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## With Boys in the Service

### Cpl. Hill Wants Address Of Gerst

Some few weeks ago, probably some of you noticed an article about a Corporal Gerst in the Herald. It mentioned the fact that he was inducted into the service at Camp Wolter, and apparently his mother lives here. It so happened that Corporal, Kenneth Hill, while inducted at Fort Sill, has his basic training at Wolters.

Hill is under the impression, however, that Gerst was from Dallas instead of Terry county, as the article stated that he left Brownfield, and knows Gerst, he being in Co. C, while Hill was in D.

On account of an ankle injury, Gerst did not finish at Wolters when Hill did, and later was transferred to Fort Benning, Ga., where he is now located. According to the report, Gerst is now also at Fort Benning, and Hill wants his address so he can visit him.

Kenneth stated that he read the first letters to the boys in the service by "Abe" Lincoln, and sure liked it. He hopes it will be continued. He stated that may boys in the army think they are missing something, when really they are getting out of it. His full address is, Cpl. Kenneth Hill, 38064132, 14th Co, 3rd Bn., OC 107, 2nd Studnet Trg Regt, Fort Benning Ga.

Some may wonder why Kenneth can't find Gerst in the same camp, but once you see one of these training camps of from 30,000 to 60,000 men, you'll change your mind.

### Dr. Treadaway Has Not Been Called

Rumor spread this week that Dr. T. L. Treadaway had been called into the service, and with it went the further rumor that the hospital would be closed for the duration. We heard it and then went after the facts.

It seems some one had a dream that Dr. Treadaway had been called, and the dream was so "real" to him, he repeated it, and like all rumors, it grew, and about the third repeater left out the "dream," and the fourth added that the hospital would close.

A like rumor spread about Dr. John R. Turner being called not long since, but most of his friends that knew he was in the medical department during the other World War discounted the rumor from the start.

### Bill Gore Promoted To Corporal

William E. Gore, the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gore of Brownfield has just been promoted to corporal, according to Col. Thomas L. Gilbert, Commanding Officer of the Lubbock Army Flying School, Lubbock, Texas.

Cpl. Gore is a tower operator at the large advanced twin-engine flying school.

Cpl. Gore has been in the Air Forces since June of this year. His rapid promotions emphasize the opportunities offered by the Air Forces to men with technical ability. He recently completed a radio technical school on the post.

T. Sgt. Emery Longbrake, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Longbrake, was home on furlough this week. Emery is located at Camp Swift.

Lt. and Mrs. D. A. Thompson of Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., who have been visiting the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Thompson, returned home Wednesday.

Sgt. James T. Bowman of Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., is home on a 10 day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Kendrick and Sgt. and Mrs. Dan Davis took Sgt. Nathan Woolsey, who has been visiting here and Tahoka for the past week, to Big Spring Sunday. From there, Sgt. Woolsey returned to El Paso.

### New Recruits To Lubbock AFS

List of Men recruited at Brownfield by Sgt Dan Davis and Pvt. Burton G. Hackney for duty at the Lubbock Army Flying School: Pat Lawrence, Killeen, Texas; Robert Christesson, Colorado City, Texas; Boyd J. Noel, Colorado City, Texas; Robert O. Mothershead, Lubbock; Billy Sims, Welch; Alton O. Hood, Plains; Thomas (Baton), Terrell, Texas; and, T. J. Luckie, Jr., William E. Bond, A. D. Lokey, Walter Teer, Lewis Waters, Marvin Smith, Truman Simon, Dale Wood, Earl Holland, Stanley Miller, John Brandon, Vance Henderson, E. D. Duncan, Jr., Ovie Holleman, William E. Peters, James Armstrong, Roy Lambeth, Paul Auburg, Richard Whitley, Jack Browder, Luther Hinkle, Clarence Hinkle, Clarence Hinkle, Jasper Proctor, John Jenkins, Jr., Donald Altman, James Rowden, Happy Chapman, Billie Harred, Cecil Ross Smith, Olen Evans, Lynn Jones, Horatio Hanks, Ireland Short, James Brazzil, Adolphus Smith, Roy Harris, all of Brownfield and Terry County.

### Phillip Thompson Says Army Not So Bad

Under date of October 18th, Phillip Thompson of Camp White, Oregon writes the Herald family, saying among other things that he don't mind army life too much. The worst feature being so far removed from friends and loved ones. Oregon he says, is a pretty country, and so different from good old Terry county.

They had gone on a hike Friday, returning Saturday, and to cap it all he was on KP duty. Didn't have his clothes off in 40 hours. Well, we'll bet that boy really slept when he did get them off and to bed.

Tom May, pioneer resident of Brownfield and the South Plains territory, was selected for additional honors recently by the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry. Mr. May, who is one of only two thirty-third degree Masons in the entire Panhandle, was presented with a jewel by the El Paso Consistory in appreciation and recognition of the work he is doing for the Fraternity.

### Tom May Honored By Masonic Body

It is believed that, due to the work done by Mr. May, Brownfield and vicinity has more thirty-second degree Masons as compared to population than any town in West Texas, probably all of Texas. Congratulations Tom.

Sgt. Curtis R. Patton of Camp Barkley, Abilene, is home on a 10 day furlough to visit his mother, Mrs. W. T. Patton and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Patton.

Friends welcomed Mrs. A. H. Daniel and children on their return home from Riverside, Calif. They were there with Dr. Daniel during his training period.

Cadet Thurman Jasper of the Lubbock Army Flying School visited this week with his brother Walter Jasper of this city.

Cadet Bob Robinson of the Roswell Flying School visited in the H. O. Longbrake home last Sunday.

Corp. Lynn Nelson and Mrs. Nelson of Lubbock were down over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dukes and son of Sundown, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Davis, and Miss Marylyn Cammack of Dallas were week-end guests in the McDuffie home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Hayhurst and son of Seminole spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graves.

## Terry County Rat Control Campaign

Beginning Friday, Oct. 30th, the people of Terry county will be given the opportunity to place orders for ready mixed rat poison. Orders will be taken from the firms listed below, from Friday October 30 to Saturday, October 7th, after which time, no orders will be taken. This campaign is being conducted by the Five County Health Unit, the Extension Service of the A. & M. College and the US Dept. of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, with Mr. John White in charge, assisted by A. L. Hartzog, county agent.

Due to unusually favorable conditions the rat population is on the increase. Merchants are complaining about rats in their shops, warehouses and homes. Farmers are having some of their crops eaten by rats. In fact, this county could use a "Pied Piper." In lieu of this unattractive character, the above mentioned agencies are trying to do the next best thing by conducting a county-wide rat extermination campaign.

It is being put on in an effort to prevent typhus fever and other rat borne diseases, which flare up when rat populations become larger. They also wish to aid in the present high economic loss caused by rats and other field rodents. Rat bait can be had at the following distribution points.

In Brownfield at, West Texas Gin Co., Farmers Co-Op Gin, Independent Gin, Phillips Gin Co., and in Meadow at Farmers Gin Co., Bill Smith Gin Co., West Texas Gin Co., and the following rural gins: McNabb-Furr Gin, Gomez; McNabb Gin, Johnson; Farmers Co-Op Gin, Union; Farmers Co-Op Gin and the Campbell Gin Co., both at Wellman; Tudor Gin Co., Needmore; Tokio Gin, Tokio; and the Locketville Gin at Locketville.

Any additional information may be obtained concerning the campaign by contacting the above gins. Persons interested in obtaining bait are reminded that Sat., Nov. 7th is the last day for obtaining bait. All bait that is ordered must be called for by Tuesday, Nov. 10, any time after 1:00 P. M. from the distribution point written on bait order card.

### Cottonoil Co. To Process Soy Beans

A new outlet for producers of soy beans in this district will soon be available, with the announcement today that The West Texas Cottonoil Co. of Brownfield has entered into a contract with the Commodity Credit Corporation for the processing of this important commodity.

As soon as grading facilities are arranged for, the mill will be ready to receive the beans. Producers are requested to have beans sacked, and may obtain new sacks, where necessary, from the mill at actual cost. In turn, the mill will buy them back at O. P. A. ceiling prices. Due to the bag shortage it is suggested that the producers confer immediately with their County Committeeman as to the number of bags needed, based on a 100 percent bag average.

With tire and gas rationing, the small town and villages may get a break for business they have been unable to hold for one reason or another. The nearest town to the farm or ranch is going to get some business that has been going to the larger places.

But there is a condition attached. The small town and village merchant must keep a nice, clean stock. The majority of folks will be in the market for staple foods and work clothing.

Then there is the matter of telling people you have the stuff they want in stock. Don't depend on John Jones to tell Bill Smith that Uncle Isrey Hoskins has a good clean stock of goods close to you. Tell 'em yourself.

### Tom Toombs Buys Farm For Future

Tom Toombs, one of our successful farmers and progressive citizens, who lives 11 miles west of town on the Locketville Farms, was looking after business in Ropes since last issue. He stated that time he had already gathered 100 bales of cotton when his pickers were halted by the rainy weather. Tom is all out for winning the war and says he would be willing to not make one cent until it is over, letting all his profits go to the war effort if that would hasten it to a successful conclusion. Tom recently bought a place 12 miles west of where he lives, but states he does not intend to move to it, as he does not want to get too far from the pavement.—Ropes Plainsman.

Texas produces 85 percent of the United States' sulphur.

## School Band—A Vital Part Of Modern Education

A decade or so ago the school band was viewed more or less as a "pep" organization for furnishing "ballyhoo" at ball games and the like. Boys and girls were attracted more for the chance to be in a show and make a lot of noise. Little time was allotted band in the schedule. In many schools no time was allowed during the day and children either had to come before school or after school or at night, and maybe once or twice a week. Under such circumstances it is not surprising that school bands were small, musical performance was not especially good, and few real musical accomplishments attained. Nevertheless, the attainments were about as great as could be expected under such adverse conditions.

The situation of school bands today is much improved and much greater accomplishments are forthcoming. Leading educators are now recognizing music as a vital part of education, and are consequently providing time for it in the daily school program along with chemistry, history and other courses. Instead of being considered a mere side show to accompany ball games, or as an extra curricula activity, it is believed to be equal in worth to other phases of modern education. As a result of more instruction, school bands are larger and play with a high degree of excellence, which exceeds all expectations of the past.

The school band provides a very important part in the education of the individual. If the musical talents of children are to bear fruit of great quality and abundance, their musical education must begin at an early age and continue through the growing stages, else the development of this cultural aspect will be stunted and untrained. Adults may well see the truth in the statement by asking themselves how far they would go with music if they had to start now. The school band is not so much "pep" organization as it is an educational organization dispensing musical knowledge and training and at the same time providing enjoyment for its members, the school, and the community.

Hardy E. Williams,  
Director.

### Rationing May Give Break To Villages

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### Former School Supt. Dies At Monohans

M. L. H. Baze, of Monohans, died Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock of enlarged heart ailment. Mr. Baze served several years here as superintendent of the Brownfield schools, going to Monohans some three years ago. His health became so impaired that the Monohans schools were asked to release him in September.

Funeral services were to be conducted in the high school auditorium at Monohans Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body was then to be taken to Brady for a service at the church of Christ, conducted by Warren A. Henry of this city. Burial in the Brady cemetery.

Gas companies of Texas employ almost 11,000 persons.

## Yep, They Are All Out Picking Cotton

They are all in the cotton patch these days, if you happen to want to see Tom, Dick or Harry, or Mary, Jane or Matilda. If you happen to call the banker's wife and she don't answer the phone, she's in the cotton field, pulling bolls. And this is no joke. We know many wives of business, professional or other men who are wealthy enough not to have to work, that are dragging a sack down the rows.

