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HOLIDAY

Monday Labor Day Sept. 7th.

We are making history for years to come

The keeping of Labor Day this year will be in keeping with its meaning labor instead of play. The government is calling for more out put and less put out, and this holiday will be a good place for new resolutions.

Funeral for M. C. Coleman

Funeral services for Matthew Catton Coleman 71, resident of Coke County for many years, died at Bronte Saturday, and services were held at the Baptist Church Sunday, at 4 p. m. with Rev. J. E. Eldredge, officiating. Burial was in the Fairview cemetery.

J. A. Baldwin's Death

J. A. Baldwin who lived near Fort Chadbourne many years died at McCamey Monday and was buried in Bronte Wednesday. He was 67 years old, was Justice of Peace and long time resident of McCamey.

Baptist Y. W. A.

The Mary Henley Y. W. A. gave a program for the WMS Tuesday evening at 8:30, in connection with the Prayer Service.

The Y. W. A. song, "O Zion Haste" was sung before the program began. The program on State Mission Work was given by Bryce Stewart, Katie Sue Good, Agnes Walker, and Ruby Jo Sparks. The Y. W. A. Watchword and five Ideals, quoted by the girls, which closed the Y. W. A. meeting.

FOR SALE

Gas Range. See Mrs. Scott at the store.

Public Welfare

The new fiscal year, which begins for the state on Sept. 1, will bring sharp curtailment of the Aid to Dependent Children program, the State Department of Public Welfare predicted. The constitutional amendment and the law authorizing aid to the state's dependent children limit the cost of the program to \$1,500,000 a year out of State funds. The federal government matches this with an equal sum. This makes available a total of \$3,000,000 in monthly installments, causing a flat cut in each grant of \$10 which will probably drop in Sept to \$6 for a family with one child and \$14 for larger families and still lower checks if eligibles are added to the rolls.

ADS For SALE IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

Residence Burns

The W. C. McDonald residence burns to the ground. He and others were sitting in the yard chairs visiting when the roof of the house was discovered on fire. Neighbors rushed in to help save the furniture, but many articles of value and keep sakes went up with the flames.

Shearings

According to information received from W. K. Nesbit, extension Animal Husbandman, is estimated that the Army will need over fifteen million shearings with in the next eighteen months. Nearly all the sheep men are becoming familiar with shearing pelts and their use, by the army and are also becoming acquainted with what constitutes the several grades of pelts. The producers of this county should be interested in stepping up the volume of the two top grades, one and two. To qualify, the lamb or sheep skin must carry at least a half inch wool and can stand wool of an inch in length. The wool must be as fine as 56's.

The volume needed in shearings is not in sight through normal marketing practice and this is an opportunity that sheep producers should welcome. There are thousands of ewes wearing pelts that will qualify. The producers share of the culling price should be nearly as much as old ewes, are normally worth. The ceiling prices are \$2.15 on No. 1 pelts and 1.90 on No 2 pelts. The increase demand for cheap meat (for sausage etc.) makes it possible for the market to handle above normal volume canner ewes.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Essential in the equipment of every Soldier, Sailor, Marine or Flyer is a first aid kit, consisting of bandages and antiseptics for instantaneous use. These materials are packed into a compact box and cost about \$1.50 each.



We need millions of these first aid kits for emergency treatment. They are also used by Red Cross workers, in field hospitals and wherever needed until hospital treatment may be obtained. Even a child could buy one or more of these kits through purchase of War Stamps. Buy War Bonds and Stamps every pay day and invest at least ten percent of your income in these government securities. U. S. Treasury Department

Ernest G. Fischer



Mr. Fischer is an Associated Press war correspondent. He spent two years in Germany, five months of which he was in an internment camp.

Mr. Fischer will lecture at the City Auditorium in San Angelo Friday evening, Sept. 4 1942, at 8:15. Admission 55c. You will get first hand information from the war zones. Hear him.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fish Jr. of Brownwood, visited in the Fish home Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Williams of San Angelo visited Miss Naomi Brown over the week end.

John S. Menielle of Robert Lee was enlisted in the S a Bees, the Navy's overseas construction regiments, during the past week through the San Angelo Navy Recruiting Sub-station.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ratliff, baby and Mrs. O. M. Ratliff left Sunday for San Antonio and returned Monday. While there got a view of the effects of the tropical storm that passed through the city in the early part of the morning.

Mrs. George Hester of Miles, was in Robert Lee Wednesday visiting her mother, Mrs. W. L. Clawson, and other relatives and friends.

Bob Hall is in Robert Lee visiting relatives and friends.

We have had several cloudy days of mist and sprinkle with about one third of an inch of rain Wednesday night with temperature 66°. Thursday morning.

Bond Sales quota for Coke Co. for September is \$6,000.00.

A. F. Landers has resigned as principal of the Robert Lee High school and accepted a position in the Fort Stockton High School. He and family moved Wednesday

Back to School "togs"

at Cumbie & Roach

FOR SALE

5-room house, 1 1/2 acres, 100 yards of store and Post Office \$800.00, See S. W. Lord. 9-13

Obituary Of

A. J. Roberts

A. J. (Andy) Roberts 72, died at his home Saturday night in Comanche following a week of serious illness.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ at Comanche Monday afternoon with minister R. C. Ledbetter, pastor in charge. Rev. Gordon Barrett assisted at the services. Interment in the Oakwood Cemetery in Comanche.

He was born on March 10, 1869 in Gonzales County and has lived in and around Comanche county since about 1890, and has made his home in Comanche since 1929. He has been a faithful member of the Church of Christ here since 1930.

He is survived by his wife, five sons, and four daughters. Bill Roberts, Doc Roberts of Comanche; Jack Roberts Tulsa, Okla.; Tommie Roberts Los Angeles Calif; Hershel Roberts, Lubbock; Mrs. Myrtle Richards, Chicago; Mrs. Sallie Hughes, Kansas City Mo; Mrs. Coke Austin, Robert Lee; and Mrs. Lloyd Polston, Comanche. All children with the exception of Mrs. Hughes of Kansas City, and Hershel Roberts, Lubbock attended the funeral services.

Melvin Hamilton, David Key, Steve Parker and Jeff Keading left Thursday morning for Camp Walters to enter training.

Dickie's work clothes, fit better, wear better, look better at Cumbie & Roach

Locals

Vernon Allen whose parents live at Silver, becomes an Aviation Cadet and is on the reserve list.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bilbo, Bessie, Mr and Mrs. Rendel of Lamesa, made a trip to Miami, New Mexico, and other points last week.

Mr and Mrs. J. S. Gardner attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mrs Gardner's sister at Hamlin Sunday.

Texas gets \$2,779,496.00 for tenant purchase farms.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bilbo, Bessie, Mrs. Turney and Bessie Helen visited V. W. Bilbo and Mrs. Barnes in Hatch, N. M. recently.

Mrs. H. C. Allen left Friday for Plainview where she will visit her sister Mrs. Brooks for a few days.

Miss Judy Powell of Sweetwater, visited with Mrs. Irene Roberts the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Lowry of San Angelo visited in Robert Lee Sunday.

Cecil Scholer and family have occupied the Franklin Cowley residence.

Mrs. Lizzie Hester left Friday for Abilene where she will stop over and visit Miss Kate Smith, and on Saturday will leave for Hamlin where she will visit her daughter Mrs. Miller Montgomery and family for a few weeks.

Mrs. B. M. Gramling made a trip to San Antonio last week and carried Sharon, her granddaughter, who had been with her for the summer, to her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Martin Gramling.

