

Ranger is oversubscribing her Bond Quota. Ranger women will complete 20,000 surgical dressings for the Red Cross before the First of March.

Ranger Times

Ranger's NYA Resident Training Center, one of the largest in Texas is training young men and women for War Jobs.

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JAP LOSSES HEAVY IN ISLANDS

SALE OF WAR BONDS, STAMPS IN JANUARY ALMOST DOUBLES EASTLAND COUNTY'S QUOTA

Total sales reach \$90,133.25 with Gorman again taking the lead over other towns in the county

Eastland County once again has gone over the top on the sale of War Bonds and Stamps with the quota of \$50,400 being exceeded by \$39,733.25 or a total sale of \$90,133.25.

Following is the report issued by Cyrus B. Frost, Eastland County Chairman for the sale of War Bonds and Stamps:

Gorman for the second successive month leads all other cities in Eastland County in the sale of War Bonds and Stamps. It will be recalled that for the month of December Gorman led all other towns in the County, Gorman having purchased more bonds and stamps for December than the county's quota was for December. Now with the January reports in, Gorman again takes the lead by subscribing almost one-half of the January quota.

The county quota for January was \$50,400.00 and to date the different communities in the county have reported sales of \$90,133.25. To this will be added the credits for employer-employee deductions which will run our purchases to approximately \$100,000.00 for January. This is a wonderful showing.

Our quota for February has been set at \$50,400.00 and it is to be hoped that the county will make as good a showing for February as they have for January.

The amount purchased by each town is as follows: Gorman \$24,285.50; Gisco, \$24,216.10; Eastland, \$18,046.25; Ranger, \$15,257.50; Rising Star, \$4,927.50; Carbon, \$2,905.00; Deardemona, \$2,087.75; Olden, \$1,689.95; Scranton, \$66.35; Pioneer, \$28.75; Okra \$11.40; Nimrod \$6.20; Dothan \$5.00.

As we invest our money in these bonds we make it possible for our Government to pay the expenses of this War, we head off inflation and we build up our savings which we will need very much when this War is over. Let us continue to increase our savings on the home front while our boys and girls continue to lengthen the fighting lines on the War Front!

Cyrus B. Frost, Eastland County Chairman.

WAVE in WAAC



Mrs. Helene Hall of Los Angeles, wife of an enlisted seaman in the Navy, became the first WAAC khaki because naval etiquette forbade her to be married to a Navy man of inferior rank.

Increased Oil Production For 1943 Is Expected

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 11.—Increased oil production is almost certain during 1943, and Texas, as both a producer and refiner of petroleum, will be called upon for a share of the increase, Elmer H. Johnson, industrial geographer with the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, predicts.

Current national output of oil is a little under four million barrels a day, Johnson pointed out, but a recent report to the Petroleum Industry War Council forecasts for the last part of this year an increase of more than a half million barrels.

Oil refinery operations already constitute Texas' largest manufacturing industry, Johnson explained, and war demands upon the industry have been steadily growing heavier. In addition to the tremendous expansion in production of high octane gasoline, oil refineries have been asked to produce such synthetics as toluol for high explosives, butadiene and styrene for synthetic rubber.

"Natural gas is coming to be recognized as a vital product also," Johnson asserted. "Considerable quantities of Texas gas are piped outside the state even into Mexico. Natural gas as an industrial fuel is of growing importance and its availability was a large factor in bringing plants for the manufacture of heavy chemicals, pulp and paper, and magnesium to Texas."

Garment Union Considers Plan To Own Plant

ST. LOUIS (UP)—Officers of the southwest region of the AFL international ladies garment workers' union have under consideration a plan to own and operate their own dress factory after the war.

Union officials, meeting here recently, agreed to pattern the cooperative along general lines followed in Sweden. Representatives in the U. S. have been invited to discuss their systems with the union.

Previously the union had considered giving aid to bankrupt plants, or taking them over entirely. The new program, said one official, involves "starting from scratch."

About \$50,000 is called for in the initial investment, the official said. The plan would allow union members to become stockholders at approximately \$5 per share. However, the ultimate goal is to confine ownership of the plant to those actually employed therein.

vice president of the union, said the basic reason behind the project was to maintain private enterprise "in the face of possible government control" with limitation of profits for factory owners.

