

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## OLD TIGE SPEAKS HIS MIND

Old Tige McDamitt had just come to town and deposited a check in the bank for a flock of fat lambs which he had marketed. At the postoffice, Anna Lee had made the old man happy by delivering a letter from each of his two sons, Capt Leon and Lt. David McDamitt.

Capt. Leon was stationed somewhere in the South Pacific harvesting Japs. He was well and doing fine.

Lt. David was somewhere in Italy swapping bullets with the Nazis. He had stopped a fragment of shell in his right leg but was now out of the hospital and having a good time while his leg was getting well. He wrote his Dad not to worry about him, because he felt fine and was doing good.

The old man moseyed on up to the drug store where Clyde Davis sold him a supply of vaccine for his calves and a bottle of liniment for his wife's rheumatism.

After making his purchases, Old Tige passed out the front door and turned north by the bench assigned to the Sons of Rest who came each day to see who came in on the bus as well as to discuss the war news and grouch about the dry weather.

A hound dog lay in the sunshine at the edge of the pavement digging for a flea that was drawing refreshments from his tough hide.

Mr. Baggio Tripe sat on the bag in which the ice cream can came in, while from left to right sat Joe Pokeasy, Ichabod Beefanbellyacher, Peter Blowhard, Slewfoot McStinker and Wash Smokepipe, while Speedy Pokalong occupied the ice cream bag on the other end of the bench.

Peter Blowhard was telling the crowd about having all his rights taken away from him by old Roosevelt and the New Deal. Peter said he couldn't buy a pound of meat, a gallon of gas or a tire without a ration ticket.

While Peter was prodding the air with his fists in his denunciation of the New Deal, Old Tige came on the scene:

"Hiyah, Tige. Mornin', Tige. How's the folks Tige?" They all greeted Tige warmly, because they put a lot of store by Old Tige's honesty, courage and judgment.

As Old Tige lit his pipe, he said: "Anna Lee handed me a letter a bit ago from my two boys in the army, and they say they are getting along fine. Dave said he got a piece of shell in his right leg, but he is out of the hospital now and having a good time while he is getting well. He says they are mighty good to him. Leon is fighting the Japs, and while he didn't say so, I'll bet he is doing things to them. The old woman is having trouble with her rheumatism, but I got her a bottle of liniment awhile ago and I think she will soon be all right."

"How did you come out with your shipment of lambs, Tige?"

"Well, I can't complain. They weighed 78 pounds each and they netted 9½ cents a pound. I call that pretty good. I will have enough to live on after buyingsome bonds."

"Tige, what do you think of Roosevelt for another term and the New Deal?"

"Well, I am not stuck on so many terms for a president, but we are in a crisis. We are in the middle of the biggest war known in history. We want to win the war. Roosevelt has the reins in his hands and is driving surely and steadily to victory. No one can truthfully say

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## Melancholy Days



(WNU Service)

## The Food Program Is Dependent Upon the Farmers

Triple A committeemen for Sterling County will be elected on Nov. 26, to serve from December 1, 1943 through December 1, 1944, according to L. R. Reed, county AAA chairman.

Formerly, committeemen were elected in December and began serving on January 1, but since the work in connection with the 1944 food production program should begin in December, the election dates have been changed to allow the new committeemen to begin work a month earlier.

"How well the Food Program in this county is run next year depend to a large extent on the farmers who are elected to hold these committeemen jobs," Mr. Reed said. He continued: "The Triple-A committee in this county will handle the rationing and allocation of farm machinery, equipment, building supplies, and other agricultural materials and facilities. It will issue farm livestock slaughter permits, handle the farm transportation program, including recommendations for the issuance of certificates for tires, off-highway gasoline and tractor fuel.

These are only a few of the many important wartime jobs which the Committee will handle in this county.

"Many of the farmers who become Triple A committeemen must do so at a personal sacrifice. But the soldiers in Italy and in the South Pacific, and on all other battlefronts of the world, are making greater personal sacrifices. Their personal affairs have been pushed into the background by world affairs."

