

# The Munday Times

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## Baptist Workers To Meet Tuesday, Weinert Church

A workers' conference of the Haskell Baptist Association will be held on Tuesday, January 30, at the First Baptist church in Weinert. The general theme will be "The Essentials for Soul Winning."

The program will open at 10:30 with song and praise service. Appearing on the morning program will be Rev. C. C. Beatty and Rev. H. R. Whatley.

Lunch will be served at noon and will be followed by board and ladies' meetings. A round table discussion will be led by T. A. Keenan, with adjournment around 2:30 o'clock.

Many churches of the area are expected to be represented at this conference.

## Knox County Hospital Notes

Patients in the Knox County Hospital, January 23, 1945:

- Mrs. F. M. Harrison, Knox City.
- D. E. Holder, Munday.
- G. C. Conwell, Munday.
- Tommy Michaels, Rochester.
- Mrs. G. D. Jones, Goree.
- Mrs. J. J. Justis, Goodnight.
- Hazel Lewis, Knox City.
- Miss Katherine Knox, Throckmorton.
- Mrs. Earl Watson, and baby son, Rochester.
- Sara Espinosa Garcia and baby son, O'Brien.
- Chas. Adams, Vera.
- J. W. Fuller, Vera.
- Baby James Gary Arnold, Vera.
- Mrs. Leroy Nunn, O'Brien.
- Mrs. J. T. Offutt, Munday.
- Mrs. C. J. Harcrow, Rochester.
- Mrs. J. O. Hill, Rule.
- T. A. Beideman, Aspermont.
- Mrs. Lewis Hester, Rochester.
- Mrs. T. G. Carney, O'Brien.
- Mrs. M. V. Whitmire, Throckmorton.

Patients Dismissed Since Tuesday, January 16, 1945:

- Juanita Clark, Rochester.
- Mrs. M. E. Oldfield, O'Brien.
- Mrs. J. J. Oden and baby daughter, Knox City.
- Charles Cheek, Munday.
- Baby Rufus Garland Andrews, Knox City.
- Mrs. Troy Followill and baby daughter, Munday.
- Kay Lonnell Brunner, Wichita Falls.
- Mrs. L. W. Routon and baby son, Munday.
- Mrs. Raymond Lane, and baby son, Goree.
- Mrs. Mack Sellers, O'Brien.
- Mrs. Gene Michels, Munday.
- Polly Parks, Munday.
- Mrs. Virgil Strickland, and baby son, Munday.
- Mrs. Jeff Graham and baby daughter, Knox City.
- Mrs. J. D. Lovell and baby daughter, Benjamin.
- Mrs. F. A. Baird and baby son, Benjamin.
- J. H. Lanier, Crowell.
- Births:
- Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lane, Goree, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Routon, Munday, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oden, Knox City, a daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Watson, Rochester, a son.
- Mr. and Mrs. Troy Followill, Munday, a daughter.
- Santos Garcia, a son, O'Brien.
- Deaths:
- Mrs. S. L. Potet, Knox City.
- T. E. Hertel, Munday.

## Goree Announces Basketball Tourney

Announcement was made Tuesday of an all-star basketball tournament which will be held at the Goree high school gymnasium on January 25, 26 and 27.

Teams that will participate in the tournament are Weinert, Sunset, Anson, O'Brien, Munday, Mattson, Old Glory and Goree.

Some interesting games are expected during the tourney, and all basketball fans are cordially invited to attend.

## RAYMOND ROBERTS IS WOUNDED IN FRANCE

Mrs. Mae Roberts received a telegram last Monday stating that her husband, Pfc. Raymond Roberts, was slightly wounded somewhere in France on January 9th. Roberts is the son of Mrs. Minnie Roberts of Munday.

## Gilliland Boy Is War Casualty

Relatives have received word that Sgt. Aljeron O. Shaw of Gilliland was killed in action somewhere in France on December 14, 1944.

Shaw was born at Gilliland in September, 1915, and was 29 years of age. He attended the Knox county schools. He went to California to live in 1936, and was drafted into the U. S. Army in 1940, receiving his training in California, Texas, Louisiana and Pennsylvania before sailing for overseas duty in July, 1944.

He was married to a California girl, Miss Gloria Freshie, in November, 1943, and is survived by his wife and an infant daughter, Cheryl Annett, who was born January 4, 1945.

Other survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Shaw of Gilliland; two sisters, Mrs. Tom Compton and Miss Eva Dell Shaw, Gilliland; two brothers, Thomas Shaw, Gilliland, and Sgt. Alfred E. Shaw, who is with the U. S. Army somewhere in New Guinea.

## Rotary Club's Meeting Set For Friday Noon

The Munday Rotary Club has changed its meeting time to noon Friday. This change was made at the regular meeting at noon Thursday of last week.

In the future the club will meet in the McNeill building, upstairs over Home Furniture Co. This room has been made accessible to the Rotary Club, the Chamber of Commerce and the Texas State Guard.

A cook stove was purchased jointly by the Rotary Club and the Chamber of Commerce, and Roy Norville will prepare meals for the club, chamber of Commerce and Texas State Guard.

## August 21st Is Set For Rhineland's Golden Jubilee

August 21, 1945, has been set as the date for celebrating the Golden Jubilee of St. Joseph's church in the Rhineland community. Plans are now going forward for making this a big day.

Rev. Herman Laux, O. S. B., pastor of St. Joseph's church, announced Monday that dinner will be served at the Rhineland community hall at 12:30 on that date, and supper at 6:00 p. m. A Rhineland girl will also be elected as queen of the jubilee.

Several prizes will be awarded during the celebration.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Hailing the arrival of a boy are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lane. The child was born at the Knox county hospital on Wednesday, January 17, and both mother and son are doing nicely. The child's father is in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burnett of Benjamin were business visitors here last Monday.

## PILOT HALF A CENTURY OLD BRINGS HOME THE VENISON

Discovered by Survey of Pilots in Forty-Plus Age Group



Results of a recent survey of civilian pilots over forty revealed that flying is not a "young man's game" only. Johnny Johnson, 50-year-old insurance man of Corpus Christi, Texas, is typical of the many mature flyers polled in 25 states by Esso Aviation sales division. Pilots interviewed included physicians, professors, salesmen, an undertaker and a retired jeweler of 75 whose favorite activities are piloting a plane and playing a "good fast" game of tennis.

Johnson, shown here after a hunting trip in his plane, first soloed six years ago after little more than three hours instruction in the air. Since Pearl Harbor he has given his services and those of his plane to national defense and now is a Squadron Commander of the Civil Air Patrol in his home state.

With a log of more than 400 hours in the air, Johnson's biggest postwar plans are the flying vacations in his plane with his family. With other pilots surveyed by Esso, Johnson predicts a civilian flying boom after the war and declares, "Anybody in good physical and mental condition can fly a plane whatever his or her age."

## Theo. W. Hertel Buried Tuesday At Rhineland

Theodore William Hertel, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hertel who reside west of Munday, passed away last Sunday morning at the Knox county hospital, succumbing to a heart ailment.

Young Hertel was born in Knox county on January 8, 1929, and was 16 years and 12 days of age.

Surviving him are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hertel; two sisters, Dorothy and Rosemary, and a brother, Robert Hertel, all of Munday; his grandmother, Mrs. Ida Hertel of Benjamin, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Verhalen of Knox City.

Funeral services were held from St. Joseph's church at Rhineland at ten o'clock last Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. Herman Laux, O. S. B., pastor. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery by the Mahan Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Marvin and Luis Urbanczyk, Herbert and Clarence Stengel, Marvin Zeissel and Alvin Bellinghausen.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Sgt. and Mrs. Alston Morrow, who are in England, have informed relatives of the arrival of a daughter, Ida Mae Morrow, who was born in England on Friday, December 31, 1944. The mother and daughter are doing fine. So is the sergeant!

## LOCAL TAXES BECOME DELINQUENT FEB. 1

Harvey Lee, city secretary, has issued a warning to all taxpayers that city and school taxes will become delinquent on February 1, 1945, and should be paid prior to that date.

Both penalty and interest will be added to all unpaid 1944 taxes on the above date.

You can save money by paying your city and school taxes during January.

## Pfc. Wallace Is Injured By Car

Pfc. S. J. Wallace, who has been with the medical section of the air transport command in the European area since last April, was injured on December 4. A car ran into him and injured his back. According to latest reports, he was still in the hospital but was feeling good.

S. J. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wallace and is a native of Munday. His wife and two daughters are making their home at Seymour with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Studer.

## Tidwell Child Is Buried At Vera On Last Monday

Billie Wendell Tidwell, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tidwell of Vera, passed away last Sunday morning. The child became ill on Friday.

The child's mother, Mrs. Lulu Fae Tidwell, teaches in the Vera school.

Funeral services were held from the Vera Baptist church at three-thirty last Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Farley of Vera and Rev. J. R. Balch of Seymour.

## Keep Up With Rationing

RATION REMINDERS

MEATS, FATS—Red stamps Q5 through X5 good indefinitely. No new stamps until January 28.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps X5 through Z5, A2 thru G2 good indefinitely. No new blue stamps will be validated until February 1.

SUGAR—Sugar stamp 34 good for five pounds indefinitely. No new stamp until February 1.

FUEL OIL—East and far West 1, 2 and 3 period coupons good indefinitely. Mid-west and South period 1, 2 and 3 coupons good throughout heating year.

SHOES—Airplane stamps 1, 2, and 3 in book three, good indefinitely.

## Plans For Locker Plant Presented For Approval

### Roxy Theatre To Participate In "March of Dimes"

Starting today and continuing through January 31st, The Roxy Theatre in Munday will participate in the "March of Dimes" drive against Infantile Paralysis, said P. V. Williams, local theater chairman.

A special screen appeal by lovely Greer Garson will run at every performance and subsequently collections will be taken up among the audience for the National Infantile Paralysis Foundation. P. V. said that in keeping with the policy of President Roosevelt's nationwide fight against polio, fifty percent of the money collected would remain in the Knox county fund to help lame children walk and keep healthy children well in this community.

The statewide campaign which is being conducted by the motion picture industry, in connection with other agencies, is expected to collect in excess of \$5,000,000.00, or approximately \$1.00 for every theatre seat in the state.

### EVERY STORY SHOULD HAVE HAPPY ENDING



Fight Infantile Paralysis! Send your dollars and dimes to the President at the White House.

## 32 Registrants Reclassified On January 23rd

Thirty-two Knox county registrants were reclassified by the Knox County Local Board at their regular meeting on Tuesday, January 23. They are as follows:

- Class 1-A: Riley D. Bell, Cleburne; T. Gray, Pedro Morales, Johnnie L. Owens, Alton O. Burden, Fred D. McKinney, Bill Billingsley, Orval L. Myers, Devera T. Mahan, Orel L. Patterson, Lee H. Ford, Ernest L. Yarbrough, William A. Ressel, Robert C. Brooks and Hampton S. Cherry.
- Class 1-C Disc.: Alfred E. Davila.
- Class 2-A: Chauncey O. Mansell.
- Class 2-A (F): Holden Bland, William L. McWilliams, Estell L. Pierce, Ladislade Garza, Claude E. Paul, Herbert R. Dunlap, Joe W. Walker and Leonard C. Kyle.
- Class 2-B: Cecil E. Conner.
- Class 2-B (F): Horace G. Patterson and Roy F. Howery.
- Class 2-C (F): Jesus C. Delgado and Delbert O. Adams.
- Class 4-F Disc.: Clyde C. Jones.
- Deceased: Ancil C. Harrison.

## Funeral For Miss Washburn Is Held Monday

Miss Beulah Pauline Washburn passed away at the Baylor county hospital on Saturday, January 20, following several days' illness.

Miss Washburn was born January 24, 1919, at Corsicana, and was 25 years, 11 months and 26 days of age. She was converted at nine years of age and joined the Crowell Methodist church. She lived most of her life in this section of Texas.

Surviving her are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Washburn of Munday; three brothers, Earl Washburn, Denver City; Charles Jr., who is serving with the Naval Seabees and recently returned from overseas duty, and Lewis Washburn, who is with the U. S. infantry on Saipan; two sisters, Mrs. Lorene Birkenfeld and Mrs. Belle Striegel, both of Munday, and the following uncle and aunts: Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mayfield, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. George Gilmer, Bomarton and Mrs. Rosa Ford, Crowell.

Funeral services were held from the First Methodist church in Munday at four o'clock last Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Don L. Davidson and Rev. W. H. Albertson. Burial was in Johnson cemetery by the Mahan Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were H. M. Montgomery, Paul Brogden, Turner Stanley, Lawrence Friske, Chris and Luke Birkenfeld.

## Senator Moffett Becomes Member of 19 Committees

Organization of the second session of the Texas Legislature was completed this week, with the announcement of committee appointments by Speaker Gilmer in the House of Representatives. Lieutenant Governor Smith announced committee appointments in the Senate last week.

Senator Moffett of this district is a member of 19 committees in addition to being President Pro Tempore of the Senate. He is chairman of two committees and vice chairman of four, including those handling live stock and agricultural problems. He offered the resolution in the Senate creating a new committee of Veterans Affairs which will consider the numerous bills relating to veterans and their dependents.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barnard of Lubbock spent the week end with friends here and with Mrs. Barnard's parents at Benjamin.

