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THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1942

NEW SLOGAN

"You can't improve on perfection," people used to say. But now that slogan itself has been improved on. Progress has hit it, too, and today's byword is, "You can always do better."

At least, according to the news reports, that's what they're saying in war factories all over the country. It's one of the reasons for the rapid rise in output of the weapons we need so badly.

You remember the early days of radio, when almost every man who liked to tinker with machines built a homemade set.

In this present emergency people are using makeshift equipment once again—the time to turn out weapons. The same ingenuity and imagination that developed automobiles, radios, and all our other world-changing inventions, are being turned now to war work.

With Yankee ingenuity and determination, they can always do better—and they're doing it now.

WHOSE "COMPLACENCY"?

One of the most inspiring occurrences in American history has been taking place almost without pause and often in face of carrying, unwarranted criticism. We refer to the way the great bulk of the American people have accepted the dislocations caused by the war. It has been a splendid and patriotic demonstration of the courage and determination of the American people.

DON'T TELL MACARTHUR...

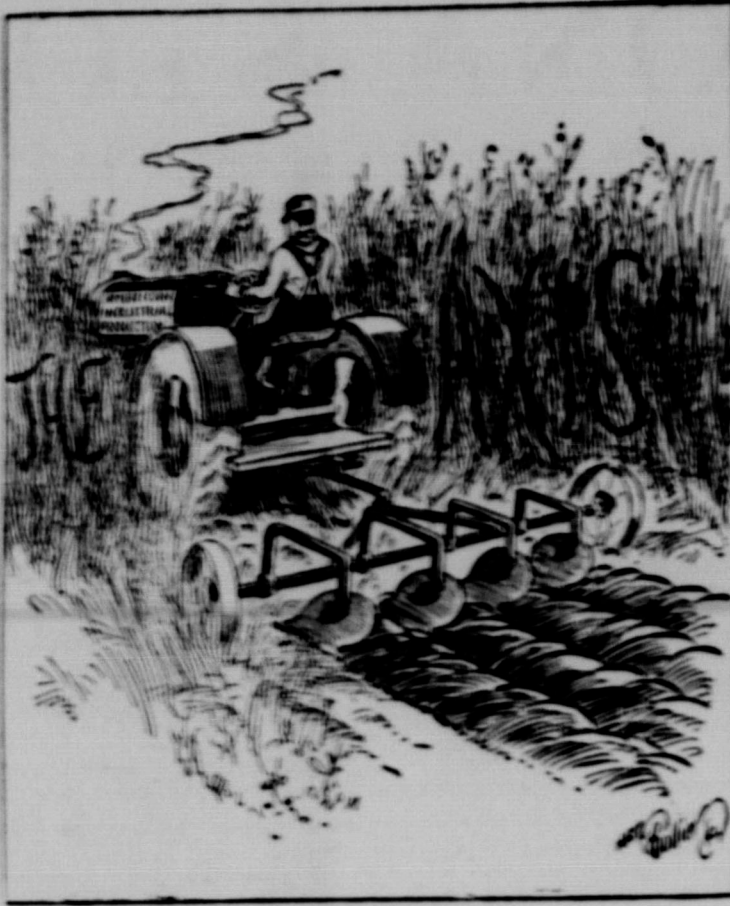
"So live that you can look MacArthur in the eye." Leaders of the United Auto Workers have just won an arbitration decision in Detroit. It gives them double time in all General Motors plants when the men work on Sundays or holidays, even though this work is merely part of a 48-hour week.

THERE'S THE RUBBER...

"The war will bring still more freedom for women," says a sociologist. Yes, indeed. Already it is beginning to bring them freedom from girdles.—St. Louis Star-Times.

Machine tools are the key industry for 1942. Production goals are 20 times normal.

SPRING PLOWING



GET AIRPOWER...

The airplane that America invented has become the greatest threat to the nation. Adm. Thomas C. Hart, former commander of Allied naval forces in the Western Pacific, says that Japanese aerial superiority has been the deciding factor in every battle so far fought in the Pacific war.

THIRD SHIFT...

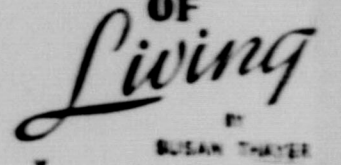
"We've got to get tough with ourselves before we try to get tough with someone else," says Donald Nelson, reminding us that the 304 days remaining to us to preserve our freedom have dwindled to 296.

MORE SACRIFICE...

What with the government asking industries for their idle aluminum, Mamma is frying eggs day and night in her last frying pan.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Rendall's Drive Inn in Ozona. For particulars inquire at the Stockman office. 11c

THIS BUSINESS OF Living



"Fantastic Ventures" of Our Age

The story of MacArthur's voyage from the Philippines to Australia will be told, I believe, as long as men speak the English language. Fate itself seems to have had a hand in bringing that little convoy of torpedo boats safely through the mine-infested, Japanese-held waters to their rendezvous with the flyers from "down under."

History is being made so rapidly these days that we become insensitive until some particularly dramatic feat highlights an hour. Then we pause to remember that we have ringside seats at some of the most significant events that have ever taken place on this earth.

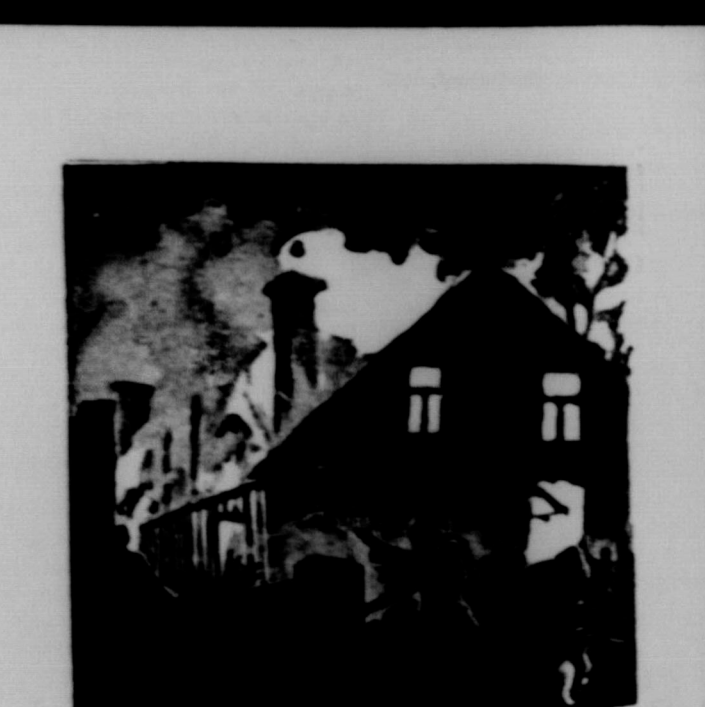
From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Brewerkeeper I ever knew was a fellow named Sam Abernethy. Sam's specialty was to take over some run-down store that somebody else had given up as a failure. Then Sam would turn it into a gold mine.

