased since the last of June ara Alfred Schweining, W. L. Miers, B. H. Cusenbary, Oscar Appel Mrs. Rose Thorp, J. A. Cauthorn, Libb Wallace, Clara Allison, John I. King, Roy Hudspeth, W. L. Davis, Tom Bond, Mrs. Edith Bond, Frank club as opportunities, rather than Bond, Mrs. Leons Kelley and Poy as hardships. He noted many civic improvements that the club can be Tom Bond, Mrs. Edith Bond, Frank Brokers and companies making

the leases include W. H. Wortham. A. M. Hagan, Humble Oil Co., C. L. Echols, Kenneth W. Brown and J. W. Godard.

METHODISTS TAKING LIVESTOCK DONATIONS FOR HOME IN WACO

Dee Word, commissioner from he local Methodist Church to the Methodist Home, Waco, announced this week that during the next two weeks donations of sheep will be accepted by local church members to send to the Home, which cares for 400 orphaned and underprivileged children.

This method of assisting the Home was inaugurated by the local church last year and is planned as an annual donation. Livestock donated to the Home is used in main

ek, will be chosen as a central bint for receiving the livestock. Trucks from the Home will be

Trucks from the Home will be three days this week servicing the stock up. Oberkampf electrical equi

REMEN ANSWER 3 CALLS

every batch eful swall swall of the property affered in any case. Last week he department was called to a

fire behind the wired Cope Briting Mon Saturday, July 15 lay efternoon they put out a grass fire behind the Gilbert Castillo 5 filling station on the highway, and Tuesday night they answered a grass fire call at the J. Owens residence.

Berry Duff was in El Paso last week on business. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Duff and their small son and daughter

Here on business this week are r. and Mrs. O. V. Mullens, former phorans who now live at Borger.

In closing, the Congressman declared that our war dead from all the wars America has fought should be constant reminders that only through vigilance can we protect and maintain our liberties.

The speaker was introduced by John Lee Nisbet, a past president of the club who served as master of ceremonies and who introduced Ed. C. Hill, immediate past District Governor, who installed the new

New Liens Club officers are G. H. Hall, president; Edgar Shurley, first vice-president; George D. Chalk, second vice president; E. K. Folley, treasurer; J. B. Nelson, secretary; A. E. Prugel, Lion tamer; J. Thomas Ratliff, tail twister; M. G. Shurley and Jack Mann, directors.

The program opened Friday night with the singing of "America", led by John Eaton, after which E. D. Stringer led in repeating the "Pledge of Allegiance". Also on the program was Miss Twila Glass of Rosebud, who sang two popular selections, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Caldwell at the piano. Invocation was pronounced by the Reverend F. L. Meadow.

A picnic supper, prepared by the Lionesses, was served to the Lions and guests. Assisting in serving were the Misses Jamie Trainer, Winnie Lea Williams of San Antonio, Marjory Reba Nisbet, Sammie Jeanne Allison and Betty Taylor and Mrs. James D. Trainer.

Lions Predict Good Year Under Pres. G. H. Hall

Members of the Lions Club, beginning a new year Tuesday under their new president, G. H. Hall, made note of the problems the club will face this year and of the work it can do to help the community. Hall was commended highly by his fellow club members for the services he has done the club in the past, and many expressed their pleasure at having him as the

overcome in the past and the problems of this and post-war years, said that much can be done if the problems are viewed by the instrumental in effecting.

W. H. Dameron, speaking briefly, recommended that one of the year's projects be that of improving facilities for the handling of livestock and spectators at the annual 4-H Club Wool Show and Lions Livestock Auction Sale which is held each June.

John Lee Nisbet offered as project for the year active promotion of interest in and facilities for establishing an airfield here. Hall closed the meeting by extending the club members assurance that he will serve during his term as president to the very best of his ability.

Guest at the luncheon meeting was T. E. Askins.

BOARD RECLASSES SEVEN

Members of the Selective Service tenance of the flocks on its dairy Board in Meeting Tuesday reclass farm.

