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## TRUCK OWNER'S TIRE INSPECTION MUST BE MADE BY JANUARY 15

Truck owners and other commercial motor vehicle operators who fail to get their first tire inspection before Jan. 15 may face serious difficulties. Approval of an official tire inspector must be indicated on the back of the Certificate of War Necessity before Jan. 15 for continued operation of the vehicle.

There you are, Mr. Truck Operator, and the list of inspectors locally is in this issue of the News.

## W. L. CLAYTON IS STATE CHAIRMAN OF PRESIDENT'S BALL

That's the set up for the President's Birthday ball this year. W. L. Clayton, Houston, is the president, and he's also President Roosevelt's deputy Federal Farm Loan Administrator, and has established offices in the Cotton Exchange Building for raising the funds for this cause.

Mrs. Turk Brown of Gatesville will, as usual, head the Coryell county committee, and the entertainments will be Jan. 30.

## JONESBORO HIGH WINS FROM HAMILTON BOYS AND GIRLS

Jonesboro Eagles went to Hamilton last week, Friday night, and came back better off for two games, taken from the Hamilton Bulldog cagers, and both sexes played.

In the girl's game, the count was 15 to 10, and the Jonesboro boys polished them off 24 to 11.

Anybody else playing basket ball in Coryell county? If they are, they certainly don't want anybody to know it. We'd like to have the information, please.

Mrs. Jack Wicker of Waco visited relatives here the past week.



A. K. Gray  
Mrs. A. C. Smith

## Markets

Monday, Jan. 11

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Corn, ear           | 75c to 80c |
| Corn, shelled       | 80c        |
| Oats, loose         | 50c to 55c |
| Eggs, No. 1 candled | 35c        |
| Cream, No. 1        | 48c        |
| Cream, No. 2        | 45c        |
| Fryers              | 18c        |
| Old Roosters        | 7c         |
| Hens, light         | 16c        |
| Hens, heavy         | 18c        |

## EVANT GIRL NOW IN POSTAL EMPLOYMENT IN CORPUS CHRISTI



The above is a likeness of Miss Dorothy Elam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Elam, a last year graduate of the Evant High school who is now employed in the Naval Base Postoffice at Corpus Christi. Her duties are handing out mail and forwarding mail to the boys who have been sent across.

## THIS IS FOR US, BUT YOU WANT TO KNOW, TOO

These are a few don'ts for you, and us, from the Office of Censorship, Washington. We do our best not to let anything slip, and you can help by not telling us anything that will slip.

DON'T TELL the names of ships on which sailors serve.

DON'T TELL the troop units in which soldiers serve over seas.

There is no obligation to revealing that Pvt. John Jones is in Australia or that Seaman Tom Brown saw action in the Atlantic, but there is military information which endangers the lives of American fighting men in stating that Pvt. John Jones, "Company C, 600th Infantry", is in Australia, or Seaman Tom Brown, "Aboard the U.S.S. Wisconsin," is in the Atlantic.

We use these addresses ONLY to send papers to the boys.

## O. T. CLARK TO BE LIONS CLUB SPEAKER WEDNESDAY NOON

O. T. Clark, superintendent of the Southwest Ice Manufacturer's Association, and head of the "ice end" of the Community Public Service Company will be the speaker Wednesday at the Gatesville Lion's Club at the Methodist Church, noon Wednesday.

Mr. Clark, in addition to his regular work, is one of the best after dinner speakers in Texas, and we are told it's a treat to hear him.

# NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

## JAPS FAIL AT NEW GUINEA

Allied Hdqs., Australia, Jan. 10 (AP).—A record breaking flow of official releases disclosed Sunday the magnitude of the most destructive purely aerial drubbing given to the Japs in the Southwest Pacific, and possibly the most extensive administered in any area. It was the convoy air battle of Lae, New Guinea.

## ESSEN AFIRE

London, Jan. 10, (AP).—Sssen, site of the sprawling Krupp works which is Europe's largest arsenal, was raided Saturday night by about 150 big British Bombers, 7 of which were lost. Fires raged all over the great industrial area.

North Africa, Jan. 10 (AP).—U. S. Medium Bombers from Tunisia struck their first blow Sunday at the Libyan base of Tripoli in an extension of their campaign to slam shut the back door of retreat in the face of Marshal Erwin Rommel, believed on the weary move again toward that

## TOOK TEN DAYS TO GET 1943 STORK DERBY WINNER IN, BUT IT'S HERE

Ever since the early hours of 1943, we've been whooping it up for birth certificates covering the 1943 Stork Derby Winner, and finally, it's come in, and it's a girl!

Miss Stork Derby Contest Winner of 1943 is Miss Glenda Fay Blanchard.

She is the smallest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ingram Blanchard, of Route 2, Gatesville, and was born January 10, 1943 at 11 p. m. that day.

It's 3 o'clock Monday afternoon and this is the first birth certificate that has been turned in, and is therefore declared the 1943 winner of the News Merchant's Seventh Annual Stock Derby Contest.

Here's the list of prizes which this little "gal" wins in this year's contest, rather, the folks who have

something for her. Gatesville Drug Store, Foster Drug Store, City Drug Store, Guaranty Bank & Trust Co., Gatesville Laundry, Palace Theatre, White Auto Store, Martin's Cleaners, Mrs. J. B. Graves, Florist Coryell County News, Murray Grocery and Market and Morton Scott, Housefurnisher.

So, this ends the opening contest of the year, the 1943 News Merchant's Stork Derby Contest, and we again remind you of past winners, who were Gary Glenn Graf, 1937, Harvey Richardson, 1938, Vernon H. Wells 1939, Sara Lynn Scott 1940, John Kermitt Derrick, 1941 and Ray Van Brown 1942.

The sexes are getting a bit more even now as we have two girls and five boys, in this "battle of the sexes".

## Another Job Is Started: Grand Jury Is Working

Another big job opened up in Gatesville and Coryell county this week, yesterday to be exact, was the Grand Jury. Now, that don't please everybody, particularly those who get their "notices", but then that's the way things are done in these USA's.

Will Caruth is taking care of the Door Bailiff's job, and C. J. Shook is "the" riding bailiff, which makes it appear, there won't be much court this January session. Judge D. W. Bartlett of Waco is on the bench, due to the sickness of the local Judge, District Judge R. Bates Cross.

Grand Jurymen who started working yesterday morning are H. R. Haase, Foreman, V. C. Bomber, F. A. Morris, Fred Schloeman, C. R. Byrom, J. H. Conner, Paul Cloud, Hernie Brazzil, Edgar Culp, Mat Kemp, Jim Gault, and C. A. Morse.

No time for cases to be set has been announced and what will be the first is not known.

## RELATIVE OF "THE" SAM HOUSTON OF TEX. HERE WORKING

Was working here, or is now, is a relative, yes a great grand daughter of Sam Houston, and related to the late Senator Alexander Houston of Houston.

We refer to D. A. McKinzie, or rather, Mrs. D. A. McKinzie, who was an engineer and surveyor in the War Office here.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie are former residents of Floresville. The wonders just keep creeping up, and there are going to be more "celebrities" in and "from" Coryell county than was ever deemed possible. And, you can't find them all.

