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Club Awards Made In Castro County Pig Program

Members of the Castro County Seabuck Pig Club Program met on Monday of this week at the Court House by M. U. May, County Agent of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. Nine boys were selected as winners of pigs by the 4-H club composed of Ed Brock, Nazareth; Barber Eubanks, Nazareth; Ray Bennett, Hart, who was unable to attend the day the awards were made.

The boys and their dads met on Monday afternoon and were given prizes by Harold Branan, Glenn E. Webb, and Edward Smithson, M. U. May, Floyd Acker, Anthony Leonard Wilhelm, and Alvin Nazareth; Cecil Ray and Hadley Wells of Hart.

Twenty-four boys entered the contest from this group the committee made these selections: First place will be held this fall in Dimmitt and the boys will exhibit their pigs, and the boy showing the best place pig will be awarded a registered Jersey heifer and other boys will be given baby chicks as prizes.

Alphonse Kleber, winner of the boar pig, will exhibit him at Amarillo as one of those from 19 other counties and the first place winner will be given a registered Jersey heifer and the other boys will be given baby chicks as prizes.

White Pigs were given to the Castro County boys, from E. D. Heath, Hale Central Miller Brothers at Floyd, the State's leading Chester breeders. The pigs received by the boys are of unusual quality and will no doubt make excellent foundation stock and in turn help to improve the hogs in Castro County.

Education Plans of Dimmitt Teachers

The teachers of the Dimmitt Public Schools have revealed their various plans for the summer. Hazel Penn and Miss Ruby are taking a short vacation in Ark. They are to return first and be in Dimmitt during the summer. Mrs. Hudspeth is at her home in Hereford. Mrs. ... plans are indefinite as to whether she will attend summer school or remain in Dimmitt. Mr. ... will be employed at Reuben's Machine Shop the first part of the summer, then he will attend summer school at Texas Tech. Mr. ... Mrs. C. A. Farley will remain in Dimmitt. Mr. Farley will teach the summer session of school. Miss Burro will be in Dimmitt through June to teach tenths in homemaking. Mrs. Max Nelson is at her home in Floyd. She plans to take a course during the summer. Mrs. Richardson will be with her husband at his post. Mr. and Mrs. ... will be in Dimmitt. Mrs. ... and Miss Merritt will also be here. Miss Rudkins is undecided whether she will spend the summer in Oklahoma or California or both.

RATIONING CALENDAR

The schedule of validity dates for red stamps is as follows: Stamps K, L, M, and N become valid May 30, June 6, June 13, and June 30 respectively. Each of the above stamps have a 16 point value, and they all expire on June 10th. Red stamps E, F, G, H, and J expire midnight May 31, 1943. To help the retailer by eliminating end of the month buying rush, processed food stamps G, H, and J may be used by consumers through June 7, 1943. Blue processed food stamps K, L, M, and N may be used from May 24 to July 7th, inclusive. W. R. Simon made a business trip to Floydada Wednesday.

Government to Cope With Local Farm Labor Shortage Joins WAAC's

Local needs will determine Castro County's participation in a new farm labor program aimed at reducing the manpower shortage which threatens success of the 1943 food production program, County Agricultural Agent M. U. May said following his return from a conference held May 17 and 18 at Amarillo.

County plans for registration and placement of farm labor will be worked out by local farm men and women who are members of the County Agricultural Victory Council, May said.

At the Amarillo conference, county workers of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service learned that the college had recently agreed to accept supervision of the program upon the request of Chester C. Davis, War Food Administrator. Funds for conducting the program in Texas will be apportioned to the college under legislation recently enacted by the 78th Congress. The agreement between the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service and the office of the National Food Administrator relates only to the recruiting and placement of farm labor within the State and the various counties and does not apply to the movement of farm labor across international boundaries or state lines.

"We realize that farmers and ranchers in Texas will not be able to obtain the quantity and quality of labor to which they are accustomed, but we hope to be able to help them to get enough workers to prevent the wasting of crops in the field and the dispersal of livestock," the county agricultural agent said.

In some counties where the need justifies and it is desired by farmers, town and city boys and girls known as Victory Farm Volunteers will be recruited and trained for emergency work on the farms. Many rural schools already have adjusted their schedules to free school children for work in the critical periods. In a few counties in Texas where the farm labor situation is very serious, there may be organized local battalions of the Women's Land Army, the agents learned.

Mr. May quoted Lt. Col. Jay L. Taylor, Texas rancher and deputy war food administrator, as saying that "Ninety-nine per cent of this program will be carried on in the country and one per cent in Washington."

"The long hours and hard work of families now on Texas farms and ranches indicate their patriotism," local extension workers said, and the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service accepts its new war-time assignment with the hope that it may bring some measure of relief to the people who are working to produce more food and feed than ever before.

Before he entered the Army Air Forces Pfc. Exter was employed by the Dimmitt Postoffice as a clerk. He attended the Dimmitt High School and Abilene Christian College at Abilene, Texas. While in High School, Pfc. Exter was active as a member of the staff of the school paper. For eight weeks while he is stationed at Greeley, Pfc. Exter will undergo intensive clerical training which will fit him for further duties with the Army Air Forces. While he is on the campus he will live and eat in the modern, well-equipped dormitories of Colorado State College of Education and attend instructional classes in the college buildings. The recreational facilities of the Student Union are available to him. At the conclusion of his training here, Pfc. Exter will receive a diploma presented by the commanding officer of the detachment. He also will receive a certificate from the President of Colorado State College of Education. The college has announced that it will accept for full college credit the work done by Army Air Forces Technical Training Command trainees while they are stationed here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Caudle have returned from an extended trip through Central Texas. Mrs. Caudle also did some shopping in Dallas for Shipley's.

LOCAL FFA BOY RECEIVES SEARS-ROEBUCK PIG



John Joe Gibson, member of the Dimmitt Chapter of the FFA, has received a pig given by Sears-Roebuck & Co. The pig is to be handled on a revolving basis. Sears-Roebuck has given a pig to one boy in each of the nine chapters in this district, all pigs being given on a revolving basis.

