

attorney, was notified the first of the week of his appointment by 83rd District, to fill the unexpired term of Alan Fraser, now serving in the armed forces.

candidate for this office in the Democratic Primary July 22nd., over J. C. Epperson of Alpine, and Crumpton's appointment for the remainder of the year as District Attorney was made shortly after the results of the election were made

San Angelo Bottle Shortage Solved by McCamey Arrest

By JAMES CARLL

Joe Wright, 28, colored shine boy at a local barbershop, was arrested for the theft of 72 milk bottles from the Blue Bonnet Cafe.

The arresting officer, Sheriff Sam Haynes, stated that Wright removed the bottles from the rear of the cafe in the establishment's own container and took them next door to the Banne Creamery where he offered them for sale.

The manager of the creamery, recognizing the container, asked Wright, "Didn't you get those bottles from the Blue Bonnet Cafe?"

"No, suh," replied Wright indignantly, "I been savin' dem bottles." Then he added quickly to strengthen his story, "I brung 'em f'm San Angelo."

The creamery manager paid \$25.00 and costs.

Delegates of the Home Demonstration Clubs, Mrs. C. K. West of dead, struck down by the same bolt George Morrison. He has just been McCamey, and Mrs. W. C. McDon- of lightning that had killed the ald of Rankin, left Monday for Aus- two men and their horses. tin where they are attending the Texas Home Demonstration Association Convention which convenes Ensign Jack Walcher, now stationthe 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

Mrs. Evelyn Steigler of Odessa and Mrs. Mary Joe Curry of Mc- tning he has done before. Camey spent the week-end here with Mrs. Elizabeth Rains.

Helen Calcote left Friday for a visit in California. Accompanying her was Doris Calcote of Eldorado. She will visit in Long Beach and Lost Angeles and other points in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Faires, Mrs. Parker Wilber and Mr. and Mrs. John Tracy.

Miss Joan Swain, niece of Mrs. Gertrude Hall, left Thursday after a three weeks visit here with relatives and friends. Her parents and sister, Winona, were here for a short time when she first arrived and Mrs. Swain and Mrs. Hall spent a week in Christoval.

Political Announcements

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary August 26.

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:

J. E. SIMCO (Re-election)

H. M. (SAM) FOWLER

For Commissioner Precinct 2:

W. C. McDONALD W. J. PRICE

For County Commissioner Pre.

J. O. CURRIE LEE ROY GRIGSBY

McCamey Paratrooper Missing in Action Since Normandy D-Day

chool, he was president of the duction in the McCamey field. Senior Class, captain of the football Falls Round-Up, and was listed in "Who's Who" of Texas high

Enlisting in October 1942, Lam-Blanding, Florida; Camp MacKall, pipe Governor Coke R. Stevenson to the North Carolina, and Ft. Benning office of District Attorney of the Georgia. He was sent overseas in January of this year,

A brother, Pvt. Billie Lambeth, 19, is in the Army Air Corps. When Mr. Crumpton was the successful lest heard from, Billie was at Ascension Island, a British possession in the mid-South Atlantic, approximately half way between Natal, Brazil, and Brazzavilla, French Equatorial Africa, enroute to an undisclosed base.

Another brother, Staff Sergeant Hubert G. Lambeth, 23, is fighting in Italy with the 88th Infantry Division of the 5th Army.

Lightning Kills 2 Men, 2 Horses and 12 Cattle

By JAMES CARLL

Ed Schnaubert just returned y lightning on July 14, has related true story of the tragedy that is tranger than fiction.

Mr. Pool was also the uncle of ill Moore of Rankin.

According to Schnaubert, nd a companion, both employees niles west of Lake Arthur, when killed were driving a dozen head them on feed.

When found, Pool, his companion and their horses lay dead, no more than three feet apart, indicating that they had been riding stirrup Wright \$3.60 for the bottles, then But the 12 head of cattle were called the police. Wright was fined strung out along the trail for at Shaw. least the length of a city block, with a distance of several feet separating each steer, yet all were

Friends here have heard from Pacific. ed at Camp Peary, Va., and he says that he likes his work, mainly because it is so different from any-

Texas No. 1-A Hobbs To Finish

The Texas Co. No. 1-A Charles W. Hobbs estate, southeastern cat test in the Texas Pacific No. The War Department has notified Crane County pool opener and 1-A Isabelle Morrison located two Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lambeth of Mc- Texas' first oil producer from the miles north of Rankin in section Camey that their paratrooper son, Devonian lime flowed 392 barrels 29 of the C&MR RR Co. survey. efc. Bobby J. Lambeth, has been of pipeline oil in 17 hours on an of-

Lambeth, born in Bristow, Okla., the north corner of section 46-35f the Consolidated Grand Falls- County line and 4 1-2 miles south in Reagan County. Royalty High School. While in west of shallow Permian lime pro-

eam ,editor-in-chief of the Grand scheduled 6,500-foot test in southwestern Crane in section 20-3-H& TC, was attempting to take a drill-

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yates Occupy Their Time Re-upholstering Chairs

cure to the ailments of life, Mrs. E. west of Crane. D. Yates, 72 year old Rankin womember of the Rankin Home Hobbs estate of San Angelo was Demonstration Club and the club drilling at 4,030 feet in lime, Loca-

recently studied slip covering. Both Mrs. Yates and her hus- ner of section 47-35-H&TC. band have been in ill health during the spring months and yet with the assistance of Mr Yates, Mrs. Yates put springs in two chairs that were Hobbs, Texas' first producer from made from car seat springs, repadded the chairs which had lost their form from the padding slipping and rom Lake Arthur, New Mexico, put cheerful covers on the chairs. where he attended the funeral of A fourth chair also received their his uncle, Jess Pool, struck down attention in the way of recovering. mending and adding support.