## They Left! The First "Outfit" To Hit Hood

Locally, we all know who was the first "outfit" to come to Camp Hood. Therefore, we won't mention any number. There is censorship, now, and comings goings and doings of Army outfits are not published.

Anyway a grand outfit left here Sunday, one, that Gatesville and Coryell county met first, in the "bushes" of Camp Hood. Most of these boys were from Pennsylvania New York and Maryland, and were darn nice fellows, we thought then, and still do.

The only time we remember seeing Brigadier General A. B. Bruce here to see them off, was yesterday, and, from that we think he thought quite a bit of them. Many of them have left the original outfit and are or were in OCS, some have transferred out, but in general it's a good outfit.

Gatesville people were at the station to see 'em in, and they were there Sunday, to see 'em out. All of us wish them luck, and think ourselves lucky we're not going to have to face them in battle. That's really going to be tough!

## COTTON GINNING IS SLIGHTLY HIGHER FOR '42 THAN '41

V. R. (Happy) Lee, Special Agent Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, reports 11,229 bales of cotton were ginned in Coryell county prior to Dec. 15, 1942, as compared to 9,267 for the same period of 1941.

That's just that much more for Coryell county. Remember when it was between 30,000 and 40,000. That's cotton, not hay!

day predicted early action by Congress and expressed the hope the legislation could be approved by March 1, 15 days before 1942 tax returns are due.

## NEW TAX LOOM

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP).—The 78th Congress, bent on strict government economy, receives from President Roosevelt tomorrow an unprecedented budget expected to propose more than \$100,000,000,000 in federal spending in the fiscal year beginning July 1. Anyway, we're learning to write in

## HOW TO WIN IF YOU LOSE

Washington, Jan. 10 (AP).—Congressional leaders have been notified to expect several nominations from the president tomorrow as the new senate holds its first regular session and these will include Justice Wiley Blount Rutledge, Jr., to the Supreme Court Former Senator Prentiss Brown of Michigan to be a second Leon Henderson, and Edward Flynn to be another minister to Australia.

PAY AS YOU GO PLAN UP  
Washington, Jan. 10, (AP). — Beardsley Ruml, sponsor of a pay as you go income tax plan, Sun-

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**PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE  
ARMY AIR FORCES  
FLEXIBLE GUNNERY SCHOOL  
FORT MYERS, FLORIDA**

David Gerald Armstrong of Evant, Texas, forgot all about the "White Christmas" of his native state when he was promoted from sergeant to the rank of flight officer as a special Christmas gift from Uncle Sam.

The promotion not only means a raise in pay, but in the future David will be accorded all the rights and privileges which go

with being an officer in the United States Army. The rank of flight officer, equivalent to warrant officer among the ground forces, was created by a recent act of Congress.

Flight officer Armstrong is now flying airplanes in the Flexible Gunnery School near Fort Myers where gunners are being trained by the hundreds to man turrets in the huge bombers of the Army Air Forces. The aircraft are flown many hours a day to give the students practice in air-to-air firing on a range over the nearby Gulf of Mexico.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Armstrong, Flight Officer Armstrong was a student before he entered the army three years ago. He received his wings 8 months ago from the Gulf Coast Training Centre. He was stationed at Tyn-dall Field, Panama City, Fla., before reporting to the Flexible Gunnery School.

Born Dec. 27, 1922, he was a star athlete in his student days.



Washington, D. C.

**QUIET CONFIDENCE**

It brought no headlines, but Chief of Staff General Marshall made the first step toward better co-operation between Capitol Hill and the Executive Branch of the government by holding a quiet conference with key senators and representatives.

He gave them an intimate, and on the whole optimistic, progress report on the war, which left a good impression with congressional leaders. Both Republicans and Democrats were present, most of them from the military affairs committees, and also the vice president, the speakers and other leaders.

General Marshall gave the actual figures on American losses in North Africa. These must remain confidential, but they were encouragingly small. He explained that one reason for the light casualties was General Eisenhower's peace arrangement with Admiral Darlan.

General Marshall attached great importance to this, since the army, navy and civilian population in North Africa were under the influence of Admiral Darlan. Therefore he suggested to congress that it would be very helpful if there were no critical speeches of the admiral despite his Vichy connections.

Admiral Darlan had come to visit his son who was stricken with infantile paralysis. General Marshall said, then had returned to France. But when his son suffered a relapse, Darlan came back to North Africa. Thus it was pure accident, but a very fortunate one, that he was in Algiers at the time. Darlan had given the order immediately which resulted in the saving of many American lives.

General Marshall also paid high tribute to Robert Murphy, the state department's charge d'affaires in France, who spent most of his time in North Africa. It was Murphy who mapped out most of the advance political plans of the U. S. army.

General Marshall was also optimistic regarding the amount of Nazi strength being diverted from the Russian front, especially airpower. He felt that Hitler would have to take more and more planes away from Russia to protect Italy, now considered the soft spot of the Axis, and that Hitler could not lick Russia without airpower.

Another optimistic part of the war picture, the chief of staff said, was New Guinea, where he expects some real Allied progress against the Japs at Buna.

**Note:** Secretary of the Navy Knox is now following Marshall's cue and has invited members of the senate and house naval affairs committees to have dinner with him some evening soon. As a result of the elections, it looks as if the executive branches of the government had awakened to the fact that there was a congress.

**HITLER INFLUENCE**

If Hitler moves in on Spain, he may accomplish at one blow what we have failed to do in nine months of diplomatic discussions with Argentina. He may force that South American country into a break with the Axis.

It was Argentina which principally gummed the works at Rio de Janeiro last January, when astute Sumner Welles, undersecretary of state, was trying to line up all 21 Latin-American countries behind a resolution to break relations.

There Argentina Foreign Minister Ruiz Guinazu insisted on "neutrality" and Argentina remained on the fence.

Ruiz Guinazu is a great admirer of Spain, is proud of his own Spanish blood. Furthermore, he points to Spain's "tradition of neutrality" as the best guarantee of peace.

So if the Germans now attack Spain, the Argentine government would almost be forced to come to the defense of the mother country by breaking relations with the attacking country.

**Note:** Resignation of Argentine War Minister Tonazzi, a friend of the United States, is regarded here as the first important rift in the Castillo government.

**COURTEOUS**

**MRS. CORDELL HULL**

Mrs. Cordell Hull was leaving the Shoreham hotel one morning when she encountered Dr. Jose Richling, former minister of Uruguay.

"Take you soon where?" she offered.

"I'm going to the state department," said Richling.

"Come along, I'll take you."

"But are you going that way?"

"No, but it doesn't matter. I have nothing to do. Anyhow, I want to see how my husband works."

**CAPITAL CHAFF**

In spite of space shortage, a magnificent suite of offices in the state department is still reserved for the venerable "General of the Armies." Unfortunately Pershing has to spend all his time at the Walter Reed hospital.

The U. S. army in North Africa will consume local fruits and vegetables, not to mention lamb and mutton, produced there in large quantities, and formerly shipped to Italy, France and Germany.

**THIRD REGIMENT DISPENSARY  
FIELD ART. REPLACEMENT  
TRAINING CENTER  
FT. BRAGG, N. C.**

December 25, 1942

The Four County Press,  
Evant, Texas.

