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PRUNING THE TREE OF LIBERTY

Senator Lee O'Daniel comes now and proposes an amendment to the National Constitution to limit the number of terms the president shall be allowed to serve.

Our forefathers in making the constitution did not limit the terms of office a president might hold, but left that matter up to the judgment of the people who elect him.

For over a hundred and sixty years the people of these United States has been exercising this God given liberty of exercising their judgment in choosing their chief executive, and to my thinking, they have not gone far wrong. The only limit to the qualification of the president is that he is 35 years old and a natural born citizen of the United States.

Now comes Senator Lee O' and proposes to deny us the privilege of voting for the man of our choice because he had served as president before the date of election.

The right of exercising our judgment in voting for president as well as all other officers who serve the people, is one limb of the tree of liberty that I do not want Lee O' or anyone else to prune.

Evidently, Senator Lee O' does not have much confidence in the judgment of the people of this country to choose a president, or he would not seek to eliminate a right and a freedom that have been exercised and enjoyed for over a hundred and sixty years.

When Mr. Roosevelt had served two terms of four years each and he was proposed for the third term a mighty protest went up because no other president had ever served more than two terms. No other president had done quite so well. That was the only reason: he had served two terms. The people needed him in a crisis and they used their judgment and elected him for the third time and no one can truthfully say that he has not made good and fulfilled our expectations.

In exercising their judgment, the people like to keep a good and efficient man in office as long as he is making good, because they know that it takes at least one term for a man to become trained for the duties the office imposes. They know that a new man must be trained in order to give good service. They further know that all this training must be at their expense, therefore, when they get a man who suits them, they want the privilege of keeping him as long as they deem wise.

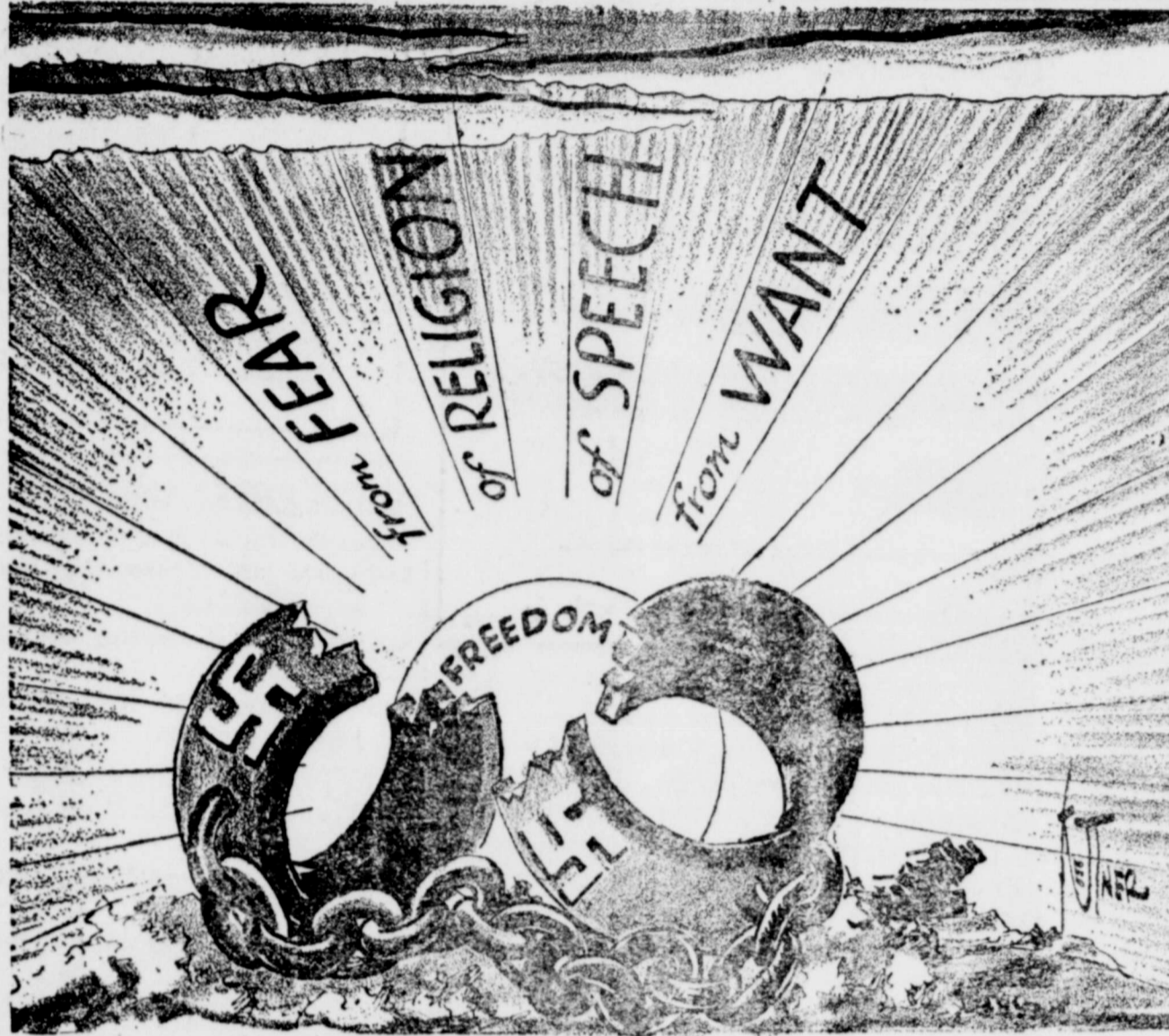
That is the reason we keep some in office so long. We know a good thing when we see it. In Sterling County, our sheriff has been in office 19 years. Commissioner Bill Reed was already serving his second term when Vern Davis was inducted. Miss Prebble Durham has been County Clerk for more than a decade and Commissioner Roy Foster has served about the same time.

