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My friend, Mr. Cohen, makes this comment on the axis powers getting Japan to ion up. "Ven a beezness is making money, it don't take in no new partner."

Towns are like people in that they have individuality. It would be difficult to imagine a town with a more complex personality than Huntsville has. It is the home of one of the State teachers' colleges and there are state ly buildings and a campus green and smooth, overhung with grand, wide-spreading trees.

The town is rich with memories of Sam Houston. His home is there; his tomb is there. One of the banks has his picture printed on its checks. One of the main cafes is called "the Raven" the name that the Indians bestowed on Houstoun.

But when Huntsville is mentioned almost every Texan thinks not about the hero of San Jacinto or about Sam Hounston State Teachers College—but about the penitentiary. The grim ramparts are only a stone's throw from the business district. And on the eve of an execution, the nearness of the "the Walls" and the impending event seem to affect the conversation of the citizenry for they talk in lower voices than usual.

I hunted all over town unsuccessfully for some picture post cards of the penitentiary. There were several friends that I wanted to send them to with the customary vacation greeting "Wish you were here."

"Its in the bag" is the slogan of an attractive booklet just received with the joint compilation of President Jack Burrus of the Burrus Feed Mills and Willie Akins, Texas Feed Manufacturers Association president and general manager of the Burrus Feed Mills, whose products use Texas materials and employ Texas labor, the workers having an average experience of 15 years. Did you know (probably you did) that buttermilk and cod liver oil are in "chick starter", the first food for chicks? And there are separate foods for growing, for broilers, for layers and as "fatners"—and a different but similar kind of diet for turkeys. Besides the mills turn out (right here in Texas) rabbit feed, pigeon feed and dog food; likewise, feeds for dairy cattle, horses and mules, and even a protein supplement for swine. Why doesn't somebody tell me these things? And do you know what range cubes are? A postal card to the Burrus Feed Mills either in Dallas, Fort Worth or San Benito will bring anyone interested a free copy of the interesting booklet.

There never was a more wonderful place than Grandpa and Grandma's farm. The berries that you buy today in nice little wooden boxes don't taste half so good as those that grew wild up there in the hills and that were all the more delicious because the briars pricked your fingers. The wild plums were just the right combination of sweetness and tartness. And there were muscadines and persimmons (the latter fooling the unwary by being ripe and not being actually ripe till they looked rotten.)

Besides, there was a small orchard of pear, peach and apple trees. Those apples looked different and tasted different from any I've ever eaten anywhere else. They were a sort of dusky red with a firmness that reluctantly yielded its nectar like juice. Why some enterprising firm hasn't grown and marketed apples like those instead of these sawdust-tasting substitutes I have never been able to understand. Maybe they couldn't send along with the apples the ravenous appetite of a romping boy, however.

A Matador reader sends in two

jokes for the conests: A white woman had just engaged a colored girl who had recently lost her husband. Going into the maid's room, she discovered her placing a suit of black underwear on the bed, with the explanation, "Missus, when Ah mourns, Ah mourns all over."

Another colored maid, about to be married, asked her mistress to keep her savings, 60, for her, giving as her reason "Ah hates to keep all dat money in de house wid a strange niggah man"

Here and there, for long-range political forecasting, hand the palm to Frank Morrison of the Corpus Christi Press who predicts the election of Ralph Yarborough as Attorney General in 1942, Bill Quinn, editor of the Van Banner, has added the duties of editing the Grand Saline Sun—Popular with Fort Worth Star-Telegram reporters are the remarkable sandwiches to be found at Bailey's berbeuce stand, nearly a block south of the news paper office. A small boy's definition of "dust": "Mud with the juice squeezed out".

## Civil Service Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below. Applications must be on file with the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing date indicated in each. Two closing dates are given for these examinations. The first governs receipt of applications from persons in States east of Colorado; the second date, from those in Colorado and States westward. The salaries are subject to the usual 3 and one-half per cent retirement deduction.

Assistant fingerprint classifier \$1,620, Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department. Applicants must have had instruction and experience in the Henry system of fingerprint Classification. They must have reached their twentieth but must not have passed their fifty-third birthday. The closing dates for receipt of applications are Dec. 5 and Dec 9, 1940.