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"Yoo Hoo! Look what the draft just blew in!"
STAN LAUREL-OLIVER HARDY IN
"GREAT GUNS"
Also Comedy

TEXAS THEATRE

BRONTE TEXAS

Friday and Saturday Sept. 4-5

TYRONE POWER-GENE TIERNEY IN
"SON OF FURY"
Cartoon and News

Tuesday only Money Nite Sept. 8

STAN LAUREL-OLIVER HARDY IN
"GREAT GUNS"
Also Comedy

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Brazil's Declaration of War on Axis Aids Western Hemisphere Solidarity; 'Largest' U. S. Convoy Reaches Britain; Marines Score Again in Pacific Drive

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



U. S. fliers in London celebrate after the first raid on Hitler's European arsenals. Target of the first raid was Rouen, France, which was left in flames. Center: Holding the wire from the first bomb dropped by a Flying Fortress is Capt. William Musselwhite of Jackson, Miss.

LARGEST CONVOY: Arrives in England

Shape of things to come in Europe was clearly etched by the announcement that the largest U. S. troop convoy ever attempted in this war had landed safely in Great Britain. Military experts quickly viewed this move as a speed-up gesture in United Nations' second front plans.

Included in the convoy were "many thousands" of soldiers and airmen plus vast quantities of war materials. Troops were swiftly disembarked and scattered to the interior of England, there to join other units already in training for the attack on German held Europe. "Special units" and "task forces" in the convoy added weight to the theory that U. S. troops will play an increasing role in future Commando raids or other action on the continent.

MORE ACTION: In the Pacific

As U. S. forces were continuing their mopping up activities in the Solomon Islands word from another sector of the Pacific indicated that the marines had done it again. This time it was the Gilbert Islands that felt the power of a marine detachment as it smashed a Jap seaplane base, radio installations and stores on the island of Makin, island in the Gilbert group. This action came in the form of a hit and run attack. Caught entirely by surprise, the Japs were so confused that bombers from other bases actually destroyed their Jap planes on the ground.

Meanwhile all was not quiet in the Solomons, scene of the earlier and more extensive action by the U. S. forces. Here the marines were busy cleaning out the Japs that retreated to the hills after initial successes were scored by the American attackers.

Trouble for the marines came from another source but an official communique from Pearl Harbor revealed that it had been treated with typical marine thoroughness. This was a night attack by fast boats of 700 Japs who stormed the marine-held positions from the sea. After a night and day of fighting, 670 Japs were dead and the other 30 were captured. Marine losses were 23 killed and 72 injured.

WAR PRODUCTION: An Important Date

Straight from the source that should know—the War Production board—the nation learned how it was doing in the battle of the assembly lines. Donald Nelson, WPB chief, told the U. S. frankly where it stood. It amounted to this: War production is ahead in some categories, behind schedule in others. Biggest problems are shortages of materials and balancing of output among various agencies and service branches. These, he said, are getting vigorous attention.

Such production also now has a date objective. Nelson said that U. S. war production is being planned to provide the maximum impact on the enemy by July 1, 1943. This does not mean that our offensive will necessarily reach its peak by that date but this is the definite strategic goal of production and all production will be gauged by the one question: "How much will it contribute to the war effort by July 1, 1943?"

BRAZIL AT WAR: First in South America

Angered by months of Axis aggression, Brazil became the first South American nation to declare war upon Germany and Italy, thus swelling the ranks of the United Nations to 29. Brazil's declaration of a state of war climaxed a week filled with mass demonstrations against the Axis sinking of five Brazilian ships with the loss of approximately 600 lives.

The state of war did not include Japan, although Brazil broke diplomatic relations with all three Axis nations last January.

The declaration of war cleared the way for immediate measures to secure the protection of what has been termed the most vulnerable land area on the Atlantic side of the Western hemisphere—the Natal bulge only 1,600 miles from Dakar in Africa. Military men long have pointed to this sector as the place where Axis forces would strike first if they were able to consolidate their African and European positions.

Brig. Gen. Amaro Soares Bittencourt, Brazilian military attaché to the United States, said that Brazil "is defending the continent," and that "we must congregate and reunite all our military elements for the defense of the northeast, the strategic point on the bulge of Brazil for invasion by the Axis."

RUSSIA: Bloody Battle

Good news resulting from Allied offensives in the Pacific was offset by continued reversals on the Russian front. As the Nazi pincer movement drove relentlessly toward Stalingrad, the official Soviet communique admitted new crossings of the Don river.

"In the area northeast of Kotelnikovo," the communique said, "our troops fought intensive battles with large tank and infantry forces. On various sectors the Germans, at the cost of tremendous losses, managed to advance."

Fresh Nazi reinforcements, brought out of the reserve pool or shifted from other sectors, were thrown into the bloody battle for Stalingrad. The reckless disregard of losses gave evidence of Nazi desperation for a knockout blow to the Red army.

Stalingrad is a rich prize. Its prime importance is in its location on the Volga river, along which the oil of Baku and Allied supplies shipped through the Persian gulf reach central Russia. In addition, the city's huge plants produce tanks and war supplies, and its oil refineries add to its strategic value.

COMMANDO RAID: 'Official Success'

As Allied service chiefs studied the results of the Commando raid on Dieppe, official sources declared that the operation fulfilled its objective. Valuable information on Nazi defenses was secured.

The raid, employing British and Canadian Commandos supported by American Rangers, was a nine-hour battle on the Nazi-fortified coastal defenses at Dieppe, midway between Calais and Le Havre. Initial German estimates placed the invader force at 15,000, but the exact number remained an Allied secret. The force carried tanks and artillery with them.

ALLOTMENT: Speed-Up

Dependents of enlisted men in the U. S. armed forces will be getting their allotments earlier than November 1 under the terms of a bill passed by congress and now signed by the President.

After the President had affixed his signature the navy said it would issue such allotment checks "very soon" and the army announced that their payments would start early in September.

Originally these payments would have started November 1, although applications filed early would be retroactive to June 1. Basic payment to dependents is \$50 per month, servicemen contributing \$22 and the army or navy \$28.

It could not be determined how many applications for such payments had been made to the army or navy. It was estimated however that about half the men in the service would have dependents receiving the allotments.

YOUR DRAFT STATUS: May Change Soon

Married men and men now deferred because they work in essential industry will be called in the draft in the not distant future. That was the statement of Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national director of selective service, before a well-packed forum at a Chicago university.

In respect to men deferred because of war work, Gen. Hershey said: "You just can't go on deferring a man for work reasons alone if you can find an older man, a woman, or a physically handicapped per-



BRIG. GEN. LEWIS B. HERSHEY
Work reasons alone aren't enough.

son to take that man's place. It's going to be necessary to reclassify those 2A's and 2B's (war-work deferments) — and necessary means just that, necessary. Just because they are in war industry is no reason for permanent deferment. The industrialists will simply have to train substitutes."

He was also asked about the prospects for 3A's—deferred because of dependencies.

"The first in order are the so-called "grandmother cases," the men with second-class dependents—grandparents, mothers, brothers, step-brothers and so on. I think they're under the light right now. As sure as September 1 comes around—well, obviously, those fellows are next."

"And the men with wives only are just as obviously next after that. Then would come the men with wives and children, and the question there seems to be what is the degree of dependency?"

COFFEE, OVERALLS: One Down; the Other Up

The possibilities of coffee rationing appeared more imminent with the government's order to restrict deliveries to dealers to 65 per cent of last year's deliveries as compared with the present monthly quota of 75 per cent.

The decrease in coffee deliveries was but one of several actions which will bring the war ever closer to Mr. and Mrs. John Public.

Increased employment has resulted in steps by the War Production board to make cotton looms turn out more rugged fabrics needed for serviceable work clothes.

The theater-going public may have reduced fare in the not so distant future. Operators of movie and stage theaters were warned by WPB that shortages of materials would make it increasingly difficult to keep all show houses open.

MISCELLANY:

COMMANDER: An ace of World War I, Brig. Gen. Clayton L. Bissell, was appointed commander of U. S. army air forces in China, Burma and India.

IMPROVED: Returning from an official tour of Alaska, Sen. Mon C. Wallgren of Washington announced himself "much improved by the improved military situation" in the Aleutians.

