

Fort Corregidor, Raided by Japs



Huge 12-inch mortar guns manned by United States coast artillery gunners at Fort Corregidor, in Manila bay, Philippine Islands, which was bombed by Japs. In one attack, in which 21 enemy planes participated, four bombers were shot down by anti-aircraft fire from the heavily guarded fortress.

Farwell School Will Continue 5-Day Plan

The Farwell school will complete the present term on the regular 5-day-a-week schedule, it was decided Monday night, when the school board had the matter under consideration.

The idea of a 6-day-a-week school had been advanced over the State of Texas, as a means of relieving the labor shortage next spring, when the farmers will be needing help in their spring planting operations.

By adopting the 6-day program, the Farwell school would complete the term on May 1st, as compared to the regular closing time on May 15th.

A canvass of the local scholastics revealed that only 33 out of an enrollment of 245 would actually do farm work if given the opportunity.

The school board also agreed to start school at 10 a. m. and dismiss at 5 p. m., when the daylight saving plan goes into effect on Feb. 9th.

The literary events of the inter-scholastic league program were disposed of this year by an action of the board. This action does not apply to track and field events and volleyball, all of which are required under the state program.

Supt. J. T. Carter reported that many counties in Texas has already dropped the literary events, and it was his opinion that all schools of Paramer county would likewise this year. He reported that only five students in the local school had manifested any interest in literary events this year.

Registration Duties Will Be Explained

W. H. Graham, chairman of the Paramer County Selective Service Board, today stated that he would meet with the school superintendents and principals at Oklahoma Lane tonight (Wednesday) to explain the proceedings of the third registration which will be held on Feb. 16.

A meeting of all such school officials of Paramer county has been scheduled for tonight, and the registration proceedings will be explained to these in attendance.

Under the plan already mapped out and agreed to, the schools of the county will be dismissed for the day and Feb. 16, and the teachers will be used as registration clerks in the various school districts of the county.

Most of the school teachers of the county assisted in the first registration and are familiar with the details, Graham said. However, the third registration procedure differs slightly from the original plan, in some respects.

Heads of schools—superintendents and principals—will be named chief registrars in their respective communities under the plan mapped out for the forthcoming registration, and it will be their responsibility to administer the oaths and supervise other details to their assistants.

Protect Your Auto Stamp

As a means of protecting your Federal auto stamp from being stolen, officers at the Farwell postoffice have suggested that your name, the motor number, and other information be written in ink on the back of your stamp—not on the face.

Another suggestion is that all stamps should be thoroughly guled on, instead of using the regular mangle on the gum-paper stamp.

No provision has been made to replace lost or stolen stamps, it was announced locally.

17 Truck And Tractor Tires Rationed Here

Seventeen truck and tractor tires were rationed to Paramer county motorists and farmers last Wednesday, when the County Rationing Board was in session here.

Certificates to purchase 15 tractor and truck tubes were also issued by the board. No passenger or trailer tires were rationed at the last meeting, all certificates being confined to trucks, tractors and pick-ups.

Those receiving certificates on Wednesday were:

- J. I. Gober, 2 tractor tires.
- E. C. McNeill, two tractor tires, 1 tractor tube.
- G. T. Watkins, 1 truck tire, 1 truck tube.
- Carl Zoch, 1 tractor tire, 1 tractor tube.
- J. F. Foster, 1 pick-up tube.
- Ira Waincott, 1 pick-up tire, 1 pick-up tube.
- O. W. Rhinehart, 2 pick-up tires, 1 pick-up tube.
- B. E. Roberson, 1 pick-up tire.
- Roy Euler, 1 implement tire, 1 implement tube.
- H. T. Edwards, 2 truck tires, 2 truck tubes.
- J. P. Miller, 1 pick-up tire.
- Roy J. Johnson, 1 pick-up tire.
- E. V. Isham, 2 tractor tires.

Dogs And Chickens Up For Discussion

Dogs and chickens came in for their share of discussion and trouble to the town dads, when the Texico town council held its regular meeting, Monday night.

All of which resulted in the council as going on record that all dogs permitted to roam the streets of Texico must have a 1942 license tag, and that henceforth chickens would not be allowed to run at large.

The town marshal was instructed to investigate violations, and give the owners an opportunity to comply with the town ordinance.

The Selective Service Medical Division reports that 20 percent of its rejections were for dental defects and nearly 24% for defective eyes.

Business Hours to Remain Unchanged

Poll Tax Payments Show Decline Here

First Aid Class Begins Bovina Monday Nite

The opening round in the preparation of women for home defense work will be started next Monday evening, February 9th, when the initial first aid class in Paramer county will begin, under the direction of Clarence O. Smith, certified instructor.

Mrs. Florence Wallace, chairman of the work in the county, said today that a large number of women in this area had signified their intention of participating in the course, which will be held twice weekly—Monday and Friday—at the Bovina school building.

The evening classes will last for a period of two hours, and an attendant must finish twenty hours of work before she is eligible for the advanced course, Smith has announced. This advance course, he went on to say, is necessary before a student may take final work for preparation as an instructor, or to enroll in a contemplated motor corps unit.

In view of the fact that only one teacher is available in this county, local officials contacted headquarters of the Red Cross, asking if residents on the Texas side of the line could be admitted to classes in Clovis, and Mrs. Wallace said this week that she had been notified that this would be granted.

Since Smith may have more enrollees than he can handle at one time, it was thought likely that some local women would attend classes in Clovis. However, Mrs. Wallace said today, "it may be some time before we can get in over there (Clovis) as I understand they are pretty rushed right now."

Gather At Beauty Shop
Miss Elsie Cunningham, one of the committee members of the AWVS, asked today that all women who wished to go to Bovina next Monday evening for the class meet at the Vanity Fair Beauty Shop, in Farwell. Since the class is to begin at 7:30, it will be necessary that local residents gather before seven, she added.

37 Selectees Called For Physical Exams

A total of 37 Paramer county selectees have been called to report for their first physical examinations today. Twenty two of this number will be examined by Dr. V. Scott Johnson, local examining physician, and the remaining 15 will be transferred to other examining doctors over the country.

Those called to report to Dr. Johnson today (Wednesday) are:

- Watson Whaley, Thomas Alexander Williams, Mac Lewis Phipps, Francis Joseph Huber, Lee Elzie Godsey, Charlie William Dotson, Fearless Elder Galloway, Juel Samuel Owens, George Templer, Nicol's Martinez, Guy S. Latta, Jerry Loyd Erand, Thomas L. Whaley, Loyd Scott Kirkpatrick, Olin William White, David Bender, Laurence Gray, Allen Luzon McGee, Chester Green Butler, Juan Harry Eskew, Jessie Cleveland Stowers, George Roy Compher.

Selectees who have been transferred to other boards for their first physicals include:

- Marvin Elbert Key, John Roland Silvertooth, Eimer Finis Kirkpatrick, Walter Thomas Jasper, Joseph Milford Alexander, Benicio Guerrero, Alvis Eugene Maples, Lee Elmer Euler, R. T. Harbour, Otha Dennis Garrett, George Edward Garlets, James Clovis Griffin, Joe Frank Miller, Corbin Ruby Hart, Jackson Kern Radford.

TREES BUDDING

The extremely warm weather of the past few days has brought forth swelling buds on fruit trees with indications that they may be in bloom soon if the warm weather continues. Chinese elms are particularly showing the effects of the warm days, putting forth their seeding pods in profusion.

But if the ground hog can be relied on, we are to have at least six weeks of cold weather before spring.

Tribune Job Printing Is Best

Rubber—Goodspeed



From the alkaline deserts of the West, America can harvest half a billion pounds of natural rubber to offset the Jap grab at Indies, claims Dr. T. Harper Goodspeed, University of California scientist. He is shown here with "rabbit bush," the new rubber plant, which may reach life-saving status in this war.

Funeral Rites For Mrs. Dycus Set For Feb. 5th

Tentative arrangements as announced by members of the family, have set the funeral services for Mrs. Fannie Dycus at 2 o'clock Thursday, at the Baptist church, with Rev. W. C. Wright pastor, in charge.

Mrs. Dycus died at the family home Monday evening at 7:30, after a lingering illness.

She had been a resident of Farwell for more than 25 years. Burial, under the direction of the Steed Mortuary, will be made in the Farwell cemetery by the side of her husband who died here six years ago.

Of her immediate family, she is survived by four children and five step-children: Bernal Dycus Clovis; Nova Lois Dycus, Timy Dycus and Julius Dycus, all of Farwell. Step-children include: Ralph Dycus, Lubbock; Mrs. Mildred Morrow Brandon, Miss.; Andy Dypson, Santa Fe; Connell Dycus, Amarillo.

Other survivors include three brothers and three sisters, Julius Dycus, Albert, Okla.; Harvey White, Prairie Grove, Ark.; Vasco White, Arkansas City, Kans.; Miss Hester White, Hulbert, Okla.; Mrs. Josie Craig, Wagner, Okla.; Mrs. Mary McGowan, Wagner, Okla.

Ted Brock Wins Home Beautification Award

Ted Brock, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brock of Bovina, was awarded a gold medal, last week, denoting the first place ranking in the 4-H club home beautification contest in the county.

County Agent Lee H. McElroy made the announcement and presented the medal at a community meeting in Bovina.

A club member for three years, young Ted entered the home beautification contest last summer, and did work with trees, shrubs, lawn and some flowers at his home place. Announcement of winners was made from state headquarters last week.

BILL ROBERTS PASSES

Bill Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Roberts of the Roberts Seed Company, successfully passed his examination for a flying cadet at Dallas last week, it was learned here on Tuesday. Bill had been previously turned down, due to overweight. He is expected to receive his call to report for training within the next few days.

Although clocks in Texico-Farwell will be advanced a full hour in accordance with the daylight-savings Act, on Feb. 9th, business and professional concerns will continue to operate on the usual (sun) time as in the past, a survey revealed here this week.

Both local schools will open at 10 a. m., under the new schedule, and will dismiss at 5 p. m., school officials advised. Dismissal for the lunch hour will be at 1 p. m.

Bank officers said their place of business would be opened at 10 a. m. and close at 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, when the banking hours will be from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

All county offices will operate in accordance with the plan outlined above, opening at 9:30 and closing at 5:30 under the new schedule.

Undecided as yet on the opening and closing hours was Mrs. Noma Lokey, at the Farwell postoffice, who said her schedule would have to be worked out with the Star Route mail carrier now operating between Clovis and Lubbock. Mrs. D. J. Brown, a. the Texico postoffice, voiced the opinion she would "string along" with the majority of the business houses here.

Railroad officials said that actually the trains would be advanced a full hour according to the clock, but the sun time for their operation would remain the same.

Most local business men held to the opinion that to advance the actual time of doing business here a full hour would be to defeat the very purpose of the act, pointing out, as an example, that it would be folly to start school when the sun is barely creeping above the horizon.

32 Dairy Cattle Are Featured In Auction

Thirty-two dairy cattle will be featured at a big community public sale, to be held at the J. H. Barger farm 2½ miles east of Larist on Tuesday, Feb. 10.

The sale will start promptly at 10:30 a. m., with the ladies of the Oklahoma Lane community serving lunch at noon.

At least three farmers are contributing stock and chattels to the sale, which makes up one of the largest sales listings to be offered here in recent years.

In addition to the dairy cattle, a number of hogs and horses and mules will likewise go up for auction. Some few household goods are listed, and quite a large list of miscellaneous items will be offered to the highest bidder.

Farm Home Destroyed By Fire On Saturday

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore, some 15 miles northeast of here, was destroyed by fire shortly before noon on Saturday of last week.

The building and practically all contents were a complete loss. Only a few pieces of furniture and some clothing was rescued from the blaze.

Reports reaching here are to the effect that the fire is believed to have been caused when an oil range exploded, after it had mistakenly been filled with gasoline instead of kerosene.

Mrs. Moore and two daughters, Mozell and Zula, were the only members of the family present when the fire started. Mrs. Moore was burned about the face and forehead, but her burns are not considered serious.

Miss Mozell, who is recuperating from a recent operation, rushed to the Ed Meeks home to summon aid, and it is reported she suffered ill effects from exhaustion.

Ford Leases Produce House To Friona Man

Ray Ford, who has operated the Ford Produce company in Farwell for the past 11 years, has leased his business to Cecil Malone, of Friona, with the latter taking over the business on Monday.

The business is in charge of Arden Parsons, who has been transferred here from Friona.

Ford stated today that he had no definite plans regarding his future activities, although he indicated he would probably go to California. He said the family would remain here until after the close of school in the spring, in any event.

Mr. Malone has a produce house at Friona, and also operates a small creamery in that city, in addition to having a produce house in Santa Fe, N. M.

Former Local Citizen Dies In Clovis, Friday

R. H. Young, 66, for many years a citizen and local business man, died in a Clovis hospital Friday afternoon. He had been ill only a short time and died shortly after reaching the hospital.

For the past few years he had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Daisy Anderson, northeast of Clovis.

Young formerly lived in Texico, and at one time was engaged in the lumber business with K. K. Runnels of that city.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Clovis, Monday morning, with the Rev. J. T. Barbee officiating. The Steed Mortuary took the body to Floydada, where burial was made Monday afternoon.

Survivors are: Mrs. Anderson, another daughter, Mrs. Bessie Tolbert, Eristow, Okla.; and two sons, Claude, Alamogordo, and Raymond, Clovis. A sister, Mrs. Elmer Jones, Shawnee, Okla.; and a brother, Elmer, Fort Worth, also survive.

Texico Teachers Will Help In Registration

School will be dismissed and the teachers will assist throughout the day in registering men under the coming Selective Service registration, February 16, Supt. L. A. Hartley, of the Texico school, reported this morning.

Hartley announced that he was in receipt of a letter from Judge Otto Smith of Clovis, chairman of the registration board in Curry county, asking that the teachers assist in the registration, a plan which is being adopted in many areas over this section.

In view of the fact that registration hours are from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m., no classes will be held during the entire day, while the teachers are busy with registration at the school building.

Co. Board Approves Bus Drivers Contracts

The Paramer county school board was in session here, Monday, for the primary purpose of approving bus drivers' contracts for the year of 1942.

County Judge Lee Thompson, who is secretary of the county board, stated that the body also discussed the matter of a six-day school week and the change of time as affecting the various schools of the county, and then went on record as leaving those matters up to the local school boards.

The county school board took the position that it would approve any settlement of these problems the various local school boards might adopt.

