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A MIGHTY HUNTER

"Nimrod was a mighty hunter"—
The Bible.

That branch of the tribe of Glasses of which grandfather, Jeff Glass is the patriarch, are not hunters of the Daniel Boone type, yet, Grandfather Glass has slain his bear with a sixshooter and many a wild Mustang has fallen before his rifle.

You see when Glass first began ranching in this country, wild mustangs were numerous. They were rated as "hossthieves" because they would steal the saddle horses away from the ranch and drive them away and they were rarely ever recovered.

"Hossthieves" were very unpopular with the ranchers of those days and whether two-legged or four-legged, they were usually shot when they were found.

While every male member of the Glass tribe is a fine marksman, yet the swarms of quails, wild turkeys, and other game in the Glass pasture are perfectly safe from their guns. They use their skill with the gun in the destruction of rattlesnakes, predatory animals and birds.

But there is a young scion of the House of David, the son of Glass, who has all the makings of a Nimrod of the Daniel Boone type. His name is Lynn, the junior son of Mr. and Mrs. David Glass.

Lynn will soon be four years old, but since he could toddle on his sturdy little legs, he has developed an urge to roam the pastures to the deep concern of his parents and a case of jitters suffered by his Grandmother Glass.

A few Sundays ago, Lynn was feeling lonesome, so without announcing his plans, he went with the dogs down in the pasture to see if he could stir up something more exciting than there was around the ranch house.

Soon, they missed Lynn. But they guessed rightly that he had taken French leave as he had done on other occasions and had wandered off to the pasture. The dogs were missing too. These facts gave Lynn's daddy a clue to direct him in the search for his missing boy.

Soon the dogs were heard barking at a great rate and Daddy David lost no time in reaching the spot. There he found Lynn sitting on the ground patiently watching a fox in a tree in which he had taken refuge from the dogs.

David raised his rifle and shot the fox. Then Lynn, his Daddy and the dogs all went home to the great joy of Lynn's mamma.

In the meantime, Rev. B.B. Hestir had been a guest of the Glass family that afternoon, and while the search was going on, he came to town to enlist more help if needed. He informed Grandpa and Grandma Glass of the situation.

In less minutes than there are miles to the ranch, Grandpa and Grandma drove to the ranch home. There they found Lynn safe and sound. Grandma felt that if she did not go and help out in the search for Lynn, they would never find him, but they did.

It is the hunting urge that made Lynn do that. — Uncle Bill

Mrs. N. H. Reed who has been in a hospital at Temple recovering from a surgical operation which she underwent several weeks ago, is reported to be getting along nicely and is expected to return home in a few days.

War Harvest



R. N. Hodges Died This Morning

R. N. Hodges, 71, died this morning at 6:00 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Mattie House where he had been residing prior to his death.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the local Methodist Church. Rev. L. O. Ryan, pastor, will conduct the funeral services.

Burial will be made at the Foster Cemetery.

Lowe Funeral Directors will have charge of the funeral and burial program.

Pallbearers are: John Walraven, M. E. Churchill, C. C. Ainsworth, H. L. Pearce, V. E. Brownfield and O. L. Carper.

Survivors include the widow, who is a sister of Mrs. A. C. Carper, and Mrs. G. G. Ainsworth. Two sons, Robert Hodges of Big Spring, and Allen Hodges of Clovis, N. M.

C. H. Davis Buys Butler Drug Co.

The Butler Drug Company changed hands last week when C. H. (Clyde) Davis purchased the store from E. B. Butler who has operated it for the last 31 years. Owing to health reasons, Mr. Butler is retiring.

Mr. Davis is well known to the old timers in Sterling since he and Miss Jaunita Durham were married about 22 years ago.

In taking over the store, Mr. Davis wants the patrons of this popular institution to know that he will bend every effort to conduct it along the same lines and policies that have been followed so long by Mr. Butler.

His policy will be to live and let live and give his patrons the same service that they have always been used to.

Lions Club Joins in Scrap Metal Drive

The Sterling City Lions Club in cooperation with the County USDA War Board is sponsoring a scrap metal drive with the students of the Sterling Public Schools composing the Army of Junior Rangers, who will collect this scrap.

The school will be divided into

four teams, namely, all High School Boys led by Mr. Carter, all High School Girls led by Mrs. Corley, and all students of the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade led by Miss Faires, and the first five grades led by Miss Ball.

The Lions Club will give an attractive prize to each of the four Jr. Ranger teams.

The contest will begin Oct. 3, and will continue for two weeks. Every citizen of Sterling County is urged to aid these Junior Rangers in every way possible in the collection of this vital scrap metal which is so essential for use in whipping the AXIS.

