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Fort Stockton Leads District 3-B in Football, McCamey Second

Team	W	L	T	Pts.	Op.
Fort Stockton	2 1/2	0	1*	65	0
McCamey	1 1/2	0	1*	21	0
Crane	2	1	0	26	25
Grand Falls	1	1	0	12	18
Marfa	1	2	0	19	38
Iraan	1	2	0	19	35
Big Lake	0	1	0	7	13

*The games count 1/2 game in conference standings.

At this writing, McCamey and Fort Stockton appear cinch bets to end the District 3-B Conference season in a tie for first, necessitating a play-off between the two teams.

Fort Stockton has won from Marfa, 25-0, Grand Falls 40-0, and has tied McCamey 0-0. The burly Panthers should have no difficulty in disposing of their remaining opponents, Iraan, Crane and Big Lake.

The Badgers, if they continue the brand of play displayed in the Iraan game, can win from Marfa, Big Lake, Crane and Grand Falls, their remaining opponents. McCamey, in two conference games, tied Fort Stockton 0-0, and defeated Iraan 21-0.

Mrs. Mary Joe Curry Receives Citations in Honor of Husband

Mrs. Mary Joe Curry, whose husband, Staff Sergeant Willie Curry, was killed in action somewhere over England on last July 9, early this week received a citation of honor from General H. H. Arnold, Commanding General Army Air Forces.

The citation reads as follows:

Citation of Honor
Staff Sergeant Willie Curry
Who gave his life in the performance of his duty July 9, 1944
He lived to bear his country's arms. He died to save its honor. He was a soldier . . . and he knew a soldier's duty. His sacrifice will help to keep aglow the flaming torch that lights our lives . . . that millions yet unborn may know the priceless joy of liberty. And we who pay him homage, and revere his memory, in solemn pride rededicate ourselves to a complete fulfillment of the task for which he so gallantly has placed his life upon the altar of Man's freedom.

Previously, Mrs. Curry had been notified by Governor Coke Stevenson that her husband's name has been placed upon an honor roll of Texans who have given their lives to the cause of freedom during World War II. The citation accompanying this notification reads as follows:

"Be it known that the State of Texas places the name of Willie Curry upon the roll of those who have rendered the highest service. The loss of his life in the service of his country in World War II will always be remembered by those who love freedom.

"In humble recognition of his sacrifice, the Legislature of Texas, in the name of its people, has directed me to acknowledge the debt of free men to him who gave his life that others might live, and commend him to the living memory of Texans everywhere."

Spanish Club Organized

The pupils of the seventh and eighth grades met in their room Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Spanish Club. The following officers were elected: President, Jimmy Workman; Vice-President, James Gamblin; Secretary, Joveta Yocham; Treasurer, Ella Ruth Elliott, and Reporter, Martha Etta Schlagal. The following were appointed by the president to serve on committees: Theo Blue and La Rosa McKelvy, Program Committee; Martha Smith and Emma MacHorton, Entertainment Committee, and Norma Jo Stephenson and Ella Ruth Elliott, Refreshment Committee.

"Los Vaqueritos" ("The Little Cowboys") was chosen as the name of the club, the Indian Paint Brush as the official flower of the club; red and white as the colors, and "A quien madrugada Dios ayuda" ("God helps those who help themselves") as the motto.

The members of the club plan to meet once a month.

2nd Lt. David Workman Receives Air Medal

15TH AAF IN ITALY — "For meritorious achievement in aerial flight" 2nd Lt. David K. Workman, AAF B-17 bombardier, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Workman, live at Rankin, Texas, was awarded the Air Medal at a recent ceremony in Italy.

Overseas since July 31, the 20-year old Texan has flown 12 combat missions in the Mediterranean theatre. His first mission was on August 12 when he participated in an attack on enemy coastal defenses in southern France, insuring the success of the Allied beachhead landings of August 15.

Prior to entering the army on April 12, 1942, Lt. Workman was a secretary of the Ranchers Wool and Mohair Assn., Rankin. He became a cadet and won his wings at Childress Army Air Base on April 29, 1944.

Workman studied engineering at Texas Tech for a year and a half.

Garden Club Annual Flower Show to be Held Christian Church Oct. 28

One of the most noteworthy events of 1944 will be the McCamey Garden Club's Fourth Annual Flower and Vegetable Show, scheduled for Saturday, October 28, at the Christian Church. All Upton County residents may enter flowers and vegetables. Only one entry per person per group will be allowed. Artistic arrangements may be entered by those not growing their own flowers. Mrs. R. L. Bailey will serve as Show chairman.

Entries must be in not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning, October 28, and are to be left on display until 7 o'clock Saturday evening. Judging will be at 12:00 noon.

Judging will be in two classes: (1) Cultural Perfection Class and (2) Arrangement Class. In the Cultural Perfection Class 80 per cent will be awarded for cultural perfection and 20 per cent for condition. In the Arrangement Class, the awards are as follows: perfection of flower, 10 per cent; relation to container, 25 per cent; proportion and balance, 25 per cent; suitability of combination material, 10 per cent; distinction and originality, 20 per cent; condition, 10 per cent.

Divisions are as follows:
Roses: perfection of single flower, single color bouquet, and mixed color bouquet.

Dahlias: single flower, single color bouquet, and mixed color bouquet.

Chrysanthemums: single flower, single color bouquet, mixed bouquets and single stem flowers.

Garden variety of chrysanthemums: single color bouquet, and mixed color bouquet.

Buttons or pompon chrysanthemums: single stem of flowers, single color bouquet, and mixed color bouquet.

Marigolds: single flower, single color bouquet, and mixed color bouquet.

Zinnias: single flower, single color bouquet, and mixed color bouquet.

Mexican sunflower: arrangements.

Other divisions are winter bouquets, pot plants, unusual, miscellaneous, strawflowers (Comprehens), wild flowers, blue prints and miniature arrangements (not more than 6-inches over-all).

The Junior Division includes small arrangements (6-10 inches), and miniature and blue prints (not more than 6-inches over-all).

Vegetables may be entered in the following classes: specimen of each variety grown, and arrangement (tray of mixed vegetables).

The public is invited to view the display.

Rankin Schools Member State Teachers Assn.

A certificate was received from the Texas State Teachers Association last week by the Rankin schools stating that the local school was again placed as a member of that association for another year. This means that every teacher of the Rankin schools is affiliated with the State Teachers Association. The same record was obtained last year.

Cpl. Jeff McSpadden, In South Pacific, Describes Travels

Corporal Jeff McSpadden, 30, member of a railroad operational battalion serving in the Central Pacific, writes his wife as follows: "After leaving where we were before we left for here, not knowing we were coming here from there, we couldn't tell if it would arrive here or not. Nevertheless, we are here now and not there. The weather here is just as it is at this season, but, of course, quite unlike the weather where we were before we came here. After leaving by what we came by, we had a good trip.

"The people here are just like they look, but do not look to be like they were where we came from. The way we came here is just the same as the way everybody comes here from there. Of course, we had to bring everything with us that we had, for we wear here what the rest wear, which is not like what we would wear there. The whole thing is an experience, because it's not like it was where we came from before we left there for here."

McSpadden worked for Bob Burleson before entering service.

Fines Levied Against Six Men, One Woman Since October 1st

The Justice's Criminal Docket lists the following arrests and convictions, October 1 to 16 inclusive: October 8, two men and one woman arrested for disturbance of the peace; October 16, two men arrested and charged with fighting in public place, one man arrested for drunkenness in public place, and one man arrested and charged with disturbance of the peace.

