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Canning For School Lunches Is Discussed

"Be sure that your carton for conserving food in the freezer-locker is airtight," said Miss Carolyn Dixon, County Home Demonstration Agent, at the meeting of the Wells Home Demonstration Club, Tuesday, July 4. Peaches and okra were prepared as demonstrating typical fresh fruit and green vegetable for locker storage. An important point made by Miss Dixon during her demonstration was that good quality fresh food should be

cold when put into the carton and that it should be used while cold after removal from the locker. Commercial paraffine-coated cartons were recommended as best to use since glass containers may be broken by freezing or handling. With proper care the paper cartons may be used a number of times.

During the business meeting, presided over by Mrs. Joe McLaurin, club president, the club discussed canning for the school lunch room. Also, Mrs. Gayle Simposon was elected candidate for delegate to represent Lynn county at A. & M. la.er in the summer.

Following the very interesting meeting, the club adjourned to meet again Tuesday, July 18.

Members present were: Mes- Joe McLaurin, T. B. Barton, D. J. Bolch, R. G. Grogan and Virgil Balch and Misses Ina and Myrtle Ledbetter.—Reporter.

Wounded

In a press dispatch Tuesday, released by the War Department, Staff Sgt. James G. Clayton, of O'Donnell, was reported among those wounded in the Mediterranean area. The extent of his wounds was not given in the press dispatch.

Visited Homefolks

Cpl. J. L. Shoemaker III, after a pleasant week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker, left Tuesday to join his company in the U. S. Marine Corps, stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

Plenty of Ammunition—22s, 12, 16, 20 and 410 shotgun shells at Singleton Appliance.

Attention! All Home Canners

Before you begin your 1944 canning. Good Housekeeping Magazine advises you use the boiling-water bath method for tomatoes and fruits, only. Can all vegetables except tomatoes by the correct use of a pressure cooker to be sure of killing botulinus food poisoning have cropped up in widely different parts of the country. Buy, home, share a pressure cooker—but don't can low-acid vegetables any other way. If you want further information, write Good Housekeeping Magazine, 959 Eighth Avenue, New York 19, N. Y.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank each one for their kindness, words of sympathy, and floral offerings extended us in our great sorrow in the loss of our dear niece, Mrs. W. D. Taylor. May God bless you all.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell, and Dr. and Mrs. K. F. Campbell, of Midland.

Mighty Fine Rain

The O'Donnell sector got an abundant visitation of sky juice Sunday night. Here in town about two inches of rain fell. Good rains reported at Wells, New Moore, Mesquite, Berry Flat and other localities. All of Dawson and Borden counties got a good rain. The rain extended as far west as Clovis, north to Plainview, south to Big Spring and east to Snyder. It was a grand rain and everybody is happy.

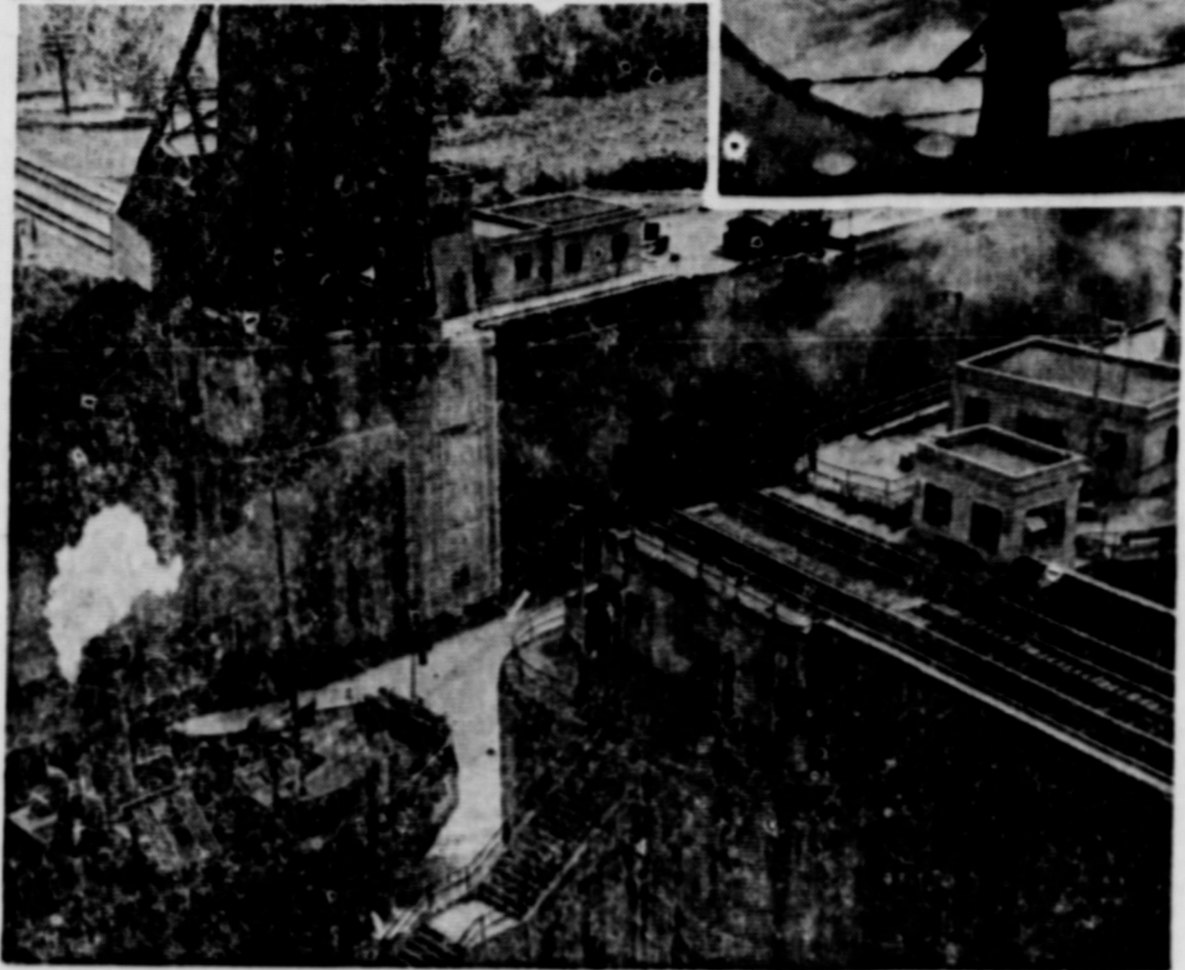
A little want ad will sell it.

U.S.-Canada Inland Water Route Busiest in World

DURING the seven months that they are open to navigation the Great Lakes are alive with ships. This inland water route, stretching over 2000 miles, links the heart of industrial Canada and U. S. with the war effort of the United Nations.

Coal carriers lug black fuel from Erie or Buffalo to Toronto and the Soo; bulk carriers bring grain from the world's breadbasket to Midland and Collingwood or rust-red ore from the Mesabe and Vermillion Ranges to Hamilton and Conneaut; oil tankers take liquid dynamite from Sarnia to Kingston, and little package freighters deliver paints, steel pipe and breakfast food from Montreal to Cornwall. This traffic has made the canals at Sault Ste. Marie, connecting Lakes Superior and Huron, and the Welland Canal, between Lakes Erie and Ontario, the busiest in the world.

Below is shown a railway bridge spanning the Welland Canal being lifted to allow the passage of a freighter. At right, a crewman on the C. S. Robinson, bound up Lake Superior, watches the SS Cornell, headed down the lake with a rich cargo of ore for the blast furnaces of Hamilton.



Right After F.D.R. Broke The 4th Term News, Doc Bubany Recited This

ORIGINAL POEM

With Gleeful Gusto To Thurman Wells And Ye Editor

The statesman throws his shoulders back and straightens out his tie, and says, "My friends, unless it rains, the weather will be dry." And when this thought into our brains has percolated through, we common people nod our heads and loudly say, "How true!"

The statesman blows his massive nose, and clears his august throat,

Mrs. W. D. Taylor

Funeral services for Mrs. W. D. Taylor, who passed away in a Lubbock hospital July 3, were conducted at the Methodist church in Tahoka by Pastor H. H. Hollowell of Spur at 6 o'clock, last Friday afternoon, with interment in the Tahoka cemetery.

Had she lived, Mrs. Taylor would have been 44 years old on the 16th day of this month. Surviving are the husband and six children, W. J. in the Marines, Evelyn, 17, Carolyn, 15, Leon and Leah, twins, 13, and Keith, 5. Also surviving and here for the funeral were her mother, Mrs. N. A. Harper of Gatesville, Mrs. Dr. Campbell of O'Donnell and Mrs. Myrle Greer of Sweetwater, aunts, Mrs. Louie Powell, sister, and her husband of Gatesville, and Mrs. S. M. Self, sister of Bee House near Gatesville, and John Self, nephew, and his wife and children of Portales, N. M. Also here were Mr. Taylor's father, W. J. Taylor of Lampasas, his sisters, Mrs. G. F. Lee of Evant, and Mrs. Gilbert Nowlin and her husband and their son of Coryell City, and his brother, Gilbert Taylor of the Army Air Field, Wichita Falls.

The Taylors had been residents of the Joe Bailey community for about 18 years, and Mrs. Taylor had many friends there and at O'Donnell who are deeply grieved at her untimely death.

and says, "the ship will never sink so long as it's afloat." Whereat we roll our solemn eyes, applaud with main and might, and slap each other on the back, while we say, "He's right!"

The statesman waves stern and warm, his drone becomes a roar. He yells, "I say to you, my friends, that two and two make four." And thereupon our doubts dissolve, our fears are put to rout, and we agree that here's a man who knows what he's about!