Physician (any specialized branch) \$3,800 a year; also principal, \$5,600; senior, \$4,600; associate, \$3,200; assistant, \$2,600 a year. Applicants must have completed a 4-year college course including a specified amount of study in physics. In addition they must have had experience in physics. The degree of difficulty of work performed, length and specification of experience vary according to the grade of the position. Applicants must not have passed their fifty-third birthday. The closing dates for receipt of applications are December 12 and Dec 16 1940

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city which has a post office of the first- or second-class, of from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

## National Conference Of Christians And Jews

Guideposts to lead Americans safely toward the future will be sought in discussions developed at the first Southern Institute of Human Relations to be held Dec. 5 and 6 at Southern Methodist University.

The institute, to be directed by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, will have as its theme, "Human Relations in a Democracy." Educators and religious leaders will be the institute speakers.

Citizens in more than fifty Texas towns will act as sponsors for the institute, Hastings Harrison, Southwestern director of the National Conference and Jews, said "These sponsors include Dr. Umphrey Lee, president, S. M. U. Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of Texas University who will preside at the opening session, Attorney General Gerald C Mann, United States Senator Morris Sheppard, Dr. L. H. Hubbard

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THE RAW MATERIALS IN A MODERN HEAVY BOMBER, HAVE TO BE BROUGHT TOGETHER FROM 41 STATES

president, Texas State College for Women, and C. H. Culpepper, president, the Dallas Central Labor Council.

## 1940-41 Mattress Making Program Inaugerated

All sessions of the institute will be open to the public without charge. On Thursday night, Dec. 5, a mass meetings will be held at McFarlin Memorial Auditorium with the help of the Dallas Central Labor Council. The S. M. U. Students round table will be the host committee for student delegations attending from other colleges.

A 1940-41 Cotton Mattress Demonstration Program was inaugurated by the Land Use Planning Committee, County Home Demonstration Council, Extension Service, and AAA, Saturday in a County-wide meeting. Attended by representatives from these communities; Atwell Admiral, Clyde, Cross Plains, Denton, Eula Enterprise, Midway, Oplin Union, Putnam and Zion Hill.

## Dr. Cox Says—

The Texas State Health Department will cooperate with the Army, Navy, and United States Public Health Service in active control of venereal disease in areas where armed forces and national defense employees are concentrated.

Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, announced cooperation in the program which is outlined in an agreement with the War and Navy Departments, the Federal Security Agency, and Territorial Health Officers Conference.

Doctor Cox pointed out that "infections among military personnel originate in the civilian communities. Recent experience indicates that the venereal disease rate in a given military command reflects the efficiency of the venereal disease control program in adjacent communities. "Effectively carried out," Dr. Cox said, "the eight-point cooperative program will contribute substantially to the physical fitness of men in the armed and industrial defense forces."

Doctor Cox quoted statistics showing that 350,000 officers and men, the equivalent of 23 divisions of 15,000 men each, were treated for venereal disease during the World War I. "More than six-and-a-half million mandays were lost to the Army because of syphilis and gonorrhea. Much of that lost time could have been avoided," Dr. Cox emphasized, "if facilities had been provided for proper venereal disease control."

Ground-work for the venereal disease control program in the areas surrounding Texas cantonments where military forces will be concentrated has already been established. Local city and county health departments are cooperating with the State Health Department and the U. S. Army officials in setting up a series of control measures.

"It was agreed by the Surgeon Generals of the Army, Navy, and U. S. Public Health Service Dr. Cox says "that the legal responsibility for the repression of prostitution rests upon the local police and sheriff's departments."

In general, the 1941 program will operate in the same manner as the 1940 program under which 191,990 mattresses are being made in Texas according to Mildred Horton, vice director and state home demonstrator agent for the Extension Service. The scope of the program is limited to groups financially unable to purchase mattresses from commercial concerns and will interfere in no way with the sale of mattresses through commercial channels, she explained.

**Families are eligible**

if they live in the county and had a total income of not more than \$500 for the previous calendar year. For each member of the family in excess of four, this figure may be raised \$50, if they live in a village, town or city and received at least one-half of their total income during the previous calendar year from agricultural occupations, providing, of course, the total income was not more than \$500.

Each eligible family may receive one mattress for each person in the family, not to exceed a total of three mattresses.

In interpreting the regulations of the program, R. T. Price, state administrative assistant of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and the AAA supervisor for the project, explains that "total income" means the cash income received from all sources earned and collectible, plus the local market value of unsold farm products raised for sale or received as payment for services or rent and held for sale, minut farm rent paid or to be paid in cash. As in the 1940 program, eligibility of rural families will be determined by county agricultural conservation committees.