Anyone is eligible to vote in the committeemen elections who is participating in (a) the agricultural conservation programs under the allotment, soil conserving conservation materials and services, potato or truck crop provisions; (b) Federal Crop Insurance Program; and Sugar Program.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Crain, of Ackerly, a daughter. Mrs. Crain was Miss Ruth Smith before her marriage.

## Leader of Moral Forces for Speaker



Representative Dallas Blankenship of Dallas is receiving wide support for Speaker of the next Texas House of Representatives, where he has served eight years and is recognized as leader of the moral forces. He wrote the Blankenship drug store liquor bill which curbed the liquor prescription racket in dry territory and recently was endorsed by Dallas County ministers when a vacancy occurred on the district court bench.

As a leader of the "Immortal 56," Blankenship helped prevent a general sales tax being placed in the constitution. He is a native of Bell County, a graduate of S. M. U., and served overseas in World War I.

## Sesame Club Hostess

Mrs. Taylor Garrett was hostess to the Sesame Club in its Armistic Day program. Eight members answered roll call. The treasurer reported a balance of \$29.34 in the treasury and a motion was made and carried that the club buy a \$25 War Bond.

The secretary submitted the bound record of club minutes of 1942-43 which was accepted.

Bond Keys for the Federation War Bond Drive were passed among the club members, in order to have a recorded count of the War Bonds bought by club members between the dates of Oct. 17 and Nov. 11, 1943.

Program for the evening included the Lord's Prayer led by Miss Flo Allen. Group singing of World War I songs, with Mrs. Joe L. Snead at the piano. Poem, "Old Ironsides" by Mrs. Tommie Johnson. Music, piano, by Mrs. Snead and the poem,

## Tha Scrap Iron Drive

Yes, there have been scrap drives in Sterling County and much scrap has been collected. But the most thorough and outstanding drive for scrap iron and steel is now being launched since the gathering of scrap was inaugurated by the government.

The drive for scrap in Sterling County is just a part of nation wide plan to collect the scrap that remains, from the farm and ranches throughout the country. The war plants are running low on scrap iron and steel. There is much of this metal at the farm and ranch homes of the people in this county which, if collected, and turned into the war plants, will afford sufficient metal of the kind needed to carry on the work indefinitely.

Hence, under government direction, a united effort is made in every county to go into every fence corner and get the scrap to the government with which to supply the pressing need.

Texas is divided into districts. Under the direction of Lt. Don R. Parsons, a district composed of ten counties, of which Sterling county is one, is going to be worked until the metal that should be saving the lives of our men instead of rusting on the ranches is collected.

## A Korean to Speak

On Friday, Nov. 26, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Yong Hak Park of Korea will speak at the Methodist Church. Rev. Park was a Methodist Minister on the Pacific Coast before the outbreak of the war. The day after Pearl Harbor he volunteered his services to the United States government as an interpreter. The government entered into a contract with him and immediately sent him into the Guadalcanal area with the Marines. Awaiting call to further service he is speaking in churches all over the country. After the address Rev. F. H. Hamner will conduct the Quarterly Conference. The public is invited.

"In Flanders Field" was given by Mrs. L. O. Ryan.

The club welcomed one visitor for the evening, Mrs. Snead.

## An Army Officer's Appeal for Iron and Steel

I hope you slept well last night. A lot of us didn't. We were thinking of our men over there, wondering if they had enough to eat enough bullets, bombs, tanks, planes and medical supplies.

But you won't sleep well now when you know that you're the one upon whom the army is depending and that it is up to you to see that everything necessary to win the war reaches our men.

The army needs your scrap metal now. How else can the army build ships to carry the guns and planes and tanks of which scrap metal is a vital part? Do you know that one half of our whole steel production is made of scrap? Do you realize that by a shortage in scrap the army has a shortage in its entire plan of victory?

Your son or husband or sweetheart is fighting for you over there. Don't you want to fight with him on the home front by getting all the scrap you can lay your hands on so he'll have that extra bullet or bomb?

