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THINK 'EM BOBBIES

You'll see them every where... That old thinker and successful... "I am the American Soldier"...

"I Am the American Soldier"

I am a mother's son. I am the pride of a family and part of a home. I love my life as you love yours. I am youth in years and experience in life, yet I am a gambler, betting the highest stakes that a man can wager on his life.

Dog Goes Mad Kite Flying and Great Excitement High Power Lines

A great commotion was witnessed Monday afternoon by the dog leaping into the air and striking the power lines. The dog was shot at but escaped with a wound in the chest.

Mayor and Co. Judges Cited Gov. Stevenson in Fire Control

To all to whom these presents shall come: Whereas, One hundred and forty-five fires are said to have raged in the forests of East Texas; and whereas, more than 100,000 acres of timber land are reported to have been burned in the past month and much other timber land is threatened; and whereas, the timber is of vital importance to the war production program and the loss thereof will seriously retard our efforts to utilize our full resources for war purposes; and whereas, the County Judge of Texas as County Judge of Tyler County...

Farmer's Co-Operative Officers

Recruiting Station Hike Each Monday: You will read elsewhere in the booster that P. Ponder of the recruiting station in our district...

Dobie's Article Answered By Lieut. Governor

Austin, Texas, (The John Lee Smith, Thursday) replied to criticism of his article, Tuesday, Feb. 23, 1943, in the Tyler Democrat. The article in question was published in the Tyler Democrat on February 17, 1943.

ARMY LAW AND ARMY PUNISHMENT

Some of the army courts are sitting the following weeks: One is in the law... Another is in the army... Another is in the navy...

WOODVILLE NEWS

Mrs. James Edwin and baby with Col. Brown. Mrs. J. C. Brown. Mrs. J. C. Brown. Mrs. J. C. Brown.

HELLO WORLD

Miss Margaret. Miss Margaret. Miss Margaret. Miss Margaret.

MEET AT HUNTSVILLE

Teachers from 10 different schools met at Huntsville. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Maddox.

STUDY CLUB

The Women's Study Club met in the Methodist church Tuesday. The club was presided over by Mrs. Mattie Stewart.

WOODVILLE NEWS

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READ THE ADS

ALONG WITH THE NEWS... WANTED TO BUY OAK, GUM... WANTED TO BUY OAK, GUM...

FRESH LAUD FOR NATION'S ASSISTANCE

Chairman Tyler County War Savings Committee. The committee has received a report from the Tyler County War Savings Committee.

WOODVILLE LANDING FIELD READY FOR USE

Woodville now has an air port ready for emergency landing for flyers. The field is located three miles west of town on the old Livingston road.

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"Hail" Says Amen

Four years later Earl Gardner, Sr. bought the only plane ever owned in Tyler county and a home was built there for the purpose of displaying it.

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Washington state... In the fall of '41, we returned to Minnesota to catch up with the mother and sister, and we had a hard time keeping warm. The Washington climate had done something to our blood. It took a whole year to become acclimated to Minnesota winter weather. The Crockett congressman is in a colder climate than Texas and has... **W**

HOPKINS COUNTY GRAND JURY INDICT DANDARIER CRIMINAL - HITLER

Bolton Springs, Feb. 21 - Adolph Hitler, the cat, can't get away with all his high crimes down here in Hopkins county. The district grand jury just set out and indicted him Saturday and Sat. A. G. H. H. South didn't have out a detail... **W**

WOODVILLE NEWS

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BERCH CRICK

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"There goes 'Tex' again!"

What a soldier that "Tex" is tough, rugged, and smart. Watch him push that tank into the thick of it. He acts like he's been around machines all his life, and never tires of wrangling that clanking monster.

Yes, "Tex" does take to machines. He likes tinkering with them, and he's had plenty of experience with the farm tractor, the family car, the windmill. And he takes to war, too. Thousands of young men just like him from the Lone Star State are in every branch of America's armed forces. Nearly every outfit has its "Tex."

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The same research, technique, and up-to-the-minute equipment, which in peacetime gave you Esso Extra gasoline, DPT Motor oil, and second-to-none products for your home, your farm, and your factory, today is fashioning from Texas crude the vital tools of war. Below is a partial list of the Victory products which flow from Humble refineries.

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AMERICAN MILITARY... **W**

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Baptist Church

WARREN

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Sunday school... **W**

DR. J. P. DALE

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AND **NEUROLOGIST**

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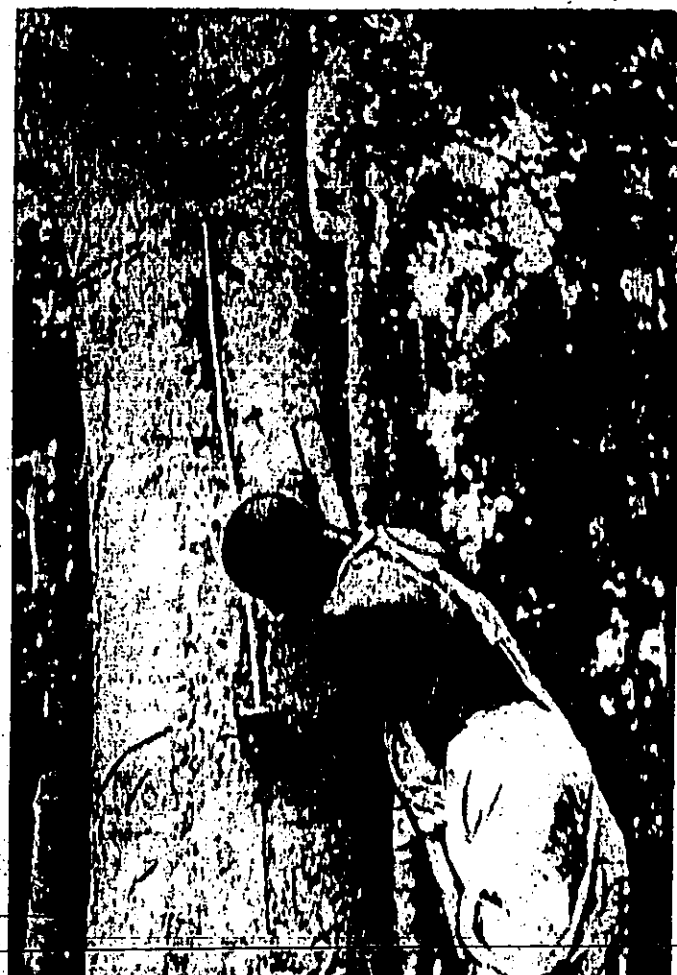
NOTABLE NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES



WHEN THE MESS CALL SOUNDS—On fighting fronts all over the world, whether it be field rations or mess kits full of hot food, American fighting men are being fed the best. These pictures show how our soldiers pitch in on the chow detail with willing hands and happy faces when mess call sounds.



