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SMARTER THAN HITLER

Germany taught the world that efficient, hard hitting mobility is a requisite of military victory. Modern war is war of movement, not alone at the fighting front, but also on the home front.

The big question now is, can the railroads continue to carry the punishing traffic? Joseph B. Eastman, Director of the Office of Defense Transportation, observes that " - - it is certain that the railroads are driving their cars and locomotives as they have never been driven before."

will continue to increase. We know that restrictions upon private automobiles and buses are bound to throw a new and heavy load upon railroad passenger service.

The transportation industry has thus far held up its end in the war effort, notwithstanding the difficulties, in a wholly admirable way. We cannot afford to take undue chances with it for the future.

The railroads have proved that insofar as efficiency of operating methods are concerned, they are equal to the task. They have asked permission to purchase new equipment and they must have it.

We've noticed that some people know a lot more when you try to tell them something than when you ask them something.

In Oakland, Calif., 200 women were sworn in to serve as policemen in case of emergency. If nothing else, they'll arrest attention.

A chip on the shoulder indicates there's wood higher up.

Nation-Wide Anniversary Observance Of Attack On Pearl Harbor Will Be Held Sunday & Monday, Dec. 6-7

A two-day nation-wide observance of the anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor will be sponsored by the Office of War Information. Joining in the observance will be the War and Navy Departments, all other war agencies, war plants, labor, schools, colleges and numerous other organizations.

The anniversary will be observed Sunday, December 6 and Monday, December 7, wherever there are Americans around the world. The inclusion of Sunday is doubly fortunate, both because the original attack fell on a Sunday and because the tone and religious ceremonies of the Sabbath are in keeping with the spirit of rededication to a high purpose which will characterize this anniversary.

The OWI proposes that the nation, under the cry of "Remember Pearl Harbor—Work - - Fight - - Sacrifice!" will:

Honor and remember the men and women who have already given their lives in this struggle. Give thanks to God for the nation's survival of the unprovoked attack of ruthless enemies.

Clear-headedly assess what has been done in one year of war, and what lies ahead to be done in terms of "Work - - Fight - - Sacrifice."

Rededicate the nation's strength to its time, its wealth and its very life to preserving a concept of life more precious than individual life itself; to work, fight, sacrifice for all that is contained in the Bill of Rights and the Constitution of the United States of America.

The OWI proposes that Sunday be dedicated to solemn memorial for those who died at Pearl Harbor and those who have died since, to thanksgiving for our survival during the first critical year of the war, and to rededication of all our resources to the spiritual values which are at stake in this war.

It is proposed that the rallying cry, "Work - - Fight - - Sacrifice!" be sounded on Monday and that national rededication be in that

key. These words must surely bring to every man and woman a realization that this is a war that touches all of us, personally and intimately.

The hour of the Pearl Harbor attack (2:30 P. M., E. W. T.) December 7, will be specially marked, but no ceremony should delay war production.

RED CROSS VOLUNTEER SERVICE

A good idea, like a sunflower, scatters its seeds and spreads. From three separate quarters we were sent this statement written by Mrs. Dorothy B. Hoffman, Chairman of Volunteer Special Services of the Saint Joseph County Chapter, South Bend, Ind.

"Consider deeply your just obligations to your family and its affairs to see exactly what strength, energy and time you have to give.

"Rate carefully your own willingness to serve. Weigh honestly your desire to win this war against the urge to do other things as usual.

"Judge accurately your ability to discipline yourself. Think through to some conclusion what you owe to your community and your country.

"Then and only then, do what you can to help your Volunteer Red Cross Chapter."

Knitting Helmets turned in by Mrs. A. G. Lane and Mrs. Ralph Keys. One muffler was turned in by Mrs. Will Johnson and one pair of wristlets was turned in by Mrs. Nettie Abrams.

Mrs. W. A. Riney, Chairman of the knitting, asks that all those having knitting out to please turn in completed, not later than December 5th. If there is anyone who cannot complete their garment, please turn it in immediately so that our instructors may complete the knitting.

The following ladies give one afternoon and morning a week cutting garments at the production room:

Mmes. Fred Cook, Cal Merchant, Chas. Lowry, Jim Patman, A. A. Mayes, J. L. McMurtry, Curry Powell, Rolle Brumley, Sam Dyer, M. R. Allensworth, John Potts, Skelton, Earl Ryan, Will Johnson, Johnny Johnson.

Mrs. Lee Holland turned in seventeen (17) pairs of children's pajamas made by the Harmony Sunday School class including the following ladies: Mmes. Clarence Whitlock, Mike Thornberry, W. E. Ray, Carl Bennett, C. E. Bairfield, O. C. Watson, Lee Holland. Mrs. Whitlock made all buttonholes.

Mrs. C. L. Benson turned in thirty-six (36) completed pajamas from the Home Demonstration Club. The ladies sewing were: Mmes. G. A. Anderson, Clyde Butler, Henry Williams, Lena Antrobus, J. C. Estlack, Harvey, Cap Lane, A. G. Lane, O. C. Watson, C. D. McDowell, A. L. Chase, Benson. The Home Demonstration Club has taken out twenty-four (24) slips to make. This club has been very active in sewing.

Mrs. Roy Beverly, Mrs. J. O. Martin, and Mrs. W. D. Martin from the Adair Hospital made eighteen (18) slips.

We are still asking for more cooperation in the sewing.

HOME SERVICE Mrs. C. A. Burton The Red Cross has pledged to the Women's Reserve of the Navy, familiarly known as the "Waves", the same service which it renders to men in the naval service.

The Army Postal Service has announced the loss of 4,986 sacks of mail bound for American forces in the British Isles, through the sinking of a cargo ship. Much of the shipment was parcel post, representing one of the first parcel shipments of Christmas mail.

The War Department said the lost mail was deposited during the latter part of September. Mail reaching the New York Port of Debarkation Post Office after Oct. 3rd was not included in this shipment.

Due to incorrect or inadequate addresses, much personal mail for naval personnel either can not be

delivered at all or is delayed in reaching addresses. Thousands of letters are received in San Francisco and Hawaii with only "Pearl Harbor" as the address. The Navy Department urges that care be taken giving particular directions which are too lengthy to give here, but I shall be glad to give them to anyone interested.

By an act approved Sept. 26, the membership of the American War Mothers is extended to include mothers of men or women who are serving or have served in, and have been honorably discharged from the present war on or after December 7, 1941, and until termination of the war. The mother must be a citizen of the United States and the service person must be a son or daughter of her blood.