A Needed Convenience

With the installation of the Book Shop and rental library in Room 11, First National Bank building, Lamesa, by Mrs. Juanita McQuien, book lovers in this area will find all of the latest and most popular volumes ready to read. The Book Shop is a real addition and will become a popular place. Read the adv. in this issue,

Case Is Continued

In district court at Tahoka Monday, the case of Bud Pugh was continued until August 22. Continuance was granted on account of the absence of several important witnesses.

A special venire of 100 men had been summoned for jury service in the case.

Opens Office

Ted Bishop, owner of the Lamesa Dry Cleaners, is opening an office in the building next door to Liddell's Cafe, with Mrs. Dorothy Ruth Hays in charge. Pickup service for dry cleaning will be maintained. Pickups will be made Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

They make a specialty of ladies dresses and all work is guaranteed. See their announcement elsewhere in this issue.

Rollin McCord Issues Statement

I sincerely appreciate the many kind things said in my favor and the unsolicited support given me in my race for re-election. Not wishing to perpetuate myself in office as your district attorney, but believing it my duty to seek to continue to serve you at this time in a position to which I am qualified while so many of our young men are sacrificing their all and do not have the opportunity to seek advancement or promotion on the home front.

The office of district attorney belongs to the people and not to any individual. Your district attorney should vigorously prosecute the guilty and protect the innocent, he is your lawyer and he must be able to compete with the most capable lawyers of the state. He should spend much more time in the preparation of all cases than in the actual trial of them in order that when convictions are obtained for the state they will not be reversed by the higher courts for re-trial. The records show that of all cases appealed to the Court of Criminal Appeals at

Heavy Deposits

Notwithstanding heavy War Bond purchases by depositors, as well as current expenditures on the part of patrons, the First National Bank of O'Donnell continues as a million dollar institution. The statement of condition, as published in this issue, shows the local banking house to be in superb financial shape.

Deposits are heavy, and as the fall season advances will swell, and we shall not be surprised if the two million dollar mark is reached. Sane, conservative banking methods have made the First National one of the strongest banking institutions on the South Plains.

Mrs. Don Edwards and daughter, Miss Louise, were visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

C. H. Cabool was a visitor in Dallas several days this week.

Mrs. Zene Merrell was a business visitor in Tahoka Monday.

Mrs. T. C. Wells left Sunday for a visit with friends in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boydston were here from Sanger this week. While here Mr. Boydston is air conditioning the Boydston Variety Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everett, Wanda Zell and Bobby Roy spent the weekend in Temple with Pvt. Roy E. Everett and Pvt. L. J. Hash. Pvt. Everett is stationed at Camp Hood, Texas, and Pvt. Hash is stationed in Louisiana.

Harry Clemage left Tuesday for Kansas City in response to a message of the very serious illness of Mrs. Clemage's mother, Mrs. Tobie Herowitz.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Aten were in from the farm Tuesday.

FOUND—Billfold containing gas stamps. Apply at Index-Press office.

Austin, approximately one-third of them are sent back for re-trial involving additional expense and time lost by court officials and jurors. I am proud to report that during my administration, of the great number of cases appealed to that court, only two have been sent back for re-trial.

Whatever success has been obtained, the credit is largely due to the splendid co-operation of our public officials and the good citizens who willingly gave their time as jurors.

On the basis of my past record as your district attorney, I respectfully solicit your vote in the coming democratic primary.

ROLLIN McCORD.

For Sunburns, Blisters, Chafings
and other Hot Weather
discomforts you
will find the best Lotions at

Corner Drug

BERNIE FRALIN

Your Electric Refrigerator Needs Room to Breathe!

"GIVE 'EM AIR!" applies to electric refrigerators as well as to human beings these hot days. Air space in back of a refrigerator and over the top is important because the mechanism requires free circulation of air so that the heat removed from the food compartment may be carried away.

Check your refrigerator location. If air cannot flow from under the base... to the rear, and up the back... circulation is retarded. Move the refrigerator or adjust surroundings to provide free air circulation. It should be at least 2 1/2 inches from the wall, and there should be at least 6 or 8 inches of "head room" above the cabinet. It will mean more satisfactory operation.

Don't waste electricity just because it isn't rationed. Use what you need, but need what you use.

When Your Refrigerator Needs Repairs

Since electric refrigerators are such vital machines of war, building mechanics of war, it is important that repairs be made by trained and skilled men. Call the men who know your refrigerator and who are trained and reliable service men who are familiar with your make of refrigerator.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
C. E. CAMERON, Manager

Data Helps Win Mastery of Air

General Bissell Describes in 'Aerosphere' How Facts Are Compiled.

NEW YORK.—One of the principal reasons for the development of Allied superiority is the effective use of air intelligence or information on how United Nations' planes and those of the enemy function under combat conditions, according to an article by Maj. Gen. Clayton Bissell in "Aerosphere-1943," this aviation year-book's newest edition. General Bissell recently was named assistant chief of staff, intelligence division, United States army, after serving as assistant chief of staff, intelligence, army air forces.

Outlining the application of air intelligence, General Bissell said:

"We must evaluate the enemy's aircraft and his tactics, and compare them critically with our own. We must collect, correlate and condense all the available data on enemy aircraft, aviation equipment and technique, and make it available to those who design or modify our planes. We could produce planes without this constant check and continuing study, but probably not one that possesses the degree of superiority necessary to insure our air crews those advantages in combat so essential to the development of the maximum effectiveness of air power."

Three Sources of Data. "The collection of this vital data is in some respects the most important work done by air intelligence. The greater part of it comes from three principal sources: First, by the thorough and systematic interviewing of combat crews by squadron intelligence officers as soon as the crews return from their missions. Second, by thorough investigation by 'crash officers' who search out and painstakingly study the design, construction and equipment of all enemy planes brought down in territory we control. Third, by actual tests and analysis of captured enemy aircraft and aviation material."

"By making full use of what we have thus learned, and by exploiting fully United Nations' genius and initiative, we have so far been able to stay several jumps ahead of the Japanese, and at least one jump ahead of the Germans."

"Through detailed knowledge of enemy aircraft we were able to discover weaknesses in the combat performance of our aircraft which we could and did correct. An example of this is the now obsolete P-40 fighter."

P-40 vs. Zero. "In the early months of the war much was heard about the Japanese Zero outperforming this plane. In fact, two conflicting theories in design were pitted against each other. It was perfectly true the P-40 could not turn or climb with the Zero. We had loaded it with guns and ammunition to give it deadly fire power. We had self-sealing tanks. We had ample armor to protect our pilots."

"The Japanese built the Zero with lightness as a primary consideration, and sacrificed those characteristics. We built heavily and ruggedly so the P-40 could take punishment no Zero could ever take. We insisted that our fighters not only have superior fire power and defensive armor, but that they also have the strength that would permit the pilot to get home after severe battle damage."

"Now, after two years of actual use in combat, we have the proof that we were right, and that the Japanese, who sacrificed so much for climb and maneuverability, were wrong. Fire power and armor helped our American pilots gain command of the Pacific air."

Nazi Hope to Build Up Sea Power for Next War. LONDON.—An article in the German newspaper "Munchener Neueste Nachrichten" reaching here said the maximum hope remaining to Nazism is to hold onto conquered Europe for a peace that will allow the creation of German naval power sufficient for a new try at Great Britain and the United States.

In discussing Nazi postwar aspirations, the article blamed Germany's inability to invade England upon lack of naval strength, and said the only reason the conflict had been confined to the mainland of Europe was that Germany did not possess the means of inflicting defeat on British-American sea power.

The article added that it must be taken for granted Great Britain and America would emerge from the war with their sea power unimpaired, and the new Nazi order would have no chance until such time as Germany and the new Europe had created sea power.

Germans Take 10,000 Workers From Rome. ROME.—Allied military government agents reported after a preliminary investigation that the Germans had carried away 10,000 Roman male workers in the last few days, but otherwise hardly molested the city. The removal of the workers was carried out under a "voluntary enforcement" program.

Trading Post for Indians in Texas

No Longer Do They Shoot Arrows at People.

AUSTIN, TEXAS.—Yes, Indians still live in Texas, but they don't roam the plains shooting arrows at people.

Instead, the 40 members of the Alabama and Coshatti tribes inhabit a 4,000-acre reservation within 80 miles of metropolitan Houston, the state's largest city.

Plans are in the making now for construction of a paved highway fronting the reservation and building of a trading post where the redmen may offer for sale to the public their beaded moccasins, lapel pins, bows and arrows and a variety of useful articles as well as amusing trinkets.

Chief of the tribe is 64-year-old Ticaiche, whose Anglicized name is Bronson Cooper Sylestine. He and others of the settlement are wards of the State of Texas.

The Indian Village isn't an arrangement of teepees. Instead, scattered throughout the piney forest land are small houses. On the old council grounds where pow-wows once were held are located a church, school, hospital, teacher's home, agent's home, cemetery, and a community center.

The white men overran the original two leagues of land (more than double the present 4,000 acres) given the tribes back in 1840 by the Republic of Texas.

Homes of the Indians were burned, their possessions destroyed and their stock stolen by resentful white men.

Since that time life in the tribe has been one of reconstruction. The Missionary department of the Presbyterian church has aided their progress, and the State of Texas looks after their welfare.

Romance Hidden 23 Years Blooms in War Dispatch

BALTIMORE, MD.—For four months Elijah Powell and his son worked side by side at the Maryland Drydock without recognizing each other, and then an Associated Press dispatch from England brought them together. A chain of unusual events followed.

Powell noticed in the story from England a familiar name—Pvt. Paul Powell, his son. It mentioned that the soldier's sister, Mrs. Virginia Moreland, lived in Baltimore, and gave her address. Powell went to call on her, discovered she was his daughter, one of the three children he hadn't seen since he and his wife separated 23 years ago.