Board in Meeting Tuesday reclass farm. Board in Meeting Tuesday reclassi Word asked that those who wish follows: 1-A, Duard Roberts, Dod make donations notify thim, or Simmons, PedroP. Virgen, Jesus V. H. Dameron, the Rev. F. L. Sanchez, 2-A, Oscar Lenoy (Pas Meadow, or Edgar Shurley, A place Lyles: 2-C, J. R. Davenport, Guillown, to be designated next fermo & Romero.

Frankie Jones of Ozona was her

Mr. and Mrs. William Allise Grass fires have called the Section were here from the Marfa-rand hora Volunteer Fire Department hat week end wis time Mrs. All out three times in the past week, son's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.

> Flora Jean Hildreth Sunday, July 16— Mrs. Newt Poteet Monday, July 17-Jimmie Cook Tuesday, July 18-E. L. Neuerburg

Wednesday, July 19-Mrs. Sam Karnes Thursday July 20— Alain Boughton

Mrs. Jimmie Nunley Friday, July 21— Carolyn Johnson

Elsie Schweining

Announcemets

From The Churches



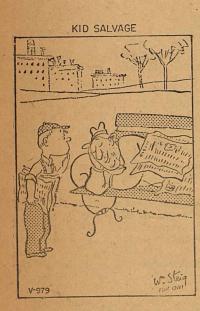
METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Program—	
Men's Bible Class	9:30
Sunday School	9:45
Morning Worship	10:50
Youth Fellowship	7:15
Evening Worship	8:00
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Cordial welcome to all.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH

Sunday Masses: 8:00 and 10:00 Weekday Mass: 8:00



ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Evening Services, second Sunday, each month _______7:30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School10:00
Morning Service11:00
Evening Service8:45
Mid-week Service and Choir re-
hersal, Wednesday8:45
W. M. U. each Wednesday4:00
Ra's, Ga's and Sunbeams second
and fourth Sunday afternoon _4:30

W. S. C. MEETS FRIDAY IN MORRIS HOME

Mrs. Jack Whitley was hostess to members of the War Service Club last Friday night. After a short business meeting, cake and punch were served.

Those attending the meeting were Mmes. Carl Cahill, Carl Barho, W. T. McGuire, Tom Mannis, Leroy Whitworth, Harold Evans, Tex Farr and Dayton Cain.

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Poultry Flock Culling Pays

GET RID OF MR. ROOSTER
By Berry Duff, County Agent

With chicken feed and laying mash costing anywhere from \$3.75 to \$4.50 per hundred these days, a person cannot afford to keep anything on his place that is not laying eggs.

Such a statement, of course, involves that rooster (or roosters) that you have running around your place. Aside from the feed cost of keeping a rooster (at \$4.00 per cwt), there is another good and sound reason for getting rid of those roosters; that is, to improve the quality of eggs you are now either eating or selling.

At room temperatures above 90 degrees, an infertile egg will be in a better condition to eat at the end of two weeks than a fertile egg will be at the end of a fourteen-hour period, if it has been in the room of a similar temperature. Unless a person wants to keep raising chicks the year around, (and very few people do), it is very difficult to understand why they keep roosters around after the first of June. The loss that poultrymen and produce houses take each year from handling fertile eggs is staggering, running up into the millions of dollars.

Those poultry raisers who insist on keeping Mr. Rooster around should make it a point, during the months of June, July, August and September, to gather their eggs at least twice a day. If you have only a small backyard flock, the eggs should be immediately placed either in the refrigerator or some other cool place. In the case where enough hens are run to sell eggs commercially, they should be gathered two or three times a day and placed in some sort of an improvised egg cooler. If you are producing infertile eggs, a little additional care in keeping these eggs cool will pay you dividends in the manner of giving you an egg to sell with much higher quality.

During the summer months, the consumer should insist on infertile eggs and should, in turn be willing to pay a little additional premium for them, because normally a fertile egg will begin to break down and deteriorate in a matter of hours during these hot summer

Cubs Furties Features

JEAN SAUNDERS, Editor

Sonora, Texas, Friday, July 14, 1944

The Devil's River News

Mrs. Trainer To Head Auxiliary For Coming Year

New officers were elected at the meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary, which was held Monday night. These officers who will be installed at the September meeting, are the following: president, Mrs. R. D. Trainer; vice-president, Mrs. I. B. Boughton; secretary, Mrs. A. R. Montgomery; treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Penick; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Vernon Hamilton and chaplain, Mrs. Gene Lightfoot.

