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Aid To Dependent Children Program Is Here Explained

10,000 Already On Rolls In Texas With 17,772 Applications

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (Special)—Since Texas, in co-operation with the federal government, initiated a program last September for aid to destitute children, approximately 10,000 needy children have been placed on the rolls and 17,772 children in 7,540 families have applications pending. Applicants and recipients of aid reside predominantly in the larger cities.

When the death, continued illness, or absence of one or both parents leaves the family without any means of support or parental care, the Aid to Dependent Children program provides monthly cash payments to the mother or other close relative with whom the children may live for the maintenance of the home. The 47th Legislature appropriated money to finance the program, with the federal government matching funds dollar for dollar.

The law sets certain requirements for the receipt of assistance by dependent children. First: It must be proved that needs exist. A family is considered to be in need if it lacks sufficient resources to maintain itself. A child must have lived in the state for at least a year before, or, if it is an infant less than a year old, the mother must have lived in the state a year before it was born. Although the federal social security act provides for matching funds in giving aid to children up to 16 years of age, or 18 if the child is still attending school, the Texas constitution excludes benefits to children who have already attained the age of 14 or over.

Applications for aid to dependent children may be made at the local office of the State Department of Public Welfare. The same workers who administer Aid to the Needy Blind and Old Age Assistance also administer the children's program. Applicants must supply certain information about the family and its circumstances so that the welfare office can determine whether the children may receive aid. The local office has available a Question and Answer pamphlet which gives full information concerning eligibility requirements and how to get through an application.

When an investigation shows that the family is in need, and how much assistance will be required, a monthly allowance is granted. The amount varies, depending on the need in each case. If the decision of the welfare office, either in fixing the amount or in refusing aid, seems unfair, the applicant may request a hearing before a representative of the State Office and evidence given at this hearing will be passed on by the Appeal Board of the State Welfare Department.

"This program aims to give every dependent child in Texas the privilege of growing up in his own home." J. S. Murchison, executive director of the department, said. "Home life is the highest and finest product of civilization. It is the great molding force of mind and of character. Children should not be deprived of it because of poverty. Cash assistance, and other services of this kind, enable young girls and boys to develop into useful and reliable citizens by making possible the maintenance of normal family life. Because of this program, children who are dependent and in need, like their more fortunate playmates, may now receive care until they are old enough to contribute to their own support."

March Third Is Civilian Defense Registration Day

Every Man And Woman In County Asked To Register

WHAT ARE YOU WILLING TO DO FOR DEFENSE?

Every man and woman in Mills County can be used. Do not wait until the enemy is just over the hill and then offer your services.

If you want to do your part for ALL OUT PREPAREDNESS call at one of the following places and fill out one of the registration cards on Tuesday, March 3:

Local Draft Board Office, Goldthwaite, Texas.

Oglesby's Store, Center City.

Oglesby's Store, Big Valley.

Egger Bros., Regency.

Duren Store, Mullin.

Soule's Filling Station, Star.

Marwitz Store, Priddy.

HOME - FARM ACCIDENT PREVENTION CHAIRMAN IS NAMED

John A. Wright has been named chairman of the Home and Farm Accident Prevention program by the local chapter of American Red Cross.

Home and farm accident prevention is primarily an educational program designed to bring about an understanding and appreciation on the part of the general public of the accident problem with its attendant loss of life, suffering and economic waste as it relates itself to the home and the farm.

The purpose of home and farm accident prevention is to bring about a reduction in (1) the yearly loss of tens of thousands of lives; (2) hundreds of thousands of permanent disabilities, and (3) millions of injuries that occur in the home and on the farm.

METHODIST CHURCH

The morning services will be at ten-fifty, Sunday School at 9:45, War Time.

Sunday night services and prayer meeting on Wednesday night will be at the usual time—8 o'clock, old time.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

"Business as usual" next Sunday with Sunday school meeting at 10:00 and the worship service following. Last Sunday we had a good improvement over the preceding Sunday when the new time was rather devastating to the Sunday program of some folks. But they are getting in stride now and so we hope for a return to normal next Sunday with every department at former high peaks or above.

Good news comes from afar that the effect of the increasing seriousness of the war is to turn the hearts of the people back to religion. Worship services are improving the country over is the word. In hours of great stress it is the way of man to turn to heaven for help. And in spite of human dereliction, God is gracious and hears the cry of needy peoples.

Patriotism now dictates that we shall do everything that may contribute to our national effort. What greater power for morale and strength can be found than religion? If you do not support the church now is raises a question as to the completeness of your effort in our great emergency. Think it over, friend.

BROWNWOOD MAN, HARRY KNOX, IN RACE FOR CONGRESSMAN

Harry Knox of Brownwood, chairman of the State Board of Control, who recently announced he was a candidate for Congress from the 21st Texas Congressional District, was in Goldthwaite last Friday meeting with the voters. Mr. Knox visited the Eagle Office and authorized us to announce his candidacy in the Eagle. His name appears this week in the Political Announcements column, and his formal announcement to the voters will appear soon.

MULLIN FAIR WAS BIG SUCCESS; LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS GIVEN

The Fair at Mullin was a big success and was enjoyed by approximately 500 Mills County citizens, in spite of the cold weather.

The 4-H Club girls, F.H.T. and Home Demonstration Club ladies exhibited their entries in the Mullin Gym, while the 4-H Club boys exhibited their live stock under the tent.

The winners in each division are as follows:

4-H CLUB GIRLS

Poultry Scrapbooks—1st, Lee Ella Anderson, Midway Club; 2nd, Virgileene Wicker, Midway Club; 3rd, Reba Dell Newton, Lake Merritt.

Laundry Bags—1st, Anna Belle Wasserman, Duren; 2nd, Lee Ella Anderson, Midway; 3rd, Connie Lou Hodges—Prairie.

Shoe Bags—2nd, Nellie Ruth Conway, Midway; 3rd, Anna Gene Hale, Big Valley.

Clothing—1st, Anna Gene Hale, Big Valley; 2nd, Billie Catherine Oden, Lake Merritt; 3rd, Margaret Jane Lockridge, Midway.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Feather Comfort—1st, Mrs. R. F. Daniels; 2nd, Mrs. Dyas; 3rd, Mrs. Lee Tesson.

Wool Comfort—1st, Mrs. Dyas. Candlewick Spread, white and unbleached—1st, Mrs. L. J. Teague; 2nd, Miss Bess Hutchings; 3rd, Mrs. Ira Hutchings.

Candlewick Spread, made of sacks—1st, Mrs. Ira Hutchings. Crocheted Spreads—1st, Mrs. Addie Tillman; 2nd, Inez Ferguson; 3rd, Mrs. O. B. Bell.

Tufted and Tied Rugs—1st, Mrs. O. B. Bell; 2nd, Mrs. Ben Davis; 3rd, Mrs. L. J. Teague.

Other Types of Hand-Made Rugs—1st, Mrs. L. J. Teague. Best Collection of Fruit—1st, Mrs. Fred Reynolds.

Best Collection of Canned Vegetables—1st, Mrs. Fred Reynolds; 2nd, Mrs. Harvey Hale.

Jellies and Jams—1st, Mrs. Fred Reynolds. Pickles and Relishes—1st, Mrs. Oscar Burns; 2nd, Mrs. John Schooler; 3rd, Mrs. Lee Tesson.

White Yeast Bread Loaf—1st, Midway Club Member; 2nd, Mrs. W. F. Butts.

Loaf of Whole Wheat Bread—2nd, Mrs. Beulah Sauters.

Yeast Rolls—1st, Mrs. Harvey Hale; 2nd, Midway Club Member; 3rd, Mrs. W. F. Butts.

REPORT ON THE F. H. T. DIVISION OF MILLS COUNTY FAIR HELD AT MULLIN

On February 24 the Mills County 4-H, H. M., F.F.A. Fair was held in Mullin. The three F.H.T. chapters in the county took active part in most contests. We would say for our division that the Fair was a grand success. We wish to express our appreciation to the judges: Mrs. Jim Weatherby and Mrs. Meyers of Goldthwaite and Mrs. Emma Scott Parks, San Saba, and all others who assisted in any way.

The judges gave the following report:

GARDEN SPOTS ARE WANTED IN CITY

In order that no vacant lots that will make suitable garden plots are left idle in this present emergency, anyone having a plot of ground in the city that could be used for a garden and is willing for someone else to use the land, may notify the home demonstration agent. Also, anyone who would like to work a garden but does not have the land may register; then the Garden Club will take both lists of names and will serve as the informational agency in this city garden program.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Raymond Bolton and Angelyn Maxwell.

1942 Crop Seed Loans Are Now Available Here

Applications Now Being Received At Local AAA Office

Loans for the production of 1942 crops are now available to farmers in Mills County and applications for these loans are now being received at the AAA Office in Goldthwaite, according to Harry F. Chesnut, Field Supervisor for the Emergency Crop Loan Section of the Farm Credit Administration.

A recent announcement by W. E. Farwell, Regional Manager of the Dallas Emergency Crop Loan Office, which administers these loans, states that the loans are being made available somewhat earlier this season to meet the emergency caused by short crops in certain areas and to permit early preparation of the land.

These loans will be made, as in the past, only to farmers whose cash requirements are small and who cannot obtain loans from other sources. As in former years, the money loaned will be limited to the applicant's necessary cash needs in preparing the land, planting and cultivating his 1942 crops. Borrowers are required to give as security a first lien on the crops financed.

Commonly known as "seed loans," these loans have been made in this county for the past ten years and the Emergency Crop Loan Office at Dallas thoroughly appreciates the fine attitude of the farmers here toward their obligations, Mr. Farwell's announcement states.

This agency is lending full cooperation to the government's vital Food For Defense Program by financing the planting and production of marketable food crops, including vegetables, peanuts, citrus fruits and melons.

The Dallas agency has also co-operated during the fall in a campaign fostered by the Extension Service to cut cotton stalks early in an effort to control boll weevils. All borrowers have been urged to co-operate in this for their own benefit and the welfare of their communities. According to the statement announcing the opening of the loan program, farmers who apply for a 1942 crop loan will be asked about their progress in cleaning up their fields.

Applications will be taken by Miss Lucile Conro at the A.A.A. Office here.

E. A. OBENHAUS FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE

As was announced briefly in last week's paper, E. A. Obenhaus has authorized the Eagle to announce he is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, Mills County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary next July 25. His name is in its place in the Political Announcements column.

Mr. Obenhaus needs no introduction to the people of this section. He has lived in the precinct since 1898, and has served in numerous public capacities. He is now president of the Goldthwaite Independent District School Board and has served as a member for several terms, as well as having done considerable work for the local Triple A.

Mr. Obenhaus asks for your support and vote, and says that if elected he will treat all the people fairly and squarely that may have business with the office he seeks.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps!

Mayor Proclaims All Next Week As Texas Week

March 1 Through 6 To Commemorate Founders Of Texas

PROCLAMATION

Designating March 1 Through March 6 As Texas Week

WHEREAS, the approach of Texas Independence Day and Alamo Day herald a week of deep significance and profound meaning in the minds and hearts of all Texans; and

WHEREAS, I am prompted by the patriotic members of the Forty-Second Legislature, as expressed in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, and by my own feelings of love, loyalty and patriotism toward my state;

NOW THEREFORE, I, H. G. Bodkin, Mayor of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of March 1 through March 6, 1942, as

TEXAS WEEK.

I urge all citizens of this municipality and of Texas to observe Texas Week in an appropriate manner. No one of us will fail to cherish the rich heritage which our founders and forefathers prepared for us of this generation.

During this week let us make much of the spiritual values of history and of our traditions. Let us dedicate our lives to ideals of statesmanship, character, leadership, and

Let us make it possible, as our forefathers, for our own and for our generations to enjoy the science of speech, of the power of worship, of public assembly, and all the other liberties which we cherish.

In this critical hour when democracy, even civilization itself, is at stake, it is more than ever fitting to commemorate the glorious deeds of those who laid the cornerstone of the Texas Empire. Let us prove ourselves not unworthy of the incomparable heritage left to us by pioneers and martyrs.

