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## Red Cross Workers Doing Real Job

The Red Cross Surgical Dressing work rooms are now open four times each week. On Monday evening from 8 to 10 and on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons from 2 to 6.

There is an urgent need for every dressing that is made. The dressings are used for drying incisions, for temporary drains, as preliminary dressings after operations and for small wounds. These dressings are also put in each soldier's First Aid Kit.

In order to wear a Red Cross each member must work fifteen hours for the first cross. The second Red Cross may be worn after the worker has an additional fifteen hours.

During this week the following women were present one or more times: Mrs. T. R. Sealy, Mrs. Walter Holt, Mrs. Frank Crum, Mrs. Charles Mathews, Mrs. E. H. Wylie, Mrs. J. W. McSpadden, Mrs. B. A. Parker, Mrs. J. W. Burgett, Anna Fae Burgett, Mrs. Frank Leady, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. J. W. McCellan, Mrs. D. R. Hill, Mrs. J. E. Walker, Mary Frances Talley, Mrs. J. L. Ingram, Mrs. Ella Stiles, Mrs. C. V. Drennan, Mrs. Ed. Schrader, Mrs. F. B. Hill, Mrs. J. E. Howard, Mrs. Stafford Baxter, Mrs. Vera Shield, Mrs. Ben Parker, Mrs. Ford Barnes, Mrs. Kilmer, Mrs. L. O. Garrett, Mrs. Mattie Dillinger, Mrs. Ernest England, Mrs. Ross Kelley, Mrs. E. D. McDonald, Mrs. Vandervord, Mrs. T. E. McDonald, Mrs. Lee Hunter, Mrs. H. L. Zachary, Mrs. J. R. Gipson, Mrs. Luther Abernathy, Mrs. Oscar Cheaney, Mrs. Will Parker, Mrs. Mickie Browning, Mrs. Lon Gray, Miss Dorothy Sumner, Mary Lela Woodward, Mrs. Wise Stiles and Mrs. Alfred Williams.

—Editors Note—It is really commendable in the good women of our town and community to unite in their efforts to do the important Red Cross work they are doing, and we understand the work is so urgent and the need for the surgical dressings being prepared, so great, the services of several others could be used to good advantage. If you have the time it will be considered your good deeds, if you will join and help with this important work.

## 4-H Parade Big Success

Nearly two hundred 4-H Club boys and girls from throughout the county were present for a parade in Coleman last Saturday. The parade was led by Mr. O Bar followed by the army staff car and then the Coleman High School Band under the direction of Jimmie King. Three large army trucks and nine 4-H club floats gayly decorated in green and white followed in succession.

The parade committee included J. W. Vance, W. E. Selman and Sam Cooper who had charge of the parade. The judges of the floats were: Mrs. A. G. Beach, Jno. Grammar and Rob O'Hair.

Winners in the floats were:  
1st.—Crossroads  
2nd.—Gouldbusk  
3rd.—West Ward (boys)  
4th.—Silver Valley  
5th.—Shields.  
Honorable mention was given to the following clubs:  
6th.—Santa Anna  
7th.—Loss Creek  
8th.—Junction  
9th.—Bowen

## EVERY DRIVER CAN HELP

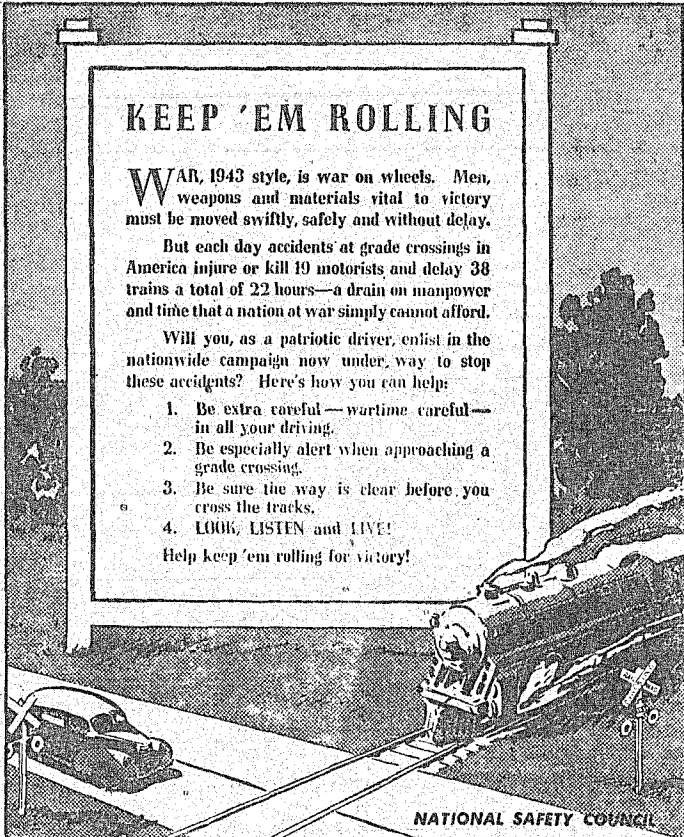
### KEEP 'EM ROLLING

WAR, 1943 style, is war on wheels. Men, weapons and materials vital to victory must be moved swiftly, safely and without delay.

But each day accidents at grade crossings in America injure or kill 19 motorists and delay 38 trains a total of 22 hours—a drain on manpower and time that a nation at war simply cannot afford.

Will you, as a patriotic driver, enlist in the nationwide campaign now under way to stop these accidents? Here's how you can help:

1. Be extra careful—wartime careful—in all your driving.
  2. Be especially alert when approaching a grade crossing.
  3. Be sure the way is clear before you cross the tracks.
  4. LOOK, LISTEN and LIVE!
- Help keep 'em rolling for victory!



## Allied Invasion Of Europe May Be Under Several Commanders

WASHINGTON, May 18. (AP)—The Allied invasion of Europe may be directed—not by a single supreme commander—but by several commanders, each having his own sphere of operations.

Speculation over the appointment of an Allied commander, authorities here pointed out today, generally presupposes one great drive, whereas the strategy actually to be followed may turn out to be a multiple attack.

Presumably President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill have by now set the course of invasion, and it is more than likely that they have agreed on a commander—or commanders. Assuming a single all-out smash the names figuring most prominently in speculation are those of three full generals, one British and two American—Sir Harold R. L. G. Alexander, Dwight D. Eisenhower and George C. Marshall.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

A Vacation Bible School will begin at the First Baptist Church next Monday morning, and will continue two weeks.

Exercises will begin at 9 o'clock each morning. A good corps of workers is organized to offer an interesting course in Bible study, hand work and recreation to all who come.

This Vacation Bible School is open to all children, without regard to where they go to Sunday School. It offers an opportunity for two weeks of Bible study, teaching in hand work, wood work, and recreation. We urge the parents to keep the time in mind and cooperate with us in making this a profitable two weeks.

S. R. Smith, pastor.

If Otha M. Heallen and Isham Green Curry will call at this office with 25c each, to pay for this adv. we will return something of value to you, which has no value to anyone else. Call at will.

## Ration Book 3 To Be Mailed

DALLAS, May 18. (AP)—Herbert P. Sioussat, national issuance manager for War Ration Book No. 3, was here today checking final plans for distribution to Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

Beginning June 1, volunteer workers at three Dallas public high schools will begin entering names on more than 10,725,000 books for residents of the three-state district, he said.

Only two other cities, New York and Chicago, will have larger mailing lists, regional OPA officials said.

"The old plan of going to the school house to get a ration book served the purpose at the time, but the new mailing system is better," Sioussat explained. "It will save countless man-hours in defense plants and other vital industries."

## Scout Encampment To Be May 24-29

COLEMAN, May 18. (SC)—Plans are complete for the Boy Scout encampment which is to be held at the Knox Ranch, near Echo, from May 24 to May 29, according to announcement made today.

Boy Scouts from Coleman, Santa Anna and Cross Plains are expected to take part in the Chisholm Trail Council's summer camp.

Activities will be under the direction of Charles F. Rutledge, Abilene, council scout executive, and the central staff will include C. C. Day of Coleman, district commissioner, and scoutmasters, assistant scoutmasters and other scouters that may attend.

## WHAT'S IN A NAME

Worth Speed is an aviation cadet at Goodfellow Field, where he is studying to fly one of the super-speedy planes with which Uncle Sam's fighting pilots are equipped today. He's 21 years old the son of Thomas J. Speed, 1346 Greenleaf Avenue, Chicago.

## 11th Federal Reserve District Tops List In War Loan Drive

The persuasive power of a free press in influencing the ideas, attitudes and actions of free Americans has never been more clearly demonstrated than in the 2nd War Loan. In this single drive our government needed to raise \$13 Billion of extra money to finance a part of our "survive or perish war." It hoped that at least \$13 billion could be raised in this drive; and that of this total at least \$8 Billion would be invested by non bank investors.

When the last sale had been recorded it was found that Americans had purchased more than \$18 Billion in 18 working days—more than one billion dollars per day—and that more than \$13 Billion had been bought by individuals, corporations, trusteeships and other non-bank buyers. Non-bank investors had bought more War Bonds than our own government hoped all investors would buy.

In the 311 counties of the Eleventh Federal Reserve District—comprising all of Texas and parts of Louisiana, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona—War Bond sales totaled \$577,228,000, exceeding the district's \$400 Million goal by more than \$177 Million or 44 percent; and, of this total, non-bank investors bought \$349,025,000, exceeding the non-bank goal of \$200 Million by more than \$149 Million or 75 percent.

Characterizing the tremendous over-subscription to the drive as "the most successful money-raising Campaign ever conducted in the U. S. A. or anywhere else," Mr. R. R. Gilbert, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas and Chairman of the War Finance Committee of the district, said the unprecedented over-subscription by non-bank investors made the drive "a great victory on the financial front almost as vital as a great victory on the military front." He said, "it helps us to win at home as well as abroad and at the same time helps us to assure our selves and our fighting sons that a firm financial foundation is preserved for the terrific reconstruction job in the days of peace to come.

