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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

H. H. RISINGER NAMED WHEELER SUPERINTENDENT

H. H. Risinger, superintendent of the Dodson school system for the past three years, has been elected superintendent of the Wheeler schools and his wife has been elected to the grade school faculty. Mr. Risinger has eighteen years of teaching experience.

Mr. and Mrs. Risinger and their four children are expected to move to Wheeler as soon as living quarters are available. The couple were elected in a special called meeting of the board when Mr. Risinger was here Monday. Tuesday he called Shelby Pettit, chairman of the local board, and told him they would accept the teaching positions.

Risinger succeeds Jesse Dyer as head of the Wheeler school system. Dyer recently left for Anthony, N. M. to become manager of an implement firm.

Twenty-three Farms Get Electric Power In Past Few Months

Twenty-three farms in the north section of Wheeler county have been tied onto the power lines of the Southwestern Public Service Company during the past twelve months and their owners, like many other rural residents in this section, are enjoying the many accommodations afforded by a bountiful source of electric energy.

A list of the company's new farm customers includes:

M. S. Williams, Gordon Whitener, Cecil Martin, Tom Helton, Ben Helton, J. L. Smith, Claude Cox, W. O. Weatherly and J. G. Davidson of near Wheeler; F. A. Mooney, H. R. Prater, W. H. Walker, E. J. Pannell, J. B. McNeil, Emil Seeding, and Wylie McCray of the Briscoe community; H. J. Wright of Allison; E. F. Armstrong, Henry Hink, J. L. Henderson and E. K. Blocker of the Kelton community; and James Barrett and N. J. Tyson of the Mobeetie community.

Raymond Sayre, manager of the Wheeler division of the Southwestern Public Service Company, says that approximately 100 more farmers have applications for connections with the power lines and that most of these are being certified and will receive power line connections within the near future.

The Wheeler division of the power company includes the communities of Wheeler, Mobeetie, Briscoe, Allison and Kelton in Texas and Reydson and Durham, Oklahoma.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chisum of Pampa were Wheeler visitors Sunday. Mrs. Burl Chesser, Jan and Phil returned home with them for a visit in Pampa and Miami.

Corine Welch of Pampa is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hub Cole, and Mr. Cole this week.

The Clay Food Store front has received a new coat of paint this week. A. C. Wood was a Shamrock visitor Wednesday afternoon.

Worth Fullingim is a new employee at Clay Food Store.

H. Lee Little, FSA supervisor, and Miss Mildred Ferguson, associate supervisor, left Tuesday at noon to attend a regional meeting in Amarillo. They will return Saturday.

Miss Mary Alice Waters returned Monday night from a two week visit in Amarillo and Claude.

Dreka Rowe of Pampa was a week end visitor in the Charlie Carter home.

Duane Bradford, who broke an arm recently, had to have it reset Saturday.

Nelson Porter and daughter, Frances, of Santa Rosa, New Mexico, came Friday night to bring Billie V. Brown, Yreva Sue Carter, Peggy Rodgers and Patsy June Williams home after a ten-day visit in the Porter home. The group visited in the Rev. John English home in Vega Friday. Mr. Porter and Frances returned to Santa Rosa Sunday.

Mrs. Ermit Rider and children returned Tuesday from a week's visit with Mrs. Dea Verne Coleman and sons in Marlo, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beck and children of Dumas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Beck Sunday night.

The R. D. Holt Drug is being re-painted and redecorated.

Miss Lela Faye Lundy of Ft. Worth came Tuesday to visit her uncle, W. H. Barrington, and family.

Mesdames Loyd Lee, Lonnie Lee, D. O. Beene, Chester Lewis, Floyd Pennington, Glenn R. Walker, J. I. Malloy and Fred Farmer attended a called meeting of the Mobeetie Chapter Eastern Star Tuesday night.

Wheeler Postoffice Goes Second Class

The Wheeler postoffice, for the past several years rated as third class, is now in the second class group. The office became second class July 1, but reconversion was made Tuesday of this week when two government post office inspectors were here. Under government regulations, class three postoffices grossing more than \$10,000 annually for the past two years are reclassified as class two offices and it was the boost of income during the past two years that warranted the promotion in rating. The local office for the past twelve months prior to July 1, grossed in excess of \$10,300.

Besides a substantial increase in pay for the local postmaster, Chester Lewis, the new classification gives him a substitute clerk as well as a regular clerk. Mrs. Lewis will for the time being remain with the office as regular clerk and Miss Dorothy Greenhouse will begin her duties next Monday as substitute clerk, working four hours daily. Examinations for regular and substitute clerks will be announced at an early date.

Also, beginning last Tuesday, the office will remain open an hour longer, closing at 6 p. m. instead of 5. Windows will open at 8 a. m. as in the past.

Instructor Compliments Local Youngsters On Swimming Ability

Coach Bob Clark of Shamrock, instructor at the swimming pool there, says the following boys and girls are really doing well with their swimming lessons at the pool:

Phyllis Puckett, Jerry Sayre, Jerry Lewis, Tony Puckett, Roger Conwell, Jerry Wiley, Roy Johnson, and Jimmy Green, all of Wheeler, and Annette Burns, Ronald Holley, and Barbara Hughes of Kellerville. Those marked with an asterisk are of the beginners group and have passed their beginners test, that of swimming deep water, jumping off the 20 ft. tower and going off the diving boards.

New Truck Line Starts Operation This Week

The J. R. Cheatham Truck Line, recently granted a permit by the Texas Railroad Commission to operate from Perryton to Childress, began service this week and is making daily stops in Wheeler. Firms and individuals wishing overnight freight service from Dallas, Ft. Worth and Wichita Falls are advised to have their freight from these points routed "Spores Freight Line via Childress, J. R. Cheatham Motor Freight." The new line also provides daily service to and from Canadian and Perryton.

Another Community Sale Is Slated For Saturday

Another community sale, one of those scheduled regularly on each first and third Saturday, will be held at the Co-op Gin yard in Wheeler next Saturday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. Listed in this week's issue of the Times are a goodly number of items, especially household merchandise, to be disposed of during the auction.

F. S. A. OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED EACH SATURDAY NOON

The Farm Security Administration office will be closed at noon each Saturday as a result of President Truman's proclamation concerning government offices. H. Lee Little, FSA supervisor announced this week.

GOSPEL MEETING IN PROGRESS

James W. Reynolds, minister in charge of the Church of Christ gospel meeting now in progress, states the meeting has started off good and morning services, at ten-thirty o'clock, are now being held as well as evening services. There will be no Saturday morning services, however. The meeting closes July 26.

FIRST COTTON BLOOMS

The first cotton blooms reported to the Times office were found by Bogan Griffin, July 4, in his sixteen acre field. "This cotton, planted May 1, is in good shape — the prettiest I've ever had at this time of the year," stated Bogan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dal Jackson and children returned to their home in Jacksboro Monday after a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Velma Strawbridge and Mrs. Opal Peden, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Susie Rhoades. They also visited Ebb and Edd Reeves in Briscoe.

Pvt. and Mrs. Arthur Lee Red, Jr., and boys spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Myers.

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Service Men And Women Visit Homes



LT. MARY K. SIMS

Army Nurse Mary Kathryn Sims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Sims of near Mobeetie, is back home after spending nearly three years overseas.

Lt. Sims served in Africa and in the China - Burma - India theaters. A brother, Jack, is with the Marines on Okinawa.

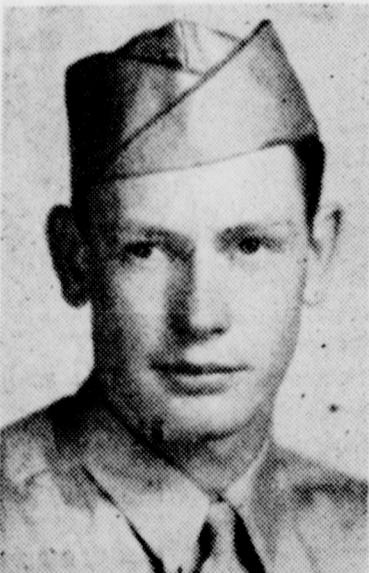
Before enlisting in the Army Nurse's Corps, Lt. Sims was employed at the Ft. Smith, Ark., Veterans Hospital.

She expects to resume her duties as an Army Nurse at the end of a thirty-day furlough.



ENS. HOWARD NATIONS

Ens. Howard Nations, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Nations, arrived home Friday evening after returning from combat duty in the Pacific. Ens. Nations is the pilot of a carrier based Hellcat Fighter. In service for the past four years, Nations has been in the Pacific war theatre since January. He expects to visit friends and relatives at Houston and will return to Wheeler during his 30-day furlough.



SSGT. JOHNNY MURRELL

Charleston, S. C., Port of Embarkation — Staff Sergeant Johnny H. Murrell, 20, of Mobeetie, radio operator of a heavy bomber crew with the 15th Air Force in Italy, will arrive here July 6 by transport plane enroute home for 30 days.

While here, he and other Air Forces men who arrived today were processed and then given a luncheon feast. Telephone and telegraph facilities were available for first calls home. After their 30 days home, almost all members of the group will be leaving for overseas again—this time to the Pacific.

Sergeant Murrell was inducted into the Army in April, 1943, and went overseas to a base in Italy in October, 1944. He has been awarded the following decorations: Air Medal, three Bronze Battle Stars for his European Theater Ribbon, and the Good Conduct Medal.

He lived with his mother, Mrs. Susan L. Murrell, near Mobeetie.