NO YOUR SHOES ARE RATIONED—But consider work of English girl repairing shoes? She has only leather enough for patches. At least, Americans can still get full soles on their footwear.



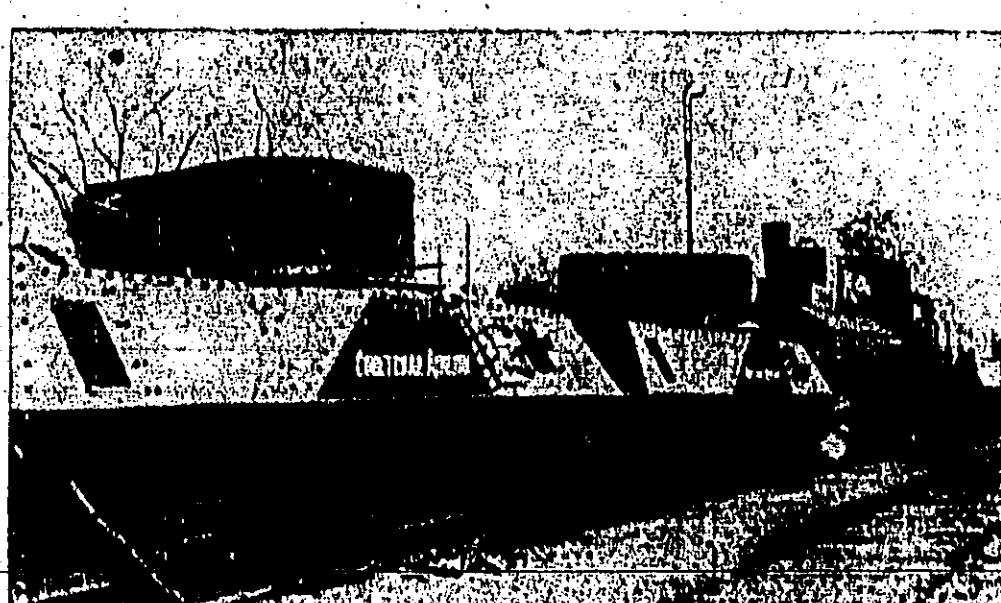
AFRICAN RUBBER—Rubber trees in Ashanti, Africa's Gold Coast, again are called to supply rubber. In 1938 production reached 8,000,000 pounds, but area was displaced by Malayan plantations.



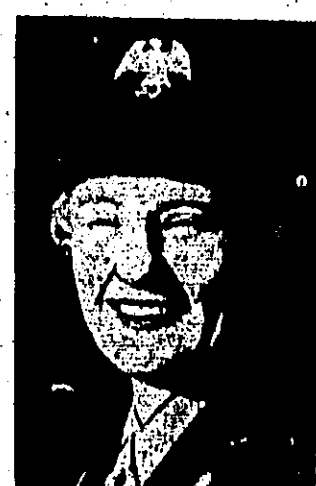
WATCHING FOR UNCLE SAM—Johnnie Heszley, former St. Louis Cardinals star pitcher, who helped his team win the World Series, pitches for Uncle Sam now. He's with the Army Air Forces at Miami Beach, Fla.



INQUIRY—Congressional investigation of Army and Navy relations to war production follows charges by Rubber Administrator William M. Jeffers, above, that "hoaxers" they sent to plants retarded production.



ARMENIAN GIFT TO SOVIETS—Funds collected by people of Armenian republic provided this armored train for the Russian battlefield near "Soviet Armenia." Comfortable quarters are provided for crews and gunners in "land battleship."



ONLY WOMAN—Captain Louise Anderson, of the WAACs, stenographer at General Dwight Eisenhower's headquarters in North Africa, was only woman at Roosevelt-Churchill conference.



LIKE THE MAN OF THE MARINE—Army Air Corps pilot, above, is one of the many who are being trained for the war.

CURRENT COMMENT

By A. STAFF EDITOR
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Learn About What to Eat

Discover how much the average American adult knows about nutrition rules and where an information program may be needed, the Institute of Public Opinion conducted a national survey in which 10,000 adults in all States were asked for a 24-hour period.

The principal foods eaten by the adults were then compared with the essential health foods recommended by the Bureau of Home Economics of the Agriculture Department. Other nutrition experts.

The comparison is shown below. The figures represent the number of persons who ate none at all of the foods listed necessary daily in each category.

Meats: 100 percent of men and 90 percent of women had none.

Fruits and raw vegetables: 100 percent of men and 90 percent of women had none.

Other vegetables: 100 percent of men and 90 percent of women had none.

Whole-grain bread: 100 percent of men and 90 percent of women had none.

U. S. Food Keeps Russia in War

Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Wickard declared that American food is "almost surely" keeping Russia in the war.

"It is not Russian men who are winning the all-important battle there," he told the House Foreign Affairs Committee in a statement on the food aid program.

Wickard disclosed that more food was being shipped to Russia than to Great Britain. These shipments, he said,

have paid "magnificent dividends" and must be continued.

Helicopters After the War

Will war aircraft factories be turned to the manufacturing of helicopters after the war? Much of their facilities and trained personnel could be used for this purpose. This is the opinion of the well-known aircraft designer, Igor Sikorsky, expressed in a recent lecture at Yale University.

Mr. Sikorsky has designed and experimented with helicopters for several decades. He calls them "aircraft capable of taking off directly with no run whatsoever, hovering in the air over any spot, flying forward, backward, or sideways, at any desirable speed, being able to move forward and backward and to land on a small patch of ground."

The Submarine Mess

Prime Minister Winston Churchill in a recent speech before the English House of Commons said this about submarine sinkings:

"The destructive power of the U-boat has undergone steady diminution since the beginning of the war. In the first year each operational U-boat at work accounted for an average of 19 ships; in the second year an average of 12; and in the third year an average of seven and a half."

That Allied ships losses for the last two months were the lowest sustained in such a period for over a year.

While the Prime Minister agreed that the submarine menace had by no means been destroyed, he said that victory had been made in meeting it and that there was no reason for excessive alarm.

Russian Victories

Learning the news of Leningrad's fall to the hands of the Germans, the British and American governments expressed their sympathy and support for the Russian people.

Jap Losses

Frank Trimalas, United Press correspondent in the South Pacific, says that Japan lost 90,000 men killed, 200 ships sunk or damaged and 2,000 planes destroyed in its first great defeat of the war on Guadalcanal Island and in New Guinea.

As the Southern Solomons alone, it was estimated, Japan lost about 75,000 men killed, 150 ships sunk or damaged and more than 1,000 planes destroyed. The rest of the losses were suffered in the New Guinea campaign.

The United States forces at sea and on land won their victory with a minimum of ships and men and equipment. Recent reports indicated that the Naval forces were now being strengthened rapidly, that new guns, new ships, new planes, and more and more supplies were going to sea and to the front.

