



WOMEN FORGE WEAPONS FOR NATION'S ARMY

Over 15 Million Help Keep U. S. 'Arsenal of Democracy'

To the American women has fallen the task of beating our ploughshares into swords!

From the ranks of the one-time weaker sex have risen the 'Rosie-the-Riveters' who have picked up in industry where the men entering the service left off, and are aiding in maintaining this country's record production program.

Recently, the war manpower commission estimated that over 15 million women were working, with 14 million in non-agricultural occupations. With a full utilization of the reserve of women, more than 17 million are expected to be employed by the end of the year.

In themselves, the figures tell the story of women's inestimable importance to the war effort. Without the volume of their employment, it becomes easy to see how impossible it would have been for the government to build up at the time of the present size and at the same time remain the 'arsenal of democracy.'

In getting into industry in such huge numbers, women have taken on all kinds of work. Recent statistics show that during a one-year period employment of women increased 69 per cent in munitions; 134 per cent in aircraft; 62 per cent in chemicals and allied industries; 50 per cent in electrical machinery; 36 per cent in iron and steel, and 164 per cent in shipbuilding and repair.

Take Hard Jobs. In taking jobs in these industries, women have not stuck to the traditionally light occupations, but, on the other hand, have undertaken some of the hardest tasks. Mechanical equipment has relieved much of the burden of some of these tasks, but they still require exertion and have been looked upon strictly as men's jobs.

Take the shipyards, for instance. Here, 48 hours a week is common, and in some sections, women have been putting in as many as 50 hours.

The work is strenuous and dirty. All women wear safety helmets, goggles and high heavy shoes with safety toes and low heels. Under their helmets, the women must wear some device for holding back stray locks. In cold weather, burners and welders don leather overalls and jackets to protect them from sparks.

Comparing with this kind of work in strenuousness is the labor being undertaken by some women in the railroad industry. Some have been spading and swinging heavy hammers along the right-of-ways fixing rail beds, work formerly reserved

for the toughest and strongest behemoths. Others are doing less exhaustive chores, but nevertheless chores once done by men alone, such as cleaning the exterior of coaches, etc.

In many plants, women have been operating gigantic cranes, which pick up heavy bars and sheets and swing them along the production line. Although inventive developments have reduced the operations of these machines almost to a matter of pressing a button, their management by women was unheard of before the war.

In many of the industries, most popular use of women has been for inspection or testing. Not only is the machinery for these occupations suitable for operation by women, but they also possess the extreme patience required.

Cover Many Fields. Women are working in other fields besides industry to fill the gaping manpower holes. In Baltimore, Md., for instance, women are street cleaning; in Waterloo, Iowa, they are collecting garbage, and in Los Angeles county, California, they are appraising personal property. Heretofore, men were solely employed in these occupations primarily because they required stiff manual labor and a well-grounded business knowledge.

Because of the manpower shortage, bus and streetcar lines are gradually being staffed by women. In San Francisco, Toledo, New Orleans, Charleston, Detroit and Cleveland large numbers of women are now operating busses and streetcars. A rule permitting women to operate busses and streetcars was adopted by the St. Petersburg, Fla., civil service commission, and 21 operators are already certified for the position.

In New York city 27 women were employed recently for the first time as changemakers for the city's rapid transit system, and in Connecticut, one transportation company employs women entirely on their streetcars, even designing a special uniform for them. Dallas, St. Paul and Minneapolis already have six women pushing streetcar controls.

Dallas lost 125 motorbuses and drivers to the armed forces and wartime rationing boosted traffic on the common carriers 36 per cent. Given the same pay and seniority as men operators, the women have been specially trained to do a man-sized job in the city's transportation system, the association reported.

This same city will probably join the ranks of other municipalities with women as police officers. Formerly retired policemen and firemen have been safeguarding children at school intersections, but with the exhaustion of this source for traffic duty.

Women are now employed in four states and several cities to replace police personnel. Asheville, N. C., women handle all traffic at school crossings, and women selected by the Tennessee Valley authority for public safety officers training school will be on duty at the project.

Connecticut and Rhode Island women police have been trained at the New York City Police academy. Their work includes investigation of crimes and complaints involving women and minors, investigations of public places and recreation facilities to protect morals of women and children, supervision of parolees and taking custody of delinquent or neglected children.

Chicago's Park District police department has used 50 women service guards since early last year at school and church crossings and to direct traffic and guard cars in municipal parking lots. This city also has employed 400 women as florists, gardeners, storekeepers, crossing and service guards and laborers for the park district.

Children's Care Problem. Greatest of the problems confronting the nation with the employment of women is that involving the care of children of many of the mothers at work. In this, the problem is not so much one of providing for their attention, for long school hours, playmates or show can take up much of the youngsters' time, but the big problem is a social one, that of what influence will haphazard care have on the children in their formative years?

The problem, of course, has affected the women themselves the most; and it is generally felt that they are exercising the utmost common sense in their solution of this difficulty as they fill the present emergency manpower gap.

WAC to Recruit Here



LT. JENEVA YOUNG

Lt. Geneva Young, recruiting officer for this district, will be in Hico, Texas, Aug. 24, 1943 from 11 a. m. until 1 p. m. at the Post Office. She will be glad to talk with all girls interested in joining the Women's Army Corps. She also has information and application blanks for Aviation Cadets. Boys 17 to 26 are eligible for Air Crew Training in the Aviation Cadets.

Fire Department Assisting In Current Grass, Pasture Fires

The Hico Volunteer Fire Department met Monday night, August 8, for the regular meeting. A report disclosed the information that the hose for the booster tank has been repaired to use in case of grass fires. A special notice is given to Hico and the surrounding territory to call on the department to extinguish pasture fires and to burn off needed grass spots in the city limits. In order to do this, please notify Fire Chief Ollie Davis.

Sam Kirkland was voted into the company as a new member. At the present the bank balance is more than it has been in several years.

All members who possibly can, please be present for the next call meeting, Monday night, August 23, at 8 p. m.

Attend Stephenville Convention. Fire Chief Ollie Davis, H. E. O'Neal, Sherman Robertson, J. C. Prater, and Willard Leach attended the Mid-Texas Firemen's Convention in Stephenville Tuesday night. These meetings are very interesting and helpful, and this association has just recently been organized in this territory.

A demonstration was given by the Stephenville Fire Department on how to use the equipment we have to the best advantage. The next convention will be held in Dublin October 19. All firemen are asked to attend, if possible, on Dec. 21, as this meeting will be held here in Hico.

Superintendent Gives Report On Opening Of Fairy Schools

At the opening session of Fairy Schools, held August 17th, Rev. Lee Hukel made an interesting talk. W. M. Horsley, superintendent, at Fairy, submitted the following report on the opening and on affairs in general at that institution of learning:

"Fairy School is a twelve-grade affiliated school. It is the only school in Hamilton county that gained in scholastics this year. Many new students are enrolled. Fairy now has the largest enrollment it has had for several years. All buses have been put in first-class shape, the school buildings repaired, and the lunch room opened. Everything indicates a splendid school year."

All teachers returned except two, Horsley said, adding that their places have been filled by splendid teachers. The faculty consists at present of the following: Johnnie Broyles, primary; Mrs. Olen Wren, third and fourth grades; Mrs. G. E. Pomby, fifth and sixth grades; Miss Jessie Neal, high school English; J. O. Strother, high school Mathematics; Oran Columbus, high school Science; and W. M. Horsley, History and Superintendent.

The present school board members at Fairy are: E. C. Allison, president; C. W. Russell, vice-president; W. E. Cunningham, secretary; B. T. Slater, Fred Gordon, Garland Anglin, and O. R. Morrison.

PUBLIC INVITED TO GRADUATING RECITAL AT FARLETON COLLEGE

The Fine Arts Department of John Tarleton Agricultural College is presenting Miss Margaret Henderlite in graduating recital Thursday, August 26th, at 8 o'clock at the Conservatory Little Auditorium.

Her program will be a little unusual for recitals of this nature, according to Chas. W. Froh, head of the piano department at the college, and will consist of an entire Concerto in A Minor by Robert Schumann. Miss Henderlite will be assisted at the orchestral piano by Mrs. Ivan P. Oliver.

The public and all music lovers are cordially invited.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Farm Security Administration office in Hamilton will be closed Wednesday and Thursday, August 25 and 26. The entire personnel will attend a District Meeting on these two days in Eastland.

WHITMORE S. GOODLET JR. F. S. A. Supervisor.

appearances it is just the same as when you left. Yes, things are just the way you boys would want them to be—maybe a little more so. It's the Texas way. When a Texan loses his good humor he loses his will to work, so there's just as much hilarity and good-natured banter as ever. When things get rough for a Texan he laughs a little louder and the tougher it gets, the louder he laughs. When a Texan gets so mad at you that he starts laughing about it, he's just getting ready to let you have it. Turn you a cat and then stomp on you.