CONSOLIDATION ELECTIONS SET FOR SCHOOLS

School consolidation elections will be held in Rock Common School District No. 3, in Kelton Common School District No. 14, in Center Common School District No. 33 and in Davis Common School District No. 38. The elections are to be held at the respective school houses on Saturday, July 28, to determine whether or not these districts will be consolidated forming thereby Kelton Consolidated Common School District No. 14. Kelton Common School District No. 14 was formerly Kelton Independent School District No. 14 but at a special election June 9 citizens voted to abolish such district from its independent status.

The new consolidated district, if a majority in each district favor the proposition, will be a common school district subject to county common school assessments for taxation.

If consolidation carries, two elections will be held within a short time in the consolidated district to determine the proposition of assumption of the Center, Kelton and Davis bonded indebtedness and the determining of a maintenance tax.

All qualified voters may vote in their respective districts in the election Saturday, July 28.

Credit Association Meeting Scheduled

Officers and directors of the Canadian Valley Production Credit Association, Canadian, plan to attend a conference of directors of five associations serving 43 counties in this area, July 23-24, at the Herring Hotel in Amarillo, according to Secretary-Treasurer, C. W. Allen.

Those who will represent the Canadian Valley association are: President J. A. Bryant of Wheeler, Vice-president M. H. Smith of Gem, Directors Frank McMorde of Canadian, H. H. Kealey of White Deer, Lloyd G. Bursard of Canadian and Mr. Allen.

1ST LT. JAMES T. CREEKMORE

1st Lt. James Thurman Creekmore formerly of Mobeetie, is now enjoying a 60-day leave with his wife and new daughter. Lt. Creekmore was among the many airmen liberated from German POW camps. Stationed in Italy with the 15th Air Force, he completed 26 missions, during which time he received the Silver Star and the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters.

Lt. Creekmore is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Creekmore, now of Los Angeles.

First Lieutenant Robert M. Brigham of Fairfield, California, spent a few days here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lewis. The former Wheeler resident is a C-54 transport pilot recently making several trips from the States to the Pacific war theatre. A veteran of several flights in the European and Burma battle zones, the lieutenant has been awarded along with several other medals, the Distinguished Service Cross and four Oak Leaf Clusters.

Capt. W. W. Noah has received an honorable discharge from the army. He entered service in 1940 and served one year in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dunn of Mobeetie received a letter last week from Mr. and Mrs. Pete Long of 4114 Palmetto Blvd., Los Angeles 43, Calif., telling of the death of their son, Johnny, who was with the Infantry on Luzon. The Longs are former Mobeetie residents.

Sgt. L. H. Barry, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Barry of Briscoe, and wife of Amarillo came Friday for a visit with his parents and other relatives. Sgt. Barry, who has been in service ten years, serving three and one half years in Alaska and going to Europe in January of this year, has received an honorable discharge from the army.

W/O Frank Wofford, who returned to the States July 3 from the European war theatre, and Mrs. Wofford of Drumright, Oklahoma arrived Tuesday for a visit in the Ben Wofford home. After a thirty-day furlough, W/O Wofford will report to Obispo, California, for specific training before going on to the Pacific.

Sgt. Will Powers will leave tomorrow (Friday) for New York after a visit in the L. E. Powers and Jeff Williams homes.

Lt. Kenneth Alexander and wife and Miss Betty Alexander left Friday for Knoxville, Tennessee to visit relatives.

Robert Noah, Coxswain, and wife of Amarillo left Friday for Portland, Oregon after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noah.

Derrick Completed For Deep Oil Test

The derrick for the wildcat deep oil test 7 miles south and 1 mile east of Wheeler has been completed this week as the erection of the heavy equipment is made in readiness for the spud-in. The wildcat is the Sinclair-Prairie No. 1 Henderson, located 650 feet from the north and west lines of section 16, block A-8, H&GN survey.

Other new locations announced for Wheeler county include:

Smith Brothers Refining Co., No. 5 W. S. Walker, 1650 feet from north, 330 feet from east lines of southeast quarter section 44, block 24, H&GN survey.

Phillips Petroleum Co., No. 4 Alma-Johnson, 237.8 feet from east 993 feet from north lines of the west half of northeast quarter of section 47, block 24, H&GN survey.

Wellington Woman is Victim Of Shooting

Mrs. M. A. Barton resident of Collingsworth county since childhood, died Saturday, July 14, as a result of a gunshot wound received at her home north of Wellington between 11:00 and 11:30 a. m.

Charged in connection with her death is Carl Ray Dearing, age 16, who was arrested by local officers in the business section Saturday evening shortly before 7:00 o'clock. Sheriff Claude McKinney said that the boy made a statement to County Attorney Morgan Tucker admitting that he fired the shot, and that charges of murder were filed Sunday morning. He is the son of Mrs. Calvin Bush.

The youth reportedly hid near the Barton home, two miles from Wellington, and waited until Mrs. Barton had gone to the mail box, a quarter of a mile from the house.

As officers reconstructed the case, the youth slipped into the house and, when Mrs. Barton returned, forced her at gun point to turn over her jewelry and ready cash, then made her write him a check for \$40.

After the robbery, apparently thinking she was safe, Mrs. Barton made a run for the field where her husband was working. The boy returned to the house, got her gun, and shot her in the back.

District Attorney Sam Hamilton said that Dearing probably would be tried in juvenile court. At present he is being held in the county jail.

Sheriff McKinney reported that a bullet from a .22 pump gun entered Mrs. Barton's back near the left shoulder and lodged beneath the skin just below her right collar bone. After being hit, she attempted to reach her husband, who was plowing in a nearby field and was found by him approximately 125 yards from their home.

Mrs. Barton was a member of one of Collingsworth county's outstanding early-day families. Before her marriage she was Miss Lora Olive Litchfield, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Litchfield. She was born in Wise County August 31, 1893, and at the time of her death was 51 years, 10 months and 14 days of age. She had been a resident of the Wellington community 44 years.

MIAMI PIONEER RESIDENT IS CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Nora N. Philpott, wife of J. W. Philpott, well-known cattleman and grain dealer of Miami, died Tuesday afternoon at 5:35 in the Northwest Texas hospital, Amarillo.

Mrs. Philpott, 67 years old, was a member of the First Baptist church in Miami. She has been in bad health for the last year.

Mrs. Philpott was born in Kentucky October 18, 1877, and has lived in Miami for the last 40 years.

Funeral services were to be conducted this afternoon at 2:30 in the First Baptist church in Miami.

Mrs. Philpott's husband, J. W., survives along with two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Donaldson, Amarillo, and Mrs. Flora Corbin, Miami.

Three sons, all of Miami, survive. They are W. J., George A. and Kint C.

Among the three brothers surviving is W. G. Lyons of Pampa. Other brothers are O. L. Lyons, Miami, and Earl Lyons, Whitewright, Texas.

Paid bearers for the services will be Dan Graham, Horace Smith, Ed Schmidt, C. T. Locke, Harry Craig and Bill Locke.

The honorary pallbearers will be the deacons of the First Baptist church in Miami.

BAPTIST CHURCH UNDERGOES CONSIDERABLE REDECORATING

The Sunday school rooms of the Baptist Church are being repainted this week along with a moderate amount of remodeling as well as the construction of a nursery.

Times Want-Ads get results!

BOND TOTAL IS OVER GOAL BY OVER \$90,000.00

Displaying a patriotism typical of that displayed in all former war time drives, residents of Wheeler County invested \$435,339.75 in all type bonds during the 7th War Loan compared to a quota of \$345,000 set for the county. More important still is the fact that the Series E Bond sales amounted to \$255,606.25 exceeding the goal of \$245,000 by \$10,606.25.

First official word that Wheeler county had exceeded its goals came to R. J. Holt, County War Finance Chairman, last Thursday when State Chairman Nathan Adams sent him the following message:

"Delighted to note from final sales report furnished us today that you have exceeded both E bond and over all quotas. This is exceptionally fine job. Thanks for your hard work." Signed: Nathan Adams, Chairman War Finance Committee of Texas.

Final tabulation reveals that Texas made its Series E quota. Series E sales for the state were \$170,529,967 or 101.5% of the quota. Over-all sales were 178% of the state quota.

In commenting on the drive Holt expressed his appreciation to each and every individual of the county who helped in any way to make the drive a success, and especially to the community committeemen who took an active part in seeing that every one had his chance in investing in bonds in the Mighty Seventh War Loan, the largest war finance drive yet staged.

Scouts Advanced In Court Of Honor Held Here Friday Evening

Bob Slemmer of Shamrock became an Eagle Scout. Ansel McDowell Jr. of Wheeler was advanced to Life Scout and Jimmie Green of Wheeler was advanced to Star Scout in a Court of Honor held at the Baptist church here last Friday evening. Slemmer is the second member of the Shamrock troop to become an Eagle Scout. Other advancements included Duane Bradford of Wheeler to First Class, Horace Ragan of Wheeler to Second Class and two Kellerville Scouts to the Tenderfoot rank.

Scouts from Wheeler, Shamrock, Kellerville and Samnorwood were in attendance at the meeting.

Following the recitation of the pledge to the flag and the Scout oath, Mr. Elliott, chairman of the Kellerville Scout committee, Merle Walker, Scoutmaster of the Samnorwood troop, Mr. Ripple of Kellerville, Charles Slemmer, Shamrock Scoutmaster, committeeman Harry Wolford of Wheeler and Mayor R. H. Forrester of Wheeler took part in the presentation of awards and badges while M. O. McKay, Wheeler Scoutmaster, presented three Shamrock Scouts and six Wheeler Scouts camp awards for meritorious achievements at Camp Ki-o-wah.

High light of the evening was the presentation of the General Eisenhower unit citation to the local troop by Mayor Forrester. This is a 75 mm. shell container sent from the European battlefields and is awarded to Scouts for their efforts in the recent waste paper drive. Only three troops in the entire Adobe Walls Council have the honor of being eligible for the award.