"A large share of the credit for making Americans aware of the need for putting their money directly to work in War Bonds as a means of combating inflation, must go to our newspapers, Mr. Gilbert said. "In the 2nd War Loan drive they (the newspapers) not only conducted a sustained educational campaign in their editorials, news columns and in advertisements sponsored and paid for at their solicitation by public-spirited advertisers, but they also explained the need for non-bank investment so clearly and in such detail that the advertising, publicity and saleswork of volunteer salespeople, radio stations, poster-advertising, motion picture theaters and every other sales auxiliary was made most effective."

As a result of the excellent publicity and sales campaign conducted in the district, Mr. Gilbert reported that according to U.S. Treasury latest figures sales to individuals, partnerships and personal trust accounts exceeded the district's goal for these buyers by 99 percent, giving the Dallas district first place among all 12 Federal Reserve Districts in percentage of sales made to

## This Week Marks Closing of School Year

Beginning with the baccalaureate sermon last Sunday, final examinations this week, the graduation exercise for the Ward school at the high school auditorium Thursday night, and the final commencement program for the graduating class at the High School auditorium (to-nite) Friday, another very successful school year comes to a close.

Without conferring with the Superintendent or other members of the faculty, we know that world conditions, due to the world war has interfered with the progress of the schools, and teachers have had to be on the alert at all times to cope with the situation and conflicting conditions, but in our opinion, the conditions have been met and dealt with as successfully in Santa Anna as has been in other places, and we would not hesitate to state without the fear successful contradiction the problems have been met and overcome in Santa Anna to a point above the average of schools in the heart of Texas district. Thanks to a competent faculty of teachers.

Until about the first of September, when the smiling faces of a large number of the children who have become familiar figures on the streets and in the several places of business will be noted largely by their absence, and will be greatly missed, but we have enjoyed having them here for the school months, and hope we have cultivated their good will to the extent we will continue to live in their good graces, mutually connected with your good graces with us.

Most of the graduating class will not be back, but the juniors and the several other classes will be with us again another and thru several years to come, and we trust you will find it profitable to spend your school days in Santa Anna.

## LIONS CLUB HAS INTERESTING MEETING

Members of the Lions Club were given several surprises when the members assembled in their den at the Service Cafe Tuesday at noon for the regular weekly luncheon. The Dr. R. R. Lovelady, now Major Lovelady and family from as many places in the states as there are members of the family, were welcome guests of the Club and exemplified their pleasure in being here and reuniting themselves for a short time with old friends and associates.

The local unit of the Red Cross sewing club were represented by Mesdames E. D. McDonald, F. C. Woodward, T. R. Sealy and Charles Mathews, who made a splendid report of their work in making surgical dressings for the men in Uncle Sam's Army, and were received as guests with pleasure and assurance of the support of the Lions.

The hour was worthwhile and went down on record as another profitable meeting. Lion Tail Twister, W. R. Mulroy was given a little taste of what it means, by that veteran old Tail Twister who served the Club so faithfully for several years, Lion Lovelady.

The S.A.H.D. Club will meet Friday, May 21st at 3 p.m. at the home of Miss Josie Baxter. Club members are urged to attend. Visitors are very welcomed.

these types of buyers in excess of goal.

### A Week of The War

Pinned down on the plains and against the hills of northeastern Tunisia, the last remnants of the Axis armies in North Africa collapsed with stunning suddenness on May 12. The coup de grace was delivered after the ragged Afrika Korps and Italian satellite troops were split into two segments, with the larger isolated on Cap Bon and the smaller surrounded in the Zaghouan area farther west.

Surrender of both groups followed the execution of a brilliant maneuver by the British Eighth and First armies. Gen. Sir Harold Alexander sent three divisions of the Eighth army from the south Tunisian front to the sector west of Tunis where they joined the British First army. The combined forces swept swiftly across the base of Cap Bon from Hamman Lif south to Hammanet, cutting the Axis forces in two. Patrols made a complete circuit of the peninsula and troops of the Sixth armoured division, pressing down from the north, effected a junction with the Eighth army north of Enfidaville.

At the same time, French troops before Zaghouan and Ste. Marie Du Zit kept up their attacks and on May 12 enemy resistance in this area collapsed. General Von Arnim, commander in chief of the Axis forces in North Africa, was captured at Ste. Marie Du Zit along with 22,000 of his troops in the area. Von Arnim was captured without a fight but refused to sign terms of unconditional surrender.

#### No Dunkerque Possible

Early in the week it became apparent that it would be impossible for Von Arnim to stage a Dunkerque. For three days before the surrender, large forces of heavy and medium bombers, escorted by fighter planes, swept across Cap Bon and the surrounding waters to hammer Marsala and Catania in Sicily and Pantelleria Island, to prevent the bringing up of either reinforcements or evacuation transports. Nearly 200 bombers, accompanied by more than 100 fighters, smacked at Marsala, starting fires visible from the African coast. Other air attacks on Sicily were carried out earlier in the week by 400 American planes.

The blockade of the Axis armies was completed by naval forces off Cap Bon. Intense naval activity prevailed off the coast all week, supplemented by air attacks on enemy transports off

### It Takes Milk To Make Strong Soldiers



Hold that pail carefully, Private Horton! If you spill it, some American soldier will not get the 374 quarts of milk that he needs in 1943. Charles Stiles, a teen-age farm boy, is doing his best to help meet the 1943 milk production goal of 57 BILLION QUARTS.

Cap Bon. One detachment of light naval vessels sank three small craft in the Gulf of Tunis and among their prisoners took a German general officer who was seeking to escape.

In all, 150,000 Axis troops were captured in Tunisia. Masses of equipment also fell into Allied hands. On May 12, a communique issued at Allied headquarters reported that 1,000 guns, 250 tanks and many thousands of motor vehicles had been rounded up by Allied troops.

#### Clashed In New Guinea

From General MacArthur's headquarters there came word that while bad weather restricted air activity in the New Guinea theater of action, three patrol clashes had taken place on the jungle trails between Salamaua and Mubo. An Allied detachment—part of the forces working to extend gains up the New Guinea northeast coast—battled its way out of an attempted Japanese encirclement 12 miles east of Salamaua and resumed contact

with its main force. Other fights occurred near Komiatum, where a Japanese patrol was ambushed and near an Allied-held village five miles from Salamaua.

Early in the week American dive bombers and torpedo planes scored hits on Japanese positions on the southwest coast of Kolombangara Island in the central Solomons. On the morning of May 11, a group of Army flying fortresses bombed Japanese installations at Kahili on Bougainville and at Shortland Island. Later an attack was made on Rekata Bay on Santa Isabel Island. These are all strategic Japanese-held positions, an existing threat to all Allied forces in the Southwest Pacific.

During the week the Navy reported that an American submarine had torpedoed 10 Japanese vessels in six attacks. In the course of accumulating its bag the submarine missed one ship at which it fired. Later, however, it got two ships with one salvo.

#### Housewives Can Use 1.5 Billion Food Jars Again In Home Canning

Save that empty pickle, mayonnaise, or coffee jar! You can use it again in home canning.

A lot of the 1,500,000,000 re-usable jars that glass manufacturers are making for commercial food packers this year will find their way into your kitchen. They'll come in two sizes, one with a mouth 63 mm. (about 2 1/2 inches) in diameter, the other with a mouth 70 mm. (about 2 3/4 inches) in diameter.

Maybe you've always saved empty jars from the store—because you're a thrifty housewife. This year, just by doing the usual thing, you'll be patriotic as well as thrifty, for re-using commercial jars is good wartime economy.

#### Re-use Screw Caps Too

Even the metal screw caps that come with the jars can be used again. Screwed down over thin metal home canning disks, the screw caps will hold the disks on the jars during processing.

These home canning disks—the only item you need to buy—come in two sizes, one 63 mm. in diameter to fit the smaller-mouthed jars, the other 70 mm. in diameter to fit the larger-mouthed jars.

#### No Rubber Rings Needed

You don't have to buy rubber jar rings. Each home canning disk has a sealing compound, serving the purpose of a ring,

embedded around the underside. Prepare Caps, Jars, Lids

When the canning season arrives, and you've gathered all your jars and screw caps and bought as many home canning disks of each size as you need, it's a matter of one-two-three to get ready for the actual canning.

Prepare the original screw caps for re-use by prying out the paper linings or scraping away the sticky sealing compound inside them. The inner surface of each cap must be perfectly smooth.

2. Make sure that none of the jars have nicks on their mouth edges.

3. Wash the screw caps, jars, and home canning disks; sterilize in boiling water for at least 10 minutes.

#### Use Any Canning Method

Any of the usual canning methods—open-kettle for acid products, waterbath canner or pressure cooker for non-acid products—may be followed.

#### Open-Kettle Method

1. Pack the fruits or vegetables into the hot jars to within one-half inch of the top.

2. Wipe the top and screw thread of each jar.

3. Seal the jar immediately by laying a home canning disk on top and screwing it down tightly with a screw cap.

4. Set the jar aside, in an upright position, to cool.

#### Cooking in the Jar.

1. Pack the fruits or vegetables

into the hot jars to within one inch of the top.

2. Wipe the top and screw thread of each jar.

3. Seal the jar immediately, in the same way as for the open-kettle method.

4. Place the jars in a waterbath canner or pressure cooker and process the required length of time.

Remove the jars and set them aside, in an upright position, to cool.