"We know you boys are on ships, in the air, in tanks, in jungles and in fox holes and that you are shooting and being shot at. But, Buddy, if you are troubled, if you are worrying about your folks and think their faces are long and that they have lost their will and stability and morale and guts, just content yourself. Down under there are plenty of sober thoughts and determined ones, but your Mothers' chins are up, their smiles are pleasant, their step is lively, and their conversation buoyant. The same with this news sheet. We are going to continue to write you some news and a lot of foolishness."

"The fact is from all outward

Hargrove's a Sergeant Now



Author of the best seller, "See Here, Private Hargrove," and now correspondent in China for "Yank," the army weekly newspaper, Sgt. Marion Hargrove is pictured leading two steers through a Chinese street. The steers were a present from Chinese citizens to the 14th U. S. Infantry.

BOY INJURED WHEN STRUCK BY AUTO

The following clipping from a York, Pa., newspaper concerning an injury to the young son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Holley, was sent to the child's grandmother, Mrs. Ed Webb, along with a letter saying that the child was improving. The mother is the former Nadine Hulsey and both parents are former residents of Hico, now making their home in Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Holley, Route 4, Hico, are the paternal grandparents. The Pennsylvania paper said:

"Two-year old Marshall Ray Holley, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Holley, suffered a deep laceration on his scalp last evening about 5:30 o'clock when he was struck and knocked beneath an automobile in front of 520 East Philadelphia St., York, Pa., according to City Police records."

W. Edgar Keesey, 12 North Oxford St., was motoring east on Philadelphia St. and as he approached 520, the child darted in front of his path. The front bumper of the vehicle struck the lad, throwing him under the car. Mr. Keesey immediately rushed the boy to the York hospital where he was treated and held for observation.

Opening Date For Hico Schools Set For September 13

At a meeting of the Hico School Board held Monday night, the date for opening of the 1943-44 session was set for Monday, Sept. 13, according to D. F. McCarty, president of the board.

Rev. Floyd W. Thrash was elected principal of the grammar school. Other new teachers employed to fill vacancies are E. C. Bramlett, Vocational Agriculture, and Mrs. Bramlett and Mrs. Jim Thompson as elementary teachers.

I. L. Lasater, acting superintendent, who was called out of the city Tuesday on account of illness in the family, will probably have further announcements next week. With all the former teachers back and these new ones who come highly recommended, it is probable that Hico will have an outstanding year's work, stated Mr. McCarty Tuesday. Other board members are H. N. Wolfe, George Penkney, D. R. Proffitt, G. C. Keeney Sr. and Lusk Randalls.

AC Reserve Holds Unusual Opportunity For 17-Year-Old Boys

Fort Worth, Aug. 17.—Flying is a young man's game, as is attested by the fact that the average age of Tokyo raiders is 25 years and that most of these pilots began their training during teen age, and Col. Carlisle I. Ferris, commanding officer of Fort Worth Army Air Field, announced today that the B-24 pilot school is cooperating with the recently intensified campaign to interest seventeen-year-old youths in the Air Corps Enlisted Reserve.

Colonel Ferris points out that young men who have reached the age of seventeen but have not yet attained their eighteenth birthday may apply for enlistment in the Reserve Corps by contacting Lt. Charles C. Elkins at the big bomber base near here or appear at the field for examination.

Mental examinations for entrance are held at 8 a. m. every Tuesday and physical examinations each Wednesday morning. The mental examination is of multiple-choice, short-answer type. It is designed to give a picture of the general field of knowledge possessed by each candidate, but is so wide in scope that any intelligent young man with an average background of study should be able to make a passing grade. No definite amount of formal schooling is required. It doesn't matter how he gained the knowledge if he can pass the test.

Applicants may be single or married; they must have been United States citizens for at least ten years prior to date of application; they must have a birth certificate, or other properly authenticated proof of date of birth; they must have three character letters from reputable citizens who are not related to him, and last, but not least, the written consent of their parents.

Colonel Ferris explains that the new AC Reserve affords unusual opportunities to seventeen-year-olds. In the first place, the applicant is given his choice of service before being subjected to the Selective Service System. When the applicant passes the mental examination and is found to be morally and physically qualified, he may continue his civilian status or studies. He may, at the time of his enlistment, have the option of designating the month between his eighteenth birthday and six months thereafter in which he desires to be called on active duty.

If upon reaching the age of eighteen, he is a college or high school student, his call to active duty may be deferred upon his request until the end of his current semester, provided that it is completed not later than six months after his eighteenth birthday.

Usually, when the Reservist goes on active duty he will be given a five-month pre-flight training course in an accredited college or university. During this time the Aviation Cadet may also receive ten hours of flight training in cooperation with the Civil Aeronautics Administration. Then follows, primary, basic and advanced flight training.

"Our nation's destiny rides with our young men of today and postwar opportunities for Air Corps pilots will be unlimited," Colonel Ferris concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abel recently received a printed postal card from their son, Johnnie L. Abel, now interned as a prisoner of war in the Philippine Military Prison No. 1. The meagre information typed on the card disclosed that young Abel, who was a Private First Class at the time of his capture in the fall of the Philippines, was in fair health and uninjured. At the bottom was a request to give his best regards to the family. The last letter received from him was written February 17, 1942. This card was received 17 months later, on August 17, 1943. "This seems strange," his parents noted, "as he was born in 1917."

Don't try to tell a certain service man that 13 is no jinx. Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Jones of Camp Butler, North Carolina, missed connections with the Hico bus at Stephenville last Saturday and telephoned the News Review editor to get in touch with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Jones, and tell them to run up and get him and his wife so they wouldn't have to spend the night in Erath County. The one-man USO performed the errand, and everybody was happy about dark. But Sgt. Jones thinks his trouble was caused by the fact that he services 13 trucks, and got a 13-day furlough starting on Friday the 13th.

Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Spaulding of Boise, Idaho, came in Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Spaulding, and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Spaulding is the former Miss Frances Stanford. Charles said they would spend about ten days here. They came by train, but did not have the trouble and inconveniences of travel which are suffered by civilians traveling these days. He said he planned to do quite a bit of fishing while at home, just to see if those Bosque and Leon cat taste as good as the mountain trout he has been snarling occasionally.

Also visiting in the Spaulding home are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Spaulding and daughter of Sweetwater, and Staff Sergeant Tom Morrison.

JOGE GISH



SANDY MERVISH SAYS "TH' BANK PAYIN' TH' BIGGEST DIVIDENDS THESE DAYS IS TH' RED CROSS BLOOD BANK"

Soldiers' Serenade in Sicily



As Axis resistance in Sicily crumbled and the Italian government turned topsy turvy with the sudden ousting of Benito Mussolini, these American soldiers in Sicily celebrate the Allied successes with song. The instruments were probably borrowed from Sicilian natives.

IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. F. J. Bradstreet and her cousin, Miss Electa Dansby, both of Clifton, were here Tuesday. The latter visited with Mrs. Mollie Graves until Saturday. While here Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Crow, Mrs. Phinis Graves and sons, and Miss Dansby went to Glen Rose Wednesday. Miss Dansby went to Mrs. Emma Houston's Sunday to take care of her.

Mrs. Fred Aston and three children returned to their home in Wichita Falls Sunday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Houston.

Mrs. Baxter and her daughter, Miss Bertha, of Meridian visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Bill Stroud, and daughter, Mrs. Hindman and baby this week.

Mrs. L. E. Howard and son have returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Tyson, of Denton.

Mrs. Alvie Wilson left Friday for Teague where she visited her brother, Irvin Willingham, and family. She was accompanied by Mrs. Jess White.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Coker of Comanche spent from Monday till Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell. Mrs. Coker and Mrs. Tidwell were schoolmates.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence and his sister, Miss Nannie Lawrence, spent Friday in Hillsboro with their sister, Mrs. Miller Rose and family.

Mrs. Landis and baby returned Saturday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard of Midland. One of her brothers was home on a furlough and he was going to be sent overseas, so that was one thing she made the visit for.

Mrs. Otto Bowman and son of Arkansas spent the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowman, and other relatives.

Mrs. E. B. Foster of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. A. E. Weeks, and also her uncle, Mr. D. W. Appleby, a few days this week.

Pvt. Patrick returned Tuesday to Camp Howze, Texas, after a furlough with his sister, Mrs. Ramsey.

Mrs. Ruth McCleskey and baby have returned to their home in Monahans after a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Gordon.

Mrs. Clara Golden returned to her home in De Leon Saturday after a visit here with relatives and friends.

Frank Chaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chaney, left August 6 to join the Navy. He wrote his parents that he is stationed at Corpus Christi.

Randolph Griffin, who is in the Navy, visited his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jaehne, from Thursday till Saturday. He also visited his wife in Amarillo before he went to Norfolk, Virginia.