After all, nine of ten men and women who go to make up the trades or professions here were reared or partly reared on the farm. While some do not exactly need the money, from a patriotic sense, they feel that they should help the farmers gather their big crop of cotton before it deteriorates. And just try to get some help to keep house if you have sick folks. All the able bodied are in the fields where they can make from three to five dollars a day. And who can blame them.

There are hundreds of Mexicans here, and some negroes from the east, but they cannot begin to handle the big cotton crop that seemed to open over night from bottom to top. A high wind would do great damage. Help is scarce as so many of our people are either in the army or working at war production plants.

Supt. Hancock announced this week that the school would continue half day in school and a half in the cotton fields another week. He admitted with a grin that students were giving better results than he anticipated. Students were impressed that it was a patriotic necessity that they help the farmers, and like the scrap drive they responded almost 100 percent.

After next week, however, he feels that enough migration labor will be here to handle the picking, and the schools will go back to regular schedules.

### Former Editor Of Brownfield News Killed

The many friends here of Robert G. (Bob) Shelton, former publisher of the Brownfield News, were shocked by the news that he was injured fatally at Big Spring Sunday. He was apparently killed by a truck, according to an announcement of officers of the Army Air Force Bombardier school at Big Spring. Sympathy will go out to Mrs. Shelton and her twin daughters who were born here about two years ago.

Bob volunteered at Lubbock early in September, and was sent to the Big Spring base from Fort Sill. Evidently the Lamesa Reporter was the last paper Bob worked on. He and wife came here from Wichita Falls some three years ago, where he had worked on the Record-News, a daily. He returned to that paper when he left Brownfield.

He was found by soldiers returning to the air base, who called an ambulance, dying from a head injury at 8:20 Sunday. No funeral arrangements were announced.

### John Dumas On Way Somewhere

Had a letter from John F. Dumas, Sea. 2/C, V-6, USNR under date of October 18th. The letter was postmarked Mena, Ark. In the letter, John stated that if they continued in the same direction they would end up somewhere on the Atlantic coast. They were traveling under orders.

Among other things, John says the USN is grand and they treat you like you were a man. He also sent a bit of poetry of his own vintage, but John is like the writer. When we write it is just about unreadable after it gets cold.

However, in the letter, accompanying the verse, John states they get a lot of drill and study. John says that the naval barracks are kept as clean as most parlors. Promised to write again when he lands permanently.

## Statements Sent To Nearly 500 Readers

The Herald did something this week that it seldom does. It sent nearly 500 statements to readers. When we first undertook the job, and boy it was some job, we thought there would be 1000 at least in arrears but we got badly fooled. More than two-thirds of our home area readers were on the right side of the ledger, but many will expire around November 1. So watch the name on your paper. If it reads, "John Doe 11Nov.42," your time will expire with this issue.

There are several reasons why we are trying to get on a strict cash basis with our subscription list. The main one is that the postal departments says we can't carry names whose time has expired. On account of war the mails are constantly growing in volume, and of course the war effort has the right of way over everything. Therefore we have to have paid in advance readers or else.

Another thing, in order to hold the old price of one dollar per year in the area, we must have paid up readers. If three or four pay and one fails to do so, then we have lost a dollar on our reader list, and in the aggregate, this runs into real dollars, fast.

Thirdly, you have probably been reading your daily or heard over your radio that no more pulp (from which print paper is made) can be shipped from the west coast. We also have it on good authority that mill productions in the U.S. and in Canada where 80 percent of our paper comes from, have been ordered to cut production to 60 percent of pre-war needs.

This can only mean that paper will be rationed. The Herald instead of getting six or seven tons a year, will be limited to 4 or five. Therefore if you don't happen to be paid in advance, we can't serve you, and it looks like we will have to ration readers before long.

### Draft Board Reclassifying Men

The Terry County Draft board has been busy of late reclassifying some three hundred men to date. Very few of the number however have received higher classification, apparently the opposite. Some on the other hand received A-1 Classification.

The Herald has not been advised how many more men the county will be called upon to furnish this year. Many are volunteering, being mostly in the young single men class. This in order to get in the kind of service they prefer. Among the number who have recently volunteered in the army are the following:

Larnee Hick, Grady Pearl Warren, David Earl Stevens, Hershell Bates Smith, Marcus Ensie Brazial, Alvin Finnes Herron, Walter Ray Gandy, Jr., John Marvin Reece, all of Brownfield and Louis William Peeler, of Meadow. All these men preferred to be Air Corps Specialists.

### Some Sub-Irrigated Land In East Terry

County Agent A. L. Harzog stated this week that he had visited the new farm section in east Terry, and particularly the Horton Howell farm. In this area there is a small section of sub-irrigated land no more than four feet to water.

Hartzog found the finest lettuce, turnips and other vegetables to be found anywhere growing, and sorguhum cane so dense it was almost dark in it. A fine place to make some leases.

A man might use some of this area for alfalfa if you ask us.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and Patsy are going to Fort Worth on business.

Although Texas is not primarily a metal producing state, gold, silver, iron, copper, mercury, lead, manganese and tin are produced in Texas in varying quantities.

## Well, The Cubs Finally Got Licked

Yep, the fighting Cubs, after rolling up 155 tallies to their opponents 0 the Pampa aggregation had to come along with their Harvesters, and take our Cubs to a cleaning by a score of 29 to 7. But the Cubs went down fighting and you can bet your old leather coat on that. We think the Cubs are really doing a good job their first year in AA.

In the first place, and we're not alluding, the Harvesters have a crack team. Local fans who looked them over say they were all large, well filled out fellows, that looked more like men than boys. Also, they are favored to be second only to the Amarillo Sandies in District 1-A.A. And the Sandies better watch the Harvesters, or they may get cleaned too. Remember Plainview did the trick last year, despite the prediction of all the dopsters. It can be done again, and this is not disparaging the power of the Sandies this year.

Tonight, the Cubs tackle the Plainview Bulldogs in their own dog-house, and we have an idea that the Cubs will be more evenly matched with the Bulldogs than they were with the Harvesters. But we are not sticking out our neck, understand.

As gas rationing has not gone into effect yet, and some have some pretty good model 1941 tires, no doubt quite a few fans will follow the Cubs to watch them tie into the Bull pups.

While this article is not full of technicalities, that no one but a confirmed sports reporter can understand, we told you the facts in the case—that the Cubs were scored on for the first time this year.

### Santa Fe Praises Newspapers Scrap Drive

The Santa Fe Railway deserves credit for its efforts to support the national newspaper scrap iron and steel campaign with its current and timely advertisement urging all to get this needed scrap into proper hands "before the snow flies."

The Railway has been keenly alive to the nation's need for this metal since Pearl Harbor. In fact, since the Harbor horror the Santa Fe has collected 210,716,000 pounds of the now precious metal for conversion into essential war materials. That is a huge heap for any scrap but it is the kind that will beat the Jap and our other foes. It was collected from right-of-way, roundhouses, shops, offices and all company properties.

With its own job in hand the Santa Fe now turns to aiding the nationwide newspaper campaign to dig up every bit of scrap possible to help our Nation and our fighting men.

As a number of the newspaper fraternity of the United States, sponsoring this patriotic campaign, we welcome the Santa Fe's help in spurring collection of vital metals, and with the Santa Fe, urge all—to get in the scrap "before the snow flies."

### To Attend Committee Meeting In Dallas

Supt. E. E. Hancock announced this week that he would attend an Executive Committee meeting of the State Teachers Association at Dallas, Nov. 6-7. Mr. Hancock is secretary of the West Texas Teachers Association.

In view of the fact that no state convention will be held this year, or probably for the duration, officials of associations are called to Dallas for this business meeting.

Abilene, Texas—Jack Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, is enrolled in Abilene Christian College this year as a freshman. The 562 students enrolled for the 37th session of the college represent 19 different states and one foreign country.

Next to silver, the most consistently produced Texas metal is mercury.



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As well tighten up your belts, folks. By the first of the year many other things are going on the ration list, and maybe coffee before that time. We have been wondering how some of our business men are going to substitute for a cup-o' Arbuckle at the soda fountain or their favorite cafe, while talking over how business is going. We'll soon see.

The American Legion, as well as the press, not to mention the army, seriously object to the bill that was passed by the US Senate putting a rider on the 18-19 year draftees, making it prohibitive to send them into battle before a year of training. This rider was tacked on by Senator O'Daniel of Texas, and was supported by all isolationists before Pearl Harbor, as well as a few others, or enough to pass it. Many, many people are asking why make a discrimination for the draftees, when there are no restrictions placed or time limit when the 18 and 19 year old volunteers get into the fight. And many in this age group are getting in, especially in the navy and marines.

While most of Wendell L. Willkie's speech was well received, and did a good job perhaps in making this nation more war wise, some of his speech was open for critics. For instance, in one breath he urged a second front, and in the next he hedged by saying that ought to be left to the military authorities. And, office chair generals think the US has done quite a bit toward supplying our allies since Pearl Harbor, as that was greatly hindered before that time

by isolationists. It must always be borne in mind that for the longest we had more transport vessels sunk than we were building, and we must have vessels to carry food and war materials to our allies. We believe that FDR cleared up the Atlantic Charter sufficiently when he said the charter was so named because it was made in the Atlantic ocean, but was intended to cover the entire universe. We certainly enjoyed the speech, and while Mr. Willkie is no orator, no one has occasion to search their minds for what he means when he says anything.

There seems to be no great difference in west Texas County Judges and the State Department of Public Welfare about maintaining relief for the sick and disabled, or widowed mothers with dependent children, or the disabled blind. The only idea apparent with the Judges was to weed out the trifling that think the world is due them a living, in order to reduce taxes. People who pay taxes at all now will be burdened as never before in our nation's history with federal taxes to pay for this war. We should not be surprised that it will almost come to the point of confiscation of property that is not paying any too well. If property does not make the taxes, the tax can't be paid, and some one else—the government or state and county gets the property. Take our county, for instance, that for over 25 years never gave a cold check to anyone, for the last ten years has a general fund in the red for about eight or nine months of the year. And with the fast disappearance of Surplus Commodities of

**Only A Stop Gap Measure**

The closing of schools in the South to help gather the big cotton crop in the face of a huge labor shortage is a fine thing, but it must be admitted that insofar as the whole critical farm labor problem is concerned, it is only a temporary, stopgap measure. There is a disposition in Washington to wishful thinking in the matter of labor shortage on the farms of America, and it stems from evident unwillingness to face the whole labor problem of the Nation after abject surrender to the pressure of union labor racketeers. It showed plainly in the so-called anti-inflation drive of the administration, blithely trying to save face with the buying public, after having brought about the abnormal increase in living costs by the most unprecedented wage increases in all history. These fellows were too willing to stop the living cost rises at the expense of the farmer, who had never been able to achieve parity, which had been so glibly promised him by this same administration.

With the almost inevitable food shortage facing them, these leaders now call for such weak measures as closing the schools for a short period, as a sop for the farmers in their plight of finding themselves in competition with war factories and labor already moved to the urban centers.

Yes, we are closing our schools, and we ought to do it to get by the present cotton gathering crisis, but it will not solve the farm labor problem of next year and the year after next. It will take a labor control measure with teeth in it to undo the damage that is already done. Closing the schools for a week or two is only a stopgap measure—don't forget it.—Clarendon News.

any kind, it means the few that really need help must be paid in cash. Those able to work can now find it in plenty at good wages. They should be made to work if they won't do so voluntarily.

On June 4, 1940, Republican Representative William J. Miller of Connecticut said: "In his message to Congress, the President asked that the aircraft industry be expanded so we could secure an annual output of 50,000 planes for our Army and Navy; this in addition to the needs of France and Great Britain, to say nothing of our commercial needs. I fear this is a case of uncontrolled enthusiasm and a false hope. . . . I want to say with all sincerity that I do not believe this country is in danger of attack from abroad in the near future." (Remember Pearl Harbor? Aleutians? Philippines?)