Delegates elected to attend the War Conference, which will be held at Galveston on August 15, 16 and 17, were Mmes. O. L. Richardson, Trainer and Lightfoot.

The Auxiliary voted to buy a \$25.00 war bond to help defray the expenses of one Girl Scout who will attend Camp Farr this month.

days, while an infertile egg will remain in a pretty good condition for about two weeks at the same temperature.

So, why not get rid of that rooster? With a pressure cooker you could can the old boy and he would go mighty good with some noodles or soup next winter.

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Idle Hour Club Meets Tuesday

Mrs, C. G. Davis was hostess to members of the Idle Hour Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. High score was held by Mrs. G. H. Davis and second high by Mrs. G. H. Hall. Punch was served as the guests arrived and ice cream and cake were served at the conclusion of the games.

Those present were Mmes. Davis, Hall, Ella Wallace, and Joe B. Ross.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS PETE SKAINS

Mrs. Lewin Skains entertained with a birthday party for her son Pete on his second birthday, Tuesday. Birthday cake and lemonade were served.

The following children attended the party: Beth Andrews, Pat Glasscock, Barbara Rose and Velma Jo Luxton, James Hubert McLaughlin, Martha Lou Ory, Jackie Green, James and Louise Wall.

Mothers attending were Mmes.
Lou Holmig, Jamie Glasscock,
Charlie Luxton, Johnnie Andrews,
Jim McLaughlin, A. J. Wall and
Joe Wall of San Antonio.

Washing done--Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Seven cents per pound starched. Mrs. C. W. West Northwest City.

W. M. U. MEETS IN ROYAL SERVICE WEDNESDAY

The W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. R. P. Odom Wednesday afternoon for Royal Service. The theme for the year is "Make Known His Mighty Acts and the Glorious Majesty of His Kingdom". The topic for the month is "The Isles Wait For His Law".

Mrs. Alfred Cooper was the leader, and three hymns were used on the program. Others taking part on the program were Mmes. C. D. Crumley, Odom, Rip Ward, G. G. Stephenson, J. E. Eldridge and Pearl Martin.

The group was led in the closing prayer by Mrs. Cooper, after which a silent prayer was offered.

The program for next week will be three chapters of the Mission Book.

Tea and cake were served to Mmes. Ward, Crumley, Cooper, Stephenson, Eldridge, J. W. Pepper, Jack Drennon and Martin, members, and Mrs. Ben Berry, the guest.

Miss Mary Belle Bien is in Harper this week visiting her parents.

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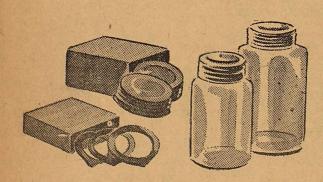
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Many folks don't. They're as far from the real facts as this photo in an amusement park mirror!

Proof? In a nation-wide survey, 42% of the people sharply overestimated the amount of their last electric bill. 59% didn't realize that rates had been reduced in the last fifteen years—and 95% didn't realize how much!

Actually, the average American family gets about twice as much electricity today as it did

Many folks don't. They're fifteen years ago for the same as far from the real facts as money.

"For the same money."
That's the clue. You don't realize that rates are down, because your bill may be as much as it was fifteen years ago—or perhaps even more. But you bave more electric appliances now. You're using more electricity—and you get about twice as much for what you pay.

• Hear "Report to the Nation," news program of the week, every Wednesday, 9:30 P. M. C.W.I., Columbia Broadcasting System.

West Texas Utilities
Company

When you know something of interest about

a member of the armed force from the Sonora

area, write or telephone us. We'll appreciate

it and the men in uniform will be glad to hear

about their friends and buddies in other parts

of the world. This feature page will act as a

men, many of whom receive the News.

Pvt. Paul T. Cordona writes

from somewhere in New Guinea: "I have arrived safe and well at

my destination. I am somewhere

in New Guinea. I left the West

Coast in May. I had an enjoyable

trip across the Pacific Ocean. I got

I got used to it and got along fine.

