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NOTABLE NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES



NAZI PLANE GOES DOWN—A Dornier flying boat of the German air force sinks to Davy Jones' locker after coming off second best in battle with the Royal Air Force over the North Sea. British reconnaissance plane downed the German craft as it ventured too near English coast on routine flight.



WANTS HITLER—Samuel H. Church, of Pittsburgh, offers \$1,000,000 for delivery of Hitler for "trial."



WAS there something prophetic in this picture of Italy's dictator, Il Duce, taken as he looked sharply ahead during recent maneuvers of his anti-air corps?



ARRIVES AT CAPITAL—Welcomed by General Malin Craig, U. S. Army, retired, Gen. John J. Pershing arrived in Washington, D. C., from his home in Tucson, Ariz., for a visit. Through an aide, Pershing later stated that the country is in the same stage of unpreparedness as in 1917.



SHIRLEY RETIRES AT OLD AGE OF 11—It's a happy Shirley Temple, shown here with her father, George Temple of Hollywood. Shirley has "retired" from pictures, has nothing to do but go to school until she's at least 16. Then she hopes to become a "full-fledged" actor. The child star has a fortune estimated at \$3,000,000.



ELSIE, the prize cow of the Borden exhibit at the New York World's Fair, was presented with this neat little home, when she set up "light housekeeping" at the fairgrounds in Flushing, L. I. It's a beautiful setting for a beautiful bossia.



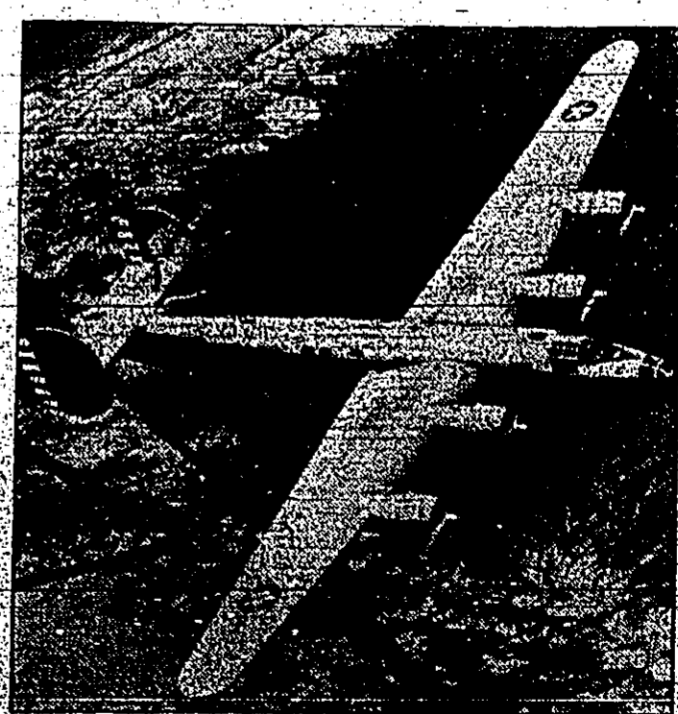
THE HAND GRENADE from which this British Tommy is about to pull the pin with his teeth is the type being used daily on the Western Front as Allies and Germans clash in the major struggle of the war.



GO SEPARATE—Hannah Dempsey and her husband, Jack, will go separate ways. A statement issued indicated the couple settled their divorce amicably. Miss Dempsey is expected to resume her career within a short time.



MORE AND MORE European towns are such as this one, with intensification of aerial warfare. Towns and cities are suffering more and more from aerial bombardment by the forces of the Germans and the Allies. This particular wreckage was photographed at Nancy in Northeastern France.



WHILE EUROPE FIGHTS, U. S. PREPARES—Pictured above is the powerful four-engine, long-range bomber designated XB-24 by the U. S. Army, as it makes its first trial over San Diego, Calif. The plane, which weighs 40,000 pounds and has a wing spread of 110 feet, can fly 300 miles per hour, carries a bomb load of four tons.

Dinosaur Tracks in Texas Millions of Years Old

By ALLAN SHERMAN
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Washington, D. C.
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URTHER evidence of prehistoric monsters that roamed the earth millions of years ago is a group of dinosaur tracks perfectly indented in limestone that has been uncovered on the Davenport ranch, along the west bank of Val Verde creek, a few miles southwest of Bandera, Bandera county, Texas, by a WPA paleontological project sponsored by the University of Texas.

Considerable scientific interest has been aroused by the find because of the five-toed tracks of the huge sauropod or herbivorous dinosaur and the three-toed tracks of the smaller but ferocious carnivorous dinosaur found in the same location.

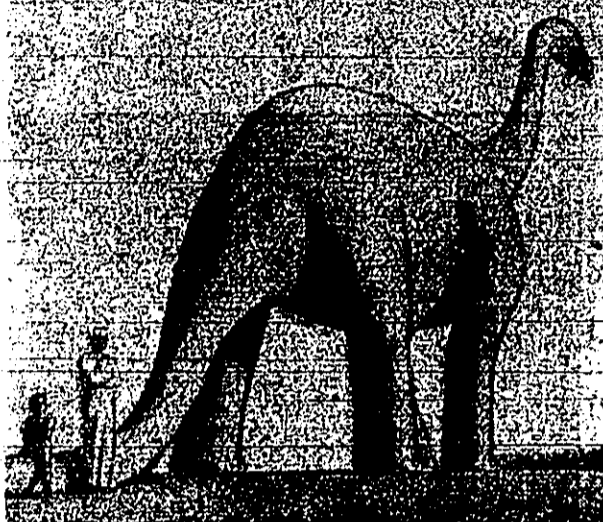
The tracks were found deeply imbedded in a crataceous limestone layer underlying some twelve feet of soil along the creek bank. WPA workers, under the supervision of Roland T. Bird, of the American Museum of Natural History, and Dr. E. H. Sellards, of the Bureau of Economic Geology at the University of Texas, carefully cut back the top layers of the soil and gravel and laid bare the tracks which have been studied and preserved and specimens will be displayed at the American Museum of Natural History in New York City and at the University of Texas Memorial Museum at Austin.

Whole Herd of Dinosaurs

To the trained eye of the scientist the giant five-toed tracks, along the West Verde creek, tell a story of a whole herd of dinosaur dinosaurs which millions of years ago sloughed through the soft, warm mud of an inland sea covering much of Texas. The tracks give

evidence of possibly eight or nine of these huge 50-foot long quadrupeds which belong to the same group as the well known Brontosaurus. The imprints of one baby dinosaur belonging to this group were also found.

A perfect row of three-toed carnivorous dinosaur tracks, but some three inches deep in the limestone layer, were also found. These tracks preceded for



Reproduction of the giant prehistoric animal, Brontosaurus. In life its estimated weight, according to scientists, was 20 tons and its length 50 feet.

fifteen five-foot strides along the exposed portion. The tracks give every evidence of being those of the erect predatory dinosaurs which roamed in packs and preyed upon the slower herbivorous dinosaurs.

Measurements made at the West Verde creek site indicate that the largest footprint of the 5-toed dinosaur was 32 inches from heel to toe and that the mammoth amphibian walked with a nine-foot stride. From these measurements Mr. Bird estimated that the largest of this group was approximate-

ly 50 feet long and weighed more than 10 tons.

A Scientific Theory

What really happened on what is now the Davenport ranch millions of years ago is scientific conjecture. One theory is that a large five-toed dinosaur vegetarian was overtaken by a number of the small three-toed dinosaurs which were carnivorous and a battle followed during which the five-toed one was killed and possibly eaten by his antagonists.

Another and later discovery of sauropod dinosaur tracks, announced by Messrs. Bird and Sellards, are the tracks in the bed of Paluxy river near Glen Rose, Somervell county, Texas. These tracks of the herbivorous sauropod dinosaur are even larger than the largest tracks found on Val Verde creek in Bandera county.

Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology, University of Texas, wrote as follows about the Paluxy river discovery near Glen Rose, Somervell county:

"The project that is being worked on the Paluxy river is one of the units of our State-wide Paleontological Survey. We have nine units of this survey operating in nine counties. The University of Texas is working the Paluxy project jointly with the American Museum of Natural History of New York City.

Largest of Any Dinosaur

"The essential facts about the dinosaur tracks we are now collecting are that these are the first tracks of the sauropod dinosaurs that have been found or collected or, strictly speaking, the Bandera County tracks were the first and the Somervell county tracks the second to be collected. Next, the Somervell tracks are the largest of any

dinosaur that has been found in any part of the world. The dinosaur making these tracks was one of the largest dinosaurs of the sauropod group. We do not know actually what genus is represented by the tracks. The largest dinosaur known from fossil bones is genus Brachiosaurus. But whether Brachiosaurus made this track or whether the track was made by some other dinosaur, probably equally as large, or possibly even larger, is not known at the present time. These large tracks measure about 54 inches in length by 40 inches in width. Only a very large animal could possibly have made such tracks. Along with these extra large tracks are slightly smaller tracks, length about 40 inches.

"For these 40-inch tracks, one might think of the well known dinosaur, Brontosaurus, the 'Thunder-Lizard,' but whether Brontosaurus would make a track quite as large as 40 inches I cannot say. The large dinosaurs of the sauropod group were vegetarians. Along with these herbivorous dinosaurs are tracks of the carnivorous dinosaurs. Some of the carnivore tracks are large enough to be those of the great carnivorous dinosaur, Tyrannosaurus, but I could not very definitely say that they

herbivorous dinosaurs, on the other hand, were quadrupedal and commonly show tracks of both front and hind feet. The foot of the big herbivorous dinosaur was much more pad-like than those of the carnivores. There are, however, traces of at least four toes in the track of the herbivores. The largest of the sauropods, such as Brachiosaurus, is estimated to have weighed approximately 50 tons and may have been 80 feet long including the long neck and long tail.