#### Remove Caps When Cool

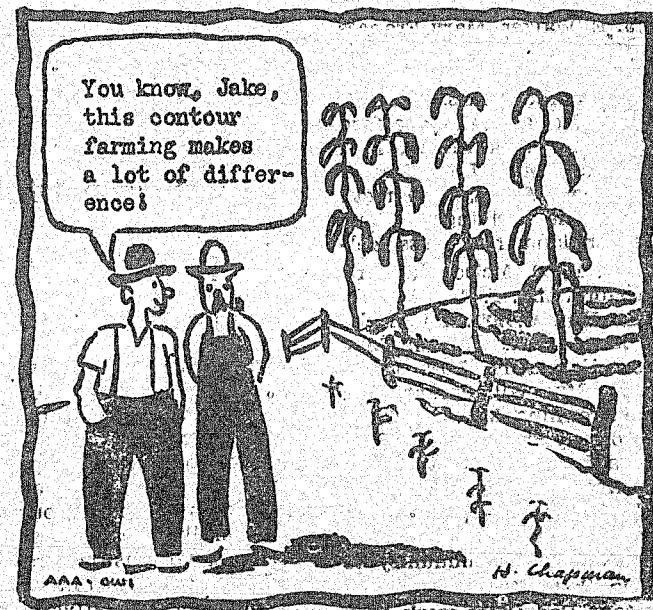
Whichever method you follow, leave the screw caps intact until the jars have cooled thoroughly about 24 hours after processing. At that time they may be removed and used on the next canning batch.

#### Test For Leakage

After the screw caps have been removed, test for leakage by tapping the disks lightly with a spoon handle. A clear ringing note means a perfect seal, a dull sound, leakage.

Once the screw caps have been removed, the perfectly sealed jars are ready to be placed on shelves—and left there until the food inside them is wanted for the table. Unnecessary shifting around of jars may cause dislocation of the lids and result in leakage.

Thirteen billion dollars—the sum the Treasury must raise in the Second War Loan drive, is only one sixth of the estimated cost of the war for the fiscal year of 1943.



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1/2 OF THE CANNED VEGETABLES

Food SENT TO OUR ALLIES WILL HELP WIN THE WAR QUICKLY & SAVE AMERICAN LIVES

Civilians WILL HAVE LESS OF MANY FOODS, BUT WILL GET PLENTY FOR A HEALTHFUL & BALANCED DIET

MEET YOUR FARM GOALS



**COMMANDER IN BISMARCK SEA VICTORY**—Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenney, in command of American Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific, directed one of the most decisive operations of the war in the crushing defeat of a 22-ship Japanese convoy off the coast of New Guinea. Lieut. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, commanding general, Army Air Forces, in a statement said: "In attacking and eliminating the enemy where he was most vulnerable and before he had time to get set, Gen. Kenney utilized the striking power of his air force to the fullest advantage. The bomber crews and fighter pilots who disregarded bad weather and comparatively close enemy air bases carried out their missions in the highest traditions of the Air Forces. Gen. Kenney is a native of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. He attended Massachusetts Institute of Technology and at the outbreak of the World War enlisted as a flying cadet. He entered the front line service early in 1918. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism in action against superior enemy forces near Jametz, France. He also was awarded the Silver Star for bravery. After the war he was commissioned in the regular Army and served through all the grades. He was given command of Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific in September 1942.

**4-H Club Girls In Front Rank Of Home Front**

COLLEGE STATION, May—Members of Montgomery County girls' 4-H Clubs—585 of them—are safeguarding the home front according to Mrs. Grace M. Martin, county home demonstration agent, they are growing gardens, orchards, poultry and livestock, and saving food by canning, storing and drying. Moreover, they are buying War Bonds and doing more work on the farms, and have taken an active part in scrap drives.

Recently, a service club at Conroe had four representative 4-H Club girls as luncheon guests to tell about their wartime work. Two were honor girls—Ruth Boyd of the Oklahoma Club, and Peggy Jabe Thomason of the Wilis Club, respectively Texas Gold Star girls for 1942 and 1941. Miss Thomason presented the Victory Demonstrator's pledge so convincingly that all of the service club members signed it. The pledge is the streamlined wartime program of the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Individual effort and wise economy as practiced by farm girls was illustrated by Lucy Marie Wiggins of the Wigginsville community. She helped to plant a one-acre garden, and is aiding in cultivating it. She also helped to can 1,500 containers of

food, and is assisting in raising 200 chickens, 25 turkeys, milking five cows after school, and making two or three pounds of butter daily. Lucy Marie believes she is more than feeding herself and one fighting man. With her mother's help she papered and painted her bedroom, refinished the floor, built a closet, made a rag rug, spread and curtains at an expense of \$10. She paid for this out of prize money won at the county fair.

Mrs. Martin says that these club girls, along with Fayola Graham, the fourth guest, "are keeping fit for the job ahead so that when the boys come home they may find a better home, community, state and country."

Uncle Willie Mullins says—



One of my biggest investments is War Bonds. I figure on putting at least 10% of all my earnings into War Bonds from New Year's on!

**New Farm Labor Program**

Local needs will determine County's participation in a new farm labor program aimed at reducing the manpower shortage which threatens success of the 1943 food production program, County Agricultural Agent D. D. Steele said following his return from a conference held May 13-14 at San Angelo. Miss Jewell Hipp, the county home demonstration agent, also attended the meeting.

County plans for registration and placement of farm labor will be worked out by local farm men and women who are members of the County Agricultural Victory Council, Steele said. Members of the council's executive and labor sub-committees likely will be called in to discuss the new program.

At the San Angelo conference county workers of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service learned that the college recently had agreed to accept supervision of the program upon request of Chester C. Davis, War Food Administrator. Funds for conducting the program in Texas will be apportioned to the college under legislation recently enacted by the 78th Congress. The agreement between the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service and the office of the National Food Administrator relates only to the recruiting and placement of farm labor within the State and the various counties and does not apply to the movement of farm labor across international boundaries or state lines.

"We realize that farmers and ranchers in Texas will not be able to obtain the quantity and quality of labor to which they are accustomed, but we hope to be able to help them get enough workers to prevent the wasting of crops in the field and the dispersal of livestock," the county agricultural agent said.

In some counties where the need justifies and it is desired by farmers, town and city boys and girls known as Victory Farm Volunteers will be recruited and trained for emergency work on the farms. Many rural schools already have adjusted their schedules to free school children for work in the critical periods. In a few counties in Texas where the farm labor situation is very serious, there may be organized local battalions of the Women's Land Army, the agents learned. In the nation as a whole, recruiting of a U. S. Crop Corps of 3,500,000 workers for full-time, seasonal or temporary farm work is contemplated.

Steele quoted Lt. Jay L. Taylor Texas rancher and deputy War Food Administrator, as saying that "Ninety-nine percent of this program will be carried on in the country and one percent in Washington."

"The long hours and hard work of families now on Texas farms and ranches indicate their patriotism," local Extension workers said, and the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service accepts its new war-time assignment with the hope that it may bring some measure of relief to the people who are working to produce more food and feed than ever before.

Joe Bruton Flores, Santa Anna is one of ten Texas boys who have successfully completed their competitive examinations for entry in the United States Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn. After a three year intensive course at the Academy, they will receive a B. S. degree and be commissioned an Ensign in the United States Coast Guard.

The boys were interviewed in Dallas by Lieutenant Commander V. F. Tydlacka, Assistant Chief of Staff, United States Coast Guard headquarters, 8th Naval District, New Orleans.

**Record Fish Catch Of Season Increased By One-Half Pound**

The largest catfish reported to be caught this season, by a slight margin of one-half pound, was caught last night by Ben M. Parker and E. C. Nelms of a Camp Bowie Fire Station.

The men reported that they caught the fish below Flat Rock Crossing and they also caught two that weighed 18 lbs. each as well as several smaller ones.

The Firemen, their wives and friends had a fish fry on the Ft. Worth Hiway Friday night. The total catch was 125 pounds.

—Brownwood Daily Bulletin.

Mrs. Wayne Woods of Alpine, and her three children are visiting her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Baugh. Her home was completely destroyed by fire last Sunday night.

Ten per cent of your income in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.



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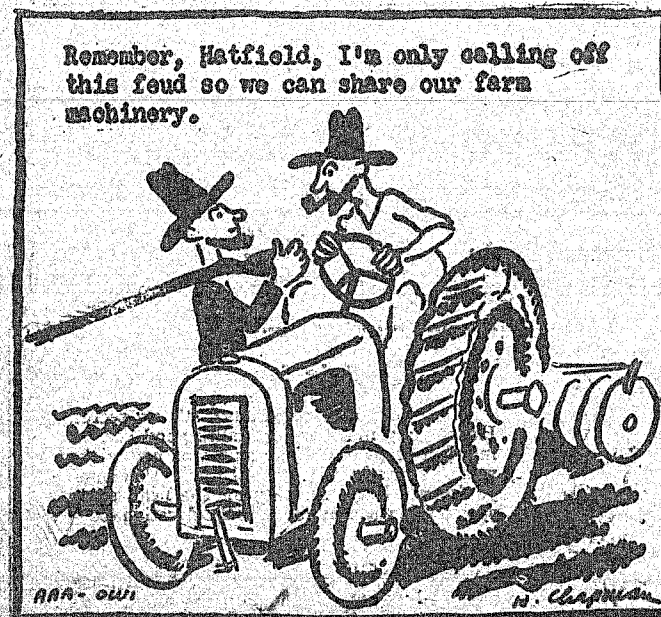


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**HELLANDMORIAH**

Things we do not understand. To us, there is a difference in a mistake and an error. We have been inclined to believe that a mistake was a kind of a faulty effort to do something that was never completed, or something, an error was to omit, lose, misplace, or overlook something that ought to be done. Now, that being as clear as mud, we will try to succeed and further explain. Last week the editor and Mrs. Gregg had the pleasure of having with us Friday prior to Mother's Day and Monday on their return, following Mothers Day, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Frost and two fine children of Monahans, and Campbell Buchanan of Pecos, all being cousins or second cousins to Mrs. Gregg, who traveled the distance from Pecos and Monahans, very much in the western part of the state, to Robertson county, deep in the heart of east Texas, to spend Mother's Day with their aged mothers. A local mention of the visitors got misplaced and did not show up in print. One other missing local was a nice mention of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Henderson of Alva, Okla., who were here visiting the parents of each, it being their first visit home since their recent marriage. Now, the question is, was it an error in losing our notes and the two important locals not showing up in our columns, or did we make the mistake of letting them slip? Any way, our apology to those mentioned, and if it ever happens again, we still will contend that it was an error and not a mistake. And if it was not for our dignity, we would be tempted to say doggone such happenings anyway. We mean the error or the mistake. Now sleep that off.