What they fought for in the past we are determined to hold. Remember Goliad, Remember the Alamo, REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of my Office to be impressed hereon at Goldthwaite, Texas, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1942.

H. G. BODKIN,
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SOCIETY

Garden Club

The Goldthwaite Garden Club met Feb. 18 in the home of Mrs. Neal Dickerson. Mrs. Dickerson, Mrs. Mack Horton, Mrs. H. D. Johnson and Mrs. L. E. Miller were hostesses.

The reception suite was beautifully decorated with bouquets of violets, pansies and ivy, out of club members' gardens. Mrs. John Berry was program leader for the following program:

- A Cycle of Continuous Bloom
- Miss Ruth Ervin.
- Host of Gay Flowering Plants
- Mrs. W. K. Marshall.
- Mrs. Berry in her own charming manner reviewed the book, "Our Garden, by Stephens, the English author. Each one present was made to more fully realize the seriousness of the war situation and what an important part even a garden could play in helping to win it. The club voted to co-operate with the Home Demonstration Agent in sponsoring town gardens, also that the club have a vegetable and flower show in the spring instead of the usual flower show.
- The hostess served delicious refreshments to a number of club members and three guests.

Regency H-D Club

Mrs. H. L. Egger was hostess of Regency Club members Friday, Feb. 20. President Mrs. Andy Rowlett presided over business meeting. Roll call was answered by "The poultry diseases that have given me most trouble."

Council and Farm Defense report by Mrs. Edgar Jones. Carl of thanks from Mrs. Earl Park to club members for fustoria crystal shower was read by the president.

Information on how to treat many diseases of poultry by Mrs. Rowlett, she being experienced. Cleo made a demonstration of how to kill a crow to Kill an Organization, by Mrs. Ina Shaw. Different articles of needlework from members were given Mrs. Charles Roberts to enter an exhibit at Home Making Show at Mullin Feb. 24.

March 9 is the day set to sew for the Red Cross. Refreshments were served to eight members and four children. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles Roberts March 13, at 2 p. m. Central War Time.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilcox of Ratler community visited in the Pass home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Wright visited relatives in Brownwood Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long and family visited her parents near San Saba last Sunday.

Star H-D Club

The Star Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. T. L.

John Tarleton College News

Among students making the honor roll at John Tarleton Agricultural College for the first semester of 1941-42 were Billie Ruth Daniel, James Coke Long, and Syble Miller of Goldthwaite.

The honor roll was announced by the registrar, T. V. Crouse, on a recent date. To be eligible for this honor a student must make at least 30 grade points and not have any failing grades.

A survey of the students of John Tarleton was made and it was found that 175 made the honor roll.

Taking First Aid Course

Sam Saylor, James Long and Magdalene Long, students from Goldthwaite are taking the standard Red Cross First Aid Course that is being offered at John Tarleton College for the first time this semester. There are approximately 350 students taking this course which is one of the most comprehensive first aid courses. Each student that satisfactorily completes the First Aid Course will receive one hour of college credit.

Faculty members of Tarleton, in addition to their regular schedule courses, are serving as instructors in the First Aid Course under the supervision of Coach W. J. Wisdom.

Library Notes

The Goldthwaite Public Library acknowledges with appreciation the gift of an autographed copy of District Attorney O. C. Fisher's new book, "It Occurred in Kimble County," presented by the author. This is a book any lover of Texas history will enjoy reading.—Librarian.

Art and Civic Club

The Art and Civic Club met in the home of Mrs. Carl Bledsoe on last Thursday afternoon, Feb. 19, with Mrs. Howard Duggan as hostess.

A very interesting program on "Training for Democracy in School and Community" was led by Mrs. George Shady. As an example of "The Christian Citizen," Mrs. Shady read Galatians 5: 13-26. Mrs. Duggan gave a well-prepared paper on "The National Program of Preparedness and Defense," and "Youth and Democracy" was discussed ably by Mrs. J. J. Stephan.

During the business hour, the annual plant and flower sale to be held the Friday and Saturday before Easter was discussed. Miss Minnie Mae Grubb of the Extension Service of Texas A. & M. College advised against converting flower beds into gardens, as flowers are needed, she said, to maintain the nation's morale.

The club voted to meet at four o'clock from now on instead of 3 o'clock.—Reporter.

SIMPLE RULES FOR HOME TREATMENTS OF COLDS

(From Osteopathic Health) Tabulated below are some simple rules for home treatment of colds which have proved successful in thousands of cases. Followed faithfully, they do a great deal toward reducing the severity of the cold.

1. Go to bed at once and stay there. To be up and about consumes energy which might be employed in fighting the cold. A day or two in bed at the beginning of a cold may be a sound insurance policy against two weeks or more of inefficiency later.
2. Don't eat. The "feed a cold" addicts have no scientific grounds upon which to base this rule. The process of digestion takes energy which should be saved for fighting the infection.
3. Drink a glass of hot water, flavored with a little salt or lemon juice, every two hours. This will be absorbed readily and will serve to dilute the toxins and promote elimination through the skin and kidneys.
4. If there is a sluggish elimination, an enema may be utilized to advantage. This also helps to get rid of toxins.
5. Don't allow anyone in the sick room except the person who is attending the sick one. This is for the visitor's sake as well as for the patient's sake.
6. Don't get out of bed too soon. Wait until the temperature has been normal for 48 hours, or if no fever has been present, wait until the body has become stronger.

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. OF THE MOODY BIBLE INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for March 1

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THE PARABLES BY THE SEA

LESSON TEXT—Mark 4:26-32; Matthew 13:44-50. GOLDEN TEXT—Never man spake like this man.—John 7:46.

Parables as a means of conveying truth reached perfection in the hands of the Master Teacher, Jesus. Taking short stories of well-known events or facts from daily life, He presented profound truth in the most simple and attractive form.

Except for the parable of the four kinds of seed which He interpreted (Matt. 13:18-23), He left it to His listeners to make their own application. This has led to some difference of opinion, but in general the parables are received as excellent and helpful portions of God's Word.

In the two passages of Scripture assigned for our lesson, we have five parables, each with a distinctive message, yet together pointing out that there is a time of growth leading to harvest and judgment, and that our gracious God has at great cost provided a way of redemption.

I. Normal Growth Is Blessed (Mark 4:26-29).

God is patient. He awaits the normal, healthy, steady growth of the seed. Man is so impatient he must have forced growth, artificial stimulation, and even artificial ripening of the fruit.

The same attitude enters into his care of his children. They must get ahead in school beyond their years. They must get out and make a living long years before they have learned to make a life. Why not let them mature in the orderly, God-given way?

The same is true in the work of the church. There must be immediate "tangible" results or he will not give his support. Anyone with judgment knows that spiritual life takes time to develop, and that spiritual results cannot be judged by physical or tangible standards.

Seedtime, growing time, normal ripening, then harvest—that is God's order and it is a good one.

II. Abnormal Growth Is Dangerous (Mark 4:30-32).

Normally the mustard tree is a small plant, and when it grew into a great tree something abnormal had taken place. Birds (which always denote something unclean in Scripture) came to lodge in its branches.

Just so, Christianity was never intended to be made up of a nominally Christian world empire in which ungodly men (the dark birds of the evil one, Matt. 13:19) should find comfortable lodgment. Unfortunately, that is just what happened to Christianity in the so-called conquest of the Roman empire at the time of Constantine. The results were disastrous. The same principle is evident today in the control of much of the church by worldly men.

III. Redemption Is Costly (Matt. 13:44-46).

While it is true that our redemption is worth more than anything else in all the world and that the Christian would gladly set aside (or would he?) everything for Christ's sake, yet that does not fulfill the thought of this parable. After all, what has a sinner (whose own righteousness is described in Scripture as "filthy rags") to sell in order to obtain redemption? And is it for sale? (See Eph. 2:8.)

Obviously we here have the Saviour with His all-seeing eye and loving heart noting in fallen humanity the pearl of great price, His own Church. He then gives up all the glory He had with the Father, comes to the earth, and even becomes sin for us that He may bring us to God.

Salvation in Christ is no little thing, not something which was purchased with gold or silver, but with the precious blood of Christ. We ought to value it highly, and because we are bought with a price we ought always to glorify God (I Cor. 6:20).

IV. Judgment Is Certain (Matt. 13:47-50).

All kinds of fish were in the net, and until the cord was drawn and the net emptied they looked much alike and enjoyed much the same standing as "citizens" of the sea. But when they faced the fisherman there was a quick division, and a final judgment upon the bad ones.

It is true that in God's kingdom (as it is now manifested in "mystery" in the Church) there are many who have come in by false profession, through carelessness of pastors or church officials, etc. They go through the motions, they had and act much like Christians although even here they create questions in the minds of true followers of Christ). The day is coming, however, when they shall stand in judgment before the Christ whom they profess to love and follow. How terrible shall be their doom!

They need not wait in fear for that day. They may now, today, make right their relationship with God.

Soprano's Home



Helen Jepson, lovely soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, in her skytop apartment overlooking mid-Manhattan. Behind her is a glass block partition, made of insulux blocks. This light and sparkling wall divides the room: one part for play, the other for work.

TS&GRA DIRECTORS TO MEET IN SONORA MARCH 2

The second quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association will meet in Sonora, Texas, on March 2. This date has been set in order not to conflict with the San Angelo or Fort Worth Stock Shows. Association members and friends are also cordially invited to attend.

Due to the affects of the war many problems vitally affecting the ranch industry have developed. The wool and mohair situation, priorities, wool bags, freight rates, tire rationing, and other topics will probably be discussed.

WARNING

The Post Office Department has issued a bulletin regarding "Endless Chain Schemes Soliciting Defense Savings Stamps," informing people that such mail matter is a violation of the Postal Fraud and Lottery statutes. Notices are served upon persons participating in such schemes whose names come to the attention of the Post Office Department requiring them to show cause why fraud orders should not be issued against them. Such orders forbid the delivery of any mail to the persons named therein.

L. B. PORTER, Acting Postmaster.

STAR ITEMS

By MRS. DORA GOODE

A two-weeks' report; failed to show up last week.

We've been in the habit of saying something about the weather, so if it's taboo with the radio it should be with us. We all know about it anyway and use it just for a filler.

Folks are gardening some. Maybe it will grow and maybe it won't, all owing to the weather, insects, rabbits, the quality of seed, fertility of soil, moisture, and the amount of work invested.

J. C. Cox, who has been ill and had a medical diagnosis at Dallas, is home again and able to be around.

Charles Goode, of Sheppard Field, was home a few days last week for a visit with home-folks.

Mrs. D. B. Thompson and daughter, Mrs. Roy Wall, spent the week-end in Ranger with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Teague spent the week-end with their children, Mrs. Dalbert Cook and James and their families of Coahoma.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Brooking of Slaton made a whirlwind visit with their daughters, Frances and Florence, one day recently.

A shower was given in the home of Mrs. Lee Clary for the latest bride in our midst, Mrs. Norris Witty. Mrs. Witty was formerly Miss Lenora Brown.

An interesting club meeting was reported last week in the home of Mrs. Lant Adams with several new members. Twenty-one, I believe, were present.

Allen (Jack) Shotwell, who is working at Bastrop, moved his family there last week. Mrs. Shotwell is president of the local H. D. Club, an ardent work-

PLANS FOR BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT READY

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Plans for the annual Texas High School Basketball tournament, sponsored by the University of Texas Interscholastic League, have been completed, and officials here are only awaiting selection of competing teams. The tournament will be held March 5, 6 and 7.

After all 24 teams—eight each from the AA, A and B brackets—have been selected, the drawings will be held to determine order of play in the tournament.

Finals will be played on Saturday night, March 7, in Gregory Gymnasium at the University, with statewide broadcast to carry report of the last round. Three championships will be decided on the program.

Bonds or bondage? Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

er, and will be greatly missed. J. C. Witty visited in Dallas one day this week with his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Mason, and family.

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SENIOR REPORT

If Goldthwaite ever did need anything, right now it's aspirin tablets to pass around to the poor little Seniors who are worrying about a name to go on their diploma, but worrying first about the diploma. What a lot a little old parchment with a bit of blue ribbon can mean! It's the completion of four years (maybe five or more) earnest toll for us and we're living for the day when we "graduate."