DORMANT SCRAP MOVES FROM SOUTHWEST

Shipments of dormant industrial scrap iron and steel from Southwestern plants in November will approximate those of October, when 68,000 tons moved from this area to the nation's steel mills, Sam W. Papert, regional chief of WPB's industrial salvage section, predicted. Mr. Papert credited the success of the dormant scrap drive in large measure to generous newspaper publicity and to efforts of volunteer iron and steel salesmen taking part in the drive.

—On Pay Day, Buy Bonds—

DR. B. B. HARRIS CHIROPRACTOR FOOT CORRECTION Edington Apt. Phone 35-J Calls Made Anywhere

DR. H. R. BECK DENTIST Phone 46 9 to 12—Office hours—1 to 5 Goldston Bldg. Clarendon, Texas

Federal Farm Loans and Land Bank Commissioners Loans on Farms and Ranches in Donley County for a term of 20 years. Present interest rate 3 1/2%. C. E. KILLOUGH Sec. Treas. Clarendon National Farm Loan Association. Phone 44

We Have MUCH to be THANKFUL For Thursday, Nov. 26th, is Thanksgiving Day. Despite worry about loved ones in the fighting zones, war-time restrictions on daily living customs and scarcity of many commodities we still have much for which to be truly thankful. Let's remember, on Thanksgiving Day, that hard work, thrift and self-sacrifice established our priceless liberties and will maintain them. And let's give thanks that we are free - - - that our Army and Navy are manned by the bravest boys in the world - - - that Victory eventually will be ours because ours is the side of right and justice. DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation PAY PROMPTLY • KEEP YOUR CREDIT GOOD

PASTIME THEATRE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY NOVEMBER 27-28th Laurel and Hardy "A HAUNTING WE WILL GO" Short Subject 11—25¢

SATURDAY PREVUE SUNDAY & MONDAY NOVEMBER 28-30th

for a woman there's always an excuse...

BETTE DAVIS and her new co-star PAUL HENREID in "Now, Voyager" WARNER BROS. TRIUMPH A HAL B. WALLIS PRODUCTION CLAUDE RAINS News 11—30¢

TUESDAY ONLY DECEMBER 1st Frances Dee, William Holden

"Meet The Stewarts" Comedy Bargain Day—11-15¢

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY DECEMBER 2-3rd

SING! DANCE! LAUGH! WHAT A HAPPY HOLIDAY! Irving Berlin's "HOLIDAY INN" BING STORING FRED CROSBY - ASTAIRE News 11—30¢

—COMING— Paulette Goddard and Fred McMurray in "FORREST RANGERS"

MATINEE Every Day—3 p. m. Except Saturday & Sun.—2 p. m.

EVENING SHOW—7:30

COZY THEATRE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28 "LONE PRAIRIE" Chapter 1 of "SPY SMASHERS" 11—20¢

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1st "Moonlight Masquerade" Comedy 11—15¢

... while all America gives Thanks for a bountiful harvest in WEST TEXAS You: Yes, West Texas is contributing much to the war effort. Food, cotton and wool for clothing men in the fighting forces. The whole world can be thankful for a bountiful harvest in West Texas. But, what do you mean, Reddy, "on KP duty"? Reddy: This is the first wartime Thanksgiving Day. Many people will observe it over the country by working, turning out the weapons of war. Our power plants will be on the job as usual, providing electric service for your home and business, and for Uncle Sam's Army camps and for war industries— You: I see! On KP duty, too! Reddy: Yes. Electric service is doing Kitchen Police duty EVERY day. And since the factories that used to make appliances now are doing war work, everybody should take good care of what they've got. Keep them repaired and in good working condition— You: But suppose they break down... repairmen are hard to find and new parts are scarce. Reddy: In that case, call the West Texas Utilities. Our service department has arranged to help out in emergencies. You: Thank you, Reddy. I guess we can be thankful for you, too! Reddy: Well, we can ALL be thankful for the American system of FREE enterprise under which any man or woman is free to create a business that fills a particular need in this or any other community, just so long as they give the best possible service at the lowest possible cost to the most people, pay taxes in support of the government, and contribute to the growth and development of the community. You: Right! That's the West Texas way... the American way... of doing business! INVEST IN AMERICA! Buy War Bonds and Stamps West Texas Utilities Company INVEST IN AMERICA! Buy War Bonds and Stamps



What becomes of the miles you don't drive?

Today undriven miles are war weapons.

The rubber you don't use is airplane tires, antitank-gun treads, machine-gun mounts, life rafts, tank-interior pads, pontoons, and hot water bottles for field hospitals.

The gasoline you don't use is fuel for fighter and bomber planes, for jeeps and tanks, for motor torpedo boats and armored cars. And more, the magic of the new petroleum chemistry takes the material, which formerly became gasoline, and Aladdin-lamps it into precious synthetic rubber and devastating high explosive.

The same intensive Phillips research which in peacetime was

dedicated to improving Phillips 66 Poly Gas and Phillips 66 Motor Oil now, vastly increased in scope and faster in tempo, serves the Nation's victory program.

In the same national interest, every patriotic driver is cutting his miles and his speed, making his car and his tires last longer and go farther.

Every Phillips 66 Service Man is pledged to help you in this effort. Make certain to enlist his aid when you stop at any Orange and Black 66 Shield for Phillips 66 Poly Gas, famous for fast-starting pep and extra mileage . . . and Phillips 66 Motor Oil, 100% paraffin base.



Phill-up with Phillips for Instant Starting

KITCHENWARE CUT AGAIN

In the last of four actions affecting metal kitchen gadgets, cooking utensils and housewares,

WPB has reduced manufacture of these items to a few bare essentials for the duration of the war. The order, affecting kitchen tools, glass or ceramic flamework, cooking utensils and storage utensils,

covers all items not included in the previous three orders of the series. Generally, items using less than five per cent of metal by weight are not covered.

THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH

By the Apostle

MORE TACTICS.
The Russians have assumed a new angle of military tactics since the Germans are on the run. Charging up to a bunch of the enemy, the Russians charged and were at once puzzled as to what became of the enemy until a Russian captain combed a German general out of his whiskers.

LOSS OF MEMORY.
Now see what the war is doing to us. Only today, a fine old lady told me that she had been married fifty years, and that she and her husband had never had a cross word.

DARN THAT STORK.
Hitler's mother would have been better off had she thrown Adolph away and kept the stork.

MISSING OUT.
An evangelist down in Milam county is said to have published a list of 726 sins. Since that news got out, the preacher is deluged with letters asking for the list. A lot of our folks want to know what they have been missing.

ANIMALISTIC.
Often the mink hanging in the clothes closet causes more family hardship than the wolf at the door.