The W. N. Phillips cafe in Texico has been closed. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are arranging a line of variety goods and novelties, which they will carry in the future.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

A.E.F. Takes Over Northern Ireland Base As U. S. and British Form Supply Pool; Jap Convoy Blasted in Macassar Strait; Hawaii Report Blames U. S. Commanders

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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Justice Owen J. Roberts is shown (left) talking to newsmen after laying before President Roosevelt the report on the Pearl Harbor attack. Made public in its entirety by the President, the report fixed responsibility on Adm. Husband E. Kimmel and Lieut. Gen. Walter C. Short for "dereliction of duty." Justice Roberts was chairman of the commission of six that visited Hawaii.

OVER THERE:

New A.E.F. in Erin

When Uncle Sam landed an infantry force of several thousand men at an undisclosed port in Northern Ireland, it marked the first arrival of American troops in a European port since World War No. 1. Commanded by Maj. Gen. Russell P. Hartle, the Yank army of brawny, clean-limbed farm lads from the Middle West proceeded to camps prepared months before.

Few doubted that this detachment was but the advance guard of many more to come. It was believed, too, that the base they occupied might be the springboard from which an invasion of Hitler's Europe would be made.

This view was voiced in the address of welcome by Sir Archibald Sinclair, British air secretary, who said:

"This is a coming portent for Mr. Hitler, nor will its significance be lost on General Tojo.

"From here, assuredly you will rally forth with us to carry the war to the enemy's territory and free oppressed peoples of Europe. . . . You are the vanguard of American arms."

SUPPLY COMMAND:

U. S.-British Pool

The creation of a supreme allied supply command that will speed and co-ordinate the production and flow of vital munitions and supplies to the fighting fronts was seen in the announcement by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill that the United States and Great Britain will pool all munitions, shipping and war materials to "further co-ordination of the United Nation's war effort."

Three joint boards have been set up to merge the combined war resources of the two nations and make them partners in vital fields of supply in addition to joint military and naval commands. These new agencies will include a combined war materials board, munitions assignment board and combined shipping adjustment board.

Board members, it was announced, will confer with representatives of the Soviet Union, China and such others of the 26 United Nations as necessary "to attain common purposes."

SHIPS:

Japan Losing Them

The British, Dutch and American bombers and ships of war were not formally coming to grips with large bodies of Japanese naval ships, but they were whittling away at them, and Japan's losses were assuming important proportions.

A count of Japanese ships reported sent to the bottom in the first seven weeks of the war totaled 100, not counting those damaged and probably sunk.

This, it was pointed out, has been an average of better than two a day, despite the fact that when the war started Japan had the jump on the other nations by virtue of the surprise, and that opening successes had weakened the allied hitting power.

A continuation of this rate, observers said, would cost Japan more than 700 vessels of all types, and that no navy in the world, except the United States, could stand replacing such losses.

Latest exploit was an attack by air and sea forces of the United Nations against Jap war ships and troop convoys in the Straits of Macassar. Reported as the greatest demonstration of combined Allied might since the war's beginning, this force was revealed to have sunk or damaged at least 26 Japanese ships in a running battle.

Aid for Aussies



Australian Minister Richard G. Casey, arriving at the White House to confer with President Roosevelt on plans to aid Australia in its battle against Japan. Japanese advance troops have already occupied key island outposts of the Commonwealth.

PAN-AMERICA:

Half-Loaf Won?

What had first looked like a half-loaf victory for American diplomacy at the Pan-American conference at Rio de Janeiro, was gradually assuming the proportions of a larger loaf.

Most of the South American and Central American countries had gone to Rio intent on a solid-front breach with the Axis. Some already had broken relations, some had declared a state of war.

But Argentina and Chile had remained adamant. Whether that meant simply long coastlines to worry about, or Axis leanings, or economic hopings made little difference.

Enormous pressure was brought to bear, but they would not go "whole hog" along with the rest. Finally, in true diplomatic management, our conferees managed to pull out the plum of a resolution which committed all nations to a breach of relations, but allowed any individual to do so at a time he might select.

Uruguay and Peru were the first to sever relations, followed by Paraguay and Bolivia. The lineup following the breakup of the conference was "At War": United States, Canada, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama and Salvador.

"Broken Relation": Colombia, Mexico, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela, Paraguay and Bolivia. Only four maintained any form of normal intercourse, namely, Chile, Ecuador, Brazil and Argentina. It was regarded as certain that the first three would soon sever relations and that the fourth, Argentina, would eventually take this step.

AUSTRALIA:

Readies for Defense

Despite the heroic fight on land before Singapore, and the strenuous efforts being made to gain air supremacy and control of the long Malayan coasts, most commentators and observers actually believed the "island city of apathy" would eventually be besieged from the mainland, and might well be lost.

This intensified the belief in Australia and in many American quarters that the real battle of the South Pacific would center on the east coast of Australia.

Some trained observers, among them W. W. Chaplin, who had made a year's close study of the East Indies and Australia, including Singapore, publicly expressed the belief that Java and Sumatra constituted a "Magnet line" of defense in the East Indies, and that Japan was intent, in taking the Philippines, Singapore and Borneo on so surrounding and going behind that line that they might attempt to duplicate Germany's similar feat against France.

SQUADRON:

Wiped Out

Despite the attacks by Japanese and Thailanders in the rear of the main Malaya battle for Singapore upon the British-American-Chinese defenders of Burma "the modern roads to Mandalay" had reported a two-day "bag" of 32 Japanese bombers, believed to be an entire squadron.

While military secrecy covered the development of the land attack, thousands of Burmese, wild with delight, watched the American and British fighters in mad dog-fights overhead at mid-day,

MISCELLANY:

New York: A Berlin worker's slogan, smuggled out of the Reich, was broadcast: "We're winning ourselves to death."

Batavia: The Dutch army airmen, in an attack on a convoy in Macassar strait claimed that they struck a large transport carrying troops, which turned completely over and rolled about, keel upward.



FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger B. Whitman
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Enclosing Cellar Stairs

A FIRE hazard that is quite common in residences is due to the cellar stairs being under the stairs to the second floor. In the event of a cellar fire the draft up the cellar stairs would carry the flames to the under side of the stairs above, which in burning out, would leave the bedroom windows as the only escape for people trapped there. The best remedy for this condition would be the moving of the cellar stairs to a distant corner of the cellar. Another remedy is the enclosing of the cellar stairs with fireproof or at least slow burning materials; asbestos board, two or three thicknesses of plasterboard, or something similar. In addition to this, there should be a fireproof or slow-burning door from the cellar to the enclosure. With this door left open, however, the enclosure would be useless. For this reason it should have a spring or weight to keep it closed. With the stairs thus protected, a fire would be confined to the cellar for a long enough time to organize an effective fight against it.

Hot Water Relief Valve

Question: I have just installed a stoker in my hot water house heating boiler, to which is attached a 30-gallon tank for running hot water. With the constant heat of the stoker, is there any danger that the tank might explode?

Answer: If your source of hot water is a coil or a knuckle in the fire-box of your boiler, explosion is a possibility, because of the possible formation of steam. If there is no check valve or meter in the cold water supply line, you will be fairly safe, because pressure developed in the tank will cause the water to back up into the main. With a check valve or meter you should put a relief valve on the tank to release the pressure before it becomes high enough to make trouble. This relief valve should be on the hot water outlet of the tank; not on the cold water inlet.

Soiled Paint

Question: Paint on our house is in good condition, but is darkened by smoke and soot. What can we use for cleaning it?

Answer: Scrub with any mild soap. You could also use a solution of one or two tablespoons of trisodium phosphate in a pail of water, for this chemical is destructive of grease. Begin washing at the bottom and go upward. If you begin at the top and work down, dirty water running over the dry paint will make streaks that cannot be taken out. Follow by thorough rinsing with clear water.

Floor Cleaning

Question: Floors that were sanded and waxed are not marked, but black with dirt. How can they be cleaned before re-waxing?

Answer: You can use liquid wax—not water wax—which will soften the wax on the floor and permit it, with the dirt, to be wiped up. It is probable that some of the dirt has gone into the wood, and washing with soap and water may be necessary. Wax does not give much protection to wood, because dirt will go through. The bare wood should have a coating of shellac, varnish or seal before waxing.

Fumigation

Question: In trying to rid my bedroom of bedbugs, fumigation with hydrocyanic gas was recommended. I have a formula, but do not know how to use it or where to get the ingredients. Will you inform me?

Answer: Do not under any circumstances attempt to use hydrocyanic gas, because of its deadliness. To breathe it would be fatal. In cities its use is permitted only by licensed fumigators. I am sending you a leaflet on the control of bedbugs that I am sure will be helpful, and which does not involve anything dangerous.

Refinishing Copper Pots

Question: The lining of our old copper pots has been worn through, and food that stands in them becomes contaminated. How can the pots be restored to usefulness?

Answer: The usual lining of copper pots is tin. The process of lining is difficult, and an excellent substitute would be to have the inside of the pots plated with chromium. This job can be done by plating shops at no great expense. Any garage can give you the name and address of one in your neighborhood.

Paint for Bricks

Question: Our house is rough red brick. We would like to paint it white, but my husband thinks that white paint would not last. What do you advise?

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UTILITY SENSATIONS

The hard-hitting Truman committee hasn't got around to the matter yet, but some hot sensations are in store when the committee digs into the dollar-a-year-man handling of the power phases of the war production program.

For years one of the hottest issues in Washington has been the power lobby. It has been repeatedly investigated, and several years ago, after fierce legislative battles, the federal power and holding company laws were enacted to curb the lobby.

The Truman committee has confidential information that today this lobby is more powerfully entrenched in the capital than ever before.

For months, it has been operating directly inside the government, formulating and running the power policy of the OPM, which was until last week the key war production agency.

The OPM power division is not only manned with utility officials, but they are still on the payrolls of private power companies. In other words, while presumably working for the government, they are actually paid employees of the utilities.

After being deluged with complaints that the utility-ruled OPM power division was secretly aiding independent rural power co-ops, the house appropriations committee questioned J. A. Krug, head of the division, on these charges.

Krug defended his staff, but the committee, unconvinced, ordered him to submit a detailed report on his dollar-a-year assistants, including the amount of salaries they are drawing from utility companies while working for the government.

Two months have elapsed since Krug promised to produce this important information and so far he has not done so.

All the committee has received was a cagey letter from John Lord O'Brien, former corporation attorney who is OPM general counsel, giving a list of the power division's personnel, but has nothing about their private salaries. However, the little information O'Brien did disclose speaks volumes.

It shows that no less than 18 key officials in Krug's division are dollar-a-year and "WOC" (without compensation) men, who are still on private utility payrolls.

Note: Appropriation committee members estimate that the total pay these men draw from power companies is more than \$250,000 a year. War Production Chief Donald Nelson has privately indicated he will houseclean Krug's unit.

BAD FILMS FOR GOOD NEIGHBORS

Young Nelson Rockefeller, who on the whole has done a good job for Pan-American cultural relations, has bogged down badly on films for our Pan-American neighbors. His Museum of Modern Art, which was supposed to do this, has been laboring for nine months at a cost of \$15,000 per month to the government—and finally has brought forth a mouse.

Rockefeller and Jock Whitney are getting a large dose of criticism about this because they personally are interested in the Museum and have permitted an amateur group to run the show—into the ground.

Without benefit of competitive bidding or any system of checks and balances, amateur after amateur in the Museum has tackled the job of deciding what kind of films should be sent to Latin-America. Here is a cross section of the results so far:

"Better Dresses Fifth Floor," "A Child Went Forth," "The City," and "Power and The Land"—all utterly unsuited and without objective for South America.

Some reasonably good commercial films have been donated, such as "U. S. Steel," "Greyhound Bus," "General Electric Excursions in Science," and "The American Can Company's Silver Millions." Also Hollywood has handed over a group of pictures, such as "Eyes of the Navy," "Soldiers of the Sky," "The Battle," which are the best pictures that have gone to South America.

Meanwhile the amateurs continue to chatter and muddle over uplifting the films for our Good Neighbors—all at the expense of Uncle Sam.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

☛ Navy Secretary Knox has a bust of Theodore Roosevelt on his desk.
☛ Bakers in the army quartermaster corps are experimenting with "tomato bread," made by adding tomato juice or canned tomatoes (rich in vitamins) to the baking dough.
☛ New York air raid wardens are complaining that every order they receive is countermanded five minutes after it is given.

☛ E. B. Craney, Montana radio man who is a close friend of Senator Wheeler, recently promoted, financed and successfully completed a Red Cross relief drive netting over \$60,000 in 24 hours.

☛ Rep. William S. Hill of Colorado tried to drum up trade for pinto bean growers during his recent visit to Britain. He took with him a large bag of the beans and distributed them among British officials. "I hoped they might include pintos in lend-lease orders," Hill grins, "but the British still prefer their white beans."

Kathleen Norris Says:

This Gentlewoman Should Wed Chauffeur

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)



My father for several years has had a chauffeur named Tony Benito. He is a simple man who has a wonderful mother and family. Tony and I love each other. My mother would be crushed if she knew this.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

HERE is a letter from a young girl that might make some mother thoughtful. Linda sends me her picture with her letter, and it is the picture of a sweet, sensible, pretty creature. She makes no complaint; she only wants some advice. But I think she has been badly treated, and that it is the fault of a selfish father and mother.

"When I was quite little, mother and dad made much of me; I felt that they loved me," writes Linda. "But when I was 10 another man appeared in the family, was there continually, taking mother to lunch or dinner or dancing; I didn't like him very much, and neither did dad. Soon mother explained to me that dad was going away; it made me feel strange and lonely, but of course I was only a child, and when mother married the man I will call Van she explained to me that it only meant that I had two homes now and three persons to love me instead of two."

"For a year dad and I and my nurse lived together. Mommy and I did the cooking and we were all very happy. But then dad married, and although Elise was kind to me and gave me presents, she talked about my mother's treatment of my father, said she had been cruel to him and worried me so that I was really ill. Mother was expecting a baby then and could not have me so I went to a hospital and from there for years to boarding-school. "My father has always been careless about money, and every quarter I would have to write and remind him to pay my bills, which I think accounts for the fact that I am pretty shy to this day. I hoped to be with my mother in vacations, but instead they arranged for me to go to camp every year."

Inherited Money.

"Please don't think I am complaining," the letter goes on, "but I loved my parents and my home and I used to feel very lonely. My father was divorced again last year; and as I pleaded to be able to be with him and make a home for him he agreed. At 18 I came into some money my grandmother left me; that meant that he and I need have no money troubles. I came home Christmas a year ago and for a few weeks I was completely happy, going downtown independently, having my own car, and feeling free. But my father has changed, is rarely at home, and so I see little of him."