Why do we keep these people in office so long? Why not let others in to enjoy emoluments of office? Well, ask a ranchman why he does not change the well trained horse he rides for a wild one on the range. Ask him why he doesn't fire his well trained, honest cowhands and hire green hands in their places and he will laugh at your want of judgment. He knows what it means to train new men and wild horses.

So it is with people. We know a

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Armistice



Girl Scouts Hold Court of Awards

Sterling City Girl Scouts had their first court of awards recently. Mrs. James Kidd, West Texas Area Supervisor from the National Girl Scout Headquarters was with us and presented the girls their awards. The Brownie troop received their membership cards and troop certificate and aided Troop No. 1, the Intermediate Scouts in receiving their girl Scout pins and second class badges. The High School Girl Scout troop were officially awarded their Senior Service caps for work completed which entitles them to be full fledged Senior Service Scouts. The troop leaders and the Girl Scout committee appreciated very much the presence of the Boy Scouts and their leader and of all others who attended the Girl Scouts first Court of Awards.

Last Sat. Troop No. 1 with their leader, Mrs. Claude Collins, and assistant leader, Mrs. Dan Ritter, spent the day exploring Tower Hill on the Worth Allen ranch south of town. A great time was had by all on this site which is perhaps one of the most historical spots in our country. The girls regretted very much that Uncle Bill was unable to accompany them and tell them the story of the battle fought there many years ago, but are more anxious than ever now to hear it.

The Girl Scout Committee would like to report that the services of Mrs. James Kidd, West Texas Area Supervisor, stationed in Dallas, has been secured for the next year to aid in training our local girl scout leaders in their work. She will be with us once every two months. The leaders are very happy over having this help with their work.

Soil Conservation News North Concho District

J. R. Mims, a District Supervisor, of Water Valley, delivered his lambs last week, weighing 74.7 pounds, pay weight.

Riley J. King built two water spreading terraces last week, which will add extra water to 190 acres of grass land. Mr. King also built 11 road diversions, 3 gully diversions

PRETTY HOME FRONT WORKER



SOUTH BEND, IND.—With three of four brothers in the armed forces, Ruth Muncil helps on the home front. Here she is acting as a laboratory assistant making a test to insure the high quality of USG Roofing. Frequent tests are made of roofing felt, asphalt for saturating the felt, asphalt coatings and mineral granules to make sure that the finished roofing meets the high standards required by the manufacturer. Millions of feet of USG Asphalt Roofing have gone on barracks, warehouses, war housing and other war buildings, as well as to maintain the roofs of civilian workers.

and 106 miles of fireguards. On slopes the fire guards were blocked to prevent erosion and loss of water. This work was done with the County equipment.

