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Time to Make Application for Gasoline

Persons who have not yet made application for renewal of their ration book are urged to do so immediately so that they may receive their new book before the ration book becomes valid September 22, the District Office of the Administration said today.

At Fort Worth, district rationing officials also announced that effective September 15, the requirement for tire inspection records when making application for gasoline or tire replacement will be relaxed. Drivers will not need their tire inspection records when they receive their new "A" ration book.

A motorist will receive a new rationing record, which will serve as the record for rationing issued, he said.

Graduate Pilots are to Graduate at Lubbock September 15

Plains Army Air Field.—Forty-two graduates of the Army Air School at Lubbock, Texas, are to graduate at the foot of the steps of the school building on Friday, September 15.

The graduates, who have helped make the school famous in the history of the Army Air Corps, are to receive their wings in a ceremony at graduation ceremonies at the Plains Army Air Field.

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Thomas Franklin Anderson Dies Thursday

Thomas Franklin Anderson, age 85 years, three months and 5 days, died at his home 403 South Main Street, Thursday, September 7, 1944, at 9:10 p. m. Mr. Anderson had been in ill health for several years, but death came suddenly after a heart attack.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Rev. L. A. Doyle, officiating. Interment was made in the Lakeview Cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.

Mr. Anderson was born in Alabama, and moved to Arkansas, where he married Miss Laura Lorene Kiser in 1885. The family moved to Tarrant County, Texas in 1900, later lived in Johnson county, Red River county, and came to Floyd County July 26, 1915. Lived here until December 17, 1923, when he moved to the Rio Grande Valley where he lived three years. Since that time he has lived in Floydada.

Deceased is survived by his wife, four daughters, Mrs. E. T. Williamson, Mrs. Roy Fawver, Mrs. Lovell Jones, all of Floydada; Mrs. J. C. Chandler, Detroit, Texas; three sons, A. W. Anderson, W. N. Anderson, and W. E. Anderson, all of Floydada.

Pallbearers were: Herman Weiss, Brentz Breed, Marvin Williamson, Floyd Anderson, Carlton Fawver, L. D. Golyghty, and Edwin Dunavant.

Honorary pallbearers were: Charley Battey, W. A. Cates, J. J. Thomas, D. I. Bolding, A. B. Clark, Fred Battey, Bert Battey, W. N. Jones, G. N. Shirey, W. F. Weatherbee, Bob Smith, T. J. Heard, Roy Curry, and G. L. Fawver.

Flower bearers were: Lucille Williamson, Evelyn Golyghty, Loverene Jones, Dorothy Anderson, Dorothy Weiss, Peggy Weiss, Bessie Weiss, Nadine Willis, Charlene Battey, Ida Marie Battey, Hughetta Smart, Mary Helen Lewis, Mable June Foster, Marjorie Oden, and Adna Mae Anderson.

James M. Hicks, Former Resident, Is Promoted

An Eighth AAF Liberator Station, England—The promotion of James M. Hicks of Plainview, Texas from Second lieutenant to first lieutenant has been announced at this station.

He is a communications officer at this combat crew station. In civilian life Lt. Hicks was a postal clerk employed by U. S. Post Office of Plainview. His mother, Mrs. Etta Edna Hicks, lives at 414 West Mississippi St., Floydada.

He entered the Army on Oct. 5, 1939 and has been in the European Theatre since May 3, 1944.

As a Technical Sgt. he was radio operator and airways station chief in the United States. From September, 1941, to October, 1942, he was assigned to an overseas task force on a secret mission and returned to the United States before being transferred to the European Theatre. He was commissioned a second lieutenant August 21, 1943. He was educated at Plainview High School and for a while was employed by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture as a map draftsman.



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George E. Allen is Fireman First Class, USNR

George E. Allen, 19, fireman first class, USNR, of Floydada, Texas, has just been chosen leading man in his diesel engine repair class at Landing Craft School, Amphibious Training Base, Coronado, California.

Fireman Allen reported at Coronado after recruit and basic engineering training at the Naval Training Center, in San Diego, California, and Internal Combustion Engine school at the Naval Repair Base, San Diego.

Before entering the Navy Blue-jacket Allen was employed by the Oden Chevrolet Company, Floydada. A graduate of Floydada High School, he was a member of the school's football team two years and captain of the team the third season. His father, Zack T. Allen, of 1555 Linde street, San Diego, was formerly a resident of Floydada.

Smallest of birds, the hummingbird, flies at the rate of 60 miles an hour, and on its annual southward journey makes a non-stop flight of 50 to 600 miles across the Gulf of Mexico.