Obviously, future operations might be mentioned. But two factors hinted at their character. First, Guadalcanal and Buna are potential spring boards for a move against Rabaul, the great Japanese base on New Britain Island northeast of New Guinea. Secondly, the Japanese are concentrating forces at Rabaul as their strong point in the South Pacific area, planning to feed it from the Arak naval base, 850 miles to the north and 1,350 miles northwest of Guadalcanal, and from Japan proper.

More Alarm Clocks

Production of alarm clocks may be resumed in the near future, the War Production Board disclosed.

Alarm clocks have not been manufactured for many months and complaints have been received that war workers have been unable to buy them.

The proposal under consideration which depends upon the availability of materials calls for the manufacture of more than 1,500,000 for civilian use this year.

Guayule Yields 800 Tons of Rubber

The Federal government reported that its guayule rubber production had progressed to the point where it will be able to produce 800 tons this winter. This, it was stressed, would be the first natural rubber produced in this country since we entered the war.

Leid Lease Aid

The extent of American aid to Russia was one of the factors in a global picture of lend lease operations presented by Lend Lease Administrator Edward Stettinius, Jr. In a report to Congress he disclosed that in the 22 months from March 1941 through December, 1942, American lend lease aid to the Allies has totaled \$8,263,000,000. In addition, the Allies have bought with their own funds \$6,000,000,000 worth of supplies in this country.

Grass Root Reveries

By JOE GANDY
Winnaboo, Texas

MARCH in the plumage of the first spring month. Spring in the air, however, is not always spring in the wide-open spaces. I have seen some pretty cold Marchs, and the March may be colder than any I have seen, which had too many mild days for the good of the fruit crop. We had a frost on the 15th, and the boys and girls, since all came from the north, were getting ready to complain about the peach and pear trees and apricots. She has even threatened to leave me if I don't get the peach and pear trees and apricots.

Days are longer, nights shorter. More daylight to do more things to win them. We farmers are told that victory or defeat depends on our raising more food. But we farmers can't raise more food without more machinery, more horsepower, more hired help and more money for everything else.

I read in the paper where a high government official in Washington said school boys could gather the 1943 crops. School boys can gather cotton, but they can't gather wheat. School boys can't take the place of experienced men on the farm. Farm work may look easy and simple, yet the average man who never worked on a farm is not worth much while trying to do the heavy jobs needed to be done on a farm.

off and it is up to us to make them as great or greater than ever. We can do it by working hard like Dad and Granddad worked, or we can loaf on the job and slip back into a second rate nation.

Our brains have driven the Japs out of Guadalcanal, those they didn't kill. It's a beautiful-infected place and outside of its strategic value, is not worth the life of one American boy. But its loss gave the Japs something to think about. They met defeat for the first time in a thousand years. As far back as I can remember the Japs have kicked other nations on the shins and grabbed part of their territory. Splendid treaties have meant nothing to them.

This is a quiz age. Before we can get a gallon of gasoline, a driver's license, or a can of beans we must answer printed quizzes a foot long. A neighbor who received one of these quiz blanks that came down from Washington said he had put in two hours trying to answer all the questions. If all the quiz hours were put to work that have been spent making out long bureaucratic quizzes they would build 10 battleships, 30,000 flying fortresses, 20,000 tanks and 200,000 rifles.

That's the answer to much of the strength between capital and labor. Capital wants labor to earn more and labor wants capital to pay more. If we can find a man smart enough to iron out the difference and elect him to Congress our labor problem will be nearer solution.

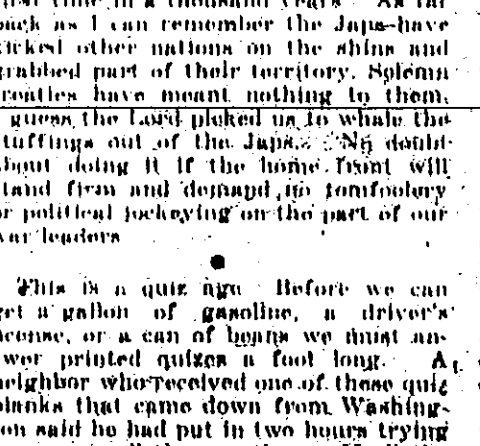
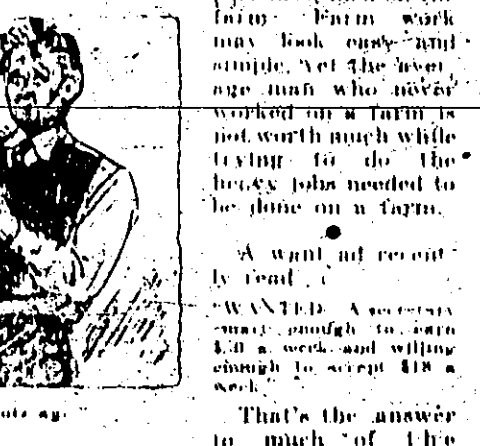
You can never tell how some boys will turn out. When I went to school there were two boys in my class—one very smart, one very dull. The smart one received checks from home that pay his board and lodging. The dull one struck oil in Oklahoma. Lives in New York City on Park Avenue and is known as a wealthy man and a philanthropist.

We hear a lot about what's going to happen to America when the war is over. Some say we will have democracy for the boys when they come marching back home. Some say we will lose it. Some say we will have a depression. Some say we will have prosperity. One thing is fairly certain, despite all prophetic talk, we will have 48 States.

A woman who has had three husbands wrote a newspaper editor asking him what she must do if she meets all three husbands in heaven. That is certainly an embarrassing question to ask any editor. As a rule, what the average editor knows about heaven is somewhat vague. He wants to go there, surely, but just how he will do it and not love and forgive his enemies, including delinquent subscribers, is something else again. Some one asked the Saviour a similar question and He answered, saying, "There is neither marrying nor giving in marriage in heaven." The lady who has had three husbands may never meet them in heaven, at least not all of them. Of course, some husbands will go to heaven and some will not, but all married husbands expect to go there.

With scarecrows. Last year I scarecrow in the garden and have frightened a prize-winning rabbit. I gave it the once over at a conference, and came out with a new idea. Some gardeners think scarecrows are dumb animals. I made the mistake. A rabbit lost its dumb but was a tree full of owls.

They are now up against a big problem. I know it was common to them to sleep broad and to break us in gently, so I the whole lot delivered mine didn't mind that, was glad to allow. As for shoes, that's a little more than three pairs have a pair for plowing, going to town and a pair for church. The pair for going to church longer, not that I fall to sleep regularly, but when in my shoes off and roll my under the seat. Nothing about shoes that pinch the



rich Ukraine. But it was victory at Leningrad that brought the greatest joy in Moscow. Men hugged each other on the streets, hammered each other's backs. The grim 17-month siege of Leningrad had finally been broken by a heroic defense.