Several of the Scouts friends and relatives attended the Court of Honor and joined in the enjoyment of a covered dish feed.

MR. AND MRS. S. E. POWELL SELL PROPERTY NEAR HERE

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Powell, residents of this community for many years, have sold their 80-acre farm northwest of town to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chisum of Miami. The Chisums expect to move to their new home in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Powell plan to move to San Angelo within the next few months.

Hospital News

Mrs. Amos May, Wheeler, major surgery, July 12.

Mrs. Dave Futch, Mobeetie, treatment, July 14.

Mrs. Bob Eubanks, Mobeetie, treatment, July 15.

Mrs. W. A. Scribner, Mobeetie, treatment, July 15.

Mrs. Carl Giddens, Allison, major surgery, July 17.

Pvt. and Mrs. B. H. Beirschmitt of Reydson, Oklahoma, are the parents of a son, born July 16.

Mrs. Luther Coleman, Mobeetie, minor surgery, July 16.

C. J. Canada, Shamrock, treatment, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wheeler of Canadian are the parents of a daughter born July 18.

C. W. Inman, Allison, appendectomy, July 19.

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Pertinent Paragraphs
from Panhandle Press

Items of interest culled from news-
papers on the Times'
exchange list.

Congressman Gene Worley called
The Texan Wednesday from Bonham,
Texas to report the birth of a daugh-
ter at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning.
The young lady weighed six pounds
and nine ounces and has been named
Morgan in honor of Mrs. Worley's
father. Mother and daughter were
doing fine.

Congressman Worley plans spend-
ing two weeks at Bonham after
which he will come to his home here
for a month's visit in his district.
—Shamrock Texan

Canning Sugar
Different districts are handling the
distribution of canning sugar accord-
ing to the quotas of monthly sugar
regulations. In places where civilians
are issued five pounds per person for
canning, if the supply of home-cann-
ing sugar should be increased nation-
ally, then they will issue more later
in the season. But canners should
not depend too greatly upon this. It
is necessary for ration boards to meet
and decide what would be a fair
share, to distribute what available
sugar they do have on the basis of
equality. All dealers are finding a
tightening and it will probably fol-
low that many a housewife having to
make some change in her preserving
plans. This is not a pleasant outlook
for those many who have more of a
supply of food than a supply of sugar.
But the American housewife has been
tested as to her ability and willing-
ness to co-operate and has never
been found wanting.

Big-Time Gangsters
With the making public the diary
of Count Ciano, one is convinced
there is not much difference between
history-making figures in political
intrigue than between oldtime gang-
sters in murderous double dealings.
Take any of the statesmen Ciano
has brought into the limelight
through his accounts, men powerful
in international politics, acting as
foreign agents in crime, occupying
posts of importance that affect glob-
al nations. These statesmen have
been revealed as murderers, small-
minded politicians of Germany and
Italy, with the craftiness of highway
robbers and bandits and brigands of
all history. Our worst two-gun kill-
ers, two-bit gangsters, hoodlums,
don't compare with the hunted crim-
inals of present day statescraft.
These politicians managed to keep in
power long enough to build up an
organization of terror to equal any-
thing and more than Dillinger had to
offer. Those who engaged in those
gangster wars of 1920-30's were play-
ing children's games compared to the
dealings of Himmler, Goebbels, Mus-
solini, Hess, Hitler. The list is long.
Some of these criminals have taken
their own lives rather than stand
trial before the world court. Others
are imprisoned and awaiting judg-
ment. Many are free but named for
imprisonment. There is a sound of
complaint heard about when these
men are to be sentenced and will the
verdict be as severe as the crime.
Clemenceau made a worthwhile re-
port to a fellow countryman at the
end of World War I when this com-
patriot suggested that the killing of
war criminals was murder. Clemen-
ceau replied, "Killing microbes is
also a form of murder, but they must
be killed in order to cure a disease."

Price Control
I was active in drafting and se-
curing the passage of the Emergency
Price Control Act of 1942. I believe
that price control is necessary dur-
ing the war to prevent run-away in-
flation. I believe we will have to
extend it for perhaps a year after the
end of the war. Price and wage con-
trol, however, is the most extreme
form of regimentation in which a
government can indulge. The govern-
ment's hand enters into millions of
transactions every day, and a wide
field of individual freedom is des-

"He's home"
Coca-Cola Bottling Co., Shamrock, Texas

ROGUE THEATRE
"FIREFRANCS OF ARIZONA"
—with—
SMILEY BURNETTE
SUNSET CAPSON
Fri. — July 20-21 — Sat.
"THUNDERHEAD"
SON OF FLICKA
In Technicolor!
—with—
RODDY McDOWALL
Pre.-Sun.-Mon — July 21-22-23
"OBJECTIVE BURMA"
—featuring—
ERROL FLYNN
WILLIAM PRINCE
JAMES BROWN
Wed. — July 25-26 — Thurs.

There probably are Wichitans who
join in the wish, expressed editorially
by the Houston Press, for a variety
of grass that will stop growing when
it attains a height of one and a half
inches. In these days when it is diffi-
cult to find anyone who will condes-
cend to cut the grass and when such
a worker, when and if available,
doesn't seem to have heard of price
ceilings, grass that showed some res-
traint in its growth would be a bless-
ing.

The postwar lawn, however, will
not have any real grass on it. It will
be green and velvety, and the child-
ren — including, of course, the neigh-
bor's children — can run and romp
on it without damaging it. We have
read somewhere that an imitation
grass of plastic material has been
perfected and that it awaits only the
lifting of war-time restrictions for
production to start. No hose to buy,
no sprinkler to run up the water bill;
the voice of the lawn mower will not
be heard in the land, neither at 6:15
a. m. or at any other time. There
will be no need to negotiate with
supercilious individuals for manicur-
ing it.

It all sounds utterly perfect, but
there's probably a catch in it some-
where. —Wichita Falls Record-News
Maybe we shouldn't use overseas
veterans to guard prison camps in
this country. After all, they cannot
forget the conditions of German and
Jap camps and would be inclined to
show no mercy to enemy prisoners.
Most of us think they have been col-
died too much, but the returned sol-
dier might want to give them the
identical treatment our soldiers got,
which would not be in keeping with
democratic ideals. —McLean News

In late years the saddle horse ap-
pears to be coming back for his day.
And as a general rule those who go
out for horseback riding are very
proud of their mounts. A well kept,
slick and pretty horse will attract
far more attention than a high priced
automobile. —The Vernon Times

There is going to be many a young
man who has realized he made a mis-
take by letting the "old man" wear
his civvies while he was in the arm-
ed services. According to reports G.
I. Joe may have a hard time finding
new clothes when he is released.
—The Electra Star

The wheat harvest in the North-
east Panhandle for 1945 is almost
troysed. We don't want it any longer
than it is absolutely necessary. —
Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio.



By BOYCE HOUSE
"We ask a simple question,
And truth is all we wish;
Are fishermen all liars,
Or do only liars fish?"

Through carelessness, the word
"Thursday" was used instead of
"Tuesday" and so Austin has wished
off on the people a special election
just to pass upon one amendment—
an indefensible waste of over \$200,-
000 of the taxpayers' money for an
unnecessary election. Texas needs
leadership!
"A Vacationist's Lament from
Lewisville Enterprise:
Had my old car overhauled,
Put the wheels in line,
Stopped the radiator leaks,
Got her running fine.
Fixed the horn so it would blow,
The windshield wiper wipes,
Took the darned old gas tank off
And cleaned out all the pipes.
Had the carburetor checked,
Ignition pretty good;
Had the broken fenders fixed,
And straightened out the hood.

Got the windows where they'll roll,
Put the doors in shape,
Bought myself a new floor mat,
And wrapped the wires with
tape.
Had to buy seat covers too,
To get it looking right,
Had the left hand bumper fixed
And bought a new tail light.
The steering wheel was awful
loose,
I had to have it bushed,
And since the battery was charged,
I never have to push.
I've also got a good, new pump
And a brand new pair of pliers,
And now I'd go to see my folks
But, pshaw, I've got no tires!

history. The weather throughout the
season was favorable for harvesting.
No heavy continued rains fell after
harvesting started. Only occasional
light showers held up cutting the
grain. The harvesting due to favor-
able conditions and the influx of
laborers was handled in record time
this year.

The scarcity of cars is being re-
lieved right at the last, the Santa Fe
Railroad furnished plenty of cars but
came near being too late for the full
run. The problem of time was of
course the trouble experienced by the
railroad company. —Miami Chief

In case of fire call one of the fol-
lowing numbers: 35, 177, 123, or 133.

H. B. HILL SAYS:
We tried to make a yard cat of
our eight year old house kitten
but found you can't teach an old
cat new tricks.



The Times War Time Reporter Says

Folks I'll tell you:
This meat shortage is getting so
down here that just the old timers
remember enough about beef to talk
about it intelligently.

And it sorter reminds me of what
happened down in my Grandpa's
country one time.
He got down to his last piece of
meat and his children were all hungry
and a crying for it, he just called
in the county surveyor to equally
proportion that piece of meat so each
kid would get his just share. He said
that was all that saved 'em. My little
poem today will be:

Oh! what would I give for one
square meal
Of delicious fried onions and steak,
A chicken fried in good hog grease,
Or a ham, just once more to bake.
I'm all tired out on cabbage and
spuds
And beans without bacon are dry,
The heart breaking thought that
we get no beef
Makes a man want to curl up and
die.

When passing an old honey cow
I stop and stare like a fool,
Such wonderful dreams come to
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come valid August 1, 1945, will be
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Book No. 3, the District Office of
Price Administration announced to-
day. Airplane Stamps Nos. 1, 2 and 3
are good indefinitely, OPA added.