## Weather Report

Weather report for the period of Jan. 18th to Jan. 24th, inclusive, as recorded and compiled by H. P. Hill, Munday U. S. Cooperative Weather Observer:

	Temperature	LOW	HIGH
Jan. 18	36	31	42
Jan. 19	30	28	59
Jan. 20	38	30	56
Jan. 21	40	34	55
Jan. 22	28	30	52
Jan. 23	26	38	57
Jan. 24	30	49	62

Rainfall this year 1.31 inches; rainfall to this date last year 1.24 inches.

Plans for the locker plant for the Munday area are going forward, and local citizens are expecting to learn soon if the plant will become a reality.

The decision now rests with the War Production Board, as plans were presented for approval of the board the first of this week. The board's decision is expected within the next few days.

Should approval be granted Munday will have one of the most modern plants available, with every machine and contrivance for rendering every service to people of this area.

A novel feature of the plant will be a chicken picker where as many as 100 chickens can be picked and dressed in one hour. A sharp freeze room will be installed, where foods will be frozen at temperatures as low as 30 degrees below zero, making it possible to quick freeze all types of fruits and vegetables, as well as meats.

Other features will include a modern slaughter house, where customers may bring their cattle and hogs and have them slaughtered and processed.

Sale of the required number of lockers was completed last Saturday, and representatives went to Dallas Monday to present the proposition to the War Production Board.

There are, however, a few more lockers available, and those desiring them should get in touch with some member of the committee.

## George F. Decker Reported Wounded

Pfc. George F. Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Decker of Rhineland, was wounded in action on December 15 in the Burma war theater, according to word received by his parents.

Before going overseas, Pfc. Decker received his training at Fort Reno, Okla.; Fort Riley, Kans., and Camp Lockett, Calif. He had 22 months of training.

He went overseas the latter part of August, 1944, and landed in Burma. Latest reports are that he is doing nicely.

Decker has a brother, Pvt. Raymond A. Decker, in the army. He is stationed at Camp Fannin, Texas.

## Knox Judging Team To Enter Area Contest

Six Knox County 4-H Club members are putting in extra time after school hours training for the District Livestock Judging Contest that will be held at Wichita Falls, Wednesday, February 28th, according to R. O. Dunkle, county agent. The six Benjamin boys who are trying out for the team are Anson Ray, Bryson Laird, Stanley Glover, Alan Ray, John Chrales McFerrin and Glenn Dunkle. Four boys who make the highest average score during the training period will be selected to represent Knox county in the Judging Contest.

Teams from Haskell, Baylor, Foard counties are expected to attend the Knox County Calf Show at Knox City on February 17th, for a practice work out; two or three teams are expected from each of the neighboring counties.

Jack Idol, W. T. Ward and Wayne Doland of Benjamin will assist the boys in handling the steer classes.

Mr. Skinner of Abilene, area supervisor for the Southwestern Life Insurance Co. of Dallas, was here Monday and Tuesday, attending to business matters.

## Lt. Wayne Cure Reported Missing

Mrs. Mary Ann Corder-Cure of Burnett, Texas, has received word that her husband, Lieut. Wayne Cure, has been missing in action since December 26th. No further word has been received.

Lieut. Cure, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cure of Gilliland, was serving with the First Army in France. He had been overseas for some time.

Cure was reared at Gilliland and is well known to many Knox county people.

Mrs. Ulric Lea and Mrs. Alvie Russell of Knox City were visitors here last Tuesday.

## Delinquent subscribers urged to renew

Renewal subscriptions have been coming in nicely during recent weeks; however, there are quite a few who have not renewed their Munday Times for another year.

Look at your expiration date! If it reads 12-1-44, your subscription expired on last December 1. If it reads 1-15-45, it expired January 15.

In early February we plan to correct our mailing list, and in

compliance with postal regulations and the government's order to conserve newsprint, all subscribers who are delinquent will be removed from the list.

If your subscription has expired, or will expire within the next few weeks, let us have your renewal now!

Subscription rates remain the same; \$1.50 in Knox and adjoining counties; \$2.00 beyond the 50-mile limit.

## AMERICAN HEROES



Lieut. John A. Sabini, U. S. Marine Corps, of Washington, D. C., would not ask his men to do anything he would not do himself. To locate Nips on Bougainville, he deliberately exposed himself to draw their fire. His men knocked out the enemy. Wounded in the chest and left leg, Lieut. Sabini received the Silver Star medal for gallantry. Buy War Bonds to train more men to exterminate the Japs.

U. S. Treasury Department

# EDITORIAL PAGE

"What a Man Does For Himself Dies With Him—  
What He Does For His Community Lives On and On."

## LESSON OF THE THIRTIES

In the opinion of one of the country's leading publishers, "Production without aggressive and sound selling is as futile as a hen on a china egg. It wasn't over-production that caused our trouble in the thirties, it was underselling."

"Selling, which would have stimulated the purchase of \$200,000,000 in goods and services over the ten-year period could have provided all the employment and payrolls needed to maintain a sound economy."

This is undoubtedly true but it was not entirely the retail distributors' fault that a better job of selling was not done in the thirties. As most persons will recall, the thirties were the halcyon days of political attack on the chain stores. Laws were passed in more than 20 states levying special taxes against chain stores because it was feared their efficiency and low-cost mass distribution methods constituted a threat to the existence of independent merchants—a fear that was not supported by fact and was grounded in nothing more substantial than political expediency.

These special tax laws were a direct brake on the distribution of the products of industry to the consumer, and still are. As long as we penalize efficiency in this manner, we cannot expect retailers to perform miracles.

After the present war is over, industry will have a greater productive capacity than ever. Whether it is passed on to the consumer depends as much upon the kind of tax and regulatory laws under which distribution must operate as upon the selling ability of the retail merchant. Will we remember the lesson of the thirties?

## CLOSE TO OUR HEARTS

The subject of postwar jobs is one in which the petroleum industry must not, and will not, be found wanting. Many a weary warrior in the foxholes of France, the ruined villages of Italy, and the eternal mud of New Guinea has thought confidently of the oil job he is coming back to tend, the service station he is going to operate, the truck he will be pushing around again, the joys and sorrows of being a roughneck in the limbo of pines and towers and tanks that make the modern refinery.

Just as we have implicit faith that our boys now overseas will protect this fair land of ours, and maintain by their powerful war effort what we call the American way of life, so do they have a simple faith that oil-industry management will provide for them a place in all the things they have won and kept for us. It is not a question of capital and labor, or employment vs. unemployment. It is simply a case of opening to them again the places we have been saving for them in our hearts and our homes and our daily lives. In this reunion with our own, let the petroleum industry yield first place to none! And in all the postwar planning for us to do there is no other so important.—Address by William R. Boyd, Jr., Chairman, Petroleum Industry War Council.

## A BETTER AMERICA, NOT A NEW ONE

Most of us have been so busy arguing over plans to provide a greater quantity of medical care to the people, that the all-important item of quality has been neglected. However, the attention of medical men has been centered on both quality and quantity.

One medical authority points out that the advance of medicine has not been halted in the United States in the war period, but rather has proceeded with an intensity that is the amazement of all of the other nations of the world.

We have seen the death rate for pneumonia among American troops drop from 28 per cent in World War I, to a fraction of 1 per cent in this war. We have seen the death rate from meningitis drop from something like 80 per cent 35 years ago, to 3 to 5 per cent at this time. And recently a physician at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station reported 75 consecutive recoveries from meningitis—not one death until the seventy-sixth case!

It has been said that opponents of revolutionary changes in our form of government seek a better America, not a new one. And that certainly applies to the medical profession. It opposes the sweeping away of a medical system that has brought such great benefits to the nation. It believes that the system can be improved and the benefits retained. Its approach to new schemes rests on the simple query, will they improve and extend medical service? If, through experiment and experience, they are found wanting, the doctors can be counted upon to make a last ditch fight against them.

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## "BE IT EVER SO HUMBLE"

"The right of ownership is more important than ownership itself!"

"True enough!" says W. J. Blake, owner of the Putnam County, New York, Republican. "Yet how important is ownership—something tangible and of benefit to the family! Give me a family—or, even, only an individual—whose fixed objective is a home, a house and some land of their own, and I will then see reason to hope for the future of the family. Better a nation of such families than one of any other dominating form of prosperity. 'Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home.' Millions who live in rented quarters—houses, hall rooms, and what not—are an unstabilizing force in our national life. The cry is—or should be—more home ownership and less hobnobism in the American ways of living. To that end let press, pulpit and the schools of our beloved land raise a united voice."

## HUMILIATING

What happens when a nation begins to live by the grace of government subsidies is indicated in the present position of dairy farmers. A large part of their income is now made up of subsidies. The Federal subsidy on milk is due to end March 31 unless the government sees fit to renew it.

Commenting on the situation, the Dairymen's League Cooperative Association says: "Without advance knowledge that their returns for milk will be sustained, at least at present levels, either through price increases or subsidy continuance, farmers will be forced to abandon present expensive, but effective production practices. If this happens, more limitation will be necessary on civilian use of milk and there will be less butter and cheese. To regain high production levels once they decline would be costly and take a long time."

It is humiliating for American farmers to be dependent upon government handouts.

## A CONSTRUCTIVE PROGRAM

The nation's leading insurance organizations recently held a conference to work out a legislative program for the consideration of Congress, designed to fill the gap left by the Supreme Court decision declaring insurance to be interstate commerce, thus nullifying the existing system of state regulation.

The program is based on the beliefs: (1) That insurance regulation should be vested in the states exclusively, as it had been for 75 years, because the public interest would be best served thereby; (2) That regulation by the Federal government or by both Federal government and the states was not in the public interest; (3) That prompt action by Congress to authorize continuation of such state legislation and taxation is necessary to prevent irreparable damage to the foundations of the structure of American insurance.

Insurance protects the jobs, homes and businesses of millions of persons. Delay in recreating a sound regulatory system threatens the welfare of these millions, not merely a few insurance companies. The insistence of the insurance industry on prompt action is a public service of immeasurable value. Furthermore, its program is constructive and is the result of extensive study and a century of experience.

Two United States soldiers, sightseeing in London, were walking down Whitehall. They wanted to see the war office but did not know on which side of the street to look. They hailed a passing Tommy and asked: "Which side is the war office on?" The Tommy thought a startled moment and replied, "Gorblimey! Ours, I think!"—Wichita (Kans.) Democrat.

The red, white and blue in our flag have a special significance. White signifies purity and innocence, red, hardness and valor; blue, vigilance, perseverance and justice.

## TIMBER STAGES A COMEBACK

Canada's vast forests have contributed greatly to the war needs of the United Nations. These two lumbermen are cutting a tree that might find its way into a boat, barge, training vessel, seaplane float, wood plastics, or one of the many other ways that wood has gone to war.



Even though lumbering is hard work, and an especially important part of Canada's war effort, these lumbermen keep up their proficiency in the art of "burning". Here three men burn a log, making it roll in the water by their short fast steps.

**HISTORY** is turning a full circle. Once again civilization is on the threshold of an Age of Wood.

Taken for granted at the outbreak of war, wood has always been looked upon by Canadians as a plentiful raw material, rather old-fashioned but useful for such things as barn doors, porridge ladles, or newsprint. Today, it is no longer plentiful in relation to the demand. Its war uses are legion. Its prime importance in the post-war world is assured.

Under the wand of the plastics chemist, wood now becomes anything from a bullet-resistant windshield to a rayon parachute, or shell nose, a machine gun drum, or perhaps a sponge. In peacetime, it will become fire-resistant wallboard, an automobile part, or any one of thousands of articles.

As plywood, it is being shaped into the body of a speedy Mosquito bomber, a motor torpedo boat, or

an invasion barge. When the war is over, such wood may be used for gasoline cans, hand luggage, automobile body parts, book covers, furniture, fluorescent lighting troughs, refrigerator shells, culverts, moulded walls, lifeboats, and myriad other items.

As nitrocellulose, it is taking the place of cotton for making high explosives, and is likely to do so even after the war. As paper, it fills the tip of a bullet. And in its natural state, thanks to a new technique, it is proving itself a rival of steel in large-scale construction.

More prosaically, but in greater quantities, it is packing universal carriers, tanks, shells, and other war supplies. It is propping up British, as well as Canadian, mine shafts. It is forming beds of ties for the rail movement of an unprecedented flow of war materials. It has gone into the construction of enough hangars to fit into a single such

structure 112 feet wide and more than 20 miles long. It has been used in the construction of hundreds of barracks, docks, wartime houses, and other war buildings. It is replacing steel in more than 700,000 feet of airport drainage pipe. It is being used—more of it than ever before—in the construction of naval craft and merchant ships. In short, it is performing thousands of tasks for war which will be paralleled in peacetime.

Because of this great and growing importance of wood, Canada's 500 million forested acres take on a new significance, and the work of the logger and the sawyer ranks in importance with that of the miner, the farmer, the munitions maker, or the transport worker, as a major contribution to the United Nations, not only in the war program, but in the era of reconstruction which will follow.

## Gems of Thought

### YESTERDAY

Study the past if you would divine the future.—Confucius.

We ought not to look back unless it is to derive useful lessons from past errors and for the purpose of profiting by dear bought experience.—George Washington.