All paid fines of \$1 and costs.

Humble Begins 10th Year Of Football Broadcasts

This Saturday will be All-Conference Day for football fans, with three Conference games slated for broadcast by Humble Oil and Refining Company.

The A. & M.-T.C.U. game starting at 2:20 p.m. will be heard over stations KPRC, Houston; WOAL, San Antonio; WFAA, Dallas-Ft. Worth; WTAW, College Station.

The starting time for the Longhorn-Arkansas broadcast is at 2:20 p.m. and will be heard over stations KXYZ, Houston; KTSA, San Antonio; KGKO, Dallas-Ft. Worth; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KRGV, Westaco; KFDM, Beaumont, and KNOW, Austin.

The third game will be the night affair between Rice and the S.M.U. Mustangs. This game will be heard over KTRH, Houston, and KRLLD, Dallas at 7:50 p.m.

Extension Service Specialists Visit Here

Miss Hazel Phipps, Assistant Vice Director of Extension Work, Miss Myrtle Murray, Marketing Specialist, of College Station visited the local Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Nettie Bell Messick here this week while visiting in District 6.

On Thursday the local agent and her guests attended a meat canning demonstration in San Angelo. This was presented by Mrs. Winifred Leverenz, Food Preparation Specialist of College Station.

C. B. Black and Bill Moore, Jr., returned the first of the week from El Paso where they took their pre-union physical.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Eddins returned last Friday from Hobbs, N. M., where they spent a few days on business.

Miss Virginia Bean, manager of the Western Union of Killeen, is spending a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bean.

Cpl. and Mrs. Henderson Scarborough and son, Cecil Henry, of Goodfellow Field San Angelo, are spending the week-end here.

Rankin Over Top In War Chest Drive, McCamey Lags

Upton County residents had contributed \$2,593 to the National War Fund on Wednesday afternoon, October 18, according to County Chairman Wm. R. Edwards.

Rankin, with a quota of \$902, went over the top on Monday, October 16, and on Wednesday afternoon had reported \$1,093.

McCamey, on the other hand, on Wednesday afternoon lacked more than \$300 of reaching its quota of \$1,804.

The drive closes Saturday, October 21st.

Texaco 2-B Hobbs Runs Tubing, Swabs

The Texas Co. No. 2-B Charles W. Hobbs estate, in southeastern Crane County, quarter mile northwest of No. 1-B Hobbs, second producer in the Crossett field on the line of Crane and Upton Counties, began swabbing Wednesday to test the Devonian lime, with total depth 5,386 feet.

Tubing was run after plugs were drilled from 7-inch casing cemented at 5,300. Location is the C N E 41-35-H&TC.

Texaco No. 3-B Hobbs, C N S 33-35-H&TC, 1 1/4 miles northwest of No. 2-B Hobbs, was fishing for bit cone bearings at 5,125 feet in cherty lime.

Shell No. 1 Hobbs in Upton County, quarter mile southeast of Texaco No. 1-A Hobbs, the Crossett discovery perforated 10 3/4-inch casing at 660 feet and pumped in 550 sacks of cement. Total was 2-153 in lime. The outcrop is 665 feet from the northeast, 2,009 feet from the northwest line of section 46-35-H&TC.

Sinclair Prairie No. 1 Jennie McKnight, scheduled Ellenburger wildcat in northwestern Crane County, C SE SE 6-B22-psl, had reached 7-923 feet in lime and chert.

Standard of Texas No. 1 McElroy Ranch Co., west central Upton County wildcat, C SE NE 135-E-CC SD&RGNG, had drilled to 5,696 feet in black shale. Magnolia No. 1 American Republics Corp., north central Upton wildcat C NW NW 8-40-5s-T&P, was drilling at 6,328 feet in lime and shale.

Humble No. 1 J. M. Parrott, eastern Upton County wildcat C SE SE 3-EL&RR, was trying to free stuck casing, bottomed at 7,750 feet in shale.

Blue Front Frozen Food Lockers Expected to Arrive This Week

Word has reached Clint Anderson, owner of the new Blue Front Grocery, that the 300 lockers to be installed in the Blue Front's frozen food locker plant were shipped via truck from Sioux City on Tuesday, October 10, and are expected to arrive in McCamey within the next day or two.

West Texas Utilities Company experts are here preparing the plant for immediate installation of the lockers.

Santa Fe Carloadings Show Increase

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending October 7, 1944, were 24,937 compared with 22,763 for same week in 1943.

Cars received from connections totaled 17,404 compared with 14,933 for same week in 1943.

Total cars moved were 42,341 compared with 37,696 for same week in 1943. Santa Fe handled total of 41,830 cars in the preceding week of this year.

Cpl. Doc Adams left Sunday for Oceanside, California, after a 30-day leave here with his wife, Mrs. Alma Adams.

The Rev. O. O. Moore is attending the Southwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church in San Antonio this week.

Mrs. H. G. Yocham and children, Joveta and Ted, Mrs. R. O. White and Mrs. H. Wheeler visited with their respective daughters in Denton over the week-end.

Life in England and Historical Background Are Described by Pfc. Grace Roach in Letter

Editor's note—The following letter was received from Pfc. Grace Roach, somewhere in England, by Mrs. L. A. Hickox. In reading through the letter for parts to be reprinted, we found the entire letter of such interest that we have run it for the benefit of our readers just as it was written.

England
18 Sept. 1944

Dear Mama Hickox:

I received your letter a few days ago and must say I was exceedingly glad to get it. You wrote things that I wouldn't have heard otherwise. Geneva sends me the papers but I don't receive them very often. I will get them all sooner or later I suppose. The last ones that I got were July papers.

I am in the office this morning with nothing to do. It's the first time that I can say that. To keep myself busy and from freezing, I'm catching up on my back correspondence. It is rather cold now, especially the nights and mornings. I thought that I had become acclimated, but I don't suppose I ever will. It is getting fall now, however, and should be turning cold. We do not have any fire in the office at all. As a result I have taken an awful cold. We have steam heat, but they say it isn't turned on until Nov. 1st. They will never thaw me out by then.

We have gas in our rooms, but it is used only to light the fires. We fill the grate with coal and when it catches, the gas is turned off. Rather convenient, especially for me, as I never could start a fire here. I sleep under four wool blankets at night. Wouldn't you like to exchange some of your Texas weather for a little of this now? I would—gladly. It hasn't rained in two or three days. That's really something for England. I think they are having a drought.

I went to Windsor a few days ago to see Windsor Castle. It was a marvelous trip through the country. Everything is perfectly beautiful. The scenery reminded me of rural scenes in pictures that I have seen of England. Sheep, fields of shocked grain, shaded winding lanes and gardens. We did not get to go through the Castle but we went all over the grounds and several of the buildings. I saw King George's Cathedral and King George V is buried here. I saw the room where the Knights of the Royal Garter meet. The flags of Italy, Germany and Japan have been removed and they are no longer members. We saw the private grounds and lawns of the King

1,500 4-H'ers To Get \$48,750 in War Bonds For "V" Achievements

More than 1,500 U. S. War Savings Bonds valued at \$48,750 will be awarded to rural boys and girls with top ranking records in helping to produce and conserve more for Victory in 1944 through participation in national 4-H Club activities.