Increased Freight Rates On Livestock May Be Applied

COLLEGE STATION, April 6.—Livestock producers and shippers were warned today by H. H. Williamson, director of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, that drastic increases in freight charges on livestock may go into effect March 15.

movement of livestock, due to reduced use of trucks and expected increase in livestock production. The USDA War Board has called for increased production of hogs, sheep and lambs and for increased marketing of heavier beef cattle.



Don't Let This Happen To You!!

Hot, hungry tongues of flame can consume in a few brief hours all the prized possessions you have carefully accumulated in a lifetime. Charred, smoldering embers are mute testimony in the light of morning of the cost you pay for careless neglect.

GRAHAM & WHITE INSURANCE PHONO 91

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

Advertisement for 'The Pocketbook of Knowledge' featuring illustrations of a ship, a man, and a woman, with text describing its contents.

Behind The Scenes In American Business

By John Craddock

NEW YORK, April 6 — DURABLE BUYING — Easter's traditional shot in the arm to store sales, while considerable, this year was somewhat swallowed up in the steady surge of shopping "for the duration." That surge has spurred clothing and household supplies sales, and has kept the nation's department store sales showing steady margins—of 24 to 25 per cent—over comparable weeks of last year, for more than 10 months now . . . Most spectacular single item has been men's suits—of which as many were sold in the first three months of this year as ordinarily in eight months . . . Many stores are advertising in an effort to discourage advance-of-the-advance buying . . . Philadelphia stores reported an acute shortage of men's work clothes . . . San Francisco commented upon the

With Our Boys 'Somewhere in Northern Ireland'



Picture at left shows a private in the A.E.F., on sentry duty, somewhere in Northern Ireland. Irish children—two of them barefooted—watch and admire him. It is a true case of "hero worship." Right: These soldiers have just finished mess and are pictured as they clean their tin plates. Judging from their happy faces, the food "over there" is agreeing with the boys well enough.

predominance of "cash on the counter" in its brisk store business . . . Salesmen in one Boston store have had their own trousers de-cuffed, for the psychological effect on customers (the no-cuffs order now applies to garments that were already in retail stock).

RE: PRODUCTION — Steel scrap collection has improved enough to bring a rise in steel production rate . . . North American Aviation returns \$14,000,000 to the Government "rather than keep it as profit;" it represents savings in manufacture through increased efficiency coming with the "know-how" of building war planes . . . An A L of L union of bricklayers and masons in Maryland turned down a dollar-a-day wage rise as "unpatriotic" . . . War Department got agreement to a \$40,000,000 reduction in the price of ordnance and aircraft built by Continental Motors of Muskegon, Mich., made possible by increased efficiency, plant savings, and "whole-hearted co-operation of the employees" . . . The Senate passed, 82 to 0, a bill providing for creation of a \$100,000,000 "Smaller War Plants Corporation" to stimulate production of war materials in small business establishments.

BILLION DOLLAR BUSINESS Promotion of the wartime nutrition program will lift one major American industry well into its "second billion" in dollars of annual income, Department of Agriculture figures show. Last year, poultry farmers chalked up a cash income just above a billion dollars for their poultry and eggs. This year they have increased their flocks and stepped up egg production under the urging of the nation's nutritionists. Cooperating with both the farmers and the nutritionists are virtually all the country's food chains in the ef-

fort to increase the national consumption of eggs for the sake of wartime health. Americans are being taught that eggs are our most "efficient" food, containing all but one of the vitamins and minerals essential to health. American farmers are expected to furnish these vitamins and minerals to Britain in the form of 50 million pounds of dried eggs this year—whereas in 1941 the total

production of the American dried eggs industry was only seven billion!

TIP-OFFS ON THE TIMES — Support for a general retail sales tax now comes from an unexpected quarter, the American Retail Federation. It recommends a 5 per cent rate, exempting rents, life insurance, education and health expenditures, and savings . . . If you

still want that new auto and got turned down before, despite good "credentials," try again. OPA has instructed rationing boards to be much more lenient on applications, because sales were far below even the rationed minimum . . . There may be a \$25,000 "salary ceiling" proposed in the tax bill, or in a wages-and-profits bill. It would take the form of legislating that a company couldn't deduct from its taxable income any amounts over \$25,000 paid to any employee. Recent revelations of fantastic salary boosts and bonuses in war-contract companies give impetus to this idea.

TWO-WAY STRETCH — Since Pearl Harbor the woodshed inventors have been concentrating on compounding a suitable tire substitute. But technicians in the labs of rubber and chemical companies have been searching also for replacements for rubber in thousands of everyday products. Last week, after three months of research on a particular problem, engineers of the B. F. Goodrich company came up with the first synthetic rubber thread. It won't mean any immediate relief to the girdle - and - brassiere situation (most "popular" use of elastic thread) because, like other forms of the Ameripol which is its "parent," the synthetic thread has to be for parachutes, in gas masks, in harness, and so forth. But when the American woman is able to buy a garment made with this new thread she will be buying not something "just as good," but better than pre-war, because it excels natural rubber in resistance to drying and bleaching, and resistance

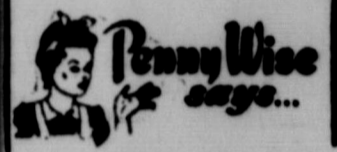
to the action of body oils, the rubber scientists report.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR — Fewer towels, less free stationery, unwrapped soap cakes with your hotel room . . . More plastics used in toys—first in line for the "sand-box" season are an all-plastic train and an all-plastic miniature "Jeep" car . . . A transparent liquid said to render ordinary window glass relatively shatter-proof (for emergencies) and to be removable by soap and water . . . Vitamin-enriched beer (by re-inserting the vitamins that used to be in it naturally until modern methods filtered them out) . . . Speed-up in marketing of many things in plastic tubes instead of tin ones now that the "tube for a tube" edict emphasizes the tin-saving need.

One type of airplane motor contains 7,000 parts. Each part is inspected an average of ten times to make sure that workmanship is perfect—which means 70,000 inspections for every engine.

