

BOBBIES
Light and ten thousand will be drafted in building for service in...

...reason why we, as a nation, may have a new "Continued" Freedom.

...American has been having... the year ahead. Look to the balance of this year, or find the quake story else.

...of these days there is... the finest fastest in...

...reference to the vacant... block of ground in...

...Originally the grass was a... and now it all dead, dry...

...Wonder how many commu... a trumpet kicked up when...

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Enlisting Under 17 Years of Age

For the first time in a generation boys are to be permitted to enlist in the United States army before they become 18 years of age. This information was released early last week and amplified Saturday by Lt. Col. Chase P. Kirkpatrick, commanding officer of the Houston recruiting and induction station.

The Honor Roll

- The following names have been added to our subscription list, as well as new subscribers and those who renewed during the past week:
- Helen Marshall
- J. F. Walker
- J. M. Barnes
- Mrs. J. M. Buchanan
- Mrs. C. F. Crowell
- Long Bell Lambert
- A. King
- F. M. Donald
- Mrs. J. M. Hines
- Phyllis Jessu
- Mrs. M. E. Lindsey
- Mrs. O. R. Mott
- E. J. Tatum
- E. J. Tatum
- Mrs. W. L. Neal
- Mrs. Ada B. Tatum
- Mrs. J. M. Tamm
- Mrs. J. A. Kestler
- L. T. Whaley
- L. B. Grant
- M. E. Grooms
- Mrs. Joe Hahn
- D. P. Brock

10,000 MIDDLETOWN TON

Ten thousand midget auto plates have arrived at the auto license bureau in the county jailhouse and will go on sale Feb. 1, announced Tax Collector, Assessor, J. E. Dickson.

STERILIZATION BILL FOR

...The 1935 law can be put on the old plate after midnight, Feb. 28, and must be on after midnight April 1.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Arthur Whaley brought the parents, Mrs. R. T. Whaley up from Port Arthur Sunday for Mr. Whaley, he wanted to get his garden planted, so they came home.

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Mrs. F. H. Sullivan and baby returned to the home yesterday, from the local hospital.

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Two Grandsons With Uncle Sam

Paul Keith Lusk, Jr., of Abilene, has been commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the Infantry following completion of an officer candidate course at Fort Benning, Ga. Lusk, a graduate of Parkersburg high school, and Louisville, Ky., is the son of Mrs. Paul K. Lusk, Sr., of DeWitt, Tex., and a grand son of Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Lusk of Doucette. Lusk held the rank of Staff Sergeant when he entered candidate school. Frank Dupuy Lusk, son of Mrs. Frank D. Lusk, Sr., of Mollie, Ala., and grandson of Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Lusk of Doucette, is at Great Lakes naval training station. Frank has many friends in Chester, where he graduated before going to the college of Mays, Ala., and also in Woodville, Doucette and Colman, who will visit him soon.

NOTICE

Only three days remain to pay poll taxes. This should be done for all anything can come up this year which our government may want a vote of its people, and it will be too bad if you can not place your taxes against it, or help to put over important questions.

DO YOU KNOW THAT...

The American Red Cross has furnished transatlantic radio to troop units in the South Pacific which enable the soldiers to listen to broadcasts from the United States and London.

NATIONAL SOCIAL HYGIENE DAY

Manpower, the production line as well as the fighting line, one of the prime objects of the United States in prosecuting the war. Anything that will strengthen and conserve it is a war measure.

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Compulsory Bible Reading in Public Schools Says Illegal Atty. Gen. Mann

Austin, Jan. 15.—Attorney General Gerald C. Mann said in an opinion that public free schools in Texas cannot offer religious instruction of a sectarian character. Requested by County Attorney John C. Merbrough of Fayette County, the opinion emphasized that the constitutional bar against public school religious instruction applies "regardless of when or how it is offered."

Still "Dammin" Rockland Dam

H. A. Steinhagen, president of the Houston Chamber of Commerce and a director of the Lower Neches Valley authority, and Ed Easterling, attorney for the authority, left Sunday for Austin where they were to confer with the state attorney general relative to the recent state supreme court ruling upholding the validity of the act creating the Lower Neches Valley authority but refusing a mandamus application on a technicality.

Death of Editor Beaumont Paper

Funeral services for Alfred Jones, 59, editor-in-chief of the Beaumont Journal and the Beaumont Journal and editor of The Enterprise company, was held at Westminster Presbyterian church at 4 p. m. Tuesday. The Rev. David Worth Roberts, pastor, officiated.

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Richard Lee Shelton, R. A. F., Of Texas, United States of America

AND HE CAME FROM TEXAS. Note—The article following originated in the Glasgow (Scotland) Sunday News, signed by "Blonheim." It is the story of an American, and Texas, who went overseas early to fight—and die—for the cause of freedom for which millions of Texans have now taken up arms.

Texas is a difficult man to describe. Perhaps my own first impression of him as a non-tamorous aviator of Gary Cooper will suffice. He was a shy, smiling, long-lined aviator, a bit of a dreamer. Well over six feet tall, lean and brown, he always seemed somewhat incomplete. Maybe it was lack of a nose. The first time we talked, Texas seemed that was his home.

As the pilot who had been longest with the squadron at that time, it was my job to take newcomers under my wing and teach them a few of the tricks of the trade. We had learned by hard and sometimes bitter experience.

A Natural Flier Texas and I hit it off together from the start. One of my first assignments was to fly with him out to the coast and watch him practice low flying. When he was standing at 100 feet, when he was looking down, he was gradually working down to about 50 feet.

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