"We're in the money now!" This week we have audited our books and find about \$70 in our treasury. We have plans for raising about that much more this semester.

Tuesday the Seniors had charge of assembly. Billye Helene Smith, as master of ceremonies, passed on to high school students some of her prize collection of jokes and funny poems to help us keep up our morale. Katharine Wright, Allison Geeslin, Neta Faye Black and Maudine Burkes made patriotic speeches about winning this war. The Seniors are intensely interested in doing our part in the fight for our very lives, and all the students showed the same patriotism in their attentive interest in assembly. All of us are proving—or trying to—that we made the right selection in our choice of a motto for this critical year. It is: When duty whispers low, "Thou must," The youth replies, "I can."

FRESHMAN CLASS

You couldn't tell by looking that G.H.S. had a Freshman Class Tuesday. The usual thing that freshmen hear between classes is "fall in line, freshmen," but it didn't happen Tuesday. There weren't enough to "fall in line." In case you don't know where they went, a "few" went to Mullin.

I guess a small number of us are ready for six-week examinations, but there will be some "midnight oil" used if we expect to pass. (Which seems most impossible).

We are proud that Mrs. Barnett is starting us off on the "right foot" in algebra and general math. We are proud to have her in our home room and we are sure that Mr. Coffee is glad to have someone to help him in checking the class roll.

PRESENTING:

One of the smallest, meanest, cutest, brightest Senior girls. She is so small that it is hard for you to realize that she is a Senior. This is none other than Amber Florence Graves. We all know her as "Mumsie" and she is adored by both the boys and girls of G.H.S. "Mumsie" is active in volleyball and junior choir; she dislikes very much to be teased about her height; al-

though she is very small, she is not overlooked because she voices her opinion and she is rather attractive. Mumsie is taking five subjects and doing well in all of them. She plans to go to John Tarleton and major in home economics if nothing happens.

Likes best—Pink rainbows.
 Dislikes—To be called 'Shorty.'
 Favorite song—"Tonight We Love."

Secret ambition—To find the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow.

Inseparable companions—Eunice Wrinkle and Ruth Whitt.

Sure, sure, everybody knows "Farmer" Griffen. Just how he got that name we don't know, but it might be that he's very good at farming or intends to be some day, because he is an active member of the F.F.A. Chapter. Iva Lynn is one of our tallest Seniors, and is almost indispen- sible these sun-shiney mornings when the shades have to be pulled down. Good-natured and jolly, he is making an average rating this year. When he graduates, he will serve Uncle Sam and his country in the Navy.

Likes best—Yellow daisies.
 Dislikes—Pencils with no erasers.
 Favorite drink—Sal Hepatica.
 In-a-word description—re- "farmer."

This Senior girl isn't so small or mean but is well liked by the boys and girls of G.H.S. She is often seen with Lorene Covington and Horace Gray. She is known as Valeria Stacy. Valeria is a graduating Senior who has light brown hair (a disappointed blonde) and green eyes. (Green Eyes.) She is capable of doing anything that she undertakes to do. Valeria is rather witty at times and can entertain a group of friends with perfect ease. She is willing to do anything to help her friends. Valeria's plans for the future are uncertain, but I'm sure that any job she tackles will be well taken care of. Best of luck, Valeria.

Likes best—Carrots.
 Dislikes—Nosey people.
 Favorite Song—"I Told You So."

In-a-word description—Vivacious.

FEEDBOX DOPE

The human brain is certainly a wonderful organ. It starts functioning the minute you get up and never stops working until you start taking a test. "Now," said Mr. Duey cheerfully, "please pass all your test papers to the front and kindly insert a carbon sheet under each paper so I can correct all the errors at once." Last year gas killed 4,952 persons; 30 inhaled it, 922 lit it,

PECAN WELLS—

By MRS. ALONZO HARRIS

Miss Norma Lee Harmon and Miss Dorothy Yeager spent last week-end with homefolks.

The young folks at Pecan Wells held a party in the school house Friday night and all reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Harris and Floyd Leach went to Hamilton Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green went to Hamilton Saturday evening. Floyd Green and Mr. Sauers went to Brownwood Saturday.

Grandpa Merrel was buried at Pecan Wells Cemetery Tuesday, Feb. 17.

Mrs. E. L. Pass visited Mrs. Jessie Reed in Mullin Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Obie Galemon visited relatives near Brownwood Sunday.

Miss Frances Brammer visited her parents last week near Denton.

and 4,000 stepped on it.

He: "Say, Neta Faye, may I come over tonight?"
 She: "Sure, Coy, come on over."

He: "Why, this is not Coy."
 She: "This isn't Neta Faye either."

An active verb shows action; a passive verb shows passion.

Joe Taylor to Mrs. Thompson: "Was George Washington really honest?"

Mrs. Thompson: "Why, yes!"
 Joe: "Well, then, why do they always close the banks on his birthday?"

If people would—
 Whistle more and whine less;
 Hustle more, holler less;
 Work more, worry less;
 Boost more, beef less;
 Give more, grab less—
 Life would be better.

Maybe everything is fair in love and war, but you don't get killed as quick in love. Or do you?

Dedicated to Gordon Henry I'm through with women They cheat and lie. They prey on us males Until the day we die. They tease us, torment us, Drive us to sin. Boy Who is that blonde that just walked in?

MEET THE FACULTY Miss Lucille Welch, in spite of the fact that she is an English teacher, is just as dear to us, the whole student body, as would be sugar and rubber tires if we had them. Especially is she the favorite of us Seniors, who have chosen her as our sponsor in this, our last year of high school, we hope. She has served us steadfastly and faithfully, and we are proud of her. Little in size, but oh so large in brain power, she has that certain something and that amusing smile that wins your heart immediately. Naive is the word for Welch!

Mr. Kenneth Cox made a big hit at Goldthwaite High when he came here last fall. As our principal, he probably didn't know what he was getting into—listening to the outrageous excuses we make for being tardy or absent—but he seems to be bearing up cheerfully. He has a humorous attitude toward most everything and has done wonders in stimulating the interest in assembly program. He is a combination typing - bookkeeping-business arithmetic - teacher, principal, sports promoter (especially volley ball) negro and violin entertainer, etc.; and good at 'em all. Seriously, Mr. Cox is a grand person, well liked by all, and an indefatigable wonder for the interest of our school.

Miss Lela Mae Sivells is a lady of few words but when you get her started—well. She tackles a class of Texas History made up of sundry students, sophs, seniors, juniors—those reprobates who have gone astray with every other subject—but then, many of them take it because of the teacher, which is a mighty good reason. Miss Sivells also starts all the little frosh off on the road to success in English. Her appearance is always neat and stunning, little twinkles steal into her eyes whenever she laughs in that most charming and disarming way. Oh, definitely, Miss Sivells is essential to Goldthwaite.

CENTER CITY—

MRS. J. M. OGLESBY

Winter weather continues out our way. A good rain is needed for early gardens. Reports from the farmers concerning the grain crops are that green bugs are killing much of it at present.

The seven-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Childre died early Sunday morning and was buried at Hurst Ranch Monday afternoon. The parents had lived in this community only a short time and all extend deepest sympathy to the young father, mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Chester Head is doing nicely in a Temple hospital. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Head, Chester and sons, Chas. and Gary, visited her last Sunday.

Mrs. Hardy Collier is at Glen Rose taking treatments and will probably be there for some time yet. Mr. Collier and children visited her Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Langford suffered two heart attacks last week. She was missed at the Red Cross sewing, where she had worked faithfully. She is improving and we sincerely hope she will not be bothered again.

Al Truman Langford, Delmer Don Geeslin, Woodrow Head and Vernon McCasland arrived at a camp in Florida, according to reports of their parents. They have deep sand and wood fires, which are different from Camp Bowie.

Miss Gertrude Head and Mr. and Mrs. McNeill visited Mrs. Tom Booker and children Monday night. Tom Booker is at Legion Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Waggoner and their daughter, Mrs. Thompson, of Star visited relatives in Ranger last week-end.

Mrs. Lewis Covington and children of Pleasant Grove visited her mother, Mrs. Collier, last Sunday.

Bro. Ellis of Star preached at the Methodist Church Sunday. Next Sunday Bro. Sims is to preach at the Baptist Church and extends a welcome to all.

Luther Arnold and family were welcome visitors at Sunday School and church Sunday. They recently moved near Goldthwaite. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold and sons visited in the Ira Alldredge home while Norma visited with Glenda Oglesby.

Mrs. John M. Harris, who has been suffering with heart trouble, was carried to a Brownwood hospital and is seriously ill. She is resting better at this report.

Mrs. Martin McCasland and Mrs. Bill Lucas of the McGirk community, helped with the Red Cross sewing Monday.

Mmes. Eula Nickols and Philip Nickols attended the funeral of the Childre baby Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Alldredge visited in the Brock McCasland home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Casbeer visited her sister, Mrs. Biddle, Monday afternoon.

17 AND 18 YEAR OLD YOUTHS WANTED TO TRAIN IN NAVY ARMY

Retirement at age of 37 with pay of \$63 per month, increased to \$110.25 at age 47, is now open to 17 year old youths who choose the regular Navy for enlistment and make a career of the service. Older men may plan on retirements at corresponding older ages, the recruiting officer of the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station at Abilene announced this week.

Enlistment in the regular Navy are for service until the 21st birthdate of those between 17 and 18 years of age. Those who have passed their 18th birthdate are enlisted to serve for a period of six years. Age limits for first enlistments in the regular Navy are from 17 to 31 years. Parents' consent is required for those under 21 years of age.

Men who desire to serve in the naval service only during the period of war may still enlist in the Naval Reserve and will be released to inactive duty and returned to their homes as soon as their services can be spared. Age limits for enlistment in the Naval Reserve are from 17 to 50 years.

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Editor-in-chief—Charlie Clyde Tefertiller.
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SENIOR REPORT

Last week was test week and a few did not do as good on their tests as they have been doing. Maybe the tests were harder or maybe we didn't study as hard.

INTERMEDIATE REPORT

We are sorry that several of our classmates are absent today. We hope they will be back soon. Our room is busy with monthly tests, and we are glad. Most of our room made the honor roll but a few did not. The Girls' 4-H Club will meet Thursday at 10 o'clock, and we will work on our Poultry Scrap Books. We will be glad when we get them. The girls in the club are: Sarah Yeager, Betty Lou Truitt, Frankie Lee Davee, Willie Perry, Marie Davee, Landa Vines, Melba Raye Conner, Katherine Adams, Altha Mae Perry.

PRIMARY NEWS

We are almost through with our tests. We have made better grades this month. We just had two little six-year-old boys brave enough to face the cold this morning. They are C. W. Lavee and Neil Conner. We sure will be glad when the weather gets warm so all of the children can come back to school.

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

Clyde flirts with a certain dark-complected girl when he should be studying?
 Sarah and Betty Lou like marshmallow roasts
 Charles and Otto have joined the Superman Club?
 There weren't but a few A's on department this month? Wonder why there were so many B's and B-plus?
 Sarah and Betty Lou are woodgetters this week?
 We are putting up a basketball court?
 The boys are bringing rattails to school and Lewis is

keeping them?
 Lewis was chewing on leather Monday evening instead of a rat tail?

HONOR ROLL

Katherine Adams, Marie Davee, Robert Louis Truitt, Clinton Wright, Ben Davee, Richard Shelton, Melba Raye Conner, Frankie Lee Davee, Willie Perry, Altha Mae Perry, Charles Utzman, William Conner, Neal Hamilton, Otto Truitt, Maxwell Wright, Haynie Conner, Lewis Conner, Lindy Spinks.

ACTION TAKEN ON CAMP LICENSE PLATES AT BOWIE

CAMP BOWIE, Feb. 26.—Business houses of Brownwood and surrounding territory who often see fit to enter the Camp gates have recently been relieved of much trouble due to action taken on Camp license plates.

Though the camp tags will be compulsory for entrance into the area, they may be obtained by registering the car with the Camp Provost Marshal.