On May 28, 1940, Republican Representative Charles A. Plumley of Vermont said: "There is nothing in the foreign situation itself, or sufficient news in the President's speech regarding our lack of preparedness, to stampede the American people into ventures that may cost them their posterity all the constitutional liberties and opportunities purchased by the blood of past generations of their fighting and far-seeing ancestors. Our domestic and internal problems are our greatest concern. As we solve or fail to solve them, so shall we stand or fall." ( Foresight proved that hindsight was wrong.)

Silve is found extensively in the Texas Trans-Pecos area, where it has been produced for many years.

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**Compliments West Texas Judges**

Austin, Oct.—Commenting on agitation of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, which is seeking to persuade the various county commissioner's courts to withdraw support of relief activities, J. S. Murchison, executive director of the State Department of Public Welfare has issued the following statement:

"The East Texas Chamber speaks for it board of directors. It does not speak for the people. West Texas County Judges' and Commissioners' Association sounds more like the voice of the people to me. This resolution pledged the West Texas commissioners' courts to economize on one hand but to accept essential relief functions as an inescapable responsibility of government in time of war as well as in time of peace.

"Those who have always subscribed to the 'let 'em starve' philosophy are now making a zealous attempt to pin the farm labor shortage on the assistance programs. The West Texas courts see the problem in its true light. These public officials have not been misled by the representations of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce which, although there is not a farmer on its board, has suddenly become alarmed over the dangers of the imaginary problem of able-bodied persons subsisting on relief instead of on farm labor. Special privilege groups are trying to capitalize on the serious farm labor shortage which has been created by the attractive wages of war industries and military man power needs.

It is silly to charge that this shortage has been caused by food stamps, surplus commodities, old age assistance, aid to the blind, or aid to dependent children.

"I hold no brief for any recipient who turns down work that he is able to perform. If there be such a person in the state, he will not be permitted to receive government aid. No employable person is receiving aid in any county of the state where the commissioner's court has certified that work is available. When any group advocates that local and state government withdraw support from 'relief,' they are simply contending that aid should be discontinued to the disabled the blind, the widowed mothers with destitute children and the helpless aged, on the hollow pretext that work available to such persons. The able-bodied persons, who are said to prefer meager government aid to work, represent less than one per cent of commodity recipients and it has been our standard practice to cut off all such persons when work is refused. Selfish groups are urging courts to cut off the only source of bread the helpless have—all in the name of patriotism. The people will recognize such attempts as an unworthy attack upon the humanitarian responsibilities of enlightened government.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: J. W. LANGSTON  
GREETING:  
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 23rd day of November, A. D., 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Terry County, at the Court House in Brownfield, Texas.  
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 10th day of October, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 2807. The names of the parties in said suit are: Helen Langston as Plaintiff, and J. W. Langston as Defendant.  
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: That plaintiff resides in Terry County, Texas; that defendant's residence is unknown to plaintiff; that plaintiff has resided in the State of Texas for 12 months and in Terry County for six months preceding the filing of this suit; that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married on February 25, 1938; that plaintiff and defendant separated on or about April 15, 1939 on account of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, since which time they have not lived together; that said marriage relations still exist; that defendant's action and conduct has rendered her further living together insupportable; that no child was born of said marriage.  
Plaintiff prays for judgement for divorce, costs of suit, restoration of her maiden name.  
Issued this the 10th day of October, 1942.  
Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Brownfield, Texas, this the 10th day of October A. D., 1942.  
Eldora A. White, Clerk, District Court, Terry County, Texas. 14c

**CARD OF THANKS**

To you, who were so kind, and thoughtful of our dear mother and grandmother, in her sickness, and death, your words of encouragement, and helpfulness, has helped us to bear our burden and grief. May God's richest blessings be yours in abundance.  
Mr. and Mrs. Money Price and boys,  
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Burson,  
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burson and children,  
Mrs. Marie Burson and Billie.

Air Cadets Richard Kendrick and John Kendrick are now stationed at Kelly Field at San Antonio, Texas where they are preparing to enter into Pre-Flight Training.

Texas has possibly the greatest volume and variety of stone of any state, and also great quantities of sand and gravel, Portland cement materials, brick and tile clays, gypsum and asphalt.

**What Does 35 M. P. H. Mean?**

1. Speed? About 550 foot per second.  
2. Stopping distance? About 102 feet. This includes traveling 38 feet while you recognize the danger and get your foot on the brake and 64 foot of actual stopping distance. These figures are for brakes in excellent condition. With average brakes your stopping distance will run to 115 feet. Of course, these figures are for fairly good tires and on a dry road. If your tires are getting smooth( and whose aren't?) and the road is wet or icy, the actual stopping distance may be much, more.

3. Accident Rates? There are no reliable figures to tell how the total number of accidents at 35-mile speed, would compare with the normal accident totals.

4. Severity? The severity of the accidents which do occur drops off sharply as speed decrease. Of all drivers involved in accidents a year or so ago, one out of every 70 of these traveling more than 35 miles per hour was involved in a fatal accident, while only one out of every 250 traveling below 35 was involved in an accident which resulted in death.

5. Is 35 Miles Per Hour Safe? Not according to a lot of drivers who were involved in accidents while traveling 35 miles per hour or even less. Ninety-five per cent of the drivers in urban accidents were traveling under 35 miles per hour. Seventy-five per cent of those involved in fatal accidents in cities were traveling below 35. Even in rural areas, the slow driver made up 65 per cent of all accident drivers, and 45 per cent of the fatal accident drivers.

6. So what? So even if 35 be alert and drive carefully, legally and courteously.

A great variety and volume of limestone, marble, sandstone, granite, basalt and other sedimentary and igneous stones are found in many regions of Texas.

**Election Notice**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF TERRY

This 14 day of September, 1942, came on to be considered by the county judge of Terry County, Texas, the petition of 100 freeholders of the said Terry County for an order of election in said county for the purpose of enabling the freeholders thereof to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennetts, and cattle shall be permitted to run at large therein, and also to determine whether hogs, sheep or goats shall be permitted to run at large therein, and it appearing to the undersigned judge of such court that such petition was filed with the commissioners' court of said county on September 12, 1942, and that such court thereafter at their next regular term, on the 14th day of September, 1942, heard and granted the same and ordered that such election be held on the 3rd day of November, 1942, and that the judge of said county issue an order therefor and cause public notice thereof to be given as required by law:

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me under such order and of the laws of this state, I, C. L. Lincoln, County judge of Terry County, Texas, do hereby order that on the 3rd day of November, 1942, in the regular voting precincts of said Terry County, an election shall be held for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of such county to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennetts and cattle shall be permitted to run at large in such county and also to determine whether hogs, sheep or goats shall be permitted to run at large in said Terry County.

That polls shall be opened for such election at the regular voting boxes in said Terry county, and the officers of election, heretofore appointed by the commissioners' court to hold the general November elections in Terry county for the year 1942, are hereby reappointed and ordered to hold said election in accordance with law.

No person shall vote at such election unless he is a freeholder and is also a qualified voter under the constitution and laws of the State of Texas. All votes of such election shall be by ballot, and voters desiring to prevent the animals designated herein from running at large shall place upon their ballots the words, "For the Stock Law," and those in favor of allowing such animals to run at large, "Against the Stock Law."

On or before the tenth day after such election, the persons holding such election shall make due returns of all the votes cast at their respective voting places for and against said proposition to the county judge of said county.

Public notice of this order shall be given for at least thirty days before the date of such election by publication thereof in Terry County Herald, a news-paper published in said county.

Witness the hand of the county judge of Terry County, Texas, this the 14th day of September, 1942.

C. L. Lincoln, County Judge, 13c Terry County, Texas.

Marble is found throughout the limestone areas in Texas, a large amount of which is adaptable to interior and exterior construction purposes. Much of the limestone and marble of Texas is of rare beauty.

EVERYBODY EVERY PAYDAY AT LEAST 10%  
1942 U.S. WAR BONDS

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X-Ray and Radium School of Nursing

**BROWNFIELD CHAPTER**  
No. 399, E. A. M.  
Visiting Companions cordially welcomed.  
We need you and you need us.  
B. G. Hackney, High Priest, W. T. McKinney, Secretary.

**BROWNFIELD LODGE**  
No. 908, A. F. & A. M.  
Meets 2nd Monday night, each month at Masonic Hall.  
Evert Latham, W. M.  
J. D. Miller, Sec.

WM. GUYTON HOWARD  
Post No. 269  
Meets 2nd and 4th Thurs. night each month  
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Meets every Tuesday night in the Odd Fellow Hall. Visiting Brothers always welcome.  
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R. B. Ferry, Secretary.

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18 Years Service in Brownfield, Texas  
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Brownfield, Texas

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JACK HOLT, Prop.  
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For That Neat Appearance So Necessary For Success  
**PATRONIZE THE Elite Barber Shop**  
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**Don't Wait Until Pyorrhea Strikes**  
Gums that itch or burn can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fail to satisfy.  
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Not everybody with a dollar to spare can shoot a gun straight—but everybody can shoot straight to the bank and buy War Bonds. Buy your 10% every pay day.

**HELP WITH DEFENSE**  
By Protecting Your Car And Tractor With  
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Start Today — Call No. 10  
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SEE—  
**HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT CO.**  
—for—  
**L-U-M-B-E-R**  
and building materials of all kinds.  
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**Gas Floor Furnaces**  
... can now be bought and installed ...  
they produce clean, healthful heat. You don't need a basement to have a COLEMAN furnace.  
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**No. 1 On The Family's Health Parade**  
For strong teeth and bones drink plenty of good, fresh milk each day.  
CALL 300 FOR DAILY DELIVERY  
**BORDEN Brownfield Ice Company**

**Relief At Last For Your Cough**  
Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.  
**CREOMULSION**  
for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis



Send Him to Work with



A SQUARE MEAL!

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**WHO COULD RESIST—**  
A Thermos of Hot Soup . . . Meat Loaf with Relish . . . Hard Cooked Eggs . . . Tomato, Carrot Sticks and Radishes.

**HE'LL LIKE BREAD AND BUTTER SANDWICHES TOO**  
Orange Bread • Apricot Bread  
Nut Bread • Prune Bread  
Boston Brown Bread

**SOME DESSERT IDEAS**  
Raisin Tarts • Apple or Pumpkin Pie • Tapioca • Rice Pudding  
Custards • Gingerbread • Fruit

**INCLUDE COOKIES**  
Raisin Squares • Applesauce Cookies • Chocolate Chip Cookies  
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With a Gas Range it's easier . . . quicker . . . more economical

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BUY WAR BONDS

War Pictures To Be Shown At Schools

School heads from 18 South Plains counties were called to Lubbock Tuesday night for a conference with a representative of the government, stated Supt E. E. Hancock, Wednesday morning. All the counties were pretty well represented he stated.

The invitation was especially extended to schools that have projection equipment, as war effort pictures are to be shown, the films to be released by the government, in an effort to better acquaint the public with just what the nation is doing to preserve its freedom.

Mr. Hancock was not sure just what the nature of the pictures would be, whether actual battle scenes, or preparedness in huge war plants, and drilling of men in cantonments. But the subject of the pictures will be announced through the school later and the press if the films arrive in time for the press to handle the matter.

There will be no admission charge, and the pictures are recommended for the seventh grade up, as well as parents and other adults.

Mr. Hancock was appointed co-ordinator for Terry county. He was not sure whether there were any other schools in the county equipped to show the pictures.

Plains News

Walter McClellan who has been in the Brownfield hospital is home.

Mrs. Lady Claire James and Mrs. Kit Morris visited in Lubbock Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Liles and family of Gomez visited their daughter Mrs. Albert Anderson and family Sunday.

Lois Forrest who underwent an operation in Brownfield last week was moved home Monday, and is reported doing nicely.

