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Clean-Up Week For Goldthwaite Is Urged By Club

Garden Club Asks Residents To Make The City Beautiful

Every citizen of Goldthwaite is nominated, requested, invited and urged to fall in line and let this movement gather momentum from yard to yard and street to street until it becomes an invisible force that sweeps the entire town. Then and then only will we actually have a clean town—a town free of rubbish, disease containers and unsightly land marks, says an announcement from the Goldthwaite Garden Club which is co-operating with the city in the spring clean up campaign.

Civic pride can be fostered only to the extent personal pride expresses itself. Are you willing to join hands with your neighbors and make your block show that it is one hundred per cent back (and in front) of this movement?

We are asking you to pledge to make the grounds around the place where you live and work free from all rubbish to decrease its disorder and to increase its beauty as far as you are able. If you live up to your pledge you will be expected to burn all waste matter in the form of boxes, tree branches, feathers, etc.

To collect and place on public streets or alleys, in some form of container, all rubbish such as cans, pieces of tin, broken dishes, bricks and bottles, old tires, discarded frame works of old cars, stones and miscellaneous trash that has become an eye sore to your neighbor.

Recognize and respect the sanitary and property rights of your neighbor. Do not trespass on his high regard for you.

These things are not much to ask so from the first front inch to the last back inch of the property you occupy, whether it is owned or rented, CLEAN, CLEAN, CLEAN.

We can all be so proud of our little town but every person is dependent on every other person to put this over.

If you own a vacant lot you are requested to clean it thoroughly, leaving absolutely nothing unsightly or unsanitary on it.

We earnestly appeal to you to help your town—the town that affords you your means of livelihood, your social contacts and your educational and religious opportunities—help by responding to this TOWNWIDE CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN.

Talk this over your back fences and over your telephones and then rush out and borrow your neighbor's hammer and rake before the fellow on the other side beats you to it.

ARE YOU WITH US?
All trash will be collected by city trucks.

Lend a hand—create beauty for Goldthwaite.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Fourth Registration will be held Monday, April 27, 1942, at the following places: Goldthwaite, Mullin, Friddy, Star, Mt. Olive, Ebony, and Eye Valley.

Mills County Local Board.
O. H. SHAW, Clerk.

SAVE WASTE PAPER AND RAGS

We want all paper except greasy paper, wall paper, and carbon paper; all rags except greasy rags or paint-soiled rags, either wool, cotton or silk. Don't throw away any old worn clothing. Bring both paper and rags to the paper depot in the old Mission Laundry. — Waste Paper Committee, Women's Defense League.

LT. ALLEN CAMPBELL GETS PROMOTION



Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell of this city, who have returned recently from a two weeks' visit in California with their son, Lt. M. A. Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, received the following telegram a few days after arriving home:

Mountainview, Calif.
April 7, 1942.
Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell,
Goldthwaite, Texas.

You are the proud parents of a first lieutenant. Spread the good news to the other families. One hundred dollars is not had.

L. M. A. CAMPBELL.

Goldthwaite and especially the Eagle are all very proud of Allen ("Son") as he is known here, and wish him all the success that life can give him.—Ed.

County's Naval Relief Campaign Quota Is \$210

Kelly Saylor Made Chairman For Two-Week's Fund Drive

Mills County's quota in the Texas drive for \$210,000 for the Navy Relief Society was announced this week as \$210 by Kelly Saylor, Mills County chairman.

Mr. Saylor was recently named chairman of the Navy Relief Society for Mills County by Attorney-General Gerald C. Mann, chairman of the Texas Citizens Committee of the Navy Relief Society.

Governor Coke Stevenson has proclaimed the week beginning April 19 as "Navy Appreciation Week" in Texas, and during this period the solicitation of funds will be made. A chairman has been named in every county in Texas in order that the entire state may be afforded an opportunity to contribute to this war effort.

"The Navy Relief Society is the substitute for the head of the family when a man is in the Navy, Coast Guard or Marines and is fighting our battles on the high seas or battlefronts," County Chairman Saylor stated. "The Navy Relief Society relieves our navy men of the anxiety concerning the welfare of their loved ones at home. In contributing to this fund we are sharpening the fighting edge of the fighting men."

"Since the beginning of American Naval history, the men of our Navy have banded together to be assured that their families back home would be cared for in time of need. This is the first time these men have asked the public to assist them in their relief fund. But since Pearl Harbor the burden has been too great for them to carry alone."

"I know that the citizens of Mills County can be counted on to gladly do their part, and I am confident that our quota shall be reached, if not exceeded, during the next two weeks."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

The regular Sunday morning services will be had next Sunday, starting with the Sunday school at 10:00 and the worship service at 10:50, closing before the noon hour. There is a sincere Christian welcome for all who attend. The night service will be cancelled in keeping with the custom of the years to cancel the evening service during the Methodist Church revival.

COMMENDING R. L. FLOWERS

In the middle twenties when the writer was pastor at Coleman it was agreed among the churches of the city to have a co-operate revival. Four churches joined in actively, and two others unofficially. On the recommendation of the pastor of the First Christian Church, the writer nominated Brother Flowers for the evangelist. A great tabernacle was built and we had a very satisfactory revival. R. L. Flowers is a good preacher and efficient worker, and his wife is as good as he—or better! We can all look for a helpful week of it with these excellent workers in our midst.

E. E. DAWSON.

RED CROSS SEWING ROOM WANTS 125 PAJAMAS MADE

The Red Cross sewing room is now cutting on the last shipment of material received. There will be 125 pairs of pajamas ready to issue Saturday.

It is very necessary for these pajamas to be made and ready for delivery at once.

THE METHODIST REVIVAL

The annual revival meeting of the Methodist Church will begin next Sunday morning. Rev. B. A. Myers has secured Evangelist and Mrs. R. L. Flowers of Denton, Texas, to direct the campaign.

Evangelist Flowers is one of the great part in the General



Evangelists of the Methodist Church. He has been in the evangelistic work for 25 years, and during that time has had more than 75,000 professions in his campaigns. He has conducted meetings in nearly every state in the nation. He will direct his music and do the preaching.

Mrs. R. L. Flowers will play a great part in the meetings

during the coming week. She will play the piano and direct the children's work. She will also assist in the young people's meetings. Next week for three days Mrs. Flowers will deliver a series of lectures to women only. Her general theme for these three days will be: Women and the Changing Social Order.

The Flowers came Wednesday afternoon and have been meeting with different groups daily getting ready for the one week of intensive meetings next week. One objective of the meeting is to fill the Methodist Church to its capacity the first service.

The Flowers' program is a very strenuous one. There will be daily four services. At ten o'clock in the mornings there will be a service for every one. Immediately after school beginning Monday the boys and girls of the grade school will have a special Bible story hour. Thirty minutes before the night service daily the high school young people will meet the Flowers in a special youth service. Each night there will be a service for every one.

SINGING SPECIAL FEATURE

One of the special features of the Methodist revival will be the singing. Evangelist announced he will have three choirs. One of the choirs will be composed of adults, the boys and girls will have a Happiness Club choir, and there will be a special choir for the young people of the high school.

Evangelist announced on his arrival that he had not seen people going to church like they are now since the other war. "Our churches are being filled and often we have to have chairs to take care of the extras."

HOME NURSING COURSE FINISHED

Thirty-three women and men have completed the first 24 hour course in home nursing.

The two classes were taught by Mrs. Pearl Hale Long, registered nurse. A class of 14 was taught in the Big Valley Baptist Church, and a class of 19 women was taught in the Meiba Theatre.

The Goldthwaite class had the final examination in the home of Mrs. Jim Weatherby Wednesday afternoon, after which a most enjoyable social was held. Talks of appreciation were made by every member of the class, and Mrs. Long was remembered with a little gift from the class members.

Mrs. Long is doing a great service in Mills County and the pupils and the public generally are very grateful.

GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE EDITOR IS ELECTED PRESIDENT T.W.P.A.



WAR PROGRAM IS GIVEN PREDOMINANCE

An outstanding program was featured at the 49th convention of the Texas Women's Press Association in Fort Worth, with headquarters on the Blackstone Hotel, on April 12, 13 and 14.

Mondays' program dealt principally with discussions of the national war program, with Mrs. Jud Collier of Mumford as luncheon speaker, outlining community participation in war effort. A discussion was given by Mrs. O. H. Carlisle of Houston Monday afternoon on "Woman's World."

Monday evening's program featured the historic "President's Evening," with Mrs. Albert J. Buchanan of Bryan, president, and Mrs. B. J. Bless, Jr., of Weston, Mo., president of National Federation of Press Women, as principal speakers. Mrs. R. M. Thompson, first vice-president, presided. A vigorous year's work under Mrs. Buchanan's unusual leadership culminated at this convention.

Mrs. Bless' address was a discussion on "Woman's World." (Continued on page 8)

RED CROSS SEWING ROOM NEEDS HELPERS

The Mills County Red Cross sewing room is now cutting on last shipment of material received. There will be 125 pairs of pajamas ready to issue Saturday.

If your community has finished making garments issued, will you please call at the sewing room to get garments to be completed? It is very necessary that these pajamas be made and ready for delivery at once.

QUILTING

Anyone having a quilt top finished and will tack it, please call at the Red Cross room for lining and cotton batt.

We have several quilt tops ready to tack. Please call Mrs. Whittaker if you will finish one. Anyone having clean cotton or blanket they will donate for quilt interlining, call or see Mrs. Whittaker.

RED CROSS VOLUNTEER INSTITUTE AT SAN ANTONIO

An American Red Cross Volunteer Special Service Institute is to be held in San Antonio April 28, 29 and 30, under the direction of Mrs. Richard P. Swigart, assistant director of Volunteer Special Services, Midwestern area. Mills County Chapter will be represented at this institute.

NOTICE TO PRECINCT CHAIRMEN

All precinct chairmen of the Democratic Executive Committee are requested to meet in the District Court Room Saturday afternoon, April 25, at 3 o'clock, to elect a county chairman.—County Chairman Pro Tem.