Funeral Services Held Sunday for P. M. Felton

Last rites were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist Church for P. M. Felton, who died suddenly Friday evening, September 8, 1944, at his home, 122 South Main Street. Rev. Phil H. Gates, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated, assisted by Rev. L. A. Doyle, local pastor of the First Baptist Church. Interment was made in the Floydada Cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.

Mr. Felton was born November 3, 1869, and died at the age of 74 years, 10 months and 5 days. He and his family had lived in Floyd County and Floydada for the past 37 years. He was engaged in farming and was a member of the Felton-Collins Grocery Store.

Pallbearers were: L. T. Bishop, R. E. Fry, Bob McGuire, W. O. Jones, Polk Goen, Jack Henry; honorary pallbearers were: N. A. Armstrong, J. M. Wright, L. C. McDonald, H. M. McDonald, and A. C. Goen.

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"This represents payments on 3207 hundred weight of whole milk and 33,790 pounds of butter fat," he said. McEntire further stated, "Dairy farmers should immediately turn in their July and August productions as this payment can be made only during September and October. A number of producers were not paid the May and June payment because the production was not turned in prior to the expiration date, August 1." Each pay period consists of two months, and payment must be applied for within sixty days.

The wood frog can turn in midair.

The shrike, or butcher bird, impales its victim on a thorn or fence barb before eating it.

Coverage of Price Regulation has Been Broadened

Coverage of the price regulation for used consumer durable goods has been broadened to include a large number of additional items, the price division of the District OPA has announced.

Effective August 29, all sales either by retail sellers or by house holders selling equipment bought for sale or rental purposes are covered by the regulation providing a selling price for them. Dealers must display a poster listing selling prices somewhere in their place of business.

Articles included in this amendment include items listed as equipment and supplies, housewares, hand tools and hardware, household appliances, wheel goods, personal and household accessories, canoes and small boats, athletic equipment and sporting goods (except apparel), optical goods, radios (except automobile radios sold as part of an automobile) toys and games, industrial safety equipment, and health supplies.

170,850 Persons Receive Old Age Assistance

Old Age Assistance totalling \$3,688,278.50 is being paid in September to 170,850 aged persons in an average grant of \$21.59. This compares with an average grant of \$21.62 and rolls of 171,991 in August. Payments are \$1.25 below the authorized grant.

Blind aid is being paid to 4,611 persons in an average grant of \$24.09, totalling \$11,057. This is a net loss of six persons from the August rolls and a decrease of 5c in the average grant.

Aid to Dependent Children totalling \$223,170 is being paid to 10,677 families with 23,255 children in an average grant of \$20.90.

Graduate from 51 Reserve Officer Class at Quantico

Quantico, Va., September 14.—Lieutenant Bryan Henry Banister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Banister of Thalia, Texas, and Lieutenant Warren Hamilton Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, Sr., of Floydada, Texas, have been graduated from the Fifty-First Reserve Officer Class, Marine Corps Schools here.

Lieutenant Banister attended the North Texas State Teachers College where he majored in Physical Education prior to enlisting in the Corps April 15, 1942. He joined the Forty-eighth Officer Candidate's Class March 22, 1944. His brother, Corporal Harold W. Banister is serving in the U. S. Army.

Lieutenant Smith also attended the North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, and enlisted in the Corps April 14, 1942. He joined the Forty-eighth Officer Candidates Class March 22, 1944.

Miss Peggy Jo Bishop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop, went to Lubbock Monday where she enrolled in Tech College for the term.

The hummingbird is the only bird which can fly straight up, down, backwards and forwards.

You Can't Fail Them Now!

Can Food For Overseas Shipment Most Practical

College Station, September 14.—Canning in tin cans seems the most practical solution to the shipment of home-made-goodies for the men overseas.

That applies to fruit cake which G. I.'s give top priority among delicacies which families are now preparing for shipment prior to the deadline date of October 15, according to Mrs. Winifred J. Leverenz, specialist in food preservation for the A. and M. College Extension Service. Post offices now are accepting Christmas packages for men serving abroad in the armed services.

Fortunately, a homemaker can use her own favorite recipe for fruit cake, plum pudding, or Boston bread. After the ingredients have been mixed well, the batter can be packed into greased or waxed paper-line R-enamel or plain tin cans. No. 1 or No. 2 cans are more satisfactory than larger ones. One to one and one-half inch head space should be left. Mrs. Leverenz says the first roll on the can should be sealed before steaming the fruit cake. Then the second roll should be processed in a pressure cooker.