Applications for mattresses under the 1941 program will be taken in Callahan County Saturday, November 23 at the following places:

Admiral, Eubanks' store, 2 p. m. to 5 p. m.  
Atwell, Foster's store 8 a. m. to 5. a. m.  
Clyde, Pyatt's Grocery Store. 8 a.m. to 5 p. m.  
Cottonwood, Mrs. Floyd Coffey's

home, 9 a m to 5 p. m.  
Denton, Padon's Store, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Eula, Eula Store, 2 p. m. to 5p.m  
Midway, Mrs. George Jones's home, 9 a. m. to 12 a. m.  
Oplin, Morse Store, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Union, Mrs. H. G. White's home 9. a m to 12 a m  
Zion Hill, 9 a m to 12 a m  
Mogan's Store, Scranton 2 p m to 5 p m, Zion Hill Club House  
Putnam, Newsoffice, 1 p m to 5 p m  
Baird, Co. Agent's Office and AAA office.

## Reduced Price On American Boy Magazine

With the announcement of an enlarged and enlivened magazine The American Boy, foremost publication for boys ten to twenty also announces a reduction in its subscription and single copy prices. Hereafter The American Boy will sell for 10c a single copy at newsstands or for \$1.00 a year and \$2.00 for three years on a subscription basis.

In announcing a charge in editorial policy, publishers of The American Boy assure subscribers that the established fiction heroes who have made the magazine so popular with young and old alike, will continue to tell of their adventure exclusively in this group are Renfrew of the Canadian Mounted, Connie Morgan and Old Man Mattie, prospectors; Square Jaw Davis, railroad engineer; Johnny Caruthers, flyer; Jim Tierney, detective; Tod Moran, seaman; Alan Kane and Ted Doliver, adventurers in science, and others identified exclusively with The American Boy

However with a larger magazine will come new fiction characters and an enlarged sports program in the non-fiction field. Greater recognition will be given to outstanding boys the country over and an exceptional achievement will be rewarded with the boy's picture on the front cover. This feature was inaugurated with the November issue which carried on the front cover the picture of America's outstanding driver of high school age.

Teachers, librarians, parents and leaders of boys groups recommend The American Boy enthusiastically. They have found that as a general rule, boys who read The American Boy regularly advance more rapidly than boys who do not read it. Through the leadership and sportmanship of its fiction characters boys are imbued with desire to become leaders, to develop the high ideals and courage the heroes themselves display.

To subscribe to the American Boy simply send the name address of the one who is to receive the magazine together with proper remittance (\$1 for one year or \$2 for 3 years) direct to The American Boy, 7430 Second Blvd. Detroit, Michigan.

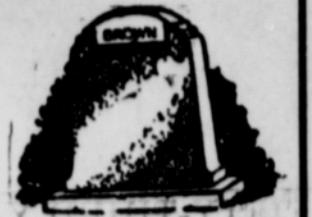
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All of the property owned by Dr. R. L. Griggs has been posted and anyone caught on this land without a permit will be considered trespassing and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

R. L. GRIGGS.

# MONUMENTS

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● And we can be thankful for the modern comforts of every-day home life provided by Electric Service, which has been made both plentiful and cheap. This is our contribution to Thanksgiving, this plus jobs for a thousand men and women and almost one-half million dollars annually in taxes.

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## Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morgan of Denton, were in Baird, Wednesday.

Mrs. M. W. Uzzell, Mrs. Leslie Bryant and baby, Joan, spent Tuesday in Abilene as the guests of Mrs. Frank Mayes.

Buy your Christmas Gifts at the Presbyterian Ladies Bazaar and Cooked Food sale, Dec. 14, 50

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Blackburn and Mrs. Frances Meyers visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham at Oplin Sunday afternoon.

See Mayfield's ad in this issue of the Star. They are offering special reduced prices on ladies ready-to-wear.

See add of The Bonnet Box, in this issue. Mrs. Hamlett is offering special prices on all ladies and children hats.

T. E. Powell attended the annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference at Pampa.

Frankie Crow one of the Baird football boys is a patient in the County hospital suffering from infection from a boil on his face.

Alex Robinson, returned Monday from Tyler, where he visited his daughter, Mrs. Henry James Starnes and Mr. Stranes.

Al Irvin of Oplin was in Baird Monday. He called at The Star office to pay his subscription. Mr. Irvin has been a reader of The Star since it was established.

Tom Wylie is a surgical patient in the County hospital suffering from an attack of appendicitis. He was operated Wednesday at noon.