It is good to talk with our past hours, and learn what report the bear, and how they might have reported more spiritual growth.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The true past departs not; no truth or goodness realized by man ever dies, or can die; but all is still here, and, recognized or not, lives and works through endless changes.—Carlyle.

The past is for us, but the sole terms on which it can become ours are its subordination to the present.—Emerson.

For all the good the past has had Remains to make our own time glad.—Whittier.

Lieut. and Mrs. James P. Dyke left Friday for Walters, Okla., for several days visit with Lieut. Dyke's mother, Mrs. Glenna Dyke.



**I GIVE YOU TEXAS**  
by BOYCE HOUSE

In this hour when the shadow of death is falling across so many homes, the man (or woman) who has nothing more serious to worry about than the cigaret shortage has nothing to worry about.

And another thing that puzzles me is, if there is a paper shortage in this country (and I'm sure there is) then why do the big metropolitan papers devote so much space to the Chaplin case and other Hollywood filth?

And why couldn't they cut down on the size of those enormous pictures on the Sunday society page?

County Clerk Dush Shaw of Gregg county has begun his 24th term, ranking him as one of the oldest public officials, in point of service, in the United States. The Longview Lens comments that the popular county clerk has "worn out" two courthouses and is serving in the third.

One of the most interesting law-

suits in the history of Eastland county wasn't tried in the courthouse at Eastland but in justice court in Cisco back in the 20's. A one-eyed mule and a 1912 model Brush automobile collided on the main street. (Can you remember the Brush?) It had a door at the back and it cranked on the side, like a phonograph, and you steered it with a stick instead of a wheel. The case drew such a big crowd that the 'squire moved from his little courtroom over to the city hall auditorium. The trial took all day and then everybody went home for supper and came back that night for the argument.

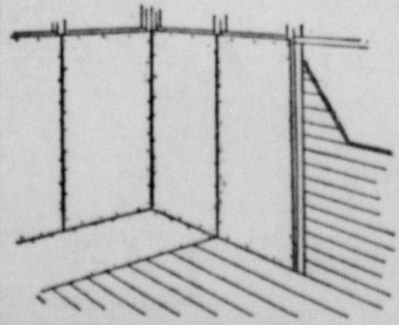
W. J. Barnes (now a prominent Houston attorney) represented the defendant and he brought out that the value of the mule was only \$50, yet the owner was claiming \$150 damages to the animal! In fact, Barnes made such a convincing speech that the jury decided that the auto didn't hit the mule at all but that the mule jumped in front of the auto—and so the owner of the Brush was awarded damages!

Plans are being formulated for the Centennial of Statehood for Texas, A. Garland Adair, curator for the Texas Memorial Museum on the University of Texas campus, says. The Centennial will be "dedicated to a program of job planning and state-wide rehabilitation of agriculture," the committee in charge has said.



**Storage Bins for Crops**  
IF YOU were caught during the harvest season this year without adequate storage for grain and other crops, you should look ahead to next season and take steps to see that it doesn't happen again. You may still be in bad shape for help in the coming year, so you'd better start early.

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J. C. PATTERSON,  
County Judge, Knox County, Texas.

### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilde are announcing the arrival of another son, who was born January 6 at the Haskell county hospital. Mother and son are reported doing fine.

Mr. J. I. Hughes is visiting her son and family, Sgt. Doyle Hughes, in Gainesville, Texas, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holder and son, Jimmie Rex, of Clarksville, Texas, spent from Friday until Tuesday here, attending the bedside of Rex's father, D. E. Holder, who went to the Knox county hospital last Thursday night for treatment for pneumonia. Mr. Holder is doing nicely according to latest reports.

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# Goree News Items

Rev. Rex Ray, returned missionary from China, was a visitor in the home of his relatives, Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Stevenson, and with relatives at Munday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goode of Kem, Colo., are here for a visit with Mrs. Goode's mother, Mrs. C. D. Green, and other relatives. They will go to Denton and visit their daughter, Virginia, who is attending school there, then on to Temple to visit their son, Charles Jr., who is in the service.

Mrs. Willie Mae Bowley of Munday and Mrs. Tommie Thompkins and son, Tommie Jr., of Fort Worth were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homan McMahon recently. Tompkins has recently returned from overseas duty.

Miss Eunice Thornton returned to Wichita Falls hospital Wednesday to have the cast removed from a broken arm. The arm is improving, and Miss Thornton will soon be able to resume her work at Sheppard Field.

Bob Sadler has leased his lunch room to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore and will visit relatives for an indefinite period.

Sam Hampton was a business visitor in Wichita Falls last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Reeves have had recent word from their sons, Heard and Jim, who are overseas, that they are well.

Sgt. E. M. Peek, who has seen 31 months of service in the Pacific, came in Saturday morning for a visit with his wife. They will visit his parents at Seymour, then to Lubbock for a visit with Mrs. Peek's parents.

Mrs. Dennis Ford and little daughter came in Saturday morning to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore for the duration. Seaman Ford is serving in the Pacific theater of war.

Mrs. S. M. Claburn, who has been on the sick list for some time, was carried to the Knox county hospital last week for treatment. She is reported to be improved some.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Troy had recent word from their son, who is serving in the Pacific area, that he is well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Couch have had word from their son, Wayne, who is in New Guinea, that he is well.

well. He sends greetings to everyone.

Goree and community was saddened again last week when Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Donoho received word from the war department that their son, Cletus, who had been reported missing in action, had been killed in line of duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooksey were visitors in Wichita Falls recently.

Mrs. Sallie Farris, who has been on the sick list, is much improved.

Mayor and Mrs. F. G. Daniell had a number of guests in their home during the past week.

Pfc. William Trimble, who is serving in New Guinea, is being hospitalized there, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Trimble of Southland.

Mrs. W. H. Billbrely has been on the sick list for several weeks, but is reported improved at this time. Her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Barnard of Lubbock has been here to attend her mother's bedside.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend Sunday school at the First Baptist church at ten o'clock and to worship with us at the regular hour.

Mrs. Ethelda McConnell left Tuesday for San Antonio, where she has accepted a position.

## LOCALS

Mrs. A. B. Warren and Mrs. Joe Duke were business visitors in Wichita Falls last Monday.

Ike Huskinson of Wichita Falls visited with relatives and friends here the first of this week.

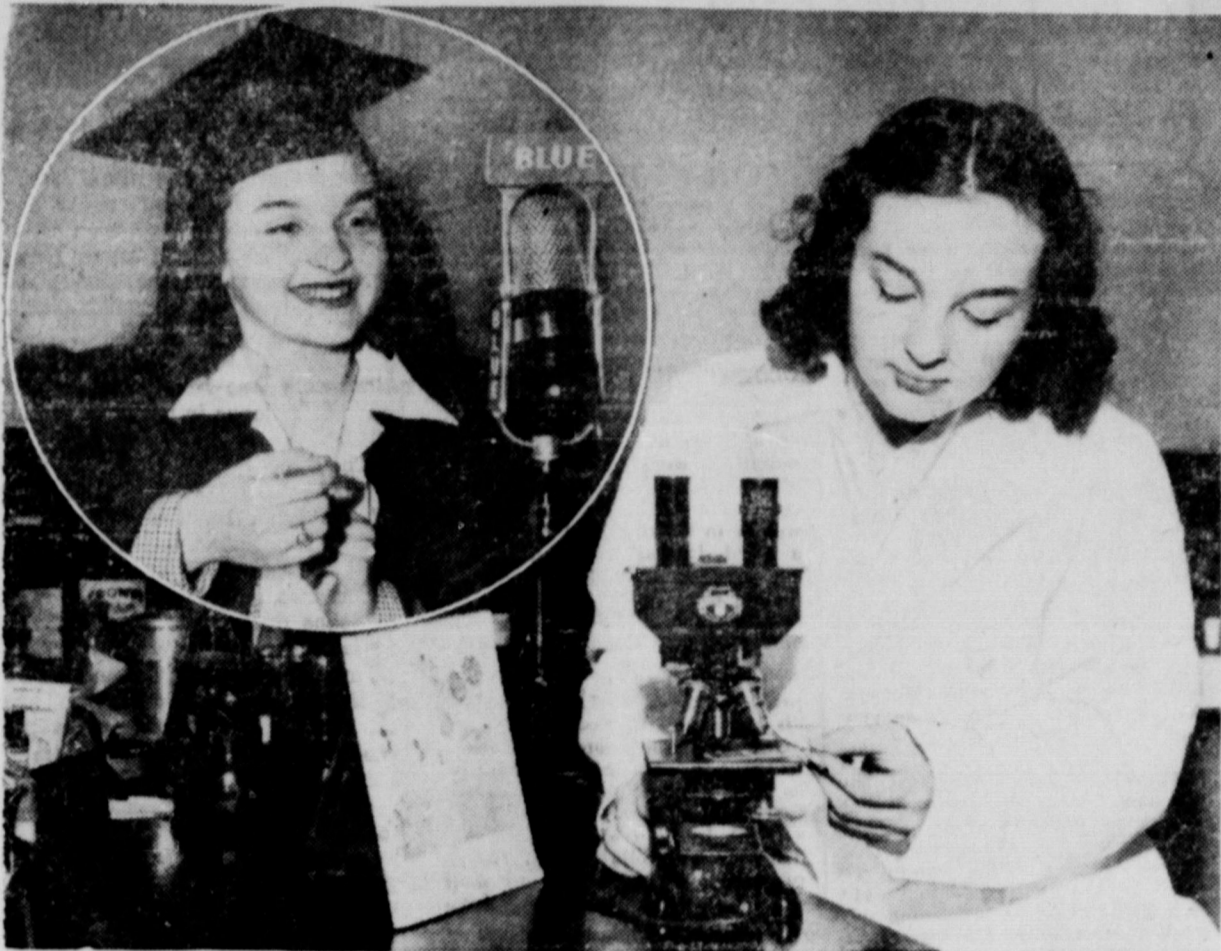
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mahan and daughters, Mary Charles and Linda, of Abilene visited Mrs. Mahan's mother, Mrs. E. M. Wilson, and with friends here over the week end.

Mrs. Clayton Wren spent several days last week in Seymour, attending the bedside of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Shaver, who underwent a major operation at the Baylor county hospital.

Mrs. Tom Morton is visiting relatives and friends in Seymour this week.

## HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. G. L. Keene, who recently underwent a major operation at the Knox county hospital, was brought home last Sunday. She is recuperating at her home in Munday and is reported to be doing nicely.



The outstanding polio victim of her age, Margaret Merrick, fifteen-year-old member of the "Quiz Kids" team, divides her time between microphone and microscope, working spare hours in her father's hospital for small animals. On January 14th the March of Dimes will get under way. Through this generous outpouring of dimes and dollars from the American public, The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is able to pledge—and to carry out that pledge—that no infantile paralysis patient shall go without hospital and medical care because of lack of money.

## Washington News Letter

By Congressman Ed Gossett

The work of Congress this week has been largely hearings before committees, plus a few notable speeches on the floor.

Some observers say that this week's speech by leading Republican Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan may go down as the most notable in World War II. The Senator, ordinarily regarded as an isolationist, this week called upon America to abandon isolationism and commit herself definitely to world collaboration. The Senator emphatically declared America must cooperate with other nations not only in the complete military defeat of Germany and Japan, but must use all means necessary to see that neither of these nations can again bring the curse of war upon humanity. His speech is a breath of fresh air to those who fear that politicians might again destroy the peace.

The House Military Affairs Committee has been in constant session on the President's request for a national service law.

Officials say that we must have 700,000 additional war workers and 900,000 additional service men within the next six months. They say 360,000 men under 26, and 265,000 between 26 and 29 are now deferred on the farms. The farmer's answer is that while he makes up only 31 per cent of the country's population he has furnished 43 per cent of the men in the armed services, that he cannot continue to break production records if stripped of remaining labor. Many contend that cost-plus contracts and the 40-hour week is responsible for our manpower shortage. Certainly any "work or fight" law should deal with those already in war work; loafing and profiteering should be eliminated first in war industry.

The impending meeting of Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin has again raised the question of Russian cooperation. We should remember that Russia was an early and enthusiastic member of the League of Nations which we refused to join. Russia wanted to stop Mussolini's invasion of Ethiopia. She actively supported the Spanish Republic against Fascist Franco. She opposed selling Czech-Slovakia to Hitler at Munich. Russia was kicked out of the League when she invaded Finland.

The office of War Information this week gave members of Congress a private showing of some of their propaganda films. Many of us thought the films particularly weak, and are wondering if our appropriations to OWI is being well expended.

Among news items discussed in Congressional cloakrooms this week is the report that seven billion dollars was spent for alcoholic beverages during 1944, also the arrest of several hundred soldiers and some officers in the European theater for blackmarket operations. The first 16 tried were convicted and given prison terms of 25 years or longer. Five G. I. deserters with fabulous blackmarket records were given the death penalty.