Mrs. Jack Krafo has returned to Brownwood after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jaehne.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Echols vacated the apartment at the Photo house and have an apartment with Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Fouts will move back soon.

Mrs. Tom Bryan and baby of and children of Handley visited Dallas and Mrs. Robert Latham their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newman, this week.

Mr. Coleman Newman returned to his home in Silsbee Sunday. His wife is getting along fine.

Miss Faye Hensley, who has been working in Fort Worth, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hollan were in Hico Saturday.

Mrs. Pat Polnac has returned from Waco where she had been with her brother, Pvt. John McElroy, who was in hospital there.

Harris Tidwell, who is in the Navy, returned to New York after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell. He left Wednesday.

Harold and Ted Clepper returned to their home in Dallas after a visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Miss Faye Falls, who has been working in Saint Louis, came in Saturday and spent a few days with her parents.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell visited her daughter, Mrs. Newman, at Stephenville Hospital this week. She was able to leave in another week.

Mrs. J. C. Dupre of San Antonio visited her aunt, Mrs. Beatty, this week.

Delores K. Davis visited Norma Jean Cavaness in Waco this week. Norma Jean accompanied Delores home for a visit of a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Musick have returned from Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, where they visited their son, Phinis, who was very ill but is some better now.

Mrs. Ella Mae Hensley and children and her mother, Mrs. McAdoo spent the past week in De Leon with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Eula Carlisle.

Mrs. Ralph Wingren and children, Bobby and Susie, of Camp Hood, Texas, and her daughter, Mrs. Detereaux, who visited in Dallas, spent the week end with Nola's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Goodman and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pike and son of Dallas spent the week end with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Pike.

Mrs. W. H. Gosdin got word over the telephone Sunday morning that Mr. J. P. Williamson of Dallas died at 5 a. m. Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Williamson lived here for several years, and their friends all send sympathy.

Mrs. John Jackson is very ill at the home of a son in Dallas. Her friends are sorry, and hope she will recover soon.

Dr. and Mrs. Pike attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Tom Pike, at Walnut Springs Friday afternoon.

Billy Jack Blakley of Dallas spent the week end with his parents.

Mrs. Harper Edwards and baby are in Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry and daughter of Walnut Springs were here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Johnston left Tuesday, August 10, for Palacios, Tex., to be with her husband who is stationed there.

Mr. Kraemer is able to walk to town, of which his friends are glad.

Mrs. Burns of Eulogy visited her son this week. She went from here to Victoria, Texas, to visit a brother.

Peggy June Tidwell spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Coleman Newman, who is in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mrs. Viola Loader and son, Marcus, are visiting their son and brother, Byron, in California.

D. H. Appleby
Mr. David H. Appleby was born Sept. 27, 1855 at Fayetteville, Ark., and departed from this life at his home on August 13, 1943, being 87 years, 10 months and 16 days of age. He married Miss Carrie Ann Weeks August 13, 1878, and she departed this life Feb. 10, 1918. He was later married to Mrs. Maude Craddock, on Sept. 29, 1920. Uncle Dave as he was called by most of the people, came to Texas about 1890 and has lived in and around Iredell most of the time. He professed religion at the age of 14 and joined the Presbyterian church where he was a faithful member until 1921 when he united with the Methodist church here at Iredell, and attended services as long as he was able.

PC Sinks Sub



Twenty-five minutes after their detector indicated the presence of a Japanese submarine, the crew of a PC boat brought the sub to the surface with depth charges, then blasted it to the ocean bottom with a gun barrage. Crew members add a new insignia to their score.

Every summer in the month of August for several years the Appleby relatives would have a reunion which Uncle Dave enjoyed so much. They had one last year. When all the loved ones of Mr. Appleby land safely on that heavenly shore there will be a big reunion that will never end. They will not say, "We will meet you next year."

Military Courtesy



I knew Mr. Appleby and regarded him as a good Christian man, ever ready to do all the good he could.

He took ill July 7 and was never up any more and although he suffered a great deal, he was always so very patient. On Tuesday before he passed away, he called his family to his bedside one by one and told them what he wanted them to do, and said he knew every one and he would soon be in the Sweet Bye and Bye before many hours. He said to tell all his friends goodbye, and that he loved them all.

His children and other relatives were with him through most all of his illness and were with him when he passed away.

Besides his wife he is survived by one sister, Mrs. A. E. Weeks of Arlington; three brothers, A. M. Appleby of Bakersfield, Calif., J. T. Appleby of Hamilton, and Albert A. Appleby of De Leon; four children, Leland and D. W. Appleby of Iredell, John and Mrs. J. M. Blacklock of Hico. One daughter died in infancy. Also there are two stepchildren, Charles Craddock of Waco and Mrs. Lora Hill of New Orleans; 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren, and a score of nieces and nephews.

Two of the grandsons are in the service of their country.

The funeral of this good old man was held Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Methodist church. Although the afternoon was very warm, the church was filled with relatives and friends and some were standing. Mr. Barrow of Hico had charge of the funeral. Rev. Green delivered the sermon and it was fine. He paid a glowing tribute to Mr. Appleby's memory. He was assisted by Rev. Cundeff, the Baptist pastor. The floral offerings were very large and beautiful which told of the high esteem in which he was held.

Grandsons served as pallbearers, and granddaughters as flower bearers.

The remains were laid to rest in the Riverside Cemetery by the side of his wife. The widow and children and other relatives have the sympathy of their friends.

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"APPRECIATION DAYS"

★ DON'T FORGET — Every First Saturday is Appreciation Day at our Hico store, when valuable prizes are distributed to our customers in appreciation of their patronage. A similar event is held at our Carlton store the Third Saturday of each month. Ask at either store for details, and **BE ON HAND!**

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"Meet the People..."

(Each week in this space will be presented a picture and word portrait of someone whose name is news.)



Chester Bowles

Clear-cut, simple rationing plans which utilize the talents of both business and academic leaders are the announced policies of the newly appointed general manager of the Office of Price Administration—Chester Bowles.
Price Administrator Prentiss Brown brought Bowles to Washington from Connecticut where Bowles was the OPA administrator. The new OPA general manager is a 42-year-old successful advertising executive with a business background and a liberal attitude toward both industrial and academic groups of Washington officials who oppose each other's methods of price administration.
He has asserted that both practical business men and professor-economists are needed in the OPA. At a press conference shortly after his appointment, Bowles outlined seven major points of his program which apparently meet the approval of Prentiss Brown. They are:

1. No rationing merely for the sake of rationing.
2. More reliance on local rationing offices.
3. No OPA monopoly representation on the part of professional, business, farm, labor, or any other group.
4. Snooping techniques to be avoided.
5. Obliteration of the black market.
6. Abandonment of "Legalistic interpretations" and simplification of OPA regulations.
7. Insistence of equal sharing.

THIS AND THAT

By JOE SMITH DYER

ENVY:

People of small means are likely to envy the rich, and you know envy eats the heart completely out of any human being. There should be a way to eliminate envy to some extent. The modern man is so crowded with conventions, with important engagements and business worries that he has little time for peace and repose. His driving life causes him to die long before he should. If he had sense enough to slow down a bit he might possibly live to be lured to sleep by a cheerful fireside. After all, the peace at the end of the trail is about all that any of us may reasonably expect because as long as we are here there will be worries, disappointments, heartaches. The want of money makes us envious. The possession of too much money makes us slaves to great responsibilities, fools to folly, and very often good food for the worms.
Envy writes the epitaph for much human happiness.
Avoid envy! It can be your worst enemy!

ECCENTRICS:

Mrs. Reva Anderson of Chicago fell on the street the other day and when taken to the hospital nurses found \$22,000.00 sewed into the lining of her petticoat. Mrs. Anderson had been begging her meals for years and had lived for months in a \$10 a month room on Chicago lower East side. Lewis Struber of Owosso, Michigan was the village shoe cobbler and lived in a small, one-room shack back of his shop. He gave to no charities and barely had enough to eat. When he died they found \$12,000.00 under the floor of his shop, another \$2,000.00 in a box in his room and his bank book disclosed that he had on deposit \$5,567.13 in a bank in Detroit.

FROM MY DIARY—1933:

September 11th: Noon.
Here I am in Algiers and this morning I dropped in to the American consul's office to ask him about a trans-desert hike and to ask him if it was safe going. He told me that it was absolutely safe so I'll be off early in the morning.

He told me that, after living here for the past fifteen years, he was almost afraid to return to New York and Washington because he had heard it was very unsafe in those two places.

September 12th: 6:20 p. m.
Out here on the desert tonight there are a million funny sounds but despite the noise it's beastly lonesome. The sun has just gone behind the big mountain of sand in a bright red glow all around me and the sand looks like red water.