A "Victory Canning and Dehydration of Foods" school will be held in Santa Anna, Friday, June 11 at the lunch room. Miss Jewell Hipp, County Home Demonstration Agent, will be in charge.

Pressure cookers will be tested in the morning with a covered dish lunch at noon. Everyone bringing a cooker should have one person there to watch the cooker.

The meeting will begin at 10:30 and end at 4:30. Everyone in the community is urged to attend.

"Up to Date Ways of Canning Foods" will be given in the afternoon.

**THANK YOU**

I want to thank my dear, dear friends  
You made me feel quite gay  
By sending all those lovely cards  
To me, on my birthday.

I'm sure that words could not express  
The joy within my heart  
As I read each and every one,  
From those of whom I had to part.

I'm growing old, I'm eighty now  
While for some life's just begun  
So goodby all I wish you well  
And thanks again to everyone.

Mrs. Lena Cupps  
Mrs. J. M. Reed visited in the C. E. Eubank home last week-end.

**Personals**

W. E. Ragsdale and daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Parker, visited relatives and friends of former days in Williamson and Falls counties first of the week, and report crops much better and further advanced in that section than here.

Little Evelyn Oakes is carrying a broken arm this week, the result of a fall about the premises of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Golston, early this week.

Arch Hunter of the Consolidated Air Craft, Fort Worth, is spending a ten days vacation here with home folks. He is anxious for the weather man to arrange for better weather conditions, so he can spend a portion of his vacation on the creek trying his luck fishing.

Hubert Turner, who has been with the finance department of Uncle Sam's Army, located at Brooks Field, San Antonio, is back at home this week, having been discharged because of being over age for the required service.

Pvt. Harris O. Farris, of Good-fellow Field, San Angelo, is visiting home folks here this week.

G. W. Jennings and family of San Angelo, visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Jennings of the Cleveland community.

Jesse Earl York of Camp Forrest, Tennessee, is here this week being called to the bedside of his father, Jess York, who is in the Sealy Hospital for recuperations from a heart attack, suffered at his home late Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith returned last week from a several days visit with relatives in the north-eastern states, and report a splendid visit and an enjoyable trip.

Miss Elizabeth Morris came in the first of the week for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris and sister, Ruth, while enjoying a brief vacation from the Wichita Falls General Hospital, where she will soon complete her course in the nurses training school there.

Idos Smith, U. S. C. G. R. Galveston is here visiting homefolks while enjoying a few days furlough from Uncle Sam's Army training.

June Newman who has been visiting friends and relatives and going to school here returned to her home in Borger, Texas Wed. a.m. She was accompanied by Opal Mae Stockard who will remain with her in Borger for a short vacation.

Mrs. Ray Hibbs and Mrs. Charlie Eskridge were San Angelo visitors Tuesday.

Jo Ann Morris plans leaving Monday for Oklahoma to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Phillips.

Mrs. Ernestine Gunnels has returned to her home in San Angelo, after a three day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West and family. She is the widow of the late Ralph Gunnels who was killed in a plane crash the 11th of April. He was a nephew of Mrs. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burden of Lampasas are the proud parents of a baby girl born May 3.

Archie Dean Hunter, Jr., now a Flying Cadet in Uncle Sam's Army, came in this week from Norfolk, Va., for a few days visit with home folks, before reporting to Cherrypoint, N. C. for further duties with Uncle Sam.

**Rockwood News**

(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

Vacation time again. Children happy in the freedom of school let out. Happiness, freedom, what wonderful words, but what a price we are paying for it now. But we as Americans realize its worth.

A number of our people from this community attended the Baccalaureate sermon at Santa Anna Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Harkey of Littlefield and J. R. Harkey of Katemy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. McShan and son of Brady and Mrs. Mack Rehm spent Sunday with Mrs. Tom Bryan.

Pfc. Lawrence Brusenhan, Jr., of Sheppard Field visited with his parents Thursday and Friday. Jake McCreary Jr., of College Station visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Denby Wise over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jones of Shields attended church here Sunday morning.

Charlie Ferguson of San Angelo is here for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Steward and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lovelady have gone to Waco where he is doing defense work.

Misses Janie Stafford and Edna Arnold visited with home folks over the week-end.

Mrs. S. T. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson and Rev. Harrell attended District Conference at Coleman Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Buttry and Mrs. Demby Wise attended District THDA at Coleman Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Bryan were business visitors in Coleman Saturday.

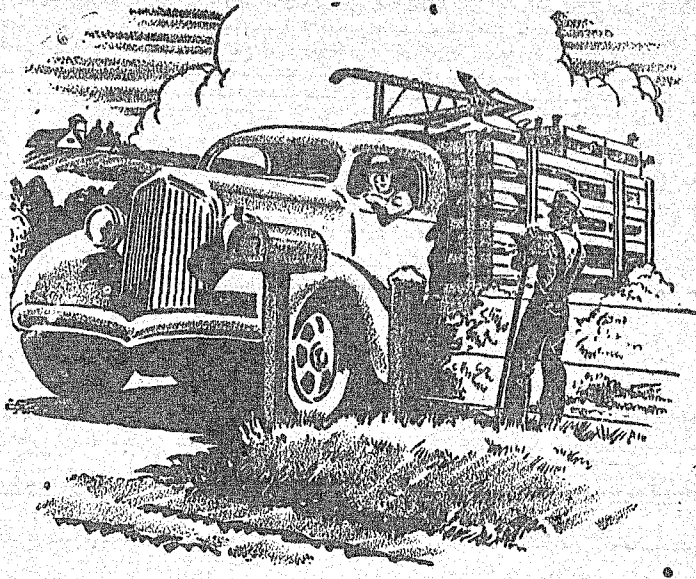
Miss Mary Lou Sparks of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sparks over the week-end.

Mrs. Sarah Grace is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Rains before joining her husband in Lubbock.

Hilton, Oren, and Demby Wise were business visitors in San Marcos Sunday.

Buck Cooper and John McCreary have returned home from Tucson, Arizona where they had been working.

Mrs. Wes Rains and Mrs. Sarah Grace visited their mother and



One Way to Save That Truck—You haul your neighbor's part-load today; he hauls yours tomorrow. Another way is to join in an Industry Transportation Plan. The results are the same—saved trucks and manpower.

grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Coffey of Gouldbusk Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry and Elton, Mrs. Bob Johnson, Tom Boy and Ina Grace were dinner guests of Mrs. Rowlette and Miss Alpha Mae Johnson of Whon Friday evening of last week.

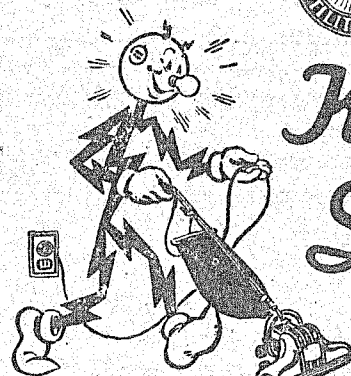
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward and Billie Ashmore enjoyed a fish dinner in the Ray Caldwell home Monday evening.

Billie Ashmore of Catalina

Island, Calif., stopped over with us for a few days visit before going on to Houston.

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**Electric Refrigerator:**

"Am I healthy! My mistress defrosts me regularly. She always cools food before opening my door. After freezing desserts, she turns my temperature back to normal. She has my motor checked regularly. Boy! I'm good for the duration!"

**Electric Washing Machine:**

"Me? I'm just a drudge. In order to speed up the family wash, my mistress overloads me. As a result, I wash her clothes poorly. She doesn't dry me out when she's through. My cord gets kicked around. The strain is bad for me. I may blow up any time!"



**Electric Toaster:**

"Why shouldn't I smile? My mistress pampers me. She keeps my tray clean... brushes out the crumbs after every use. She carefully winds up my cord and puts me back in my place. Why should I ever let her down?"



**Electric Food Mixer:**

"Sure I'm mad! And wouldn't you be if your mistress treated you like I'm treated? She makes me work longer than is necessary, spilling and wasting food all over the table. She leaves spoons in the dish while I'm running. It's more than I can stand!"



**Electric Iron:**

"How do I stay so young? It's no secret. Honest, my mistress just takes good care of me. I'm as good an iron as I was before the war. It's mostly in knowing how to relax when you're not busy. Turning off the heat, so to speak. Oh, yes, I'm good for the duration too!"



**West Texas Utilities Company**

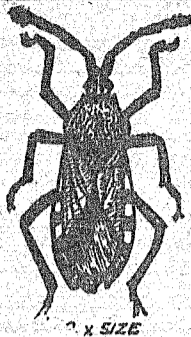
**Notice**

Owing to increasing difficulty of getting

**Premium Dishes**

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

**Phillips Drug Co.**



**Is This Pest Bothering Your Victory Garden?**

**SQUASH BUG**—Color: Young, brilliant red, then yellowish brown. Adults, brown. Suck sap from fruit and foliage of vine crops. Dust plants thoroughly with pyrethroid dust or a 3% nicotine sulfate dust when young bugs first appear. For further information see your County Extension Service Agents.

**A Job for Goebbles**

Herr Doktor Goebbels' propaganda ministry, which recently scored a triumph in aggravating the rift between the Russians and the Poles, now has a job to do that should prove even harder to handle than the explanation of the German disaster at Stalingrad.

To build up an apology for the Tunisian defeat and to cram it down the throats of the thunder stuck citizens of the Reich would be a difficult assignment in any event. But to explain away the debacle's suddenness, in the face of the official promise that the defense of the little tip of Tunisia would surpass the lengthy German stand at Stalingrad, will call for all the skill of the propaganda office which has raised lying to a fine art. And to hide from the German people the fact that American troops are a match or more than a match, for their own reichswehr, has become impossible. Equally impossible it is now to conceal the fact that France, prostrate for almost three years, has become a factor in the war again; that the French army in North Africa rapidly being expanded to a strength of perhaps 400,000 men and being equipped with the best 1943 weapons, is the equal of a similar number of Axis troops.