M. C. Mitchell will buy the scrap and each team will pile the metal in their respective stall on the west side of the court house which has been erected by the County Commissioners.

New Fire Truck Purchased

J. T. Davis, Lion's Club committeeman to purchase a new fire truck for the local Fire Department, reports that after a lot of diplomacy and red tape, he has succeeded in purchasing a fine new 100 horsepower Ford truck. The pump, hose and other fixtures had all been purchased before that of the truck.

Under the supervision of Fire Chief R. P. Brown, Joe Emery and others, the big machine will be assembled and rigged up by local mechanics.

This will prove a dependable source of fire insurance and everyone is expected to give his support.

Henry Blackburn, Jr., Rated Highest in Pig Production

County Agricultural Agent, Henry P. Malloy received the following information from College Station this week, Junior as he is known, received a Durroc Sow Pig in the Cow Hog-Hen Project, sponsored by Sears Roebuck Company. There were 591 sow pigs and 75 boar pigs distributed in Texas in 1941, and six of these sow pigs came to Sterling County. When these pigs were one year old, Junior's sow farrowed 17 pigs 14 of these pigs were raised and besides three hogs to be killed

this winter for home use, he sold the remaining for \$110.00. Four of these pigs were taught to drink milk and were raised as orphans. On Sept. 20, 1942, the Sow farrowed 14 pigs with 12 living, which makes a total of 26 pigs in one year in Pork Production.

Wimodausis Club Installs New Officers

An impressive installation service conducted by Mrs. Rogers Hefley, the retiring president of the Wimodausis Club, promised the beginning of an active and profitable club year for the local club, when an All-American luncheon was given Wed. Sept. 30, at the home of Mrs. W. L. Foster. From a beautifully laid table, lunch was served buffet style. Mrs. E. F. McEntire served as chairman, with the following co-hostesses: Mesdames W. E. Allen, V. E. Davis, T. F. Foster, Harvey Glass, Herman Everitt, D. Hall, L. O. Ryan, David Glass, Pat Kellis, Sterling Foster, and Miss Marvin Foster.

Mrs. Lester Foster, the new president, represented the hub of a wheel about which the six new officers made the spokes. The wheel was made of national colors, and each officer carried a miniature U. S. flag. Mrs. Hefley charged each to perform her duties faithfully and cheerfully. After receiving the gavel and accepting the office, Mrs. Foster paid a beautiful tribute to Mrs. Hefley, and presented her with a Past-President's pin, an honor placed where honor is due. Mrs. Foster extended greetings and best wishes for success to Miss Ethel Foster, candidate for President of the Texas Federation, to the charter members of the club, she charged each member to be loyal to her club, her community, and her nation, by doing her bit, what ever it may be, to help win the war.

Standing at attention and facing the flag each member pledged her allegiance to the flag and to the Republic for which it stands.

Twenty-three members answered roll call with a patriotic quotation. The course of study for the club year is "Emergency Activities in a War World". The foreword, the words of Daniel Webster, express the thought of the study: "No man

"GOING TO WHIP HELL OUT" OF 'EM

I had a letter from my good, old time friend, Judge W. A. Wright of San Angelo, the other day, and without his consent and knowledge, I am breaching the ethics of private correspondence by publishing a part of his letter for its fine sentimental value and patriotic expressions:

September 22, 1942,

Dear Bill:—

On Saturday of this month I will be 84 years old. I have had a bad case of the flu, and they brought me home from Ruidoso in an ambulance with appendicitis, and I got over it without an operation. It seems that I am not destined to die for a while yet, and yet I heard the guns of Chickamauga, and was old enough to remember it. I had an uncle, my mother's brother, Capt. Harry B. Rodgers, who was killed in the charge against Thomas at that famous battle.

In 1911, Judge Hill, Judge Blanks and myself were in Washington City and going through the hall in the Capitol where the statuary of distinguished Americans are placed, we saw many southern confederates among them, I said to my companions: "It took England many centuries to forget the War of the Roses and I expect to live to see the day when Jefferson Davis's statue is in this Hall". It has long been there now. The United States of America, is an united people, and in the end they are going to whip hell out of Hitler, Mussolini, and Japan. By the way Bill, I am glad that you seem to be in good health, and still running your paper as of old. As I remember, you are not over 30 years older than I am. Here's to you,—a long life, and many years of usefulness.

Sincerely your friend,
W. A. Wright

About the time this letter was being written, Ralph A. Bard, Assistant Secretary of the Navy told an audience that, "We are losing the war and we should damn well understand it."

Now comes Judge Wright and says: "In the end, they are going to whip hell out of Hitler, Mussolini and Japan."

Compare the two expressions of the situation and say which you like the better. Evidently, Mr. Bard was making an effort to stir the people up to their duties with this exaggeration.