ECONOMY-MINDED.
A long time ago when the Scots began to leave south Texas and start for the west, a Scot got into an argument with the Conductor near San Angelo. The argument waxed hot and heavy over what the Scot said amounted to an overcharge of five cents by the conductor. Just at that time, the train was crossing the Concho river bridge. The conductor threw the Scot's suitcase out the window where it hit the water with a splash. "Mon!" screamed the Scot. "Ain't it enough to swindle me out of five cents, and now you try to drown my little boy!"

PROGRESSION.
An Amarillo party phoned a doctor. "Hey, come quick! My wife has the appendicitis!" "Nonsense," said the doctor. "I took out your wife's appendix three years ago." Then the old boy yelped back at the doctor. "Say, dock, I've changed wives three times since you cut out that appendix! This is the one that rat poison would not kill, but her appendix is in durn bad order."

BAD DOPE.
Amnesia is bad, but to suffer from both Amnesia and Magnesia at the same time, is really interesting.

Pharmacists, Meat Inspectors Sought For Federal Service

A new examination to recruit pharmacists for Federal dispensaries and hospitals is announced by the U. S. Civil Service Commission. In addition, men and women not now employed on livestock, dairy, or poultry farms who are acquainted with livestock raising and processing are sought as inspectors for meat packing establishments.

The examination announced for Junior Pharmacist, \$2,000 a year, is given for the first time since 1940. It is open to applicants who have successfully completed a full 4-year course with major study in pharmacy in a recognized college, university, college of pharmacy, or medical school, and to senior students in such schools who expect to graduate before July, 1943. It is also open to registered pharmacists lacking college training—provision being made for substituting pharmaceutical experience, or study in resident pharmacy schools, for the prescribed college training.

Applications for Junior Pharmacist must be filed with the Commission's Washington office by December 15, 1942. Positions at \$1,440, \$1,620, and \$1,800 as well as at \$2,000 are available to applicants passing the written examination. Assistant Lay Inspector positions in meat packing establish-

ments, do not require written tests. Applicants who show that they have lived for 4 years since their twelfth birthday on farms or ranches producing livestock, or applicants who have had at least 2 years of experience since their sixteenth birthday handling livestock or preparing and processing meat products may be eligible for the position which pays \$1,620 a year.

There is no maximum age limit for any of these positions.

Full information as to requirements and application forms may be obtained from Ernest Hunt or Elmer G. Hayes, Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at the local postoffice.

Thanksgiving Day TO Hear Harvest Broadcast

College Station, Nov. 28— American farmers from coast to coast will be honored for their record-breaking wartime production in a nation-wide broadcast

Thanksgiving night, the Texas USDA War Board has announced. The program will be heard from 9 till 9:30 p. m., Thursday over the Columbia Broadcasting System.

The script for the broadcast was written by Stephen Vincent Benet, Secretary of Agriculture. Claude Wickard will participate on the program.

The broadcast will highlight the national Thanksgiving Harvest Observance which is being observed during the month of November, according to the USDA War Board.

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YOUR BUSINESS APPRECIATED

Simpson's Mill & Feed Store

PHONE 149



An American Tradition THANKSGIVING CHEER

This has been a most eventful year in the history of our Country. There are abundant reasons for Thanksgiving. The tide of the war is turning in favor of our Allies, so let's be thankful for our splendid year of crops, and for those events which leads us nearer to victory on the field of battle.

We Are Thankful Too!

The Farmers Exchange joins with you in the spirit of Thanksgiving. We are thankful for your business considerations in the past, and hope that we may be always at your service.

FARMERS EXCHANGE

GROCERY & MARKET



Classified Advertisements

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Lovely furnished apartment. Priced reasonable. Mrs. Harry Ruddell. (38-tfc)

FOR SALE

CHRISTMAS GIFTS—Fuller Brushes and other products. See Mrs. Johnny Beard. (41-c)

FOR SALE—Five room stucco house and garage. All modern conveniences. Located between schools. Inquire at Leader office.

FOR SALE—Ten practically new single cotton mattresses, \$5.00 each. J. R. Gillham. (40-c)

FOR SALE—Two John Deere tractors mounted on good rubber, in good condition. See William P. Chamberlain. (40-c)

See our Christmas Display and do your Christmas shopping early at— Stocking's Drug Store (38-p)

Let us cut down your auto tubes or patch them up for you. Sinclair Service Station. (38-c)

Use Dr. Salsbury's Rota-Caps for worming chickens. For sale at— Stocking's Drug Store (38-p)

See us for Butane Gas needs. Phone 148. Plains Farm Gas. (38-c)

BLACKLEG BACTERIN — Six cents per dose. Stocking's Drug Store (38-p)

Produce more EGGS, MILK and MEAT by feeding Dr. LeGears concentrated livestock and poultry prescriptions. Stocking's Drug Store (34-p)

WORM CAPSULES—Guaranteed to free your poultry flock from worms. \$1.35 per hundred. Clarendon Hatchery (36-tfc)

PURINA CARBOLINEUM—Kills chicken mites, ticks, blue bugs and fleas. \$1.75 per gallon. Clarendon Hatchery (36-tfc)

WHY REMOVE OLD WALL-PAPER? Just paint right over it with KEM-TONE — amazing new resin wall finish. Covers with one coat. Dries in one hour. Washable. Thompson Bros. Co. (39-tfc)

FOR SALE—D-T Carbolated Cresote Base. Kills and Repels Mites, Fowl Ticks (Blue Bugs) and Repels Termites. Wood Preserver and Disinfectant. Thomas Mill and Feed Store (29-tfc)

FOR SALE—New supply Kiln-dried lumber. Used pipe of all kinds. Phone 397-J. John S. Morgan. (7-tfc)

WANTED

WANTED — Will do carpenter work, painting or papering. Phone 324. (40-p)

WANTED— Empty feed sacks. Thomas Mill & Feed Store. (31-tfc)

RAILROAD SEGMENT RAILS DUE FOR WAR USE

WPB has requested certification from the Office of Defense Transportation as to whether 35 railroad segments are essential in the war transportation effort. This action, a preliminary to requisitioning of rails by WPB to provide relay tracks for the armed services, involves several roads in the Southwest, including Pacific Ry. Co., between Lawton and Grandfield, Okla., a distance of about 34 miles; Texas & Pacific Ry. Co., between Ville Platte and Eunice, La., a distance of 15 miles, and the entire line of the Paris & Mt. Pleasant Railroad, running between Paris and Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

Texas Trucking Industry to Buy War Bonds

AUSTIN, Nov. 28—The trucking industry of Texas will be asked to sign up all employees from executives on down in an agreement to put at least ten per cent of earnings into the purchase of war bonds.

This announcement was made by Ed Sproles, president of the Texas Motor Transportation Association. This Association will throw its full weight into a one-week National drive beginning November 30th and extending through December 6th.

