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Ends Resistance In Tunisia

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in NORTH AFRICA, May 12—The battle of Tunisia ended in a great Allied victory Wednesday night when headquarters announced that organized enemy resistance had ceased in all sectors and that 150,000 German and Italian troops had been taken prisoner, together with their Commander Gen. Jurgen von Arnim.

Six months and four days after the allied landings in North Africa, conquering American, British and French troops scored their final triumph and paved the way for new operations against the Mediterranean Islands and finally the European fortress itself.

For the Axis it was a complete disastrous and humiliating defeat. The capture of 150,000 prisoners indicated no more than a handful of enemy soldiers escaped the Allied Armies who launched their supreme offensive just six days ago and broke the backbone of Axis resistance in lightning drives to Tunis and Bizerte.

Vast quantities of war materials fall to Allies.

HITLER TELLS OF GREAT SUFFERING OF NAZI ARMIES

Adolf Hitler reported Nazi soldiers to be experiencing "super-human" sufferings at the various fronts in an appeal to the German people Monday for German Red Cross war relief funds.

He made the appeal in a statement datelined "the fuhrer's headquarters." The appeal was broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by the Associated Press.

"Demands made on the German people at home are also very heavy as regards work and sacrifice," Hitler said.

"All sacrifices, however, are nothing as compared with the privations and sufferings which our soldiers in the east (the Russian front) now have had to undergo for a second time."

The statement made no reference to the Tunisian debacle. It did not touch upon the possibility of Allied invasion.

Hitler did speak indirectly of the Allied air offensive. He said the war had been carried to German towns, markets and villages. "All their sacrifices, however, cannot be compared with the super-human sufferings under which our soldiers at the various fronts, particularly in the east, have to fight," he said.

The Red army's winter offensive developed "very heavy fighting and burdens for our soldiers," he said, adding:

"It is to the merit of these men in the east that the crisis, which would have broken any other army, was successfully overcome.

He said he expected the German people, acknowledging "a debt of honor and duty," to give to war relief as never before. It was his fourth such appeal since Poland was invaded in 1939.

Appearing in this issue of the News is several greeting and congratulation ads. to the graduating class of the Santa Anna High School. We have several other cuts of similar design if others wish to use them in our next issue. Time and lateness of the arrival of the cuts forbid us from making a general campaign.

Mrs. George Purchner, Jr., of Hattiesburg, Miss. is here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Crager.

A MESSAGE FROM

Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury
to the Newspapers of the United States

WESTERN UNION

WASHINGTON, D. C.—
Frank Tripp, Allied Newspaper Council—
Waldorf Astoria Hotel.

May I ask you to express to newspaper publishers our thanks and appreciation for the truly remarkable contribution they are making to the second War Loan. We feel quite certain that never before has any cause received such complete and effective support from the newspapers of the country, and we are grateful for it.

H. MORGENTHAU JR.,
Secretary of the Treasury

Allied Prisoners Have "Three Days of Hell" 7-Year-Old Child Found After Midnight

Americans and British on Ship Bomed and Strafed and Forced to Turn Back.

Washington, May 10—Large numbers of American and British prisoners of war went thru "three days and nights of hell" aboard an Italian ship subjected to pounding Allied aerial attack off the Tunisian coast, but the casualties miraculously were not "enormous."

Information in London was that the free prisoners totaled about 700 but there was no indication of the percentage of Americans.

The War Department, releasing a report from North Africa attesting to the "great destructiveness and deadly accuracy" of Allied bombing, quoted a British lieutenant's story of the attack on the prison ship which had left Tunis harbor for Italy with a destroyer escort.

The destroyer was sunk by Kitty bombers, and the crew refused to make the run for Sicily.

Halsey, Saluting Eisenhower, Hopes Next Victory His

South Pacific Force Headquarters, May 9.—Said one successful American commander to another Sunday, in a message sent half way around the world, to North Africa:

"We hope to beat you to the next punch."

It was Adml. William F. Halsey commander of South Pacific forces, saluting Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, commander in chief of the armies which slugged the Axis out of Bizerte and Tunis.

"The South Pacific force salutes you and your fighting winners," said Halsey. "We hope to beat you to the next punch."

So many comments, mostly compliments have reached us this week on the general appearance and contents contained in our little tabloid sheet last week. We feel like we are hitting upon a splendid medium with our recent change. Thanks, especially, to those who think it all right for us to make personal references to our own family.

Yes—By D. B. & S.

Mex. Leaders Praise Free Germans

MEXICO CITY, May 8.—Ex-President of Mexico Lazaro Cardenas, now minister of defense, told the opening session of the Mexican Free German Congress here today that the German people should not be confused with their Nazi overlords, and that when peace comes only the Nazi should be punished.

The two-day congress was convened by Ludwig Renn, well-known German author and president of the movement. President Manuel Avila Camacho also sent a message of tribute to the Free Germans, and wished them well in their fight against Fascism.

The Congress elected President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill, Stalin and Chiang Kai-Shek to its presidium of honor.

Somewhere In The South Pacific Islands

Sunday, April 25, 1943
Easter Sunday

Dearest Mother & Dad,

This is a very beautiful Easter Sunday morning and we had a very nice Sunrise Service this morning. Right out by our camp. Army, Navy and Marines all together. We had a Protestant Chaplain for a change, too. I received your Easter card just in time for its appropriate use. Received it last evening. I received the March 19th copy of the News, this morning also. The article for Jack, John and myself, Dad that turns into an awfully nice prayer, and you can't realize how much I appreciate that, and I know Jack and John are the same way about it.

I too realize that conditions within the States are getting more and more short of the things which the people really need, and can't get. We too, realize that you are doing without, so that we may have them, and as time goes on, we are learning to appreciate them more, also. With Jack and John where they are and me where I am, that puts one of us in each of the most dreaded places. We know what it means to have what we need, the things you are doing without.

This island is not at all what it used to be. Gets better all the time. For a long long time we forgot the use of fresh meat and butter and vegetables, fruit, etc., but now that things are under control, we are getting good things to eat, have plenty of it and are really thankful for it. The Island as a whole has improved. More people, have much nicer places to work and sleep. Have a show about three or four times per week. Of course, we are due to be relieved here soon, should have been before, but you know how that goes. I would rather stay here longer, then go back home for awhile, than be relieved and go to New Zealand or some place for awhile then go to work again. Looks as if our chances to come home improve every day.

I haven't heard from Marjorie in a long time. I hope she hasn't forgotten that I exist. I hope she will do as I asked her too, and come stay for awhile with you. Be good to her and make me feel better about her also. I must go now, and on leaving say I love you very much and don't worry about me.

Your Loving Son,
Burton

Baptists Speakers To Go On The Air

DALLAS, May.—Dr. George W. Truett, pastor, First Baptist Church, Dallas, and Dr. Charles E. Maddry, executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Va., are among the Southwide leaders on the program of the annual evangelistic conference, sponsored by Texas Baptists at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, May 31-June 2, it was announced today by Dr. W. W. Melton, Dallas, executive secretary.

Dr. Truett is to speak Monday night and Tuesday at noon. Dr. Maddry will bring messages Tuesday night and Wednesday morning depicting evangelistic opportunities on mission fields around the world.

Leading a discussion of "The City-Wide Revival" will be Dr. J. Howard Williams, former executive secretary and president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and now pastor of the First Baptist Church, Oklahoma City. Dr. E. D. Head, president, Southwestern Seminary, will lead special prayer services at Tuesday and Wednesday sessions of the conference.

Special problems in evangelism will be discussed Tuesday morning by Dr. J. Ralph Grant, Beaumont, "Defense Centers;" Dr. S. G. Posey, Austin, "Adjacent to Camps;" and Dr. Frank Weedon, Denton, "Student Centers." Rev. Willis J. Ray, San Antonio, will speak Wednesday morning on "Saving our Pastorless Churches. Youth revivals will be discussed by Paul Brooks Leath, Ft. Worth.

The technique of "Preparing a Local Church for a Revival" will be studied from its varied angles by four Ft. Worth pastors—Dr. Forrest C. Feezor, Rev. W. D. Wyatt, Rev. James N. Morgan, and Rev. Floyd Chaffin.

Practical aspects of evangelism, with J. Earl Mead, Dallas, placing the emphasis on the Sunday School's part, and Dr. C. E. Matthews, Ft. Worth, discussing the "combined evangelistic service," are among the features on Tuesday's program. Tuesday night Dr. E. H. Westmoreland, Houston, will speak on "The Seeking Christ."