"While tracks of dinosaurs are very abundant in Somervell county and in some other Texas counties, we have not found any more than a few bones. For some reason, the skeletons of these animals were not preserved. In the Trans Pecos region of Texas, however, we know of the occurrence of dinosaur bones."

Dr. Sellards explained the destruction of all these gigantic reptiles in this manner:

"During the Cretaceous period of the earth the land was low and warm, perfectly suited for reptiles. Then the land became higher and colder. All the dinosaurs had died by the end of the Cretaceous period.

"The carnivorous reptiles feasted on



Measuring the tracks left by dinosaur in West Verde creek, Bandera county, Texas.

represent Tyrannosaurus since they might represent some other carnivore of about that size.

Estimated Weight 50 Tons

These large carnivorous dinosaurs show three toes, each toe having a claw, and usually show hind feet only since they are bipedal in habit. The large

the herbivorous. The herbivorous lived off the plant life—and the plant life changed because of the change in the climate.

"A set of the largest dinosaur tracks near Glen Rose will be removed and placed on exhibit in the Texas Memorial Museum at Austin, Texas," Dr. Sellards said.

NAZI PARACHUTE TROOPS IN EUROPE'S WAR

(The New York Times)

SHERMAN parachute troops, used in greater number during the recent Nazi invasion of Holland, Belgium and France, are specially trained, specially equipped and specially uniformed soldiers, organized in small units. The Russian army was apparently the first of the world's armies to experiment with such tactics. They have dropped as many as 1,000 men at a time in parachutes from transport airplanes and have transported whole regiments, together with light tanks and field artillery, by air.

The Germans took up and greatly improved upon the Russian technique. The German army first experimented with parachute troops three or four years ago, but most of their experiments have been closely guarded secrets. The training program, as the experimentation progressed, was ruthless and rigorous.

The Germans realized the disadvantages of dropping troops from 1,000 feet or more from transport planes. The men—swaying like pendulums beneath the shrouds of their parachutes as they drifted slowly to earth—made excellent targets on the ground and could be seen for miles. The men were taught to jump at lower and lower altitudes—many were killed in the training—and a quick-opening parachute was devised which permitted leaps at heights almost as low as 200 feet, heights which generally would be considered suicidal in other countries.

By leaping at such low altitudes the men are vulnerable to ground fire for only a short time and the transport planes can be so maneuvered that men can drop behind a screen of trees or the crest of a hill, thus quickly disappearing from the sight of enemy observers on the ground.

Preceded by the Bombers

The technique of assault by parachute troops is simple but deadly. If the country is thickly populated and firmly held by the enemy troops, as were Holland, Belgium, France, the transport planes are preceded by bombers that bomb strafe the point of landing thoroughly, killing or driving to cover the ground defenders. Then the parachute troops leap at low altitudes, while the combat planes above them cover their descent, keeping machine-guns on the ground occupied.

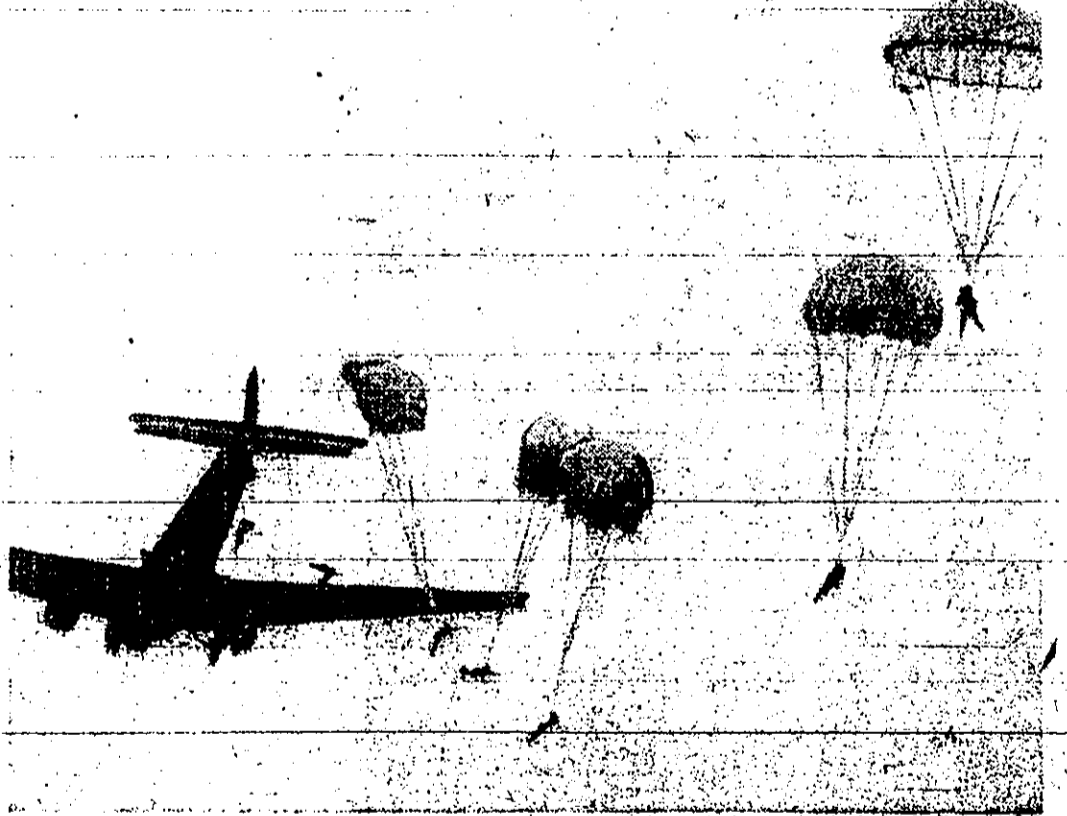
The parachute troops, usually wearing special uniforms—sometimes the uniforms of the enemy—and heavily armed with automatic weapons such as

light machine guns, semi-automatic pistols, grenades and even light trench mortars, are usually first dropped in small units—perhaps a platoon at a time.

They are trained to un hitch their parachute harness quickly upon landing, and to seek cover and beat down enemy resistance—which usually is taken by surprise or materially weakened by the prior attack from the air. The position—be it an air field, a road junction or a railroad—is then consolidated as quickly as possible; machine guns are mounted to command the terrain, and just as quickly as possible re-

at Rotterdam, and prepared the way for the landing of transport planes in such numbers as to enable an advance into Rotterdam itself. They established islands of resistance in the heart of the Netherlands, Belgium and France, thus forcing the high commands of these three countries to earmark many of their reserves for duty in the interior, instead of being able to utilize their full strength in the front lines.

They have brought the war to every doorstep, enabled the seizure and at least temporary disruption of communications, obviously have caused shock and surprise to the defenders and have made the threat of the so-called "vertical envelopment," or action against the enemy's rear areas and flanks, a real and perpetual one.



Parachute technique shown here. German troops, wearing enemy uniforms, dropped to seize key railroad and airport points in the Netherlands, Belgium and France. Immediately the Allies radio flashed warning to the entire country to watch for these parachute squads, which were followed by land and air attacks.

forcements are dropped from the skies, or if feasible, are landed in big transport planes.

When the men wear uniforms of the enemy or civilian clothes—as some of the German parachute troops have been doing, special recognition signals may be arranged, arm bands or other distinguishing devices worn, though usually this may not be necessary, since members of the same parachute unit are trained so long together they know each other's every gesture and attitude.

Objective Varied and Many. The objective of parachute troops may be varied and many. In the Netherlands they seized airports as

They are, therefore, a menace to any defense, no matter how well organized, and so they proved to be in Holland, Belgium and France, though at great cost to themselves—for these men are in real truth men of the "suicide squads."

The high command sees to it that each parachutist is provided with emergency rations, and he often carries a folding bicycle for rapid movement. In some cases, he even has a portable motorcycle. In addition, each man carries a box of anti-fatigue tablets with vitamin C pills and a bag of powdered milk or wine, which quenches thirst when dissolved in water.

Gathering the Buffalo Bones

By WILLIAM CURRY HOLDEN Ph. D.

(From his book "Alkali Trails")
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WHEN the last great herds of buffalo were exterminated in Texas, principally for their hides, bleached bones of the animals lay scattered over a vast area of North and West Texas. No one, at the time the animals were killed, had supposed that their bones would have any value, but later bone-gathering and bone-selling became a thriving business.

After the hides were taken from the buffalo bodies, a part of the flesh was devoured by wild carnivorous animals of the range, but most of it rotted. In the course of a few years nothing was left of the buffalo but their bones bleaching whiter and whiter in the sun. Carcasses were scattered over the entire buffalo range. On killing grounds where the hunters had got good "stands," many acres were literally covered with bones.

Fertilizer and carbon companies had been using bones in the manufacture of their commodities. As soon as the railroads reached the old buffalo range, buyers began to offer \$8 per ton for bleached bones. Before the bone era closed they were selling for twice that amount. The first shipment was made from Abilene, Texas, to New Orleans, La., early in 1881. As soon as the news of the shipment was broadcasted through the country bone haulers hurried to all parts of the old buffalo range. Soon thousands of tons of bones were being shipped from all the nearby railroad stations. Colorado, Sweetwater, Abilene, Baird and Albany, Texas, were the principal shipping points.

Thousands Go Bone-Gathering

Thousands of people went bone-gathering. A man never thought of traveling through the country with an empty wagon. Freighters carrying cargoes of supplies to ranches and inland towns, always returned to the railroad points with their wagons loaded with bones. One freighter hauling wire to the Guilaque Ranch in the Panhandle, realized \$1,500 in one season from bones alone by bringing back a load each trip. The "bone boom" proper lasted over a year, but the hauling went on in ever-decreasing degree for ten years.

The prairies presented a unique sight during the "bone boom." Great piles of white bones could be seen for miles scattered at irregular intervals in various directions. Many of the piles were as large as two-story houses. Probably

all the bones within a mile had been collected and put in one of these piles. A person with some degree of sentimentality might observe that these white mounds were temporary monuments in memory of the slaughtered buffalo.