No, we are not losing the war, and we are not going to lose it as long as we have stout hearted old scouts like Judge Wright who says and believes that in the end we will beat the tar out of that bloody gang. —Uncle Bill

can suffer too much, no man can fall too soon, if he suffer, or if he fall, in defense of the liberties and constitution of his country."

"Our Neighbors to the South" was the subject of Miss Ethel Foster's interesting talk on life in Mexico. Mrs. Herman Everitt played a medley of patriotic songs. When the notes of "Star Spangled Banner" began, all joined in sing the national anthem.

This year marks the 30th, anniversary of the club as a member of the Texas Federation.

Other club members present were Mesdames Herbert Cope, C. A. Bowen, H. L. Hildebrand, John Reed, W. N. Reed, R. P. Brown, O. M. Cole, W. L. Foster and Miss Prebbie, Durham.

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WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

What would you do if you had a son, husband, or sweetheart to return from the battle field and tell you that the men on board cried like babies when they saw the Statue of Liberty, and the men knelt and kissed the soil of America when they landed?

What would you do if you had a son, brother or father in the battle of the Solomons and he wrote home that he thought that the United States was still a-I ep, that he knew if we, in the U. S. A. realized what our American boys were up against we would work and keep working to help win the war as soon as possible?

We have a chance to help our boys by making Red Cross Surgical Dressings which is as important on the battle field as guns, ammunition and planes.

It is a sin to waste the tin.
It is greater to waste a tater,
It's up to you to save the scrap,
Which things are made to slam the Japs,
Little bits of iron, little bits of copper, steel,
Melted, hammered, rolled, make a great ship's keel,
Save the rubber, save the tin,
Gather it up and bring it in.

Don't worry about the war debt. All this money that we will owe at the end of the war will be owed to ourselves. It is circulating among ourselves and if we are saving what we can by buying war bonds, we can't go wrong. Remember, we owe no other nation any part of this debt. We will just owe it to ourselves and we have always taken care of ourselves.

TOOL USERS AND TOOL OWNERS

In a recent advertisement signed by a well-known business concern, this statement appeared: "My boss has 14 Grand tied up in me."

What that slangy use of words meant was that the average employee in industry represents a capital investment—in property, plant, machinery and equipment—of \$14,000. In other words, labor has jobs only when some business man, or group of investors, puts up the money necessary for the creation of jobs.

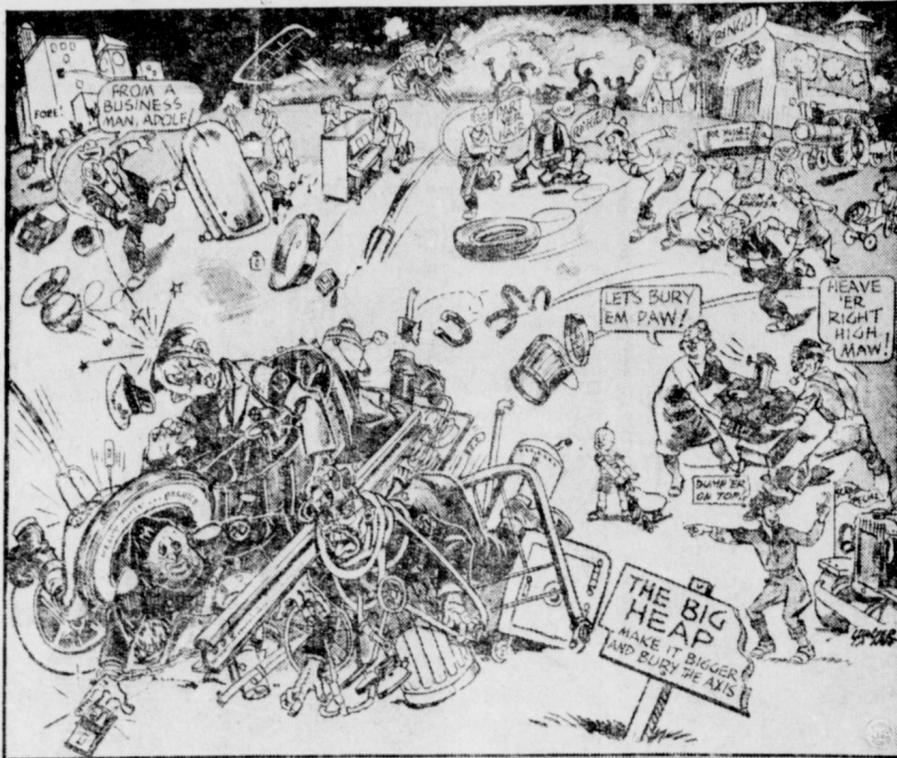
It was well said recently, by a student of economics, that men in governmental authority too often forget that while the rights of workers are being considered, the owner of the tools used by workers must also have some consideration.