Of course, you know that scrap metal is anything that is made of steel and iron. Some of you call it junk. That piece of junk, as you call it, may be the very thing the army wants and may be in the very bombs that blow the very daylight out of Germany and Japan.

I don't want to remind you of what happened to our men at Bataan, Wake Island, Corregidor. If that didn't wake you it should.

The army will see that such calamities will not occur again. The army is going after this scrap metal. The army is moving in. We want all of you to help. You should feel honored that you too can play a winning part by giving all your scrap metal to the armed forces.

Be a real American. Now, today show your true worth to the nation. Like gold, scrap is where you find it. You can find steel and iron around your kitchen, attic, garden, farms, country roads, anywhere.

The army is going to remove your scrap metal if you give it as a patriotic donation direct to the nation.

Remember, every bomb must have a metal lining, so give your scrap metal and keep the front lines firing.—Don R. Parsons, 2nd. Lieut., QMC

## Soil Conservation News North Concho District

R. T. Lee of the Moon's Chapel Community is making from 1-3 to ½ bale of cotton per acre this year on land that was terraced and farmed on the contour. The moisture he conserved last year, coupled with good tillage practices, is responsible for this exceptional yield, stated A. T. Bratton, Work Unit Leader, with the Soil Conservation Service.

Zach Jones, of Grape Creek, made a good cane crop, following oats, in spite of scant rainfall. He attributes the high yield to sub-surface tillage and stubble mulching.

Claud Collins built five miles of water spreading terraces with the County equipment last week.

Fred Hodges has been practicing deferred grazing for several years. He states that the range he deferred last spring and summer is a life saver with the present shortage of feed.

Conservation Plans on the Claude Collins, Jr., ranch and the Pat Kellis irrigated stock farm were approved by the Supervisors at a regular monthly meeting Nov. 8th.



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Editor and Owner

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Most every family needs a locker in which to keep frozen foods. If you are interested in the proposed community locker, see Roland Lowe, J. E. Randolph, Vern Davis, H. L. Hildebrand, or others of the Lion's Club committee on this project. You can't go wrong in joining up in this much needed project. It is the thing to do in these war days.

**OLD TIGE SPEAKS**

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he is not making good. It would be risky business to change drivers when everything is going so smoothly. It might prove a disaster. If the people want Roosevelt to lead them let them do it. To hell with this old two-term superstition. To hell with Senator O'Daniel and his durned amendment limiting our right to do as we please about electing a president. To heck with such rot."

"As for the New Deal, it suits me. Do you fellows want to go back to the Old Deal? You know we tried the Old Deal until we found ourselves starving in the midst of plenty because we didn't know what to do about it. The Republicans were in power, but they didn't have a man who knew what to do.

"When Roosevelt came on the scene, we were in a melofahess. Banks were going to the devil. All the working people out of a job. You couldn't sell cotton, wool, beef, corn or wheat for enough to pay their freight to market.

"There was plenty of money but it had gotten into the pockets of a few who wouldn't let it circulate. Warehouses were overcrowded with cotton, but nobody to buy it. The graineries were bursting with abundance of grain, but few of us had ready money to even buy bread.

"There was distress in all the land. People who had put their life savings in the banks, lost it when the banks busted. All this and many worse things came to pester us during the blue times of the Old Deal.

"But Roosevelt knew what to do about it, thank the Lord, and did it. He reached out and took the forgotten man by the hand and set him on his feet. You all know the rest. Mistakes have been made and all that, but you will be angels when there will be no mistakes.

"Now, honest to grandma, are you sneekers enough to want to go back to the Old Deal? If you are, raise your finger."

Not a finger was raised.

"All who are willing to let well enough alone and help Roosevelt win the war, hold up your finger."

