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COLLEGE MEN GETTING MORE EXTRA WORK

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.— College students, by working while studying, contributed importantly to the efforts of this nation in its first six months of war, E. E. Crabb, president of Investors Syndicate, declared here today in releasing latest abulations of a national college survey made by his organization.

Working students will contribute even more to America's war efforts in the next half year, the survey showed, as greater numbers of students will be called on to take the places of non-war workers leaving their usual jobs for war industry employment or military service.

Students received more paid employment in the academic year now ending than in the preceding period, Mr. Crabb said. "Such jobs were voluntary. They were not an integral part of studies or co-operative courses.

"Fifteen times as many schools reported that students were working at part-time jobs than were working in seven-hour-a-day jobs while continuing regular studies. "Indirect war work was mentioned four times more often than direct war work as providing paid employment to students." Mr. Crabb declared that students hold more jobs this year than last year and predicted that they could expect a gain in odd-hour employment offers this autumn.

The Investors Syndicate survey is made annually. This year it dealt with the war time role of American colleges, technical schools and universities.

These institutions were asked: "Are your students doing more—(or about the same)—extra-curricular work (outside of regular classes, or co-operative work which is an integral part of course) now than a year ago?"

Forty-seven per cent, or 272 of 477 schools answering this question, asserted that their students were working outside of class in this than in the preceding academic year. Twenty-three per cent, or 109, declared that their students did less non-class employment. Twenty per cent, or 96, faculties said the same amount of work as a year ago.

"Another query was: 'Is this part-time or seven hour a day work?'"

Part-time student callings were registered by 93.5 per cent, or 320, of the 342 colleges responding to this question. Only 22, or 6.5 per cent of these institutions said their students were kept busy at seven hours a day jobs.

A third question read: "Does this extra-curricular work result from direct war work or indirect war work (such as shortage of workers opening positions to be filled part-time or by odd-hour workers)?"

Eight tenths, or 262 of the 327 schools answering this query, indicated that indirect war work was supplying employment to their students. Only two-tenths, or 65, of these universities, stated that direct war employment provided positions to their students during the academic year now closing.

New Charters For Business Show A Slump In State

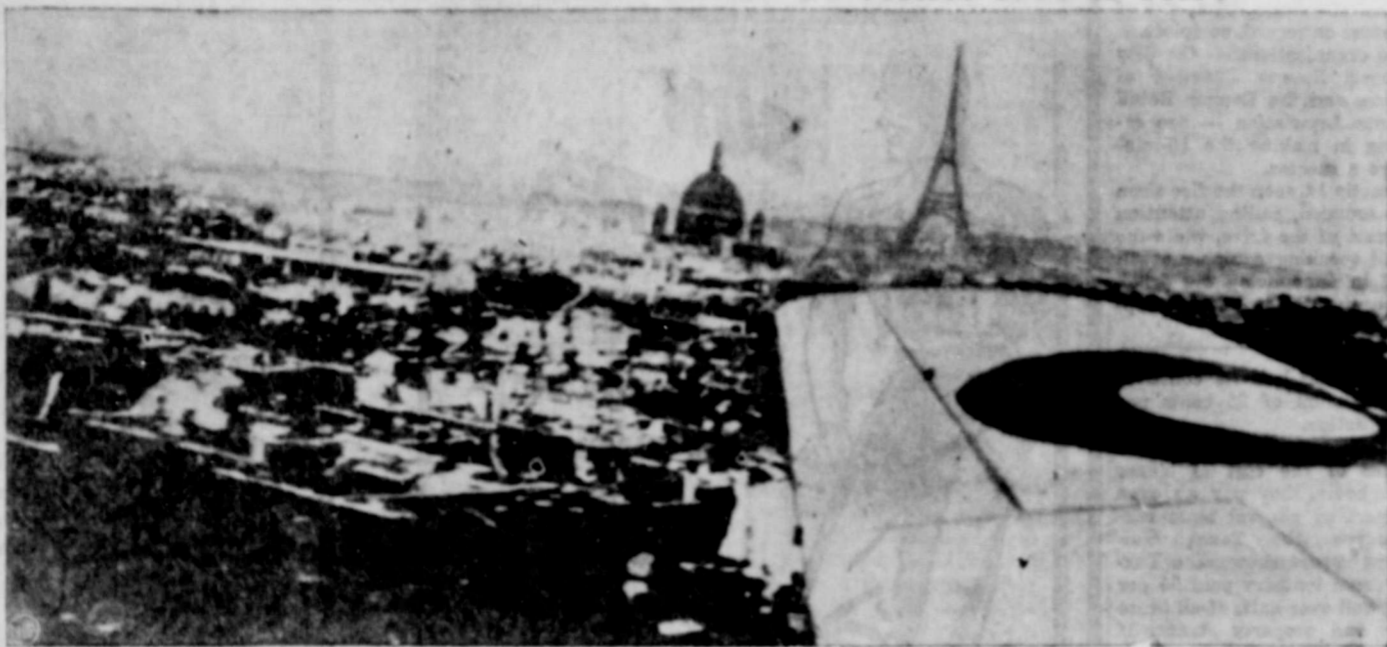
AUSTIN — Texas slowed down their pace in creation of new corporations during May, both number and capitalization of new enterprises declining from April, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Of the new businesses were chartered during the past month, as compared with 99 in May, 1941, and 34 in April, and total capitalization this year ran to only \$473,000, whereas May, 1941, showed \$1,793,000 and April had \$508,000 in new corporations chartered.