If a pressure cooker is used for steaming, the pet cock should be left open during the steaming time. If a water bath is used, the hot water level should be about two inches below the can. Number 1 cans should be steamed for 60 minutes and No. 2 cans for 75 minutes. After steaming seal is completed, then cans should be placed in a pressure cooker and processed at 10 pounds pressure for 30 minutes.

Odd as it seems, Mrs. Leverenz also recommends canning cookies for better shipment. Honey cookies, butterscotch, or those made with dried fruit or molasses usually keep well. Candies may be packed in a can easily with layers of waxed paper between each piece of the layers and the extra space filled with popped corn or nuts.

Canned chicken is especially a favorite with men overseas. Texans usually are delighted with barbecue meat, chili or tamales. Preserves packed in tin is usually very acceptable. Relishes and pickles are fine for a short period of time provided they are canned in R-enamel cans.

Must File Certificate of Transfer on All Sales

On and after September 12, 1944, dealers as well as all other sellers, must file a certificate of transfer with their local War Price and Rationing Boards reporting their purchases of used cars, the District Office of Price Administration has announced. Dealers, and other sellers generally engaged in the business of selling used cars, will also be required to file with their local boards, not later than September 21, an inventory report of all used cars in their stocks on September 11.

In completing the certificate of transfer for their sales, on and after September 12, they also are required to indicate on their reverse side of the certificate whether the car was purchased before September 21, on that date, or after that date.

Dealers may get inventory filing forms from their local board by September 11.

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Changes Announced in Food Rationing

Two important changes in the food rationing program were announced today by Opal L. Wood, acting food rationing officer for the Office of Price Administration.

Effective September 17, all processed vegetables, except tomatoes, all fruit spreads, and all special products, except tomato catsup, will be taken off rationing. This move came when WFA said that the supply was sufficient to meet unrationed demands.

Use of blue ration tokens will be discontinued after October 1, as a result of removal of these foods from rationing. Consumers may use their blue tokens just as

they have always used them, until September 17. Beginning September 17, retailers will not give blue tokens to consumers for ration change.

From September 17 through September 30, shoppers will be able to spend their blue tokens only in groups of ten. If necessary, during this period, they may pool tokens to make up units of ten. Fewer than ten tokens cannot be used.

Housewives should be sure to use all their blue tokens by September 30, because after that date they cannot use them.

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Boys and Girls marching back to School from a summer of play, must be reminded anew of dangers that lurk at street corners and cross roads. Parents will have to remember to caution them, that though there may be less traffic on the streets and highways now than before the war, there are no fewer hazards to life and limb.

Young America must be kept on the alert against accidents. Young America must be guarded, for American Youth is the Future of Our Country.

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J. M. Collins Appointed Chairman Of Region 18

J. C. Collins, Amarillo business and civic leader, has been appointed chairman of Region 18 for the forthcoming drive on behalf of the National War Fund, Wayland D. Towner, general manager of the United War Chest of Texas announced today.

Mr. Collins was named to this important war fund post by Judge Ben H. Powell of Austin, UWCT president. He will succeed Col E. A. Simpson, who was forced to resign as regional chairman due to the pressure of business which will take him out of the state during the period of the state-wide campaign, Mr. Towner announced.

Ban Raised on Some Types of Stoves

Rationing of coal and wood heating and cooking stoves to consumers will end October 15, the War Production Board and Office of Price Administration have announced jointly.

OPA Rationing Executive Ely Fonville stated that oil and gas stoves will remain rationed.

Current inventories of the coal and wood stoves, plus anticipated production, are expected to be able to keep up with unrationed demand after October 15.

Women are getting men's wages today, the same as always. Except now they have to work for them.



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Funeral Rites For W. Dunn

W. Dunn, age 79 years, 7 months and 23 days, died at his home in Floyd County, September 9, 1944 after an illness of several months. Mr. Dunn had been a resident of Floyd County for 27 years, moving here from Calloway county. His funeral services were held Sunday at 5 o'clock at the Methodist Church, with Elder H. H. Hambley, Primitive Baptist minister, officiating, assisted by Rev. A. Doyle, local First Baptist pastor. Interment was in the Floyd County Cemetery with the funeral home in charge.

Survived by the following: Mrs. L. A. Williams, Floydada; Don F. Dunn, New Mexico; Claud W. Thomas; Mrs. Lola Dixon, Dallas; Mrs. Oma Mullins, Dallas; Mrs. H. W. Roberts, Dallas; Joe Dunn, Lockney; Mrs. J. J. Quinn, Floydada. 30 grand children and 22 great grand children survive.

Bearers were: Lavern Williams, Norene Mullins, LaRue Williams, Mrs. Alpha Rauh, Mrs. Roberts, Bonnie Nell Williams, Norma Williams, Norma Williams, Olmeda Maye Williams and Blanche Williams.