Mrs. Yates says the material for chair and some tacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates have lived ing on. of the Flying H Ranch located 45 in Rankin for about eight years. Their's is a cheerful home with flowers which Mrs. Yates tends of cattle to the home ranch to put with care to add to its charm. The keynote of comfort is paramount in its easy grace, however.

single bolt of lightning killed both, after a visit here with Mrs. C. J. birthday cake was cut and serve

released from a Marine hospital in Olen and Rovena Langford, while on duty in the Southwest and Carlton Stephenson.

tended the rodeo. They were aca business visitor here Wednesday. daughter in that city.

Upton County Gets Another Wildcat Test

Upton County gets another wild-

The test is 467 feet from the D-Day, June 7. No further details tial test and will now complete, and is scheduled for 4,000 feet. No. 1-A Hobbs is 660 feet out of drilling to be done with cable tools.

> Magnolia No. 1 American Republies Corp., slated 6,000-foot wildeat Magnolia No. 1 State-O. Z. Flood, in north central Upton, C NW NW 40-5s-T&P, had drilled to 1.615 feet in shale and shells.

Humble No. 1 J. M. Parrott, stem test from 3,535 to 3,563. Two scheduled Ellenburger wildent in previous tests of the same zone eastern Upton County, C SE SE beth received his training at Camp failed because of a leak in the drill 3-EL&RR, set nine and five-eighths nch casing at 4,253.88 feet and is trying to get cement to hold. Tota depth is 4,225 in hard brown lime Standard of Texas No. 1 Mc Elroy Ranch Co., proposed 5,500 foot wildcat in west central Uptor had drilled to 1,510 feet in brow lime. It is in the C SE NE 135-E CCSD&RGNG, six miles east of th Feeling that an active mind is a McElroy field and 11 miles north

> Atlantic No. 1-B Cordova Union man, has completed the reuphols- in Upton, northeast offset to the tering of three chairs. She is a Texas Co. No. 1-A Charles W. tion is 660 feet out of the west con

The Texas Co. No. 1-B Hobbs e tate in Crane County, C E E 46-35-H&TC, northwest offset to No. 1-A the Devonion lime, treated with 2,000 gallons acid from 5,325 to 5, 391 feet which is total depth in De ronian lime and chert. During the after the acid load was lifted, the well swabbed and flowed 201 barrels of fluid. Shakeout at beginning this improvement didn't cost over of test was 20 per cent basic sedi-\$2.95. All that was purchased at ment and acid residue and at end this time was material to cover one of time, shakeout was four-tenths of one per cent. Testing is still go-

Birthday Party

Mrs. Tomie Stephenson enter-tained for her daughter, Patsy, on by Spalding Funeral Home and her fourth birthday anniversary at Robert Massie Co. was in charge Miss Janet Holcomb left Wed- the home of Mrs. W. J. Price Tues- in San Angelo. sday for her home in Houston day afternoon. After games, the Holcomb and Mr. and Mrs. Clint with punch to Prissy Walcher, Former County Judge Andra June Mitchell, Sue Schlagal Dorthetta and Margaret Pettit, Promoted to Major Joe Frank Morrison was here the Jan Daugherty, Nancy Helen Hem first of the week visiting his father, phill, Kaye McEwen, Debs Gamblin, Mary Aldine Turner, Roger San Francisco after being wounded and Mary Marie Hines, and Patsy

Mrs. Andy Mitchell was hostess Mr. and Mrs. Walton poage re- to her Sunday School class Tuesturned the first of the week from day evening when they honored Cheyenne, Wyo., where they at- Mrs. Grady Keller. Thsoe present were Mrs. Tom Mitchell, Mrs. Jack companied as far as Amarillo by Walcher, Mrs. Nettie B. Messick Henry Cravens of Mertzon was Mrs. W. T. Elrod who visited her Mrs. W. A. Hudson, Mrs. Keller and the hostess.

Rites for John Lane, Mc- | August Will Be Waste Camey Accident Victim, Held in San Angelo

missing in action in France since ficial Railroad Commission poten- north and east lines of the section ceived Sunday when he was tramp- tion of waste paper, Texas' No. 1 led by a race horse, were conducted salvage item at present. The nearest production is 10 to the Church of Christ in San Angelo need for waste paper has grown in March 9, 1929, is a 1942 graduate H&TC, almost on the Crane-Upton 15 miles west in the Big Lake field with J. P. Crenshaw, minister, of acute in the Nation and that ac-

up for one race, Lane's horse buck ed him off and trampled him into inconsciousness. He was rushed to he Cooper Hospital where he was

With Lane at his death were his wife from San Angelo and his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, III, Iraan. Lane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane I were en route to McCamey at the ime their son died.