Of the new businesses started, 10 were in the manufacturing field, four in the oil production division.

THE WEATHER
WEST TEXAS — Scattered showers in north portion this afternoon and in northeast portion tonight. Cooler in north portion tonight.

RAF Skims Near Eiffel Tower To Honor 1914-18 Hero



RAF flyers dip low over Paris during daylight raid to drop French tricolor on Tomb of Unknown Soldier, turn cannon on Ministry of Marine building housing German headquarters. Over wing tip can be seen Eiffel Tower and dome of Les Invalides.

Aerial Axis Busters Rehearse



Leading fliers of the Army Air Force fighter pilot school at Foster Field, Texas, fly their single engine advanced training planes in this spectacular echelon formation atop the overcast. Pilots of these planes train their wings today and will be ready for combat against Jap zeros or Nazi Messerschmidts.

50 COUNTIES RAISE QUOTAS FOR THE USO

HOUSTON, Tex.—Fifty Texas counties have completely failed to do their share of the USO campaign, Harry C. Weiss, state chairman, reported today.

Ninety-one counties have made their quotas, and reports have been made of partial completions in 114 other counties, bringing Texas within \$175,000 of its \$1,110,000 quota in the war fund campaign which will provide relief in Uncle Sam's fighting forces.

"We can make this a Glorious Fourth of July by completing this campaign by that date," Mr. Weiss declared. "Then we civilians can truly say that we have made our soldiers, sailors and marines independent of want for a home away from home."

The drive opened May 11 in every state, seeking a national fund of \$32,000,000, and is scheduled to close July 4.

In telegrams to county chairmen, Mr. Weiss called for unceasing effort until the quota is attained.

"We in Texas have an unusual responsibility in this matter because Texas is host to more soldiers than any other state and the USO is spending much more money here than we are being asked to contribute," Mr. Weiss pointed out.

"You realize the important work USO will do to maintain the morale of our soldiers, sailors and marines at the high standard necessary for America to win this war. Knowing that every one in your country wants the hundreds of men who have gone into the war from your county to be given the best care within the power of the USO, we feel confident that your county will make a good showing."

Mr. Weiss also announced that 100 USO centers are now in operation at home and abroad.

PRICE CONTROL WILL EXPAND ON WEDNESDAY

Completing the price control program of the Office of Price Administration, a regulation covering consumers services dealing with commodities has been issued, effective July 1.

In announcing the effective date of the consumer service price regulation, Max L. McCullough, region OPA Administrator, pointed out that services not covered by the ruling, as well as those covered, are listed in the regulation itself.

Some of the more common services which are affected and those which are not affected follow:

These are controlled—Shoe shines and repairs, dry cleaning, laundry work, fur repairs and storage, furniture repairs and storage, radio repairs, vacuum cleaner repairs, sewing machine repairs, washing machine repairs, hosiery repairs, clothing alterations, repairs, fountain pen and camera repairs, lawn mower sharpening, hemstitching, tucking, pleating, bicycle and luggage repairs.

These are not controlled—Beauty parlors, barber shops, doctor's and dentists' fees, lawyers' fees, telephone and telegraph, insurance rates, gas and electricity, water rates, transportation rates, Turkish baths and massages, notary public's fees, employment agency rates, athletic and health club rates, tree surgery, express company rates, newspaper rates.

Stopped Watch Will Become Souvenir

FORT WORTH (UP)—Royce Hart's wrist watch stopped at 5:20 when he jumped into Coral Sea approximately six hours after the Japs struck the U. S. aircraft carrier Lexington.

Royce, an electrician's mate third class, is going to keep it that way as a souvenir.

FARM PRICES STILL BELOW WAR I LEVEL

AUSTIN, Tex.—Although the rise in farm prices during the past year is contributing substantially to the rise in farm cash income, the present level of farm prices is still far below that reached in World War I, according to Dr. F. A. Buechel, assistant director of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Farm prices had reached a two-year low in August, 1939, just before the outbreak of the war, Dr. Buechel points out, so the increase since then should not be viewed with alarm. Further substantial increases in farm prices above the present level would, he believes, however, be justifiable basis for concern.

Writing a monthly report on farm cash income for the state during May, Dr. Buechel points out that the Texas wheat harvest now under way is expected to be well above last year and that higher prices now prevailing will mean a substantial increase in cash income from that source. Cotton and cottonseed prices during the marketing season are also expected to be considerably above a year ago. Dr. Buechel says, and a crop of the same size as last year will result in substantial income gains from these products.