The reasons for the Russian joy were not hard to find. Leningrad, perhaps second only to Moscow, is a town dear to Russian hearts. Built by Peter the Great on the marshland at the head of the Gulf of Finland, it was Russia's "window on the Baltic," a symbol of welcome to Western ideas in an earlier era.

For many years it had been the residence of the Czars. Here the revolution, from which modern Russia emerged, was born. It treasured as a shrine of all the vital leaders in Russia's history from Peter to Lenin.

As early as August 21, 1941, two months after the first German soldiers had entered Russian territory, the Nazis drew a ring of guns around it. In the 17 months that followed a story of heroism and sacrifice was enacted there. Citizens dropped their work and formed a citizen's army that went to the aid of the hard-pressed Red regulars.

The victory at Leningrad stands out dramatically and sentimentally. But in military importance greater things took place, including the capture of Rostov and Kharkov. All along the 2,000 mile front from Leningrad south to the foot hills of the Caucasus other Russian thrusts are under way. The Red Army's winter offensive has assumed a magnificent compass only, to the initial German smash into Russia in the summer and fall of 1941.

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China's share of lend lease was \$1,552,000,000. Great Britain received \$3,950,000,000 and other parts of the British Empire \$2,393,000,000. China's portion, partly because of the loss of the Burma Road, was a mere \$50,000,000. Of the whole, about 15 per cent represented military items and the rest raw materials, food and services.

as thermal and catalytic cracking or lubricant processing, and in the heavy continuous-process chemical industries.

Colds

Why doesn't somebody do something to lick the common cold? Scientists have been at work on colds for a long time. The fact is, that despite all its wizardry with other diseases, science has found the cold, the most familiar of all ailments, one of its most puzzling problems.

But the mystery is slowly being cleared up now. For one thing, scientists have been gathering accurate statistical data on seasonal variations in the cold rate. They know that most colds come in October, after which incidence drops until January and February, when the curve rises sharply again and hits a peak in March.

They know, too, that contrary to popular belief, cold weather in itself is not the cause of colds. One proof is that Eskimos rarely have the sniffles. The trouble, medical authorities now believe, is that people shut themselves up in overheated, stuffy rooms at the first sign of a frost, then go out without proper protection.

This is what happens. Like other disease organisms, the agents that cause colds are always hanging about. But they fail to thrive on normal human membranes in the nose. However, when overheated and dehydrated air in homes and offices lowers the resistance of the membranes, and when sudden chilling and dampness add to the effect, the sniffling producer gets to work.

The Waxes, Waxes and Spars

The bold idea of putting girls in United States Army, Navy and Coast Guard uniforms to release men for combat duty is working out so well that officers who at first made disparaging remarks about petition women are now demanding more and more women to serve with them.

The numbers of Waxes, Waxes and Spars now on active duty is mounting rapidly from now on. The girls are at present giving a good account of their selves on the job.

The Waxes who will eventually number 1,000,000 are by far the largest woman's division of the armed services, with about 22,000 enrolled. Of these, some 18,000 have completed training, though most have not yet arrived at their stations. A number of others are serving as recruiting officers, interviewing enthusiastic applicants, and making speeches to groups of women. And 2,000 Waxes have replied as many men in the War Department in Washington.

1942 Ad Bill

An analysis of the figures on 1942 advertising expenditures in magazines, farm papers and network radio which appeared in Advertising Age, reveals that leaders in advertising volume last year were much the same as in 1941, according to Publishers' Information Bureau records. The only notable exception was General Motors Corporation, which occupied third place in 1941 and dropped to fifth last year.

The leader in expenditures, as in the previous year, was Procter & Gamble Company, with a total for magazines, network radio and farm papers of \$14,297,498, substantially above the \$12,988,877 which earned its first place in last year's tabulation.

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Synthetic Plants Need New Skills

About 20,000 workers will be needed in the new synthetic rubber industry when it is in full operation, but difficulty is being met in obtaining them, the War Manpower Commission announced.

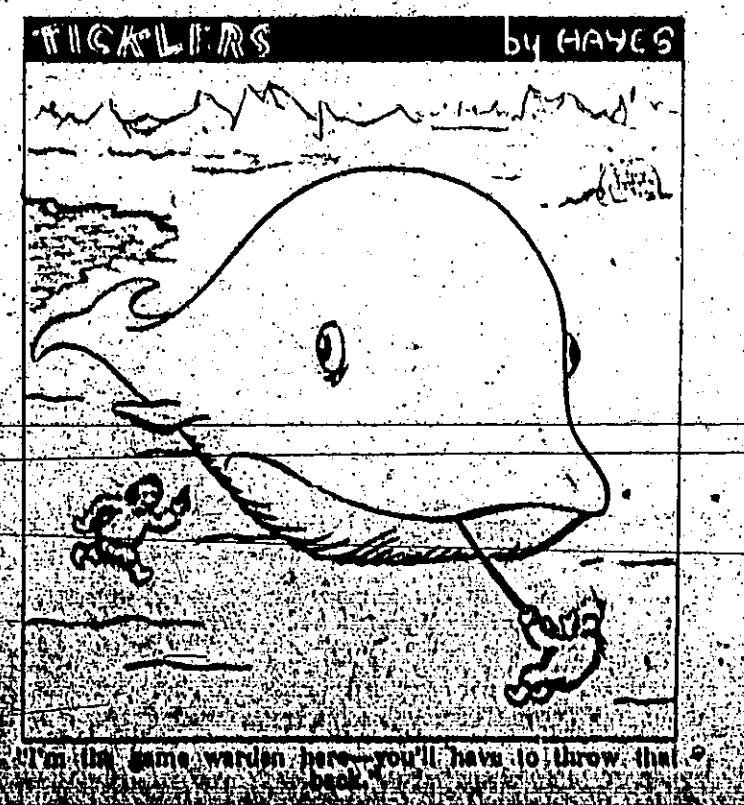
The process is new and no supply of labor can be drawn upon readily without further training. The WMC is, therefore, developing a recruiting and training program.

Needed, the WMC noted, will be general management, engineering and technical employees, laboratory research staffs, and power, supervisory, operating, mechanical, electrical, plant maintenance workers, and maintenance workers.

Training in the report also indicated that workers most easily adaptable to synthetic rubber production were those who have had experience with the most modern types of mechanical setting.

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TEXAS BRIEF NEWS --- from Over the

COMMUNITY OF PATRIOTS
Moscow, (Polk county), with a population of fewer than 300 has seen 12 per cent of its citizens join the nation's armed forces during recent months.

MOKE LUCK FOR SOLDIERS
All funds accumulated by the University of Texas Girls' Glee Club this year will be used to pay expenses for the club as it serenades near by Army camps.

"A" CARD HOLDERS MAY WEEP
Citizens of Hale Center, (Hale county), stood by helpless while 4,000 gallons of gasoline blazed in the street as it spilled from an overturned service truck.