The activities and War Savings Bonds awarded to state winning individual or blue award groups are: Kraft Dairy Production, \$25 Bonds to 8, and Dairy Foods Demonstrations \$50 Bonds to 3; Sears-Roebuck Victory Garden \$25 Bonds to 8 (also \$100 Bonds to 3 national champions); International Harvester Food for Victory, \$25 Bonds to 6; Firestone Soil Conservation, \$50 Bonds to 8; Mennen Farm Safety, \$25 Bonds to 4, and American Vaseline Dress Revue, \$25 Bonds to 42 state winners participating in the National 4-H Club Congress Presentation, Chicago, next December.

These activities are arranged through the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, and conducted by the Extension Service of the State Agricultural Colleges and U. S. Department of Agriculture cooperating.

Mrs. Lee Danfeler and daughter, Priscilla, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Walker and two children of Terlingua were the guests the last of the week of Mr. and Mrs. Dunn Lowery and Mrs. Lowery's mother, Mrs. John Walker who is making her home here. Mrs. Danfeler is a sister and Mr. Walker, a brother, of Mrs. Lowery.

and Queen, where Princess Elizabeth and Mary entertain with lawn parties. Most of the buildings are occupied by the Royal Guards and retired Royal servants and Army men. We also saw the longest straight highway in England, which is three miles long. It leads through the Windsor Park and to the entrance of the Castle. I wish they could see some of our long roads.

From there we went through the Eton School which was built in the 13th century and is still used today. I'm sure the school you attended was much more modern than this one and how students can go to school there is more than I can see. The desks and benches are long, thick boards with names and notches cut all in them: It is a custom for each student to carve his name somewhere before he leaves.

I don't see how the place has survived that for all these centuries. It is a preparatory school, equivalent, I suppose, to our high schools and from here the students attend Oxford or Cambridge. They go here principally for the prestige of it. The tenth generation in one family finished school there last spring and the first generation attended in the 13th Century. The students wear high hats and frock tail coats. I was sorry that school hadn't begun so I could see them, but the term doesn't start until the 22nd of Sept. They have eleven hundred students and they are selected by scholarship. Shakespeare, Bacon, Chaucer and all the English writers were supposed to have attended school at Eton. If you remember the picture "Good-bye Mr. Chips", the setting was in this school.

How is every thing in Rankin? Fine I hope. One of these days before too long we shall all be returning. I hope. It doesn't seem possible that I have been away almost two years. My, how the time flies. I can't realize that I've been here four months.

It is almost time for me to go to lunch, so I'll say adios.

Tell every one hello and give them my best regards.

Love,
Grace

Program for Week-End 16th Dist. Convention Of American Legion

Saturday, October 21st —

9:00 A.M. Registration of delegates and members at the Bender Hotel.

9:00 A.M. until ? "Roy Bean's Court" at the Security State Bank. 2:30 P.M. until ? All registered delegates and members will be admitted to the Grand Theatre at 2:50 each.

9:00 P.M. Dance at the Country Club.

Sunday, October 22nd —

9:00 A.M. Business meeting of all committees at the McCamey High School building.

11:00 A.M. Memorial services at the Methodist Church.

1:00 P.M. Barbecue dinner at the Country Club.

2:00 P.M. Joint meeting of Legion and Auxiliary at McCamey High School building.

3:00 P.M. Legion business meeting, McCamey High School building. Auxiliary business meeting at McCamey High School building.

5:00 P.M. Adjourn.

Former Rankinite Receives Award From War Department

Mrs. Clara Harrell Cardy, formerly of Rankin and now employed by the Marfa Army Air Force, recently received an award from the War Department.

The presentation was made through the Commanding Officer of the Marfa Army Air Field Col. A. J. K. Malone. The award was given Mrs. Cardy for the successful prosecution of performance of assigned duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Starnes and children, Carol Sue and Jerry Charles, of Alpine are here visiting his brother, J. D. Starnes, and family. Cecil recently received a medical discharge from the Army after an accident.

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What You Should Know About Frills

SO MANY women have learned to run intricate machines in the last few years that it is doubtful that ruffler or hemmer will ever seem awesome again.



skirt for a dressing table with very little waste. Curtains that are ruffled all the way around may often be split for bed valances. Also, it is possible to buy ruffled material by the yard. Avoid skimpy fullness. Follow the guide given in the sketch and, whether you buy your frills and flounces or make them, take measurements first.

NOTE: Here is news for homemakers. This sketch is from a new booklet by Mrs. Spears called MAKE YOUR OWN CURTAINS. This 22-page book is full of smart new curtain and drapery ideas with illustrated step-by-step directions for measuring, cutting, making and hanging all types from the simplest sash curtain to the most complicated lined over-drapery or stiffened valance.

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS Bedford Hills, New York. Enclose 15 cents for book "Make Your Own Curtains."

Sponges Were Used as Caps by Early Romans

It has not been established when sponges were first used, but they were certainly common among the Romans, not to wash with, but for carrying liquid refreshment. When Jesus asked for something to drink while on the Cross it was passed up to Him on a sponge.

Sponge-diving is a very fascinating study, but it is also dangerous. Mostly the divers work naked, as diving suits have frequently caused fatal accidents.

The divers risk death in many ways, especially from attacks by sharks and octopuses. Accidents are frequent, and sudden cramp has caused many deaths. Before the war hospital ships cruised round the sponge beds in the Mediterranean, and where the beds were near the shore there was generally a first-aid post or small hospital within easy reach.

AUNT SASSIE and the FOLKS

I told Maizie Miller she ought to be spanked! Caught her right in the act of throwin' out some perfectly good ham. They were plumb tired of eatin' it, she says.

Try Aunt Sassie's JOHNNY CAKE 'N GRAVY. 1 cup sifted all-purpose flour, 2 1/2 teaspoons Royal S.A.S. Phosphate Baking Powder, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 cup corn meal, 1 egg, beaten, 1 1/2 cups milk, 4 tablespoons melted Blue Bonnet Margarine or shortening.

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Memos of a Columnist's Sec'y

Hugh Baillie, United Press chief, now covering the war on the Eastern front, wires back that the Nazis aren't quitting yet. But some of Hitler's pals over here want us to!

Labor leader Lewis was the butt of a practical joker in a crowded Washington hotel foyer. Someone pinned a "For Roosevelt" button on his back, and was he fee-yoo-ree-us!

The Press Box: The N. Y. Herald Tribune headlined that telegrams praising Gov. Dewey's oratory are pouring in... Howcum? Isn't there a ruling against wires of congratulation during this war?

At the National Press Club, Washington, the other day, George Gallup, the surveyor of public opinion, was cornered by some scribes. One said: "Doc, what does it look like to you right now?"

Mrs. Jonathan Wainwright, wife of the heroic General captured by the Japs, is due at the Waldorf October 7. She will do a broadcast with Mrs. R.

Newspaperman Stuff: Two syndicated columners were talking shop the other night... The first remarked that one of his papers had dropped his stuff because he attacked people the paper liked.

The Moon Pitchers: In the new "March of Time" due this week, "What to Do With Germany" offers the best shot yet of Hitler losing control of his eyeballs.

The President of Ecuador will be a White House guest... "There's No Place Like Washington" will be published around Election Day. Cong. S. Bloom's dgtr auth'd... Good news for the ladies: The WPB will give the official nod to shoe manufacturers some time soon.