Growing income from milk and milk products, fruits and vegetables, poultry and eggs are also forecast.

Dr. Buechel pointed out that income from agriculture in the state during May totaled \$53,494,000 or 40 per cent more than the \$38,415,000 for the same month of 1941. Aggregate farm cash income for the first five months is 60 per cent above last year, he reported.

WORKERS BRING NEW PROBLEM TO WASHINGTON

Washington (UP)—War workers coming to Washington bring along anything from a pet turtle to billy goats, complicating the problems of Roy Miller, manager of the defense housing registry in Washington.

"The girls from small towns present most of the problems, but other workers contribute their share," he said.

He related one instance of a newcomer and her "hobby." She had no sooner taken a room than she started to show a horrified landlady her "hobby." Out of her suitcase crawled live turtles and lizards with collars around their necks. She had packed bugs in small boxes to feed her pets.

"Of course she was an extreme case," said Miller. "But a girl from California who accepted a civil service appointment planned to bring along her pet dogs. I advised her strongly against it."

A classic example of "bringing bugs and baggage into town" was furnished by an upstate New York family. The "family circle" included father, mother, three children, a cat, a dog, and two billy goats.

They trailed into the registry to try to find an apartment for a month. They said they had found a place to stay after that date—providing someone would take them in an apartment for a month.

Miller said his most recent "can't-be-solved case" was of a West Virginia mountain family that came to Washington with the daughter who had been recruited for a \$1,440-a-year job. Dad, mom, grandad, and his six came with the breadwinner to seek their fortune in Washington.

They planned to stay "for some time" until they could find work themselves. The registry found the cheapest accommodations to be had, \$1 a day per person at a tourist home. After one day in the Capital City they took themselves back to the mountains of West Virginia. "Rents are too high," they said.

Miller strongly advises no one to come to Washington without a job. His slogan is "See your local civil service office first." Too many become stranded here. He also discourages self-supporting women with children from leaving home to come to defense areas.

Insurance Man's Raft Passes Tests

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—A newly-designed life raft, equipped to carry 18 men and built entirely without nails, will be produced here in quantity as soon as Washington gives the go ahead.

The raft, approved by U. S. maritime officials, is built of Oregon fir and cedar and galvanized iron. It passed rigorous tests specified by maritime regulations.

The raft was conceived by Leon Bullier, a Portland insurance man.

NAZIS STILL CONTINUE ADVANCE IN EGYPT BUT BRITISH ARE CONFIDENT

Stand to be made at Narrow Bottleneck near Fuka and El Daba Which is Only 80 Miles West of Naval Base at Alexandria; Russians Hold at Kharkov.

CRUSADE FOR BETTER HEALTH IS SPONSORED

NEW YORK, June 29—A nation-wide drive for better health in the form of a "Keep Well Crusade" is being launched by life insurance companies and agents through the Institute of Life Insurance as a new, major contribution of the life insurance business to the war effort, it was announced today.

The "Keep Well Crusade," endorsed by high government officials and leading medical authorities, is being undertaken to conserve the man-hours of work for war production now being lost through illness, and to help relieve the situation on the home front created by the large number of doctors and nurses being drawn from civilian practice to serve with the armed forces. By the end of this year, 35,000 nurses and 40,000 doctors and dentists will be away at war, according to Mr. Johnson. That is nearly one-third of America's total medical force.

Endorsing the life insurance health conservation campaign, Paul V. McNutt, Administrator of the Federal Security Agency and Chairman of the Office of Defense, Health and Welfare Services, stated:

"The success of our war efforts very largely depend upon our ability to arouse and sustain in the public an active consciousness of the importance of personal health. Every man who gives his physician a change to prevent his becoming ill and then does his utmost to keep himself well, is striking directly at the heart of one of our most serious production problems. Nine-tenths of industrial disability is caused by disease and injury not associated with occupation."

Plan for the "Keep Well Crusade" were worked out in consultation with Dr. Thomas Parran, Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service, who stated: "Each individual can contribute to his own health protection and improvement by adopting a few simple ways of healthful living. Each of us must accept this responsibility and stick to it with firm purpose. The total individual responsibility for personal health, accepted by millions of American men and women, will make an incalculable contribution to victory."

"Free Zone" Might Lower Whiskey Cost

HOUSTON, Texas, June 30—If a "free zone" is established at Port Houston, the price of imported whiskey may drop in this vicinity.

A spokesman for an importing firm said at the recent hearing before a U. S. Commerce Department examiner that "the price of imported liquor might go down 50 cents a bottle" if the free zone is permitted. Such a zone permits imported goods to stand without payment of customs until the merchandise is sold.

