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Ranger is oversubscribing her Bond Red Cross before the First of March

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FIGHTING RENEWED IN ISLANDS

Kanger Times

DR. BOSWELL IS **MADE OFFICER** OF J. C. GROUP

Association of Texas of which A. C. was selected as secretary -

held at either the University of Texas or at the Baylor University. He also stated that junior colleges will continue their athletic program next year and that special attention will be given to C. girls basketball.

Alameda Future Home Makers Form V-Corps

Alameda have organized into a The Need of Scouting. He club which they named the Vicfrom some Home Makers that were a to State Convention in Ablene the twenty-sixth of January. The teacher Mrs. Tilotta took one girl from the secyear class, and three girls from the first year class as representatives.

Each week the Victory girls will make candy, cookies Tilotta's husband.

Camp Bowie. They are sell-War Bonds and Stamps at Elmer H. Johnson, industrial of normal astronomical occurrenschool each day.

In the future they have to erve dinners to the clubs, lodges and other organizations to raise money to help in their work for

the Red Cross. Following are Victory Recipes hoping that you will be benefitted

Gremlins Are Not Military Secret Girl Is Informed

A Dallas school girl, wanting the ing developed, he declared. paper, sent the following note to Junior College

I would fike you to send me some Paralysis Fund who, do dubt, EPo:o

information on the Gremlins, who

In the field of military secrets the college dance and had been tur-

imported commodity, for they are the result of the imagination of British airmen who have a habit of blaming Gremlins for all sorts of mishaps. The Gremlins are blamed for cutting control wires, tampering with metars and even upparatures.

This brings the total contribution from Ranger to the fund to \$156.90 less the \$1.50 for expenses.

Gorman Man Is You might call Gremlins even unsnapping pilpas safety belts."

Meeting Called Of Members Of Country Club

A. N. Larson, president of the Ranger Country Club announced

Every member is especially urged to attend as the annual election of officers will be held and other matters of business attend- drizzle extreme east portion to- gate un-American activities, head paid entirely too much attention but he still likes the hydrant bet

Comanche Trail **Council Elects** 1943 Officers

The Annual Boy Scout Meeting for the Comanche Trail Council was held Friday evening. Of-BROWNWOOD, Tex, Feb, 2ficers for 1943 were elected at Dr. G. C. Boswell has just re- this time; Jud, e E. J. Miller was turned from Baylor University reelected Council President, The where he attended the meeting Vice-Presidents are : Oren Ellis, ber of Commerce continued to of the Junior College Athletic Stephenville; J. A. Bates, Breck-grow today with committees reenridge; L. C. Ward, San Saba; porting the addition of 25 fires body he was elected vice-presi- Charlie Stokes, Lampasas; John dent. J. R. McLemore of Tyler Gibbons, Richland Springs; John Junior College was elected president and W. L. Hughes of N. T. Clive Pierce, Brownwood; Council Commissioner, O. E. Winebrenner, Brownwood; National Coun- \$1,434 which was reported the first Dr. Boswell stated that a state cil Representative Douglas Coalday of the drive, thus be tournament in basketball will be son, Brownwood. The District the total pledge to \$2,111. Chairman are as follows: Oren

H. Ellis, Erath Co. District; Joe berships pledged today: Darrow, Central District; Dr. C. Darrow, Central District; John T. C. Graves, South District; John Kindle, Eastland Co. District; J. dry. Postoffice Service Station The highest award that a Council can bestow upon a layman was

given to Carl Ferguson, District hairman, of Breckenridge. The Silver Beaver Badge was presen-ted by John Bailey of Brecken-ridge, assisted by O. E. Winebrenner and Henry Wilson. Rev. Leslie Boone gave a very

constructive and frank talk or The Need of Scouting.

Predicts Texas Dil Production Increase 1943

boys from this community. This week they are sending gifts to Pvt. J. W. Turner, former teacher and Pvt. S. L. Tilotta, Mrs.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 1 —, The path of the total eclipse will begin in northeastern Asia, Predicting that Texas will get will begin in northeastern Asia, its share of the almost certain cross the northern islands of Japits and Pvt. S. L. Tilotta, Mrs. Predicting that Texas will get will be a life agreed that it would be pradiction of the almost certain cross the northern islands of Japlans proposed to help farmers citical to arrange for separate trol, which can be changed from reported that Mr. Roosevelt and considerable in the nation's oil proposed in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers citical to arrange for separate trol, which can be changed from reported that Mr. Roosevelt and dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers citical to arrange for separate trol, which can be changed from reported that Mr. Roosevelt and dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers citical to arrange for separate trol, which can be changed from which can be changed from dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers citical to arrange for separate trol, which can be changed from which can be changed from reported that Mr. Roosevelt and dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop will be a dustrial geographer for the University of land end in the nation's oil proposed to help farmers gather a banner crop ilotta's husband.