After this war is over, the plants now devoted to military needs must be re-converted to peace-time activity; must be re-tooled for the kind of production they were engaged in when it became necessary to tool up for war. Labor will expect peace-time jobs then, but somebody must provide the money for re-converting and re-tooling. That money cannot be forthcoming unless enough profits or capital can be stored up to meet such requirements.

The First Job

Americans are impatient people, says the Farm Journal. Impatience never won a war. Soundly planned action, backed by enough power, wins victories. The job now is not to remake America, but to save it.

"NOT A SLACKER IN THE LOT..."



THIS cartoon was first published by the Omaha World-Herald, originator of the "Nebraska Scrap Plan." In three weeks the people of Nebraska collected 136,171,012 pounds of scrap metals for war industries. That is 136 pounds per capita for every man, woman and child in the state.

Young China



John Carroll takes time out from his role as a pilot in Republic's "Flying Tigers" to become acquainted with this appealing Chinese youngster, who is seen in the film as one of a group of refugee children. The picture centers about the activities of the American Volunteer Group in China, and is reputed to include some of the most stirring air sequences ever filmed. John Wayne and Anna Lee are the romantic duo.

Boy Scout Installation

The installation service for the Boy Scout Troop will be held in connection with a Court of Honor in the basement of the Methodist Church, Friday, Oct. 9th at 8:00 p. m. Troop No. 51 will be presented its annual charter by Mr. Paul Ireland of San Angelo. Committeemen and Scout Leaders will be installed.

At the Court of Honor the Second Class badge will be awarded to Claudell Reed and Joe David Crossno will be presented with a Merit Badge in Music.

All parents of Scouts as well as the entire public are cordially invited to attend these ceremonies.

Thanks

I wish to thank the ranchers of the North Concho River Watershed for the cooperative attitude they have shown me in working with them on the North Concho River Soil Conservation District.

I personally feel that during this national emergency I will be of maximum value to my country serving in the armed forces. I hope to be able to return and work with the ranchers of this district at the termination of the national emergency.—Wilson Brant



BUY WAR BONDS

Farmer-Executive Heads ACAA



M. Clifford Townsend, who says he'll "always be a farmer," is the new administrator of the Agricultural Conservation and Adjustment Administration. The former Governor of Indiana is contributing his full share to wartime farm production on his farm near Marion, Indiana, which he and his son, Max, operate in partnership. This year the farm will produce twice as much corn and twice as many hogs as in 1941, plus a huge crop of soybeans and an increased number of twice-sheared sheep. Townsend is shown here (a) at the wheel of his tractor, (b) examining his soybean crop with his son, (c) at his desk in Washington, D. C.

Boy's Primary Sunday School Class Has Party

The Primary Boys' Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church were guests at a party on the church lawn.

After activity games the children and their guests were served punch and cookies. Mary Mathis, the teacher of the class, was assisted by Clifford McCrury and Charley Edna Brooks.

Guest were Tommy and Bill Cole, Bob Mitchell, Edwin Aiken, Harry Blank, Bobby Finney, Hal Knight, Jr., Fred and Frank Bomer, Dick Bailey, Jackie Fuster, Shirley Langford, Paschal Brown and Miss Vivian Reese and Mrs. V. F. Bomer.

Red Cross Nursing

Classes in the Red Cross Home-Nursing Course will begin on Thursday, Oct. 15. The course will be taught by Mrs. J. H. Hughes, and every woman who has not had the standard course is urged to enroll and attend. Classes will be taught each Monday and Thursday for eight weeks and will held from nine to eleven o'clock in the morning; two until four in the afternoon; and seven until nine at night. The place of meeting is at the court house. To register for one of these classes, telephone Mesdames Harvey Glass, G. C. Murrell or Joe L. Snead. This course is sponsored by the Sterling City P. T. A.

GREEN CHICKS ARE HATCHED FROM EGGS WITH GREEN YOLKS

It sounds almost unbelievable, but at the International Baby Chick Convention in St. Louis, Missouri, last summer thousands of persons had their first opportunity to see colored chicks hatched from eggs with bright, vivid green yolks.

For several years now, poultry nutrition specialists have been controlling yolk color. The range of control has been from yolks with almost no color to a bright red or green. The purpose has been to show that a hen's ration not only directly controls yolk color but that it also controls certain nutrients and vitamins that are in the egg.

This year, Purina Mills decided to try hatching chicks from eggs with green yolks. What happened was so startling that the Purina display at the big annual convention of hatcherymen featured chicks hatched from green yolked eggs.