NEGLECT MAY INVITE PYORRHEA
An Astringent and Antiseptic gists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. That must please the user or Drug-SMITH DRUG CO. 13

ROBERT MASSIE COMPANY
Superior Ambulance Service
Phone 4444 Day or Night
San Angelo, Texas



Penny Wise
Counting cents is common sense

SLIP-COVERS made to fit loosely wear longer than tightly stretched, well-fitted "jackets". Give your cover plenty of room to shift on the job—folks have a habit of being restless.



With all the money you'll save, buy DEFENSE SAVINGS STAMPS—Every Stamp and Bond you buy is an investment in freedom. War needs money!

NOTICE OF REWARD

I am offering **\$500 Reward** for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County — except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.
MRS. W. S. WILLIS
Sheriff, Crockett County

TRY THE SENSATIONAL NEW REMINGTON DUAL SHAVER

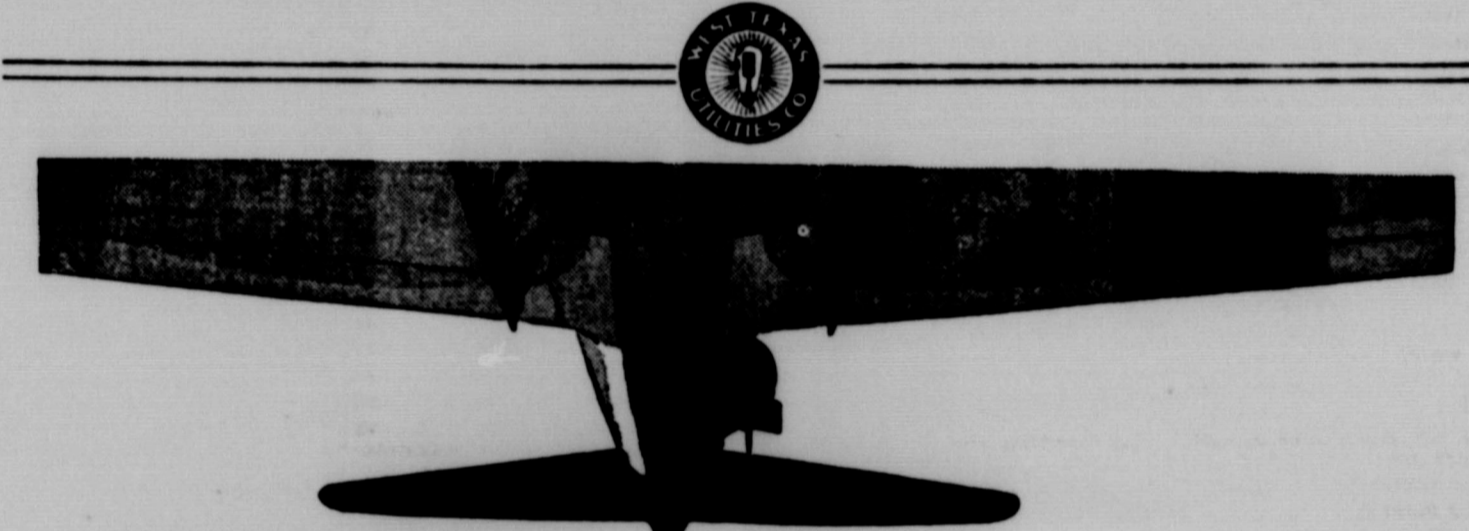


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90 SECONDS FOR COMFORTABLE BLADE-CLOSE SHAVES

Try this fast, modern shaver in your own home—entirely without obligation—for 90 whole days. We're willing to wager that once you find how much faster, closer and more comfortably this new Remington Dual whisks off whiskers with its TWO cutting heads, you won't want to part with it!
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Richly packed in a tin covered grain case with bright orange trim. Beige card and head guard. **\$15.75**

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BOMBS!

... after 10 Years of Inaction

WASHINGTON is "concerned" because the country has not awakened to the danger of bombs!

And the people are concerned—nay, alarmed—because Washington has not awakened to the danger confronting the country!

For 10 years the average American has been exposed to perpetual emotion. Each so-called "emergency" has resulted in creation of some new alphabetical bureau or agency until today he has little sympathy for the inconveniences of an over-crowded Washington.

With patience exhausted, the average citizen now is demanding something more than words, something more than cajolery to build up his morale.

He wants examples, actions, in high places.

Why, he is asking, is his money (taxes, bonds and stamps) allowed to be wasted on non-essential activities while boys in the armed forces are dying for lack of guns, ships, tanks and planes?

He ordered fighting equipment to rain bombs on the Axis!

No other country can compare with America's potential war production. No other has

the men, the machines—or the electric power.

America's electric companies, under trained and experienced business men, are supplying power for the vast wartime industries, in addition to your home and business, where it's needed when it's needed and in quantities greater than the combined total of all the enemy countries.

Last year they paid \$510,000,000 in taxes—enough money to equip 2,400,000* soldiers . . . enough money to build 9,273* pursuit planes, 2,429* light bombardment planes, or 1,522* flying fortresses!

Here's a business built the American way—by local enterprise and public individual investment—and regulated by the government and dedicated to defending America's freedom and democracy until the last dictator has fallen.

*Based on War Department figures.



West Texas Utilities Company

INVEST IN AMERICA! Buy Victory Bonds and Stamps!

Latin-American Scouts Active In Waste Paper Drive

Boys of the Latin-American Boy Scout troop are again active in gathering waste paper to aid the national war effort...

The Alamo Truck Line has agreed to transport the waste paper for the Scouts without charge to San Antonio markets and the Latin-American troop...

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Clyde Childers, Pastor
Schedule of services:
9:40 Sunday School.
10:50 Morning Worship.
2:00 Deacons Meeting.
3:00 Regular Conference.
8:15 Evening Worship.

As we enter another period of history in our church it is with a prayer that it may be the most fruitful period that it has ever known.

Next Sunday evening will be "Methodist night" and we are urging all the Methodist people to bring with us as Brother Slater brings the evening message.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Eugene Slater, Minister
Calendar of Services:
Sunday School (High School), 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship (High School), 11:00 a. m.

Our Easter services were well attended. Seven babies were dedicated to God in the service of infant baptism. Two adults, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bower, were received into the church on profession of faith.

It is easier to keep good eyes good with proper glasses than to make bad eyes better!

OTIS L. PARRIS

OPTOMETRIST
5 W Beauregard Dial 6006
San Angelo

Quarter Horse Race Meet

Eagle Pass, Texas, April 16-19

The Quarter Horse Race Meeting Association of America will hold its first annual race meet at Eagle Pass, Texas, April 16, 17, 18, 19, 1942.