The bone-gathers soon developed a code of procedure. They recognized the same system of individual rights which the buffalo hunters observed. Each man had a sort of "right of discovery" to a particular locality. He would stack the bones on his "pre-empted" area, and then put up some kind of sign on which he wrote his name. This action denoted ownership. The unwritten law demanded that all persons respect owner's rights, or take the consequences.

Trainloads of Bones

The scenes about small towns during the bone-hauling days were something like those today in a cotton-growing region during the cotton-gathering season. The roads coming into town were filled with wagons loaded with bones. On the streets the bone wagons could be seen standing, with buyers going from one wagon to another bidding on the contents. Those who had

their bones were unloading them on the railroad switch tracks. They piled the bones into long piles. These were often several hundred yards long and six to eight feet high. Every train going east carried a few carloads of bones. Occasionally an entire load of bones would be sent east.

As long as bones were easy to get the hauls short, almost every body was anxious to make the extra money afforded. When bones became scarce the hauler had to look in the most out-of-the-way places to find them, and fewer people engaged in the occupation. In all, more than a half-million tons of bones were shipped over the Texas Central and the Texas and Pacific railroads. Estimating an average of \$6 a ton, the total shipment was valued over \$3,000,000.

The events taking place in Texas, their counterpart in the buffalo range to the north. The northern herds were exterminated in a few years between 1870 and 1875, after the completion of the Union Pacific railroad. The average destruction on the northern buffalo range was about 2,500,000.

Why should it be thought a sin to credit with you that God should the dead? Acts 26:8

BRIEF TEXAS NEWS--from Over the State

TEXAS OIL RESERVES
Proven oil reserves in the United States now total nearly 20 billion barrels, of which Texas alone has 55 per cent.

CATCHES BIG BLACK BASS
Byrtle Evans, Aspermont druggist, claims to have landed the biggest black bass ever caught in West Texas. The fish weighed 8 pounds and 9 ounces.

150-YEAR-OLD HISTORY
Mrs. A. Brice, of Sulphur Springs, exhibited a history of the United States, written and revised in 1891 that contains the 1830 census, embracing only 28 States, with a population of 12,856,460. The book has been in the family of Mrs. Brice's father for 100 years.

ELDERLY PERSONS WARNED
Dallas city traffic officials, alarmed at the increasing number of elderly pedestrians involved in Dallas traffic accidents, plan to mail letters to approximately 20,000 elderly persons—urging them to observe safety precautions.

SHOES MADE IN TEXAS OF TEXAS HIDES
The first pair of factory-made shoes ever to be made in Texas from Texas cattle hides tanned in Texas were presented to Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel by the Texas Tanning and Manufacturing Company of Yoakum.

FARM FORESTRY PROJECT
Approval of the first intensive farm forestry project for Texas with headquarters in Nacogdoches was announced by E. O. Shecke, director of the Texas Forest Service. It consists of 150,000 acres and is located in central Nacogdoches county.

CARELESS DRIVING AND JAY-WALKING BLAMED
Careless driving and jay-walking pedestrians share the blame for more than half of the fatal traffic accidents reported in Texas for the first three months of the year, State police say. Passenger cars were in the lead with 144 fatal mishaps while trucks were involved in 34.

AMARILLO NEGRO'S CARD
Amarillo Globe: "L. H. Turner, negro who lives on Route 1, Amarillo, is an entertainer. His professional card says:
"Musical artist, barrel and skillet wizard, can and bucket genius, spirituals, classical and popular music, dramatic and comic readings. A specialty in church, club and school entertainment."

14-YEAR-OLD LEADS ENGINEERING STUDENTS
Fourteen-year-old Martin Eitlinger, of Austin, now a sophomore in the University of Texas, was outstanding student in chemical engineering this year. He has been awarded his third scholastic prize since entering the university. Other prizes were in elementary mathematics and in calculus.

GIVES AWAY MARRIAGE LICENSES
A godfather to all lovers is J. W. McLendon, Mexia business man, who has given over 500 marriage licenses to his friends in the last 40 years, says the Mexia News. Mr. McLendon always obtains and pays for the license himself. "So they won't change their minds," he said.

SAFETY APPEAL TO REDUCE DROWNING
Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of State police, has appealed to boaters, swimmers and fishermen to make safety in these types of sport their first thought. The bureau of vital statistics, he said, reported that 314 deaths by drowning occurred in Texas in 1938, a decrease of 33 under 1938. Children are especially warned not to wade in pools, lakes and streams unless accompanied by grown persons who themselves are good swimmers.

"LAW WEST OF THE PECOS" ATTRACTS TOURISTS
Judge Roy Bean's famous law office and saloon at Langtry, (Val Verde county), restored a few months ago by the State Highway Department, attracted 2,810 visitors in January, February and March, 1940.

CARNEGIE MEDAL
Oswald Paxton, 16-year-old Elkhart high school boy, of Palestine, (Anderson county), was awarded a bronze medal by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission for the rescue of three drowning persons from the Trinity river last July near Palestine.

DECLINED RIPLEY'S INVITATION
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, 325 West Shepherd street, Denison, declined the invitation of Robert (Believe-It-Or-Not) Ripley to come to New York to relate on a radio program their experiences in rearing 22 children without ever having any of their own.

RARE COIN COLLECTION
George Ewalt, prominent Galvestonian, has a collection of old coins valued at \$25,000. The rarest is a Spanish coin minted during the reign of King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella of Spain around the time Columbus discovered America, 1474-1504.

A BIT OF HAWAII
Police Chief James M. Welch said he found a tavern in North Dallas where bar maids wore grass skirts. The report was made after he had completed a tour of taverns in response to complaints that the costumes of bar maids were indecent.

DOUBLE-HEADERS BARRED
The Texas Railroad Commission has issued an order prohibiting the use of double-headers on trains throughout the State. Order is based on testimony that double-headers are dangerous to trainmen and passengers. Exceptions are allowed for trains moving up steep grades.

ORDER 3,500,000 AUTO LICENSE PLATES
The State Highway Commission has announced that an order for 3,500,000 1941 automobile license plates has been placed with the State Prison System.

HUGE TURTLE CAPTURED
Apparently wounded by an oil ship tanker, a mammoth turtle was captured at the mouth of the Sabine ship channel near Port Arthur. The turtle weighed more than half a ton and measured more than eight feet from nose to tail.

"CHICKEN-FRIED" CACTUS
San Antonio Light: "This is the season when ordinary cactus sprouts, green shoots, are offered on the Haymarket Plaza, San Antonio. The Mexican population buy it, cook it and eat it. The vendor will tell you that cactus shoots is dipped in egg and fried the American way, that is, 'chicken-fried.'"

ROMANCE SHATTERED
Romance was shattered for "Blackie," long 3-year-old ape at the Houston Zoo. Zookeeper Hans Nagel had ordered a female ape from the Dutch East Indies as a mate for Blackie. This cabled answer came:
"Only vital necessities being shipped from Dutch East Indies. Female ape not considered vital necessity. Sorry."

KNEW HOW TO HANDLE BEES
Dallas Times-Herald: "Travis Fuller, head of the Coppell, (Dallas county) school, was lecturing his students on how to handle live bees as a part of the county's rural school projects.
"Mr. Fuller gave the instructions and told the students it was easy to handle bees without getting stung—if you knew how.
"He had barely got the words out of his mouth when one of the bees stung him squarely between the eyes."

PASSENGER-CAR SALES UP
Sales of new passenger cars in Texas during the first three months of 1940 are far ahead of the first three months of last year. Low price cars accounted for the bulk of the increase.

TO MODERNIZE BATTLESHIP TEXAS
The battleship Texas, named for the Lone Star State, will be modernized by increasing its gun range from 11 to 16 miles, as on modern ships. The Senate voted \$2,000,000 for the job.

WALKED 13 MILES DAILY TO SCHOOL
Vastino Schnell, of Waldeck, (Fayette county), school boy, was awarded a perfect school attendance record by the county superintendent despite the fact that he walked 6½ miles to and from school each day.

MEXICAN HONEY BEARS INVADE TEXAS
Houston Chronicle: "For some reason which scientists cannot explain, coatimundis, better known as Mexican honey bears, are turning up in South Texas, near Corpus Christi, in considerable numbers. In appearance the Mexican honey bear is much like the American raccoon."

INDIANS BEST CUSTOMERS
Mack Matthews, of Guadalupe, (Cottman county), 70-year-old, arrowhead maker, does a thriving business. His best customers, he says, are Indians. "Southwestern Indians cannot make arrowheads. They buy them from me and then re-sell them to tourists," Matthews confided.

BURGLARIZED 60TH TIME
Houston Press: "Eugene A. Shine is claimant to the title of Houston's most frequent burglary victim. Monday night, May 15, his filling station at 700 Buffalo drive was broken into for the sixtieth time in five years. The thieves took \$70 worth of tires. 'There's just nothing you can do about it,' Shine moaned, 'so I'm just going to try and get used to the burglars.'"

CAUSE OF DIET INADEQUACY
According to the last agricultural census, nearly a fourth of all the farms in Texas had no milk cows, about 15 per cent had no poultry, more than 40 per cent had no gardens, and almost 85 per cent reported no orchards. This, says Miss Jennie Camp, specialist in home production planning for A. & M. College, accounts for the inadequacy of most farm families' diets.

BALLOON TRAVELED FAR
Brownwood Bulletin: "A gas-filled balloon, released by the Howard P. College, C.A.A. ground school, Alan Brownwood, traveled more than 200 miles in one night. Edwin Moore, I.P.C. physics instructor, said:
"The balloon, 2 feet in diameter, was sent up by the physics students to test wind currents."

PENNY WISE
After four months of saving pennies, Mary Francis Gripon, 630 Hale street, Beaumont, has a half gallon jar full of pennies, weighing around 20 pounds and valued at \$40. Mary Francis, of pre-school age, will enter school for the first time next year and says she will use the money to "buy me a lot of pretty school dresses."