The drive, which was requested by the United States Treasury Department, will feature a payroll savings plan along the lines followed by numerous companies and industries throughout the Nation and will have the backing of trucking company executives and employees alike.

Individual trucking companies are already organizing for the effort so that no segment of the industry will remain untouched in helping to win the war with savings which will provide material for the armed forces of the United Nations.

The trucking industry is one of seven major enterprises which have been designated by the Treasury to go "over the top" in war bond purchases equaling or exceeding ten per cent of payroll. Sproles pointed out.

A "Cushion" For Rationing

College Station, Nov. 25—The government's Share-the-Meat program should pave the way to a cheerful acceptance of rationing, and it likely is one of several food programs in which county and municipal food and nutrition committees will be assigned wartime responsibility, executive members of the State Nutrition Committee were told at a recent meeting in Fort Worth.

The local food and nutrition committees, which are a part of the OCD organization in Texas, will train block leaders for a face-to-face campaign for voluntary sharing of meat, according to Mildred Horton, chairman of the state committee and vice director of the A&M College Extension Service. A sub-committee on community planning headed by Dr. Ercel Eppright of the Texas State College for Women, is helping local nutrition committees prepare for their duties in the movement.

In addition to training the local leaders, nutrition committees will help Texans have adequate diets in the face of increased war-time difficulties. Menus and recipes for "extending meat flavors" and for properly preparing meat and alternate foods will be made available by the local committees. They also will arrange war food demonstrations following the face-to-face campaign of November 30 to Dec. 5.

The county unit of home economists will serve as the county planning and coordinating committee where defense nutrition committees have not been organized, Miss Horton says. Governor Coke Stevenson, chairman of the National Defense Committee for Texas, last week urged county and municipal defense coordinators to complete organization of nutrition committees and the block leader system prior to the Share-the-Meat campaign.

ATTEND FUNERAL Those to attend the funeral of E. M. Ozier here Friday afternoon were his children, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens and daughter Carolyn of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Ozier and Bunk Ozier of Amarillo; Mrs. Ozier's brothers, Luff Shelton of Bartley, Artis Shelton of Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shelton and daughter Edith of Dumas and G. M. Richard and son Emmett of Wellington and Miss Anna Lue Richards of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant are visiting her sister, Mrs. Carhart at Panhandle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Allred and girls of Farwell, N. M. visited Tuesday and Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Doss Palmer.

Mrs. C. T. McMurtry and Laverne McMurtry left Saturday for Washington, D. C. where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slaven.

ON THE HOME FRONT

Home Front morale in the Southwest has been put to the test increasingly in the last week. But gasoline mileage rationing, coffee rationing, milk and meat shortages, and serious prospects of shortages in butter and other commodities are not as bad as some of the discomforts and restrictions we may have to undergo to win the war.

Discomforts, restrictions and even severe dislocation of business are necessary to the realization of our war aim—the destruction of those forces that threaten the very foundations of civilization, our homes and schools.

Gasoline rationing in the heart of the oil country to preserve our precious rubber supply is one of the minor inconveniences of war. Southwesterners should be thankful—and sympathetic—because we do have our huge oil supplies. In the East, where there is an additional factor of transportation, gasoline rations have been cut to three gallons a week, instead of the four gallons to be allowed in the favored Southwest. On top of that, while Southwestern homes remain comfortably heated with natural gas, Eastern homes will be cold and uncomfortable this winter because of the transportation shortage.

Complaints and protests over some of the restrictions—especially gasoline and coffee rationing—have been loud and frequent, but they don't mean that morale is threatened. When a person fights a fire, he's liable to get scorched and blistered and when he's hurt he may yell. But he goes right on fighting until the fire is extinguished.

America and the United Nations have been fighting a pretty bad one, and now that our armies and navies are getting closer to the center of the trouble, the civilian population will have to do its share by doing without while the military forces are being supplied.

Doing without coffee while the ships that formerly brought it to us carry supplies to North Africa and the Solomons is the easiest thing civilians can do. Our soldiers in Tunisia may not have coffee, either, but those coffee ships are carrying ammunition and other supplies to them. Cutting down our use of rubber by mileage rationing at home is better than cutting down the manufacture of rubber boats to save our Rickenbackers.

The Week's developments, which included a "freeze" order on 50 per cent of the butter stocks in 35 major dairy markets (including Dallas and Fort Worth) and an additional cut in allocations of meat for sale to civilians, probably won't be full felt until after the first of the year. Present plans call for card rationing of meat to replace the voluntary system now in effect, but the Office of Price Administration said no butter rationing program is in immediate prospect.

In connection with the gasoline rationing program, the OPA said that dealers will not be permitted to accept coupons from the new ration books unless each coupon has the required identification on the back. For most passenger cars, truck and motorcycle operators, this identification will consist of the vehicle's license number and state of registration.

While new regulations were bringing restrictions, there were compensations for farmers who have been hard pressed to keep their labor in the face of draft demands and competition of industry.

Instructions were issued to local selective service boards to defer farm workers between the ages of 18 and 45 who are necessary to and regularly engaged in agriculture. Local boards may seek advice of Department of Agriculture officials and county war boards as to what farms are essential to the war and what jobs on them are necessary.

Mrs. Annie Wadsworth returned to her home here Sunday after a three weeks visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Bill Thomas who has been working in Dalhart is now employed at the Thompson Bros. Hardware Co.

Mrs. James Williamson is here to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. B. C. Antrobus.

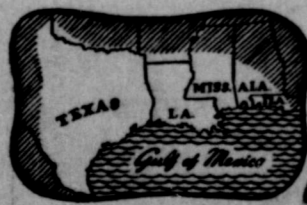
Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Vaughn have moved to Pampa.

The Gulf South MEANS BUSINESS

Gulf South skies are vibrant with the roar of motors. There is a quickened pace of industrial activity as airplanes, guns, ships and shells pour forth from huge assembly lines. Men in khaki and men in blue are everywhere. Civilian Defense classes have waiting lists. War Bond drives exceed quotas.

Every man, woman and child in the Gulf South, joined with all America, is meeting the challenge. They are answering with the might of all our natural resources and speeded production. They are determined that no dictator shall rob us of our precious heritage . . . the right to life, liberty and happiness.

Natural Gas, a part of our great industrial army, has never worked so hard as now. Our facilities—more than adequate in peacetime—are now taxed to the utmost to meet the greatly increased demands of war. Because of these greatly increased demands and because building of pipe lines must be kept to a minimum to conserve steel, all of us can help by careful use of this precious fuel. The Gas you save will help build more armaments for Victory.