Every finger except Mr. Baggo Tripe's, went up. Mr. Tripe tried to start an argument about his liberty to buy more gas being curtailed, but Joe Pokeasy having bit off a quid from his plug of Brown Mule tobacco, was almost in a drowning condition when he relieved the situation by firing a stream of tobacco juice into the left eye of the bound

**OUR DEMOCRACY** — by Mat



dog who was dreaming of the rabbit he was about to catch. The old dog relieved his eye by wiping it with his paw, coiled his tail between his hind legs and indignantly left the scene.—Uncle Bill

**The Lions Club**

The Sterling City Lions were in a happy mood last Wednesday at their weekly feeding time in the dining hall of the Methodist Church when their hostesses, Mesdames L O Ryan, T. S. Foster, and G. L. Coulson gave them their fill of pork spareribs and the accessories that go with such good eats.

They roared a welcome to Misses Jerrie Sneed, Billy Sue Everitt and Mesdames G. C. Murrell and I. C. Bagwell as their guests.

With Lioness Anna Lee Johnson at the piano, Misses Jerrie Sneed and Billy Sue Everitt and Mrs. G. C. Murrell sang a number of beautiful melodies which brought roars of applause from the Lions.

(Note: In our rush to get the paper out last week, we overlooked the report on the Lion's Club in which Mesdames H. D. Glass, D. P. Glass, and J. R. Barton served as hostesses. Also that Sgt. George Garner and Lts. Pug and R. D. Garrett and others were guests. Also, the matter of the community locker project which the Club voted to sponsor.)

**Post Cards Must Be Inclosed**

The War Department advises that Christmas greeting cards for soldiers overseas must be sent in sealed envelopes and prepaid at the first class rate of postage. The War Department further urges that such cards be mailed at once stating that cards mailed now will, according to the Army Postal Service, reach even the most remote A. P. O's by Dec. 25.—Anna Lee Johnson

**Proud of His Spurs**

Jim Currie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Currie, is the proud owner of a pair of fancy, shop made spurs. Nothing a lad like young Currie appreciates more than a pair of shop made spurs.

These spurs are the handiwork of Tom McChesney, supt. of the Phillips Petroleum Co. oil test now drilling in the J. L. Glass pasture. The spurs are of fine steel and inlaid with silver with superb carving. The rowels are made of Mexican pesos.

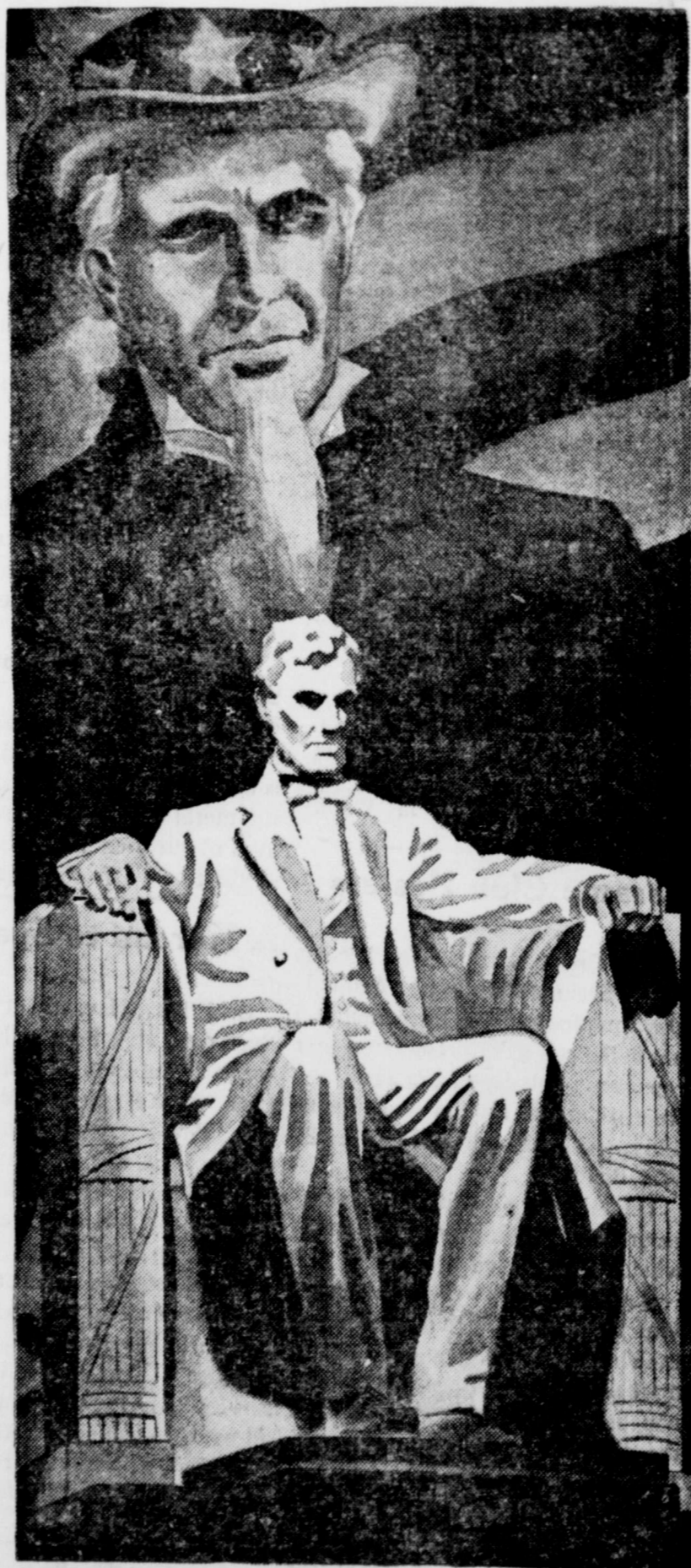
I am glad that Daddy Steve and Mamma Dimple named their boy Jim. He reminds me so much of his late grandfather, Jim Currie, who, during his lifetime was a good friend of mine. Young Jim is a likeable lad of much promise.—Uncle Bill