BUGGY SALE IS REPORTED
Dr. H. H. Milling, of Mineral Wells, became proud owner of a new "single seater buggy," black with maroon wheels, a sale declared the first of its kind there in 30 years.

GOAT MEAT MARKETED ILLEGALLY
More than half a million pounds of goat was marketed illegally as sausage and hamburger meat in San Antonio, according to information contained in a recent OPA price ceiling violation suit.

HOSPITAL, CHURCH REMEMBERED
The Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for crippled children, (Dallas), and St. John's Episcopal Church, (Corpus Christi), received substantial gifts from the estate of the late Mrs. Richard Sims Mills of Corsicana.

PERMANENT DOGWOOD TRAIL
M. A. Davis, of Palestine, (Anderson county), has donated a 250-acre park site near that city which will become a perpetual national monument to the dogwood for which that section has become nationally famous.

STRIANGE WANT AD APPEARS
The following want ad is reported to have appeared in the Alford News: "Bedroom lights were out but I was not asleep and saw your flashlight at my garage because of bright moonlight I saw and recognized you. Return stolen money to garage in return will be repaid in 10 days."

APPEAL FOR USO DECORATIONS
Mrs. Joe B. Matthews, Shackelford county, chairman of the hospital service group at Camp Berkeley, Abilene, has issued an appeal for mounted heads of deer, mountain sheep, cattle, or any other kind for that matter, to be used as decorations in the men's service club rooms.

VICTORY GARDENS FOR ALL
Joe Kellam, Chamber of Commerce manager at Gladewater, (Orange county), has called a city wide meeting to plan for 100 per cent participation in the Victory garden campaign. Prizes for the best garden will be awarded at a spring vegetable show.

AID FOR NEEDY CHILDREN
Dr. Thomas J. McElheny, of Austin, is chairman of a committee of 100 men and women which will support a move for needy children barred from or inadequately cared for by the present State program.

PRISON SYSTEM SCRUTINIZED
Gov. Coke Stevenson revealed that he and the State Prison Board have been giving careful study to a reorganization program for the State penal system. Other than in long range physical development program and administrative reforms, Gov. Stevenson did not disclose the extent of the program.

CERTIFICATE FOR BLOND HAIR CONTRIBUTION
Eugenia Marie Wigboldus, age 19, of Galveston has received a suitable certificate of appreciation from the War Department for the 16 inch strands of blonde hair which she contributed to the war effort. This junior high student is one of the few whose hair measures to the certain fineness required for instrument making.

GOVERNOR'S INSTALLATION COST \$25
In the most economical arrangement upon installation of a new Texas Governor have cost from \$3,000 to \$4,000. Governor Coke Stevenson's "seating" cost less than \$25, most of which was for telegrams, according to Senator Haughton Brownless, chairman of the arrangements committee.

SURPRISED ENOUGH
Mrs. Edward Slaughter, of Abilene, recently received a telegram stating that a man who had seen her husband in England lately would arrive there on a certain train and would be glad to see her if convenient. Needless to say Mrs. Slaughter was of hand when the train arrived. She met the man alright—her real husband, Sergeant Edward Slaughter, home on a short leave. He formerly was secretary of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

GOAT BREEDERS ELECT OFFICERS
C. E. Deiggs, Del Rio ranchman and well-known Angora breeder, is the new president of the American Angora Goat Breeders' Association, succeeding D. M. (Duster) Halbert, of Bonora, (Harrison county). Vice-presidents are E. E. Cooper, of Leakey, (Real county), and J. A. W. Camp, of Bonora, (Harrison county). The association is

SIGNIFICANT HEADLINE
Readers of the Henderson, (Rock county), News must have blinked their eyes at a headline which appeared in the issue of February 5 for (read: "Texas Jail Donated for Rat Poison"). Pursuing further they found it had to do with the news that Van Zandt county had donated an abandoned jail to the Army's scrap drive. Realizing that much big grade steel would come from the structure, the headline writer immediately surmised that it might eventually be expended against the Vaps or Nazis.

MOSQUITO CAMPAIGN STARTS
Approximately 20 cisterns are being filled or sealed as part of Galveston's mosquito eradication program under direction of Dr. Walter Kleberg.

WOMAN ATTORNEY JOINS WAACs
Miss Martha Lipcomb, city attorney of Gainsville, (Cooke county), from 1904 until 1938, and frequently qualified as a special county judge, has enlisted as a private in the WAACs.

WAACs IN NACOGDOCHES
Facilities of Stephen F. Austin Teachers' College at Nacogdoches will be utilized by the Army for administrative training of a large contingent of WAACs, first of which arrived early in February.

LONG TIME MARRIED
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Newton Hartman of Center Point, (Kerr county), celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary. He is 92 and she is 89. They have lived in this section of the State ever since they were married in Austin in 1871.

WANTS OFF PENSION ROLL
James Bryan, age 76, of Hillsboro, who says he has picked cotton every year since he was 6, has written President Roosevelt asking for a war plant job so he can get off the pension roll and help the war effort just that much more.

WAACs GOING TO TSCW
Officials of Texas State College for Women have approved of an Army request for dormitory and class room facilities to be used in training WAAC recruits. The Army will provide the instructors for at least 600 in each class of six weeks duration, the first of which is due about March 1. Two dormitories have been made available for the project.

BAPTISTS TO CLEAR DEBT
The last debt of the Baptist General Convention of Texas is to be disposed of with a note maturing in Dallas April 8, according to Dr. W. W. Melton, executive secretary.

PRISON POPULATION DOWN
H. E. Moore, chief of the Bureau of Records reported that the Texas Prison System population was 4,847 on January 31, as compared to 5,708 at the same time last year.

TEXAS FAT GOES TO WAR
Texas stands third among all the States in the amount of fats and greases collected under the government's salvage program, according to a report received by Gov. Coke Stevenson early in February.

NEW INCOME TAX RULING
Wives of men in the armed forces must file income tax returns, according to W. A. Thomas, collector of Internal Revenue for the Northern District of Texas. The amount contributed by the government to the serviceman's family allowance need not be included in the return, it was pointed out.

TEXAS GOT IN THE SCRAP
Thomas L. Mullivan, WPA's Texas chief of scrap processors, says the Lone Star State has shipped enough scrap iron and steel to provide material for 40 battleships or more than three and a quarter million one-ton bombs. The total, 952,867 tons, included more than 476,000 junked autos from the State's graveyards.

SURVEY FOR HOSPITAL FACILITIES
Anticipating a brisk demand for facilities with which to hospitalize wounded soldiers and sailors, as well as ailing civilians, officials are surveying dude ranches, mountain and seaside resorts, fishing lodges, etc., in Texas and elsewhere to determine how many patients can be accommodated for such an emergency. Officials of the American Hospital Association which is making the study, believe that 50,000 new nurses will be required to give adequate care of patients.