We also crossed the equator and

it got pretty hot, but later on it

their vehicles on the left side of

the road on this side of the world.

We have native villages close by,

and they are friendly. There are

lots of cocoanuts and banana trees

on the island. It is going to be

tough to fight in this jungle. We

sleep in tents and protect our-

selves with mosquito nets, and we

"It is strange how they drive

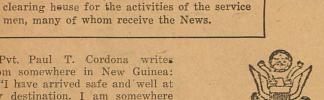
began to cool off.

malaria.

about it later."

writes the following:

ROLL OF HONOR



right cutside of the hangar. A seasick the first days at sea, but person just can't hear anything around them. Couldn't you hear them roaring? When you called I was on duty. I was Petty Officer of the watch--you know, one of those pistol-packing jobs. Of course we sailors have a different name for it---we call it a 'Dick Tracy

Watch'. "I'm sitting in the recreation hall and a boy just took the phone off of the hook and woke one of his buddies up for a telephone call. The boy just came dashing in here take pills to keep from getting to find no one was calling. That is just one of the pranks we pull on each other. Gosh, is that boy "I will write and tell you more mad.

"When I am working, I am a group captain over a bunch of men-Herbert Andrews, AAM 2-c, who and planes. That job lasts half a is stationed at Kingsville, Texas, day and the rest of the day and night I spend studying and train-"Well, I finally have time to ing. I have to study types of enwrite a few lines. I absolutely gines, guns, sights and ranges, couldn't hear a thing the other aircraft, materials and a dozen night when you called. There were other things. Then on top of that, about 200 airplane engines running a commando course. All in all, I'll



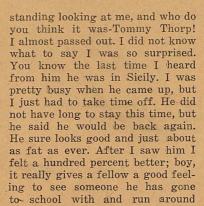
be skin and bones by the time it is over. Oh yes, I don't get two days off anymore, but I get Saturday night and Sunday. I don't like that near as well as I liked two days out of 14.

"How is everyone at home? When is Louie going to the army, or does he know yet? I don't think he'll ever get to go across, as things are going to be over within another year. I know I will get to go, and I don't know how soon. They are shipping out lots of men now, and my orders went in several days ago. All I know is it might be anytime from a month to four months from now. I'll be flying most of the time. I have qualified for a taxi pilot, so I am getting right handy with an airplane. It is no more than driving a car, only you just have more 'jiggers' to work. This is the reason that I have not had more time to

"I must close and get to sleep. Write often and don't worry when you don't hear from me, as I have very little time off and I use it for sleep or washing clothes. I'll write when I can."

S-Sgt. Rex Merriman, who is stationed in England, writes:

"I've received several letters from you, and I'm going to try and answer them. I do have some news this time. Today I was working on my plane, and a jeep drove up and an officer got out. I did not pay much attention to him, as officers are coming out all time. When I looked up this one was



A later letter states:

with."

"I've received a couple of papers, and one of them had my promotion and the name of my ship in it. Well, I thought that was pretty nice and I did get a big thrill out of it. Yes, I'm proud of my plane, and it really makes me feel good when I read something like that.

"Well, I went to town today and I had a nice time. There wasn't too much to do, so I went shopping and, in the meantime, I had my picture taken. It doesn't look so good, but never-the-less you can see that I'm still fat and doing fine. You can see that blond hair too. I have another one of my buddie and me taken together. He is a real guy. This is the one that I went home with while we were still in the States. We've been together for a long time, and we go everywhere together.

"Boy, I sure was glad to see Tommy. That guy has not changed much. I guess all of us will talk a little like the English, but that's O.



K. 'I say, old chap, that's quite right'. Yes, it is quite interesting to be in different countries and pick up a few words and see just how people live and act. The English people as a whole treat the Yanks grand. Of course you have that few that don't, but that is only natural anywhére.

"Tell everyone 'hello', and don't you worry about me as you can see from the picture that I'm alright.".

Alfred Virgen, S1-c, who is stationed in the South Pacific, writes the following:

"I received your letter today, dated June 20, and was very glad to get it, since it has been about two months since I had heard.