The last stamp was validated Nov-
ember 1, 1944. OPA pointed out that
the intervals between validation of
stamps depend on the available sup-
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A reader says the Russians make
direct answers to questions rather
than using the usual diplomatic pol-
icy of saying, "yes and no."

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NEWS IN THE WORLD OF RELIGION By W.W. REID

To advocate peacetime universal military training at the very moment when the San Francisco Conference is engaged in the vital task of setting up a world charter seems to many to imply grave doubts about the success of that conference itself," Dr. Donald B. Cloward, of the Northern Baptist Convention recently told a Congressional hearing committee. "One is based on a brave new hope, the other on despair. One course confronts the future with creative faith, the other prejudices the postwar world in the mood of cynicism."

J. Arthur Rank, British industrialist and leader of the English film industry, is an active Methodist layman, teaches a Sunday school class each week, and has founded the Religious Film Society in England. He has now acquired a 50 per cent interest in the Odeon Theaters in Canada, and on a recent visit there outlined plans for the production and distribution of films for children. These films will be shown through organizations similar to the Boys' and Girls' Moxie Clubs now flourishing in England, where they are shown in theaters of Mr. Rank's circuit each Saturday morning. He explains that this program is intended to instill good citizenship through the greatest medium in the world—the visual impact of the motion picture. Mr. Rank is also a member of the boards of fourteen flour milling concerns.

Veterans returning from the war fronts will want a religion of action rather than one of talk and of "platitudinous discourses," Commander

Everett P. Wuebbens, of the Navy Chaplains' Office, recently told a conference of Jewish rabbis. If they do not get a religion that has some effect upon everyday life, they will probably not return in large numbers to churches and synagogues, he believes. "If by religion we mean organized religion, such as the average serviceman saw in the average church and synagogue of America before he left home, we might just as well face the fact that our veterans will have little more use for that sort of thing than do the young men who stayed at home to work in a defense plant — and that, as every realist knows, is very little, indeed," said the Commander. "If the message they hear is nothing but a clever rehash of the human wisdom found in copy-book maxims, which the veterans themselves have discussed and thought through during many a lonely watch, they will not come back, and for the life of me I can't see why they should come back. If we have a real and living religion to offer the veterans when they return, many of them will join our ranks and stand shoulder to shoulder with us."

The evangelical (Protestant) movement in South America is "moving in from the fringes of life and becoming the center of life and activity," Dr. E. Stanley Jones, missionary and evangelist, said upon his recent return from a tour of Chile, Argentina, Uruguay, Brazil and elsewhere in South America. "Seventeen years ago, when I first visited South America, the evangelical movement was out on the edges of life — it was confined to little churches," he said. "But in these years something has happened. The intellectual Latin Americans had passed up religion years ago. Now they want to know what it means for them and their countries. Newspaper reporters, on this trip, asked me what the evangelicals and the missionaries believed on this and that subject. Seventeen years ago they avoided the evangelical viewpoint. The fact is that the evangelical movement is becoming a public issue — people are talking about it. That is because the movement stands for freedom and liberty — and it is freedom and liberty for which intellectuals are looking."

Disappearance of "cheap jingle hymns" from church services is predicted by Dr. T. Tertius Noble, retired organizer of St. Thomas Protestant Episcopal Church, New York City, composer, and president of the Hymn Society of America. "Some of the clergy like these cheap jingle hymns and have been a potent agency in keeping them alive," says Dr. Noble. "Music should be perfectly suited to every church service. The great chorales of the 16th and 17th centuries will live forever. The bad jingle hymns will not endure."

The Chinese Ministry of Health is enlisting missionary hospitals, doctors and nurses in its projected post-war crusade to greatly multiply the number of institutions and individuals concerned with promoting the health of the people. A recent survey shows the need; there is one trained physician for every 40,000 Chinese, but one

Peaches May Be Canned Without Sugar

Sugar helps canned fruit to hold its shape, color and flavor, but it is not necessary to keep fruits from spoiling, says Mrs. Winifred J. Levenez, specialist in food preservation of A. and M. College Extension Service. With present sugar shortages, canning without sugar will help homemakers to conserve the large surplus of peaches this summer, and will add many cans of fruit to the pantry shelves and to next winter's menus.

To can without sugar, use boiling water or strained fruit juice made from the softer peaches. Wash, peel and remove seed from firm peaches. Complete the canning operation by packing the raw peaches into a clean jar or can. Bring fruit juice or water to a boil and pour over the packed fruit. Leave 1/2 inch headspace. Steam before sealing: pints, 10 minutes; quarts, 15 minutes; half gallons, 20 minutes. Press down, and re-fill if necessary. Wipe off rim of jar and seal according to type of container being used. Process in a water bath after water starts boiling: pints and quarts, 15 minutes; half gallons, 25 minutes.

Another method to can without sugar is to drop the firm fruit into the fruit juice. Bring to a boil. Pack into boiling hot clean jars. Leave 1/2 inch headspace. Seal according to type of container used. Process in a boiling water bath, 15 minutes for pints and quarts, and 25 minutes for half gallons.

If a small amount of sugar is available, the general wartime rule is to add one cup of sugar to two quarts of fruit. One cup of sugar syrup usually covers 1 quart of fruit when it is well packed. A thin syrup, one cup sugar to three cups juice or water, is also desirable from a nutritional standpoint.

Corn syrup or corn sugar may be substituted for part or all of the sugar. One cup sugar and two cups corn syrup to 6 cups water makes a desirable syrup. If corn syrup is to replace all of the sugar, use 1/2 to 3/4 cup syrup and one cup water. Honey may be substituted for a small part of the sugar, but it affects the flavor of the fruit more than corn syrup. It is good with canned figs and with fruit pickles. Never use saccharin in canning, as it becomes bitter when heated.

Federal Crop Insurance To Be Offered On 1946 Winter Wheat Acreage

Federal crop insurance on winter wheat will be offered for sale soon in every winter wheat producing county, according to V. B. Hardcastle, Wheeler County Administrative officer.

During recent weeks, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation representatives, AAA Committeemen, and other sales agents have held meetings in every county to set up sales and administrative organizations.

This will be the first opportunity since 1943 for Wheeler farmers to obtain all-risk insurance on winter wheat. Contracts were written on the 1945 spring wheat crop, following revival of the Federal Crop Insurance program late in December.

"We expect to contact every wheat grower so that he will have an opportunity to take advantage of this non-profit insurance which protects his crop investment," Hardcastle said. "Farmers wanting information before they are contacted by an agent should get in touch with their county AAA office."

Under the winter wheat insurance, farmers have a choice of two contracts, each for three years. One offers coverage up to 75 per cent of the average yield — the other up to 50 per cent. The amount of coverage varies with the stage of the crop's development. Premiums are payable annually by cash or by premium notes.

Applications covering at least 50 farms in the county must be received before crop insurance may be available in that county.

Any person with an interest in a winter wheat crop may apply for crop insurance through the county AAA office or a sales agent appointed by the county AAA committee.

The deadline for receiving applications in Wheeler County is August 31, 1945 or before the crop is seeded, whichever is earlier.

Miss Patsy Noah visited her parents here last week end, returning to Taylor Sunday.

Miss Mary Eunice Noah of Lubbock visited in the Frank Noah home Monday and Tuesday.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Jerry Wiley of Port Arthur is a summer visitor in the H. M. Wiley home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Harris and little daughters of Pampa spent Sunday evening in the Hallman home.

Mrs. V. J. Zeman and Miss Amy Sue Beckett plan to attend a sub-district meeting at Wellington Friday. Miss Helen H. Swift, sociologist in rural organization, College Station, will lead the discussion on year book planning.

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MOBEETIE HAPPENINGS

By Times Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Sims, Mrs. Bud Scribner, and Grandpa Sims visited relatives in Wellington last Sunday.

Mrs. Marvin Roberts of Briscoe was in Mobeetie Tuesday.

T-Sgt. Johnny Murrel, who has been in Germany, is back in the States and home on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts of Oakland, California came Tuesday to visit Grandmother Roberts of Old Mobeetie and other relatives here.

Cpl. Kenneth Walker is home on a furlough.

T-Sgt. O. C. Walker visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston were callers in the John Dunn home Thursday night.

Jimmy Coward visited relatives in Wichita Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coward visited at Wichita Falls last week end, Jimmy returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barker of Phoenix, Arizona are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Oswald.

Lt. Mary Katherine Sims who has been overseas for about three years is back in the States and is home on a furlough. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Sims.

Lewis Johnson, son of Jack Johnson, who has been overseas, is home and has his discharge from the army.

Mrs. Maurita Heiberg, Mrs. Fern Hancock, Mrs. Audrey Alexander, Mrs. Dorothy Davenport, and Mrs. Si Marchbanks attended the show in Pampa Wednesday night.

Rev. Homer Salley and family were shopping in Pampa Friday.

Mrs. F. P. Heare visited relatives in Pampa last week end.

L. D. McCauley left for Oklahoma City, Sunday evening, to attend to business.

Pvt. Damon Caldwell from Mayo Hospital, Illinois and Dean Caldwell from Paris, Texas are visiting their sister, Mrs. Frank Mote.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mote visited his sister, Mrs. Claud Hale, at Wheeler Sunday evening.

John Hodge's mother is visiting him this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Williams visited James Barrett and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cross Hogan and family visited his brother, Ross Ho-

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie were Erick visitors Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keel of Fort Worth came Sunday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. G. L. Reid, and other relatives. They returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Atwood and children of Twitty moved this week to the Floyd Mooney place near Gageby.

Mrs. Darrell Atherton of Briscoe left Friday to join her husband at Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas.