All began sewing this week for the Red Cross. The first project further developments of new in- ver J. Lee, director of Northwes- would gather to be the Red Cross. The first project further developments of new inwill be afghans for the sick boys dustries in this state to refine the term University's observatory.

geographer for the University's ces. points out that oil refinery operations constitute Texas' largest manufacturing / industry, that demands upon the industry are constartly increasing.

tane gasoline, the war has created tane gasoline, the war has created a demand for such synthetics as tially twice in 1943. In the first Mrs. L. J Whitby toluol for high explosives, butadiene and styrene for synthetic

rubber he explained. Successful conclusion of the war will merely open new avenues for the use of petroleum, ra-PERRIN FIELD, Tex. (UP)- ther than close up those now be-

ing school: "Dear Sirs: If it is not a mill- Gives \$12.90 To

By oversight a contribution of no country of the information for a \$12.90 fro mRanger Junior College to the infantile paralysis fund was omitted from the report I want the information for a \$12.90 fro mRanger Junior Col- lestial spectacle lege to the infantile paralysis Since Gremlin are not with The money was collected from

This brings the total contribu

safety Head National **Peanut Growers**

Dick Weekes of Gorman, manager of the Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association with headquarters at Gorman, was recently ing his Navy career, twice since elected president of the National the outbreak of the war. Peanut Council to succeed Roy Parish, resigned.

The National Peanut Counthis morning that a meeting of the members had been called for Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce of-

day. Cooler tonight,

MEMBERSHIP **PLEDGES ARE**

gred to the support of the Chamand individuals to the list of pled

The total amount pledged today was \$667 in addition to the day of the drive, thus bri ging Following is the list of the men

Clarke's Motor , S. W. Bell Tel Co. C. D. Hartnett Co. Neals Laun Ferguson, Stephens Co. Dis- Max Ohr, A. E. Crawley, Love Feed Store, Kanger Clinic, Dr. W. L. Downtain, Southern Ice Co. Runger Lumber Co. Dr. A. K. Wier, Chas. H. Bell, E. L. Martin Co, Prompt P inting Co, City Tail ors, The Globe Inc., Noel Bell Carl Pgne Plumbing, H. C. Wilkinson, C. O. Peak, G. C. McGowan, Texas Electric Service Co, Ranger

Total Eclipse Of Sun In Japan Due February 4

CHICAGO (UP) - As a pos sible military omen for the balance of 1943 the Land of the Rising Sun will experience a total eclipse of the sun on Feb. 4.

Professor Lee predicts a year

"No bright comets are

ed this year, but there is always, the chance that a big comet will and stray." Professor Lee said. "The comet Whipple II, which was discovered at Harvard on

Dec. 8, will come closest to the pansion in production of high oc- sun on Feb. 6, but will not be visible to the naked eye."

eclispe on Feb. 19 the moon wil enter the earth's full shadow at 11 p. m. and leave at 2:13 p. m Feb. 20. A partial eclispe of the This Morning moon on March 13 will be visible all over North America, Lee de-

An annular eclispe of the sun on Aug. 1 will begin east of Madagascar, pass across the Antarctic, and end north of New Zealand. This eclispe will be visible! only in the Southern Hemisphere. A partial lunar eclispe on Aug. 15, visible only in the Eastern Hemisphere, will be the final ce lestial spectacle of the year, Pro-

Survivor Of Wasp Now Cadet At U.S. **Pre-Flight School**

ATHENS, Ga.—A survivor of the lost carrier WASP now is a cadet at the U. S. Navy Pre-flight School, Athens, Ga., aiming for aviation wings and another crack at the Japs. He's Ralph D. McAfee U. S. N.., who was ferrying planes to the forces at Guaralcanal when the Wasp received its fatal tor-

McAfee has been picked up seven times from the water duroutbreak of the war.

House Votes to Continue the Dies Committee

Americans' Blood at the Front



Neatly packaged blood plasma, collected by the Red Cross from American donors, moves up to the front lines in New Guinea, where it will be used to save the lives of wounded soldiers. Army and Navy have asked the Red Cross to secure 4,000,000 pints of blook

Manpower Plans To Aid Farmers Is No Novelty

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 2 (UP)loe Steadham, representative of

"In years gone by neighbors iness research,

ple from Moran, Tex., in one day in excess of 4,600,000 barrels of of cotton for a farmer, I was bons. eight years old then and chopped 3 and one half acres myself that

Dies At Her Home | At Roll Call

morning at about 9 o'clock. Funeral arrangements were name,

pending contact with relatives and The reason? Here's his name: will be announced later, Morris

Oil Production In Texas Likely To Be Increased

the Brotherhood of Railroad Train-men on the joint labor legisla-production os almost certain to men on the joint labor legisla- production os almost certain to Both the governor and Metca-

bors and farmers and the peo- 1943 a national total at a rate cleaned and chopped 92 acres crude oil and other hydrocar- sheep wool in separate bags,

Serial Number Not Name Used

Mrs. L. J. Whitby, a pioneer CED FLYING SCHOOL, Pampa, at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. Cox, State Health Officer. esident of the rural section north Tex. (UP) - There's one soldier Ernest Calvert. of Ranger, died at her home this here who answers roll call with his serial number rather than his

John S. Cwiertniewicz. He's a Funeral Home is in charge of ar- technician fifth grade and native

Airdale Moves Away Leaving An Airbase Minus A Fire Hydrant

n Washington are wondering house. about that disappearing fire hydrant on the maps of the Great and Sugar was unhappy again. Falls airbase, they might as well Finally Gray went to the fire de-

a dog named "Sugar," who used hydrant shell. When Sugar's dito live where the airbase is now lemma was explained, the request -and he took it with him when he was granted.