W. B. Welch has a good growth of buffalo grass, side oats grama, and hairy grama on the pasture he deferred last summer. This pasture will be used for wintering his breeding ewes.

Roland L. Lowe is building a system of water spreading terraces on his field.

Herman Garlington has helped to solve the protein feed shortage by growing oats on the field which he terraced last year. The oats, a close growing crop, will hold the soil on the new terraces in place.

Richard Abernathy suffered the loss of a little finger at Camp Haan, Calif., recently while operating a big gun. He writes that his hand was in the "wrong place" when the gun fired. Richard says the hurt is rapidly healing and he is getting along all right.

Guard Against Tuberculosis

"It has been well said that procrastination not only is the thief of time, but frequently the thief of health and life," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today. "Indeed, medical records in doctors' offices and hospitals prove that many persons die not because they are victims of disease, but because they do not receive early diagnosis and proper treatment for their condition. An outstanding example of this fact is the great number of deaths from tuberculosis that could have been prevented.

"Tuberculosis is a powerful enemy no matter what its stage, but the facts remain that early discovery and adequate treatment offer the best opportunity for cure. If the patient upon being told that he has tuberculosis cooperates fully with the strict regimen and discipline outlined for him, the disease can usually be overcome."

Dr. Cox said that in line with some of the other major killers, tuberculosis is insidious in its approach. Acute pain and discomfort are absent usually, and the symptoms are so comparatively mild that the patient is thrown off guard and consider them of little importance. Herein lies the real slaying ability of tuberculosis.

"The symptoms which, singly or in combination, demand an immediate checkup by the doctor are easy tiring, a persistent cough, and continued loss of weight.

"While it is true that any of these symptoms can be present without the patient having tuberculosis, this is no reason to imagine that such is the case. Therefore, if one is suffering from any of these manifestations, the only sensible and safe thing to do is seek the advice of the family physician at once," Dr. Cox warned. "If such a course is pursued, and the condition turns out to be not serious, nothing has been lost. On the other hand, if tuberculosis is discovered, the patient by doing the wisest possible thing has probably saved his life."

A song service will be held at the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All invited to join in.

Christmas Mails in November

There can be no assurance, in view of the unavoidable handicaps of war, that gifts and cards mailed in the weeks immediately preceding Christmas will be delivered on time. Such matter must not impede the movement of war materials and personnel and military mail.

Transportation facilities are heavily burdened. The only way in which deliveries of Christmas mails can be made on time is by spreading the mailings over a longer period so that available transportation equipment and postal personnel can be used during more weeks.

Special efforts should be made also to extend the use of postal delivery zone numbers on all mail addressed to cities having that system, because the numbers expedite mail distribution.

The Postal Establishment today is delivering record-breaking volumes of mail and also is performing huge extraordinary wartime tasks. The Christmas mails will be in addition to all these services, which must be kept at a maximum efficiency. We must have public cooperation if these mails are to be delivered on time.

Last year, at the urging of postal people, the public did start its mailings earlier than usual, but the volume was small. There was a deluge of later mailings, and people who did not mail within the time specified by the Post Office Department learned to their regret that their friends did not receive the cards and gifts until after Christmas.

THE WAR HAS DISLOCATED THE CHRISTMAS MAILING SEASON. THIS YEAR, NOVEMBER IS THE TIME FOR MAILING CHRISTMAS GIFTS AND CARDS. GIFTS SHOULD BE MARKED, "DO NOT OPEN UNTIL CHRISTMAS."

If that message is spread widely through the local organizations, it will then be up to the public to make its decision. If the decision is to mail early gifts and cards will arrive on time.

Post-War Is Topic at Wimodausis Club

Twenty Wimodausis Club members met with Mrs. L. R. Reed, Nov. 3. They answered roll call with "Post-war expectations."