\$2,000 RING RETURNED BY CLEANERS
Tom Hutton, 606 Main street, Houston, sent a suit of clothes to the cleaners. In a trousers pocket he had inadvertently left a diamond ring, valued at \$2,000. The cleaners found the ring and returned it to Mr. Hutton, who was lucky at that, for a \$2,000 diamond lying around loose is a temptation these times.

PAYS OFF WITH BULLETS
El Paso Times: "How much do I owe you?" said Bernabe Rodriguez to Juan Moncada, a Juarez bartender.
"Two pesos and 75 centavos," was the reply.
"Well, here's your money," Rodriguez said, pulling a gun from his coat and firing three shots at the bartender. Luckily Rodriguez was a bit under the weather; for the bullets missed Moncada by a few inches. Moncada took the gun away from Rodriguez, hit him over the head with it and sent him to the hospital. The little drama, as police called it, occurred in the 'Aterrazaje,' a Mexican saloon."

VALUABLE METAL FROM SEA WATER
The Dow Chemical Company, of Midland, Mich., has bought 1,000 acres near Freeport, (Brazoria county), on which will be erected a plant for extracting valuable minerals from sea water. Among the minerals extracted will be about 12,000,000 pounds of magnesium annually. Every cubic mile of sea water is said to contain 5,700,000 tons of magnesium. Construction of plant facilities are already under way.

BANS WAR TALK
Austin American: "J. H. Hall, general manager of Swift & Company's packing plant at Fort Worth, posted notices on all bulletin boards recently urging employees not to talk about the war in Europe.
"Please do not talk about the war during working hours," the notice said. "We should be thankful that we have the Atlantic ocean between us and Europe."
"The big plant employs persons of many nationalities. Those of German descent work beside persons of British, Polish, Norwegian, French and Dutch descent. During the first World War Hall said, company morale was affected by arguments among employees—many of which culminated in fist fights."

CHAMPION COYOTE TRAPPER
Bob Rossington, of Crystal City, (Zavalla county), is the champion coyote trapper of Texas. A government trapper, working under R. C. Landon, manager of the Federal Bureau of Biological Control, San Antonio, Landon captured and killed 500 coyotes in 12 months.
"The most coyotes I ever caught in one night was 23 and one bobcat," he recalls. "That was on February 23, 1939."
One of Bob's prize catches, made recently, was an old toothless, one-eyed, one-eared, three-legged coyote. "That was one of the oldest and slicest characters of the range I have ever had with," the veteran trapper boasted. "For years it had outsmarted the best trappers, out-witted and out-fought many a pack of hounds. I had to trap five times before I caught it."



INGENIOUS—Jimmy Dale, left, and Emmitt Kelly started out last spring to build a diving helmet, at their home in Dallas, Tex. Their efforts rewarded them with this odd-looking craft, which has proven to be a one-man submarine that actually works. It makes four miles per hour, submerged.

"REGULAR CUSTOMER"
Corpus Christi Courier-Times: "A regular customer at the Charles Rucker Service Station on Highway 9 is Gerald Rodgers, who lives at the west side of Corpus Christi.
"Gerald is the owner of a motor scooter which he rides to school. Practically every day he drops in at the service station he drops in at the service station for five cents' worth of gasoline. The nickel's worth of fuel will carry Gerald approximately 25 miles."

ONLY 200 HIGHWAY PATROLMEN
Texas has only 200 highway patrolmen to enforce speeding and other safety rules on more than 24,000 miles of paved highways. Pennsylvania has 1,461 patrolmen for 26,000 miles of paved highway.

TRAGIC DREAM COMES TRUE
Houston Chronicle: "Martin Michon, age 33, of Kerrville, sleeping at the home of friends in San Antonio, dreamed he had been shot and awoke to find the dream a tragic reality. Beside him was a pistol and Michon had a bullet wound near the heart. The pistol belonged to the household where Michon was a guest and had been kept under a pillow on the bed where Michon slept, police were informed. He was sent to the hospital in a critical condition."

CENSUS TAKERS FIND QUEER FACTS
In Newton county a census enumerator turned up a family of 16 persons—14 children. The name of the youngest was "14."
A West Texas woman was visiting her son when the enumerator came. When he gave his age as 41, she disputed it, saying:
"He's 42. I ought to know—I was there."
A Waco enumerator listed the occupation of one person as "cow thief." The enumerator explained, "his folks said he had been sent to the penitentiary twice for stealing cows, so they guessed that was his profession."

MAC On the Scent By Boughton

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No Law Against It
Hello, Doc, this is Bill Smith. My appendix is bothering me.
"Impossible! I removed your wife's appendix three years ago. I never heard of a second appendix."
"Ah, but you've heard of a second haven't you?"

Latest Game
While walking along the street one gentleman noticed a group of men apparently playing a game of some description. Much interested, he stopped and inquired in a kindly tone:
"Well, boys, what are you at today?"
A bright youngster looked up and said:
"Why, don't you know, sir? This is the latest game out!"
"Oh! What do you call it?"
"Automobile, sir."
"Automobile! Why, how do you play it?"
"Well, you see, sir, I'm the driver,"

"And this here fellow," pointing to his neighbor, "he's the horn; and this fellow is the engine, and those two boys over there are the passengers—"
And so on, he described the duties of the happy youngsters.
With a kindly salutation, the gentleman passed on. About ten paces away, sitting on the curb, he saw a little chap with a forlorn countenance, so he stopped and said:
"Well, my little man, why don't you join in the game with those other boys?"

"Please, sir, I am in it," he said.
"You are in it! Why, what are you?"
"I'm the monthly installment collector."
A penurious old person named Keith for fear he'd wear out his false teeth, laid 'em down on a chair.
Then forgot they were there, and sat down and was bitten beneath.

Narrowly Escaped
In setting forth an incident of local heroism a small newspaper reporter finished up neatly: "As he flung the blazing oil stove out of the window, Mr. Perkins stumbled over a chair and sat down amidst some ignited shavings on the floor, the flame from which caught his clothes. By quick action he escaped with his life, but his trousers were burned almost beyond recognition."
John's idea was a success. John Wilson's idea that dressing as a woman would help in hitch-hiking from Aberdeen, Scotland, to London, England, was a success. John, whose purpose was to hunt for a job, donned a fashionable woman's outfit, including silk stockings, high-heeled shoes and kid gloves, and carried a vanity bag containing powder puff and lipstick. He got to London for nothing, John's most amusing experience, he said, was with two smart jelly beans boys that picked him up and tried to neck him.

Accommodating Operator
Jones (calling Smith over the telephone): "Can't you come over tonight?"
Smith (answering Jones): "I can't, I'm washing my B. V. D's."
Just here the telephone operator cut in: "I'm ringing them."
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The Democratic party is split. The Republican party is split. Labor is split. Farm organizations are split. Europe and Asia are split. Our trousers are split. Everything is split except our wood.

She Knew Her John
A man had met with an accident and was carried into his home, and a doctor summoned. When the doctor arrived and started to take care of the patient, the agitated wife asked:
"What's that stuff you're giving my husband?"
"An anesthetic," replied the doctor. "After he has taken it, he won't know anything."
"Then don't give it to him," the wife exclaimed. "He don't need it."
Right Back at Him
At one time the late President Wilson was riding along a country road near Washington, D. C., accompanied only by the secret service man who was detailed to see that no harm came to him. They passed a small boy by the roadside. Presently the President turned to his companion and said:
"Did you see what that boy did?"
"No, sir; what did he do?"
"He made a face at me," said the President, shaking his head gravely.
The secret service man was shocked. The President waited a moment and then asked:
"Did you see what I did?"
"No, sir."
"Well," said the President with a twinkle in his eye, "I made a face right back at him."

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HARNESSING VESUVIUS
Mussolini's "Duce" government is now considering a German engineer's proposal to harness the volcano Vesuvius and make it generate power for industry. A preliminary estimate places the amount of energy wasted by the volcano every year at the equivalent of a million tons of coal.
Italy's engineers plan a system of six tunnels, each fifteen feet in diameter, to be driven into Vesuvius's flank near the crater. In these tunnels pipes made of heat-resistant material are to be laid and through them high-pressure gasses will rush to a huge carburetor, where they will be enriched and from which they will then be led to drive engines.
Vesuvius is 8,324 feet high and 2,296 feet in diameter at the crater. The only active volcano on the European Continent, it is near Naples, Italy. In 79 B. C., Vesuvius erupted violently, destroying three cities near its base—Herculaneum, Pompeii and Stabiae. Many thousands of inhabitants of these cities died from poisonous gases thrown off by Vesuvius when it erupted in 79.

OLD GRAY MARE
The melody of the "Old Gray Mare" is borrowed from the negro spiritual, "The Old Gray Mare Come Tearin' Out the Wilderness." The tune was used for one of the most popular Lincoln campaign songs in 1861. Its use was continued by soldiers in camp and on the march during the War Between the States, and after the war was sung by civilians and veterans at rallies and on convivial occasions.

DIABETES
Diabetes, the "sugar disease," has been reported to have increased in incidence in Texas last year, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State health officer.
"Diabetes is a chronic disease due mainly to luxury living, soft eating, soft habits. It attacks the indoor, sedentary type of person more often than a person whose work is vigorous or who combines work with sufficient exercise. There would be fewer victims of diabetes if those who indulge in unnatural living would realize the folly of their ways. Persons of middle age and those beyond that age should exercise particular attention to avoid the disease."
Simple living, annual physical examinations by a competent physician, could drastically cut down the prevalence of diabetes," Dr. Cox added.

DOGS FOR THE BLIND
Scattered about over the United States are 250 German shepherd dogs who have gone to school where they were trained to lead the blind men and women. This school for dogs, called the "Seeing Eye," is at Morristown, N. J., the first to be established in the United States. These dogs are first put through tests for courage, for intelligence and for trustworthiness and only the best of them are kept for training.