How the news from North Africa has struck the German populace is revealed by the Berlin correspondent of the Tribune de Geneva, who describes Berliners as "walking around as though hit on the head." The Swiss news paper adds that, in order to understand the Nazi astonishment it must be realized that during the 1750-mile retreat of the Afrika Krops there was no official intimation that the withdrawal was "anything but voluntary." Incidentally, Europe's neutral press, the greater part of which is as pro-Allied as it dares to be, is having a field day. Another Swiss newspaper, the Berne Der Bund, asserts that the revelation of American fighting ability, which "had not been held highly by the Axis leaders, came as a severe shock to them. Der Bund then comments "Most important to all it seems to us that now the Americans have proved exceptional fighting power and extraordinarily good leadership." Why the Swiss newspaper should be even mildly surprised by the proof of American combat prowess, so well demonstrated in France 25 years ago, is inexplicable unless it had been decided somewhat itself by Doctor Goebbels' propaganda.

The Geneva Tribune's correspondent, reporting that the Berlin newspapers were full of news on the Tunisian situation, makes the restrained comment that the propaganda ministry is "having difficulty to explain the affair."

That is one of the basic weaknesses of totalitarianism and the rigid system of government news and propaganda that invariably accompanies it. The Nazi leadership, fearing the effect upon the public morale of too many defeats once the Germans learned of their tremendous reverses in Russia, kept telling the populace that the lengthy retreat in Africa was "according to plan;" and when the Axis territory was reduced to a tiny foothold, it became "Tunisgrad," the implication being that the forces there would hold out for months. Consequently the abrupt end of the Axis resistance in North Africa and the dramatic proof of American fighting prowess come as a great shock to the deluded people. It will be interesting to see how Doctor Goebbels wriggles out of this situation.

**Help For Town People**

**COLLEGE STATION, May**—Demands for assistance in food preservation in towns and cities are so great that the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service is temporarily placing special food conservation agents in a dozen or more Texas towns during the next few weeks.

Mildred Horton, Extension vice director and state home demonstration agent, says county home demonstrations agent in these localities already are taxed to help meet the requests of rural homemakers for help with canning, drying, and bringing. Several of the special agents being selected formerly were county home demonstration agents and are familiar with scientific methods of food preservation recommended by the Extension Service. All will be given refresher work by Winifred Jones, specialist in food preservation.

By mid-May special food conservation agents had been appointed for San Antonio, Beaumont, Tyler, Wichita Falls, Dallas, Corpus Christi, and Abilene. Other towns and cities where district Extension agents are considering placement of workers include Houston, Fort Worth, El Paso, Austin, Waco, Amarillo, Lubbock, San Angelo, Big Spring Temple, Paris, Bay City, and Edinburg.

Offering special assistance to town and city homemakers is not new, since this same help

**Tomato Fruit Worm**

**COLLEGE STATION, May**—Now that tomatoes are, or soon will be setting fruit, growers should prepare to fight the tomato fruit worm, says Paul Gregg of the A. and M. College Extension Service staff.

Tomatoes are the most economical and best all-round source of vitamin C. In addition, they are a valuable cash crop to Tex. farmers. Tomato-growing in Tex follows the sun from the Rio Grande Valley in midwinter through the gardens and fields of east and north Texas in the spring and early summer.

Gregg, who is assistant Extension entomologist, says that millers are active now in these areas. They fly from one tomato patch to another, laying their eggs in the terminal part of the tomato plants. The eggs will hatch in 3 to 5 days and the young worms start feeding on the immature fruit. They cut holes in the tomatoes, and go inside and feed. A single worm will damage or destroy 3 to 5 tomatoes.

An early application of poison is extremely important to check damage by the pest. If the worms get into the tomatoes poison will not reach them. For best results, start control treatment soon after the fruit is set, or about the time the tomatoes are the size of a marble. Dust the plants thoroughly with calcium or lead arsenate one part, and hydrated lime one part, or with a mixture of one part cryolite and two parts sulphur. Dust at five to seven day intervals until about three weeks before the tomatoes ripen.

Unlike citrus, which also is a source of Vitamin C, tomatoes do not lose the strength of the vitamin in heating or canning. Don't let the worms cut production.

**Berries Are Saved**

**COLLEGE STATION, May**—Quick action on the part of the Medina County War Price and Rationing Board and cooperative home demonstration club women recently saved the berry crop in the irrigated district of the county.

Recently when the berries were ripe and the Pearson and O. M. K. & T. home demonstration clubs sent a committee to the board asking for sugar to use in canning the fruit. At that time the board had received no regulations on the issue of sugar for berry canning. But members took matters in their hands, allowing five pounds of sugar per person for canning, and restricting the amount to 20 pounds of canning sugar per family.

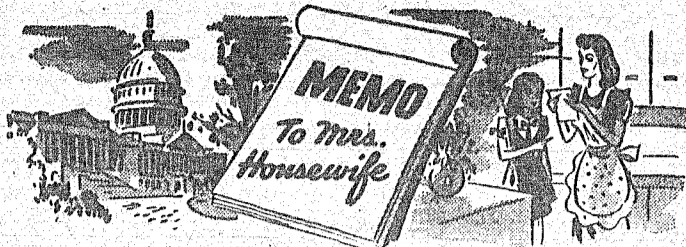
Home demonstration club women were authorized to handle this phase of the rationing program.

Velma Hambleton, Medina Co. home demonstration agent, says sufficient sugar to can 5,517 qts. of berries was issued. This emergency ruling applied only in the irrigated district where many berries are grown and otherwise would have gone to waste.

Handling of the sugar rationing by the club women saved not only fruit, but tires, gasoline, oil, and rubber, Miss Hambleton says for the office of the rationing board is 35 miles from the county irrigated district.

"Home demonstration stock got a big boost as a result of this service," the agent reported.

was given during the first World War, Miss Horton says. She explains that the services of the special agents will be available to groups of persons who desire demonstrations on food preservation. The agents will seek the cooperation and assistance of both lay and professional groups. Many town and suburban gardeners are producing foods which should be preserved for the less productive months, and others are purchasing fresh fruits and vegetables in quantities for canning, drying, and freezing.



**NATIONAL PRESS BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*By Anne Goode*

For after dark, dimmed-out Eastern cities are selling a "lady's shil-lelah!" Made of polished hardwood with luminous top this smart swagger stick is weighted to give a hefty wallop.

Agriculture officials say no more food rationing is in sight. Fresh produce rationing would be too difficult, says OPA. So would poultry.

Lace curtains will be hard to buy. Looms formerly used to make them are now weaving mosquito netting for the armed forces.

Beware of shady clock dealers! They insert \$1 works in costly cases and soak you plenty.

An eastern chain of butcher shops employs women meat handlers. Women "butchers" weigh, trim and sell the ready-prepared carcasses.

Preserve identity stub of your heating ration! It will be required when next winter's rations are issued.

Shoe polish, paste and liquid, now a best-seller at a dime in thousands of groceries. Women guard the family's precious shoes by giving them the ol' shinola, which preserves and protects them.

Though you'll pay 10 cents more for No. 1 can of oysters, the contents will be increased 50 per-cent.

Large incoming shipments hint at an ease in coffee rations, but tea may disappear from many stores.

Women will be able to buy better quality full-fashioned rayon hosiery soon, as a result of WPB's order restricting hosiery output.

"Everything's peaches down in

Georgia" won't be true this year. Severe weather did much damage to fruit crops in 10 Southern states. In New York, too.

Dehydrated liver makes its appearance. Reduced to a fine brown powder, it keeps indefinitely and requires much less shipping space than fresh meat.

With margarine sales booming, the New York Academy of Medicine urges Washington that all brands be vitaminized, as in the case of the best vegetable margarine, and the public instructed that it is "nutritionally equal to butter."

WPB says 148,817 gas and electric refrigerators will be released for sale to the public this spring. Purchasers must sign a form, supplied by the retailer, declaring need and no other available refrigeration equipment.

Mink coats are getting scarce, dearies! Many small mink breeders are going out of business for the duration for lack of adequate animal feed.

According to opinion in Washington, milk most likely won't be rationed on a nation-wide scale. Regionally it might be necessary before the end of the year.

Packed as a "cocktail powder," dehydrated carrot juice makes its bow on the food market.

Twenty-four million cans of corn, tomatoes and other vegetables will soon be released from Army stocks for civilian use. Surplus was accumulated through the increased use of dehydrated foods in shipments to troops overseas.

Officials say clothing won't be rationed any time soon. It takes four to six months to set up a rationing program, and there's enough wool and cotton goods to meet normal demands.



**Is This Pest Bothering Your Victory Garden?**

**POTATO BEETLE**—Color: Young, reddish color. Adults, yellow and black striped. Defoliate potatoes, tomatoes, egg plants. Dust with lead or calcium arsenate, undiluted; or spray 1/4 lb. lead or calcium arsenate to 6 gallons water. Early applications are essential. Dust or spray when first beetles appear. For further information see your County Extension Service Agents.



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**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 23**

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**BIBLE TEACHINGS ON WINE'S DECEITFULNESS**

LESSON TEXT—Proverbs 20:1; 23:29-35; Matthew 24:45-51.  
GOLDEN TEXT—At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder.—Proverbs 23:32.

Deceitful is a good word to describe both the product and the propaganda of the liquor business. Alcoholic beverages are in themselves most deceitful, and the methods by which they are sold to the public certainly cannot commend themselves to right thinking people.

Intoxicants are associated with social preferment, festive occasions, radiant beauty, when they ought to be connected with the bleary eye, the babbling tongue, the ragged children and brokenhearted mothers. What about the men who have lost their positions and their characters, and the women who have paid with their virtue for their love of intoxicants? Why not picture them in the beautiful magazine advertisements?