Everything Ready For County Sugar Rationing Signup

All Citizens Of This County Urged To Register First Day

To the people of the Goldthwaite School District and included territory:

As you have, no doubt, already learned through the papers and over the radio, our government is soon launching a nation-wide registration of civilian individuals for the purpose of rationing sugar.

The dates set for this registration and issuing the sugar booklets are May 4, 5, 6, and 7.

The plan is that on one of these three days you will go to your home school house where you will register and be issued a rationing booklet.

The public school teachers of the nation have been called on to do the tremendous job of registering every individual in the nation on the above-mentioned dates.

All residents of the Goldthwaite Independent School District and of the districts served by the Goldthwaite Schools are urgently requested to register Monday, May 4. On that day classes will be suspended and the entire faculty will be available to assist you and to issue your ration booklet. We believe the task can be done in one day and are planning our program accordingly. We know you will co-operate in this matter. We want to do the work in the shortest time possible so as little time as possible will be lost from classes.

Below you will find a memorandum of the information you will need to furnish. Please be prepared to supply this information promptly. By so doing you will aid yourself as well as the entire program. Remember the date—Monday, May 4, in the elementary school building, any time during the day.

Yours truly,
A. H. SMITH, Supt.

BLANKS BEING DISTRIBUTED

Mills County Civilian Defense Co-ordinator R. J. Gerald has had printed and is distributing to the homes of the county an information blank to be filled out in advance and taken to the registration places to conserve time of the volunteer registrars.

Every person registering for war rationing must give the following information:

A separate application must be made for each member of the family, or household, and a separate War Rationing Book must be issued to each person.

Any member of the family above the age of 18 can register for the family. To save time and trouble, the father or mother should register for the whole family. The blanks have spaces for the following information: Last Name, First Name, Middle Name, Post Office, Height, Weight, Color of Eyes, Color of Hair, Age, Sex, Number of Persons in Family, and Amount of Sugar on Hand.

The above information for each member of the family should be written on the form and carried along when you go to register so that all the information will be at hand and can be given quickly. The people registering you will be working without pay, so make it as easy for them as you can.

The penalty for willful misstatement as to facts is fine and imprisonment. Failure to register will make it impossible for one to obtain sugar and quite possibly other commodities which may be rationed.

The dates for registration of consumers are May 4, 5, 6, and 7. All persons are requested to register on May 4, so as to relieve those doing the work.

'THE HEART OF TEXAS'

(From Brownwood Bulletin)

Editor Bulletin:

Last year there was quite a commotion raised regarding the geographical center of Texas in our paper as well as others.

The 1942 question seems to be, "Where is the heart of Texas?" The 1941 question seemed to have been settled on your publication of my poem, "Williams Ranch."

For your consideration, I am enclosing a copy of my poetry on "Deep in the Heart of Texas."

Noticed some time ago you claimed that Brown County furnished the inspiration for the above, but I claim it for Mills county.

Respectfully,
R. E. CLEMENTS,
Goldthwaite, Texas.

(Editor's Note: The Bulletin does not publish poetry but here are the words of Mr. Clements' piece, titled, "The Heart of Texas":

There's much despair in the air about the heart of Texas. It eats the band, none understand what where is the heart of Texas. 'Tis the County of Mills with her beautiful hills, deep in the heart of Texas. Where there's lots of corn for the red bud bloom, deep in the heart of Texas. And everybody knows when the bluebonnet grows deep in the heart of Texas. 'Twixt me and you, here's the dogwood, too; and the wild hog plum, it ain't no um, deep in the heart of Texas.

HESTER NAMED AS CO-ORDINATOR OF CITY-U.S. JOBS

(Brownwood Bulletin) Ben Hester, former desk sergeant and one of the four members of the police department retiring with the change of police chiefs effective Monday night, has been appointed coordinator for the city and public works enterprises, including schools, water, sewer and all public improvements. Hester's position is a new one, taking over work formerly devolving upon four or five individuals or department heads. He works out of the office of Louis J. Bryan, government constructing engineer.

Have You Ever Been To Texas In The Spring?

By MARY DOGGETT LAKE

There's a land I know where bluebonnets grow,
And the sun shines all the while,
Where the cowboys play 'till night turns to day,
And nature seems to smile;
Where the mocking bird is forever heard
And the red wing sends her call,
Where the soft winds croon to the silver moon
As shades of evening fall.

REFRAIN

Have you ever been to Texas in the Spring,
When the breezes blow and the birds are on the wing;
Where bluebonnets wave in air,
And there's friendship ev'rywhere,
While the busy bees are humming,
And the banjos are a-strumming?

Have you walked on velvet carpets in the Spring,
Made of flow'rs whose subtle odor mem'ries bring;
Have you seen those sunsets gay,
As they glorify the day,—
Have you ever been to Texas in the Spring?

—II—

In this land so true, under Heav'n's own blue,
Grow the orange and the rose,
And the cactus strange dots the distant range
Where the Rio Grande flows,
When the last trail winds o'er a plain that binds
Into an enchantment grand.
Let me rest secure, with things that endure,
In my own Texas land!

SENTENCED TO 15 MONTHS FOR HOLDING OUT TAX

As a warning to others, Commissioner of Internal Revenue Guy T. Helvering has announced that Nathan Gottlieb, Ozone Park, New York, has been sentenced to 15 months in the Federal Penitentiary for failing to turn over to the Collector of Internal Revenue employees' tax collected from the employees of two corporations of which Gottlieb had been president.

WAR-BORN CHANGES TO CAUSE SOCIAL SECURITY REVISION

AUSTIN, April 15.—If Congress acts favorably upon the recommendations made recently by Paul V. McNutt, national federal security administrator, few states would benefit more than Texas, it was pointed out this week by J. S. Murchison, executive director of the State Department of Public Welfare.

In transmitting the annual report of the Social Security Board to Congress on March 3, Mr. McNutt recommended that old-age and survivors insurance protection should be extended to farm laborers, domestic servants and all other groups of workers, including public employees, employees of charitable, religious, educational, and other nonprofit organizations, and the "self-employed". Texas is 54 per cent rural and at the present time "self-employed" farmers and farm laborers, dependent upon the gamble of rainfall, crop pests and fluctuating markets, have nothing to fall back on in their old age, if they lose out financially, but dependency upon their children or public assistance. If they, along with other earners now uncovered, can be included in the old age insurance plan, old age assistance may eventually be replaced by insurance payments based on a vested claim built up by these workers during their earning years.

The federal board points out that administrative obstacles to coverage of agricultural and domestic workers do not seem insuperable and that the use of a stamp system to maintain the wage records of such workers would be practical. To record contributions, these stamps could be sold by post offices and rural mail carriers.

The most urgent need for revision of social security legislation, the federal board indicates arises from war-born changes. Workers entering the armed forces are now losing their federal insurance protection. Attention was also directed to the need of safeguarding the insurance rights of persons who take their insurance rights under the federal old-age and survivors insurance system, which does not now cover government employment.

The federal board suggested to congress that the insurance rights of those who join the army or navy could be protected in one of several ways. One method would "freeze" their insurance status upon the date of their enlistment or inductment, with no contributions or benefits payable during the period of their service but with the resumption of such status at the time they leave the armed forces. Another would extend the coverage of the old-age and survivors insurance system to armed forces. The latter method it was suggested, would seem to be the more satisfactory, provided that "coordination could be effected with programs set up for persons in the regular armed forces and with the special programs for veterans' benefits."

"The coverage of employees of the federal government is particularly urgent," the report says, "because large numbers of persons are entering navy yards, arsenals, or other government service. Many of these persons have left covered jobs in commerce and industry and will eventually return to such jobs. Unless their services with the government are covered, they will impair or lose their insured status under the old-age and survivors insurance program.

The social security board believes that expansion of the security program to compensate workers for wage losses resulting from permanent or temporary disability is now feasible. In this connection, the report points out that a wage earner who is out of work because he is sick is not entitled to an unemployment benefit although his past work and earnings would have qualified him for benefits if he were well and available for a job. The man disabled in younger years, unless by occupational injury or disease covered by a state workmen's compensation law, has no

Uncle Sam asks us to Hoard Coal Now

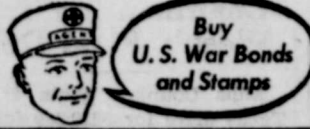
Coal is one thing the Government definitely wants us to hoard this spring and summer.

● We are asked to buy coal now, if we are coal users, (1) to protect ourselves against a possible coal shortage next winter, and (2) to help make more freight cars available then for moving vital war material. Spreading coal shipments over a longer period than usual will do just that.

● Most folks wait until the last minute to order their winter's coal supply. Many millions of tons of coal must then be moved by rail in a very short time. Next winter's

war needs and the tire shortage will put the greatest load on the railroads in their history. War freight must move first, and those who wait too long to order their coal may not be able to get prompt delivery when they need it.

● So we repeat Uncle Sam's friendly warning to us all. If you use coal, get in your winter coal supply now, in the off season, when transportation is available. You'll help yourself and also help win this war.



AT YOUR SERVICE—subject always to war demands, Santa Fe is maintaining regular and efficient freight and passenger transportation vital to your community. Turn to your Santa Fe Agent for information about it



LUTHERANS REPORT MISSIONAIRES SAFE

Dr. R. Tæuber of Minneapolis, Minn., went high in his praise of the Australian government for their assistance in bringing the missionaries of the Lutheran Church in New Guinea to safety, according to Rev. A. H. Muehlbrad and August Dreuckhammer of Zion's Lutheran Church, Priddy. They represented their congregation at the convention of the Texas District of the American Lutheran Church held last week at Seguin, Texas. The government provided planes to evacuate the women and children when the Japs attacked. Missionary Ackermann who was stationed at Malale, on a hill midway between the heavily bombed stations of Salamaua and Lae, likewise was brought to safety by a government plane. It also provided for the needs of the mission personnel until the church could come to their assistance.