Despite the promise of the Truman Committee not to do anything about the Breakers Hotel, Palm Beach, before Sept. 1st, the returned wounded there (Ream General Hospital) have been quietly transferred by Gen. Somervell to Camp Atterbury, Indiana... And, although he claimed there was no need for such a hospital on the Florida East Coast, Somervell is now transforming the WAC barracks at Daytona Beach to replace the Ream Gen'l Hospital.

Many soldiers signed a letter from Fort Bragg requesting mention of Margaret Connors, running against Clare Luce for Congress in Conn. They wrote: "We know from reading your column, that you don't go in for strictly party politics, and give a candidate from either party a good word if deserved"

Large-Sized Vestee By Popular Request



SO MANY readers have asked that I design a "large-size" vestee which could be easily knitted that I've done this one specially for sizes 38, 40, 42 and 44. Made in maroon or wine-colored yarn it's just the sort of winter vestee which is most popular.

Snug and Warm. SO MANY readers have asked that I design a "large-size" vestee which could be easily knitted that I've done this one specially for sizes 38, 40, 42 and 44. Made in maroon or wine-colored yarn it's just the sort of winter vestee which is most popular.

SEWING CIRCLE NEEDLEWORK 530 South Wells St. Chicago. Enclose 15 cents (plus one cent to cover cost of mailing) for Pattern No. 5640.

Only One Chesapeake

Owing to the misadventures of the first American naval vessel to be called the Chesapeake, the U. S. navy has never given this name to another combatant ship, says Collier's. In 1807, the captain of this frigate, unprepared to fight, struck his flag and allowed his vessel to be searched after being fired upon by H.M.S. Leopard.

So Crisp—So Tasty Kellogg's RICE KRISPIES. "The Grains are Great Foods"—Kellogg's. Kellogg's Rice Krispies equal the whole ripe grain in nearly all the protective food elements declared essential to human nutrition.

NO WONDER THEY ALL SAY I'M LUCKY! BERT: 'noses rolls smell so good, I just can't wait for supper! Imagine a girl as pretty as you being such a wonderful cook, too!

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SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

Economic conditions in the Latin-American countries have been greatly influenced by the demand for natural rubber. This is evidenced by the report that Nicaragua shipped to the U. S. 1,267 tons of rubber in 1943 as compared with only 60 tons sent us in 1941. The B-29 Super fortress, our largest aerial weapon, has built into it some 2,000 pounds of rubber, covering more than 200 items. Thirty bullet-sealing fuel tanks alone account for nearly two tons of rubber. Rubber Director Dewey is authority for the statement that heavy-duty military tires made with 70 per cent synthetic rubber and rayon cord are better than the best military tires made before the war.

In war or peace B.F. Goodrich FIRST IN RUBBER

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE IN DELINQUENT TAX SUIT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPTON

SHERIFF'S SALE

Whereas, on the 15th day of June A. D. 1942, in a certain cause numbered 154 on the docket of the of the district court of said county, wherein The State of Texas is Plaintiff, and The City of Rankin and The Rankin Independent School District are Interveners, and Impleaded Parties Defendants, and J. O. Barfield and wife, Ella Barfield, are Defendants, the said plaintiff, interveners, and-or impleaded parties, defendants, recovered and were awarded judgment in the amount of Nine Hundred and Eight and 52-100 Dollars for taxes, and legal amount of penalties, costs, and interests computed thereon, together with the foreclosure of their delinquent tax liens upon the property hereinafter described as the property of the defendants, because of non-payment of the taxes due thereon;

And whereas, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1944, by virtue of the said judgment and the mandates thereof, the Clerk of the District Court of said County did cause to be issued an Order of Sale, commanding me as Sheriff of said County to seize, levy upon and sell

in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property as the property of the above defendants, to satisfy the said judgment.

Wherefore, by virtue of the said Judgment and said Order of Sale, and the mandates thereof, I did on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1944, seize and levy upon, as the property of the above defendants, the following described real property, situated in the county of Upton and State of Texas, to-wit:

- 1st Tract: Lots Nos. 11 and 12 in Block No. 22 in and of the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;
- 2nd Tract: Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 in Block No. 59 in and of the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;
- 3rd Tract: Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block No. 4 in and of the West Lawn Addition to the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;

And I will, on the first Tuesday in the month of November, A. D. 1944, the same being the 7th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the defendants, in and to said property, at the Court House, in the city of Rankin between the legal hours provided for by law, to the highest bidder for cash as completely as I can convey; subject, however, to the rights of the defendants, to redeem same in the time and manner provided for by law, and subject to the further rights of the defendants to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole And in the event there are no bidders, said property will, at said sale, be bid off to the State of Texas, the City of Rankin or the Rankin Independent School District.

Dated at Rankin, Texas this the 27th day of September A. D. 1944.
J. E. Simco,
Sheriff Upton County, Texas

Rationing Board to be Closed Friday, Oct. 20

The Rationing Board office will be closed for inventory on Friday, October 20, according to chief clerk Joye Taylor. The office will re-open on the next business day.

Blue stamps through R-5 in book four may now be used when purchasing processed foods, Miss Taylor said. These stamps are good indefinitely. Each coupon now has a value of 10 points.

Red stamps H, J and through K-5 may be used for meat purchases. Each stamp has a 10-point value and is good indefinitely.

Sugar stamp 33 may now be used and is good for an indefinite period.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received by Upton County at the Court House at Rankin, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m. on October 26, 1944 on one International Tractor, Diesel, model No. T.D.-18, serial number T.D.R.-1119, wide tread with 22 inch shoes, electric starter and power take off assembly. One J. D. Adams 5-yard Scraper with cable control. One J. D. Adams leaning wheel Grader, 10 foot blade, model No. 105, Serial No. 399, gas engine power control.

The right is reserved to reject all bids.

The above described property will not be sold above ceiling prices.

Ralph H. Daugherty,
County and District Clerk,
Upton County, Texas.

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We have complete equipment for recapping and repairing tires. 24-hour service. Also good supply of Grade 3 tires.

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Fort Stockton, Texas

THE CAR IS 1-A BUT THE TIRES ARE 4-F

Be sure to get both Tire Saving and Car Saving Service

D-DAY IS HISTORY. And V-Day may well be, by the time you read these words!

But as a recent editorial in the September 9 issue of Collier's points out: "If we don't baby our cars and tires along as carefully as we can, the ominous fact is that we can run into a serious motor-transport breakdown on the home front."

The blunt words of the editorial echo what Phillips and its service station men have been saying month after month, beginning even prior to Pearl Harbor.

We quote it because some few motorists may have thought that our insistent emphasis on tire and car care was motivated by self-interest rather than by our patriotic sense of duty. So again we say, in our country's interest and in your own, be frugal with your dwindling stock of tire and car miles. Visit your Phillips 66 Service Station at least once a week for tire and car-saving services.

Phillips Tire Saving Service includes checking air pressures . . . inspecting for nail holes, cuts, and bruises . . . examination of the tire carcass to warn you when re-capping is necessary and still possible . . . crisscrossing with the spare every 3,000 miles.

Phillips Car Saving Service includes inspection of battery, air filter, and anti-freeze protection . . . regular lubrication of every friction point specified by the maker of your car.

With tires for A-card motorists not promised before mid-1945 . . . with cars wearing out and disappearing from the road at the rate of more than 5,000 a day . . . you must care for your car for your country, to help prevent a crisis in domestic transportation.

Drive in at any Orange and Black 66 Shield, the sign of famous Phillips 66 Gasoline and Phillips 66 Motor Oil, and you will get the patriotic cooperation and aid of the Phillips 66 Service Man in making your car and tires go farther and last longer.