SCHOOL FUND INCREASES
The State's permanent school fund "endowment" by securities now totals more than \$72,000,000 with an additional \$2,500,000 to be added on April 1. Since few municipal bonds are available today, new funds are invested in U. S. war bonds, of which there now is a total of \$25,000,000.

FBI GETS VOLUME ON TEXAS
A lunch, two feet square and eight inches thick and detailing war effort activities and contributions by 112 communities of West Texas, was presented to President Roosevelt recently by Sen. Tom Connally. The content was chiefly newspaper clippings.

GOVERNMENT SEEKS SHOTGUNS
Local owners of 12-gauge automatic, pump-action repeaters and double-barrel hammerless shotguns are asked to sell their guns to the government. Hardware dealers act as agents for the government. Up to \$10 is offered for the double-barrel guns and \$42.50 for the repeaters. The War Department desires the guns for use in training military personnel.

REAL SPORTSMEN
Donations reached \$200 quickly when sportsmen of the Hereford, (Deaf Smith county), decided to "plant" some game along the Terra Blanca creek area. First order was for 78 pheasants. Quail will be purchased with additional funds which are anticipated.

MIKE O'DANIEL IS INDUCTED
Both of Senator and Mrs. O'Daniel's sons now are in the Army. Mike, younger of the two, passed his final physical examination in Washington early in February and was "sent on his way" by his parents and brother, Corp. Pat O'Daniel, who was recuperating in Washington from a recent operation. Corp. Pat has just finished officers' training school in Virginia and expects to be commissioned soon.

FARMERS WARNED
Any person or group that sells processed goods, must register as processors, and stamps must be taken for goods they sell under the same point system that controls grocers. This warning was issued recently by OPA officials who warn that farm groups that gather at regular intervals to sell their home-made products are included in that interpretation of the point rationing regulations.

TEXAS HIT BY GAS RATIONING
State Comptroller George Sheppard reported that the State's income from gasoline taxes dropped off almost one-half for the first two weeks of January as compared to the same period last year.

PATRIOTIC DOCTORS
More than one half of the members of the Dallas County Medical Society have entered the armed services, according to a report, issued recently. More than 30 per cent of the dentists have gone also.

PATRIOTISM IS REWARDED
Bud Moore, Negro janitor at the Grayson county court house, asked the commissioners' court for a raise "... so I can get on the list that pays victory tax." Although the year's budget had been made up already, Hud got his raise and can now buy more war bonds or stamps.

POWER PROJECTS TO BE PROBED
The Texas House of Representatives has ordered a complete investigation of the Lower Colorado River Authority and the Guadalupe Blanco Rivers Authority. Rep. Howard Hartzog, chairman of a subcommittee which drew the resolution declared: "There's been so much newspaper comment that an investigation by the Legislature is almost mandatory."

TEXAS EYED BY RUBBICH REPRESENTATIVE
J. K. Ostrander, WPA representative, said that he was impressed with West Texas possibilities as to conversion of grain into alcohol and that if, under war conditions it could be possible to obtain critical materials, then it might be possible to anticipate such a plant for this section. He wound up a tour in Abilene that had taken him to Wichita Falls, Muleshoe, Fort Worth, Sweetwater, Brownfield and Lubbock.

NIMITZ DEFINITELY TEXAN
Indisputable proof that Admiral Chester Nimitz was born in Texas now rests in the State's Bureau of Vital Statistics at Austin. A certificate received recently shows he was born in Fredericksburg, (Hill County), February 24, 1895, where both his father and mother were born.

HOUSEWIVES CONTRIBUTE 120 TONS OF TIN CANS
Dallas housewives contributed 120 tons of tin cans to the war effort during January. The cans, delabeled and flattened, are processed at a Dallas plant to be used in recovering copper from waste mine materials.

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WALKING BECOMES EASIER
More than 50 Calumet, (Coke county), paid \$1 fines in a recent court session for walking against the traffic lights.

TEXANS PAY MUCH IN TAXES
Texans paid \$495,908,483 to the Federal government in corporation and individual income taxes in 1942, according to figures released in Washington recently. This was the second largest paid by any State west of the Mississippi river, California holding top spot.

TRAFFIC DEATHS REDUCED
Traffic fatalities in Texas were slashed more than one-third in 1942, according to State Police Director Homer Garrison. The year's total was 1,510 against 1,081 in 1941. Slower speeds were believed the greatest contributing factor, that and a general improvement in the State's safety-consciousness.

WORKSHOPS IGNORE BLAZE
When fire wrecked the 62-year-old church building at Zion Hill, (Rock county), during a recent Sunday morning service, the congregation took up a position in the woods nearby and continued their service with but slight delay.

PASTURE RECOVERED FROM AID
The Pierce Estate, near El Campo, (Wharton county), is experimenting with pasture seeding from airplanes. Much of the area treated is woodland on which has been scattered a mixture of carpet grass, clover and alfalfa, according to Jack Hutcheson, manager of the estate.

VETERAN DEPLORES STRIKES
"To draw a gun on a striker as quick as on an enemy." That statement by Lieut. Col. David Hill, of Hunt, (Kerr county), brought the Texas Legislature to its feet to cheer the former Flying Tiger in a recent address to that body. Col. Hill is credited with destroying 10 Jap planes.

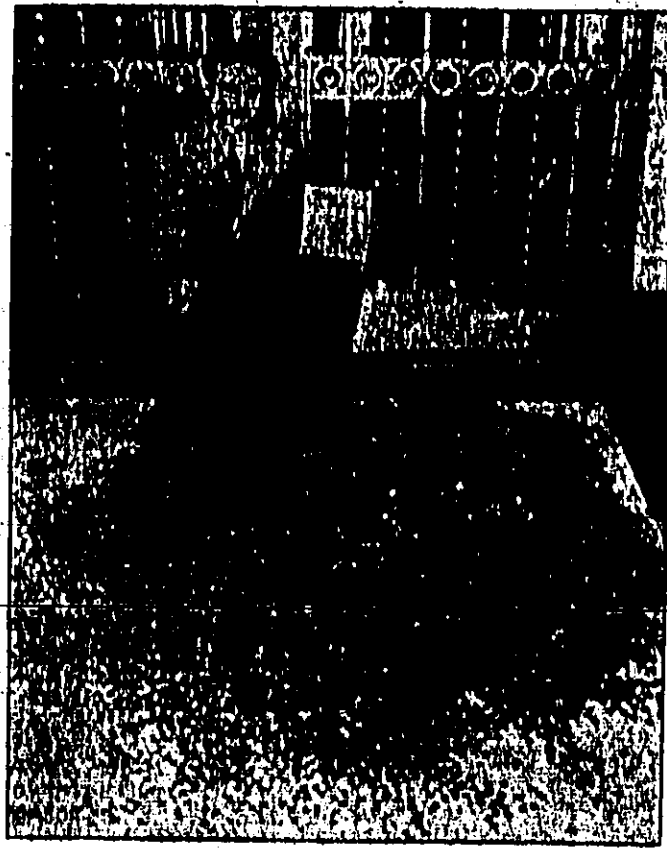
TEXAS WOMAN IS A "FIRST"
Mrs. George H. Myer, of Austin, visited her husband at Dawson Creek, Alaska, in October. When she returned home she revealed she was the first American woman to travel the new Alcan highway. She described the North country as "like an ice box with the door closed."