The boy receives a gilt with registration papers furnished. In turn this boy gives a registered to some other boy in the Dimmitt district next year. After the boy has furnished one pig with papers to some other boy in the chapter the original pig becomes his personal property.

The pig received was a purebred Duroc-Jersey gilt sired by Top Row Wave, who in turn was a son of the famous boar Top Row, bred and shown by Terra Blanca Farms. Top Row won first at the State Fair of Texas and was never beaten in competition. He may now be seen at the Terra Blanca Farms at Canyon, Texas. He is now more than six years old, but he is still one of the best Duroc boars in the Southwest.

Castro County Boy Completes Airplane Mechanic Course

Sheppard Field, Texas—Pfc. Elmer A. Kleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Kleman, of Nazareth, Texas, has graduated from an intensive course in airplane mechanics and is now prepared to blast the Axis as one of America's "commandos in coveralls." Sheppard Field, near Wichita Falls, Texas, is one of the many schools of the Army Air Forces Technica Training Command which trains the specialist technicians to maintain our mighty air armada. He is now qualified to play a vital role in the Army Air Forces groundcrew teams that "Keep 'Em Flying." Before entering the school, he was trained at one of the basic training centers of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command and learned to fight the Axis with other things besides the tools of his trade.

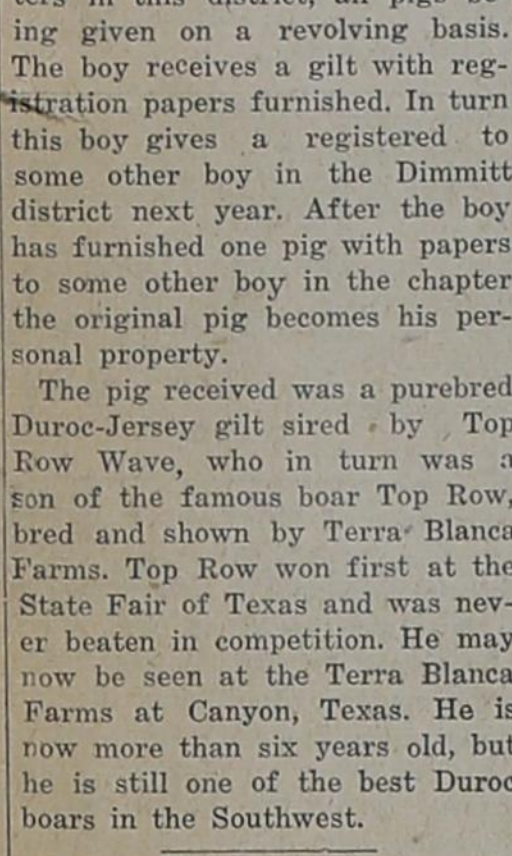
Library Board Sponsoring Silver Tea Thurs. June 3

The Library Board is sponsoring a Silver Tea to be held at the Court House in the County Library, Thursday, June 3, at 8:30 P. M.

Proceeds from the tea will be used to buy new books for the library. Mrs. Melvin Rankin will review "Hostages" by Stefan Heym. "Hostages" is the novel that appears once in a decade—a novel so timely, so heartbreaking (and yet so inspiring) that it becomes in the reading an actual part of experience. Ideas, the freedom for which we are fighting, becomes an immediate personal problem. Both men and women are invited to attend this Silver Tea and Book Review.

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Between now and harvest time the local Boy Scout activities will be quite numerous and diversified.

The summer schedule was officially opened last Monday night with a Jack Knife Cookery Hike to the Roadside Park. Twelve boys and the Scoutmaster participated.

Next Monday night, May 31, the troop will again camp out in the Grade School park. Camping and cooking will be done by patrols. The affair is to help the boys to get ready for Camp Post. Scouts should come to the park at 5 P. M.

Plans are under way to have a Court of Honor on Monday night, June 7. The following new Scouts will be presented: Charles Thompson, Bascom Nelson, Bill McGowan and Carrol Gregory. Several other badges will also be presented.

The biggest event of the year will commence on Sunday, June 13, when approximately 25 Scouts will leave the grade school at 10 P. M. for Camp Post to enjoy a week of real "he-man" outdoor life and adventure. The following boys have already paid their camp fees of \$6.75 and had their medical examination: Andrew Behrends, Earl Greathouse, Carrol Gregory, Bill McGowan, Allen Mixon, Charles Wilder, Orrin Howe, Lloyd Lust, Jackie Miller, Charles Thompson, Royce Dowell, Bill Huckabay, John Hix, Jack Ziegler, Don Loy Noble, and Bobby Duncan. Other Scouts who plan to attend camp should pay their fees as soon as possible and get their medical examinations in to Scoutmaster Farley.