TENTING TONIGHT
Before the Civil War, Walter Kittredge, of New Hampshire, was known as a ballad singer. He was drafted into the army in 1863. On the eve of his departure for the front, he wrote the famous song, "Tenting tonight, tenting on the old camp grounds."

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Changing Litters
If you are replacing a portion of the poultry house litter which becomes damp, spread some of the old litter in the pen over the bare floor and then scatter fresh new litter over that. Roy E. Jones, Connecticut poultry extension specialist, claims that this will be much more valuable in keeping the floor warm and dry than new litter would, which was placed right on the bare floor. The rough, broken up old litter has far greater absorptive qualities than most new litter.

Green Feed
Greens in the hen's diet are just as important as vegetables in our own diet. They provide vitamins which help to fortify against disease and they also provide some factor which, when lacking, apparently results in cannibalism. It will pay to feed the birds lawn clippings or green hay this summer.

Call the Layers
In most flocks, some of the layers have begun to "lay down on the job" and have probably started to molt. These birds are good ones to cull out because they don't contribute anything to the flock income. In fact, they probably subtract from it. Cull out molting and birds that are out of production. In addition to culling, encourage summer production all you can by proper feeding.

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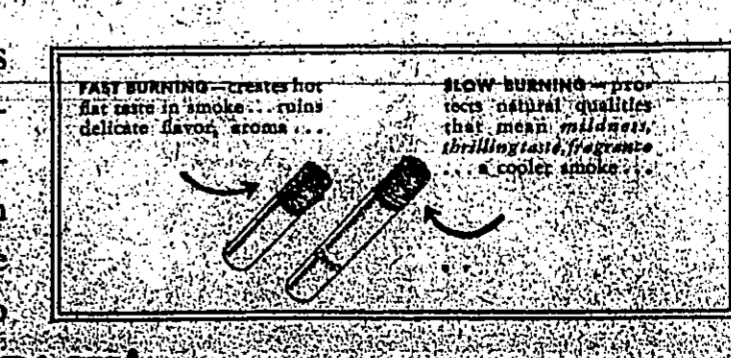
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TEXAS FARM NEWS REPORTS

Will Ulrich, poultry demonstrator in Burleson County, received a total of \$31.20 in one month recently from egg sales from his 225 White Leghorn hens. He fed these hens 400 pounds of mash and 800 pounds of corn and grain which cost him \$18.40. Sales of eggs brought him \$49.60, making a profit of \$31.20.

Eighteen 4-H Club boys have each planted one acre of "Nicholson's Yellow Dent" corn seed for the purpose of getting better seed corn started in Hopkins County. A local seed and feed company cooperated with the boys in taking this initial step towards improving the corn situation in the county.

Fred Peacock, Craft Community, (Hemlock County) farmer and whole farm demonstrator, now has several black walnut and hickory trees grafted to English walnuts and improved pecans. He used the inlay method to put in 137 grafts. Grande walnuts were put on the black walnuts and John Garner pecans on the hickory trees.

A movement has been initiated in Wise County to determine if castor beans can be grown as a money crop. The market usually offers a good price for the beans because of oil produced from them. Information concerning planting, cultivation, and harvesting may be obtained from the office of the county agricultural agent.

Wayne Covey, of the New Deal Junior 4-H Club in Lubbock County, is only 11 years old but he has a complete set-up for raising hogs, practically and economically. Wayne has alfalfa pasture which he irrigates, an A-Type farrowing house, a feeder and water trough which are all built according to A. M. College Extension Service blue prints. He has a registered Berkshire gilt, which now has a litter of 7 pigs.

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A complete suit made entirely from casim wool, a product of milk, was exhibited at North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, (Denton County), by one of the co-eds during the Second Annual Texas Farm Chemurgic Conference held at the college.

Lynwood Allen, Elderville, (Gregg County) 4-H Club boy, sold his grand champion capon for \$10 to W. P. Hurst, of Longview, at a recent auction of capons and livestock held in Longview. The capon weighed ten and three-quarter pounds.

"Contouring in advance" is the way A. H. Simon described a job of contouring a proposed pasture fence to form the boundary of a new field to be placed in cultivation. At the suggestion of County Agent W. H. Upchurch, he laid off the boundary fence on the contour so that his 16 acre sod field would have one side already on contour when the field is broken out. He expects to run this field on contour from now on.

A county wide prairie dog poisoning campaign has just been completed in Oldham County. A plan was used whereby the county agent trained a crew of four men who poisoned the dogs on all ranches at the same time to prevent them from moving from a ranch upon which they had not been killed to a ranch they had been killed. All the dog towns were pre-baited with clean milo grain, then filled with poison milo about three days later. Very good results were obtained over the estimated total infested area of 19,650 acres. Total cost of the campaign was \$939.30, averaging 4.8c per acre plus alfalfa pasture which he irrigates, an A-Type farrowing house, a feeder and water trough which are all built according to A. M. College Extension Service blue prints. He has a registered Berkshire gilt, which now has a litter of 7 pigs.

Sonny Graham, of the Farwell, (Parker County) 4-H Club, has solved the problem of demonstrations for town boys who are 4-H club members. Sonny joined the Farwell club and found it was necessary to buy a pig for his 4-H demonstration. His father told him this was impossible in town, and that chickens or any other livestock or poultry could not be kept around the house. Mr. Graham suggested that Sonny use pot plants instead and ordered him \$9.00 of assorted bulbs, such as: tulips, hyacinths, lilies and jonquils. From this \$9 investment Sonny's income was \$19.25, and during Easter he had several outstanding plants on exhibit.

Rural people in Texas used more than half a million dollars in 1939 to improve their kitchens, living rooms and bedrooms, according to official report.

Yam growers of Texas annually receive approximately \$4,000,000 for their crop, according to official report. The total yam income in the State has run as high as \$10,000,000 in one year.

Harry P. Hornby, United States collector of customs for the Laredo district, said Southwest Texas cattlemen from Del Rio to Brownsville are alarmed at appearance of Australian ticks among herds in northern Mexico.

Falls county farmers will plant more than 1,000 acres this season to black-eyed peas, to be sold on the local market at a guaranteed price as a dried crop. Harvest will be in June and July, according to reports.

Black or buffalo gnats are reported in unusually large swarms around Mathis, (San Patricio county). Several farmers have lost chickens and turkeys from gnat bites, which are said to cause the heads of fowls to swell.

Sparkling wine colored jelly, made from the petals of roses, is a new and tasty confection made by Mrs. Otto Buchel, of Cuero, (De Witt county). It is said to have a flavor all its own, and is made according to a formula of Mrs. Buchel's own concoction.

Rats got so bad on the plantation of O. H. Vaughn near Queen City, (Cass county), that he imported two ferrets several months ago and he reports they have done a magnificent job of clearing up the rodents.

Farmers who clean their feed and grain bins before the rush of harvest starts, take the first important step in averting insect damage to stored grain, Dr. W. J. Baerg, entomologist, points out. Infestation of stored grain usually starts with insects already present in old grain or mill-feed left in corners or cracks of bins, according to Baerg.

The Sul Ross College flock of sheep, sheared recently, averaged more than 16 pounds per head, according to A. J. Bierschwale, head of animal husbandry. Average weight of the fleeces last year was 15.8 pounds. Heaviest of the 32 fleeces shorn this year weighed 21 pounds, and was clipped from a 13-month-old Rambouillet ewe, bred from a D. T. Jones and Son ram.

Dusting cotton for control of green and brown "stink" bugs and other similar insects costs approximately \$1.17 per acre for each application, T. P. Cassidy of the U. S. Plant Quarantine Bureau pointed out, and further stated that a mixture of 92.5 per cent sulphur dust and 7.5 per cent paris green had proved the best weapon developed against these pests which reduce materially cotton yields in the Valley especially.

Peas in Texas are expected to be cut down 12 per cent from 420,000 to 370,000 acres this season, and rice will be increased from 289,000 to 277,000 acres, according to the Bureau of Crop and Livestock Estimates.

Recent tests have shown that dextrin made from sweet potato starch was satisfactory for use as glue on postage stamps, also on labels and envelopes. Agriculture experts say there is a large potential market for the sweet potato starch.

Grain sorghum acreage in Texas for 1940 will be around 4,081,000 in comparison with 3,850,000 last year and 2,788,000 for the ten-year average, reports the Bureau of Crop and Livestock Estimates, USDA.

J. E. McDonald, State commissioner of agriculture, cautions farmers to insist that a 1940 State tag be attached to every bundle of sweet potato slips bought to guard against purchase of diseased or infested plants.

Mrs. R. A. Heyer, while frying eggs for breakfast at her home near Yorktown, (De Witt county), opened one and was astonished to find a 38 calibre bullet in the Brown Leghorn egg. The egg was perfectly good, otherwise, stated Mrs. Heyer.

Texas will really become the Herford capital of the world during the 1940 State Fair of Texas. More than \$25,000 in premiums will be offered for prize winners in the National Herford Show which will be held again as a feature of the Livestock Department of the Fair, officials report.

Cow's milk has been put to many uses, but a new one was added when C. H. Carlisle, of Center, (Shelby county), used two quarts of milk effectively in extinguishing flames that threatened his new automobile. Upon discovering the interior of his car in flames, Carlisle grabbed two bottles of milk off a nearby porch and put out the fire.

Due to an approximate 17 per cent increase in the number of turkeys in Texas for 1939, the demand for turkey hatching eggs in 1940 will not be as strong as in 1939, according to G. P. McCarthy, extension poultry husbandman. Storage stocks of poultry on January 1, 1940, were larger than on the same date in 1939, but smaller than record high of January 1, 1937.

Farm boys of Texas have been invited by Governor O'Daniel to apply to the National Farm Youth Foundation at Dearborn, Michigan, for scholarships which will provide as high as \$150 a month and training in agriculture. Open to youths between 18 and 25 years, the scholarships offered through the co-operation of the Ford Motor Company and the Ferguson-Sherman Manufacturing Corporation, provide a home study course in farm management and engineering.