President Will Make 2 Speeches In February

WASHINGTON, D. C. (UP)—The White House announced today that President Roosevelt will make two radio addresses this month—one tomorrow night on Lincoln's birthday and one on Feb. 22, Washington's birthday.

'Dogs' and 'Pops'—Two Medical Training Center recruits—one wearing size 16 shoes and the other size 3—arrived at the same hutment of Co. D, 57th Battalion the other day from opposite coasts. One of them is 26-year-old Walter Hecht, the battleship type, who stands six feet five inches in his stocking feet, and weighs 227. The other is 34-year-old Alfonso Uribe, the mosquito boat type, an even 5 feet in height and weighing 153 with most of his equipment on his back. Hecht hails from New York and Uribe from Oakland, California.

It's a Long Way to Tipperary, Son



This young would-be soldier of Britain is striding along with the best of them, but before long he may confine his marching activity to merry-go-rounds on shoulders of one of the American soldiers.

ASSISTANCE OFFERED ON TAX RETURN

Deputy collectors of internal revenue, H. T. Brannon, C. W. Drechsel and H. M. Vineyard will be at the Ranger postoffice all day Friday to assist individuals with their income tax problems.

Due to the changes made in the income tax law new problems have arisen about which many people are in doubt and it is with this in mind that these men offer their services free of charges to the people. Personal exemption allowed a single person is \$500 and personal exemption allowed a married couple is \$1200, which is considerably less than the last schedule.

Anyone is privileged to ask the collectors for assistance in making out an income tax return.

Priorities Hit Counterfeiting

DENVER, Colo. (UP)—A "depression," induced by priorities and an educational campaign by the U. S. Treasury Department, has hit the counterfeit money racket, Rowland K. Goddard, U. S. Secret Service supervisor in Denver says.

Goddard says that both branches of the spurious money craft—coin and note—have felt the pinch caused by the war.

Coiners, who rely heavily on habbit metal (an alloy of copper, tin, antimony and other vital materials) have been affected at the source of their supply, Goddard reports. Sale of those metals are carefully regulated by the War Production Board to see that they go to war industries.

The "note men," the artists of their "profession," who must be skilled in engraving, chemistry and printing to escape detection for even a short time, also are unable to obtain the materials they need. Chemicals once used to bleach \$1 notes so the false imprint of larger denominations could be superimposed are hard to get, Goddard says. Other materials, ink, printing equipment and zinc also are unavailable.

Combined with the ceaseless campaign the treasury has waged to advise the public on easy ways to spot bogus coins and paper money, priorities have made the counterfeiting racket a profitless one.

Two simple ways in which phoney money can be detected, Goddard says, are:

- 1. The old "teeth and ear" test for coins. If it isn't fairly biteable and doesn't ring, it's not real.

Safety Leaders To Tour State On Safety Drive

NEW YORK, N. Y. Feb. 11.—The all-out wartime accident-prevention campaign inaugurated recently by the National Safety Council at the request of President Roosevelt, will be officially launched in Texas next Monday, February 15.

A delegation of safety leaders headed by William A. Irvin, national chairman of the War Production Fund to Conserve Manpower, and former president of the United States Steel Corporation, will arrive from San Diego to enlist the cooperation of Fort Worth, Dallas and Houston businessmen and industrialists in the development of an expanded safety movement for industry, the home and the school. Colonel John Stilwell, president of the National Safety Council, Ned H. Dearborn, executive vice-president of that organization, and a staff of technical assistants are members of the group.

"For the first time in the history of this country, an accident-prevention program commensurate with the size and seriousness of the national accident problem is now under way," said Mr. Irvin in a message to local heads of business and industry. He said that the wartime work of the National Safety Council is being financed by the newly formed War Production Fund, which aims at a \$5,000,000 safety program.

The delegation arrives in Fort Worth on Monday, February 15. A reception committee will meet the train and the party will go immediately to the Fort Worth Club as guests of Mr. Amon G. Carter. A luncheon will be given in honor of Mr. Irvin by Mr. A. F. Townsend, president of the Ft. Worth Transit Company, at the Fort Worth Club, which 50 leading businessmen and industrialists are expected to attend.

Foundation Has A Mail Order Lecture Course

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 9.—If the gasoline ration won't take the family automobiles to lecture halls, then try using the latest service of the Hogg Foundation of the University of Texas—a mail order information service called "Lectures in Print."