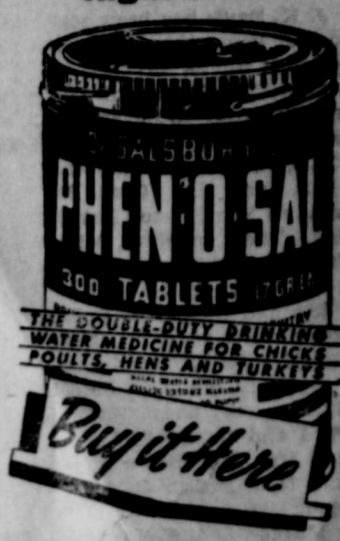
Visitors will call in person to the Provost office and secure a pass which will be fastened to the right hand side, inside the windshield, and will be turned in to any gate guard when leaving the camp.

No civilians will be allowed to enter gates after 10:30 p. m. without official pass.

"MIKE MANEUVERS" TO GO ON NEW TIME TUESDAYS

MINERAL WELLS, Feb. 26.—The popular program of the soldiers of Camp Wolters, "Mike Maneuvers," goes to a new time

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

J. K. Davis has been confined to his home this week on account of illness.

Mrs. Will Walton of Lubbock left Saturday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. L. H. Little, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bledsoe went to San Marcos last Saturday. Their daughter, Miss Wilda, accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DuBose of Brownwood attended church in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Guest in the C. H. Ford home during last week were: Phil Ford and family of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dyess of Killeen, and Miss Evelyn Jones of Abilene.

Misses Louise Doggett and Frieda Gersch spent Sunday in Giddings with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Tom Keese is recovering from a case of flu.

Miss Irene Baber was a weekend guest in the F. D. Reynolds home.

Mrs. Grace Wooden, Mrs. Ira Dubre and Miss Georgia Frizzelle spent Tuesday in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bethell of Mountainair, N. M., arrived Sunday for a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Weatherby.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson moved Tuesday into the house vacated by Jake Long and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frazier and family of Brownwood visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frazier, Sunday.

Among the judges at the Mul-tair Tuesday were: Mrs. B. Myers, Mrs. Jim Weatherby, and Mrs. Earl Parks, nee Miss Emma Spott, of Richland Springs.

By Strasser, who is with the R.A.F. at Toronto, Canada, was a weekend guest in the Marvin Rudd home.

Mrs. Harvey Dunkle visited Mr. Dunkle at DeLeon the latter part of last week. They visited in Breckenridge with relatives before returning to Goldthwaite Monday.

J. C. Mullan is quite sick at his home, with very little change in his condition.

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SONG OF THE WEEK

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THE WHITE CLIFFS OF DOVER

I'll never forget the people I met
Braving those angry skies;
I remember well as the shadows fell,
The light of hope in their eyes.
And tho' I'm far away
I still can hear them say,
Thumbs up,
For when the dawn comes up—
CHORUS:
There'll be blue-birds over
The white cliffs of dover,
Tomorrow—just you wait and see.
There'll be love and laughter
And peace ever after,
Tomorrow, when the world is free.

The shepherd will tend his sheep,
The valley will bloom again,
And Jimmy will go to sleep
In his own little room again.
There'll be blue-birds over
The white cliffs of Dover,
Tomorrow—just you wait and see.

SECOND VERSE

When night shadows fall
I always recall
Out there across the sea,
Twilight falling down
On a little town—
It's fresh in my memory;
I hear a mother pray
And to her baby say,
Don't cry, this is her lullaby.

Wesleyan Guild Banquet

Last Thursday evening, the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church complimented a number of young women of the church with a dinner at the Methodist Parsonage.

The entertainment took the form of a Washington's Birthday celebration. The guests were welcomed at the door by George and Martha in costume, who were none other than Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan, George, and Mrs. B. A. Myers, Martha. Mrs. Floyd Blair and Miss Love Gatlin seated the guests at small tables of four, which were gaily decorated with vases of blue containing simulated cherries and white covers carried out the scheme of red, white and blue. Place cards were cut out red and blue hatchets, with a motto or verse written on the inside, then too folded in the dainty Madeira napkins were fortunes, and just preceding the serving of dinner the fortunes and rhymes were read, which caused much merriment and applause.

A most delicious dinner, served by Mrs. Jim Weatherby, Mrs. Marsh Johnson, Mrs. Floyd Blair and Mrs. Harmon Frazier, consisted of iced chicken, sweet potato balls with marshmallow filling, green peas, pickles, and red congealed salad. Individual cherry pies topped with whipped cream completed the menu.

Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan, president of W.S. of C.S., was master of ceremonies and led the following program:

A duet by Miss Stinnett and Mrs. Harmon Frazier followed by a very humorous reading by Miss Love Gatlin entitled "Travel Broadens You So." Then a solo by Miss Stinnett. Mrs. Weatherby and Mrs. Jernigan talked on the purpose of the Wesleyan Guild and stated that it was an organization for business women and girls of the church who were too busy to attend meeting in the day and this organization will meet in the evening hour at 7:30.

The next meeting will be with Miss Love Gatlin on the fifth of March.

VISITS EAGLE OFFICE

Mrs. J. H. Webb of Hamilton County visited the Eagle Office Wednesday and added her name to the Eagle's growing list of readers. Her daughter, Miss Ila Webb, who has recently enrolled in the aircraft training school in Dallas is well pleased with her work. Mrs. Webb also has a son, Mack Webb, and another daughter, Miss Olla Webb, engaged in government work at Sloan Airfield near Midland. She has cause to be very proud and happy over these young people of hers, who are so ambitious as to make good in these positions of trust.

Books for Buddies



Ten million books will be sought for men of the United States armed forces and Merchant Marine through this poster, designed by the Nationally known illustrator, C. B. Falls. Sponsors of the Victory Book Campaign are the American Red Cross, American Library Association and the United Service Organizations.

Due to the change in divisions at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, more used books and magazines are needed there badly at once.

Won't you see that the campaign is started at once in your community?

And bring the books collected to Red Cross headquarters in City Utilities building on west side of court house.

MRS. J. H. SAYLOR,
Victory Book Chairman.

Mrs. Floyd Morgan and young son Jimmie of Mullin are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skiles visited Sunday in Zephyr with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Hud Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lowrie of Corpus Christi came up Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Benningfield and son, Joe, of Pleasant Grove spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Frazier.

Students and citizens from all over the state have been invited to a series of eight discussion periods at which University of Texas faculty members will analyze the changes in world thought which brought on dictatorships and war. The lectures are held each Tuesday on the University campus.

TEXAS ALMANACS AVAILABLE HERE

A limited number of Texas Almanacs and State Industrial Guides are available for Mill County people at the Eagle office. The Almanac, published by the Dallas News, sells for 60 cents at the office or 75 cents



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SERVICE STATION IS ROBBED HERE WED

Wednesday at 12:45 a. m., a lone robber walked into Jack Long's Service Station here, threw a gun on Phillip Nickols, the night attendant, told him to unlock the cash register and then made him stand face to the wall while the robber took \$26 in cash from the register.

The robber advised Mr. Nickols to stay face to the wall for ten minutes.

The robber was unmasked, was about five feet 8 inches in height and weighed around 145 pounds. He wore a large hat and dark glasses. No checks or silver was taken. Phil had \$30 or \$40 in cash on his person, but was not asked to give it up.

Plans for the annual election of a University of Texas ("sweetheart") call for ballots to be cast on March 16 and 17. Notice of candidacy must be filed in advance, either by the girl or by their backers.

Mrs. Jack Long spent last Tuesday in San Antonio and attended to business while there.

Mrs. D. E. Morris and children, Gerald and Larita, left Thursday of last week to join her husband in Tampa, Fla., where he has employment.

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- Colo. Nice SPUDS 10 Lbs. . . 21c
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VOCATIONAL TRAINING BEING GIVEN MEN IN 9 TEXAS ARMY CAMPS

AUSTIN, Feb. 26.—Vocational training to equip men with the knowledge and skill necessary to keep a large mechanized war machine rolling has been extended to 3,431 men in nine Texas army camps, James R. D. Eddy, State Director of Vocational Training for Defense Workers, announced today.

Training covers a multitude of subjects ranging from clerical procedure to cooking, navigation, communication and aircraft mechanics. Classes are in operation at Abilene, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston, Houston, Mineral Wells, Pasadena and San Antonio.

Development and expansion of a training program for civilian personnel with the Army Air Corps is well under way. Eddy said. Eleven of the 26 Air Corps Sub-Depots in Texas will be manned by civilian personnel for whom training programs will be developed by the State Board for Vocational Education. Classes will be established for full-time supplementary—mechanic learners, and part-time supplementary classes will be set up for men already classified as mechanics and employed on the production line.

Air Corps figures show that eight men must be kept working at full speed in shops to keep one man in the air, and with this thought in mind the State Board of Vocational Education pushed development of its program.

TEXAS LAND TO BE RESTOCKED

With the 1941-42 trapping season of the Texas Game Department virtually completed, Executive Secretary William J. Tucker has announced that in round numbers, 1,800,000 acres of Texas land shortly will be restocked with deer, turkey, antelope and beaver.

Deer and antelope trapping activities already have been completed, with results that far exceeded expectations, it was announced.

The trapping crew last September set as its goal a total of 1,200 deer to be trapped. Considerably more than that figure were actually trapped and distributed to depleted ranges. Compared with the preceding deer trapping season, the number of deer caught was thus doubled, for during the 1940-41 period only 609 deer were trapped and transplanted.

Success of the deer trapping program, which was carried out on the Aransas Refuge and in the Edwards Plateau or "Hill Country," was attributed in large measure to the improved trap now used by the department. It ordinarily holds only one deer at a time and there is scant possibility for injury to the animal. Although developed by the Game Department over a year ago, the trap has been improved by field workers and has attracted such favorable attention from the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service that one of the latter agency's biologists, Harry Beatty, stationed at the Virgin Islands and confronted with a deer trapping problem, was sent to Texas recently to study deer trapping methods in operation here. He returned to the Virgin Islands two weeks ago after having been, he said, very favorably impressed.

Antelope trapping likewise met with unexpected success, the Executive Secretary said. The goal set was 400 of these fleet-footed animals that roam the Trans-Pecos and other western portions of the state. The trapping crew instead caught 611 antelope in operations recently completed. The animals were rounded up and driven into a V-shaped corral by an airplane, which has supplanted the former practice of employing mounted men to corral the antelope. This year's total of 611 antelope trapped and transplanted to better range is exactly 100 in excess of that during the preceding trapping season, when 511 of the animals were distributed.

PAINTING OF TEXAS SCENE THRILLS THOUSANDS



A bit of Texas has been framed and hung on the walls of farm homes from coast to coast in the last few weeks.

It is that bit of Texas that Georges Schreiber, noted painter, captured on his canvas, that then became a four-color cover of the January issue of Country Gentleman and since has caused that magazine's editor to be swamped with thousands of requests for reprints suitable for framing. In addition hundreds of readers have written saying that they framed the cover itself.

A Texas ranch scene was chosen for the initial painting for a series of covers which will be distinctive in the magazine field, inasmuch as this is the first time that 12 rural paintings by notable artists will have been presented in this way. Each painting in the series will deal with a different crop or phase of

agriculture and, in so far as possible, the series will cover the country geographically, by regions.

Artists already assigned to do original paintings include John DeMartely, Paul Sample, Peter Hurd, Adolph Dehn, Hardie Gramatky, Thomas Hart Benton and others.

When the January issue appeared with the Texas scene on the cover the demand for reprints ran at the rate of about 500 a week with indications that the available supply of a few thousand copies would be exhausted before all requests could be fulfilled. The reprints were made available to those who provided the mailing costs.

Next year, after the paintings have been published, the Texas canvas with the other originals will be loaned to agricultural colleges throughout the country for display at their farm and home weeks.



NABORS CREEK

By MRS. SAM SELF

Mrs. Sam Self received a cablegram from her nephew, W. F. Matthews, "somewhere" in the Far East. He was safe and in good health.

Billy Smith was home Saturday night and Sunday. He said there had been much rain at San Antonio the past few days. He returned to Duncan Field Sunday night.