"But my mother was very much annoyed at this arrangement; she said that having sacrificed me all these years for my education she felt that I should be with her, and help out with the family finances. My little half-brother was a strong, beautiful baby, but he got infantile paralysis, and will always need care."

"Van, my stepfather, is not much of a success in business, and my mother misses the luxuries to which she had been accustomed. Altogether she is in a nervous state, and yet she cannot get another divorce because she would get no alimony this time."

Love Comes to Linda.

"Now here is my question: My father for several years has had a chauffeur named Tony Benito; he is a simple man who has a wonderful mother and family. He was married, widowed 10 years ago. I have been to his mother's home several times. They have a restaurant

FOR PARENTS ONLY

Kathleen Norris' advice, this time, is for the parents instead of their erring and wayward children. Here is a case where an apparently blameless child has been denied the love and security she needs by the selfishness of her parents. Unwanted when she was growing up, she is now claimed by both parents for the sake of the money she inherited from her grandmother. But she is in love with her father's chauffeur and wants to marry him. And, surprising as it may be to some, Kathleen Norris advises her to do just that. She may be embarrassed by Tony's limitations, and she will not have the luxuries she has always known, but she will have love and a family bound together by simple good-heartedness. Her parents, divorced for many years, cannot even offer her a home, and in return for the nothing they can give her, they would probably expect to claim all her time, attention—and money.

which the father, daughters and another son manage.

"They are uneducated people, I suppose, talking very little English, and living a very natural home life, with babies, dogs, old grandparents, plenty of good food and good wine, and plenty of love."

"Tony and I love each other. We are happy together. My father probably would want to kill him if he knew this, and I know my mother would be crushed."

"If we married I would take what money I have and invest it in a garage, which Tony has long wanted to buy. We could go along for a few years comfortably on what was left, until he began to make money. We both want children, for all the Benitos love them, and I could never be happy without them."

"Shall I refuse Tony and ask Dad to let him go, join my mother and become a nurse to my little half-brother, whom I would come to adore, I know, or make this marriage? Please help me."

Parents Want Her Now.

Now, you parents who submit loving sensitive small girls to the miseries of your own marital failures and changes among those who seem to them faultless, what do you think of the father and mother who shoved Linda about without any consideration for her loving little heart, her child's love of stability and security, and her child's confidence in her own family?

Now that she is no longer a responsibility and a bother they want her. Now that she is an heiress both father and mother could use her money. And now she has sought companionship and love in strange places and is likely to go out of their lives forever.

My advice to her is to marry Tony. She will be many times embarrassed by his limitations; she may have to apologize for him and for her family.

But she will have love; a real mother and real sisters and brothers, amusement, distraction, companionship, and probably adoration from her husband. She will have children; good strong children born of peasant stock, and she will build a home around them, and have the picnics and trips and birthdays and mothering that her own childhood was denied.

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4. What metal has the highest melting point?
5. American aircraft carriers are named after what?
6. What is the motto of the U. S. marine corps?

The Answers

1. Washington, D. C.
2. Subsiver is a term used by the U. S. treasury to denote small silver coins: half dollars, quarters and dimes.
3. Marble.
4. Tungsten.
5. Famous fighting ships and important battles.
6. Semper Fidelis (always faithful).

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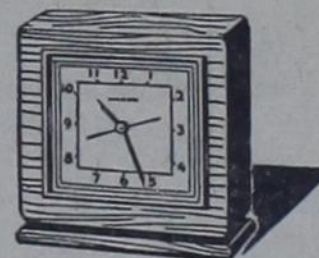
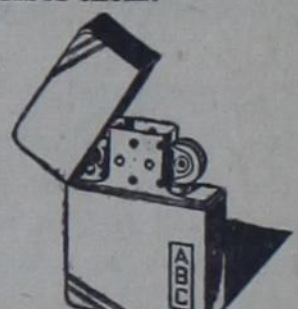


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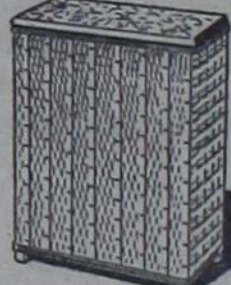
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff, Assessor, Collector: EARL BOOTH (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3: E. W. (ED) MCGUIRE (Re-election)

For County Judge and County School Superintendent: LEE THOMPSON (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk: D. K. ROBERTS (Re-election)

For County Attorney: A. D. SMITH (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: ROY B. EZELL (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4: O. M. JENNINGS (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2: F. T. (FLOYD) SCHLENKER (Re-election)

PLEASANT HILL

The Winkles' family spent Sunday at Blacktower. Mr. and Mrs. Monk Horton visited near Melrose, Sunday. Reports received this week were to the effect that Mr. Pipes was improving. Mrs. Buck Ellison and son, and

youngest daughter were sick Monday. Mrs. Joe Singleberry is suffering from rheumatism, at present. The Brighteners program was well attended and enjoyed Monday night. There was a nice crowd present at the Fundamental Fellowship meeting last Thursday. Delegates from Roswell, Brownwood, Lubbock and several other places were present. The Ladies Club will present a play in the Claude community, Tuesday night.

Hershel Horton had an accident with his truck, Monday shortly after dark, while returning home from hauling grain to Bovina. The lights went out on the truck and it struck the end of the culvert, south of the Parker lake. The truck was slightly disabled and Hershel received a bump on his head.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Colwell and children spent Sunday with A. M. Colwell.

Mr and Mrs. Harry Donahay visited in the Whitener home, Sunday afternoon.

Jimmie Horton, who broke his arm Christmas week, removed the cast the first of the week, to find that it still had not knitted.

LAZBUDDY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Barnes are the proud parents of a baby girl, born at Friona.

The intermediate grades at Lazbuddy are doing their bit to "Keep 'Em Flying". They are buying defense stamps each Friday.

Has McCurdy is now stationed at San Diego, Calif., with the armed forces, having passed the final exam at Oklahoma City.

A bridal shower was given Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Roy White, for Mrs. Clarence Mason, formerly Miss Virgie Tarter. Interesting and comical games were played throughout the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Valton Morris, D. B. Ivy, Jack Julian, Dan Tartar, Della Spitzer, Willie Steinbock, I. G. Roberts, Joe Scott Menefee, W. S. Menefee, and Misses Georgie Tarter and Estelle White. Gifts were sent by Mrs. John Gammon and Mrs. Roy Daniels.

Roy White and W. H. Gammon returned home the latter part of the week from a business trip to Oklahoma. They reported Oklahoma "snowed under" and came back the Southern route.

Ravena Kay came January 28 to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Claudis. Upon her arrival she weighed 8 lbs. Mother and daughter are reported doing fine.

All Planting Seed Should Be Tested

Adverse weather conditions during the past year has caused excessive damage to purity and germination of seeds, according to Lee H. McElroy, county agent. In almost every field from which reports have been obtained, injurious weed seeds and low germination have been found, due to excessive moisture.

McElroy urges that all seed planted have a germination and purity test run on it before planting time. This test is free to the farmer, as he may send the seed to the State Seed Testing Laboratory, Tech College, Lubbock. For the test the cost of transportation of the seeds to Lubbock is the only expense to the farmer. Each sample should be approximately one pound.

Warnings have been given from time to time by various agricultural leaders throughout the South Plains that this is one year farmers should heed the warning and be very careful about buying planting seed. Each sack of planting seed should have a tag containing purity test and germination test. Be sure and read the tag. State certified seeds have such tests run and may be identified by a tag of special form and definite color.

One insurance of obtaining reliable information on planting seed may be secured by buying "from someone you know" or some old reliable seed house, McElroy said. "If you buy your neighbors' seed, tests should be run before planting. Under no circumstances should a farmer buy seed that is not tagged, or those bearing other than a State tag, for in these cases, the seller of the seed is violating the law."

Heavy rains have increased injurious weed seeds—Johnson grass has spread, wild morning glory, cocklebur (cucklebur) and dodder are beginning to spread through fields. Many of these weeds were harvested with the grain and may easily be spread if seeds are not cleaned, and some test run to determine the amount of weeds in the planting seed.

Insurance Takes Guess Out Of Farming

COLLEGE STATION—The guess has been taken out of cotton farming this year, according to Frank B. Seale, state AAA committeeman and Robertson County cotton farmer.

"Heretofore, we've planted cotton and hoped to see it through to harvest, but with insurance it'll be a different story this year," Seale said in pointing out that Federal Crop Insurance protects the potential crop against insect infestation, flood, drought, storms and all other unavoidable hazards.

Insurance does not mean that farmers can plant cotton, let the grass and weeds take it, and sit back and wait to collect, the committeeman said, since insurance does not protect crops against losses caused from poor farming practices or use of inferior seed.

Landlords, tenants and sharecroppers having an interest in a 1942 cotton crop may insure either 50 or 75 percent of their average production. Each interest may be insured independently of the other, the committeeman said. Amounts of premiums will vary since they are based on actual risks of growing cotton on individual farms.

"Insurance is money in the pocket, whether a boll is picked or not. It's just another method Texas farmers are using to get their financial house in good shape," the AAA official said.

Premiums for insurance are due at approximately ginning time and may be paid for in cash, cash equivalent, loss payments if any are made, cotton loans if available, or from AAA checks.

"Farmers who need cash to start cotton crops can use their insurance contracts as collateral because 50 or 75 percent of normal production is already on the dotted line," Seale said.

NOTICE IN PROBATE THE STATE OF TEXAS

To The Sheriff Or Any Constable Of Parmer County, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be posted for ten days, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, at the Courthouse door a copy of the following notice:

The State Of Texas TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN the estate of W. C. King Sr., deceased, H. H. Barlow, administrator, has filed an application in the County Court of Parmer County on the 2nd day of Feb. 1942, for approval of final accounting and order closing estate, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 16th day of Feb. 1942, at the Courthouse of said County, in Farwell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court, the first Monday after service is perfected, this writ with your return thereon, showing



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how you have executed the same. WITNESS my hand and official seal, at Farwell, Texas, this 2nd day of February, 1942.

D. K. ROBERTS, Clerk County Court, Parmer County, Texas. By: DeALVA WHITE, Deputy. (SEAL)

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending Jan. 31, 1942 were 22,365 compared with 17,963 for the same week in 1941. Received from connections were 9,-

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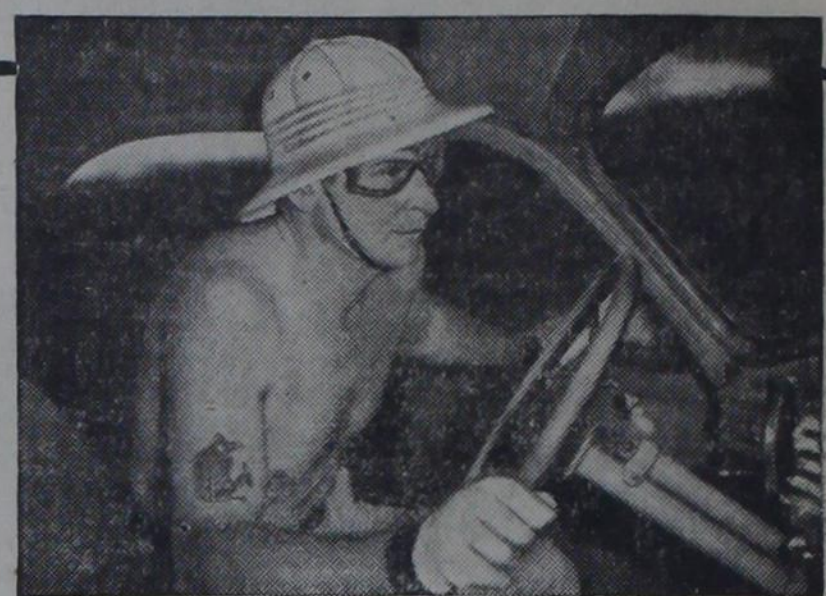
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Looking Toward The Days Ahead

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Naturally, in this emergency the country turns to the telephone for quick communication. Not only are more calls being made from each telephone, but the average length of calls has increased. We are adding new facilities as fast as obtainable where the need exists, but shortage of materials has already curtailed some of these planned additions. First things must be kept first!

We offer these suggestions with an appreciation of your past cooperation:

1. Don't trust to memory or old lists for telephone numbers. A wrong number is a wasted call.
2. Answering your telephone promptly saves time and facilities.
3. Give persons you call enough time to answer.
4. If there are delays on your calls, we hope that you will realize we are exerting every effort to keep them to a minimum.



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THE MAVERICK

Publication of Farwell High School

WHO'S WHO ON THE TEACHING STAFF

We are introducing a new feature to Maverick readers. We have a newcomer on our faculty and she is to be the first of our series of articles on "Who's Who on the Teaching Staff".

A few of her favorites are:
Where from—May, Okla.
Food—Chocolate pie.
Actor—Jan Hunter.
Actress—Maureen O'Sullivan.
Movie—"Louisiana Purchase".
Book—"The Rosary".
Song—"When I Have Done The Best I Can."
Subject—Reading.
Ambition—Teaching!
Pastime—Radioing.
Hobby—Poems.

DO FARWELL HIGH STUDENTS KNOW MUSIC?

If you keep your ears open around school, you can hear discussions about all kinds of music. Some students are hep cats, others prefer Beethoven, some will take boogie-woogie, a few like opera, and some go for hillbilly low-down. The editors have been conducting a poll to determine what type of music is generally preferred. The question "If all the music in the world were to be destroyed and you could save ONE selection, what would it be?" was asked a representative group of students and teachers. Here are the results:

- Marilyn: "Rustle of Spring".
- Pete: "Messiah" Handel.
- Irene: "I Told You So".
- Bert: "I Don't Want To Set The World on Fire".
- Joni: Hungarian Dance No. 5, Brahms.
- R. L.: "Singing Hills".
- A. G.: "In the Mood".
- Onealya: "The Devil Sat Down and Cried".
- Twyla: "When They Ring Those Golden Bells".
- Henry: "Springtime in the Rockies".
- Janie: "Prelude in G Minor", Rockmanhoff.
- Smoky: "Take Me Back to Tulsa".
- Peggy S.: "Stars and Stripes Forever".
- Norma Jean: "Barcarolle", Hoffmann.
- Diane: "Bluebirds Over the White Cliffs of Dover".
- Lynn: "Battle Hymn of the Republic".
- Miss Cain: "Serenade", Schubert.
- Mr. Carter: "Star Spangled Banner", Key.
- Mr. Hooper: "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes", Ben Johnson.
- Miss Shaw: "Lullaby", Brahms.