It would effect the price of liquor because importers now must allow for breakage and empty bottles that cannot be found until the cases are opened. Under the "free zone" arrangement, the cases could be opened for inspection before duty is paid—and the importer will not need to pay duty on broken and empty bottles.

Fewer Failures Recorded In May

AUSTIN (UP)—As Texas business sought to stabilize for the war, commercial failures declined perceptibly during May, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research indicates.

Desert Warfront



This is the Libya-Egypt frontier where axis tanks and troops are continuing their attack on British forces.

Six Couples Get Marriage Licenses

The following couples have secured marriage license from the Eastland County clerk:

Homer D. White, Eastland, and Martha Lou Allen, Princeton.

H. L. Casey, Stanton, and Beulah May Staiger.

Homer Squyers, Ranger, and Katherine McMurrey, Van Buren, Arkansas.

Willard Naver Hodge and Lavonne Hastings.

Odell Grubbs and Pauline Kennedy.

John W. Russell, Camp Bowie, and Grace Ivaline Anderson, Cisco.

WAR BONDS TO BE GIVEN FOR REVUE PRIZES

War Bonds and Stamps will be awarded as prizes in the Third Annual Ranger Bathing Revue, to be held at the Municipal Swimming Pool on Friday evening, July 3, it was stated today by a committee in charge of arrangements.

First prize will be a \$50 War Bond, second prize a \$25 War Bond, while to the third place winner will go \$10 in War Stamps.

Out-of-town judges who will judge the beauties will include J. R. Stuart, Strawn; Bates Cox, Thurber; Rufus Higgs, Stephenville; Ernest Martin, Breckenridge; and Victor Cornelius, Eastland.

A large number of entries have already been entered, and several who have promised to have entries in the revue have not as yet notified the committee who will represent them.

Those who have already selected entries, and the girl who will represent them at the revue are:

J. C. Fenney Company, Cleona Moore.

Joseph's — June Gordon.

Ranger Times — Muri Dean Murrell.

Chamber of Commerce — Edna Jean Merton.

Texas Electric Service Co. — Frances Ann Eshank.

Hammill's — Lynn Pearson.

Commercial State Bank — Amelia Walker.

Rick Department — Josephine Rock.

Community Public Service Co. — Estelle Williams.

City of Ranger — Mary Katherine McHenry.

Parliament Hotel — Gwendolyn Tanner.

The Globe, Inc. — Doris Perlstein.

NYA — Norma Lee Brown.

By United Press
The Axis offensives pushed through the redoubled Allied aerial attacks in a 40-mile advance across the Egyptian desert and battle the British mobile units today in the Fuka sector, about 130 air miles from the Alexandria Naval Base.

Britain's Eighth Army, reinforced by fresh tank units and tough New Zealand troops and supported by American and British bombers, was fighting more stubbornly and effectively, but still had failed to halt the columns of Nazi Field Marshal Erwin Rommel.

Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck, commanding direct command after removal of Lt. Gen. Neil M. Ritchie, still was fighting a delaying action on a battle ground of hundreds of square miles around Fuka and was preparing to make his main stand on the narrow, bottleneck near El Daba, 80 miles west of Alexandria.

Reinforcements were reaching the British Eighth Army, but reports published in London that large American Army forces had arrived in Egypt were unconfirmed and appeared to be untrue.

Dispatches from Cairo said that there was greater confidence in British military circles today, presumably as a result of arrival of reinforcements and effective day and night aerial bombardment that destroyed or damaged much Axis equipment and many supply dumps west of Matruh, as far as Tobruk.

The Russians said that their lines were holding on the Kharkov front, and that counter-attacks had been launched, indicating that the enemy had, as yet, made no important progress in efforts to get started on an offensive toward the Caucasus.

As a result, Hitler's main hope of reaching the Near East oil fields and cutting the Allied supply lines through the Indian Ocean seemed to rest in Egypt, for the time being.

The Japanese have been forced to rush reinforcements into Northern Honan Province, in an attempt to stem the Chinese attacks in an area valuable for coal mines and railroad centers.

House Again Votes Out Funds of CCC

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30—The House of Representatives, standing firm in opposition to the Administration on the issue of continuing the Civilian Conservation Corps, refused again today to vote for funds to keep the CCC in existence another year.

Witness Of Pearl Harbor Attack Is Visitor In Ranger

Mrs. L. C. Martin, daughter of Mrs. Bob Glasscock, and witness to the December 7th attack on Pearl Harbor, has arrived in Ranger to spend the summer after which she will return to California for the winter.

Mrs. Martin whose husband is a warrant officer on a heavy cruiser somewhere in the south Pacific, was at her home in Walkiki Beach when the historic attack occurred and when she realized what was taking place she climbed to the roof of her home to watch. As her home was located half way between two army camps the planes passed over but the nearest bomb was dropped two blocks away. Mrs. Martin stated that it was 10 days after the attack before she heard from her husband.

Following the attack blockouts were general and for a period persons were not permitted outside their homes after 6 o'clock.