There will be five quarter horse races and one long race run each day. There will be a fifty dollar cash purse for each race with entry fee added.

The price of admission for adults is 50c plus 5c tax, children 22c plus 3c tax, soldiers in uniform one half price of adult ticket.

The Stockman Pulpit

Pastor of the First Baptist
By Rev. Clyde Childers
Church

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me," Matthew 25:40.

The great problem facing Christianity throughout the ages has been the physical and spiritual needs of men. Jesus was interested first of all in administering to the needs of the "inner man" but he did not overlook the physical needs.

Christianity has always tried to be true to the example and teachings of Jesus Christ in both of the above relations. Wherever there have been men who did not know Christ as a personal Saviour it has been the program of Christianity to take Christ to them.

Today there is a challenge flung out to America from our missionaries and the organized relief societies who work in China and the Balkans which sets before us the great need of these people who are starving to death in great numbers.

The local church's request has been forwarded directly to the office of Donald M. Nelson, WPA chief, by Congressman R. E. Thomason, according to a letter received by Rev. Eugene Slater this week.

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Chinese Cadets Feted in Phoenix



Chinese cadets are receiving advanced flying instruction under the expert tutelage of American air instructors. In honor of these cadets, residents of Phoenix, Ariz., gave a party for the boys at the Central Baptist church. Photo shows Capt. Tsend Ching Lan, commandant of the Chinese cadets, cutting the cake at the party.

Priority Request Of Methodists To Nelson's Office

If the War Production Board's policy will permit diversion of materials from war use for the rebuilding of a burned church, the congregation of the Methodist Church of Ozona, destroyed by fire a month ago, may get speedy action.

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Crockett County Gets \$11,016 From Auto Registrations

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The county registered a total of 798 vehicles for the new year starting April 1. Of this number 515 were passenger cars, 110 commercial vehicles, 160 farm pickups and 13 trailers.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Stockman is authorized to announce the following candidates for political offices, subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes:

R. E. McWILLIAMS

FRANK JAMES

MIKE COUCH

For County Treasurer:

TOM CASBEER

(Re-election)

For County and District Clerk:

GEORGE RUSSELL

(Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:

SAM HOUSTON

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:

ROB MILLER

(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:

CHAS. BLACK

(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:

J. W. OWENS

(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

E. R. KINSEY

(Re-election)

T. A. KINCAID, JR.

Work Of Schools Praised In Report Of Supervisor

Type of work being done, the physical properties and superior faculty in the Ozona school system won the commendation of S. M. Melton, deputy State Superintendent for District 13, in a report to the state department and heads of the local system following a recent inspection.

The school authorities are to be congratulated for selecting a superior faculty," Mr. Melton's report said. "The type of work in this school is what one expects from such a group—very superior."

"The building is near, clean and well kept. The equipment is likewise in excellent condition. The school authorities are particularly commended for the provisions made for the Latin-American children.

"An examination of the scholastic records of the graduates who attended college indicates above average achievements."

In the way of recommendations, the supervisor wrote: "To eliminate dissatisfaction, it is suggested that remuneration for transportation be placed on an operating cost basis for those individuals using their own automobiles to transport children to school."

Mrs. Everidge Davidson of Austin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sparks.

Ele Bright Baggett went to Fort Worth Monday to take a position with the Texas Livestock Marketing Association.

Take Care Of Your License Plates; They Must Last Duration

AUSTIN, April 9—The War Production Board has issued a general limitation order on metallic license plates, the general effect of which is that Texas as well as other states continue the 1942 motor vehicle license plates in use for an indefinite period.

The order further restricted the use of such plates as may be issued to replacement plates for the purpose of replacing metallic license plates which have been issued and thereafter lost or destroyed, or new registrants who have not used or had issued to them during the preceding license year a metallic license plate and also restricted any form of date tab to a size not exceeding four square inches in area.

It was announced that the State Highway Department would cooperate fully with the national war effort in conservation of steel heretofore used in the manufacture of motor vehicle license plates. The Department is now engaged in a study of methods under consideration by other states and in a use and cost study of various symbols, windshield stickers, stamps and other devices in order that it may decide on an economical and satisfactory device for extending the use of 1942 license plates through the 1934 registration year and succeeding years if necessary.

The State Highway Engineer called particular attention to the fact that while the 1942 license plates were carefully made and the materials used in the manufacture are of the best, the manufacture of 1942 plates was begun six

months prior to the entry of this country into war and the subsequent shortage of materials. It is believed the 1942 license plates will withstand weather conditions for two years and perhaps longer if the car and truck owners will clean them frequently and apply wax, polish or other preservative.

Typhus Fever On Increase In Texas

AUSTIN, April 9—Typhus fever is fast developing into a serious health menace in Texas according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who today issued an appeal for every Texan to cooperate in the prevention of this deadly disease. "Last year, the greatest number of cases in the history of the state were reported, when there was a total of 733 cases of typhus fever in Texas. While there were only 46 cases of typhus fever reported during the first 12 weeks of last year, during the same period of this present year, there have been 131 cases," Dr. Cox stated.

The type of typhus fever occurring in Texas is known as endemic or Brill's disease, and is transmitted to human beings from infected rats, by means of the rat flea. The eradication of rats greatly reduces this health hazard, and a consistent program of rat poisoning, rat trapping, and rat proofing will materially aid in the control of typhus in Texas.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that it is the patriotic duty of every Texan to cooperate in maintaining the highest possible health level, and the eradication of rats will promote the control of typhus among our civilian population as well as our armed forces.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Bendall's Drive Inn in Ozona. For particulars inquire at the Stockman office.

Full Line All Kinds FEEDS Purina Chows -- Cottonseed Products Grains -- Mixed Feeds -- Salt SOLD IN ANY QUANTITY--LOWEST MARKET PRICE Phenothiazine Stomach Worm Drench We Buy Sacks C. C. Luther Ozona, Texas Phone 176

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION of Ozona National Bank OZONA, TEXAS At Close of Business April 4, 1942 RESOURCES: Loans \$ 692,823.52, Overdrafts 2,618.47, Banking House 7,600.00, Furniture & Fixtures 1,200.00, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas Stock 4,350.00, United States Government and other Bonds 220,053.09, Cash and Due from Banks 790,468.86, Total \$1,719,113.94 LIABILITIES: Capital Stock \$ 100,000.00, Surplus 45,000.00, Undivided Profits 58,199.14, Deposits 1,515,914.80, Total \$1,719,113.94 OFFICERS: W. E. West, Chairman of Board, W. W. West, President, Roy Henderson, Vice President, Scott Peters, Active V. Pres., Heyward White, Cashier, Dollye Coates, Ass't Cashier, Jack Baggett, Ass't Cashier. DIRECTORS: J. M. Baggett, P. L. Childress, Jr., Roy Henderson, Scott Peters, Masie West, W. E. West, W. W. West.