TEXAS COMMUNITY COMMENDED
When 38 families of the Vanderhoof, (Harrison county), community designated H. A. Dawson as their "official hauler," the action brought high praise from the Department of Agriculture in Washington as an example of how rural communities everywhere can further conserve critical materials. The "haul" is about 30 miles.

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LITTLE FUN Takes to Make You Laugh

Willing Enough
 "I will sign up in a grocery store," said Uncle Sam, "I have already signed up in a grocery store. I am a grocery store sign." "I have already signed up in a grocery store. I am a grocery store sign." "I have already signed up in a grocery store. I am a grocery store sign."

Strike in Hades
 "The gate broke down between the two men," said the man in the red coat, "I have already signed up in a grocery store. I am a grocery store sign." "I have already signed up in a grocery store. I am a grocery store sign." "I have already signed up in a grocery store. I am a grocery store sign."

Marksmanship
 "A raw recruit from the hills made such records at target practice that he was questioned by his officers. Where and how had he gained his skill with the rifle?" "Well," said the mountain youth modestly, "pappy use to hand me the rifle and one bullet every morning and say, 'Boy, go out and get your dinner. If you missed I got no dinner.'"

Guess Was His Name
 "Major Thomas Wilder, of the Army Flying School at Lubbock, Texas, picked up the radio phone while in the room 1501 tower at the field and asked the name of the cadet leading a formation overhead. 'Guess' came the reply. The major was plenty hot until he learned he was really talking to Aviation Cadet Roy Guess."

Optician
 "The marine was recounting his experience to a dear old lady when she interrupted him. 'But what rank did you hold?' she asked. 'Ship's optician, lady,' was the reply. 'Ship's optician? I never knew there was such a rank in the Navy. What did your duty consist of?' asked the old lady. 'Scrapping the eyes out of potatoes,' the marine replied.

Mighty Wise
 "There was a man in our town, and he was mighty wise. He swore it was his policy never to advertise. But one day he advertised, and thereby hung a tale. His ad was not in a point type. And he said: 'SMURFERS B.A.L.E.'"

Not So Brilliant
 "Mrs. Keene: 'Your husband is like a brilliant man. I suppose he knows a great thing.' Mrs. Sharp: 'Knows every thing? I should say not. He doesn't even understand me.'"

Renewing Acquaintance
 "A minister was riding on a train when a big, rough-looking fellow came in and sat down beside him. The newcomer sized up the preacher awhile, then exclaimed: 'Where in hell have I seen you before?'" "To which the minister replied: 'I don't know. What part of hell are you from?'"

What the Doctor Ordered
 Doctor: "Great Heaven! Who stuffed that towel in the patient's mouth?" Nurse: "I did, doctor. You said the main thing was to keep her quiet."

Cause and Effect
 "Dear Tom: 'Come over tomorrow evening sure. Dad is at home, but he is laid up with a very sore foot. See? Mary?'" "Dear Mary: 'I can't come tomorrow evening. I'm laid up on account of your father's name sore foot. See? Tom?'"

Army Blang
 "The War Department Bureau of Public Relations has compiled an official glossary of military slang. Perhaps to help us understand Johnny's new lingo when he comes marching home. 'Blang flying'—A date with a girl you have never seen. 'Blang flying'—Talking aviation in barracks. 'Blang flying'—Talking aviation in barracks. 'Blang flying'—Talking aviation in barracks."

High Explosive Efficiency
 "An Air Mail Warden: 'For incendiary bombs you should have two buckets of sand and a long handled shovel.' Householder: 'But what if it happens to be a high explosive bomb?'" Warden: "You won't need the sand and the shovel."

Newlyweds
 Mr. Newlywed: "How did you make those biscuits, honey?" Mrs. Newlywed: "Why, I made them from a recipe clipped from a magazine." Mr. Newlywed (examining clipping): "Are you sure you read the right side? The other side tells how to make a rock garden."

Old Bill Much Better
 Sigma Pi (to old member): "How is old Bill these days?" Grand: "O, he's much better since his operation." Sigma Pi: "Operation. I didn't know he'd had one." Grand: "O, haven't you heard about it? They removed a brass rail that had been protruding against his foot for years."

Classification Conveys Aircraft Cadet

(Continued from page 2) ing to abilities. Only those are they beginning to come into the final stages of finished pilots, navigators and bombardiers. In the lower third in psychological tests contained the majority of the applicants, the Air Corps officers have the answer to their long-time prayer.

"Grant that there may be some way to reduce the elimination," preliminary reports indicate that the new tests will furnish part of the distinction which makes some men better bombardiers or navigators than pilots. No boy who wants to be a pilot is compelled to be a bombardier or a navigator. This fighter aviation is all voluntary.

So there is a "fourth" where every boy can go if he thinks he knows better than his officers what he is best qualified for. The court is three men: pilot, bombardier and navigator. They have had actual flying experience, but they are still young enough to appreciate the kid's side. This court passes with or without a pilot's license. It is a class and not a grade. When a man makes out of classification center he has really made his own choice.

The keels of Navy mine sweepers being built in Seattle are made from single, solid pieces of wood 110 feet long. Hugo Douglas fir trees are the source of the keels. The trees were more readily available at the time the Navy was building, but now stand 100 to 175 feet on the slopes of Mt. Rainier. In the lumber mill the logs must be played up a 180-foot curving, and the logs are necessary. So highly does the government value these fir trees that they have been "frozen" and can be used only in the war effort. —New York Herald Tribune.

The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death. —1 Cor. 15: 26

Great Rationing

When meat rationing begins, people must be thrifty with their ration stamp points in order to get the most nourishment from their purchases. Lean beef, lamb and veal have about the same nourishing value, although their point value may vary according to the national supply of each. So if roast beef takes more points than roast lamb, it is thrifter to buy the lamb, just as it would be thrifter to buy the lamb if its money cost were less.

Pork is somewhat of an exception. Lean pork has more of the vitamin B1 complex than other lean meats. Offsetting this advantage somewhat is the fact that pork requires long cooking which destroys some of these vitamins. Just how much vitamin value is lost in the cooking of pork has not been definitely established. Until it is established, the housewife can probably rely on point and penny thrift in selecting between pork, beef, veal and lamb, without worrying over the vitamin value.