Among survivors are the widow three sons, Johnny III, 17, Dorman the club last Thursday plans were and Donald, 13, twins; the parents, completed to ship a car of scrap and a sister, Mrs. Jess Lemons,

Johnny III took his father's place ifter the horse had fatally trampled him and rode him to a victory ver a horse owned by Bob Beas ley, Fort Worth, by about 40 feet. He is employed by J. S. Wade, Ira an, as a horse trainer and at the ge of 17 is considered among the op trainers in the Southwest.

John J. Lane, II, generally known as Johnny, has been work ing for Joe B. Blakeney since Jan uary, 1941, He came from Brady horse business, his father being an outstanding trainer and old-time jockey. Mr. Lane, Sr., is employed by G. R. White, Brady, as a traine at White stables

Promotion of Capt. Claude H. Latson, Camp Swift Judge Advocate, to the rank of Major has been announced by Col. O. P. Houston Post Commander. Major Latson formerly lived at La Mesa and Rankin and before becoming a resident of Fort Worth, was County Judge in Upton County. Major Latson has advanced from the rank of 2nd Lieutenant to Majority since coming to duty on that post May 4, 1942. Prior to entering active military service, he practiced law in Fort Worth and expects to return to his home and law practice there when he re-enters civilian

Fire Destroys Mexican Home Saturday A. M.

Rankin was the scene of two fires this week. The first last Saturday morning about three o'clock in town completely destroyed the house of Selco Abuos. He and his wife and 8 children ire working in the cotton fields. after the fire started and because those nearby from burning. The other was a car fire which in the signal corps.

did little damage. first of the week from a visit in will return to his work in that city Mexico City and other points in since the arrival of Mr. Whitaker. Mexico. With her on the trip was Mrs. Becton, her sister-in-law, of three sons all in the armed forces. Big Lake.

Mrs. H. G. Yoham and daughter, her mother, Mrs. John Parish, of Joveta, are visiting relatives in Texon were in Rankin Wednesday. San Angelo this week.

Paper Collection Month In Upton County

Funeral services for John Lane, S. D. Cavitt, area representative II, 40, San Angelo, who died in the of Texas Salvage Co. and the WPB McCamey hospital at 1:45 o'clock of Austin, was in the county Thurs-Monday morning from injuries re- day making plans for the collec-

at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon from Mr. Cavitt pointed out that the ficiating. Burial was in Fairmount cording to figures, Texas has fallen far short of her potential wast pa-Lane, employed at Blakeney per resources. Cardboard, which Downs, had been hired by John sells for considerably more than Christy, Rankin, to ride the Christy magazines and newspapers, is to horses in several races at McCamey be stressed in importance in the

August has been named as Waste Paper collection month, At present, plans in the county for shipping the paper, according to Mr. Cavitt, are for McCamey and Rankin to pool their paper and ship in caroad lots. However, he says if any difficulty arises in handling it in this way, Goodfellow Field may be called upon to assist in transporta-

The Home Demonstration Club in McCamey has been working for some time in the collection of waste paper and at the meeting of paper on August 15th. On this date the final drive will be made.

A successful collection of waste Lane, died in a hospital in the paper was made in McCamey on Southwest Pacific last October July 1 when the Latin-American from wounds received while in ac- boys willingly volunteered their services in the work. Several of these boys assisted when two county trucks were furnished to gather

In Rankin the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts are working in the collection of paper. Several hard days work has been put in sorting and bundling the paper. Regular collection days have been named.

Winston Holcomb in Automotie Mechanics Graduating Class

Upon completion of an intensive 12 weeks course in the maintenance and repair of the peeps and jeeps, scout cars and trucks that give the hard-hitting armored divisions their speed of movement, a class of qualified automotive mechanics ad been graduated recently from the Armored School at Fort Knox,

Among the graduates was Corp. Winston V. Holcomb, son of Mrs. . J. Holcomb of Rankin.

The soldier students received thorough instruction in the theory of automotive mechanics and funschool's Wheeled Vehicle Department. They studied actual engines, skeleton vehicles and visual aids of many types.

Practical repair and maintenance work was performed on vehicles in the field, working in wind, rain and other difficulties to give the when Camp Swift was activated on students practice under battle conditons. Expert army and civilian instructors supervised work in shop and field.

The Wheeled Vehicle Department is one of eight in the huge Armored School, headed by Brig. Gen. P. M. Robinett, commandant. Winston has been visiting his mother for the past two weeks. He

will leave Friday, August 4th., for

Fort Chaffie, Ark.