Washington Digest

How Long Will War Last? Answer Remains in Doubt



Successful American Offensive Result of Thorough Planning; Two Possibilities May Alter Picture in Russia.

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Features, 1343 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

How long will the war last? Two things have happened in the last weeks which have made people ask that question again even if the answer remains as deep in the mire of speculation as ever.

The first event is the significant passing of the first milestone on the road to Tokyo. On the little islands, and about Tulagi harbor which British Admiral Jellicoe in the last war said contained the finest natural harbor in the world, the marines landed and now have the situation well in hand.

The first American offensive in the war was accomplished, not without losses but with success and as a result of a plan worked out nearly five months ago. It was a surprise attack and yet there were many in Washington who guessed that something was about to pop in the Pacific. They did not know what. They didn't have any idea that it would be on the scale of the battle of the Solomons. But for a full week before it took place, I found great interest in certain quarters in the activities of the Japanese in those islands. The people I talked with probably didn't know what the navy was planning—they were not naval officers—but they did know that the Japs were busy as bees completing a fine airfield on Guadalcanal and getting ready to prepare other complete installations on the nearby islands, especially developing and protecting the Tulagi harbor for a submarine base.

Also, Japanese forces there would be too near the island of New Caledonia, on which American forces are stationed, for comfort. New Caledonia is much further south, opposite the western coast of Australia. I mentioned this activity of the Japanese in the Solomons on the air more than once, right up to the eve of the battle, and nobody questioned my script—I mean there was no question from the censor. Perhaps even the censor wasn't in on the secret! Anyhow the blow was just about to be struck. It was struck and it may mean the turning point in the battle of the Pacific. So much on the credit side.

Russian Picture

But in the same weeks which saw this achievement of American arms, the Russian picture began to unfold as darkly as the pessimists pictured it. The story of the campaign of the Caucasus is not over yet, but the Nazi armies have carried on so far at a tempo beyond that which even the pessimists did not calculate upon.

Two things may brighten the Russian picture: The sudden appearance on the northern fronts of a mysterious army of red reserves which some believe have been hidden in the long shadows that cloak all of Russia's war plans. Second, the revelation of much greater losses on the part of the Germans than are evident at this writing.

Based on developments to date, however, Washington "hopes for a short war," as one military man put it to me, "but is preparing for a long one." I suppose a short one would be defeat of Hitler by 1944—a long one, any longer than that, with the fighting in the Far East to continue still longer, and then the indefinite period when United Nations troops will have to patrol the world to keep a semblance of order.

The reasons for these prognostications are: first, the fact that Hitler now has food and oil in his grip; second, with a strong German army in control of the Caucasus and Russia's chief area of raw materials and war industries cut off, the Red army can be of no positive military assistance to the United Nations. (Unless those mythical reserves turn up.)

This means that Germany cannot be broken by blockade; that a powerful expeditionary force will have to defeat Hitler's armies.

More Predictions

Speaking of predictions there have been many of late concerning the war and a number have been gathered together in a very readable 150 page book called "Prophets and

Portents" (Thomas Y. Crowell Company) by Rolfe Boswell. These somewhat vague prophecies do not intrigue me very much but they are interesting reading. One, however, which has been quoted considerably of late is more modern than most of the rest and is remarkable to me because it actually uses the word "fascism" although it was written in 1842, and so far as I know that word had never been used to describe a form of government. It is by Heinrich Heine, written after his self-exile to Paris.

This is what Heine wrote, just a hundred years ago:

"When revolution starts spreading around the world, we shall witness the advent of the most frightful of all foemen who ever set out to fight against the established way of life. This opponent has not appeared as yet, but will arise under the name 'fascism,' and will be the most competent enemy who ever has counter-marched against the existing order.

"War will be only the first scene in the titanic drama and will be just a curtain-raiser. The second act will be the European revolution and world revolution, the gigantic conflict between those who have and those who lack.

"The future tells us of cruelties, of blood, of atheism and of vast intrigue and plotting. I warn our grandchildren to come into the world with shoulders and backs padded heavily. It will be that the ancient belief of absolutist tyranny will step out upon the world's stage once again, this time in new attire, with new war cries and shibboleths."

Where Men Are Men—And Women Are Absent

Just about the time that news came to Washington that the Japs had landed on Attu island in the Aleutians I received a copy of the Kodiak Bear. Now I have had a nodding, peanut-tossing acquaintance with a couple of Kodiak bears at the Washington zoo for many years but like most people I never connected their name with an American base off Alaska, where this journal is published.

The Bear is a six-page seven-column newspaper with a red-hot headwriter and some very peppery correspondents on its staff. I would not estimate or identify its circulation if I could, since it is printed for the American forces that is probably a military secret. But whoever the readers are they certainly are a lively lot according to the accounts of their doings. And they have a variety of tastes. That is clear from a two-column headline on a page one story. It reads:

Baseball, Fishing, Girls, Religion, Keep Outfit Busy

"Where men are men," the story reads, "and women just aren't, something must be done to take up idle moments. The men have constructed themselves ping-pong tables and tournaments are frequent." But, gentle reader, don't let mention of that innocuous pastime of table-tennis mislead you. "The baseball has started to cleave the air," the reporter continues, "and many have taken up axe and knife throwing." (Not so innocuous, I would say.)

Fishing tackle is out, too, and the chronicler predicts that "it won't be long before the smell of fresh fish frying on the griddle will be a delight. The very idea is a delight right now."

"Twice a week" religious meetings are held.

But as for the ladies, the last paragraph reveals the sad truth. The news on that score is limited to heart-breaking accounts of soldiers who don't get those letters from back home any more. It seems, the writer from far Kodiak concludes, "absence makes the heart grow fonder—for somebody else. Ask the man who no longer owns one."

To men there is real pathos in that. It's bad enough to be a soldier in a foreign land, but in the lonely domain which the Kodiak Bear reveals as its habitat, it must take a lot of ping-pong, knife throwing, etc., to make up for the things (inanimate and otherwise) these boys left behind them.

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Editor and Publisher

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Miss Louise Goble of Mission holds the large loving cup awarded the best extemporaneous speaker at Texas State College for Women. This young junior, who is one of the outstanding members of the TSCW debate team, last month won the annual contest among the students of the college.



DEATH-TEST PROVED IT!

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Young People 8:00
Preaching Service 9:00
W. S. C. S.—Monday 3:00

BAPTIST
Sunday School 11:00
Preaching Service 12:00
B. T. U. 8:00
Preaching Service 9:00
W. M. S., Monday ... 5:00
Prayer Meeting
Tuesday 8:30

Lost and found columns of Tokio newspapers are crowded these days. Every time an American buys a War Bond, the Japs lose face. Buy your 10% every pay day.

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"I'd love to go," Betty says, her face all smiles.

The young fellow she met Saturday—the one Dad liked so well—is calling to suggest a movie.

There used to be long, lonesome evenings. But since Dad got a telephone ... well, Betty has a beau.

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To: Sarah S. Perry and husband, G. W. Perry, Ester E. Anthony and husband, G. W. Anthony, Minerva Ruth Walker and husband, P. E. Walker and the unknown heirs of Rufus Q. Millican deceased, the unknown heirs of Mary Annie Sexton and husband J. W. Sexton, deceased, and all other unknown heirs of E. E. Millican, deceased.

Defendants, Greetings: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Coke County at the Court House thereof, in Robert Lee, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of October A. D. 1942, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of August A. D. 1942. In this cause, numbered 1581, on the docket of said court and styled First Nations Bank of San Angelo, Trustee of the Estate of S. C. Parsons, Deceased Plaintiff, Lucy V. Offield, H. C. Offield, C. H. Millican, Cynthia C. Dawson, and vs. husband, C. Dawson, T. T. Millican, Minerva R. Walker and husband, P. E. Walker, Sarah S. Perry and husband G. W. Perry, Ester E. Anthony and husband J. D. Anthony and the unknown heirs of Rufus Q. Millican Defendants and Mary Annie Sexton and husband J. W. Sexton, and E. E. Millican.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit in Trespass to try Title by Plaintiff to recover of the above defendants the following described land situated in Coke County Texas:

All of the East 120 acres of the South Half of Section No. 312, in Block No. 2, H & T C. Ry. Co. by Certificate No. 37 4145 patented to E. E. Millican by Patent No. 359, Vol. 50-A, on July 31, 1931.