Mrs. D. Hail was Forum leader on "The U. S. in a New World." She was assisted by Mrs. John Reed who talked on "War's Influence on Religion." Mrs. C. A. Bowen who spoke on the "War's Aid to Science" and Miss Prebble Durham discussed "The War Effects Industry."

The club president, Mrs. Lester Foster, announced that Mrs. Whitehurst, G. F. W. C. president, will speak in the Municipal Auditorium in San Angelo, Nov. 12.

Club members have purchased \$29,968.00 in bonds and \$1700 in stamps since April.

The club will meet with Miss Prebble Durham, Nov. 24.

Lt. R. D. Garrett, with the Ordnance Dept., came in on a furlough last Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett. As a coincidence, Lt. R. D. met his brother, Lt. Pug Garrett, who is also on leave to visit his home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett have another son, Sgt. Will Garrett, who is somewhere in the Pacific dealing with the Japs. Lt. Pug is a bombardier and has seen hard service in North Africa. Lt. R. D. received his commission last Saturday.

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WHISKEY

The late tax on whiskey is \$8 per gallon. When you buy a quart of whiskey, you pay \$2 revenue to the government. This tax is too much, unless you want to reinstate the bootlegger paradise.

The moonshiner can afford to take chances on making whiskey at \$8 per gallon. About four gallons of "white dawn" can be made from a bushel of corn.

Most anybody capable of building a hen's nest can build a still. Even a cornfield colored man can operate it and be his own sales manager.

It is not a case of whiskey or no whiskey, but it is a case of whether it is sold legally, or illegally. If the bootlegger sells it, he gets the revenue. It is a fine break for the bootlegger. Anyone should see that.

But we read in the paper where a moonshiner can't make whiskey because he can't get sugar. Sugar is the least of the moonshiner's troubles. He can make whiskey without sugar. The old timer didn't need sugar. Of course, sugar is desirable in making whiskey, but it is not necessary. The grain used in making whiskey has the makings of sugar.

The moonshine whiskey is not at all wholesome or safe, but who does an old souse care about the quality of the whiskey he drinks just so it turns him into a slobbering idiot? Bootleg whiskey can always be depended on to do that. I am afraid that \$8 revenue tax on a gallon of whiskey is giving the bootlegger too much of a break.—Uncle Bill

A LETTER TO MOTORISTS

"Today my daughter who is seven years old, started to school as usual. She wore a dark blue dress with white collar. She had on black shoes and wore blue gloves. Her cocker spaniel whose name is 'Coo' sat on the front porch and whined his canine belief in the folly of education as she waved 'good-bye' and started off to the hall of learning.

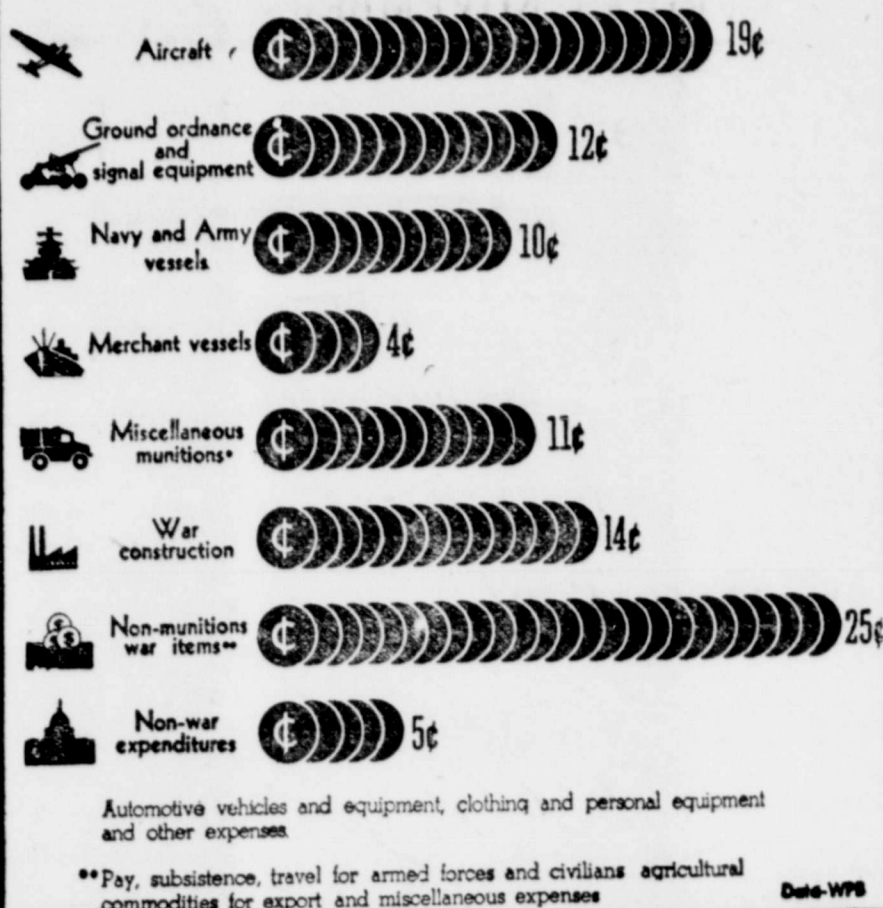
Tonight we talked about school. She told me about the girl who sits in front of her—the girl with yellow curls—and the boy across the aisle who makes funny faces. She told me about her teacher, who has eyes in the back of her head—and about the tree in the school yard—and about the big girl who doesn't believe in Santa Claus. We talked about a lot of things—tremendously vital, important things; and then we studied spelling, reading, arithmetic—and then to bed.