In normal years, the Hogg Foundation brings a dozen or more lectures of national reputation to Texas for state wide lecture tours. But because of existing transportation difficulties, the Foundation's speakers are unable to "get around" to all the audiences who wish to hear them.

A packet of printed lectures and notes has therefore been mailed to approximately 1,000 readers. Included in the package is information on juvenile delinquency, a bibliography of material on mental hygiene in war time and notes on the lectures of Dr. Emilio Mira, former director of psychiatry for the Loyalist army in Spain.

Seeks Increase In Confederate Veterans Pay

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 10. (UP)—Rep. Jo Ed Winfree of Houston didn't believe that Texas was paying its Confederate vets, and widows adequate pensions. He wrote to seven other states which pay these pensions. Winfree learned that Texas pension payments are the lowest of the group, so he introduced a bill to raise the amounts. Monthly payments in other States are: Virginia, \$70; Louisiana, \$60; Georgia and Florida, \$50; Mississippi, \$40; North Carolina, \$30, and Oklahoma, \$27.

Texas payments are \$25 to veterans or widows who do not reside in either of the confederate homes here. Those living in the homes receive 12.50. Winfree asked that the veterans get double the amount they now receive.

The leather in an average-size woman's pocket book would make a pair of army aviator's gloves.

NAVY CONFIRMS CONQUEST OF GUADALCANAL WITH JAP LOSS 21 TO EACH AMERICAN LOST

Stimson says that forces landed on north west tip made possible the defeat of the Japs on the island

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 11. (UP)—U. S. ground forces destroyed Japanese soldiers at the rate of more than 21 for every American lost in finally smashing the enemy's last organized resistance on Guadalcanal, it was revealed today.

The Navy confirmed that conquest of the strategic island was completed on Wednesday—South Pacific Time—and that mopping up operations were continuing.

Secretary of War Stimson said at a press conference that final defeat of the Japs was made possible by a sea-borne flank movement in which army forces were landed at the northwest tip of the island, trapping the enemy near Cape Esperance between two strong U. S. columns.

He made public a report written in the latter half of January by Lieut. Gen. Millard Harmon revealing that U. S. soldiers had killed about 4,000 Japs and captured 105. American losses were 189 killed, 398 wounded and 270 missing. Harmon's report did not account for Japs killed by Marines before the army troops replaced them nor for enemy soldiers killed in the fighting since late January.

Accusation Of Blackmail Flung At Nazi By Welles

WASHINGTON.—Undersecretary of state Welles today accused the Nazi government of engaging in international blackmail in their refusal to repatriate American officials seized in France unless German military officers captured in North Africa be released in exchange.

U. S. Airmen Hit Munda and Kiska

WASHINGTON, D. C. (UP)—The Navy revealed today that American airmen carried out two more attacks on the Jap air base at Munda and again blasted Kiska in the Aleutians.

Opening Church Services Are Postponed

Due to the illness of George R. Farrow the church services which were scheduled to open at the Presbyterian church Sunday have been postponed until a later date.

The date of the opening service, and the plans for the service will be announced through this newspaper as soon as completed.

Knif, 'Slipped' Too Far

CHARLOTTE, N. C. (UP)—Sam Able, Negro, told Judge W. H. S. Burgwyn he was cutting his fingernails when the knife he used slipped and cut Laura Bell Young. The cut required 32 stitches and furthermore, witnesses testified, it was the fifth time Sam had cut Laura Belle, and more 100 stitches had been needed to sew up the wounds. Able's story was a good one, the judge said, and it ought to get him somewhere. "Five years in the penitentiary," he said.

Servic. Men Give \$36,000

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UP)—The men at Fort McClellan are giving to the war in more ways than one. Brig. Gen. Wallace C. Philson, commanding officer, has presented a check for \$36,167.42 to the Alabama State War Chest for the USO and other war activities—the contribution of the officers and men at Fort McClellan.

San Francisco is the only city in the world with four pairs of street car tracks on its main street.

DeGaulle's Son



Aspirant Philippe DeGaulle, son of the Fighting French general, stands aboard a naval unit on which he is an officer-cadet. The flag under which he serves flew behind him.

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"Gentleman Jim"



JACK CARSON featured in Warner Bros. Picture "GENTLEMAN JIM" wears the Self-Conforming "GENTLEMAN JIM" RESISTOL

Breezy and gay is this "Gentleman Jim" with its lite-tone contrasting band. Here's just the right weight hat for Spring with easy-fitting comfort only your Resistol "Self-Conforming" Hat can provide.