The Gulf South

Is Working With All America for VICTORY

UNITED GAS PIPE LINE COMPANY AND ASSOCIATED COMPANIES

BUY A SHARE IN VICTORY . . . BUY U. S. WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Advertisement for Star-Telegram Fort Worth, featuring a 'BARGAIN DAY' promotion with rates of \$7.95 and \$6.75 per week, and a list of features like 'COMPLETE MARKET' and 'WOMAN'S PAGE'.

The Limitation On The Payments Of Old Age Benefits In Texas

(The following is a copy of a Bill which will be offered to the next Legislature by Rep. Ennis Favors of this 122nd District, which he believes will clear up the muddle of paying old age assistance. The Old Folks were cut \$1.00 this month, and there will be other cuts if something is not done.)

Article 7083a, Section 2, Subdivision 4, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, is the present law now in effect limiting the payment of Old Age Assistance. The above Statute limits the total payment of Old Age Assistance in Texas to One Million, Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$1,750,000.00) per month.

House Bill 8, the Omnibus Tax Bill, passed by the last regular session of the Texas Legislature raises revenue far in excess of

this amount, and the amount necessary for the whole Social Security Program in Texas; substantially one-fourth (1/4) of this revenue goes into the Available School Fund, as provided for in the Texas Constitution, and substantially three-fourths (3/4) of this revenue goes into the Clearance Fund, and is transferred out of the Clearance Fund, into the Old Age Assistance Fund monthly at the rate of One Million, Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$1,750,000), less revenue from other minor sources, the excess over and above this amount going into the General Fund, and which excess is more than sufficient to pay the Old People their full pension.

I propose to Amend this law at the next Regular Session of the Texas Legislature, which con-

venes January 12, 1943, and lift this limitation sometimes called a ceiling, by transferring such sum as necessary for the full payment of Old Age Assistance on the 1st day of each Month from the Clearance Fund into the Old Age Assistance Fund. The Omnibus Tax Bill now in force raises ample and sufficient revenue, and the problem is transferring such revenue from the Clearance Fund into the Old Age Assistance Fund. Additional revenue is not necessary.

A Bill to be Entitled
AN ACT amending Article 7083a, Section 2, Subdivision 4, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as passed by Acts of the Forty-Seventh Legislature, Regular Session, General Laws, Chapter 184, H. B. 8, Article 20, Sec. 2, Subd. 4, pages 338-339, providing for allocation and appropriation from the Clearance Fund into the Old Age Assistance Fund on the 1st day of each Month, such sum, which, taken with other sums paid into such Old Age Assistance Fund by virtue of other laws still in force, will equal the total of the Grants for Old Age Assistance for such Month, and such sum is hereby appropriated for the uses provided by law for such Old Age Assistance Fund; and providing that the Department of Public Welfare shall certify to the amount necessary for the full payment of Old Age Assistance on or before the 1st day of each Month; and providing that the State Treasurer shall immediately transfer such amount from the Clearance Fund into the Old Age Assistance Fund; and providing that such amount is to be matched by the Federal Government; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency.

NATIONAL HOSIERY SALVAGE STARTS

Used silk and nylon hosiery started on their way to war, with the opening of WPB's collection campaign on November 16. Collection boxes have been placed at women's hosiery counters of retail stores. The stockings turned in will be processed and reclaimed into valuable war materials, destined for action on the front lines.

Donley County Leader, \$2 a year.

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CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Chiropractors Ask For Fair Treatment

AUSTIN, Nov. 28—Alleging that Texans who need and prefer chiropractic health service are being unjustly discriminated against as the result of Texas' failure, up to this time, to join 42 other states in recognition of the profession, Dr. Ernest W. Chaney, chairman, and Dr. Roy E. LeMond, co-chairman of the Texas Chiropractic Educational Committee, today announced a vigorous legislative and educational program to correct the situation. Dr. Hugh Warren of San Antonio is president of the State Chiropractic Association, and Dr. George Grupe, San Angelo, president of the Texas Chiropractic Research Society.

"The present United States governmental rationing program provides an excellent example of unfair treatment of our patients and members of our profession," said Dr. Chaney. "Federal O.P.A. rules specifically provide, that among others, chiropractors shall be allowed tires and gasoline for the purpose of answering calls of those unable to visit their offices. Yet certain O.P.A. officials have refused tires on the grounds that Texas does not recognize the chiropractic profession. We are now awaiting installation of gasoline rationing to find what action will be taken. But, even though we were allowed gasoline and had no tires for our automobiles, even that would do no good."

"This, we claim, in effect, is a denial of the rights of citizens as called for in the FOUR FREEDOMS as delineated by President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. Proposed legislation calls for a strict educational and training requirement of those who would practice chiropractic. It also calls for the appointment of a qualified and fair board of Chiropractic examiners since we cannot possibly hope for fair treatment from a board composed of members of other professions. We do not question the right of any citizen to choose one who practices a healing profession other than ours. We do, however, claim a right to practice and to insist that our profession be conducted on the high plane and standards we desire for it."

A private herb garden is maintained at the University of Texas, so that pharmacy students and professors may grow plants for experimental use.

People who look back these days may not turn into a pillar of salt, but they may turn into a telephone pole.

Texas wealth is usually estimated as between \$11,000,000,000 and \$13,000,000,000.

Thanksgiving 1942

Dear Lord:

At this Thanksgiving season, I come into the courts of Thy presence, with thanks and gratitude.

Though it may be hard, and tho' temptation may attempt to discredit my efforts, I will try to make this the richest Thanksgiving of my life.

I need Thy Everlasting Arms for those I love and myself, as I'd never dreamed could be. I am grateful that Thou in Thy wisdom are drawing us all nearer to Thee, and teaching us how to pray.

And tho' the voice of error clamors its doubts, fears and dismay in our hearts, I am grateful that Thou art nearer than ever before, no matter how far away You may seem!

I am profoundly grateful you taught the lesson of gratitude in Your great miracle of love—that in the midst of sorrow, and death itself, You could lift up Your eyes and voice, and say, "Father, I thank Thee."—and cause the return of spirit to Your beloved friend.

Teach me thankfulness.

Let my heart abound with joy and gratitude, no matter how distressing things may seem—for it is the open door that leads into Thy Holy Sanctuary, where I will find the help for my every need—whatever it be!

Though my troubled mind be burdened with the griefs of the Today—give me Silent Faith—faith that silences the turbulent passions within—and may I realize that in stillness, I meet Thee face to face and find assurance and the peace of great price—Eternal Peace.

Today as never before, I thank Thee for Thanksgiving.
—Charlotte Word.

The Texas State Capitol Building is among the four largest Capitol Buildings in the United States, including the Capitol at Washington.

The prison system of Texas consists of a central plant at Huntsville and ten farms.

Donley County Leader, \$2 a year.