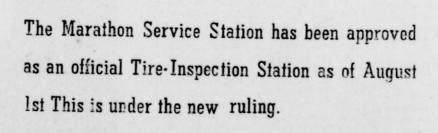
New Local Manager for West Texas Utilities Co.

Mr. and Msr. E. J. Whitaker of were in Midland at the time of the Trusoot arrived in Rankin Thursday evening and will make their The fire department arrived soon home here. Mr. Witaker will take over the local managership of the of no water supply were unable to West Texas Utilities Company, save the building, but prevented succeeding John Hyde who is now in the Army at Camp Crowder, Mo.

G. H. Warfield has been acting as local manager for the past few Mrs. John Christy returned the weeks. He is from McCamey and Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker have

Miss Virginia Ann Burleson and

The Rev. O. O. Moore has been Mrs. C. Snell and sons returned conductnig a revival meeting in Tuesday from Lampasas where Thorton and is expected home Satthey have been spending the sum- urday to be here for services Sun-



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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS-

Reports of Revolt in Germany Follow Bomb Attack on Hitler; Yank Forces Push Guam Drive

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's newspaper.)

DEMOCRATS: 1944 Platform

Declaring that their platform really was Franklin D. Roosevelt himself. the Democrats meeting in Chicago for their national convention renominated the President for a fourth term, and called for the continuance of New Deal domestic policies and the creation of a world organization to preserve peace through use of force if necessary.

For agriculture, the Democrats pledged price guarantees and crop insurance, and declared their objective to be to keep it on a parity with industry and labor; extend rural electrification and develop broader domestic and foreign markets for farm products.

For the postwar period, the Demo-cratic platform asked compensation for workers during demobilization, reduction or repeal of wartime taxes and simplification of the tax structure, and encouragement of risk capital and new enterprise.

Besides U. S. participation in an organization to keep world peace, the party's foreign relations platform called for extension of the administration's trade policies, and reaffirmation in the principles of the Atlantic Charter.

PACIFIC:

Jap Shakeup

With the invasion of Guam, U. S. forces took one step closer to the Japanese and Asiatic mainland, even as the enemy reorganized his government at home with the fall of Premier Hediki Tojo and his cabi-

In reorganizing the government under leadership of two confirmed militarists and advocates of Japanese expansion southward, official Tokio declared that the objective was to give the civilian element



During battle on Saipan island in Pacific, U. S. marines fight way through burning streets of Garapan.

greater participation in the general war effort, heretofore controlled by Tojo and the army clique.

Despite their belief in Jap expansion, the new leaders have been noted for their disposition to accomplish it without interference with Allied interests, and some quarters suspected that their appointment might be an intimation of friendly enemy approach to the U. S.

U. S. forces streamed into rocky, desolate Guam to retake one of the first American possessions seized by the Japs after Pearl Harbor, following 17 days of heavy naval and aerial bombardment, which came on the heels of occupation of Saipan island in the Marianas.

FARM VALUES:

No Spree

Although good returns on heavy volume have stimulated agriculture during World War II and led to a brisk turnover in farm lands at increasing values, no runaway credit extension has marked the realty dealings.

With operators purchasing twothirds of the record number of farms sold in 1943, 51 per cent of the transactions were for cash, and most of the remainder involved large cash down payments.

Because farm land values were about 75 per cent of the 1912-'14 and hasty repair of the western sealevel when the war broke out, they are still about 50 to 60 per cent daily. below the inflated prices of 1920 despite their steady rise. although the average rise in value has been about 37 per cent, increases have totaled as much as 53 per cent.

Inflated values above real earning possibilities in some localities has hindered the Farm Security ad- throughs continued to force the Gerministration's tenant purchasing mans to pull back to prevent en-

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the werk's news

AMERICAN DREYFUSS: Oberlin | M. Carter, former U. S. army engineer who has been called the "American Dreyfuss" because of his long fight to clear himself of a court martial conviction, died in Chicago at 88. He was charged and convicted of defrauding the government of two million dollars in con-

NO MORE POLYGAMY: The Navajo tribal council, elders of the In-

era in India has resulted in 34,850 deaths in three months. Fatalities are largest in the districts of Muzzanection with a project in Savannah, farpur and Champaran, in north Ga.

Bihar, official sources say.

WORLD BANK: Stability Sought

Seeking to stabilize the internal conditions of countries and minimize possibilities for unrest in the postwar world, 44 allied nations came to agreement on raising an \$8,800,-000,000 fund, which would be used to make currencies available to individual states for settling trade balances.

At the same time, the nations moved to agreement on a \$10,000,-000,000 world bank, which would extend \$2,000,000,000 in long-term loans to different countries for reconstruction and development, use the other \$8,000,000,000 to guarantee similar loans made by private in-

With U. S. participation in the two projects dependent upon congressional approval, the U.S. share in the \$8,800,000,000 fund would be \$2,-750,000,000, and its contribution to the \$10,000,000,000 world bank would be about \$3,000,000,000.