Mary Lee and Adeline Pride spent Sunday night visiting friends in Brownfield.

Quit a few from Plains attended the show in Denver City Friday night.

Miss Creola Moore visited her home in Brownfield over the week end.

Mrs. Charlie Duncaan spent Sunday night with Mrs. Winnie Mary Story.

Arlie Coke who is in service at Wichita Falls, and Clyde Coke of

Farmers Mass Meeting Called Oct. 28

Thursday night, Oct. 28, 8 p. m. District Court Room, Brownfield, Texas.

Come bring a friend, we won't keep you long.

The decision as to the type of agriculture that we will have in the America of the future is being made. Two philosophies are clashing. One contend that the farm family that actually works and resides on a family type farm shall be the primary factor in agriculture, because democracy is rooted in this type of agriculture. The other philosophy urges the protection and development of large scale farm operations—farm cartels—where control is most often lodged in absentee owners and where the work is done by poorly paid seasonal itinerant farm laborers.

Attention farm security borrowers. This last group—made up of powerful political organizations and so called farm organizations, are doing everything in their power to destroy Farm Security. Both philosophies cannot live in this country. One will win! Which one do you want? If you want to write your own answer, you will have to organize so you will be heard.

The Farmers Union is the only farm organization that stands squarely behind the Farm Society and the Administration.

Every farm family is urged to attend this meeting and get the facts.

State Security  
Texas Farmers Union.  
Frank Overturf.

Tech Prof. Publishes A New Novel

LUBBOCK, Oct.—“The Hancock Murder Case” published Oct. 5, by E. P. Dutton Company of New York, is the latest novel by Dr. A. B. Cunningham, professor of English at Texas Technological College. It is the story of the hunt for the murderer of pretty Sue Dun, mine nurse, in the town of Hancock, supposedly in Kentucky. Sheriff Jess Roden does the sleuthing in this story, as he did in “Murder at Deer Lick”, “Murder at the Schoolhouse”, “The Strange Death of Many Square”, and “Death at the Bottoms”, all by Professor Cunningham. Several of these titles have been issued in pocket editions and have sold as many as 40,000 each.

Mission, Texas, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Coke and family.

KYLE GROCERY

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

FLOUR R and W 24 lbs. . . . . 89c 48 lbs. \$1.78

PEACHES—no. 2 1/2	23c	Post Toasties—Pkg.	8c
FRUIT COCKTAIL	15c	RAISIN BRAN	11c
CRANBERRY SAUCE	16c	GRAPE JUICE—R. & W., pt.	15c

CRISCO or Snowdrift, 3 lb. can 72c

Spaghetti or Macaroni—3 boxes	10c	NILE SALMON	23c
PINEAPPLE—flat	12c	CATSUP—R. & W., or Del Monte	15c
TOMATO JUICE—Del-Monte, 3	25c	POTTED MEAT—2 cans	9c

CRACKERS, Saltine Krispy, 1 1-2 lb. box 23c

R. & W. CORN—No. 2	14c	PRINCE ALBERT TOBACCO	10c
GREEN RIDGE PEAS	11c	NORTHERN TISSUE—3 rolls	19c
PIMIENTOS—4 oz.	14c	FRUIT JARS—pts. 59c qts. 69c	

SOAP. P. and G. or C. and W., 6 bars 25c

OXYDGL—large	22c	WES TEX SYRUP, 1/2 gal.	37c gal 65c
RAINBOW BLEACH—qt.	14c	K. C. BAKING POWDER—25 oz.	18c
LIFEBUOY OR LUX SOAP—3 bars	20c	MEAL—10 lb.	32c

SPUDS - white, 10 lb. 35c

VEAL LOAF MEAT—lb.	22c	YAMS—lb.	3 1/2c
PORK SAUSAGE—lb.	24c	CABBAGE—lb.	3c
OLEO—lb.	19c	ONIONS—yellow, 1 lb.	3 1/2c
ROUND CHEESE	33c	LEMONS—doz.	19c
CHILL—lb.	27c	GRAPES—Tokay, lb	10c

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WINTER is coming — TRUCK CHAINS

We have a good, but limited stock of truck chains on hand and this is the last shipment we'll be able to get for the duration. Get yours while you can—they'll be a vital necessity later.

YOUR CAR NEEDS A GOOD HEATER

Protect your family's precious health through the long winter months by installing a good, dependable heater in your car. We handle two heaters that are tops.

'TROPIC-AIRE' AND 'SOUTH WIND'  
Hot Water Heater Stewart-Warner's Gasoline Heater

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ZERONE, \$1.00 per gal. GOOD YEAR, \$1.10 per gal.

Gene Gunn Tire Shop

4-H Club Boys Boost War Effort

College Station, Oct.—National 4-H Achievement Week, to be observed in this and other states from November 7 to 14, will mark a record of high achievement by members of Texas 4-H boys' clubs.

A survey by J. W. Potts, assistant state boys' club agent for the A. and M. College Extension Service, shows that the boys increased their productive demonstrations in 1942, and were active in many special war programs. Outstanding is their contribution to the collection of scrap. Through September, the 31,185 club members in 240 counties gathered an estimated 11,490,480 pounds of metal 663,840 pounds of paper, burlap and rags, and 1,728,960 pounds of rubber.

Regardless of this impressive record, collecting scrap was something of a side issue with Texas club boys. As older brothers were drawn into the nation's armed forces and defense work they moved into the gaps left in the man power on the farms. A total of 26,640 performed extra labor in production of needed food supplies in addition to conducting their several club demonstrations. With their earnings from extra services, profits from demonstrations and income from other sources Texas 4-H Club boys bought approximately \$223,788 worth of war bonds and stamps in the first nine months of the year, 1942 sold more than \$45,000 worth.

Among other activities and achievements are: 11,040 boys cooperated with local defense agencies; 13,200 cared for or repaired farm machinery; 3,600 took

first aid or home nursing courses; 1,440 acted as air raid wardens, spotters, etc., and 7440 took part in fire prevention activities.

Potts says that while figures on all livestock sales this year are not available, a group of calves from Young and Baylor counties sold in late September brought 17 a hundred weight on the Fort Worth market. This was the highest price paid on that market since 1926.

Relatives of Mrs. Ed Neal of Big Springs have received word that she is seriously ill.

Mrs. Neal Roberts and Miss Billie McInnis of Hibbs, N. M. were over last Monday to visit with friends.



An Ounce of Prevention —you know the rest of the saying and it's undeniable truth! If your medicine chest is low in supplies, visit your druggist and let him advise you wisely as to what precautionary drugs to buy. Prompt delivery of prescriptions is assured.

CORNER DRUG STORE JIM GRAVES, Prop.

Earl Burnett Enlists In Reserve Corps

Earl Burnett has enlisted in the Reserve Corps at John Tarleton Agricultural College, according to a recent news release from the office of Lt. J. D. McCullough, Enlistment Officer at Tarleton.

The Enlisted Reserve Corps was set up during the past summer by the Army, Army Air Corps, Navy, Naval Air Corps, Marines, and Coast Guard; and units were established in various colleges throughout the country, particularly those already offering military training. The primary objective of the Enlisted Reserve Corps is to discover and train an adequate supply of potential officer material for the armed forces well in advance of the actual need for replacement officers. It is the policy of the Reserve Board to keep these enrollees in school who prove by their "satisfactory progress" in their academic work that they are potential officer material.

• A Complete Job Work Dept.

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We Will Buy Them Any Way They Are Threshed Goodpasture Grain Co.



**THE DECORATOR'S CORNER**

BY *Betty Wood*

**Choosing Room Colors:** Decorating experts today agree that solid color walls are the most restful backgrounds for living, and the most satisfactory. Practically all New York City apartments have solid colored painted walls, against which bright bold patterns in furniture and draperies look best. Patterned furnishings against patterned walls are confusing and irritating.

The best way to get beautiful solid-colored walls is with paint, and one of the easiest paints to use is a new plastic-base finish just developed. Called Kem-Tone, the new paint is thinned with water, has no turpentine smell, dries in an hour, is washable, and covers almost any surface in one coat—even wallpaper.

**Colors Are Right:** Best of all, the colors are right up-to-the-minute, for the paint was introduced only a few months ago. Some old lines were popular in the 1920's or before, but the colors of this new finish are so modern you could pick them blindfolded and not go wrong. For example, there is Avalon Blue—a soft pale sky blue ideal for living rooms, dining rooms or bedrooms.

Midland green is another good color for living rooms and bedrooms because it's soft and restful, while peach and jonquil are good for almost any room in the house. Nine pastel colors are avail-



able, and no less than twenty-four other pastels may be obtained by "intermixing" the standard colors as they come from the can.

One thing the paint makers have learned in recent years is how to make their paint colors soft and subtle enough to serve as background for any type of furnishings. In the old days, paint colors were decidedly buff, yellow, blue or green and one had to be a master decorator in order to avoid color clashes. Also, these definite colors grew tiresome after a few months, whereas the new tones are so subtle that the average visitor can't remember whether it was a blue or green or gray wall he liked so much.

**What Exposure?** A good rule to follow in color selection is to paint North and East rooms in warmer tones (containing red, orange or yellow) and South and West rooms in cooler blues, greens or grays to compensate for the difference in light from various directions. Ceilings are best in light tones with walls medium and floors darkest.

**Looks For Decreased Fire Damages**

AUSTIN.—Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, today predicted that Texas will suffer from increased fire dangers on the home front during the coming winter.

He fears the nationwide gasoline rationing, scheduled for late November will contribute indirectly to more fires at home.

"Because we will be stay-at-home folks this year instead of going out in the evening," he said, "a greater number of fire hazards may result because of our careless habits at home.

"A common fire hazard is frayed, broken or loose electric connections, wires, plugs and appliances. If we are at home there will be more electric appliances in use, and more extension cords connected.

"By carefully checking all our electric connections, plugs and extensions we can eliminate many fire hazards now. This should be done today! Delay increases danger. Remove all extension cords from under rugs, chairs or other places where they can become damaged and create a short circuit that will start a fire. Don't take chances with make-shift connections. The safest, cheapest and easiest method is to get a qualified electrician

to make any necessary repairs. "Carelessness in smoking and the use of matches is another common fire hazard at home. The day-to-day tragic record of deaths from burns caused by people going to sleep while smoking should make such a reminder needless.

"Our homes can be easily threatened by complete destruction, the lives of our families endangered if we are careless enough to use matches as we prowl about closets, basements, attics or darkened rooms.

"Constant fire prevention will save the home front from its greatest enemy — fire."

**West Texas Believes In All-Out-**

West Texans really believe in doing their part when it comes to "Joining-up" with Uncle Sam's fighting men. Based on total population, the West Texas Army Recruiting and Induction District led in September volunteer enlistments in the entire Eighth Service Command." Each day sees large numbers of West Texans of all ages joining the thirteen branches of 18 and 45. Some branches are also open for men up to 50.

Regardless of everything else the people of West Texas are determined to do their part in bringing about the downfall of the

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**FOR QUICK SALE**—If you have good farm land, either improved or unimproved, you wish to sell list it with.

**CLYDE C. COLEMAN**  
Suite 208, Brownfield State Bank Building ttc

**DESIRE TO SELL** by Nov. 15th household furnishings only 10 months old. 709 E. Broadway. 13c

**WINDHAM-JARRETT RANCH LANDS**

More than 20 good farms with good houses in quarters and halves and if you need a farm this is your opportunity if you will act quick, as they will not wait for you. Get one under contract. Call me at phone 221 during office hours.