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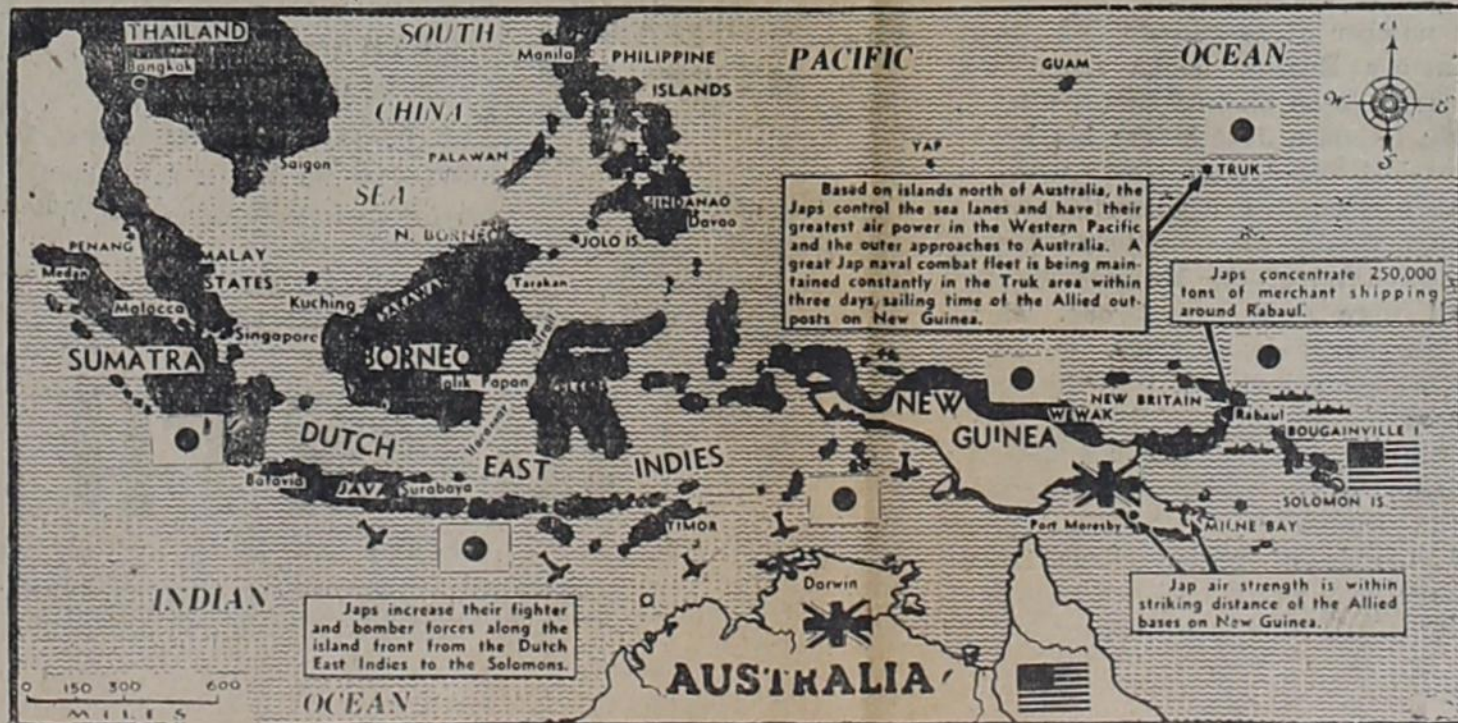
STUB JONES IS CALLED TO BEDSIDE OF HIS FATHER

Stub Jones left Tuesday for a visit with his father, Mr. J. N. Jones, who is ill in a hospital at Bennington, Okla. He will also visit his brother, Wilson N. Jones, who is home on a thirty day furlough. Wilson has been stationed in Australia and other parts of the Pacific War Zone.

Canning Sugar Program Procedure

Stamps 15 and 16 in War Book One are now valid for five (5) pounds of canning sugar each, and no sugar applications are to be filed until these stamps have been used and until the applicant can show need for more than ten (10) pounds of sugar. Stamps 15 and 16 are to be handled by the grocery stores in the same manner as other sugar stamps. Applications for War Book Three, which is a renewal of book one and two, are not to be returned to the local board but are to be completed and dropped in the mail between June 1st and June 10th all members of one household are to be listed on the same application blank.

SPOTLIGHT ON THE SOUTH PACIFIC



NEW YORK—This map shows you the area of which General Douglas MacArthur speaks in his warning that the Japs are winding up for another all-out offensive in the South Pacific. The Japs have massed air and naval power in the region of Truk and Rabaul and around other bases in the areas marked in black. They also have an estimated 200,000 men concentrated at bases around Australia. Secretary of War Stimson announced that MacArthur would be given the planes he asked for to cope with the new Jap threat.

BOOKS IN THE CASTRO COUNTY LIBRARY SCARAMOUCHE

by Rafael Sabatini
A glorious tale of adventure and romance is this of Andre Louis Morean, fugitive strolling player master of fence and wit, who gained fame and happiness at the point of the sword. Forced to flee for his revolutionary activities in France, Andre joins a band of strolling players and takes the part of Scaramouche a stock character of the French drama whose rogueries, witticisms and adventures fit his own nature to perfection. Through this he becomes a great success in the theater, politics and a romance which is carried through crowded days of thrilling adventure.
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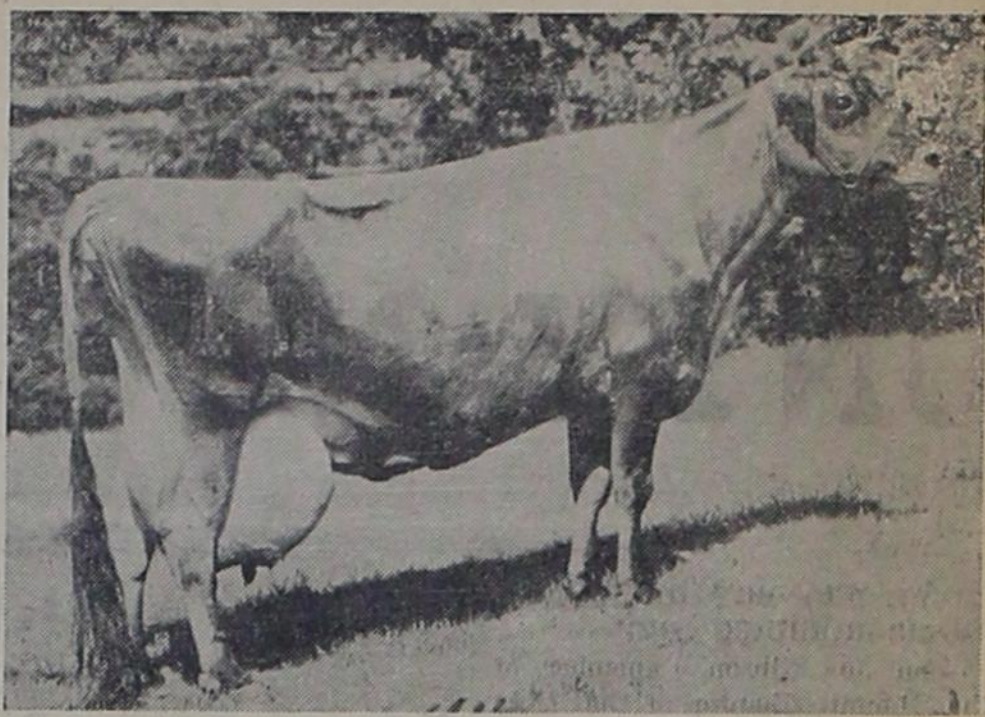


Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson had as guests in their home over the week-end: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carrell, Mrs. Parris McPherson, and Margaret Bata, all of Snyder; Mrs. John Derriek of Norman, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert of Halfway. They all returned to their homes Sunday afternoon.