FOR VICTORY Buy U.S. War Bonds and Stamps

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE IN DELINQUENT TAX SUIT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UPTON

SHERIFF'S SALE

Whereas, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1942, in a certain cause numbered 139 on the docket of the district court of said county, wherein The State of Texas is Plaintiff, and The City of Rankin and The Rankin Independent School District are Impleaded Parties Defendants, and Walter Graef and wife, Mrs. Walter Graef are Defendants, the said plaintiff, interveners, and-or impleaded parties defendants, recovered and were awarded judgment in the amount of Three Hundred Forty Seven and 51-100 Dollars for taxes, and legal amount of penalties, costs and interests computed thereon, together with the foreclosure of their delinquent tax liens upon the property hereinafter described as the

property of the defendants, because of non-payment of the taxes due thereon;

And whereas, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1944, by virtue of the said judgment and the mandates thereof, the Clerk of the District Court of said County did cause to be issued an Order of Sale, commanding me as Sheriff of said County to seize, levy upon and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property as the property of the above defendants, to satisfy the said judgment.

Wherefore, by virtue of the said Judgment and said Order of Sale, and the mandates thereof, I did on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1944, seize and levy upon, as the property of the above defendants, the following described real property, situated in the county of Upton and State of Texas, to-wit:

1st Tract: Lot No. 6 in Block No. 45 in and of the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;

And I will, on the first Tuesday in the month of November, A. D. 1944, the same being the 7th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the defendants, in and to said property, at the Court House, in the city of Rankin between the legal hours provided for by law, to the highest bidder for cash as completely as I can convey; subject, however, to the rights of the defendants, to redeem same in the time and manner provided for by law, and subject to the further rights of the defendants to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole And in the event there are no bidders, said property will, at said sale, be bid off to the State of Texas, the City of Rankin or the Rankin Independent School District.

Dated at Rankin, Texas this the 27th day of September A. D. 1944.
J. E. Simco,
Sheriff Upton County, Texas

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...

"Quite a stack of newspapers I left you yesterday, Judge. Aren't you in the newspaper business, are you?"

"No, I just enjoy reading different papers so my nephew George sends them to me whenever he takes a business trip. I got a big kick out of some he sent me from several counties where they still have prohibition. Particularly from some headlines that read 'Drunk Driving Arrests Rise'.

"Bootleggers must post Ceiling Prices', 'Federal Agents seize 'Trick' Liquor Truck'. Doesn't that go to prove, Joe, that prohibition does not prohibit?"

"I watched conditions pretty carefully during our 13 years of prohibition in this country. The only thing I could see we got out of it was bootleg liquor instead of legal liquor... plus the worst crime and corruption this country has ever known."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

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PHONE 10

Marathon Oil Company
Rankin, Texas

Along the "Route to Tokyo"

Curves have been ironed out so trains may get around them faster.

New Diesel "head ends" are pulling bigger loads up mountain grades.

Ingenious Centralized Traffic Control Systems have been installed at important points so the same rails can carry 50 per cent more traffic.

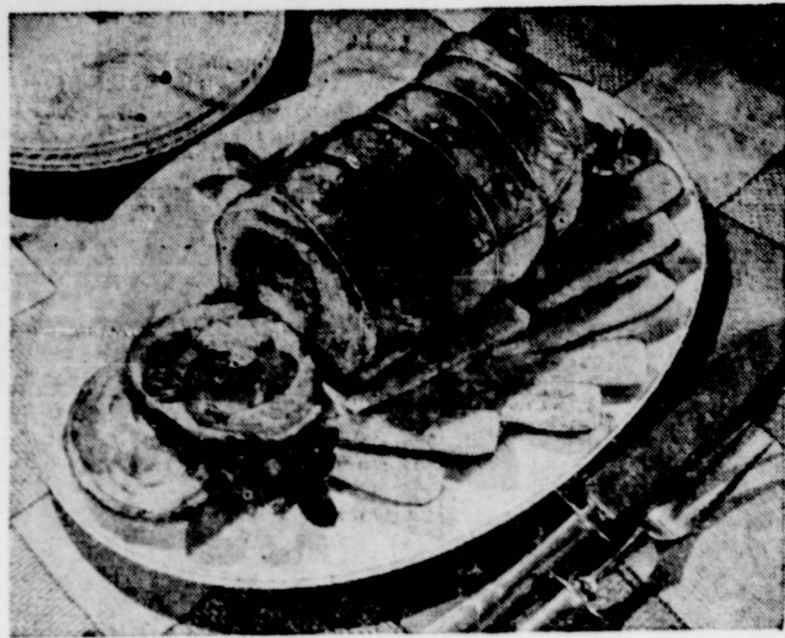
A new Santa Fe bridge is now being built across the Colorado River.

We have enlarged our capacity to meet the increasing loads of war. There will be no slackening of our job until the war is completely won.

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



Braise the Meat to Make It Tender

(See Recipes Below)

Braise the Meat

If you're making the most of your red points these days, you're buying the less expensive cuts of meat. And how do you prepare them?

The answer is in braising, long, slow, moist heat cooking which tenderizes the meat, browns it perfectly, and gives the meat tenderness and flavor. Pot roasts, short ribs, swiss steaks, meats cooked slowly with vegetables—all these come under the head of braising.

There's plenty of good eating in this type of cooking, but your meats are low in point value. Too, they have the same high quality protein as the more expensive cuts, and just as many of the precious B vitamins (riboflavin, thiamine and niacin), and the minerals, iron, copper and phosphorus.

Now, here are delicious ways of preparing those inexpensive cuts of meat.

Swiss Steak (Serves 6)

Round or arm steak, cut 2 inches thick
Flour, salt, pepper
1 onion, thinly sliced
2 tablespoons lard
2 cups tomatoes
1 carrot, diced
1 small green pepper, sliced
½ cup water

Mix flour, salt and pepper. Pound into steak. Brown steak in lard, add vegetables and water. Cover pan and cook in slow (300-degree F.) oven for 2½ hours. Add more water if needed. Serve with vegetables poured over the steak.

Pork Shoulder Steaks (Serves 3-4)

3 shoulder steaks
2 tablespoons flour
2 tablespoons lard
1 small onion
1 cup tomatoes
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
Salt and pepper.

Dredge the shoulder steaks in flour and brown in hot lard. Slice onions over them, add tomatoes and seasonings. Cover and cook slowly until steaks are done, about 45-60 minutes, according to the thickness of the steaks.

Braised Oxtail or Neck Bones. (Serves 5-6)

1 oxtail (2 pounds) or 2 pounds neck bones
Flour
1 small onion, sliced
¼ cup flour for gravy

Lynn Says:

Definition of Terms: Braising means to dredge meat with flour, salt and pepper, then brown in hot fat, add water or vegetable juices and cook slowly until meat is tender. The cooking may be done either on top of the range or in the oven. This method is frequently referred to as pot roasting.

Stewing means to brown meat in hot fat, add water (more than in braising) and vegetables, and simmer meat until it is thoroughly done.

Roasting means to bake in the oven to degree of doneness and is a method used for more expensive, tender cuts of meat.

Pan-broiling is cooking in a skillet on top of the range. Fat is not added except to meat patties.