His daughter told him that the second brother, Rupert, was employed by the drydock, in the paint department. Next day Powell introduced himself to his son. The father and his two children arranged a reunion with their mother, Mrs. Bertha Powell. Both Powell and his wife had remarried and their spouses had died. They remarried within three weeks.

Make Synthetic Sugar In California Laboratory

BERKELEY, CALIF.—Production of synthetic sugar for the first time in the laboratory, in experimental quantities only, was announced by three University of California scientists.

Lengthy experimentation of the chemical steps in the formation of sucrose by plants yielded two grams of commercial sugar, produced from fruit sugar and glucose phosphate.

"The action was carried out by means of enzymes extracted from the bacterium "pseudomonas saccharicola," Dr. H. A. Barker, Dr. Michael Doudoroff and Dr. W. Z. Hassid announced.

"No commercial application is possible at this time, since the process far exceeds the cost of production from natural sources," they reported.

Japanese Flier Dives Into His Own Bomb

ADVANCED SOLOMON ISLAND BASE.—A Japanese Zero pilot who dropped an aerial phosphorus bomb at a Liberator formation near Truk overran the bomb and was blown to bits when it exploded.

Lieut. Col. Joseph C. Reddock, Laverne, Okla., who led 13th AAF bombers to strike Dublon island, told the story.

"This Zero," Reddock said, "was in a vertical dive at us when he dropped his bomb. You know Zeros dive faster than bombs fall. He ran into his own bomb about a hundred yards above us. Pieces of his wreckage fell through our formation."

A veteran of 42 combat missions, Reddock said, the Truk raids were the toughest yet for Solomons based bombers.

Mustard Gas Burns Are Fatal to English Girl

LONDON.—Mustard gas burns, which developed after handling a mysterious container found on the seashore, have caused the death of a young girl and sent ten other persons to hospitals in South Wales.

The victim, Christine Canton, and her 16-year-old brother, picked up the container for a "souvenir" last week-end. Her brother, both parents and a sister, are now hospitalized with burns.



Pasture and Forage Important This Year

Lime and Fertilizer Boost Crop, Improve Quality

The supply of feed grains relative to livestock and poultry numbers promises to be less favorable in 1944 than it has been for several years. As a result, farmers should plan to take every possible advantage of pasture and forage crops in order to produce the volume of dairy and poultry products needed this year, according to the War Food administration.

One of the best ways to increase production of pasturage and forage, and at the same time to improve the quality, the WFA says, is to apply more lime and superphosphate on pasture and hay land. The 1944 conservation program of the Agricultural Adjustment agency is designed to stimulate increased use of both these materials.

In most of the United States east of the Great Plains, and in some of the higher mountain areas and the areas of heavy rainfall in the Pacific Northwest, the WFA says, it is necessary to add lime to the soil in order to grow such legume crops as alfalfa, red clover, and sweet clover. The legumes are considered desirable for two reasons. They produce heavier crops of more nutritious hay than most of the non-



legume grasses. Also, because of their ability to absorb nitrogen from the air and, through their roots, transfer it to the soil, they increase soil fertility.

When superphosphate is used as top-dressing for pastures and hay land, it enables the more desirable, more nutritious, and more palatable legumes and grasses to crowd out the poorer varieties. In a number of tests, pastures supporting mostly poverty grass and broomsedge were top-dressed with superphosphate. Kentucky bluegrass and white clover then tended to crowd out the poorer plants.

Neither lime nor superphosphate can do the job of the other, nor can both together take the place of other elements of good land management, the WFA warns. But on soils which require both, each adds to the effectiveness of the other.

Eight-Year Old Boy Is Tractor Driver

A 13-year-old boy was seen operating a tractor on his father's farm in Greene county. It was his fifth season as a tractor operator, which means he began at the tender age of eight, according to T. L. Davis, University of Illinois.

The farm consists of about 160 acres. The boy's father has been a tenant on it for many years. Father and son comprise the manpower. Mother and two sisters do their part. The boy takes great pride in his work, and when school is in session he even gets in a few licks mornings and evenings. The summer vacation gives him a great opportunity for his favorite occupation.

It is not unusual to see women doing farm work in this county, the farm wives doing a turn. A recent survey showed about 75 of them in the fields. Fifty boys and girls were also doing field work, many of the boys being less than 12 years old.

Killing Poison Ivy

If the poison ivy plants are sprayed with a solution of sodium chlorate in the proportion of one quart of crystals to three gallons of water, the plant will usually die after the first application. If life is still evident, however, a second application may be given in a few weeks.

Food in Brick Form. What is said to be the largest rotary press in the world was installed at the Boughby Mills at New Richmond, Wis., for forming bricks of dehydrated food for the civilians freed from Nazi subjugation.

The bricks are actually one-half the bulk of dehydrated food, measuring 6 by 3 by 2 inches. Four cargo planes, loaded with 5,000 pounds each of these bricks could feed a million for one day. The mill is making 250,000 daily.

Kathleen Norris Says: The Family Goes Crazy

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"They go out to attractive country restaurants, or even picnic together. In short, he is in love with this vain little thing."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

"IT IS MY opinion that the entire world is going crazy," writes a reader from Seattle, Wash. "My husband and I have been happily married for fourteen years; ours has been a relationship of affection, mutual respect, easiness. Sometimes in the old days he laughed at my club interests, sometimes I grew impatient when he went a little too far with a poker game or stayed out too late and drank too much for his comfort or mine, but I always regarded my marriage as a settled thing, and felt myself one of the fortunate and beloved wives."

"Jim was a widower and my employer when we were married, he is now 49 and I am 36. We have a small daughter of nine, and Jim has two boys by his first wife, both now marines. One came home on furlough and was decorated, has now gone out again; the younger should be here this summer for a long rest; he has been seriously injured and may never be able to go back."

"Jim, the most devoted of fathers, seems to have gone crazy about young Jim's coming home. 'What will we do with him—active boy like that not able to walk any more—sitting around here watching the other fellows play tennis and dance—out of everything.' He keeps up this kind of muttering even in his sleep. He says repeatedly that he would rather hear that the boy was dead."

Husband Flirts with Girl.

"But that's not all. Recently he has been spending a good deal of time with a 17-year-old girl whose mother works in his office. He took her to the circus, said it was good to hear that kid laugh. She writes him little notes, and he makes her constant presents, and takes her and her mother to lunch somewhere almost every day, from the office. They go out to attractive country restaurants, or even picnic together. In short, he is in love with this rather vain, vain little thing, and whatever I do or say about it seems ridiculous, clumsy and useless."

"Once when I mentioned the absurdity of the whole thing, he assured me that nothing would ever alter his affection for me or his sense of duty to Leslie, our little girl. Unfortunately she is a rather fat, awkward little girl, wears glasses, and is at the rude age. She can't help me out much in my effort to make home attractive to Jim and to counteract the effect of the pretty little Fritzi—to call her that."

"This and the thought of young Jim's return, invalidated, has made me terribly nervous, and I find it hard to sleep. With no cooperation from either husband or daughter I don't feel I can cope with the situation, to which is added my anxiety for my twin brothers, 23, both in the navy, and worry, of course, for the children of friends and relatives away in the service of the country. Please give me a guidepost to get through this."

My dear Millicent, I say in answer, we all need guideposts to take us through this fearful summer of 1944. But as for not being able to cope with your situation, of course you can cope with it, and thank God that you really are needed now by every member of your family.



CENTER OF INTEREST

What is a woman going to do when her 49-year-old husband goes out constantly with a 17-year-old girl whose mother works in his office? He is in love with this "vain little thing," she writes. He has two sons by a previous marriage, both marines. One, Jim, is coming home—crippled. The father seems to be completely upset by his son's plight. This may partially explain why he has turned to a young girl for consolation of a sort.

Miss Norris counsels this woman to ignore her husband's infatuation. It is a passing thing, she intimates.

The returned marine should be the center of interest, Miss Norris says. He is someone upon whom to lavish attention and affection. By spending her time making him comfortable, by playing games with him, by trying to make him happy, this woman will lighten her own burden, and achieve a measure of happiness for herself.

Jim senior's infatuation for the flattering little office friend is not a serious problem to you, whatever it may be to a girl of 17, who is fool enough to waste her time on a man almost 50. She must be unattractive to younger men, for your town is swarming with uniforms, and Fritzi could have her pick if she had even ordinary charm.

Girl Can Overcome Rudeness.

As to Leslie, there need not be a "rude age" and there should not be. A lasting and effectual cure, is to prepare her for everything you say, for a few days or weeks. "Leslie, Dad is going to ask you what sort of a time you had at the field sports today, and he wants a polite answer." "Leslie, when I ask you in a few minutes to go up and make your bed, I want you to say gently, 'Immediately, Mother.' or 'May I finish this program, Mother?'" "Whatever you're going to say when Mrs. Baker talks about the party, Leslie, say it gently and politely." Warn her in this way before you so much as say, "Good morning" or ask her to pass the toast, and you will be amazed how fast she breaks herself of the habit of rudeness. A very common habit, by the way, between eight and ten.

As for Jim Junior, he will be your salvation. Don't pity or question him, but adjust the whole house to his needs; radio, big chair, telephone handy, a few friends in now and then, good meals, puzzles, new books, and any game he likes to play with you. If he doesn't play gin or dominoes, backgammon or cribbage, teach him.

It is a real privilege to have one of our boys home again to spoil; God knows we American women had little to do with the making of war; we would give our own lives to save these ruined younger lives if we could. But since we cannot, our share must be to make their handicapped time normal and happy. And for your consolation let me say that I have known many of these injured men to be spurred into the achievement of conspicuous success in spite of, or perhaps because of, the supposed physical handicap.