Of her trip home she said that the trip was uneventful and that the strictest rules were enforced on the passengers. Most Americans, she said, have left Hawaii.

Premier Tojo calls China a spoiled child—but is having a tough time giving it a helping

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflections upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publishers.

Axis Atrocities

Rightly, we think, Americans tend to be suspicious of atrocity stories in wartime. During World War I this country was deluged with such tales, many of them sponsored by official allied propaganda speakers and writers.

Some, apparently, had no foundation at all. Others were exaggerations. The vast majority of verified incidents turned out to be individual acts of excitement, sadism or lust.

At best, war is brutal. It brings out the worst in the individual. Pillage, rape, torture, murder always have been among the deplorable accompaniments of war.

Having these things in mind, nevertheless the record makes it clear that in World War II the two principal axis powers are deliberately, officially instigating and enforcing a campaign of savagery that must make the inquisitors of old Spain twist enviously in the sepulchers.

These are not exaggerated rumors. They are eye-witness stories told by competent and credible observers, some of whom have been victims and lived to escape.

Some of the worst, indeed, like the martyrdom of Lidice, reach us out of the mouths of official Nazi spokesmen, and in too many instances have proven to be understatements of what was done under specific instructions from the German government in Berlin.

Given a choice, probably most of us would prefer falling into German hands rather than Japanese. That is because we might hope to find individual Germans possessed of normal human decency, whereas the Japanese as a race appear to glory in bestiality and to get a sensual pleasure out of human suffering.

But for mass brutality, organized sadism, deliberate and considered inhumanity conceived and ordered and executed as a national policy, approved by the highest governmental agencies, the barbarous Japanese have not even attempted to emulate the Nazis.

Nor can the German people escape by placing responsibility upon Hitler and Hummler. There are too many evidences that, as a people, they have shown no compunction about carrying out terrorist orgies which no civilized people could have stomachached.

Because of what they have done and are doing, we have a right to hate the Nazis—not as our adversaries in a clash of national ambitions, or even as our deadly enemies in a warfare of ideologies, but as brutal, treacherous beasts who apparently cannot be permitted to mingle among normal human beings.

The same can be said of the Japs, but needn't be, because of them it is universally conceded. Of the Germans, let us not forget.

MERCHANTS HERE WILL COOPERATE IN SHORT BOND AND STAMP DRIVE

In cooperation with a nationwide movement, sponsored by the Treasury Department of the United States, merchants of Ranger will sell only War Bonds and Stamps for a 15-minute period tomorrow, from 12 noon to 12:15.

The request for cooperation of the Ranger merchants was received several weeks ago in a telegram from the treasury, asking that Ranger merchants join with the nationwide movement.

According to the plan all stores will remain open during the noon hour, as usual, but will not make any sales of merchandise. Instead the time will be given to selling War Bonds and Stamps to any customers who visit the store during the 15-minute interval.

GAS RATIO N WILL HIT AT PUBLIC SCHOOL

Schooling of Texas children may suffer heavily if gasoline rationing is extended to Texas.

That's the conclusion to be drawn from study of a school tax survey just received here. The survey, compiled from reports of independent school districts and official state records, shows that last year petroleum and its products bore 39 per cent, or virtually two-fifths of the total cost of schooling Texas boys and girls.

Or to put it another way, two out of every five Texas school children were educated last year through taxes on the Texas petroleum industry and on gasoline. A total of 600,000 Texas boys and girls out of the state's scholastic population of 1,539,006 had their entire school expenses paid by petroleum and petroleum product taxes last year.

The report, compiled by Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association statisticians from figures obtained from independent school district tax collectors and from state officials, shows \$91,754,219 was spent for educating Texas school children last year. Of this amount, \$23,254,172 was paid by the Texas petroleum industry in State and local taxes used for school purposes.

Not only gasoline taxes but also oil taxes would be seriously affected by rationing, it was pointed out, as Texas oil out put would drop even lower if the market for Texas gasoline were cut further.

On the average per-pupil school cost of \$53.62, oil and oil product taxes paid \$23.25.

Revenue from these sources have aided the State Tax Board to cut the State school ad valorem tax rate to its present 16

the 15-minute interval.

A. J. Ratliff, president of the Ranger Retail Merchants Association, stated today that he felt sure the merchants of Ranger would cooperate 100 percent in helping to make this 15-minute drive, one of the shortest on record, complete.

Three organizations — the City of Ranger, Ranger Chamber of Commerce and the Ranger Retail Merchants Association — are cooperating in making the 15-minute drive a success.

At exactly 12 noon the fire siren will be sounded, calling attention to the start of the drive, while the city loud speaking equipment will be used in announcing the drive, and in urging the people to cooperate.

cents, less than half its constitutional maximum of 35 cents per \$100 valuation.