\$5 OTHERS TO \$12



E. L. MARTIN CO. The Friendly Store

Sues Turkey Ranch LOS ANGELES (UP)— Mrs. Neville Cannel has brought suit for \$50 against the Howard Turkey Ranch on the grounds that the ranch owners switched turkeys on her. She told the court she had sent her pet turkey "Edna" to the ranch for the mating season, but alleged that when the season was over they sent her back a bird that "may have been a turkey but it was not Edna."

Spring Beauty

Advertisement for Doris Dodson clothing featuring illustrations of dresses and blouses with descriptive text and prices.

Houston Thieves Prepare for a Long, Hot Summer

AUSTIN, Tex. Feb. 8. (UP)—Thieves here are evidently anticipating a hot summer and are...

shade. Two evergreen trees and their tub containers were taken from in front of a restaurant. Police said the trees were four feet tall and weighed 100 pounds each.

That Extra Something!

...You can spot it every time

EVERY woman knows it's the extra touches that make a house a home. Ice-cold Coca-Cola is something she likes to add...

Coca-Cola is served with pride. Everybody will be pleased. Its quality carries on, never losing the freshness of appeal which first delighted you.

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Waittime limits the supply of Coca-Cola. Those times when you cannot get it, remember Coke, being first choice, order out first. Ask for it each time.



In these days of wartime shortages, there may not be as much Coca-Cola as before. But still enough for many places that too busy. It's wise to buy ahead for the home refrigerator!



The best is always the better buy!

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Little Russian a two-piece of embroidered woolen rayon blouse and tan chiffon skirt many red, cocoa apricot and red-mauve sizes 9-15 \$12.95

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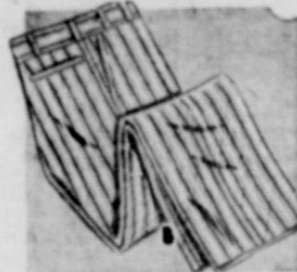
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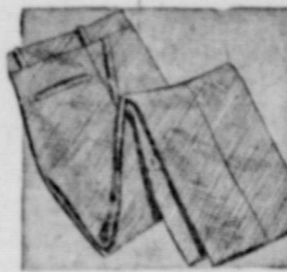
MEN'S THRIFT QUALITY WORK SHIRTS 79c Rugged cotton covert or chambray for tough jobs. Strongly made! Cut full for comfort!



STURDY! HOMESTEADER WORK SHIRTS 98c Long-wearing cotton covert or chambray that's 99% shrinkproof. Active men like the full sized!



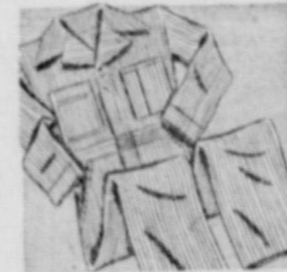
MEN'S DOUBLE DUTY CASH SAVERS 2.49 Dress pants style! Work pants strength! All 99% shrinkproof. In trim cotton-and-rayon fabrics.



SANFORIZED COVERT WORK PANTS 1.49 There's lot's of wear in this rugged cotton covert! Washable, 99% shrinkproof. Generous cuff!



MEN'S "101" BANDTOP OVERALLS 1.25 Tough, heavy denim—cut full! 99% shrinkproof for lasting fit. Metal-riveted at strain points!



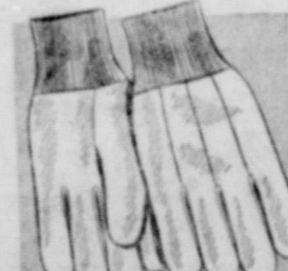
MEN'S ROOMY ONE PIECE WORK SUITS 2.98 Homesteader industrials in long-wearing fabrics that are 99% shrinkproof. Strong! Roomy!



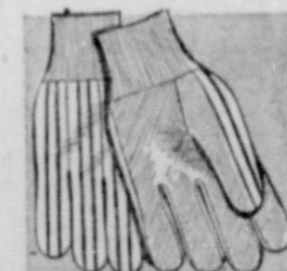
WARDS OWN FAMOUS "MECHANICS" 19c Heels and toes are twice as heavy as the rest! Seamless 4-1/2" Short, regular lengths.