Social Activities

LIB COOSE, Editor

PHONE 210 or 138

Mrs. H. B. Tandy Slated For First Vice Presidency State Music Clubs

Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Ozona Music Club leader and former Sixth District president, is nominee for the post of first vice president of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs at the 27th annual convention of the State Federation to be held April 17-18 at Mary Hardin-Baylor College in Belton. Mrs. L. B. Horton of San Angelo is a nominee for parliamentarian.

"Music for Victory" is the theme of the state convention this year. Maj. Alfred Gus Karger is to speak on "Music and Soldier Morale." Dr. August Zanzig on "Music in Community Morale" and the Rev. John E. Hines of Houston on "Music in Our Lives After the War."

Mrs. Guy Patterson Gannett of Portland, Me., national president, and Mrs. W. A. Goforth, regional vice president, will attend. Mrs. Gannett will speak on "The Music Federation and National Morale." Mary Louise Beltz, national contest winner, will be presented in concert.

Dean Henry E. Meyer, Georgetown, Dr. Archie N. Jones of Texas U., William J. Marsh of Fort Worth and Dr. Zanzig will lead discussions.

Mrs. Bard W. Paul of Dallas is nominee for state president; Mrs. Tandy of Ozona, first vice president; Mrs. Tom P. Faulk of Athens, second vice president; Mrs. H. O. Segalaben of Edinburgh, third vice president; Mrs. J. W. Sanders of Amarillo, fourth vice president; Mrs. Mary Stewart Edward of San Antonio recording secretary; Mrs. Grace Godard of Houston, treasurer and Mrs. Horton, parliamentarian. Mrs. Tandy plans to attend the convention to represent the Ozona club.

AD LIB

By Coose

Beecher Montgomery came home from TCU Friday and brought a guest, Dorothy Bryant of Fort Worth.

Bowling and dancing Saturday night were enjoyed by Taylor Deaton, Eloise Carson, Mary Alyce Smith, Ray Boyd, Ora Louise Cox, Ele Bright Baggett, the John Hendersons, the James Childress, and the Jack Baggetts.

Phillip Schneemann spent the week-end in San Angelo and escorted Ruth Stein to the Lambda Tau spring ball.

Maurice Lemmons did not come home for the holidays.

Home from SMU were Ora Louise Cox and Howard Lemmons.

The high school girls challenged the town girls to a volleyball game Friday night. The town girls were beaten by a score of 47 to 17. Included in the group were Sybil Luther, Margaret Montgomery, Mary Alyce Smith, Mac McWilliams, Catherine Childress, Betty Lou Coates, and Posey Baggett.

Sergeant Elwood MacWilliams of Fort Banding, Florida, spent the easter holidays with his parents.

Dorothy Hannah from ACC spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hannah. Her guest was Ed Lewis, who is also attending ACC.

Margaret Montgomery, Dorothy Bryant, Mary Alyce Smith were lunch guests of Mrs. George Montgomery Saturday. Others present were Beecher and Tom Ed Montgomery.

Friday Club Meets With Mrs. Tom Smith

The Friday Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. Tom Smith at her home Friday. The Easter theme was used in the tallies and in decorations. Mrs. Wayne West received high, Mrs. Johnny Henderson low, Mrs. Early Baggett bingo and Mrs. Monroe Baggett won the traveling prize.

Mrs. Bill Baggett Las Amigas Hostess

The Las Amigas Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Bill Baggett at Rendall's Drive Inn. Mrs. Oscar Kost was awarded the high score prize, Mrs. Rex Russell received second high, and Mrs. A. O. Fields bingo.

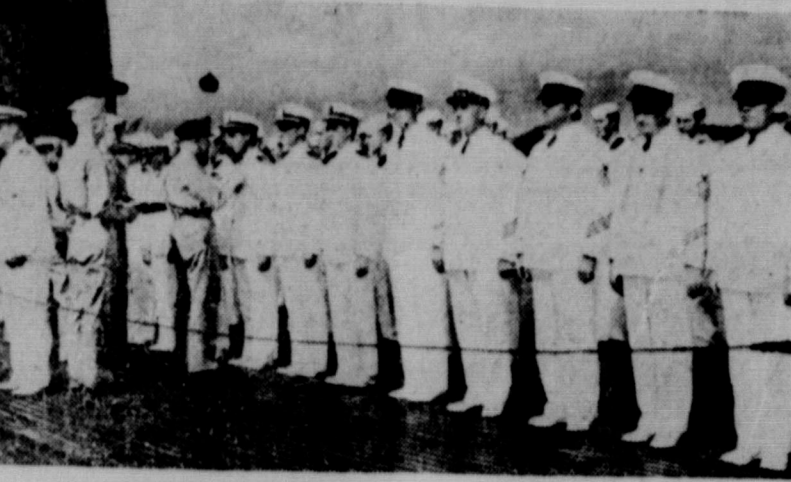
Mrs. Kirby Is 20th Century Hostess

Mrs. J. D. Kirby was hostess to the Twentieth Century Club and guests Saturday afternoon at Rendall's Drive Inn. Mrs. Joe Clayton won high club, Mrs. Hubert Baker high guest, and Mrs. Jesse Marley, bingo.

ACE CLUB

Mrs. Bill Friend was hostess to the Ace Club Thursday afternoon at her ranch home. Mary Alyce Smith won high, Mrs. Buddy Moore second high and Mrs. Jack Baggett bingo. Others present were Mrs. Bill Baggett, and Miss Posey Baggett.

Army Decorates Crew of Submarine Trout



Lieut. Gen. Delos C. Emmons, commanding general of the Hawaiian department, is shown decorating officers and men of the submarine Trout at ceremonies held at Pearl Harbor, in recognition of their successful performance of an unnamed mission for the war department in enemy-controlled waters. At left is Lieut. Comdr. Frank Fenno, captain of the Trout. The army presentation was directed by President Roosevelt for extraordinary heroism in carrying out the war department's mission. (Photo approved by the U. S. navy.)

Mrs. Bryan McDonald Named President Of PTA For Next Year

Mrs. Bryan McDonald was elected president of the Ozona Parent-Teachers Association at a called meeting of the organization held Thursday afternoon. Mrs. McDonald will assume her duties with the opening of the 1942-43 school term next fall. She will succeed Mrs. S. M. Harvick, present head of the association.