I've walked a good many miles today—me and Abdud, the native boy who is with me. Some time tomorrow we'll get to Carthage and I hope I'll be able to find a bath tub. Abdud is over there now going through a lot of funny motions—he must be saying his evening prayers. I've spent the night in a lot of places—on trains and ships, in hotels and luns, at the foot of mountains and by the side of rivers, but tonight is the first time I have ever slept in a desert camp, in a foreign country, and many thousands of miles from home.

September 13th: 8 a. m.
We're off to Carthage. The sun no more than set until it popped up over on the other side of this sea of white sand.
A camel caravan passed us just before dawn. They eyed us closely, but nothing happened.

Falls Creek

By Virginia Coston

Pvt. and Mrs. Billy Adams of Fort Lewis, Washington spent Monday night with his sister, Mrs. Cone Patterson, and family.
Misses Lena Mae and Imogene Jameson of Fort Worth spent last week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jameson.
Mrs. S. V. Chumney has returned home after a visit in Stephenville with her daughter, Mrs. Omer Cook, and family.

Mr. Dugar Foust of Fort Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. W. Foust.
Misses Margaret Allen and Virginia Coston attended the W. M. U. Association meeting in Hamilton Friday.
Mrs. Walter Williamson and Mrs. John Lane of Hico spent Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Foust.

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Millerville

By Chas. W. Giesecke

Mr. and Mrs. Marta Hipp and son of San Antonio spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shaffer, and her sister, Mrs. Albert Bullard.

L. C. and R. C. Giesecke, sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke Jr. of Hearsh Springs, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Conner and daughter of Seymour are spending part of their vacation visiting relatives and friends here this week. He reports his mother's health has improved the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Howerton and son, James, of Waco came in today to spend a short time with relatives.

Miss Dortha Phipps of Meridian is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Phipps.

Mr. G. W. Phipps had a brother from Glen Rose and also a brother from Winters to visit him and his wife Sunday.

Elder Stanley Giesecke is leading the singing service at the Carlton Church of Christ, Eld. Marr of Fort Worth is doing the preaching.

Mrs. D. L. Hukel and daughter of Stamford are visiting her sisters, Misses Era and Myrl Norrod, also their brother, Earl. Mrs. Kelly Beaver of Petersburg is also visiting her brother and sisters, the Norrods.

Uncle Pete Bays has sold his city property in Hico and has become a dirt farmer.

Uncle Sam McCollum visited his son, W. O. McCollum, last week at Hamilton. His son and wife had just received news that their son, Donnell McCollum, a bombardier, was lost in action. The family has the sympathy of all in this sad hour.

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LAST YEAR, according to the Department of Agriculture, food waste in the U. S. took 15% of the nation's food supply, compared to 7% for our armed forces and 7% for Lend-Lease.

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WHAT WILL WE EAT?

Eating is undoubtedly going to be a lot more of a problem this winter than it has been so far. The probabilities are that nobody will go hungry and everyone in this country will get enough food of some kind to keep healthy—but there will probably be some great changes in our diet.

Washington "experts" predict everything from "all the food we want" to "starvation rations," but food buyers who have a practical knowledge of what is available and what isn't, seem to agree on a middle of the road future.

ROSIE THE WAITRESS

Those of us who don't see much of the war production front—who are not close to the factories and don't know many people who work in them—have the impression that everything is running along very smoothly.

Actually, although we are far out-producing our enemies, many of our war factories and our vital industries are faced with a manpower shortage which is becoming increasingly dangerous.

Many women have the idea that war work means being a "Rosie the Riveter." But a woman really can do just as much for her country if she takes a job as a telephone operator, works in a bank or accepts any other kind of employment which will keep our domestic enterprises running and will relieve men for war production and for the armed forces.

Progressive War

This Papuan native used to hunt his enemies with a spear or club. Now he fights with a machine gun. Papuan native infantry units operated with the Allies in driving the Japs from this part of New Guinea.

Fighting Nurse

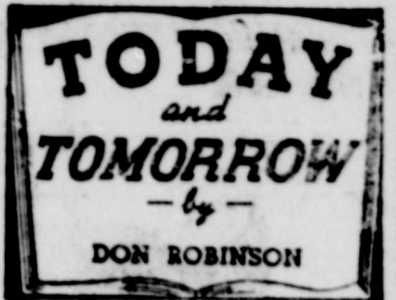


Russian Nurse Anya Vesucheva often joins the battle behind a gun. She was awarded a medal after winning a battle against 17 Nazis.

A Fighter's Face



Symbolic of the new invasion role of Coast Guard units is the determination expressed in this photograph of one of the Coast Guard men.



MATCHES . . . wood I happened to notice that wooden, household matches seem to be a little shorter than usual. Curious to know if that had anything to do with the war, I checked with a match manufacturer who said, "Yes—the government has ordered us to reduce small wooden matches by 1/4 of an inch in size and large ones by 1/4 of an inch."

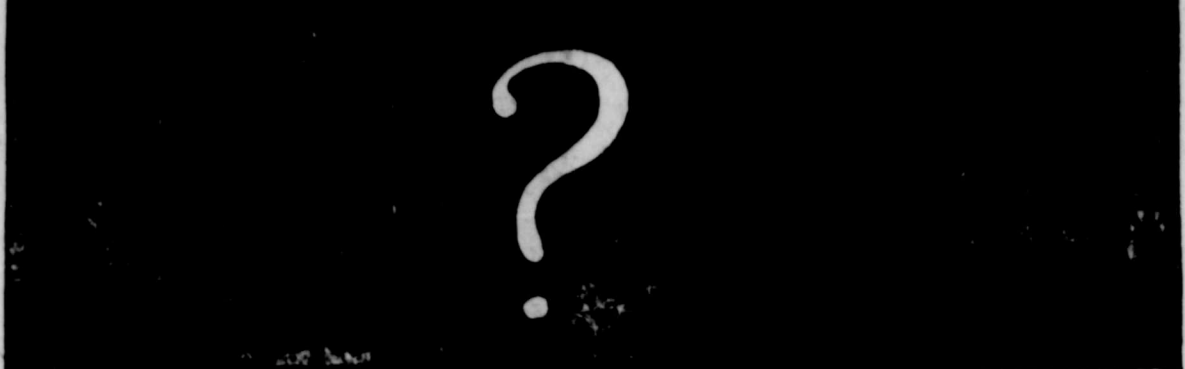
It seemed to me this was rather an absurd example of the steps to which the government has gone to put its fingers in everybody's business on the grounds of conserving materials. But when I checked further I found that even this insignificant change actually did produce enormous savings. For by this slight reduction in the size of matches—a reduction which makes no difference to anyone—it is estimated that there will be an annual savings of seven million board feet of lumber.

FRILLS . . . conservation Already there are over 200 products which have been simplified and standardized. Most of us are familiar with the Victory bicycle—a light, practical bicycle which is the only kind which can be made now.

CLOTHES . . . needles One of the most complicated but most interesting steps toward conservation is the order limiting the use of materials for clothes. I did realize that there had been an order banning cuffs on men's trousers, which again seemed like a small drop in the conservation bucket, but after looking over some of the figures on conservation I am now ready to agree that the most trivial-seeming order may be worthwhile.

After reading those figures it is apparent that the final blow in winning the war may well be struck by reducing the size of pin heads or enlarging the eyes of needles.

What's Happening in the Dark?



Successful Parenthood FAILURES CAN BUILD CHARACTER

I once knew a father whose philosophy was expressed as follows: "Never want a thing until you know you can get it, and then want it bad." Fortunately, although his children were devoted to him he was not able to pass on to them his belief in making a virtue of being contented with things as they come.

When you stop to think about it, however, you can see that this sort of upbringing would encourage that temptation with which most humans are in the habit of struggling to do a little less than your best. The wiser method is to study each child's capabilities honestly and then try to direct his ambitions into a field where he has a fair chance of success.

This Week in WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C. (WNWS)—Tax experts here, realizing that the people will do a lot of protesting when they have to begin making the serious and complicated tax reports required under the new pay-as-you-go law, are now working on suggestions which they can make to congress for simplifying the procedure.

At present, it has been ordered that fathers can be drafted after October 1 provided all single men and married men without children are taken first. Although there is little doubt that some fathers will be drafted before the end of the year, it is believed here that one of the chief reasons for announcing this plan well in advance is to influence fathers, now in non-essential activities, to get into essential war work.

The manpower shortage and increased absenteeism from war jobs are now considered the major problem of our war effort. Good news from all fighting fronts is believed to have resulted in a let-down in war work on the home front. Men who have been in hazardous war jobs, who now think the war won't last very much longer, are shifting to jobs which have better prospects for after the war.

FASHION for today PATRICIA DOW



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Dale Carnegie

Author of "How to Win Friends and Influence People."

ANY JOB CAN BE MADE INTERESTING

In 1912 a girl up in Winnipeg, Canada, had to get a job. She found one selling candy and cigars in a drug store. She did not like the job, but she knew she didn't dare give it up, so she made a most important decision. She decided that she would make the job interesting!