**A Rare Collection**

Lt. Lloyd Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Davis of San Angelo, while touring North Africa with Uncle Sam's armed forces, made a wonderful collection of knives, spear-head, a quiver of wicked looking arrows, a long snake skin, and other artifacts used by natives of Africa.

He sent his collection to his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Foster who ranch on Sterling Creek.

Lt. Davis plans a West Texas ranch for himself when the war is over and will use this rare collection to decorate his den when he settles down.



**For Freedom's Right!**

**F**OURSORE and seven years ago our fathers brought forth upon this continent a new nation, conceived in Liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal."

Fourscore years ago this November, Abraham Lincoln began his immortal Gettysburg Address with those words, in dedicating the National Cemetery at Gettysburg, Pa. Through the years that address has come to be known as one of the greatest documents of the ages, calling every loyal heart to "be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us . . . that these dead shall not have died in vain . . . that this Nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom."

**FREEDOM** . . . that little word that means so MUCH! In this country we see its symbols everywhere. Our churches, our newspapers, our lecture halls, our assemblies, our businesses . . . all represent that one, all-important word. Under the influence of Freedom and what it represents, our country has grown in 150 years from a wilderness to the strongest power on earth. Today it is free people who are saving the world. People who will never allow themselves to be conquered!

**FREE ENTERPRISE** . . . Another word that creates tangible results. Free Enterprise . . . the force that enables private business-operating companies, like ours, to serve the public in their own zealous individual service-giving manner. From them each of us has earned personal benefits—our community has prospered and our country has become the richest in the world. When those who are fighting the battle of freedom return home to America, they'll expect this ideal to be preserved. It's up to us to do it!

Let us commemorate this, the 80th Anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, as "dedication day," an occasion for re-dedicating ourselves "to protect the rights and liberties of American Citizenship and maintain National Honor, Union and Independence."

**West Texas Utilities Company**

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Local Items

Mrs. Rufus Foster is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Reynolds at Gilmer, Texas.

Sgt. George Garner left last Sunday for Riverside, Calif., where he is stationed at Marchfield.

Gus McGee of Abilene spent last week end visiting relatives and old time friends here. Mr. McGee was among the pioneer grocerymen of Sterling.

Tom McKnight of Odessa was here last Saturday and joined his mother, Mrs. M. B. McKnight in a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. Jeff Davis and family. Mrs. Davis is Mrs. McKnight's daughter.