Differences in cuts of meats should also be considered in purchasing with points. The rule here is that cheaper cuts, in money, are just as nourishing as more expensive ones, and this will probably also apply to cuts that are cheap in points. Most important to remember is that the unrefined meats, called variety meats or organ meats, have the highest nutritional value. Liver, kidney, heart, sweet breads and brains are included in this group.

Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. —Rom. 5: 1

Carrier Pigeons Fielding to Win War

Because a homing pigeon's ceiling is about 10,000 feet, the Army Signal Corps has developed a cage with an automatic opening device which allows the birds to be dropped from scout planes flying at tremendous heights. Carrier pigeons are being used increasingly to send messages from reconnaissance planes forced to keep radio silence. Above 10,000 feet, however, the air is too thin for the birds to fly.

So the Signal Corps rigged up a canvas-covered wire cage in which the pigeon is put before it is dropped overhead. The cage falls to any desired height before it opens automatically. Pigeons also are carried to send messages back to the base in case the planes are forced down. Commandos and paratroopers operating behind enemy lines also use them instead of radio, which would give their position to the enemy. The birds can carry a 1,000-word message on a photograph film.

Diet Committee Concluded

No one was much surprised when the House, by a vote of 202 to 94, gave the Diet Committee to investigate the American diet another two-year lease on life. Virtually nothing connected with the Diet Committee during its four and one-half years of existence has been non-controversial. The renewal of its tenure was in exception. It was accomplished by the usual billiard ball. Better denunciations from some members of Congress who supposedly despise the committee and all it stands for, and

Why is everybody heading for BIG SPRING?

By SHINE PAINTS

Poultry News

Adequate Nesting Boxes
 An egg is a day's work for a hen and it is important to find out why a hen will not lay. The poultryman should provide enough nests that hens will not be forced into the same nest. A nest box should be ready to receive an egg as soon as the egg is laid. The nest box should be clean and dry and should be sprayed with a general farm disinfectant. Pleasant smelling disinfectants are best, which makes the job more acceptable. A disinfectant doesn't have to smell like heaven to be effective.

Medicine Checks Water
 Chickens are busy little "pickers-uppers," always picking up things that may upset their systems, and this often leads to infections of a more serious nature. Since the internal organs of chickens are very sensitive, even the healthiest chicks will come down with bowel trouble if managed. Practically all disorders of this nature in chicks may be avoided by following a dependable, health-producing program at all times, and a successful poultry raiser. Such a program should include a method of protecting your chicks by providing them with reliable medication in their drinking water. There is no simpler or more effective method of providing chicks the proper medication against intestinal disorders than the drinking water method. It should be the first step in every poultry raiser's program for building up a healthy, profitable flock of heavy-laying pullets.

LARGEST U. S. APPROVED HATCHERY
 IN HATCHERIES RECALIBRATED

"I'd walk many a mile just to hand him these Camels!"

It's the most welcome gift you can send him... a carton of Camels—the soldiers' favorite

SURE, you'd rather hand them to him... but you don't have to see him to know that he'll appreciate a carton of Camels.

For with men in all the services, cigarettes are a gift they want most from home.

And when you send him Camels—the mild, slow-burning cigarette—you're sending the brand men in the service prefer. Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard—the favorite is Camel. And though there are Post Office restrictions on packages to overseas Army men, you can still send Camels to soldiers in the U. S., and to men in the Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard wherever they are.

MAYBE HE WANTS the C.D. of the Army—maybe the line of the Navy and Coast Guard—or the fierce green of the Marines—it's all the same: Camels with that mouthless "I'd walk a mile for..." flavor, will be welcome as often as you can send them. So send him a carton of Camels today.

Send him Camels

First in the Service

Texas Farm News Reports

Figures released in Washington last January reveal that the county ranked first in cotton production for 1942 with 12,845 bales. Llanos county was second with 11,000 bales and Nueces third with 10,000 bales.

Increased quotas of farm acreage have been allocated for many Texas counties according to R. F. Vance, chairman of the USDA War Relocation Administration. The number of acres available for cotton, wheat and other crops will be increased.

Home, Barrow, of Elgin county, and Walter Matthews, of Andrews, Andrews county, have reported 90 per cent control of ox warble with the application of sulphur. The last according to County Agent H. L. Atkin.

Henry Bock, Madison county, winner of the Wilson award for Texas county on cotton, has been selected as the finest growing cotton in the United States. Bock's 1942 crop produced 100 per cent of the Wilson award.

Plans are being drawn to expand the sugar beet crop next year in the shallow bed method of West Texas. Shippers of more than 2,000 tons from the region around Dalhart, Lockhart and Dalhart appear gratified with results.

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Relaxation of restrictions against construction of artificial levees has been announced by the War Relocation Administration in Texas in order to provide services for a large number of farms. The period will end April 30.

Lawrence of the Agricultural Extension Service, Rio Grande Valley, has recently arranged to plant considerable acreage to a variety of cotton in response to a governmental plan for staple of this type. The growers have been asked to identify their crops to the crop.

Major Guy L. Jones, county 4-H club member, reported a large demonstration which his brother, Hodson, was called to witness. Hodson's prize was a 200-pound steer and four head of cattle.

Plans for a large county fair by the Fair Trade Chamber of Commerce for distribution of thousands of pine seedlings to farmers and landowners of Anderson county. Acceptance of the seedlings involves a pledge to plant and protect them.

The Brownwood Bulletin recently printed a report on a cow who had brought large quantities of hogs to market. Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Siders, who have been blacked from an original investment of \$100 in breeding stock, only in 1941 a total of \$1,642 worth of hogs were sold with a profit in excess of \$1,000.

Approximate April 1, C. C. King believes that the total weight of a 100-pound pig was a "good start" toward reaching the goal of 200 pounds of meat to be produced by each acre of land in the county by 1944.

Joseph, 20 pigs brought \$1,000 for a profit, after deduction of all expenses, gave him a profit of \$811.10.

Think ball worm infestation has been discovered in Live Oak county by D. M. Eassey, of the USDA, with the result that local quarantine regulations were amended February 10. The control area in this section now has been extended to include minor parts of Live Oak and McMullen counties. Eighteen other counties already were in the area.

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A. D. Scott, of Edinburg, Va., paid \$6,900 for a three-year-old head of a purebred Shorthorn bull in the recent sale of the Texas Stock and Breeders' Association.

Producers can realize a 10 per cent increase in profits by control of cattle prices, according to R. H. Heath, county agent of Smith county. Mr. Heath explained the national need for an increase in beef and pork production.

W. C. Dysart, of Mellan (Collin county), reported recently that one Cheshire White sow had produced 50 pigs for him in 1942 in three litters of 16, 22 and 10.

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2. Do not fly your kite with wet string or in damp weather.
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4. Do not climb poles to get tangled kites.
5. Do not pole sticks at tangled kites or try to pull them down by their tails.
6. Fly your kite in open fields away from power lines and busy highways.

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