Hello:

Well, here it is Christmas day, and an ideal day here too. No snow, but it seems that the atmosphere is overflowing with Christmas cheer. I don't suppose that everyone is enjoying themselves as they would in normal times, but considering everything most everyone is having a fine

time. Thousands of soldiers here are missing the warmth and good cheer of their loved ones at home, but the Army is trying to make their Christmas as home-like as possible, and from observation, they are doing a wonderful job. If it were possible for the boys to tell their family today just what they think they would say that it was wonderful. The men have received thousands of presents from their folks, and you can see the genuine appreciation on their faces, because they know that they have not been forgotten.

My wife and daughter are spending the holidays with her people, and I am sorry that I can't be with them, but I am one of the unfortunate ones that is having to work. I expect to spend a few days off during the New Year holidays, but as it is now, I am not for sure.

To the Press, their relatives, and all my friends, I wish a very, very happy New Year and hope that the coming year will bring more happiness, health, and prosperity to you than ever before.

Goodbye,  
Sgt. and Mrs. Clyde W. Elam,  
and daughter, Mary Louise.



Charter No. 4097 Reserve District No. 11

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE**

**NATIONAL BANK OF GATESVILLE**

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1942, PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

| ASSETS  |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| Loans and discounts (including \$3,135.41 overdrafts) . . . . .   | \$ 325,334.55         |
| United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed . . . . .   | 830,750.00            |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions . . . . .  | 208,259.28            |
| Corporate stocks (including \$4,950.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) . . . . .                               | 4,950.00              |
| Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection . . . . . | 887,531.24            |
| Bank premises owned \$24,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,000.00 . . . . .                                  | 27,500.00             |
| Real estate owned other than bank premises . . . . .  | 3.00                  |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b> . . . . .   | <b>\$2,284,328.07</b> |
| LIABILITIES   |                       |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .                                      | \$1,671,792.30        |
| Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .  | 13,000.00             |
| Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) . . . . .                                     | 256,464.24            |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions . . . . .   | 112,468.64            |
| Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) . . . . .   | 13,739.79             |
| <b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b> . . . . .   | <b>\$2,067,464.97</b> |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b> . . . . .  | <b>\$2,067,464.97</b> |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS  |                       |
| Capital Stock: Common stock, total par \$100,000.00 . . . . .   | \$ 100,000.00         |
| Surplus . . . . .   | 66,000.00             |
| Undivided profits . . . . .   | 50,863.10             |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b> . . . . .   | <b>216,863.10</b>     |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b> . . . . .   | <b>\$2,284,328.07</b> |

**MEMORANDA**  
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):  
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities . . . . . \$ 329,200.00  
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) . . . . . 49,858.00  
**TOTAL** . . . . . \$ 379,058.00  
Secured liabilities:  
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law . . . . . \$ 351,226.83  
**TOTAL** . . . . . \$ 351,226.83  
State of Texas, County of Coryell, ss:  
I, Andrew Kendrick, Vice-President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ANDREW KENDRICK, Vice-President

**CORRECT—ATTEST:**

Dan E. Graves  
Byron Leaird  
R. M. Arnold Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of January, 1943.  
(SEAL) E. W. Jones, Notary Public.

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And  
— GAS —  
To Deliver It, But no Gas  
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**CORYELL COUNTY NEWS**  
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# Looney Lucy

Langtry, Texas  
January 8, 1943

Mr. Ward Burris,  
Sports Editor, The Express,  
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Wardie:

I ain't writ you the last couple of weeks. Uncle Tobias and Uncle Mort drunk up ever thing in the house during the holidays, includin' my new bottle of ink. Uncle Mort woke up New Year's Mornin' and thought he was in the zoo.

Also, I was in to San Antone and I got arrested fer drivin' on all sides of the road. I met some nice guys down at the jail house. Gosh, they serve meat and coffee

down there! I fet Sheriff Kilday and one of his scintillatin' longer'n I intended too.

We got right chummy. Me and Buck and the Sheriff is a goin' to chaw the fat at that dinner a Sunday the printers are a givin' Buck fer old time's sake, at Turner Club. Steaks and beans, they tell me, and a kettle o' suds. My ration book won't stand the trip, but heck the S. P. still runs freight trains betwixt here and San Antonio.

Whenever they make the peace after the war they ought to let a couple of Brooklyn Dodger rooters set in on the conference—nobody would out-argue 'em. Durocher could help, too.

I seen where the baseball mugs got together and agreed not to go a fer piece fer spring trainin'. It was nice of the O.D.T. to let the baseball men agree to it, now

wasn't it? I spose the baseballers will want a medal now, fer doin' something the O.D.T. would made them do anyway. Kinder like the feller who quit before the boss fired him.

Uncle Mort quit onct. That was back in 1941. He's ben a threaten' to go back to work ever sinct, but not much. He's afraid they'll take him.

I'll be a seein' you, Pal. Keep 'em Firin'.

Yourn,  
LOON YLUCR  
( . . . )

## METHODIST CHURCH

E. L. Craig, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 each Sunday. Morning worship at 10:50 each Sunday. Evening worship at 7:30 each Sunday evening. Woman's Society of Christian Service at 3:30 each Tuesday afternoon. Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening. Choir Practice at 8:00 each Wednesday evening.

## Presbyterian Church

Gaines B. Hall, Pastor

Services Sunday—11:00 A. M.  
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Public Cordially invited.

### SELL TO SAVE!

Don't let the things you no longer use just deteriorate. Sell them to someone who needs and will use them. Phone a classified ad today. The number is 69.



**WOMEN AT WAR**—Overalls, wrenches and drills replace snarles as these war workers in an Army Arsenal march to tank repair shops. Note the determination on their faces. These women are typical of hundreds of thousands who are working in war factories and investing part of their earnings in War Bonds.

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## Coryell Valley

Mrs. A. M. McCallister, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latham and Miss Willie Joe Fulcher of Alvin visited Mrs. Minnie Latham and Raymond this week. Hob is being inducted into the army and was visiting his home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sheppard visited Monday with the Lathams. Mrs. A. M. McCallister visited Mrs. Minnie Latham Monday.

Visitors this week with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McCallister were Bob Weaver and 2 sons of State Hill, Mr and Mrs. Jess Kitley, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sheppard and Jack Earl and Red Nichols and Otis Ray of Meridian.

C. Whittaker was a caller with A. M. McCallister Sunday.

Mr. Carroll and daughter and grandson, Mrs. Johnnie Osborne and Joe Carroll visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kitley during the holidays.

Pvt Ralph Bailey McCallister, new enlistee in the army, is stationed at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. A. M. McCallister received a death message from Ontario, Calif. Jan. 3 of the death of her nephew, Eldred Emerson Sellers. His death was caused from a fall Dec. 24. He leaves his wife and 3 children and parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sellers of Lamesa, T. X.

North Carolina has 100 counties, the last of which, Avery County, was created in 1911.

Reserve District No. 11

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE GUARANTY BANK & TRUST CO.