Newspaper men have combed the capital this week for evidence of continued rumors that Texan Jesse Jones will be moved out of the Commerce Department and that ex-Vice President Henry Wallace will be named Secretary of Commerce. Those who object to this change

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U. S. Treasury Department

fear that idealist Henry Wallace is not the man to replace financier Jesse Jones as the head of, for example, the Defense Plants Corporation, which has an investment of more than ten billion dollars in government war plants. These plants include 574 aircraft facilities, 183 steel and iron plants, 161 chemical, 156 machine tool, 97 aluminum, 92 ordnance, 57 synthetic rubber, 52 magnesium, 38 aviation gasoline and 6 pipe line projects scattered among 46 states. Neither of the Dakotas has any of these plants.

Books could be written about presidential inaugurals. Cal Coolidge was sworn in by his father, a justice of the peace, by the light of a coal oil lamp in a Vermont farm house. This week Mr. Roosevelt was sworn in on the "back porch" of the White House by Chief Justice Stone. The back yard of the White House contains some ten acres while the front yard is quite small. Following the brief inaugural ceremony most congressmen and their wives enjoyed a buffet luncheon in the White House.

Our casualties in the war to date is a staggering total of around 750,000. This is many times our total casualties in World War I. This week Russia may have prophesied the end by saying, "The dead city of Warsaw will soon live again, the alive city of Berlin will soon die."

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## Local Boy's Group Gets Citation For Work In India

The following citation, dated December 24, 1944, was received by Headquarters Company, Engineer Division No. 1, now serving in India:

To: Headquarters Company, Engineer Division No. 1:

During the past year you have grown from a collection of individuals into a cohesive unit, with which every officer in this Division is proud to serve. Individually, each of you has shown a high standard of performance and of conduct. This standard of performance and conduct has been officially recognized by your designation as a Meritorious Service Unit. I believe that this is the first award for this nature to be made in the India Burma Theater. You have every reason to be proud of your record.

I congratulate each and every one of you individually on this splendid performance of duty.

PHILIP F. KROMER, JR., Colonel, CE, Division Engineer.

T/Sgt. M. B. Caughran, who is stationed at Calcutta, India, is a member of this group and in a recent letter to his wife he stated that this citation was awarded for 4 months work by the unit.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the many kind deeds and all the help given us during the illness and death of our daughter and sister, Pauline, and the floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Washburn, and Family.

## TAKES HASKELL POSITION

Mrs. Troy Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Rogers, has accepted a position in the Payne Drug Store in Haskell. She began her duties last Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wardlow were business visitors in Fort Worth over the week end.

C. S. Moss of Knox City, editor of the Knox County Herald, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Warren and son, Jerry, of Plainview, Mrs. Troy Warren of Haskell and Mrs. Weldon Warren and children, Dickie, Ann, and Johnny, of Goree visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Warren last week end.

An ambulance from the Mahan Funeral Home went to Knox City last Tuesday and brought D. E. Holder home from the hospital. He had been there since Thursday, undergoing treatment for pneumonia.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey King attended the funeral of Mrs. King's grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Strube, in DeLeon last Friday. Mrs. A. E. Womble, who accompanied them home, had been taking care of her mother during her illness.

Mrs. Irvan Alexander of Silman, Mo., visited with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Womble, over the week end. Mrs. Alexander was enroute home after attending the funeral of her mother in DeLeon.

Mises Dot Hardin visited friends in Wichita Falls over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Henderson and Henry W. Morgan and son, Dee, of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morgan over the week end.

Mrs. Sebern Jones and children Bobbie and Mike, left last week for Mineral Wells. They will make their home with Mrs. C. B. Jones in Mineral Wells for the duration.

Mrs. Bob Hicks returned home Tuesday from Paris, Texas, where she visited relatives for several days.

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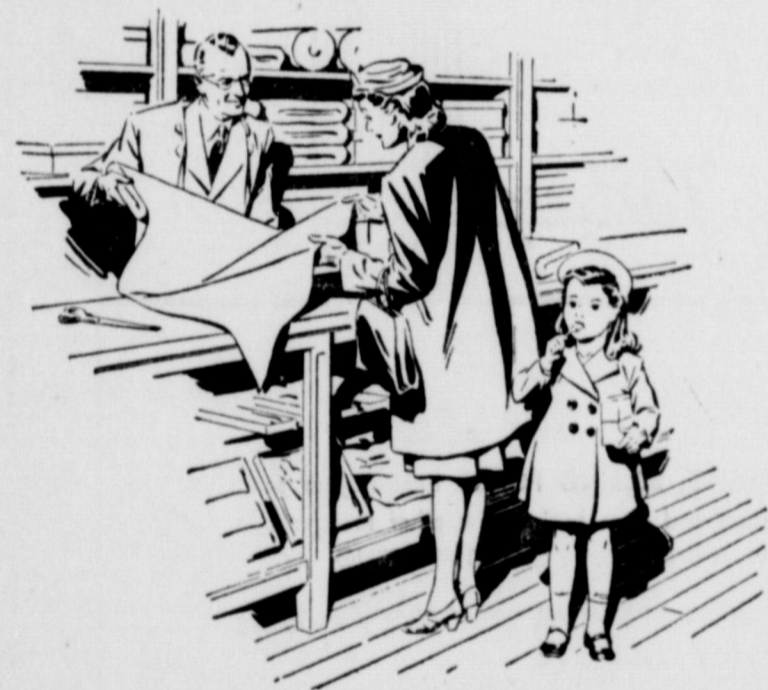
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For competition—real competition—is something besides two people making, or offering for sale, the same goods or services. It involves a lot more. And anybody who serves the public prospers because he has something better to offer—whether it's quality, prices, service, or just a clean appearance and a pleasant smile.

Real competition doesn't come from punitive taxes, or subsidies, or any other sort of horse-race handicapping to make everybody in business start even. For it isn't equality that's needed; it's the inequalities that are the true measure of progress.

Real competition is the kind that encourages the manufacturer, the farmer, or business man to get his quality up, his costs down, and to develop new things his customers want. It's this kind of competition that produces something better rather than something just as good—that insures to the public a steady increase in the value it gets for its money. General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Hear the G-E radio programs: "The G-E All-girl Orchestra" Sunday 10 p.m. EWT, NBC—"The World Today" news, Monday through Friday 6:45 p.m. EWT, CBS—"The G-E House Party," Monday through Friday 4:00 p.m. EWT, CBS.

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# Society

## Methodist W. S. C. S. Has Zone Meeting At Goree Church

Ladies of the Women's Society of Christian Service held a zone meeting at the Goree Methodist church last Monday. The program carried out the theme: "Open Doors For Our Young People."

The meeting opened with quiet piano music. Goree gave the welcome address with response being made by Munday. Rev. Don Davidson of Munday preached the morning sermon.

The evening program opened with devotionals by Mrs. M. D. Fuller. Topics discussed were officers training, children's work and the Crusade for Christ.

Attending from Munday were Rev. and Mrs. Don Davidson and Mrs. J. D. Crockett, S. E. McStay, C. H. Giddings, P. V. Williams, J. C. Borden, J. W. Roberts, W. T. Ford, Ebb Lowe and L. L. Womble.

## Wesleyan Service Guild Begins New Study Course

Members of the Wesleyan Service Guild met last Monday night at the Methodist church and started the study of the book, "West of the Date Line."

Mrs. L. L. Womble was in charge of the devotional, after which Mrs. J. W. Roberts gave the first lesson of the study. This study will continue for a period of several weeks.

Present were Mrs. Mmes. James H. Bardwell, Joe Bailey King, J. W. Massey, J. C. Rice, L. L. Womble, Hazel Shelton, J. W. Roberts, and Misses Merle Dingus and Ruth Baker.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Joe Bailey King on Monday night, February 12.

Out of a class of 40 registered nurses at the University of Texas, nearly all have applied for military service with the Army or Navy. Miss Emma Pope, assistant professor of nursing education, reports.

## Goree Study Club Meets January 4; Officers Elected

The Goree Women's Study Club met on January 4 in the home of the president, Mrs. Georgia Maples, for a business meeting.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the close of the business session. A talk was given by Mrs. J. W. Fowler on "The Grandeur That Was Rome." She also discussed Rome's rise and fall as a mighty empire.

At the close of the program, a refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mrs. H. D. Arnold, Orb Coffman, J. W. Fowler, John Goode, Lloyd Stewart, E. F. Heard, Roy Jones, W. C. Ratliff and the hostess.

New officers are: Mrs. W. C. Ratliff, president; Mrs. E. F. Heard vice president; Mrs. H. D. Arnold, second vice president; Mrs. W. M. Taylor, recording secretary; Mrs. Orb Coffman, corresponding secretary and treasurer; Miss Bernice Goode, parliamentarian and critic; Mrs. Ernest Robinson, reporter, and Sydney Gay Heard, mascot.

## Hefner H. D. Club Meets Tuesday In Lambeth Home

Members of the Hefner Home Demonstration Club held their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, January 16, in the home of Mrs. Homer Lambeth.

A brief business session was held, and Mrs. Walter Mooney, council representative, gave a report of the last council meeting. All members agreed to put more emphasis on Red Cross sewing this year. The Hefner club will work with the Goree women. The club also gave a contribution to the "March of Dimes" to fight infantile paralysis.

The next meeting will be on February 6 in the home of Mrs. Felton Lambeth. Eleven members and one visitor were present.

## Munday H. D. Club Meets Wednesday At Local School

The Munday Home Demonstration Club ladies met on Wednesday, January 24, in the elementary school building. A short business session was held with the president, Mrs. F. L. Bowley in charge. Several new members were present.

Miss Lucile King, home demonstration agent, gave a very interesting demonstration on millinery. The following ladies were present: Mrs. Mmes. R. E. Foshee, W. C. Laim, Swindell, Mitchell, F. L. Bowley, G. L. Pruitt, G. L. Conwell, J. B. Broach, J. R. King, J. B. Graham, Joe Patterson, J. O. Tynes, J. C. Gollehon, McCready and J. B. King.

## Looking Ahead

### Price Fixing

By GEORGE S. BENSON  
President of Harding College  
Searcy, Arkansas



LANCASHIRE is the name of a county in England, studded with many milling towns, some large, some small. Liverpool, once the world's leading cotton market is in Lancashire. In fact, the very word Lancashire, from long usage in the colorful language of tradespeople, has come to mean the English cotton textile industry just as Detroit means automobile manufacturing to us.

Lancashire used to be prosperous. Her mills are small in contrast to what Americans think about when they speak of a cotton mill, but they long provided work and income for thousands of thrifty people, until something went wrong. Now Lancashire is having her troubles and is just beginning to learn what they are. At the bottom of them is government price fixing.

Seeking SOME time ago the Reasons British cotton textile industry sent an investigating committee to the United States. The committee had three facts in hand: (1) American mills were turning out better cotton cloth than the English mills. (2) American cloth was selling everywhere for less than the British could afford to accept. (3) American mill workers were twice as well paid as the English workers.

While better goods at lower prices were taking England's market, that used to be world wide, Lancashire's labor problems grew worse. England's little specialty mills turned out less

material per man hour than America's big mass process mills, 18% to 57% less. The workers of England were doing many things by hand that Americans do with machinery to gain speed and volume.

Machine IN AMERICA a small Economy number of workers supervise the operation of a large number of machines, spinning, weaving and finishing, all in one big factory. In Britain cotton is spun in one factory, woven in another and finished in a third. Lancashire producers of cotton cloth buy and sell endlessly among themselves. Each operator does his part and ships his unfinished work to some other mill.

"One point in Lancashire's problem," says the London Times, "is the harsh necessity for some of the most inefficient firms to be eliminated." The government fixes prices and ignores incompetence so poor operators can make a profit. In other words, John Bull holds an umbrella over a frozen price structure that would melt down to an honest level under the warm sunlight of competition.

Competition sharpens the wits. American business men know that continuous operation is cheaper than batch work. Know there is more to be earned with big volume, low prices and small margins than by big profits on a few sales. They know volume production requires good equipment which, in turn, helps workers do more and earn more. Fixed cotton prices in America will finally give a dose of Lancashire.

## More Food At Home Means More For Our Fighters

All over the country people are wondering just how America will be able to produce enough food for our allied countries and yet have enough of the right kind of foods for our own needs.

That is where the Home Demonstration Club women will come in for their part in helping win the war. They each realize that the more food they grow and save at home, the more will be released for the boys at the front. And having a balanced diet for our families is a club goal from year to year.

They are preparing now to reach that goal in 1945 by getting their garden soil in the proper condition for planting when the warm spring sunshine does its part.

Then one may travel over the country and see these club women, with sunbonnets tied under their chins, out in their vegetable gardens, watching the little plants grow, and also keeping an eye out for insects.

But that is not all that these club women will do to help win the war. While driving over the country, notice how many fruit trees and berry vines are being planted this year. One club member alone plans to plant 200 new trees.

Most of these club women have their own flocks of poultry, also. In doing these things, we will be properly fed, have better health, and will be happier for having a part in conquering Hitler and the Japs.

## Activities of Colored People

On last Friday night, service was held at West Beulah Baptist church. Pastor Medows preached a grand sermon. Sunday school and B. T. U. were conducted by the officers.

Service was well attended at the Church of God in Christ all day Sunday.

On Tuesday night, Rev. J. A. Alexander, superintendent of the West Texas District, preached at the Church of God in Christ. Rev. Alexander is a brother of W. A. Alexander, pastor of said church.