Broiling means placing meat on an open rack in the broiler and cooking the meat quickly, without water or fat.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu

*Braised Short Ribs of Beef
Gravy
Cabbage Cole Slaw
Toasted Rusk
Spice Cake
*Recipe Given

1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
½ cup carrots, diced
Sprig of parsley
Half of bay leaf
Clove of garlic
1 cup tomatoes
Bacon drippings

Rub skillet with clove of garlic. Wash oxtail, chop at each joint or cut neck bones apart. Roll each piece in seasoned flour, then brown meat evenly on all sides in bacon drippings.

Add onions, carrots, parsley, bay leaf, tomatoes, salt and pepper. Cover tightly and simmer 3½ hours. Add more liquid during cooking, if necessary. If desired, thicken gravy with flour mixed with cold water.

Braised cuts are not only appetizingly browned but they can be dressed up prettily for serving with a colorful array of vegetables. Take these next two suggestions, for example:

*Braised Short Ribs of Beef. (Serves 6)

2 pounds short ribs of beef
Flour, salt, pepper
5 potatoes, peeled
5 carrots, scraped
5 onions, peeled
2 stalks celery
½ cup green pepper, diced
Shortening

Mix flour, salt and pepper. Rub into meat. Brown in shortening on all sides. Add ½ cup water and cover meat. Simmer for 2 hours or until tender. During last 45 minutes of cooking time, add vegetables. Remove meat and vegetables to platter, thicken gravy with flour and pour over meat and vegetables.

Braised Stuffed Breast. (Serves 6)

Lamb Breast
2 tablespoons lard
Salt and pepper
3 tablespoons chopped celery
1½ tablespoons chopped onion
6 tablespoons butter
2 cups fine bread crumbs
¼ cup mint leaves, fresh or dried
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper

Have pocket cut into lamb breast from the large end. Sprinkle inside and out with salt and pepper. To make stuffing, brown celery and onions in the melted butter. Add bread crumbs, mint leaves and seasonings. Stir until thoroughly mixed and place into pocket of roast. Fasten edges together with skewers. Brown breast on all sides in hot lard, add ½ cup hot water, cover tightly and cook slowly until done, from ½ to 2 hours.

Stuffed Veal Steak.

The same stuffing as used in the lamb breast may be used for veal steak, if mint leaves are omitted. Have two pounds of veal steak cut ½ inch thick. Spread the stuffing over the meat and roll. Fasten with skewers, and braise as directed for lamb breast.

Most braised meats are hearty and should have light accompaniments. Try a green vegetable or crisp salad and very light dessert such as chiffon pudding, custard or stewed fruit and berries with cookies. As garnishes for the main dish use parsley, watercress, sliced raw onions, carrot tops or spiced fruit.

Do you have recipes or entertaining suggestions which you'd like to pass on to other readers? Send them to Miss Lynn Chambers, Western Newspaper Union, 210 South Des Plaines Street, Chicago 6, Ill. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Chemical Farming Promises To Stage a Postwar Comeback

Air Heroes Training to Become Leaders in Hydroponics Farming After the War Ends.

Hydroponics — that new science dealing with water, (hydro); and labor, (ponics); is soon due for a revival. The war put an end to many of the operations in hydroponics or chemical farming, including a project in our island possessions captured or destroyed by the Japs.

The increased supply of chemicals which will soon be available together with necessary tank material, indicates that the newer form of farming or gardening will soon replace many of the present viticultural gardens — and be further utilized in greenhouses, attics, basements and auto-buildings.

Air force men convalescing from wounds at the Coral Gables, Fla., hospital are being taught the art of chemical farming, and will soon be ready to lead the movement back to hydroponics.

While chemical farming will never replace our present methods of farming, it has definite advantages which can be utilized in greenhouses and for the home garden, as well as proving a paying hobby for many returned service men as well as others who have little available soil space.

There is no magic entailed in the growing of plants without soil. Sand, gravel, cinders, sawdust, shavings or just water may be used instead of soil. Plant nutrients are added to whatever medium is chosen and the plant gets its balanced diet just as it would from soil. Because the diet can be controlled, it is possible to grow better quality fruit and vegetables by the hydroponics method than by soil farming.

Some years ago Dr. W. F. Gericke of the University of California dug up an idea of Dr. Knop, a German agricultural chemist, who in 1859 decided that he would add to the water the chemicals that plants

needed and grow plants. Dr. Gericke, named this system hydroponics and started the movement in America.

As early as 1935 a number of large growers of certain vegetables and flowers began to cultivate crops without soil. The next few years, until Pearl Harbor they competed with "dirt farmers." In the middle west a number of greenhouses were converted into chemical farms, with success.

The advantage of chemical farming is that the particular kinds of chemicals that each definite plant needs can be determined by the test tube, and supplied in amounts and at times needed. It is also possible to control temperature — and sunlight, either artificial or natural, which is not always possible in open fields.

Encouraging results have been obtained. Tests have been checked in comparison with the same plants grown simultaneously in soil under ideal conditions of temperature and moisture and the results were surprising. As a rule the soilless garden plants gave more rapid growth, larger plants and produced from 25 to 75 per cent more fruit or vegetable, as well as maturing earlier.

Experiments are being conducted to determine if certain earthworms are essential to plant life in chemical solutions as well as in the ground.

During the present year a large farm has been purchased at White Mountains, N. H., to be devoted entirely to chemical horticulture. Dozens of beds of sand-cultured flowers, will be raised and experiments in all forms of chemical culture will be carried out in cooperation with the society of chemical horticulture.

At Howard university seeds were planted at the top edges of sloping sheets of glass, backed by an absorbent material which brings them

Spraying Is Essential in Chemical Farming



Chemically grown plants have few pest troubles, but spraying becomes necessary at certain times. That is why this convalescent airman is giving the spray treatment to the soilless-grown plants.

What to Do

By PHYLLIS BELMONT



Question—May I borrow a dress from my girl friend for a special occasion?

Answer—I have no idea what your girl friend thinks of borrowing, but you could not very well ask her to lend you anything so personal as a dress. Many people don't object at all to lending their clothes—but if your friend is one of these let her offer you the dress rather than your asking for it.

If you can't possibly get along with what you have—or can afford to buy a dress—don't borrow. If anything happens to whatever you borrow you must replace it, and that is apt to be quite difficult in these days.

Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Penthouse Coop Is Used For Raising Chickens

TOLEDO, OHIO. — There's one flock of chickens in Toledo that's up in the world.

Eleven-year-old David Dennis of nearby Maumee, Ohio, raises 25 chickens on top of his dad's garage — because his mother and two sisters objected to the spoiling of their grassy, well-kept back yard with a chicken coop.

David compromised with the "penthouse."

Testing Chemicals



In order to determine reaction of various chemicals to different plants, Corp. Art Wagner, New Haven, Conn., army technician is making necessary tests.

water and fertilizer salts. An inorganic wick constitutes a successful form of "wick culture," a modification of chemical or soilless agriculture.

Chemical farming has also been heralded at the University of Reading, England. More than three-quarters of a century in the making, it is proving a new era of home and commercial production of some of the best and most important fruits and vegetables, as well as flowers. They became interested in the subject because of the dire need for maximum food production in Britain. With thousands of acres of British land in which crops could not be profitably grown, it looks as if hydroponics may prove a real solution to Britain's problem, as soon as she is able to get the necessary chemicals.