The display included a pen of five pullets eating a laying mash in which the green coloring matter was mixed. Actually, eggs with green yolks were produced right at the convention. Naturally, the eggs attracted a great deal of attention.

Each day, two newly hatched chicks from green yolked eggs that had been previously set were autopsied and displayed in a glass case. The effect of the ration fed the breeders could plainly be seen. It was amazing how the green coloring matter had been transferred from breeder hen's ration to the chick to the egg.

According to C. S. Johnson, head of the poultry department at Purina Mills, the importance of properly feeding breeder hens so they can put into their eggs the proper nutrients for the development of the chick embryo is becoming better understood each year. As a result, embryo feeding is taking its place alongside breeding, disease control, and incubation as one of the most important factors influencing livability, growth and future profit with chicks.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Essential in the equipment of every Soldier, Sailor, Marine or Flyer is a first aid kit, consisting of bandages and antiseptics for instantaneous use. These materials are packed into a compact box and cost about \$1.50 each.



We need millions of these first aid kits for emergency treatment. They are also used by Red Cross workers, in field hospitals and wherever needed until hospital treatment may be obtained. Even a child could buy one or more of these kits through purchase of War Stamps. Buy War Bonds and Stamps every pay day and invest at least ten percent of your income in these government securities. U. S. Treasury Department



Does a Telephone Ever Ring for You?

If it doesn't, you're missing something. A neighbor wants to say, "You folks come over" . . . a proud father wants to boast, "It's a nine-pound boy" . . . all your friends want to call you, but they can't . . . unless you have a telephone.

Call our business office. Order your telephone . . . today.

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Local Items

White Pigs for Sale.—W. Y. Beuge

My home in Sterling City for sale.
—Mrs. Lena Findt

Mrs. George Hull of Paris was the guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey last week.

Lt. and Mrs. Joe Mims came in from Albuquerque, New Mexico, last Monday for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Lt. Pug Garrett, Lt. Joe Mims and Pvt. H. W. Hart, were honor guests at the Lions Club last Wednesday at its weekly luncheon.

Mrs. M. B. McKnight accompanied by her son, Tom McKnight, spent last week end visiting her daughter and son-in law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Jeff Davis and family.

Jack Frost paid this area of West Texas a visit last Monday morning when he nipped tender vegetation in low places. He came about three weeks earlier than expected.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hart were visited by their three children, H. W. Hart, Jr. of Camp Polk, La., Mrs. M. B. McClure, of Abilene, and Mrs. R. P. Adams of Leuders, Texas.

Lt. and Mrs. Pug Garrett came in the first of the week from Albuquerque, New Mexico, to visit Lt. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett and other relatives here.

W. W. House of near Big Lake, was visiting friends and attending to business here last Wednesday. He says that range and stock conditions in his part of the country are fine.

Come! Join our classes. Help make surgical dressings.
Monday night, 7:00 until 10:00 o'clock; Tuesday afternoon, 2:00 until 5:30 o'clock. —Mrs. Lester Foster, Chairman.

The News-Record family is indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Foster for a generous lot of fine apples. These apples were grown on the Mills ranch about 14 miles southwest of Sterling City, and are of the finest quality. We thank you, Les and Tossie.

Tom Dee Davis and Miss Frances Aiken went to Temple last Friday. They returned Saturday accompanied by Mrs. Edwin Aiken who underwent a surgical operation at a hospital at Temple two weeks ago. Mrs. Aiken is much improved in health and will soon be her normal self again.

Methodist Church

Lowell O. Ryan Pastor
Church school 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock
Young People's Service 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock

Church of Christ

R. D. Smith, minister
You are invited to attend the services at the Church of Christ. You will always be welcome and your presence will be appreciated.
Bible class at 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.
Communion Services at 11:45
Preaching at 8:15, p. m.
Prayer meeting at 7:15 Wednesday evening.
A very cordial welcome.



From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

I MISSED getting my hair cut this morning on account of the scrap collection.

When I climbed into the barber chair, Ray says to me:

"Sorry, Joe. Ain't got time for you today. We're closing up this morning at ten."

And then I remembered. This was the day the town had agreed to drop everything—and I mean everything—and collect scrap for Uncle Sam.

Yes sir, the drugstore, the corner garage, Sam Abernethy's general store—every place in town except the post office—closed up tight today from 10 to 5.

And you ought to see the result piled up in front of the fire house. One hundred and fifty tons of metal that had been lying around in attics, cellars and back yards of our town since Charlie Jenkins' great-grandfather joined up with the Texas Rangers.

That's almost 200 lbs. of metal for every man, woman and child in our town. Just shows you—when American citizens go out to do a job for Uncle Sam they do it right.

Judge Cunningham and I were talking about it this evening, sitting on the front porch and having a sociable beer together.