The two representatives were impressed with the interest of both government and church in the spiritual welfare of the men with the colors. The interest of the government was evident from the addresses of Chaplains O. R. Shawe of Camp Shelby and Oli-

ver Gretefeld of Camp Bowie. Chaplain Gretefeld exhibited equipment and supplies provided for his use by the National Lutheran Council, an agency in which the Lutherans of America co-operate. Rev. M. C. Rieke of San Antonio spoke on the spiritual care the church is making available to soldiers and sailors in its Service Centers. Zion's Lutheran Church of Priddy will take pride in supporting this work when the opportunity is given on Mother's Day.

What impressed these delegates most at this convention was the confident faith in God which was so forcibly expressed by the president of the Texas District Brotherhood of the American Lutheran Church, when he said "The heavens and the kingdoms of this world will pass away, but the Kingdom of the Prince of Peace remains forever unmoveable to bless all who will receive the blessing." This faith was the dominant characteristic of the meeting.

VER GRETEFELD OF CAMP BOWIE

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Beck of Brownwood visited in the O. A. Carothers home Sunday afternoon.

CEDAR KNOB—

By Mrs. ELMER SCOBY

The good rains have certainly been beneficial to the crops and gardens.

Roth Robertson spent two nights at home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Beck of Brownwood visited in the O. A. Carothers home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Marvin Atnip and Mrs. Elmer Scoby and mother drove over to Priddy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Robertson were in San Saba last Sunday visiting her sister, Berylee Robertson is practicing

in the school program for the 4th of May.

Marvin Atnip and Robert Sullivan of Dallas spent last week end on the farm.

SOUTH TEXAS PRESS ASSN. CONVENTION APRIL 24-25

Because of the multitude of new problems confronting newspaper publishers and editors, the 15th annual convention of the South Texas Press Association, which will be held in San Antonio Friday and Saturday, April 24 and 25, will be the most important business session the organization has ever held, President Garland A. Smith has announced.

The entire program will be devoted to meeting and solving today's problems in the small daily newspaper field, Smith pointed out.

LAWRENCE STOKES IS INITIATED INTO PSI CHI

Lawrence Stokes, son of Major M. Y. Stokes of Goldthwaite, has been initiated into Psi Chi, national psychology honorary fraternity at Southern Methodist University, it was announced today by Brice Hughett, president.

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

I have just received a quantity of Corborated Creosote Base. Base wood preserver and disinfectant. Guarantee to kill blue bugs, lice and all insects.—W. T. Keese Feed Store.

The best under the seas, on the seas and over the seas are the submarines, ships and airplanes of the U. S. Navy.

ONE TEXAS ALMANAC LEFT

The Eagle has only one Texas Almanac left. This Almanac is the 1942-43 edition with information concerning Texas that every Texan should have. They sell for 60 cents.

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SENIOR REPORT

The Seniors are planning a "Great Show", the senior play. So Mr. and Mrs. Public be prepared for one of the best senior plays ever staged in Goldthwaite. The cast consists of twelve characters, and each has an important part; each character is well fitted to the part.

"For Pete's Sake" is the sensation of the year. It will long be remembered as the best senior play ever produced.

SOPHOMORE REPORT

It's time for report cards again this afternoon and it seems as if everyone had a bad week end from the way they are acting. Mr. Smith says that a bigger per cent of the pupils are failing this month than ever before. There's still another six weeks to come through and we will all have a chance to set things right before it's all over. Let's work hard and improve before school is out.

PRESENTING:

senior girl who is known as Carolyn Oglesby. Carolyn is one of the most friendly of all the seniors; she was valedictorian when she graduated from the seventh grade at Big Valley, she activities and is willing to do has been active in all the school her part. Carolyn is popular with the boys and girls of the senior class, but she hasn't had the privilege of attending GHS for all her schooling. She has really missed something. She is well praised for being able to get along with anybody. If nothing happens she plans to attend a business school.

Likes Best—to argue
 Dislikes—Those blankety blank personality books.
 Favorite sport—Volley Ball
 Hobby—Having fun with the camera.

The last of our noble seniors to be presented, but certainly not the least, is a person that is always smiling and ready to do her part for our class—Eunice Wrinkle. There is practically nothing that Eunice can't do. You've had a sample of her journalistic ability in this paper, for she is the author of this "Presenting" column; she is secretary of our class; she is first on nearly all the programs as a songstress; and she maintains excellent grades in nearly all her subjects. Eunice is also an officer in the volley ball club and an outstanding worker in home economics. She has want-

ed to be a nurse all her life, but says she probably end up as a Home Economics teacher. She year as a major in this course. Plans to attend Texas Tech next year as a major in this course. Likes best—A good song. Dislikes—Crowds.
 Favorite song—"Moonlight Cocktail"
 Favorite delight—Making Mr. Johns grin so she can see his dimples.

This concludes a series of short sketches on the graduating seniors in the class of 1942. We hope you have enjoyed them for the graduates this year are really a very interesting group. Of course their true personality but we have given you some idea cannot be told in a short writing anyway. All of these seniors are industrious students, and are working earnestly to make their class one of the best that ever came out of Goldthwaite. May health, wealth, happiness, and all the luck in the world be theirs always.

MEMORIES

Remember? That tife several Christmases ago when Mrs. Baker almost had a nervous breakdown as a result of a package of firecrackers exploding in Mr. Smith's office. . . . When upper class made the freshman go around daubed with lipstick. . . . When we (seniors) graduated from the seventh grade and Mr. Bea, Shirley M., Amber G. and our favorites. . . . When Wilma Damron and Mrs. Stevens were in a story telling contest back in Glenda O. met for the first time the third grade all from different schools. . . . When we licked San Saba on that memorial day back in '39. . . . When some of our most prominent football heroes were strapping young fish dodging belts. . . . When Star came to Goldthwaite and "painted the town red". . . . Several Mays ago when Eloise made a beautiful May Queen as a freshman. . . . Those good old days when we could use two lumps of sugar instead of one.

CURRENT DOPE

Now, isn't this weather just the thing for romancing? Warm breezy nights with no moon lazy-like daytime that makes you turn to the pleasure side of life. Maybe love isn't all pleasure, for I hear there is lots of fun anyway.
 Well, Barbara W., just when we get a nice little affair all fixed up between you and Glendon, you go and let Doyle take you home from the weenie roast. My, my, who will it be next?
 Frances Adams must think a great deal more of Hamilton

PRIDDY NEWS

The two delegates, Rev. A. H. Muehlbrad and August Druckhammer, of Zion's Lutheran Church of Priddy, returned from the District Convention of the American Lutheran Church held at Seguin. A report of the convention was given last Sunday morning. One of the main thoughts of the convention was the following up of the boys serving us as protectors of our country. Those boys in the camps need our spiritual help, and they appreciate it. Some boys who have never seen or heard of the New Testament now ask for one and read it.

While at the convention these Golden Jubilee celebration of two gentlemen also attended the Texas Lutheran College. A great blessing has gone out from this college during its 50 years of existence. It is hoped that three or more from Priddy will enroll in this college next September. Herman Kopp, who spent the last six weeks in a hospital in Temple where he had undergone a serious operation, has returned home. The Priddy FFA Chapter will have a Father and son barbecue and is much enjoyed.

Rev. Muehlbrad and his family had week end visitors from Fort Bend Co. Mrs. Muehlbrad's mother and three sisters, and a nephew and niece came to see the new home of their relatives. On Monday Mrs. Muehlbrad accompanied them to Alemann, where some relatives were visited. Other relatives in the pastor's home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wedekin and son of Shive, and Mr. and Mrs. Hinze of Brownwood.

The Niemann children honored their aged father on his 80th birthday last Sunday. At the supper mutton was the main course. Last Friday night the home of Bruno Sshrank was destroyed by fire. Very little of the contents was saved.

Mrs. O. F. Smith of Denton visited for the week end with her brother, W. G. Miller and other relatives.
 Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Stephen visited in Dallas Saturday and Sunday.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps!
 Prof. A. L. Layton spent last week-end in Fort Worth visiting friends.
 Miss Leona Davis visited with friends in Waco Saturday and Sunday.

boys than she does Goldthwaite boys. Say, you should have seen her display her charms in that great city of Hamilton Sunday.

That Tom Womack is a heart-breaker if ever there was one. Many's the girl that gazed fondly in his direction, but not one ray of hope does she get. Give the girls a chance, Tom; is it because you're shy or mean or just a perennial old bachelor?

That was surely a very interesting list of lovers you had, Robbie Doris, and the second name on the list was James Cornelius, and I do believe the third was Larry M.
 Pat has found his true love and it's none other than Nina Robbins.
 Marjeanne, does the new flame suit? Mack is really attractive.
 Dinkey, you and Fred are really a cute couple.

7-D Roundup

We are glad to report a real good rain in this community, and everyone is awfully busy.
 Forrest Jernigan and family visited homefolks last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Renfro, Sue and Spincer came home for a short visit last week.
 Cecil Lawson turned his planter over last week and hurt his back but is back on the job again.
 M. L. Jernigan spent the week-end in Fort Worth.
 Louese Tully, Janitt Jernigan and Jimmie Ware spent the last week-end in Fort Worth.
 Daisy Cloud spent the week-end with her father, Perry Cloud.
 Don Martin of Goldthwaite spent the day and night Sunday with Hawley Jernigan.
 Mrs. R. F. Roberts visited Mrs. Jernigan last Friday.