Mix-Match Furniture

"Mix-match" furniture is a novel line which is reported as being put out by at least one large furniture manufacturer, says the Painter and Decorator. In this type of furniture, the chairs may be of one color, the buffet of another, and the table of still another finish. Brown, black, white, Pompeian red, green, yellow and turquoise blue are used. The finish is lacquer, and several coats are applied to produce a piano-like finish. Colors are selected by an experienced decorator.

MOROLINE HAIR TONIC



Olivia de Havilland
star of the Warner Bros. picture, "Snowy White," recommends Calox Tooth Powder for teeth that shine.
CALOX TOOTH POWDER

SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

Back in January, American troops recaptured from the Japs the first invaded rubber-producing land. They took possession of Soidor in New Guinea with its 300 acres of rubber trees. All Soidor rubber normally goes to Australia.

Informed rubber officials insist that when peace comes, our synthetic rubber plants will be just as vital to the security of the American people as they are during the war period. They say that the amount of post-war synthetic which will be made in this country after the war will depend upon the total world demand for rubber and upon the crude prices established by plantation operators.

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Millions Find Simple Fresh Fruit Drink Gives Them All the Laxative Aid They Need

Don't form the habit of depending on harsh, gripping laxatives until you've tried this easy, healthful way millions now use to keep regular.

It's fresh lemon juice and water taken first thing in the morning—just as soon as you get up. The juice of one Sunkist Lemon in a glass of water. Taken thus, on an empty stomach, it stimulates normal bowel action, day after day, for most people.

And lemons are actively good for you. They're among the richest sources of Vitamin C, which combats fatigue, helps resist colds and infections. They supply vitamins B₁ and P, aid digestion and help alkalize the system.

Try this grand wake-up drink 10 mornings. See if it doesn't help you! Use California Sunkist Lemons.

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AMLEY BALLARD

RE-ELECT GEORGE MAHON TO CONGRESS



George Mahon Believes In Free Enterprise And Constitutional Government, The Same As You And I

Mahon has vigorously fought for Parity Prices, and Parity Income for the farmer, and has spoken and voted for the inclusion of all labor costs in determining farm prices. Mahon helped put the REA (Rural Electrification Administration) through Congress and has worked for its expansion. When he was first elected there was no REA in our District or the Nation. We now have about 5,000 miles of REA lines serving more than 10,000 families. And this program is in its infancy.

Mahon holds a key position in the war effort, being a member of the important Committee on Appropriations. This came to him through seniority and his capable qualifications. The Appropriations Committee is such a busy one any member of the party in power can only serve on the one committee.

If you will investigate George's record you'll find that he has been very active. While he has supported the Administration, he has never been a rubber stamp.

In 1940 The Vote For Mahon Was 5 To 1 In His Favor. He Carried Every County And Voting Box In The District. Let's Do It Again July 22

Political Adv., Paid For By O'Donnell Friends.



With Ernie Pyle at the Front Nazi Snipers Caused Real Trouble to Yank Invaders

Snipers Remain in Hiding; Surrender When Ammunition Gone

By Ernie Pyle



Ernie Pyle

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE.—Sniping, as far as I know, is recognized as a legitimate means of warfare. And yet there is something sneaking about it that outrages the American sense of fairness. I had never sensed this before we landed in France and began pushing the Germans back. We have had snipers before—in Bizerte and Cassino and lots of other places. But always on a small scale. Here in Normandy the Germans have gone in for sniping in a wholesale manner. There are snipers everywhere. There are snipers in trees, in buildings, in piles of wreckage, in the grass. But mainly they are in the high, bushy hedgerows that form the fences of all the Norman fields and line every roadside and lane.

It is perfect sniping country. A man can hide himself in the thick fence-row shrubbery with several days' rations, and it's like hunting a needle in a haystack to find him. Every mile we advance there are dozens of snipers left behind us. They pick off our soldiers one by one as they walk down the roads or across the fields. It isn't safe to move into a new bivouac area until the snipers have been cleaned out. The first bivouac I moved into had shots ringing through it for a full day before all the hidden gunmen were rounded up. It gives you the same spooky feeling that you get on moving into a place you suspect of being sown with mines.

In past campaigns our soldiers would talk about the occasional snipers with contempt and disgust. But here sniping has become more important, and taking precautions against it is something we have had to learn and learn fast.

One officer friend of mine said: "Individual soldiers have become sniper-wise before, but now we're sniper-conscious as whole units."

Snipers kill as many Americans as they can, and then when their food and ammunition run out they surrender. To an American that isn't quite ethical. The average American soldier has little feeling against the average German soldier who has fought an open fight and lost. But his feelings about the sneaking snipers can't very well be put into print. He is learning how to kill the snipers before the time comes for them to surrender.

As a matter of fact this part of France is very difficult for anything but fighting between small groups. It is a country of little fields, every one bordered by a thick hedge and a high fence of trees. There is hardly any place where you can see beyond the field ahead of you. Most of the time a soldier doesn't see more than a hundred yards in any direction.

In other places the ground is flooded and swampy with a growth of high, jungle-like grass. In this kind of stuff it is almost man-to-man warfare. One officer who has served a long time in the Pacific says this fighting is the nearest thing to Guadalcanal that he has seen since.

We went to the far end of the square, where three local French policemen were standing in front of the mayor's office. They couldn't speak any English, but they said there was one woman in town who did, and a little boy was sent running for her. Gradually a crowd of eager and curious people crushed in upon us, until there must have been 200 of them, from babies to old women.

Finally the woman arrived—a little dark woman with graying hair and spectacles, and a big smile. Her English was quite good, and we asked her if there were any Germans in the town. She turned and asked the policeman. Instantly everybody in the crowd started talking at once. The sound was like that of a machine that increases in speed until its noise drowns out all else. Finally the policemen had to shush the crowd so the woman could answer us.

She said there were Germans all around, in the woods, but none whatever left in the town. Just then a German stuck his head out of a nearby second-story window. Somebody saw him, and an American soldier was dispatched to get him. Barneville is a fortunate place, because not a shell was fired into it by either side. The lieutenant with us told the woman we were glad nobody had been hurt. When she translated this for the crowd, there was much nodding in approval of our good wishes.

Thousands of little personal stories will dribble out of D-day on the Normandy beachhead. A few that I pick up from time to time I will pass along to you.

The freakiest story I've heard is of an officer who was shot through the face. He had his mouth wide open at the time, yelling at somebody. The bullet went in one cheek and right through his mouth without touching a thing, not even his teeth, and out the other cheek.

The most wrecked town I have seen so far is Saint Sauveur le Vicomte, known simply as "San Sah-Vure." Its buildings are gutted and leaning, its streets choked with rubble, and vehicles drive over the top of it. Bombing and shellfire from both sides did it. The place looks exactly like World War I pictures of such places as Verdun. At the edge of

We must have stood and talked for an hour and a half. It was a kind of holiday for the local people. They were relieved but still not quite sure the Germans wouldn't be back. They were still under a restraint that wouldn't let them open up riotously. But you could sense from little things that they were glad to have us.

A little French shopkeeper came along with a spool of red, white and blue ribbon from his store. He cut off pieces about six inches long for all hands, both American and French. In a few minutes everybody was going around with a French tricolor in his buttonhole.

Then a ruddy-faced man of middle age, who looked like a gentleman farmer, drove up in one of those one-horse, high-wheeled work carts that the French use. He had a German prisoner in uniform standing behind him, and another one, who was sick, lying on a stretcher. The farmer had captured these guys himself, and he looked so pleased with himself that I expected him to take a bow at any moment.

French people kept coming up and asking us for instructions. A man who looked as if he might be the town banker asked what he was supposed to do with prisoners.

We told him to bring them to the truck, and asked how many he had. To our astonishment he said he had 70 in the woods a couple of miles away, 120 in a nearby town, and 40 in another town.

As far as I could figure it out he had captured them all himself.

Another worried-looking Frenchman came up. He was a doctor. He said he had 26 badly wounded Germans down at the railroad station and desperately needed medical supplies. He wanted chloroform and suifa drugs. We told him we would have some sent.

When we finally started away from the crowd, a little old fellow in faded blue overalls ran up and asked us, in sign language, to come to his cafe for a drink. Since we didn't dare violate the spirit of hands-across-the-sea that was then waiting about the town, we had to sacrifice ourselves and accept.

So we sat on wooden benches at a long bare table while the little Frenchman pattered and spluttered around. He let two policemen and his own family in, and then took the handle out of the front door so nobody else could get in.

The Germans had drunk up all his stock except for some wine and some eau de vie. In case you don't know, eau de vie is a savage liquid made by boiling barbed wire, soap-suds, watch springs and old tent pegs together. The better brands have a touch of nitroglycerine for flavor.

So the little Frenchman filled our tiny glasses. We raised them, touched glasses all around, and vived la France all over the place, and good-will-towards-men rang out through the air and tears ran down our cheeks.

In this case, however, the tears were largely induced by our violent efforts to refrain from clutching at our throats and crying out in anguish. This good-will business is a tough life, and I think every American who connects with a glass of eau de vie should get a Purple Heart.

Among the latest rackets discovered by the John Edgar Hoovers is that one used by some fortune-tellers to swindle gullible draft-dodgers. . . . The G-Whizzers nabbed one fortune-teller in Texas. . . . She got neat fees "for keeping men out of the army." . . . Her hocus-pocus, however, was not very effective. . . . Most of her suckers were inducted, anyhow. And she was inducted into a Federal hoosegow, where she can't predict her release.

Pyle Finds a Difference in Stories of Two Wars

The town the bomb craters are so immense that you could put whole houses in them. A veteran of the last war pretty well summed up the two wars the other day when he said: "This is just like the last war, only the holes are bigger." The main roads are macadam and the side roads gravel, winding, narrow, and difficult for traffic.