Save The Sugar Cane
By Frances Lee Barton
ONCE upon a time we reached for the sugar canister the moment we thought of cake. Today we call upon honey or corn syrup—for with so many lunch boxes and unusual time meals, we must have cake on hand. Here's a corn syrup war recipe for your file:

Sugarless Feather Cake
1 1/2 cups sifted cake flour; 1 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 1/4 teaspoon salt; 1/4 cup butter or other shortening; 1 1/2 teaspoons grated orange rind; 1 cup light corn syrup; 2 egg yolks, unbeaten; 1/2 cup milk; 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla; 2 egg whites.
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream shortening with orange rind; add syrup gradually, beating well after each addition. Add 1/4 of flour and beat until smooth and well blended. Add egg yolks, one at a time, beating well after each. Add remaining flour in thirds, alternately with milk in halves, beating very well after each addition. Add vanilla. Beat egg whites until they will hold up in moist peaks. Stir quickly but thoroughly into batter. Bake in two greased 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375° F.) 20 minutes, or until done.
Note: For best results, beat very well at each stage of mixing.

WORLD'S HIGHEST LIVING JERSEY MILK PRODUCER



BILTMORE, N. C.—Financial Madam Bess, owned by Biltmore Farms here, has completed a wartime record of 21,141 pounds of milk, 909 pounds of butterfat. According to The American Jersey Cattle Club, this is the highest living milk producing Jersey in all the world. Her record has been exceeded by just one Jersey in all history. A measure of her patriotic response to the government appeal for more production of milk and butterfat, is that her yearly output of milk is about five times greater than that of the average American dairy cow. She actually produced 21 times her own live weight.

NEWS from FOOD FOR VICTORY
YOUR COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AGENT
TEXAS A. & M. COLLEGE EXTENSION SERVICE

The Sears-Roebuck pig club program is now underway to a good start due to the help of Ed Brockman and Barber Eubanks who served with me as a committee to select the winners of the registered Chester White pigs. In order to make the program a success another Chester White boar had to be purchased and Edward Smithson south of Dimmitt agreed to purchase it and will try to locate one near Clarendon.
Warren Lemons, 4-H club member at Hart, plans to purchase a registered Hampshire boar this week and plans to look for one at Canyon and Clarendon.

How to poison rabbits is in much demand and listed below are two of the ways in which it may be done. Poison grain can be used and should be put out in the following manner. Fresh mound of dirt should be made about 6 inches high near the rabbit runways and a spoonfull of grain put on each mound. The fresh dirt seems to attract the rabbit's at-

Mrs. Helen Richardson left Saturday to spend the summer with her husband, Cpl. Melton Richardson, who is stationed with the Coast Artillery at Freeport, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hembree, Sandra and Wayne were in Amarillo Sunday and Monday.

tention and they will stop long enough to eat the grain. If the grain treatment is not successful salt blocks might be used. These blocks can be made in the following manner: By boring 2 inch holes in a 2x4 block and putting in the holes the following mixture, or in this proportion: 15 pounds salt, 5 lbs. ground alfalfa, 2 1/2 ozs strychnin (alkaloid) 2 1/2 ozs of baking soda. This should be thoroughly mixed and enough water put in it to make it stick to the holes. This should be put near the rabbit runways and fastened down and must be kept away from all livestock for it is a very deadly poison much more so than the poison grain. The poison grain should be tried first and can be obtained from my office.

Rodney Smith of the Hart 4-H club was awarded 2nd place in this year's producers grain talent award. He was trying for a \$50 prize offered for the best essay on the value of agricultural co-operatives for community.

News In The World of Religion

By W. W. Reid
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"Christianity itself is more than just a philosophy—it is a way of life," says New Zealand's minister to Washington, the Hon. Walter Nash. "Unless as Christians we are ready and willing to live as it teaches us to live, to act as it teaches us to act, to follow so far as is in our power to follow the example of its Founder, unless we are prepared to do these things, then calling ourselves Christians, going occasionally to church, acknowledging our belief, is without meaning and without purpose. I am satisfied myself that the way of Christ is invulnerable; but the way of Christ is not by words alone—words are not enough. Neither the saying of prayers nor the chanting of hymns will solve the problem. It is the practical application of Christian principles that will determine the future of the world—the future of our lives."

Dr. Frank Dickinson, agricultural missionary on the staff of West China Union University, Chengtu, twenty years ago took a number of seedlings of the famous Eureka lemon from America to be planted on the Chengtu Campus. Just before his boat reached Chungking it was wrecked in a rapid, and when the seedlings finally were recovered from the bottom of the Yangtze River, all were dead except one. This year hundreds of crates of fine lemons are being sent to the corners of Free China. All these lemons, a crop in 1943 worth a million dollars to the Chinese people, are the descendants of this one tree. Hundreds of native citrus trees have been grafted with the superior stock, and are bearing fruit

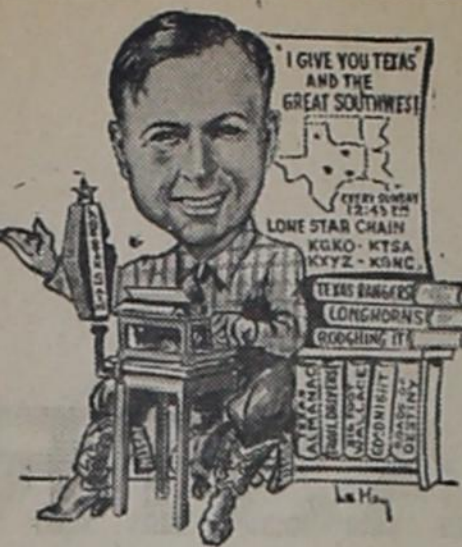
in abundance. Dr. Dickinson also has added fine apples to the Chinese diet.