Earl Gray, who was manager of no one paid any attention to it the city airport before the army took over. He was a city dog, used They drew map after map, all conto the trees, fire hydrants and taining a fire hydrant near the Calvert.

with him at the airport, he found himself in a barren, windswept nodog's land entirely devoid of such drant with them. More maps we conveniences. There wasn't a tree drawn, but without the hydrant. hydrant or lamp post within miles.

recessing of peanuts and peaut products.

WASHINGTON — The House rules committee today approved a resolution continuing for two west TEXAS—Light rain or years the committee to investied by Rep. Martin Dies, D., Tex. to the tree, so Gray got him a ter,

GREAT FALLS, Mont, (UP) - Christmas tree of his own and any of the army engineers back carked it near the manager's

partment and asked if he could The hydrant is the property of have a damaged and discarded fire

> The hydrant became a familiar ntil the army engineers arrived.

> Then the Grays and Sugar moved away, taking the fire hy-So if any of the army draft.

PROTEST RISE LIVING COSTS

WASHINGTON - The nations two top labor leaders protested to President Roosevelt today that the cost of living is "getting out of bounds" and asked him to do something about it,

President William Green of the AFL and Philip Murray of the CIO were the two who called on Mr. Roosevelt. They said they told him of labors dissatisfaction with said has developed from steadily rising living costs and stabilized

Green and Murray said the president "manifested deep interest in the matter but made no specific commitments of

Black Sheep Are More Numerous Than Supposed

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 2 (UP)-Black sheep are more numero were topics for an interesting disussion between two Texas sheep and goat raisers here recently. The and Sen. Penrose B. Metcalfe of

Metcalfe estimated that there is about one black sheep to 500 white sheep in the average herd. various ranches.

would gather to help clean up a "Current national output of Metcalfe recalled that there is eral agency.

crop which had been overgrown oil it a little under four million one weaver in West Texas who A bitter fight now is being staby weeds during the owner's ill- barrels a day,' Johnson said. "But makes a specialty of blankets ex- ged by the Texas Railroad Coma recent report submitted to the clusively from the wool of black mission to retain some authority petroleum industry war council sheep. Naturally, he can guar over intra-state rail rates which

It is the practice to place black tle difficulty in segregating large quantities of black wool for se arate marketing.

Alameda HD Club Meets Thursday

ees were elected:

Woeks Program Chairman- Mrs. A.

est Calvert.

The club agreed to put up three actual insanity." quilts for the families who lost their homes by fire the R. L. Hise, Officer, pellagra is known as a the families of hundreds of war Ralph Hise, and Willie Jacobs. Willie Jacobs.

quilted Wednesday, Feb. 3.

cookies and cocoa were served to plenty of milk daily, some fresh, the following club members lean meat, and as many fresh Sugar, an airedale, is owned by sight in the manager's yard and Mmes. Thelbert Jones, A. H. Dean, vegetables, especially green vege-John Love, L. A. Moody, Dick tables, as possible. Tomatoes and Weekes, T. E. Ferrel, J. T. Butler, whole wheat bread are also val-E. E. Blackwell, and hostess, Mrs. uable, Eggs contribute their share

Visitors were, Mr. and Mrs. J. varieties of fresh fruits. When Gray took Sugar to live reain led to it.

| Calvert, Mrs. Ben Patterson, and Mrs. Jack Love. The next you prepare for your table, but the analysis of food included in their daily meeting will be with Mrs. E. E. kind of food included in their daily Blackwell on Thursday, Feb. 11, diet which will protect your family

LABOR LEADERS SECRETARY KNOX SAYS THE

Americans Reported to Have Taken Tunisian Point as Russian Columns Close in On the Gateway to the Caucasus

Secretary of Navy Knox said today that renewed fight-

Knox said at a Washington press conference that the skirmishes developing from the fourth Japanese attempt the economic situation which they to recapture the Solomon area might be called "reconnasissance in force.'

Knox asserted that any assumption that a big battle is in progress was incorrect. He said that practically all organ-

Senator Lovelady Has Last Laugh On Traffic Bill

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 2 (UP) Sen. Karl Lovelady of Meridian had the last bagt on fellow nembers who critized his bill to give the state railroad commiss-

Members said that under Lovetwo were Gov. Coke R. Stevenson | lady's bill it would be unlawful to fly a kite without a state permit if the bill became law.

"It's copied from the law recnmended by the Civil Aeronau-Administration," Levelady

they are not so greatly concerned ing the White House after a conwith provisions of the state con- ference with President Roosevelt fore it is pre-empted by some fed. to strike the Axis in Europe this

Health Officer Warns Of Danger Of Pellagra

the daily diet plays a very impor- the highway is filling other high tant part in the maintenance of jobs in the war effort The Alameda Home Demonstra-tion Club met Thursday, Jan. 28. The Construction of the Club met Thursday, Jan. 28. The Construction of the Markin Construction of the Co

A very interesting meeting at eases, pellagra, is caused entirserious nature of pellacra at son is a foreman in the assembly best it is an uncomfortable and section. Exhibits Chairman Mrs. Ern- unpleasant disease, but aside from the computation of this, there is one possible result of the computation of the com

disease which is no respector of persons. There is danger of pell-These quilts will be put up at agra striking at any age and either trailer as the ideal answer to

faulty. Anyone who wishes to help will . To make sure that the diet contains the proper pellagra-preven-Refreshments of sandwiches and tive elements, it should include to pellagra prevention as

> "It is not the amount of food from the appearance of pellagra.