No Quotas, No Loan

College Station, Nov. 28—No government loan can be offered on cotton in 1943 if marketing quotas are rejected in the nationwide referendum Saturday, December 12, Frank Seale, state AAA committeeman, reminded cotton growers this week.

Seale, himself a Robertson county cotton farmer, pointed out that the law prohibits the Commodity Credit Corporation from making loans on cotton in any year in which quotas are rejected.

The government loan has served as a floor under cotton prices ever since 1938, the first year quotas were in effect, the AAA committeeman declared. Currently, the basic cotton loan rate of 16.97 cents a pound, 90 percent of parity, is supporting the price of cotton.

"With our huge supply of cotton and with world prices equal

to about half what we're getting for cotton, there is no telling what would happen to American cotton prices if the loan were removed," Seale declared.

Cotton growers will vote for the sixth time on marketing quotas December 12. Each year for the past five years they have voted overwhelmingly to use quotas as a means of assuring each producer his fair share of the available cotton market.

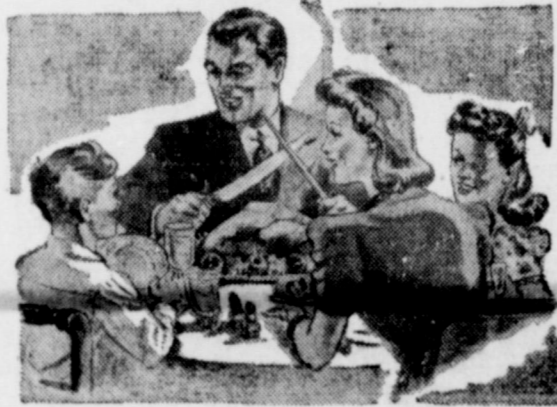
Farming is the principal activity of the Prison System of Texas, with more than 45,000 acres in cultivation. It also includes cotton mills, brick plant, canning and other foodstuff factories, print shop, shoe shop and a plant which manufactures all auto license plates distributed by the State Highway Department.

Thirteen University of Texas students received the doctor's degree at summer commencement exercises—first time this degree was ever conferred at an August commencement.

LET'S BE THANKFUL



The Pilgrims gave thanks for the American Way of Life that they created, protected, and nourished into greatness.



Today we give thanks that this same American Way of Life has survived and shown progress as each year passes.

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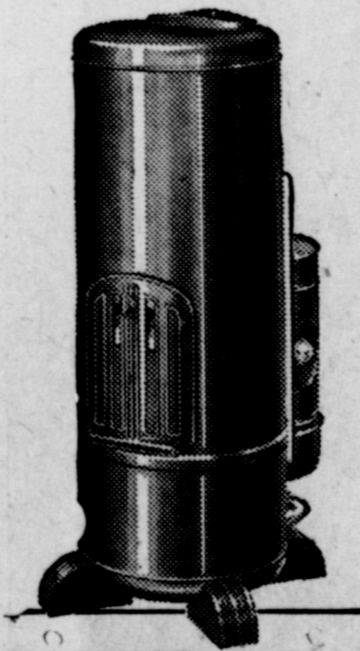
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West Texas Utilities Has 136 Men In Armed Forces As War Contribution, Also Paying \$1,200,000 In Taxes

Uncle Sam, observing the first wartime Thanksgiving Day since 1917, still has many things for which to be thankful, among them four substantial contributions to the war effort being made by the West Texas Utilities.

The company, which begins its 32nd year of service to West Texans next month, is credited with supplying ample power for production in this area, highly skilled men for the armed forces, many tons of scrap metal, and with contributing \$1,200,000 in 1942 taxes. Light and power from WTU's three major generating stations at San Angelo, Quanah and Abilene now is serving war plants over a 45,000-square-mile territory with military training camps at San Angelo, Abilene, Ballinger, Stamford, Cisco, Vernon, Childress, Dumas and Dalhart. The need for electricity at all points has been met in full and without delay.

The company now has a total of 138 men in military service, with more being called almost daily. Twenty-four of the 138, many of whom are trained technicians, already are commissioned officers. One is a lieutenant-colonel, six

are majors, four are captains, twelve are lieutenants, and one is a Navy ensign.

Each local office has contributed quantities of scrap metal in community drives, much of which was highly prized copper and aluminum.

Statisticians have figured that the \$1,200,000 in 1942 taxes paid by the company, up 39 per cent from last year, is "enough to blast the Japanazis with 57 million bullets from the new Gerand rifle" based on the Army's specified price of 25 cents a dozen.

In addition to these four major contributions to the war effort, nearly a thousand employees in nine districts are competing for bond-buying honors. Early this year over 96 per cent of all regular employees pledged themselves to a voluntary war bond and stamp buying program.

The various districts, with headquarters in Abilene, Cisco, Stamford, Dalhart, Quanah, Ballinger, McCamey, Childress and San Angelo, now are vying for the highest percentage-of-payroll purchases.

They Keep 'Em Sailing, Too



NEW YORK CITY.—Americans with their War Bond purchases help to pay for the ships and cargoes of the merchant marine, but it's the ship repairmen who keep them on the sea. In this picture made at the Todd Shipyards in Brooklyn, we see a crew of burners making a spectacular scene with their oxy-acetylene torches eating through steel and setting up a ship for repairs. This crew is removing bent plates from the side of a ship.

New Deadline Date Is Announced

College Station, Nov. 29.—Texas farmers still have time to obtain Certificates of War Necessity before the deadline date.

Under a recent announcement from the Office of Defense Transportation, the effective date has been postponed from November 15 to December 1 at which time certificates will be required on all farm trucks, buses, taxicabs, and similar commercial vehicles.

Gasoline rationing also becomes

effective in Texas on December 1. According to B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, farmers who have applied for but have not received certificates by December 1 will receive temporary gasoline rations.

He explained that after certificates are received that regular coupon books would be issued and deductions made for gasoline used under the temporary rations.

Operators subject to the registration order will not be able to obtain tires, parts or gasoline without Certificates of War Necessity.

The Texas State Capitol Building at Austin has 18 acres of floor space and approximately 500 rooms.

Some fellow with nothing better to do has figured out that there are 293 ways of making change for a dollar.

A lot of folks think we are good because we pretend to be shocked at the sins of others.

Auto Mechanics Wanted Now

"Almost every trained worker in the automotive service industry who may find himself without work due to the curtailed use of automobiles can qualify for some kind of a civil service job," Paul H. Figg, director, Tenth Civil Service Region, said today.

Auto mechanics, electricians, body and fender men are urged to convert their skills to aircraft employment by Mr. Figg, who pointed out that the federal government needs these experts for civilian jobs at air fields throughout Texas and Louisiana.