Corporal Garland H. Cannon, Jr., U.S. Marine, has been graduated from the Field Telephone School at the Marine Corps at San Diego, Calif.

Corporal Cannon is now ready to be assigned to duty with a combat unit or to advanced training in signal corps work.

Clyde Reynolds of near Garden City was a substantial caller at this shop last Monday. When Clyde "batched" on the extensive ranch he now owns and operates in Glasscock County, he didn't need the News-Record, but since he obtained a pretty wife to help him run the ranch, Clyde, finds the News-Record a household necessity.

J. L. Glass, who has been sojourning in a hospital in San Angelo for several weeks came home last Sunday much improved. He was seen out in the yard the other morning picking pecans that fell from the trees growing there. He hasn't seen Tom McChesney and the boys at the deep oil test in his pasture yet, but they may look for him soon.

Frank Blair and daughter of Jones County, visited his brother, T. J. Blair and family here last week end. Frank is an old time Sterling boy and has many old time friends here to greet him. When Pink Sherrrod was devil for the News-Record, Frank became assistant devil. He was a good little devil. One morning Pink told Frank to clean up the shop and burn up all the old papers. In his work, Frank not only burned the old papers but he also burnt the News-Record files. For this mistake, Pink took Frank out and killed him—almost.

Red Cross Workers

Red Cross Workers Monday night were: Mesdames Sterling Foster, Lee Augustine, Roy Foster, Henry Malloy, W.Y. Bengé, Sr., G.C. Murrell, Lester Foster, Bill Reed and J. B. Atkinson.

Red Cross workers Tuesday afternoon were: Mesdames W. B. Allen, V.F. Bomer, Sterling Foster, Henry Malloy, Lura McClellan, Lester Foster, H. W. Hart, M. E. Churchill, Templeton Foster, Harvey Glass, and Frank Cole.

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She Fights in Battle for Food



Mrs. O. A. Carden pauses in her job of picking up sweet-potatoes to take a drink of water. Mrs. Carden and her husband are Alabama farmers, cash renters. They have two boys and one girl. Their 1943 food crop consisted of corn, peanuts, truck crops, and sweetpotatoes. Also they have milk cows, hogs, and laying hens helping to produce the food that "fights for freedom." RPS-OWI

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 Also News of the Day  
 Selected Short Subjects

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday  
 November 21-22-23

Hedy Lamar  
 Walter Pidgeon

In

"White Cargo"

News of the Day  
 Short Subjects

Wednesday and Thursday  
 November 24-25

Ida Lupino  
 Dennis Morgan  
 Joan Leslie

In

"The Hard Way"

News of the Day and  
 selected short subjects

Friday and Saturday  
 November 26-27

Simon Simone  
 Dennis O'Keefe

In

"Tahiti Honey"

--and--

Don "Red" Barry

In

"Outlaws of  
 Pine Ridge"

Short Subjects

SUNDAY MATINEE  
 3:00 P. M.



FDR says:

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**Baptist Church**  
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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

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 Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock

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## AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



High on a Tunisian cliff a Free French soldier lay wounded. A litter squad started up. Enemy bullets spatted against the cliff. The squad went on. In a whining hail of lead they brought their ally down. For that exploit Staff Sergeant Roy L. Bates of Fairfield, Ill., and Privates Hobert Branscum of Delta, Ky., Anthony P. Coll of Johnstown, Pa., and William B. Griffin of Sylvester, Texas, won Silver Stars. They deserve your War Bond backing.

### Seniors Win Scrap Paper Drive

The senior class won first place in the scrap paper drive which ended Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The amount of paper collected by the seniors totaled 1503 pounds.

Second in the race were the juniors who rounded up 1476 pounds of scrap paper. They were beaten by the seniors by a mere twenty-seven pounds.

The prizes to be given to the winning grades and donated by the Boy Scouts include \$5.00 for first place, \$3.00 for second, and \$2.00 for third.

The total amount of scrap paper collected by the entire school weighed 9965 pounds.