BATTLE IN THE SOLOMONS IS IN THE PRELIMINARY STAGES

ing in the Solomon Islands was in the preliminary "feeling out" staye.

·ized resistance by Jap ground forces on Guadalcanal had been

cleaned up: On the Tunisian front American nfantry and artillery battled for a strategic position near Sened, 22 miles southwest of Maknassy. Reports from Allied North African headquarters said that the and were holding doggedly.

The battle for the important Faid Pass in Central Tunisia appeared to have gone in the Axis on intra-state authority over air favor so far. German troops were entrenched at the pass and drove

back an American attack, Three Russian commus closed in on Rostov, the gateway to the Caucasus, driving forward steadily in an offensive that rivaled their triumph at Stallngrad.

Frankly, the supporters admit of the Pacific War Council, leav-

Trailer Coaches Fill Many Jobs In War Efforts

CHICAGO - Besides providing comfortable housing for half a mil lion persons in war production AUSTIN, Tex. Jan 30. - That areas, the trailer coach which a he inclusion of proper foods in few years ago was the playboy of

"One of the most dreaded dis- er serves as a day nursery for young children whose mothers which time the following committively by not eating the kind of food work in the factory. With ingenwhich would insure a properly hal- ious utilization of space, large Finance Chairman -Mrs. Dick anced diet," Dr. Cox said. "The groups of tots are cared for and public is prone to overlook the kept safe by "Ma O'Brien," whose

At an adjoining park a trailst Calvert.

Red Cross Chairman Mrs. E. that can be very tragic. All too fully equiped to handle mater-Blackwell, frequently pellagra leads to ser-Nutrition Chairman —Mrs. John lous mental disturbances," Dr. nity cases and hospitalization of Cox warned, "and in some cases, protection facilities were within According to the State Health Frech of three large parks, these units were provided to safe guard

the school house, and will be sex when the diet is constantly many problems. The mobile houses are specially equipped as traveling hospitals, dental clinics and and safety of men are safeguarded on all fronts by hitching up one of these units to a truck of the motorized forces.

OPA Announces Further Cut In Use Of Coffee

King Farouk Has
Received Churchill

CAIRO — Prime Minister
Churchill was received at the Abdin Palace today by King Farouk I, 22 year old ruler of 16, 1000,000 Egyptians.

Dr. Cox warned.

Hardy Blood Donor
LAGUNA BEACH, CAL. (UP)
—Mrs. Paul E. Neuschaefer, 25, weeks instead of one pound for aix weeks instead of one pound for five weeks.

The current period will end blood donation to the Red Cross. She made the trip in five hours. will be under the new regulation,

Eskimos Disdain 10 P. C. Buy \$15,000 in War Bonds

SEATTLE (UP) - The Alaskan

who thinks his duty is done when that the Eskimos invest 10 per cent of their income in bonds. An old in war bonds.

that the Eskimos invest 10 per cent of their income in bonds, An old in war bonds.

and ignored a threat of starvation to themselves to complete the road with volunteer labor," Major Mar-Maj. M. R. Marston, Alaska, De-bonds," and asked for \$15,000 ston said.

road to a certain point the Eski-

· SERIAL STORY 'I AM A MURDERER'

ET MORRIS MARKEY

THE CAR IS FOUND

to who he really was, or where what was in his mind all the time? frames. The signs were white, he really came from. Except It was there from the first, you crimson:

"That is the extraordinary note at Cynthia. this man left on the desk. It may "What is it, Mitchell?" she be the ravings of a crazy man, asked.

long enough for the others in the room—Fred West, first, and then the rest immediately after him—to get to their feet and move toward the door, But Cynthia Cynthia Cynthia Talcher pondered toward the man the rest immediately after him—to get to their feet and move toward the door, But Cynthia called them back.

"There is not much—" slie be-han, and Captain Meeban said, "Thank you. It may give a little gan. And then, in a very tired, light-later on.

Cynthia said the same story which she had told

Vaughan Dunbar on that night bewouldn't it, that if he were afoot m the building.

when she was done, there was complete silence for a little time.

Even Lieutenant Thatcher seemed unable to pick up the thread of his talk, and Captain Meehan was lost in a study. It was such a pathetic and such a little story, And told so few things about riwether."

Lieutenant Thatcher hurried to the station of the Long Island would be kept secret. Maybe you he was close at hand. But urgent questioning of the newsman and the ticket seller brought enly blank faces and shaking heads.

"We shall consider the point."

And told so few things about Colonel Merriwether.