While oil and oil products bear two-fifths of the cost of Texas public schools, they pay an even larger part of general state taxes. Last year, the Texas Mid-Continent report shows, the Texas petroleum industry paid 55 per cent, or well over half, of all State business and property taxes. If sales taxes are included, petroleum and its products bore 62 per cent, or close to two thirds, of all State taxes.

Wood's Part In The War To Be Talked

By United Press BEAUMONT, Tex., June 30—Another important sequence in the forestry conservation movement in East Texas will take place at Beaumont July 8, when the Texas Forestry Association gathers for its 25th annual meeting to hear discussions on the part wood supplies from that region are playing in the war.

Gov. Coke Stevenson heads a list of eight speakers who will take part on the one-day program. Walter O'Neal of Texarkana, association president, announced.

Triplets A Threat To The Axis Powers

By United Press SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 30—A triple threat to the Axis are the Hartwell triplets of San Antonio.

Gorham, George and Vinton, sons of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hartwell, celebrated their 23rd birthday June 23.

Gorham is a corporal at Fort Sam Houston; Vinton is a corporal at Fort Brown, and George is a junior aircraft mechanic at Duncan Field.

It's a small world—but there's always room for more big men.

A slogan appropriate for wartime is don't put off till tomorrow what you can put over today.

"Loose nut wreck car"—headline. One guess is that he was driving.

The easier a girl is to look at, the harder a man looks.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION.

THE HEALTH OF THE PEOPLE IS REALLY THE FOUNDATION UPON WHICH ALL THEIR HAPPINESS AND ALL THEIR POWERS AS A STATE DEPEND.

— BENJAMIN DISRAELI.



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NOW WE MUST NOT ONLY MAINTAIN THIS NATIONAL VIGOR BUT INCREASE IT — FOR KEEPING FIT IS HALF THE FIGHT.

Advertisement for Wards department store. Text: 'SATURDAY'S THE 4TH OF JULY! HAVE A GOOD TIME — BUT SPEND YOUR MONEY WISELY! You can always save at Wards'

Advertisement for Sun Mates. Text: 'SUN MATES A SUMMER WARDROBE IN ONE SMART SUIT! 3.98 SHIRT AND SLACKS' Includes illustration of a man in a suit.

Advertisement for Relax in Slacks. Text: 'RELAX IN SLACKS over the week end! 2.98' Includes illustration of a woman in slacks.

Advertisement for Cool Men's Wash Pants. Text: 'Extra Comfort for Summer! Cool Men's Wash Pants 1.98' Includes illustration of a pair of pants.

Advertisement for Spun Rayon Slack Suits. Text: 'Spend less at Wards! Spun Rayon Slack Suits 3.98' Includes illustration of a woman in a suit.

Advertisement for Men's New Sport Shirts. Text: 'Big Variety! Big Value! Men's New Sport Shirts 1.29' Includes illustration of a man in a shirt.

Advertisement for Boys' Cool Sport Shirts. Text: 'Comfortable in-and-out Boys' Cool Sport Shirts 59c' Includes illustration of a boy in a shirt.

Advertisement for Wards Better Quality Swimwear for Men. Text: 'Wards Better Quality Swimwear for Men 1.59' Includes illustration of a man in swimwear.

Advertisement for Famous Blu Surf Denim Slack Suits. Text: 'Famous Blu Surf Denim Slack Suits 1.98' Includes illustration of a woman in a suit.

Advertisement for Boys' Slacks. Text: 'Hard wearing! Low priced! Boys' Slacks 1.29' Includes illustration of a pair of slacks.

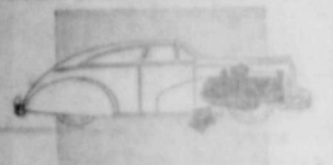
Advertisement for Gay Anklets and Gay Play Suits. Text: 'Every Color Imaginable! Gay Anklets 20c' and 'For Active Sports-love of Gay Play Suits 1.59' Includes illustrations of anklets and play suits.

Crossword puzzle section. Includes 'WHEELED VEHICLE' and 'Answer to Previous Puzzle' with a grid and clues.

Advertisement for Montgomery Ward. Text: 'BUY U. S. WAR STAMPS... ON SALE AT MONTGOMERY WARD CATALOG ORDER SERVICE USE WARDS PAYMENT PLAN'

SOCIETY, CLUB AND CHURCH NOTES

W. M. U. Has Bible Study
The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church was held at the church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at which time Bible study was conducted.



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Phillips, Bible study chairman, Mrs. Chester Rogers, president of the union, led the study which was based on the books of Acts and First Corinthians.

Bernie Stevens Complimented
Bernie Stevens who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bryan for the week-end was given a surprise Sunday afternoon when a large group of his friends gathered at the Bryan home to spend the afternoon.

During the afternoon the guests joined in a sing-song after which an informal supper was served in the living room.