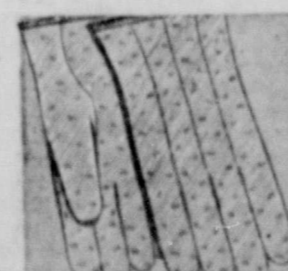
THRIFT SHOP CAP—UNION-MADE 29c Comfortable cap to give good wear. Cut extra full to allow for shrinkage. Good sized visor.



THRIFTY! MEN'S CANVAS WORK GLOVES pair 15c Heavy twilled canvas, rapped inside for comfort! Have non-rip seams, double thick knit wrist!



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RED RYDER



BY FRED HARMON

Hodges Oak Park School News

RUMORS

The repetition of rumors is the lowest form of hurting people. Often a person does not realize what rumors will do to the other person's character and peace of mind. Rev. English of the First Methodist Church gave the following illustration of the evil effect of rumor and tale-bearing. A girl of the Catholic Faith went to her priest to confess her sin of tale-bearing. She asked what she could do to redeem her sin. The priest told her to take a chicken and walk up the street on a windy day and pick the chicken and let the feathers fall where they would. She did this and returned to the priest. He then told her to take a bak and go back and pick up every feather she had thrown down. She exclaimed, "But that's impossible, they're scattered everywhere." He told her that it would be just that impossible to recall her slanderous words which had injured a neighbor's character. This same illustration could well apply to repeating rumors.

Let's all adopt this for our motto, "Hear no rumor, Believe no rumor, Tell no rumor." Paul MacDonald

THE INQUIRING EDITOR

Jimmy Crossley and Jimmy Stevens. Your inquiring editor's question for this week was, "What is your opinion of our Hodges Oak Park School and the work we are doing?" We have interviewed people whom we felt were really qualified to give you worthwhile opinions on our school. Dr. G. C. Boswell, superintendent of the Ranger Schools, says that the Hodges Oak Park School is a good one. The qualifications of the faculty are excellent. He also says that he thinks the physical education program is very good. Miss Ashley the newest teacher at the Hodges Oak Faculty has this to say: "I should like to take this opportunity to express my thanks and appreciation to the pupils for the way they have received me as a new teacher. Most of the pupils show much enthusiasm and interest in their work which of course, helps to make teaching a pleasure. May

we all strive to keep the high rating which we already have at Hodges Oak Park." Mrs. Rodgers, president of the Hodges Oak Park Parent Teachers says in her opinion our school is among the best. She also says, "I certainly think we have A-1 teachers in every room." Thomas Morales, a Mexican member of the student body has this to say, "I like the school, the teachers, and the games. My only complaint is that my seat's too small and sometimes my room is too warm."

Doyle Nash, the newest member of the student body thinks it is a nice school. He has not had any trouble finding new friends here, and it didn't take him very many periods to decide that he liked our school.

SCOUT WEEK

National Scout Week started February 4 and will end February 13. This is the 33rd anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Mr. Boyce brought the idea of scout week to America. He went to England on a business trip.

He was searching for an address when a Boy Scout asked him if he could be of any service to him. After the scout had directed the man to the address, he refused to take a tip for his service. Mr. Boyce was so impressed that he went to the scout office and learned something of the rules, laws and motto governing the Boy Scouts of America. When he returned to America, he established the Boy Scouts of America in 1910.

The boys of our school who are scouts are members of Scout Troop 53. To them scout week is an important time of the year. Last Saturday the duties of all town officials were taken over by scouts. They displayed a great deal of enthusiasm and initiative in fulfilling these duties. Jimmy Martin and Jack Cole

SCOUTS TO RUN SCHOOL

On Friday, February 12, as a means of paying special honor to the boy scouts of our school, the teachers are allowing those whose grades are highest to take charge of the various duties of the school. Paul MacDonald, will have charge of the Defense stamp and bond sale. Friday, Richard Kelly will serve as principal for the day. The following scouts will teach classes that day: Jimmie Crossley English 8, Jimmie Stevens and Billie Ray geography 8, Jimmie Martin and Billy Jo Thomas, arithmetic 8, Jack Cole English 8, Paul MacDonald and Bobby Balch history 8, Jimmie Heinlen Spanish, and Clarence English health 7. Billy Ray Campbell

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Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID. Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that Must Help or It Will Cost You Nothing. Over two million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers due to Excess Acid. Four Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Gasiness, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 days' trial. Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this treatment—free at Oil City Pharmacy

"The Best Tunes of All— Move to Carnegie Hall" Lincoln's Birthday, Friday, Feb. 12. TUNE IN STATION WFAA - NBC - 7:30 TO 8:00 P. M.