Henry Prentize had sat with his chin on his fists, looking at the floor, while she told it, and he did not lift his head now. Mitchell Grace was flushed with embarrassment, as if he had been forced assument, his will be without the floor with the floor with the floor was flushed with embarrassment, as if he had been forced been found.

And the telephone rang. They discovering that its wheel, doors and driving apparatus bore, amply, the fingerprints of Vaughan Dunbar—and of nobody else. For the first time, Lieutenant Thatcher seemed discouraged. And the metropolitan area alarm was extended to become a national alarm.

The police, and his own newspaper, continued the search for

Lieutenant Thatcher coughed, of their muttering was that awallowed sparingly, and results and stood up, and went to the Vaughan Dunbar was a very ed Captain Mechan with carrindow. Then he got down again. clever devil indeed.

ALLEY OOF

"Thank you, Miss Merriwether," The car was in a municipa

"I see," she said. But it was plain that she did not see at all.

HE spoke for the first time, in tendants. Sandwiched in its niche tendants. Sandwiched in its niche tendants of space among more than a hundred to the first time, in tendants. Sandwiched in its niche tendants of space among more than a hundred tendants. "Of course you do," said Lieuthere anything at all, any small automobile of Vaughan Dunbay, tenant Thatcher. "You see that or apparently unimportant thing, which you have not told us? Did this man Dunbar ever let slip anything at all, all automobile of vaughan or apparently unimportant thing. But it was not easy to recognize. For, lashed to either side from this man Dunbar ever let slip anything at all, all automobile of vaughan below to recognize. And we haven't a single clew as thing which might have indicated canvas signs held in rigid wooden

must remember." He paused, and became more Mitchell Grace shifted his body, and started to speak, and looked

against his will to witness the unveiling of privacies. Anne started to cry, and Fred West took her arm in a hard grip, and ahe stopped.

WHEN they got to the place where they mutatered to cry, and Fred West took her arm in a hard grip, and ahe stopped.

WHEN they got to the place where they mutatered to themselves, Thatcher and Mechan and Heiser Prentise and Michell Grace, and the burden to the place where they mutatered to themselves, Thatcher and Mechan and Heiser Prentise and his own hews-

CHAPTER XIX

be said, "You have helped us a great deal." Which was certainly not quite the truth. Captain Meetalle standing at the arm of the table standing at the arm of the table standing at the arm of the truth. Captain Meetalle stand—a lot that was very large, han nodded.

The said of the

ASSOCIATED WILLKIE CLUBS

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The profile, the color, even the of course. But you see, we can't depend on that. He may really it was nothing. Let it drop." have known your father years ago.
And so it is important for us to hear everything you can tell us about Colonel Merriwether's past life."

If was nothing Let it drop.

Lieutenant Thatcher was quick flap of carefully torn canvas which fluttered down from the cond of one of the signs. But it was vaughan Dunbar's because of the game, when he came to plate, VR-2121-Y. An alert memlunch and almost immediately got ber of the Garden City Police Department had noticed it as he countries.

TODAY'S SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON NEA Service Sports Editor

GARBED in the angelic robe of sweet charity, Madison Square Garden and the Metropolitan Intercollegiate Basketball Com-mittee have sacrificed themselves on the altar of philanthreey k

At serican Red Cross.
Such program is to be staged for the edification of the paying masses in late March following 19 regularly scheduled doubleheaders and the National Invitation and the N. C. A. A. Eastern collected \$53.75 each, which didn't even cover traveling expenser to collected \$53.75 each, which didn't even cover traveling expenser to collected \$53.75 each, which didn't even cover traveling expenser to even cover traveling expenses to even cover traveling exp

lowing several nights of tourna-ment play. Last year the same sort of show meant no more than western tournament is slated fo \$7000 to Army Relief.

A. A. tournament, gross approxi-mately \$600,000 from college bas-But why close the season—ge ketball this season, and that a good card on any night will do more than \$25,000, their offer to the Red Cross is picayunish.

Why not turn the National Invitation or the N. C. A. A. Eastern regional and the N. C. A. A. playoff over to the Red Cross?

But why close the season—ge worthing else out of the way—close doing something for the worthiest cause of all?

College basketball is acting lik college football, which did precisely nothing for war funds, an is now doing much worrying above next season.

Four teams, one from each N It will come as a hangover fol- C. A. A. district east of the Mis

WHEN you consider ... PLAN is to have the winners o will, with the added N. C. nament and the N. C. A. A. play

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William



ANSWER: New Guinea.

Does the heart of a hibernating groundheg step heating?

BY V. T. HAMLIN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS









RED RYDER







University Asks \$200,000 Less In Appropriations

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 1 -The iniversity of Texas is asking for a state legislative apropriation of \$1,993,000 annually for the next biennium, a reduction of appro-ximately \$200,000 below the sum apropriated for each of the last wo years, according to Presiden Homer P. Rainey.

This reduction was made por sible because the teaching staff has been reduced considerably by the entry into the armed services of many members of the faculty, some of whom have not had to be replaced.

The University's budget cannot be reduced in direct proportion to the losses of students beations, Dr. Rainey pointed out.

FOR RENT-3 room apartment. Apply 214 Cherry Street.

FOR SALE- or Rent. Texaco Service Station on Highway. See

STATED MEETING Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738 A. F. A. 6 Thursday evening 7:30 p. m.