Those attending the gathering were: Mr. Stevens, Mrs. A. E. Stevens and Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashcraft, Mrs. McDonough, Mrs. E. D. Cooper, Mrs. C. P. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Misses Lillian and Bernice Ashcraft, Fattie Robinson and daughter, Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Bryan, Porter Berry, Mrs. Pauline Wynn, Thurston Cooper, George P. Rose, and Mrs. Nannie Walker; Miss Patsy Goodson of Centralia, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pearson of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spradling and children, Alena, Joe and Ray Jr., all of Caddo, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Williams of Moran and Raymond Bryan and the host and hostess.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to express our sincere thanks, and appreciation to Rev. Johnson, Rev. Scarlett and Rev. Pool. The Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, Elks Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Legion Auxiliary, Rebekah Lodge,

Lodge, Dr. Kuykendall and staff. All friends and neighbors for their untiring kindness, and thoughtfulness throughout the many long hours and years, of illness and death of our beloved husband and father, John B. Heister.

Those of the Methodist choir and Floyd Killingsworth for his generous kindness which was deeply appreciated.

Mrs. John B. Heister, Mrs. Mary Grace Newton, George Heister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heister.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson announce the birth of a baby boy at the West Texas Hospital, Monday. The baby has been named Larry Vernon. My Robertson who is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla. arrived home Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Youker has returned from a visit in Shreveport, La., Memphis, Tenn. and Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Dave Versillion and daughter, Grace, have returned from a visit in Harrison, Ark. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Versillion's sister, Mrs. Vola Patten, of Harrison.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

Representative of 106 District: L. H. FLEWELLEN

Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, JR. ALLEN D. DABNEY, JR.

For District Clerk: JOHN WHITE CLAUDE (Carley) MAYNARD

For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS JOHN HART JOHN C. BARBER.

For County Judges: W. S. ADAMSON P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY

For County Clerk: R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY

For County School Superintendent: F. C. WILLIAMS HOMER SMITH C. S. (CLABE) ELDRIDGE.

For Collector-Assessor: CLYDE KARKALITS

For County Treasurer: MRS. RUTH (GARLAND) BRANTON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT

For Constable: Constable Precinct No. 2: E. J. (LUKE) HARDIN W. C. "Uncle Billy" NIVER G. J. MOORE LON D. TANKERSLEY

For Justice Peace: CHARLES BOBO MAJ. R. H. (Bob) HANSFORD

Everett Weaver has returned from a vacation trip to Texas-kana.

Mrs. W. E. Kuykendall and children of Houston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Langley.

C. A. Renfro, Mrs. Zess Sullivan, Mrs. Haskell Bramlett and Johnnie Renfro of Bluffdale were the guests Monday of Mrs. Cayce Garrett and Mrs. O. G. Lanier.

L. E. Gray, Jr., is in Abilene today where he will take his final examination for military service.

Mrs. E. J. Winingham has returned to her home in Sentinel, Oklahoma after a visit in the home of her brother, O. G. Lanier.

Miss Willie Grey owners of Breckenridge and Miss Evelyn Carlisle of Palestine have returned to their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown.

Mrs. Oniz Warden will leave today for Chicago, Illinois, where she will join her husband, Chief Specialist Warden, who is a Physical Education Instructor at the Southwestern University Midshipmen's School of Chicago.

Mr. Warden is in Lieutenant Commander Gene Tunney's program. He received his pre-training at the U. S. N. T. S. of Norfolk, Virginia. Before entering the Navy Mr. Warden was teaching and coaching at Clarendon High School and Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eubank returned Sunday from Corpus Christi where they spent several days visiting. They brought back their daughter, Frances Ann and her cousin Mary Louise Bailey, of Westaco.

Bill Heyman of Duncan Field, San Antonio will arrive Wednesday for a visit in the home of his uncle, Charles Hummel.

Mrs. I. D. Carlisle left today for a visit in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndie Summers announce the birth of a baby boy born at the West Texas Hospital, Saturday.

The condition of Mrs. T. H. Hall, who is a patient in the City-County Hospital, is reported to be unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes announce the birth of a baby girl at the City-County Hospital, Sunday. The baby has been named Linda Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wright are the parents of a baby daughter, born Saturday at the City-County Hospital. The baby has been named Erna Lou.

Largest Donation Of Rubber Made to A Boy Scout Troop

What is believed to be the largest single donation of rubber to the Boy Scouts for sale in the scrap rubber campaign was donated by W. A. Leith, whose contribution to the scouts and the rubber campaign totaled 671 pounds, with approximately 30 to 50 pounds of additional rubber having been collected by Leith for donation today, the last day of the drive.

Leith said today that most of the rubber which he collected had been picked up in fields, while he was employed by an oil company, and consisted of worn out and discarded oil field equipment.

Many of the pieces were of solid rubber, some weighing several pounds, while others were smaller weighing from one pound up.

The rubber drive in Ranger was termed as very successful, with nearly 100,000 pounds having been accounted for before the end of the drive, and it was believed that this figure might have been reached in the last few days, since the survey was made.