Revivals will be considered from the standpoint of geographical grouping, with related practical problems, Tuesday afternoon as Rev. M. O. Cheek, Waco, discusses "The District-wide Revival," and Dr. McKinley Norman, Dallas, "The Association-wide Revival."

Music for the sessions will be under the direction of Volus Norsworthy, Ft. Worth.

Ministers from every section of Texas are expected for the day and a half meeting, abbreviated this year on account of the war.

The editor and Mrs. Gregg enjoyed having with us over the week-end, partly being occasion of Mother's Day Sunday, Lt. Joseph J. Gregg, Jr., who has been with Uncle Sam's forces in North Africa the past several months, and his wife, Mrs. Aleene Greeg of Brownwood, Lt. Frances A. Gregg, R. N. Army Nurse at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Pvt. Will Schulle of Concho Field, San Angelo, also Mrs. Schulle, who is making an extended visit in Santa Anna, and Mrs. Burton Gregg of San Antonio, who is also extending her visit for several days duration.

A Week of The War

With three Allied columns driving forward to pin the Axis armies in North Africa on the shores of the Mediterranean, Secretary of War Stimson announced last week that the Tunisian battle apparently "is entering the final phase" but that the German and Italian forces at Bay there will probably fight to the bitter end.

The Secretary made his announcement three days after American troops rolled up a 15-mile advance toward Bizerte by capturing the Djebel Cheniti range of hills, the last high ground before the Great Naval base. To the south the British first army captured the battle-scarred Djebel Bou Aoukaz, the last formidable barrier west of the plain leading to the capital of Tunisia. The northern-most column, made up of French Forces, was reported to have driven to the plain lying northwest of Lake Bizerte.

According to Secretary Stimson, Allied planes have continued their pounding of enemy positions in spite of unfavorable weather conditions. The Secretary said that German planes have stopped seeking combat with Allied craft, with the result that German air losses have declined. Earlier in the week Mr. Stimson revealed that Allied planes were running up a score of approximately 4 to 1 against the enemy in the Tunisian battle area. (Note this article was prepared on Friday, May 7, and that day Tunis and Bizerte both fell into the hands of Allies.)

Further American successes in the air were reported in widely separated theater of action. From London came the news that a United States bomber force attacked industrial targets in Antwerp and all returned safely. This was the first time in 10 raids that the United States 8th Air Force had not lost any of its heavy bombers.

In China the United States Army Air Forces have destroyed Japanese aircraft at the rate of 10 to 1 in air combat and at a greater ratio in the aggregate, according to Lt. Col. Herbert Morgan, Assistant Chief of Staff and Operations Officer for the 14th Air Force. In making his announcement in Washington, following his arrival there from China, Colonel Morgan said:

"We've destroyed better than 10 to 1 of their planes in the air and counting aircraft destroyed on the ground, about 12 or 15 to 1, with emphasis on the higher figure."

Jap Submarine Menace

Following an unsuccessful air raid on Darwin, the Japanese began a submarine campaign against Allied shipping east of Australia, General MacArthur's headquarters announced early last week. With the evident intention of cutting supply lines from the United States, the Japanese underwater attack was launched "in some force," a communique revealed.

The attack on Darwin was made by 51 enemy bombers and fighters. A spokesman for MacArthur's headquarters declared that outnumbered Spitfires, manned mostly by British and Australian veterans of the battle of Britain, "inflicted far heavier damage to the enemy than they received themselves."

This revelation came as Gen. MacArthur's daily communique reported the destruction of four Japanese aircraft in an attack on the Koepang Airdrome of Tim or by long-range Allied fighters.

The Navy announced that shortly after the complete occupation of Guadalcanal, American forces extended their grip on the Southeastern Solomn Islands by occupying the Russell Islands, west of Guadalcanal.

The brain is the most sensitive organ in the body to variations in oxygen supply.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT Washington

Gentlemen:

I am writing to tell you about what I believe is a magnificent tribute to the patriotism of the American people.

As you know, there has been considerable speculation and talk concerning the effect that increased taxes might have on the sale and redemption of United States Savings Bonds.

You will be delighted to know that during March, when the first Tax installment fell due, bond sales were 6.4% higher than in February, and more than 65% ahead of March, 1942.

The story on redemptions is equally encouraging.

From May 1, 1941, when U. S. Savings Bonds (Series E, F, and G) were first offered for sale, through March 31, 1943, redemptions have been less than 3 1/2% of total sales. And redemptions during March this year were only eighty-seven one-hundredths of one percent of the total amount outstanding. That's a record that all Americans can well be proud of.

What it shows is that we as a Nation fully realize the privilege that is ours to do our part in helping to finance the tremendous costs of total war. It shows that as a people we understand the necessity not only for buying War Bonds but also for keeping them.

Many thanks for all you have done, and for your continuing efforts to make the War Savings Program successful.

Sincerely

E. W. Sloan
Executive Director
War Savings Staff

GESTAPO CHIEF IN POLAND REPORTED FATALLY WOUNDED

LONDON, May 9.—Gen. Wilhelm Kruger, chief of the Gestapo in Poland and principal organizer of the German terror campaign against the Poles, was shot fatally in Krakow May 2, official Polish circles reported Sunday.

Accounts reaching Polish officials through underground channels said three men, dressed in German uniforms, waited at night for this "Himmler of Poland" in front of his house and shot him when he emerged from his carriage. The assailants were said to have escaped.

Kruger was hit by many sub-machine gun bullets, but he lived through Wednesday night, these reports said.

Polish circles said Kruger was second in command to Governor Gen. Hans Frank and was the man who devised and directed the mass arrests, deportations and executions without trials.

A group which the Polish government-in-exile described as a "director of resistance" has

sentenced a number of other Gestapo officials to death and it was stated emphatically here that "these will be carried out."

WAR LOAN QUOTA IS 43 PCT. OVER IN DISTRICT 11

Dallas, Tex. May 8.—The 11th Federal Reserve District—all of Texas and parts of Louisiana, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona—exceeded its second war loan drive quota by \$172,000,000 it was announced today.

Final amount of the drive, \$572,451,600, exceeded the \$400,000,000 quota by 43 percent, it was announced by R. R. Gilbert, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas and chairman of the war finance committee for

the district.

Of great significance, Gilbert said, was the fact that at least a half-million non-bank buyers, individuals—purchased U. S. government securities amounting to \$344,248,000 during the drive. A total of 311 counties are in the 11th Federal Reserve District.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for all those who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our Dad (J. B. Swan). Especially do we wish to thank Dr. McDonald and all those connected with the Hospital for their kindness. May God bless you all is our prayer.

His Children



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DANIEL BAKER COLLEGE

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS

SUMMER SCHOOL

OPENS MAY 27, 1943

Anyone interested in work of Junior or Senior rank should take advantage of our coming Summer Session. We are offering our usual wide range of work leading to the Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science in Education degrees.

Because of War conditions, beginning with the Fall semester 1943, Daniel Baker College will offer for the duration accredited courses of Freshman and Sophomore rank only.

We especially invite High School Graduates to begin college work this summer. Many Civil Service positions, with salaries ranging from \$1600.00 to \$2300.00 per year, are open to men and women having one year of college work including one year in certain specialized courses. Daniel Baker College is arranging its curriculum so that this year's work may be done during the summer term of 1943 and the Fall semester of 1943-44.

The specialized courses: Mathematics, Physics, Geology, Chemistry may be done either during the summer session or the Fall semester.

All work offered in Daniel Baker College is now and will continue to be fully accredited by the Texas Association of Colleges and the Texas State Department of Education.

WRITE THE REGISTRAR First term of Summer School May 27 to July 14
FOR SUMMER BULLETIN. Second term of Summer School July 15 to August 25

Registration for Fall semester 1943-44, September 14, 15



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Commencement week will begin in Santa Anna Sunday, May 16, 1943, with the baccalaureate sermon. The junior class, lead by Julian Whitley, president of the class, will have charge of the program which will begin at 8:30 p.m. Rev S. R. Smith, pastor of the Baptist Church, will preach the baccalaureate sermon in the high school auditorium.

On Wednesday night at 8:30 p.m., the seniors will present the annual class night program with Maxine Rushing acting as program chairman. At this time honors for the year will be awarded and awards presented.

The elementary graduation program will be Thursday night at the high school auditorium.