Plaintiff alleges that on the 1st day of August, 1942, it was the fee simple owner and in possession of the above described land, and that on the 15th day of August, 1942, the defendants unlawfully entered and dispossessed plaintiff of said premises and now unlawfully withholds possession from plaintiff of said land.

Plaintiff further pleads that it and its predecessors in title have acquired good title to said premises under the three, five, and ten year statutes of limitation, and plaintiff prays for judgment for the title and possession of the above described land and for such other relief as it may be entitled to in law or equity,

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and give under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Robert Lee, Texas this the 25th day of August A. D. 1942

Attest:
Willis Smith Clerk,
District Court Coke County, Tex.
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For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
H. C. VARNADORE
(Re-Election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
T. R. HARMON
(Re-Election)

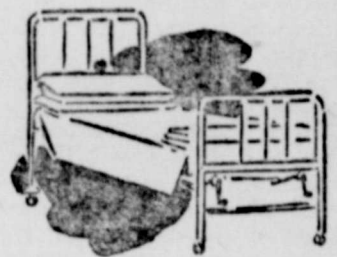
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For County Attorney:
G. S. ARNOLD

For Congressman 21st District:
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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

It's not a pleasant picture to contemplate, but War calls for "blood and sweat and tears." And the Army Medical Corps, with its efficient nurses and its volunteer Red Cross "Angels of Mercy," needs thousands of surgical beds for field and base hospitals on every front.



These beds cost approximately \$22 each. They are the latest thing in modern hospital beds, with elevating springs. In some instances surgical cots are used in temporary field hospitals and there is a folding bed which may be used in ambulances. Your purchase of War Bonds and Stamps can buy many of these beds for the Army. You'll sleep better if you know our boys have every hospital comfort. Buy War Bonds every pay day. Invest ten percent of your income.

U. S. Treasury Department

Pay your water bill by 10th of each month or have your service discontinued.
City Commission

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

When the American Expeditionary Force landed in Ireland recently newspapers reported the citizenry remarked at the similarity of the steel helmets worn by our boys with those worn by German troops. These steel hats are protection from shrapnel fragments and other light missiles. We need thousands of them for they are a regular issue to every American soldier.



A smart strap fastens under the chin and they are padded for comfort. One steel helmet costs \$5 so every time you fill a \$5 stamp book you are buying protection for an American soldier. Invest at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day. Help your community reach its War Bond Quota.

U. S. Treasury Department

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: the Unknown Stockholders of the Austin & Northern Land & Cattle Company, a corporation defunct, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of said unknown stockholders.

Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 51st District Court of Coke County at the Court House thereof, in Robert Lee, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of October A. D. 1942, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 26th day of August A. D. 1942, in this cause, numbered 1582 on the docket of said court and styled Mattie Tinkler Plaintiff, vs. Unknown Stockholders of the Austin & Northern Land & Cattle Company, a corporation, defunct, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of said unknown stockholders Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows to wit:

Suit in Trespass to Try Title and for damages, Plaintiff alleging that on or about the first day of July, A D 1942, she was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Coke County Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to wit, 173 acres, more or less, consisting of a part of survey No. 1 1/2 in the name of L.B. Harris, and patented to L. B. Harris by patent No. 93, Vol. 11 and a part of Survey No. 3 in the name of L. B. Harris and patented to L. B. Harris by patent No. 19, Vol. 11 and being described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the S.W. corner of survey No. 413 Block 1A, H & T C Ry. Co; Thence North with the West line of said Survey No. 413, 1064 varas to the S. E. corner of a 200 acre tract out of said Surveys Nos. 1 1/2 and 3, heretofore conveyed by Chas Roe and wife to J. Q. McCabe; Thence west with the south line of said 200 acre tract 1148 varas to the N. E. corner of a 45 3/4 acre tract out of said Survey No. 1 1/2 heretofore conveyed by G.A. Roe and husband Chas Roe to W.L. Clawson; Thence S. 10 W with the East line of said 45 3/4 acre tract, 665 varas to the S. E. corner of said 45 3/4 acre tract in the North line of Carlos Flores Survey No. 1005; Thence S 60 E with the North line of said Survey No. 1005 at 409 varas, past the most lower S. E. corner of said L. B. Harris Survey No. 1 1/2 at 253 varas more the N. E. corner of said Carlos Flores Survey number 1005 in all 662 varas; Thence N. 30 E, 90 varas to the N. W. corner of a 100 acre tract out of said Survey No. 3 heretofore conveyed by the Austin & Northern Land & Cattle Co. to J. W. Reed; Thence S. 60 E with the North line of said 100 acre tract, 672 varas to its N. E. corner; Thence North 190 varas to the place of beginning; that thereafter on said first day of July, A D 1942, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from her the possession thereof to her damage \$500.00; that the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$500.00; Plaintiff specially pleads the acquisition of full title to said land and premises by virtue of the five and ten years statutes of limitation, and alleges that defendants are assert-

MOURNING DOVE AND WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASONS FOR 1942

-As Provided By State Law and Federal Regulations-

Map of Texas showing Mourning Dove and White-winged Dove open seasons for 1942. Includes legend for North Zone, South Zone, No Open Season, and Special Restrictions. Text boxes provide details on open seasons, shooting hours, and bag limits for both species.

Advertisement for 'Wanted-Parachute At Once' for anything you need. Includes illustration of a man with a parachute and the text 'TRY OUR WANT ADS'.

Advertisement for S. E. ADAMS, REAL ESTATE, TITLE INSURANCE, FIRE AND HAZARD INSURANCE. Includes text 'ABSTRACTS REAL ESTATE TITLE INSURANCE' and 'FHA LOANS buy, build, refinance'.

TIME TABLE ABILENE-VIEW BUS, INC. Table with columns for 'Read Down' and 'Read Up' listing departure and arrival times for various destinations like Abilene, Camp Barkeley, View, Happy Valley, Bronte, Robert Lee, and San Angelo.

Advertisement for 'MAKE MONEY BY READING THE ADS' featuring an illustration of a man sitting in a chair reading a newspaper.

SPECIAL NOTICE advertisement for Uncle Sam's poultry products. Text includes 'Uncle Sam is Calling for the Largest Poultry put in History' and 'BREEZLAND, San Angelo, Texas'.

POSTED advertisement: 'My ranch is posted by Law any one caught trespassing will be prosecuted Fred Roe'.

Advertisement for Dr. R. J. Warren, DENTIST, 301 Central National Bank, San Angelo, Texas. Phone Office 4429 Res 381.

Advertisement for 'New and Second Hand PRICE FURNITURE STORE' located at 60 Block On North Chad. Text: 'We Buy SELL or TRADE'.

Advertisement for 'Has Highest Grades' featuring a portrait of Miss Ruby Jim Slaughter of Staples, Guadalupe County, Texas, who received the Alpha Lambda Delta scholarship award.

Advertisement for 'Our Great America by Tryon' featuring illustrations of a tank and a soldier. Text includes 'A 30-TON TANK REQUIRES THE RUBBER OF 87 AUTOMOBILE TIRES' and 'IF EVERY HOME IN THE U.S.A. COULD BE DESTROYED OVERNIGHT BY BOMBS, FIRES, PARTISANS AND WRECKERS, THERE IS ENOUGH STANDING TIMBER OF 80-TWENTY-FIVE IN THE COMMERCIAL FORESTS OF AMERICA TO BUILD FIVE NEW HOMES FOR EVERY ONE DESTROYED'.

Advertisement for 'Our Job is to Save Dollars Buy War Bonds Every Pay Day' featuring an illustration of an American flag.