Gatesville, Texas, at the close of business December 31, 1942, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

### ASSETS

|  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Loans and discounts (including \$68.84 overdrafts).....  | \$ 210,673.13         |
| United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed  | 221,000.00            |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....  | 156,557.92            |
| Corporate stocks (including \$2,200.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) .....                              | 2,200.00              |
| Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection..... | 777,051.12            |
| Bank premises owned \$15,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,000.00 .....                                 | 18,000.00             |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS .....</b>  | <b>\$1,385,482.17</b> |

### LIABILITIES

|   |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....  | \$1,021,071.75        |
| Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) ..... | 127,852.80            |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....                    | 148,540.19            |
| Deposits of banks .....   | 4,457.43              |
| <b>TOTAL DEPOSITS .....</b>   | <b>\$1,301,922.17</b> |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated</b>                  |                       |

obligations shown below).....\$1,301,922.17

### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

|                                     |                  |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Capital .....                       | \$ 50,000.00     |
| Surplus .....                       | 23,000.00        |
| Undivided profits .....             | 10,560.00        |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS .....</b> | <b>83,560.00</b> |

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS. \$1,385,482.17**  
This bank's capital consists of common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.

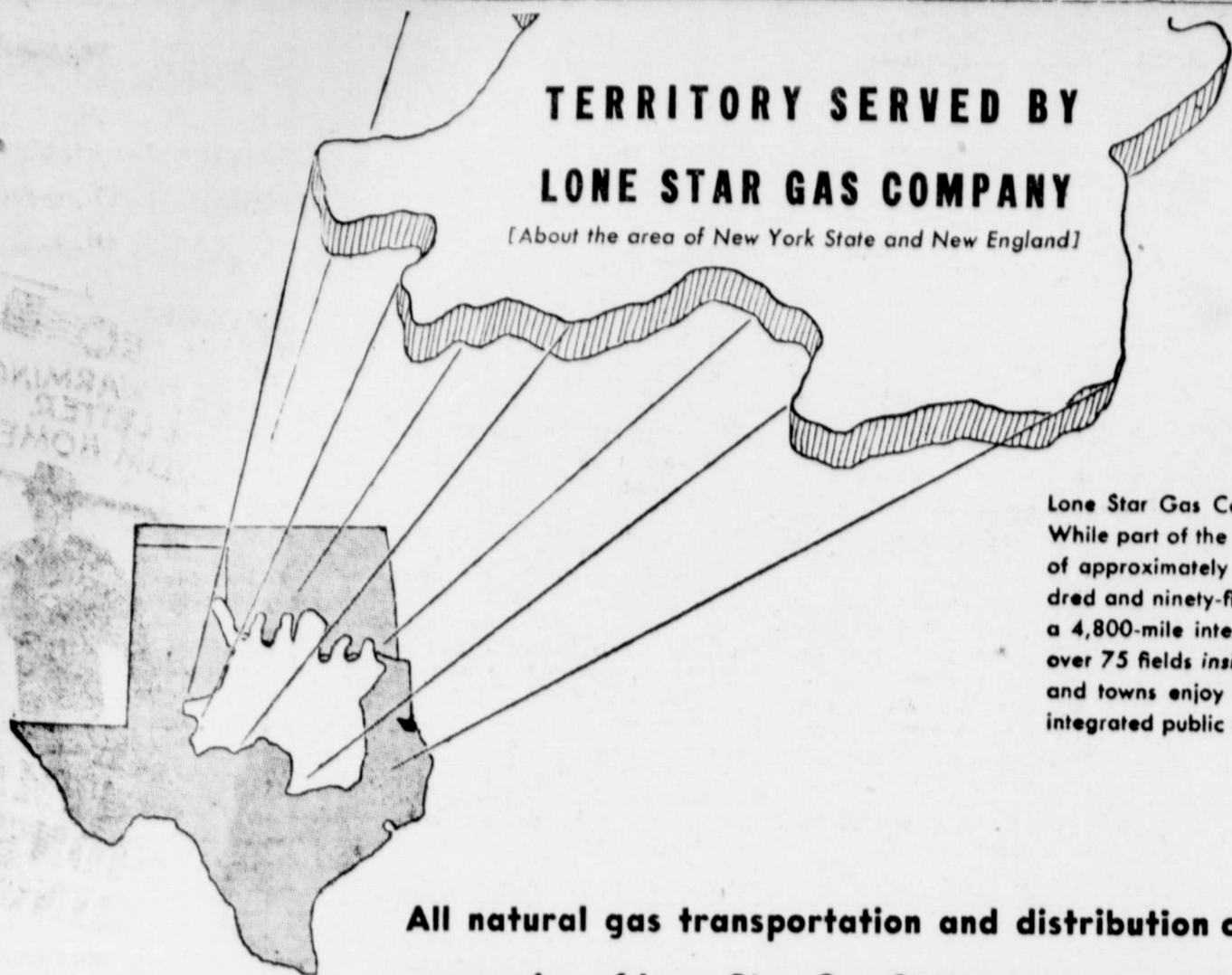
### MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):  
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities. .... \$150,000.00  
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement).... 73,460.16  
**TOTAL .....** **\$223,460.16**  
Secured and preferred liabilities:  
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law .....

197,595.90  
**TOTAL .....** **\$197,595.90**  
I, B. K. Cooper, Vice President, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. K. Cooper.  
CORRECT—ATTEST:  
J. O. Brown  
Reid Powell  
H. K. Jackson, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Coryell ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of Jan., 1943.  
(SEAL) Mrs. Jimada Powell, Notary Public.



**T**HE operating companies now reorganized into one Lone Star Gas Company form a highly integrated public utility system. While part of the area served is sparsely populated, having a population of approximately 1,300,000, the system is unusually compact. Two hundred and ninety-five Texas and Oklahoma cities and towns are served by a 4,800-mile interconnected pipeline which transports natural gas from over 75 fields inside the area. The natural gas service which these cities and towns enjoy today was made possible by the development of this integrated public utility system.

**All natural gas transportation and distribution operations of the several affiliated companies of Lone Star Gas System are now grouped into one operating company, organized under Texas corporation laws, and which hereafter will be known as the**

# Lone Star Gas Company

The Lone Star Gas Corporation was among the first to register under provisions of the "Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935." Now, under a plan submitted to and approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission, the System is among the first to be reorganized into a more simplified corporate structure. The plan became effective January 1, 1943.

Working out details with the Securities and Exchange Commission and securing approval of our stockholders has been a big job requiring many months. We believe the reorganization will benefit our nearly 300,000 customers and our 4,500 employees.

Ever since 1909 when Lone Star struck out from Petrolia with a pipeline to Fort Worth, the System's ideal has been to build and maintain a natural gas service that would be so sensitive and responsive to public purposes and public needs that it would be a stimulant to the Southwest's development.