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Flax-acreage in Texas is expected to total 80,000 acres in 1940 compared with only 20,000 in 1939. This represents a gain of 200 per cent, according to figures released by the USDA Bureau of Crop and Livestock Estimates.

Forty-one pigs in the first three litters is the record of "Lady Rio," a registered Duroc Jersey sow, as reported by its owner, J. C. Lear, of Mercedes, (Hidalgo county). She started her farrowing career with a litter of 8 when 8 months old, increased her second litter to 15 and third litter to 18.

Experimental fertilizers from the TVA plant at Muscle Shoals, Ala., have been delivered to 24 Shelby county farms for use in experiments that are to be supervised by the county conservation committee. This phosphate will be applied on summer legumes and on pasture lands as the key material to procedures being sought for holding water and soil and building fertility.

Farm land of Texas is now being called upon to support 42 per cent more farm families than it did in 1900, reports the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at College Station. In the 40-year period, the acreage per farm has decreased 23 per cent. Indications are that the current census will reveal a slight decrease in the number of farm families in the State, but the long time trend is toward smaller farms and more families.

Effort is being made in Harris county to furnish every farmer with an aerial photograph of his farm, according to L. P. Davison, county A. C. A. committee chairman. This is the first year the Texas A. C. A. has started the service to farmers in any county. The pictures are obtained without cost, and make it possible for the farmer planning his operations for the coming year to better visualize just what needs to be done to his farm. He also gets a clearer understanding of the aims of the conservation program, and can gain an accurate idea of the appearance of his farm at the end of the year after improvements have been made.

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"If I had known what a difference creep feeding made, I would have been doing it all the time and I am going to creep feed from here on," says Dr. Lilly, Glen Rose, (Somerset County) cattleman. Mr. Lilly has placed creeps at all watering places in his pastures and is feeding ground oats, ground legum and cotton seed meal. His calf crop this year will average fifty pounds per head heavier than the 1939 calf crop, he states.

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PIECE OF CLAY

A piece of clay, a potter's wheel, and a roaring fire, in the ancient kiln, is the old quotation that can be compared to human life. There are many species of life in the kiln is the question as to whether the piece of clay shall be a good one or a bad one. We build our lives as they will someday be used for good in the kingdom of God we shall have much to say for ourselves. Our lives can be ruined after a little time. Here is the poem:

SANCTUM

I built a tiny garden
In a corner of my heart,
I kept it just for lovely things
And bade all else depart.
And over was there music
And flowers blossomed fair;
Yet never was it perfect
Until God entered there.
—By Beulah B. Malkin.

STORIES FROM NATURE

ANTS THAT GO HUNTING

In field and forest nature affords many strange insects and strange animals; their habits or life make interesting reading. There are many species of ants that go hunting. These species can often be seen dragging legs and mangled bodies of insects back to their nests. While leaf-cutting ants are entirely vegetable feeders, the foraging ants are hunters, living solely on insects or other prey and, curiously, like the hunting rackets of men, they have to change their hunting grounds. In South America they are called "Army Ants." One of these smaller ant species invade houses, swarm over floors and walls, searching every cranny, driving out cockroaches and spiders, pulling them to pieces and carrying the parts away.

In the forest many large armies of ants are followed by several different species of birds, also looking for food. On close examination you will find a dense body of ants three or four yards wide, so numerous as to blacken the ground, and moving rapidly in one direction. They seek food. On the flanks and in advance of the main body of ants are columns that push out. These smaller columns flush the prey for the main body. The greatest catches of food are among fallen brush. Insects in the brush, instead of running away, usually ascend the branches, where the ants pursue them. If insects try to escape by jumping from the branches, other ants on the ground catch and devour them.

A naturalist tells of watching a green leafhopper. The insect stood immovably amongst a horde of ants, many ants running over its legs without discovering that food was within easy reach. Even when the leafhopper was picked up and replaced among the ants it did not make a single effort to escape. It might have escaped by using its wings, but it would have fallen into as great danger, for the numerous birds that accompany the ants are ever on the outlook for insects that fly upward.

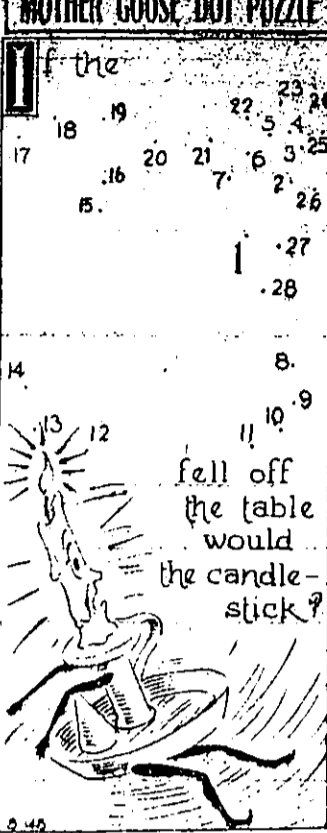
Insects caught by ants are dismembered and their bulky bodies torn to pieces and carried to the rear. Behind the ant army there are always small columns that do the mopping up, that carry off the insect pieces. I have followed up these columns often; generally they led to dense masses of impenetrable brush, but twice they led to cracks in the ground, down which the ants dragged their prey. These habitations are but temporary, for in a few days no ant would be seen in the vicinity.

The Eciton, another much larger species of ant, hunts in columns composed of various sizes of ants. No doubt this is due to the fact that they prey mostly on the Hypoclinea ant that nest in fallen logs. When the Ecitons reach such a log they swarm over it and go through cracks; it is here the smaller size ants are of use. They can enter the small cracks. When the nest is attacked the Hypoclinea march out carrying their larva or pupa, which the attacking ants capture so quickly it is difficult to see how it is done. The attackers seldom injure the Hypoclinea, but seemed content to capture their young.

A certain species of small bird builds its nest in the branches of the bull's-horn thorn, which is always thickly covered with small stinging honey-eating ants that do not allow the Ecitons to ascend those trees. The Ecitons have no fixed habitations but they come one place to another, as they examine hunting grounds. This species may be identified by the columns of workers moving in one direction, many of them carrying the larva and pupa carefully in their jaws. The columns have officers that direct movements of the ants. Such columns are sometimes of enormous length, 200 or 300 yards, and contain many thousands, if not millions, of individual ants.

An experiment was made by a naturalist to test the intelligence of Eciton ants in the following manner: One day, when a small column was discovered, he placed one of the ants under a tiny stone. The next ant to approach discovered the plight of its fellow ant under the stone and ran back to get it. The other ants rushed to the rescue of the imprisoned ant and lifted and pulled it free.

MOTHER GOOSE DOT PUZZLE



Another ant was placed by a naturalist under a ball of clay. When discovered by his fellow ants they bit off bits of clay until the victim was released. The excitement and ardor with which ants carry on their work of rescue of comrades could not be greater were they human beings.

Another incident of ant intelligence was one time when a column was crossing a watercourse on a small branch, not thicker than a grass quill. They widened the "bridge" to three times its normal width by a number of ants clinging to it on each side. Over this the column passed at three or four deep. Except for this expedient, the ants would have had to pass over in single file, thereby consuming more time.

Perhaps mankind could learn many useful lessons from insects and animals.

FRIENDLY HOBBY CLUB

A number of new members have been added this month to our club, for which we are truly grateful. I hope we shall eventually be the biggest organization of its kind in the South. I hope all of you will enjoy knowing each other better. Many lists are going out each month. Many fine things can grow out of a club that stands for high ideals. However, when a club becomes selfish and is conducted for the social advancement of a few it is retrograding. Some clubs have a habit of first inviting guests to club parties, teas, etc., for the members to "look over." All too often the candidate is rejected for petty reasons, such as wrong style of hair, dress or some other unimportant detail. Character and good qualities are ignored. This is a vicious practice and should be stamped out. God made us to be charitable and kind.

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Pledge: I promise to be fair and square and to do my best in all I undertake.

Name..... Age.....
Address.....
City..... State.....
I want to join Department: A () B ()
C () D () E () and J () 2 () 3 ()
4 () 5 () 6 () 7 () 8 ()
Please check no more than 3 of the above.

SOMETHING TO DO BADGES

A badge worn by a group seems to indicate loyalty and fellowship. It can represent an emblem or an event of a good cause. Herewith are some suggestions for making badges:

1. Cut a circle two inches in diameter out of red paper. Cut a second circle of white an inch and a half in diameter and a third circle of blue an inch in diameter. Paste one on top of the other in the order given; thus the three colors are shown. In the center paste a small "flag" sticker, the kind which comes fifty in a box. Through a hole punched in the outer red circle tie a piece of worsted in a loop so it can be hung on a button of the coat.
2. Cut a piece of cardboard the shape of three-leaf clover. Cut out three circles of the three colors and paste on the three petals. In the center paste a picture of Lincoln, Washington, flag or any small picture you wish. Make a hole at the top; tie with a ribbon or worsted.
3. Cut two strips of red and white paper, three inches long and one-half inch wide; notch both ends. Paste two white pieces on top of each other and at right angles. Paste the red pieces across each other between the white pieces. In the center paste a blue circle an inch in diameter. In the center of the circle paste a gold star or a number.
4. Instead of cutting of three sets of circles, cut three sizes of stars, placing a white star on the red and a small blue star on the white.



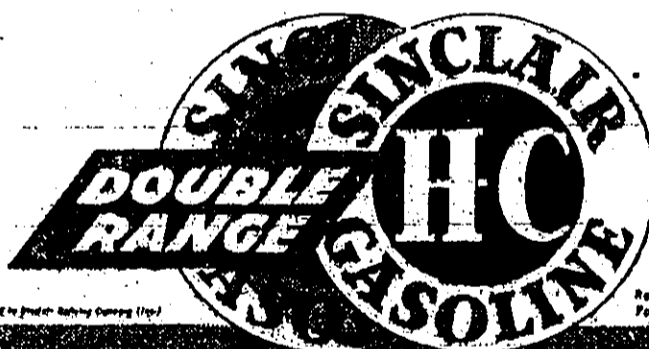
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New SINCLAIR H-C



For performance, no gasoline at regular price is superior to the new Sinclair H-C.