Friday night, May 21, at 8:30 p.m. diplomas will be presented to thirty-nine seniors. A patriotic program is planned with seniors who have made the highest average for the year making up the program. Roy England, president of the class and honor boy, will act as master of ceremonies. Others assisting in the program are Edwina Schrader, valedictorian; Maxine Rushing, salutatorian; Freda Heallen; Mary Ellen Mitchell; Arvella Shamblin; Ruth Morris; Omelia Hartman; Mary Mills; Velma Stewardson; Wanda Woods; and Maxine Williams. Mrs. E. D. McDonald and Mrs. J. Lon, Gray are helping with the music in all the programs.

The following seniors will graduate:

- Calloway, Luther
- England, Roy
- Harris, Elgean
- Holt, Carol Duane
- King, Roy Travis
- Richardson, J. P.
- Williamson, Jr., J. G.
- Blanton, Loyce
- Douglas, Christine
- Garrett, Allie
- Genz, Rheba
- Goodgion, Doris
- Hale, Elva Adele
- Hartman, Omelia Dorothy
- Heallen, Freda
- Hibbets, Dorothy
- Hill, Mary Joyce
- Leady, Christine
- McGahey, Doris Marie
- McIlvain, Sammie Kathryn
- McSwain, Lavern Guenith
- Millender, June
- Mills, Mary
- Mitchell, Mary Ellen
- Morris, Ruth
- Newman, Lucille
- Rushing, Maxine
- Schrader, Edwina
- Shamblin, Arvella
- Spencer, Wilma
- Stafford, Frances
- Stewardson, Velma Willene
- Taylor, Margie
- Thompson, Thula
- Watson, Billie
- Wells, Oleane
- Williams, Maxine

Wilson Margery Woods. Wanda

Who's Who In The Senior Class

In the person of Rheba "Snappy-Comeback" Genz we have one of those popular and much famed outdoor women. She simply adores skating, swimming, and dancing. Rheba is 16 years old and exactly one-fourth of that great amount (minus vacations full of those above mentioned sports) has been spent at S.A.H.S. She has been in the Pep Squad for three years. This is another of those lassies who are counting on a business course after graduation. Good luck to you, Rheba!

Just peek in physics lab any day at 5th period and you'll see a pretty brunette senior girl soberly taking notes on Mr. Donham's infamous lectures. How did that "in" get in here? Hold it teacher! Let's blame it on the printer. (I hope) Laverne McSwain is this third person. She says, Quote, "Excepting Who's Who Reporters Physics class is the thing most fondest I is of." Now isn't that sweet? Laverne plans to go to college when she graduates.

Now we present at this time one of our most striking brunettes. Five feet four, seventeen year old Mozell Manley. This little lady attended Line school before stepping up to high school. Mozell has been a member of the F.H.T. club for two years. She enjoys playing just every kind of outdoor sports, and just from observation—we'd bet that she has been doing lots of horseback riding, swimming—or something. Although her real ambition is to attend a good college, we're sure that whatever Mozell does she'll always keep her love for public speaking!

Doris Goodgion, one of our Trickham lassies, is as blond as our aforestated character is brunette. (And a nice blond she is.) Doris started to this high school as a freshman in '39. She was a member of the F.H.T. one year. In her nearly seventeen years she has acquired a dislike for loud mouths, high heel shoes, and history. But more interesting things that she likes to do are collecting wooden penny banks, and riding horseback.

WE DID IT!!!

At the beginning of April, we, the students of S.A.H.S., set as our aim for the bond drive that month the goal of \$1100 enough for one jeep.

During the campaign much interest was created by a race between the four classes in high school. At the end of April 30th the grand total was counted. To everyone's amazement and pleasure we had \$11,377.70 worth of bonds and stamps. We are proud of the fact that the high school of Santa Anna has done her part in this bond drive and we know that you will share our thrill.

The total was enough to buy nine jeeps. (And if you want to get technical—three-fourths of another one.)

Have you bought a bond lately? Try it, it will give you a proudest that nothing else can. Do your part soon! It is urgently needed. NOW!!!

Seniors Honor Juniors

The seniors honored the juniors with a tacky party Friday night, May 7, on the lawn at Allie Cille Farrens.

The program presented by a group of seniors was an amateur hour over station KORN sponsored by the Ubbie Bubble Chewing Gum Company. Maxine Williams was announcer. The others on the program were Carol Holt, Elgean Harris, Allie Cille Farren, Maxine Rushing, Edwina Schrader, Wilma Jo Rozzell, Lucille Newman, and J. G. Williamson. Prizes were awarded to Wilma Jo Rozzell and Mr. A. D. Donham

who were judged as the tackiest. Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, pickles and punch were served to about fifty guests.

Whon News

The Nazarene church had a large attendance Sunday night. Everyone enjoyed the Mother's Day program.

Pvt. Darvin Lovelady has been visiting his parents. He came in Friday eve, and left Sunday nite.

Pvt. L. J. Lovelady came in Tuesday morning. He will have a fifteen day leave. He is visiting T. C. Holmes and family.

Pvt. Billy Holder is visiting Calvin Shields and family for a few days.

Jack and Sammy Black were in Whon Thursday evening.

Tommy Sue Holmes was in Brownwood Thursday night.

Nora Black and son and John Glover were in Whon Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jak Bible came home from Brownwood Thursday.

Mary Frances Herring came in Saturday and went back to McMurry College Monday. She was visiting her mother and father.

We have a new married couple now and it is Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart. We wish them all the luck in the world.

A shower will be given for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart in Whon Wednesday evening.

The Whon pupils are having the time of their lives. They went to Coleman last Saturday and are going again this Saturday. (Red Cross doings.)

Mrs. Kate Holmes and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hill of Santa Anna.

Aunt Tek Gill was really surprised to get a 32 pound fish given to her by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

WARD SCHOOL P.T.A.

The Ward School held its regular meeting Tuesday, May 11, 3:30 p.m. at the Ward school.

Opening exercise: Special numbers by the Ward school Band pupils.

Community singing, led by Mr. John Burgett.

Health Is Life was the topic discussed by Miss Jewel Smith, who stressed the importance of the proper food as one of the fundamentals of good health. The group thoroughly appreciated this discussion as most mother's are food conscious. Mrs. Geo. England gave a report of the District Conference of P.T.A. that met in Cleburne Apr. 6-7-8.

It was decided by the group that "Securing Playground Equipment" would be the major project for 1943-44.

Mrs. Virgil Priddy was appointed program chairman, and Mrs. Preston Bailey, Mrs. Clifford Stephenson and Mrs. Leon Morgan were appointed membership committee for the ensuing year. Other committee will be appointed later.

We plan to have a large membership next school year. Be sure and be present at the very first meeting—we need you.

On Sharing No. 1

COLLEGE STATION, May—Many Victory gardens in the state are at their prime just now but vegetables don't stay that way long.

Families who have a temporary surplus but no means of preserving that food for the less productive months can serve the cause of Victory by sharing with their neighbors. A committee of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service headed by C. E. Bowles as chairman points out that with hot sunshine such vegetables as lettuce, spinach and the like soon become rank and bitter. The patriotic gardener will not be willing to see a single plant go to waste. Bowles says. And if he doesn't have a pressure cooker, or if he can't he'll share his produce with a provident or successful neighbor.

Sharing is in keeping with the Victory Demonstration, pledge which embodies the war-time program of the Extension Service.

Edwin Hunter, student in the Texas University, Austin, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter.

WORLD'S BEST WEDDING 1943 GRADS

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"Town and Farm in Wartime"

Ration Book No. 1
COFFEE—Stamp No. 23 good for one pound through May 30.
SUGAR—Stamp No. 12 good for five pounds through May 31.

SHOES—Stamp No. 17 good for one pair until June 15.

GASOLINE—Stamps No. 5 of A-books good for four gallons each, through May 21.

Ration Book No. 2
Blue stamps, G, H, and J good through May 31, for canned and processed vegetables and fruits.

Red stamp G (meats, fats and cheeses) becomes valid May 9; H, May 16; and J, May 23. All expire midnight May 31.

Insurance For Soldiers

All soldiers can get financial protection through the national service life insurance program, if they act before midnight of August 10, the War Department has announced. Maximum policy is \$10,000. The payments will be made to beneficiaries only in monthly installments.

Tobacco Can Be Sent To Prisoners

U. S. War prisoners and civilian internees held by Germany and Italy can receive cigarettes, cigars, smoking tobacco, or chewing tobacco sent by relatives and friends under a program worked out by several government agencies and the American Red Cross. The plan will be extended to include persons held by Japan whenever facilities are available for routing the products to them. Under the program, the next-of-kin of each identified United States war prisoner and civilian internee will receive (without asking for it) two tobacco labels every 60 days. These are to be forwarded, with a money order, to a tobacco manufacturer, who will send the tobacco. No postage or federal excise tax need be paid. Each label is good for three cartons of cigarettes, or twelve packages of one carton of two-ounce packages of smoking tobacco, 100 cigars, or approximately 24 oz. of chewing tobacco. Smaller amounts or mixed packages cannot be ordered.