FOLKS IF YOU WANT A VICTORY CROP PLANT— BLUE TAG SEEDS. Get them from Your BLUE TAG Dealer. TERMINAL GRAIN CO. FORT WORTH, TEXAS

DANCE -Every Saturday Night At- AMERICAN LEGION HALL Ranger, Texas. Music by Popular Orchestras By Record. Scrip Men 25c Ladies 10c -YOU ARE WELCOME-

Miss Edith Ashley is teaching tap dancing lessons on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays after school. These are group lessons. One group has a lesson on Monday and Wednesday afternoon and another group on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon. Glenn Weaver.

MISS BASKIN PRESENTS PROGRAM FOR P. T. A.

On Tuesday afternoon, February 9, the Hodges Oak Park Parent Teacher Association met for their regular monthly meeting. Miss Baskin presented her children in the patriotic exercises which the children go through daily. These include The Pledge to the Flag, the Star Spangled Banner, and the preamble to the Constitution. These children also presented "Victory", a patriotic number. Come one mothers, join the crowd and come to P. T. A. on the second Tuesday afternoon of each month. It's the patriotic thing to do! Georgeanne Rogers.

Chickens -Turkeys

STAR SULPHUROUS COMPOUND given in drinking water or feed, destroys in the germ period-intestinal worms and worms that cause most all disease and loss in egg production. Also rids them of blood sucking lice, mites, fleas and bluebugs. Then they will stay in good health and egg money back if not satisfied. OIL CITY PHARMACY

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FOR SALE - Portable Electric Machine, Electric Sweeper. 309 Main Street. LOST - Part Persian brindle kitten in vicinity of 211 Busk, Child's pet. Ph. 345-J. LOST - Billfold containing registration and classification cards. Liberal reward. T. J. Wharton 1109 Foch St.

FOR SALE - almost new windmill 30 barrel cedar tank. \$100. See W. H. Sparger, Rt. 1 Ranger, Texas.

Call meeting Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738 A F & A M Friday, Feb. 11, at 7:30. Work in Fellow Craft, all members are urged to be present. Visitors Welcome. J. F. Donley, Sec. Dick A. Jones W. M.

KENNEDY'S Bred to lay Chickens From Pullorum tested flocks. Leghorns- Anconas, Straight Run, Per Hundred, \$10.50; Cockerels Per Hundred, \$5.00; Pullets Per Hundred \$20.00. All heavy breeds, straight run. For better chicks, and bigger profits, see us. Discount on big orders. Kennedy Hatchery, P. O. Box 17, Dublin, Tex.

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The Wrong Way To Save Money Is neglecting to do certain necessary things that need to be done at certain times like going to your doctor, seeing your dentist or paying the preacher or editor what you owe him. Some of us lose money by trying to save money when we buy land without an abstract. The right way is the safe way—always demand an abstract. Earl Bender & Company, Inc. Abstractors Eastland 1923-1942 Texas

Rationing At A Glance RATION BOOKS WAR RATION NO. 1—Used for sugar and coffee, will be required to obtain Book No. 2. WAR RATION BOOK NO. 2—To be issued soon, will provide for rationing on a "point system." Rationed Food Commodities SUGAR—Stamp No. 11 in Book No. 1 good for 3 pounds until midnight, March 15, 1943. COFFEE—Stamp No. 25 in Book No. 1 (for those for 1 pound until midnight March 21, 1943.) MEAT—Voluntary share-the-meat program sets limit at 2 1/2 pounds per person per week. Meat will be rationed under the "point system" after Book No. 2 is distributed. A. H. POWELL Grocery and Market Phone 103

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Society

Mrs. M. E. Boyvey Society Editor
PHONE 224

W. J. Powell Made Excellent Record At University

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell have received word that their son, W. J. Powell who is a pre-med student at the University of Texas, has kept up the splendid scholastic standing which he maintained while a student at Ranger high school and Ranger Junior College.

On his mid-term examinations W. J. rated four A's and one B, and it was stated that the one B was made in a course taught by a teacher who will give no higher grade than a B.

Mrs. Anderson Is Hostess to Colony Demonstration Club

Mrs. D. Anderson was hostess to the Colony Home Demonstration Club, Feb. 5.