FBItems and G-Maneuvers

In the gangster film about Roger Touhy and his gang the producers lost a few good tricks which apparently the govt agents didn't tell them about—after Touhy and his mob were recaptured. . . . Frick-ample: When the FBI went into the rooms of two of the gang—they didn't notice a match stuck at the top of the door. . . . To let the gang know if anyone entered during their absence. One mobster had started opening the door when he realized the planted match was gone. . . . So he started firing his revolver. . . . The agent came out shooting too, and two of Touhy's pals were hit by the marksman and went to heaven.

Then there's the episode in the butcher shop. . . . A uniformed chauffeur turns out to be one of the Touhy gangsters. He went to purchase meat in the neighborhood for Touhy (and the others) who didn't risk coming out of the house. . . . The butcher shop, however, was staffed by G-Men. . . . After a signal from one butcher a bike-rider G-Man tailed the chauffeur to the scene where Touhy was hiding. . . . But the confederate was not disguised as a chauffeur in the actual kidnap. . . . The movie people apparently didn't want to offend the devout by sticking to the facts. . . . The disguise worn by the gangster in the meat shop was that of a priest.

The average newspaper reader, recalling Touhy's mob, will think the snatched man is the rich Jake Barber, victim of that gang. . . . But in the film the producers purposely switched things to give the story more pep. . . . Jake the Barber's real tortures cannot be screened or even written about—so vile were they. . . . So for the screen the authors and director borrowed several interesting items from the kidnappings of a wealthy youth named Rosenthal (in New York) and the Urschel snatch in the West. . . . All the kidnapers are now rusting and rotting in prison on sentences for life.

The most frightful moment in Director J. Edgar Hoover's entire life happened that terrible 5 in the morning—when the night was still black. . . . Hoover and some of the agents attacked the Touhy mob from the rear of the building—other FBI men covered the front. . . . Mr. Hoover, revolver in paw, climbed over the back fence and tread softly to the back door, where he let out the most piercing shriek ever heard anywhere in the whole world. . . . It seems that a poor, little, inoffensive, sleeping black cat was stepped on by the most famed of all G-Men, and it let out one screech, which the startled G-Man tried to out-holler.

FBI agents the other day were investigating a theft of gov't-owned cigarettes destined for overseas shipment. . . . The foreman, who had denied any knowledge of the theft, produced a package of cigarettes bearing a give-away gov't label. . . . The agent, who had mooched a cigarette with a definite purpose, forthwith arrested the foreman, who was charged with the crime.

One of the problems confronting the FBI these days is the apprehension of individuals obtaining money fraudulently under the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act. Sixty-nine convictions have resulted during the first ten months of the 1944 fiscal year. An oddity in the FBI's files on this subject has to do with a Louisville, Ky., woman who, when questioned by FBI agents, offered to return fourteen \$50 checks she got illegally, but hadn't spent. She said she had kept all the checks except one, which the soldier himself cashed, and that she was most willing to return them to the Government.

The alertness of G-Men was demonstrated again the other day in Los Angeles. An agent spied a man on the street whom he recognized as a fugitive—a wanted notice had been issued a few days before. Although the suspect produced phony selective service cards, the G-Man was persistent and took his fingerprints, whereupon the fugitive admitted his identity as Walter Ray Carroll, wanted in Washington State in connection with a \$25,000 narcotics robbery.

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Foreman, laborers, packers, sewers, packers, truck drivers, etc. Excellent industry, paid vacations, good hours, and half for overtime. Apply BURKUS FRIED WILLS, 7701 Alabama St., Dallas, Texas.

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MAN or lady motion picture projectionist. State qualifications, salary, references. REX THEATRE, Louisiana.

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Old established wholesale hardware concern needs men to work in stock, sales, work. Write for information. C. V. BARKER, THE SOUTHERN SUPPLY COMPANY, Dallas 2

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We have several positions open for experienced mechanics and painters. Good compensation for qualified men or women. Apply to Mr. J. S. HAMILTON, HAMILTON MOTOR CO., 720 N. Pearl St., Dallas, Texas.

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Weekly. Make-up, etc. State qualifications, salary, references. No war bond. HERALD, New Braunfels, Texas.

MEN—GIRLS—BOYS

To work in small sandwich shop. No war bond needed. No beer served. Toppie BUOCHI, 3115 Oak Lawn, Dallas, Texas.

Wanted—Line superintendent with utility

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Mahon Visits O'Donnell
Congressman George Mahon was a visitor in O'Donnell last Friday, shaking hands and greeting the folks. During the recess of Congress he is making the rounds of the district as best he can to talk with its constituency.

McCord's the man for district attorney.

Judge Geo. W. Neill, of Brownfield, candidate for State Representative, was here Tuesday campaigning and greeting old friends in this city. Judge Neill is an old timer in this section and enjoys a wide and favorable acquaintance throughout this area.

Dr. Merrill was in Lubbock on business the first of the week.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—Nesco 4-burner oil stove nearly new. See Mrs. R. E. Stracener at Mesquite. 45

WANTED—Electric refrigerator or pop cooler. See W. W. Allison. 45

WANTED—Ironing at my home. Mrs. Eula Shepper, first house south Church of Christ. 44

LOST—Food Ration Books 4 and 5; also A and C gas ration books. Return to Mrs. U. C. Rains, O'Donnell. 45

FOR SALE—Threshed millet seed, market price.—Dr. J. F. Campbell. 43ctf

CALLOWAY HUFFAKER, qualified, efficient, experienced, well trained, and honest, will appreciate your vote for District attorney. 2tc

WANTED—To rent 5 or 6 room modern house.—A. K. Williams at O'Donnell Implement Co. 48

Little Spiced Cakes Are Tempting Dessert



Little spiced cakes provide tempting variety for the dessert bill-of-fare, says the Home Cooking editor of *Capper's Farmer*, a publication of national circulation.

These cakes require only 1/4 cup of sugar and are topped with a toothsome frosting that uses no sugar at all.

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| 1/4 c. shortening | 1/4 tsp. cinnamon |
| 1/4 c. sugar | 1/4 tsp. nutmeg |
| 2 eggs, beaten | 1 c. sour milk |
| 1 c. molasses | 1 tsp. grated |
| 1 c. flour | lemon rind |
| 1 tsp. soda | 1 c. raisins |
| 1/2 tsp. cloves | |

Cream shortening and sugar. Add eggs and molasses. Sift dry ingredients and add alternately with milk. Add lemon rind and raisins. Bake in greased cup cake tins for 20-25 minutes or a 2-pound loaf pan, for 40 minutes, in moderate oven (350°). Makes 3 dozen cup cakes. Frost with **Fruity Frosting**:

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| 2 egg whites | 1/4 tsp. salt |
| 1 c. light corn syrup | 1/4 tsp. vanilla |

Beat egg whites and salt until frothy. Add corn sirup in fourths, beating until frosting is thick and holds a peak. Beat in flavoring. The stiffness can be controlled by adding more or less sirup.

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Bombs and Blossoms in Italy



THE birds are singing, the grass is green and in the quiet beauty of an Italian almond grove are stored some of the bombs the Royal Canadian Air Force lads will drop on installations of the retreating Germans. The RCAF has increased more than 50-fold from its pre-war nucleus of 4,000 until today it occupies fourth place in the air strengths of the United Nations and fifth in the world. Through the giant machinery of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, Canada has been enabled to produce more than 208,000 air force personnel and in April, 1944, graduated its 100,000th air crew member. With this culmination in training, the RCAF stands beside the aerial forces of the Allies poised for its most important work, that of helping to defeat the German air force over Europe.

Charter No. 12831—Reserve District No. 11 Report of Condition of The First National Bank Of O'Donnell

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1944, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$ none overdrafts)	607,029.62
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	30,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	16,149.60
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	none
Corporate stocks (including \$1600.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,600.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	351,682.05
Bank premises owned \$4,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$350.00	4,850.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	none
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	none
Customers liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	none
Other assets	none
Total assets	\$1,011,311.27
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$ 887,406.28
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	12,500.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	31,489.79
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	11,820.36
Deposits of banks	none
Other deposits (certified and cashier's check, etc.)	11,694.84
Total deposits	\$ 954,911.27
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	none
Mortgages and other liens on bank premises and on other real estate	none
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	none
Other liabilities	none
Total liabilities	\$ 954,911.27
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock: (a) Class A preferred, total par \$ none, retirable value \$ none, (b) Class B preferred, total par \$ none, retirable value \$ none, (c) Common stock total par \$40,000.00	40,000.00
Surplus	13,000.00
Undivided profits	1,400.00
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock) for 5 per cent dividend	2,000.00
Total capital accounts	56,400.00
Total liabilities and capital accounts	1,011,311.27
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	30,000.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	none
(c) Assets pledged to qualify for exercise of fiduciary or corporate powers, and for purposes other than to secure liabilities	none
(d) Securities loaned	none
Total	30,000.00
Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	30,139.47
(b) borrowings secured by pledged assets (including rediscounts and repurchase agreements)	none
(c) other liabilities secured by pledged assets	none
(d) Total	\$ 30,139.47
State of Texas, County of Lynn, ss. I, J. L. Shoemaker jr. cashier of the above name bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
J. L. SHOEMAKER, Jr., Cashier.	
Correct—Attest: John Earles, J.M. Noble Jr. L. D. Tucker, Directors	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of July 1944. Lee Garner, notary public in and for Lynn county, Texas.	