Crop Corps Certificates

Certificates of service will be awarded to the 3,000,000 persons who work on farms this year in the U. S. Crop Corps, and to those who work in canning and other food processing plants, the War Food Administration has announced. The certificates will be presented "for patriotic service on a farm or in a food processing factory" and will bear the signatures of Chester C. Davis, War Food Administrator, Paul V. McNutt, chairman of the War Manpower Commission, and the State Director of Agricultural extension in each state.

Coal Supply Is Low

Stocks of bituminous coal are not large enough to tide the nation over any prolonged suspension of mining, solid fuels, administrator Harold L. Ickes said recently, as he urged all users to conserve coal.

Help Stop Thefts And Forgeries
To safeguard dependents and other who regularly receive gov-

ernment checks the following procedure is urged by the U. S. Secret Service to help stop thieves and forgers—(1) some member of the family should always be at home when checks are due to be delivered; (2) all mail boxes should be equipped with a lock, and the individual's name should be printed clearly on the outside of the box; (3) checks should be cashed in the same place each month, making identification easier; (4) checks should not be endorsed until you are in the presence of the person who is to cash it.

Service Bars For Civilians

For the first time, civilians may earn an official service bar similar to the campaign bars of the armed services, according to a recent announcement of the Civilian Defense Director. Six distinctive bars for service ranging from 500 to 5,000 hours will be given to Civilian Defense Volunteers. All volunteers must qualify for the awards.

Prosecute Poultry Racketeers

New court actions—78 of them against violators of price ceilings on poultry were started between April 15 and April 30, in OPA's intensified drive to stamp out black markets. Of the 33, 72 were injunction suits and 15 were criminal prosecutions. In addition, the enforcement division issued statutory warnings—first step toward license revocation—to 15 other poultry sellers.

Maximum Prices On Poultry

Poultry raisers who sell live birds at their farms must observe the maximum prices OPA has set for the nearest city, town or village. Ceiling prices for 56 representative cities were recently issued. For broilers, fryers, roosters, and light capons the prices range from 27.5 cents per pound for Chicago, to 29.51 cents per pound for Miami, Florida.

More Cotton Cloth

Cotton fabric production will be increased by about 220 million yards annually without the use of additional facilities or raw materials, as the result of a recent WPB order. Fabrics will be lighter and less tightly woven, but serviceable and capable of meeting all military and essential civilian needs.

Rural Phone Batteries

A few dry-cell batteries for maintaining telephone service in rural areas have been provided for distribution. Distributors can get these batteries by submitting form PD-IX to the wholesale and retail trade division of the War Production Board.

Luggage Restricted To Seven Types

Luggage will be made only in seven basic types and will be drastically limited in size and design after July 1 by a recent order of WPB. All-leather luggage is out for the duration. Canvas, cotton duck, other fabrics, and wood will be used as substitutes when they are available.

Soldiers Get Lots Of Mail

United States soldiers overseas receive over 20,000,000 pieces of mail a week, or an average of 14 pieces per soldier. This is four times as much as the A.E.F. got at the peak of the World War. Twenty percent of the mail sent overseas is V-mail.

WFA To Purchase Seed

Pasture and legume seeds including blue lupine, white clover, wild winter peas, kobe lespedeza, and common lespedeza, Tennessee 76 lespedeza, sricca lespedeza, and yellow hop clover, will be purchased from farmers by the Commodity Credit Corporation, under a new program just announced by the War Food Administration.

Sewage Facilities For Homes

Home owners can now obtain sewage facilities by having their municipal authority write a letter to WPB. The letter must

certify that the work is properly authorized. That it will require less than \$1,500 for underground, and less than \$500 for above-ground construction.

Revised Feed Prices

Savings to farmers are expected to result from OPA's revision of retail prices of animal and poultry feeds. Previously, the retailer has been allowed a fixed mark-up of \$7.50 a ton on all kinds of feeds. Now, feeds have been classified, and there is a schedule of mark-ups ranging from \$5.50 to \$10.00 a ton.

Ceiling On Sausage

Frankfurters, bologna, and fresh and smoked sausage, which make up about 60 percent of all sausage sold in this country, are now under wholesale ceiling prices fixed by OPA. Cents-per-pound retail prices will be established by OPA in the near future.

Butter, Cheese Orders

Fifty percent of all butter and 70 percent of all cheddar cheese produced in May, June, and July must be held for government uses, the WFA has announced. Thirty percent of butter and 50 percent of cheese has been required for government use since February.

Hospitals For Civilians

Despite increasing military demands for hospital equipment and medical supplies, substantial efforts are being made to maintain the health of civilians. Since January 1, 1942, construction of 280 new hospitals, or extensive additions to existing hospitals has been approved by WPB. Beds will be increased by 7,000 leaving an estimated shortage for civilian use in war areas of about 14,000 beds.

No Quota On Used Truck Tires

An eligible truck operator who is unable to get rationing certificates for new tires because his rationing board has exhausted its quota can obtain certificates for used tires instead, according to OPA. Local boards have been authorized to issue truck tire certificates without regard to quota restrictions.

Chicory For Coffee

Consumers who like chicory in their coffee are assured of a supply by a recent order of the War Food Administration. Because demand for this product has increased since coffee rationing, processors are now allowed to put 25 percent of their bulk chicory in packages for individual consumers.

New Agency For Civilians

The Office of Civilian Requirements, empowered to provide civilians with essential goods and services, has been set up in WPB. The new agency supersedes the Office of Civilian Supply. "It shall be the objective of the War Production Board," the order states, "to provide consumer goods and services adequate to maintain essential civilian life and the highest productive efficiency."

Traffic Declines

Traffic on rural roads in the eastern rationed area was 48 percent less in March than the same month of 1941. It was about 37 percent less in the rest of the country, according to the Public Roads Administration of the Federal Works Agency. Traffic in February was off 52 percent in the east and 35 percent elsewhere, compared with February, 1941.

Shrimp Production Decreases

Canned shrimp produced in Gulf and South Atlantic states during the first quarter of 1943 was about 20 percent less than in 1942. The decrease in shrimp production is largely due to manpower shortages in both fishing and processing.

Quota Increase Revoked

Because a disproportionate

amount of beef is going into civilian channels depriving the armed services of an adequate amount of beef, the War Food Administration has revoked all temporary beef slaughter quotas and temporary increases granted since April 1 for the month of May. Butchers or local slaughterers who were slaughtering in 1941 and did not ask for an increase are not affected by the order.

Plane Output Climbs

WFB Director Donald Nelson reports that 6,200 war planes were produced in March.

Waste Fats Collection Down

Collection of waste kitchen fats from the nation's household during March amounted to 7,312, 617 pounds or 43.9 percent of the national quota. Texas turned in 294,833 pounds; Louisiana, 33,478 pounds and Oklahoma, 59,022 pounds, for a total of 387,333. The quota for the three states was 990,000.

AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD

Pfc. Leslie H. Douglas, son of Kit C. Douglas, Route 1, Santa Anna, Texas has begun an intensive course of study in aviation mechanics at this Army Air Field one of the newest schools in the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command.

He will spend several months at this great mechanics' school, and upon graduation will be sent to one of Uncle Sam's air bases, there to do his part in keeping America's "Flying Fortresses" harassing the Axis. In addition to mechanical training, his course here will include army discipline and courtesy, military drill and physical exercise to put him in the peak of condition.

If every man, woman and child in the United States lays aside \$100 the aggregate will be about \$13,000,000,000 or the amount the Treasury must raise in its Second War Loan.

Notice

Owing to increasing difficulty of getting

Premium Dishes

we will be compelled to discontinue redeeming tickets after July 1, 1943.

Phillips Drug Co.

Best Wishes
TO
GRADUATES
of
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Western Auto Associate Store

CONGRATULATIONS!
Grads
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Select Your
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BEN FRANKLIN STORE

Rockwood News

(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

Bro. Ray Sparks filled his regular appointment here Sunday bringing a fine Mother's Day message. I did not have any of my children at home who are away, but I am thankful I could be with my mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Box, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Box and Joe M. Box of San Angelo were visitors in the home of their mother Mrs. J. W. Box, Sunday.