Mrs. Mae Gilmer and children and Mrs. Floyd Atherton of Briscoe were Wheeler visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Noah of Taylor are the parents of a six pound daughter, Mary Kay, born July 10.

gan and family at Jacksboro last week.

Mrs. Dora Hogan has gone to visit her son, Ross Hogan, at Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Leonard talked with their son, Sgt. Dinzel Leonard, who is in a hospital in California, Sunday evening. Sgt. Leonard has undergone another operation. Mrs. Leonard plans to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts back to California and visit Dinzel Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linden Sims and family of Amarillo visited his folks, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sims, over the week end.

Mrs. Doris Painter and Mrs. Mayme Gatlin went to McLean Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herk Atkins have moved to the home of Tom Hale which they recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Phil Corcoran Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Parker and Mrs. Marie Gudgill were in Shamrock Thursday.

Rev. Buren Hidgon was in Lefors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Mote visited with friends in Amarillo over the week end.

Mrs. G. R. Robinson and sons of Pampa, formerly of Port Arthur, Texas, visited in the home of Mrs. F. P. Heare over the week end.

Mrs. Doc Gaines visited in Wheeler Sunday.

Miss Maurita Lamom of Pampa spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lamom.

SPECIALS FOR WEEK JULY 20th THROUGH JULY 27th



IGA FLOUR	
25 POUND SACK	\$1.19
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Pork & Beans IGA No. 2 can	12c	TEA Royal Guest 1/4 lb box	23c
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PLUMS Heavy Syrup No. 2 1/2 can	25c	PEACHES Light Syrup No. 2 1/2 can	25c	APRICOTS Light Syrup No. 2 1/2 can	25c
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TOMATO JUICE IGA FANCY 46 Ounce Can	25c	WHOLE GRAIN CORN IGA FANCY No. 2 Can	17c	CUT GREEN BEANS RAINBOW, Standard No. 2 Can	11c	WHOLE BEETS IGA FANCY No. 2 Can	17c
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JUICE GRAPEFRUIT 46 Ounce Can	29c	PUREE TOMATO, No. Points No. 10 Can	67c	GRAPE JUICE Pint bottle	25c
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INSECT SPRAY HI-POWER Pint Bottle	19c	Mustard IGA SALAD STYLE 9-OZ. JAR WITH PADDLE	9c	FOTTED MEAT LIBBY'S 3 1/2 ounce can	6c	Peanut Butter For the slicer - peanut butter sandwiches, etc. 7-OZ. JAR	41c
QUART BOTTLE	33c	PARTY LOAF 12 Ounce Can	35c				

APPLE BUTTER IGA 32 Ounce Jar	23c	CORN SYRUP BLUE LABEL Half Gallon Size	35c	BABY FOOD FOUR Cans for	25c
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HONEY 2 Pound Jar	55c	LYE IGA - TWO 13 Ounce Cans	15c	FRESH PRODUCE	
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PRESERVES APRICOT 2 Pound Jar	55c	SPAGHETTI JAY TEE 2 Pound Box	13c	POTATOES WHITE 15 Pound Peck	63c
GRAPE JAM PURE 2 Pound Jar	39c	RICE PIXIES GOLD TOST 5 1/2 Ounce Box	10c	LEMONS SUNKIST, 360 SIZE Per dozen	29c
APPLE JELLY PURE 2 Pound Jar	35c	POST BRAN 14 Ounce Box	13c	COFFEE FLEMING FLAVOR RICH VACUUM PACK 1 Lb Glass Jar	33c

MARMALADE WELCH'S 1 Pound Jar	25c	MINCE MEAT QUART JAR	49c	GINGERBREAD MIX DROMEDARY Per box	21c
FRUIT JARS KERR MASON QUARTS Per dozen	57c	PIE FILLING CHOCOLATE, COCOANUT and VANILLA Makes Three Pies, per box	25c	SODA IGA 16 Ounce Box	5c
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Certo, 8 oz bottle	23c	Tex Wax, 16 oz pkg	15c	LAYING MASH CHIC-O-LINE 100 pound print sack	3.50

Jar Rings, 6 pkgs	25c	Kerr Jar Lids, doz	10c	SALT 100 Pound Sack	75c
Kerr Jar Caps, doz	23c	No. 63 Jar Caps, doz	23c	SHORTS 100 Lb. Sack	2.25
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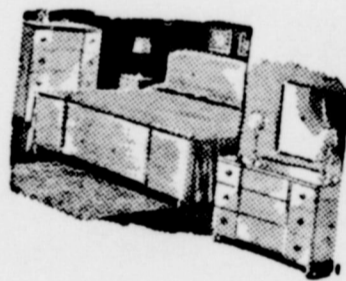
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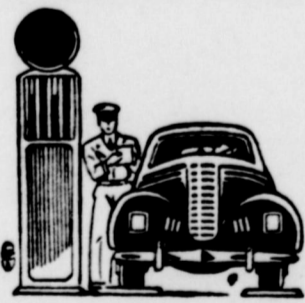
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GIRLS' CHOIR ENTERTAINS AT W. M. S. MONDAY

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Monday afternoon. Mrs. Cecil Martin read the devotional and Mrs. Lee Guthrie gave the history of a number of gospel hymns. The girls choir rendered hymns in song after the stories were given. Part of the songs were special numbers. Juanita and Iris Clepper, quartette; Joy and Floy Bradstreet, a duet; Jo Ann and Georgia Porter, a duet and Georgia, a solo. Others in the choir were Helen Farmer, Virginia Rose Marrs and Peggy Rodgers. Mrs. Gordon Stiles led the choir and also sang two solos. Mrs. George Porter accompanied at the piano. Others present were Mesdames C. N. Wofford, A. C. Wood, C. R. Flynt, Jack Guynes, Lillian Wright, J. M. Burgess, J. F. Cook, George Hefley, J. W. Williams, H. A. Whitener, Gordon Whitener, Bob Rodgers, Mari Jaco, and T. M. Bradstreet. Next week the W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Gordon Whitener.

METHODIST LADIES ENJOY M. Y. M. PROGRAM MONDAY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist church at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon for an interesting program on "Poets of the Bible" presented by Mrs. Nash, secretary of the M. Y. M., and the following girls: Patsy Wiley, Josephine Noah, Glenna Hefley, Betty Hix, Melba and Helen Little. Ladies present included Mesdames Roe Green, Ansel McDowell, H. M. Wiley, J. M. Porter, Pete Mayfield, Luther Parks and son, Richard, Lloyd Davidson, Elizabeth Wren, H. H. Hunt, F. J. Noah, C. C. Robison, Mary Johnson, Ollie Hubbard, D. E. Holt, Misses Mary Eunice Noah, and Beulah Hubbard. During the social hour Mrs. McDowell was presented a gift shower.

ROBINSON-GORDON

Miss Helen Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Robinson of Panhandle, became the bride of Lt. George W. Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon of Mobeetie in a double ring ceremony performed at 11 o'clock Monday morning, July 9, in the chapel of the First Methodist Church in Amarillo.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a lovely white dress with black accessories and a corsage of red roses. The couple was attended by Miss Ruth Robinson, sister of the bride, and Ernest Gordon, brother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Gordon, a graduate of West Texas State College in '44 has been teaching at White Deer the past year.

Lt. Gordon has just returned from Germany where he was a prisoner-of-war for sixteen months.

The couple left on a wedding trip to New Mexico. Lt. Gordon will report to Miami, Florida September 1.

Pvt. and Mrs. Arthur Lee Red, Jr., and boys of Camp Wolters returned Sunday to their home in Lemoore, California.

Breakfast sets (old rose, royal blue, turquoise, canary, all in the same set.) \$4.98. Russ Variety Store.

VICK HATHAWAY HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hathaway honored their son, Vick, with a birthday party Tuesday night of last week. The party began at 8 o'clock. Outdoor games were played until dark, then popular indoor games were played. Following the games the gifts were opened and displayed. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and lemonade were served to the following: Hayward Romines, Delton and Ouida Burkes, Kenneth Grimes, Jimmy and Aline Walker, Patricia Trimble, Barbara and Horace Trimble, Walter Hill, Bobbie Galmor, Keith Lawrence, Mary Louise and Bernice Carter.

WALKER REUNION IS HELD SUNDAY

The Walker family enjoyed a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Williams Sunday, honoring Cpl. Kenneth Walker of Savannah, Georgia and T/Sgt. O. C. Walker, Jr., who has just returned from New Guinea, he has been overseas for three years. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whittington, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinslow of Hedley and Miss Iona Whittington of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts of Oakland, California, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Roberts of Briscoe, Mrs. Arch Chisum, Threese and Calvin of Miami, Miss Althea May Duren of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Walker, Jimmy and Aline, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seitz, Mrs. Ernest Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Galmor and Bobby, all of Mobeetie and O. C. Walker, Sr., of Oakland, California.

COMM. COURT MEMBERS TO BE HONORED WITH PICNIC

The Commissioners Court will be honored with a picnic lunch, July 23. The picnic will be in Judge and Mrs. Hefley's back yard. Home demonstration club women are making arrangements for the lunch and program. Mrs. Ernest Zybach is chairman of the county home demonstration council.

The semi-annual report of home demonstration and 4-H clubs in Wheeler county will be given in illustrated form immediately after lunch. The program was planned by the education committee of the council. This committee is composed of Mesdames Elmer Miller, Myrtle H. D. club; J. H. Stauffer, Pagan H. D. club; Henry Lee, Good Neighbor H. D. club, and Walter Williams, Three Leaf H. D. club. These home demonstration club women will highlight achievements to date. Joy Williams Georgia Gay Porter, and Rozena Helton will tell of 4-H club work in 1945.