Clara Stover began to study candy, and the best way to sell it. She learned the whims of customers, and tried to find why one customer liked this particular kind of candy, and the next customer didn't. Then she became interested in the manufacture of candy. She found candy to be a fascinating subject. The business of candy selling behind a drug store counter was no longer drab and dreary.

She learned so much about candy that she and her husband were offered a job in a candy factory where she learned even more.

Ideas of her own developed, and she decided to make and sell her own candy. She moved to Denver and made candy in her home, which was a bungalow. Her husband took samples of it and went out and sold it. She didn't know what to call her candy so she named it "Mrs. Stover's," then one day an idea popped into her head. Since she was making it in a bungalow, why not call it Bungalow candy? And right there the name was born.

Business increased. They moved to Kansas City. And there she has a five-story building completely devoted to the manufacture of her candy. She had seven employees when she started; today she has 375.

Not only that but she has 23 stores scattered over the United States; and, in addition, she has 950 dealers who handle her candy.

Her wholesale mail order business increased also. Today she has the largest mail order candy business in the United States.

What an inspiring story this is! A girl had a dreary job—one that palled on her—but she decided to make it interesting, and succeeded in a way she would never in her wildest imaginings have thought possible. If you find you have a dull job, why don't you decide to make it interesting? Study it, probe into it, get ideas, carry them out. Almost any job in the world can be made interesting if you go about it right. Yet I have letters written me almost daily by people who can see no future whatever in the work they are doing.

ABOVE the HULLABALOO

By LITTLE HULL Growing Fearful of Our Shadows

Life at home these days is made up of five principal functions: working, eating (?), sleeping, signing government checks, and wondering if we filled them out correctly and how many years we have to spend in jail if we made a mistake.

In the good old days we didn't have many such documents to sign, and usually when we did receive a questionnaire or a statement of some kind to fill out, there was no dire warning contained therein of life behind the bars if we failed to dot the i's. But nowadays we fearfully scan the incoming mail for a long envelope with no stamp on it and containing an interminable document which no ordinary human can understand but which an occasional lawyer thinks he can. This we are told to fill out pronto—or else; and the "refrain" is usually the same, differing only in the size of the fine and the length of the jail term in the event we indulge in any fancy answers. When we get half way through the first paragraph we realize that if we attempt to fill it out ourselves we are sure to make a mistake and may lose the farm and have to break rocks for the government. So we take it to a lawyer, or the banker, or someone we think has a better knowledge of "Greek" than we have, and we trust our fortune and our freedom to him—for a fee.

Now anyone who is over 12 knows that if he fills out a paper with the intent to defraud the government, he can and should be punished. He may not know the amount of the fine or the length of the prison term, but he has a pretty good working idea that they are large and long. If he is a crook he is going to falsify anyhow—provided he believes he can get away with it; but it would not enter the minds of the vast majority of American men and women to purposely make a mistake in documents of this kind. (We except the question of age.)

The warning appears to us to be a superfluous and unintended affront to the citizenry as a whole. It may be argued that the "jail" threat has to be included for the benefit of those who may be tempted. But those who may be tempted know the answer without having to read it. The citizens realize that many of these documents are necessary in times like the present, and they don't kick about them—much. But Americans don't like being threatened. They don't consider it necessary in the first place and it tends to make them feel inferior in the second place. It creates a creepy feeling every time one reads this threatening warning—whether he be a decent citizen or a crook. He feels it is unnecessary, unpleasant, un-American, intensely irritating and too superfluous to have any effect other than to create an uneasy feeling which is foreign to the American way of thought.

Safest Investment in the World

There are 50 million holders of U. S. war bonds and the number is increasing rapidly. Fifty million Americans are a lot of Americans and only a very tiny percentage of this vast number is composed of "vulgar rich." Not that the "vulgar rich" haven't done their share—they have, and then some. But there aren't many rich, vulgar or otherwise. No—99 per cent of this 50 million is made up of laborers, farmers, clerks, soldiers, widows, wives and children.

Now when you begin to monkey with someone's pocket-book you get into trouble. In fact, most of the trouble in this world is caused by pocketbooks—in a broad sense of the term. Wars usually go back to economic poaching of one sort or another and personal worries and troubles emanate usually from dollar bills—or lack of them.

When the Revolutionaries overran France at the end of the 18th century—only a tiny few Frenchmen had any money or property. There were very few pocketbooks affected, and the owners of those had their heads cut off to end their objections.

In Russia, when Lenin and Trotsky took over, the entire populace with an infinitesimal few exceptions—was composed of poor people. In Germany Hitler based his political calculations upon this same condition.

Under such circumstances it is comparatively simple and easy to wipe out all debts created by former governments, and issue new money. There are few to object—in fact, most everyone is pleased. But let us suppose that half the people of any one of these nations had saved and slaved to tend them attain their objective.

Personals.

Frank Ganoe returned Tuesday from Wink, Texas, after a visit with friends.

A. Brown of Camp Hood the week here with his family.

Betty Carlton of Fort Worth the week end here with Miss Lee Simons.

Weeks is visiting his aunt, J. H. McNeill, in Waco this week.

and Mrs. Dan Goodgame of Greenville were business visitors here Monday.

and Mrs. Jack Trantham of A. visited his parents, Mr. and R. A. Trantham, last week.

Norma Diltz of Valley visited the first of the week with Mrs. J. D. Diltz.

and Mrs. Frank Falls of Worth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. C. W. on.

Morgan Weaver has returned to her home in McKinney a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Hico.

and Mrs. Sonny Collins and Tommy, of McGregor spent week end here with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe.

and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and Gloria and Marsha, of Cana are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and J. W. Burden. They visited day in Stephenville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pitt-

W. C. Jenkins of Lampasas spent the week end here with his sister, Mrs. D. F. McCarty, and Mr. McCarty.

Mrs. Herman Leach has returned to Hico from Irving, where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cooper, since her return from California last week.

Mrs. Harry Hudson, who went to San Antonio shortly after the first of the month, is now employed on a newspaper in that city, according to information received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fairley.

Mrs. J. W. Prater returned here last Sunday from Fort Worth after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louise Prater, and son, B. Prater, and family. Both son and daughter are employed at Consolidated-Vultee aircraft plant.

T. B. McCall and Mrs. C. C. West and son, Larry Mack of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCall and daughter, Linda Jean, of Hamilton spent Sunday in the homes of Mrs. Wylie McFadden and Mr. and Mrs. George Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Paddock and son of Fort Worth are here to spend a 15-day vacation with relatives and friends. Mr. Paddock has been recently promoted to assistant foreman of the department in which he works at the Consolidated-Vultee plant.

Visitors in the J. T. Appleby home last week were Miss Lottie Brashear and Mrs. S. Nelms of Denton, A. Appleby of De Leon, J. T. Appleby of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Appleby of Clifton, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Appleby of Waco.

Mrs. T. B. Perry and Mrs. Homer Wilson were in Waco Wednesday attending the graduation exercises of their son and brother, Clayborne Perry, who received his master's degree from Baylor University. Bobby Jack Perry accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. T. D. Wilson and little daughter, Jean, of New Orleans, La., came in last Wednesday for a visit here with her sister, Mrs. H. T. Pinson, and daughter, Patsy. They were joined here Saturday by Capt. Harry T. Pinson of Camp Hood and left Saturday afternoon for Farmersville for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blackburn and son, Truette, and daughter, Jane, returned Tuesday from San Antonio where they visited several days with their son and brother, Lawton Blackburn, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn have just recently added a touch of paint to their house, which adds very much to its appearance.

John L. Gorman and son, John L. Jr., were in Hico a short time Wednesday en route to their home in Brownwood from Dallas, where the latter has been working for the past three months. They were accompanied by William and Thomas Chiles of Dallas, who will visit with them in Brownwood for a few weeks.

George Stringer was in Austin Monday with his son, George Martell Stringer, to see about entering the latter in State University for the fall term. They were accompanied by Stanley Oakley, who has been attending summer school at State, and also by David Battershell and Raymond Leeth, who also plan to enter the University this fall.

Miss Grace Phillips and Mrs. Jack Gray and little son of Texarkana, Texas, visited here this week with relatives and friends. Miss Grace returned the latter part of the week to Texarkana, where she is employed at the Red River Ordnance Depot and Mrs. Gray and little son left for Alexander and San Antonio for a visit before returning home.

Mrs. Ella Cunningham returned home Saturday after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Barnes, and little granddaughter, Doris June, in Waco. They accompanied her home and spent the week end, returning to Waco Monday. Other week end visitors in the home of Mrs. Cunningham were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bailey, who were en route to Fort Worth to make their home.