Other officers named for the coming year were Mrs. W. R. Cabaness, second vice president; Mrs. A. O. Fields, third vice president; Miss Zelma Scott, secretary; Mrs. Charlie Coates, treasurer; Mrs. Marbury Morrison, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Walter Augustine, historian.

A resolution expressing appreciation of the P.T.A. to the West Texas Utilities Co. and the Stockman for the privilege of holding its cake sale in connection with the recent cooking school and to all others who had a part in it by donating or buying cakes was passed by the group.

Phillips Hosts To Forty-Two Club

Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips were hosts to their forty-two club Monday night.

High club prizes were won by Massie West, and Mrs. Ira Carson, and Mrs. Massie West and J. M. Dudley received low club awards.

Louis Hersey and Miss Zelma Scott won high guest presents, and low guest awards went to Hubert Baker and Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. West, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hassis, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hersey of Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Baggett, and Miss Zelma Scott and Miss Elizabeth Biser.

Ace Club Guests Mrs. James Childress

Members of the Ace Club and guests met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. James Childress in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ira Carson.

Mary Alyce Smith received high, Mary Margaret Harris, low, and bingo went to Catherine Childress.

Others present were Mary Louise Harvick, Betty Lou Coates, Dorothy Bryant of Fort Worth; Posey Baggett, Ora Cox, Helen Mayes, Betty Bratcher, Mac McWilliams, Frances Bean, Eloise Carson and Mrs. Jack Baggett, Mrs. Vic Montgomery, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. John Henderson, III.

Marvin and Joe Rape, sons of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Rape and students at the Texas School of Medicine in Galveston, visited their parents over the Easter week-end.

Mrs. Joe Hill of Lometa and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown of Lampasas were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brown last week. Mrs. Hill is Mrs. Brown's mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Brown are Melvin Brown's parents.

Miss Ora Louise Cox, who is a student at SMU, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bascomb Cox.

Sergeant Roger Dudley and Miss Elizabeth Richardson of Coleman were the guests of Sergeant Dudley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley over the week-end. Mrs. B. B. Ingham and Miss Betty Dudley met them in San Angelo. Sergeant Dudley is the head of the supply department in the aviation school at Coleman.

in critical or essential occupations for the ultimate purpose of achieving a more complete and efficient utilization of the nation's manpower in the war production program.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shepperson, Jr., of San Angelo, are the parents of a daughter born in a San Angelo hospital this morning. Mrs. Shepperson is the former Carolyn Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery of Ozona.

Betty Lou Coates, a student at the University of Texas, spent the holiday week-end with her family here.

Bill Meinecke, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hurst Meinecke, was taken to San Angelo last week for medical care. He is much better now.

Mrs. R. L. Hatton went to San Angelo this week to bring back her daughter, Miss Laura Graves, graduate nurse, who has been ill. Miss Graves will remain here a few weeks to recuperate.

Corp. Clifton W. Taliaferro, stationed at Kelly Field in San Antonio where he is in the U. S. Army Air Corps, left this morning to report for duty, after a 10-day furlough was cut short by a tele-

graphic recall to duty. Corp. Taliaferro is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taliaferro.

Mary Frances Bean, a student at Southwestern University in Georgetown, spent the holiday week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bean.

Progress is being made on construction of a new home for Mr. and Mrs. Hurst Meinecke on a lot just south of the home of Mrs. Chris Meinecke.

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63 Million Pounds Of Scrap Collected By Texas Oil Firms

DALLAS — A total of 28,000 long tons, or nearly 63,000,000 pounds, of scrap have been collected as a result of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association's scrap campaign, Charles F. Roeser, general chairman, reported today.

Five hundred carloads of scrap have already been shipped to Texas foundries and eastern mills and three hundred carloads more are now on hand to be shipped at once, Mr. Roeser said. This makes a total of 800 carloads or around 28,000 long tons.

"These totals are for the 36 principal shipping centers used in our campaign," Mr. Roeser said. "There are an equal number of collection points from which we have not had full reports. When all these centers also report, the total should go over the 30,000 long ton mark."

Scrap is still being hauled into most of the shipping points, he added.

"Our reports are mainly on the results of our intensive collection drive," Mr. Roeser explained. "We are going to 'get in the scrap' for the duration of the emergency, so we hope to keep a smaller but steady stream of scrap metals and rubber coming in as long as this is needed."

Women qualified to teach high school commerce or business administration, mathematics and science are urgently needed in the Texas school system, the University of Texas Teachers Appointment Committee reports. The shortage is due to the facts that (1) men usually teach these subjects and they are leaving the teaching profession for military or other defense activity, and (2) the women normally qualified to teach these subjects are entering the business world.

51 East Texans Fined For Setting Fires To Forests

COLLEGE STATION — Fifty-one men and women in East Texas paid more than \$1250 in fines during January and February on conviction of setting fire to forests. Most of the fires were started accidentally by farmers burning brush, according to records of the Texas Forest Service at A. & M. College.

The average fine was \$24.84. With America needing timber for the war program, county law enforcement officials are becoming increasingly strict in prosecuting those who burn timber through malicious intent or carelessness.

Fines assessed ran as high as \$65.25. State laws provide penalties up to \$300 fine and one to three year prison terms for persons convicted of willfully or negligently allowing fire to burn over woodland or prairie not their own.

Although two-thirds of those recently convicted were farmers, the list also included laborers, a retired teacher, a paper hanger and a housewife.

Lion's Roar---

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SENSES

named Edward. When Stanley asked her if his technique was "clumsy" she said that he didn't have one, she didn't think.

Vera with a very red face. Now, Vera, why be ashamed of your boy friend. After all, they are "things" to be proud of.

Many lazy people. This spring fever combined with school will really get you down.

A certain girl in the floor board of a gray Chrysler Saturday night.

War Bonnet for 'Big Joe' Stalin



The head of the Russian Reds has been named honorary chief of the Red Indians, an outstanding warrior for 1941, although the Indians associated with the Indian Confederation admit that Gen. Douglas MacArthur is a sure candidate for honors in 1942. A fine war bonnet, which will go to Stalin, is being presented to Edward Carter, president of the Russian war relief, by Chief Falling Trees at the Indian Confederation pow wow in New York.

You weren't scared were you?

FELT

Very angry. Girls hate to be stood up. Especially when the boy only laughs about it. If she had waited for him it would have been different but she didn't.

Very happy. Virgil went with Prist to take Jean home. (She lives in San Angelo.)