Urn bearers were: Raymond Williams, Chioma Williams, E. A. Williams, Cleam Mullins, Johnnie Williams, and Earl Rauh.

Information on Grain Storage is Available

Information on grain sorghums and their value during storage on the farm can be avoided, and farmers get the "know-how" from agricultural agents of the U. S. College Extension Service. A new publication on Farm Storage of Grain Sorghums just released by the USDA's National Research Administration will be available.

Grain sorghums in storage are subject to high moisture content resulting in heat or damage or to insects which damage the grain in storage. M. R. Quinn, Extension agricultural agent, points out that tight bins are the best kind of storage when the moisture content is 12 percent or less. Ventilated bins are used for conditioning grain which contains slightly more moisture than that. These, however, are not recommended for grain longer than a few weeks unless they can be tightly sealed for fumigation after the grain is dry.

In dry, sunny climates combined grain is dried in a dry ground.

Grain sorghum for feed is best stored in bins, or the moisture content is above 21 percent it can be made into silage immediately, according to findings at the Beeville substation of the Agricultural Experiment Station. Care must be taken to avoid air pockets at the corners when the silo is filled. Silage on the Plains are advised that damage is likely to occur if stored grain next spring if it contains more than 12 percent moisture when stored. Farmers can get their grain at local elevators. Experiment Station studies in Kansas show that standing combine should be permitted to stand for two weeks after a hard frost before being combined. Shocked grain sorghums should be well cured and dry before being used.

Treaty with Panama, ratified in 1904, the United States acceded to the Panama Canal

Bonita the Miracle Sorghum Does Well in Runnels

College Station, September 14. Bonita, the new combine sorghum scarcely two years in production, Runnels County this year as a record in drought-resistant feed. According to County Agricultural Agent J. A. Barton 60 adults and 30 members of boys' 4-H clubs planted demonstrations of an acre or two up to 15 acres each. Early reports from scattered demonstrators indicate that the crop is standing up well under extremely dry weather but it appears, Barton says that it will make a better bundle crop than one for combining.

Cecil Patton, the first to report, obtained a yield of 1,200 pounds an acre combined, compared with 600 pounds from his regular combine Martin maize. Louis Loika of the Bethel community states that his Bonita, planted almost simultaneously along side a field of hegari, will yield more than double the number of bundles expected from the hegari and a corresponding excess in production of grain.

Another example of success with the new type sorghum is reported by Herbert Wilde, one of the veteran grain sorghum producers of the county. He reported to Barton that he is cutting a considerable portion of his crop for seed and estimates that it will thresh 1,300 pounds an acre. This compared with 1,200 pounds for other varieties on his place. Jasper Drake of Winters believes his Bonita will thresh about 3,000 pounds an acre against an estimated yield of about 1,500 pounds for combine maize.

Tom Moreland of Ballinger plans to bundle his Bonita for milk cows and J. B. Estes of the Hatchel community intends to use his for feeding out his sheep this winter. Both farmers reported that Bonita stood up much better under the dry weather than other grain sorghums.

Bonita was developed at the Chillicothe substation of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Superintendent J. Roy Quinby of the substation who had a leading part in its propagation, defines its origin as a selection from a cross of hegari and chiltex. Chiltex is one half kafir and one half feterita, making Bonita, according to its parentage one half hegari. Quinby explains that the cross was made to see whether a hegari could not be produced which would be less erratic in production than the common variety.

The Hawaiian Islands were under a native monarchy until 1893, when a revolution deposed the queen and set up a provisional government. The Islands were annexed to the United States on July 7, 1898.

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Pulpwood Production In Texas Above Capacity

College Station, September 14. Cutting of pulpwood in east Texas is outrunning the capacity of mills in this and nearby states to consume it, says C. W. Simmons, farm forester for the A. and M. College Extension Service. Much of it is salvage from the January storm damage area in counties around Nacogdoches.

Simmons says that a large amount of pulpwood was cut and stacked in the woods during the prolonged rainy period last spring. Trucks being unable to reach it freely, hauling was delayed and some mills closed for short periods. But the long, dry summer enabled hundreds of trucks to operate. As a result so large a volume was moved that yarding space at the mills became congested, obliging haulers to deliver at any landing place available along all weather roads. Long ricks of pulpwood now are common along highways and railroads, town lots, on farm fronts, and at cross road stores and in villages. Frequently, fleets of trucks making last

hauls for the day stand loaded all night before space and unloading assistance are provided.