Mrs. Green Burkhalter, recreation leader of council, will lead in a brief recreation period. Arrangements for the picnic are being made under the direction of Mrs. Hester Dodson, Victory H. D. club, Mrs. J. H. Watts, Wheeler, and Mrs. R. L. Ramsey, Briscoe.

Mrs. Belle Red, Mrs. Winona Gilen and daughter, Patsy, of Amarillo spent the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Beck.

Wood pails for chipping ice. 79c. Russ Variety Store.

STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. HODNETT

The Stitch and Chatter club met with Mrs. S. P. Hodnett last Thursday afternoon for a birthday social honoring Mesdames Bill Black, Hodnett, J. J. Ayres and Annie Sivage. Others present were Mesdames Henry Walker, J. F. Cook, Tom Ward, W. E. Bowen and one guest, Mrs. E. G. Pettit. The club will meet with Mrs. Frank Noah July 26.

G. A.'S MEET TUESDAY NIGHT AT CHURCH

The Girls' Auxiliary met at the Baptist Church Tuesday night for a program on "America, What Do You Offer." Those assisting with the program were Helen Farmer, Georgia Porter, Peggy Rodgers, Margie Esslinger, Coene Carter and Hazel Lee. Others present were: Naomi Merritt, Dollie Douglas, Betty May, June Johnson, Jody Reid, Mrs. Raymond Sayre and two guests, Mozelle May of Texico and Corine Welch of Miami. The girls will meet with Coene Carter July 31.

BRISCOE H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. GLADYS PRICE

The Briscoe home demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Gladys Price. Mrs. Zeman made a short talk on making limited sugar supplies fill the food preservation budget and gave a demonstration of making cottage cheese. The cheese was served two ways, on tomato and with chopped onion.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, chilled tomato juice with the two cheese dishes were served to the following visitors: Mesdames William Jackson, O. O. Beatty, J. P. King, Sy Mason, M. S. Roberts and B. F. Holland. Members present included Mesdames Roy Waters, Adelle McNeil, Lee Barry, Sam Standlee, Velma D'Spain, George Parker, R. L. Ramsey, Ernest Zybach, Elbert Zybach, Clarence Zybach, Zeman, Price and Miss Tamsey Riley.

The club will meet August 7 with Mrs. Lee Bary for a demonstration on "Cutting and Fitting Garments."

HOME CULTURE CLUB STUDIES JUICE CANNING

The Home Culture club met last Wednesday in the Rogers home with Mrs. Vern Lohberger as hostess. "Better flavor and more attractive color are obtained by mixing juices of different varieties; varieties with a deep red color may be used in combination with light colored grapes," stated Miss Argen Hix in her demonstration on the canning of grape juice.

Mesdames H. R. Warren, Pat Huff, Millard Donaldson, Malcom Levitt, Lee Kiker, Porter Rogers, M. P. Rogers and Vern Lohberger were club members present. Visitors included Mrs. W. M. Hamilton, Mrs. C. A. Copeland, Patsy Huff and Jane Donaldson.

The club will meet July 25 in the Methodist church basement.

MRS. O'GORMAN IS HOSTESS TO VICTORY H. D. CLUB

Mrs. V. J. Zeman gave a demonstration on cheese making Friday afternoon when the Victory H. D. club met with Mrs. John O'Gorman. Refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. Lee Lackey, and the following members: Mesdames Elmo Riley, Henry Wegner, H. M. Carver, Hester Dodson, Gus Wegner, George Braxton, Thomas Todd, Forrest Carver, V. J. Zeman and the hostess.

An ice cream supper for the club members and their families will be held at the home of Mrs. Elmo Riley July 24.

The club will meet with Mrs. Elmo Riley July 27 when the Twitty 4-H club girls will have charge of the demonstration.

"Charm Curl" permanent wave kit 59c, 2c tax. Russ Variety Store.

FINSTERWALD-KNIGHT

Miss Clara Finsterwald, daughter of A. Finsterwald of Mobeetie, and M/Sgt. O. E. Knight were quietly married July 9 in El Paso. The bride was attired in pearl grey with brown alligator accessories.

Mrs. Knight was co-owner of the R. & F. Variety Store here until last January. Sgt. Knight was associate professor of Pathology in the University of Michigan before entering service in 1941. He spent 13 months in the southwest Pacific.

The couple will be at home in El Paso where Sgt. Knight is stationed. Need bed rollers? We have them. Russ Variety Store.

In case of fire call one of the following numbers: 35, 177, 123, or 133.

KAPPA BETAS MEET AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Kappa Betas met at the Methodist church at eight o'clock Tuesday evening for a business meeting and a program led by Mrs. W. W. Meek. She was assisted by Mesdames V. J. Zeman, Audrey Pearce, Misses Leona Crossland and Ruth Barr. Others present were Mesdames Lillian May, O. E. Nicholson, sponsor, Misses Amy Sue Beckett and Evonne Hubbard. Two visitors, Mrs. Mary Sims of Shamrock and Miss Beulah Hubbard, also attended. The group will meet August 7 at the Methodist Church park.

Mrs. A. L. Red, Jr., has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Lonzo Beck and Mrs. Buster Myers, for the past six weeks.

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KERR MASON LIDS Per dozen 10c	DIAMOND MATCHES 6 Box Carton 29c

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O-CEDAR POLISH 50c SIZE 39c	MERIT 100 Pound Print Bag GROWING MASH 3.75

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42 Army Divisions Are Due Home This Year

The War Department announced recently that 42 of the 68 divisions which fought in Europe and the Mediterranean will be back home or on the way by the end of the year.

A number of these divisions have already arrived or are on their way home.

Here is the schedule for embarkation of the divisions for the five months beginning in August. For reasons of military security, the department said, no information is being given as to whether these units will be redeployed to the Pacific, assigned to the reserves in the United States, or discharged.

August: 85th, 28th and 30th infantry divisions and the 20th armored division.

September: 14th, 5th, 6th and 7th armored divisions; the 17th airborne division; 88th, 91st, 35th, 45th and 103rd infantry divisions.

October: 9th armored division and the 92nd, 26th, 79th and 99th infantry divisions.

November: 10th armored division; 10th mountain division; 13th airborne; 83rd, 63rd and 106th infantry divisions.

The Second Armored Division, booked to sail in December, recently entered Berlin.

The eight divisions which currently are designated as occupation forces in the European and Mediterranean theaters are the 1st and 4th Armored Divisions; and the 1st, 3rd, 9th,

Mrs. Jimmie Mitchener returned Sunday from a ten-day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Witt in Amarillo.

Patsy Williams is a new employee at the City Drug Store.

Misses Mildred and Neil Murphy and Mozell May of Clovis, New Mexico visited friends and relatives here last week end.

R. J. Holt, Jr., was a week end visitor in Paducah.

Sunday visitors in the Floyd Pennington home were Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Johnston and daughter, Elsie Jo, of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Montgomery of Shamrock.

29th and 36th infantry divisions and the 82nd Airborne division.

The 18 divisions scheduled to remain in the European theater for the remainder of 1945, presumably as a result of the tight shipping situation, are the 3rd, 8th, 12th and 16th Armored Divisions; the 101st Airborne Division; and the 42nd, 65th, 66th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 78th, 89th, 94th, 10th and 102nd infantry divisions.

The War Department renewed its request that relatives and friends of soldiers scheduled to return to the country not to telephone or otherwise contact points of embarkation for further information. The returning soldiers will get furloughs at home and, the department said, the transportation corps is making "every effort to speed the homeward journey."

SUBSTITUTE B FOR C COUPONS ON OCTOBER 1

Effective October 1, the use of C gasoline coupons will be discontinued, and all supplemental mileage rations there after will be issued in the form of B coupons, Washington officials of the OPA revealed recently.

The change will have no effect on the mileage granted to applicants, but only on the type of coupons received by drivers in higher or preferred mileage class.

Holders of the C ration coupons now will be issued B coupons for any amount of supplemental mileage granted to the applicant.

The two officials announced also that a nationwide survey of C coupon issuance by local ration boards will start Monday, to determine whether gasoline issuances currently are exceeding the gallonage allocated by the Petroleum Administration for war to the OPA for rationing.

As the result of the projected survey reports were circulated that a cut in the value of A coupons may be ordered. Leach said the A coupon value, recently increased to six gallons, would be reduced only as a last resort.

RATION REMINDER

July 1 to August 1

Sugar — Stamp No. 36 is good for 5 lbs. sugar through August 31.

Meats and Fats — Book IV, red stamps K2 through Z2 are good for 10 points each. A1 through E1 became valid July 1. K2 through P2 expire July 31.

Processed Foods — Book IV, blue stamps T2 through H1 are good for 10 points each. J1 through N1 became valid July 1. T2 through X2 expire July 31.

Shoes — Book III, stamps one, two and three, with airplane pictures, each good for one pair shoes indefinitely. A new stamp will be validated August 1.

Gasoline — (Coupons must be endorsed on front) A coupons, 6 gallons each with No. 16 expiring September 21. B-6, B-7, B-8, C-6, C-7, and C-8 rations have a value of 5 gallons each. R-2 and R-3, 5 gallons (Valid for bulk delivery only); T coupons designated "Second Quarter" good for 5 gallons through June 30; D, one and one-half gallons; and E-2 and E-3 one gallon each.

Tire Inspection — T book holders every six months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first. New Mileage Rationing Record required to obtain gasoline rations. Application for passenger car tire replacement must show condition of all tires in use.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Cpl. Leroy Lamb of Kearnes, Utah visited his sister, Mrs. Dortha Wright Sunday and Monday.

J. T. Dearen of Amarillo came last Thursday for a week's visit in the C. J. Meek home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Taylor of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hallman visited in Shattuck last Thursday.