The offering on Tuesday night was \$43.00. After preaching two selections were given by Mrs. Alvin Johnson and two Spanish girls. Mrs. Rosetta Sanders left Sunday for Dallas to visit her sick mother.

Aline Johnson received word from the past teacher, Mrs. Wellington, that she entered a hospital in Florida.

On last Tuesday night, Therman Johnson was shot at 11:30 in the

home of Arthur Dean, where he and his wife, Annie Mae, had a room. Johnson was shot in the leg. He was treated by Dr. Eiland and carried to the Knox City hospital by Mr. Mahan's ambulance.

Pvt. Coney Moore is here from Enid, Okla., and is home on an 18-day furlough to visit his wife, Mrs. Ethel Moore, and his mother, Mrs. Octavius Williams.

## RETURNS TO DUTY

Pfc. Wayne I. Hughes successfully completed a 7-weeks course in artillery mechanics, light A. A., at the ordnance school, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, and spent two weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hughes, before reporting to Camp Shelby, Miss. Wayne has also completed a course in wheel vehicle automotive mechanics in September at the Atlanta, Ga., ordnance depot.

## POTATO DIGGER CONTRIVED

College Station—Bryan Ray, Smith county farmer, has developed a potato digger which works satisfactorily, according to M. B. Hill, county agricultural agent for the A. and M. Extension Service. Mr. Ray adapted a rose digger by attaching five prongs behind it. Numerous farmers in the Smith county area could save labor by following suit, Hill believes.

## ROXY

Munday, Texas

Friday, January 26:

"Fuzzy Settles Down"

With Buster Crabbe

Also Episode two of "Zorro's Black Whip"

Saturday, January 27:

Double Feature Program

—No. 1—

"Ghost Catchers"

With Olsen and Johnson

—No. 2—

"Moonlight and Cactus"

With the Andrews Sisters

Sunday and Monday, Jan. 28-29:

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Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,

January 30-31, Feb. 1:

"Mrs. Parkington"

With Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon

## N.F.L.A. Secretary Attends Meeting in Houston Recently

Mr. L. B. Donehoo, secretary-treasurer of the Munday and Seymour National Farm Loan Association, has just returned from Houston where he spent two days at a meeting held by the 27-year-old Federal Land Bank of Houston to honor the secretary-treasurers of the 20 national farm loan associations of Texas making the largest number of loans in the state during 1944.

The secretary-treasurers were guests of the officers and directors of the Land Bank and the Farm Credit Administration at their annual meeting.

The two associations have made 67 loans during the year. The associations have outstanding long-term farm and ranch loans aggregating \$1,640,483.62. They are owned entirely by the farmers and stockmen using their services in this area.

Officers and directors of the association are:

Munday NFLA: President, John Ed Jones; vice-president, A. J. Bunis; W. A. Baker, J. T. Voss, Claude W. Hill, all of Munday.

Seymour NFLA: President, W. H. Snyder, Seymour; vice-president, C. B. Harris, Seymour; Jake L. Hall, Seymour; J. F. Martin, Westover; J. F. Cooper, Seymour.

## NEW INDUSTRY PREDICTED

College Station—Growing black-eyed peas for canning offers promise as a new industry for Dawson county as a result of experience last year. Lee Pool, county agricultural agent, says during the fall about 20,000 pounds a day were being trucked from Lamesa to a cannery. Jack Broyles of Munger obtained 2,000 pounds of peas from an acre in one picking, and other demonstrators reported good production. Some pickers were able to harvest 1,000 pounds in a day.

## BURTON INITIATED INTO SOCIETY PLAYERS

Mr. Bill Burton was initiated into the Alpha Eta Chapter of the Society of Wesley Players in a secret initiation service on January 22. This service was followed by a semi-formal banquet in Fellowship Hall, First Methodist Church, Munday, Texas.

Wesley Players is a dramatic organization for youth of college age sponsored by the Methodist Church. It is the only organization of its kind in the United States.

For quick results, use a Munday Times classified ad.



EVEN TO THE YOUNGEST—Arms and back stricken with infantile paralysis, this eight-months-old baby received modern care and treatment at the Crippled Children's Guild, Buffalo, N.Y., through the assistance of the Stuben County Chapter of The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. America's contributions to the March of Dimes, January 14-31, make this work possible.

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# WANT ADS

C. L. MAYES is in the Real Estate business. His office is over First National Bank. tfe.

FOR SALE—All kinds of Evergreens, flowering shrubs, rosebuds, shade trees, fruit trees, grape vines, berry vines. Nurseries were never so short on stock. Better give us your order now. Ask at Howell's Floral Shop, Wichita Valley Nursery, G. S. Dowell, manager, Munday, Texas. 30-1c

GOODRICH—Was making synthetic tires and had thousands of them in use 2-1/2 years before Pearl Harbor. The Goodrich synthetic tire will give you better service. It is built by leaders in the production of synthetic tires whose experience began before Pearl Harbor. R. B. Bowden's Gulf Service Station. tfe.

FOR SALE—Eighty acres of land, north of where old Cottonwood schoolhouse used to be. For more information, write or get in touch with F. D. Brannan, Box 360, Stratford, Texas. 30-tfe.

FOR SALE—160 acres, well improved on Knox Prairie. Making bale of cotton to the acre. \$100 per acre.

Surface rights, 1,000 acres of good mesquite grassland, \$20 per acre. \$50 acre stock farm. Modern 5-room home less than 3 years old, \$60 per acre.

326 acres. Old improvements, \$30 per acre.

Need listings on Knox county land. What do you have to offer? Chas. Moorhouse Commission Co. Offices: Benjamin and Brazos Hotel, Seymour, Texas. 24-tfe.

LET US—Recap your spare. We will loan you a tire while we recap yours. Firestone Store. 17-tfe

RECORDS ARE KEPT easy and up to the minute, with "Farm Records Kept Up To The Minute." Due to the experience I have had assisting farmers prepare their Income Tax Reports, and the dire need that they should keep records of their endeavors, I have prepared this new Record Book, and simplified the Record Keeping of Farmers. It is constructed so that the totals from it can be transferred into the Income Tax Form for farmers and ranchers, thus simplifying the preparation of your final Income Report each year. My price is reasonable. Just send your name, address and \$1.25, by currency, money order or check, to Charles Carter, Box 891, Comanche, Texas. 27-tfe.

SEWING MACHINES repaired. I do all kinds of repair work, and also buy a few and sell a few. Carl Rutledge, Norton House, Haskell, Texas. 31-6tp.

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house with two lots, fenced and cross fenced with poultry wire. Good Location. D. B. Bowen, Munday. 1tp.

FOR SALE—6-foot Sanders one-way plow; also 2-row stalk cutter, good condition. Oscar Spain, Munday, Texas. 25-tfe.

BRING US—Your old "wont-work" electric irons, we repair any make (if repairable). The Rexall Store. 19-tfe.

## People, Spots In The News



**OUT OF THE BLACK!**—Navy nurses are happy with new regulations eliminating so many black hoes. Smiling as they compare the new and the old (left to right) Lieutenants (jg) Arlene Miller, Fairfield, Conn.; Margaret Anderson, Amelia, N. Y.; Evelyn Green, So. Seaville, N. J.; and Mary Greesko, Chevy Chase, Md.



**CREDIT JUMBO WITH AN ASSISTANT!**—This two-ton refrigerator was moved into the "PX" in the China-Burma-India theatre of operations with the help of "Karanavathi," a 35 year old elephant. Capt. Stanley Hall (G-3) and a group of GIs.

## Lieut. Fetsch Of Stratton Hits At Japs On Missions

The following article concerning Lt. Edward J. Fetsch, U. S. N. R., of Stratford, Colo., who is a nephew of Ferd Fetsch of Munday, has been released by the Navy Department: Lieut. (junior grade) Edward J. Fetsch (junior grade) Edward J. Fetsch of Stratton, Colo., has returned from a tour of combat duty as pilot of a fighter plane based on a baby flattop in the Pacific. Attached to Aid Group 35, Lieut. Fetsch flew a Grumman-built Hellcat.

On 16 of his numerous combat missions, he came in direct contact with the Japs, and inflicted damage on them.

At Balanahera Island he scored a direct hit with a 500 calibre bomb on a Jap blockhouse, and strafed enemy planes parked about an airfield, damaging a Betty (two-engine bomber) and probably destroying another.

At Negros in the Philippines he lashed out with his 50 calibre wing guns at Jap airfields, destroying three planes parked about runways and damaging three others. He also caught a Jap fuel truck in his sights and swooped down and strafed it, leaving it a burning hulk.

On October 28, he spotted a 2000-ton tramp transport off Leyte, strafed it and set it afire.

## OUTSTANDING YOUNG DAIRYMAN 4-H WINNER

College Station — Twelve-year-old Bobby Sawyer, 4-H Club member in Scurry county has made a profit of \$216 on three cows during the past year and recently was named winner of the county 4-H dairy production contest, according to Raymond King, county agricultural agent for the A. and M. College Extension Service. Bobby's receipts from milk sales for the past year grossed \$734.40.

## CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the many kindnesses extended to us in our recent bereavement.

For the beautiful floral offerings, for every deed of kindness and every word of sympathy, we are deeply grateful. Our prayer is that you will have such loyal friends in your times of need.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hertel, and Family.

## At The Churches

### THE METHODIST CHURCH

Don R. Davidson, Pastor  
10 a. m. Church School. A class with a welcome for everyone.  
11 a. m. Morning Worship. The pastor will bring the message.  
6:15 p. m. M. Y. F. Young people will enjoy this fellowship.  
7 p. m. Evening Preaching. An informal service you will appreciate.

Wednesday, Choir practice at 7:30 p. m. Bible study at eight o'clock.

### BENJAMIN METHODIST CHURCH

J. P. Patterson, Pastor  
CALENDAR  
Preaching Second and Fourth Sundays at 11:00 a. m.  
Church school 10:00 a. m. each Sunday.

the skin.

"When these symptoms appear, the disease has been present for some time," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer. "The longer an individual has pellegra the harder it is to cure. It is advisable, therefore, to watch for the early symptoms such as nervousness, indigestion, and burning of the hands and feet, and if these symptoms appear, treatment should be instituted at once. In its advanced stages pellegra may become so severe as to not only cause physical suffering but seriously affect the mind."

Pellegra is not contagious, Dr. Cox pointed out, and he emphasized that it can be prevented entirely by including the right kinds of foods in the daily diet. These essential foods include milk, fresh meat, whole wheat products, brewer's yeast, salmon, tomatoes, and other fresh fruits and vegetables. The inclusion for these foods in the daily diet will prevent pellegra, and as to have the more serious symptoms. In the case of any disease, it is better to prevent it than to try to cure it.

## Weekly Health LETTER

Issued by Dr. Geo. W. Cox  
M. D., State Health Officer  
of Texas

Austin — Pellegra, although not a communicable disease, is one of great concern to public health officials in Texas for many people die of pellegra in this state every year. The disease is caused by the lack of certain essential foods, and as it comes on slowly, it is not recognized until the symptoms are so severe that the patient is unable to have the more serious symptoms. In the case of any disease, it is better to prevent it than to try to cure it.

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ALSO Ford Dusting Machine. ALSO 500 capacity brooder, self feeders, and various small tools needed by any farmer. Jones & Eiland, Munday, Texas. 28-tfe.

WE ARE getting good service on orders for repair parts for Avery machinery, Oliver machinery and Coleman stoves. Let us order them for you. Reid's Hardware.

FOR SALE—Electric cream separator, practically new. See Clay Hutchinson. 1tp.

HOT WATER HEATERS—No priority needed. New Crane automatic, 20 gallon capacity. The Rexall Store. 37-tfe.

WHEN YOUR—Battery is down, call or bring it to us for a sure charge. Firestone Store. 15-tfe.

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FOR SALE—160 acres of good land, \$75 per acre, good water; also 100 acres of good land, close in. R. M. Almanrode. 28-tfe.

FOR SALE—Three and five-row stalk cutters. O. V. Milstead welding and Blacksmith Shop. 1f

FENCE CHARGERS—Battery or electric sets; also insulators and wire. Reid's Hardware.

FOR SALE—20 different kinds of evergreens, 30 different kinds of flowering shrubs, shade trees, fruit trees, berry vines, grape vines, and other nursery stock. On display at Howell's Floral Shop, Wichita Valley Nursery, Munday, Texas. G. S. Dowell, Manager. 1c

WANT TO BUY—Your old alarm clock, regardless of condition. Will also repair your old clocks. E. V. Shackelford, Goree. 27-tfe.

NOTICE—If you have real estate to sell or trade, or if you want to buy real estate, see R. M. Almanrode. 44-tfe.

POULTRY RAISERS—For more eggs feed "Quick Rid" Poultry Tonic. It repels all blood sucking parasites. It is a good warmer and one of the best conditioners on the market. Sold everywhere on a money-back guarantee. 28-3tp

FOR SALE—1935 J. I. Case tractor with two-row equipment; 6-foot Case one-way; two cotton trailers, one 3-row stalk cutter. Jim Gaines, 6 miles south of Munday. 28-4tp.

NOTICE—We now have genuine pre-war rubber floor mats for your car. Get yours while they're available. Gratex Service Station. 28-tfe.