F. S. Crafton, formerly operator of the Hico Feed House, came up looking around last week after closing his feed store at Cameron. The old town looked so good to him that he decided to move back here, so he went to Mart after his wife and they returned the first of the week, taking an apartment at the Mingo home. Mr. Crafton plans to get back into some kind of business or activity as soon as his doctor thinks he is able.

Madge Moss left last Friday afternoon for Fort Worth where she was joined by her sister, Ana Loue Moss, in boarding an All American coast-to-coast bus for San Diego, California, for a vacation with their brother, Joe E. Moss, and wife. Ana Loue has just finished a year's work at the Consolidated-Vultee plant in Fort Worth, where she has never been late to her work and has missed only one day, that being the day her grandfather was buried. She feels like maybe she is helping some in the war effort, having been able to buy twelve \$100 War Bonds besides the work she is now a mechanic, but can and will do anything that is needed to be done in her line.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jones were his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Franklin, of Dallas.

G. C. Keeney left Wednesday morning for San Angelo where he will visit with his brother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barnett and children moved back to Hico last Saturday after making their home in Temple for several months.

C. J. Pardom and Mrs. Marg Simons of Amarillo visited here Monday and Tuesday with their mother, Mrs. Sally Purdon.

Mrs. David C. Sevier of Brownwood visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jordan, and sister, Hester, Monday.

Ann Persons, who is working in San Antonio, came in Tuesday night to spend her two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Persons.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Jenkins and two children moved recently from Hedley to Friona, where he has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church in that city.

Ona Weaver of San Luis Obispo, California, came in last week for a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keeney and with his parents at Dublin.

Mrs. Roy Massingill left Saturday for Grandfield, Okla., where she will visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Painter, for two weeks.

Misses Rita and Joyce Gandy returned to Fort Worth Wednesday after spending their vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gandy.

Wanda Joy and George Snow of Dallas came in last Thursday for a visit here with their grandfather, C. A. Crouch, and Mrs. Crouch.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Lasater and daughter left Tuesday for Denton, where they were called on account of the serious illness of her grandmother. He returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Clark and children of Fort Worth spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Persons. Mr. Clark came down Sunday and they accompanied him home upon his return.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Richbourg were Mr. and Mrs. Earle Harrison and Miss Quata Richbourg of Fort Worth and F. M. Richbourg of Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Chaney left Tuesday by bus for Peoria, Ill., where they expect to make an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. Dillis Williams, and Mr. Williams.

Pvt. Charles Stephens, visiting at his home in Carlton from Elkins, West Virginia, stopped a short while here last Thursday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rodgers.

J. D. Killion returned home Wednesday after a week's visit with his son, J. D. Killion Jr., and family at Alpine. This is his first visit to that part of the country in 44 years and he stated that it looked quite different.

Suggestions For Prevention, Control Of Poliomyelitis

Austin, Texas, Aug. 17.—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, has issued the following statements and suggestions concerning the control and prevention of poliomyelitis which is assuming epidemic proportions in certain sections of the State.

Until recently it was generally believed this infection is transmitted by means of discharges from the respiratory tract. It is now believed that poliomyelitis is primarily another of the several gastrointestinal infections. Therefore, control measures must emphasize clean-up campaigns and improvements in sanitation.

Strict sanitary measures must be observed in all communities. Stringent efforts should be made to eliminate the house-fly and to destroy its breeding places. All mosquitoes and mosquito breeding places must be eliminated at once. Every effort should be made to institute approved garbage collection systems immediately. Safe water supplies must be assured.

Where adequate municipal sewage disposal systems are not in operation, it is vitally important to promote and maintain sanitary septic tanks and outdoor privies.

All raw foods and vegetables should be washed thoroughly before use and protected from flies, filth and insects. All eating and food handling establishments should adhere strictly to the State law concerning the sterilization of dishes and utensils.

In the present emergency, those restaurants with insufficient personnel to maintain approved sanitation should close one or two hours a day so that employees can assist in maintaining cleanliness and high sanitary standards.

Every effort should be made to secure approved milk. Rats and mice should be eliminated. Maintain in the home the sanitary standards that are necessary in community life.

Particular attention should be paid to personal hygiene. Excreta from cases and contacts should be handled and disinfected with the same scrupulous care as in typhoid fever or bacillary dysentery.

Over-exertion in children should be avoided. Children should not visit homes where there is a sick child. Cases should be quarantined for 14 days and adults who work in food establishments should be particularly instructed in personal hygiene.

It is advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts, especially in children during an outbreak of this disease. It is not advocated that schools, churches, and theaters be closed.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, drowsiness, followed by stiffness in the neck and back. When suspicious symptoms occur, a physician should be called immediately.

J. J. Smith and Mrs. Lula Bess visited at Proctor last week end with relatives. They left today for Waco, where they will visit relatives for a few days. Mr. Smith will return home Monday and Mrs. Bess will return to her home in Kirbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riezer and three children of Lubbock, Mrs. R. T. Seay of Buckeye, Arizona, Mrs. Donald Russell and small son from Tulsa, and Mrs. Leota Barnett of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Palmer, this past week and over the week end.

Church News

Methodist Church

The revival meeting of our church will begin Sunday and will continue through two weeks. As has been previously announced through this paper, Rev. Elmer C. Carter of Stephenville will do the preaching. We believe that Brother Carter will prove to be a wise selection for the meeting and every member of the church is urged to do his part in the revival. The pastor will lead in the singing. The services will be held out on the church lawn. Ample seating capacity is being provided. Space will be reserved for those who cannot sit in the congregation but who can come and sit in a car.

A special prayer service will be held at the church on Friday night of this week. Detail plans will be presented and worked out at this meeting. If you are really interested in a revival, come to the meeting on Friday night.

FLOYD W. THRASH, Pastor.

Baptist Church

The revival closed Sunday night with a baptismal service, there being 42 additions upon profession of faith and by letter. There were over 100 rededications. The high attendance was the last night with some 800 people being present on the grounds.

We want the Sunday school attendance to continue as it has this month.

All regular services will be held the remaining Sundays of August, except for Sunday evening services, they being dismissed in favor of the revival at the Methodist church. Regular morning services will be held.

The W. M. S. and Sun Beam Band will meet at the church Monday at 3.

RALPH E. PERKINS, Pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

Kind friends have our everlasting thanks for their words of sympathy and kindly services during the last illness and death of our loved one, Mr. D. H. Appleby. We especially appreciate the floral offerings and the kindly services.

THE FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our thanks for all sympathy, kindness and gifts that have been given us since the loss of our home by fire. Especially do we want to thank the Hico Fire Department for their assistance.

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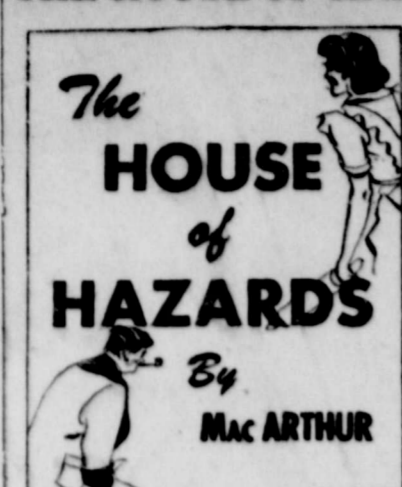
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THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS



AIR FORCE-GIRL By Renée Shann

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- 1. Shriveled combs. 2. Shrivelled legs and beaks. 3. Molters. 4. Weak and emaciated. 5. Grey eyes. 6. Saggy abdomens. 7. Coarse, masculine heads. 8. All roosters.

"Following this practice the grower will weed the culs and feed the layers," the hatchery manager said...

- 1. Save feed. 2. Have meat for the table, thus saving ration points. 3. Have canned chicken for year-around use. 4. Get cash for loafing hens.

"Cull today so you can feed tomorrow" was the advice offered by Mrs. Keeney in commenting on the steps that were being taken to avoid a serious shortage of feed...

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

God Gives Laws for His People. Lesson for August 22: Exodus 23: 19; Galatians 3:23-28; 5:13, 14. Golden Text: Luke 10:27.

According to God's promise to Moses, the people had reached Mount Sinai. Following a nation on the march, we note development in the organization...

Among sundry ordinances given, we consider today those directed against slander, mob law, leniency toward an offender...

But liberty in Christ is not license. Though Paul did not require, as would have Jewish Christians, that Gentile Christians keep the ceremonial law...

In Galatians Paul writes of the significance of the law in the history of his people. It had been a school-master to lead them to Christ...

Tommy Heinrich, former Yankee slugger, is hitting a weak 196 as a member of coast guard nine at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

Jeff Heath of the Cleveland Indians may be forced to wear glasses as the result of injuries to his left eye caused by a thrown ball.

Gerry Walker has stolen 211 bases during his major league career. Which is the equivalent of more than three miles.

Frank Strafaci, one of the nation's leading amateur golfers, now on duty in Australia, recently bought a racehorse for \$55.