Ladies' Visiting Cards At Index-Press Office

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REX

Theatre

Evening Show
Opens 8:00—Starts 8:15
Matinee 2:00—Starts 2:15

Sat. Nite Only July 15
Ann Harding, Evelyn Keys in

Nine Girls

Also Selected Shorts

Sunday and Monday
July 16-17

Ann Sheridan, Dennis Morgan in

Shine On Harvest Moon

Also News...Popcye

Tuesday, July 18
Bob Haymes, Lynn Merrick in

Swing Out The Blues

Also Selected Shorts

Wed.-Thurs. July 19-20

Michael O'Shea, Susan Hayward in

The Life Of Jack London

Also News, Comedy

Friday Nite and Saturday
Matinee, July 21-July 22

Johnny Mack Brown in

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Local News

Mrs. Bob Ballard was among Saturday's shoppers in this city.

L. C. Vance was an appreciated visitor in our office Saturday.

Homer Davis was among Saturday's visitors from Mesquite.

Word comes that Sgt. O. O. Ellis and Sgt. C. C. Ellis, who had been stationed in England, recently met on French soil, their first time to meet since leaving the States.

An Internal Revenue man was in O'Donnell Saturday suggesting to car owners who had not decorated their autos with that \$5 stamp that now was the time to buy. July 1 was the dead line, but a lot of folks forgot, hence the visit of the federal man. He got a ready response to his admonitions in this part of the realm.

Master Sgt. Glynn M. Everett was here last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Everett and other relatives. Glynn, who for several months was stationed in Florida, is now stationed at Camp Van Dorn, Miss.

J. E. Nance of Mesquite was in O'Donnell Saturday, devoutly hoping for an inch or two rainfall in his bailwick. He tells us that when the oil well is brought in at Mesquite you can look for a big barbecue down that way.

E. C. Slaughter was transacting business in O'Donnell Saturday.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons, subject to the action of the July Democratic primary:

For Congress:
GEORGE MAHON re-election
C. L. HARRIS

For State Senator
STERLING J. PARRISH

For Representative
GEO. W. NEILL
JACK DOUGLAS
PRESTON E. SMITH

For District Attorney:
ROLLIN McCORD
CALLOWAY HUFFAKER

For County Judge:
TOM GARRARD
G. C. GRIDER

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
R. P. WEATHERS, re-election

For Sheriff:
SAM FLOYD (re-election)
For County Clerk:
W. M. (Walter) MATHIS (re-election)

For County Treasurer:
MRS. LOIS DANIEL re-election
For County Commissioner, Prec. 2:
LEWIS KENLEY
JOHN A. ROBERTS

For County Commissioner, Prec. 3:
JNO. A. ANDERSON re-election

Dawson County Candidates

For County Commissioner, Prec. 2:
G. C. ATEN, 2nd term.
R. L. (Bob) BUTCHEE (re-election for second term)

Ed Williams To Get A New Assignment



Ed Warren Williams, seaman first class in the U. S. Naval Reserve and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams, of O'Donnell, has returned to his base at the Navy's Armed Guard Center, New Orleans, after spending five months at sea as a member of a naval gun crew aboard a merchant ship.

Ed, a four-letter football star at O'Donnell High School before he entered the Navy January 13, 1943, now has credit for 14 months sea duty in Armed Guard. He took his "boot" training at Great Lakes, Ill., and since then has visited many foreign countries including Iran, Iraq, India, Australia and nations in South America, South Africa, and North Africa.

The young Texan reported that his ship was in the middle of a Nazi air raid while it plied through the Mediterranean. The Nazi, sending a formation of about 30 bombers against the convoy of which Ed's ship was a part, received a warm welcome, the young crewman reported.

"Our anti aircraft guns knocked down three of the Jetties before they could make their bomb run," he said, "and although some of the bombers did try to unloose their load, most of them turned back."

Ed is now awaiting orders which will place him aboard another supply-laden merchantman bound for foreign battle zones.

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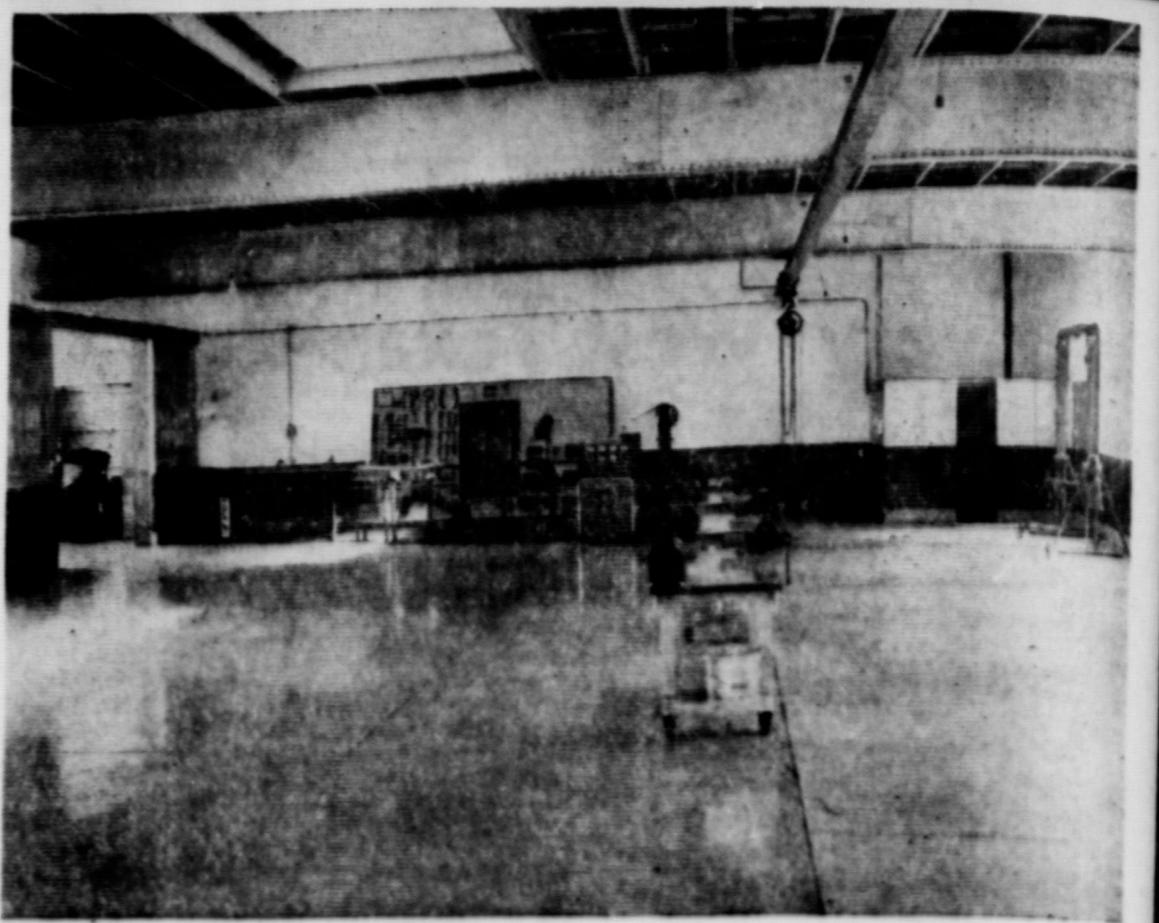
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His Life History-

Raised on a farm in Lynn county. Graduated from high school at age of 16 with honors in oratorical contest. Worked his way through first two years of Texas Tech by milking cows and working on college farm.

Commenced teaching school at age of 18 as high school principal, serving in this capacity two years and as superintendent two years. Attended summer school at Texas Tech and took correspondence work while teaching, graduating from Texas Tech in 1937.

Moved to Austin in 1937 to attend Texas University Law School. Worked his way through two and one half years of Law School by keeping boarders, selling furniture for large department store, and by serving as local news commentator over radio station for Lucky Strike tobacco company.

Licensed to practice law in 1939 and has enjoyed an active practice in Tahoka and West Texas ever since. Elected County Attorney of Lynn county without opposition in 1940 and again in 1942, in which capacity he is now serving, and has disposed of some 2,000 cases with a loss of only five.

Has been an active worker in church and civic organizations. Is 30 years old, married, has two children, and has been rejected for military service twice as a volunteer and once as a draftee.

He Is Recognized And Known-

As one of the best versed and most outstanding young attorneys of West Texas. As a hard working, hard fighting, energetic, conscientious and honest attorney. As an authority on Federal taxation problems. As an attorney with a commendable and enviable record in our courts. As an upright, leading citizen in civic, religious and community affairs. As a friend of boys and girls, evidenced by the many graduation addresses he is invited to make. As an orator and public speaker. As the leading and most worthy candidate for DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

We invite you to investigate his record as a man, as an attorney, and as a prosecutor who has, can, and will roll up his sleeves and fight for right and justice, with prosecution of all and persecution of none. He will appreciate your vote and will prove it by his service as your District Attorney.

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Subject to Democratic Primaries July 22

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WHEREVER you are, whatever you're doing, you wear your tin hat and respirator for a certain part of a certain day each week at one of the RCAF's Pacific coast stations. Telephone operators suddenly sound as if they'd developed cleft palates. Stenographers catch up on typing practice as dictation is suspended until voices get out in the open once more. The airman who whips up a smart salute can accompany it with a rude face—no one is the wiser—and cooks can peel onions without a quailm. How the precaution program works is illustrated here.

Even off duty, the girls don't let the drill interfere with their routine. Left to right above (and their own families wouldn't know them) the crokinole players are Leading Airwoman Evelyn Dingman, Edmonton; Cpl. Jessie Cassidy, Bethany, Man.; AW1 Barbara Wilson, Saskatoon, and Cpl. Bernice Martin, St. Vital, Man. Leading Airwoman Bertie Johnson of Winnipeg, right, finds that keeping her eyes on the notebook has complications, but types bravely on.