NOTICE—We do welding and machine work; general auto and tractor repairing. See us. Strickland Garage. 35-tfe.

LOST—Gas tax exemption invoices in Munday or between town and sale barn, Tuesday. Reward if returned to The Munday Times office. 30-2tp.

FOR SALE—1940 Champion Stud-baker, in good condition. J. M. Cunningham, route one, Munday. 30-2tp.

## Excessive Use Of Gas Brings Cut In Local Rations

The "over-optimism" which swept this country last year may be responsible for the excessive amount of gasoline we have been using here at home, J. H. Kaltgen, District OPA Director in Ft. Worth thinks.

M. F. Billingsley, chairman of the Knox county War Price and Ration Board, said today that he had just received this opinion from the OPA director in a memorandum calling on the Board to reduce

FOR SALE—Metal jacket water heaters. Insulated and automatic. Firestone Store. 15-tfe.

NOTICE—A tan sport coat and blue two-piece suit was taken from lobby of Post Office on Monday of last week. If person who took them will return to Times Office, no questions will be asked. 1tp.

AUTHORIZED Dealer for J. I. Case Farm Machinery. Reid's Hardware.

FOR SALE—Nice barn 24x36, shingle roof, drop siding walls. Would make nice residence. Built in 1935. Price \$600.00. Orb Coffman, Goree, Texas. 29-tfe.

WE ARE the authorized dealer for Allis-Chalmers Farm Machinery. Reid's Hardware.

FOR SALE—Good upright piano, in good condition. Mrs. J. B. Graham, route 1, Munday. 29-2tp.

FOR SALE—We are going to sell all of our Jersey cattle, bred heifers, open heifers, springer cows, two extra good bulls. Jones & Eiland, Munday, Tex. 27-tfe.

FOR SALE—1940 Plymouth coupe; 1941 Chevrolet 4-door sedan; 1940 Nash 4-door sedan; 1941 Dodge pickup; 1938 Ford tudor; 1939 Ford coupe; 1938 Pontiac tudor; 1939 Plymouth tudor; 1937 Chev 4-door; 1937 Chevrolet 4-door sedan; 1937 Plymouth 4-door sedan; 1939 Chevrolet coupe; 1936 Ford coupe. Brown & Pearey Motor Co., Haskell, Texas. Ross Pearey and Elmer Turner. 30-2tp.

I HAVE some good building lots close in east side of depot, fifty by two hundred feet, for sale at seventy-five and one hundred dollars each. C. L. Mayes. 29-tfe.

WANTED TO RENT—Farm of approximately 200 acres with or without some grass land. J. C. Venoble, Adamsville, Texas, or see Wody Burney at Farm Machinery Co., Munday, Tex. 29-3tp.

WANTED FARM WORK—Any kind of general farm work, preferably by day. Francis Brown, Gibbins Rooms, east of depot. 1p

FOR SALE—F-12 Farmall tractor with 2-row equipment, good condition. Clarence Jones, Goree, Texas. Phone 917-F-11. 30-2tp.

gasoline ration insurances again. Mr. Billingsley, in revealing that the gasoline panel has been requested to reduce non-highway insurances by 10 per cent and B and C rations by 5 per cent, appealed to the people of Knox county to help.

"The people who use supplemental gasoline and the farmers, construction men, and others who use non-highway gasoline, can help the members of the gasoline panel a lot by reducing their demands for gasoline to the absolute minimum," he said. "The panel members have demonstrated, I think, that they want the people of Knox county to have all of the gasoline they need to carry on work that contributes to the war effort and usually they take the word of the applicant in issuing rations. However, the issuance of non-highway gasoline has become almost 10 per cent of the total rations issued," he said, "and that seems like too great a percentage to me."

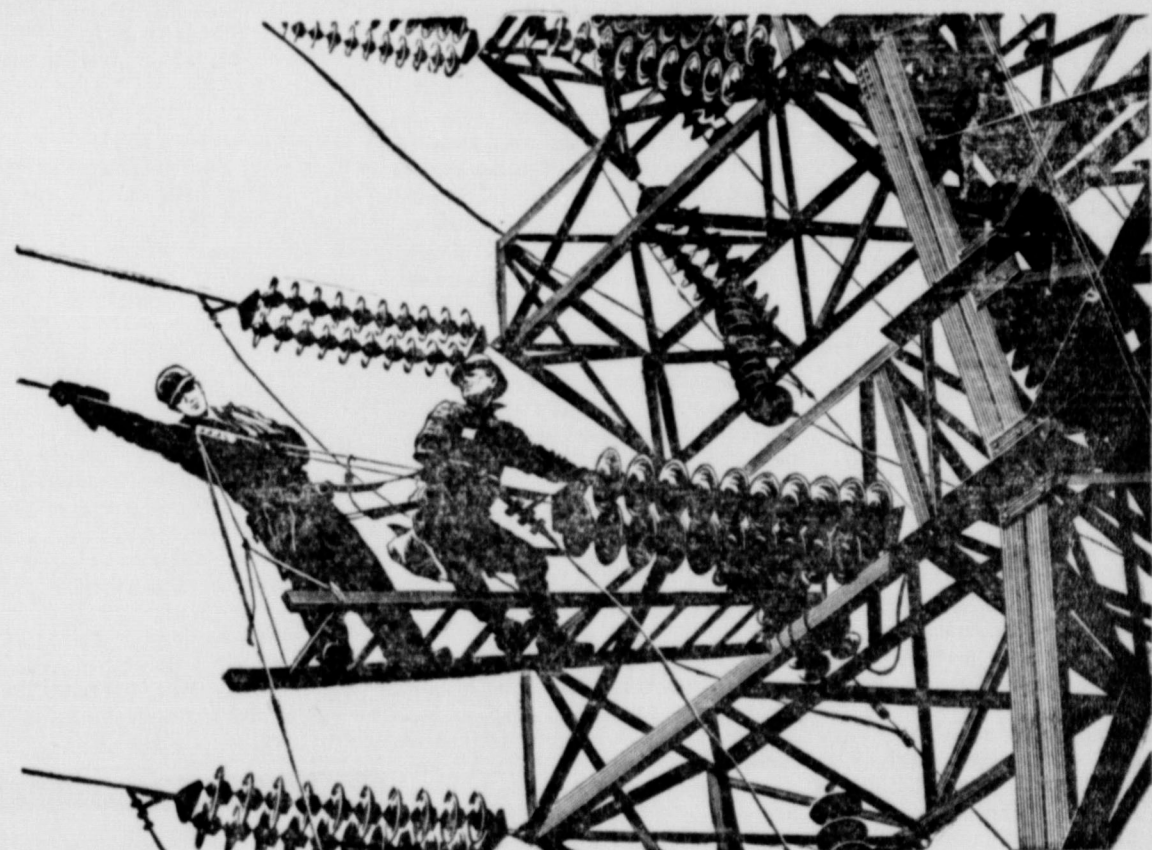
Information received from the district OPA revealed that the Ft. Worth district (of which Knox county is a part) had issued more gasoline in November, in proportion to the amount allotted for issuance, than any other district in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Missouri, the chairman revealed. "We are not interested in getting into contests with other counties or districts," Mr. Billingsley remarked, "but we are interested in cutting the use of any scarce war commodity to the absolute minimum, and I believe everybody will agree that gasoline is scarce and is one of the most important war commodities."

## SWEET SUDAN MULTIPLIED

College Station — Beginning in 1943 with four ounces of sweet sudan developed by scientists of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Joe Jennings of Aiken produced 100,000 pounds during 1944, he reported recently to County Agricultural Agent Leon C. Ranson of Floyd county. After the seeds were certified by the State Department of Agriculture, Mr. Jennings, a veteran Extension demonstrator, sold them to a Farwell dealer.

## IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

**FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS**



## IT'S NO CIRCUS!

They may look like two daring young men on the flying trapeze. But they're really electric linemen, working fifty feet in the air, with no net underneath.

It's tough enough up there on a sunny summer day. It's much worse on a wet black night—or when everything's slippery with sleet. But the job must be done. It's part of giving you good electric service.

Fortunately, there are men who have the courage and skill to do it. Just as there are other men who control complicated switch-boards in lightning storms, or keep a careful watch on giant turbines, or crawl in hot boilers to make repairs.

These folks know what to do because they've been doing it a long time. Men and women grow up in the electric light and power business. It takes years to become a power-plant engineer. Lineman—load dispatcher—service man—almost every job is specialized and technical.

The value of this experience—and of sound business management—has been dramatically proved by war. In spite of shortages of many essentials, there is no shortage of electricity—and it is still sold at pre-war prices!

Hear Nelson Eddy every Sunday afternoon in the brilliant new musical show — "The Electric Hour" — with Robert Armbruster's Orchestra, 3:30 CWT, CBS Network.

## West Texas Utilities Company

## TOM-TOM

### THE STAFF

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#### Editorial

A man was walking down a busy street when his attention was suddenly drawn to an old man who was evidently searching for something near the sidewalk. His curiosity was aroused, so he asked the old gentleman what he was looking for. The old fellow glanced up, stared about him in bewilderment, and replied: "I don't know."

Many of us are like that. We go through life with no goal in sight, with no thought of the future in mind. One day we are confronted with the questions, "Where are you going?" "For what are you searching?" and we answer, "I don't know."

Know what you plan to do in life. Now is the time to plan. Have a goal in sight and always work toward it. Do this and you'll always know what you're doing and why you are doing it.

#### Society News

The relief of having mid-term exams over is being interrupted by the grades we've found we've made. Worrying over the grades is making worse headaches than cramming did.

The speech class plays are slowly but surely taking form. Any day now posters will be scattered about town saying "please come."

For some sort of reason all the students are reading books instead of studying. Could that reason possibly be that our library has been enlarged? All the books are being read so fast that if one isn't there first he is out of luck.

What used to be the Civics class is now the Public Safety class. Safety of others will be learned so fast that it will soon go into effect.

The McMurry Chanters visit Thursday was enjoyed by everyone. Among these songsters were two of our old class mates, Flora Haynes and Patsy Kirk.

The band has started practicing for a concert which is to be given in the near future. They are now working on a novelty number.

#### Senior News

Seniors are swooning all over the place but it certainly is not from ecstasy. Mid-term has "snuck" up on them again. Of course they weren't completely prepared—Seniors never are. So many book reports, lines of poetry, themes, and notebooks to get up and so many swell movies and nice places to go—all at the same time. Now, who could study?

You know, people always said that Seniors were supposed to be big boys and girls. But bookkeeping has proved that statement off the beam. Did you ever see a Senior cry or howl? Did you ever see a Senior kick a chair across the floor? That's what bookkeeping will do for you. To study and cram for hours on hours and then come up and flunk out—that's life for you.

Life will go on as usual this new semester—provided enough Seniors survive to make up a class. Each day the Seniors will have to observe a few minutes silent prayer for the future spring graduates. The class will have to "herobly resolve" to change their ways of living—it isn't long till spring finals and it would be too late to resolve then.

Most of the Seniors are able to start off with a clean slate this semester but a few have book re-

ports and poetry yet to be "brung up." Quite a number of the grades failed to pay off as was expected. Poor kids—better luck next time, Seniors.

#### Junior News

The Juniors seem to have long faces this week. Several of them have flunked their exams, and it's now time for all of us to start on our resolutions again to do better. Why we do this I do not know; we always break them about the second week.

Some of the Juniors had visitors over the week end. One of their friends who they scarcely knew because of the mustache he had grown while he was away walked in on them Sunday evening.

The Juniors have checked in their English grammar books and have begun to study Literature. Most of them believe that Literature will be more pleasant than the grammar was.

Lyndol has his face all bandaged up so that you can't even tell what kind of profile he has. We sympathize with you, Lyndol.

#### Sophomore News

Last week was the week for mid-term exams which were plenty tough. The good part about those exams was that we could go home and study when we weren't taking tests. Mid-term exams mean that we have passed the half way mark of this school year. It does not seem that half of the school year is gone, but time seems shorter in the eyes of those who are busy.

When we compare grades this time it will be for the semester instead of just the six weeks. We are still in the race and thus for we are still leading.

Speaking of comparing grades the Sophomore boys have challenged the Sophomore girls to compare grades with them and the losing side treats the winning side to a party each six weeks. Some fun, eh boys?

At the community meeting called for the purpose of discussing the proposed food locker Monday, Jan. 8, a contest was held to see which class in school had the most representatives at the meeting. The Sophomores walked off with the first prize of ten dollars, with 26 votes to their credit. Thanks awfully, Chamber of Commerce. That ten spot will come in mighty handy some of these days.

Guess what! At last we have our new set of reference books in the library. And what a set! The Encyclopedia Americana, 1944 edition in thirty volumes. There's no excuse now for anyone's not having the latest information on any subject. In addition to the reference set, sixty-three new books for recreational reading are now on the shelves. That is, they were on the shelves. These high school students seem to be great book lovers.

#### Freshmen News

We Freshmen, after hearing the reports on our exam grades, feel that it would be unfair for us to accept the Sophomore offer to compare our grades. After all, there are so many more Freshmen who have made better grades, (or worse grades) there would be very little use comparing them.

The money from the Halloween

## Ex Libris... By William Sharp

CHIPS, MOST DECORATED U.S. WAR DOG, CLEARED AN ENEMY PILL-BOX ALONE...