Misses Joyce and Bobbye June Wise of Ft. Worth spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Payne and baby of Aspermont are here visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward, Jim Steward and daughter Beatrice, Mrs. Denver Ellis and Claud Wright enjoyed a fish fry on the river Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore of Killeen were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Inghram and Mrs. Wm. Ashmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pierson of Ft. Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Wise.

Mrs. Annie Belle Hilyer and daughter of San Angelo visited with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fonden and sister and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steward.

Cpl. S. Ferber of Camp Howe, Texas visited with Mrs. Ferber and babies in the Jack Bostick home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brusenhan and Mrs. Bailey Hull spent several days at Sheppard Field, Tex visiting with their son and brother, Lawrence, Jr. They had an apartment that was also occupied by Pvt. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and Miss Alice Jane Lovelady, daughter of Major and Mrs. Ray Lovelady.

Mrs. Ruth Magild and son of Houston visited with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams last week.

Those who spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Wm. Ashmore and Aunt Rosa included, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore and children, Mrs. Edgar Spencer and children, Miss Sammie Lee Stewardson all of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ashmore, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Crump and daughters of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Ashmore of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Inghram and Mrs. Frank McCreary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan and Margaret spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Whetstone of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Claud Box received a letter from her son, John Earl stating that he would receive his basic training at Camp Barkley, Abilene where he is now stationed.

Misses Emily and Charlotte Johnson of Austin spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson.

Miss Fannie Mae Rutherford of Ft. Worth visited relatives and friends here over the week-end.

Cpl. Jack Bostick of Goodfellow Field spent several days at home with Mrs. Bostick and boys.

Pvt. Darwin Lovelady of Waco Texas was greeting friends here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Sparks spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ewing of Leaday, nursing a new nephew.

Cleveland News

Mr. and Mrs. John Geer and family visited relatives at Bangs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. I Hartman and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd

Hartman of Liberty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan visited relatives in Coke county Sunday.

Those visiting Mrs. Jennings Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. Irl Ellis Mrs. Andy Anderson visited Mrs. Joe Phillips Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Phillips and Hugh Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh of Leady visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baugh Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton and family visited Mrs. S. L. Blanton of Santa Anna Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Blanton and daughter Fay of Owens, Texas attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Mrs. John Perry and children visited Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leman Lowery of Ft. Worth visited relatives here over the week-end.

Watts Creek

Bro. C. L. Carrol of Richland Springs filled his appointment here Sunday morning with a special Mother's Day Sermon.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brusenhan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dink Lunsford of White Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Griffin and children of Houston.

Mrs. Lois Henderson and Bob spent Sunday with Mrs. Mark-

ham Henderson and family of Santa Anna.

Doris Jane and Bobby Henderson spent Sunday in the C. F. Parker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Henderson of Alva, Oklahoma spent the week here.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCreary, Mr. and Mrs. Roy West, Mr. and Mrs. Payne Henderson and Payne, Jr., and Mrs. S. L. Cannon of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Brown of Santa Anna.

"HE FORGOT"

"He brushed his teeth twice a day.

The doctor examined him twice a year.

He wore rubbers when it rained. He slept with the windows open. He stuck to a diet with plenty of fresh vegetables.

He relinquished his tonsils and traded in several worn out glands.

He golfed, but never more than 18 holes.

He never smoked, drank, or lost his temper.

He did his daily dozen daily.

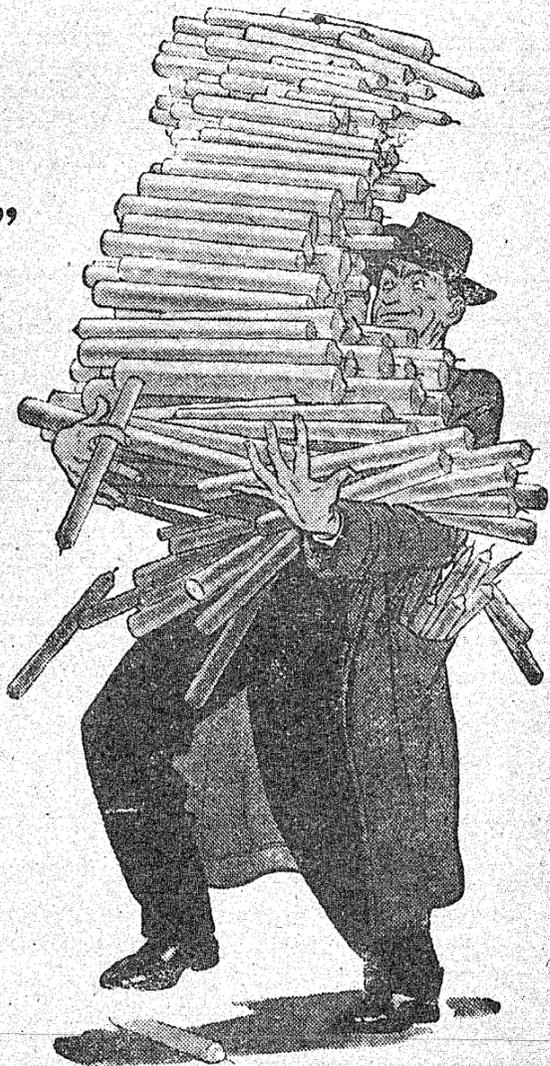
He got at least eight hours sleep every night.

The funeral will be held next Wednesday.

He had forgotten about trains at grade crossings."



**"Hey, Mister,
You Dropped a Watt!"**



REDDY: What on earth are you going to do with all those candles?
 MAN: Light my home. I'm cutting down expenses.
 REDDY: H-h-u-u-m-mm. Then you need about 500 pounds of candles a month to give you the same kind of good light. D'you know what that'd cost?
 MAN: Nope. But I guess it'd save me money.
 REDDY: Well, let's do some figuring. That many candles would cost you about \$200—
 MAN: Wow! I couldn't afford that. My monthly electric bill is only three dollars or so.
 REDDY: Well, that's just about average. But remember that only about 85c of it goes for light. The rest pays for electricity to run your radio and refrigerator—
 MAN: Say, that's not so much when you come to think of it.
 REDDY: Right! Electricity's cheaper than it's ever been. You're getting about twice as much for your money as just 10 or 15 years ago.
 MAN: How can that be? My bill hasn't changed.
 REDDY: Maybe not. Think of the bigger and better lamps you're using and the electric appliances you've added. Fifteen years ago, did you have an electric refrigerator?
 MAN: No-o-o.
 REDDY: Radio? Electric mixer? Air conditioner?
 MAN: No... Say, how come I got so much more electricity for about the same money I used to pay?
 REDDY: That's easy. Experience. Training. Well-balanced business methods.

MAN: I don't get it.

REDDY: It's like this. The men and women who run the West Texas Utilities know their job. That job is to give you the best possible service at the lowest possible cost. And they're doing it! Today—when most everything else is going up—ELECTRICITY IS STILL CHEAP!

**West Texas Utilities
Company**

Snuff out the Axis—Buy U.S. Bonds!

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for May 16

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PETER AND JOHN PREACH TO SAMARITANS

Lesson Text: Acts 8:14-17. Golden Text: "For God has given us signs and wonders in heaven and on earth, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ."

The Samaritans were a people who had been separated from the Jews. They had their own temple at Shechem. Peter and John were sent to Samaria to preach the gospel.

A proper understanding of, and attitude toward, God's gracious gift of salvation is of first importance. New converts must recognize that it is a gift; that it cannot be earned or bought, and that it issues in a life of service and testimony.

All three of these matters are covered in our lesson.

I. Spiritual Life and Power Is God's Gift to Believers (vv. 14-17).

The Holy Spirit was received by these early members of the Church by the laying on of the apostles' hands, but later He came directly into the believer's heart the moment he had faith in God. This is now our blessed privilege, and the provision for our every need as followers of Christ, to recognize the indwelling Holy Spirit.

What a glorious truth it is that the believer is indwelt by the Holy Spirit. He who is a divine person, not just a power or influence (1 Cor. 6:19). Thus every believer, including the humblest as well as the greatest, has in him the One who gives spiritual life and power, who gives grace for holy living, and empowers for service.

The greatest power in all the world—the power of the infinite God—is thus available to every true and yielded believer, as God's gift.

None then is all boasting of our own strength, and none are all excuses for weak and careless living. The power and grace are His, and He gives them to us as His gift. Christian friends, are you allowing the Holy Spirit who dwells in you, to infill and use you as He will?