Not everybody with a dollar to spare can shoot a gun straight—but everybody can shoot straight to the bank and buy War Bonds. Buy your 10% every pay day.

Working With Civilian Defense

Red Cross Completes Plans for Any Emergency if Enemy Strikes

WASHINGTON.—IF ENEMY BOMBERS ROARED OVER AN average American community in a surprise night attack, emptying its bomb racks on the sleeping city to cause fires and explosions, maiming or killing men, women and children—how would the American Red Cross operate in such an emergency?

Traditional agent of the American people in disaster relief, the Red Cross would provide food, clothing and temporary shelter during the emergency period immediately following an enemy attack. As soon as the emergency had passed, state and local public welfare agencies would provide continued care for families on an individual basis in accordance with plans worked out by the Office of Defense Health and Welfare Services (ODHWS), the war activities branch of the Federal Security Administration.

During an emergency the civilian defense authorities will control all services under orders of the local commander of the Citizens' Defense Corps, unless the army has assumed jurisdiction.

However, in natural disasters and in disasters caused by accident or sabotage, the responsibility of the American Red Cross remains the same as in peace time. The term "disaster" will continue to be applied to them, but for the duration, "civilian war aid" is the term to be used to define all forms of relief to civilians affected by enemy action.

National agreements which the American Red Cross has entered into with the OCD and the ODHWS recognizes the principle that civilian protection and civilian war aid are a public responsibility. Accordingly, the Red Cross will operate in harmony with whatever plans are laid down by these agencies nationally and State Defense Councils and Citizens' Defense Corps in the various communities.

While the scope of Red Cross participation in civilian war aid has been limited, the Red Cross emblem, long familiar in disaster relief work, will still be much in evidence. Red Cross personnel, facilities and resources will have a prominent part in the picture.

The degree and nature of Red Cross participation will vary considerably according to local conditions and the desires of defense authorities. For example, defense plans in a hazardous coastline community will be vastly different than in an inland community far removed from any apparent hazard.

If you are among the 3,500,000 Americans who have taken the Red Cross standard first aid training, you will have an opportunity to put your knowledge and skill to work as part of the Emergency Medical service set up by each Citizens' Defense Corps.

A Chance to Help.

You may be asked to become members of stretcher teams or to give first aid to the injured, such as giving artificial respiration, stopping blood from spurting arteries, and care for traumatic shock. The Red Cross helps the Emergency Medical service by recruiting persons trained in first aid, and recruiting and training Volunteer Nurse's Aides to serve with Emergency Medical service units at base and casualty hospitals, casualty stations and first aid posts.

Local chapters of the Red Cross will have a representative in the

control center, the operating headquarters of the local Defense Corps from which all services are directed during bombing or other war emergencies affecting civilians. With information and instructions received from the commander or chief of the Emergency Medical service, the representative will be in a position to set in motion the chapter services which a particular situation demands.

Throughout the country, and especially in small towns, Red Cross chapters are improvising equipment for possible use in emergencies. Commercial vehicles are being converted into canteens, ambulances and transportation units. In some parts of the country small chapters are combining to form "flying squadrons" which place disaster and civilian war aid on entirely mobile basis.

In view of the Red Cross agreement with ODHWS, local chapters are laying special stress upon the possible feeding of large masses of



Scenes such as this one—taken in England during a Red Cross nurse gas mask drill—might take place in this country, and with the same earnestness that they take place on the British Isle. Today, the Red Cross is preparing for any eventuality in case the enemy attempts to strike home here in the U. S.

people in bombed areas. For a small suburban community, Lawrence, N. Y., has an efficient setup. Its Canteen Corps, made up of members who have taken Red Cross nutrition and canteen courses, go into action immediately after the "all clear" signal. It can prepare two meals for 1,500 persons. Within an hour after the order has been received, the Motor Corps transports the meals to the feeding center in the vicinity of the disaster. There is a second group of canteen workers, made up of mothers with young children, who are called out several hours later. Besides the large supplies for 1,500 emergency meals now stored in unit headquarters, the local chapter will, if necessary, buy food from local stores.

Wherever mass feedings become necessary, the American Red Cross will be able to put into practice

As They Sew



Thousands of women, such as those pictured here, in clubs and churches and Red Cross chapters throughout the land, are sewing and knitting for the war wounded throughout the world. Civilians, too in war hammered lands benefit from the activities of such groups.

some lessons learned from the experiences of civilian relief workers in the bombed areas of Great Britain. Through an agreement with the American Restaurant association many persons may now be fed quickly and economically.

In some cases, a central kitchen and dining hall would be set up in an industrial cafeteria. The Worcester, Mass., chapter, for example, has provided for several mobile canteens to transport food from restaurants. Workers are to be fed at the

scene of disaster, but victims at evacuation centers. Mobile canteen operations have been planned on a unit food load of 20 gallons of stew, bread, butter, coffee, milk and crackers for 200 persons at a time.

Red Cross chapters will handle inquiries concerning the safety of persons in the event of bombing or other enemy action. This is a logical Red Cross service.

Detailed plans are being worked out between local chapters and Defense Corps commanders and chiefs of the Emergency Medical service for use of Red Cross ambulance units, mobile canteen units and supplementary transportation when needed. Members of the Motor Corps often use their own cars.

In some cities business firms and industrial plants have formed reserve fleets of trucks and automobiles for use in possible enemy air raids. The Worcester, Mass., chapter has established so-called automotive parks in eight different sections of the city. Each park, centrally located for operations in its own neighborhood, serves as headquarters for the departure and return of the various motor services and personnel, including Red Cross Canteen Corps, Motor Corps, auxiliary ambulances and private cars and trucks forming part of the pool. These facilities will serve under direction of the Defense Corps Commander.

In case mass destruction of homes by enemy action makes large-scale evacuation necessary, Red Cross chapters will provide food, clothing and temporary group shelter which may be needed for evacuees.

Chapters are making surveys of possible group shelters. In larger communities they are generally churches, schools, clubs, hotels and lodge halls. In smaller towns arrangements are being made to use churches, schools, grange and lodge halls. The machinery for mass evacuations is being created by regional, state and local defense authorities and the facilities and resources of the Red Cross are being made available to them as needed.

TO YOUR Good Health

By DR. JAMES W. BARTON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

DIZZINESS

For many years the home treatment of dizziness was a dose of Epsom salts—magnesium sulphate. This dose was given because dizziness was thought due to a sluggish liver and gall bladder and constipation. As a matter of fact, many cases of dizziness are due to these conditions and the treatment by Epsom salts is considered correct.



Dr. Barton

There are, however, many cases of dizziness due to disturbance—swelling of the tissues—about the balancing canals of the inner ear. Any drug that will remove water from the system, as does Epsom salts, would be considered good treatment.

Treatment by Epsom salts is, however, not the method of treatment for dizziness now used by physicians. Dr. K. M. Simonton, in Proceedings Staff Meeting, Mayo Clinic, states that severe vertigo—dizziness—should be treated by (1) rest in bed; (2) avoidance of all movement, especially sudden movement; (3) avoidance of sudden sounds and light; (4) raising the head of the bed to prevent congestion in the inner ear; (5) moderate doses of atropine to open up blood vessels) and a quieting drug; (6) a soft, light diet; and (7) magnesium sulphate—Epsom salts—taken by mouth.

If attacks of dizziness are accompanied by head noises and loss of hearing (Meniere's disease), the patient is instructed to take six 7½-grain tablets of ammonium chloride, three times daily with meals, for three days; no medicine is then taken for two days; and the tablets are repeated for three days. No salt is allowed at the table and very little is to be used in cooking. No baking soda—sodium bicarbonate—or other drug containing sodium should be used. To keep the patient free from dizziness, this treatment must be always kept up.