The Rambling Rhymster

By LES PLETTNER

PARTICULAR

Bill Jones was most particular
About his choice of mates . . .
For beauty was a stickler . . .
Was fussy as to dates.
He also felt that she should be
The soul of amiability,
And never talk banality . . .
He also thought of weights,
He further thought that she should
beast

An education like his own,
Be good a hostess as his best,
And ne'er become a withered crone,
He also thought that she should cook
As well as be felt she should look—
That was the type that he would
beast

To make his eggs and toast,
To what did he at last get hitched,
At time of fatal step—
'Twas after hundreds he had ditched
With beauty, sip, and pep.
She was as homely as a fence,
With wits both thick and likewise
dense.

While as to weight; she was im-
mense—
To nothing was she hep.
Said Bill, "And now I married
am

With love have I been seized,
I've picked my missus and my
ma'am—

To altar have I breezed,
I know what you must think of
me . . .

That I am blind and cannot see . . .
For at the last, most certainly,
I was quite easily pleased."

"GAY GADGETS"

Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

By NANCY PEPPER

HOMEMADE CHEESE CAKE

Any newspaper photographer will tell you that "Cheesecake" is leg-
ar photography. You know, those
pictures of movie actresses with
carefully posed—and exposed—legs.
Well, our Cheesecake is the home-
made variety and the recipe comes
from Tricky Teens like yourselves.

Non-Skid Legs for Rayons—Having
trouble with your rayon stock-
ings? Do they crawl
around on your legs
until the seams are
in the front? One
smart gal discovered
that hand lotion,
rubbed all over the
legs and allowed to
dry, forms a non-
skid base for rayons.
Your seams stay
where they belong and,
just for a bonus, your
legs don't get chapped,
either. Try it out on
your own gams. Mebbe
someone will mistake
you for Betty Grable—
mebbe.

Hot Feet—The gals are raiding the
boys' wear departments again—this
time for heavy white wool sweat
socks. All the 20-20's are wearing
them. (A 20-20, junior, is a perfect
vision and a perfect vision is what
you'd like to be.)

Double or Nothing—Wear two
pairs of socks for smart footwork.
Match up the two colors of your
sweater and skirt and turn the tops
down so that one color sock forms a
cuff on the other. Confusing, isn't
it?

On the Cuff—When you knit your-
self a sweater, use the left-over
wool for a pair of cuffs to slip over
your sock tops. Keeps elastic-less
socks up where they belong and
looks smooth, too. White angora
cuffs are really de luxe.

Applique Antics—When you buy a
package of felt appliques to trim up
your sweater, save a few little petals
and leaves to scatter on your
socks.

Cheesecake a la Wolf—Notice the
way your favorite Romeo is rolling
up his trouser legs these days? All
the better to show off his howling
socks, my dear. Argyles and bright
yellows are the favorites.

Lapel Legs—Before we close this
fascinating chapter, let's mention
those lapel pins in the shape of
transparent, plastic legs a la Grable.
All the gals are wearing them
—and lots of the boys too. They're
dime store gems.

GOOFY GAGS

If we wanted to be poetic we'd
say that these gags are fun for
stags and bags. Our ears-to-the-
ground scouts report that they're
good for a laugh any time. Do we
hear a guffaw in the back row?

Push the Button—Make a circle of
ink on the front of your wrist. When
people ask you what it's for, tell
them to push it. When they push it,
open up your fingers to show "I
love you" written in the palm of
your hand. Drooly, isn't it?

Short, Short Stories—Ask some-
one, "Did you hear the story about

the ocean?" When he (or she) an-
swers "No," you say, "It's too deep
for you." Or ask, "Did you hear the
story about the machine gun?" When
the answer is "No," you say, "It's a
killer." There's another short,
short story about three holes in the
ground, too. The gag is "well, well,
well." And there's still another one
about the dirty window. When some-
one wants to hear the rest of it, you
say, "Well, you couldn't see through
it, anyway." And—we promise this
is the last of our short, short stories—
did you hear the story about the
girl who grew? No? "It's too
growsome for you, anyway."

Jivin' Jabberwocky—

My Heart is Flying High—My
O.A.O. is in the air corps.

A Sinatra—A popular boy.
Touchdown—Success in making a
date.

Hair Raid—Crew cut.
Hi, Kitten, what's Mewin?—
What's new?

TRIXIE TEEN SAYS

Don't accept a date with a drip unless
you intend to be pleasant to him. Maybe
you wouldn't go out with him ordinarily,
but if you wanted to get to that dance bad-
ly enough to accept his bid, he deserves
to be treated like an escort, and not like
an outcast. Maybe he IS on the drooly
side; maybe he DOES dance like a fidgety
luggie from Arthur Murray; maybe his
conversation IS more double-talk than talk
—but you dated him for better or for
worse; didn't you? It won't do you any
good to have him talk badly about you
and it won't do you any harm to add him
to your backlog of old reliables. A girl
has to get around and glamour boys are so
undependable!

Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



There are so many little tricks
which will give you hair glamour—
and it takes just that extra minute
for perfection! Spray your hair with
perfume, then brush well to distribu-
te the fragrance. Dampen cos-
metic tissue with hair lotion before
wrapping your hair for a good home-
made curl. Use lacquer pads to
keep stray hairs close to your head
when wearing an "UP" hairdo!

Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Got a Franc, Yank?

French Kids Chant

WITH U. S. TROOPS IN
FRANCE.—In England children
cadging sweets from the troops
had two chants: "Got any gum,
chum?" "Got candy, handy?"

Sergt. Adolph Schott of Sag-
naw, Mich., says French kids have
a new version.

"They are learning to yell,
"Got a franc, Yank?" he said.

TELEFACT

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MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE TO CONSOLIDATED EMPLOYEES FAMILIES AND FRIENDS The Original Heart Souvenir of the world-famous B-24 Liberator Bomber crashed in Phoenix from the nose of a tank of these famous ships are now ready.

FOR SALE—1935 Ford V8, 1935 Ford V8 of heart and 18-inch sterling silver chain, send money order for \$3.75 and heart and chain will be mailed.

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For Sale—One two-story brick building, and two business lots on Main St., and six business lots in second block east of Main in Spur, Tex. Consider part cash, balance in trade. OWEN, Box 425, Spur, Texas.

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JAPANESE PROBLEM IN LARGE CITIES

BEFORE PEARL HARBOR 90 per cent, and more, of the Japs in this country were in the Pacific coast states. After Pearl Harbor the army cleaned them out and locked them up in concentration camps as a measure of safety.

Today large numbers of those Japs the army locked up are being liberated and colonized in many sections of the United States, much to the dissatisfaction of the people that are their new neighbors.

I lived in Chicago for many years, more than half a century. My home was on the South Side of the city, facing the lake. It was a desirable residence section within the city limits.

On Kenmore and Kenwood avenues, near the campus of the University of Chicago, other Jap colonies have been located by the same methods and with the same results.

Since World War I, when Chicago experienced a great influx of southern Negroes, the South Side of the city had what was considered a Negro problem.

That is one point on which Chicago, and other metropolitan centers, have lost the peace.

FARM CREDIT SINCE 1933

OVER THE PAST FEW YEARS no farm owner, tenant farmer or share-cropper need have been without a government loan.

RUSSIA WILL CALL THE PLAY IN EUROPE IN WASHINGTON A FIVE YEAR waiting period between the end of the war in Europe and any effort to write definite peace terms, is being talked.

A FEW YEARS AGO, when in Hawaii, I made inquiries regarding the loyalty and adaptability of the Japs, who constitute a large portion of the population of the islands.

TRY TO GET A TRAIN reservation and you will learn the railroads are not fooling when they advise you to stay at home.