II. Spiritual Life and Power Cannot Be Bought by Works or Money (vv. 18-24).

Men of this world are so used to putting their trust in money that they come to think that one can buy anything. To them every man and every desirable thing must have its price. Let us be clear that there are men who cannot be bought, and that the best things in life bear no price tag. A mother's love, friendship, fellowship with God—priceless they are, but not for sale.

Above all let it be clear that eternal life, and the power of God the Holy Spirit, cannot be gained by piling up good works, nor by payment in the coin of this world.

Simon Magus wanted this power to improve his business as a magician. He made a very gross proposal, but one wonders whether he was any more to be censured than many in the Church today who are doing the same thing, though by more cultured and skillful methods.

Not only are there those who are trying to buy their own way into heaven, but also those who by holding the purse strings, try to control the message of the preacher. What about those who by their financial gifts seek to gain control of church organizations?

Their efforts are doomed to ultimate failure—God will see to that!—but in the meantime they do much harm to the cause of Christ. Many a church and pastor would like to rise up and say with Peter, "Thy money perish with thee."

III. Spiritual Life and Power Should Result in Testimony (v. 25).

Peter and John set the Samaritan Christians a good example as they

Church Notices

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. P. Richardson, Supt. Communion and preaching service 11 A. M. Ernest H. Wylie, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School 9:30 A. M. Preaching service 11 A. M. W. A. S. Meets 7:30 P. M.

D.M.

Worship Meeting 10:30 A. M. S. R.

Presbyterian Church

Worship Service 10:30 A. M. M. L.

Evangelical Reading of Hogs

Producers can reduce protein feed requirements 30 to 50 per cent for most classes of hogs if the pastures are of high quality and average yield. Alfalfa and clovers take top rank as pastures for hogs, says E. M. Regenbrecht, but rape, Sudan grass, oats and other small grains, cane peanuts, cowpeas and other crops will provide protein mineral matter and vitamins.

Regenbrecht, swine husbandman for the A. and M. College Extension Service, explains that pastures help to keep the pigs thrifty by providing clean ground while grazing in the sunshine the pigs also are supplied with vitamin D.

For most economical results protein supplements should consist of high quality protein concentrates, which are needed to balance home grown grains and carbohydrates. Regenbrecht suggests that a mixture of 100 lbs. of 60 per cent protein tankage, 200 lbs. of 43 per cent cottonseed meal or other vegetable protein feeds, and 75 per cent protein green alfalfa meal is one good protein supplement. He identifies this as "supplement A."

If tankage or meal supplements are not available a mixture identified as "protein supplement B" may be used. This consists of 300 pounds of either cottonseed meal, soybean meal, peanut meal, or linseed meal; 100 pounds of 14 per cent green alfalfa meal; 20 pounds of ground limestone or ground oyster shell, and two pounds of salt. Supplement "B" cannot be expected to give as good results as supplement "A" and is not recommended for pigs weighing less than 65 pounds.

Complete hog rations to be fed straight may contain from 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 per cent crude fiber without appreciably decreasing the efficiency or economy of the ration for fattening hogs, Regenbrecht says. But where the crude fiber exceeds 7 1/2 per cent the

went back to Jerusalem, by permitting the Holy Spirit to use them to testify and to teach the Word of the Lord in many of their villages.

One of the great hindrances to the carrying out of the great commission has been that Christians have received spiritual life, and even spiritual power, as though it were something for their own gratification or comfort. God saves us to serve Him in testimony and in life.

The Holy Spirit does not speak of Himself. He guides the believer in all truth (John 16:13), particularly the truth regarding Christ. The Spirit's primary interest is to glorify Christ (John 16:14).

It follows then that the Spirit-filled believer will be busy about speaking for Christ and glorifying His name. The Holy Spirit is ready to teach even the words to say that Christ may be lifted up and men be saved.

Peter and John, as good leaders of these new Samaritan believers, gave them by word and example a good foundation for growth in grace and usefulness to Christ.

economy of the ration may be decreased. The economy of swine rations ordinarily indirectly related to the concentration and quality of the protein used to balance good quality farm grains

On Sharing No. 2

COLLEGE STATION, May.—Yeast bread made with everlasting yeast, the kind "grandmother used to make" is the current rage in Midland County. Alpha Lynn, the county home demonstration agent, says the vogue came about through sharing of girls' 4-H and women's home demonstration clubs.

The "starter" came from a club member, Mrs. M. D. Rutherford, of the Greasywood community, who obtained her starter from a friend from a friend in Lubbock. Recently when Miss Lynn made rolls in a series of 4-H Club meetings, each girl took home a "starter." Their the women heard about it, and soon all home demonstration club members got "starters" at their meetings. Now, Miss Lynn says, families in country and town are eating yeast rolls and bread made of everlasting yeast.

S.A.H.D. CLUB

Friday, May 7, the S.A.H.D. Club held its annual Mother's Day, 3:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. John Lowe. The program was as following:

Club pledge. Prayer—Mrs. Dan Blake. Song—Onward Christian Soldiers.

Welcome to visiting mothers—Miss Ellen Richards.

Response—Mrs. E. G. Warren. Roll Call—The roll was answered with the name of some famous or useful mother, and by mutual consent the group decided that Mrs. J. J. Gregg was one of the town's useful mother's, having three sons, a daughter, and a son-in-law in the service. Also Mrs. Ed Bartlett, whose son had sacrificed his life for his country. Other mother's were mentioned also.

How the present day mother's are reacting to the war situation—Mrs. A. L. Oder.

Song—If I Could Hear My Mother Pray Again.

Mother of World War I—Discussed by Mrs. C. A. Kilmer.

Song—Where We Will Never Grow Old.

The oldest mother present was presented with a box of candy. Mother Garrett received the box.

Song—My Mother's Bible. A stork shower was presented one of the clubs' youngest mothers.

Song—The Old Rugged Cross. Special Mother's Day Story—Blanche Boyd.

The hostess Mrs. John Lowe assisted by Mrs. S. K. Moredock, served a refreshment plate to 13 club members and 10 visitors.

Austin, May 1 (Spl.)—Mrs. Doris R. Moore, of Austin, has accepted a position with the State Department of Public Welfare as Senior Field Worker and assumed her duties in Coleman and Ballinger on May 3. Mrs. Moore was born in Victoria and reared in Yoakum. She is a graduate of Yoakum High School and has also attended Southwest Texas State Teachers College and Texas State College for Women.

Prior to her selection by the welfare department through a Merit System examination, she was supervisor of the school lunch program in Brenham and La Grange. She has had several years' experience in public welfare work. In preparation for her new duties, Mrs. Moore has just completed four weeks of training in Austin and Fort Worth.

The new worker will help administer the Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Needy Blind, and Aid to Dependent Children programs. These programs, being financed jointly by federal and state money, grant assistance to aged

persons who have reached their 65th birthday, to blind persons who are at least 21 years of age, and to children under 14 who have lost the care or support of one or both parents through death, continued absence from the home, or physical or mental incapacity of the parent. In order to secure federal funds the state is required to grant aid only to those persons found to be in necessitous circumstances and who qualify under other provisions of the law.

Club Calves Exempt

COLLEGE STATION, May.—Calves or cattle produced by members of 4-H Clubs and Future Farmers of America have been exempt from the custom duties provisions of executive order, regulation 169 by the Office of Price Administration. The exemption was contained in a recent amendment to the regulation. It is conditioned upon certification by a sworn statement from the club agent, county agricultural agent, or vocational project leader that such animals are club animals, and written permission being given for such exemption from the local OPA district office.

Geo. W. Barnes, animal husbandman for the A. and M. College Extension Service, interprets the amendment to mean that buyer may obtain such animals at auction or private sale at whatever price they choose to pay. But when the meat enters the retail trade it must sell at or below the ceiling price for meat of that grade. Moreover the slaughter of such animals may, if necessary, be charged against the civilian quota for the next quota period.

The amendment specifies that "club cattle or calves" means any cattle or calves which have been bred, raised and fed, or fed only, by a member of a 4-H or FFA club under the supervision of the Extension Service, or by an individual participating in a voca-

ONE WEEKS WORK

By The United Press

Incomplete figures from Tunisia today showed that in the last week the Allies had taken approximately the following toll of Axis armies:

Prisoners—75,000, boosting the total for the campaign to more than 100,000.

Generals captured—Six. Ships sunk—50.

In addition the following toll for the entire campaign was announced:

Axis wounded—42,000. Tanks destroyed—500. Cannon lost—600. Vehicles lost—4,500.

national agricultural project under the supervision of a vocational agricultural teacher in any recognized vocational agricultural department.

The exemption does not include club-produced swine. OPA explains, however, that it has received a request to expand it to include hogs.