Men who have never worked on an airplane engine, but who have two years experience as an auto mechanic can qualify as a junior aircraft engine mechanic, \$1860 a year, and likewise auto electricians with two years experience can qualify as a junior aircraft electrician at the same salary.

Body and fender workers with four years experience can qualify as a sheet metal worker at \$9.12 a day.

Less experienced men may meet the requirements for general mechanic's helper, \$1500 a year, and men without any experience but who have an aptitude for mechanics, may qualify as a mechanical learner, \$1080 a year.

"Many persons without special training or skills will be interested in the classified laborer position, which pays as high as 88c an hour in some localities," Mr. Figg said.

Applications may be obtained from the local civil service secretary at any first or second class post office, or from the director, Tenth Civil Service Region, Customhouse, New Orleans, La., with whom all applications should be filed immediately.

Women Are Urgently Needed In WAAC

According to Lieutenant Colonel Marvin B. Durette, Commander of the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, only half as many women have enrolled in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps as are needed at this time. Only half as many soldiers can be released for combat duty by December 1st as was originally planned. Not enough women have been trained to take over the non-combatant jobs now being performed by soldiers.

Additional training facilities have been set up at Des Moines, Iowa and a new training center will begin operations on December 1st in Daytona Beach, Florida. It is believed that women will respond in greater numbers since the need for non-combatant workers is so great. Civil Service workers do not lose their status held at time of enrollment. They can return, at the expiration of their enrollment, to their former position or one of similar grade without loss of seniority rating.

Auxiliaries now earn the same pay as soldiers. Women entering the WAACS receive \$50 per month plus clothing, food and lodging, medical care and hospitalization. Junior leaders receive \$66 per month, Leaders \$78 per month and First Leaders receive \$138 per month. Women who demonstrate unusual leadership qualities will be selected for officer training. These women will be placed in officer training schools and upon completion of the course will be commissioned in the WAAC as a 3rd Officer, who is equivalent to a 2nd Lieutenant in the Army.

Lieutenant Colonel Durette added, "many towns and counties in our District are not represented in the W.A.A.C. West Texas has led in army recruiting for the Eighth Service Command and nothing would please me more than for us to lead in W.A.A.C. enrollments."

A psychiatrist says the unmarried are considerably more likely to go crazy. Go crazy and get married, eh, doc?

Nancy Richey Ranson of Dallas is Texas Poet Laureate for 1940-1942.

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Lubbock Receives 51 Men From Clarendon

During the recruiting campaign for the Air Forces which has just been completed fifty-one men from Clarendon were enlisted for the Lubbock Army Flying School and are now stationed at this large twin-engine advanced flying school.

A large number of men from all over West Texas and Texas and from twenty other States in the Union were enlisted. However, Texas led the list. Men were enlisted from New York to California and as far south as Florida.

In Texas, Lubbock furnished the greatest number of men from any one city or town, while Abilene held second place, Anson third place and Lamesa in fourth place, followed by Levelland. Men were enlisted from 216 Texas towns.

A man is that irrational creature who is always looking for a home-like atmosphere around a hotel and hotel accommodations when he is at home.



Thanksgiving ---

We have lots for which to be thankful: We live in America, a country that has many good things to offer. We are thankful for this community in which we live and it is our aim to give our best in services to help it grow.

We are thankful for the business that you have extended to us --- and we will try our best to show our appreciation by giving you the best of quality building materials and courteous service in the future.

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WE ARE GRATEFUL---

Even grocery stores have hearts, and Clarendon Food Store wishes to prove it by taking time out from advertising flour at so much a sack and lard at so much a pound to print a Thanksgiving greeting to our many customers in this community.

To you who show your appreciation of fine quality foods and low prices by steady patronage, we offer thanks and a promise of continued service.

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This year we have much to be thankful for. We are thankful to be Americans --- Thankful for our men on the fighting front --- Thankful for the freedom that they are fighting for.

We hope that by next Thanksgiving day, we all may be Thankful for a greater peace.

NORWOOD PHARMACY

Reliable Prescription Service

Bundle Mailing Deadline Is Nearing

The bulk of Christmas mail must be in the post office by December 1st this year if deliveries on time are to be assured, according to Smith W. Purdum, Second Assistant Postmaster General. Mr. Purdum is responsible to Postmaster General Frank C. Walker for smooth and efficient air and railway mail service.

Unprecedented wartime demands on the postal and transportation systems, plus a prospective record volume of Christmas mailings, were cited by Mr. Purdum as necessitating earlier mailings than ever before. "It is physically impossible for the railroads and air lines, burdened with vitally important war materials, to handle Christmas mailings as rapidly as in normal times", Mr. Purdum said. "If the bulk of parcels and greeting cards are held back until the usual time—the period of about December 15 to 23—they simply cannot be distributed in time, and thousands of gifts will reach their destinations after Christmas."

In 1941, about 21,950 mail cars were required between December 12 and 24 to deliver Christmas mails—enough cars to make a train 270 miles long. This year, the extra cars needed to move holiday mails are largely being used by the armed services, and a severe shortage is in prospect.

The postal service usually borrows about 2,500 trucks from the Army and other Government agencies, and rents about 10,000 from private owners, to handle

the Christmas mails. This year, it will be extremely difficult to obtain enough of these vehicles to meet even a substantial part of the need. The Army needs its own trucks and private owners are reluctant to let someone else use their tires.

Railroads are cooperating by converting some hundreds of steel box cars and similar equipment for mail transportation, and Joseph B. Eastman, Director of Defense Transportation, has ordered that unnecessary travel be curtailed to the limit during the holiday season. But these measures cannot assure deliveries of gifts on time unless the public cooperates by mailing early and thus spreading the transportation load over a longer period than usual.

Mr. Purdum called attention to the task of the Post Office Department in moving millions of pieces of mail every day to and from soldiers, sailors and marines throughout the world. This extraordinary job must be kept current, even while the holiday rush of mailings is handled. Also, he pointed out, the postal establishment is operating with many thousands of inexperienced personnel, employed take the place of men called to the armed services. The new employees naturally cannot handle the holiday mail jam with the smoothness and speed of the postal veterans whom they replace.

In view of all these handicaps to the service, Mr. Purdum added, postal patrons should mail their gifts by December 1st if they wish to insure that their friends will not be disappointed at Christmas.

LEAVE FOR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin left for their home in California Saturday after a three weeks visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brown.

Mrs. Fay Eggleston and son Neal of Vernon were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duncan will spend Thanksgiving in Memphis with relatives.

Producers—

(Continued from Front page)

against this will not end the program it would only end the control feature of it, and, if we are to have a program then why destroy the controlling feature of it. In former years when there was only a voluntary program, approximately 80% of the farmers in the United States, participated in it, but the other 20% who did not participate destroyed the work of the others by overplanting, and taking advantage of those who were trying to help themselves, and others. The same was true of wheat, for while some stayed within their allotments, others overplanted to such an extent that there was an over production and Quotas had to be voted in.