**I. Wine Is a Deceiver (Prov. 20:1).**

Wine is personified here as an evil demon who leads men on in the hope of some pleasure or advantage, and then lets him down to the depths of destruction. It makes him think he is great and powerful, when he is only weak and degraded. It excites him to foolishness and wild boisterousness, when he would normally be sensible, quiet and orderly.

He who thought he was wise in partaking of its stimulation, finds himself deceived, and to his regret he realizes that he is a fool in the hands of a malicious deceiver.

**II. Wine Is a Depraver (Prov. 23:29-35).**

Depravity is a word not used as much as it was a generation ago, but it well describes the condition to which the drunkard comes in due time. And it is wine and other liquor which has depraved or corrupted him. A number of things appear in the text.

1. Liquor Destroys (vv. 29, 30). This is true morally, mentally, physically, and spiritually. Red eyes, wounds, complaining—these are only the outward signs of inward physical destruction of alcohol. Woe and sorrow speak of mental and social distress. The moral and spiritual destruction follow.

2. Liquor Deludes (vv. 31, 32). Its color, its sparkle and effervescence, its smooth appearance—all excite the anticipation of goodness and pleasure. And what does the drinker receive? The bite of the serpent and the sting of the adder. How true!

3. Liquor Demoralizes (v. 33). Alcohol is the handmaiden of immorality. "Strange women" come into the picture very quickly. They and the drinker soon find that drink sets them free from the limitations of decency and good sense, and the result is beyond description.

Those who defend liquor, or temporize with this problem, may as well recognize that they are encouraging the moral destruction of our boys and girls. It is a terrifying responsibility!

4. Liquor Dulls Man's Senses and Dazes Man's Mind (vv. 34, 35). Only a fool would lie down to sleep in the midst of the sea, or on top of the mast of a ship, or in the gutter, or against a lamp post. That's what drink does for a man.

His perceptions become so dull that he can be beaten, and he does not know he has been hurt. Exposed to inclement weather, he knows not enough to seek shelter. His money is lost or given away without concern on his part.

And when he sobers up—what then? His faculties are so dazed that he can think of only one thing to do, and that is to seek more wine. What is it that Scripture says about the dog and the fool? (See Prov. 26:11).

**III. Wine Is a Destroyer (Matt. 24:40-51).**

We have already touched on that point in its personal application, but now we see it in its bearing on his

**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 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching services 11: a. m.  
W.M.S. meets Monday, 3:00 p. m.  
Training Union 8:15 p. m.  
Evening Service 9:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting 9:00 p. m.  
S. R. Smith, pastor.

**Presbyterian Church U. S. A.**

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Morning service 11 a. m.  
Union service at Christian Church 8:30 p. m.  
M. L. Womack, Minister.

**Cumberland Presbyterian Church**

I wish to announce that I will not fill my regular fourth Sunday appointment here next Sunday, but will preach here on the fifth Sunday, May 30.  
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings 8:45 p. m.  
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

**CIVILIAN DEFENSE GROUPS TOLD WAR IS NOT YET WON**

Washington, May 15.—President Roosevelt told civilian defense volunteers Saturday that "we have not yet won this war and we must not withhold any human effort in fighting it."

The president sent the following letter to James M. Landis, OCD director, in connection with the second anniversary of the organization:

"I cannot allow the second anniversary of the creation of the Office of Civilian Defense to pass without expressing my appreciation for the good work accomplished. The problem has been twofold: To protect our people against enemy attack from without and economic and social dislocation from within.

"I know that millions of our own citizens and friendly aliens have volunteered their time, energies, services and even their lives in the performance of their duties as members of the United States Citizens Defense Corps, and the United States Citizens Service Corps, and have contributed to all of our other war programs which require the utmost in civilian participation and co-operation.

"We have not yet won this war and we must not withhold any human effort in fighting it. Every man, woman and child must continue to realize that this is an individual, as well as a national battle and must continue to

occupation and standing in the community.

The contrast is between the good servant who recognizes that his one and constant obligation is to serve, whether his master is present or absent, and the evil servant who violates his trust.

Notice that his first thought after cruelty to his fellow servants is to satisfy his appetite "to drink with the drunken."

Cruelty, mismanagement, unfaithfulness are tied up without question with drinking. Is it not so today? If you doubt it, read your daily newspaper. Why trifle with anything which keeps such evil company? You may find yourself mixed up with them beyond your ability to get free.

The final result is the loss of his position and of his life. Who will deny that this aptly states the end of the drunkard's way. But someone says: "I do not intend to be a drunkard. I only take a social drink." That is the way the drunkard started. Why begin to travel that road?

understand the need for accelerated activities in the discharge of these important civilian defense duties.

"I am proud, therefore, to take this opportunity to salute the millions of volunteers who have not questioned their country's need for their efforts in protecting our bulwarks at home and to remind them that those efforts must continue unceasing until the day of victory is attained. Landis, in his reply, said that 12,000,000 men and women, working under 14,000 local defense councils, are ready for any task the war may demand."

**Advice To Picnickers**

Austin, Texas, May 18.—With the advent of summer and the ensuing exodus from city to country resorts and picnic spots the annual problem of ivy poisoning is once more making its appearance.

In order that city dwellers may guard against this poisonous plant by instant recognition of it, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued the following statement. "Poison ivy may be best recognized by its leaves and its fruit. Each leaf is divided into three leaflets, the margins of which vary from smooth to more or less notched outlines. The small greenish flowers appear in May or June and the fruits which are the size of a small pea are pale green and poisonous when immature."

The symptoms of ivy poisoning range from slight redness and itching to exaggerated swelling and blisters, accompanied by severe burning sensations. There are all gradations between these extremes. In mild cases the skin is covered by numerous small blisters containing a colorless serum which is not poisonous. The poison cannot spread from broken blisters but pustules may form and infections may result as secondary consequence. Recovery usually occurs in from 10 days to three weeks. Occasionally a persistent skin inflammation follows.

"The best prevention is to recognize the poison ivy plant, and stay away from it," Dr. Cox said. "The victim of ivy poisoning may not be fatally infected, but to say the least, the attendant discomfort and disability is far from pleasant and well worth avoiding."

**Food And Feed Forecast**

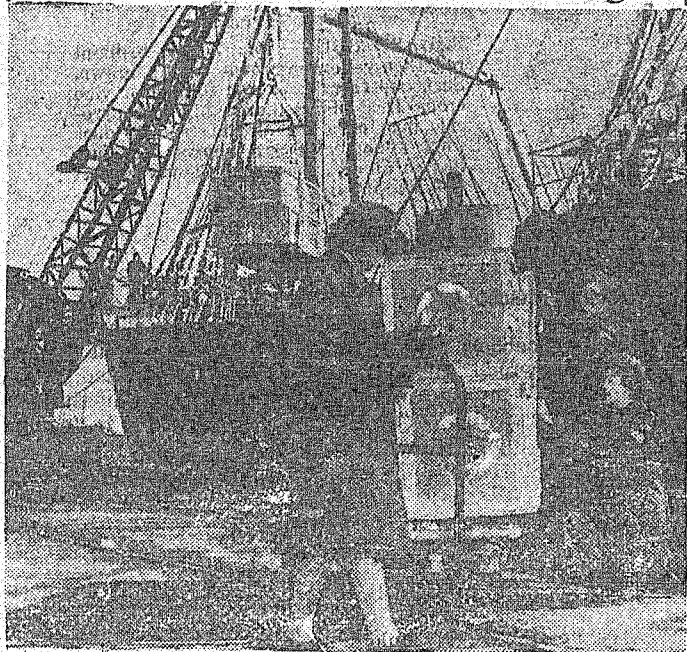
COLLEGE STATION, May.—Given favorable seasons and extra labor for peak requirements, Texas farm families should be able to reach most of their war food goals. C. E. Bowles specialist in organization and cooperative marketing for the A. and M. College Extension Service makes this observation on the basis of a forecast recently released by the state agricultural statistician for the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

According to the forecast, the inventory of beef animals now on Texas farms and ranches is above last year's record. Cattle and calves marketed in 1942 were 29 percent above sales in 1941. Likewise, sheep and lambs went to market in record numbers in 1942, but on January 1, 1943, Texas still had more sheep and lambs than in any previous year.

Indications are that the 1943 spring pig crop is 30 percent above last spring's record crop. The 1942 pig crop was 58 percent above the 10 year average. Continued comparable increases can not be expected, Mr. Bowles believes. The labor shortage is one factor, and in addition, farmers are now being squeezed between skyrocketing feed prices and ceiling prices on meat.

A record number of chickens on Texas farms is 17 percent above a year ago and 44 percent above the 10 year average. Hens are laying more eggs than in February, 1943, and the baby chicks hatched that month were 21 percent above the average for

**Sailing Ship On Mercy Mission With Prisoners Of War Packages**



Washington, D. C.—Redolent of the clipper ships of old was this four-masted bark when she cleared an American port early in April with a cargo of 201,000 American Red Cross prisoners of war food parcels. Checking the boxes are Miss Llewellyn Miller, Miss Rosalind White, and Mrs. Worth Rhodes Bushnell, volunteer Red Cross workers of Baltimore. The sailing ship is the Foz do Douro, of neutral Portuguese registry. (Red Cross, for Office of War Information)

the past five years. Bowles says the picture for milk is not so encouraging. While the number of cows milked on Texas farms increased 4 percent during 1942, the production per cow declined enough to offset the increase in cow numbers.

In spite of reduced labor and a shortage of machinery, Texas farmers are increasing their food and feed acreage by six percent over 1942. The peanut acreage is 15 percent greater and acreage of all sorghums 11 percent above the previous year.

**Black Eye Peas Go To Market**

College Station, May.—Farmers from 115 Texas counties are producing black eye peas for Uncle Sam this year.

Assured a floor price for this year's crop under the Food for Freedom program if certain conditions are met, the state AAA office already is collecting data which will be used to assist farmers in making marketing arrangements before harvest time.

Current information indicates that only 40 of the total counties now have adequate bagging and cleaning facilities for receiving peas in carload lots, one of the conditions upon which the floor price is contingent.