And the Southwest has grown. We've developed for and with it until Lone Star System up to the time of reorganization comprised:

**THE DALLAS GAS COMPANY**  
**COMMUNITY NATURAL GAS COMPANY**  
**TEXAS CITIES GAS COMPANY**  
*(distributing companies operating inside 295 Texas and Oklahoma Cities and Towns)*

**LONE STAR GAS COMPANY**  
*(the company developing the gas supply and transporting it to the distributing companies)*

**LONE STAR GASOLINE COMPANY**  
*(the company developing gas reserves and by-products of natural gas)*

Now all of the transmission and distribution properties of these companies will be owned and operated as one integrated public utility system by a new Texas company named

*Lone Star Gas Company*

The gas field producing operations of the system, such as drilling wells and developing gas, are taken over by Lone Star Producing Company. So now, there are just two

companies whereas before there were five operating companies and one holding company. Both are new Texas corporations.

The reorganization will not in any way change the basic policies or personnel of Lone Star Gas System. However, it simplifies operations, makes for considerable coordination of effort, and creates a tightly-knit organization which will be even more sensitive and responsive to your fuel service needs and wartime demands.

In it all there is just one sad note—the passing of such names as The Dallas Gas Company, Community Natural Gas Company, and Texas Cities Gas Company. We know thousands have a friendly, cordial feeling for these names through years of business transactions. But only the names pass on. The men and women who made these companies' good names remain to serve our customers.

A substantial rate reduction made last May and this simplification consummated in December were of material benefit to the Southwest and marked 1942 as a notable year in the history of Lone Star Gas System.

The Community Natural Gas Company is now the

**LONE STAR GAS  COMPANY**

**SOCIETY  
In The**

By  
Tomilene Lillibridge  
News Society Editor

**NEWS**

**Koch-Schloeman Rites Read  
Sunday, January 10th**

Miss Margaret Koch of this city became the bride of Sergeant Gus A. Schloeman in the parsonage of the Bethel Heights Church Sunday morning at 10 O'Clock. Rev. W. H. Buening, pastor of the church performed the single ring ceremony.

The bride was beautiful in a light blue early spring suit, white off the face flower trim hat, white gloves and other accessories in black patent. Her corsage was of white roses.

The couple's only attendants were Pvt. and Mrs. Irvin Koch.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koch Sr. of Gatesville. She graduated from Gatesville High School and for the past several months been bookkeeper for G. P. Schaub Milling & Grain Co.

The groom is the son of Mr.

**Miss Virginia Cruz Of  
Rosebud Weds Sgt. Thompson**

Miss Virginia Cruz of Rosebud became the bride of Sgt. Robert M. Thompson Sunday Jan. 3, at the home of the bride's parents in Rosebud.

Sgt. Thompson who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson of Belton is stationed at Ft. Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson formerly lived here and have a number of friends in this county.

and Mrs. A. C. Schloeman, of Gatesville

After graduating from High School he attended A & M College. He has been a mechanic in the Army Air Corps for over a year.

After a wedding trip to points in South Texas the couple will be at their home in Austin where the groom is stationed at Del Valle Air Base.

**Miss Whitley Weds  
Camp Hood Soldier**

Miss Ruth Whitley and Pfc. James Ellis were married Dec. 26, 1942. The rites were read in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church in Killeen. Rev. R. H. Mathison, pastor of the church, performed the single ring ceremony.

The couple's only attendants were Pvt. and Mrs. Jerome Peak.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Springer of Lampasas.

The groom's home is in Marion, Ind. At the present he is stationed at Camp Hood.

Mrs. R. S. Farnar spent the week end with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bradford of Goldthwaite.

Sgt. Alvin Edwards of Jefferson Branch, New Orleans, La. is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Westfield and daughter of McGregor spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Edwards.

T.L. McBeth is seriously ill with heart trouble at his home here in Gatesville.

Ernest Bauman was carried to Scott & White hospital in Temple to submit to an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge and Mrs. Mary Brown visited in Temple Sunday with Ernest Bauman who is a patient in Scott & White Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wordell Pliier of WAFS spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Mayes, Jr.

Mrs. Buddy Vaden accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Bruce Carlisle of Pideoke spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ayres of The Grove.

Miss Ethel Jo Grissom of The Grove spent the week end with her sister, Miss Ida Lee Grissom.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Geiselbrecht of County Line spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Watts.

Pvt. Milton Kiger of WAFS, Waco spent the week end with his wife and parents.

Pvt. Irvin Koch of BAFS spent the week end with his wife and relatives.

Pfc. and Mrs. Hugh Moore returned home Saturday after a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Moore in Carville Ky. and his brothers in Illinois.

Mrs. Pat Hollingsworth left Monday for Cheyenne, Wyoming to join her husband who is stationed at Ft. Warren, Wyo.

Mrs. W. B. Cummings left Friday for Kentucky to join her husband who is stationed at Fort Knox.

**Personals**

R. W. Palmatier and Mrs. Lura Bess Florey are attending a U. S. O. Institute in Dallas this week.

Lt. and Mrs. Wayland Holt returned to Camp Crockett, Calif. Saturday after visiting with relatives and friends.

Sgt. and Mrs. Aubrey Lack and son Aubrey Jr., visited her mother in Brownwood over the week end.

Miss Esther McClendon and Larkie McClendon of Eddy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Jacques of White Hall also called during the afternoon.

Mrs. James R. Tucker left Sunday for Dallas to visit her mother Mrs. E. A. Jordon. Mrs. Tucker will leave Dallas Tuesday for Calif. to visit her daughters Mrs. Francis Jeffers and Miss Jaymarta Tucker.

Miss Margie Beth Brown of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Brown over the week end before resuming her duties at Waco Army Flying School beginning Tuesday.

Little Glendell McCarver of the White Hall community fell from a pony Sunday afternoon and broke his arm at the elbow. At the present he is resting nicely.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. John Wesley Odom of Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio are visiting at Flat and The Grove with their parents and relatives.

Miss Fern Cooper of Ft. Worth visited home folks recently.

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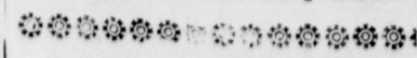
FILLED BIT BY BIT WITH HARD-EARNED COINS AND GREENBACKS IT WAS THE OLD-TIME SYMBOL OF THRIFT AND OF SECURITY AGAINST A RAINY DAY.



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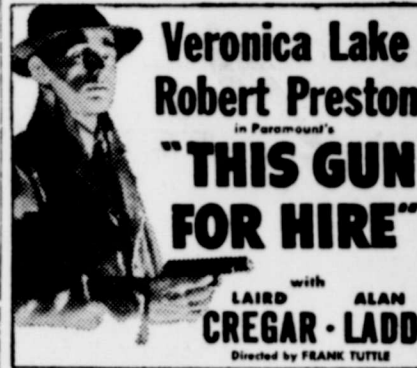


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AAA motor clubs report that recreational highway travel in June was down more than 55 percent for the nation as a whole.

Mexico expects United States aircraft factories to ship it 15 planes monthly and will use the craft for coastal patrol work.

★ *What You Buy With* **WAR BONDS** ★

The Navy is making a plea to civilians to turn in their binoculars for military use during the War. The Army and Navy both need binoculars for navigation and scouting purposes. Depending on the power of the lenses, they cost from \$50 to \$80 each.



If you have a set of 6 x 30 up to 7 x 50-power lense binoculars loan them to the Army or Navy. If not, your purchase of War Bonds and Stamps will help buy this equipment for our fighting forces. At least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every payday will do the job . . . and provide the "eyes" through which a scouting pilot may spot an enemy battleship.