Our storage problem is becoming acute along with other things. War equipment must be stored, the great surplus of wheat must be stored, the enormous grain crop must be stored. Should we raise cotton to be piled out on the ground and rot. I am sure that the cotton storage is short, because this year for the first time the Department of Agriculture has come out with an offer to lend money for cotton stored on the farm at regular rates.

I am sure you think that I am all out for Quotas, but I only want what the farmers want, and 25,000,000 bales of cotton looks like an awful lot of cotton to me.

As you know there is a temporary freeze order on certain types of machinery, which we hope will be lifted soon. We are not able to tell you a lot about the machinery rationing program yet, but do know that the county will get only about 7% of the usual amount of new farm machinery, and that we will have a quota to dispense for the whole county for the whole year.

WILL VISIT PARENTS

Sgt. Chas. A. Patman of Camp Swift, Texas is home on a 10-day furlough and his wife the former Marian McCormick who teaches at Rosenberg, will join him Thursday and will visit in the homes of Will Patman and June Taylor.

Lion Scrap Drive Nets \$27.00

Lee Bell, chairman of the local Lions Club scrap committee announced this week that the scrap drive that was in effect last week netted the club twenty-seven dollars which will be used for charity or War Bonds. A total of 6,945 pounds of scrap was turned in before the show Friday afternoon. Of this amount, there was 2,370 pounds of rubber and 4,475 lbs. of metal.

Approximately three hundred school students and others attended the show at the Cozy Theatre. The film for the picture was donated by the Twentieth Century Fox Film Co., and the H. Mulkey Estate furnished the Theatre without charge.

Mr. Bell also stated that if anyone had any kind of scrap that they wanted to give, they could call him and he would come and get it or they could just pitch it out in front of the Pastime Theatre.

"We want this scrap to continue to come in," he stated, "and we will probably repeat this same kind of drive again next month."

Clarendon Clinic Hospital Notes

Surgical patients:

June Gilbert, Ashtola, tonsillectomy.

Medical:

Mrs. Frank Davis, Hedley; Mrs. Hugh Butler, Lloyd Moreland, Geo. Bulman, Ross Darby and Dee Bullard.

Jean Taylor of Canyon and Mrs. Ernest Kelley of Lockney are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Taylor through the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. W. L. McConnell returned to her home at Panhandle Monday after a weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Stocking.

Harvest Festival At Hedley

Don't forget the harvest festival! This Friday night, November 27th, the Hedley Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring a harvest festival at the Hedley school auditorium at 8 p. m. The occasion offers much fun and entertainment, as well as the coronation of a school queen.

There will be plenty of eats offered for sale, and also many games to take part in. After you have had your fortune told and wish to cool off there will be plenty of cold drinks at your disposal. Of course everyone likes to eat popcorn and peanuts, and there will be plenty awaiting you. If you should happen to feel a sleepy feeling creeping over you, why just step over and get a cup of good hot coffee. Cake and pies will be offered, too, and who doesn't like those sweet luscious culinary products prepared by the Hedley ladies.

Come on, folks and have a good time, and all the while be helping a worthy cause. The people down Hedley way know how to entertain and they want you to be there.

FARMERS MAY INSTALL USED GAS TANKS

Authorization to install used gasoline dispensing pumps and storage tanks on farms of 10 or more acres has been issued by WPB, on recommendation of the Office of Petroleum Coordinator for War. Pumps and storage tanks to be installed must be used exclusively for dispensing petroleum products to machinery and vehicles employed directly in farm operations on the individual farm. No restrictions can be made whereby use of the equipment is limited to dispensing the products of any supplier or group of suppliers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bourland spent week end in Canyon with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Condon and also shopped in Amarillo Monday.

Gas Sign-up Extended

Asserting only 80 per cent of Texas' motorists registered last week for basic mileage rations, State OPA Director Mark McGee today requested and authorized county war ration boards to set up substations to continue registration through this week for the basic A books.

In telegrams to the boards, McGee authorized them to add sufficient volunteer workers to continue the registration, emphasizing that it should be completed this week.

"The boards are going to be swamped with applications for transport and supplemental rations and it is very urgent that these basic applications be completed as quickly as possible," said McGee.

The local rationing board has also requested that those wishing to apply for supplementary gasoline should get their applications in at once as that office is practically over-run with work at the present time. A tally of the number registering for A cards last week has not been completed at this date.

Mrs. Karl Adams was accompanied by her daughter June and Marilyn Sawyer to Amarillo Sunday. They were returning to school. Mrs. Adams visited the night with her daughter, Rachel Melton.

"Freeze" Exempts Some Fencing Materials

Fencing materials at retail levels are not covered in the recent "freeze" order on farm machinery.

However, fencing materials at manufacturer and distributor levels fall under the general "freeze" order and cannot be released until permanent rationing is begun, the Texas USDA War Board said this week.

Under the general order, most types of machinery were "frozen" as of November 1 to allow the government time to establish quotas since permanent rationing will get underway in the near future.

Purpose of the farm machinery rationing program is to route limited farm machinery into essential channels where maximum contribution will be made to the war program.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mary Jane is the name of the baby girl who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sasser at Lubbock, Nov. 15th. Mrs. Sasser is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bass of Clarendon.

Mrs. Regan Bryan and daughter Donarea of Wellington have returned to Clarendon and are now living in the W. A. Land apartments.

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Symbols of Thanksgiving

Shocks of grain in a moonlit field - - - Pumpkins - - - Turkey - - - Fruit. Those are the symbols of Thanksgiving, handed down by our ancestors. Today, though, we can be thankful for much besides a bountiful harvest - - - thankful for the American way of living that has grown out of private initiative and enterprise - - - Thankful for the Freedom which is ours, and our men are fighting for, on the battlefields in the present war.

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MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI Skinners 3 for .25	TOMATOES No. 2 Can .12	PEACHES Gold Bar or White Swan No. 2 1/2 28c
CORN DEL HAVEN No. 2 Can 2 for .25	APPLES BULK Nice Size .45 Peck .45	PEANUT BUTTER ARMOURS STAR Full Quart .45
PECANS Large Paper Shell Pound 30c	LEMONS SUNKIST Dozen 25c	FLOUR SUNNY BOY The All Purpose Flour 48 lbs. \$1.75 24 lbs. .90
		SPUDS No. 1 Red or White 10 lbs. .35
		CANDY CHOCOLATE COATED CHERRIES 1 lb. Box .39
		PUMPKIN KUNERS No. 2 1/2 .15