Examination in all degrees All visitors welcome. J. F. Donly, Sec. Dick A. Jones, W. W.

cres land, orchard, garden, Other improvements, Arthur Mayhall, At Mission Garage. FOR SALE-Fifty white Leghorn

FOR LEASE CHEAP- House, 3

ens, laying, 601 Blundell, WANTED-Wire Suit Hanger

ty Dry Cleaners. 1937 Indian motorcycle and 939 four cylinder Indian. Priced

o sell quick, Price Crawley, Ran

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lable, 458 capacity, Bargain, The Texas. Ask J. S. Ballew, New and Ised Second-Hand Store. Ranger

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Gholson Barber

Shop

Eyes Carofully Examined. Glasses Guaranteed to Fit

Economy Prices

The Wrong Way To Save Money

Is neglecting to do certain necessary things that

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News From Washington

BY PETER EESON NEA Service Washington Correspondent

MEWHAT to its surprise, the Department of State has a best selle its hands in its first publication of 1943, the 25-cent, 144-page-backed thriller officially titled "Peace and War-United State

Foreign Policy-1931-1941."
The initial order was for 2500 copies. That just Wok care of the State Department, other interested tovernment officials and the press. As it was purely an undocumented, historical introduction to complete volume of official papers which will out around Feb. 1, State Department's researc' and publications division thought the demand fo this introduction would be small. But the first edition was gobbled up overnight, and congress men and others began calling up and asking fo 50 copies or so apiece.

A rush order for a second edition of 50,000 copie had to be given to the Government Printing Office but that's probably just the beginning. Private publishers are begging for reprint rights, and the little book may find its way eventually to the news stands. But government red tape interfere with this last project a little, for the Government Printing Officwon't sell on consignment and won't allow book dealers who wil pay cash in advances to make more than 25 per cent on their sales whereas the custom of the trade is a 40 per cent commission.

"PEACE and War" has incorrectly been referred to as an American White Paper, but that's a misnomer. The first edition had brown paper cover and the second marcon. Also, since neither or these editions has any documents, the publication isn't really entitled to be referred to as an official "paper" in the strict interpretation

It diplomatic jargon.

The complete text will be the best source book possible on American foreign policy in the dreadful 1931-41 decade. The "Peace and War" introduction pamphlet just sums it all up in somewhat official but absolutely accurate language.

You will look in pain for any indication of authorship of "Peace."

You will look in vain for any indication of authorship of "Peace and War." 'That's intentional. The booklet is a Department of State publication and though it was Secretary of State Cordell Hull's idea to issue this introduction separately and he guided its preparation redit for the work is given to the department as a whole.

As a matter of fact, practically every head of every division in

he State Department read proof and made suggestions or alterations to insure that this would be a foolproof job, with no chance of an error and ro possibility of a kick-back from some foreign agency.

RESEARCH, first drafting, editing and final preparation of "Peace and War" were, however, the work of Carlton Savage, one of

and War" were, however, the work of Carlton Savage, one of he younger counselors of the department. He has been working in "Peace and War" since last spring.

Savage came to Washington in 1926 from Salem, Ore. He had been pri wal of a high school and secretary and business manager of the sta's a mal school, but, filled with the idealism of the Coolidge and of peace, he threw it all up and came to the capital to get any tind of a job he could. As a protege of Senator Charles L. McNary, also of Salem, Savage, in 1927, finally did get a minor research job in the State Department, and went on from there.

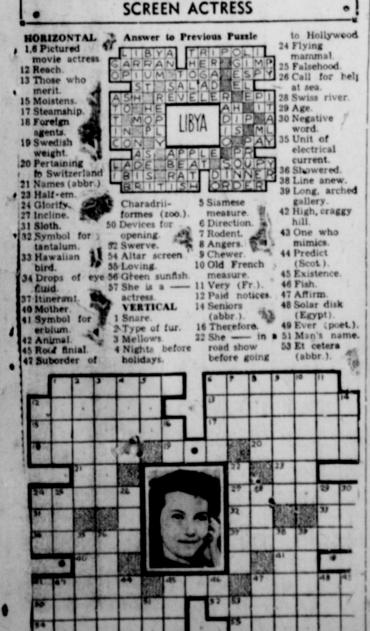
In the piping times of peace, Savage made a special study of neutrality before the first World War and edited a three-volume State Department publication on that subject. When the present war broke out in Europe, Savage was naturally the historical authority on U. S. neutrality, so he was advanced to more important drafting assignments.

USO Regional Head Appointed

in Texas, Louisiana and New Mex- is at 314 National Bank of Com ico, after having served in an merce Building, San Antonio, Tex.

nounced at USO national headquarters in New York.

Dr. Jackson comes to the USO from his position as president of NEW YORK, N. Y. - Dr. W. the University of San Antonio, W. Jackson has been appointed Headquarters for the USO reive for USO work gional office under Dr. Jackson





Scrap On Farm May Be Essential For Farm Repairs

scrap from the farm may be unwhen he found he could not buy that would require hundreds of patriotic thing to do," M. F. the equipment needed. In this Thurmond of the State Departway he helped solve, to a cerment of Education, stated at a tain extent, the farm labor shortward of the state o ial could be used in many cases sponsored by the vocational agrio repair worn or broken imple- culture teacher.