U. S. Treasury Department

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SMUEL GOLDWIN **EDDIE CANTOR**  
**Strike Me Pink**

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**WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE:**  
A gang of slot machine racketeers are defied by Eddie Pink, ex-tailor, who manages Dreamland Amusement Park, assisted by his pretty secretary, Claribel. They make several attempts to bump him off but all of these fail. Finally, with the aid of Joyce Lennox, night club entertainer, in whom Eddie is enamoured, they plot to frame him in a faked murder.

**RESURRECTION**

**Chapter V**

Deserted by all his friends, Eddie set out for the Club Lido to warn Joyce of her danger. Joyce was not at the theatre. Accordingly, Eddie rushed around to her apartment. In the hallway he bumped into a man who was just leaving her rooms. It was Chorley, the "corpse."  
"Aren't you Chorley?" Eddie asked, startled.  
"I was," said Chorley, in an eerie voice.  
"You mean you're really dead?"  
"Dead," said Chorley, in an unearthly voice.  
"How do you feel?" asked Eddie, solicitously.

"That's all Pink needed," Vance was saying in high rage. "He probably knows now exactly how we bumped off Harrigan. And the other managers, too. Pink must be rubbed out!"

The needle ground away, registering every word.

"I still think he's human," Vance continued. "He can be destroyed. I'm going to do it myself. Let me think a minute."

Eddie had all the evidence he needed, and it was time for a get-away before they discovered his hiding place. He removed the arm from the recording disc and swung it to one side. Quickly he took the record from the machine, and started with it for the open window. He failed to notice, however, that the arm had swung slowly back over the record left on the turntable. A blast of march music issued from the machine.

Vance and his men flung aside the portieres. Characteristically, Copple's first action was to shut off the machine. But Vance, keener of eye and brain, had seen the open window at once. He hurried out on the fire escape in time to see Eddie making his way hastily to the street. He drew his gun, but the steel work shut off all chances of a hit. He returned therefore to the room, where he found Chorley and Copple in a state of wild excitement.



The light of his life, the object of his dreams.

"Dead," said Chorley.  
But suddenly the "dead man's" frame was shaken with an inner convulsion.  
"You're lying!" Eddie exclaimed. "I know you're lying! Dead men don't hiccup!"  
Chorley, his ruse disclosed, made a pass at Eddie, who ran through the open door into Joyce's apartment, the "corpse" at his heels. Eddie managed to elude him long enough, however, to hide behind the portieres in one of the rooms, just as Joyce, herself, emerged from a bedroom. Hidden from their view, he overheard a startling conversation between Joyce and Chorley.

**Home Recording**  
"Did you see Eddie Pink!" Chorley cried out as he rushed into the room. "We've got to keep him here."  
"Who says so?" Joyce demanded.  
"And for what?"  
"He knows I'm alive. He's going to watch on your slot machine deal."  
"My deal? What are you talking about?"  
Chorley's voice carried a sneer. "You wouldn't try to kid your own husband, would you?"

It was obvious, however, that despite her part in the frame-up, Joyce was completely in the dark as to its purpose. More horrifying to Eddie than her complicity, was his newly discovered knowledge that she, the light of his life, the object of all his dreams, was married! He had little time for melancholy reflection, however, for now new voices were heard. Vance and his henchmen had entered the room, and were learning from Chorley what had happened.

"Where is he?" Vance demanded harshly.  
"He got away."

Vance swore. Then — obviously to Joyce — he said. "Suppose you go into the bedroom and attend to your knitting awhile. I've got business to talk over with the boys."  
Meanwhile, Eddie's rolling eyes, seeking a means of escape, centered on an open window that led to a balcony fire-escape. They also took in a large recording machine — Joyce's property. Nearby was a pile of blank records, marked plainly: "Home Recording."

Hastily, Eddie put one of the blank records on the machine, without, however, troubling to remove a phonograph record already on the turntable. He threw on the switch, recording thereby every word the gangsters now uttered.

"Look!" Chorley yelled, "The microphone."

"The thing was turned on," Copple added excitedly, "to 'Home Recording'."

"Yes," said Vance grimly. "And Mr. Pink has a record of everything we said . . . A full confession!"

Back safely to his office, Eddie made frantic efforts to get the Park police on the telephone. But the phone was answered by Parkyakarkus, who had been playing pinochle with the force.

"Don't worry, kid," the faithful guardian said soothingly, "I fix everything."

But he had already hung up the phone before uttering these reassuring words, leaving Eddie in a considerable stew. Eddie was still jiggling the receiver frantically when Claribel entered, out of breath.

"Eddie," she cried, "You've got to get out of here — they're coming! Vance and his gangsters! They're coming to get you!"

"No, they're not," said Eddie. "I've got them in the palm of my hand — a full confession in Vance's own words." And he showed her the record.

Claribel swayed weakly. "Eddie," she said, "you're a great little guy — but you're awful hard on the blood pressure. Will you get out of here — please?" And as Eddie hesitated, she added timidly — "For me."

**Master of Men**

"For you?" Eddie inquired, a new emotion suddenly surging in his breast.

"All right," said Claribel, excitedly, "for Ma Carson."

"You mean," said Eddie, with rising hope, "that I'm really forgiven? You and Ma really care what happens to me?"

"Ma is having a prostration right now," said Claribel.

Eddie rose to full length. "Go take care of her! I've work to do — too dangerous for a girl like you!"

His new masterful manner overwhelmed Claribel completely, and before she realized it, she had been led to the rear door.

"But —" she protested.

"Quiet!" said Eddie firmly. "Edward Pink is not to be foiled in his moment of victory. Go!"

"Take care of yourself," peaded Claribel, succumbing.

But before she left she planted a quick kiss on Eddie's lips.

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**MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR LIGHTING**

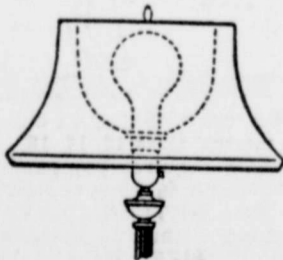
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**Avoid Sharp Contrasts of Light and Shadow**

Ever notice how it tires your eyes to read under a single bright light when the rest of the room is in semi-darkness? The reason is that brightness causes the pupils of your eyes to contract while darkness causes them to expand. Every time you let your eyes stray from your brightly-lighted book to the surrounding shadow area, your eyes try to adjust themselves to the change. Eventually this causes eyestrain and its accompaniment of fatigue and nervous muscular tension. For maximum eye comfort, you should not only have plenty of well-diffused light on your reading or sewing, but ample soft light elsewhere throughout the room. Good light, evenly distributed, adds to your reading enjoyment and also protects precious eyesight.

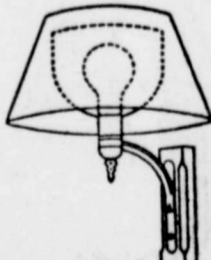
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There are farmers in Malta, as in America. They lead a dangerous life; work when they can and hide when they must. Even the goats have learned to scamper for the caves when the planes are overhead.