One of the oldest religious periodicals in the United States—"diject descendant of the first religious newspaper in America"—is changing editors. Dr. William Edgar Gilroy, for the past twenty-one years editor of "Advance," official organ of the Congregational Christian Church and long one of the foremost religious writers in the country, is retiring; and the editorial desk will be taken over by Dr. John R. Scottfield, Congregational writer, pastor and authority on home missions. The editorial offices will be moved from Boston to New York. "Advance" traces its beginning to the "Boston Recorder," founded by Nathaniel Willis in 1816, "the first journal which presented to the public a common or complete newspaper founded upon a religious basis."

In the post-war world, if the four freedoms are to really mean anything to men, society must see that there is enough food made available to all its members to give each at least minimum adequate nutrition. President Roosevelt told the United Nations Food Conference in Virginia. "And they must see to it," he added "that no hindrances, whether of international trade, of transportation, or of internal distribution be allowed to prevent any nation or group of citizens within a nation from obtaining the food necessary for health." This statement of the President has been widely acclaimed by church people, especially by medical missionaries who assert that whole nations of Asia have been undernourished for centuries.

The Church Committee for China Relief is \$20.00 richer and an orphan child in China is to have food and support because of the "bad habit tax" which the employees of the Retail Merchants Credit Association of Los Angeles, Calif., impose upon themselves. Over a period of months the members accumulate this "tax" and then distribute it to charitable causes. "Many of us feel greatly benefited by the tax," says Supervisor E. A. Willbee.

A just and durable peace, relief and reconstruction, and the problems of race as related to missions both foreign and home, are topics that will be discussed under the leadership of nationally known speakers at the Conference on the Christian World Mission, July 13-20, 1943, at Silver Bay, on Lake George, New York. These and kindred topics will be featured under the general topic, "Christianity and the World Crisis." The program is planned for ministers and lay workers such as sionary groups, S. S. teachers or groups, church school teachers or those willing to prepare for such leadership. Anyone eighteen years of age or older may attend, the number limited to 250 delegates. The three interdenominational agencies sponsoring the council of North America, Foreign Missions Conference of North America and the Missionary Education Movement of the United States and Canada. The registrant is Dr. G. Q. LeSou, 156 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.



BOYCE HOUES
"I would be true, for there are those who trust me; I would be pure, for there are those who care; I would be strong, for there is much to suffer; I would be brave, for there is much to dare; I would be the friend of all, the poor, the friendless; I would be giving, and forget the gift; I would be humble, for I know my weakness; I would look up, and laugh, and love, and lift."

Mexico memoranda:
Did the civilization of ancient Egypt, in some mysterious way, reach Mexico? There is a stone face in the National Museum in the City of Mexico that suggests the Sphinx

The contrast in the characters of the two men—Emperior Maximilian and his conqueror, Juarez—is show nin their carriages, the emperor's being ornate and of gold and Juarez's being simple and black.

One of the most famous eating places in the world is Sanborn's in Mexico City in the picturesque "house of tiles." Waitresses are garbed in Mexican costume, the surroundings are semi-tropical but the foods, except for a few native dishes, are French and American. Hundreds of tourists dine there and the place is almost always full. P. S.—The meals are superb.

If you have plenty of time, visit Henri's. It's a quite small cafe. The picture of he chef is on the wall. You understand why after you've dined there. There were three in our group and each ordered something different, so we could share dishes. The steak was delicious; the chicken, "hunter-style," was even more so. But finest of all, was the roast squab. If you can imagine meat as melting in the mouth, you'll have the general idea.

Can you remember when the popular play was "Ten Nights in a Bar Room"? and when the scorekeeper of the sandlot ball game would announce, "Smith at bat, Brown on deck and Jones in the hole"?

One thing that is hard to explain to a child is why he must go to bed when he isn't sleepy and get up when he is.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson of Talia were here Tuesday for a visit in the home of their son, Mr. Raymond Wilson, and family, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Clark received word that Harold has been moved from Boman Field, Kentucky, to Long Beach, California. Harold is a mechanic in the Air Crps.

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- about the car - don't worry for it goes every week to your old friend Conoco Bill for a complete check up. You'll remember we had the engine Oil-Plated when that new Conoco No. 1 oil was introduced. Well, she runs like a dream. Never a whimper. So don't worry, son - chances are you'll drive her many a mile after you get back. And Mother says to add that I am not to argue one minute with you about using it - as if I would! It's all yours - all we have is yours - always!
Dad

Mrs. A. P. Dickinson and daughter, Martha Sue, of Briscoe, arrived here Tuesday to join her husband who is employed at the Carl Hembree Blacksmith Shop. Their other two daughters, Zetha and Betty Ruth, will remain in Briscoe until the close of school.

Mrs. Alta Gladman and Bill were week-end visitors in Plainview.

Mrs. Clyde Renfro, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is somewhat improved.

Dorothy Mae and Charles Clark and Wilma Cruse were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Fred Williams and daughter, Mrs. Ima Lawrence a Peggy, visited last week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. O. Hicks, and to attend the graduation exercises. They returned to Memphis Friday, leaving Miss Peggy here for a more extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon are the proud parents of a seven pound-fourteen ounce son born Tuesday. Mother and baby are doing fine.

E. B. Noble arrived here Saturday from College Station where he had been attending A. & M. College.

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TO: The American People FROM: The Secretary of the Treasury

A report on the most tremendous financing task in history - - - the Second War Loan

DURING the three weeks between April 12 and May 1, the American people tackled the biggest job of financing in the history of the world.

In these three weeks it was proposed to raise the sum of 13 billion dollars, or more than half as much as was raised by five drives in the first world war.

It was obvious that the task was hopeless unless the people of the nation were desperately in earnest about the war. And it was equally obvious that here was, so to speak, a thermometer by which the fervor of the people could be measured with reasonable accuracy.

This is why we believe you, as an American citizen, can take pride in this report. For it was written solely by you, the people.

The result, in dollars

Our goal was 13 billion dollars. Actually, the American people subscribed 18 billion, 500 million dollars.