FISHING SEASON TO OPEN FRIDAY MAY 1

Two methods of baking fish are explained by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

This may be cruel, says a bulletin issued to the press by the Commission. But just to get your appetite whetted up for a real fish fry when the general fishing season opens May 1, take a look at these two ideas for baking fish:

BAKING—In the Ground
 Four pounds or more of large fish should be cleared of gills and viscera, but head, tail, fins and scales may be left intact. Lean fish should have three cuts across the skin on both sides. About two teaspoons of salt and 3-8 teaspoon of pepper should be well spread on the inside of the body cavity. A few thin strips of bacon or salt pork may replace the salt and a few thin slices of onion added if desired. Dig a trench about ten inches deep and of equal width and long enough to hold the fish; in this hole build a fire, adding wood until about two inches of coals are formed. Remove all flaming wood and about half the remaining coals and cover with 1 inch green grass. On this place the fish and cover with another inch layer of grass, then cover with the rest of the live coals. Cover with warm earth from around the edges of the hole. At the end of one hour, the fish should be carefully removed. The flesh may then be separated easily from the inedible portions.

BAKING—Fireless Cooker Method
 Four pounds dressed fish, split if large, 3 tsp. salt, 3-8 tsp. pepper, 3-8 cup minced onion (with any quice), 3-8 cup cooking oil. Have heater stone of the fireless cooker hot. Put fish in lower kettle, add seasoning and oil, spreading all over the surface of the fish. Heat kettle over fire, place stone and kettle in cooker. If upper kettle is not in use for cooking, fill it with boiling water. Allow to cook one hour. Pour juices over fish when serving.

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HANNA VALLEY

By JEWEL JONES

Well, we had another good rain Sunday night, making a total of 4 1-2 inches in the past two weeks. Pasture is good at last. Sheep and livestock are getting plenty to eat and drink.

The hum of tractors was heard all over the valley last week. Some are re-planting, some just getting their corn in the ground. Most people here are planting large gardens, more peanuts and cotton. Seems like all are doing their best to go over the top this year on the farm.

Glad to report Ben Egger home from Marlin hospital, doing fine since an operation. We hope Ben will be a well man soon.

Mrs. S. M. Jones and daughter-in-law, Cleo, visited J. M. Jones' home last week-end.

Mrs. Clayton Shaw visited in Alton Jones' home one evening last week.
 Fishing has been good for some the past week. Our neighbor, Sam Eddinton, reports catching one 25-pound cat, one 14-pound and some smaller ones. Mr. Sam is a fisherman as well as a good rancher, it seems like.

We are all glad to hear our boys had slapped the sap out of the Jap in Tokyo.

We hope to hear soon that Tokyo has been wiped off the map. We can, and will win.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frazier visited in Lometa Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. B. B. Parker, who has been quite sick for several months, but is now much improved.

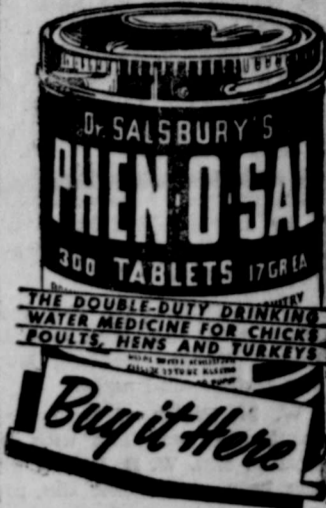
Misses Neale Moore and LaVerne Chadwick of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Johnson.

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Mrs. Etta Keel spent the week end with her mother and sister, Mrs. Dan Bush and Mrs. Kate Page. She returned to Austin Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Townsen made a business trip to Lampasas one day last week.

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SCALLORN

By MRS. ORA BLACK

In spite of the rainy day and the distance over a very muddy road Sunday, Rev. Lancaster of San Saba brought to his audience a well delivered sermon on "Watchman What of the Night". At this time a definite time was set for our summer revival, which is scheduled to begin on Friday night before the first Sunday in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Laughlin came over from Blanket for a visit with his mother Wednesday.

Mrs. Cora Ford and daughter, Mrs. Webb Laughlin, visited in Lometa one day with friends.

Tullis Tarleton and Junior Bowden of Lometa visited over the week end with William Evans.

Mrs. Frank Eckert is visiting this week with her grandson, W. T. Eckert, who is stationed at Joplin, Mo.

Mrs. Robert McCann spent Thursday with Mrs. Dee Jones.

Gordon Henry went to Temple last week to visit his friend, Raymond Seabolt.

Week end visitors of Mrs. Cora Ford were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ford and little daughter, Sylvia Ann of Florence.

Earl Blake, who has work in Brownwood came home over the week end.

Grandmother Laughlin visited Saturday in the home of her son, Webb, and Mrs. Laughlin.

Mrs. Lila Crawford of Goldthwaite was a Sunday guest of her mother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fields Hines entertained guests in their home in Lometa Sunday with a birthday dinner honoring Mr. Hines' twin sisters, Mrs. John Allen Todd and Miss Greta Sue Hines. The occasion was a happy one for those who enjoyed the feast. A rather unique idea was carried out by Mrs. Hines by placing a miniature music box in the cake which sounded the notes of Happy Birthday when cut. The honored guests for the day, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines, Mrs. Lizzie Lockhart of Lometa, and the host and hostess were present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black and children visited Sunday afternoon in the Dutch Smith home.

Mrs. Earl Blake and mother, Mrs. Ora Black, visited Monday and Tuesday in Brownwood.

Through the loyalty of some of our women the Red Cross garments are still being made. By Saturday we will have completed 50 more dresses, which brings our number up to 200.

ROCK SPRINGS

By MRS. EULA NICKOLS

Sunday is church day. Sunday School at 10:30.

The rain was fine—just what we needed. Those who planted gardens and corn last week were very lucky. Some plowed corn last week.

Ernest Strickland and daughter and grandchild from Brady spent the week-end in the Roberts home.

Sunday Mrs. Circles celebrated her birthday, which was Monday, by preparing a good dinner for Dan Holland and wife and Mrs. Pete Circles and Miss Johnnie Belle Circles.

James Nickols and family spent Sunday in V. D. Tyson's home on the river.

Mrs. George Mason visited this

week with her daughter, Mrs. Rudolph Cook.

Woodie Traylor and wife visited Mmes. Robertson and Dunkle in town Monday.

V. D. Tyson, Jr., and family from Welder and Mrs. Will McWhorter from town visited in the Nickols home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Maggie Traylor's sister, Mrs. Smith, visited her last week-end.

Mrs. Richard Saunders and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ellis at Stephenville.

Miss Kathlene Cockrum from Brownwood spent the week-end at home.

A correction: Mr. Laughlin hasn't moved to the Kroff farm yet.

Joe Palmer moved his goats from the Croft farm one day last week.

We have heard Mr. Pierce is trying to sell his farm again.

Hern Harris and wife were out in the community Friday looking after business.

Sunday I went with Otis and Besse Hutchings to Ira Hutchings, who lives northeast of Mullin. They almost have their nice new home finished.

We hated to hear about Mrs. Austin Whitt having to be taken to Brownwood Friday for an appendicitis operation. The last news she was doing fine. We hope she can soon be home.

Joe Davis and Charley Frank and Bobbie Joe have had the mumps. They don't seem to be hurting any of them very much.

I visited with Mr. and Mrs. Duke Clements and in Henry Rahl's home Monday. I also sewed for the Red Cross after dinner.

Mrs. Claud Grey from Hamlin was back last week looking after her farm.

Sam Self and wife are our neighbors again. They are on the John Roberts farm.

Rudolph Cooke and family and Mrs. Mason and Philip Nickols and wife visited until bedtime in my home Monday night.

STAR ITEMS

By MRS. DORA GOODE

We had a nice little shower Sunday night with all the heavy parts going around. We are thankful for the gentle and quiet visit of the rain clouds. Plenty of electricity, but little wind and no deluge of water to wash away and cover small plants.

Bro. Warren Ellis attended the District Conference at Brady last week and reports a great spiritual blessing.

Mrs. Roy Wall, who was sick for several weeks is well again and was able to be at Sunday school Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Shave has been sick of late and has been confined to her bed a part of the time.

Mrs. Lee Clary, who has suffered for several weeks with a rising in the head is improving.

Otto Gummelt was buried in the Hurst Ranch cemetery last week, having died in a Brownwood hospital after several weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Childre of Dallas were week end visitors with homefolks.

Hobart Tremble spent the past week at home before leaving for Uncle Sam's services.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cooke of Coahoma spent the past week with homefolks.

Dudley Henry, who was severely burned recently while

working at Fort Worth is reported improving. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duran Henry, have been to see him several times.

Some fruit trees are well loaded while others are too skimpy to even think of pies.

NORTH BENNETT

By MRS. EDKER MIKEL

The farmers have been busy since the nice rains we had recently.

Mr. Sullivan had his goats sheared one day last week.

Miss Louis Mason of Center City spent Friday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mason.

Luther Mason worked some for Bud Harper and Monroe Geeslin last week.

Mmes. J. C. and Luther Mason and little daughter visited Mrs. Edker Mikel Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Nell Head is working in the telephone office at Brownwood.

Sgt. Vernor Huckaby of Camp Blanding, Fla. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huckaby last week.

W. L. Lawrence bought a car Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mikel, Mrs. Starr, Edward Mikel and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence and Haskell Tubbs and family visited in the Robbe Harris home at Star Sunday.

Edker Mikel and family visited in the J. B. Howarton home Sunday afternoon.

Ollie McNeil has been building a cement tank on his mountain farm.

We certainly had a big rain Sunday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Huckaby has been staying with Mrs. J. B. Howarton while Mr. Howarton is working in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morris of Center City and Walter Hancock of Gustine called in the Edker Mikel home Monday afternoon.

CENTER CITY

By Mrs. J. M. OGLESBY

Fine rains have fallen in our section and vegetation is growing fast. Farmers were very busy last week getting crops planted, but quite a number attended Sunday School and church services. Bro. Sims preached at his regular hours. Next Sunday Bro. Elles will be with us at the Methodist church.

Will Hawkins of Savoy and his brother, Emmett, were looking over scenes of their boyhood days here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walton received word from their son, Myron, that he was made corporal on his return to California after a visit here Easter. He is now stationed at Armandia Island.

Joe Langford is recovering from a serious illness which confined him to his bed last week.

Aubrey Head and family left Tuesday for Goose Creek. He has work there.