Eighty-seven men have managed National league clubs since 1901, 70 of them graduating from player-manager. Catchers lead with 19.

Iris Stanton sipped her orange juice and recalled the time when she'd breakfasted gluttonously...

Now she knew better. Orange juice and dry toast was her early morning diet. Lunch was a skimpy meal, too.

"Nice to see you, Evans. No bombs yet!" Stella laughed this to scorn. "No, miss. We have been lucky so far."

She glanced at the clock and then at her husband. "Aren't you going to be late?" she asked mildly.

"About Tips," he began aggressively, filling the bowl of his pipe as he spoke.

"A great many people soon will be if you take to inviting Tips here when you're alone."

"I wish you were. It would be grand if we were together."

"Not in a blackout. No, come in and have some food with me. I'm all alone. Guy's not coming back till God knows what hour."

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is the first evening I've had free for a week. Would you spend it with me?"

"He gripped her arms. He shook her half playfully, half in earnest. 'Listen to me. Why won't you ever come out with me?'"

He stood looking down at her, his eyes searching her face in the dim light. A bleak depression held Jane.

With this he was gone, striding angrily away from her toward his car parked outside the main building.

"I'm all alone. Guy's not coming back till God knows what hour. There's some cold chicken and a salad. Alice is out but she's left everything ready."

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He looked at her. Then she withdrew her arm. No, she wouldn't, she told herself firmly...

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Iris rose to her feet. She knew this was a rebuff but she didn't mind. "Chicken and salad it shall be," she said with a smile.

But they couldn't eat chicken and salad all the evening. Tips realized this almost with regret and decided that it hadn't after all been such a good idea to drop in on Iris.

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"Is Tips here?" demanded Jane sharply.

Hunter's face was long. "Not a hope. Not a hope in a million. Jimmie Stafford told me so this evening."

"But I thought you told us he wouldn't be going."

"He didn't expect to be. He may not even now. The trouble is that Tips and Sanders went off duty just before the order came through."

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WANTED: Baby car seat. Phone No. 165. Mrs. Jesse Askey. 12-2p.

Have client that will buy small stock farm near Hico, Cathey Land Co., Hamilton. 12-2p.

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FOR SALE: '38 Ford Truck, good condition, 2 sets boards. Paul Hutton, Fairy, Texas. 12-2p.

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Clairette

By Mrs. H. Alexander

Rev. Greenwood filled his regular appointments here Sunday.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner and daughter, Betty, of Alexander, Mrs. Willie Baldwin, and Bonnie Haley.

Mr. G. H. Goughly became ill Saturday morning and was taken to the Gorman Hospital. He returned home Sunday and is improving nicely.

Pvt. Sam D. Martin of Camp Walters spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Roberson and twin daughters of Haskell visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. E. Roberson, last week.

Mrs. Gerald Wolfe of Stillwater, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe and family.

Mrs. Glen Lee and children who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blackburn of Hico, returned home Saturday.

Those from here who attended church at Hico Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin, Mrs. Glen Lee and children, and Misses Eunice and Nola Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stipe entertained the H. D. Club members and their families with a party Friday night.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duncan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mathley of Peoria, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Duncan and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Peary Seago. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mathley remained here visiting relatives this week.

Mrs. Joe Mayfield who has been with her husband, Pvt. Joe Mayfield of Camp Claiborne at Alexandria, La., arrived here Saturday and will visit in the home of Mrs. Earl Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John East are visiting relatives at Lamesa this week.

Rev. Hogg and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head and family left Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Salmon and family at Lubbock.

Pvt. Billy Sherrard of Camp Wallace, Texas, arrived here Monday to spend a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard.

Mrs. W. H. McChristal has been in the Stephenville Hospital. She was brought home Monday and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander were in Stephenville Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander and daughter, Betty, spent Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eural Whitesides near Stephenville.

Sicilian Invaders Nearing Battlefront



Apparently relaxed and concerned only in the outcome of their card game are these U. S. soldiers as they floated toward Sicily to take part in the greatest land, sea and air invasion in military history.

The Neighborhood League

By Gluyas Williams



TIMES BEING WHAT THEY ARE THE PLAYERS' FAMILIES HAVE TO TURN OUT AND HELP LOOK FOR A LOST BALL BECAUSE THEY KNOW THEY'LL NEVER GET THE BOY'S HOME FOR SUPPER UNTIL IT HAS BEEN FOUND

Buck Springs

By Lorene Hyles

Mrs. Spencer of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson and family recently.

Mrs. Churchill is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Oakley and family visited their parents at Lampasas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Funk and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. F.

Hyles and family visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight and family Sunday.

Ray Johnson visited Jean and Harold Johns Saturday night.

Elva Joan Grant visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanshaw.

Mrs. G. S. Massingill of Carlton visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles and family last week.

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COME We that love the Lord and let our joys be known.

PRAYING

HOUSE AND HOME

By Mary E. Dague

By MARY E. DAGUE
Author of Sister Mary's Kitchen.

The home-maker who must pack a lunch day after day has a big order on her hands and one that takes plenty of planning.

In the first place she must plan a lunch that carries and keeps well. It must taste good, too, and contain the right foods for good nutrition.

In addition to this, it's important to plan the packed lunch with the other two meals of the day in mind. This makes it possible to be sure that the "Basic Seven" foods are being eaten and makes for a well balanced daily diet.

It's essential that the packed lunch shall include the kind of food that will keep the worker strong and alert on the job, because many lost working hours can be traced to improper eating.

Unless the worker can augment his lunch with a hot soup or beverage, a thermos bottle should be included in the lunch kit because, no matter how hot the day, one hot food must be served with every meal.

Here are the foods that must be planned for the lunch box—meat or other protein food, vegetables, fruits, bread, sweet and beverage.

The protein food can be provided for in sandwiches, salads, soups, stews, individual meat loaves, sliced cold meat, cold chicken and wedges of cheese.

Vegetables can be served in sandwiches, soups and stews and also "as is"—carrot sticks, radishes, celery, lettuce leaves and cauliflower flowerettes.

Fruit always is refreshing "au naturel" but it can appear in the dessert.

The sweet of course is the dessert. Lunches can't be hit or miss meals. They must be planned in advance just as carefully as the other meals of the day.

Keeping foods in good condition depends much on the packing. Wrap sandwiches, eggs, cookies, cake—in fact practically all finger foods, in plenty of waxed paper.

Provide sturdy individual containers for such food as salads, fruit desserts and puddings. Heavy waxed paper cups with tight fitting covers or small jars with screw tops are splendid for this.

Don't forget a knife and fork and spoon. If you can't find small salt and pepper shakers with a turn top that prevents spilling, wrap salt and pepper in small squares of waxed paper. Paper forks and spoons are perfectly usable on many counts.

Include GOOD sized paper napkins. All things being equal it's better to put the food to be eaten last in the bottom of the lunch box. Thus the dessert would be packed first. But if some foods are much heavier than others the heavy ones should go in first to prevent crushing the softer ones.

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WITH THE COLORS
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Spaulding of Camp Maxey, Paris, Texas, who came home on a three-day pass. Tom said he parked his one-way private jeep and came by bus. He also donned his cowboy boots and parked his issue shoes and a number of other items, some of which were G. I. and some of which were not. He returned to Camp Maxey Thursday, after making arrangements for several local people to hold things down in Hico while he was away, maybe so far he couldn't get back soon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble received word Tuesday that their son, Emory, had arrived safely at his destination after a convoy trip. Another son, Sgt. Wm. D. Gamble, stationed at Tarrant Field, who recently underwent a major operation, had to submit to another operation last week and Mrs. Gamble returned home Sunday after spending several days with her son and reported Thursday that he was improving.

Cpl. John H. Russell, who was recently transferred from Amarillo Air Field to Boeing Aircraft Factory at Seattle, Wash., sent the wherewithal to his mother, Mrs. C. A. Russell, to renew his News Review. He said he was getting his papers regularly and hated to part with a single copy, but that it was impossible to keep them. Mrs. Russell was wearing a beautiful gold locket which her other son, Aviation Cadet Charles A. Jr., sent her recently on her birthday. Pictures of both the boys were enclosed in the locket.