We agreed that the way this town went all out to collect scrap was a pretty good illustration of how Democracy works. No need to crack a whip... no need to pass a law... just self-determined folks working hand in hand to get a job done for their own people.

Because from where I sit, that's what we're fighting for—the right to work together—of our own accord. To do the job because we want to, not because somebody tells us to. And when the job's done, to relax as we see fit.

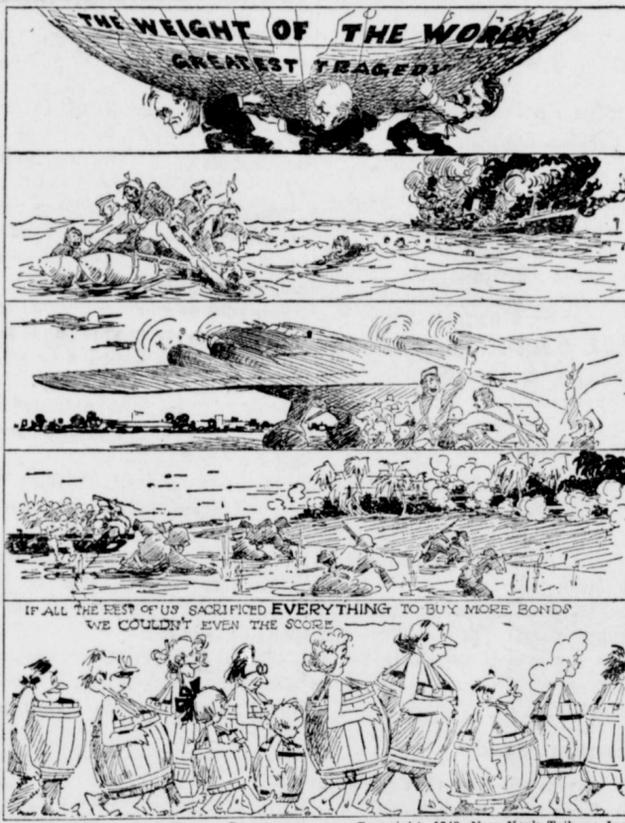
And the Judge agreed. He pointed out that one of the things that helps folks get together is just what we were doin' now.

It's great, after a good day's work, to be able to have a chat and a glass of beer if you want to.

Joe Marsh

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We Can't Equal Their Sacrifices, but We Might Try



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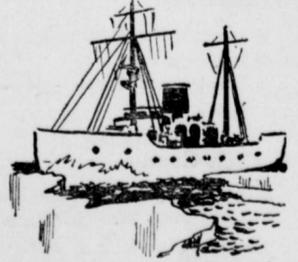
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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

It is imperative that the ship lanes be kept free of ice. With American troops occupying Iceland and the Navy using the northern route for transportation of supplies to Russia, ice breakers are essential to Naval operations. The ice breaker is a specially constructed ship with heavily armored bows and powerful engines that crush the ice floes rather than ram through them.



Ice breakers of the Kickapoo class operating in the North Atlantic cost approximately \$10,000,000. You can help our Navy build these ships by investing at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every payday. Enroll in the payroll savings plan or apply at the nearest bank or postoffice. U. S. Treasury Department

Palace Theatre
Now Showing

Saturday, only
October 3

Nat Pendleton
Sterling Holloway

in
"Top Sergeant Mulligan"

Also Short Subjects

COMING!
Three Days

Sunday-Monday-Tuesday
October 4-5-6

Ray Milland
Paulette Goddard

in
"Reap the Wild Wind"

This is one of the latest and best pictures

Wednesday and Thursday
October 7-8

Laird Cregar
William Gargan
Alan Mowbray
Allyn Joselyn
Elisha Cook, Jr.

in
"I Wake Up Screaming"

Short Subjects

Saturday and Sunday
October 10-11

James Cagney
Dennis Morgan
Alan Hale

in
"Captain of the Clouds"

Also News of the Day
Selected Short Subject

SUNDAY MATINEE
3:30 P. M.

Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following candidates for offices in Sterling County subject to the action of the Democratic party in its primary elections in August 1942

- For Congressman 21st District
O. C. Fisher
- For State Senator
Penrose B. Metcalfe
- For Representative 91st District
Dorsey B. Hardeman
- For District Attorney
Ralph Logan
- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector
V. E. Davis
- For County Judge:
G. C. Muffell
- For County and District Clerk:
Prebble Durham
- For County Treasurer:
Thad Green
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
R. T. Foster
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
Herbert Cope
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
L. R. Knight
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. N. Reed

Baptist Church
Sunday

- A. m.
- 10:00 Sunday School lesson
- 11:00 Worship Service
- P. m.
- 7:45 Training union
- 8:30 Evening worship
Wednesday
- P. m.
- 4:00 Missionary Society
- 8:00 Weekly Teachers meeting
- 8:30 Mid week Devotional
- We welcome you,
Claude Stovall, pastor

Sterling Floral Shop

Beth Lee, Owner
Cut Flowers, Plants,
Bulbs, Shrubs
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Electric and Acetylene welding, brazing and cutting. Broken parts of iron or steel made as good as new. All work fully guaranteed.