Mrs. R. L. Garrett and children Barbara Ann and Ben Jack of Tucumcari, New Mexico are visiting their grandmother Mrs. W. O. Garrett.



Griffin Hatchery



Bluebonnet Cafe

Baby Pullets!

We can book your order for Started White Leghorn Pullets for June and July delivery—1—2 or 3 weeks old.

And we are now able to take bookings on straight-run day old chicks for delivery during May and June.

Plenty of Starter and Grow Mash.

Griffin Hatchery

Santa Anna, Texas

Miss Baxter Entertains

Miss Josie Baxter was hostess to a group of friends, in deference to Mother's Day last Sunday afternoon. Decorations were spring flowers, such as our Mother's used to grow. There was an interesting quiz on mother's of the Bible. All joined in animated conversation pertaining to the good old days, and the good old ways.

The oldest one present was Mrs. J. W. Collier, who looked most young and charming.

Refreshments of cake and fruit punch were served with red roses as plate favors. Enjoying this pleasant occasion were Mesdames O. W. Kulp, J. W. Collier, T. P. Sumner, C. A. Kilmer, R. W. Daniel, M. L. Fletcher, A. L. Oder, Hamiter, and Misses Louella Chambers and Josie Baxter.

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Miss Ellen Richards and Mrs. Moredock, Mrs. Oder and Mrs. Claud Conley attended a district meeting of the Home Demonstration Clubs in Coleman Tuesday. They report a fine meeting and large attendance.

Classified

Tested field seed: Hygera, sudan, combine milo, millet, seed corn and many other kinds.

Griffin Hatchery

Wanted

We want to buy your Cotton Equities 1941 and 1942 crop.

Burdick & Burdick
Coleman, Texas

Start drenching your sheep with Phenothiazine now.

Griffin Hatchery

FOR SERVICE—Poland China Male, kept at my home. See T. J. Wristen if I am out of town. Dan Wristen. 5p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. See or phone Mrs. C. F. Freeman. Telephone 264.

Watson Pedigreed Cotton seed for planting, At Griffin Hatchery. tfc.

FOR SALE—Binder twine at Griffin Hatchery.

FOR SALE—No. 2 and No. 3 cans while they last at Griffin Hatchery.

FREE: If excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample, Udga, at PHILLIPS DRUG CO.

FOR SALE—Fruit jars and canning supplies. Griffin Hatchery.

FOR RENT—Nice three room apartment. Newly papered and painted. Private bath. V. L. Grady.

FOR SALE—A good set of bath room fixtures, large tent, also good electric light system, ranch or village type. Or will trade any of the above for anything except Coke County land. See Ed Jones. 19tfc

FOR SERVICE—My Palomino and Belgian Studs and Jack will make this season at my barn. Fees \$10.00 cash. M. L. (Rat) Guthrie, Santa Ann, Tex. 19tfc

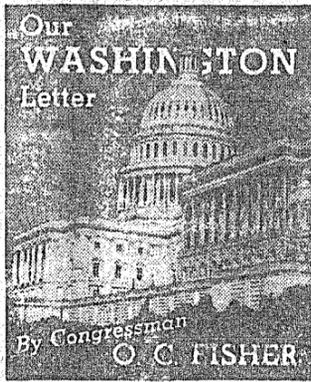
Planting Seed

Still have plenty field seed. Also, line of fresh vegetables Tuesday and Saturdays.

Watkins Feed & Seed Store

FOR SALE—Model A coupe, good tires, or Model A sedan, good rubber. See Sam McCrary. 1tp.

LOST—Gas ration book, May 6, between Rockwood and Whon. Return to Santa Anna postmaster. Vicente Guerrero. 1tp



Fair Warning

The time for talk should be ended, and action, definite and conclusive, should be next on the program of the tragic show starring John L. Lewis, dictator of the United Mine Workers. The country is fed up with Lewis' theatrical but dangerous stunting for the edification of his dues-paying followers. This nation wants no unnecessary hindrances today in its life and death struggle.

If the Gallup Poll showing 86 percent of the people favoring legislation to outlaw strikes, were not enough, the same agency's tabulation last week showed 64 percent of war workers, including union members favoring a law banning war industry strikes. When organized labor itself gets fed up, even its star performer may well watch his step.

The Connally anti-strike bill, which had lain dormant in the Senate since early in the war, passed last week by a vote of 63-16. And certain lobbyists had had the idea that it didn't matter what stringent bills the House passed; labor chiefs could get them pigeon holed in the Senate labor committee.

John L. Lewis himself unwittingly helped pass the Texan's bill out of the Senate. He slapped himself in the face.

Legitimate and responsible labor, more interested in the welfare of the nation and the average working man than in any particular labor leader, has been having John L. Lewis nightmares lately. But it is beginning to wake up now.

Another West Texan In Nimitz' Footsteps

West Texas has another representative now in the high offices of the U. S. Navy here in Washington. He's Lt. Comdr. Charles C. Kirkpatrick of San Angelo, just named flag lieutenant, or aide, to Admiral Ernest J. King, commander-in-chief of the fleet. "At 35 he's one of the outstanding killer-dillers of all service arms and holds three Navy Crosses and the Army's Distinguished Service Cross," says the Washington News. A sub commander, he sank 11 war and merchant ships, some of them in Japan's own front yard. Commander Kirkpatrick tells me that Texans predominate in the Pacific fleets. One reason is that they have faith in the top man of the navies fighting Japan—Admiral Chester C. Nimitz of Fredericksburg, Texas, who took over after Pearl Harbor.

Texas Imported Labor

Lt. Col. Jay L. Taylor, deputy war food administrator, is in charge of the farm labor program now. Just back from a tour over the country explaining his program-- which still has some red tape this Texan advises that a farmer or ranchman desiring to obtain Mexican laborers should first of all contact his county agent or his closest office of the United States Employment Service.

Texas Fortunate

Washington service stations today were about out of gasoline again. Washington would pay a billion dollars for one of those West Texas oilfields.

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S/Sgt. John W. Taylor of Camp Bowie spent Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor.

Prisoners Of War Get Food Parcels From Red Cross

Washington, D. C.—Somewhere on the high seas, one of the last of the four masted steel sailing vessels is enroute to Lisbon, Portugal, with a cargo of 204,000 prisoners of war food parcels—more than 800 tons of rich-in-vitamin food for U. S. and Allied captives behind wire enclosures of enemy prison camps.

From Portugal, the packages will be reshipped to Geneva, Switzerland, from which point they will be distributed by the International Red Cross Committee to grateful recipients who each week receive one of the 11 pound packages.

Contents of the parcels have been designed by American Red Cross nutritionists to get the most food into the smallest package—food which will offset the vitamin deficiency of prison fare, and prevent occurrences of deficiency diseases such as scurvy, beri-beri, pellagra and nutritional anemia.

Transport Problems

Transportation has been the greatest problem in the American Red Cross prisoner of war food parcel program. Ships of neutral registry have always been used, but their availability has become scarce—especially for Atlantic crossings. A partial solution to this problem has been reached in the organization of a subsidiary of the International Committee—"The Foundation for Red Cross Transport." The ships will fly the Swiss Flag—a white cross on a field of red. On the sides of the ship, the Red Cross emblem, a reverse of the Swiss Flag—Red Cross on a white field—will be prominently painted.

The first of the ships purchased by the subsidiary was the Caritas 1, which cleared Philadelphia in March with a cargo of 270,000 food parcels.

One Hundreth Crossing

Despite the difficulty in obtaining ships of neutral registry for transportation of the food parcels, the clearance of the Caritas 1, marked the beginning of the 100th trip of ships loaded with Red Cross food parcels.

The four masted, steel sailing bark, now on the high seas with its relief cargo is the Foz do Douro, of neutral Portuguese registry. The cargo is part of nearly 2,000,000 prisoners of war packages which have gone from America to Americans and other United Nations prisoners of war. Use of the sailing vessel has been necessitated by the shortage of ships and the fact that the Foz do Douro is flying the flag of Portugal, one of the few remaining neutrals.

A crew of deepwater sailing seaman were brought from neutral Portugal to navigate the Foz do Douro. The captain, the first officer and the boatswain were flown to America by clipper plane to take over command of the vessel.

Former Training Ship

The Foz do Douro was formerly the Abraham Rydberg of Swedish registry. She was used by the Swedish government as a cadet training ship of Sweden's merchant marine.