BEEF: July High

British forces clean out Nazi snipers

Allied forces continued to slug for-

ward in Normandy, gaining ground by the yard in the face of stubborn

German do-or-die resistance all

Fighting was intense both on the

western end of the front where

U. S. forces pressed forward against

the enemy holding out behind the cover of the tall, thick hedgerows

checkering the countryside, and on

the eastern end where British ar-

mored columns broke through the

foe's formations in the open plains.

With about 75,000 men facing the

British in this sector, Nazi Marshall

Rommel attempted to curtail the

Allied drive by sharp counter-

British forces exerted the heaviest

pressure in recent fighting because

the open country allowed use of

their armored equipment behind ter-

rific artillery barrages. Bad weather

continued to hamper full scale operations of the Allied air force,

both in support tactics and bombard-

With the Allies pressing in on all sides, Hitler is faced with in-

ternal revolt within Germany, with

the Nazis reporting that a clique of

army officers sought to establish a

new government and prepare the

Climax of the sensational plot was

the attempted assassination of Hitler

with a bomb, which exploded with-

injury and more seriously hurting

Moving swiftly to quell the revolt,

which reportedly had the support

of high ranking army officers, the

Nazis executed several of the ring-

leaders and designated Gestapo

Chief Heinrich Himmler as com-

mander within Germany to suppress

the uprising. Rebels' plans reported-

ly called for seizure of control of

the country through military units.

Addressing the German people

over the radio after the attempt on his life, Hitler roared: "... I am convinced that by stamping out this

very small clique of traitors . . . we

will now at last create that atmos-

phere in the rear at home which

Russian armies continued to exert

the strongest pressure on the east-

ern front, continuing their drive on

East Prussia in the north and roll-

ing deeper into Poland farther to

As the Russians pressed the Ger-

mans on the east, Allied troops moved against the Nazis' vaunted

"Gothic line" in northern Italy,

with an easing of their problems of

supply promised with the capture

and hasty repair of the western sea-

tons of shipping can be cleared

With German resistance stiffening

around East Prussia, the Russians

swung the brunt of their attack fur-

ing the big industrial city of Lwow

and fanning out on the open plains

below Warsaw. The Russian break-

circlement from the rear.

ther southward in Poland, outflank-

the fighting front needs. . . ."

Russ Advance

the south.

groundwork for surrender.

ment of enemy communications be

n outskirts of Caen.

along the curving front.

EUROPE:

attacks.

hind the lines.

Internal Revolt

13 of his aides.

Stubborn Foe

Because of smaller shipments and stiffening market competition, prime long-fed steers came into increasing demand, with buyers at the Chicago yards paying \$17.65 per hundred-weight for choice cattle, the highest price for July since 1919, and peak for any month since April, 1943.

This year's July top compared with \$17.10 paid in 1943; \$15.85 in 1942, and \$13 in 1941. Highest July sale on record was the \$18.75 in 1918.

The majority of steers and yearlings also shared in the price advance, with top heifers rising to \$17.35 to equal the highest July sale on record, and the best return since August, 1920.

GI READING:

Politics Permitted

Even as the army expanded the list of magazines permitted to cir-culate among GIs to 189, Sen. Robert Taft (Ohio) pressed for a relaxation of regulations designed to curb the distribution of political literature in the services.

Declaring that an amendment to the Hatch act only forbid the circulation of government printed material to soldiers. Taft said it did not prevent the transmission of any political literature to troops if sent by individuals, corporations or political parties at their own expense.

In expanding the list of magazines whigh might circulate among GIs regardless of the political material they may possess, the army said it based its action on studies of soldiers' reading habits abroad and purchases at posts at home.

Home Front

Tobacco

Because cigarette manufacturers have only about one year's stocks of tobacco on hand, and a recent War Food administration order restricted their purchase of 1944 flue-cured tobacco for aging to 70 per cent of the amount they processed last year, smokers may continue to feel the pinch of short supplies.

Iron Ore

During the first six months of 1944, lower Great Lakes blast furnaces consumed 44,290,320 tons of iron ore, approximately 198,000 tons more than the previous record set last year. As of July 1, stock piles on U. S. and Canadian docks totaled 26, 655,414 tons, about 550,000 more than at the same date in 1943.

U. S. oil production soared to 4. 602,350 barrels a day during the week ended July 15, increasing about 500,000 over the same period last year. As of the same date, gas stocks stood at 82,252,000 barrels compared with 75,391,000 in 1943.

RAIL FINANCE:

Big Deal

In one of the railroads' biggest financing deals in years, the Great Northern considered plans for calling in \$119,887,700 of bonds and notes, to further cut fixed interest charges to about \$10,000,000 yearly, compared with \$12,506,172 in 1943 an average of \$18,194,079 for the 1921-'31 period.

Under the Great Northern's tentative proposal, it would cover the redemption with the issuance of \$100,000,000 of new general mortgage bonds, and the remainder from from its treasury. About \$4,000,000 would be paid in premiums for calling in the old bonds and notes before maturity. With the completion of the new

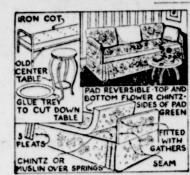
financing, the Great Northern would then have an outstanding bonded debt of approximately \$249,000,000, besides an additional amount of equipment trust certificates and conditional sales obligations.