Robert and Claud Smith visited with Mrs. Sam Self Saturday evening.

Due to bad weather, only two arrived to help Mrs. Parker sew on Thursday. Mrs. Self and Mrs. P. K. Caraway reported a nice lot of work was done.

Mrs. Rena Smith and son, Robert, were in town Monday. Mrs. Sam Self spent Tuesday in town with Mrs. Gatlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith and sons of Brownwood visited with her sister, Mrs. Rena Smith, and family last Sunday.

Earl Cozart of Trickham spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. P. K. Caraway, and family.

Jane Smith was sick Friday. Ira Mae was sick Sunday, but they are recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Bodkin called in Mrs. Rena Smith's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker were in town Saturday evening.

Several from this community were in town Monday. The auction is quite an attraction.

Several club members met at Nabors Creek Thursday to sew for the Red Cross.

All members of the Nabors Creek Demonstration Club are to meet at Nabors Creek on Thursday to finish sewing and attend to other business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Self spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Rena

Smith and family.

Billy, Claud and Arthur Smith visited P. K. Caraway and family Sunday evening.

Charlie Wrinkle and family were in town Saturday.

J. M. Wrinkle is back home. Lewis Burdette had business in town Saturday.

Several from Nabors Creek went to hear Bob and Joe Shelton and their Sunshine Boys last Thursday night.

P. K. Caraway and Earl Cozart went fishing Saturday night. We haven't heard how much fish they caught.

We hope these bad days will soon be gone. We are all anxious for sunny spring weather. Several have planted early vegetables, and the orchards will soon be beautiful with pink and white blooms.

RIDGE

By TINA MAE CUMMINGS

The ladies are supposed to meet at the school house next Wednesday to start sewing for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Jack Daughtery of near Fort Worth spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Freeman, Sr., and family.

There was a quilting at Mrs. Annie Curtis' last Wednesday, and also surprise birthday dinner and shower for Mrs. Curtis.

Those attending were Mrs. Fred Pafford, Mrs. Bill Wilkins, Mrs. Lewis Pafford of Mullin, Mrs. J. E. Cummings and Mrs. Elwin Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Erston Boatright and children of Houston spent Friday night in the Powell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tippen and children of Ebony spent Sunday with her mother and sister. Mrs. Cummings and Tina

Mae.

Mullin News

From Mullin Enterprise

H. F. Shulze is now located at Aspermont where he has received a substantial raise in salary and is superintendent of music department in that county.

Bettie Jean Mosier, spent the week-end in Stamford, with her father, Mr. Mosier. Bettie Jean made her first trip on the bus alone and reports a delightful time.

Wilbur Kemp of Arlington made a brief visit Thursday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Masters of Corpus Christi are visiting relatives here.

Barney McCurry has returned to Junction after a brief here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. McCurry.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Henry have moved from De Kalb to Paris, Texas, and to this address the Enterprise will follow to keep them informed of Mills County facts and friends.

Jake Burkett of Lubbock was a week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burkett. Jake will go to Fort Worth and enter an aeronautical school for defense.

W. E. Atterbury was among the crowd in town Friday.

W. E. Warren of Prairie was transacting business and meeting friends here the latter part of the week.

E. P. Smith, a genial citizen who has been employed for a year or two at Camp Bowie, had a few days' vacation this week with a painfully cut hand, and he had time to meet many old friends again.

The 31st Division of ten thousand trucks are conveying through this city to Camp Bowie, supposed to be taking the place of the 36th Division that was moved to Florida some weeks ago. It looks like war time to see so many trucks passing by.

Lee P. Burkett, a telephone operator in the Fire Department at Camp Bowie, was looking after business and meeting friends here Tuesday. He and his family are well pleased with their location in that city. Mr. Burkett gave a vivid description of the successful black-out that was recently held at Camp Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Clendenen have received recent news from their soldier boy Donald who is somewhere out on the Pacific Ocean. He wrote he was well and that brief message brought joy to the family and their host of friends.

How about your house? Want to sell it. Then tell it in an advertisement in the Enterprise. Others will read this as you are now doing.

If you have a balky mule you want to sell—Tell it in the Enterprise; or maybe a room to rent, tell it. Advertise.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Duke of Winchell and her brother, Paul Forsythe of Port Arthur, spent Tuesday with their uncle, Rev. L. J. Vann and Mrs. L. J. Vann.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Perkins came in Tuesday to see the 4-H Club Fair and remembered the editor with a nice supply of country sausage.

Miss Thelma Casey of Austin surprised her parents with a visit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Casey were Brownwood visitors with Henry Casey and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wasserman and children were here Tuesday enjoying the Fair.

John A. Childers, age 79, died Monday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Tip Hart, and her husband, Tip Hart.

Mr. Childers was a leading financier, a keen active mind, in business, with his thrift and energy helped build for him extensive financial resources.

Mrs. Ollie Williams Cryer died at her home south of town Friday, after a long illness. She was born at Williams Ranch in 1868. She was preceded in death one year by her late husband, T. W. Cryer, a prominent business man and real estate owner of this county.

Mrs. Jewell Ivy and Mrs. Vernon Harville went to Tolar Sunday and joined Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hull for a pleasant trip to

Dallas and spent the day with Messrs. and Mmes. Joe and Rex Ivy.

Mrs. J. S. Kemp passed another mile stone Wednesday, and among her gifts was a surprise box, a lovely gift from Mrs. Ford Leineweber, a former neighbor now of Fort Worth.

Truman Alvin Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Warren, born Feb. 19, 1942. Weight ten pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Scribner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spinks, Wednesday at Center Point.

DUREN NEWS

The nice little shower we received Sunday evening was appreciated by all.

Miss Ellen Green is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whiteley from Junction visited her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunlap.

The Quilting Club met at Mrs. Thompson's last Thursday, Feb. 19, and quilted out one quilt and had a most enjoyable day.

The club will meet next with Mrs. Homer Pyburn on March 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Rummell's visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Warren Sunday.

Mrs. Dot Henry was a visitor at Goldthwaite Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Duren visited their son, Norman, and wife at A. and M. last week-end. Mrs. A. E. Pyburn visited homefolks Friday and Saturday.

I want... FIGHTING DOLLARS



America must be strong. Every man and woman must contribute their strength to the strength of America at war.

Some are carrying guns—some are flying planes—some are giving their blood on ships at sea.

YOU on the home front must buy those guns—those planes—those ships. That must be your contribution to freedom under fire! BUY DEFENSE STAMPS AND BONDS TODAY—buy them with every penny you have to spare!

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pieper visited his sisters Sunday, Mrs. Claud Medford and Mrs. Homer Pyburn. They were on their way home to Houston from a trip to Roswell, N. M., and re-

HAVE YOU HEARD-

Every Mills Countian is interested in the welfare of the soldiers, sailors and marines from this country.

The Eagle would like to carry all news possible about the men in service. If you hear, definitely, that your son or your nephew is safe at Pearl Harbor or Manila please call us and let us tell your friends and their friends about it. Those friends would like to share the good news with you.

If you have an interesting letter from the war-zone—almost any place in the world is in the war zone—please bring it in to

The Eagle will add to the cooperation with technical and we know our field at will also appreciate our friends.

ported a lot of snow and weather in that part of the country.

Mrs. Alice Green has been ill but last reports she was feeling better.—Reporter.

THE CALL TO THE COLORS IS A CALL FOR DOLLARS



Dig deep. Strike hard. Our boys need the planes, ships, and guns which your money will help to buy.

Go to your bank, post office, or savings and loan association. Tell them you want to buy Defense Bonds regularly, starting now.

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A CRITICAL SHORTAGE of scrap metal now exists in United States War Industry. Unless more scrap is forthcoming at once, war production will slow down and months, even years will be added to this fearful battle.

It is of the utmost importance that every pound of scrap metal on your farm start moving now toward America's steel mills and foundries to make more war material.

To help you get your scrap moving, this store will cooperate in every way possible. Canvass your farm from the attic to the farthest fence corner. Gather every bit of old metal into a conveniently located pile and drop a post card to this store telling us approximately how many pounds you have collected.

Your card will be turned over to a scrap dealer who prepares scrap for the mills. His truck will be routed past your farm to pick up your scrap soon and get it started toward the fighting front.

This store collects this information and passes it along as a patriotic service without commission or profit of any kind. Our work in this campaign and the cost of this advertising is our contribution to victory.

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Guest in during last Ford and Miss E. and Mrs. T. and Miss E. Misses L. and Frieda. On every hand the people are being harangued by those in authority to awaken to the realities we are facing. Public morale, they say, is low; at least it does not show the enthusiasm and determination which will be necessary to win this struggle—all of which is probably true. But we wonder if those higher up have made any attempt to search out the reasons for such conditions.

VILIAN MORALE

By GEORGE C. HESTER

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Then came a high official telling the world that the only real task was to defeat Germany. Japan could wait. That country doesn't amount to very much as a military power anyway. Those statements resulted in severe repercussions in China and other parts of the Orient until other officials hastened to make counteracting statements.

In fact, much of Washington today is a sort of merry-go-round, where officials are engaged in a verbal contest of trying to outdo the statements of one another. Still vivid in our memories are the numerous public utterances, articles, etc., of the Secretary of the Navy, assuring us that all is well with the Navy, that it is ready for any emergency, and that we had nothing to fear on either ocean. That was just before Pearl Harbor.

From the Office of Civilian Defense has come many admonitions about preparing ourselves for pending dangers. Along with the same announcements came the news that a girl dancer was employed by the O.C.D. to teach us rhythmic dancing as a means of Civilian Defense.

The girl dancer affair is of no significance in itself. The tragedy is that it is a symbol of the frivolity and the total lack of appreciation for the desperate realities facing us on the part of those in high circles.

Daily we are being urged to buy defense bonds. We are being told that more taxes are necessary. This we all know. But when the Treasury Department announced that it had planned to use \$80,000 of the taxpayer's money to pay for a Donald Duck movie to tell us about the income tax, our common sense revolts at such foolishness.

The increasing tendency in recent years to bring Hollywood into official affairs is a bit depressing to our native sense of Americanism. Today the glamour boys and girls from Hollywood are making empty speeches, singing pretty little ditties, and their bare, naked chorus girls are being used to entice us to buy bonds.

This makes us wonder if we have become a generation of plain, ordinary nit-wits, or whether the officials in Washington just consider us as such.

The whole administrative system in Washington has pyramided into an unwieldy mess of over 500 agencies. Every agency is staffed with personnel and over 6,000 are being added monthly. As Senator Tydings remarked the other day:

"This government is an overgrown monstrosity from top to bottom, an extravagant, wasteful bureaucracy in the midst of this whole war prosecution, and every Senator knows it."

Even now domestic bureaus are multiplying and agencies are being expanded which are remote from conduct of the war effort.

I am talking for the men in the front-line trenches on the Bataan Peninsula today. Thank God they do not know as much about what is going on as I do, or their discouragement would be great, indeed.

The fact is about the only large business in America today that has not been put on a war basis is the Government itself. If public morale is low, it is due to delays, bickerings, empty mouthings of officials, silly frivolities, and general frustrations of the war effort through incompetence, inefficiency, and snail-like slowness.

Public morale is about as good as it can be until we have better examples from higher up.

The Art of Getting Along

SOONER OR LATER, a man, if he is wise, discovers that business life is a mixture of good days and bad, victory and defeat, give and take.

He learns that it doesn't pay to be a sensitive soul—that he should let some things go over his head like water off a duck's back.

He learns that he who loses his temper usually loses.

He learns that all men have burnt toast for breakfast now and then and that he shouldn't take the other fellow's grouch too seriously.

He learns that carrying a chip on his shoulder is the easiest way to get into a fight.

He learns that the quickest way to become unpopular is to carry tales and gossip about others.

He learns that it doesn't matter so much who gets the credit so long as the business shows a profit.

He learns that buck-passing always turns out to be a boomerang, and that it never pays.

—The Silver Lining.

LOOKING BACKWARD

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From Eagle files Feb. 24, 1917)

R. E. Clements made a business trip to Lampasas the first of the week.

Lost—An automobile crank. Finder will be rewarded for returning it to me.—D. Albert Trent.