Out Our Way

could not get equipment or re-

AUSTIN, Feb. 1 - "Selling row tractor drawn stalk cutter, eliminating need of a new one

nts, and thus avoid the neces- "At New Braunfels, Texas, a "In a survey made in the State ity for replacement with new farmer used some of his junked of New York it was found that quipment. He emphasized the horse-drawn equipment to make 100 pounds of scrap metal used fact that Farm Machinery Repair a two-row tractor drawn middle- in the repair of farm machinery Courses offered by his depart- buster at an approdure of less will liberate a ton of metal for nent were not meant to compete than \$1, while receiving training use in production of war material with repair shops or equipment in the Rural War Production For this reason, it is a a mistake lealers, but to help farmers who Shop.

"At Timpson, Texas, a Peanut pairs, with special emphasis on Thrasher was reconditioned at scrap metal after having been "At Moulton, Texas, a farmer discarded ten years ago. It placonverted two one-row horse yed no small part in saving the drawn stalk cutters into a two- peanut grower of that community

ment of Education, stated at a tan extent, the farm labor short recent meeting of agricultural age while saving considerable on and reconditioned five cultivators workers. Thurmond, who is State the cost of his new equipment. He supervisor of the Rural War Production Training Program, poin-principles of repair work in the duction Training Program, poin-principles of repair work in the for our soldiers, and will not need out that suitable scrap mater. Farm Machinery Repair Course, spensored by the vocational agri-

..... By Williams





Investigation Of **River Authorities** May Be In Offing

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)- Every Stripped of legal phrasing the ession of a Texas Legislature has means the boards have power big investigation about some get anything anywhere that can b hing. It appears that the inquiry used in creating and distributing activity of river authorities.

River authorities are a compara- Gon. tively new form of bureaucracy in A coverall clause was Texas. First prominence was the act giving the authority lower Colorado River Authority any and all other acts or thing created by the Legislature in 1934 necessary or convenient to to take over properties of the ercise of the powers, rights, pri famed Insull coroporation and to ileges or functions conferred l project on Texas' Colorado River. If you give crede

An empowering clause of that complaints being heard in the state act, probably repeated in the cre- capitol halls some of the authori ation of a half dozen or more sim-, ties have been utilizing their nor ilar authorities that were later set er to a considerable extent up, carries this authorization:

maintain, use and operate any and Braunfels manufacturing scrap without sifting out and

keeping useable parts and pieces of metal," Thurmond concluded.

all property of any kind, real, personal or mixed, or any interest therein, within or without the boundaries of the district, neces powers, privileges and function conferred by this act."

of the 48th Legislature will be into activity of river authorities.

The Lower Colorado River Auth "To acquire by purchase, lease ority, besides transmitting power gift or in any other manner (oth- over a big part of Texas almost rwise than condemnation) and to acquired a bit plant at New

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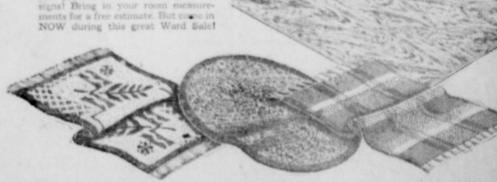
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Hodges Oak Park

TERM HONOR ROLL

High Honor Roll

Honor Roll

School News

TIRST GRADE -

Helen Williams

Miss Gable, Lt. Montgomery Wed

Word has been received in Ranger of the marriage of Miss Johnnie Mae Gable, daughter of

formed the ceremony Sunday evening, January 31, at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church at

Cooper P.T.A. Meets Carver, Alton Cosby, Max Dooley,

School met Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the school. Mrs. Eugene Baker was the

principal speaker of the afternoon Smith, Bryan Taliaferro, and Al and her subject was Founders Tune.

A brief business meeting was presided over by the president.

Ruth Class to Meet

Mmes. Walter Davis and Warren Moore will be hostesses to the Ruth Sunday School class of the First Baptist church in a busness and social meeting Thursday vening at 7:30 at the home of

Ranger O.E.S. Has Eastland Invitation

The Eastern Star Chapter of instland has invited the Ranger hapter to be guests at the inintion services to be held

Versonals

ny visiting in Houston as the guest of his brother, Pvt. M. Alonzo McGee, who was on leave from his regular army duties.

Mrs. D. L. Hall of Comanche

s the guest of her daughter, Mrs.

Mrs. A. D. Bonney of Strawn sited in Ranger on Tuesday.

Miss Doris Robinson who underwent a tonsillotomey Tuesday at the West Texas Clinic, was emoved from the hospital to her ome Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowen were risitors in Wiehita Falls on Fri-

Mrs Earl Swoveland is a edical patient in the West Texas Clinic.

Miss Jimmie Utley of Strawn laited friends in Ranger on Tues,

T. J. Wharton is a medical pat-ient in the West Texas Clinic.

Officer Believes In the Letter of Law for Reports

BRYAN, Tex., Feb. 2 (UP) -An officer at the advanced flying school here demonstrated both an appreciation of practial values

an appreciation of practial values and strict compliance with a request for completeness of reports.