Efforts are now being made by the American Red Cross and the International Committee to route the prisoner of war laden ships direct to Mediterranean ports, in order to eliminate the loading and unloading of the cargoes in Lisbon. Reshipment of the parcels is done with permission of the belligerent power all of which are notified six days prior a sailing from Lisbon. A round trip from Lisbon to Marseilles is twenty-three days, and the round trip from Lisbon to Genoa requires twenty-seven days. If the ships are routed direct, it will cut this much time off from the overall trip from an American port to a Mediterranean port.

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Join the Navy and see what's left of the world.

State Health Office Says Kill The Housefly

Austin, Texas, May 13—Leaving behind wherever it goes a trail of sickness, suffering, and death, the common housefly has made its annual descent upon this community and it is at present trying to force its unwelcome presence into every home and business establishment.

Advice received from Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, as to how best to combat this menace to public health among our citizens, states that complete elimination to houseflies is imperative because typhoid fever, tuberculosis, summer complaint, cholera, intestinal diseases, and many other serious ailments are spread from person to person by the visit of the housefly.

"The most effective measure for control is to prevent breeding," Dr. Cox said. "Flies breed in filth and the removal and destruction of all waste matter will deprive the fly of a breeding place. One female fly lays from 600 to 1000 eggs during its life time and in a season which begins in spring and runs through into the fall of the year, she and her descendants will number countless thousands.

"Destroy all breeding places for flies," Dr. Cox advised. "Manure piles, garbage, and other organic filth furnish the required warmth and moisture necessary for the propagation of the fly. Inasmuch as they not only breed in filth but frequent such unclean places as open privy pits, it should not be necessary to urge that flies be kept from contact with food, drinks, and kitchen utensils."

The State Health Officer urged that all windows, doors, and porches be screened so that flies

cannot gain entrance to homes and business establishments. The destruction of breeding places and proper screening can eliminate the danger of the fly in homes and public eating places.

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Mrs. Stanly Price and daughter, La Rita, of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Herro and baby, of Brownwood were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mace Blanton and Mrs. Boots Walker.

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Miss Geneva Holt left Wednesday at noon for Purvis, Miss. where she is to be married to Cpl. Virgil Standfield, at Camp Shelby. Following the marriage, the couple will go to Albertville, Ala., for a visit with Cpl. Standfield's parents.

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Quintuplets Christen Five Cargo Ships

Superior, Wis., May 10—Five 8-year-old sisters in grey suits and red coats stepped up to the looming bows of five cargo vessels Sunday, and a few minutes later the "Quint Fleet" had shattered world sidewise launching records and was on its way to change bright rust-paint for camouflage and combat grey.

The five little girls, world-famous daughters of Oliva and Elzire Dionne, swung hard and straight—"We want these ships to be good luck ships, and help win the war."

Adm. Emery S. Land, chairman of the Maritime Commission, gave the formal benediction.

"These ships, built by Americans, christened by Canadians, to be manned by British—we wish them well," Land said. "Wherever they go in their work I hope there is one special trip they will make, be it soon or later—I hope they will sail into seaports of Japan with supplies for our garrison in Tokyo."

The vessels, each more than 250 feet long and of about 6000 tons, were lined bow to stern along one slip of the Walter Butler Shipbuilders, Inc.

"J'ai casse la bouteille," (I have broken the bottle) Annette exclaimed in French as she christened the first vessel. The others followed in alphabetical order: Cecile, Emilie, Marie and Yvonne.

The quintuplets were acclaimed by a crowd estimated officially at 12,000 when they stepped onto the platform. Other thousands were massed outside the shipyard fences and in a field on the far side of the slip.

Introduced as "five little Canadian ambassadors of good will," the girls greeted the crowd in English. Then they sang a little French song, and followed in English with "God Bless America" and "There'll always Be An England."

Cong. Fisher After John L. Lewis' Goat

Mr. FISHER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to proceed for 1 minute and to revise and extend my remarks.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection?

There was no objection.

Mr. FISHER. Mr. Speaker, history will undoubtedly record John L. Lewis as the No. 1 saboteur of America's war-production program of 1943. At the behest of Lewis more than half a million miners were idle the past week-end. The manufacture of our vital sinews of war was retarded and the national interest was put in grave peril. Hitler and Hirohito can point to that strike and rightfully boast of their greatest triumph in months. For them, Lewis' strike and the possible recurrence of it constitutes more of a victory than would be the sinking of a battleship, the bombing of a factory, or the winning of a battle.

John L. Lewis, in causing that strike, flatly refused to submit to peaceful, orderly, unbiased arbitration, and boldly and defiantly struck against the Government of the United States. He

has challenged the Government's fight against inflation. He has struck against our men in uniform and gambled with their lives. He has put selfishness above patriotism and has betrayed the cause of labor in which he claims such a great interest.

The President is to be commended for making use of his wartime powers in taking over the mines in his effort to hold down further obstruction to our war program. Those who do not return to work at once should, as they are subject to the selective-service laws, be immediately inducted into military service and either used as combat soldiers or sent to the war areas in labor battalions. In addition, Congress should immediately pass legislation to protect us against a recurrence of such a shameful spectacle. There are a number of anti-strike bills now pending in committee which would accomplish that purpose. Such disputes should and can be settled, under law, by peaceful, orderly, unbiased mediation. The time to act is now.

H. S. U. Offers Pre-Flight Training

ABILENE, Texas, May—A tuition free course in pre-flight aeronautics for high school teachers will be given at Hardin-Simmons University for the Civil Aeronautics Administration during June. President W. R. White announced today.

The course, starting June 1 and ending June 30, is open to all secondary school teachers handling work in pre-flight aeronautics or who intend to start such instruction not later than the 1943-44 school year.

The CAA of the United States Department of Commerce has contracted with Hardin-Simmons for payment of tuition for the teachers handling instruction. Courses will include an introduction to pre-flight aeronautics, general servicing and operation of aircraft, meteorology, navigation, civil air regulations and pre-flight aeronautics in secondary schools.

Laboratory work will include servicing and operation of aircraft structures, engines, instruments, and parachutes; study of the relationship of weather to flying, air pressure, map reading distribution of oxygen and other work. Classroom study will be made of teaching pre-flight work in high schools, icing conditions, and complete knowledge of air regulations.

Under the contract, the CAA is permitting a limited number of teachers to enter the class in June. Applications should be directed to L. Q. Campbell, Dean, Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, Texas.

Hardin-Simmons recently completed a contract with the Navy and CAA for teaching a large number of Naval air cadets in pre-flight, including a majority of studies to be in the course for teachers, receiving high praise for its work.

Mother Garrett is returning to San Antonio the last of this week with her daughter, Eudora. She will be gone sometime for medical treatment. She will be 80 next Thursday.

Medical and Dental Colleges To Houston

Dallas Schools to Become Part of Huge Medical Center Being Formed by M. D. Anderson Foundation.

WACO, May 9.—Baylor University trustees at a meeting here Saturday unanimously accepted proposals from the heavily endowed M. D. Anderson Foundation of Houston to transfer the College of Medicine and Dentistry at Dallas to Houston, where the schools would become a unit of Texas Medical Center.

The Anderson Foundation trustees agreed to give the Baylor schools an unrestricted site of 20 acres within the general tract provided for a medical center; place immediately in escrow \$1,000,000 in cash and securities for the erection of permanent buildings; provide temporary quarters for professional school while permanent ones are being constructed; provide \$1,000,000 for research to be made available in annual installments of \$100,000 for 10 years, the announcement said.

The Houston Chamber of Commerce, through its executive committee, pledged \$50,000 a year for 10 years to be used by the units for operating expenses, it was stated here.

Trade at Home

Pfc. Hardy B. Dockery, son of Mrs. John Dockery of Trickham, has returned to Ft. Dix, N. J., following a visit of 15 days here. He has just returned to the states after 14 months in Panama Canal. He is with the 88th Railroad Co.

Mrs. Lavern Sitterson left Wednesday evening for an indefinite visit with the parents of her husband who is training for Uncle Sam's Army.

Major Ward Blacklock and wife of Camp Bowie were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Teagle. Mrs. Blacklock is the former Ernestine Thames.

A. D. Hunter, Sr., employee of the Consolidated Air Craft, Fort Worth, returned to the Panther City Tuesday after spending the week-end here with his family.

James B. Daniel, Co. N, U. S. Coastal Guard, Box 550, Orange, Texas, visited over the week-end here with his parents and other members of the Daniel family.

M. D. Eubanks returned Monday from an extended visit with relatives in Alabama and Tennessee, and reports a splendid trip, and the portion of the country visited blessed with fine crop prospects.

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