The blacksmith shop at Jones Valley was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday, and Messrs. Hill and Jarrett lost about \$200 worth of tools in the conflagration.

Dixie Theatre will give away a new \$66 Singer sewing machine on the night of March 1.

Ira Harvey and family spent Washington's birthday on the San Saba River fishing.

County Clerk Summy has issued marriage license to Henry J. Ivy and Miss Gladys Templelin, Willie T. Hill and Miss Minnie Blackburn, Arthur Livingston and Miss Susie Stewart.

One Tuesday evening, Feb. 16, the members of the Senior B.Y. P. U. were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin with a Valentine party.

W. T. Keese was awarded the contract for handling the piping for the water mains from the railroad to the trenches where it is to be placed.

Bolon Tyson was a visitor to this city from Mullin one day this week.

INCOME TAX INFORMATION

Taxes due on a return filed for the calendar year 1941 may be paid in full at the time of the filing of the return on or before March 16, 1942. The tax may, at the option of the taxpayer, be paid in four equal installments instead of in a single payment, in which case the first installment is to be paid on or before March 16, the second on or before June 15, the third on or before September 15, and the fourth on or before December 15, 1942.

If the taxpayer elects to pay his tax in four installments, each of the four installments must be equal in amount, but any installment may be paid, at the election of the taxpayer, prior to the time prescribed for its payment. If an installment is not paid in full on or before the date fixed for its payment, the whole amount of the tax remaining unpaid is required to be paid upon notice and demand from the collector.

The tax must be paid to the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the taxpayer's return is required to be filed, that is, to the collector for the district in which is located the taxpayer's legal residence or principal place of business, or if he has no legal residence or principal place of business in the United States, then to the Collector of Internal Revenue at Baltimore, Maryland.

The tax due, if any, should be paid in cash at the collector's office, or by check or money order payable to "Collector of Internal Revenue." In the case of payment in cash, the taxpayer should in every instance require and the collector should furnish a receipt. In the case of payments made by check or money order, however, the cancelled check or the money order receipt is usually a sufficient receipt.

YESTERDAY AND TODAY

The time is now near at hand which must probably determine whether Americans are to be freemen or slaves; whether they are to have any property they can call their own; whether their homes and farms are to be pillaged and destroyed, and themselves consigned to a state of wretchedness from which no human efforts will deliver them. The fate of unborn millions will now depend, under God, on the courage and conduct of this army. Our cruel and unrelenting enemy leaves us only the choice of a brave resistance, or the most abject submission. We have, therefore, to resolve to conquer or die.—George Washington, before the Battle of Long Island.

—For Victory: Buy Bonds—

Short Lessons In FIRST AID

By DR. L. M. THOMPSON

5.—BREATHING BY HAND

Asphyxiation is another name for suffocation. Its victim, unconscious and not breathing, is in a state of suspended animation resulting from a deficiency of oxygen in the blood.

This near-death condition, which cannot long persist without artificial respiration, is the result of various causes. The most frequent of these are drowning, electrical shock and gas poisoning.

Drowning, contrary to popular belief, is a relatively simple form of asphyxiation. Water may or may not enter the lungs. But that is not important. Water extinguishes life as it does fire—by cutting off the supply of oxygen.

Even when the drowning person's supply of air is completely cut off by water, he is not immediately deprived of all oxygen. There is a certain reserve supply in the air cells of the lungs, and there is some oxygen in the blood and the tissues, which should maintain life for a short while. Just how long is hard to say. Five minutes submersion produces death in many cases, while a few have been survived after twenty minutes of submersion.

In cases of asphyxia resulting from electric shock, the condition is brought about by the suspension of breathing—not because there is no air to breathe but because the victim's breathing apparatus is paralyzed.

This paralysis is caused by passage of the current through the breathing center at the base of the brain. The nervous impulses which ordinarily radiate out from this breathing center to the muscles responsible for breathing are discontinued as a result of this paralysis, and the breathing muscles, consequently, cease to function.

If the shock has not been too severe, the breathing center will gradually recover and resume its vitally essential task—provided, of course, that the victim has not died meanwhile from lack of oxygen. Cases are recorded in which artificial respiration was carried on for eight hours before the breathing center recovered sufficiently from the paralyzing effect of the current to resume its normal function.

Carbon monoxide is the lethal agent in virtually all cases of asphyxiation by gas. It is colorless and odorless and slightly lighter than air. It is found in automobile exhaust gas, in manufactured gas used for illuminating and heating, in smoke from fires and coal stoves and furnaces, in coke oven gas, in blast furnace gas, and other gases.

As little as .02 per cent (one part in 5,000) of carbon monoxide in air will produce symptoms of poisoning in a few hours, and .2 per cent may cause unconsciousness in 30 minutes. One per cent will kill in a few minutes. Automobile exhaust fumes ordinarily contain enough monoxide to render an average-sized garage deadly in five minutes.

The victim is asphyxiated by gas because it displaces the oxygen in the blood. This displacement occurs because the red blood cells, which carry oxygen as readily as oxygen. The more carbon monoxide there is in the blood, the less oxygen it can carry. Consequently, even though there may be only a small percentage of carbon monoxide in the air, this gradually accumulates in the blood, causing the body to suffer from oxygen starvation as surely as if the victim were being strangled.

In mild cases the symptoms are usually yawning, headache, dizziness, nausea, weariness, ringing in the ears, and later a fluttering or throbbing of the heart. However, the symptoms may come on so gradually or so suddenly that the victim does not realize he is in trouble until the knees give way. Then, even though he remains conscious for a short while, he cannot walk or crawl and is therefore in grave

State Department Health Notes

Speaking of whooping cough and the need for controlling this childhood disease. Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said this week that the death rate from whooping cough in the United States increased in 1941, almost 33 per cent over the rate for 1940.

"The only source from which whooping cough may be contracted is another case of whooping cough," he stated, "and isolation of cases must be universally practiced to prevent spread of the disease."

The infectious agent or germ of whooping cough is transmitted by droplets expelled in coughing, sneezing or speaking. Doctor Cox said. The discharges from the nose and throat are dangerous; the need for early recognition and careful isolation of whooping cough is obvious.

The first sign of this disease is usually a dry cough, which persists night and day and tends to become more severe. The disease is fully developed when vomiting of food and whoop accompany the paroxysm of cough. Doctor Cox stressed the fact that children who have whooping cough must not attend school or come in contact with other children, until three weeks after the appearance of typical signs of the disease.

"Prevention and control of whooping cough, especially among infants and small children, may be accomplished through the use of approved vaccine and convalescent serum." Doctor Cox asserted, "and it is important to the child's health that such measures be taken to protect him."

Over 1,000 University of Texas co-eds are engaged in some type of defense work.

What is defeat? Nothing but education, nothing but the first step toward something better.—Wendell Phillips.

American war industry will have to absorb between four and five million trained workers during the next year to keep up expanded war production, according to opinions expressed by Dean W. R. Woolrich of the University of Texas College of Engineering.

danger.

Other and less frequent causes of asphyxia include mechanical suffocation (such as infants smothered by bed clothing), strangulation, blows on the head, neck or solar plexus, and poisoning by certain drugs, notably opium and its derivative, morphine.

Although the causes of asphyxia are various, it is readily apparent that the condition of the victim is in each case the same. That is, he is unconscious and not breathing; and because he is not breathing he is in imminent danger of death from lack of oxygen.

To sustain and restore the victim's life it is therefore necessary to get oxygen into his lungs and blood, which is to say that he must be made to breathe by artificial means until he is sufficiently recovered to resume breathing of his own accord.

The simplest, most efficient and safest method of artificial respiration is the Prone Pressure method, first advanced by Sir Edward Sharpey Schafer, F.R.S., in 1903. Since then it has been occasionally modified and improved until the standard technique, now used and taught by the Red Cross and many other organizations was established in 1927.

The Prone Pressure method also has the advantage of being instantly and always available, and it can be carried on for a considerable length of time by one person. All that is necessary is a directing intelligence and a pair of skilled hands. It is, in effect, a method of breathing by hand—the best known antidote to asphyxiation.

Directions for use of the Prone Pressure method are easily obtainable, and the technique can be mastered with a reasonable amount of practice and little difficulty. Knowledge of its application is invaluable in the resuscitation of any accident victim who has ceased to breathe.

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ROCK SPRINGS

By MRS. EULA NICKOLS

We were made sad February 14 when the news came from Fort Worth telling us our friend and neighbor, Mrs. Thula Brown, had passed away. She was my neighbor 30 years ago. We all loved Mrs. Brown. She was a wonderful neighbor, always ready to lend a helping hand in time of trouble. We extend sympathy to her two sons, Tom Lewis and Rueben, and their wives; also to her granddaughter, Bettie Jo Brown, whom she dearly loved. May the Savior comfort you.

There wasn't any church out here Sunday morning or Sunday night, as Bro. Leslie Sparkman was sick. There was Sunday School.

Mrs. Ellis Robertson from town spent the week-end with John Roberts and wife.

I was glad to read the Cedar Knob news last week. Keep the news coming.

Several from here went in to hear Bob and Joe Shelton and the Sunshine Boys in town one night last week.

Rufus Pierce and wife visited Sunday afternoon with Joe Davis and family.

Glenn Nickols and wife and Dwight Nickols and wife and Miss Dollie Cook from town were Sunday visitors in the Nickols home.

Leonard Jones and family visited Sunday afternoon in J. F. Davis' home.

Mrs. A. D. Kirk and Kay are visiting her mother, Mrs. Maggie Traylor, this week.

James Nickols worked for Claud Smith in town Sunday.

Miss Billie Ruth Daniel from Tarleton College spent the week-end with her parents.

There have been quite a few sick ones in this community the last few weeks. I believe everyone is better at this writing.

Mrs. James Nickols and son spent Sunday in the Tyson home at Center Point.

Seems as though we are in politics as well as the war. Wiley Mahan, who is candidate for sheriff, and my son James, who is candidate for commissioner, are working my place this year. It looked until last week that it might have to grow up in Johnson grass. But it looks different now, as both of the men really got some plowing and sowing done last week. If it would come a good rain this week, it might be a great help to all of us.

James Nickols and family and mother visited in the Hutchings home at Center Point Saturday night.

Mrs. W. A. Daniel spent last week in Mr. and Mrs. Will Dendard's home in Big Valley taking care of Mrs. Dendard.

Charley Simpson and wife enjoyed naving their two boys at home Saturday and Sunday.

We heard again from James Watson Roberts, who is in Hawaii. He was well, but he seemed to think he was having to work pretty hard.

Several of the men went into the observation meeting Monday night in town.

Luther Faulkner and wife from Slaton and his mother were out last week looking over the farm.

Oscar Gatlin visited Sunday in town with his mother.

Mrs. James Nickols went to the Methodist parsonage Thursday night to a banquet. She reported a very nice time.

Mrs. M. R. Circle spent last week in San Saba with her children.

Mrs. Mary Winsor left on Saturday night's train for Houston on business.

Mrs. Russell Mullan of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullan.

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EBONY NEWS

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

(Intended for last week) Mrs. Marvin Caraway and children, Bettie Marie and Jesse Marvin, of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mashburn, and her sisters, Mrs. Dale Reid and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum.

Mrs. Cecil Crowder and daughters, Betty Lou and Norma Sue, of Brownwood have moved here near her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffin, and will engage in an extensive chicken-raising expedition. Mr. Crowder will remain with his job in Brownwood at least for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Kelly of Zephyr and their daughter, Miss Lucille, of Daniel Baker College spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder.

Mrs. Charles Griffin honored Ernest Malone with a birthday dinner Feb. 10. She was assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Cecil Crowder and Mrs. Ralph Holcome.

Mrs. Lula Kelly is recovering from a very serious illness. While she is convalescing, she is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Ross White who lives across the river on the old Estes place.

The condition of Mrs. Bob Egger became much worse on Tuesday of last week, and it still remains very serious. It has now become necessary to keep the night vigil with her.