Mrs. Hubert Coffman received a letter from her husband stating that he is well.

Mr. and Mrs. Jervey Newton and daughter, Miss Patsy, were pleasant visitors here Monday. They live in McGrick.

Mrs. Tom Booker was carried to a physician Monday. She suffered a throat infection.

The ladies of the Baptist church are sewing for the orphans home.

We regret very much to report Bro. Allen Carter in very ill health. He is under the care of a physician. His many friends hope to hear of his improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mason North Bennett spent Sunday with their son, Freeman, and family.

Mrs. Lee Walton's brother is in a Lampasas hospital suffering with inflammatory rheumatism. She has visited him there and reports his condition improving.

Prof. Patterson of the Star school was a business visitor here one day last week.

Mrs. Elder of Goldthwaite is visiting her daughters, Mmes. Archie Collier and Freeman Mason.

Mrs. W. T. Alexander is reported improving. She was seriously ill last week.

Dan Waggoner of Star and Wilbur Waggoner and sons of Elgin were visitors last Sunday. We are always glad to have these good people back in our midst.

RAIN REPORT--

A total of three and 38-100ths inches of rain has fallen in Goldthwaite since Easter Sunday, according to records kept by Government Volunteer Weather Observer Harry Allen. This makes a total for this year of 5.06 inches.

The old saying that if it rains on Easter Sunday it will rain for seven successive Sundays is not only proving true this year, but it is raining between times.

A good rain was falling yesterday afternoon as the Eagle went to press.

Rain report for the last two weeks follows:

April 12-13—.03 of an inch.

April 19—1.09 inches

April 20—.78 of an inch.

HENRY RAHL

Uncle Henry Rahl, 78, one of the oldest residents of this section and one of the best-known men in Goldthwaite, died at his home here Wednesday afternoon at 3:25 o'clock, after a two-weeks' illness.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday morning at ten o'clock by Father Harrison of Brownwood, and interment followed in Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

Uncle Henry was for a great many years engaged in blacksmithing in Goldthwaite, retiring about ten years ago. He came to this section and located at Old Senterfitt long before Mills was a county, and moved to Goldthwaite many years ago.

Mr. Rahl will be greatly missed by many people in this section, for he always had a friendly greeting for everyone he met. He is survived by three brothers, Judge Jim Rahl and Sam and Will Rahl, of Goldthwaite.

Palbearers at his funeral were Dr. J. M. Campbell, Ed Dickerson of San Saba, W. O. Holland, J. A. Hester, Wyley M. Johnston, Sam P. Sullivan, and Ira O. Harvey.


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Mullin News -

From Mullin Enterprise

Bro. E. O. Stewart of Sweetwater will preach at the Church of God Saturday night and Sunday morning. A welcome awaits you.

Jot S. Tucker of Big Valley and Miss Willene Wigley were married on April 12 in San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker have a wide circle of relatives and friends here who extend best of wishes to these fine young people. They will be at home in Big Valley after June 1.

Pfc. Kyle Smith of Tulsa, Ok., reports he likes fine but the weather is really warm and he would like to work outside some. He hopes for a furlough to come home soon.

Woodrow W. Cowart, who made his home with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, now stationed at Selma, Ala., was on the move to Mobile. He says there has been lots of rain and will be glad when the trees stop budding as it is really bad on the hay fever.

Pfc. Glenn Smith is now over in Missouri at the present, and C. M. Smith is in San Saba visiting relatives.

Mrs. R. E. Davis is in Lampasas visiting her sister this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crockett had the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Shelton and Mrs. Reese McCurdy of Brownwood, Mrs. W. H. Wasserman and daughter Anna Belle, and Bob Crockett and family of Duren.

"Buddy" Henry and family of Spur spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ratliff and Mrs. Eugene Rader of Elgin and Georgetown came Sunday for a visit. The ladies remained over for the week in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pickens and Miss Ina Mae Canady of Lometa and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Aldridge and family spent Sunday with A. H. Pickens and Mrs. Pickens and son, Corporal J. C. Pickens.

Mrs. Dudley Aldredge and Miss Martha Dudley of Prairie were meeting friends here Tuesday.

Glynn Kittle and family of Brownwood spent San Jacinto day here.

Mrs. Alton Ethredge of Cibelo is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Mills.

Mrs. J. J. McCurdy and Mrs. A. C. McCurdy were Comanche visitors Tuesday.

Miss Martha Dudley, Mrs. J. B. Aldridge and Mrs. D. B. Aldridge and son Don were Brownwood visitors Tuesday.

Dick McCurdy was absent from school last week on account of sickness.

Miss Myrl Lockridge and mother spent a few hours in the home of Mrs. A. C. Pollett Thursday night.

The Prairie teachers were re-elected for another term of school. Prairie has had a very successful school term and it will close May 29. We have a 9-months' school.

T. N. Doss, Jr., is the principal and Miss Myrl Lockridge assistant teacher.

Mrs. Lockridge and Myrl visited County Judge H. H. Lockridge and family in Comanche Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. G. Chambers were Sunday visitors with relatives in Brownwood.

E. A. Kemp, one of our leading citizens, passed another milestone Sunday and was honored with a delicious dinner.

Mrs. J. T. Coleman and son, H. T. Coleman, visited her son, Word Coleman, and family in Comanche Sunday.

Walter Mosier and family of Brownwood visited Willard Mosier and Mrs. W. W. Mosier Sunday.

Paul Jean Masters was a happy big boy on his seventh birthday. He and his Aunt Katherine Oden had a joint birthday dinner Sunday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Oden.

Corporal J. C. Pickens returned to Camp Wolters Sunday, after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pickens, and sister, Mrs. D. B. Aldridge and family of Democrat.

PRAIRIE

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowden and son Weldon, Mrs. J. E. Smith and children, James Roy, Henry and Ema Nelle, spent Sunday in Brownwood visiting Mrs. J. K. NeSmith and Mr. and Mrs. Kupie Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Vaughn have announced the marriage of their daughter, Wanda, to Sgt. Lee Roy Tate in Florida, on April 11. He is now stationed with the 36th Division at Camp Blanding, Florida.

Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Agnes and Ema Nelle Smith were in Brownwood Wednesday visiting Mrs. J. K. NeSmith of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Rose of Dallas visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, over the week-end.

Pvt. Walter Moore of Fort Sam Houston visited friends in this community Sunday.

Allene Cryer spent Thursday night with Melba Crawford.

Ema Nelle Smith spent Thursday in Mullin visiting Joyce Carroll and Wilma Preston and also the boys that were in the wreck between Brownwood and Brady.

Mrs. Edgar Smith and children, Robert, Richard and Lena Fay, spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Johnson of near Kilgore are visiting her father, George Tomlinson.


Robert Aldridge was out of school a few days last week and it has been reported he has the measles. We hope him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDaniel of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Isham of Newburg and Mrs. Coker of Comanche visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCurdy Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Artis McCurdy honored Mr. and Mrs. Alton Rose Saturday night with a miscellaneous shower. A large crowd attended and some played 42.

Several from this community attended the funeral of Mr. Jack Brazille at Zephyr Tuesday, the 14th.

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THE PLAIN CITIZEN IN TIME OF WAR

By GEORGE C. HESTER

The plain, ordinary citizen in time of war often finds himself in a dilemma. On the one hand he is berated as being complacent and unaware to the realities of a war-time world. He is accused, for example, of going ahead with business as usual at a time when the world is engulfed in a conflagration and his own nation is in a grave emergency.

On the other hand, he is expected to bear his tax burden and be ready to assume additional burdens in the near future. He is also told that he must make any additional sacrifices in living habits, comforts, and the like, that may be deemed essential to the war effort.

Much of such advice, of course, appears somewhat contradictory to the average citizen. In the first place, he feels a sense of frustration when he sees the buzzing around and the intense activity of many phases of the war effort. He naturally feels that his part is so little and insignificant.

He continues his daily routine in his profession or business. He can see little connection between what he is doing and the direct defense program. A feeling of inadequacy comes over him. He even wonders what he might do as a more direct and tangible contribution to his country in this hour of trial.

Such a citizen needs to acquire a broader conception of the war effort. A moment's reflection should convince anyone that there is much about a country that must proceed normally even in time of war. For example, business must go on. How else could it pay the taxes which are demanded. The millions of people who are not engaged in war industries must live. The business man who struggles against all sorts of disrupting adversities to keep his business going is making a definite contribution to this country's war effort. He is keeping people at work who otherwise might be unemployed. By this means, they too are enabled to pay taxes or purchase bonds.

But there are many other implications in this role of the average citizen. After all, the strength and stability of a country rests in the final analysis upon the soundness of its economic and social life. Here in the daily routine of the plain citizen is to be found the real essence and meaning of the American way of life. This way of life must go on, modified and adopted, of course, to fit the needs of the emergency. Otherwise the very foundations of social stability would vanish.

Beyond this there are many other things which the average citizen can do as an aid to the war effort. He can keep himself informed. He can devote himself to clear thinking and unprejudiced judgment.

Moreover, by power and example he can inspire others. He can reflect a spirit of devotion and helpfulness. He can refuse to listen to the rantings of the demagogue. In his heart and mind he can be prepared to vote and act intelligently on the crucial issues ahead. Unless he keeps himself closely informed today, he will find himself in an intellectual vacuum when the hour for decision comes.

Upon his judgment, his attitude and interest, the fate of future democracy may depend. All these things are part and parcel of the battle on the home front. In this battle every citizen is a soldier. It may be a long, tedious, and irksome struggle. We shall still be engaged in that struggle when the storms of wars have spent their fury and have passed.

In the supreme issues of peace and war, the plain citizen has a vital role to perform. He need not feel inadequate in that task.

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Mirror For The Mind

BEFORE VENTURING FORTH in the morning men wash and shave, comb their hair and brush their teeth. Before leaving for business they take a good look in the mirror to be sure that they are presentable.