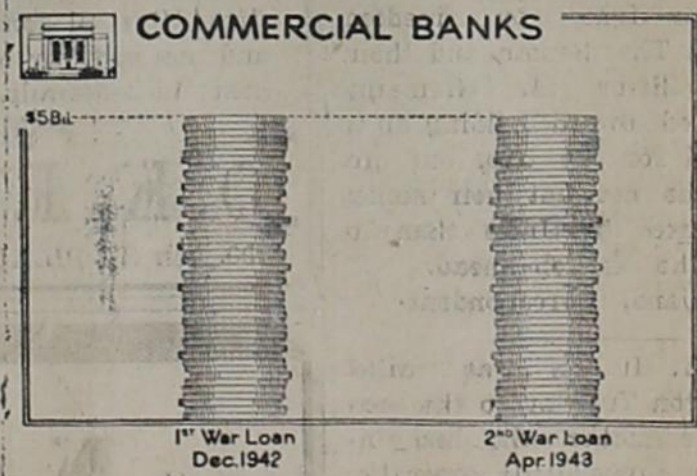
This was 90% as much as was raised in all five drives of the first world war combined.

It was, I think, as much a victory for America and the free American democracy as any military triumph.

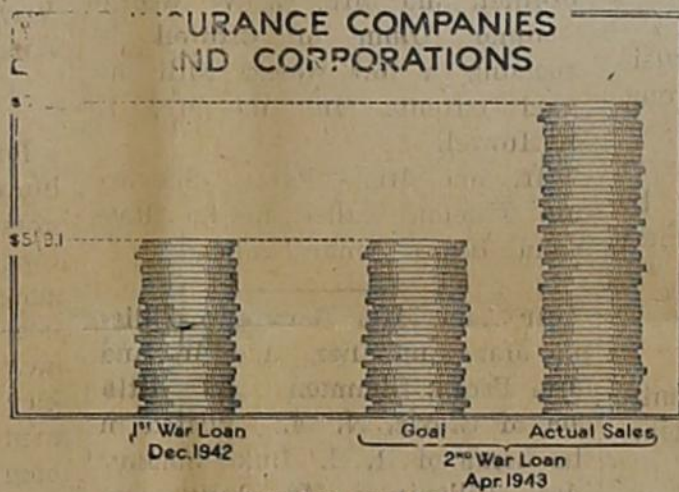
Where did the money come from?

You will be interested in where this 18½ billion dollars came from—for every dollar invested in War Bonds is more than a purchase; it is a demonstration of faith.

The chart below shows the portion of the 18½ billion that came from commercial banks. They were eager to buy more, but were limited to set amounts:



Insurance Companies and other Corporations know that there is no sounder investment than a U. S. Bond. The chart (top of next column) shows their purchases:

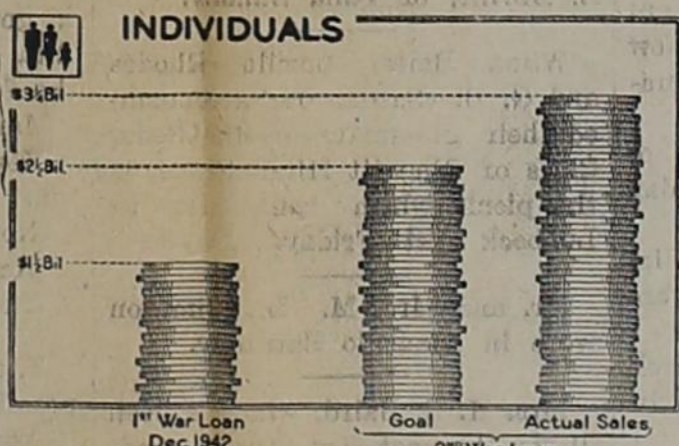


Naturally, it was your money that bought the bonds in the two groups above—for you are the people who put your money in banks and invest in insurance.

But how about what might be called your "personal" money.

That is a very important question, for it is vital that Americans, as individuals, buy War Bonds with all they can spare.

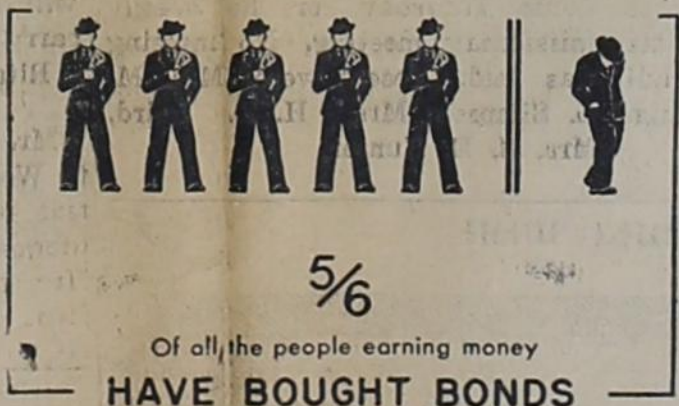
Our goal, here, was 2½ billion dollars. The chart below tells the story:



50 million bondholders

To review your record to date, almost half our entire population own at least one bond—including infants, children, the lame, the halt and the blind.

Or, to look at it in terms of those best able to buy bonds, see the chart below:



Who gets the credit?

The credit for the 2nd War Loan goes to the people.

It goes to the children who put dimes and quarters into war stamps. To everyone who bought a bond. To thousands of patriotic banking people. To advertising people who donated their creative talents. To patriotic merchants and companies who paid the bill for war bond messages. To radio stations, newspapers, movies, outdoor advertising companies, and publications.

But chiefly, perhaps, to those who turned voluntary bond salesmen—a loyal legion of patriots.



What lies ahead?

Yes, America's record is good. But we cannot become complacent—for our biggest financing job lies ahead.

In the first 4 months of this year, we raised 25 billion dollars. During the balance of this year we must raise 45 billion dollars more.

The war is costing us 100 billion dollars this year. Part of this will come from taxes, and the balance must come from War Loans.

You, as an American, can take pride in what you have done. You have shown the Axis that Americans on the home front, like Americans on the battle front, will do all that is required of them—and more.

But our need is great. Dig as deeply as you possibly can and invest it in War Bonds now—either through the Payroll Savings Plan or through special purchases. Don't wait for "drives."