In oval — Detroit is "home" to Leading Airwoman Catherine Mullin, now overseas with the RCAF Women's Division, even though the flash "Canada" shows at her shoulder. She was born in Canada, and so is not entitled to wear the "U.S.A." badge usually used by Americans in the Canadian Forces.



She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mullin, 5716 Grangelawn Drive, Detroit, and has a brother, Sergeant Hugh Mullin, in the United States Army. She attended MacKenzie High School, Wayne University, for a year; was trained as a meteorological observer in the RCAF, and was an officer clerk in an insurance company in civilian life.



To The Voters Of Precinct No. 2 Dawson County

By this means I am soliciting your votes as it will be the only way that I will be able to contact the majority of the people.

I have served you before for one term (only), therefore, you know me and my way of doing things. It would be a pleasure to serve you again, and will give you the best I have. I like this particular kind of work, to do away with the mud holes, and give the roads a drainage. If I'm elected you can feel assured when commissioners court is in session, I will be on my side of the table representing my precinct and Dawson county as a whole, for the best for the people at large, and striving at all times to make your tax dollars be spent only as they should and to economize in every way possible, therefore, to eliminate any rise in taxes but rather lower taxes.

I will appreciate each and every vote plus the best service I can render you.

Let me remain your friend and be your future commissioner.

Respectfully,
2tp G. C. (Cleve) ATEN.

May Save You Red Tape

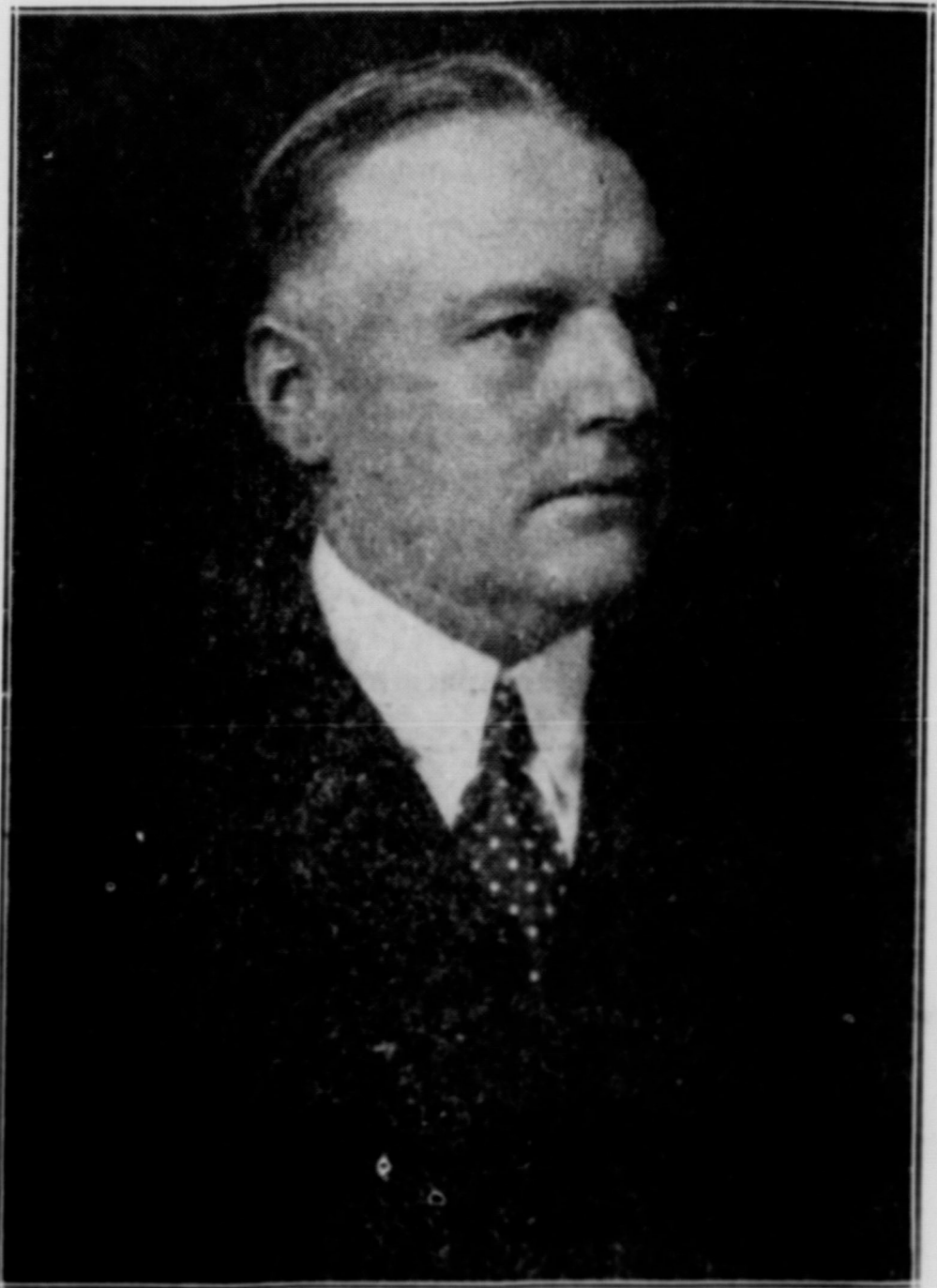
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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and family spent the week-end in Stamford with Tom's mother, Mrs. W. P. Moore and brother, Cpl. Jack Moore, who is home on furlough from Camp McCoy, Wisconsin.

Miss Mary Frances Fowler, who holds a lucrative position in Dallas, is here for a week's visit with homefolks.

Tom Garrard County Judge

Of Lynn County For Election For Full Term



We hope the people in O'Donnell will remember that in 1937 when Judge Tom Garrard was on the the State Board of Education, he personally led the move and had passed the orders refunding the O'Donnell School District Bonds at a saving of SIXTY-EIGHT THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED THIRTY DOLLARS to the taxpayers of O'Donnell Independent School District at a time when we were having trouble paying them. Your school board will verify this.

One of the first acts the Commissioners' Court and Tom Garrard performed was the refunding of \$18,000 old Court House and Jail Bonds at a saving of approximately \$2100.00 to taxpayers.

Since he has been in office little more than three months there has been assessed and collected fines in criminal cases in his court sufficient to pay the county judge's salary seven months.

Please remember that Judge Garrard's own flesh and blood are a part of O'Donnell, as his son, daughter and only grandson own their home and live in O'Donnell, and he would love O'Donnell for that if for nothing else.

Some of the best friends he has in the county live in O'Donnell, and of course, he loves O'Donnell.

The Commissioners Court and Judge Garrard are at this moment planning valuable work on roads that will greatly benefit O'Donnell.

You may judge a man's actions in the future by what he has done in the past. Tom Garrard has done things for you and will continue to do so.

He has given three sons to his country in this awful war. He is a member of the legal advisory board for registrants and as such has assisted many hundreds of registrants with their questionnaires and many legal matters affecting them without cost to them. He has also been active in every war bond drive that has been made. O'Donnell should REMEMBER Judge Tom Garrard with a heavy vote, Saturday, July 22.

(This adv. paid for by appreciative O'Donnell friends.)

ON THE HOME FRONT WITH WYETH SPEARS

Why not make a week-end project of putting together a pair of comfortable chairs with special features shown here?



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Mrs. Spears has prepared a complete set of working diagrams; a complete list of materials; dimensions and step-by-step directions for cutting and assembling this chair.

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS, 2101 West 11th St., New York. Enclose 15 cents for Design No. 269.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers

Table with 3 main columns: Fruit, Preparation Required, and Processing. Includes sub-columns for Hot Water Bath Time and Pressure Cooker Time. Lists various fruits like Apples, Apricots, Berries, Cherries, Cranberries, Currants, Figs, Grapes, Peaches, Pears, Pineapple, Plums, Quinces, Rhubarb, Strawberries, and Tomatoes.

Fruit Preparation and Processing Guide (See Directions Below)

Canned Fruit

If you want to assure your family of its basic seven fruit requirement, then busy yourself with putting up fruit at home.

Fruit canning is infinitely more simple than vegetable canning. The reason for that is that fruits are acid and, therefore, can be sterilized more readily.

- Steps in Canning: 1. Select fruit in the peak of condition. 2. Wash fruit or berries carefully, pare and pit according to directions for fruit in the fruit canning chart given in this column.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menus

- Frankfurters with Hot Potato Salad and Relish; Buns and Butter; Cole Slaw in Tomato Cups; Raspberry Cobbler Beverage.

ner, set on several thicknesses of paper or cloth and allow to cool. All jars should not be inverted, so watch the manufacturers' instructions on this point.

Oven Canning: This year, I'm not recommending oven canning of fruits because wartime restrictions in equipment have caused many changes to be made in jars and caps, and this method is not safe.

Sugar Syrups: As long as sugar is still rationed, you'll want to use it sparingly so there's enough for peaches as well as for plums and grape jelly in the fall.

Thin Sugar Syrup: 1 cup sugar, 3 1/2 cups water. Bring to a boil, stirring only until sugar is dissolved. Keep hot but not boiling.

Medium Sugar Syrup: 2 cups sugar, 4 cups water. Follow directions above.

Open Kettle Canning: Women who have canned for years on end, still prefer the old-fashioned, open-kettle method for canning fruits. It gives a luscious product, and if the canner is careful, no spoilage will develop.

Lynn Says

Canning 'Rithmetic: If the jars and fruit don't come out even when you're canning, better sit down and do some figuring before you start to can. Here are tips to help you: Apples—1 bu. (50 lb.) cans 17-20 quarts.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQVIST, D. D. Of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for July 16

SUCCESSSES AND FAILURES OF ISRAEL LESSON TEXT—Judges 2:6-16. GOLDEN TEXT—Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people.—Proverbs 14:34.