Capt. and Mrs. Wallace A. Harris and baby of Boaz, Alabama are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. N. E. Ward returned to Lubbock Monday after a two week visit in the W. L. Murphey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvoid Callan and daughters, W. J. Brumley and son, Dale, left Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Everitt St. Clair in Ardmore, Oklahoma. They expect to return Sunday.

Carl Scott of Bakersfield, California is visiting this week in the home of his uncle, Edward Errington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wallis and children, Mrs. Jerel Lester and baby of Tulla visited the ladies' brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Errington, in Mobeetie last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Taylor of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wright of Los Angeles, California visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hallman Friday of last week.

Billy Ray and Kenneth Errington of Mobeetie are visiting relatives in Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Smith and son are visiting friends and relatives in Oklahoma City this week.

Jerry English will return to Vega today (Thursday) after a ten-day visit in the H. M. Wiley home.

LEGAL NOTICE

(First published in The Wheeler Times July 19, 1945).

NOTICE OF LETTING OF CONTRACT FOR CERTAIN COURT HOUSE PAINTING:

Notice is hereby given that at the next regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Wheeler County, Texas, to be held in the Commissioners' Court room in the court house thereof, on Monday, August 13, 1945 there will be let a contract for certain painting to be done upon portions of the interior of the Wheeler County Court House, which contract now is and will then be submitted to competitive bidding, the nature of which work will be as follows: to-wit: Painting hallways and corridors, commencing at foot of both North and South basement stairways; Thence, all hallways and corridors on all three floors; to include all surfaces except floors, interior of offices and court room excluded, but all outside walls and surfaces. Not less than two coats of good paint upon all wainscoting on main floor and wainscoting of stairways from basement to second (District court room) floor.

All woodwork to be varnished and

all plaster work painted. Plaster-work and wainscoting to be repaired where needed. All materials, of good quality, to be furnished.

This the 16th day of July, 1945.
G. W. Hefley,
County Judge,
Wheeler County, Texas

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OPA Starts Check Of Frozen Food Lockers

An investigation of frozen food locker plants in the Lubbock District will begin July 16, District OPA Enforcement Attorney Sam H. Allred announced today, following receipt of details of the program from the Regional OPA office Wednesday.

The purpose of the entire meat enforcement program is to "kill the black market and provide better distribution of the supply," and the locker investigation is a part of the intensive meat enforcement program.

Investigators employed by the Lubbock Office who will be trained for this particular project will inspect meat in the lockers and notify owners of what appear to be excessive supplies to report to the local War Price and Rationing Board and be prepared to surrender red points if unable to establish previous point payment or the fact that they were entitled to the meat on a point-free basis.

Requirements for persons who hold frozen food lockers were outlined by the Enforcement Division of the District Office of Price Administration. Sam H. Allred, Enforcement Attorney, pointed out that the basis of the locker-inspection program is the requirement that no rationed meat may be transferred or acquired without surrender of ration points.

Under certain conditions, persons are entitled to have point free meat in their lockers. A livestock producer may be slaughtered any animal he produced or raised without giving up points provided:

1. That he either operates a farm at which he resides more than six months of the year, or actually supervised the raising of the animal and was on the premises on which the animal was raised at least one-third of the life of the animal.

2. That the animal was raised by the owner from birth until time of slaughter, or owned and fed 60 days preceding slaughter, or long enough for the weight of the animal to increase 35 per cent of its weight when acquired.

3. That the resulting meat is for the owner's own household and that he does not intend to sell or transfer any of the meat.

If the locker plant does custom slaughtering for his locker patrons he is required to give information to the Local Board of the livestock owner and to the District OPA office showing the weight of the live animal, dressed weight, kind of livestock and facts about the ofal. If the locker holder was not entitled to meat point free, then he is required to have a slaughterer's license and to have surrendered points for the meat transferred.

A locker operator is required to grade all meat handled or slaughtered by him, whether it belongs to a locker holder or any other person, before breaking, storing or delivering it.

If the locker holder is a farm

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Cantrell, Betty Cantrell and Mrs. Verna Callan were Shamrock visitors Saturday night.

Mrs. Weldon Sandifer and daughter, Suzanne, returned Sunday from an extended visit in Mineral Wells, Weatherford and Dallas.

Miss Lutie McLhany of Shamrock came Sunday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. McLhany.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dison and sons were Shamrock visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. O. McKay and son, Donald Ray, returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Borger and Amarillo.

Mrs. Pearl Webb and daughter, Caron, of Salt Lake City, are visiting Mrs. W. J. Webb and family. Mrs. Faye Bryant and daughters will accompany her home.

Mrs. Agnes Hatfield of Manitou, Oklahoma was a recent visitor in the W. J. Webb home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Criner and son, Jerry, of Skellytown are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Amos May and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Herd this week.

Mrs. Joe Tilley and Mrs. R. B. Mann made a business trip to Ft. Worth and Dallas the first of the week.

Mrs. Forrest Anderson and Mrs. Oma Dyer of Amarillo and Pfc. and Mrs. Woody Carton of Pampa visited from Saturday until Monday with the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Helton.

Mrs. Alice Black has returned home after visiting a week in Perryton with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Shelby and son left Monday for Pantex where Mr. Shelby will work at the ordnance plant.

Miss Geraldine Williams of Borger visited friends and relatives here Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Maxine Laflin of Shamrock was a Sunday afternoon visitor in the Carl Laflin home.

Mrs. S. D. Conwell is visiting her brother, Henry Winkler, in Gainesville this week.

Mrs. R. C. Anderson, a new employee at Mrs. Pollard's Cafe, is making her home with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Bowerman. Miss Betty Britten of Kelton was a week end visitor in the Bowerman home.

T'Sgt. Elvis (Spud) Moore returned to Lubbock Tuesday after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore, Sr.

slaughterer and is entitled to the meat point free for his own consumption, he is required to grade or have graded all of his meat, but if he kills cattle for sale he must grade it or have it graded before the carcass is broken, delivered or stored. He may grade the meat without applying for permission from the Federal Grading Service.

LEGAL NOTICE

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: HURD S. TILDEN, A. J. SHAW, ANDREW J. SHAW, AUGUSTUS O. PETERSON, AUGUST W. CARLSON, A. W. CARLSON, M. A. SHAW, a feme sole, A. H. MERSEREAU, ANNIE H. MERSEREAU, a feme sole, AUGUST L. SARGENT, E. L. SARGENT, FLETCHER C. RICE, HARRIET A. RICE, SWAN H. OLSON, JAMES H. LINDSLEY, JAMES H. LINDSLEY, A. W. BERGGREN, CHRISTINA BERGGREN, D. W. WRIGHT, and the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of each of the above named defendants who may be deceased: GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiffs' petition at or before 10 o'clock, A. M., on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 6th day of August 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Wheeler County, Texas, at the court house in Wheeler, Texas.

Said plaintiffs' petition was filed on the 22nd day of June 1945, and being numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 3608. The names of the parties in said suit are: Orville Bullington and M. M. Miller, as plaintiffs, and HURD S. TILDEN, A. J. SHAW, ANDREW J. SHAW, AUGUSTUS O. PETERSON, AUGUST W. CARLSON, A. W. CARLSON, M. A. SHAW, a feme sole, A. H. MERSEREAU, ANNIE H. MERSEREAU, a feme sole, AUGUST L. SARGENT, E. L. SARGENT, FLETCHER C. RICE, HARRIET A. RICE, SWAN H. OLSON, JAMES H. LINDSLEY, A. W. BERGGREN, CHRISTINA BERGGREN, D. W. WRIGHT, and the unknown heirs devisees and legal representatives of each of the above named defendants, who may be deceased.

The nature of plaintiffs' suit is in trespass to try title to the following described tract of land lying and being in Wheeler County, Texas, described as:

All of survey 49, certificate 13-2717, Block M-1, of the H&GN RR Co. Surveys, in said County, save and except the south half of the Southeast quarter of said section, a total of 360 acres of

land, more or less. Plaintiffs plead title to said lands, as against all said defendants, and each of them, their unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives, and in support of their title to said lands, plaintiffs plead as against all said defendants, the four, five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitations.

Prayer is for title and possession of said lands against all said defendants, and that the title to said land be quieted in name of plaintiffs. Issued this 22nd day of June 1945. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Wheeler, Texas, this 22nd day of June 1945. (Seal) OLLIE W. BEENE, Clerk District Court, Wheeler County, Texas

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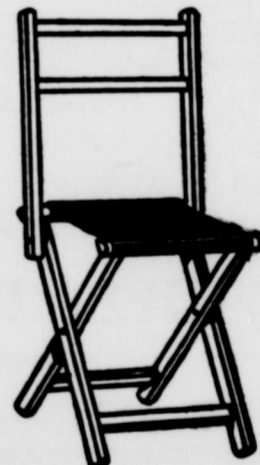
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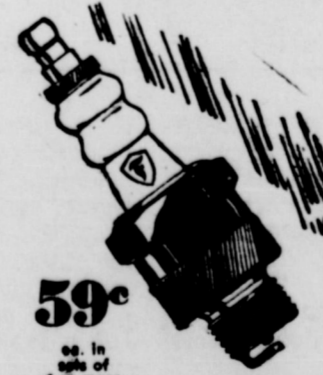
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WHEELER, TEXAS

Our Country Needs Still More Used Fats...And We're the Folks to Save them!



IN between the good news about the war these days, careful readers of the paper will see grave words about a serious national shortage that has a direct bearing on military and civilian production schedules.

Our domestic supplies of fats and oils will be approximately one and one-half billion pounds less than last year. Yet thousands of tons of fats are still needed to help make countless essentials for the battle- and home-fronts.