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Six Army Air Force men at Blackland Army Flying School, Waco, Texas, have received their Army careers. While the majority were won in 1917 and 1918, and most of the men have been out of the Army since 1918, they are back in now, fighting for another peace.

Among them was Pvt. Willie A. Price, Evant, Texas, who received the Life Saving Medal while serving as a private in the United States Army at Ft. Dellesip, Panama Canal Zone. Pvt. Price was on guard duty when he dove off a pier to rescue a person from drowning in 1930.

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Also, Your Tire Serial Numbers MUST correspond with the numbers turned into your Ration Board. In case of error, go to the Ration Board and get them corrected. When applying for new tires, you must have your motor number, license number and your Gas Ration Book Number. For Tire Inspection, you must have Gas Application papers and tires.

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### FOOD PRESERVATION PREDICTIONS

Sec. Wickard's recent announcement that canned, dried, and frozen fruits and vegetables and fruit juices are to be rationed will result in an increase in home production and home preservation of food, predicts Winifred Jones, specialist in food preservation for

the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Point rationing of several dozen different items ranging from canned soups to dried prunes will reduce the quantity of these foods available for civilian use by approximately one-third. Likely there will be no rationing of fresh fruits and vegetables, cereals, or bread, but orders covering

meat and dairy products have been predicted in Washington.

In his announcement, Secretary Wickard pointed out that possession of home-canned foods will not be considered hoarding. This and the fact that sugar has been available for home canning are expected to bring about large increases in home canning, drying, brining, and other conservation activities, Miss Jones said.

# REGAL & RITZ

Where The BEST Pictures Are Shown  
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**REGAL  
TODAY**

**"Boston Blackie  
Goes Hollywood"**

**REGAL  
Thursday**

**"Highways by Night"**

**REGAL: Saturday**

**"SIN TOWN"**

**RITZ  
TODAY**

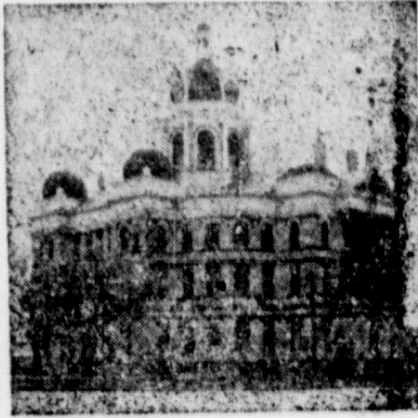
**"Gunga Den"**

Don't Miss It!

**RITZ  
Thursday**

**"Buck Jones"**

## COURTHOUSE NEWS



A. N. Smith and wife to W. F. Smith  
T. M. Logan and wife to United States of America.  
R. R. Anderson and others to Henry Wiegand.  
Rebel J. Brown and others to S. J. Jones  
J. M. Black and others to United States of America  
H. G. Logan and wife to H. C. Jones  
O. R. Sherer to Mary Ola Sherer  
J. E. Valentine and wife to J. L. Whitmire  
H. R. Weiss to Louis Dewald and others  
Burnell Basham and wife to M. J. Allen  
T. V. Freeman and others to D. F. Farquhar  
Vida Dixon and husband to United States of America  
H. G. Logan and wife to Ernest L. Jackson  
Mrs. Mattie Chaney Jones and others to R. E. Powell  
Mrs. Maggie Meall Glass to J. D. Brown Jr.  
E. D. Carter and wife to Myrtle L. Lipsey  
Emil G. Abel and wife to United States of America.  
**Marriage License**  
Charles S. Bellis and Miss Beatrice Houch  
Gus A. Schloeman and Miss Margaret Koch

## WITH THE COLORS



Pvt. Buddy Vaden is now stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. Buddy is a new enlistee in the army.

## VALID DATE, TRANSFER PURCHASE WARRANTS COFFEE, EXTENDED

This is principally, if not wholly for merchants, but a release with official notations, numbers, etc., all over it from the Ration Board via the OPA says.

"The last day for making transfers of roasted coffee on Purchase Warrants is changed from Dec. 26, 1942 to Jan. 25, 1943. In order to facilitate such transfers during the extended period, the amendment also changes the date when

quota restrictions on transfers of roasted coffee by roasters become effective from Jan. 1, 1943 to Feb. 1, 1943.

These changes will give roasters more time to satisfy the heavy demands made upon them by retailers and wholesalers for transfer of roasted coffee against purchase Warrants. Wholesalers will also have more time to make transfers to retailers.

Pvt. Vennis Mensch stationed at an army camp in Florida is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mensch of Flat.

## Classified

Five lines or less (minimum):  
One time 25c, each additional 20c.  
Over 5 lines: 5c a line 1st time,  
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## For Sale

FOR SALE: '42 Allis Chalmers tractor, W. C., row equipment, 14 disc drill, all practically new. Otis Dickie, King, Tex. 4-7-2tp

FOR SALE: 2 young mares, none better and 2 good milch cows and posts, priced to sell. J. M. Gribble near Straws Mill. 4-7-1p

FOR SALE: 5 room house and big lot. Ready-to-go with possession now! Worth the money. B. M. Wollard. 4-7-1tc

SWEET MILK. Get it at A. L. Mayes, corner Bridge St., and Live Oak. 4-7-2tc

FOR SALE: A good small car, good tires, See K. Ament at Bird Hair's Barber Shop. 4-7-tfc

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FOR SALE: Gas cooking stove in good condition. \$20. See Jim Miller at A & P or 903 Bridge St. 4-7-1tp

FOR SALE: One complete line of cafe fixtures. Practically new. W. B. Hawthorne, Box 397, McGregor. (GPS) 4-7-2tc

FOR SALE: Several hundred bales of good cane and millet hay. Joe V. Martin, 8 mi. E. on 84, at Coryell Creek. Rt. 1, Gatesville, Texas. 4-7-1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Hammer feed mill for live stock. Also good wagon. W. E. Roberts, Box. 96, Levita, Tex. 4-6-2tp.

CALENDARS: Desk calendars of all varieties and prices. Of course, at the News Office. Get them now. Discounts for quantities. 4-4-tfc.

FOR SALE: Wallpaper remnants at remnant prices. W. F. & J. F. Barnes Lumber Co., 4-96-tfc

WALL PAPER: Let us help you save up to 35% on your wallpaper and supplies. We carry at all times 100 beautiful 1942 patterns. Try Leaird's for paper for every room in the house. Leaird's Department Store 4-22-tfc

## Wanted

WANTED: Cotton Seed meal and cake burlap bags. 10c each. Coryell County Cotton Oil Company. 5-96-tfc

## Buy and Sell

—HOW MUCH of your time do you spend in bed? Have that old mattress renovated and made new, or buy a new one. Try Winfield. 72-tfc

—HIGHEST PRICES paid for corn, oats, wheat or maize. Coryell County Cotton Oil Co. Ph. 6. 54tfc

## Farm Sale

FOR SALE: High Davis Ranch, 1 3/4 372 A. 43 cultivation, fenced goat proof, 2 good houses, water, 5 1/2 mi. W. Oglesby. See Loyce Davis at ranch or V. A. Wright, Turnersville. 9-4-4tp

## Real Estate

FOR SALE: I have several farms and stock farms as low as \$15. per acre. Also a few houses in Gatesville, several lots and small tracts near town. Have some businesses and business houses for sale also. If you will see me I can help you locate. C. H. McGilvray. 11-2-tfc.