She's back there now—back in the nurse's sound asleep, with 'princess Elizabeth' (that's a doll) cuddled in her right arm.

You guys wouldn't hurt her, would you? You see I'm her daddy. When her doll is broken or her finger is cut, or head gets bumped, I can fix it—but when she starts to school, when she walks across the street, then she's in your hands.

YOUR TAX- AND BOND-DOLLAR

HOW THE GOVERNMENT SPENDS IT
(First Half of 1943)



She's a nice kid. She runs like a deer, and darts about like a chipmunk. She likes to ride horses and swim and hike with me on Sunday afternoons. But I can't be with her all the time—I have to work to pay for her clothes and education. So please help me look out for her. Please drive slowly past the schools and intersections—and please remember that children run from behind parked cars.

Please don't run over my little girl."—Eufaula (Ala.) Tribune

PRUNING THE

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good thing when we see it and want to keep it. We have kept these officials all these years because they suit us. Because they are honest, faithful and efficient. Had they not been, we would have discarded them

to these many years. President Roosevelt suited us and we gave him the third term, but Senator Lee O' wants to be Senator from Texas until his britches rot off. He would never want to see a law passed that limited the terms of a senator—not Sen. Lee O'. But he would like to trim the tree of liberty of the limb that our wise old forefathers left as a heritage to us in using our judgment to select the best men to serve us.

This is one privilege that Sen. Lee O' would like to take from us.

As for me, I would not like to see the greatest heritage of our people taken from them. He ought to leave this matter alone and let the folks decide for themselves. If they want a fourth term for Roosevelt let them have it. If not, good and well. They know what they want. They ought to decide notwithstanding Sen. Lee O' thinks different.—Uncle Bill

BONDS OVER AMERICA

Less than 100 people live in Santa Claus, Indiana, but each year the postmaster sends out more than half a million Christmas cards and packages. Nearby is a granite statue of Santa Claus, dedicated to children of the world.

Santa Claus' Post Office



In the Nazi slave countries of Poland, Greece, Jugoslavia little children starve to death, the older and stronger ones are sold into slavery where they can live but a few sad years at the most.