**D. P. Carter**  
First National Bank Bldg. Brownfield, Texas 14c

**FOR SALE:** Farmall 30. Complete, A-1 condition, \$1800, cash. See Bruce White. 8tfc

**FOR SALE:** 5 column Burroughs adding machine, good repair. Palace Drug store. ttc

**WANTED**—Unincumbered house-keeper, Room, board and salary—See Mrs. A. J. Stricklin.

**FOR SALE:** 284 acres about 4 mi. north of Brownfield on highway. Fair improvements with 273 acres in cultivation. Will take some grade.

**CLYDE C. COLEMAN**  
208 Brownfield State Bank Bldg. 14c

**FOR RENT:** 2 nicely furnished bedrooms. See Mrs. Stahler or call 161. 13c

**FOR RENT or LEASE**—The entire second floor of the Alexander building on North Side of Square. Contact E. G. Alexander, Plainview, Texas, or leave word with Clarence Gosden at the Alexander Drug Store. 1c.

Feather Mattresses Made from your old feather bed. Brownfield Mattress Factory. Phone 304-W.

**STRAYED:** from my farm 1 1/2 Mi. NE Brownfield, dark bay 2-year-old saddle horse. Mane short next to withers. Notify W. A. Bynum. 13tfc

**LOST:** 1 new mattress on road between Brownfield and Gomez. Colored stripe tick. Finder please bring to 317 W. Main. Reward. W. O. Mills. Reward. Pho. 304-W. 1tc

**WANT a man and wife** to work 150 acres, and to do general farm work about the place. Mrs. Sallie T. Godfrey, near Lakeview, Tahoka, rt. 4. 1tp

Mattresses renovated, new mattresses made, all kinds of bed work. Phone 304-W, Brownfield Mattress Factory, 317 W. Main.

**FURNISHED home for rent;** 3 rooms and bath. See Mrs. Edna Holt, 501 E. Main, city. 13p

Axis nations as quickly as possible.

At this time special openings in all the 13 branches of the service are available to young men of 18 and 19. The army is in urgent need of young men capable of action and quick thinking. The army needs young men capable of becoming officers. These special opportunities are available only to young men of 18 to 19 years of age.

Ample opportunities are also open to men of 20 to 45. Mechanics and skilled workmen are needed now to keep Uncle Sam's war machines rolling. The man who has made his living with his hands can help to win this war by working in the army at the trade he knows. There is a place for every able bodied man to serve.

This is a woman's war as well as a man's war. The women of the nation have found a definite place to serve in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. Women between the ages of 21 and 45 who are in good health and of excellent character are needed now to replace men for combat duty.

There is a place of service for every West Texan who wants to do his part. West Texas will not let Uncle Sam down.

You can join the branch of your choice by inquiring at any one of the Army Recruiting Stations located at Odessa, Big Spring, Sweetwater, Pampa, Amarillo, Plainview, El Paso, Fort Bliss, and Lubbock.

There are more than 470 proven gas fields in Texas.

**IN MARKET for cattle and hogs.** Creole Gore, City 14tfc

**FARM BARGAINS**

Now on market, 14,000 A. of raw land, in 320 and 640 acre tracts, laying east of town; \$12.00 to \$17.50 per acre; half cash, terms on balance.

640 A. raw mixed land \$6.00 per acre, no minerals; \$750.00 cash; 8 years on balance; 12 miles from town.

160 A improved, 6 miles of town; mixed land! \$25.00 A; \$1,000.00 cash, good terms on balance.

9 1/2 Sections improved land; sell in quarters, halves of sections; all mixed catclaw land. \$22.50 to \$30.00 per acre on terms.

Robert L. Noble, Brownfield Building

Feather Pillows. Get your order in now as supply of feathers is limited. Brownfield Mattress Factory. 317 W. Main. Phone 304-W.

**FOR SALE:** New 1942 Crosley Shelvador Refrigerator costing \$185. De Luxe Model. Will sell for \$115 cash. 709 E. Broadway. 13c

**FOR SALE:** Completely rebuilt, Allis Chalmers, Case and Farmall tractors. See Knight Farm Machinery 35tfc

**FOR IMPROVED FARMS** in quarter and half sections on what is generally known as the Windham or Jarrott Ranch in South Terry County, SEE

**CLYDE C. COLEMAN**  
Suite 208, Brownfield State Bank Building ttc

**NOTICE of new headquarters** for Lubbock Avalanche-Journal at Brownfield Mattress Factory, 317 West Main St. ttc

**FOR RENT:** Nice north front upstairs bedroom. 106 Main. Phone 45. 5tfc

**FOR SALE:** Completely rebuilt Allis Chalmers, Case and Farmall tractors. See Knight Farm Machinery. ttc

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160 ACRES of good sandy cat claw land for sale \$35 per A. 1 mile south, 4 miles east of Meadow. See R. K. Simmons or T. C. Lucas, Meadow, Texas. 13p

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**Jessie G. Randal PTA Will Meet Nov. 5**

The Jessie G. Randal Parent-Teacher association will meet on November 5. The theme of the program will be "The Modern School, A Normal Service For Tomorrow's Citizens". The leader of the program will be Miss Fouts. Following the Prayer by Miss Brown, there will be a violin solo. Good Citizenship" Will be discussed by Miss Brown and Mrs. Fulton. "What the School should Mean to Children," is the subject for Mrs. Fitzgerald and Miss Rice. Group singing and the business meeting will close our meeting. We urge you to be there.

Our first meeting of the Jessie G. Randal School was October 1. We had a very interesting program. Mrs. Kittle led us in group singing, which was followed by a Piano Solo by Mrs. Hancock, Mrs. Weir and Mrs. Tom Cobb gave inspiring talks about Citizenship and the development of good character traits. Mrs. Joe Shelton, our President took charge of the business meeting.

**Adolph, Benito and Hirohito**—the three bilad mice. Make them run with ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day.

**It's common sense:** to be thrifty. If you save you are thrifty. War Bonds help you to save and help to save America. Buy your ten percent every pay day.

Miss Christine Hamilton now of Seminole was home to see her mother last week end.

**Rationing Physicians**

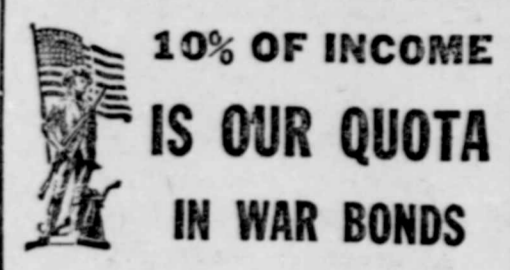
Austin, Texas.—It has been reliably estimated that within a year approximately one-third of the total number of 180,000 physicians in the United States will have left their practice to serve with the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps. This deficiency in medical attention available to the general population will be even greater than it appears on the surface inasmuch as a large number of those remaining are not in active practice due to old age, teaching or public health activities or full-time employment with industry. Plainly, this situation develops a problem for the physicians who will remain at home, the solution of which to some degree will be in the hands of the general public, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

that the family physician, now or later, must not be summoned except in dire need. In fact, there is a greater reason than ever before to seek his advice on living habits, to have him give a thorough periodic check-up, and to have him treat conditions promptly, which, if disregarded, are apt to cause more serious trouble later on. The only point being emphasized is that one should not attempt thoughtlessly to consume the doctor's valuable time and energy by insisting that he make a home call when an office visit or suggestions over the telephone might suffice.

"While in cities, lack of medical service has not as yet reached an acute stage, there are already rural sections feeling the pinch. It follows that everyone, both for his own and his country's sake should live sensibly to the end that maximum health may be attained, and avoidable home medical service be eliminated.

"In this connection, the following rules, among others, may be suggested: Eat nutritious foods. Obtain sufficient rest at night. Shun debilitating and exhausting habits. Keep the use of stimulants of all kinds within sensible bounds. Exercise daily. Detour worry as much as possible."

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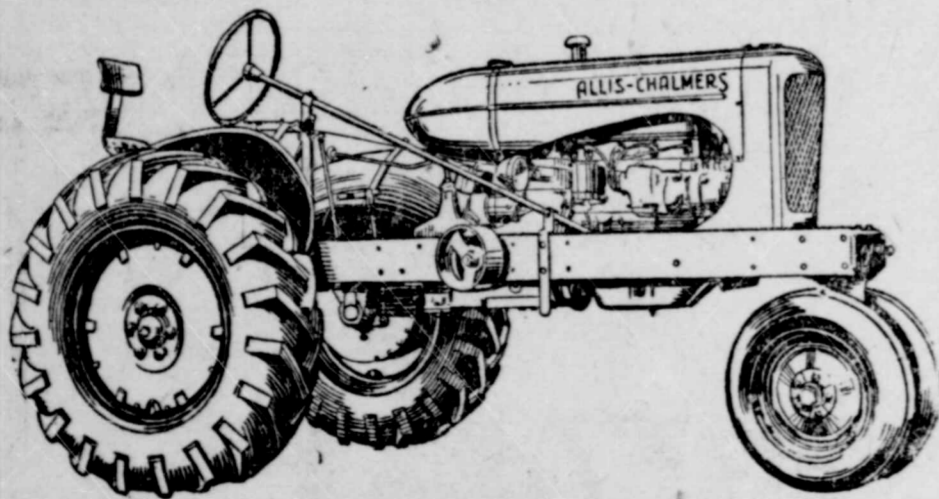
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SOCIETIES CHURCHES ENTERTAINMENTS CLUBS

# Social Events of the Week

Phone No. 1.

### MRS EDWARDS HOSTESS OF CEN-TEX HARMONY CLUB

Mrs. C. T. Edwards was hostess to the Music Club Tuesday afternoon. The combined programs of October were directed by Mmes. Tommy Black and Roy Herod.

The "Influence of Negro Music" with readings of "Wings over Jordan" and "Levee Dance" also an interesting auto-biography of the negro composer, Florence Price, was given by Mrs. Black. Miss Viola Brown's Troubadour Ensemble sang negro spirituals. Mrs. Herod reviewed the life of Radie Brittain, a Chicago Composer, giving her well known "Fairy of Spring." A violin solo "In a Rose Garden" was given by Mrs. Herbert Kittle with Mrs. Black accompanying her. A parliamentary drill was given by Mrs. E. E. Hancock. A report on National Club events was read by Mrs. D. P. Carter. Miss Fields gave a piano solo. Then, after a rendition of the "Star Spangled Banner" by the club, coffee was served.

On November 10th the club is to meet with Mrs. W. H. Dallas. The program "American War Songs and Music" is to be directed by Mrs. Joe Price.

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED AT CHURCH

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Darby entertained the 9 year old Junior boys Sunday School class with a Halloween party Tuesday night at the First Baptist Church. Each person attending wore masks and costumes.

After going through a long routine of spook rooms everyone was gathered together to play games. This continued for a while then refreshments of apples and popcorn balls were served to the following:

Jerry Hancock, Graves Nelson, Joe Don Noble, Donald Wayne Boucher, Bill Kendall, Rex Black, Tommie J. Roberts, Shirley Beth Roberts, Jackie Greenfield, Bobby Reynolds, Donnie Ray Reynolds, and Mrs. Eugene C. Darby.

Dr. Darby is the Junior boys Sunday School teacher!

### FORMER DOROTHY HALLEY DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Word was received by Mrs. W. H. Dallas of the death of her niece, Mrs. Joseph J. Bach of Los Angeles, Calif. on October 17th.

Mrs. Bach is the former Miss Dorothy Halley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Halley, who was connected with the Brownfield State Bank in 1917. Besides her husband, she left a tiny baby who by her request is to be reared by it's grandparents.

### MRS. HAMILTON LADIES AID MEETS WITH

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Jack Hamilton Monday afternoon. The lesson was led by Mrs. Dennis of Meadow. Refreshments of cheese sandwiches and hot tea were served to Mmes. A. A. Sawyer, Bedford Caldwell, Dick McDuffie and Dennis.

Next week the Ladies Aid is to meet for a social at Mrs. Dick McDuffie's.