This survey reveals that the classics are in the majority with a vote of 3; popular selections follow closely with a vote of 6; patriotic songs next with 3 votes; hillbilly songs received 2 votes; and sacred songs 1 vote.

ROOM I

Our attendance has been rather poor due to mumps and other sickness. We hope everyone can be back in school soon.

Joa Dawn Berry is moving to Sudan and we will be sorry to lose such a good worker.

We are glad St. Valentine's Day is so near. We are having a great deal of pleasure out of making Valentines and writing Valentine greetings.

SECOND AND THIRD GRADES

We are putting up a new Health poster in our room.

The second grade has started reading "Down The River Road".

There are 12 absent from our room today. We hope they will be back with us soon.

WHO'S WHO IN THE SENIOR CLASS

Last week's Who's Who was Max Wallace. This week we have a blonde girl. A few of her favorites are:
Food: Cherry pie.
Actor: Don Ameche.
Actress: Ginger Rogers.
Movie: "Alexander's Ragtime Band".
Book: "Gone With The Wind".
Song: "Stardust".
Subject: English.
Pastime: Skating.
Hobby: collecting souvenirs.
Ambition: secretary.
Sport: basketball.

WHAT GIRL WOULDN'T GIVE WHAT?

What girl wouldn't give what to have a boyfriend with Smokey's hair, Robert's eyes, Jim Bob's nose, Arion's mouth, A. G.'s Physique, Men Phillips' personality, Duane's smile, James Martin's intellect, Vernon's good nature and Max's clothes! Unless, of course, she could get Clark Gable!

DID YOU KNOW?

That Charles has recovered and is back at school. That Max is collecting hair ribbons. That boys single more than girls. That Jane

Lokey has made the honor roll every semester for the last three years. That Nadine is wearing a sparkler on the third finger, left hand. That our ball club is tops in the conference games in this half of the district. That the seniors and juniors are having a contest to see who can sell the most subscriptions to Curtis magazines, and that half of the proceeds go to the classes, with the losers to entertain the winners. That a kiss is an anatomical juxtaposition of two orbicular muscles in a state of contraction. That the high school students, to date, have purchased \$485.00 in defense stamps.

NOTES BY GAL SAL

For a brief interlude of fun and frolic, humor and wise-cracks exchange a few with the ever-frequent foursome, Joni, Ella Bee, Jean Ann and Marilyn—for pep and vitality Sal names Dorothea Deaton—that Joan Booth is the cute refined, and demure type—Sal says "be careful that you don't fall in Burdena's deep blue eyes—Sal initiates a new feature and says that the gal of the week is Peggy Williams.

FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES

A number of pupils have been out of school for the past week because of illness.

Marceline Tipton withdrew from our fifth grade last Monday and moved to Hobbs, New Mexico.

We are glad to welcome Ella Juarez Bradshaw as a member of our fourth grade. She came here from Field, New Mexico.

CHUCKLES

Joni: Teacher who was Hamlet?
Mr. Rogers: Aren't you ashamed of your ignorance? Bring the Bible and I will show you.

A. G.: Who bit you on the forehead, Jim Eob?
Jim Bob: I did!
A. G.: Silly, you can't do that, you're not tall enough.
Jim Bob: Could too—I stood on a box?

Max: I wish I had a nickel for every girl I've kissed.
Dorothea: What would you do? Buy a package of gum?

Overhead (Vernon to Marilyn): Darling, your eyes shine brighter than tracer bullets. When you look at me incendiary bombs explode w/d in me and my heart feels like the plunger of a machine gun. My heart whirrs like an A-le, and I gasp as if gassed, as I gaze upon your features, fairer than a flag of truce. The thought of losing you stabs my heart like shrapnel. I'm "holed up" like a Cockney in a German concentration camp by your blarney of amorous warfare. Darling, marry me and be my draft exemption.

Miss Cain: Remember, students, your outside reading is due tomorrow.

Billie: But Miss Cain, it's been too good to do our outside reading.

JUNIOR CLASS NEWS

The Junior class regrets that one of its members is seriously ill in the hospital—Our wish for him is a speedy recovery.

The play committee is about to settle on a play called "Double Exposure", of course, this won't be presented for a couple of months yet—but the seniors just got us in the mood.

Joanne Williamson is back with us again. The Junior class as a whole is glad to have her back.

WHO'S WHO IN THE JUNIOR CLASS

Last week's Who's Who was Dorothea Deaton. This week we have the Junior class reporter. She is a brunette and has dark brown eyes. Some of her favorites are:
Food: green zeans.
Hobby: collecting miniature shoes.
Ambition: auditor.
Movie: "Virginia".
Actor: Bruce Cabot.
Actress: Gene Tierney.
Subject: Speech.
Book: "Jane Eyre".
Sport: skating.
Pastime: writing letters.

WHO'S WHO IN THE SOPH CLASS

Last week's Who's Who was Mugglas Graham. This week we have a brunette girl. Some of her favorites are:
Sport: swimming.
Subject: World History.
Book: "Magnificent Obsession".
Movie: "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde".
Actor: Spencer Tracy.
Actress: Lana Turner.
Hobby: collecting cepter matches.
Pastime: dancing.
Song: "How About You?"
Ambition: doctor.

WHO'S WHO IN THE FRESHMAN CLASS

Last week's Who's Who was Glen Phillips. This week we have a girl, 13 years old. She has green eyes and brown hair. A few of her favorites are:
Food: T-Bone steak.
Sport: swimming.
Movie: "Gone With The Wind".
Actress: Vivian Leigh.
Actor: Ray Milland.
Pastime: drinking malts.
Hobby: collecting pennies.
Ambition: laboratory technician.
Study: demerits.
Book: "Nancy Drew" series.
Song: "Stardust".

"Trail Dust" Is Story By Lewis Nordyke

So long as two old cowpunchers can get there, there will be a reunion of the Western Cowpunchers' Association of All Brands on the T Anchor range near Canyon. And Lewis Nordyke, of Amarillo, has immortalized and publicized this annual gathering of old-timers in a richly reminiscent article in the first March issue of Ranch Romances magazine.

WAR AND YOUR WARDROBE

COLLEGE STATION—With many kinds of clothing and textiles becoming limited or unobtainable because of war demands, taking care of clothing grows more necessary every day.

The first step in taking care of clothing intelligently is knowing fabrics and their proper treatment, says Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, clothing specialist for the Extension Service of A. & M. College. It will help to study labels and consult clerks and store buyers about materials.

whether the color is fast to light and washing, and how much a garment is likely to shrink. The specialist adds that there's nothing to the old custom of soaking materials in a solution of salt and water to "set" the colors. It doesn't work.

The right way to wash wool is to use warm, soft water and neutral soap. Squeeze the suds through the cloth—don't rub it—and rinse in water the same temperature as first used. Dry wool in a warm place, but not in the sunlight. Wool garments should be pressed while they're still damp, with a medium-hot iron. A pressing cloth should be used, too.

Washable rayons require heavy, lukewarm suds of neutral soaps, the specialist says. These should not be rubbed and they should be handled with particular care while they are wet. It's also important to rinse rayons in water the same temperature as that in which they were washed. Ordinary rayons may be ironed with a moderately warm iron, but acetate rayons require temperature even lower.

The sensible way to clean most cottons is to wash them. If colored cottons are colorfast both to washing and light and if they won't shrink more than two percent, there's little to worry about.

MORE EGGS FOR 1942

Texas poultrymen are being called upon to produce 1514 more carloads of eggs in 1942 than were produced in 1941. To do this it going to require better management on the average Texas poultry farm.

In order to reach the poultrymen and get over the message of national defense to them, the poultry department of Texas A. & M. has arranged to present a week's poultry program over station WTAW, 6:15 to 6:30 a. m., starting February 2 and running through February 7. It will be presented as follows:

Feb. 2: Poultry's Part in National Defense, Geo. P. McCarthy.
Feb. 3: Buying the Right Kind of Chicks, R. M. Sherwood.
Feb. 4: Fundamentals of Successful Chick Brooding, D. H. Reid.
Feb. 5: Feeding Baby Chicks, V. H. McEless.
Feb. 6: Reducing Chick Mortality, E. D. Parnell.
Feb. 7: The 1942 Poultry Defense Program, H. H. Weatherby.

It is believed that cork can be grown in South Texas. The United States has been importing annually ten million dollars worth of cork.



ENGLISH BULLDOG
Most courageous of all dogs, perhaps most courageous of all animals, the English bulldog has been chosen by the British themselves to typify their national character. No other thoroughbred has so much of the do-or-die spirit, has such unbending tenacity of purpose, such unyielding determination.

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WAR AND YOUR COFFEE CUP

COLLEGE STATION—Retail prices of coffee have risen about 20 percent in the last year, and the export price from Brazil and Columbia is now twice as high as it was in October, 1940. What's more, when present stocks are depleted, retail prices probably will rise even higher because of shortage of shipping space which is especially acute in war time.

their coffee more carefully than ever, says Louise Bryant, specialist in home management for the A. & M. College Extension Service. "You get more good out of coffee which is freshly roasted and ground," the specialist says, "so buy only three or four days' or at the most, a week's supply at a time". She explains that what makes coffee good or poor, besides the blend, is the aroma and flavor resulting from roasting the bean. After the coffee is roasted it begins to deteriorate rapidly, and

the grinding speeds up even more this loss of flavor and aroma.

If the coffee can has been standing on the cupboard shelf several days, this means it will take more coffee to make a good beverage. It all adds up to this, Miss Bryant says. "Buy your coffee in small quantities. Don't waste any of it. Enjoy it while you can."

Hash or stew made from plate beef is just as nutritious as hash made from porterhouse or sirloin.

Public Sale

11 miles northwest of Muleshoe, or 11 miles southeast of Farwell, 2 1/2 miles east of Lariat Switch, starting promptly at 10:30 A. M., on

Tuesday, Feb. 10th

32 Dairy Cattle, Out of Good Milk Stock

- 1—Yellow Jersey, 5 yr. old heifer calf by side.
 - 1—Blue Jersey, 4 yr. old, heavy springer.
 - 1—Red Brindle heifer, 2 yrs., old, heavy springer.
 - 1—Spotted Guernsey heifer, heavy springer.
 - 4—Brown Jersey heifers, heavy springers.
 - 7—Yellow Jersey heifers, heavy springers.
 - 1—3-year-old cow giving milk.
 - 1—Yellow Jersey, 6 yrs. old, heavy springer.
 - 2—Brown heifers, springers.
 - 5—Yellow heifers, yearlings.
 - 2—Roan heifers, springers.
 - 1—Black yearling heifer.
 - 1—White Shorthorn bull.
 - 1—Red Shorthorn bull calf.
 - 1—Brown cow, 2 yrs., old, giving 3 1/2 gal.
 - 1—Yellow Jersey cow, fresh, 4 gal.
- These cattle are all Bang's Tested, can go any place.

Horses and Mules

- 1—Brown mule, wt. 1200 lbs.
- 2—Mares, smooth mouth.
- 4—White sows, farrow in February and March.
- 1—Hampshire gilt, farrow first of April.
- 3—Duroc-Jersey gilts, farrow last of March.
- 1—Duroc-Jersey male, wt. 200 lbs.
- 1—Spotted Poland-China male, wt. 200 lbs.
- 10—White weaning pigs.

Household Goods

- 1—Wash stand.
- 1—Montgomery Ward cream separator.
- 1—Kitchen cabinet.
- 1—Kelvinator Electric ice box.
- 1—10-gal. cream can.
- Some chairs.
- Some empty barrels.
- 1—Heating stove.

Dresser, breakfast table and chairs.

- 1—DeLaval cream separator.
- Miscellaneous
- 1—2-section harrow.
- 1—2-row sled with knives.
- 1—Good man-size saddle, bridle and blanket.
- 1—220-gal. gas tank.
- 1—Farm vise.
- 1—Broadcast binder.
- 1—4-row binder, with knife attachments.
- 1—header.
- 1—4-section harrow.
- 1—2-row horse monitor.
- 1—Hammer mill.
- 2—wagons with header barges.
- 1—Wagon with grain box.
- 1—Tandem disc.
- 1—2-row lister with planting attachments.
- 1—Slip.
- 1—Sod planter.
- 1—Turning plow.
- 1—3-row middle buster sweep.
- Posts and wire.
- 1—Tractor, Internation F-20.
- 1—Scalding vat.

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A balanced ration fed according to production is the most economical method of producing milk. On good green pasture three pounds of grain per gallon of milk should be fed. With hay and silage as roughage feed up to four pounds of grain per gallon.

The 1940 census returns show that approximately two-thirds of all farms in the United States reported some home butchering. The Bureau of the Census suggests that refrigerator locker plants contributed to this.

IMPROVE 1942 POULTRY FLOCKS

COLLEGE STATION—Texas egg producers soon will begin buying chicks for their 1942 fall and winter laying flocks, and Geo. P. McCarthy, poultry husbandman of the A. & M. College Extension Service, offers some helpful suggestions.

Only quality chicks should be considered. "By quality chicks I mean those which come from breeders and hatcherymen who are working on an improvement program to provide stocks from high-producing and disease-free flocks," he explains. As a guide in buying chicks, McCarthy advises following a rule used by livestockmen and get full information about the breeding and performance of the ancestry. Heavy laying ability, like heavy production of milk and butterfat, is an inherited characteristic. Large production is not found in inferior stock, whether in poultry or cows.

In this connection, McCarthy quotes figures from the Marketing Service of the USDA that the average farm production per layer in the United States for 1940 was 101 eggs. By states, Massachusetts led with an average of 147, compared with Texas' 92. Pursuing this parallel McCarthy points out that Massachusetts producers paid 11.9 cents per chick, while the average price paid in Texas was 7.5 cents.

"Regardless," McCarthy says, "we have as good poultry in Texas as can be bought anywhere. Management, of course, is a big factor but I believe that Texas poultrymen can care for chicks as well as poultrymen in any state. Quality is the key, and quality doesn't come from cheap chicks. I am a strong believer in buying Texas chicks and not getting them too far away from home. We have breeders and hatcherymen who are doing an excellent job of improved breeding and are carefully testing breeding flocks against pullorum disease.

"Investigate before you buy. See to it that the hatchery is doing a real job of flock improvement, that their customers are obtaining good results from their stock, that they have good vitality, and that they are heavy layers."

Farmers' marketing, purchasing, and farm business service cooperatives borrowed nearly twice as much money from banks for coops in the first nine months of 1941 than in the corresponding period of 1940. This is reflected in both higher price levels and greater business activity, according to the USDA.