MARSH HARES

Gov. James H. Davis of Louisiana has signed house bill 675, thereby officially changing the name of muskrats to "marsh hares." intention of the framers of the bill was to increase the sale of muskrat meat. The new name, it is hoped, will be attractive or at least neutral, in contrast to the somewhat repellant impressions conveyed by 'musk" and "rat."

The flesh of the aquatic rodent is esteemed as a delicacy in Louisians and where muskrats are common

Lending Daytime Dignity to Your Couch or Cot in the Living Room



ARE you using one room for living and bedroom these days? Or perhaps you have had to put an extra cot in some corner of your house or apartment. In either case it is worth while to give a little extra care to the daytime appearance of the bed. A flat box on casters holds all the bedding for the simple cot shown here and slides underneath out of sight.

This arrangement makes it possible to cover the cot and pad with neatly fitted slip covers which give it all the dignity of a real sofa. The contrasting side section of plain material around the pad with end and center back cushions to match it is a nice touch. The improvised table from odds and ends also helps to make the couch do day as well as night

duty.

NOTE—This illustration is from BOOK
6 of the series of homemaking booklets offered with these articles. Every page of
this 32-page book gives clear step-by-step

ASK ME ANOTHER A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What metal has the highest melting point?

2. What is an ampersand? 3. What do the English mean when they say: "Ike's Snow-

balls" 4. Is an armadillo classified as a marsupial or a mammal?

5. On the battlefield, what is meant by a "dragon wagon"?
6. What name is given to the small flag flying from the mast-

head of a ship? 7. What is an iguana?

8. The emperor of what country regained his lost throne after five years in 1941?

The Answers 1. Tungsten. The short "and" sign (&). 3. The provost marshal's white-

helmeted, white-gaitered MPs who roam London looking for AWOLs. 4. A mammal. 5. A tank transport used to haul

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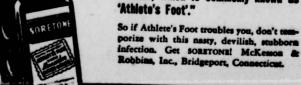
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The Private Papers Of a Cub Reporter

A visiting movie star was asked which man she would enjoy meeting

most . . To the amazement of the interviewers, she said: "Albert Einstein" . . . The noted scientist was lecturing in Manhattan and he agreed to see her . . With the scribes scribing and the flashlight bulbs bulbing, the star in an awed voice said, "It's a thrill to think that I am talking to the one man who knows more about the stars than

any other living person."
"Not quite," replied Einstein. "No one can predict what a star will doto get her name in the papers."

They tell the one about the colonel, speaking at a dinner in his honor before embarking for Africa . . . "I thank you," he concluded, "for your kind wishes regarding my welfare, and I want you to know that when I am far away, surrounded by ugly, grinning savages, I shall always think of you."

Jackie Coegan, recently back from paratrooping in Burma and India, said that his Burma Glider group landed near a small tribal village 150 miles back of the Jap lines . . Having the assignment to construct an airport in less than 12 hours, Coogan called over a Thugee (na-tive chief) and asked that he parade the villagers that he wished to recruit as workers.

Hundreds of them were girls wearing very little. One, however, was better groomed than the others . . . Draped to her ankles was a huge towel with the words: "May-flower Hotel, Washington, D. C."

At an airport the other day, a dejected sailor sat waiting for hours. He appeared so depressed a sympathetic bystander asked him what the trouble was . . . He said he had just come in from the South Pacific for a four-day furloaf. His home was an hour and a half away by air . . He had just been put off one plane in favor of a higher pri-ority . . . He hadn't been home in two years. His father had died in the meantime, and every hour now seemed an eternity . . . But what really got him down, he added, was that two planes had left for his home burg but couldn't find room for him -despite the fact that the last person to board the plane was a civilian -carrying a golf bag!

When Norway was invaded civilian Germans fled Sweden because they expected that country to be invaded next . . . A German who had been buying up dollars at half the price took a train one night from Stockholm. His suitcase contained about one million dollars in small and large bills . . . He knew he could not get by Swedish customs with it, and that even if he did, the Gestapo would catch up with him in Germany . . . Not long after mid-night the train stopped at a small station. The German hurried out with his valise, found a dark spot with his valise, found a dark spot near a tree, buried his treasure, took careful note of the spot and boarded the train . . . Thru his window he made a note of a sign on a door (on the side of the depot) . . . It said KVINNOR . . . A few

weeks ago he got permission to re-turn to Sweden. At the station he showed the ticket seller the memo of the name he had copied down. The ticket seller's eyebrows jumped

high and then he grinned . . . KVINNOR in Swedish means WOM-EN . . . The frantic dope is now traveling all over central Sweden at night, hoping to find the right depot, not knowing that even if he is that lucky, the Swedish authorities are waiting for him.