When there is dizziness only and the dizziness is "up and down" rather than "round and round," the liver and gall bladder are considered at fault and Epsom salts is used. When the dizziness is "round and round" and there are head noises, loss of hearing, nausea and vomiting, eating food low in salt and omitting salt with and in food may give relief without the ammonium chloride.

Relieving Pain By Means of Heat

When examining boxers at 2 p. m. for a boxing bout that night, I have often been annoyed by having a boxer step on the scales one or two pounds overweight. The manager of the boxer is sometimes fined for this neglect to have his boxer at the correct weight.

Being overweight means covering him up with heavy woolen sweaters, hard brisk exercise, and a Turkish or cabinet bath to get the one or two pounds off within an hour. This effort is both a mental and physical strain as the boxer feels that he is weakening himself and will not be at his best for the evening bout.

There is nothing wrong with increased heat of the body by means of exercise or baths, but the heat should be created gradually, not in such a rapid manner. A Turkish or cabinet heat bath, too hot and too prolonged, can cause weakness, shock, and collapse.

"The heat, whether it is dry or moist, should not be given for a longer than 30-minute period even where there is profuse sweating."

However, most individuals who undergo heat treatments by baths or other methods are not boxers or athletes but those with rheumatism or arthritis, soreness and stiffness due to accumulation of waste or fatigue products in the tissues. By means of heat these wastes are hurried out of the system in half the time or less than it would ordinarily take to remove them.

Those who are not well should not take heat treatments without supervision. Patients may feel a fullness and throbbing of the head, rapid beating of the heart, and a feeling of great weakness while undergoing heat treatment. For this reason the "steam" room of the Turkish bath establishment has a couch on which the individual should lie down. Sitting erect means more effort on the part of the heart as it is easier to pump blood on the level than up and down.

JUST

Slightly Mistaken
Pinchpenny—Yes, sub, he got me mad an' called me a darned old barefaced scoundrel.
Col. Bluegrass—That wasn't right. You've got a goatee an' mustache.

It doesn't pay to cast sheep's eyes at a pretty girl. She's sure to pull the wool over your eyes.

Ought to Be
King—I understand Meeker's wife is an excellent parliamentarian.
Kole—Well, she's been speaker of the house the 15 years they've been married.

FITTING DESCRIPTION



Client—Thought you left word in your office that you were out on important legal business?

Counselor—Just so. This ball game seems to be highly important, and I assure you it is perfectly legal.

Time Enough
Rookie Policeman—Come back behind these ropes, young man.

Reporter—But I am a newspaper reporter and want to get the facts about this fire.

Policeman—Come out of there, I tell you. You can find out about the fire in the paper in the morning.

SKIN IRRITATIONS OF EXTERNAL CAUSE

acne pimples, bumps (blackheads), and ugly broken-out skin. Millions relieve miseries with simple home treatment. Goes to work at once. Direct action aids healing by killing germs it touches. Use Black and White Ointment only as directed. 10c, 25c, 50c sizes. 25 years success. Money-back guarantee. Vital in cleansing is good soap. Enjoy famous Black and White Skin Soap daily.

Man's Nobility
They that deny a God destroy man's nobility; for certainly man is of kin to the beasts by his body; and, if he be not kin to God by his spirit, he is a base and ignoble creature.—Bacon.

CORNS GO FAST

Pain goes quick, corns speedily removed when you use this, soothing, cushioning Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads. Try them!

War and Peace
Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors and let every new year find you a better man.—Benjamin Franklin.

HOTELS of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

"...maintaining normal operations"

We Can All Be EXPERT BUYERS

- In bringing us buying information, as to prices that are being asked for what we intend to buy, and as to the quality we can expect, the advertising columns of this newspaper perform a worth while service which saves us many dollars a year.
- It is a good habit to form, the habit of consulting the advertisements every time we make a purchase, though we have already decided just what we want and where we are going to buy it. It gives us the most priceless feeling in the world: the feeling of being adequately prepared.
- When we go into a store, prepared beforehand with knowledge of what is offered and at what price, we go as an expert buyer, filled with self-confidence. It is a pleasant feeling to have the feeling of adequacy. Most of the unhappiness in the world can be traced to a lack of this feeling. Thus advertising shows another of its manifold facets—shows itself as an aid toward making all our business relationships more secure and pleasant.



When the furious fighting was taking place in the Philippines the Red Cross was there administering to the civilian population injured. This picture of two native Red Cross girls was taken by the army signal corps during the fighting on the island.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I tried to be so friendly
With some one that I know,
And then she simply snubbed me—
It just surprised me so.



WNU Features.

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Summerless Year

The New England Yankee called the year 1816 "Eighteen Hundred and Froze to Death." There was frost and snow every month during 1816 in New England, according to reports. January of 1816 was only slightly colder than normal; February was warmer than usual. But Maine got a heavy snowfall in April, with farmers planting their crops while wearing earmuffs and mittens. The ice did not go off Lake Erie until May 10. On May 15, it was freezing in Pennsylvania and Virginia. The abnormal cold of 1816 also hit Europe.

All summer prayers for warm weather to save the crops were offered up in Swedish churches. It was cold even in northern Africa in the summer of 1816.

YOU CAN'T BUY ASPIRIN
that can do more for you than St. Joseph Aspirin. Why pay more? World's largest seller at 10c. Demand St. Joseph Aspirin.

True Greatness

He is truly great that is great in charity. He is truly great that is little in himself, and marketh no account of any height of honor. And he is truly learned that doeth the will of God, and forsaketh his own will.—Thomas a Kempis.

To Relieve MONTHLY FEMALE PAIN

If you suffer monthly cramps, backache, nervousness, distress of "irregularities"—due to functional monthly disturbances—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once! Pinkham's Compound is one medicine you can buy today made especially for women.
Taken regularly throughout the month—Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against such symptoms. Follow label directions. Worth trying!
LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

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HOUSEWIVES: ★ ★ ★
Your Waste Kitchen Fats Are Needed for Explosives
TURN 'EM IN! ★ ★ ★

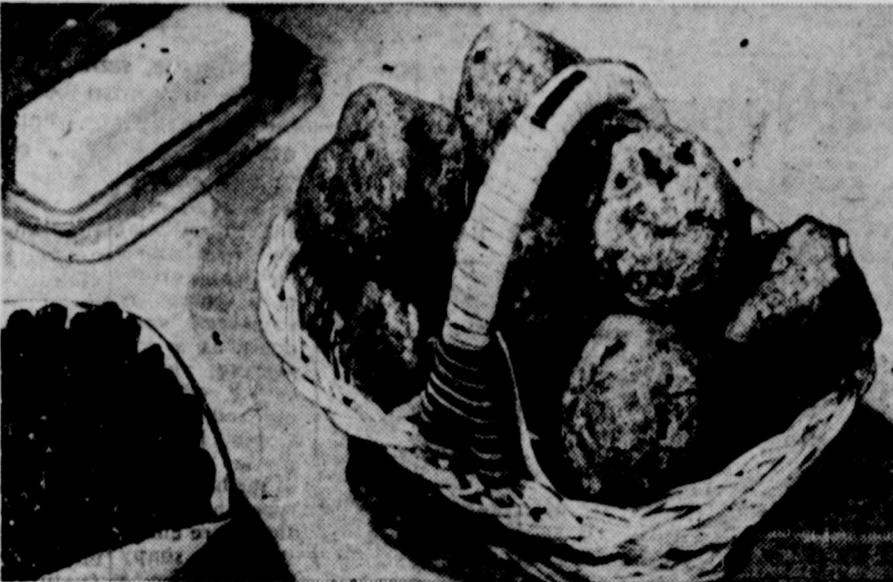
Kidneys Must Work Well—

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

DOAN'S PILLS

Household News

by Lynn Chambers



Turn a Meal Into a Banquet With Blueberry Muffins (See Recipes Below.)

Prepare for Week-Ends

Lazy days with first signs of fall in the air, wilted appetites and the whole family home for the week-end are a heavy drain on the homemaker. If she expects to spend any time with her family, Madame Housewife must scurry around and plan a preparedness campaign which will stock her refrigerator with foods that can be pulled—like the traditional bunny out of the hat—and still keep her reputation as the "best cook around here."