TASTED

Some very good food. The hogs walked through it and ate what they wanted, then James, Joe, Chappo and Mustard ate the rest of it.

April Fool

"April Fool's done past, and you're the _____," but why go on. Something rather strange happened at OHS last Wednesday, a caption for "Believe It or Not," Everyone was in school. Such a statement may not prove so startling until one realizes that last Wednesday was the first of April, and no one played hooky.

Still everyone was up to something just to prove that he knew what day it was. The boys were chewing tobacco, and the girls were—well, some of them were too. "Tobacco Row" was christened with much spitting and chewing. This street of course is a new addition on the opposite curb from the building. No district would be complete, of course, without its "champeen." "Tobacco Row" has it, the one who could spit the farthest yet with the most accuracy.

Beer cans with the tops cut out made good portable cuspidors. Not being an old hand at this chewing, were you ever made to sit for an hour in a stuffy room with the windows closed? Then, you know how some of the students felt, for some reason or other, all the teachers insisted on having the windows shut.

But all in all, they enjoyed April Fool better this year than ever before, including Mr. Sikes.

DATE FOR SENIOR PLAY SET

The Senior class held a meeting Thursday afternoon to decide on the date to be set for the Senior trip. Because of the lack of tires, the Seniors decided to go to the Pecos River for a week-end of fishing, swimming, (and eating).

The Seniors will leave Thursday afternoon, May 7, and will return to Ozona on May 10. Pick-ups (cars) have been provided for by members of the class.

Money from the Senior play will be used to buy the food.

It has been suggested by the serious minded students of the class that the trip will include Judge Roy Bean's cabin, the Pecos High Bridge, and decidedly other points south (Villa Acuna).

DEAR DIARY:

It has been so long since I have written that I suppose that it is useless to apologize; but a "poor excuse is better than none" is what grandma always said. I really haven't had time, the last of school rushes one so much that he doesn't have time to breathe. First, there was the senior play, but that was time well spent because everyone was so complimentary. Then here came six weeks exams, and about how well that time is spent is strictly a matter of opinion. Parties and meetings take up every extra second, but "one only lives once." (My grand-mamma use to say that, too.)

OHS Graduates Doing Well In College

Reports have been received in the office of the superintendent from the registrars' offices of the various colleges attended by Ozona graduates concerning the work done there by these students during the first semester of 1941-'42. There were nineteen boys and ten girls reported on. There were 124 grades earned and of this number 22 were A's, 14 of which were made by boys. Of the 16 English grades there was one A, 5 B's, 6 C's, 2 D's, and 2 F's. Since so many of the students are upper-classmen, there is a small percentage of them taking English. The one A was made by a boy; however, the two F's were divided.

Of all the grades received in all subjects among the boys, 19 per cent made A's, 32 per cent B's, 26 per cent C's, 12 per cent D's and 11 per cent F's. Among the girls,

in the same order the percentages ran 16, 29, 37, 12 and 6 per cent.

In tabulating these results, the boys are found to be making a greater number of A's, and yet the number of F's is larger among the boys. Eight failing grades were made among the boys and only three among the girls.

Such results are indicative of the excellent work that is being done in the Ozona High School. This record is typical of those received every year. Commendations were made by the supervisor to the State Board of Education relative to the high standard of academic work being done.

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Ozona Society To Have Part In Austin Conference April 14

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. E. B. Ingham Wednesday afternoon for a regular business meeting. Mrs. J. M. Baggett directed the worship service on the subject, "Our highest joy, our Father's work to do." Miss Elizabeth Fussell gave the meditation.

It was announced that Mrs. Eugene Slater will conduct the memorial service for the Annual Conference of the Woman's Society to be held at University Church in Austin on Tuesday evening. Miss Mary Riddle will also be a guest speaker at the same conference. Her subject will be a discussion of the local Community Center work at the session on Conference institutions. Mrs. Ingham and Mrs. Chas. Williams were elected delegates but will be unable to attend. Alternates will be selected to attend.

The next meeting of the society will be in the home of Mrs. Monroe Baggett at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon of next week. The subject will be "Work of the Women in the City Church." Mrs. N. W. Graham will be leader.

Present yesterday were Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. W. R. Cabaness, Mrs. Eugene Slater, Mrs. E. B. Baggett, Jr., Mrs. Alvin Harrell, Mrs. E. B. Ingham, Miss Elizabeth Fussell and Mrs. L. E. Cox, Jr.

Dan Patterson, former coach of athletics at Ozona High School, now in training at Annapolis for a commission in the U. S. Navy, is impressed with the immensity of Uncle Sam's war effort, he said in a letter to Supt. C. S. Denham received this week. "From the looks of things, this country will never disarm again," coach wrote. "The thing is progressing slowly but on a sound basis." Coach Patterson asked Mr. Denham to extend his greetings to all his friends in Ozona since he did not have time to write many letters.

John Childress has been accepted as a flying cadet at San Antonio and is home on a month's furlough.

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Work Of Rotary—

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He pointed to the strategic materials that South America has in abundance that America now needs desperately—tin, rubber, manganese and other metals as well as wool, sugar, coffee, etc. A problem of transportation and of currency stabilization of the nations has been a deterrent in the past to free trade and these problems are now being worked out.

Rotary Clubs are having a great share in bringing about friendship and understanding between the Americas, Mr. Turner recounted. He said that people in Latin-America take Rotary and its principles of international understanding and friendship seriously. Rotarians are required to wear their buttons of identification, he declared, and numerous instances of community improvement, of the development of better understanding between workmen and employers and even between nations in South America as a direct result of the efforts of Rotarians were cited.

Rotary clubs have so changed the attitude of Latin-America where it has a foothold that wars have actually been averted through its efforts, Mr. Turner declared. War between Chile and Argentina, between Chile and Peru, between Peru and Ecuador and other nations of South America were averted through the influences of a sense of obligation, of friendship, of service engendered through the work of Rotary Clubs.

"South Americans have learned that you can settle things by friendship, by arbitration, by talking things over in a friendly way," the speaker said. "And that's the ideal upon which peace must be based in the future if it is to be an enduring peace. The ideals of friendship, brotherly love and service must be introduced into the world if there is ever to be a permanent peace."