PROCRUSTINATION, putting off until tomorrow what should have been done today, has ruined many a promising career.

IT IS SO EASY TO LOOK around the beam in our own eye and see the mote in the eye of the other fellow.

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

Young, Smart Princess Frock Slip, Panty Set Designed to Fit



It Has Everything A PRINCESS frock has everything it takes to make you look your prettiest!

YOUR new fall suit deserves well-made underwear. Make up this slip and panty set—its nicely tucked waist assures a good figure line under your costume.

ASK ME ANOTHER? A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions 1. What is a milliard? 2. What is a lee tide? 3. What lake in the United States has no inlet or outlet?

The Answers 1. A thousand million. 2. One running in the same direction as the wind blows. 3. Crater Lake, Oregon. 4. Yeddo (up to 1869).

And Works, Too Mos—If hat has become of that watch you used to carry—it had such a handsome gold case? Now you have one with a brass case.

Smile Awhile Qualifications? "But you wouldn't marry a man just because he's a good dancer?" "Oh, no, Jack's clever at cards, too!"

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Household Hints

A small magnet (if you can get one) is a handy item for picking up pins and needles off the sewing room floor.

When food has been spilled on the open coils of the electric range allow it to char, then brush it off with a soft brush.

Shoe racks and bags will keep shoes from being scuffed in the closet.

Photographs that have become discolored and dirty from being displayed without frames may be cleaned by rubbing methylated spirits over them.

Open space between garments hanging in a closet helps them to hold the press and keeps them from getting a stringy look.

Dusters that have become very soiled and greasy are more easily cleaned and give better results if a tablespoon of paraffin is added to every gallon of water in which they are washed.

To Relieve Bad Cough, Mix This Recipe, at Home

Big Saving. No Cooking. So Easy. You'll be surprised how quickly and easily you can relieve coughs due to colds when you try this splendid recipe.

Make a syrup by stirring 2 cups of granulated sugar and one cup of water a few moments, until dissolved. No cooking needed—it's no trouble at all.

This simple mixture takes right hold of a cough. For real results, you've never seen anything better. It loosens the phlegm, soothes the irritated membranes, and eases the soreness.

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 9 P. M. Saturday

SUNDAY and MONDAY OCTOBER 22 - 23
 Jean Arthur, Lee Bowman and
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The Impatient Years
 (HERE'S THE PICTURE THAT KNOWS ALL THE
 ANSWERS ABOUT WAR MARRIAGES)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24
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UPLAND H. D. CLUB MEETS

The Upland Home Demonstration Club met Friday, October 13th, in the home of Mrs. Tyson Midkiff. A demonstration was given by Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, County Home Demonstration Agent, on making candied fruit peel, fruit and making fruit cake and baking it in tin cans in a pressure canner. Candied peel and fruit made in various colors was shown by the agent. Twenty-four pounds of fruit cake was made by Mrs. W. L. Clark, Mrs. Joel Starnes and Mrs. Gordon Baxter. Those present were Mrs. Walton Harral, Mrs. Tyson Midkiff, Mrs. W. L. Clark, Mrs. Roy Morgan and Mrs. Gordon Baxter.

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. E. C. Higday entertained her bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home. High score prize went to Mrs. C. B. Black and second high to Mrs. Dunn Lowery. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Lowery, Jack Smith, Ralph Daugherty, Black, J. D. Starnes, J. Lane, Henry Neal and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Higday were hostesses to their bridge club Thursday evening at their home. High score prizes went to Mrs. C. B. Black and Mrs. Higday, and low

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE IN DELINQUENT TAX SUIT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF UPTON
 SHERIFF'S SALE

Whereas, on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1942, in a certain cause numbered 129 on the docket of the district court of said county, wherein The State of Texas is Plaintiff, and The City of Rankin and The Rankin Independent School District are Impleaded Parties Defendants, and C. C. Childress and wife, Polly Childress, are Defendants, the said plaintiff, interveners, and/or impleaded parties, defendants, recovered and were awarded judgment in the amount of Seven Hundred Fifteen and 70/100 Dollars for taxes, and legal amount of penalties, costs and interests computed thereon, together with the foreclosure of their delinquent tax liens upon the property hereinafter described as the property of the defendants, because of non-payment of the taxes due thereon;

And whereas, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1944, by virtue of the said judgment and the mandates thereof, the Clerk of the District Court of said County did cause to be issued an Order of Sale, commanding me as Sheriff of said County to seize, levy upon and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property as the property of the above defendants, to satisfy the said judgment.

Wherefore, by virtue of the said Judgment and said Order of Sale, and the mandates thereof, I did on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1944, seize and levy upon, as the property of the above defendants, the following described real property, situated in the county of Upton and State of Texas, to-wit:

1st Tract: Lots 11 and 12 in Block 56 in and of the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;

2nd Tract: Lot 1 in Block 5 in and of the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;

3rd Tract: Lots 10 and 11 and 12 in Block 5 in and of the City of Rankin in Upton County, Texas;

And I will, on the first Tuesday in the month of November, A. D. 1944, the same being the 7th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the defendants, in and to said property, at the Court House, in the city of Rankin between the legal hours provided for by law, to the highest bidder for cash as completely as I can convey; subject, however, to the rights of the defendants, to redeem same in the time and manner provided for by law, and subject to the further rights of the defendants to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole And in the event there are no bidders, said property will, at said sale, be bid off to the State of Texas, the City of Rankin or the Rankin Independent School District.

Dated at Rankin, Texas this the 27th day of September A. D. 1944.
 J. E. Simco,
 Sheriff Upton County, Texas

score prize went to Mrs. Roy Morgan.

After the games, refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Dunn Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Shaw, Mrs. Gary, Mrs. Black and the host and hostess.

QUICK TEST FOR RAYON
 By Nettie B. Messick

Use the fingernail polish remover test when in doubt as to how to press a rayon dress or slip, advises Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, County Home Demonstration Agent. Because so much viscose and cuprammonium-type rayon is being used in war materials, most rayons now on the market are acetate. Viscose and cuprammonium, which have many of the same chemical properties as cotton, may, like cotton, be pressed at fairly high temperature. For acetate rayon, the iron should be warm, never hot.

Rayons may be tested by putting a few drops of polish remover on a scrap or small clipping from an inside seam of the garment to be pressed. Acetate rayon will dissolve and leave a hole in the test scrap. A hot iron is acetate's worst enemy. It may melt the goods or give it a permanent shine. Alayaps

press acetate on the wrong side and it is a good idea to press through heavy tissue paper. If stubborn wrinkles remain, brush

the tissue lightly with a damp cloth and press again. Inexpensive, chemically treated press cloths are also good protectors.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**One Less Tramp
 in Our Town**

Esther Curless found a tramp asleep in the hammock in her apple orchard, and she didn't hesitate a minute. She grabs a rolling pin—and the last they saw of him, the tramp was making dust tracks to the state line.

"It ain't only that I don't like laziness," says Esther, "special in wartime. It's that that particular hammock is Ned's hammock—and Ned's fightin' for it overseas!"

Then she shows us Ned's last letter where he says: "I keep dreaming of my hammock in the

orchard, with Rags lying underneath, and a cool glass of beer beside me."

A soldier's picture of home! The little friendly pleasures that he misses so! From where I sit, Esther's mighty right in wanting to defend those "little things" from all intruders. They're among the things our men look forward to returning to—the things we want to keep intact for them.

Joe Marsh

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