This is how Russia whipped its Black Market . . . In Russia the soldiers get additional pay for each battle they are in, and not having anywhere to spend it, they send it home. The kinfolk are making more money than usual (in spite of what you hear), and all this is why Russia now has too much surplus coin, as well as a Black Market which gets 40 rubles for nylons and 50 for a bottle of Scotch . . . The Soviet gov't, being realistic about it, decided to go into the Black Market racket, so now they have gov't-owned stores in all communities . . They are called: Government-Owned Black Market Stores" (or whatever the Russian is for that), and any citizen can shop in them
. . . In this way, the gov't gets back all that surplus money . And keeps the citizens honest at the same time . . . Over here sur-plus money is being enjoyed only by the "mobs," who keep it all

Marine 1st Lieut. Mitchell Paige (just returned after 26 menths in the S. Pacific), one of two living enlisted Marines in this war to hold the Congressional Medal of Honor, has the unique distinction of being the only infantryman in this war to the only infantryman in this war to be grounded! . . . Wearied by the comparative "inactivity" of a for-ward training camp in New Guinea (following the Guadalcanal cam-paign), Paige "stole" a ride on a B-25 scheduled to bomb Rabaul . . . The hero was then "grounded" for the duration.

since they rarely pay taxes.





Put Pears Into Your Canning Schedule (See Recipes Below)

Relish With Meals

These later summer months find the markets still dotted with fruits that make wonderful jams and relishes. Those of you who want that extra special something to add to your meals

want to take advantage of the crops and put them up in various forms. Most fall fruit is sweet and requires little of precious sugar in the preserving. Making them into jams, butters or marmalades will give you the joy of having the fruit instead of

during winter will

just the juice. Pears made into jam or honey have long been favorites throughout the nation, and these are recipes I know you'll like. Commercial pectin assures you of success in making the thick, jellied consistency, and miraculously gives you more jam than you dreamed possible out of a

small batch of fruit. Ripe Pear Jam. (Makes 8 six-ounce glasses) 3½ cups prepared fruit 4½ cups sugar

1 box powdered fruit pectin To prepare fruit, peel and core about 21/2 pounds fully ripe pears.

Crush thoroughly or grind. Measure sugar into a dry dish and et aside until needed. Measure set aside until needed. fruit into a 5 or 6 quart kettle filling up last cup or fraction of cup with

vater, if necessary. Place over hottest fire. Add powdered fruit pectin, mix well and continue stirring until mixture comes up to a hard boil. Pour in sugar at once and continue stirring until mixture comes to a hard boil. Pour in sugar immediately, stirring constantly. To reduce foaming, 1/4 teaspoon butter may be added. Continue stirring, bring to a full, rolling

boil and boil hard 1 minute. Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jam at once. The peach crop is good this year. Peaches and oranges are a delightful combination with just a suggestion of lemon:

Peach-Orange Marmalade. 2 dozen large peaches, peeled 6 oranges Juice of 1 lemon

Sugar (% as much as fruit) Cut the peel from three of the or-

anges into pieces. Cover with water and boil until and oranges (discard peel of other three) into thin slices and add lemon juice. Measure and add % of the amount of sugar. Boil rapidly until thick and clear. Pour into

clean, hot jars and seal. Spiced crabapples are good accompaniments for meats. In fact, when you serve meat with a relish such as this, it will even seem to

Lynn Says

Popular Choice: You'll like fried chicken if it's dipped in cornflakes instead of bread crumbs for a change.

Cottage cheese molds nicely when mixed with garden green onions, radishes, diced green pepper and seasonings. Serve on lettuce for a luncheon treat. Bread Pudding: Try it with

plain with raisins, try a lemon custard sauce. Scrambled Eggs on the menu? Serve with jelly, sauteed chicken livers or french fried shrimp. All are combinations hard to beat.

brown sugar instead of white for

a different touch. If you make it

Au gratin vegetables: Cabbage, cauliflower, potatoes and toma-toes. For a topping try crushed cereal like cornflakes with butter and melted cheese.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menus

Fried Chicken Green Beans, French Style Lyonnaise Potatoes Chiffonade Salad Cloverleaf Rolls Blueberry Pie Beverage

stretch a small meat course: Spiced Crabapples. pounds crabapples pounds sugar 3 cups vinegar Stick of cinnamon

Cloves Take blossoms off the crabapples, but leave stems on them. Steam apples until tender, not soft. Boil vinegar, sugar and spices for 15 minutes. Skim and put in fruit. Boil apples about 5 minutes, not allowing skins to break. Seal in hot, clean, sterilized jars.

Pear Butter.

Wash, pare and core ripe pears. Add just enough water to prevent sticking. Cook until soft, then press through a sieve. Add 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg and 1 cup sugar to each quart of pulp. Boil rapidly until thick. Pour into hot, sterile jars. Process 10 minutes in a hot water bath.

Pear Honey.
Pare, core, chop and measure hard-ripe pears. Add a little water if necessary to start cooking. Boil 10 minutes. To each quart of chopped pears, add 3 cups sugar, juice of 1 lemon, grated rind of 1/2 lemon and 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger. Boil until thick. Pour into hot, sterile jars; seal at once. Orange and nutmeg may be used in-stead of lemon and ginger.

Quinces and apples are a good combination in this marmalade: Quince-Apple Marmalade.