Keep On Backing the Attack With War Bonds

A SOLDIER SPEAKS

So you are sick of the country's run, And you're sick of the way the rationing's done, And you're sick of standing around in a line, You're sick, you say—well, that's just fine. So am I sick of the sun and heat, And I'm sick of the feel of my aching feet, And I'm sick of the mud and jungle flies, And I'm sick of the stench when the night mists rise, And I'm sick of the siren's wailing shriek, And I'm sick of the groans of the wounded and weak, And I'm sick of the sound of the bomber's dive, And I'm sick of seeing the dead alive, I'm sick of the roar and the noise and the din, I'm sick of the taste of food from a tin, And I'm sick of the slaughter—I'm sick to my soul, I'm sick of playing a killer's role, And I'm sick of blood and of death

and the smell, And I'm even sick of myself as well, But I'm sicker still of a tryout's rule, And conquered lands where the wild beasts drool, And I'm cured damn quick when I think of the day, When all this hell will be out of the way, When none of this mess will have been in vain, And the lights of the world will blaze again, And things will be as they were before, And kids will laugh in the streets once more, And the Axis' flags will be dipped and furled, And God looks down on a peaceful world.

—Maude Harget in the "Washington Times-Herald"

AIDS VICTORY PROGRAM



CHICAGO, ILL.—Miss Elizabeth Kelsey, above, engineering correlator at Zenith Radio plant here, is author of the first comprehensive reference guide to Ultra High Frequencies to be published in the field of Radionics, a book that is helping to shorten the war by aiding in the training of radio technicians for the Army and Navy. But Miss Kelsey's talents, in addition to her highly technical accomplishments in the field of frequency modulation, include recognition as an artist in oil paintings, awards for photographic salon prints, and an outstanding ability as a violinist. Miss Kelsey is author of "Trail Blazers to Radionics," which is being distributed by Zenith without cost to physicists, radio engineers, teachers, students, and thousands of men in the communications branches of the armed forces. Copies may be secured by writing to E. Kelsey, 680 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 11, Illinois.

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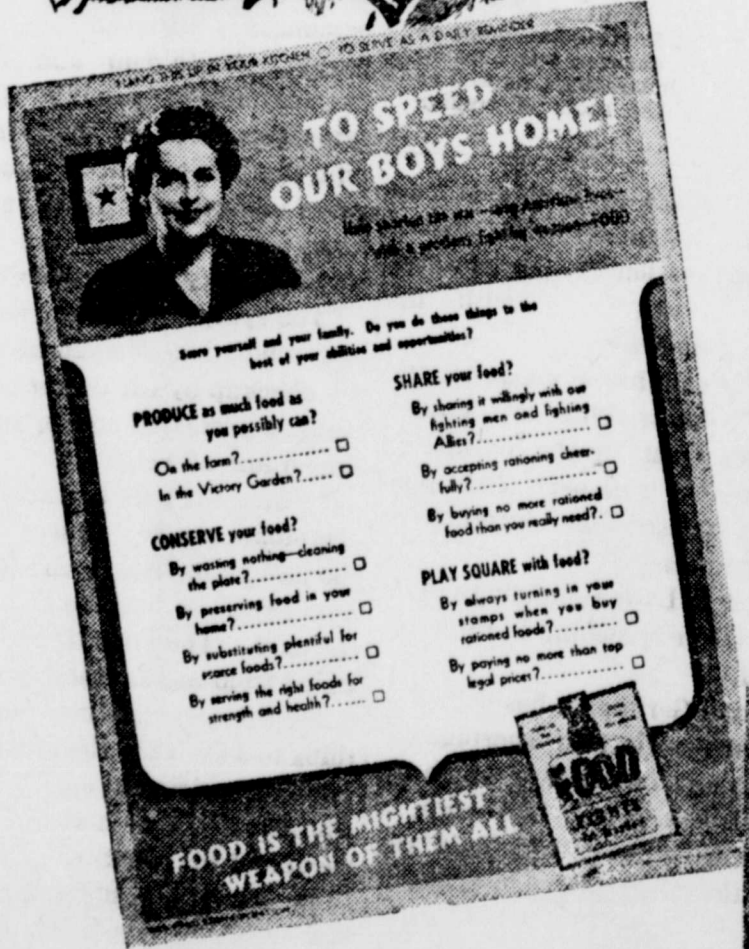
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Local Items

Sgt. Lloyd S. King has returned home from service in New Guinea, having served in the Armed Forces there for almost a year.

Capt. and Mrs. Tommy Foster came in yesterday to spend a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster.