Miss Lyda Armstrong, one of the new teachers of the Union School, spent Friday with Miss Evelyn White.

### MISS TINKLER TO WED LT. SCHMID SOON

The approaching marriage of Miss Mary Louise Tinkler to Lt. Robert R. Schmid of Visalia, Calif., was formally announced Friday evening when Mrs. J. E. Garland entertained from 8 to 10 p. m. at the Lamesa Country Club.

Miss Tinkler is the daughter of Mrs. Ola Tinkler, now of Lubbock but formerly of this city. Miss Tinkler is a graduate of the Brownfield schools and Texas Tech where she was a member of the Ko Shari Club. Lt. Schmid is a former member of the Seminole School faculty and is now employed at the Wilson Glider School at Lamesa.

The wedding will be performed the first week in November in Arizona.

Lt. Schmid is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Konrad Schmid of Bisbee, Arizona. He received his degree from Tech in 1942 majoring in Petroleum Engineering. He is stationed at Sequoia Field, Calif.

Approximately 150 guests from Lubbock, Brownfield, Seminole and Lamesa attended the announcement party.

### JUNIOR MAIDS AND MATRONS MET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The Junior Maids and Matrons met in the home of Mrs. Bedford Caldwell Tuesday afternoon. "Women in Defense" was the program title. Mrs. Jack Hamilton, program-chairman gave an interesting talk on "Women's Auxiliaries." Mrs. Mike Barrett spoke on "Industrial Defense." Mrs. Jake Gore on "Women's Place in the Home" and Mrs. V. L. Patterson gave a report on Federation News. Plans were made for a Rummage Sale on Nov. 7.

Hot tea and cookies were served to Mmes. V. L. Patterson, Jack Hamilton, Applewhite, Lee Brownfield, Burton Hackney, Jake Gore, Mike Barrett, Finnis Carter, P. R. Cates, Miss Mildred Adams and Miss Green.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Burton Hackney.

### MRS. CALDWELL ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE

Mrs. Bedford Caldwell was hostess Wednesday afternoon with bridge. Co-hostess was Mrs. James Applewhite. The decorations carried out the Hallowe'en motif, with fall leaves in the living room and the dining room decorated with pumpkins, fruit, autumn leaves and orange candles.

The list included Mmes. W. R. McDuffie, Spencer Kendrick, Jimmie German, Jack Hamilton, Bruce Zorns, John L. Cruce and C. C. Primm. Mrs. McDuffie won high score, Mrs. Kendall low, and Mrs. Kendrick traveling prize.

Refreshments consisted of individual pumpkin pies, whipped cream, salted nuts and coffee.

### MAIDS AND MATRONS TO GIVE BOOK REVIEW

On Tuesday, November 3, at 5:00 P. M. the Maids and Matrons will meet in the home of Mrs. Roy Wingerd for a book review by Mrs. E. C. Davis. The book "Mariflor" by C. Espind will be very interesting and Mrs. Davis' vivid word portrayal of character and scenes will make it well worth your time.

Another entertaining feature on the program will be a piano rendition of the "Spanish Sernade" by Mrs. Roy Herod.

The meeting is open to the public and everyone is urged to attend.

### HIGHLIGHT OF PAST MUSIC CONVENTION

During the 7th District Music Convention, Mr. John S. Powell, in his own gracious and dignified manner, presented a gavel to the President, Mrs. Glen Dowlin. The gavel, a product of his own, inscribed for the occasion, was most unusual. Mr. Powell's words of welcome brought forth the highest of compliments from the State President, Mrs. Bard W. Paul of Dallas.

Miss Kathryn Underwood of the local telephone office has been transferred to Hobbs, N. M. She will be missed by her many friends of this city.

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### Hospital Notes

Mr. R. L. Underwood of this city, has been in the hospital since Sunday for Surgery.

Mrs. A. F. Carthers of Roswell N. M., entered the hospital Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Thomas of this city, entered the hospital Sunday for an appendectomy.

Mrs. Carl Day of this city has been interned in the hospital since October 16th.

Miss Patsy Greenfield entered the local hospital for an appendectomy Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Osburne has been in the local hospital since Saturday.

Mrs. E. W. Hemme of Meadow, entered the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. A. H. McCright, of this city, entered the hospital with an infected hand Tuesday.

Mr. Steve Bloyed of this city is in the hospital.

### SURPRISE PARTY HONORS MISS UNDERWOOD

Miss Mildred Adams and Miss Faye Hogue were hostesses with a surprise party last Monday evening, at the Adams home, honoring Miss Kathryn Underwood.

A variety of entertaining games were played during the evening. Refreshments of spiced tea, open-faced sandwiches and chocolate squares were served to Misses Mary and Alma Ballard, Elva Gillham, Monah Perry, Imogene Rushing, Minnie Hazel Gore, Irene Adams, Kathryn Underwood and Mrs. Curly Edwards.

### MRS. BEDFORD CALDWELL IN CHARGE OF SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Next Sunday Mrs. Bedford Caldwell will have charge of the 11:00 o'clock worship and communion service at the First Christian Church of Brownfield, as this is the Sunday that our minister preaches at Plains. Sunday School convenes at 10:00 with classes for all ages and a sand pile and toys for the little tots.

The minister and his wife have moved to Brownfield and are living at 214 W. Cardwell St., where they will be available at any hour of the day or night in case of need or sickness or trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins went to Plainview Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral of her great-uncle, Mr. T. G. Tilson. Mr. Tilson was a prominent pioneer of the Plainview section.

### SURPRISE DINNER

Misses Louise Foster and Oneida Proctor surprised Mrs. A. B. Collier on her sixty-fifth birthday with a dinner.

Mrs. Collier is one of the many mothers who have given their only sons to the service. Sargeant Pate F. Collier is somewhere in the Pacific and Second Class Seaman Stewart B. Collier is stationed in San Diego.

Those attending the dinner and bringing gifts were Mr. A. B. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hargrove, Mrs. L. C. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Proctor, J. W. and Betty Jean Proctor, the hostesses and honoree.

Mrs. W. E. Henson and family received word Saturday of the serious illness of her father, Mr. W. M. Henslee. Mrs. Henson left immediately for Boswell, Okla., but her father had passed away before her arrival. Funeral services were held in Boswell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Kyle Graves, Mrs. E. C. Davis and Miss Imogene Rushing were Lubbock visitors Wednesday.

Miss Betty Longbrake has been promoted to cashier and chief operator of the Southwest Associated Telephone Co.

Mrs. Ted Hardy, Mrs. Jim Jackson, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. G. W. Neill went to Big Spring Wednesday to see Mrs. Ed Neill who is ill.

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- BAYER ASPIRIN—bottle of 100 ..... 59c
- BEXEL Vitamin B Complex Capsules 100's ..... \$2.25
- PHILLIPS MILK OF MAGNESIA Reg. 50c size ..... 34c
- SAL HEPATICA—60c size ..... 49c
- J & J BABY OIL—50c size ..... 43c
- Syrup Pepsin—reg \$1.20 size ..... 98c
- Bromo Quinine—reg. 35c size ..... 27c
- PABLUM—50c size ..... 39c
- ALKA-SELTZER—60c size ..... 49c
- PE-RU-NA—reg. \$1.25 size ..... 98c
- Wrisley's Fine Soap—18 bars ..... \$1.00

**PALACE**

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**Wrecked Hitler's Fifth Column**

Heading an organization of agents and field offices spread in a network across the U. S. is F. B. I. Director J. Edgar Hoover, shown in March of Time's "The F. B. I. Front." In his files at Washington are records and data on subversive elements he started collecting even before Munich. Prompt action by G-Men in this war wrecked Hitler's most powerful weapon in the U. S.—his hoped-for fifth column.

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**ANOTHER OLD TIMER PASSES ON**

Mrs. Lon Burson, 68, died last Saturday morning at 2 a. m., after suffering several weeks with partial paralysis, much of which time she was confined in the local hospital. Mrs. Burson, born Miss Josephine Tisdall, in Fannin County, Texas, but was married in Clay county, Texas. The family moved to Gaines county in 1917, and Mr. Burson passed on in 1925, being buried in Seagraves cemetery.

Other survivors are Mrs. Money Price and Dick Burson, both of this county and Glenn Burson of Lubbock. Another son, Bill, died three years ago.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church here by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Hanks. Deceased has been a faithful member since childhood. The body was then carried to Seagraves to be laid by the side of grave of her husband. Arrangements in charge of Brownfield Funeral Home.

Mrs. Burson has lived in Brownfield about seven years, making her living in as a dress maker, in

**Student Representatives To Meet In Dallas**

DALLAS—Representatives from the 25,000 students on 66 Texas college and university campuses will gather here October 30 through November 1 to plan a great mission program at the war's end, J. W. Marshall, Dallas, state student secretary announced today.

Program headliner will be Dr. W. O. Lewis, executive secretary of the Baptist World Alliance, Washington, D. C., recently returned from London. Fifteen foreign missionaries, several driven home by the war, will lead conferences on work in their respective fields.

Chester Swor, Clinton, Miss., Southern Baptist youth leader, will be a featured speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPherson and daughter have moved to Canyon where he will work with a seismograph crew.

which trade she was very skillful. She enjoyed a host of friends both here and at Seagraves.

**Band For "All-Out" Morale Building Effort**

Mr. Hardy E. Williams, school band instructor was in this week to get in some information about the band's effort toward the war cause. The All Out Night will be November 19th, which is on Thursday night. In the intervening issues of the Herald, we will try to give more definite information on just what will take place at the high school auditorium that night.

Suffice to say, there won't be any admission charges to the concert, but the banks will have bonds and war stamps up there to sell that night, and while you will not be obligated in any way to buy bonds, the object is to sell as many War bonds and stamps as possible that night as Terry county is way behind in its bond purchases.

Terry county has put over nicely all other drives, such as Red Cross, USO and Scrap, now is the time to get in the harness to put across the bond quota.

This is the first performance of our fine school band, and we know each of you will enjoy the concert.

**Baptist Church News**

There was a marked falling off in the attendance at the Bible School last Sunday only 281 registering and a corresponding smaller attendance in other services of the day and for this reason the debt paying collection for Baptist State work will be finished next Sunday. It is unthinkable that our church should fail to pay her portion of this \$400,000 obligation with the great crop now being harvested in our county and every member should lift a portion of this heavy load which only requires fifty cents for each member of our church, but some must always pay for others who never pay. Bring or send your offering on this debt next Sunday. This is a matter of the utmost importance and is our reason for calling it to your attention as this debt represents money borrowed in an emergency to save some of our institutions and did save some of them from bankruptcy and every one should share in payment.

Our State Convention will meet with Broadway Baptist Church in Fort Worth, Nov. 10th at which meeting it will become known what churches have paid their share of this debt and also those that failed to pay it and it will be humiliating if we have not done our share as a church. It is only in a great undertaking that Baptist Churches can demonstrate their system of democracy and cooperation as no people can be great who fail to learn the lesson of cooperation and practice it. We invite Baptist who have moved to our community to become members of this church and have a share with us in carrying on the work of the Kingdom and visitors are always welcome here.

Mrs. Tom May and Mrs. R. L. Bowers went to Lubbock Tuesday to see their daughter's Joe Pete and Bobbie, who are attending Tech.

Hilton R. Greer, literary editor of the Dallas News, has written some very fine poetry. Not long ago, he was in a grocery store, when an acquaintance asked facetiously, "What does a poet eat that he may sing?" Greer replied, "Canary bird seed."

But a friend of mine says canary bird seed is a fake. He planted some but not a single canary sprouted.

He's the same friend who bought a sack of moth balls and then returned to the store and wanted his money back. "I threw every one of those moth balls and never hit a single moth", he complained.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Denton and son Mike were glad to have them move back here this week. Mr. Denton is now associated with the Nelson-Primm Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kendrick visited relatives in Colorado City last Sunday and Monday.