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Windmill Work a Specialty
SAM SIMMONS At W. H. Sparkman Shop

EAGLE'S EYES

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Bleacher-Halfback Wedding

In a most impressive ceremony, Miss Sally Bleacher, played by Fred Mitchell, became the bride of Bill Halfback, played by Dan Dearen, on Tuesday morning.

The wedding party entered to the strains of the traditional Lohengrin.

The bride was lovely in a royal blue princess-lined housecoat and rose curtain scrim floor length veil which fell from a lace-paper doily-bonnet-effect coronet. She carried a battle-marked football from which were suspended sunflowers on rose streamers.

The groom attired in a dashing black and white official's shirt sprinted in just in time to claim the lovely bride.

The bridesmaid, Billy Chesney, also chose a princess blue chenille housecoat with a white picture hat which was most fetching with its black streamers. Her bouquet was of field flowers.

The flower girl was little Scooter Carr, who was adorable in a quaint veil dress trimmed with white embroidery. She threw purple and gold paper from a football helmet. She wore a harmonizing ribbon in her hair.

The ring bearer was Johnny Dawson clad in a flashy new purple and gold suit and football shoes. He did a miraculous performance in balancing the ring, a roll of adhesive tape, on a football.

The father, Weldon Philip, was dignity personified in a basketball sweater. He, as well as all the men, wore a dahlia boutonier.

Tom Dee Davis who served Mr. Halfback as best man, wore a plaid shirt with a harmonizing sash.

The minister, Durward Chapman, entered into the spirit of the festive occasion by donning a red tie and a most villainous black mustache. His meaningful wedding vows were read from an official six-man football rule book.

Little Ewing Fowler McEntire brought up the rear of the wedding procession as train bearer. He was cunning in khaki knee pants, red and white dot blouse and white bow tie.

The wedding vows were read before an altar banked with sunflowers and after the ceremony a rip snorting pep rally was held, while the bride threw a lateral pass which was intercepted by the fortunate bridesmaid who caught the bouquet football. All are anticipating another happy marriage.

Foot Ball Financial Statement

Garner game	\$45.65
Tax	4.15
Paid to Garner	25.00
Paid to Referee	5.00
Total amount left	11.50
Water Valley game	\$36.00
Tax	3.27
Referee	10.00
Total amount left	22.73
Total of net amounts	\$34.23

A new student, Madeline Rusk, has been enrolled in the sophomore class. Madeline comes to Sterling from Pampa, Texas.

Homemaking Highlights

Our sensation for the week is a very pretty and cunningly made dressing table. All three classes worked hard on this project. This feminine attraction sets our dressing room off perfectly. The color scheme carried out in blue, rose and ivory. The dressing table was constructed from an old machine cabinet. It is covered with blue print for its petticoat, and then a tiered skirt, very full of ivory skrim, with a border of blue ribbon. A glass top was made from some old bark case shelves.

For a little dressing table stool we covered a nail keg in a similar manner to the dressing table.

We are riting some old curtains to be hung straight from the windows. We have companion pictures mounted on ivory boards on each side of the mirror.

We know now that you can have a most attractive dressing room, with a little hard work, a package of rit and odds and ends found in the attic or garage. Try it sometime.

Homemakers III Have Dinner

Charley Edna Brooks presided as host, June Augustine as hostess, Alma Lawson as guest, Jerrrie Snead as little girl, and Mary Earl Welch as little boy at an attractively served and palatably prepared dinner. The menu was as follows: Lima Beans and Corn Beef Casserole
 Buttered Carrots
 Baked Irish Potatoes
 Congealed Orange-Pineapple Salad
 Hot Biscuits and Butter
 Vanilla Ice Cream

The table laid in white linen was decorated with red roses in a deep blue vase. The purpose of the meal was to ration our time, as a housewife as so many working girls must do now.

Serving and on the preparation committee were Georga Bell Martin, Sue Everitt, Frances Hudson, Clara Mae Augustine, Marjorie Humble

P.-T. A. Membership Drive

On Monday, letters were sent to each home regarding the P. T. A. membership drive. If your child failed to bring such a letter home, the staff is printing the letter here:

Dear School Mother:
 The P. T. A. of Sterling City is now beginning in earnest its drive for membership. Will you please send in your membership dues this week? The dues are 50 cents. We would like for each mother to become a member. Thank you for your co-operation in our membership drive.