Granny Hobbs is now staying with her daughter, Mrs. George Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger attended church and visited with relatives in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Williams and children of Mineral Wells came Saturday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger. Sunday all of them and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger and Ynelle went to Indian Creek to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Egger. After they arrived Mrs. Orvel Egger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Beeman, and sons, R. V. Jr. and J. B., also came to spend the day. So they had 18 for dinner and a very delightful family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mashburn had all the members of their family at home for a family dinner Sunday, including Mrs. Marvin Caraway and children of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reid and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum and daughter, John, and Wanda Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Jack Egger and son, Wayne, of Brownwood spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Egger.

Mrs. Lee Wallace of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes, the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Platt Hollis and Miss Dolly Reynolds went to Ridge to church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurlen and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Loyt Roberts.

Wood Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid and Mrs. Hattie Whittenburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg. The Whittenburgs have all been sick with bad colds. Charm was in bed, but was better Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Perkins are remodeling their house.

Wood Roberts moved his things out and turned his place over to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger this past week. Mr. Roberts will now make his home with his daughter, Mrs. P. R. Reid.

Mrs. J. W. Wilkins of Ridge spent Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Glen Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer and Ednabeth of San Angelo arrived at the Dwyer home Saturday night to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Edna Dwyer. Sunday after church Mrs. Dwyer called in her kin, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth to make up an enjoyable family dinner.

Returning from Bangs last week, R. M. Haynes stopped by the side of the road to see what made his car rattle. As he stepped out the door, he was hit by a passing car, cutting a gash in his head. The doctor had to take six stitches, but he is doing nicely.

Probably on account of sickness in the community, only Mrs. Perry Day, Mrs. John Briley, and Mrs. Jim Wilmeth met with Mrs. Alvin Ketchum for the H.D. Club Friday afternoon. The next meeting will be Friday, March 6, at the home of Mrs. Wallace Perkins, at which time Miss Brammer will be with us and we will learn how to refinish old furniture.

SCALLORN

By MRS. ORA BLACK

Rev. Lancaster of San Saba will fill his regular appointment here Sunday. Come hear him once and you'll want to come again.

Owing to the severe weather last Wednesday, it was impossible for the ladies of our community to meet at Red Cross sewing center and continue the shirt making, of which we have completed fifty up to date.

Dee Jones, Jim Hunt and Mrs. Winter Stevenson attended the funeral Wednesday of Steve Smith, who passed away at his home in Lometa Monday.

Wayne Henry and family, who have been living in Chadwick Community for the past several months, have moved back to the John Kuykendall place.

Mrs. Cora Ford, accompanied by her son Tom of Florence, made a visit over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford and family of Woodland Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Smith, formerly of Cisco, stopped in for a visit with his brother, Dutch, and family on their way to Bastrop where they are seeking employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ran Gunn and Fred Wittenburg went to Temple Friday for a visit with their mother who is ill in a hospital at that place.

Grandmother Laughlin accompanied by Mrs. Jane Johnston, went to San Saba last week, where Mrs. Laughlin had a minor operation for a growth on her nose.

The little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones who was badly burned three weeks ago at her home, passed away Friday in Lampasas hospital. Those attended the funeral from here were Dee Jones, grandfather of the little girl, Jim Hunt, Mrs. Winter Stevenson, Mrs. Ed Evans, Lora Maund, Mrs. Frank Eckert, Mrs. Earl Blake and Ora Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Laughlin of Lometa visited Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Worley Laughlin.

Mrs. Lila Crawford was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. R. D. Evans, and family.

C. H. Black and family of Goldthwaite spent Sunday with his mother and Billie.

Mrs. Lena Eckert and the writer visited Friday with Mrs. Worley Laughlin.

Owen Smith and family visited here over the week-end with his uncle, Dutch Smith, and family.

Mrs. Dutch Smith visited in Lometa Sunday with Mrs. Lawrence Johnson.

The Red Cross garments reported made last week at Lometa should have been credited to Scallorn.

Mrs. L. P. Huddleston had as Tuesday guests her mother and brother, Mrs. R. P. Moore and Rance Moore and wife of Comanche.

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NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Lampasas

The Lampasas Post American Legion is sponsoring a Mexican dinner at the high school lunch room this evening at 7 o'clock. All Legionnaires, ex-service men and Legion Auxiliary members are taking part, and invited to attend.

Approximately 68 local women have for the past few weeks been attending the Standard Red Cross courses in preparation for the Beginner's Civilian Defense Course. A number of these women have already completed this Standard Course and the Advanced Red Cross Course, but are retaking it for the practice training.

Miss Mary Belle Pearce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pearce, became the bride of Talma Hensley in a ceremony performed at the Baptist parsonage Feb. 14 at 8 p. m. Reverend R. H. Mathison officiated at the single ring ceremony.

Heavy water and considerable fire damage was done this morning to the merchandise in the Exchange and Big Ben's Grocery. The fire started in the rear end of the building, but it could not be determined just where. Before firemen arrived the buildings were filled with smoke and the fire was raging on the ceiling of the building and burning the merchandise.

Roscoe Bolding and Miss Toosie McKey were married in Austin Saturday, Feb. 14, at 3:30 p. m. The nuptial rites were read by the Rev. S. A. Posey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Austin, at his home. The wedding of these two estimable young people is the culmination of a courtship of some two years.

Helping to swell the number of men registering for possible war service, 565 persons registered in Lampasas County Monday, Feb. 16, a report from the secretary of the board stated. These men are those from 20 to 44, inclusive, who had not previously registered.—Record.

San Saba

C. B. (Red) Williams, Jr., was the first San Saba man to enlist in the army parachute troops. He left last week-end for the Temple recruiting office to enroll in that interesting division.

Mrs. R. L. McConnell is waiting for the arrival of her daughters, Mrs. James Fox, of Sumatra. It will be recalled Mrs. Fox flew to Sydney, Australia, before Christmas, from Sumatra, and the last message the McConnells received a few weeks ago stated that Mrs. Fox was on her way to the United States. Usually it has taken five weeks for the Foxes to travel from there to the United States, but under the circumstances, it may take longer this time. Dut to necessary censorship, no details of Mrs. Fox's trip are known.

It was revealed yesterday that 2,645 citizens of San Saba County have paid their 1942 poll taxes. This compares with 2,238 for the year of 1941, or a gain of some 407 for this year, an election year.—News.

Hamilton

Ice & McCamey drillers, who came here some three weeks ago to resume operations at the site of the Pettit No. 1 test, 16 miles west of Hamilton at Energy, with orders to drill into Ellenberger formation or until they struck pay, plugged the well last week and abandoned drilling operations after discovery of what was reported to be only an 8-barrel well. Hunt Oil Company of Dallas was promoting the test, which had previously been plugged at 3,275 feet.

Work has been temporarily halted on Highway 36 west of Hamilton, it was revealed Tuesday, and State Highway Department equipment has been rushed to Killeen, where it is to be used in the construction of roads at the site of the new Tank Destroyer Tactical and Firing Center in Coryell and Bell Counties.

Sheriff and Mrs. Houston White were called Wednesday to San Antonio to the bedside of his father, W. W. White, who underwent a major operation at

3:30 that afternoon in a San Antonio hospital.

Collector of Internal Revenue Frank Scofield has announced that Deputy Collectors R. K. Peters and W. W. Webb will be stationed at county court house, Hamilton, on March 4 to help the people of this locality in filling their income tax returns.—Herald-Record.

Lometa

A WPA project covering road improvements near Lometa began operation in Lampasas County on Feb. 18, according to John C. Stille, WPA Division of Operations district director.

Every farm family will be given the opportunity to sign pledge cards in support of a county-wide program to increase food for freedom.

It was a sad shock Monday, when word was passed around that Uncle Steve Smith had died suddenly at his home from a heart attack. He had not been feeling well, but had gotten up Monday morning. About 9 o'clock he told his wife he was about to faint, and slumped to the floor, and had passed away before the doctor arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ford and baby of Florence, and Mrs. Dee Straley and daughter, Bernice, of Adamsville, spent Sunday here with Mrs. J. H. Lockhart.

A demonstration conducted by the county agent will be held at the Charlie Patterson farm, in Kempner community, Tuesday, 9:30 a. m. Tuesday of next week (Feb. 24), Mrs. John E. Fisher farm, Lometa community, 9:30 a. m. Feb. 26. Other meetings for other communities will be announced in next week's paper.—Reporter.

Comanche

James Wilkerson, associate editor of The Chief, was taken to the Methodist Hospital at Fort Worth for treatment Monday. He has been in a run-down condition and was losing weight for the past few months and the physicians advised him to stay in the hospital for at least ten days for rest and ob-

ervation. Mrs. Dick Scurry, former resident of Comanche, died at Corpus Christi early Thursday, according to word received here by A. S. Harris.

Reports from the Farm Administration office in Washington indicate that farmers may expect no parity checks for the 1942 crop year.

Hubert Tennison of Blanket has caught and killed four bobcats this season. Mr. Tennison lives across the Brown County line and has applied to the county clerk of that county for a bounty. Brown County pays a \$5 bonus for proof of each bobcat killed.

County Agent W. A. (Doc) Ruhmann has been called to duty in the United States Army and will leave for Brownwood Feb. 25 for a physical examination, after which he will be assigned to Fort Riley, Kansas, as a first lieutenant. Bob Glover, formerly of Co-

OPENS UP CLOGGED BRONCHIAL TUBES

Spend a few cents today at HUDSON BROS. DRUGS or any good drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture (triple acting). Take a couple of sips at bedtime. Feel its instant powerful, effective action spread thru throat, head and bronchial tubes. It starts at once to loosen up thick, choking phlegm, soothe raw membranes and make breathing easier.

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manche, is now attached to the Army Air Corps as a technical sergeant at Mabry Field at Tallahassee, Florida, according to cards received here by friends.

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Advertisement for 'THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE' featuring illustrations of an airplane, a factory, and a person, with text about airplane production and knowledge.

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If you have something to sell or want to buy, rent, lease, hire help, get a job, etc, use The Eagle Classified column.

USED CARS—For the best buys in used cars, see HOOVER & MILLER. 12-5-tfc

FOR LARGER YIELDS treat your wheat, oats, and barley seed with new improved Cereson. Get it at HUDSON BROS.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—65-acre farm on Colorado River; 35 in cultivation, 25 can be irrigated. Good truck farm land. See C. T. WILSON, at Eagle Office.