SILAGE QUANTITY INCREASED

COLLEGE STATION—There was a slight decline in the number of trench silos filled with Texas farm silage in 1941 compared with the 1940 total. But, says E. R. Eudaly, dairyman of the A. & M. College Extension Service, there was an increase of 828,613 in the tonnage put into the containers over that of the preceding year.

According to Eudaly, 40,000 silos had been filled on January 1, 1941, but on January 1, 1942, the number stood at 38,054. In quantity, however, the story is different. During 1940, Texas farmers put up 4,384,785 tons of silage, but in 1941, the tonnage reached 5,213,398. The specialist attributes this to the fact that large operators not only refilled existing silos, but dug new ones. The decrease was among the smaller operators. The average capacity of all the silos in 1940 was 116 tons. The average capacity in 1941 was 137 tons.

"The decline in number does not mean that farmers think less of silos," Eudaly says. "The shortage was a result of weather and labor conditions."

Excessive rain in the spring and early summer prevented many farmers in the eastern half of the state from making feed crops. And excessive fall rains in the western half, plus a reported labor shortage, in some cases hampered many farmers in harvesting their feed, and in others in filling silos.

Eudaly says there was an increase in 16 counties in 1941. Twenty-seven counties showed a decrease and the remainder were practically unchanged.

STATE TO OFFER MORE SCHOOL LAND IN APRIL

AUSTIN—Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office, today announced a statewide sale of approximately 200,000 acres of surveyed school lands for April 7, 1942, by the School Land Board of which he is chairman. Governor Coke, Stevenson and Attorney General Gerala C. Mann, members of the board, had concurred with Commissioner Giles in the advisability of a sale at this time.

The land is located in more than half of the counties of the state, and will be purchased for one-fifth down payment and forty years to pay the remaining four-fifths.

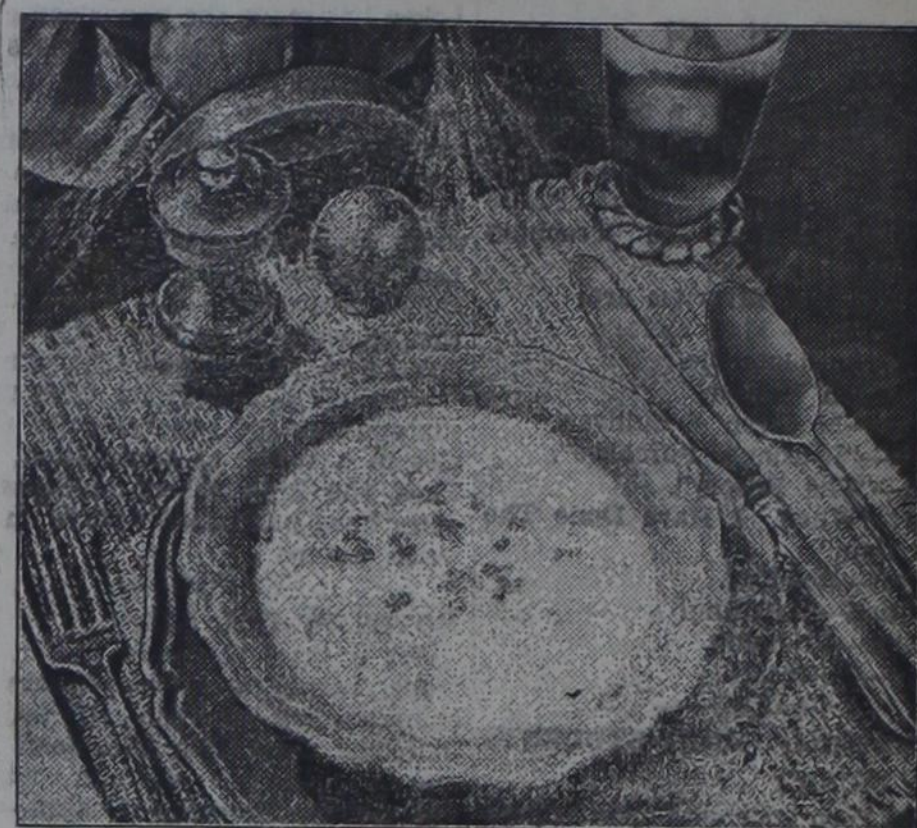
"We have requests every day to advertise certain tracts for sale," Commissioner Giles pointed out, "and the School Land Board believes that demand and prices for land will make the Spring of 1942 an opportune time to hold this statewide sale."

This will be the second sale of surveyed school lands since Commissioner Giles took office. The first one, on January 3, 1940, resulted in 200,000 acres. When all the offers had been tabulated, 265 bids were accepted for the purchase of 94,000 acres, bringing \$393,917 into the permanent school fund.

Damage caused by insects may be estimated conservatively at two billion dollars a year in the United States, and injurious fungi are responsible for about another billion of loss, says R. C. Roark of the USDA.

A fine appetizing start to a meal is a Good Nourishing Soup

says Dorothy Greig



Cream of Corn and Mushroom Soup is a rich and satisfying soup to set before a hungry family.

THERE are several ways of using soup as part of a meal. You can offer a thin piquant soup, such as a consommé, to waken appetite. That type of soup is a good beginning to a formal dinner or luncheon.

The soups that most of us really like best though, are those with heft and substance. We enjoy eating them, and they are both comforting and satisfying to the farmer. Since such a soup is highly nourishing we can serve it as the main dish for a light lunch or supper or as a hearty first course for dinner.

These days there is an almost unbelievable number of delicious soups for our enjoyment. Just look at the variety on your grocer's shelves. Then, too, we can take those fine canned soups and by combining two or more of them together achieve new and altogether individual flavors.

Or we can use a canned soup as a base and add outside ingredients to it. For instance—

Cream of Corn and Mushroom Soup
 2 tablespoons butter
 1/2 cup shagreen corn with liquor
 1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
 1 can water, using soup can for measure
 2 tablespoons chopped pimiento
 Melt the butter in a saucepan, add the corn with liquor and sauté in butter 5-8 minutes. Add the cream of mushroom soup and stir well until corn is thoroughly mixed with the soup. Then add water. Heat, but do not boil. Add chopped pimiento for garnish. Serves 3-4.

As for combining two or more soups, here are a few suggestions. You will find these delicious—especially on a chill day when appetites are keen and demanding:

Pepper Pot Potage
 1 can condensed pea soup
 1 can condensed tomato soup
 1 can condensed pepper pot soup
 2 cans milk, using soup can for measure
 Combine the pea, tomato and pepper pot soups. Then add 2 cans of milk, using soup can for a measure. Heat, but do not boil. Serves 6-7.

Clam Chowder Disque
 1 can condensed clam chowder
 1 can condensed chicken gumbo soup
 1 can water, cream (using soup can for measure)
 Mix the chicken gumbo and clam soups. Then add the light cream. Heat, but do not boil. Serves 4-5.

Pea with Bean Soup
 1 can condensed bean-will-bacon soup
 1 can condensed pea soup
 1 can water
 1 can milk
 1 frankfurter, sliced
 Combine the bean-will-bacon soup and the pea soup. Stir in the water gradually and then add the can of milk (using soup can for a measure). Heat to the boiling point, but do not boil. Sauté the frankfurter slices in a little butter and use as garnish. Serves 6-7.

LIKE TO BE TOLLED

A solicitor seeking advertisements for a local paper called at the village grocer's. Upon presenting his card, he was surprised when the gray-haired proprietor said, "Nothing doing. I've been established eighty years and I've never advertised."

"Excuse me sir, but what is that building on the hill?" asked the traveler.

"About 300 years," "Well," was the reply, "they still ring the bell."

Foods which are valuable as sources of iron are whole wheat flour, rye flour, brown rice, oatmeal, eggs, lean meat, liver, kale, spinach and other greens, beans and peas, dried fruits and molasses.

If glass utensils appear milky clean them by boiling hot vinegar water in them until the deposit is softened. Then rub the glass with fine steel wool.

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Local Happenings

Missionary Circles Have Officers' Installation

In special candlelight services at the Methodist church, Sunday night, new officials for both circles of the Woman's Christian Service organizations were administered the oath of office.

Opening the services, Mrs. W. H. Graham was in charge of the meditation, after which Rev. E. J. Sloan supervised the installation of officers.

Installed for the Adult circle, No. 1, were:

Mrs. Roy B. Ezell, president.
Mrs. Albert Thomas, vice president.
Mrs. V. H. Graham, secretary.
Mrs. Anne H. Ove, street treasurer.
Mrs. W. B. Hill, missionary study chairman.
Mrs. B. N. Graham, literature chairman.
Mrs. O. E. Pipkin, supply chairman.
Mrs. E. J. Sloan, spiritual life chairman.

New officers for the Wesleyan Guild, circle No. 2, include:

Miss Hazel Anglin, president.
Mrs. Marty Ezell, vice president.
Miss Jennie Lee London, secretary-treasurer.
Mrs. J. T. Carter, missionary study chairman.

Teachers were lighted for the rites by Mrs. V. Scott Johnson, Miss Elsie Cunningham, Mrs. Frances King and Mrs. E. J. Sloan, all of whom were attired in white vestments.

Co. Home Economists Will Meet Thursday

Mrs. J. T. Gee, of Friona, will be hostess to members of the Parmer County Home Economists organization, along with invited guests, on Thursday evening of this week, at her home in that city.

At this time, Miss Stanford home economics instructor at the Friona school will direct the evening's program, with special attention being given health. In addition, the women will discuss the possibility of starting nutrition classes for women of the county.

Officials urge that every member of the association be present.

Supervisor Visits Here

Mrs. Ruth Thompson, assistant supervisor of hot lunch projects at the schools in this area, was here from Portales, Monday, and spent the entire day visiting the Texico lunch room. Mrs. Thompson inspected the work being done at the local project and offered advice to those in charge.

Bill Wilcoxson, of Dalhart, spent the weekend in Farwell with his wife and daughter. He returned to his work in Dalhart on Monday.

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Because of the increased cost in transportation and advance in price of all supplies, I have had to place all HOME calls, both day and night, on a cash basis, each call to be paid for at the time it is made. There will be no exceptions to this rule unless definite and satisfactory arrangements have been made before date of call.

For your convenience, a schedule of approximate charges, which are not increased over prices charged during the past five years, is given below:

Calls in Texico-Farwell and a radius of three miles, \$3.00.

Three to 7½ miles, up to \$5.00.

7½ to 12½ miles, up to \$7.50.

Over 12½ miles, \$7.50 to \$15.00.

An additional charge of \$2.00 will be made on all night calls (between 8 p. m. and 8 a. m.)

Adherence to this notice will probably save embarrassment to all concerned.

V. Scott Johnson, M. D.

Silver Tea Will Be Held On Valentine Day

A silver tea will be held on Valentine Day, February 14th, by members of the Farwell 4-H girls' club, sponsor Miss Elsie Cunningham announced today.

Dot McGahan, as president, is in charge of the program, with the following numbers planned:

Pledge of allegiance to the flag the National Anthem, girls' club.
Reading, Rosamond Booth.
Tap dance, Joan Williams and Gloria Kopley.
Vocal trio, Rosamond Booth, Mary Ruth Petree, Marcia Anne Johnson.
Piano solo, Bobbie Lou Ford.
4-H pledge and song, girls' club.
Miss Velma Sheriff and Mrs. Fleta Higgins have been asked to preside at the tea table.

In charge of the decorations which will stress a patriotic theme, are Maxine Ford, Thelma, Stanley and Edna Ruth Thomas.

The affair will be conducted in the home economics department of the local school building, beginning at 3:30 in the afternoon, she went on to say, and the public is cordially urged to attend.

43rd Anniversary Is Celebrated Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hunter of this city, who passed the 43rd milestone of married life on January 29th, entertained on Sunday with a dinner in their home, family members being in attendance.

In addition to commemorating the anniversary the dinner also honored Mrs. Lilly Billingsley, whose birthday was on January 31st.

In attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hunter and son, Kim, of Santa Fe; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Herridon and Mrs. Lilly Billingsley, all of Portales; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hunter, of this city.

Wesley Bible Class Meets On Tuesday

The Wesley Bible Class of the Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Anne H. Overstreet with Mrs. Minnie Leftwich and Mrs. J. B. Coltharp as associate hostesses.

The devotional was directed by Mrs. O. B. Pipkin after which reports from the various committees were heard and a birthday offering taken.

Refreshments of jelly roll, tea and coffee were served to eleven members and one visitor, Mrs. Polly Davis.

Texico Woman's Club Meets Last Week

Members of the Texico Woman's Club met the past Tuesday in the local high school building, for the purpose of considering various matters affecting the school hot lunch project, of which the club is associate sponsor.

In the business meeting, the group voted to charge ten cents per day for students who pay for single meals, or pay for less than a week, while the current monthly charge of \$1 for those who eat regularly will be maintained.

Attending the meeting were Meses. F. E. Thompson, Edgar Blain, Harry Baker, Fay Maxey, A. D. McDonald, A. C. Green, F. E. Doolittle, J. D. Lewis, T. T. Doolittle, C. D. Haughtling, R. H. Paul, C. J. White, S. O. Sheppard, Warren Powers, V. H. Miller, P. L. Thornton and Odas Murphy.

School Heads To Meet At Oklahoma Lane

Superintendents and principals of the various schools in Parmer county will gather at the Oklahoma Lane building on Friday evening of this week, February 6.

At this time, various problems of the schools, brought about by the war will be taken up, and as a special attraction, the attendants will enjoy an oyster fry.

To Home Ec Meeting

Miss Dorothy Shaw, head of home-making in the Farwell school, will spend Saturday of this week in Amarillo, attending a district meeting of such instructors. Miss Gladys Armstrong, district supervisor, will be in charge of the discussion, taking up the manner in which the organization may cooperate in national defense.

Ladies Aid To Meet

Mrs. S. C. Hunter will be hostess to members of the local Christian Ladies Aid, on Thursday afternoon of this week, February 5th, with the program to begin at 7 o'clock. In making the announcement, Mrs. Hunter urged all members to attend.

Here From Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McGill of Mancos, Colo., visited old friends and transacted business matters in Texico-Farwell the past few days. Mrs. McGill was formerly operator of the local exchange of the Mountain States Telephone Co. here. They are now located on a small ranch in southwestern Colorado, where they are getting along nicely.

Oregon Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Worth Jr., of Eugene, Oregon, were here for a short visit last Friday evening, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Triplett, of Texico. Mrs. Worth is the former Miss Mary Elie Triplett.

Attends Beauty School

Mrs. Azleet Roberts, owner and operator of the Powder Puff beauty parlor in Texico, spent Tuesday in Clovis, attending a special school for operators. An instructor was present from Amarillo to give detailed instructions regarding the shaping of hair for the new "hale" hairstyles, she reports.