We must win this war with bayonets—and with dollars. We who stay home in safety must provide the dollars—all that are needed. It is the very least we can do.

Henry Morgenthau Jr.

Castro County War Bond Sales Committee

H. W. Golden

Edgar Ramey

Bob McLean

DEAF MUTE WAR WORKERS TO WED



CHICAGO, ILL.—Employment of a number of deaf mutes by the Belmont Radio Corporation here also brought romance to Helen Maczys, 19, and Sigmund Rosinski, 23, two of the handicapped workers who are assembling radios for use by the armed forces. They have July 31 as their wedding date.

GIRL HONORED AT RECOGNITION SERVICE

Miss Mary Jean Webb of Hart is one of 153 women students honored at the twelfth annual Women's Recognition service at Texas Technological College May 11. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Webb and was recognized for maintaining an A-average. Awards are based on excellence in scholarship, leadership and citizenship.

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Even though the cost of providing your electric service has been going up steadily, your electric rates have been kept low. Our taxes have increased considerably; our costs for materials to maintain your good electric service have gone up, too. But, in spite of these increases in operating costs, we have been able to still keep your electric service cheap. YOUR ELECTRIC RATES ARE STILL AMONG THE LOWEST IN THE NATION!

LOW IN COST



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The NEIGHBORHOOD

FLAGG

Dorothy Erwin is staying the next two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Muddell in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ivey have returned home from a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, of Abilene.

The singing was well attended and enjoyed at Flagg Sunday. It will meet with Sunnyside next time.

Bill Booher and Cloy Thomas and Clyde Damron were business visitors in Plainview Monday.

Mr. George Bradford went to Amarillo Tuesday to meet Mrs. Bradford who has been visiting James in Tennessee.

Mrs. Andy Thompson and Lelda Ann left for Dallas Monday where Lelda will receive treatment at the Children's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb and Cavin of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb of Cleo visited Ms. Cordye Birdwell Sunday. Mrs. Birdwell, who has been ill is reported as improving.

Mrs. Paul Chance is doing fine after having her tonsils removed at the Dimmitt hospital last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strickland are the happy parents of a son, born May 16. Mother and son are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloy Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Cruse and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chance visited Mrs. Paul Chance Sunday.

Cecil Ginn and W. O. Hendricks and Jodie Tidmore were business visitors in Plainview Monday.

Mr. Tidmore was called to Plainview to give a blood transfusion.

Mrs. Jainer is in Borger visiting her daughters, Elsie, Irene, and Leola.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson Jones of Hale Center spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones.

BETHEL

Mrs. R. C. Shuford of Dimmitt visited last week-end in the home of Mrs. M. D. Rushing.

Mrs. Hubert Baird of Ft. Worth is visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. James.

Guests in the E. R. Rothwell home last week-end were his brother, Cleo Rothwell and cousin, Tom Rothwell of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Sinclair were Clovis visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Loyd attended the commencement exercises at Canyon Sunday. Their daughter, Earlene, accompanied them home for a few days visit. She will enroll Thursday for the summer term.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Benton of Albuquerque were here Saturday transacting business.

Mesdames George Bagwell, Jim Bagwell and Kay Roberts were Hereford visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. E. R. and Harry Rothwell and Merlene were Plainview visitors Monday.

Miss Dorothy Winkle of Dimmitt spent the week-end with Marlene Rothwell.

Pfc. Elton Singer will be home Friday from Hunter field, Geo. for a fourteen-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Brady of Lubbock were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ernest last week-end and attended the graduation exercises at the local high school.

NORTH EDGE

Little Miss Linda Ray Hance has been ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howell were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Little Miss Clydene Shepard celebrated her fourth birthday Sunday in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shepard. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. George Shepard and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miles and children, and Winifred and Joyce Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Crum and Leon were dinner guests in the Dempsey home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hance and children and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bull were guests in the Dave Shepard home Sunday evening.

Paul Howell and his mother, Mrs. Will Howell were Crowell visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shepard and Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Crum and Leon were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

C. A. Hance celebrated his birthday Thursday night with the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. George and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cox and Gomer Hance.

Mrs. Paul Howell spent Saturday night in the C. A. Hance home.

Miss Dovie Moore of Crowell arrived here Sunday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Paul Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hance and Wanda and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich of Bonham spent the week-end with the Hance brothers and Mrs. C. W. George Junior Dunn of Crowell is spending a few weeks with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shepard and Thelma called in the Raymond Hance home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gillispie Jane and Inez and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons and little son of Clovis, N. M., visited in the home of R. E. Duke Sunday. Mrs. Gillispie is Mr. Duke's sister. James stayed over for a few days visit.

Miss Kathryn Easter, who has been a member of the faculty of the Hereford High School during the past term, has returned home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Allen and Tommie Louise visited Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Devine, of Tulia Sunday.

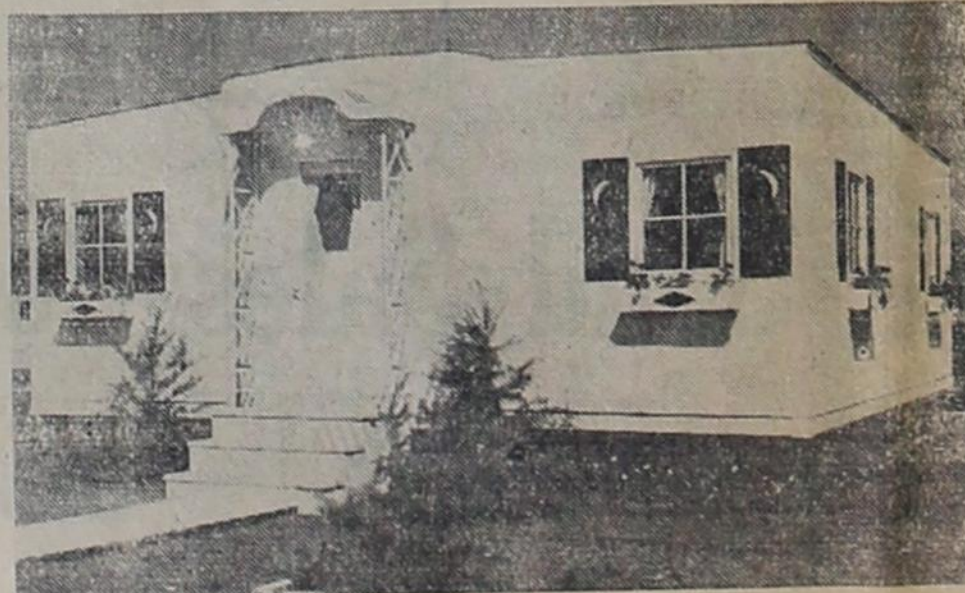
Wilda Bales, Lucille Rhodes and G. D. Caison, Jr., accompanied their classmates of the Senior Class of Dimmitt High School on the picnic which was held at Lubbock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simpson were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Baird, who has been ill for the past few days is gradually improving. She went to Hereford early in the week to care for her sister, Mrs. Seth Holman, who had an attack of flu. Mrs. Baird contracted the disease also and the two are convalescing together.