T-Cpl Geo Garner, with the armed forces stationed somewhere on the West Coast, and Mrs. Garner of Pecos, came in last Friday for a brief visit with Mr Garner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Garner.

Mrs. I. C. Bagwell of Riverside, California, came in last Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Kellis and other relatives and friends here. Mrs. Bagwell, before her marriage, was Miss Vera Kellis, who was well known to the older set in Sterling.

Red Cross Workers

Red Cross Workers Monday night were: Mesdames W. B. Allen, Sterling Foster, John Walraven, Lee Hunt, Joe Emery, Henry Malloy, W. R. Hudson, Lee Augustine, Roy Foster, Aaron Clark W Y Benge, Sr., G. C. Murrell, and Miss Flo Allen.

Red Cross workers Tuesday afternoon were: Mesdames G.H. Cannon, V.F. Bomer, Sterling Foster, Henry Malloy, Warren Garms, E.B. Butler, Lura McClellan, Joel R. Barton, D. Hall, Joe Emery, W. N. Reed, and Seth Biley.

Poultry Raisers

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YOUNG AMERICA DOES ITS BIT, TOO



CHICAGO, ILL.—Herman Oost, Harvard, Ill., above, is shown with his prize winning Berkshire cross hog which was awarded grand champion honors at the Junior Champion Hog show at the Stock Yards here recently. Oost is one of America's young farm boys who is aiding in the government's big drive to increase food production, and raising Berkshire hogs is young Oost's contribution to the program. Berkshire cross hogs swept all honors at the show, also winning top awards in both champion pen of three and champion pen of five, shown by other young Mid-west farmers.

CONVERTED FARM TRACTOR FIRST VEHICLE TO BE CALLED "JEEP"



MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—The name "Jeep" was first given to a converted MM farm tractor, shown above, and used during maneuvers at Camp Ripley in 1940. This military tractor was termed "Jeep" by James T. O'Brien, then a private in the 109th Ordnance Company, Minnesota National Guards, who now is a First Sergeant in the United States Army. Sergeant O'Brien says he called it "Jeep" because it could go almost anywhere and knew all the answers just like the "Jeep" in the Popeye cartoons, who also knew all the answers and if treated right could do many unusual things. This dispels the popular misconception that the nickname came from the contraction of the words "General Purpose" (GP), an Army and agricultural tractor term. "Jeep" became Army parlance and it is acknowledged that if it were from "General Purpose" the spelling would be "Geep." The original Minneapolis-Moline Jeep was a four wheel drive machine made expressly for pulling big guns and heavy equipment now used on many battle fronts.

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Friday and Saturday November 12-13

Johnny Weissmuller Francis Gifford

In

"Tarzan Triumphs"

--and--

James Cagney in

"Oklahoma Kid"

News of the Day and selected short subjects

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday November 14-15-16

Chester Morris Richard Arlen Jimmy Lydon

In

"Aerial Gunner"

News of the Day Short Subjects

Wednesday and Thursday November 17-18

George Brent Brenda Marshall

In

"You Can't Escape Forever"

Also News of the Day Selected Short Subjects

Friday and Saturday November 19-20

Brenda Joyce Richard Fraser

In

"Thumbs Up"

--PLUS--

Don "Red" Barry

In

"Thundering Trails"

Short Subjects

SUNDAY MATINEE 3:00 P. M.



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Sterling City, Texas

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Sunday

A.M.

10:00 Sunday School lesson

11:00 Worship Service

P.M.

7:15 Training union

8:00 Evening worship

Monday afternoon

3:00 Missionary Society

4:15 Sunbeams

Wednesday

P.M.

7:30 Weekly Teachers meeting

8:30 Mid week Devotional

Come to these services, you are welcome, and you will enjoy the fine fellowship and hospitality of all our people.

Claude Stovall, pastor

Methodist Church

Lowell O. Ryan

Pastor

Church school 10:30 a.m.

Morning worship, 11 o'clock

Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock

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AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



On the far side of a knoll exposed to enemy guns in the Solomons, one of Pfc. Rondell Lyons' comrades was wounded. Marine Private Lyons brought him in. Another man was hit. Lyons brought him, too, to safety. The injured men were thirsty. But all canteens were empty, and the Japs had the only water hole covered. Lyons went out in the face of continuous Jap fire and brought back water for his comrades. For this he wears the Silver Star. He risked his life for his fellows. The least we can do is buy more War Bonds for them.