THE RUSSIANS HAVE EVEN TRAINED DOGS TO DESTROY TANKS.

DOGS AT WAR  
by Clayton & Goring

NOT ONE MARINE WAS KILLED IN SOUVANVILLE IN A PATROL LED BY A DOG!

Carnival finally served its purpose. It is now in the library in the form of books. We are enjoying them very much and intend to do our part in taking care of them.

## LOCALS

Mrs. William Browning was a visitor in Seymour last Sunday.

Miss Katie Belle Sweet was a business visitor in Lubbock the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hightower and daughters of Dallas spent the week end here with Mrs. Hightower's mother, Mrs. A. E. Womble, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Womble and Charles Arthur attended the funeral of Mr. Womble's grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Strube, in DeLeon last Friday.

Harold Longino and Miss Elizabeth Willis, both students in McMurry College, Abilene, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haynes over the week end.

Sgt. and Mrs. Howard Smith of Fort Worth and Mrs. J. H. Smith of Springtown spent the week end here, visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Weldon Smith.

Mrs. Oscar Spann attended a Wesleyan Service Guild meeting in Stamford last Monday night. Mrs. Spann is the new district secretary for the guild, and she assisted in the program at Stamford.

Mrs. Ralph Kellogg of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Moser of Vanadium, New Mexico, visited here with Mrs. Bertie Wilson the first of last week.



The famed 36th "Texas" Division which fought so heroically in Italy, is picking up new laurels in France, where it already has taken more than 17,000 German prisoners—an average of more than one and one-half prisoners for each member of the Division. The figures count only live Nazis actually in the hands of the Texans, and not the several thousand killed outright.

Most recent news reports say the 36th is in a new offensive. Apparently the Texas boys just don't know how to retreat!

And, speaking of Texas boys, here's a tip that may help you make them mighty happy at little cost: send them your home-town newspaper. Better still, enter a subscription for your son, husband or friend, so that the paper will go to them direct from the newspaper office week. Nothing makes a better gift, for every soldier wants to read all the home-town news. The boys abroad would rather have the home-town weekly than the New York Times plus all the current magazines!

But back to the 36th Division—Sgt. Fred Hall of Mansfield, Texas, who weighs 202 pounds and is the biggest man in his headquarters battery, recently was forced to sleep in a baby crib while fighting along the Seventh Army front in France. It was the only available sleeping place in the house where he was billeted... and Fred reports that

it was lots more comfortable than a fox-hole in the cold!

S/Sgt. Rector Schnahals of Bastrop has been awarded the Soldier's Medal for heroism in helping extinguish a crashlanded bomber. He did the job despite constant danger that several bombs still left in the ship might explode. The official citation pointed out that his deed constituted "heroism at great risk of life."

S/Sgt. Cy Key, whose farm home is near Crowley, recently won the Combat Infantryman's badge for outstanding service with the 2nd Infantry in France.

And from Leyte comes word from another scrapping Texan who knows what it is to be lucky. He is Pfc. Jim Pavlicek of West, who has fought through two of the toughest campaigns of the war without being scratched.

"I guess God has been with me," Jim told a war correspondent who talked with him recently. He has been in service four years, and has fought the Japs on several Pacific islands.

Another West resident, Marine Corp. John Ctepan, has earned his "M" with a Marine football team in the South Pacific. The former Texas University guard plans to coach football after the war, and he's keeping up with the game even while fighting the Nips.

Also in the Pacific is Russell Cole of Brownsville, who believes in working when there are no Japs around to fight. While waiting for a new combat assignment after several months of front-line service, Cole volunteered to work with a construction unit building Quonset huts on the island.

Incidentally, Texans at home are going to receive a lot of national publicity when the final report on the recent War Chest drive is made. Details aren't ready for publication yet but Wayland D. Towner, United War Chest of Texas general manager, has let slip the fact that Texas generosity came through again.

All you who contributed so generously can be sure that you have helped toward victory... and you have helped make life better for our fighting men, too!

George Salem spent the first of this week in Dallas, purchasing merchandise for the Fair Store.

H. B. Stubblefield was a business visitor in Greenville and Fort Worth over the week end.

Mrs. Thomas Ferguson of Tulia visited with friends here last Monday.

## AMERICAN HEROES

by JULIAN OLLENDORFF

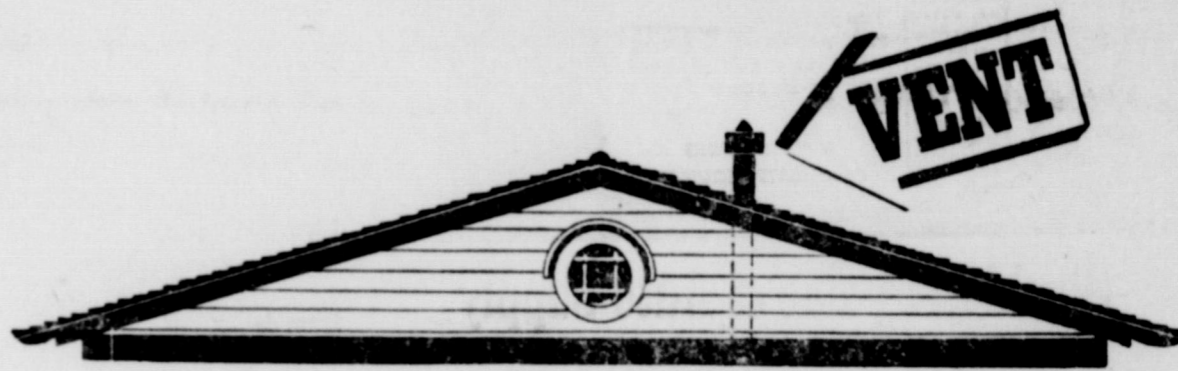


War Bonds are appreciated when used to put machine guns into the hands of such heroes as Pfc. David Daily, U. S. Infantry, of Richmond, Texas. When the forward motion of two platoons was halted in a Pacific island attack, he stood up, draped an ammunition belt over his shoulder and opened fire from his hip, spraying enemy pillboxes. His action permitted fellow fighters to withdraw safely. He was cited for heroic action. Buy War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

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Vented GAS STEAM RADIATOR

Vented FLOOR FURNACE

Not all types of vented gas heating equipment are available because of wartime restrictions. But if you are using the old-fashioned open-flame unvented type heating throughout your home be sure you provide plenty of ventilation. It will help some to reduce wall sweating and eliminate stuffy air.

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### "Essential" and "Critical" Draft Guides

The guides set up by the War Manpower Commission for Selective Service in inducting men in the 18 through 29 age group make a nice difference between the "essential" industrial employment and that which is considered as "critical" to the war production program. Most smaller communities (excepting mining and specialized manufacturing towns) which are closely related to their agricultural areas, will find that most of the men in the affected age group fall in the category of "essential" employment when they work in such fields as the following:

**Agricultural services:** Commercial poultry hatcheries, seed processing, animal breeding, crop disease protection services, initial processing services of compressing, threshing, cleaning, shelling, curing and the like, irrigation services, farm repair and maintenance services, farm product assembly services, custom grist filling and ice harvesting. No "critical" employment is listed under the WMC guide for agricultural services. The production of packaging materials for shipping and preserving essential products is also listed as an essential class of employment.

In the category of "critical" employment, as it may affect the draft status of citizens of non-industrial smaller towns, is listed such work as the repair of automobiles, busses, trucks, tractors and farm equipment. However, it is intended that

in the category of repair services consideration be given only to individuals qualified to render all-round repair services on the types of equipment included in the essential list. Types of repair services other than the above are deemed "essential."

In the field of health and welfare services the critical classification is applied to physicians, surgeons, dentists, oculists, osteopaths, sanitary engineers, veterinarians engaged in farm live stock treatment, medical, dental and optical laboratories, pharmaceutical services, hospitals, nursing services, and institutional care. Into the "essential" class go mortuary services, auxiliary civilian welfare services to the armed forces, welfare services to civilians, church activities, accident and fire prevention services and structural pest control services. Only educational service considered critical is the United States Maritime Service Training Program; most others are listed as essential services.

In the forestry and lumbering fields the only critical classifications are those of timber tracts and logging camps, cutting of pulpwood, wood for tanning extract, sawmills, veneer and planing and plywood mills.

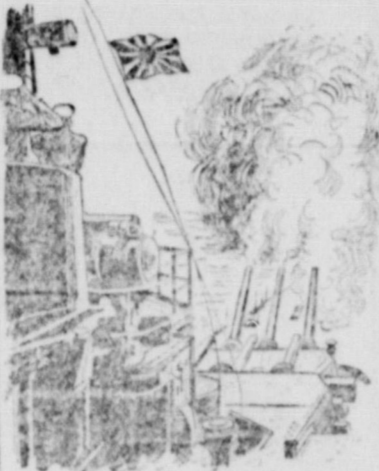
Substantially, the guide system set up by WMC, which is in accordance with the Directive to Selective Service by the Director of War Mobilization and Reconversion, James F. Byrnes, reflects the intensified

## Ex Libris. William Sharp

### FROM PEARL HARBOR TO CORAL SEA\*



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### BATTLE REPORT

PREPARED FROM OFFICIAL SERVICES BY COMMANDER WALTER KARRIG, USNR, LIEUTENANT WELBURN KELLEY, USNR

## Careers and Cash Offered In Contest For Designers

Girls who think they have a flair for designing today were offered the opportunity of entering a nation-wide contest which holds promise of a lucrative profession in the designing field.

In order to encourage young Miss America to develop latent talent, Harper's Bazaar announced its sponsorship of the contest, which it hopes will bring new acclaim to American designers of women's clothes.

"We are thrilled at what American women have already achieved in the field of designing, and want to encourage the younger generation to even greater achievements," Carmel Snow, editor of Harper's Bazaar, said in announcing the contest.

Three winners will be selected. Each will receive \$1,500.00, plus a scholarship at the Parsons School of Design in New York, criticism and encouragement throughout the school year by the editors of Harper's Bazaar and an introduction to leading manufacturers at the end of the school term.

College girls, school girls and art students between the ages of seventeen and twenty-three at the time the awards are made are eligible to

enter. Each entrant must submit at least ten color sketches of original fashions, mounted on white cardboards with two-inch margins; also a letter of two or three hundred words telling what she wants to do in fashion, and a brief character reference from her dean or school principal.

Entries must be submitted on or before April 1, 1945, and should be sent to Harper's Bazaar, 572 Madison Avenue, New York 22.

The entries will be judged by the editor of Harper's Bazaar, and a board of two retail store executives and two manufacturers. Awards will be made public in the August, 1945, issue of Harper's Bazaar.

demands on American resources of men and materials to wage the war, and the fact that the past years of war have absorbed the more readily available resources.

**War Expenditures At New High**  
Evidence of the demands of a vast war effort is the fact that in

December, according to the Treasury Department and the War Production Board, War Expenditures averaged \$313,400,000 a day; a new high for the daily outlay. The daily rate last month was 14.8 per cent higher than in November.

### Consumer Front Little Changed

The consumer front remained little changed with continued tight rationing controls by way of fairer distribution of limited wartime supplies. Most consumers recognize that 1945 will be a "tight" year for most commodities. Retail prices on smoked porked loins and loin cuts have been cut by OPA by one to two cents a pound and retail cent-per-pound ceiling prices were established on both kosher and non-kosher cooked corned beef briskets. During the critical manpower situation in the Mansfield, Ohio, area, Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., voluntarily stopped output of electric irons in its factory there (half of an authorized 157,000 irons had been completed). Every town, every business district is asked by the government to turn off advertising signs, dim illumination and use electricity sparingly to save coal for winning the war.

### Pearl Harbor Today (Exclusive)

Pearl Harbor, T. H.—The scene of America's first setback also has been the scene of the nation's equally significant triumph—Pearl Harbor Navy Yard, Uncle Sam's greatest ship repair center. It is the locale of incredible accomplishments in underwater salvage, reconstruction, and refitting of war craft. It is the nerve center of the United States Pacific Fleet. It is the home of the city of ships, the heart-beat of the mightiest nautical power in the world's history.

Because the navy yard workers feel a personal obligation to enlarge on the yard's many distinctions, they have registered other spectacular accomplishments too, the Navy Department reports. They take pride in the fact that for some time the Pearl Harbor Navy Yard has averaged longer work weeks and more overtime than any of the 10 yards in the United States. In addition,

they point out that 95 per cent of the employees invest in war bonds, with purchases averaging \$1,000,000 a month.

Pearl Harbor has had a colorful history. It began 57 years ago when King Kalakaua granted the United States exclusive rights for its use as a coaling and repair station for American vessels. It was not until 1905, however, that the site was selected officially as the location for a principal naval base.

In 1909, work was started on a drydock that was not completed until 1919. In that year the navy recommended that a first class naval base, with facilities adequate enough to handle the entire fleet in time of war, should immediately be developed.

Within the war years, the navy yard construction program has boomed to make it one of the world's largest yards. In 1941, Rear Admiral William R. Furlong was named Commandant and he has directed the vast operations since that time.