Former Ozona Boy, Naval Machine Gunner, Likes Life At Sea

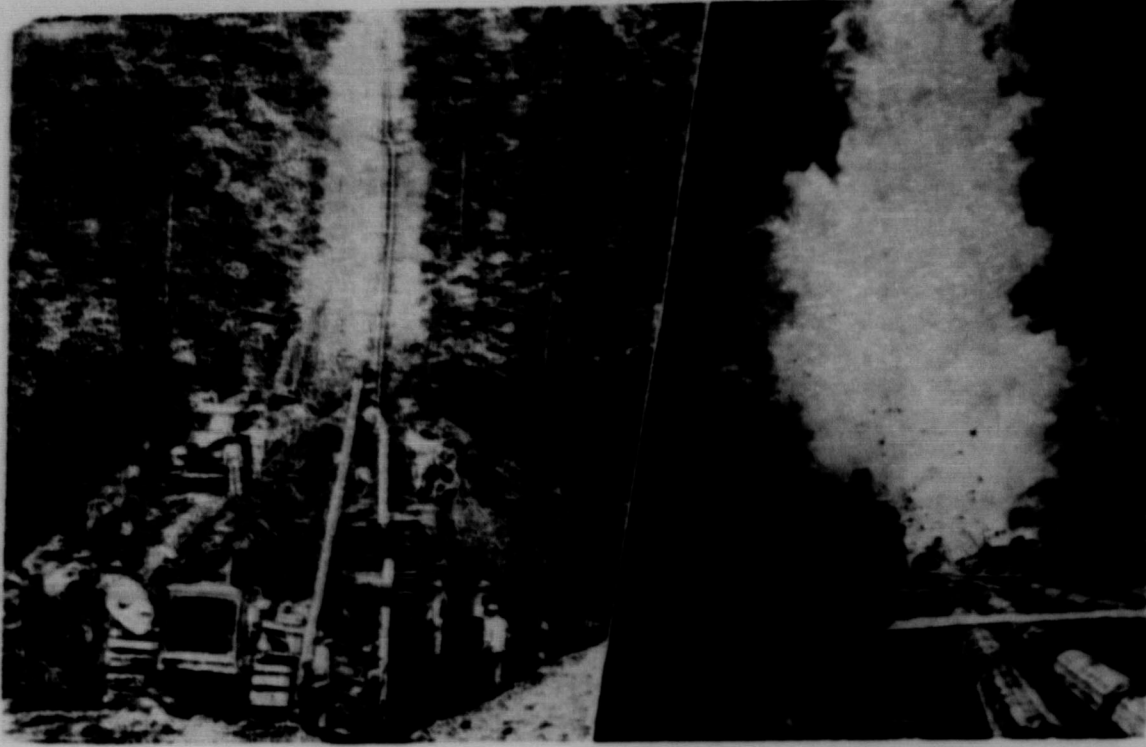
A U. S. Naval machine gunner aboard one of Uncle Sam's heavily armed cargo vessels, Carleton Phillips, a former Ozonan, son of Mrs. W. R. Phillips, expects soon to be crossing the Atlantic with a boatload of arms and supplies for England or Russia, according to a letter to his mother recently. Phillips rank is seaman, second class, but he expects to be gunner's mate, third class, by the time he returns from the expected voyage, he said.

Keeping within censorship limitation, Phillips described the vessel's run up the coast from Gulf waters, declaring that the only evidence of submarine activity they saw was a tanker ablaze about 100 miles off shore, victim of a sub attack.

"They are sinking some ships around here, but most of them are not armed," Phillips wrote. "This one has 6 guns on her, so a sub will have to look out for us."

"I like life at sea better than I thought I would," the Ozonan wrote. "I have about decided to stay in the Navy after the war is over if I can."

Nothing Stops War Pipe Line Gang



When a petroleum pipe line is being built to supply war industries with the precious fluid, nothing stops the pipe line gangs. Right: A rock ditch being blasted at a river crossing somewhere in the Carolinas. Left: A gang prepares to bend a 12-inch pipe in the mountain area of Alabama. Bending the pipe to conform with the terrain is tough work. The completed Plantation Pipe line, from Baton Rouge, La., to Bremen, Ga., and Greensboro, N. C., has some 1,300 miles of pipe.

MRS. CURRIE—

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Villanueva testified that he heard loud talking in the bedroom where the slaying occurred but could not understand what was being said. Jake Hoover was not called to the stand.

Dr. H. E. Tandy, also called to the scene, testified concerning the condition in which he found Currie's body. A blow at the base of the skull had fractured the skull from ear to ear, the doctor said. Currie's body was lying on the floor near the bed, the doctor said, his boots having been removed and his trousers and shirt unbuttoned. Both Dr. Tandy and Deputy McWilliams stated that Mrs. Currie told them that she had struck her husband because he had threatened to take her children away from her.

Chester Dugger, an uncle of the defendant, testified to an occurrence last fall in which he rescued Mrs. Currie from an attack by her husband. Dugger said that he pulled Currie off of Mrs. Currie after the latter had been knocked down and being stamped by her husband.

Members of the jury which sat on the case were Boyd Lovelace, Hugh Gray, Joe North, Doug Kirby, Ira Carson, J. L. Hicks, Ernest Dunlap, C. C. Luther, Hillery Phillips, Hubert Baker, Fleet Costes and I. G. Rape.

Screwworm Fly Population Decline Noted In Texas

A phenomenal decrease in the survival of screwworm flies has occurred in the overwintering area of Texas, says Cameron Siddall, entomologist of the A. and M. College Extension Service.

"According to a survey by the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine at Menard," he explains, "only about 10 per cent, or slightly less, of the average normal population for the past seven years were taken in the '37 status and survey traps during December, January and February. The decrease was most marked on the western Balcones escarpment, where only approximately six percent of the normal population was indicated. In past years this area had by far the highest population and was the center of high spring and summer population of the screwworm fly to reinfest the remainder of Texas and adjoining states."

On the other hand, an approximately normal population developed during the last half of January and the first part of February in the vicinity of Laredo and Catarina, and a rather light infestation was indicated along the escarpment, except on the extreme east.

Data indicates the lowest early spring population east of the Continental Divide since 1935, and is probably one of the lowest for the past 28 years with the possible exception of four years prior to 1931, Siddall says.

"So far as can be determined this was brought about by most of the ranchmen on the western part of the Balcones escarpment practicing recommended ranch management procedure at a time when weather conditions were most favorable for the fly."

Regardless of the favorable outlook, Siddall cautions livestock men to treat all early cases of worms in all areas; clear and heal all wounds before fly dates

Pvt. Max Schneemann, Jr., a member of Troop A, 115th U. S. Cavalry, has just been transferred to a camp at Salem, Oregon, according to word received this week by his family here. Young Schneemann is enjoying life in the Army, he said, and belongs to a prideful outfit of horse-mechanized cavalry.

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