Mrs. J. W. Westerman, of Cross Plains was in Baird on business Thursday. Mrs. Westerman made The Star a pleasant visit and renewed her subscription to The Star for the 53rd year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Spencer and Frank Spencer, of Cross Plains were in Baird Monday. They called at The Star office to renew their subscription for the 54th year.

FOR SALE—Two modern bungalow residence in west Baird, property of Ella Moore Seale and Marguerite Seale. Call Seale Ranch Belle Plain.

A number of Callahan County hunters are trooping away to the hills in quest of deer. Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith, were to leave today for Mason County for a two days hunt.

Miss Floy McCaw, of Midway is correspondent for The Star from that community and we will appreciate the cooperation of the citizens of that community in giving Miss McCaw any new items. Miss McCaw is also authorized to collect and solicit subscriptions for The Star in her community.

Thurman and Truman Black, twins sons of J. R. Black, who recently enlisted in the United States Army Air Service and were stationed at Randolph Field, have been transferred to the air service mechanical training school at Lincoln, Neb. The boys were in Baird Thursday of last week leaving Friday for Nebraska.

Miss Esther Maurine Evans of Sherman, who now has a position with the time keepers department at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, spent Sunday with her grand mother, Mrs. Henry Lambert and family. Her father and brother R. Q. Evans and Leonard Evans are also working at the army camp as electricians.

Uncle George Black of Abilene is seen on the streets of Baird most every day now coming down with his son, J. R. Black, district attorney, who is in district court now in session here. Uncle George says he never lets an opportunity pass to come back to Baird. He has been a resident of Callahan county since the late 70's.

Mesdames A. R. Day, Fort Worth; Burtis Langston, Cisco; Ed Barker, Ranger; and Mrs. J. S. Bates, of Marshall, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Coffman were here yesterday for a family reunion at the old home

now occupied by Dr. and Mrs. Neithercut, where the Coffman family reserved a room. The ladies also visited with Mrs. M. W. Uzzell and other friends in Baird.

Mrs. T. W. Briscoe, tax-assessor-collector, elect of Callahan County left yesterday morning for Keerville to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilhelm. Mrs. Briscoe will attend the tax assessor-collectors school of instruction at Austin today and tomorrow.

J. H. Weeks, former resident of Admiral now living at Lipan is seriously ill in a Mineral Wells hospital. He is suffering from pneumonia. His sister, Mrs. Clark Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith of Baird, with other relatives, have been at his bedside. Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Jr. is visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. H. McGowen in San Antonio this week.

### GIFTS

I have a nice line of hand-made rugs, quilts, embroidered peaces.

These make nice gifts. I will be glad to show you my line at my home in east Baird.

Jeffie Lambert 5-tp

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all for the many kindness shown us in the death of our husband and father, J. N. Tyson, your many kind, deeds and words of sympathy in hours of sorrow, will be treasured always.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. J. N. Tyson  
and Family

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### Midway News

FLOY McCAW

Miss Edna Cook returned home after a 10-day stay in the Baylor Hospital at Dallas.

Mrs. Joel Griffin, Bill Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. South spent Sunday with Hon. Charles L. South and wife of Coleman.

Marvin Cook of Fort Summer, New Mexico and Clyde Johnson of Eula visited Mrs. R. W. Cook and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Snow of Fresno, Calif. visited Mr. Snow's brother R. B. Snow.

Misses Viola Young, Alene and Jimmy Chatham, Laura L. Hugh and Marguerite McClendon of Baird visited Edna Cook Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar May of Sweetwater visited relatives Sunday.

R. P. Snow of Lubbock spent Sunday and Monday with his son R. B. Snow, Jr.

### 4-H Club Mets

The 4-H club met Tuesday Nov. 12 with Doris Snow. Two new sponsors were elected. They are, Mrs. S. E. Webb and Mrs. Joel Griffin. Six members were present: Doris, Norma and Betty Snow, Betty Jones, Floy McCaw, and Kathryn Schaffrina.

4-H Club Sponsors Game Nite  
A game-night was sponsored by the 4-H club and their sponsors, Mrs. S. E. Webb and Mrs. Joel Griffin, Tuesday night to raise money for the Red Cross. Center of interest was the boxing matches. Games of forty-two were played and cakes and pies sold.

### TO THE PUBLIC

I have purchased an interest in the Uneek Coffee Shop and have charge of same as manager. The name of the shop will be changed to Baird Coffee Shop.

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