This is the report he entered as Officer of the Day:

"At 5:30 a. m. made routing check of yard and guards. While on tour I found a cat and brought is to readquarters building to catch mice."

and Erwin Staffings. THIRD GRADE -High Honor Roll Betty Christenson,

Honor Roll Dessa Sue Stewart and Donald Varner. OURTH GRADE -

High Honor Roll Violet Bledsoe, Rolfe Brooks, Patsy Ann Frasier, Max Lyon, and Carolyn Pruett.

Honor Roll Raymond Brown, Richard Da-vis, Barbara Healer, John D. Jackson, Melba Mathis, Jho Nell Shuffield, Carolyn Slaughter, Jimmy Turner, and Doris Will-FIFTH GRADE -

High Honor Roll

Donna Rae Sumrall. Hamrick, Evelyn Hargrave, Veda Mitchell, Duane Ros James Varner, Miley Williams. Rose, SIXTH GRADE -

High Honor Roll Ralph Cooper, Gloria Graham, Jane Hatley, B. Tony Lewis, Betty Reuwer, Pauline Williams and

Honor Roll

Betty Jane Hilliard, Jerry Page, David M. Phillips, and Pat-Sue Vaughn SEVENTH GRADE -High Honor Roll

Honor Roll Joyce Cole, Betty Jean Dick-n, Jacqueline Edwards, Claren-Friday of this week, we are goe English, Georgeanne Rogers, ing past the \$1000 mark. nd Odell Vinson. Clarence English

EIGHTH GRADE -High Honor Roll Paul MacDonald

become an opportunity period for

The pubils "bo are disted be those pubils who are interested Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lyon of low on the high honor roll have in certain lines of activity. Those Ranger to Lt. Douglas Denny made no grades less than A for boys and girls who are taking Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. the first term of school at Hod- -dvantage of this period feel that Douglas Sorley Montgomery of ges Oak Park. Those who are they owe Miss Strain, our underisted on the honor roll have made standing principal at Hodges Oak Rev. W. Landless Shannon per- no grade less than B for the same Park, a debt of gratitude for making this period possible.

Many of the girls are knitting and learning to knit at this pernd. Miss Strain spends a great deal of her time helping these Gailia Baggett, Johnnie Gene girls to knit. Many of the boys are working

The P. T. A. of the Cooper Dan McGregor, Don McGregor, built them a special table for the chool met Tuesday afternoon at SECOND GRADE — their work. These boys may work High Honor Roll Stanley Harbin and Lida Jane

IS EPILEPSY INHERITED? WHAT CAUSES IT?

Marianne Baker, Johnnie Bar-ton, Madeline Bond, Jatie Beth be sent free, while they last, to any reader Dutton, Billie Jean Evans, Betty writing to the Educational Civision, 535 Lou Frazier, Dorothy Lacy, San- Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y., Dept. dra Peterson, Evelyn Robinson, B1352,



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Jimmie Heinlen

THE INQUIRING EDITOR

This week I have interviewed Grades. several people to learn their pinion of our Opportunity per- Tune.

Miss Strain had this to say, The purpose of this period is to teach the children to work and use their hands. I approve of

anrplane modeler so naturally I think the idea is fine." Ronald Alison. Roy Baggett, Bobbie Balch thinks this is a lackie Bell, Wanda Clem, Bob time for relaxation and enjoy-La ment after a day of school work." Betty Sue Coper says, "I think this period opens new opportun-ities for all of us."

Jimmie Stevens DEFENSE STAMP SALE

The students of Hodges Oak Park bought \$120 worth of Hilliard, Jerry stamps and \$75 worth of bonds Paul Mac: "Ah. Well, behind eon Friday of last week. The to- very great man there's a woman tal sale for the day was \$195. During the month of January

the total amount of sales in Jimmie Heinlen and Glenna stamps and bonds was \$400,20. The total for the first five months gion near the Equator, of school is \$971.80.

> MANY PUPILS TAKE PART IN PROGRAM

Beware Coughs

Following Flu

reomulsion relieves promptly be-cause it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phiesm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchist

CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

on their airplanes during the op-portunity period, after school, in the pregram to be given at the and on Saturdays. Founders Day Tea and Fine Arts Some of the other boys and Program in the Blue Room of girls help in the library at this the Gholson Hotel on Wednesday,

The program to be presented by these pupils:

Victory Readings, Lynn Nicholson, Al

Piano Solos - Barbara Ann Pruett, Carolyn Pruett. Tap Routine - Glenna Weaver, Beety Jean Dickson, Joyce Cole, Barbara Pugh, Georganne Ro-

the Opportunity Period."

J. G. Wright says. "I'm an Group of Songs — Hodges Oak anynhane modeler so naturally I Park Choral Club, Mrs. Phillips, and Miss Baskin, Miss Ashley and Miss Baskin, have planned and will direct the program

> Teacher: " Who was the dar-ing explorer who explored the Peggy

Robinson: "George

Washington." Teacher: "Paul, your admire tion for that seventh grade girl

Teacher: "Where is Lapland?" Billie Ray: "Lapland is

to furnish the inspiration.'



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