John Ruskin suggests that we should have a mirror for the mind, as well as the body. He says: "Try to get the strength of heart to look yourself fairly in the face in mind as well as body. I cannot doubt that the mind is a less pleasant thing to look at than the face, and for that reason it needs more looking at; so always have two mirrors on your toilet table, and see that with proper care you dress your body and mind before them daily."

What mental attitudes are you reflecting in your mental mirror? Just as people are attracted to those who are appropriately attired, whose shoes are shined, and whose faces are shaved, and hair cut—they also welcome men whose minds are dressed with courage, optimism, joy, love, faith and hope.

Dress up your mind with positive qualities, with victorious and triumphant attitudes! Be a well-dressed man, mentally as well as physically!

—The Silver Lining.

Our doubts are traitors, and make us lose the good we oft might win, by fearing to attempt.—Shakespeare.

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 April 26

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WAYSIDE CONVERSATIONS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 13:22-35.
GOLDEN TEXT—And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.—Luke 14:27.

Learning by talking with Christ as they walked from place to place—such was the training for service which the disciples received. That was the greatest school this world has ever known, for while it had no great buildings, no beautiful campus, no learned faculty, it had the Son of God Himself as preceptor and teacher. With all due regard for our fine colleges and seminaries, we say this is still the outstanding need of Christian workers—to walk and talk with Christ.

On the day of which our lesson speaks the subject considered was how to be saved, and who should be saved. Several trends of thought emerged, but all pointed in the one direction of a diligent following of God's plan. In order to be saved, we learn, a man must

I. Make an Earnest Effort (vv. 22-24).

The question regarding how many were saved received no direct answer for our Lord wished to direct attention to the far more important question—Are you saved? Get that settled and the other matter will care for itself.

Here some who assume that it is an easy thing to be saved will receive a surprise, for our Lord says (v. 24) that it is something one must "agonize" over, for so may the word "strive" be translated. The door into eternal life is so narrow that no man can pass through it with his sins—they must be taken away. Seeking is not enough (v. 24), one must "strive" to enter in.

II. Enter While the Door is Open (vv. 25-30).

The door stands open for all who will to come in. (What a friendly thing is an open door!) But men idly ignore it, or definitely reject its opportunity. Or they seek it, but do not strive to enter in, and all at once it is closed. Then in a frenzy they seek to enter, but it is too late. What an appalling thing—to be eternally too late!

Note their claims of acquaintance with the Lord (v. 26). One is reminded of those who think they are Christians because father or mother belonged to the church, or because they attend an occasional church supper or listen to a sermon by radio. Unless we know Him personally as our Saviour, He will have to say to us, "Depart from me, ye workers of iniquity" (v. 27). Let us make that matter very clear to those to whom we minister, lest they be eternally lost.

III. Follow the Fearless Christ (vv. 31-33).

To know the high and unwavering character of one's leader is to go forward with real confidence. What about the Captain of our salvation? Here we find Him facing the indirect threat of a powerful and wicked earthly ruler, in perfect calmness, with the very poise of eternity upon Him.

Christ, conscious of His divine mission and with determination to do the Father's will (Heb. 10:7), knew no fear of man. As we are in His holy will as Christian men and women, we too "may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me" (Heb. 13:6).

Consider the rebuke to Herod (v. 32). There is probably no place in Scripture where our Lord spoke with such stinging contempt of any man. It is almost as though the black cloud of eternal judgment already had settled around the head of this man who was so sly and crafty that the tenderhearted Jesus called him a "fox." One wonders of how many He would have to say the same in this our day of supreme and malicious wickedness.

We find one more vitally important thought here. Our Lord offers Himself. He calls sinners to repentance, but they must

IV. Respond to His Invitation (vv. 34, 35).

To fail to accept His proffered love is to be left desolate. To reject Him as Saviour (either by neglect or by definite act) is inevitably to bring judgment. To the Jews this meant loss of their national home—their leading city, but to us it means the loss of our eternal souls.

"There is terrible suggestiveness in the two statements in verse 34, 'I would,' 'Ye would not.' The whole secret of Jerusalem's desolation and destruction is found in the words, 'Ye would not.' The whole secret of the loss of the individual soul is found in the words, 'Ye will not' (John 5:40)." (John W. Bradbury).

This lesson presses home to the individual reader the question, Are you saved? What is your answer? It also affords the Sunday school teacher an excellent opportunity to seek to lead the members of the class to a definite decision for Christ. The Sunday school is a good place to give an invitation

Cattlemen's V For Victory



Every pound of meat saved for home use releases that much Food-for-Freedom to help feed America and her armed forces, so Texas County agents are brushing up on their meat butchering. In one school on the Caldwell Ranch, Taylor County, Roy Snyder, animal industries specialist of the Texas Extension Service, wielding the saw, shows his "students" how to make a perfect beef cattle "V for Victory."

State Department Health Notes

Supplying the need for an immediate program of expansion in the medical personnel available for the Health and Emergency Medical Service, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today announced that the United States Public Health Service is offering reserve commissions to physicians and dentists whose services may be used to care for evacuees in the event of enemy action.

Recruitment for those reserve commissions will be largely from older age groups, from those of minor physical disability, making them ineligible for military service, and from women physicians.

Doctor Cox, who serves as State Chairman on Health and Emergency Medical Service, pointed out that it is essential that staffs for operating base hospitals in safe areas be adequately planned to go into immediate effect, in event of disaster. "Caring for the sick and injured in the event of enemy action is a grave responsibility, and no one has the right to assume that we are immune from attack," Dr. Cox said. "Emergency base hospitals in safe areas to which casualties may be evacuated, together with lines of evacuation, and means of transport have been established in almost all sections of this state."

Doctor Cox said that applications for reserve commissions will be serviced by his office, and pointed out that while the commission covers a reserve, inactive basis so that the physician may continue service in his office and pointed out that while the commission covers a reserve, inactive basis so that the physician may continue service in his community, nevertheless those commissioned will be subject to immediate service in case of actual emergency.

Commenting today on the widespread interest and co-operation shown by Texans in the observance of Texas Children's Week, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said that America has no better safeguard for her future than the promotion of good health in the youth of today.

"Americans have done a great deal in the past to make the United States a better and safer place in which to live the all-important years of childhood," Dr. Cox said, "but in spite of all of this, American childhood has not yet been made as safe as it can be."

Dr. Cox pointed out that the national emergency naturally adds to the health hazard that already exist and urged parents of every child in Texas to make sure that their children have

LOOKING BACKWARD

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From Eagle Files April 28, 1917)
Rev. J. H. Frizzell returned Saturday from Dallas, where he had been for two weeks with his wife who underwent a serious operation in the Baptist Sanitarium.

Friends here received with pleasure the announcement of the marriage of Miss Eva Ershula Jackson to Harold Schlarlan at San Antonio Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell entertained the Senior and Junior classes Friday evening, April 20, in honor of Miss Bell Harper and Walter Robertson. The participants in the evening's pleasures were: Misses Vivian Campbell, Eloise Anderson, Ruby Cave, Ruyel Keese, Myrna Miller, Walter Robertson, Bessie Rider, Maggie Seaborn, Sue Nora Berry, Norma Grant, Dona Baker, Neita and Velma Cocker, Thelma Grisham, Belle Harper, Ruth Keese, and Messrs. George Clements, James Frizzell. The invited guests were Misses Jarrett Christian and Taft and Messrs. Roy Gartman, Roy Hicks, Maynard Fowler, Brian Smith, Gresham Fowler, Johnny Driskell, J. Butler Evans, Barton Keese, J. D. Lowe, Emmett Mohler, Tom Lewis Brown, and John Simms Sparks.

W. T. Little and family were here from Hamilton the first of the week visiting relatives.

W. D. Marshall's residence was struck by lightning during the thunderstorm Wednesday night, but there was no great damage. The brick flue was knocked off and the bricks scattered over the yard. Two holes were torn in the roof. The house was filled with smoke and a smell of sulphur lingered about the place for several hours.

Guy McKinley and Miss Grace Corneliuss, both of Hamilton, were married in this city Saturday night, Rev. Gay officiating.

been immunized against such preventable diseases as diphtheria and smallpox.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that although most babies are born physically sound, the foundation for future health is laid in the first six years of life. All parents must realize that raising child health standards is a job for them especially, Dr. Cox said, and added that it is better to keep them from getting sick than to try to save their lives when they are ill.

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LIBRARY NOTES

Since last report, the Library has received six new books. Five of these, donated by Miss Lillie Martin, are for children: Boy Scout Stories, Inland Waterways, Young Oarsmen at Lakeview, David Copperfield's Childhood, Study of Words. Thanks are due, also to Mrs. Gerald for donation of a book by Major Ernest N. Reeves, "Living Sparks of Life."—Librarian.

Goldthwaite H-D Club Meeting

The Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Beulah Sauters in a call meeting April 6. Each member answered the roll call by giving her early spring vegetable "Deficiency in Daily Diet." Some interesting questions and answers problems were enjoyed during the recreation period. The minutes were read and Mrs. Dyas' resignation as council delegate was accepted and Miss Bess Hutchings was elected to fill her place. The program was then turned over to Miss Brammer, who had prepared a vegetable plate and she spoke on places for vegetables on the table, plans for the conservation of other vegetables in 1942, and quick and attractive ways for serving other vegetables. Each member and guest was served an attractive vegetable plate prepared by Miss Brammer also coffee and pineapple coffee cake prepared by Mrs. Sauters. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Gurtis Long April 28.—Reporter.

Goldthwaite Garden Club In Meeting

The Goldthwaite Garden Club met Wednesday, April 15, in the home of Misses Ruth and Abbie Ervin with Mmes. Marvin Rudd, W. K. Marshall and D. D. Tate as co-hostesses. The following were elected officers for the coming year: President—Mrs. John G. Berry. First Vice-President—Mrs. J. M. Campbell. Recording Secretary—Miss Ruth Ervin. Corresponding Secretary—Miss Abbie Ervin. Treasurer—Mrs. Neal Dickerson. Historian—Mrs. Malcomb Jerigan. Reporter—Mrs. D. D. Tate. Assistant—Mrs. Mack Horton. Mrs. John G. Berry was program leader. Roll call was answered by Botanical Names and Description of Native Wild Flowers. School of flower arrangement was led by Mrs. John G. Berry assisted by Mmes. W. J. Weatherby, J. J. Stephen, E. T. Fairman, and Mammie Winsor. The club members furnished a gorgeous display of spring flowers, Mexican curios and cactus plants.