Remember, you can do more for your table by arranging Concord grapes tastefully with a few golden pears, blush red apples on rich brown leaves or in well polished pewter, copper or brass vessels than rare, expensive flowers that your family does not know how to appreciate. Then, of course, if you have a few yellow or deep red chrysanthemums in your fall garden, let them fall gracefully in and out among their own leaves in a burnished bowl, and you leave nothing to be desired.

Here's the mousse which you can have as a main dish. Make it the night before and it's already to serve just with unmolding:

***Chicken-Ham Mousse.**
(Serves 6)

- 3 egg yolks, slightly beaten
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1½ cups chicken broth
- 1½ cups ground, cooked chicken
- 1½ cups ground, cooked ham
- ¼ cup salad dressing
- 1 minced scallion
- ¼ cup whipped cream
- 1 package lemon-flavored gelatin

Add salt to egg yolks, then broth. Cook over boiling water, stirring constantly until mixture coats a spoon. Pour over gelatin and stir until dissolved. Cool. Fold in remaining ingredients. Place strips of green pepper, sliced olives, sliced hard-cooked eggs on bottom of oiled mold. Pour in mousse. Let chill until firm. Unmold on lettuce and garnish with romaine, endive and tomato wedges.

Dispositions will all be the merrier when you serve these bran-blue-

This Week's Menu

- *Chicken-Ham Mousse
- *All-Bran Blueberry Muffins
- Butter
- *Julienne Salad
- *Whipped Cream Sugarless Cake
- *Recipes Given.

berry muffins because the B-vitamins, often called morale builders, in the bran and the magnesium in the blueberries, which is reputed to create kindlier feelings toward your fellow men, really get together and do their best for the system:

***All-Bran Blueberry Muffins.**
(Makes 12 small muffins)

- 2 tablespoons shortening
 - ¼ cup sugar
 - 1 egg
 - 1 cup all-bran
 - ¾ cup milk
 - 1 cup flour
 - ½ teaspoon salt
 - 2½ teaspoons baking powder
 - ½ cup fresh blueberries
- Cream shortening and sugar until fluffy. Add egg and beat well. Stir in all-bran and milk and let soak until all moisture is taken up. Sift dry ingredients and add blueberries. Add to first mixture and stir just until flour disappears. Fill greased muffin tins until two-thirds full and bake in a moderately hot (400-degree) oven about 30 minutes.

***Julienne Salad Bowl.**
(Serves 6)

- 1 cup cabbage
 - 1 cup carrots
 - ½ cup green pepper
 - ¼ cup red radishes
 - Garlic
 - Curly endive or shredded lettuce
- Shred all the vegetables fine. Arrange mounds of them in a bowl, and toss french dressing over them. Rub the bowl in which they are served with garlic.

A main dish that will go well with the Julienne Salad is this Baked Bean dish:

Baked Bean Rarebit.

- 1 can baked beans
 - ¼ pound American cheese, grated
 - 3 slices bacon, fried crisp
 - ½ green pepper sliced
- Mix beans, green pepper and crumbled bacon with grated cheese and pour into a casserole. Bake in a moderate oven 35-40 minutes.

***Whipped Cream Sugarless Cake.**

- 2¼ cups sifted cake flour
 - 2¼ teaspoons double acting baking powder
 - ¼ teaspoon salt
 - ½ cup butter or shortening
 - 1 cup light corn syrup
 - 2 eggs, unbeaten
 - ½ cup orange juice
 - 2 teaspoons grated orange rind
 - 1 cup cream, whipped
- Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift dry ingredients together three times. Cream shortening, add orange rind, and then syrup beating well after each addition. Add ¼ of flour and beat until smooth and well blended. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each. Add remaining flour in thirds alternately with orange juice, beating after each addition for best results. Bake in two greased 8-inch layer pans in a moderate (375-degree) oven 30 minutes. Cool. Spread whipped cream between and on top of layers.

What are your food problems? Cake making? Bread making? Pickles, jams, jellies? Children's lunches? Miss Lynn Chambers will be glad to give you expert advice on your particular problem, if you write her explaining what you want to know, at Western Newspaper Union, 210 South Desplaines Street, Chicago, Ill. Please enclose a stamped, addressed envelope for your reply.
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AROUND THE HOUSE

Don't rip off buttons in the clothes wringer. Fold them inside the garment and hold it flat as it goes through.

A smart cook puts vegetables on the table with a fresh garden look and taste. She wouldn't think of over-cooking them or pouring the juice down the drain.

It is easy to substitute honey for sugar in many recipes, as honey has practically the same sweetening power as sugar, measure for measure.

Pillow cases can be made to last longer if after a year's service you rip the one end, fold in the opposite way, and sew together again.

When canned goods must be stored in an unsatisfactory place, set jars on shelves on their heads. Then the rubbers will not dry out.

Fresh peas may be boiled right in the pod and the soft part of the pod eaten. Boil not less than one-half hour until quite tender in well-salted water.

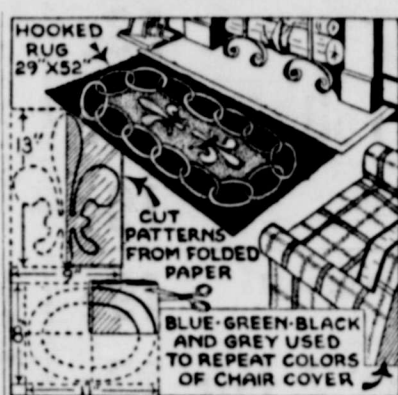
ON THE HOME FRONT

with RUTH WYETH SPEARS

THIS is another design in the series planned to use up odds and ends of woolen materials to make lasting floor coverings. The design is very old and was made by other women during other wars. Dimensions are given in

The rug colorings have been planned to repeat tones in the room color schemes.

NOTE: There are suggestions for preparing hooked rug materials and for making original designs in BOOK 5 of the series which Mrs. Spears has prepared for readers. Book 6 contains directions for a hooked rug that any beginner can make easily and quickly. Booklets are 10 cents each. If you order both booklets you will receive a pattern and directions for the Add-A-Square Rug. Be sure to request it with your order. Address:



the sketch for making your own patterns for the links and the fleur de lis. The shaded parts of the diagrams show a half and a quarter of the design drawn on folded paper. The dotted lines show how the pattern will appear when the paper has been cut. The design is outlined on the burlap by drawing around the cut-out pattern with wax crayon.

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For Happy Life
Remember this—that very little is needed to make a happy life.—
Marcus Aurelius.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

1. What mythical creature was half horse and half man?
2. In what city is Threadneedle street?
3. During a race, how much of the time has a horse all four feet off the ground?
4. Is it unlawful to destroy U. S. coins?
5. Who was the first and only President to be buried at Arlington National cemetery?
6. What is the percentage of silver in German silver?
7. In 1941, how much did the American public pay in tolls to cross rivers?
8. What was the fate of the first iron-clad battleship Monitor?

The Answers

1. The centaur.
2. London.
3. A race horse has all four feet off the ground one-fourth of the time during a race.
4. No. There is no law against it. The law is against mutilating, lightening or defacing.
5. William Howard Taft is the only President to be buried at Arlington National cemetery.
6. German silver is a white alloy of zinc, nickel and copper, and contains no silver.
7. In 1941 the American public paid in tolls, to cross rivers on ferries, through tunnels and over bridges, an average of about \$250,000 every 24 hours.
8. On December 10, 1862, the Monitor foundered during a heavy storm and sank with all hands in Diamond shoals off Cape Hatteras, North Carolina.

J. Fuller Pep
By JERRY LINK



The Deacon used to say, "Bad news doesn't need any pushin'. It moves along fast enough by itself. But good news is kinda sluggish. So nudge it along all you can!"
I sort of like that idea myself. So I'm nudging along to you how KELLOGG'S PEP is extra-rich in vitamins B₁ and D—the two vitamins hardest to get enough of in ordinary meals.