REAL ESTATE—I am listing and selling all kinds of Real Estate. Have state real estate dealer's license. Will appreciate talking over Real Estate problems with you.—ARTHUR CLINE, P. O. Box 222. 2-20-tfc

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms.—Mrs. L. W. FAULKNER. 2-27-2tp

SALE—Tuesday afternoon, Mar. 3, 2 p. m., the Star School Board is offering for sale at the Star School House certain materials, some of which are the following: lumber, iron roofing, teacherage, doors, window sashes, tables. Center City school yard, well casing, paint, empty paint cans, screen wire, and various miscellaneous materials left from the school building project. The School Board will welcome the presence of anyone interested in buying any of these materials. The School Board reserves the right to refuse any bid on any materials.—STAR SCHOOL BOARD. 2-28-1t

FOR SALE—115 acres, 5-room house, barn, chicken house. Good well and mill; all sheep fenced; 1 1/4 miles S.E. Star on school, bus and RFD. \$25 acre. Mrs. FLORENCE E. TEAGUE, RFD 3, Goldthwaite. 2-20-4tp

TRACTOR and Automobile Repairing. JACK CHAFIN, with Nat McGirk. Used Tires and Tubes, vulcanizing. 2-27-4tp

WANTED—Woman to do general house work. Call at EAGLE OFFICE.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Four-room house for rent. EARL SUMMY. 2-27-2tp

BABY CHICKS—Also Baby and Started Pullet. We set custom Hatching on Mondays. Place your order now and get them when you want them.—MRS. C. M. BURCH HATCHERY. Phone 97J. 1-30-ok

NEW penothiazine Drench for sheep and goats. HUDSON BROS., Druggists. 3-28-tfc

BROOM CORN most profitable crop. We are sole distributors of Miller's Certified Dwarf No. 7 seed. Don't waste land with inferior seed. Get them now, next shipment higher. Also Hasting Big Yellow Dynamite Pop Corn. We buy Broom Corn. PERKIN'S BROOM CO., near Pidocke, P. O. Copperas Cove. 2-13-4tp

FOR RENT—Adults, a 2-room unfurnished apartment. Practically new. Convenient to town. Call the EAGLE 2-13-1f

FOR SALE—Set of World Books, 1929; good condition. Pub. price \$65.00. Priced to sell, \$29.50 cash. BILL WILLIAMS. 2-27-1tc

FOR RENT—Almost new house for rent; one block from school. See LEWIS B. PORTER. 2-27-2tc

BABY CHICKS—Our truck will be in Goldthwaite every Tuesday and Friday at 12:50 p. m. at Chapman's Feed Store with a selective stock of Finest Quality Baby Chicks.—BURDICK & BURDICK, Coleman, Texas. 2-27-tfc

FOR SALE OR LEASE—200-acre goat ranch, 4 miles north of Star. W. J. RICKEL. 2-27-1tp

BABY CHICKS—From blood-tested hens. Through February, \$8.50 per hundred. KENNEDY HATCHERY, Box 17, Dublin, Texas. 2-27-1tc

FOR SALE CHEAP—160 acres, 8 miles Goldthwaite. House, well and windmill. Plenty water, good grass; 30 acres in cultivation. All under goat-proof fence. I will be in Goldthwaite Saturday, Feb. 28, from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. near post office. If interested see me or drop me a line at post office or leave word at Gartner's and I will try to contact you. F. D. WILSON, Box 1014, Tuscola, Texas. 2-27-1tc

NOTICE—Bring a pie and come to a pie supper at Star Gymnasium Friday night, Feb. 27. Everybody is invited. Sponsored by Star P.T.A. 2-27-1tp

LET ME do your Dressmaking efficiently, reasonable and quickly. Patronage appreciated. Mrs. D. D. TATE, Hotel Saylor Beauty Salon. Telephone 276. 2-27-1tp

FOR SALE—One gas heater, practically new. All kinds of carpenter tools. Mrs. ADA TADLOCK. 2-27-1tp

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our appreciation to all our friends in Goldthwaite who so kindly administered to our needs and for their expressions of sympathy to us in the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Thula Brown. The floral offering was also greatly appreciated.—Reuben and Tom Brown Families.

MILLS COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION AT MOLINE

The Mills County Singing Convention will meet next Sunday at Moline. We want all the song lovers in Mills County to come and help to put over a good convention. We'll be looking for you.

Yours in song,
 WILLIAM B. HUGGINS, Pres.

— For Victory: Buy Bonds —
 Money talks! United States Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps shout "Victory!"

POLITICAL Announcements

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 25, 1942:

No announcement inserted unless cash accompanies same. Announcements inserted in the order in which fees are paid at this office.

For Congress, 21st Congressional District:
 O. C. FISHER
 Of San Angelo, Texas.
 HARRY KNOX
 Of Brownwood, Texas.

For State Senator:
 PENROSE B. METCALFE.
 Of San Angelo, Texas.
 (Re-election)

For Chief Justice Austin Court of Civil Appeals:
 E. F. SMITH.

For State Representative, 104th District:
 FRANK HOWINGTON.
 (Re-election)

For County Judge:
 R. J. GERALD.
 (Re-election)
 JOHN PATTERSON.

For County and District Clerk:
 EARL SUMMY.
 (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
 J. HERN HARRIS.
 (Re-election)
 WILEY L. MAHAN.
 WILLIAM B. HUGGINS
 OMAR C. WEATHERBY.

For County Treasurer:
 MRS. W. L. BURKS.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
 JESS Y. TULLOS.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
 J. A. HAMILTON.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
 I. McCURRY
 W. L. BARKER
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
 L. A. (Loyt) ROBERTS.
 JAMES NICKOLS.
 ARTHUR WILCOX.
 T. D. HINESLY.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct One:
 JIM RAHL.
 (Re-election)
 E. A. OBENHAUS

LONG COVE

By MRS. L. M. CONRADT

They are going to work the Long Cove cemetery Wednesday, March 4. Everyone get there as early as you can.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church this week-end. Every one is invited to come. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Conradt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crane.

Mrs. Bud Conradt and sons, Lewis Conradt and son and Jack Harris took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Turnbo and son of Wichita Falls and Weldon Turnbo of Tarleton spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Turnbo.

Alfred Conradt came by Monday afternoon to see his folks. He was on his way from Houston to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conradt, Mrs. Will Elmore and children called in the Charley Turner home Saturday.

Bud Elmore spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Elmore. Thelma Conradt spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conradt.

LARRY STOKES MAKES CONTRIBUTION TO BOOK AT SOUTHERN METHODIST

Larry Stokes, son of Capt. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., of Goldthwaite, was a contributor to the book "Hilltop Devotions for Lent" which was distributed among the student body of Southern Methodist University as an aid in the observance of the pre-Easter season. This book was written by several members of the faculty and a few selected students.

Stokes is a junior in the School of Arts and Sciences where he is majoring in Social Science.

EBONY NEWS

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallace left Monday for California where Mr. Wallace has a job in defense work. He has been working out there for sometime while Mrs. Wallace stayed with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes. They were accompanied by his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wallace.

While recovering from the mumps, S. A. Stapleton of Lubbock spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stapleton. His wife couldn't come as she was working. Later she came with Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Stapleton. When they returned to Lubbock they took S. A. with them.

Mrs. Bob Egger is reported to be some better, but she is still very critically ill. For several days Mrs. Charles Griffin has been helping nurse her.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Indian Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Mrs. Hattie Whitenburg Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Reeves spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth. Miss Grace Briley of the Zephyr school spent the week-end at home.

A crowded house greeted Judge Gerald, Mr. Goosby, Mr. Downing, Mr. Wright and Miss Brammer when they came out to give us a farm program Monday night.

Mrs. Ira Egger, Mrs. Edna Dwyer and Mrs. Hattie Whitenburg walked from their respective homes to visit Mrs. Bob Egger Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mize of Bangs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger and Ynelle spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Egger of Regency also came to spend the day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley, Miss Grace Briley, and Mrs. Edna Dwyer spent a pleasant time with Mr. and Mrs. Howton at Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger are about to get fitted out with sheep, cows, pigs, and chickens in their new farm adventure. Not all of happiness belongs to youthful days, for Mr. Egger says they are as happy and delighted as when they first started out in their young days.

The women of this community had their first sewing day Thursday, February 19, at the home of Mrs. Effie Egger. Eight women, including Mrs. Effie Egger, Mrs. R. M. Haynes, Mrs. Flatt Hollis, Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth, Mrs. C. L. Mashburn, Mrs. Perry Day, Miss Dolly Reynolds and Mrs. Johnnie Egger were present. Only three sewing machines were available. Mrs. Perry Day, Miss Dolly Reynolds and Mrs. Johnnie Egger ran the machines while the others basted and made button holes. They are to meet again Thursday, February 26, at the home of Mrs. Perry Day. Our assignment is the making of shirts and overalls for children. Bring one dish and come to spend the day, or come in the afternoon if you can't come sooner.

The H. D. Club will meet Friday, March 6, at the home of Mrs. Wallace Perkins.

HANNA VALLEY

By JEWEL JONES

Visitors in the Alton Jones home Saturday night were Lucy Mae Churchwell, Viola Steward Harold Boatright, and Jack Massey, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goins had as guests over the week-end Mrs. Goins' sister and family.

H. L. Egger accompanied Ira Egger and wife of Ebony to Goldthwaite Thursday on business.

In the absence of Mr. Smith, on account of sickness at home, Jim Hinesly is driving the school bus.

The club ladies met at Mrs. H. L. Egger last Friday. Miss Brammer met with them, and they reported a very interesting meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Egger visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger at Ebony Sunday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jones Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Flatt Hollis of Ebony, Frankie

BENNETT CREEK

By MAYDELL GRIFFIN

These rains are greatly appreciated by the farmers and gardeners.

Mrs. Floyd Benningfield has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Bullard, who has been ill.

Travis Griffin and family spent Sunday at Pleasant Grove. Gladys Kerby spent the week-end with her parents.

Charles Griffin spent Sunday with Dewey and Richard Garms. Townsend Perry and family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Perry visited in the Griffin home a while Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jarrett visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Perry a while Saturday night.

Bob Kerby visited Travis Griffin Thursday morning.

Neilma Rhea Perry is staying in town and going to school.

Mr. Bachus and family have moved to the Roy Blackburn place.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Jones visited her mother a while Friday night.

James Bachus and a friend spent a few days with his parents this week.

Mrs. Clyde Faulkner has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rex Collier, and family at Grand Prairie.

Freeman Mason spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks.

Several from this community went to see the Sunshine Boys Tuesday night.

Whitely from the Dalton Ranch in San Saba County.

Clarence Carrol of San Saba County was here Sunday looking over his farm and ranch.

Junior Whitely visited Sunday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Whitely of Pleasant Pecan Valley.

Ben and Henry Egger went to the sale at Goldthwaite Monday.

MELBA THEATRE

FRIDAY, SAT. MATINEE
WILD GESE CALLING
 (In Technicolor)
 Henry Fonda—Joan Bennett

SATURDAY NIGHT
Double Feature— RAIDERS OF THE DESERT AND SADDLEMATES
 The 3 Mesquiteers

SAT. PREVUE, SUN. MON.
NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH
 Bob Hope—Paulette Goddard

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY
BELLE STAR
 (In Technicolor)
 Gene Tierney—Randolph Scott

COMING—
SERGEANT YORK
 March 10 and 11

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Amazing Story of Greatest U. S. War Hero 'Sergeant York' To Be at Melba

Gary Cooper Plays Title Role of Tennessee Farmer who Captured 132 German Soldiers

"Sergeant York," the film which shows March 10 and 11 at the Melba Theatre, is the factual story of Alvin C. York, Tennessee mountaineer who became America's number one soldier hero of the first World War. The original screen play, by Abem Finkel and Harry Chandler, and Howard Koch and John Huston, is based on the diary of Sergeant York, as edited by Tom Skeyhill.

Gary Cooper stars in the title role of Alvin York. Walter Brennan and Joan Leslie, who plays Gracie Williams, the present Mrs. Alvin York, head the supporting cast of hundreds. Cooper was Sergeant York's own choice for the title role.

There are 44 major speaking parts. Twenty-six represent real life characters, most of whom are still living. The real life characters include four members of the York family: Gracie Williams; Pastor Pile, minister of York's church; the present secretary of state, Cordell Hull; General John J. Pershing; the late Marshal Foch; the late Mayor John Hyman of New York; Oscar of the Waldorf; York's divisional, regimental, battalion and company commanders during the war and ten of his soldier buddies.

ley, the Three Forks of the Wolf, in the Cumberland mountains of Tennessee, was duplicated at the Burbank studio on Hollywood's largest sound stage.

Miss Leslie, just sixteen, is exactly the age Gracie Williams was when York courted her. Gracie was seventeen when she married Alvin.

War sequences show training flashes in camp, battle action in the Argonne Forest in France. One engagement, most famous single encounter of war, is pictured in detail. This is the action where York performed his amazing feat of single-handedly killing 25 German machine gunners and, with the aid of a handful of comrades, capturing 132 prisoners. For this act he was decorated with the Congressional Medal of Honor, the Distinguished Service Cross, the French Croix de Guerre with palm, and other allied valor awards. In bestowing the Croix de Guerre, Marshal Foch told York what he had done was the greatest single achievement of any soldier of all the Allied armies during the four years of the war.

Battlefield and the action campaign were laid out in accordance with a bullet-perforated map of the actual Argonne terrain. The map was carried through the battle by an officer who loaned it to the studio.

'Sergeant York'

MELBA THEATRE

Matinee And Night Show

Tuesday - Wednesday, March 10-11

HOURS AND ADMISSION

MATINEES—2:00 P. M.

Adults	40c
12 to 14 Years	22c
Children	11c

NIGHTS—7:45 P. M.

Adults	55c
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Children	11c

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