Pare, core and chop 6 quinces and 3 tart apples. Cover quince with water and cook until tender. Add apple and cook 10 minutes. Measure. Add 4 cup sugar for each cup of fruit and juice. Boil to jellying

point. Pour into hot jars and seal at once Tomatoes spiced with lemon, cinnamon and ginger root are a splendid accompaniment to many meals. You'll like the rich, red color of them, too:

Tomato Preserves. 2 pounds tomatoes cups sugar 11/2 cups water 1 lemon 1 stick cinnamon 2 pieces ginger root

Use small, firm tomatoes. Scald 1 minute. Dip into cold water. Skin, but do not core. Combine sugar, lemon, sliced thin, cinnamon and ginger and simmer together 20 minutes. Remove cinnamon and ginger. Add tomatoes and boil gently until they are bright and clear. Cover and let stand overnight. Pack cold tomatoes into hot sterile jars. Boil syrup until as thick as honey and pour over tomatoes. Process 15 minutes in a boiling water bath at simmering.

Ranch Preserves. Soak dried apricots or peaches overnight in water to cover. Drain. Measure fruit. For each quart, make a syrup of 3 cups sugar and 1 cup water in which fruit was soaked. Boil 5 minutes. Cool. Add fruit and cook until thick and clear. If syrup becomes too thick before fruit is done, add ½ cup water. Pour into

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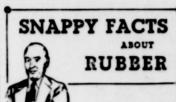
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More than forty different professions were represented in the new group and all but eight of the forty-eight states are listed as hom ddresses of the girls. The larges entation is New York City cond place is Chicago. Others from both coasts from al valks of life. But to them-and to the Army to which they are as signed for duty-the importan thing is that they came

The requisition for the Waes for this important base and supply theatre was put in almost a year Consequently their arrival was hailed as long overdue and was celebrated with unusual pomp and ceremony. Reginald Mitchell, A. merican Consul, was the first to re view and congratulate them. The following day Major General B. F. Giles, commanding the U.S. Army forces in the Middle East, welcom-

Miss Georgia Belle Smith and her brother, Dalon, of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Copeland recently. They are mice and nephew of the Copelands.

Mrs. Jack Walcher and daughter, Prissy, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Starnes, in Odessa.

Mrs. H. Wheeler and Mrs. B. P. Miller returned this week from San Antonio where they had been been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Clint Shaw, Miss Janet Holcomb, Mrs. C. J. Holcomb and Mrs. C. C. Clark were Midland visitors Tuesday.

Budget Hearing

There will be a Budget hearing for Upton County, Texas, August 14, 1944 at 10:00 A. M. at the Court House .n Rankin, Texas. The meeting will be open to the public and all persons interested in same are invited to attend.

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Honorable Wm. R. Edwards ounty Judge H. G. Yocham, Commissioner

W. E. Yates, Commissioner Pre-

J. O. Currie, Commissioner Pre. 3 Burley McCollum, Commissionr Pre. 4 Ralph H. Daugherty, County

WHEREUPON the following roceedings were had to-wit:

MOTION by Commissioner Yates ly seconded by Commissioner AcCollum, that the Commissioners Court sign Agreement with Predaory Animal Control for a Trapper, not to exceed salary of \$100.00 per nonth; Contract to expire August

All Commissioners voting Aye, MOTION by Commissioner Cure, duly seconded by Commission-Yates, that the Commissioners' Court lcan the Sheriff's Office

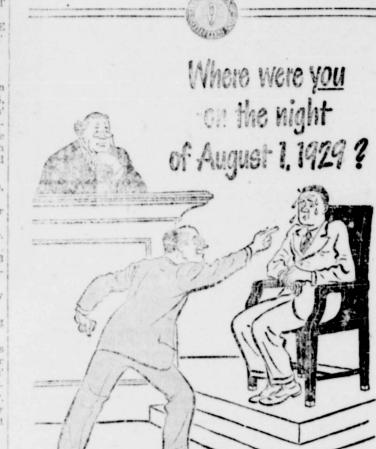
All Commissioners voting Aye. MOTION by Commissioner Yates uly seconded by Commissioner McCollum that this Commissioners Court Adjourn.

All Commissioners voting Aye. Wm. R. Edwards, County Judge alph H. Daugherty, County Clerk THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UPTON I, Ralph H. Daugherty, Clerk of he County Court of Upton County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMed them warmly at a snappy pa- MISSIONERS' COURT of Upton rade and review ceremonial that County, Texas, July 27, 1944, as brought every ranking officer in the same appears of Record in Book the theatre out to applaud and ad- No. 3, at page 122, of the Minutes

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Did you know that an amount of \$8,674.91 was collected on delinquent taxes for previous years?

Taking the first item, this means that better than 97% of last years taxes were collected, this being the best year this County has ever enjoyed.

On the record of the way my office is run, both economically and efficiently, I ask that you let me have your support in the election of August 26th.

J. E. SIMCO

SHERIFF, ASSESSOR & COLLECTOR

OF UPTON COUNTY, TEXAS