Three women met at the school house Thursday for the weekly missionary meeting. No meeting was held. Present were: Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Mrs. H. E. Laird, Mrs. S. E. Hunter.

A FOLDING HOME



A new development in war housing is the Palace expandable portable house, which can be folded into a compact 8 by 26 foot unit and trucked from one location to another over the highways. It is completely factory built by mass production methods on a production line and has five rooms and a bath. Side extensions which consist of roof, walls and floor are unfolded on the homesite. Technological advancements akin to those of the automobile industry have made possible the conservation and utilization of space achieved.

NAZARETH

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD AT NAZARETH

A week of final exercises which opened with baccalaureate services Sun. morning, May 16, in Holy Family Church, closed with commencement exercises Wednesday evening, May 19.

The exercises were held in the school auditorium and his Excellency, the Most Rev. Lawrence J. Fitzsimon presented the diplomas to nine high school graduates and sixteen eighth grade graduates.

Commencement Program

Processional—March of the Priests by Mendelsohn.

Introductions by Master of Ceremonies—Virgil Pohlmeier.

Glee Club.

Valedictory, "On Farewell"—Genevieve Aichlmayr.

"On Welcome"—Rita Hochstein.

"On Commencement" Salutory—Bernice Acker.

Medley of Service Songs—Address by Bishop Fitzsimon.

Presentation of Diplomas and Awards by Bishop Fitzsimon.

In his stirring address Bishop Fitzsimon reminded the class of the ability of the Plainsmen to give and to take. He told them that only the strong could survive on these open spaces where the winds are strong and cold or hot and dry. Because they are of the strong, the graduates were urged to remain faithful to God and Country.

The 1943 Graduates felt truly honored as this was the first time in the history of the Parish that a bishop presented the diplomas.

Private and Mrs. H. O. Hoskins spent a few days with Mrs. Hoskins' mother, Mrs. P. V. Kern. Private Hoskins is stationed at Laredo, Texas.

LIBRARY NOTES

Both the high school and grade libraries have been noticeably increased this year. The librarian reports that 250 books have been added. Most of these books have been donations while the others have been purchased with the library fund. They are an assortment of fiction, history, science, biography, reference, and travel.

Along with these books several hundreds of periodicals have been placed on the stacks through purchase and donations. The friends giving these donations were Father Boeckman, Decimae Ramsey, Mrs. S. Carrell, Mrs. Joe Warren, Rose Dietz, Mrs. J. E. Hyland, Rita Birkenfield, Julianna Birkenfield, Mrs. John Redmond, Mrs. Frank Annen, and the P. T. A.

The most recent donation was a generous one given by Miss Rita Hochstein. She purchased the following books of fiction: Mark of Zoro by McCulley.

Keys of the Kingdom by Croinin.

Next to Valour by Jennings.

Across the Years by Loring.

The Crisis by Churchill.

The Seniors realizing the impossibility of taking the long-looked for trip, have invested their money in War Bonds. They are delighted to know that their money will be used to help their government fight for freedom and peace. The Seniors and their sponsor, Sister M. Germaine have worked toward building up a little fund for the trip, but are proud of the fact that their money will be used by Uncle Sam to carry on the big job ahead. Rita Hyland, Correspondent

Mr. L. A. Hudson was called to Wellington Tuesday to the bedside of his mother who had undergone an appendicitis operation. Her condition is reported very serious.

Want Ads

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2t Mrs. C. C. Reynolds, Dimmitt

STRAYED—Two white face cows, strayed from about 15 miles west of Dimmitt, branded Lazy T7 connected, and vertical Bow Tie on left hip. Notify

2t Bob McLean

FOR SALE - Martins maize seed, cleaned and sacked. Also 4 or 2 row Lister.

2tp J. W. Schwaller

Nazareth

FOR SALE—Tested Martin Maize Seed. Truck load lots \$2.50. 100 pound lots \$3.00.

2tp W. W. Gilbreath

STRAYED OR STOLEN—1 cow 3 steers and 2 heifers, JM (connected) on left thigh. Also 1 steer branded FK on left side. Liberal reward.

2tp Jack Miller

FOR SALE—Large Hampshire sow and five pigs.

1t Joe Harrison

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Our nature is inseparable from desires, and the very word desire the craving for something not possessed - implies that our present felicity is not complete.

- Thomas Hobbes

A wise man will desire no more than he may get justly, use soberly, distribute cheerfully, and leave contentedly. — Richard E. Burton Happiness consists in the attainment of our desires, and in having only right desires. — Augustine Desire is prayer; and no loss can occur from trusting God with our desires, that they may be molded and exalted before they take form in words and in deeds. — Mary Baker Eddy Therefore I (Jesus) say unto you, what things soever you desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. — Mark 11:24

Ted Woods, member of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept., is at College Station this week to attend the State Fireman's School.

Mrs. James B. Jones, employee in the District Highway Dept. Engineering office, spent last week-end at Hart with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Aven.

Corporal Leslie Williams of Dsdemona, Texas, visited his aunt, Mrs. H. E. Laird, here Tuesday.

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