Since most producers are planting small acreages to peas this year, pooling arrangements between producers or shipment

of peas to concentration points will be encouraged in order that carload shipments might be collected and the support prices received should local markets fall below the minimum rate, state officials said.

Although some counties expect to dispose of this year's crop through local markets or retain the peas for home use, the majority of the crop from 145,855 acres is expected to move through channels at the support price.

The 1943 price support program, announced several weeks ago, places a floor price of \$5.75 per hundred pounds for cleaned and bagged U. S. No. 1 peas \$5.60 per hundred pounds for U. S. No. 2, and \$5.35 per hundred pounds for U. S. No. 3 grade peas

Principal points in the state from which peas will be shipped are located at Palestine, San Antonio, Wellington, Lamesa, Cuero, Pearsall, Athens, Ft. Worth, Kaufman, Lubbock, Jefferson and Mt. Pleasant.

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Buy an Additional Bond Today

**Started Pullets!**

We can book your order for started pullets for delivery during the month of June and July, and at the present time we are assured of sufficient starter and growing mash to supply your needs.

Cash in on the High Egg Price this winter.

**Griffin Hatchery**  
Santa Anna, Texas

### Senate Group Okehs 23 1-2 Cent Floor Gov't-Held Cotton

WASHINGTON, May 18. (AP)—In a new challenge to the Price Administration, the Senate Agriculture Committee approved today a bill to fix a floor of 23 1-2 cents a pound on government-held cotton while prohibiting any ceilings on this commodity at below 25 cents.

With Senators Gillette (D-Ia) and Willis (R-Ind.) dissenting, the committee approved the measure, 8 to 2.

### 4-H'ers Aid War With Beauty

The kindest things God ever made  
For a fevered world are flowers  
and shade.  
So sanitariums have trees and  
blooming things. So 4-H'ers  
all over the land beautify  
their home grounds as a top war  
time service. Here is the record  
of one Texas member, Geo. Kve-  
ton, 17-year old boy of Aber-  
nathy, who did four things to  
soothe war weary nerves. Con-  
tinuing a plan started in 1937  
the boy added colorful flowers,  
bird luring shrubs and shady  
trees in suitable locations—he  
completed a windbreak—planted  
rose bushes in the borders—set  
grapevines on the fence line.

Cited by the state extension  
service for their achievements,  
the boy was awarded a gold  
watch presented by Mrs. Chas. R.  
Walgreen of Chicago to state  
winners in the national 4-H  
home grounds beautification  
contest. The contest, adapted to  
wartime needs, is continued this  
year.

### Classified

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

We want to buy your Cotton  
Equities 1941 and 1942 crop.  
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Start drenching your sheep  
with Phenothiazine now.  
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FOR RENT—Furnished  
rooms. See or phone Mrs. C. F.  
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seed for planting, At Griffin  
Hatchery.

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, Bel-  
ching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas  
Pains, get free sample, Udga,  
at PHILLIPS DRUG CO.

FOR SALE—Fruit jars and  
canning supplies. Griffin Hatch-  
ery.

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.  
19ftc

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. 19ftc

### Planting Seed

Still have plenty field seed.  
Also, line of fresh vegetables  
Tuesday and Saturdays.  
Watkins Feed & Seed Store

### "Town and Farm in Wartime"

**Gasoline**—"A" book coupons  
No. 5 good for four gallons each  
expire May 21, outside the East-  
ern gasoline shortage area.

**COFFEE**—Stamp No. 23 good  
for one pound through May 30.

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

**Sugar**—Coupon No. 12 good for  
5 lbs., must last through May 31.  
Coupons for sugar for home can-  
ning available at local ration  
boards on and after May 15.

**Meats, etc.**—Red stamps E, F,  
G, H remain valid through May.  
Red stamp J becomes valid May  
23.

**Processes Foods**—Blue stamps  
G, H, J, remain valid through  
May.

### What Is "Home-Canned"?

Foods are "home-canned," says  
OPA if—(1) they have been can-  
ned in a kitchen primarily used  
for the preparation of meals, or  
to demonstrate the preparation  
of meals; (2) they have been  
canned in a separate building or  
shed, which is a farm home has  
equipped for canning purposes,  
provided that the owner has  
first obtained permission from  
his local ration board to use such  
facilities.

### Farm Meat Regulations

New meat-rationing regula-  
tions provide that a farmer and  
his family may consume meat  
raised on any farm he owns or  
operates, and may transfer meat  
from one of his farms to another  
to provide food for members of  
the household, without giving up  
ration points, even if the meat  
is not slaughtered on his farm.  
However, if the farm owner does  
not live on a farm, he must give  
up ration points for any meat he  
consumes elsewhere. Under the  
original regulations, a farmer  
who brought his own cattle to a  
custom slaughtering plant had  
to surrender red point stamps  
for the meat, while if he killed  
and dressed an animal himself  
the meat was "ration-free." A  
farm or ranch employer who  
feeds his employees in a bunk-  
house or dining hall may now  
use meat and other rationed food  
raised on his farm on the same  
basis as if the employees were  
fed in the household.

### Sugar Allowed For Canning

Sugar for home canning will  
be limited to one pound for each  
four quarts (or eight pounds) of  
the finished product and may be  
secured on written application to  
the housewife's local board. Each  
person is allowed not more than  
25 pounds. Any family can apply  
for sugar to put up jams, jellies,  
and preserves at the rate of five  
pounds per person. Last year,  
sugar for preserves was limited  
to one pound per person.

### Ceilings Set On Market Basket Foods

Maximum prices now being  
established by OPA for the mar-  
ket areas of about 130 cities are  
expected to cover 80 percent of  
the foods in the family market  
basket by June 1. These max-  
imums will be top prices in each  
principal city and its "market  
area," which the district offices  
of the OPA have defined. By  
June, the OPA expects to com-  
plete prices for the first 160  
cities and then undertake the  
same job for other localities.  
Community-wide top prices are  
intended to simplify regulations  
for the storekeeper and the  
housewife and to make the con-  
sumer a partner in the enforce-  
ment of wartime price ceilings.

### Overseas Parcel Post

Packages now may be mailed  
to a soldier overseas if a request  
is received from the soldier and  
the envelope bearing the APO  
cancellation mark is presented  
at the time of mailing. Formerly,  
the approval of the commanding  
officer was required. Current re-  
strictions as to weight and size  
of packages remain in effect.

### Fight Potato Black Market

OPA investigators are being

sent into major shipping centers  
of the early crop of white pota-  
toes, and into approximately 30  
of the country's principal termi-  
nal market areas in an effort to  
prevent black market practices.  
Maximum prices for country  
shippers of early crop potatoes  
in the South and Southwest  
range from \$2.40 to \$2.50 a hun-  
dred weight, except for Florida  
where the maximum is \$3.10.  
Some arrests have already been  
made.

### Farm Machinery Rationing

At their discretion, state War  
Boards can now cancel county  
quotas on any or all types of  
farm machinery according to re-  
vised farm machinery rationing  
order issued by the War Food  
Administration. If a state board  
exercises this authority, farmers  
will be required to locate the  
machinery they want to buy be-  
fore they are given a purchase  
certificate. Furthermore, county  
farm rationing committees may  
set the expiration date of pur-  
chase certificates any time be-  
tween 10 and 60 days after is-  
suan, or may cancel the certifi-  
cate after the holder has had  
a reasonable time to buy the  
specified machinery.

### Must Carry Draft Cards

Selective Service registrants  
who were 18 years old on or be-  
fore November 13, 1942, must  
have their local board classifica-  
tion cards (Selective Service  
Form No. 57), as well as their  
registration certificate (Form 2)  
in their possession after May 13.  
Men without both cards are  
liable to fine and imprisonment.  
Selective Service headquarters  
warned.

### Freight Rates Reduced

More than \$350 million will be  
saved annually by a reduction in  
railroad rates that goes into ef-  
fect May 15. In most cases the  
savings will be reflected auto-  
matically in reduced prices  
through the operation of existing  
maximum price regulations. Ad-  
ded to current actions to roll  
back the cost of living, these  
freight reductions will contribute  
substantially to the prevention  
of inflation.

### Twine And Rope For '43 Harvest

Farmers can expect reasonable  
supplies of hayrope, binder twine  
and other cordage for harvesting  
their 1943 crops. However, farm-  
ers are warned to buy only what  
they actually need and to con-  
serve supplies now on hand.  
Many substitute materials are  
being used and supplies will re-  
quire more careful handling than  
in the past.

### Gas For Furloughs

Members of the armed forces  
on leave or furlough for three  
days or more may get a special  
gasoline ration (up to five gal-  
lons) for personal errands when  
other means of transportation  
are not available. The ration is  
obtained by presenting pass,  
leave, or furlough papers to a  
rationing board.

### Cotton Hosiery

Here's what your full-fash-  
ioned cotton hosiery will be like ac-  
cording to recent WPB specifi-  
cations—(1) length not to exceed  
30 inches; (2) length of welt no  
more than 3 1/2 inches; (3) not  
less than 16 stitches to the inch  
for seams; (4) no more than 4  
colors for any one style during  
each six-months period; (5) no  
more lace bands, lace stripes,  
fancy designs or numbers in the  
welt or after-welt. Full-fashioned  
rayon hosiery must now have  
cotton reinforcements in the toe.

### Save Feed Proteins

Livestock and poultry raisers  
are urged to conserve livestock  
feeds, especially those of high-  
protein content, by the U. S. De-  
partment of Agriculture. Feed  
manufacturers are voluntarily  
limiting the proportions of pro-  
teins in various types of feeds,  
and farmers or ranchmen who  
mix their own are asked to do  
likewise. They are also requested  
to conserve purchased protein by

liberal feeding of grain and nu-  
tritious roughage. Poultrymen are  
advised to make no further ex-  
pansions in commercial broiler  
production, to maintain a bal-  
ance between feed and feed  
needs.