Scrap Paper Drive in School

Last Monday in an assembly of the entire Sterling School body, Mr. Carter, agriculture teacher, got a contest started among the various grades in the collection of scrap paper.

According to Mr. Carter, the grade collecting the most scrap paper during the week of Nov. 8-12 will receive a prize of five dollars given by the Boy Scouts. There also will be a prize of three and two dollars for the second and third place winner.

The classes will be paid fifteen cents per hundred pounds by the P.T.A. The paper collected by the school children will be turned over to the Boy Scouts, who are trying to gather up 20,000 pounds.

In addition to the local contest there is now in progress a national contest in which the Sterling school is participating. The school in the U. S. who collects the most pounds of paper per pupil will be the scene of the famous radio program, "Truth or Consequence" sometime in the near future.

Holidays Announced

Supt. Hale announced to the students last Monday the schedule for the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

For the Thanksgiving holidays, school will be dismissed on Wednesday, Nov. 24, and work will be resumed on the following Monday.

The Christmas holidays will begin at 4 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 22. School will again take up on Monday, Jan. 3.

Backwards Dance Sponsored by Sophomores

The Sophomores are sponsoring a backwards dance in the school gymnasium Friday night, Nov. 12. The dance is backward in that the girls secure the dates for the dance. Likewise the dance will be a girl's tag.

All high school is invited to attend the dance.

LOOK OUT!

BY GADABOUT

This week-end, five girls seemed to be rather crowded. Two seniors, two ex-S.H.S.'ers and one junior were reported to have had a swell time. I haven't any idea what happened, but if you are interested, just ask Jerrie.

Some grade school girls and boys have a habit of being in the wrong place in the wrong time. Take Friday night, Trinebeth, what were you doing back there? Or should I leave that for the We Wonder Column.

Frances, I heard that you fell down Monday afternoon. What was the matter? Did you trip over a soldier?

At the drug store, as usual, there were about five high school girls. They always manage to be around when the bus comes in.

The Junior play books have arrived. The name of the play is "Free Advice." The play will be given sometime before Christmas. We are expecting this to be a good play.

Charley seems to be very popular with the sailors. Has everyone seen her bracelet? You are very lucky. Charley, we hand it to you.

WE WONDER

Why the Sophs didn't announce their "Backward" dance until 3 or 4 days after it was planned.

Why Mutt couldn't walk home with Charley after the show Monday night.

Why some girls aren't bashful about asking for dates to the "Backwards" dance.

What the Commercial Geography girls found so funny in class Monday.

Why the senior class hasn't been getting along so well in school.

While Jerrie talks out loud (to herself?) while taking a test.

Why Tommie seems to be so smart in English and Civics.

Why the students like Miss Atkinson (teacher to us.)

Why some people like hamburgers and cokes over on the court house lawn. At night too!

Why June is so happy. Couldn't

Neighborhood Shopping Saves Gas



These three women have pooled their shopping trips and use one car. They find trips together save gas, tires, and car-wear, and greatly increase their neighborly feeling.



I CAN'T RUN OVER NOW AND CALL THEM TO THE TELEPHONE

Think of your neighbor! Often it isn't convenient for you to use his Telephone.

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 Poultry Feeds
 Worm Killers and Livestock Medicines
 COAL Grain, Hay, Salt, Feed Minerals COAL

be because Jodie is in Corpus Christi.

Who Wilburn's and Frank's dates were Friday night.

H. E. Class Serves Lunch

The third year home economics girls served themselves a luncheon last Wednesday. The meal was planned, prepared, and served by the girls themselves.

The menu for the luncheon included fried chicken and gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, fruit salad, hot rolls, brownies and iced tea.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Sick Bay

In this war our wounded fighting men have a greater chance for recovery than in any previous conflict because of the medical aids and services that have been developed by the War and Navy Departments.

One of these aids is the Hospital Transport Plane service that has been bringing our wounded back from Africa.



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