**I GIVE YOU TEXAS**  
by BOYCE HOUSE

"A New Dictionary of Quotations" has been compiled by H. L. Mencken, who has collected 33,000 witty and wise sayings. Having little use for platitudes and bunk, his collection is different. Just to give you the flavor of the volume, here are a few to be found on the subject of smoking.

A good cigar is as great a comfort to a man as a good cry is to a woman—E. G. Bulwer-Lytton.

Smoking—A custom loathsome to the eye, harmful to the brain, dangerous to the lungs and in the black fume thereof, nearest resembling the horrible Stygian smoke of the pit that is bottomless—James I of England.

What smells so? Has somebody been burning a rag or is there a dead mule in the back yard? No, the man is smoking a five-cent cigar—Eugene Field.

Tobacco—A lone man's companion, a bachelor's friend, a hungry man's food, a sad man's cordial, a wakeful man's sleep and a chilly man's fire.—Chas. Kingsley.

Running for state office, even if you don't win, has its pleasant side. For sentimental reasons, I was happy at leading for Lieutenant Governor in Brown and Uvalde counties, where I had attended school; in Menard County, where unforgettable boyhood vacation was spent at old Fort McKayett; in Iron County, where I married; in McCulloch county, which years ago helped me regain my health, and in Tarrant County, my present home.

E. C. Lowe, editor-publisher of the Lometa Reporter, told his friends about the days that we worked together on a West Texas paper, and the vote in Lometa was 298 for House and 33 for the next man. The senior class of San Saba High School "adopted" me as their candidate. Billy, young son of Editor W. C. Fancher of Corrigan, marched up and down in front of the polling place all day carrying a placard he had made, boosting one friend for "constable" and House for Lieutenant Governor. Far up in the Panhandle, Dallam County honored me with a clear majority over all eight opponents put together—Jess Morris, old-time cowboy; Publisher Ed Bishop, Editor Albert Law and other friends had much to do with this Clear majority also were given by Kennedy County, where Denver Chesnut lives, and Tarrant County.

Many friends worked long and tirelessly. Others (whom I never had the pleasure of meeting) felt that they knew me because of a mutual friend or because of this "column" or the Sunday radio programs; and they wrote to their friends. A man does not forget these things.

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—WITH—  
Hedy Lamarr  
Claire Trevor  
Basil Rathbone  
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**'POWDER TOWN'**  
WITH  
Victor McLaughlin  
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**THURSDAY**  
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—WITH—  
Roy Rogers  
Gabby Hayes

**SUN.-MON.**  
**'COURTSHIP OF ANDY HARDY'**  
—WITH—  
Mickey Rooney  
Donna Reed  
Lewis Stone

**STARVATION ALLOWANCES FOR DEPENDENTS**

The allowances given dependents of America's fighting men amount to a national disgrace. At a time when we are spending hundreds of billions to fight the war, and when waste is rampant, the government gives the dependent mothers and children and wives of soldiers and sailors sums ranging from \$15 to \$50 per month each. And \$20 of a \$50 allowance comes out of the \$50 a month paid a private soldier.

Contrast this with the generous treatment accorded labor. Its wages are at all-time highs. It has been promptly given almost every wage increase it has demanded. The war Labor Board has allowed major labor groups recent wage increases on the grounds that they were necessary to compensate for "increases in the cost of living." And while that goes on, the dependents of men who are drafted into service receive pensions which are not enough to keep body and soul together. A considerable percentage of those dependents, because of health and age, are unable to work, these dependents would not be noticed in the overall cost of the war. An adequate pension would do more to create real morale among the fighting men than all the flag-waving speeches ever made. What is a soldier to think when he hears of workers receiving \$50 to \$100 a week in war industry—at a time when government aid to his dependents virtually condemns them to slow starvation or public charity.

It is estimated that there are approximately eight million tons of coal available for mining in Texas.

per cent. I think the increase of \$460,000,000 in national defense is wholly unjustified.

On March 12, 1940, Republican Representative Hamilton Fish of New York said: "Just how we can use more than 2,000 airplanes in America, I do not understand." (Where would America be today if these philosophies had prevailed? Remember this when you vote on Election Day.—Missouri Democratic State Committee.)

**FRIDAY-SATURDAY**  
**'RIDERS OF BLACK MOUNTAIN'**  
**SUN.-MON.**  
**SHIRLEY TEMPLE**  
Plays a semi-grown-up role in...  
**'MISS ANNIE ROONEY'**  
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**BARGAIN DAY**  
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Miss Minnie Hazel Gore and Sgt. James T. Bowman spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie A. Bruton.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lal Copeland on the birth of a daughter weighing 7 pounds 13 1/2 ounces at a Lubbock hospital Friday morning. The young lady has been named Angeline.

The mineral resources of Texas are preponderantly fuel—oil, natural gas, natural gasoline, lignite and coal.

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**Rats And Typhus Go Together**

Austin, Texas.—Reports coming in to the State Health Department indicate an increasing incidence of typhus fever throughout the State without any particular regard to urban or rural population.

Inasmuch as nearly 900 cases of typhus fever have already been reported in Texas this year, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, is urging full cooperation from all communities whether large or small in a campaign to exterminate rats and thus control the increasing prevalence of typhus.

"It must be kept in mind that the rat acts as a reservoir of the typhus germ and the rat flea is the means by which the type of typhus found in Texas is transmitted to man. Rats are liable to travel many miles from one community to another, and it is therefore obvious," Dr. Cox said, "that it will be necessary to make the rat extermination program cover the entire state."

Dr. Cox has recommended a four-point extermination program in addition to the already widely used poisoning campaigns, which he believes, will assure more than temporary typhus control. This program includes: first, making food inaccessible to rodents through proper garbage collec-

tion and disposal; second, rat-proofing of homes and other buildings; third, keeping at least two traps set and baited in every home which is not rat-proofed; fourth, proper educational measures.

Concerning the educational campaign, Dr. Cox pointed out that since the typhus fever rat is known to inhabit practically every section of the state, it will take state-wide cooperation to exterminate it. In order to do this, the public must become adequately acquainted with the habits of the rat and the various control measures that may be applied.

The State Department of Health has moving picture films on this subject and has issued a bulletin outlining rodent control measures. This bulletin will be mailed free upon request, Dr. Cox said.

Lignite, of which Texas produces an appreciable quantity, is found in a broad band extending across Texas approximately from Laredo on the Rio Grande to Texarkana on the northeastern border.

Texas is the leading carbon black producing state, accounting for about four fifths of the nation's supply.

Texas accounts for more than 40 per cent of the natural gas produced in the United States.

**Wants In Navy Next Time**

My Dear - - -

The next time the call comes to make the world safe for democracy, I'm taking a crack at the navy. As you know, I was a victim of Class "A". The next time I want to be in Class "B".—B there where they go and B there when they come back.

I remember when I was registering, I went to the desk and my milkman was in charge. He said, "What's your name?" I said, "young man, you know my name. 'WHAT'S YOUR NAME?' he barked, so I told him 'August Childs.'" He said "Are you an alien?" I replied, "No, I feel fine." Then he said, "When did you first see the light of day?" I said, "When I moved from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia." He asked me how old I was, so I told him "twenty-three the first of September." He said, "The first of September you'll be in Australia and that will be the last of August."

A veterinarian started to examine me. He asked me if I ever had measles, smallpox or St. Vitus dance, and if I took fits. I said, "No, only when I stay in a saloon too long." Then he said, "Sure, but see alright?" I said, "Sure, but

I'll be cockeyed tonight if I pass." Then he listened around my chest, and said "I think you have a wart somewhere." I said, "Wart my neck, that's a button in your ear." The doctor said he had examined 1,400,000 men and that I was the most perfect physical wreck that he had examined. Then he handed me a card . . . "Class A."

Then I went off to camp and guess they didn't think I'd live long. The first fellow wrote on my card "Flying Corpse." I went a little farther and some guy said "look what the wind's blowing in." I said, "Wind nothing, the draft's doing it". On the second morning, they put these clothes on me. What an outfit! As soon as you are in it you think you can lick anybody. They have two sizes, too large and too small. The pants are too tight. I can't sit down.

The shoes are too big I turn around three times and they don't move. And what a raincoat they gave me. It strained the rain. I passed the officer all up with a fancy belt and all that stuff. He said, calling after me, "Don't you notice what I have on?" I said, "Yes, what are you kicking about, look what they gave me."

I landed in camp with \$75 . . . in ten minutes I was broke. I never saw so many 3's and 12's on a pair of dice. No matter what I did I went broke. Something went wrong even in cards. One time I got five aces and I was afraid to bet. A good thing I didn't, the fellow next to me had six kings. Finally I said "This is a crooked poker game." The fellow next to me said, "We're playing pinochle, not poker." Everything was crazy. If your were a livery hand they put you in the medical department; if you were a watchman, they made you an officer of the day.

I saw a guy with a wooden leg and asked him what he was doing in the army. He said, "I'm going to mash the potatoes." Oh, it is nice . . . five below zero and one morning they call us out for underwear inspection. You talk about scenery—red flannels BVD's—all kinds. The lieutenant lined us up and told me to stand up. I said "I'm up—this underwear makes you think I'm sitting down." He got so mad he put me digging ditches. A little later he passed and said, "Don't throw that dirt up there." "Where am I going to throw it?" I asked. "Dig another hole and throw it in there," he said. By that time I was pretty mad myself, so a guy named Jones and myself drank a quart of whiskey. Finally Jones acted so funny I ran to a doctor and told him Jones was going blind. So he asked me what we were doing and I told him. So he asked me if Jones saw pink elephants. I said, "No, that's the trouble, they're there and he don't see them."

Three days later we sailed for Australia. Marching down the pier I had some more bad luck. I had a sergeant who stuttered and it took him so long to say "Halt" that 27 of us marched ov-

erboard. They pulled us up and then the captain came along and yelled, "Fall in." I was on the boat 12 days, seasick all the time. Nothing going down; everything coming up. I leaned over the railing all the time. In the middle of one of my best leans, the captain rushed up and said, "What company are you in?" I said, "I'm all to myself. He asked me if the brigadier were up yet. I said, "If I swallowed it, it's up." Talk about your dumb people. I said to one of the fellows, "I guess we dropped the anchor." He said, "I knew they'd lose it. It's been hanging over the side ever since we left New York. We had a lifeboat drill and the boat spilled some of the men as it was being lowered into the water. The lieutenant gave orders to pull the men out of the water by the hair of their heads. I was struggling with the men when one fellow with a bald head came up and yelled, "Pull me out." I said, "Go down and come up the right way."

Well, we landed in Australia, and were immediately sent to the trenches. After three nights in the trenches all the cannon started to roar and the shells started to fall. I started shaking with patriotism. I tried to hide behind a tree but there weren't enough trees for the officers. The captain came around and said, "Five o'clock we go over the top." I said, "I'd like to go on a furlough." He said, "Have- n't you got any red blood in you?" I answered, "Yes, but I don't want to see it." "Where would you like to go?" he asked. "Anywhere where it's warm, said I. He told me where to go. Five o'clock we went over the top. 10,000 Japs came at us. They all looked at me as though I started the war. Our captain yelled, "Fire at will," but I didn't know any of their names. I guess the fellow behind me thought I was Will. He fired his gun and shot me in the excitement. On my way to the hospital, I asked a fellow where they were taking me. He said, "You're going to the morgue." I said, "There is some mistake, I'm not dead." "Lie down," he said, "Do you want to make a fool out of the doctor?" Finally a pretty nurse came and said, "Move over." . . . Oh, that's another story.

Yes, sir, the next time the war comes to make the world safe for democracy, I'm taking a crack at the navy.

—Author Unknown.