Art And Civic Club

Mrs. Geo. Shady of Pleasant Grove was hostess to the Art and Civic Club Thursday for the last business meeting of the year. Mrs. V. C. Bradford presided with all committees giving their final reports for the year. A rising vote of thanks was given the Ford Cafe for courtesies extended the club during the recent flower sale. With Mrs. J. J. Stephen as leader, a very interesting program on "Our Glorious Privi-

leges and Solemn Responsibilities" was given with Mrs. Jacob Saylor and Mrs. W. P. McCullough assisting. A delectable salad course was served to club members present and one guest.—Reporter.

Seventy-Sixth Birthday

A surprise birthday shower was given by the ladies in and around Caradan for Mrs. J. B. F. Wigley. The ladies honored her with many nice, useful presents, which she appreciated very much. The following ladies were present: Mmes. W. A. Cline, Lennie Horton, J. M. Lindsey, Bula Bleeker, Ruby Conway, Claude Wicker, Ola Lester, Covy Lawson, Knox McCaleb, A. J. Weathers and her daughter, and Miss Sallie Wicker. Other lovely presents were sent in by Mmes. J. R. Horton, W. M. Wright, Jessie Wicker, John Denton, and Misses Joe Ruth Lindsey and Virgilene Wicker. Mrs. Wigley wishes to thank each and every one for their kind thoughtfulness of her on her 76th birthday.

H-D Club Meet

The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. O. B. Bell April 16. Some of the ladies brought machines and we sewed for the Red Cross. There were 10 dresses made. The home demonstration agent tested pressure cookers. At noon the club enjoyed a most delicious meal prepared by the ladies after we met. The following members were present: Mmes. O. B. Bell, E. D. Ferguson, Harvey Hale, George Brooks, Miss Inez Ferguson, two new members, Mmes. Portwood, Otto Singleton, and two visitors, Mmes. L. E. Pass and J. D. Berry. We meet next with Mrs. Barcroft April 30.—Reporter.

Air-Maid Nylon Hose.—Hudson Bros.

CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

On April 17, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Marshall celebrated their 50th anniversary by having a few of their friends for dinner. Those who attended this happy occasion were: Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Urquhart. The following congratulation was composed by their niece, Mrs. C. C. Holder of Carlsbad, Texas: "Here's to a couple you will all agree have spent 50 years on a honeymoon spree; No doubt there's been sorrow and sadness creep in, But it never once daunted their true love within. In sickness or misfortune, made no difference what, They've always stuck together, like two peas in a pot; And now today all your friends want to say, We honor you, on your Golden Wedding Day. A husband like this has meant much to his wife, By joking and being jolly all through their life; And many a pleasant time I've had with these two, Talking and laughing when the day's work was through. I'll never forget doctoring the mule at the lot, Or when going a-fishing to remember the cot; Perhaps to some, you don't understand still, But if you do not, ask Julia and Will. Here's wishing you all the joy the world has in store, For such true loyal couples I wish we had more; And when your lives are ended and you are carried above, We will always remember you unyielding love."

CLARK-GEESLIN

Miss Von Dean Geeslin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Geeslin of the North Bennett Community was married to Lt. Ovie Drexell Clark, March 21, in Albuquerque, N. M. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Clark of Blum, Texas. He graduated at the Air Base with honors on the morning of the 21st and they were married in the Air Base Chapel in the evening. The bride wore a lovely blue dress with a finger-tip veil and a garland of pink carnations across the top. The corsage also was of pink carnations. She wore pink 12-button length gloves. The chapel was decorated beautifully. Strains of music from the pipe organ made the ceremony more impressive. There were the best man and maid of honor in formal dress. The double ring ceremony was used in uniting these young people in holy wedlock. Mrs. Clark is a popular young school teacher, who has a host of friends in this county and elsewhere who wish for her a happy life. Lt. Clark has visited in this county and made many friends who send their sincere congratulations along with wishes that he win greater honors for the country he serves. — A Friend.

Pleasant Grove H-D Club Meet

The Pleasant Grove Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. R. C. Berry Tuesday, April 14, for an all day meeting. In the morning the club members assisted Miss Brammer in preparing lunch. It was mostly a vegetable menu and proved to be delicious as well as very attractive. In the afternoon the business meeting was held and Miss Brammer tested pressure cookers. Booklets containing information about vegetable cookery, gardening, canning of fruits and vegetables and a food preservation plan were issued to each member. Members signed a pledge called the victory demonstrator's pledge. Members at the meeting were Mmes. O. Z. Berry, W. W. Berry, Minnie Crawford, L. O. Kelly, W. T. Moreland, George Shady, Walker Wigley, and David Walters. Mrs. Jude Miles was a visitor in the afternoon. The next meeting will be at the school house Tuesday May 5.

San Saba

Declaring that America has met and overcome the enemy on many former occasions and that America will meet and overcome the enemy in the conflict now being waged, Congressman C. L. South of Coleman told 150 business, professional men, ranchers and farmers, with a few women visitors here at the monthly dinner of the San Saba Junior Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening, that the production of Germany has fallen off at least 15 per cent from peak performance, while that of the United States is increasing by leaps and bounds. James P. Nash of Austin, chairman for this district in the USO's campaign to raise \$1,110,000 in Texas, this week was organizing the work in the district. The Rev. T. N. Barton, pastor of the First Methodist church here, has recently been named chairman of the Home Service of the National Red Cross. Richland Springs—Henry Clois (Jack) Garrett, 20, truck driver for Jack Spurlock, was reported killed instantly in a truck accident between Stephenville and Bluffdale just before noon Monday. Garrett was en route to Ft. Worth with a truck load of hogs. Several of the hogs were also killed. George O. Gray, 77, died at his home in Troy Tuesday at 12:30 p. m. after an extended illness.—Star.

Hamilton

County Judge J. B. Pool authorizes the following statement concerning work and employment at Camp Hood near Killen: "In order to get work on this job, it seems necessary to go to Belton. The Camp is to be built by contract, and it seems that the contractors have agreed with labor unions that only union labor shall be used in all places except the most common labor, and the union officials will designate the workers. It will, therefore, be necessary to buy a union membership and have a union official place one with the

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

contractor before employment in any skilled labor may be secured. Under circumstances of this kind, Hamilton County people have small chance of getting employment there. Hamilton County's quota in the Texas drive for \$210,000 for the Navy Relief Society was announced today as \$393.00 by Bert C. Patterson, Hamilton County Chairman.—Herald-Record. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lemmons have received information that their eldest son, Charles Arthur Lemmons, FBI Agent, Washington, D. C., can not obtain release from his duties to return to LaGrange, Texas, where he was recently elected superintendent of the public schools. Although Milton Brents Witty, a Hamilton merchant of notable success and wide prominence, is a man who "attends strictly to his own business," he is never too busy to enter wholeheartedly and with effective achievement into all manner of public service. He is a good citizen, this Jaycees' Citizen of the Week.—County News. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stokes and sons spent Saturday and Sunday in Houston where they saw the launching of the submarine chaser, USSPC 567 at the Brown shipyards. Mrs. C. H. Wykes, Sr. of the Lankford community fell at her home Friday and broke her hip. She lapsed into a coma Saturday and never rallied, passing away Wednesday morning at 2:12 in the local hospital where she had been brought for treatment. Alton Forehand, resident of Lometa for 22 years, passed away at his home Monday afternoon about 2:00. Miss Verba Lee Byrd became the bride of Truett Auldridge Saturday at noon. The ceremony was read by Rev. E. C. Lambert in his home.—Leader.

MEN WANTED TO JOIN ARMY'S VARIOUS BRANCHES

Sgt. William J. Hess, local recruiting sergeant at the Memorial Hall in Brownwood, wishes to announce that the Army wants the enlistment of white men between the ages of 18 and 19 years of age for direct assignment to the following arms: Infantry, Cavalry, Field Artillery, Coast Artillery, Air Corps, Armored Force, Corps of Engineers, and Signal Corps. The use of the R-1 Test at recruiting stations for applicants for enlistment in the Air Corps will be resumed immediately. The minimum qualifying score is 100, but this test will apply as a screening test only. All men enlisted for the Air Corps will be informed by the recruiting officer who enlists them that should they later fail to pass the Army Classification Test at the reception center with a score of 100, they will be subject to reclassification and assignment to an arm or service other than the Air Corps. Anyone wishing to contact Sgt. Hess may see him at his office from 8:30 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. Air-Maid Nylon Hose.—Hudson Bros.