After the routine business had been transacted, Mrs. R. F. Kirk gave a report on the last council meeting. Miss Gladys Martin demonstrated making hot beds.

Legion Dance Will Be Saturday Night

The regular weekly American Legion dance will be held at the legion clubroom Saturday night, February 13 and the public is invited to attend. A very small admission will be charged.

She also talked on most substitutes. The club members have made five robes and donated them to The Military Hospital at Brownwood. A radio was donated by Mrs. D. Anderson.

Ranger Rebekahs Meet On Tuesday

Members of the Ranger Rebekah Lodge, No. 244, met at the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a business session which was presided over by the Noble Grand, Fanny Robinson.

After the sick report was given Communications were read. Mrs. Mattie Cox was elected to membership by reinstatement. Mrs. Mabel Southers, lodge deputy president installed Mrs. Eva Stallings as outside guardian. Mrs. Laura Melton, team captain, selected members for the degree

Team, and all are requested to be present for practice at the next meeting.

Interesting discussions were given on timely subjects pertaining to the welfare of the lodge. Mrs. Ruby Greer won the penny prize which was furnished by Mrs. Anna Mae Robinson.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served to the fifteen members present.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plumley of Camp Roberson, Okla., are the guests of L. Plumley's mother, Mrs. Maud Plumley, on Spring Road.

Mrs. R. J. Taylor and Mrs. R. H. West left Thursday to go to Odessa where they will spend the week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ralph Rider, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson, has returned to her home in Houston.

Bobbie Plumley, who has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Maud Plumley, has returned to San Angelo where he is stationed at Goodfellow Field.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Warren Craik have gone to Lawrence, Kan. where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. John Curtis and Mrs. Massey of Palo Pinto visited friends in Ranger Thursday.

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GREYHOUND schedules are being improved—some by just a matter of minutes, while others reflect a considerable saving of time.

These improvements are made possible as a result of experience gained since last fall, when all buses started operating at reduced speeds to conform with regulations of the Office of Defense Transportation. Nearly all departure and arrival times will be changed, so be sure to check with your Greyhound agent before any trip.

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Bus Schedules Changes Have Been Announced

FT. WORTH, Tex., Feb. 10—Effective February 15th all schedules of the Southwestern Greyhound Lines are being changed, according to an announcement made today by A. E. Baldus, general traffic manager of the company.

The new schedules reflect an improvement in running time, made possible through experience gained since last fall when all inter-city buses went under new war-time schedule requirements.

Baldus again urged the public to pick the least crowded times—mid-week days instead of week-ends—in which to travel, and to take as little baggage as possible, so that less essential travel would not conflict with war personnel who travel largely on week ends.

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DESDEMONA

Mrs. Florence Barclay of Comanche has returned home after visiting her sister Mrs. Tom Nabers this past week.

Thurman Short of Fort Worth returned home Tuesday after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Short.

Mrs. Jean Rowch of Old California is visiting her father Mr. Jess Hughes.

Mrs. C. W. Malthy and daughter, Varda, accompanied by Jack Vee Duke, Grace Lemaster, Troy Barker and Ulan Perry drove to Camp Walters Sunday for a visit with Private Neil Malthy, Kenneth Withers, Johnnie Dean Ragland, Vernon Duke, Jimmie Hughes and W. H. Kirk.

Mrs. Jessie Clark and children of Beaumont are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brouse. Mrs. Jack Shoat was called home Friday by the illness of her husband, she was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark. Pvt. Elmer Daniel of Camp Hood was greeting old friends here Tuesday.

Earl Parks of Beaumont is visiting home folks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis and her mother, Mrs. Cotton, drove to Coleman Sunday to visit relatives. Mrs. Cotton remained in Coleman.

Pet, and Mrs. J. T. Wilson and children were Desdemona visitors Tuesday. Pvt. Wilson is stationed in Utah and is home on a two weeks furlough.

Mrs. Hermon Rushing of Cisco was visiting friends here Tuesday.

Form "War Dad's Club"

BELTON, Tex. (UP) — The "War Dad's Club" has been formed here, comprised of fathers with sons in the service, to serve at the USO club here in entertaining service men.

Notice!

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Mickey's Back In Town

Mickey Rooney's newest flame in his next Metro picture, "Yank At Eton" which will be seen at the Arcadia theatre here Friday. It's a story of an American boy in England.