And nothing that tastes as good as PEP has any business being good for you! Try it. I just know you'll like it!

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Matches	Firechief Full count 6 box carton	19c
Peanut Butter	Armour's Star fresh shipment large 24 oz	33c
Corn Tendersweet	Pure cream style No. 2, 2	23c
Wheaties	The breakfast of champions package	10c
Salt	Jefferson Island 1 1/2 lb. pkg. 2	05c
Baking Powder	Clabber Girl 25 oz. can	17c
Soup	Campbell's Tomato can 3 For	23c
Gauze Toilet tissue	roll 3	14c
Asparagus	Milford cut green No. 300 can	19c
Skinner's	Macaroni and Spaghetti package 3 For	19c
Skinner's Raisin Bran	2 For	23c
Rainbow Bleach	Makes clothes whiter full quart	10c
Crystal White SOAP	regular bar 6 for	23c
Kitchen Kleenzer	hurts only dirt 2 cans	13c
Syrup	Jimmy Boy Ribbon Cane 10 lb.	59c

Royal Owl



FLOUR	Make your own	Guarantee
48 lb. sk.	\$1.65	24 lb sk. 89c
Tomatoes	Red Crest, hand packed new crop, full No. 2 can	10c
7 oz. Pickles	Sweet, Sour, or Dill each	10c
4 lb. Jewel or Vegetole	SHORTENING crt. 65c, 8 lb. crt	\$1.29
Carnation Milk	3 tall or 6 small	25c
Quart Jar of VINEGAR		10c
10 lbs. of Pure CANE SUGAR		65c
25 lbs. of Pure CANE SUGAR		\$1.59
Sachran tablets	100 in a box 23c 1000 in a bottle	\$1.00
LEMON-LIME	two layer CAKE each	25c
CINNAMON	rolls package 6 For	10c

PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

Colorado Green Cabbage	lb.	2 1/2c
Carrots From Colorado fine flavor	lb.	4 1/2c
Bell Pepper nice ones from near by farm	lb.	4 1/2c
Cucumbers from cool Colorado	lb.	4 1/2c
Rutabagas	lb.	6 1/2c
Potatoes new reds	lb.	4 1/2c
Colorado green beans young and tender	lb.	10c
Celery Colorado Pascal best for eating stalk		12c
Oranges California Red Ball	each	01c
Lemons, California Sunkist	dozen	15c

MARKET

Prem per can	33c
Kraft Dinner 2 for	23c
Brooks Catsup per bottle	19c
Armours Star Ham 1-2 or whole	39c
Oscar Mayer Wieners per can	27c
Short Rib or Brisket Roast lb	21c
Loin or T Bone Steak lb	34c

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Mrs. Fannie Zachry of Meadow visited in the Marvin Stewart home the past week.

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Frank McCabe bought A. F. Landers home and will move soon

To The Observer

In reply to letter received from H. O. Whitt concerning the abuse of rubber tires, I as sheriff shall cooperate to the letter and any one caught speeding in my jurisdiction will be given a card and a copy will be furnished Mr Whitt, Chairman of the Coke County War Price and Rationing Board. So govern you self accordingly and play safe.

Frank Percifull,
Sheriff.

Claud Barger and family spent Thursday in Robert Lee.

School Notes

Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Lackey and two boys have moved to Robert Lee from Fredericksburg. Mr. Lackey has been employed as principal of our school.

Miss Lora Edna Meadows of Kilgore has been employed as 4th grade teacher, and Miss Helen Herral of Fort Stockton has accepted a place in our school as 8th grade teacher

Notice to Farmers

The two gins of Robert Lee will use the same hours as in the past which are beginning at 9 a. m., stop at noon, quit weighing in at 7:00 P. M. (old-time) but will gin all the cotton on the yard at that time.

We want to kindly ask the farmers not to bring us bales that will weigh above 550 lbs because if we break our press we have to go through Washington to get priorities for repairs, which takes from 30 to 60 days.

We thank the farmers for their past favors and hope to render you the best of service that we possibly can this coming year.

Your Genners
Joe Dodson
Fred McDonald Jr.

Science In The News

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Soap stands for cleanliness, sanitation, health, and civilized living; it is indispensable to human comfort. But soap has other values which become especially apparent in wartime, values which send carload lots of soap to many of our war production plants.

Some of the new artificial rubber factories use enough soap to supply the homes of a small city.

In the processing of both artificial and reclaimed rubber, common soap is employed variously as a dispersing, lubricating, stabilizing, and wetting agent. In synthetic rubbers of the butadiene type the ingredients are emulsified in soapy water. In a widely used method for the utilization of reclaimed rubber, scrap rubber is ground up and mixed with ten per cent of soap. Then water is added gradually while the mixture is being cooked and stirred to make a latex which is almost, if not quite, equal to the original.

At present, however, the largest industrial consumer of soap is the textile industry, where soap finds application in almost every process of converting raw materials into finished fabrics—in scouring raw wool, in felting, in bleaching and cleaning rayon and cotton goods, in dyeing, as a softening or filling agent, and in shower-proofing. Raw wool, cotton, and silk may contain as much as twenty to fifty per cent of dirt, which must be removed by repeated soap baths. More washings with soap and water are required as the woven fabric goes through printing processes.

Soap baths also enter many metal manufacturing routines. Steel ball bearings are thoroughly scrubbed in rotating drums, metal parts to be plated are first cleansed in a simple soap bath, and so on. As a lubricant to reduce friction and heat in wire drawing, tube drawing, and metal rolling under terrific pressure, it has been found

that simple soap solutions stand up better than oils and greases, a characteristic which has become more useful under the stress of today's hurry-up methods.

The flotation method of concentrating ores, which permits economical working of sources of essential minerals formerly considered useless, is calling for increasing amounts of soap. Soap has been successfully used in the flotation of scheelite (tungsten-bearing ore), hematite (iron ore), cinnabar (mercury ore), apatite (natural phosphate of lime), and others.

Because soap will penetrate many materials and carry other substances with it, it is a standard ingredient of compositions used to impart suppleness and finish to leather products. Leather dressings, leather cleansers, shoe polishes, etc., usually contain large proportions of soap. Leathers for a great variety of military uses are now treated with colloidal graphite, carried in a soap suspension, to increase their resistance to heat and moisture.

Since soap lowers surface tension, soapy water will cover a considerably greater area than an equal amount of pure water. This property of soap makes it an essential ingredient of insecticide sprays, more important now than ever on farms and victory gardens. Thousands of tons of soap are thus used, in conjunction with mineral and vegetable poisons, to spread the liquid over more area. Here soap does double duty because it also blocks the breathing tubes of its insect victims.

The uses described here by no means exhaust the long list of industrial processes where soap is used for other than cleansing reasons but they serve to indicate the importance of this well-known material to little-known fields.

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY

3 lb. RED & WHITE Shortening	65c
Flour RED & WHITE	79c
48 lb. sk. \$1.65, 24	
Cream of wheat Regular 5 min. large box	25c
12's Kotex	19c
Red & White Lye 3 cans	23c
McCarmac Tea 1 lb. can	23c
Dispenser White Napkins box	9c
Excell Soda Crackers 2 lb	21c
Qt. B&M Dill Pickles	15c
Red & White Milk 6 cans	24c

Produce Department

Thompson Seedless Grapes 2 lbs. For	21c
LEMONS 588's Sun Kist dozen	12c
Bell PEPPER 2 lbs. For	13c
No. 1 New Potatoes 2 lbs. For	09c

MARKET

Loin or T Bone Steak	lb.	35c
Plate Ribs	lb.	24c
Sliced Bacon	lb.	35c
Lunch Meat	lb.	29c
Kraft Cheese	lb.	35c
Corned Beef Hash -can-	lb.	21c