Today, more than three years after the sneak attack that plunged the United States into war, Pearl Harbor Navy Yard is serving the highly important function of keeping the ships of the Pacific Fleet fit to fight. Admiral Furlong reports that there remains a need for skilled workers and again has appealed to patriotic citizens on the mainland who are not in essential war work, but desire an opportunity to play a vital part in the Pacific war effort, to register at the nearest Civil Service Office for transportation to Pearl Harbor, and a war job.

### Farmers Hold Huge War Bond Reserve

Down on the farm there is a war bond financial reserve of over \$3,500,000,000—more than the average annual value of all crops produced in the 1930's, reports the agricultural section of the Treasury's War Finance Division.

During the 10-year period 1930-39, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports the average gross farm income from the sale of crops was \$3,100,000,000.

The War Finance Division regards its estimate of \$3,500,000,000 in war bonds held by farmers at the conclusion of the sixth war loan as conservative. Final figures may show an agricultural investment in these bonds close to \$4,000,000,000.

M. L. Predmore, chief of the Agricultural Section of the War Finance Division, states, "This huge war bond investment has put agriculture in the strongest financial

position since before World War I. Most farmers now have financial protection against the hazards of farming, such as crop failures and livestock disease."

He urges that farmers "continue to invest all funds above necessary farm and family expenses in war bonds. In this way they can build up an investment that will assure the funds needed to put their farms

in efficient operating condition after the war. If these improvements can be financed out of current income, then the war bonds can be held as the valuable long-term investment that they are."

Mrs. H. B. Stubblefield and children visited Sheriff and Mrs. L. C. Floyd and Bobbie in Benjamin over the week end.

## How to Use GERMOZONE effectively FOR BABY CHICKS . . .

. . . Chicks should be given Germozone in all drinking water for the first three weeks, in the proportion of one teaspoonful to each quart of drinking water.

After the first three weeks and so long as the chicks are well, it will be enough to give them Germozone, in that proportion, in only one drink each day—say, when you fill the fountains in the morning. This should be continued until the young birds are put out on range.

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# The Munday Times

### THE OLD JUDGE SAYS . . .



"Judge, remember that place up in the mountains where we went trout fishing last year?"  
"I sure do, George. We had a great time up there, didn't we?"  
"I'll never forget it. But this will interest you, Judge. I heard just yesterday that the revenue men raided a big still right near there. Guess that's where all that high-priced moonshine we heard about has been coming from."  
"Wouldn't be a bit surprised. I saw in the paper the other day where the Government has raided thousands of such stills during the past year."

"Sounds sort of reminiscent, doesn't it, Judge?"  
"Exactly and it's not hard to figure out. As soon as the distillers stopped making whiskey and devoted their entire facilities to the production of industrial alcohol for the Government . . . the racketeers muscled in again."  
"I hate to think of how that might have spread, Judge, if the Government hadn't found it possible, without interfering with our war effort in any way, to permit a short resumption of legal whiskey production recently."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

### 99th Division's "Battle Babies" Tough Battlers

First Army Headquarters.—The outfit that fought the Nazis around the clock for five days; which captured Field Marshal von Rundstedt's order of the day revealing plans of the all-out German counteroffensive, and which took it on the chin and handed it right back was the 99th Infantry Division, it was disclosed by 1st Army Headquarters.

The division, which was activated late in 1942 at Camp Van Dorn, Miss., was getting its baptism of fire when it took the onslaught of wave after wave of the German assault in the first stages of the Nazi offensive Dec. 17, which saw some of war's bloodiest fighting.

The above is from the air forces edition of "Army Times" January 6, 1945.

Two Knox county boys are with the 99th Division. They are Pfc. Jack D. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones of Munday, and Cpl. Claude Richardson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Richardson, who reside northeast of Knox City.

Pfc. Jones has notified his parents that he received burns from a gas explosion sometime in December, injuring his hand. No details of the incident has been sent his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson received

### 15 Registrants Re-Classified On January 16th

Registrants reclassified by the Knox County Local Board on Tuesday, January 16, are the following: Class 1-A: Oscar O. Whitaker, Lyle R. Elliott and Warren C. Haynie.

Class 1-C, Ind.: Rupert V. Williams and Jeff D. Bowden.

Class 1-C, Disc.: Charles P. Heard.

Class 2-B: Eugene L. Marak and Earnest L. Blackburn.

Class 2-B (F): Troy T. Gregston, Edward D. Snody and Hubert W. Brooks.

Class 2-C: Leonard T. Horn.

Class 2-C (F): Samuel Lusk and J. J. Denton, Jr.

Class 4-A: Thomas C. Carter.

#### DANCE AT RHINELAND

A dance will be held at the Rhineland community hall on Monday night, January 29. Music will be furnished by The Brown Derbies of Stamford, and the public is invited to attend.

J. W. Laduke of O'Brien was a business visitor in town last Tuesday.

word that Claude received several shrapnel wounds on December 18.

### Farm Labor Committee To District Meet

Congress again has charged the Extension Services of the land grant colleges with responsibility for the farm labor program within the several states.

"The Texas A. and M. College Extension Service has not sought this added war-time responsibility, but our organization will do everything possible to help farmers and ranchers produce, harvest or market crops and livestock without waste or loss," Dr. Ide P. Trotter, Extension director, stated upon being advised of the Congressional action.

Now that the go ahead signal has been received, the Extension farm labor office will not slacken its efforts during the winter months, according to C. Hohn, Extension state farm labor supervisor. Representatives of his office already are working with local community groups in an effort to set up 100 centers for migratory farm laborers for use later in the year. These centers would provide sanitary and parking facilities, and would speed up placement and routing of families and crews.

Field workers in the lower Rio

### Gas Company Has Five Year Safety Record

A perfect record of performing company operations during the last five years without a single disabling injury has been made by employees of Lone Star Gas Company's Seymour district of distribution, according to S. A. Mitchell, district manager. During that time the personnel worked 95,600 hours without a loss-of-time accident.

A framed certificate for accomplishing the outstanding safety record will be presented to the district at the first employee safety meeting in 1945. In addition to Mr. Mitchell, district employees are A. H. Lawson, Ulric L. Bennie, Louis D. Greene, Anna H. Briggs, H. R. Dunlap, William T. Faubion, Joseph A. Hudspeth, Frank J. Matura, Charles E. Moreland, John T. Reeves, Lee O. Shalun and Sam O. Turner. The district includes Seymour, Benjamin, Goree, Knox City, Munday, Rochester, Truscott and Weinert.

"The district safety record is particularly outstanding at this time," Mr. Mitchell said, "because it has been carried on under the stress of manpower shortage and other war restrictions, and when the company has been called on to meet the greatest demand for gas service in its history. The record is the result of Lone Star Gas Company's constant program of training personnel in the importance of safety in their lives and the lives of men, women and children they serve in performing company operations."

Mr. Mitchell pointed out that the Seymour district is one of two that have earned 5-year safety awards; six have established 10-year records. Throughout the company's distribution system of 275 towns, there were only 16 disabling injuries during 1944, representing 1,385 employees working 2,868,136 hours, he said.

Grande Valley and Winter Garden area soon will be contacting approximately 2500 crew leaders who represent about 30,000 migratory laborers, most of them Spanish-speaking. These follow the harvest each year and help pick a large portion of the states' cotton crop. Building confidence and making plans now will help laborers save time and mileage later and will benefit farmers who never before have been so pinched for labor, R. O. Dunkle, county agent, explained.

The Knox county farm labor committee consisting of C. R. Elliott, Emmett Partridge, August Schumacher, R. O. Dunkle and Elda Puri Laird, will attend a district farm labor meeting at Vernon, on January 25th.

### Ex Libris... By William Sharp

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THE CONTROL OF GERMANY & JAPAN by HAROLD G. MOULTON & LOUIS MARLIO A BROOKINGS INSTITUTION REPORT

### Cattle, Hogs Sell Steady At Auction Sale

The Munday Livestock Commission Co. reports a good run of cattle and hogs for last Tuesday's sale, with a very active market. All classes of cattle sold fully steady and some classes were higher than last week.

Canner and cutter cows sold from \$5 to \$7.50; butcher cows, \$9 to \$10; fat cows, \$10.50 to \$12; butcher bulls, \$7.50 to \$9; beef bulls, \$9.50 to \$11; butcher yearlings, \$9.50 to \$12; fat yearlings, \$12.50 to \$13.50; rannie calves, \$7 to \$8.50; butcher calves, \$9 to \$12; fat calves, \$12.50 to \$13.75.

Some little stocker cows sold from \$8 to \$9, and stocker cows and calves sold by the head from \$65.00 to \$100.00.

Paintings by University of Texas art professors continue to be shown in exhibitions both in Texas and other parts of the nation, the art department announces. Alexander Masley, professor of art education, was represented in the "Portrait of America" exhibition in New York recently. Two water colors by William Lester, drawing and design instructor, were shown in Denver, Colo., and Constance Forsyth, instructor in print-making, showed an etching in the Annual Texas Print Exhibition.

FOR SALE—A few White Leghorn fryers; also 350-egg capacity kerosene brooder for sale reasonable A. M. Searcey 30-2ep

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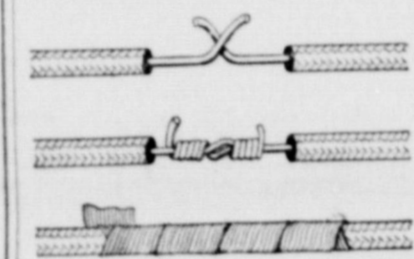
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### Fixing Up the Farm by BURTON WILLIAMS

The Farm Electrician JACK-OF-ALL-TRADES and master of many aptly describes most successful farmers. However, the wise farmer won't tackle a job without learning a few things about it beforehand. This should be particularly true of electrical repairs.

Poor electrical connections may be and cause a fire. To avoid this danger, when making a splice remove the insulation about three inches from the end of each wire and scrape the wire bright with a knife or sandpaper. Bend the ends at right angles to the wires, hook them together and twist each tightly around the other with pliers.



To prevent corrosion and get a firm contact, the joint should be soldered. It should then be wrapped with rubber tape applied while the joint is still hot from soldering so that the rubber will be vulcanized. Finally, cover the rubber with friction tape, compressing it firmly.

### Hulen Montgomery Is Now Paratrooper

Fort Benning, Ga.—Pvt. Hulen E. Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Montgomery of Munday, Texas has won the right to wear the "Boots and Wings" of the United States Army Paratroops. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Jumping at The Parachute School has been steadily developed to a recognized war science. American Paratroopers have been recognized throughout the world for their meritorious actions against the enemy.

In addition to producing jumpers, Parachute Specialist Training is given to qualified men in Communications, Demolition, Riggers and Parachute Maintenance, vital skills for Airborne Troops.

Bill Shipman of Vera was here Tuesday, visiting with friends and attending to business matters.

#### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Pvt. and Mrs. Lloyd Routon are announcing the arrival of a son, who was born on Thursday, January 18, at the Knox county hospital. Mother and son are reported doing nicely. Pvt. Routon is training at Camp Wolters.

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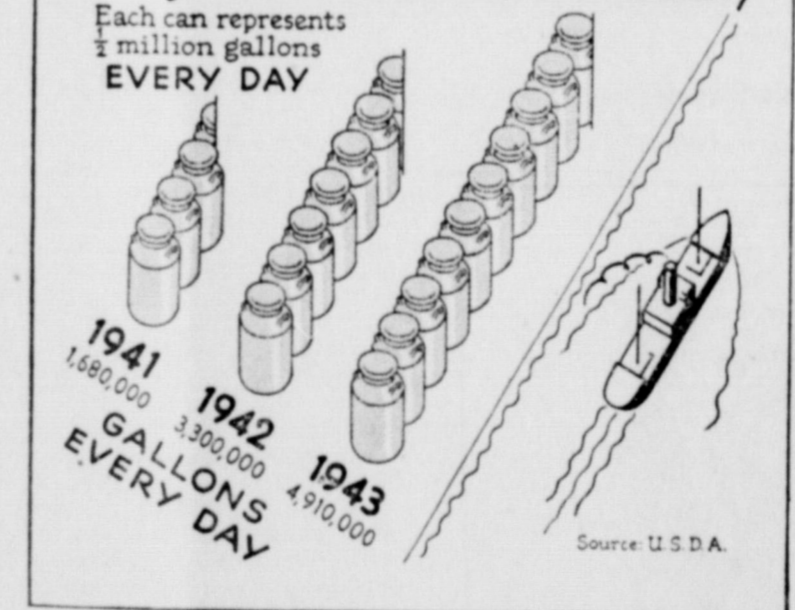
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### MILK GOES TO WAR



The paramount importance placed upon dairy products by Government and the fighting forces has imposed gigantic problems upon the entire industry. 1,680,000 gallons of milk each day were required in 1941 to make the whole-milk dairy products for lend-lease and military needs. In 1943, that had increased to 4,910,000 gallons every day. It is still higher in 1944.

To supply this milk, the National Dairy Council points out that all the products from more than 210,000 farms with ten cows each is required. This is in addition to vast quantities of separated milk necessary to produce the non-fat milk solids for lend-lease and military purposes. Never in the world's history has the dairy industry contributed so much to the nourishment of the fighting forces of its nation.

### POSSUM FLATS... THE LOCAL GROUCH IS A CHANGED MAN

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