Mrs. Fowler McEntire, Chairman.
 Mrs. J. L. Snead, President.

Regardless of the number of children a mother has in school, she pays only one membership fee of 50 cents. The money may be sent by your child to his home room.

Three Faculty Members Have Twin Brother or Sister

Sterling City School boasts of having three members on the faculty who have twin brothers or sisters.

Mr. Burnett has a twin brother, Lloyd, a Bonham welder; Miss Mary Mathis a twin sister, Martha, a teacher in the Lubbock schools; and Miss Clifford McCrury has a twin brother, Clifton, a student at Sam Houston State Teacher's College.

There are also twin girls in the first grade, Joyce and Gay Murry.

Library Decorated

The school library is being re-decorated in a green and yellow color scheme.

The plans were made by the home economics department who has also made the curtains and the painting is being done by the library staff.

When the work is completed, the library staff extends an invitation to visitors.

Rhythm Band

The First, Second and Third Grade Rhythm Band, will make their first appearance Oct. 8 at the P. T. A. The hour will be three o'clock.

The musical group will be dressed in full cowboy and cowgirl regalia ready to make their spurs Jingle, Jangle, Jingle.

Examinations for Teachers Certificates

The State Department of Education has announced that examinations will be given to any person over 18 years of age or has graduated from high school. Persons who pass this examination will be granted a second-grade teachers' certificate. These examinations will be given in Sterling on Oct. 17th. it is believed.

First Grade

The First Grade had two visitors Monday, Wanda Welch and Bernice Ann, of Leuders, Texas, who is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hart.

Eighteen boys and girls were very happy when they received their first new book this week. They have forty-seven words now in their vocabulary.

Second Grade

We are enjoying working arithmetic in our new workbooks.

We wish to thank Mrs. Welch for the picture, "The Boy and a Rabbit".

Fifth Grade

Six of us remembered to bring our money for Defense Stamps last week and we hope more will buy stamps this week.

We are reading Library Books this week. They are very good and we plan to read all of them.

Our class enjoyed the visit to the Bakery last week. Mrs. Carr was so nice.

Sixth Grade

Margaret Ritter went to Eldorado over the week end.

Miss Allen, our teacher, went to her home.

Eighth Grade

We received our history notebooks last week. We were far behind in them and are working in our notebooks now. We are working in other notebooks too.

Buford Chesney was elected as vice president of the junior class to fill the vacancy left by the withdrawal of L. B. Hallmark.

WE WONDER

Why Marylene blushed when four soldiers winked at her in front of Trion's Sunday afternoon.

Why Marylene, Arlene, Maudine and Jerry were so happy Friday afternoon.

Why Fred, Billy, Dan and Tom Dee have changed their preference to blondes since Monday morning.

How Fred manages everything so smooth? Jerrrie Sunday afternoon and Jannie Sunday night.

Why a senior girl likes polo players.

If another senior girl doesn't especially like the idea?

Why two people were so cold Saturday night?

If a senior boy had to walk home. What's going on in the senior room that's a secret concerning two juniors?

If there wasn't a mix-up Friday night?

What girl likes convertibles? Who was hunting a certain brunette soph this week end and where she was?

Why Sue looks foward to the mail from Lubbock? Couldn't be she knows somebody in Tech. It could be.

Why a senior girl has so much correspondence?

Why all S.H.S. but the seniors are so curious?

SENIOR QUESTION BOX

Joy—Where is that tall, dark, handsome friend of yours? "Gone but not forgotten."

Fred, why are you trying to get all of Billy's girl-friends? "Can I help it if Jerry and Jannie prefer me."

Marylene, did all the soldiers turn around when you whistled Sunday in Trion's? "Well, two of them did, but I'll do better next time."

Billy, do you still prefer brunettes? "Not exactly, Madeline is a blond and not meaning Madeline Carrol."

Joe, do you agree with Billy? "On the last question, yes, but not when he says she shouldn't go with anyone but him."

Scooter, do you still like films in the lab? "Yes, and so does Marylene."

Tom Dee, where did you get that S.A.H.S fish cap? "Some of the females there are plenty ok and I don't do so bad"

Arlene, have you decided between a certain two? "Absence makes the heart grow fonder (of the other guy.)"

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June: "I refused Harry two months ago, and he has been drinking hard ever since."

Jerry: "Well, I say that is carrying a celebration a little too far."

Billy: "I wish the boys wouldn't call me Big Bill."

Dan: "Why?"

Billy: "These nicknames stick and I am studying to be a doctor."

Georga Bell—Do you like "Totsy" for a name? "If Weldon wants to call me Totsy, I do."



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