This badge can be pinned or tied onto the coat. Any of the above badges may be chosen by the clubs formed under a charter for the Friendly Hobby Club. However, I believe No. 2 is the most attractive badge. Would you like to have one of the foregoing badges for a regular club badge? If so, write me at once and say which badge you like best. The badge receiving the most votes will be the official one.

It is reported that in Yellowstone National Park there are 630 bears, of which 180 are grizzlies and 450 are black bears.

TELEVISION NEARS GOAL. Television seems about to turn a corner. The engineers are licking some of its most stubborn problems, there is new interest in it from a military viewpoint, and the Federal Communications Commission has set September 1st as the date for the beginning of limited commercial operation. That doesn't mean that you're going to have television in millions of homes September 1st, and certainly it doesn't mean that thousands

are going to tune in and "look" on their own home-made sets as they did in the early days of radio. But it does mean television is getting increasingly practical. Pictures are getting clearer and quantity production of television sets is now being undertaken. With the use of networks television engineers now see the prospect of reaching millions of televiewers. What all this will cost is not yet clear. The average set will probably cost \$400 to \$400. It will have at least \$500,000 a year to operate a single television station on a regular commercial basis. Some experts have testified in Washington. Advertising probably will underwrite much of this. Two problems have held back television. One has been the heavy cost of coaxial cables—some cost \$5,000 a mile—which are necessary because of the wide band of frequencies needed by television impulses and impossible in ordinary phone wires. The other is the strange tendency of radio waves less than 10 meters in length to jump off into space at the horizon instead of following the curvature of the earth. Television engineers are now overcoming these handicaps. For one thing they are planning a new relay system, employing low-power, low-cost receiver-transmitters mounted on 100-foot steel towers at 30-mile intervals. Thus New York, Washington, Boston, Philadelphia could be linked in one network serving some 20,000,000. Still other networks could be laid out across the country.

NEW NO. 1 FATAL ILLNESS. According to specialists at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., high blood pressure now leads all other human ailments in toll of life. It has taken the place of heart disease as the nation's No. 1 fatal illness. Deaths due to high blood pressure now average 875,000 annually as compared with 350,000 for heart disease. So shall it be at the end of the world, the angels shall come forth and sweep the wicked from among the just. (Matthew 24:40)

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MONEY COST OF FIRST WORLD WAR

According to the United States Treasury, the money cost of the first World War to this country, was \$41,765,000,000—enough to buy a new automobile, radio and electric refrigerator for every family in the United States. In addition to this, over \$7,500,000,000 was paid to World War veterans in pensions and bonuses. So much for the money costs. The devastating dust storms in the West are caused partially from the wartime demand for wheat, which necessitated the plowing of grasslands. The depression, which cost America billions of dollars—is, according to many, partly the result of the war to end wars. The greatest loss of all, however, was the number of young men killed in battle. A total of 8,500,000 soldiers lost their lives in the four years of fighting—Every Week.

AMERICAN INVESTMENTS IN EUROPE

Aggregate direct American investments in Europe now total \$1,224,952,000. First among the European countries in which American funds are invested is Great Britain, with \$474,130,000; next comes Germany, with \$227,817,000; then France, with \$145,683,000; Spain, with \$80,532,000; and Italy, with \$70,181,000. At the foot of the list stands the Irish Free State, with \$315,000.—Business Week.

For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul. Mat. 16:26.

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BUSY WOMEN'S WORKBASKET



Recalling the Year-teryear

The nostalgic charm of our own American countryside has been borrowed to form a lovely background for these 12x16 companion pictures. In easy embroidery stitches, you can capture the haunting loveliness of these scenes, suggested by the beloved songs—Old Oakum Bucket and Old Apple Tree. Both pictures come on NUMO, has iron transfer, 1947, price 10c.

Already stamped on cream linen in the same size as above, these two are 19057M, price 25c.

Address all letters to Southwest Magazine, Needlecraft Dept., Box 166, Kansas City, Mo.

LOOKING TO SUMMER

These languorous summer days turn our thoughts to cool clothes, yet we want them light and to the eye as well as cool. Here are a few hints in making up your vacation or stay-at-home wardrobe.

The style centers are snubbing all things somber. Every color but neutral has a dominant note of blues and mauves, say designers. Some of the smartest frocks are black with white accessories—linen belts starched like men's collars, little boys' collars worn back to the front and white hats and gloves with purple to match.

Filmy fabrics are coming into their own. The law of averages to give some assurance that hot days cannot be so very far away, and that we shall have our due share of them before June and July melts into August. The sheers, the crepes, the chiffons and the organdies are taking up the lines of the summer style story and will carry them until the first autumn month.

Dresses and suits, in light weight editions for town wear, follow the rule of simple lines, but they will bear close scrutiny for details. They are finely seamed and daintily tucked. There are such novelties as the frock that suggests a coat dress (it is of twin prints, a silk sheer and a crepe), the rayon crepe with jacket fronts or grosgrain belting, and the two-piece rayon rajah which looks frivolously young with its lining of white organdie.

In evening gowns, the parting of the ways between full and narrow skirts already appears. There are the exclamation-point skirts, without so much as a ripple and there are the switching swaying ones that drift into fullness below the hipline. The columnar silhouette is the newest thing.

Here's a hint on color: Brown and green are

NEW THINGS FOR YOUR HOME

At a recent traveling exhibit of a large manufacturer we were convinced that truly "things are not what they seem." This was especially true of glass because what looks like glass nowadays isn't always glass, and what looks like cloth is sometimes glass. Until one gets used to the idea, this shifting of use of materials can be very confusing.

As a case in point, consider some new table-cloths and place mats. They look as if they were made of the fine-silk damask—fit-for-lasquet table, complete with flowers and ferns. They come in beautiful woven patterns of shell and stripes, and they are trimmed with real lace. The cloth which gleams like silk, isn't silk at all—it is pure glass. You can spill red wine or hollandaise sauce on it, you can upset demitasses and the cloth won't have to go to the laundry. It can be wiped off with a damp wash rag, and that's all there is to it. The cloth doesn't even have to be ironed. The warmth and moisture of the hand are enough to straighten it out.

Glass fiber does not absorb moisture the way silk or linen does, so spots stay on top, to be wiped away. A cigarette that falls out of an ash tray and burns to the end on this cloth creates the usual mess except that it can be rubbed off to leave only a light tan hue.

There are dinner cloths and place mats of the new glass fabric. They cost about as much as one would expect to pay for good damask. Lamp shades are made of glass fabric, too. They are easy to keep clean.

Babies can be taught early to get used to the idea that what looks like glass can be something else. For there is a fork, spoon and napkin ring set for babies made of the clear plastic that looks like glass, but is practically unbreakable.

An airy looking breakfast tray and stand of glass-like plastic might amuse an invalid.

The stand is made of plastic rods like a luggage rack, with cloth straps across the front and put into a shallow dish over hot water. As soon as the chocolate begins to soften, remove from the hot water, and stir the chocolate until it is all melted. Dip the pieces of apple into the melted chocolate until well coated, and place on a waxed paper to dry. Pack in layers between sheets of waxed paper. Delightful for parties.

Honey Cookies

1/2 cup butter
 1/2 cup sugar
 1 egg beaten
 1/2 cup honey
 2 cups sifted flour
 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 cup finely-chopped nuts
 Cream the butter and add the sugar gradually. Mix the egg and honey and add with the sifted dry ingredients and nuts to the butter-and-sugar mixture. Chill the dough, then form into a roll the desired size and wrap in heavy waxed paper. When firm, cut into thin slices with a sharp knife. Bake in a moderately hot oven (375° F.) from 10 to 15 minutes, or until lightly browned.

Chop Suey (Popular for Sunday supper.)
 1/2 lb. lean pork or pork chops
 1 onion, chopped
 2 cups diced celery
 2 1/2 cups meat stock
 1 tablespoon sugar
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 can bean sprouts
 1 1/2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce

Soy sauce
 Cut pork in small pieces. Fry slowly with chopped onion, and when partially cooked, add celery, meat stock and seasoning. Cover and cook slowly for 40 minutes. Then add one can of drained bean sprouts. Just before removing from fire, add the sauces. Makes 8 portions.

Vanilla Cream Frosting (Ideal for adding tinting colors)
 2 tablespoons good shortening
 1 tablespoon butter
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 2 1/2 cups sifted powdered sugar
 6 tablespoons scalded cream (about)

Combine shortening, butter, vanilla and salt and blend. Beat in 1/2 cup sugar. Add hot cream, alternately with remaining sugar, beating well after each addition. Add only enough cream to make a nice spreading consistency. Makes enough frosting to cover top and sides of two 8-inch layers. You'll love this frosting made with orange rind and lemon rind, or other flavorings. Any color may be added to this frosting.

WE DINE

Chocolate-Coated Candied Apples
 1 cup sugar
 1 cup honey
 1/2 cup water
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 3 tart, firm apples

Boil together the sugar, honey, water and salt for a few minutes. Wash, core and pare the apples, cut into half-moon shaped about half an inch thick, drop into the syrup, and cook rapidly until apples are transparent and practically all the syrup is absorbed. Lift onto

MEN WITH WINGS

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The TOP of the CROP

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SWING LOW, SWEET CHARIOT

One of the legends as to how this song came into existence tells of a negro mother sold from a Tennessee plantation to go down into Mississippi. To prevent separation from her child, she was about to drown herself and babe. An old woman, seeing the mother's intention, said, "Wait, let me take de Lawd's liquid is added and the scroll and read it to you." The mother was so impressed with the words that she allowed out one inch thick,

BRASING FOR PORK CHOPS

Pork chops are best when cooked by braising because the slow cooking their definition, said, "Wait, let de chariot of de Lawd swing low then a very small amount and let me take de Lawd's liquid is added and the scroll and read it to you." The mother was so impressed with the words that she allowed out one inch thick,

COAXING at breakfast time is OUT at our house!