**General Election Absentee Voting**

Those desiring to vote an absentee ballot in the forthcoming general election, may now do so at the office of the county clerk.

In addition to the election of national, state, district, county, and precinct officers, there are five important constitutional amendments to be voted upon by the qualified voters.

Nominees from the Democratic, Republican, and People's Union party are on the ballot. No Communist party this time.

**FOREIGN NEWS REPORT**

The little country is tense to-night as it waits. The little country is very tense. The little country is now past tense.

**ATTENTION**  
**SOYBEAN**  
**PRODUCERS**

West Texas Cottonoil Co. at Brownfield has entered into a contract with the Commodity Credit Corporation to process soy beans; and in a short time (as soon as grading facilities can be obtained) will buy soy beans at support prices.

Soy beans must be sacked by the producer. New sacks, if needed, may be bought at actual cost from the oil mill who, in turn will buy them back at O. P. A. ceiling prices.

Each producer should immediately confer with his County Committeeman about the number of bags needed, based on about 100 lbs. per bag.

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**SCHOOLS AT ORANGE OFFER HOME COUNCIL**

ORANGE—The Orange public schools cooperating with federal housing authority and home making division of the state department of education has established a home counselling bureau.

Two councilors have been employed and assumed their duties Friday, their offices being in the Gilmer homes. They are Miss Elizabeth Chenowith of Borger and Mrs. Orvalene Price Rhader of Beaumont.

Miss Chenowith holds a BS degree in home economics from Texas Tech at Lubbock and has 12 years experience in home-making teaching and adult education.

Mrs. Rhader also hold a BS degree from Texas Tech and has six years experience.

Orvalene wrote her dad, Lense Price, that she did not know how they found out she was a Home Ec. teacher.

In May, 1940, Republican Senator Robert A Taft of Ohio said: "Going to war would not preserve democracy for the world and would lose it for the United States. Germany has neither the strength nor the need to attack the Western Hemisphere. When peace is once restored, the United States could trade with Germany as with Great Britain." (You Can't do Business With Hitler.)

There are approximately 31,000 miles of natural gas pipe line within Texas representing about 47 per cent of the total natural gas pipeline mileage of the entire nation.

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**Before the Snow Flies**

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**Here's Why**

This war is swallowing steel like a quiksand. We need scrap metal to make steel . . . steel for more tanks . . . more planes . . . more ships . . . more guns . . . and more shells. It's our job to supply our boys and allies with all these things they *must* have to smash the Axis on land, at sea, and in the air.

**Scrap Is Precious**

Steel for tanks, planes, ships, etc., is made by melting old scrap metal with pig iron—about half and half. The pig iron is made from iron ore that comes from mines. But that precious scrap—**THAT'S** got to come from us folks here on the Home Front.

**What Is Scrap?**

Scrap is ANY old thing, made out of iron or steel, that we don't absolutely need. It is anything from a hairpin to a busted steam boiler . . . from a paper weight to a cracked rail. It is old machinery, pipe, tools, flat-irons, auto parts, screws, nuts, bolts, bathtubs, lawnmowers, stoves, tanks, metal barrels, iron fences—and what have you.

**Where Is It?**

This old scrap is everywhere. It is in cellars, attics, closets, alleys, auto graveyards, fields, garages, barns, and factories. We've all got **SOME**, be it little or much. A typical town family is said to have about 70 pounds lying about; a farm family, nearly 750 pounds. In ten months after Pearl Harbor the Santa Fe scraped together 210,716,000 pounds of scrap. A pound here, a ton there. That's how it mounts up.

**Scrap Means Steel...Steel Means Victory Sell It or Give It...But Get It In**

Steel is the only language those bandits in Tokyo and Berlin understand. Let's give them plenty of talk . . . *in their language.* Every county, city, and town is having a scrap drive. Watch your local newspapers on how to get in it. Sell what you have, or give it away—but *get it in!* And now's the time, before snow flies! Your scrap can save American lives and help shorten this war. Every pound *you* turn in helps.



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**OXYDOL** large box ..... **21c**

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**Margarine, Rio, lb.** ..... **19c** | **FLOUR** FAST SELLER 48 lb. .... **\$1.29**

**Pork & Beans** Kings no. 2, 2 cans ..... **25c** | **FLOUR** EVERLITE 48 lb. .... **\$1.98**

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**GRAPE JUICE**—Mayfair, pint bottle ..... **14c**

**OKRA** Pine Grove no. 2 can ..... **10c** | **Fresh Eggs, doz.** ..... **35c**

**CORN** Springtime no. 2 can ..... **10c** | **Tuna Fish, Cortez can** ..... **28c**

**SPINACH** Fresh-O no. 2, 2 cans ..... **25c** | **Catsup** Harvest Inn 14 oz. bottle ..... **12½c**

—PLENTY OF BACON THIS WEEK—

**CHEESE**—Full Cream, lb. .... **32c**

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**TORTILLAS**—Ashley's, 2 doz. .... **25c**

**STEAK**—fresh | **Fish, white trout** | **Bologna, fresh**  
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**BACK BONES**—Country Style, lb. .... **15c**

Brownfield **FRIDAY And SATURDAY** Texas

**So Long, Son**

The following article in last week's issue of the Lometa Reporter, entitled "So Long, Son" by Howard Vincent O'Brien, paints a pretty fair picture of the average home from which one of the boys has just gone to war:

There was no band, no ceremonial. It wasn't even dramatic. A car honked out side and he said: "Well, I guess that's for me." He picked up his bag, and his mother said: "You haven't forgotten your gloves?"

He kissed her and held out his hand to me. "Well, so long," he said. I took his hand but all I could say was, "Good Luck."

The door slammed and that was that—another boy gone to war.

I had advised waiting for the draft, waiting until at least he was old enough to register. He had smiled at that and assured me that his mind was made up. He wanted peace, he said. Without peace, what good was living?

There was a finality in the way he said this—a finality at once firm and gentle. I said no more about waiting.

After the door closed behind him I went upstairs to what had been his room. It was in worse chaos than usual. Clothing was scattered about; dancing pumps, a tennis racket, his phonograph records, invitations to parties he would not attend.

I went then to my room. On the wall was a picture of a little boy, his toothless grin framed in curls—the same boy who had just taken my hand and said: "Well, so long." Not much time, I thought, between the making of that picture and the slamming of the front door.

Suddenly a queer thing happened to me. The house was full of soft voices. They led me up to the attic—to a box of toy soldiers, a football helmet, a home made guitar, class pictures, a stamp album, a penny bank with the lid pride off . . .

The voices led me on to a folder stuffed with papers, report cards, letters—among the wail of an exasperated teacher: "Though he looks like an angel . . ."—a baptismal certificate, a ribbon won in a track meet, faded photographs, one taken on the memorable day of long pants.

I sat down and thought how time had flown. Why, it was only yesterday when I had held him in my arms. That, somehow made me remember all the scoldings I had given him the preachment the exhortation to a virtue and wisdom I did not myself possess.

I thought, too of my last inarticulate "good luck", and wished that I had somehow been able to tell him how much I really loved him. Had he perhaps penetrated my brusque reserve? Had he guessed what was in my heart?

And then I thought: What fools we are with our children—always plotting what we shall make of them, always planning for a future that never comes, always intent on what they may be, never accepting what they are.

Well curly head—you're a man now. I hated to see you go, but I can not pretend I am not sad. I would not have halted you if I could. I am proud, too. So long, Son.



Shirley Temple plays a semi-grown-up role in "Miss Annie Rooney."

The Lucille Reagan Circle of the Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. P. Carter. The study of "If Two Agree" was led by Mrs. L. O. Greenfield. Members present were Mesdames L. O. Greenfield, Elco Evans, J. T. Auburg, Townsend, McMahan and Miss Fanny Day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Carter had as a guest this week end their small granddaughter Joyce Ann Eubank of Levelland.

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**They're "Hard Work Stories," Now**

College Station—"Hard work" stories—not hard luck stories—are being reported to the A. and M. College Extension Service by the 200,000 rural men, women, boys and girls who have signed Victory Demonstrator's pledges to help win the war. Here are two stories told by Bess Edwards, assistant state home demonstration agent.

Because of the illness of her mother, Ada Mae Davis of the Conlen 4-H Club in Dallam County did an amount of work which Pauline Hargrove, county home demonstration agent, considers "Amazing." Ada Mae cooked, washed and dried dishes for the whole family and hired hands, cleaned house, made over three dresses for herself and several of her nieces, tended the garden, canned 10 bushels of grapes and plums, raised 600 chickens, fed the hogs, did the milking, and, in addition, drove the tractor to cut feed so her father might be saved "hiring an extra hand."

The other story concerns Mrs. Rachael Snyder, Victory Demonstrator of the Keechi Community in Leon County. This year she rabbit-proofed her garden and from it sold enough surplus vegetables to keep the family supplied with staples. She canned 500 containers for the family to eat this winter.

In addition, Mrs. Snyder took her steam pressure cooker to the homes of several of her neighbors and canned vegetables for them in exchange for fruit. She has helped meet the labor shortage by doing laundry work for her friends and this has supplied extra money for the family's needs. Although rearing six sons (two older ones are in the arm-

ed forces), keeps her busy, Mrs. Snyder finds time to keep her home beautiful with a flower garden.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday at the Methodist Church for a luncheon. During the afternoon the ladies quilted a quilt for the Red Cross.

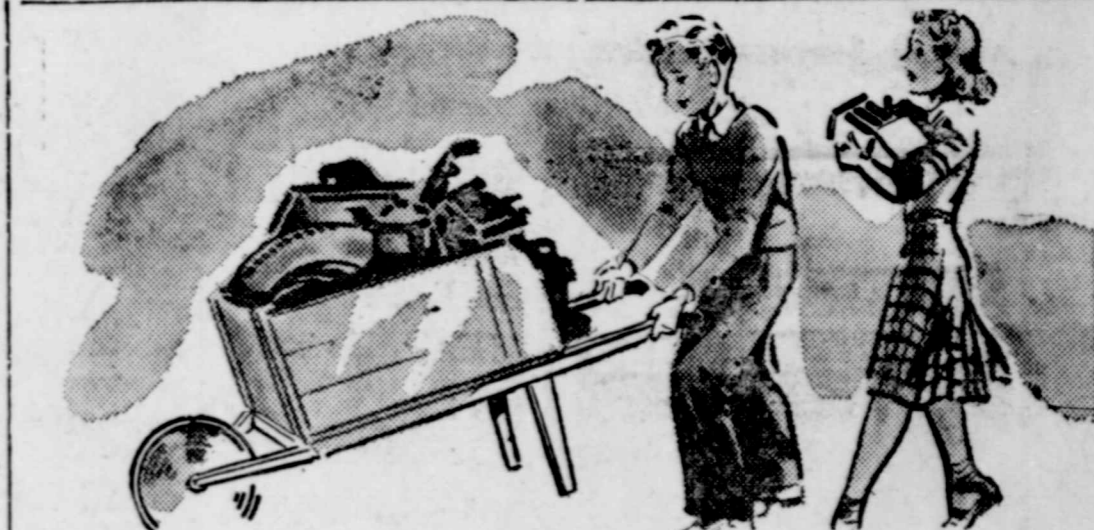
Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bailey and daughter Sandra visited in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGowan spent weekend in Uvalda visiting with Bill.

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Dr. W. E. Carroll, right, head of the Animal Husbandry Department, and Dr. Elmer Roberts, left, Chief of Animal Genetics, University of Illinois.



**A SALUTE TO OUR YOUNGSTERS**  
*May they always be free*

★ (Name of city) has a right to be proud of its youngsters. They're doing their part to see that America wins this war. They're working wholeheartedly in collecting usable war materials and turning those materials into War Bonds and Stamps. They're doing their job—well. They deserve to inherit our America—our free America!

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