### War Costs Increase

War expenditures by the U. S.  
Government during the month  
of April amounted to \$7,290,000,  
an increase of \$178,000,000.  
Daily expenditures averaged \$280  
400,000 in April compared to  
\$283,400,000 in March. From July  
1940 through April 1943, \$94,900,  
000,000 had been disbursed for  
war purposes by the U. S. Govern-  
ment.

### Ham Prices Reduced

Maximum retail prices for all  
parts of processed hams (bone-  
in) and processed picnic hams,  
have been reduced from one to  
three cents per pound by OPA.  
One-third of a ham may now be  
sold in slices, to accommodate  
consumers who do not have  
enough points to buy a larger  
piece.

### Hearing On Gas Rations

New rules permit local war  
price and rationing boards to  
conduct hearings to revoke gaso-  
line rations if—(1) the motorist  
is charged with speeding (driving  
over 35 miles an hour); (2) the  
motorist is charged with abuse  
of his tires; (3) an applicant for  
a new gasoline ration is believed  
to have committed a previous  
violation; (4) a ration holder  
charged with a violation de-  
mands return of his book before  
a written notice of hearing can  
be sent him.

### Save Typewriter Ribbon Spools

Saving typewriter ribbon  
spools will postpone the day  
when ribbons must be wound on  
wooden "carriers" says WPB. All  
materials for ribbon spools are  
scarce and substitutes for steel  
—such as paper—have not proved  
satisfactory. Typists are asked  
to return a used spool when buy-  
ing a new typewriter ribbon.

### War Alarm Clocks At \$1.65

The new war alarm clock will  
be sold for not more than \$1.65  
exclusive of tax. WPB is allocat-  
ing materials for 1,700,000 of  
these clocks to ease a national  
shortage.

### Action Taken To Halt Butter Spoilage

Texas and Louisiana district  
OPA offices have been author-  
ized to reduce the point value of

some grades of country butter  
where slow movement during  
flush milk production seasons  
threatens waste or spoilage.  
Temporary ration point reduc-  
tions may be authorized for farm-  
ers who produce 10 pounds of  
butter or less per week. The farm-  
er must apply to his local board  
if he wishes to reduce point  
values. Retail stores must secure  
the same authorization.

### Large Class To Graduate At S. M. U.

DALLAS, May 15.—Two hun-  
dred and seventeen graduating  
students will receive degrees  
from Southern Methodist Univer-  
sity in the university's 28th an-  
nual Commencement exercises  
May 31. Seniors from eight dif-  
ferent colleges within the univer-  
sity will be awarded degrees by  
Dr. Umphrey Lee, president, at  
the close of ceremonies annually  
honoring the graduating class.  
Sunday, May 30, the seniors will  
hear Dr. Oscar T. Olson of the  
Epworth - Euclid Methodist  
Church Cleveland, Ohio, deliver  
the baccalaureate sermon in Mc-  
Farlin Memorial Auditorium.  
During the afternoon of May 31  
a garden party given by Presi-  
dent and Mrs. Umphrey Lee will  
honor the Class of 1918, first war  
class of the university, on its  
Silver Anniversary.  
The regular Summer Session  
of SMU will begin June 1.

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# PLANE TALK

by  
the Observer

A significant development in this war, and one which may shorten it considerably, is the use of power turrets on our medium and heavy bombers. These power operated gun mounts have altered the roles our bombers play from the "hunted" to the "hunters".

For years gun turrets were hand-operated but, when planes began to attain speeds close to 400 m.p.h., it became obvious the marksmanship of gunners would suffer. The slip stream was so great against the protruding guns that the gunners found it well nigh impossible to obtain any degree of accuracy with gunfire.

Then, twelve R.A.F. bombers were equipped (for the first time) with power turrets for the battle of Dunkirk. They shot down 38 Nazi planes. Thereafter the Nazis approached Allied bombers with more respect.

Today, improved power turrets are standard equipment on many U. S. planes, including the Liberator (B-24) heavy bomber. And a heavy toll of Axis fighting planes is the result.

### ABOUT ENGINES

Lycoming Division, of the Aviation Corporation, Williamsport, Pa., is putting out an educational kit on airplane engines for the use of preflight instructors in high schools. To our knowledge it's one of the first efforts by an engine manufacturer in that direction. The kit is complete, includes cutaway drawings, in addition to other invaluable data for the teacher.

### ALL IN DAY'S WORK

Aircraft warning-net teams of the Army Air Forces, some of whom live amid head-hunters, are making India virtually surprise proof against Japanese aerial attack.

The Japanese have neither been able to advance into India, nor to exploit their gains in Burma, because of the vigilance of these warning-net teams, plus the relentless pounding of the 10th Air Force's medium and heavy bombers.

Apparently one of the secrets to the successful defense of India is to have advance warning of approaching enemy bombers. By

maintaining a 24-hour vigil in the far flung outposts, these teams are able to report at once when Japanese planes approach. This gives fighter planes time to get into the air and be waiting to shoot them down.

The men are in real head-hunter country. Many Americans have succeeded in getting along on friendly terms with the head-hunters, but they still are in such remote places that it takes from two to three weeks to reach them by trail. Supplies are dropped regularly from the air.

These hardy outfits are composed of radio operators, observers, radio repairmen, medical attendants and cooks. More and more of these units are being established.

### BIGGEST AIR BASE

The Army's biggest air base for fighters, somewhere in Maryland, has just been completed. Total cost of the installation is estimated at \$20,000,000. There are four miles of 150 ft. concrete runways, 14 miles of 50 ft. taxiways, and hangar and other facilities for three full squadrons on the 4700-acre tract. More equipment is being used on this airport than on any other project of its kind in the country, civil or military, according to Major H. D. Nottingham.

### OKAY, CHUMS

A special lingo is now developing in aircraft manufacture, newest of the volume production industries, just as it has grown on older production lines. "I'll buy it," is inspector's slang meaning "it passes my inspection." "puddle pusher" means foreman. A "shoemaker" is a clumsy workman. A welder becomes a "rod-burner" to "pick up the butch" is to correct a faulty job. The "squawk sheet" is the complaint sheet where faulty work gets listed.

### Lovelady Family Met In Santa Anna

Tuesday about noon, a family of familiar figures until recent months, were discovered on the streets and in the stores of Santa Anna. Major R. R. Lovelady and Mrs. Lovelady, accompanied by the two daughters, Misses Alice Jane and Virginia Ruth, and Ensign R. R. Lovelady, Jr., just appeared on the streets without warning, and soon found themselves surrounded by the same old Santa Anna friends, extending greetings and pleasant returns. The family were luncheon guests at the Lions Club, and gave the following as their addresses: Major Lovelady, Cantonment Hospital, Ft. Sill, Okla.; Mrs. R. R. Lovelady, 1130 Sycamore St., Lawton, Okla.; Ensign R. R. Lovelady, N. A. S. San Diego, California; Miss Alice Jane Lovelady, Wichita General Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas; and Miss Virginia Ruth Lovelady Memorial Dormitory, Baylor University, Waco, Texas. As we understand, it was just merely an incident, that the Lovelady family met in Santa Anna on this date.

We might further disclose that Dr. R. R. Lovelady was a charter member of the Santa Anna Lions Club, was a member in good standing for about twenty years, during which time he served as president and District Representative, but his most popular reign was the Clubs Tail Twister for several years. His old job of collecting fines and creating fun and amusement and adding zest to the meeting was begun almost as soon as the members and visitors started the regular routine of procedure.

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

### Santa Anna Girl Marries At Sul Ross

On Saturday evening, May 8, Miss Rebecca Jane Harris became the bride of Mr. Homer Eugene Medlin, Jr., at the First Methodist church in Alpine. The ceremony being performed by the Rev. Ray B. McGrew.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Harris. She is a graduate of the Santa Anna High School and for the last two years has been attending Sul Ross State Teacher's College. She is now classified as a junior.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Medlin of Alpine. He is a senior at Sul Ross, lacking only a few months having his B. A. degree. He is now at Ft. Bliss for induction into the U. S. Army.

Mrs. Medlin will make her home in Alpine for the present.

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### Local Couple Marries In Waco

Mr. O. C. Yancy, one of our splendid farmers living out in the Redbank community, and Mrs. Vivian Bagby, who has been associated with Mrs. Mabel Parker in the management of Evalyns Cafe the past several months, were united in marriage last Thursday, May 13 in Waco, Texas. They are now making their home on the Yancy farm, and we wish them all the good things in life they reasonably expect.

### SANTA ANNA EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATION THURSDAY NIGHT

Eighth grade diplomas will be awarded 42 boys and girls of the Santa Anna schools at the graduation exercises to be held Thursday evening at the high school auditorium.

Members of the class include: Ann Bagby, Rita Campbell, Doratha Casey, Jeanette Eubank, Era Lee Ingram, Betty Ann McCaughan, Novelle McClellan, Sarah Frances Mosely, Joyce Wilson, Odell Woods, Wanda Lou Woodward, Verlin Pye, Christine Brand, Phyllis Leave, Ruth Cole, Audra Beth Dixon, Nancy Ann Flores, Lois Fay Harris, Reba Haynes, Mary Nell Payne, Bonnie Jean Rushings, Jeanne Stockard, Winnie Thompson, Billie Warren Doris Wright, and Dora Fay

### Windham.

D. C. Cave, Billy Campbell, Audle Lee Sonley, Billie Day, Pat Gilmore, Raymond Haynes, Harold Halman, W. J. McSpadden, Vernon Unsell, Chester Shields, Leroy Stockard, Bennie Wilson, John Hardy Blue, Jerry Fulton, Maurice Kingsbery, and Dayton McDonald.

### Cleo Rushing Feted With Costume Party

Mrs. C. W. Rushing honored her daughter, Cleo, with a costume party at her home Friday night. Prizes were awarded for the most original costumes.

Punch and cookies were served to Nancy Morgan, Raymond Zimmerman, Beverly Stockard, D. H. Moore, Bass, Jeanene Stockard, Bennie Joyce Moredock, Dolores Hedrick, Barbara Bruce, Kelly Wise; Bonnie Rushing, and Leroy Stockard.



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