The number of pounds of paper collected by each grade is as follows:

Grade	Pounds
First	352
Second	760
Third and Fourth	705
Fifth	711
Sixth	983
Seventh	626
Eighth	943
Ninth	987
Tenth	919
Eleventh	1476
Twelfth	1563
Total	9965

Previously the Boy Scouts have collected 12,565 pounds of scrap paper.

### P. T. A. Meets

The Parent-Teacher Association held its regular meeting on Nov. 11.

The first grade students were awarded the dollar for having the most room representatives.

A net profit of \$290.87 was reported from the Halloween Carnival \$37.77 of this was made by the Home Economics Department.

P. T. A. members voted to give the Boy Scouts \$25 to assist in building a Scout house.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Robert Foster after which Mrs. Crosso's pupils gave a program.

On the program were the following numbers:

Song—3rd. and 4th. Grades

Reading—Quintin Welch  
 Play—3rd. and 4th. Grades  
 Piano solo—Larry Glass  
 Piano solo—Jim Tom Kellis

The concluding number was a talk by Mrs. Hale on "What's Right With American Education."

P. T. A. meets on the second Thursday of each month. You are invited to attend.

### Assembly Program By 3rd and 4th Grades

The regular assembly program was presented Monday morning by the third and fourth grades under the supervision of Mrs. Crosso. Using the autumn theme, the children rendered a delightful program.

The following numbers were included:

Song: "Glad November"—by the pupils  
 Reading: "The Best Time Is Fall"—Quintin Welch  
 Playlet: "Treasures of Autumn"—by pupils  
 Piano solo: "Indian Drums"—Larry Glass

The next assembly program is to be presented by the first grade.

### 2nd Six Weeks Completed

Friday, Nov. 19 marked the end of the second six weeks of school. Students have been busy taking exams and finishing up last minute work.

Report cards for the second six weeks period will be given to the pupils Tuesday afternoon.

### First Grade

At the November meeting of the P. T. A. the first grade won the room count by having the most representatives. The P. T. A. presents a prize of one dollar each month to the winner.

The following first graders have been on the sick list: Grady Clark, and Bobby Joe Walker.

The pupils are preparing a Thanks giving program to be given next Monday in assembly.

## National Wartime Nutrition Guide

For Health...eat some food from each group...every day!



IN ADDITION TO THE BASIC 7... EAT ANY OTHER FOODS YOU WANT

This is the National Nutrition Target, designed by Government nutrition experts to help people plan well-balanced meals. The idea is to include something from each of the seven food groups in the menu every day, to hit the bullseye of good health.



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. YOU'LL NEVER TROUBLE ANYONE IF YOU HAVE A TELEPHONE OF YOUR OWN.

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### JOKES

Mrs. Hennigan: What pine has the longest and sharpest needles?

Alma: The porcu. (Get it?)

"That is a falsehood!" said Miss Vernon severely. "Do you know what will happen to you if you tell lies?"

"Yes'm," said Jack nonchalantly. "I'll go to hell and burn."

"Worse than that," Miss Vernon replied. "You'll be expelled from school!"

### Queer Queries—

Have you seen a SHEET in a river bed?

Or a single HAIR in a hammer's head?

Has the FOOT of a mountain any toe?

And is there a PAIR of garden hose?

### Planning High School Party

The freshman class is planning an all-high school party to be given in the gymnasium Wednesday night, Nov. 24. The Thanksgiving idea is to be carried out.

An invitation is extended to all high school students.

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# Frozen Foods Locker

In order to make proper application to the Government for approval of a Frozen Food Locker Plant, it is necessary that 70 more customers be signed up at once. The number of applications signed and paid in advance will determine the size of the plant to be installed. It is not likely that additional lockers could be secured until after the war.

The advance payment will be held in escrow at the First National Bank, and should the plant not be complete, will be returned to you. The advance payment for one year is required to secure approval of the Government.

Locker Boxes 18x18x30 inches... \$15  
 Locker Boxes 18x22x30 inches... \$18

Persons who desire a frozen foods locker are requested to call on

Jake Randolph, Roland Lowe, V. E. Davis or H. L. Hildebrand

## Immediately