This high production points to the need for reform in cutting methods, Simmons believes. The pulpwood harvest, he says, continues to be more destructive to Texas' pine timber resources than any other form of logging. The volume of pulpwood required is only five to eight per cent of the total cut of pine timber yearly, but the usual operation is to remove all pines on a tract. This leaves only useless stumps of stunted pine saplings and a mass of slash for a fire hazard on land which nature can reforest only with worthless or low value hardwoods.

Most pulpwood should be produced from thinnings of immature stands of pine, he explains. This should remove from one to three cords at a time, but the general practice is to cut the kind of trees which should be left for a timber crop and leave the inferior growth which is well adapted for pulp. Moreover, much wood useful for pulp obtainable from the tops of trees cut for saw timber and ties is allowed to go to waste, Simmons says.

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- Use the RIGHT SIZE bulb in each lamp or fixture.
- Use flaring shades (wider at bottom than top) instead of straight-sided ones on your lamps. See that the shades have white or light-colored linings, to reflect more usable light.
- Move lamps closer to points of use, so they shed light directly on the work. Light should come from the left side for right-handed persons, from the right for left-handed persons.
- Keep bulbs, reflector bowls and shades clean. Dust and dirt cut down light output.
- Make your good lamps do double duty by rearranging furniture so that more than one person can use each lamp.

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SANTA FE SYSTEM LINES

"ALONG THE ROUTE TO TOKYO"

W. J. Browning Dies at Iredell, Texas of Paralysis

William J. Browning died Monday, September 11, 1944, at the home of relatives, at Iredell, in Bosque county, Texas. Mr. Browning suffered a stroke Saturday and his family was advised of his condition, and Sunday his son, Joe Browning and wife, accompanied by F. C. Harmon went to Iredell in an ambulance where they planned to bring him home. He only lived a short while after they arrived. The body arrived Monday night and funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, Rev. Phil H. Gates, officiating. Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.

Mr. Browning was born January 23, 1879 in Ellis County, Texas. He married Miss Gussie Minnie Grace October 25, 1905. He is survived by his wife, one son, Joe Browning, two daughters, Mrs. John Finley, Mrs. Bill Debanam, of El Paso; five grand children; one brother, Carl B. Browning, of Corsicana; one sister, Mrs. Chas. Jeton, Kernes, Texas.

Mr. Browning and family moved to Floyd County in 1911 from Runnels county. He was employed by Floyd County for a number of years as anitor at the county court house.

When molting, wild birds shed two feathers at a time, a corresponding feather from each wing. When new feathers are halfway grown out, a second pair of feathers is shed. Thus, throughout the entire molting season, the birds' delicate flight mechanism remains in balance.

The lyre was the most popular and perhaps the most ancient stringed instrument used by the Greeks.

TREAT SEED GRAINS FOR SMUT

College Station, September 14. Treating seed with disease-killing chemicals will safeguard winter grain crops against damage from fungus diseases called smut, says E. A. Miller, agronomist for the A. and M. College Extension Service. Wheat, oats and barley are the grains most susceptible to attack.

Wheat is subject to two types of the disease. One, called "stinking" smut, is different to indentify in the field because the diseased heads do not differ outwardly from the healthy ones. But during threshing the spores are scattered over the undiseased grain. If such seed is planted without being treated the smut spores may germinate with the wheat, especially if weather and soil are rather cool at time of planting.

The other type, known as "loose" smut, is readily visible because it destroys the heads and leaves only black, smutty stems. Spores lodge in the flowers will germinate and grow into the young kernels. Unfortunately, Miller says, "loose" smut cannot be controlled by chemical seed treatment because the fungus is carried inside the seed. The hot water treatment is effective but difficult. It is simpler to plant seed from an uninfected field.

For "stinking" smut the chemical treatment consists of cleaning the wheat by fanning or otherwise to remove the smut balls, and applying either two ounces per bushel of 50 per cent copper carbonate, or one half ounce per bushel of ethyl mercury phosphate called improved oeresan. The treating operation may be done with a commercial seed treating machine or a homemade container, such as an oil drum with a

tight fitting lid revolving on a axis. It is important that the chemical be well distributed over each kernel.

Smut in barley and oats can be controlled by treating the seed with one half ounce per bushel of improved cerasan or a mixture of one pint of commercial formaldehyde and 10 gallons of water at 60 to 70 degrees temperature. The formaldehyde solution should be sprinkled uniformly over 40 to 50 bushels of seed while it is being shoveled from one pile to another on a clean floor in a tight wagon box. Afterward the seed should be piled and covered with a wagon sheet for at least four hours or over night. It then should be sown at once or spread out to dry.

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