While country people have been doing an even better job of saving fats than the city folks, we must remember that, because of the meat situation, we are in a better position to save. That's why we can't afford to miss a trick.

So, let's save not only the big amounts from frying and roasting, but also meat trimmings, plate scraps, and scrapings. Melt them down once a week and add the liquid fat to the salvage can. Skim soups and gravies. Scrape every pan. Every drop is important.

When your salvage can is full, take it to your butcher, and get 2 red points and up to 4¢ for each pound. If you have any difficulty, call your County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Ansel McDowell of Pampa visited his family here Sunday. Donald Oglesby received a broken arm while playing on the court house lawn Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Owen have returned to Wheeler to make their home after residing in North Hollywood the past four years. Mr. Owen is working for Percy Farmer at present. Mrs. Bell Vineyard, Wynnewood, Okla., has spent the past month with her sister, Mrs. C. N. Strawbridge, and family of Gageby. The sisters had not seen one another in 36 years. The ladies recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Muncy Seay in Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. Denver Reynolds and sons are visiting her sister in Hereford this week. Mrs. Willard Strawbridge and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. Opal Paden, in Pampa this week.

F O CLAUDE REVIUOUS

Army Air Field Dyersburg, Tenn.—F O Claude A. Reviuous of Wheeler is spending a twenty-day leave of absence at his home. Dyersburg Army Air Field is an installation which trains heavy bomber crews. Battle wise veterans who have returned from every major war front give instructions to each member of the training crews from pilot to tail gunner. Selected from such varied fronts as North Africa, England, Sicily, India, China and the South Pacific, the instructors are able to give the trainees a first hand picture of every type of enemy opposition as well as preparing them for weather conditions encountered in the various theaters. Operating on the theory that all work and no play makes a poor soldier, the Field is well equipped with recreational facilities, and three nearby towns have USO centers.

MOUNTAIN VIEW NEWS

(By Times Correspondent)

Bud Dawson of Chicago arrived Friday for a short visit in the Ransom Carter home. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Seitz were in Shamrock Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts of McLean spent Saturday in the W. H. Roberts home. A. B. Melton of Melrose, N. M. and Mrs. Eli Hancock and daughter of Pampa visited in the Frank Totty home Tuesday night of last week. Mrs. Charlie Seitz spent Wednesday afternoon in the Dean Collins home. Mrs. Anna Lewis returned Wednesday after a short trip to Corsicana. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Walker and family spent Sunday in the S. W. Williams home. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Arrington spent Sunday visiting in Pampa. Mrs. A. W. Hathaway was a caller in the W. H. Roberts home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. W. B. Thomas and Billy and Mrs. Faye Smith and David Wayne visited in the Edgar Newman home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Trimble and Mrs. Joe Thompson were in Shamrock Thursday. Mrs. Mote and son of Tula are visiting in the A. C. Rhody home. Mrs. Mote is Mrs. Rhody's sister. Carl Carter was in Pampa Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Trimble and daughter and Mrs. Eula Trimble and daughters spent Sunday in the C. E. Trimble home in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Seitz and family were in Shamrock Friday. Mrs. W. B. Thomas and Mrs. Faye Smith and son were in Wheeler Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Seitz visited Mrs. O. C. Elliot in Pampa Wednesday. Mrs. Tom Hathaway was a caller in the Charlie Seitz home Sunday afternoon. Alfred Hill was in Shamrock Thursday. Fayette Seitz was in Wheeler Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts of Oakland, California spent Monday night in the Pierce Walker home. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Arrington visited in the Frank Totty home Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. John Geyer of Twitty, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coward, Mrs. Mote and son, and Mrs. A. C. Rhody and daughter visited in the Tom Hathaway home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Collins were in Wheeler Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. John Hodges were in Shamrock Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Spence and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Halley and girls of Coltevo were visitors in the J. H. Romines home recently. Marvin Romines of Forestburg is visiting his brother, J. H. Romines. Barney and Bailey Burgess have moved to the property they recently purchased from H. M. Wiley; the location is one and one-half blocks south of the public square on South Shamrock street.

OKLAHOMA BLOOD TEST LAW GOES INTO EFFECT
Oklahoma marriage license clerks are under orders to begin enforcement July 2 of the new law requiring blood tests for syphilis by persons applying for marriage papers. Atty. Gen. Randall S. Cobb, in an opinion directed to the state examiner and inspector, said the 20th Session statute is valid. It was sponsored by women's organizations as a venereal disease preventative.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE
FOR SALE — Black Rye seed with 10% wheat mixture. \$1.25 per bushel. I. G. Fillingim, 11 miles north of Briscoe. 30-6tp

FOR SALE — 240 acres land, 160 in cultivation, 5 room rock house and out buildings, located 9 miles east and 1/2 mile south of Wheeler. For information write Elder Stearns, Box 222, Clinton, Oklahoma. 30-2tp

FOR SALE — 200 bushels of Barley mixed with wheat. Seed Speltz makes more than winter barley. Also kerosene refrigerator. F. H. Boren, 10 miles north of Mobeetie. 31-2tp

FOR SALE — Sow and 7 piglets old weaning size pigs. Mrs. W. A. Scribner, Mobeetie. 32-2tc

FOR SALE — 9 weaning size pigs. Leon Hays, Allison. 31-2tp

FOR SALE — Plenty of 1 1/2 inch wood suckerrods. J. C. Woodbridge Co. 31-2tc

FOR SALE — 4-wheel baby buggy. Mary Frances Conner. 31-1tp

FOR SALE — 1937 Chevrolet, good condition, good tires. See Mrs. Jean Seitz, 5 1/2 miles southeast of Mobeetie. 31-2tp

FOR SALE — Living room suite. Mrs. G. L. Key, Mobeetie. 31-1tc

J. R. AUSTIN has a good 6 foot windmill for sale, also 8 ft. Dempster wheel for sale. 31-2tp

FOR SALE — New gas ranges and water heaters. Nash Appliance and Supply. 31-1tc

FOR SALE — Grain loaders, Hammermills, farm wagon (tractor or team drawn) tumble type fresnos. Nash Appliance and Supply. 31-1tc

FOR SALE — House, 24 feet by 28 feet, to be moved. See Geo. Warren. 31-1tp

J. R. AUSTIN has 2 good horsepower mowing machines for sale, also some good fresh milk cows. 30-2tp

FOR SALE — 320 acres land, 210 acres in cultivation; wheat land plowed, 7-room house, good shape, 22 by 32 ft. barn, 14 x 28 ft. dairy barn, natural gas piped in, good water well. Possession at once. No agents to deal with. F. H. Boren, 10 miles north east of Mobeetie. 30-4tp

PLENTY of Elberta peaches at De Leon, Texas. Come or contact the De Leon Community Club. Phone 81. 30-2tc

FOR SALE — Purina Livestock Spray, Purina Fly and Mosquito Spray for household purposes. Wheeler County Produce Assn. 28-1tc

FOR SALE — Battery raised Buff Fryers. Mrs. Tobe Frye. 21-13tp

MISCELLANEOUS
FOR RENT — Powaire Auto Power paint spray equipment for use on farm or in town. See us for your paints. Nash Appliance and Supply. 25-1tc

LOST — \$10 bill in or near Russ Variety. Reward. Ada Dell Goad. 31-1tp

WANTED — Sewing and ironing or other work to be done at my residence. Mrs. Cora Teakell. 31-2tp

WANTED — Issue of Dec. 16, 1944

Collier's Magazine. Mrs. H. E. Nicholson. 31-1tc

LOST — 4-month old Whiteface heifer calf, weighs about 275 lbs. Frank Caswell. 31-1tp

FOR RENT — 2 rooms, furnished or unfurnished. R. H. Forrester. 31-1tc

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CAR or TRACTOR
See us for appointment
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WANTED—Experienced farm hand, prefer married man, steady work, good wages. See or call J. A. Bryant, Wheeler. 28-1tc

FOR RENT — 3 room house. Leslie Womack. 30-2tp

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- 1 Allis-Chalmers Tractor, single-row equipment, all ready to go
- 1 Beckwith Player Piano, a good one
- 1 Leather Couch, with springs
- 1 Oak Music Cabinet, with mirror
- 1 End Table, with smoking stand and humidor
- 1 Long, Mahogany Library Table
- 1 Spinnet Desk, inlaid, solid Mahogany
- 1 Victrola, several records
- 1 High-back Cane Bottom Rocker
- 1 Round Oak Table
- 2 Camp Cots
- 6 Camp Chairs
- 4 Heavy Cane Bottom Chairs
- 1 Kitchen Stool
- 1 Alladin Lamp
- 1 Burgess Lantern, dry battery type
- 1 Vacuum pack Ice Cream Freezer
- 1 Thermos Jug, gallon size
- 1 Six-gallon Stone Churn
- 1 Good Bedstead, with heavy set of springs
- 1 New Perfection Cook Stove, 5-burner, good shape
- 1 Electric Waxing Machine, 1 1/8 h. p. motor
- 1 Electric Corn Popper
- 1 Universal Electric Sweeper, excellent condition
- 2 Bird Cages, one with stand

Other Items Too Numerous To Mention

If you have any items you would like to have auctioned, bring them to the Gin Yard before sale starts and

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We have made arrangements for several thousand dollars worth of Philco refrigerators and radios for the first three months after they come on the market and we are expecting our first ones in the early Fall, and they will really be worth waiting for. First models of radios are expected about October 1 and will range in price from \$15 to \$350.

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PHONE 11 WHEELER

Mrs. Alla Mae McCrohan of Pampa, Texas, came yesterday for a visit in the Lee Guthrie home.

Our stock of writing supplies is complete. Russ Variety Store.

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In case of fire call one of the following numbers: 35, 177, 123, or 118.

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