NYA Shops Closed Because Of End Of The Fiscal Year

All NYA projects in Ranger are being shut down temporarily, beginning today, because of the end of the government fiscal year, it was reported here today.

Each year, as the fiscal year ends, these projects are closed until after July 4th, and the youths are given a short vacation.

Because of the curtailment of some of the NYA activities it was thought likely that the shut down period might be slightly longer this year, it was stated today.

Vermont was the first state admitted to the Union after the 13 original colonies.

One of the most expensive pipes to smoke is the one leading from the furnace.

Chicago bandits robbed a poker game and the winners lost heavily.

Navy Recruiters To Be In Ranger Thursday, July 2

C. L. Wylie, officer in charge of the Abilene Navy recruiting station, will accept applications for enlistment in the Naval service at the post office in Ranger from 9:00 a. m. until noon on Thursday, July 2nd.

Wylie states that he is particularly interested in recruiting skilled and unskilled construction workers for duty in building Naval bases outside of the continental limits of the United States. All types of construction workers are needed: carpenters, concrete men, mechanics, metalmiths, blacksmiths, electricians, pipefitters, painters, telephone men, steel workers, equipment operators, and many others. Oil field workers can qualify for many of these classifications. Age limits are 17 to 50. Pay ranges from \$36.00 to \$153.50 per month, plus board, lodging, clothing, and medical care. This pay will be greatly increased under the proposed pay bill.

The attention of college graduates, 19 to 28 years of age, freshmen and sophomores, and high school seniors, 17 to 20 years of age, is called to the opportunities offered in Classes V-1 and V-7, whereby college graduates may enlist in Class V-1 and receive a commission in the Naval Reserve. College freshmen and sophomores and high school seniors may enlist in Class V-1 and have the opportunity to continue in college until they receive their degree, and ultimate commission in the Naval Reserve.

Young men 17 to 28 years of age may enlist in Class V-2 for training as aviation mechanics, metalmiths, ordnance or radiomen.

For additional information or enlistment, apply at the post office in Ranger, between 9:00 a. m. and noon, on Thursday, July 2nd, or any day of the week, between 8:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m., at the Navy Recruiting Station located in the post office building, Abilene, Texas.

Two Youths Held Robbery Charge

Local officers revealed that two youths had been arrested in connection with robberies in Ranger, Breckenridge, Mineral Wells and possibly other nearby towns.

Chief of Police Lee Ames of Ranger, stated today that charges had been filed in Breckenridge against Bud Whitley and Glenn Whitley in connection with a robbery in Breckenridge. According to Ames the youths admitted the robbery, and also confessed to stealing milk newspapers, soft drinks and other small items for resale.

Bud Whitley was placed in the Stephens County jail, Ames reported, while Glenn Whitley was taken back to the Eastland County jail.

One Breckenridge youth, who was alleged to have been implicated in the robberies, has already been sent to a reform school, officers stated, and another was released.

Country Club To Plan Its Annual City Tournament

A. N. Larson, president of the Ranger Country Club, stated today that an important meeting of members of the club would be held at the clubhouse this evening at 8 o'clock. All members have been urged to be present.

Among the matters to be taken up for discussion and action was a city tournament, to be held Saturday and Sunday, July 4 and 5.

Because of the double holiday over the week end, Larson stated today, it is believed that a large number of players can participate. We want every member who can do so to attend the meeting tonight and to enter the tournament.

Idaho has produced metals valued at \$1,360,000,000 since gold was discovered at Pierce City in 1860.

The Idaho fish and game department's census shows Idaho's 1942 deer population was 166,000.

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Troop Committee Is Organized At Meeting Monday

The new troop committee of Troop 12, Ranger Boy Scouts, met at the home of Eugene Baker Monday night, when John Hytton was elected as chairman of the committee.

Other committeemen named to important positions were Jimmie Matthews, camping man; Malcolm Stone, merit badge counselor and Ross Station, activities man.

Those present at the meeting in addition to the committeemen were Scoutmaster M. S. Wade, Assistant Scoutmaster Eugene Baker and Troop Leaders Richard Cox, Leldon Martin and Noble Robertson.

Clues Are Traced In Martin Robbery

Chief of Police Lee Ames stated today that the police had a definite clue to the Martin Company robbery several days ago, and that an arrest was expected within the next few days.

Chief Ames stated that four boys, held in connection with other crimes, were not identified as one who was believed to have remained in the store at closing time, changed his old clothing for new items found in the store and left.

FSA Personnel To Attend A Meeting

George I. Lane, Supervisor, Farm Security Administration at Eastland has announced that on Tuesday, July 7, 1942 the Eastland County office will be closed.

The entire personnel of the office will attend the meeting at Brownwood on that day. The nature of the meeting will be the schooling of the personnel in new procedure for the coming fiscal year which begins July 1st.

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In Rural Millions," was discussed by Mrs. Paul McDonald.

The assembly singing of the hymn "A Charge to Keep I Have" was the closing number of the meeting.

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