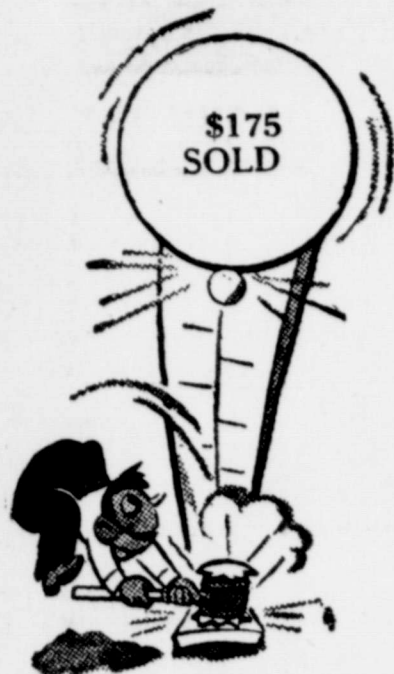
### FARMS FOR SALE

262 ACRES, 125 A. in cultivation, 35 acres in oats, balance all bedded and ready to plant in corn & cotton. Two sets of improvements. Plenty of water and well located. Possession with your contract, can sell all today for \$7,800.00. \$5000.00 Federal loan, and the balance to suit buyer. HAVE 451 acres, 215 cultivated, about 100 acres in oats, 20 A. in wheat, 15 in barley balance all plowed and bedded, ready to plant, and three sets of improvements, three wells and good windmills, well located & possession the day you buy, about \$740.00 loan and the balance to suit you.

WE HAVE some good farms that we can sell you today and all well located and possession with your contracts.

**CLARKE AND WOLLARD**  
Next door to City Drug Store. on Main St., Gatesville, Tex. 11-7-1tc

## NEWS BOND-METER



Let's make this News Bond-Meter go up, and that'll make Hitler's, Hirihi's and Mussolini's bloodpressure go up too!

## OBITUARY

### BROTHER OF MISS PEARL SCARLETT DIES IN WICHITA FALLS

Miss Pearl Scharlett of this city attended the funeral of her brother, W. H. Scarlett, who died suddenly at his home in Wichita Falls, Texas, Jan. 7.

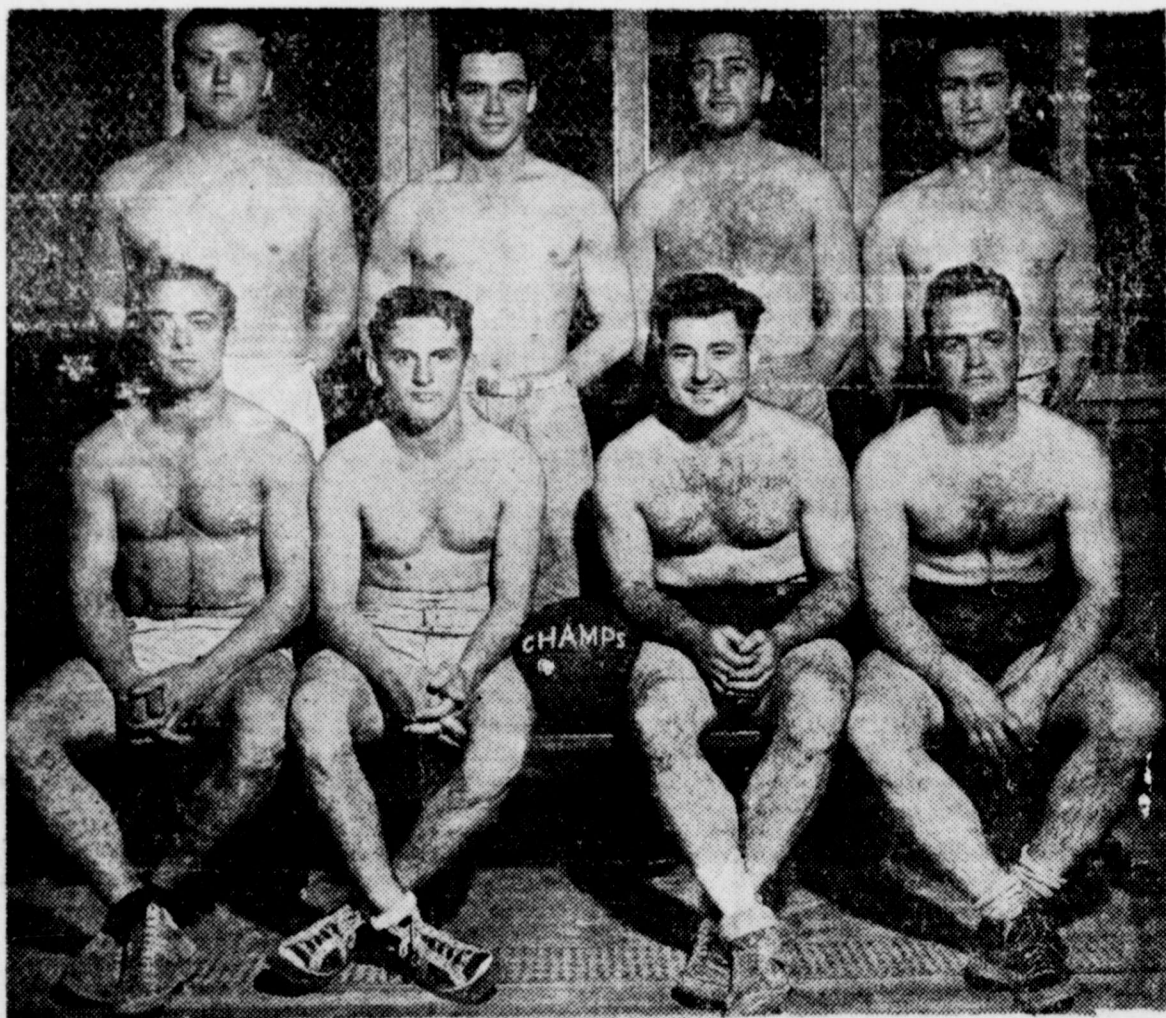
Mr. Scarlett had been in ill health for some time, but it was quite a shock to loved ones and friends.

Mr. Scarlett had lived in Wichita Falls for the last 30 years. He was a church worker and a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Miss Scarlett was accompanied by her niece, Miss Clarice Scarlett also of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chandler announce the birth of a son Edwin Dwain born Jan. 5 at 5:00 A. M. in Coryell County Memorial Hospital.

## HERE ARE THE CHAMPS OF THE FIRST BASKET BALL TOURNEY



Here are the members of the 771st T. D. B'n. Basket Ball team, Camp Hood, who took on all comers, and finally nosed out the 128th Bn. RTC, 1917 for the first basket ball championship of Camp Hood.

Top row, Left to Right: Thomas Canale, Frank Hillgardner, Meyer E. Adler, Thomas P. Kiley. Bottom row: left to right, William B. Areskog, Jr., Wilbur J. Jacoby, Lawrence Slaybod and Anthony J. Banakus.