The success or failure of both nations and individuals is ultimately determined by their attitude toward the law of God. He is always right and true. The constant factor in a world order that swings wildly from one extreme to another, is His law, which is perfect and eternal.

I. Remembering God Brings Blessing (vv. 6-9). Although Israel had not fully obeyed God's command, and had been rebuked by an angel of the Lord for their failure (Judg. 2:1-5), they had come into a measure of their inheritance under Joshua.

II. Forgetting God Brings Backsliding (vv. 10-13). The fact that a people has been highly privileged and has been exalted to a place of power and honor will not save it in the day when God is forgotten.

III. Forsaking God Brings Judgment (vv. 14-15). God not only will not hold a backsliding nation guiltless, but will bring judgment even if He has to turn over His people to a despoiling nation. He has instruments of individual and national chastisement, and He is ready to use them.

Notice that wherever they went the Lord's hand was against them. There is no place to flee from the presence of God. Anyone who thinks he can do it, should read Psalm 139:7-12. It can't be done. That is a comfort to the believer, but it is not a little disquieting to the unbeliever.

God, however, always remembers mercy in the midst of judgment (Ps. 101:1). He sent judges to deliver Israel, when He was sure of their repentance (v. 16). "If there was ever a time when nations needed deliverers, it's now. The systematic looting of subjugated peoples, the deliberate murder of multitudes of Jews, the mass executions of many innocent people in reprisal for some patriotic act of resistance, are evils that cry to heaven.

Well—why not call on Him now, in earnest repentance and faith. Will you do it?

THINGS for YOU TO MAKE

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Shopping Bag YOUR government asks you to take a marketing bag with you when you go to the grocer's and to take as many packages as possible without paper wrappings. Paper bags are becoming a vanishing item! Provide yourself with a crocheted string bag. This one is made of bedspread crocheted cotton so it's strong and durable.

Applique Apron A BIG coverall apron for summer has a "basket" pocket of dark green and bright red cherries, green leaves and basket handles applied onto the body of the apron. Make the apron in colorful checked cotton—it's a splendid kitchen "shower" gift!

Kool-Aid advertisement: Makes DELICIOUS FROZEN DESSERTS. Includes an illustration of a Kool-Aid pitcher.

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN HOTEL advertisement: VACATION IN COOL, SCENIC GRANDEUR ABOVE THE CLOUDS. SWIM, GOLF, RIDE HORSEBACK, DANCE, HIKE. Includes an illustration of a mountain resort.

ATHLETE'S FOOT NEWS

"80.6% of sufferers showed CLINICAL IMPROVEMENT after only 10-day treatment with SORETONE"

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Prompt Action Vital When Child Is Hurt Nurse Tells Mothers

WHEN accidents happen and you hear the cry "It hurts, Mommie!", don't let your child down. Don't break his faith in you. Learn what to do before the doctor comes. That's the advice to mothers given by Beulah France, R. N., in Capper's Farmer, a magazine read by 1,250,000 farm families. "Upon your actions may depend the seriousness of consequences," she writes. "The first 24 hours are often the most vital. "If a fall leaves a child unconscious or conscious but disinterested and 'stupid' keep him flat on his back, covered warmly, with head lower than feet. He is probably in a state of shock. "Broken bones may be indicated by pain and inability to move them.



"It Hurts, Mommie!"

Be very, very careful not to let the bones' ends rub together or pierce through the skin. Keep the child quiet. Do not move him until the doctor arrives. Cuts that are bleeding badly call for pressure. If you have sterile gauze (do not use sterile cotton) or a clean handkerchief, cover cut and press hard against it."

Belles and Beaux Get Timely Advice

"HE WHO hurries the fastest sometimes misses the boat" is the advice Holly Miller gives "teen-age boy and girl readers of her column in nationally circulated Capper's Farmer.

"Time may be a-wastin', belles and beaux," she writes, "but don't let the thought get you in such a dither that you forget your rearing." Here are one or two instances of the value of avoiding haste cited by this Capper's Farmer authority: "Wait for the car to stop and for your swain of the evening to come around and open the door for you. House doors, theater doors and the swinging opening to the drugstore come into this consideration. Give him a chance to be polite.

"Take your time when making introductions. Repeat names plainly and, incidentally, say the name of the most respected first. Spend a little time getting folks acquainted before you leave them cold. Just adds a little to your smoothie air. "You won't starve if you don't get your meal into your stomach in 2 minutes flat. It's not a very pretty show for your family, and some day you might forget when you're away from home. Take time to be polite to your kinfolks. It pays off in the end, since practice gives poise." Problems concerning etiquette, manners and the means of acquiring smoothness are dealt with by Miss Miller in issues of the magazine. She is always ready to answer questions that puzzle youthful readers and to suggest methods of meeting various situations.

The Index-Press prints funeral notices.

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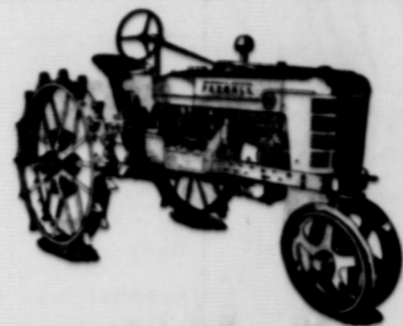
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Navy Bugler Blows

Taps for His Father

AN ABOARD THE SOUTH PACIFIC.—There was a funeral for a serviceman on this island the other day, and the chaplain, Navy Lieut. B. B. Brown, wanted to be sure that the bugler knew when to blow "Taps." "Yes, sir," said the young bugler. "I did it for my father the other day. He died here of pneumonia."

Wounded Marine Keeps on Firing

Makes Tourniquet All Alone
And Sticks to Gun.

GUADALCANAL.—A little thing like a leg wound didn't bother Staff Sgt. Ward F. Keevert, USMC, Billings, Mont.

Three days after a piece of shrapnel tore a hole in his left leg during the opening aerial assault on the Japs' Vila airdrome, Kolombangara Island, Sergeant Keevert, a radio gunner on a marine dive bomber, was limping around camp trying to talk his way back into action.

He pleaded with the flight surgeon attached to the squadron. The doctor gave him a definite "no." And he let Sergeant Keevert know that there still was shrapnel in his leg; that he should be in bed instead of walking.

Probably his greatest disappointment came four days after he was wounded when the squadron paid Vila airdrome another visit. Sergeant Keevert was denied permission to go on the attack. He had hoped for another crack at the Japs.

The shrapnel tore through the plane and hit Sergeant Keevert as the ship went down in a dive on a gun position. He felt the sting of the metal, but he fired nearly 200 rounds of bullets at the Jap battery-men before he called to the pilot, Capt. Elmer P. Thompson Jr., USMC, Brownfield, Maine, that he had been wounded.

"I've been hit," was the only information Sergeant Keevert gave the pilot over the intercommunication system after they were away from the target. Sergeant Keevert jerked out the receiver cord, cut the leg of his flight suit with his hunting knife and fashioned a tourniquet.

Thinking his gunner was unconscious and gravely wounded after he could get no further information from him, Captain Thompson made an emergency landing at Munda.

As Captain Thompson jumped from the cockpit after landing and started to the sergeant's aid, Keevert leaned over the side, smiled, and said: "I'm O. K. Just need a little help getting out. They got me in the left leg."

Although he begged for another crack at the Japs at Vila, Sergeant Keevert was ordered to rest until fully recovered. Meantime, his squadron completed its third combat duty tour and Sergeant Keevert was denied another look at the Japs.

Clouts Holdup Man With Sausage and Foils Theft

CHICAGO.—One piece of sausage did more than help feed the hungry. William Rostek, a meat truck driver, used it as a bludgeon on a Joliet penitentiary parolee who climbed aboard his truck, snarling "Give me your money!"

The sausage didn't flatten the parolee, but it took so much fight out of him that he did not pull the trigger of a .45 caliber revolver in his hand. Rostek and a store clerk, Gus Ankerberg, who was helping to unload the meat truck, disarmed the gunman and held him until a police squad arrived.

The parolee said he was Frank Harrison, 46 years old, originally of Pontiac, Mich. Harrison was released from prison a year ago after serving 10 years and 45 days for robbery. He told police that although he holds a degree of doctor of medicine all the work he could get was a \$20 a week job in a garage. He said he needed more than that to rehabilitate himself.

Friendly 3-Legged Deer Forsakes Its Wild Life

OCEANA, W. VA.—Game Protector L. A. Anderson and his wife are the possessors of a three-legged deer, a fawn that apparently is so much attached to her human friends that it has forsaken wild life.

The deer was injured while being chased by dogs and was found with a leg broken. Anderson took it to a veterinarian, who set the fracture. A few days later the animal, in its struggles, compounded the fracture and the leg was amputated with apparently no ill effects.

Mrs. Anderson fed the fawn through convalescence, using a baby's bottle and nipple to give it cow's milk. Now it refuses to leave the house.

Ticketless Passenger Boards the Wrong Bus

FORT WAYNE, IND.—The driver was examining passengers' tickets as they boarded a bus when a woman, with no ticket in hand, climbed aboard.

"Where are you going, lady?" the driver asked.
"To see my sister," she replied, "and what business of yours is it?"
It turned out she was on the wrong bus anyway.

A little want ad will sell it.

Investigate the record and you will agree, "McCord's the Man" for district attorney.
(Political Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Page returned Tuesday from a visit with their son, Pharmacist Mate Carl Page and wife at Norman, Okla., where Carl is stationed at the U. S. Naval hospital.

Mrs. L. E. Daniel returned home last week from a month's visit in Midland with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Hemmingway Jr.

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