Shower For Family

Mrs. O. R. Hubbell has announced a shower at her home, on Thursday of this week, for the L. C. Moore family, which lost all household effects in a fire that destroyed their home, Saturday morning. Any gift that would be useful in assisting a family in replenishing their home is acceptable.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, former local residents, arrived here the first of the week to spend several days with his parents, and other relatives and friends. They now reside in Canadian, Texas.

Mrs. Allie Cleman, of Topeka, Kansas, spent the past weekend visiting in Farwell with her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. D. Smith. Mrs. Cleman had been in California for several months, and was en route home when she stopped off for a visit in this city.

Lee Bradshaw, who had been visiting relatives in this city for several days, departed last weekend for Kansas City, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tulon White, of Muleshoe, visited briefly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham, the past Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong and sons visited during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Jason O. Gordon and Janie, in Floydada. The Gordons formerly lived in Farwell.

Wesley Engram, of Texico, was returned to his home the past weekend, after having undergone a successful appendicitis operation at the Methodist Hospital in Clovis.

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Rhea, Texas
Sexagesima Sunday
Sunday School and Bible Class at 2:15 p. m.

Divine Worship at 3:00 p. m. Sermon: "Which Is The Worst Sin?"
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Lariat, Texas
Rudolph Weiser, Pastor
Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:45 a. m.

Divine Service at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday school teachers' meeting, Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at Kaltwasser home
Walther League hospitality social next Sunday at 8 p. m.

Tid-Bits »

Mrs. E. J. Sloan is considerably upset when somebody makes snarling remarks about "sugar hoarders." Recently, the family was given a "pounding", at which time a large quantity of sugar was received, and they now have on hand around 100 lbs. "Now," she says, "every time I hear a knock at the door, I expect it to be someone wanting their sugar back—or else a Federal inspector!"

Keeping his word is one thing that just must be done, according to Z. W. Petree, despite the incentive once it may cause him—and that provides the explanation for his appearance last Friday night. Approached by a student who wanted him to buy tickets to the senior play, J. T. Hulsey replied that he "couldn't go", cause his woman was off visiting, and he didn't like to go alone. Listening in, "Daddy Pete" proffered his services, and was promptly taken up, appearing at the play in a dress and bonnet and clinging mincingly to Hulsey's arm.

Residents at the south end of Farwell really had a "looking" good time Saturday, when four families were on the move. J. H. Barger bought the "Grandma" Thompson place at the edge of town, so Grandma packed up the things and she and her two grandsons bought the Hawkins home where the Roy B. Ezells have been residing, and started moving in. The Ezells, who had been living out of boxes for three weeks waiting to move gathered up their possessions and moved in the back door of the Haynes house, while the ex-residents, "Fat" Lindseys, were going out the front, and the Lindseys wound up in the new home being built by Mrs. Osborne near town. All in all, it was quite a hectic few hours for the neighbors.

Quite a pow-wow was going on about the coming change in time, when one business man spoke up wearily, "Well it won't, make any difference to us. We'll just keep on going to work at sunup and quitting at sundown."

Seniors Receive Good Attendance At Play

One of the largest crowds to be seen at the local auditorium during the current school year was on hand, last Friday evening, to witness the presentation of "His Ozark Cousin", put on by members of the senior class.

Max Wallace, cast in the role of "Uncle Zeb", a real hillbilly, drew the most comments for his acting, while Johnnie Hillhouse as "Daisy Bell" a hillbilly by choice during the visit of "city folks", also came in for a good deal of attention.

All members of the cast were well chosen for their respective parts, and Miss Lynnette Shaw, sponsor, said today that she was well pleased with the cast, as well as gratified with the attendance of the public.

Over \$200 Subscribed To Paralysis Fund

Dick Hunter, chairman of the drive for funds for the relief of infantile paralysis victims, announced on Monday that "more than \$200" been turned in from over Parmer county, with indications that "there was yet some out".

The complete report for Farwell gave the local contribution as \$106 "and some odd cents", Hunter reported. From the Hub, Lazbuddy and Midway district, \$8 had been turned in here, while Bovina reported a total of \$54.95.

The Friona report, which was believed incomplete, as word had been sent here that "there is more to come", listed \$55 gathered in the drive officials announced.

It was believed here that contributions from Oklahoma Lane had been turned in at either Farwell or Bovina, or both, which would naturally swell the city's total, and at the same time would fall to list contributions from that area separately.

Chairmen in charge of promoting the drive in the various communities of the county reported this week that they were well pleased with the returns of the drive, and extended their appreciation to all who assisted in any manner.

IN THE NAVY

Paul Crume, eldest son of C. E. Crume of this city, is now a member of the U. S. Navy, it has been revealed locally in a letter received by his father. Crume volunteered for service and has been assigned to desk work, according to information. He formerly was employed in The Tribune office, but for the past several years has been working at the Dallas Morning News.

DeVere Roberts, who is attending EMU in Dallas, is expected home this weekend to spend the period between semesters with home folks.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

A. J. Hamm, who has been receiving medical care in Clovis for the past two weeks, underwent a major operation the past Friday. According to reports reaching here the first of the week, he is showing improvement, and doctors hold out hopes for his recovery. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Monroe.

SHOWS WELL ATTENDED

County Agent Lee H. McElroy stated the first of the week that the current series of farm shows which are being held at community meetings over Parmer county were receiving good attendance, and estimated that between five- and six-hundred people would see the films before the close of the present week.

HENDERSON TO FLY

Clifton Henderson, of the Henderson Grain & Seed Company of this city, successfully passed his examination at Lubbock last weekend and is now subject to call as a flying cadet.

He is expected to be called to Kelly Field within the next few days. Henderson has a private flying license and has 50 hours of solo flying to his credit.

RUSTY ON BIOLOGY, TOO

"Now, Willie," said the teacher to a rather stupid pupil, "listen to me very carefully. If I had five eggs in this basket and laid three eggs on the table, how many eggs would I have?"

"Eight," was the cheerful reply.

Mrs. V. Scott Johnson and daughter, Marcia Anne, were Amarillo visitors the past weekend.

Miss Lovilla Clay spent the weekend visiting with Miss Frances McCloud, in Hereford.

Pvt. Eugene E. Hromas of Bovina, and Pvt. Thomas M. Crump of Grier, N. M., both of whom are in the Air Corps at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent Sunday in the homes of their parents.

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Ginnings For County Show Heavy Decline

Cotton ginnings in Parmer county from the 1941 crop show a heavy decline under the ginnings of the 1940 crop as of Jan. 16, according to a Bureau of Census report just released.

Ginnings in this county had amounted to only 1146 bales up to Jan. 16, as compared to 5260 bales on the same period a year ago, the report shows.

The Bailey county ginnings were 14,672 from the 1941 crop, as compared to 24,881 bales from the 1940 crop.

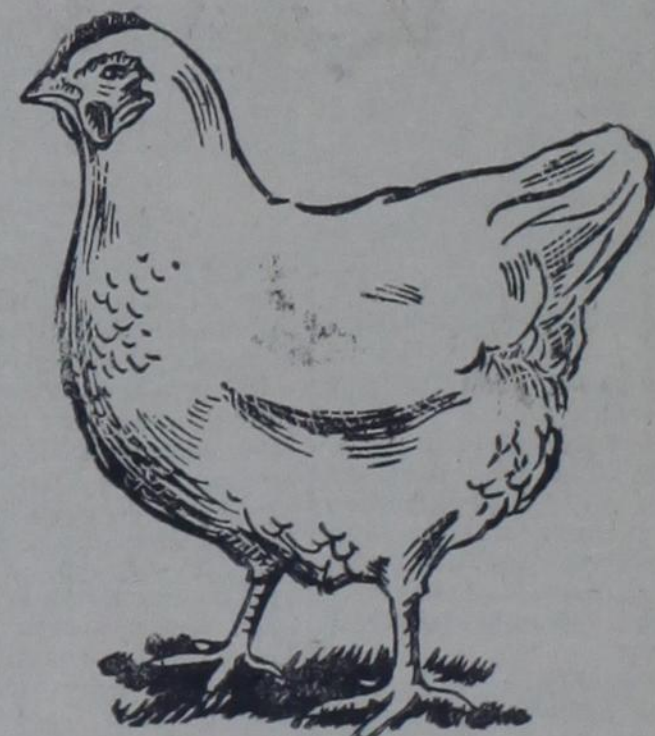
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THE SMOKY YEARS

By ALAN LE MAY W.N.U. Release

INSTALLMENT 19
THE STORY SO FAR:

Dusty King and Lew Gordon had built up a vast string of ranches. King was killed by his powerful and unscrupulous competitor, Ben Thorpe. Bill Roper, King's adopted son, was determined to avenge his death in spite of the opposition of his sweetheart, Jody Gordon, and her father. Roper con-

ducted a series of great raids upon Thorpe's vast herds, first in Texas, then in Montana. Jody was deeply shaken when Marquita, a saloon hostess, convincingly explained that Roper loved Marquita, and not her. Believing that her love was unanswered, Jody left the man she loved. Lew Gordon finally

realized that Roper was right in fighting Thorpe and Lasham, and went gunning for them. Roper met him shortly before the two gunmen appeared. This was the moment Roper had been fighting for during the smoky years. Lew Gordon was killed, but so were Thorpe and Lasham.

time lagged forever as Billy Roper's pony slowly approached; it seemed to her that that slow approach was characteristic of all that had happened to them—delay, and delay, while wars were fought, and raids struck in, all through those smoky years in which they had been apart.

And yet, at last, when he stopped his horse beside her, and they looked at each other, there was something between them still, as if the smoky years themselves had built a wall.

Bill Roper said, "Hello, Jody. You're looking mighty well."

Jody said, "I'm all right."

There was a pause, curiously awkward; in the pause, Jody's horse struck at the cinch with a hind foot, tormented by an early fly.

"You didn't come to see me," Jody said.

"Well," Bill Roper said slowly—"I didn't know if you'd want me to."

"Don't you know that you're half of King-Gordon? And I'm the other half."

"Jody—people like you and me can't go by things like that—things like legacies and wills."

Jody's voice was very quiet, yet it must have seemed to Bill Roper that she cried out. "You're going to leave me to carry all this, just by myself?"

"Lew Gordon left a sound organization," Bill Roper said, his voice dead. "You have many men, and good men, too. The works will roll, I think, with Thorpe gone."

Once more the long, strangely poignant silence. And to Jody it seemed a terrible thing that what they both wanted was the same thing, and that yet the smoky years somehow managed to stand between.

Jody Gordon turned away from Bill Roper, and faced Dusty King's cross, clean-limbed and slender, and there was something in her face that was enduring. It was the face of a woman who turned to the future without trace of doubt or fear; and she was the loveliest thing that Bill Roper would ever see.

"Jody," Bill Roper said uncertainly, "I want to tell you something. Other men will have to fight other wars; but my part of all that is finished. I'm not sorry my gun is hung up. I hope it's hung up forever. Once I thought that when Thorpe was smashed, my work would be through—but now I see it's only begun. I think we're going to build something pretty fine, if you'll stay by me."

Jody smiled a little. Without taking her eyes from the cross she reached her hand toward him, and took his.

"All the anger and the hate has gone out of me," Roper said; "and if you can only some day understand that my riding with the wild bunch was—was what I had to do—"

He fumbled for words, and stopped.

"Give me your knife," Jody said.

"My—my what?"

She turned, and herself drew his skinning knife from the sheath at his belt. Then she stepped to the ground.

"In justice," Jody said; "in justice, and in memory of courage." With her own hands she cut the third notch upon the cross, deep and clean.

[THE END]

old, without that sultry fire to back it up. "Well, that wasn't so."

"You mean—you mean to say—"

"Well," Marquita said, "he did not belong to me, not even for one minute, in all my life. How do you think you would like that, in my place?"

"But—at the Lasham camp you said—"

"I know I did. I would have got him, if I could, in any way I could. I even came here because I knew he was coming here. But now I can just as well tell you it's hopeless, and I'm through. After all, I don't need to run after any man; not any more."

"You mean—you're willing to let him go—even if—"

"Let him go? I never had him." An odd edge of contempt came into Marquita's voice, but whether for Jody or herself was not plain. "Can't you get that through your head?" She turned toward the door impatiently.

Jody Gordon supposed that she ought to thank Marquita for having come here, for having made the confession which she had made, but she was confused, and the words would not come. Instead she said, "Do you know where he is? Is he well? Is he safe and all right?"

Marquita's smile was mocking. "You want me to find him and send him to you?"

"I think," Jody said, "he'll come."

"Okay," Marquita said, and she pulled open the door.

"I want to tell you something," Jody said. "I want to tell you I appreciate your letting me know—"

Marquita flashed a queer, hard smile; there was bitterness in it, more bitterness in her smile than in her words. "Keep your thanks to yourself." Then she was gone.

After a moment Jody heard the hoofs of a team, and the wheels of the carriage in which Marquita had come—and gone—slicing the deep mud.

Yet, Bill Roper did not come.

When two days had passed a panic caught Jody Gordon, and she began to haunt the vicinity of Dusty King's cross. She believed that Roper would not leave the Ogallala country without visiting once more the grave of Dusty King.

But it was the evening of the fourth day, before Roper came.

CHAPTER XXVII

Sitting her quiet pony beside Dusty King's pile of stone, Jody Gordon saw Roper riding toward her when he was still a long way off. Roper was not alone. Beside him rode a little grasshoppery figure in disreputable clothes which Jody recognized as that of Dry Camp Pierce. Somehow Dry Camp had managed to rejoin his chief when the others could not. It was typical of Dry Camp that he was riding beside Bill Roper now; would always be typical, so long as both of them should live.

The two riders hesitated at the five hundred yards. Roper said something to Dry Camp Pierce and after a moment or two Dry Camp turned his horse and went back. Bill Roper came on alone. Perhaps he feared this meeting more than anything he had ridden into yet—but she knew he would not turn.