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- FOR RENT—Adults, a 2-room unfurnished apartment. Practically new. Convenient to town. Call the EAGLE. 2-13-1f
- 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. 2-27-1tc
- FOR FERTILIZERS for all crops contact Joe Key. Phone 1613-F2. Produce More Peanuts. FERTILIZE. 4-17-2tp
- FOR SALE—Thirty-nine head of registered Delaine ewes; eighteen have lambs. SAM HENRY RAHL. 2-17-2tc

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 SALE—Good 2-year-old Jersey milk cow.—F. C. FOX. 4-17-1tc
- FIELD SEED FOR SALE—Maize, sweet hegar, red top cane and sedan, at \$2 per cwt. All put up before any rain. Write or call RICHARD MESECKE, Miles, Texas. 4-10-3tp
- FOR SALE—Registered C-type Delaine Bucks.—F. C. FOX.
- DUN STALLION, well bred, white mane and tail, for service on old Joe Curtis place on Colorado River. Fee, \$10, \$5 down and \$5 when colt comes.—I. G. PORTWOOD. 4-10-8tp
- LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED—Makes old mowers cut like new "the factory way." We call for and deliver. SAM HUDGINS of Celina, Texas, at Fairman Hardware Co.
- HIGH GOAL, my Registered Thoroughbred Stallion, will make the present season at my place 4 miles southwest of Goldthwaite on Bull's Creek road; fee \$10 to insure living colt. Will use all care but not responsible should accidents occur.—ALBERT J. TULLY. 4-17-4tp
- FOR State Senator: PENROSE B. METCALFE. Of San Angelo, Texas. (Re-election)
- FOR Chief Justice Austin Court of Civil Appeals: E. F. SMITH. Of Austin, Texas.
- FOR State Representative, 104th District: FRANK HOWINGTON. Of Comanche, Texas. (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) HENRY HARRIS
- 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. CECIL EGGER
- FOR Justice of Peace, Precinct One: JIM RAHL. (Re-election) E. A. OBENHAUS

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tinct contribution to the convention, since it was the first visit of a national press officer, and she brought a wealth of viewpoint that was a stimulus to the occasion.

Mrs. Charles R. Allen of San Antonio, member of the National Vocational Guidance Board, stressed the value of vocational training as a part of winning the war, as a part of the convention program. Miss Madeleine McBurnett of Dallas talked on "Publicity Profit."

Other members on the program were Mrs. Claudia Hightower and Mrs. A. B. Lawrence, who gave a defense talk, making an original contribution in her unusual suggestion for means of identifying school children subject to air raids.

On Tuesday morning, a panel discussion on the Texas State Library, the Texas Historical and Educational Center Project, initially sponsored by the Association, was led by Mrs. Cam Kay of Houston, chairman. "Today's Hazards and Preservation" was the theme of the discussion. Mrs. Imogene Burleson Radney of El Paso told of the personal experiences among the Texas State Archives, now in a hazardous condition—and in the British Archives, where she found a large leather-bound collection on Texas history—a noteworthy example of historical evaluation.

The press of Fort Worth afforded a distinct courtesy to the Association on Sunday evening, April 12, by being hosts to a buffet supper at the Blackstone Hotel.

"Poet's Hour," featuring Association poets, presided over by Mrs. Pearl M. Buckner of Lubbock, poet laureate, was of great interest. Many outstanding musical numbers were featured throughout the convention; an "Author's Exhibit" in charge of Mrs. J. Sanford Pool, Jr., of Valley Mills afforded splendid recognition of talent and achievement among members; announcement of contest prizes by Mrs. Phylura Skalinder of Houston was a special feature; while the acceptance in Hollywood of a book by a member, Miss Mary Austin of Mineral Wells, caused due excitement, as William S. Hart telephoned Miss Austin of the acceptance during the convention. Mrs. Alex Adams was the chairman of programs, and Mrs. Lillian Dickson was local chairman of the convention.

Melba Theatre

Friday — Saturday Matinee
'SWAMP WATER'
 WALTER BRENNON—ANNE BAXTER

Saturday Night—
SPECIAL DOUBLE FEATURE—
Zane Grey's
'Riders Of The Purple Sage'
 — AND —
'Buy Me That Town'
 LLOYD NOLAN—CONSTANCE MOORE

'THE GREAT DICTATOR'
 — AND —
'Superman And The Giant'
 Saturday Prevue—11:45 P. M.
 Sunday Matinee—2:00 P. M.
 and 4:00 P. M.
 Monday Matinee—2:00 P. M.
 Monday Night—7:45 P. M.

Tuesday and Wednesday
BARGAIN NIGHT
'LAW OF THE TROPICS'
 JEFFERY LYNN—CONSTANCE BENNETT

APRIL CALENDAR
 Number 661 is worth a Family Pass for one week.
 Bring it to Manager.

Dr. J. B. ADAMS
 (Veterinarian)
 Ft. Worth Highway Brownwood
 Phone 3113

LITTLE ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT PICTURES COMING HERE

"SWAMP WATER" IS UNUSUAL FILM
 Romantic, mysterious, decidedly out of the ordinary is "Swamp Water," 20th Century Fox's picturization of the Verreen Bell novel about the dread Okefenokee Swamp.

A popular novel as well as an unusually successful Saturday Evening Post serial, it is different in that it begins in brooding mystery and terror but ends in sunshine and freedom and love.

Walter Brennan, Walter Huston, Anne Baxter and Dana Andrews are featured in "Swamp Water." The fine supporting cast includes Virginia Gilmore, John Carradine, Mary Howard and many others.

"Swamp Water" shows at the Melba Friday and Saturday matinee.

4TH REGISTRATION TO BE ON APRIL 27

All men who have attained their forty-fifth birthday on or before Feb. 16, 1942, and have not attained their sixty-fifth birthday on April 27, 1942, will be registered in the fourth registration.

This fourth registration will be held on Monday, April 27, 1942.

Mills County Local Selective

FOR RENT—Three-room apartment; close in; hot water. MRS. MINNIE MASON KENDALL. 4-24-1tp

Service Board asks for volunteers to act as Registrar's. As this work has to be done with volunteers, all who will be willing to help in this registration are asked to bring or send in their names to the Local Board Office in the Court House.

Yours very truly,
 Mills County Local Board.
 By O. H. SHAW, Clerk.

BETTER FIT FOR BETTER WORK



Enna Jetticks

Comfortable shoes become more and more important as more and more women take up active tasks in industry or Civilian Service work. And no two ways about it, you can't keep your mind on your work when your feet hurt! That's why we say—"Better Fit for Better Work." And ENNA JETTICK Fitmasters can give you that comfortable, better fit from the 184 sizes and widths available in these easy-walking shoes.

SOME STYLES IN SIZES 1 TO 12 AAAAA TO EEE

America's Smartest Walking Shoes Go Places Comfortably

Yarborough's

SENATOR METCALFE VISITS GOLDTHWAITE

State Senator Penrose B. Metcalfe made a short visit to the Eagle Office last Saturday. Sen. Metcalfe was returning to San Angelo after attending a meeting in Austin of the joint legislative supervisors' committee which has charge of the administration of rural school funds.

At the committee meeting, members considered primarily the matter of transportation for rural school pupils and also set up rules governing the 1942-43 school year.

Mr. Metcalfe also attended a luncheon and reception which was given to honor Lord Halifax and his party, who had been touring Texas.

REPLIES TO SAPP HEAD The Senate of The State of Texas Austin

SAPP HEAD, Goldthwaite Eagle, Goldthwaite, Texas.

Dear Sapp Head:

I deeply appreciate your clipping and thank you for sending it to me.

We are in an all-out war—one in which every American should serve in some capacity without thought of profit. And while we clamor about the four freedoms we should never forget that thousands of our fine young sons will surrender these freedoms forever in order that we may enjoy them.

With sincere good wishes, I am,
 Cordially yours,
 JOHN LEE SMITH.

Don't forget Bargain Night every Tuesday and Wednesday.—Melba Theatre.

MILLS COUNTY TIRE RATIONING REPORT

The following tires and tubes were issued by the Mills County Rationing Board Saturday, April 18:

Passenger Tires—A. Ware, 1 tire, 1 tube; Willie Lorenz, 1 tire, 1 tube.

Trucks, Tractors, Buses—Mills County Cold Storage and Produce Co., 1 tire, 1 tube; H. Wendel, 1 tire, 1 tube; Lee Parker, 1 tire, 1 tube; Alvin Brown, 2 tires, 2 tubes; L. R. Roberts, 1 tire, 1 tube; L. W. Wigley, 1 tire, 1 tube; Precinct N. 2, J. A. Hamilton, 1 tire, 1 tube.

Obsolete Tires—Mrs. Edna Dwyer, 4 tires; C. L. Elder, 2 tubes; David Watters, 1 tire, 1 tube.

Retreaded Tires—O. C. Weatherby, 2 tires; E. C. Curtis, 1 tire.

The Board has three passenger certificates to issue Saturday, April 25, and six bus, tractor and truck certificates left for this month.

Surprise Party

On April 22, Mrs. J. D. Sims was pleasantly surprised when Mrs. R. V. Littlepage told her mother that friends would drop in from three to six o'clock to help her celebrate her birthday.

About 40 friends and neighbors registered and wished Mrs. Sims many happy returns of the day.

In the center of an attractive birthday cake was a large 70 encircled with dainty bridal wreath. This was a gift from Mrs. Littlepage.

Cake and punch was served to this happy crowd, who extended wishes that Mrs. Sims lives 70 more happy years.

BRIM GROCERY - April 24-25

FRESH CABBAGE—Nice Firm Heads—10 Lbs.	6c
SPUDS—Good Ones—8 Pounds	22c
FRESH CARROTS—Large Bunches, 2 for	5c
Fresh Beans, New Potatoes, English Peas, Spinach, Ruta Baga Turnips, Okra, Yellow Squash, Green Onions, Radishes, Beets, Fresh Asparagus, Celery, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Rhubarb, Fresh Strawberries	
Gold Chain FLOUR	K. B. FLOUR
48 Lbs. \$1.93	48 Lbs. \$1.79
24 Lbs. \$1.03	24 Lbs. 93c
PURE LARD—Armour's—4-Lb. Carton	63c
SHORTENING—4-Lb. Carton	68c
MEAL—20-Lb. Size	51c
TOMATOES—No. 2 Size— 2 Cans Limit	22c
CRACKERS—Large 2-Lb. Box	17c
POST TOASTIES—2 Boxes	15c
BORAX SOAP CHIPS—It's New, It's Good—Box	24c
TOMATO JUICE—Giant 47-oz. Size	24c
MUSTARD—Full Quart Size	11c
MARKET SPECIALS	
BACON—Sliced, Lb.	28c
BOLOGNA—2 Lbs.	25c
RIB STEW MEAT—2 Lbs.	31c
PORK SAUSAGE—2 Lbs.	35c
GROUND MEAT—2 Lbs.	35c
HOME OWNED AND HOME GROWN	