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SCHOOL NURSE ADVISES

WHY DO YOU SUPPOSE JUNIOR WON'T EAT IN THE MORNING?

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I KNEW YOU LIKE KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES!

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LITTLE JULIUS SNEEZER

JULIUS: WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU GOING TO DO WITH THOSE FISH?

I WANT TO TELL YOU A FISH STORY, MOTHER!

YOU SAY YOU HAVE FOUND A WAY TO KEEP FISH FROM SMELLING.

BUT JULIUS THOSE FISH SMELL!

YOU SEZZER!

IMPOSSIBLE, MOTHER!

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Corn or Peas, No. 2 cans 2 for		25c
Salmon, Fancy Pink Tall cans		15c
Brown's Smacks large box		15c
Tripp's Whole Beets No. 2 cans		13c
Corned Beef, Armour's or Wilson's, Sq. cans, each		20c
Vienna Sausage 2 cans		15c

Armour's Clover Bloom	Red Rose	1 lb
Butter 32c	Oleo 11c	
Pork Pan Sausage Seasoned Right, pound	Fresh Pork Hubs 1 lb	12 1/2c
Pork Chops, from Corn Fed Pork 1 lb	Raven, extra Lean, Sliced Sugar Cured, lb	15c
Hamburger Meat or Veal Stew, lb	Salt Bacon, No. 1 Clear Sides, lb	10c
Kraft Elkton Cheese, lb	Veal Steak, small bone, lb	17c

Gemy White Sack		
Shorts \$1.50		
Oats, 4 bushel sk		\$1.85
Chops, Good Yellow, sk		\$1.75
Hay, Alfalfa, pea Green, bale		65c

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Growing Mash, 100 lb sk, \$2.45. See us for Fruits Jars and Cans

THIS AMAZING AMERICA
Everybody knows that the way to see America best, is through a bus window. More people will see America this year than ever before and more people are daily traveling the safe, thrifty way—by Bus.

Elsewhere in this paper you will find the new schedule of all buses serving Woodville and Tyler county. Upon examination you will find that bus service leads again with new fast schedules enabling passengers to make long or short trips with ease. The present schedule offers the most complete travel accommodations ever available to this section. Get the thrifty habit—Save with Safety—Ride the Bus.

BAPTIST CHURCH
J. C. Boyd, Pastor
A revival meeting at Sparger which was conducted by Bro. Huff, assisted by the writer, came to a close Tuesday evening.

In the absence of the pastor that Sunday, Rev. Jeff Rhodes filled the local pulpit at the morning hour and Gene Rhodes preached at the evening hour. The messages of both father and son were very greatly appreciated.

A series of open air evangelistic services will be held at Cobb's mill beginning Monday night to be conducted by the pastor and his helpers. Three or four such meetings will be held during the summer at points marking the division of the town and country.

A public address system has been ordered for the out door services of the summer. In it is built in phono whereby the recordings of the old hymns and the choicest church music can be rendered.

The pastor will be in his pulpit both Sunday morning and evening. A subject of special interest will be discussed Sunday night and all those whose duties do not carry them into the country will be present.

WARREN'S HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS
As requested below is a list of the Warren seniors 1940:
Russell Payne, valedictorian; Margaret Halton, salutatorian; Milton Wier, Pauline Duce, Shelton Mae Booth, Ruby Lee Gieger, Polly Mason, Charlie Price, Charles Waddell, Roland Fields, Hails Taylor, Hopkins Barclay J. T. Allison, Erline Martin, Janie McNeill, James Perkins, Max Gildard, Emilee Carroll, Mattie Sue Griffin, Charlie B. Foxworth.

We had as our commencement speaker, Dr. James Gee of Huntsville.

PHENOMENAL MEMORIES
William ("Memory") Woodfall, London editor and parliamentary reporter of the Eighteenth century has such a phenomenal memory that he could attend a debate and report the speeches verbatim, without notes, the next day. His newspaper, the Diary, established in 1789, was the first newspaper to report parliamentary debates the morning after they had taken place. Woodfall's modern successor may be a high school journalist, Bill Madden, sports editor of the high school paper at Sherburne, N.Y. "You report me as speaking at the graduation," Madden says. "You report me as speaking at the graduation," Madden says. "You report me as speaking at the graduation," Madden says.

QUITE A DIFFERENCE
Visiting lecturer, indignantly telephoning: "Are you the man who interviewed me this morning?" Reporter, answering from the newspaper office: "Yes, What's the matter?" "You've got me down in the evening paper as making a perfectly insane statement," it printed just what you told me. "You report me as speaking at the graduation," Madden says.

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Carrots, fresh 2 bunches	7c
New Potatoes lb	3c

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Ivory Soap, Large size, 2 bars	15c
Soap, Toilet 4 bars	16c
Starch 2 boxes	9c
P and G Soap 5 bars	19c
Maxwell House 1 lb can	

Coffee 25c

Marshmallows pound box	14c
Ice Cream Powder Assorted Flavors, 2 boxes	25c
Tea, Admiration, 1 lb with Glass	21c
Cocoa, Hersheys pound box	15c
Vanilla Wafers pound bag	14c
Swans Down Cake Flour, box	27c
Mince Meat 3 boxes	25c
Dairy Maid Baking Powder, with Bowl, pound	21c

CRACKERS 16c

DRY GOODS

Mens Dress Shirts \$1.00 value	75c
Khaki Suits	\$1.79
Mens Dress Socks	10c, 15c
Anklets, Children's Asst. colors	10c, 15c
Ladies Slips each	49c, 98c
Ladies Cannon Hose	79c, 98c

THIS IS MY COUNTRY
Here I have received my education and my training. Here I have built my home. Here I have reared my family. Here I have earned my livelihood. Here I have invested my money. Here I have made friends. Here I—and those I love—will live and work and play and die.

Because this is MY Country, I mean to stand by it. I mean to support it in thought, in word, and in deed. I mean to give it the best that is in me. Its strength is my strength; its prosperity is my prosperity; its future is my future.

My country and I are one. Our interests are inseparable. We rise and fall together. Therefore, this is my pledge:

I will be loyal to America and to American institutions.
I will uphold its Constitution and its Government.
I will be proud of its traditions and its ideals.
I will defend its flag—wherever it may fly.
I will conduct my business honestly and fairly.
I will respect the rights of other men.
I will be patriotic, courageous, optimistic.

"FOR AMERICA, I WILL."
IF—WELL!

If I were asked for advice by one of the legion who have thought of some day becoming editors, I would answer like this: If you want to make money, do not try it! If you want to take life easy, don't try it! If you want to know a lot of famous people, don't try it! But if you like honest-to-goodness people; if you love the country; if you get a kick being a big toad in a small puddle; if you enjoy being "in" on everyday life; if you can work with your hands as well as your head; if you have a creative instinct; if you've veins instead of blood; and if the clatter of the linotype thrills you, then, by all means don't wait until you're too old to buy a newspaper.—Curtis S. Johnson in Printer's Ink Monthly.

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SAVE AMERICA PETITION
Every patriotic Tyler county citizen is urged to get petitions signed by 25 or more signatures and mail immediately to Senators Morris Sheppard or Tom Connally in Washington for submission to other members of the Texas delegation in Congress as follows:

We urge you to work and vote for immediate passage of the bills by Congressman Martin Dies and others to all alien Nazis, Fascists, and Communists to deny entry into this country and to deport any now living with aliens whom the police certify to be revolutionary agitators.

We further urge prompt enactment of other legislation providing instant apprehension and punishment for all native-born or naturalized citizens giving aid and comfort to foreign dictators by carrying on "fifth column" activities in America.

We favor immediate passage of laws making it mandatory for all radicals to be catalogued, photographed, fingerprinted, segregated or imprisoned or kept under constant surveillance by federal and local authorities during the period of National defense preparation in time of war. We implore you to legislate these traitorous trouble makers into the penitentiary or back to the country from whence they came. This is no time to temporize with these radical groups.

We recommend adequate appropriations for the Dies Committee investigating un-American activities and propaganda and advocate its continuation until All America has been made safe for Americans.

- For State Senator:**
R. C. MUSSLLEWHITE
JOHN W. LAIRD
BEN RAMSEY
- For Representative 12th District:**
OTIS E. LOCK
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- For District Clerk:**
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ERNEST MARTIN
- For County Treasurer:**
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- For County Treasurer:**
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R. J. CONNER
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:**
J. P. GLENN
J. U. HOPSON
(Re-election)
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 5:**
J. U. HOPSON
(Re-election)

The entertainment committee of the Conroe Post reports that various Posts and concerns are offering entertainment features during the annual dance on Saturday, June 22. Do not overlook the talented entertainer, Miss Helen Smith of Texas City, who will appear in several numbers of the program. Many other real entertainers will participate in the party.

The Pasadena high school band, Pasadena, will appear throughout the program. Incidentally, the Pasadena high band is sponsored by Pasadena Post 484. Jimmy Massey, commander of Post 484 assures an entertainment feature second to none. Baseball games are being arranged for the entertainment of the "Older Boys" who do not care to dance. The Conroe Post has secured the services of one of the most widely known orchestras in the Division to play for the annual dance on Saturday, June 22.

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RHEUMATIC PAIN WHAT TO DRINK
Rheumatic pain may result if kidneys do not regularly eliminate excess acid and other waste. Drink fruit and vegetable juices, milk, and soft water. Coffee, tea, alcoholics, sparingly. Help kidney elimination back to normal. Use a kidney evacuant. Ask any druggist for BUKETS. Your 25c back if not pleased. Locally at Stryker's Drug Store. 23-4-5-6

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