It seemed to Jody Gordon that

Three Theories Advanced for Name 'Dixie'

The history of Dixie as a nickname of the South is obscure. Three theories have been advanced to explain its origin, but none of them is supported by historical or etymological evidence, declares a writer in the Indianapolis News. The first and most probable regards "Dixie" as a Negro corruption of Dixon in Mason and Dixon's line, the popular name of the dividing line between the North and South. M. Schele de Vere was inclined to accept this theory. In "Americanisms: The English of the New World," which was written in 1871, he says:

"It came first into use when Texas, a new state that had joined the Union, was believed to be an Eldorado, where colossal fortunes could be made in a short time; and thousands went there, alone or with their slaves, to begin a new career and accumulate treasures. Negro melodies used the shortened term, and from them 'Dixie' passed into common use, as the name of the happy, abundant South." The second theory, which is more popular but less probable, derives the term from a planter named Dixie or Dixey, who is said to have owned a large number of slaves on Manhattan island before slavery was abolished in New York. Dixie, according to the story, was very kind to his slaves and they loved their master dearly, but his diminishing fortune compelled him to sell many of them as laborers on the rice plantations of the South. These slaves sang and chanted melodies praising their old master and his plantation, which they called

"Dixie's farm" or simply "Dixie." If this theory is correct, "Dixie" originally referred to the North, which is improbable in view of the fact that in the early songs the term expresses a yearning for the southland. The third theory, which also lacks etymological support, derives "Dixie" from the French word "dix," meaning ten, which was printed on \$10 notes issued in the old days by the Banque des Citoyens de la Louisiane on Rue Royale in New Orleans. These bank notes, it is said, were popularly called "dixes" by the English and Americans and the bank was known as "Dixie's bank." In time, according to the story, the term was extended to the entire South.

Regardless of which one, if any, of these theories is correct, two things seem clear: Dixie did not at first refer to the South, and it originated among the Negroes to whom it was at first almost synonymous with paradise or a land of bliss. It was not appropriated by the southern states until just before the Civil war, when it was popularized by Daniel Decatur Emmett, an actor and song writer, who was born in 1815 at Mt. Vernon, Ohio. He was author of the song "Old Dan Tucker," and in 1859 he wrote a Negro minstrel entitled "Dixie's Land or Dixie." This piece was written for Bryant's minstrels and was first sung at the Mechanic's hall in New York, N. Y.

"Dixie" was played at the inauguration of Jefferson Davis at Montgomery, Ala., on February 18, 1861, and was adopted by the Confederates as their war song.

Smart Midseason Dresses Are Dignified and Simply Styled

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THERE is a new psychology in the matter of dress. It's a most wholesome one which yields to no compromise with feminine charm and flattery, but tends toward greater simplicity, careful selection and an appreciative evaluation of wearing apparel that avoids extravagance. Clothes are made to serve dependably and at the same time graciously, during the stress and strain of the present war period.

It's well-mannered clothes that women are wanting, the sort that won't shriek with glitter and gewgaws, yet will be spirit-lifters in their colorfulness, suavity of line and genuine charm. The winsome little wool dresses now so popular give the answer. Not only do they exploit color but they are styled to a nicety with all sorts of "catchy" details that individualize them and make them of outstanding style importance, not only for immediate wear with fur wraps but also to wear into the summer.

The accompanying group picture eloquently tells the story of quality, materials of distinction and flattering color. The first of this trio, that shown to the left in the above illustration, is a clever sports dress for the teen-age girl. It is in chocolate colored wool panelled with brown-stitched beige. Simple tailored princess lines enhance this model, together with an easy grace achieved by the full-gored effect below the hipline.

The dress to the right in the picture above stresses the new 1942 classic simplicity to a nicety. It exploits the sleek-fitting long-torso lines now so popular with college girls and the junior set. One of the

persuasive arguments in favor of the attractive colorful daytime wool frocks is that they are "up to tricks" in the way of ingenious detail. In this instance it is the lacing at each side of the long-torso bodice that is eye-catching. Self material is laced around gold hooks. This model comes in delectable pastels or in lush colors.

Centered in the group above is a perfect "date" dress for the girl who must wear her "special occasion" dress all day in the office. This gown of leaf green crepe has a striking triple-tiered peplum, a smartly curved yoke and the somewhat full, straight sleeve favored this season.

Too sweet for words are the dainty little afternoon dresses of light wool or rayon crepe in exquisite pastels. They are fashioned with cunning self-fabric trimming. One has three rows of tiny ruching applied to a medium flare skirt line, three huge hand painted wood buttons and matching ruching about a clever yokeline. Made of China pink crepe it is the ideal answer to the demand for something dressy but not too dressy.

The fuss made by the younger set over white date dresses continues. White jersey seems to be the outstanding material for these dresses. Now that color is so important, many of these jerseys are made gay and bright with embroidered flowers and motifs done in multi-colored yarns. Some of the most attractive white jersey frocks are highlighted with effective trapunto quilted design. Others are made festive with gilt buttons and girdles.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Ribbed Jacket



If you're headed resort-ward, plenty of lightweight sports things should be in your trunks. Here is one of the new loafer coats (the name reveals its purpose) to wear when you loiter around on the veranda or beaches or wherever the spirit moves you. These jackets are made of cordurella, a feminine version of cordurex, the popular velvety-ribbed men's wear fabric. If you are a husband-and-wife combination, his windbreaker and slacks should be made of the finest lightest cordurex in order to interpret fashion at its smartest.

Save Stockings to Help Student Work

Women throughout the states are being asked to join a unique campaign to save old, worn-out silk or nylon hose (no rayon), to help send American girls and boys through college. For every thousand pairs of old hose contributed one girl or boy is enabled to attend college for 12 months.

A curtailment of silk has forced many in the student body of Athens college in Alabama to stay home this year. They had been earning their way working in the college's hosiery mills.

The stockings sent in will be reconditioned and "backwound," the process done under government supervision.

For Blackout

Some of the stores are featuring blackout accessories, such as bags done in plaid fiber to wear over the shoulder. They have five pockets, and it is advised that they be kept stocked with emergency requirements—flashlight, sweater, and other useful items. You can even get shoes that have tiny flashlight attachments.

Floating Suit

For those who cannot swim it should be good news that a floating swim suit has been devised that is non-sinkable, its patented feature being the lining of a spongy substance that floats. You can get these novel, practical suits in fitted or in dressmaker styles.

Brunch Coat

A fad that is growing into a pronounced movement is the brunch coat. It's as practical to wear as the usual smock, but is more formal and can be found in a greater variety of styles.

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History's Future Course Hinges on U. S. War Aid



Deciding How American Fighting Materials Are To Be Divided on World's Battlefronts Is FDR's Grave Responsibility.

By BAUKHAGE

National Farm and Home Hour Commentator.

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Washington has at last waked up to the solemnity of the task America has before it.

On every front men are dying and armies and fleets are impotent for want of the sinews which America alone can forge.

That is the problem which the President and his advisors face today.

When Winston Churchill came to America at least one-half of his task was to convince President Roosevelt and the latter's military advisors that the main objective is the defeat of Hitler.

Litvinoff's Purpose Had Same Objective

Soviet Ambassador Litvinoff came to Washington for a similar purpose. He had two powerful weapons, his own persuasiveness and the knowledge that he had something we want—possible Russian aid against Japan.

Although neither Roosevelt nor Churchill stated flatly for publication that one of the "public enemies No. 1" should be defeated first as against the others, certain lesser lights rushed into print with interpretations.

There was immediate and outspoken protest from the Chinese over making the Far East a secondary theater of war.

The feeling was so evident that there were questions at a White House press and radio conference. The President answered in general terms, said he couldn't reveal military secrets but that if we looked at a map of the world he thought we would find that American aid (supplies or manpower) were "there."

That same day, Lieutenant-Governor General Van Mook of the Netherlands Indies had left the White House saying that the President had encouraged him, that he felt more optimistic.

The President agreed that this was the impression he had tried to give and added that America was making real progress in strengthening the defense of the United Nations.

Goebbels Can See Only the Surface

The day that the Japanese propagandists boasted that Singapore's days were numbered and that Maj. Gen. Gordon Bennett, in charge of the Australian forces in Malaya said that the situation was serious, Senator Connally, chairman of the foreign relations committee, called a press conference.

"Great Britain is in the Atlantic and with her navy ought to be able to command that area. We're more vulnerable in the Pacific."

In Berlin, Propaganda Minister Goebbels probably smiled his cyn-

ical smile. Truly this looked like the dissension which has been the Nazis' favorite ally.

But Herr Goebbels fortunately can see only the surface. Underneath there is a realistic policy being pursued which is based on certain facts. No one can predict the fortunes of war, but the picture as the persons in responsible position here see it looks something like this:

It is generally believed that the stories of violent dissension between the Nazis and the German High Command are largely party propaganda. In any case there is no evidence of a serious internal breakdown in Germany.

The Nazi invasion of Russia has failed of its two objectives: First, destruction of the Red army as a fighting unit. Second, the capture of large quantities of supplies such as oil and foodstuffs.

On the other hand, although the Russians have made a masterly defense and are conducting a successful counter-offensive, they have regained little more than one-tenth of the ground the Germans captured.

This means that a German offensive is still possible in the spring and since Russia is exhausting her supplies it is doubtful if she will be either willing or able to attack Japan from Siberia.

In the Far East, Singapore has been the hot spot from the time the Japanese established their superior air power in the western Pacific. From then on, Singapore was no longer valuable as a base because its docks were no longer safe from air attack.

As a result of this overall picture, those in charge of getting aid to the United Nations have worked out this division of supplies:

Reinforcements are now arriving in the Pacific in greater numbers. As the tide of battle changes it will rest with the President and his advisors to make the choice of where and in what volume America's contributions to the defense of democracy shall go.

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Reinforcements are now arriving in the Pacific in greater numbers. As the tide of battle changes it will rest with the President and his advisors to make the choice of where and in what volume America's contributions to the defense of democracy shall go.

Radio Censorship And News Casting

Sometimes the radio commentator grows very wrath at those who steer the censorship of state. Recently into every broadcasting station which has a news service came a dispatch telling of the crippling of an American ship by a submarine off the coast of North Carolina.

Immediately, as president of the Radio Correspondents' association, I was stormed by colleagues demanding that I protest at such discrimination. But the decree was logical. If we had broadcast that the crippled ship was putting into port, the submarine could have picked up the message and pursued and perhaps caught its limping prey.

Next morning, when the papers came out with the story the battered ship was safe in harbor. It isn't likely that the submarine commander gets the morning papers.

What irked me as a commentator far more than this incident was my inability to tell you Washington's little secret of how spring came to the capital in January. I couldn't say anything about it at the time, because that might have helped the enemy, too. Now that it can be told, it doesn't seem so interesting. In fact it seems improbable.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for February 8

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A BUSY SABBATH IN CAPERNAUM

LESSON TEXT—Mark 1:21-34. GOLDEN TEXT—I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day.—Revelation 1:10.

The Sabbath of the Jew and the Lord's Day (Sunday) of the Christian were both intended to be days of rest. The ordinary activities of life were to cease and one was to be free to worship and to rest.

We have before us the account of a very busy Sabbath day which our Lord spent in Capernaum, the city in which most of His mighty works were done, but which ignored Him and His teaching to its own destruction (see Matt. 11:23, 24).

I. In the Church (vv. 21-28).

The Sabbath day found our Lord with His people in the synagogue, their place of worship. The service of worship was probably formal and lacking in spiritual vitality, but none-the-less He was there.

Observe that because He was there He (as a distinguished religious teacher) was called upon to teach the people. He taught them in the serene consciousness of His divine authority, and the people were delighted and astonished at His message.

From the synagogue Christ went into the home. How appropriate! We too should go from the church to the home, always bringing with us the strength and blessing of the worship service.

II. In the Home (vv. 29-31).

The daughter of a great preacher and Bible teacher said the thing she most loved in her father was that he did not give out the "cream" of his Christianity in his meetings and bring home the "skim milk."

Jesus brought a blessing into Peter's home, miraculously healing his mother-in-law of a great fever, setting her free to serve. Here again we cannot do what He did, but we can, in His name, bring power and blessing into our homes.

III. In the City (vv. 32-34).

From the home the ministry of Jesus reached out to the entire city. As the strict laws forbidding travel on the Jewish Sabbath were set aside by the coming of sundown, not only the city but the entire countryside brought their sick and needy to Him.

The scene staggers the imagination as one attempts to conceive of this coming together of troubled humanity for the Master's touch. Mark tells us that He healed many; Matthew, that He healed all, and Luke, the physician, is emphatic in saying that He healed every one of them.

We may learn from this incident that our Christian faith, which has been developed and strengthened by our time of worship and service in the church, should not only reflect itself in the home, but should reach out into the life of the community in which we live.

There is, however, a secondary responsibility which is of much importance and that is the extending of Christian influence into every phase of school, social, political, and business life. It is said that when D. L. Moody came into a barber shop the entire course of the conversation changed.

Star Dust STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO By VIRGINIA VALE

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

CARY GRANT, just finishing "Arsenic and Old Lace" on the Warner lot at Burbank, Calif., is expected to apply for his final American citizenship papers any day now.

Loretta Young finally revenged her screen sisters who have had to take slaps in the face and well-aimed blows in the name of their art.

LORETTA YOUNG



George Brent had his first kissing scene with Olivia de Havilland in the forthcoming "In This Our Life." While they were making it Ann Sheridan, who works for the same studio, was on the set watching, and Brent seemed a bit bashful.

For two musical misfits who couldn't get a break in New York a few years ago because they couldn't carry a tune, comedians Bud Abbott and Lou Costello are doing all right.

Gary Cooper probably wishes with all his heart that Lou Gehrig hadn't been a left-hander. Preparing for "Pride of the Yankees," the story of Gehrig's life, Gary is studying slow-motion pictures of Babe Herman and working like mad with Lefty O'Doul, trying to learn to use that left hand as if it came natural.

We'll be seeing a new patriotic picture before the year is over. It's "American Cavalcade," and will tell the story of Mr. and Mrs. America through dramatic historic incidents and music.

REKO Radio is going to film the story of General Billy Mitchell, the flying general who was court-martialed because he believed so implicitly that planes were important to an army.

It looks as if radio has another "God Bless America" in "They Can't Black out the Stars and Stripes," a new song written by Elliott Jacoby, musical director of the air's "Meet Mr. Meek," in collaboration with Private Jacob Goldstein of Mitchel Field.

Jimmy Durante, rated as a star by Warner Bros. since he made "You're in the Army Now" and "The Man Who Came to Dinner," says he will revive the famous comedy team of Clayton, Jackson and Durante to entertain the boys in army camps.

ODDS AND ENDS—Betty Grable and Victor Mature are not so very good in Fox's "I Wake Up Screaming," but they're trying again in "White Collar Girl." . . . The bombing scenes of "Captains of the Clouds" were hard on Brenda Marshall, whose father is manager of a large sugar plantation in the Philippines.

Sportlight by GRANTLAND RICE

LOS ANGELES.—For some time ahead, outside of two such physical and mental conditioning games as football and boxing, where body contact is vital, the main demand on the country will be for playing games above spectator games.