"You seem to be worrying about me a lot. Well, please don't, as I am alright and don't think anything will happen to us this trip. Don't worry when I don't write you as often, as we are on a post where we can't mail any letters.

Whenever I can, I will write you "I see that most of the boys have joined the Navy. I think the

Navy is a good place, because we see lots of places we never dreamed about. I wish them lots of good luck, and I hope that they like the Navy as well as I do.

"I don't think this war will last long now. It will be over soon, with God's help, and we will all return again and then this world will be safe to live in.

"I don't have much news now. It has been raining all day here, as it always does. We can't go anywhere, since there is sowhere to go and nothing to do. I think you realize what kind of a spot we are in, but we manage to get along fine, as we did before."

S/Sgt. Thomas B. Booker, who is stationed in Italy, writes the following:

"Boy, I just had my supper and and also a good bath and do I feel good.

"I had to answer some questions for someone the other day and then I found out that they were going to put a story about me in the Standard Times. I don't know whether it will amount to anything, but you might watch the papers if you think of it.

"I hear that people sure were excited over the invasion back in the States. Well, I can assure you that we over here are also glad, because the only way to end this war is to destroy the German people and their government.

"I read in the paper where Alan Saunders was back in the States and was so glad to know it. I know that his people are so happy about

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I am a young man, have lived in Sonora ten years and my past record as a citizen is open to anyone to investigate. I think I am fully capable of handling this office in every way and will devote my entire time to the office of County Clerk exclusively.

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working at a desk in Naval service Headquarters, in a clean white shirt and a Navy blue uniform. Her name is Helen Rosemary Partridge, and she is working with tolored crayons and ink over swirling, circling designs on pastel haded sheets of paper.

wirling, circling designs on pastel shaded sheets of paper.

They're not the usual artistic tesigns seen on drawing boards, however, and Sub. Lieutenant Partidge is not doing a usual job. For she is the only woman meteorologist in the Navy, Army or Air Forces, and the patterns of weather the is drawing daily affect not yards of material for gowns, but ships, men and millions of dollars in cargo carried by the Royal

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Her job, as Assistant to the Staff Officer, Meteorology, at Naval Service Headquarters, is to co-relate station weather reports received from airports, observers and other rosts, and to prepare a compression of the staff of the Navy.

rom airports, observers and other posts, and to prepare a compresensive picture of weather conditions at all times. This information is vital to the Navy. It is a pressure, cold fronts and weather conditions at all points of interest, and ability. The weather at sea can be the vary's friend or foe; rough weather is courages submarines, but also a conditions at an points of interest, are discussed by her with officers in naval headquarters and the benefit of that knowledge is applied in operations rooms.

Sutton Homes Used 322,128 Cans In 1943

Women of Sutton County can 'mine" tin sufficient for 128 11/2 ton Army trucks this year.

These figures were compiled by J. A. Stewart, vice-president of the American Can Company, on the basis of canned foods consumed by civilians in the county during 1943. On the basis of last year's consumption, civilians will open approximately 322,128 cans of foods this year, he said. According to a table recently issued by Washington, 2,500 cans provide tin suffi-cient for one 1½-ton Army truck.

Meanwhile, the armed forces consumed approximately three billion cans of food during 1943 and needs for the current year are expected to rise to three and a quarter billion cans, Stewart said. He pointed out that with a greatly increased number of the armed forces in overseas duty, more canned foods will be needed because the can has proved the most practical container for the shipment of foods abroad.

Mrs. J. C. Stephen, Mrs. Fannie Cook and Ernest Carroll Stephen left last week for Victorville, Calif., where they will be the guests for several weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Troy White, former So-

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LIFE-SAVING CLASSES TO OPEN JULY 17

M. A. Tant this week urged that all who intend to enter the junior and senior life saving classes that are to begin on Monday, July 17, see him at once. To date enrollment for these classes has been light, and he must have the names of all who will take the course before he can order the

necessary study material.

Tant also said that, to pass the courses, each student must enter the class the day it opens and must not miss any class. The junior and senior courses are the same, except that the seniors are given more intensive training and must study a minimum of 18 hours, whereas the junior students' minimum time is 15 hours.

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