If the following cryptic message had arrived any other day than press day, the editor might have tried to decipher it before printing it. But in the belief that it doesn't contain any military information, we are carrying it just like it was received, for it may be after supper when we figure it out. In the meantime if anybody knows what-in-all this former employe, probably mad because we stood him up on a date for pool, is talking about, kindly inform the editor:

Waco Army Air Field
August 17, 1943
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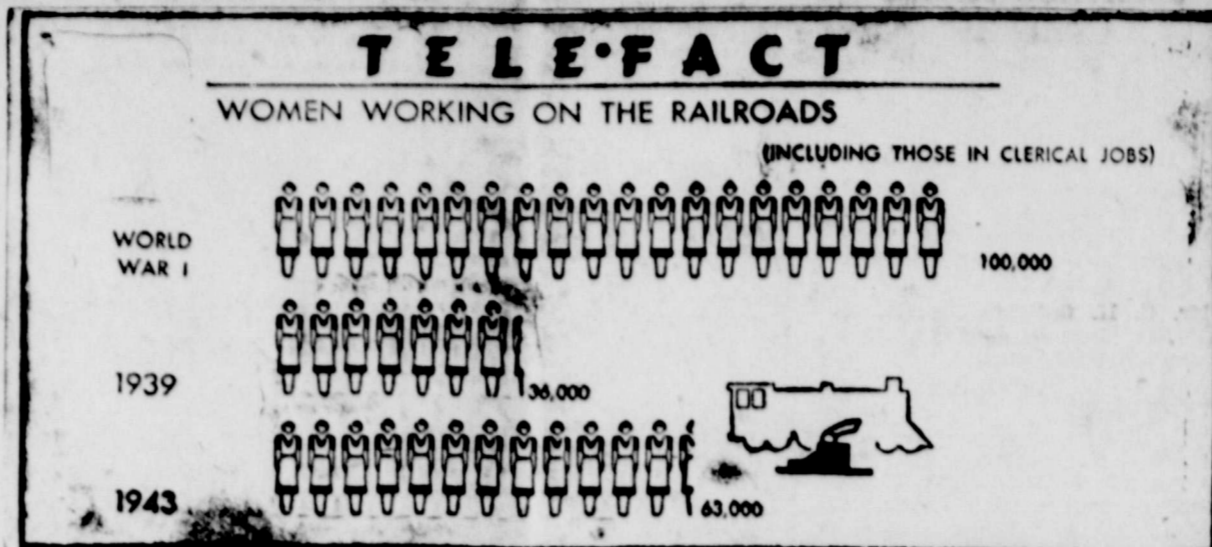
As ever,
ROLINE.

And if you're too worried about it, take it up with Cpl. Roline A. Forgy, 18214448, Hq. & Hq. Sqdn., 54th BPT Gp., Waco Army Flying Field, Waco, Texas.

Fireman ratings were awarded to two Hico, Texas, men upon graduation from the Navy's special training school for Diesel motor operators at the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo., last week. They now will be assigned to duty with the fleet or at shore stations.

Selected to attend the school upon the basis of a series of aptitude tests taken during recruit training and their civilian experience, they have completed eight weeks of study in the operation and maintenance of internal combustion engines, and the use of machine tools. They will be eligible for advancement to petty officer ratings upon gaining additional experience on active duty.

The two new Hico graduates and their new ratings are: Donald Ray



Lewis, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis, Route 1, promoted to Fireman, second class; and Ernest Vine Meador, 17, son of Mrs. Nettie Meador, Box 184, promoted to Fireman, first class.

Sandy Ogle was home Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ogle, and had another stripe on his sleeve, making him now T-3 Clyde Ogle. Sandy said he expected he'd be seeing a lot more of the world pretty soon.

The News-Review is in receipt of information from the Special Service and Public Relations Office at Fort Knox, Ky., giving data on Pvt. John H. Ogle, who has completed his basic training preparatory for combat duty with an Armored unit. Also enclosed was a picture showing Johnny off to good advantage, which we would like to print in the paper but cannot at the present time. However it is being filed, and in the meantime if there are any local interests in the case it will be put on display upon request. The public relations office at Ft. Knox is to be congratulated on the new service which has recently been instituted, and which should prove of great value to newspapers. The News-Review editor would like to see the example followed at other training centers.

Pfc. Raymond W. Howerton, who has an APO address in care of the postmaster at San Francisco, says "Truer words were never spoken" in commenting on a piece by Elsie Robinson he enclosed in a letter to his sister, Mrs. Estelle Pruitt of Hico, Rt. 7.

Also enclosed was a poem he had written, which follows:

AUSTRALIA
We're somewhere in Australia
Where the sun is like a curse,
And each long day is followed
By another slightly worse:
Where the red brick dust blows
thicker
Than the shifting desert sand,
And all men dream and wish
For a fair and greener land.

We're in some place in Australia
Where a woman's never seen,
Where the sky is never cloudy
And the grass is never green;
Where the dingoes nightly howling
Robs men of blessed sleep,
Where there isn't any whiskey,
And the beer is never cheap.

Somewhere in Australia,
Where the nights were made for
love,
Where the moon is like a search-
light

And the Southern Cross above
Sparkles like a diamond cluster
In the balmy tropic night,
It's a shameless waste of beauty
And there's not a girl in sight.

Somewhere in Australia,
Where the mail is always late
And a Christmas card in April
Is considered up to date,
Where we never have a pay-day
And we never get a cent,
But we never miss the money
For we'd never get it spent.

Somewhere in Australia,
Where the ants and lizards play,
And a hundred fresh mosquitoes
Replace each one you slay,
So take me back to Frisco,
Let me hear the mission bell—
For this God-forsaken outpost
Is a substitute for Hell.

Pvt. Paul K. Graves, radio man with a headquarters company of the Signal Corps, wrote late last month to his grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Graves, from Sicily:

Dear Granny and All:
Just a line to say "Hello" and to let you know I'm doing O. K. Hope this letter finds you all doing all right. Guess you noticed from the heading that I am now in Sicily instead of North Africa. There is not much difference here except that there are more mountains. Fact is, there is nothing much but mountains here. Every town and village is built on the top of a mountain. It makes me tired to think of even trying to walk in one of the village streets (or rather, paths) made up of nothing but steps—up and down.

Fields, vineyards and everything else are planted on the mountain-side. I often wonder how they cultivate them, but they do for they seem to grow good crops.

I guess you all are right in the middle of canning and gathering 'bines now. I hope the farm turned out bumper crops. I'm going to be ready to eat about half of that "home canned" stuff when I get back. I shall probably just move down there and do nothing for at least ten years after I get back, except eat and sleep. I hope that won't be long now.

Guess this will be all for this

Coal Miners Can Now Dig Gasoline



The production of gasoline from coal is shown to members of the senate sub-committee on war material by Dr. R. R. Sayers, director of the national bureau of mines.

Your BRAIN BUDGET

1. Who was the acting Secretary of War while Henry L. Stimson was out of the country recently?
2. What is the unabbreviated name for the AMGOT which is administering captured enemy territory?
3. What is the approximate natural length of life of a queen ant, (a) 15 years; (b) 21 years; or (c) 2 months?
4. Are the costal bones of the body (a) the legs; (b) the ribs; or (c) the fingers?
5. What is the minimum age requirement for a Presidential candidate?

- ANSWERS**
1. Robert P. Patterson
 2. Allied Military Government of Occupied Territory
 3. 15 years
 4. The ribs
 5. 35 years

time. Take care of yourself and write me every chance you get.
Love always,
PAUL G.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Barnett have received the following letter from their son, Sgt. Harold Barnett, who is serving in North Africa:

North Africa
July 27, 1943.
Dearest Mother and All:
Well, Mother, I received your letter dated June 12 yesterday and I was proud indeed to hear from you and really liked the photo of you and Dad. Well, I would like to know a little about the outcome every once in a while. That's all I look forward to.

I am just where I want to be, with plenty of German junk piles all around and all kinds of motorcycles to work on. I have got me a good one fixed up with lights, a horn, and even a tail-light. Nothing slow about me!

I wonder if T. J. is big enough to whip me yet. I'll bet he grows like a weed in the Navy. I wonder how much he weighs. Nearly as much as I do. I bet. When I was in the States I weighed 175, but over here it is different.

Well, Mother, I don't seem to think of anything else, so all of you be good. May God bless you and use you for His glory.
As ever, your son,
HAROLD.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson have received the following letter from their son, Cpl. Raymond Johnson:

North Africa
July 18, 1943
Dearest Folks:
This is Sunday afternoon over here, and an afternoon of rest, so I have taken refuge under my mosquito net to escape these pesky flies. At the present time they seem to be our major enemies.

I have written once since I last heard from you; but I can understand why our mail is being delayed, so will continue to write every few days.

Of course I'm beginning to wonder how everything is at home. Oh, yes! I did get the Hico News Review today, and it afforded me a great lot of pleasure this afternoon. I always read "With the Colors" and I noticed where Herman Leach is now a sergeant.

I don't remember if I mentioned in a previous letter about seeing Cecil Harris. This was only a few weeks ago and he seemed to be in good luck. I guess it was the first time we had met since I was in Ireland, so we had quite a chat.

The Irish climate seems to be agreeing with me. O. K. I have gained back some of the weight I lost in Tunisia. We have quite a bit of spare time here and we often go swimming in the beach.

If I am not mistaken, the Old Harmony Association is in session and it held the third Sunday

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