The two leaders here are golf and bowling. Basketball is also a playing game on the major side, but it also carries a major spectator following, which neither golf nor bowling needs.

The bowling call on the playing side now runs away with all the others. Experts tell me we have 20,000,000 bowlers of one degree or another now actively engaged at target work down the alleys.

Bowling today is by all odds the most popular sport in the United States. It is a game that costs far less than golf, that requires as much skill, but which still misses the sun and wind and rain and the longer leg hike.

Neither has the toughening, fiber-making aspect of football and boxing, in which you have to take and give a physical beating to get anywhere. But not everybody can play football or box.

About Bowling

The astonishing feature about bowling popularity is that it happens to be a difficult game to write about. It lacks the thrills of football, boxing, tennis and other sports.

But it is one of the simplest of all games for the player, especially on the equipment side. And it happens to carry just as much entertainment as any game one can think about in a hurry.

A game must have amazing qualities to round up from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 players without the ballyhoo so many other games get. If you have never bowled or if you haven't bowled for many years, give it a try and you'll be converted.

About Golf

Golf has always been—and always must be—a game for the player. Many have asked me why big golf championships don't draw with other sports.

How often would you draw big crowds in football, racing, baseball or any other game if the spectator had to gallop five or six miles over cross-country territory, jump ditches, climb fences, wade through a morass, fight through briar patches, be a broken-field runner and a blocking back to see every other shot played?

A golf spectator has to be an athlete, in training, willing to take a hard beating, to see most of the shots played in a championship by some leading star who is drawing the crowds.

If golf had the same accommodations for the spectator that other games have, it would be on a par with any game played in the way of admissions. It is the only game I know where the spectator gets a harder workout than the player draws.

The Range of Games

This happens to be the greatest sporting country in the history of a cock-eyed world. But with war conditions as they are there must be certain readjustments.

For the youth of the country I still insist there must be a maximum of body contact games—especially football and boxing. Baseball is also a great game. So are track and field and basketball. Also tennis. They add to physical stamina. They are strictly worth while. This is especially true of golf and bowling for those who have bumped into the march of the years.

I am not referring to championships, to big spectacles, to money-making enterprises. I am taking into consideration the major values of give and take in the way of discipline, punishment, hardihood, stamina—rugged qualities of manhood. This doesn't mean there should be any falling off, aside from all the needs of war, on the part of the older men participating in sport. To help win an all-out war an entire country must be physically ready.

MOROLINE HAIR TONIC

Ice Shortage in Alaska Alaska, famous for its glaciers and long called "Uncle Sam's Ice-box," sometimes has local ice shortages, a recent one in the town of Anchorage boosting the price to \$80 a ton.

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BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

More than 8,000,000 acres of land scattered from Alaska to Florida have been made available by the United States department of the interior for national defense activities in the United States.

It has been said that America has become a tired, footless nation. If so, it won't last. With autos rationed few will be tired and then we'll have to use our feet.

While the house and senate fought over the painful questions of ceilings for farm and other prices, the Washington press and radio corps had some problems of their own. Byron Price had been named censor and had issued his instructions. A reporter observed: "The rest of the country may not have it but at least the press has its Price control!"

Demonstration Club Notes

By Special Staff Reporters

Bovina Club

The Bovina home demonstration club met Jan. 22 in the home of Mrs. Vernon Ward, with 11 members and Miss Cunningham present. After a brief business session, Miss Cunningham gave a very interesting talk on "Food Needs for the Year". After dainty refreshments were served, the club adjourned to meet with the Homer Martin, Feb. 12. All members are urged to be present.

Lakeview Club

The Lakeview home demonstration club met Jan. 27 in the home of Mrs. Fred Barker. The fourteen members present, with Miss Cunningham, started food preservation budget plans for 1942. An important discussion on gardening was held.

The club plans to fill boxes with candy, cookies, cigarettes, etc., to send to the boys of the community that have gone to training camps.

Rhea Club

The Rhea home demonstration club met Jan. 20 in the club room. Present were Misses Cunningham and Vestal, Mmes. F. T. Schlenker, C. V. Potts, Amelia Schlenker, Chas. Calaway, Boye Taylor, Reynolds, Elmo Dean and Wayne Parker.

Miss Cunningham gave an interesting discussion on "Food Needs for the Year", stressing bigger and better

gardens, and the best kinds of garden seeds for this section.

Mrs. F. T. Schlenker read a chapter from "The Life of Helen Keller", Mrs. Potts provided a spicy game at the conclusion of which the person guessing the greatest number of bags of spices was awarded a prize.

Rhea Club

Club met Jan. 29 in the home of Mrs. Robert Leach. A pleasant afternoon was spent in rug making and learning to knit. Refreshments of cocoa and cookies were served to the following members: Mmes. J. D. Stevens, Alderson, Claud Hurst, J. E. Johnson, T. E. Daniel, Kenneth Wise, and the hostess, Mrs. Leach. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. E. Daniel, Feb. 12th.

The club is giving a pie supper at the Rhea school house, Feb. 14 and everyone is invited. The money is to be given for defense.

Parmerton Club

The Parmerton club met at the home of Mrs. Giles Cobb, Jan. 28. The agent, Miss Elsie Cunningham, gave an interesting demonstration on "Defense Begins at Home". She estimated that the average farm woman who cans and conserves food for a family of 5 people for one year, based on 1941 prices in Farwell, saves \$152 per person each year, or \$760 for the average family of five. She stressed the need of early preparation of garden soil, and the selection of garden seeds. Each woman should plan adequately for her own family, and this year it will be well to arrange to have some surplus, in order that we may be able to help the less fortunate, due to war conditions, in case the need

Farm War Board Says Order Repair Parts Now



This farmer is ordering his repair parts now, thereby making sure that his farm equipment will be in top shape for seeding and harvesting. The County USDA War Board says it is highly important that all farmers do this. Last minute repairs may not be possible due to shortages. Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard has declared that it is every farmer's patriotic duty to have his machinery in best possible condition in 1942 for production of victory foods. "Check over your old machinery and order necessary parts from your dealer," he advises. "If parts cannot be obtained, notify your County USDA War Board."

should arise. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to hostess Mrs. Giles Cobb, Mrs. M. A. Trigg, Mrs. John Benger, Mrs. G. H. Brock, Mrs. T. E. Blackburn, Miss Elsie Cunningham. Club will meet Feb. 9 with Mrs. LaVerne White.

Oklahoma Lane Jr. 4-H Club
The Jr. 4-H club girls met in the club room February 2. Miss Cunningham showed how to make correct measurements in cooking.

Those present were: Barbara Foster, Billy Jean Roach, Bobby Jo Hammonds, Edith Roberts, June Christian, Bonnie and Bettie Foster, Luise Rundell, Vernell Berry Wilma Dell Doshier, Wilma Atchley, Gloria Kopley, Carvetta Grissom, Loneta Thompson, Betty Rose Johnson, Frances Sudderth, Sue Robertson, Miss Cunningham, Mmes. Chas. Summers, Levi Johnson and Bill Foster.

Fort Sumner Downs Texico Boys, 31-11

In one of their most disastrous defeats of the season, the Texico boys went down before the Fort Sumner cagers, last weekend, to the tune of 31-11.

Coach A. D. McDonald reported that the locals were definitely "off" so far as basket shooting was concerned, while Fort Sumner, in contrast, was "hotter than a pistol" with the players looping shots in from every angle.

Playing a fast-breaking style of offense which Texico had not heretofore faced this year, the entertaining team literally "ran the legs off" the locals, the coach added.

Games This Weekend
Two games are on deck for the senior boys this week, with Rosedale as opponents (on that court) Friday night, while Field will act as host on the following evening.

Earlier in the season, Rosedale defeated the locals by some five points, records reveal, while Field is playing a first engagement on the current schedule.

The local girls, undefeated in this area thus far, will also take to the court, Saturday, against the Field team, and are gunning for another win.

Girls Tournament In Friona, February 20

Information from the Farwell school this week was to the effect that the local girls had been invited to participate in a county-wide basketball tournament to be held at Friona. The meet will open Friday night, Feb. 20, and continue through Saturday, Feb. 21.

Since only four schools in the county have girls cage teams this year—Friona, Lazbuddy, Oklahoma Lane and Farwell—this tournament will decide the county championship. Round robin style of play will be used, with each team facing the other three during the tournament.

Friona, according to the dope bucket, is due to walk off with honors, having one of the best squads around here. Oklahoma Lane and Lazbuddy also boast fairly strong aggregations while Farwell is conceded to be the weakest in the group.

Eighty groups of farm people have been organized in Texas for the cooperative buying of supplies.

Last Conference Game On Deck For Friday

The final conference game for the Farwell boys' cage team, which last Tuesday night clinched its right to appear in the district play-off, will be held on Friday night, when the team meets Oklahoma Lane, in that gymnasium.

Having defeated Oklahoma Lane by some six points in an earlier match this season, the Farwell boys looked hopefully toward a clean slate of conference tilts, but officials admitted that the going was likely to be tough.

Whether or not they win or lose this game will actually have no bearing on the final outcome of the local league, since one loss would still keep the locals at the top of the bracket.

Girls To Play
The local girls, underdogs of the current season, will still be in that role on Friday night, when they meet Oklahoma Lane, who previously lambasted them heartily.

Just two weeks ago the girls turned in a performance which threatened defeat for Muleshoe, but since that time, they have not shown the spark necessary to win. Possibly Friday night will see a turn for the better as the finale of the season.

TOURNEY DATES SET

The annual Curry county basketball tournament for boys' squads will be held in Clovis on February 19, 20 and 21. Coach A. D. McDonald, of Texico, said today, and added that his boys would be entered in the matches. Other information on the schedule will be given later.

Something new in the way of sport has also been added to the calendar for this month it was revealed, with the announcement that a girls' tourney would be held in McRose on February 12th and 13th. The local girls, having had a successful season thus far, are expected to reach the top brackets.

Keith Levy, Texas Tech student, was a weekend visitor here.

Frank Seale was a visitor in Lubbock over the weekend.

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Agent Urges Women To Have Frame Garden

The quickest and easiest way to become identified actively with the Victory Garden campaign under the "Food For Freedom" program is to grow a frame garden.

Miss Elsie Cunningham, home demonstration agent, who offers this pointed advice, doesn't stop there, but proceeds to tell you how to make one. Select a protected spot 20 to 40 feet long at the south side of building, then spread one half to three quarters of a wagon-load of well rotted barnyard fertilizer over it. Ten to 25 lbs. of 6-12-6 commercial fertilizer also will do. Spade it into the ground about 10 inches. If the soil is fairly tight, a row of sub-irrigation tiles made of tin cans or concrete laid six or eight inches below ground down the center will provide satisfactory watering. One of the county extension agents will show you how to make it.

The plot should be surrounded by a frame 12 inches high, of new or scrap 1x12 lumber. A cover of wall canvas with a broad hem should be tacked at the back of the frame with provisions for fastening it securely across the front and ends. On cold nights, a wagon sheet, cotton sacks or blankets should be used for more protection. Then level up the soil and the garden is ready.

Under ordinary condition, 3 to 5 plantings can be made yearly. Row should be 8 to 16 inches apart, planted the narrow way. Vegetables most common to a frame garden may be classified as quick maturing, moderately quick and slow maturing. For planting it may be divided into three general divisions:

No. 1—Quick maturing, 30-60 days: Tender green mustard, black seeded Simpson lettuce; scar globe radishes; bermuda onions (from plants or sets); double curly parsley.

No. 2—Moderately quick maturing, 60-80 days: King of Denmark spinach; lucullus Swiss chard; dwarf horticultural beans; Alaska English peas.

No. 3—Slow maturing, 80-90 days: Crosby's Egyptian beets; Nantes carrots; Wong Bok Chinese cabbage; sweet Spanish onions (from seed).

Where the frame garden is of sufficient size, onions, cabbage, tomato or pepper seed may be planted, and when plants are of sufficient size, may be transplanted to the open garden. "As fast as you harvest one row of plants, replant it," Miss Cunningham advises.

Russian women are standing right beside their husbands in the front lines. A man can't even have a war in peace.

Games Are Scheduled With Morton Quintet

Coach Jeff Hooper announced this morning that games had been secured for the Farwell boys opposite Morton on Saturday evening of this week with the Morton quintet; to return the game here next Tuesday evening.

Reports reaching here concerning the calibre of the Morton team were exceedingly vague, but it was believed that two interesting matches between the teams would be staged.

The game here next Tuesday night, according to the present calendar, will wind up matches until the locals go into the play-off for district championship, and a good crowd is expected to attend.

In addition to the senior boys, the local junior team is scheduled to appear on both dates opposite Morton.

LANDLORDS AND TENANTS WILL MEET ON THURSDAY

Problems of landlords and tenants in Parmer County will be discussed at a meeting to be held on Thursday, February 5, at the courthouse in Farwell, beginning at 8:00 p. m., it was announced today by Wilbur Charles, chairman of the Farm Debt Adjustment-Tenure Committee of the Farm Security Administration.

The landlords and tenants are invited to attend the meeting and discuss rent-paying capacity of farms, advantages and disadvantages of long-term written leases; a model lease, which is designed for landlords and tenants alike, and to participate in a public forum.

Mr. Charles said he and other members of the committee are especially anxious for a good turnout of both landlords and tenants. Serving on the committee with Mr. Charles are C. E. McLean and G. L. Kibbrough.

Carl Hill, district FDA and tenure specialist for Amarillo, will be here for the meeting. Also attending will be Frank Seale, rural rehabilitation supervisor for the FSA in Parmer county, and Mrs. Edna Elms, FSA home management supervisor.

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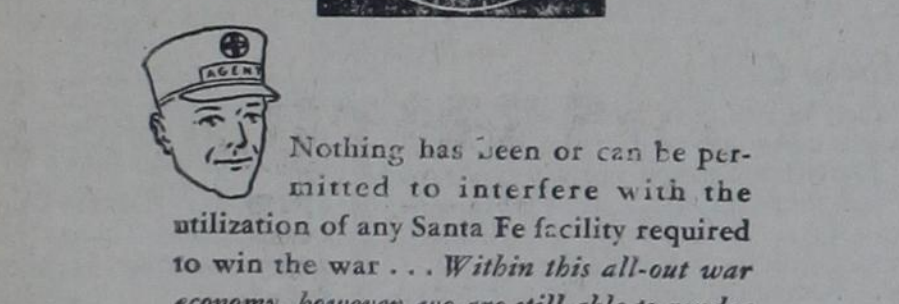
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