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## Officers Named For Country Club Golf, Other Activities To Be Revived

With the returning of service men of this area, an interest in reviving activities at the city park is being created. Soon all activities of the club house and golf course will be resumed, if present plans work out.

At a recent meeting the organization of the Munday Municipal Country Club was perfected. Officers were named and committee members appointed.

Officers are: Wade Mahan, president; Winston Blacklock, first vice president; Barton Carl, second vice president; Travis Lee, secretary-treasurer.

The board of directors is composed of the above officers and H. A. Pendleton, Jerry Kane and C. P. Baker. Committee members are:

Greens: H. A. Pendleton, chairman; Weldon Smith and J. C. Harpham.

Park and Club House: W. R. Moore, chairman; P. V. Williams, J. E. Reeves, Harvey Lee and J. K. Jackson.

Finance: M. L. Wiggins, chairman; M. F. Billingsley and Arthur Smith, Jr.

Membership: Paul Pendleton, chairman; W. E. Braly and James A. Rayburn.

## Cook To Open DeSota-Plymouth Agency Soon

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Cook and their 10-year-old daughter have moved to Munday from Abilene to make their home, and Mr. Cook plans to open the DeSota-Plymouth automobile agency in Munday soon.

Mr. Cook has secured the Bauman building for this new agency, and the building is now undergoing repairs and is being repainted, getting it ready for occupancy. Announcement of the formal opening of the firm will be made at a later date.

Mr. Cook is no stranger to people of this area. He resided in Munday for a number of years, moving away several years ago.

## Big Run Reported At Auction Tuesday

The Munday Livestock Commission Co. reports a big run of cattle for last Tuesday's sale. All classes of cattle sold from 25 to 50 cents higher.

Canner and cutter cows sold from \$6 to \$8.50; butcher cows, \$9 to \$10.50; fat cows, \$11 to \$13; butcher bulls, \$8.50 to \$10.50; fat bulls, \$11 to \$12.50; rannie calves, \$8.50 to \$10; butcher calves, \$10.50 to \$12.50; fat calves, \$13 to \$15.50; butcher yearlings, \$11 to \$13; fat yearlings, \$13.50 to \$17.

Some stocker steer calves sold by the head from \$14 to \$15, and two truck loads sold at \$15.00 per hundred.

## VERA BOY DISCHARGED

Clyde Wilburn Couch, Ph. M. 3/c in the Navy, recently received his honorable discharge at Norman, Okla. His home is at Vera. Couch's last duty station was at Boston, Mass. He spent 23 months in the Pacific theater of war.

## Membership Drive For American Red Cross To Get Under Way March 4th

J. L. Galloway, Knox County Red Cross fund drive chairman, announced that plans are rapidly shaping up for the March Red Cross membership drive that will get under way on Monday, March 4. The following committees and chairman will be in charge of the drive:

Public Information Chairman—Mrs. C. H. Moss, Knox City.

Planning Committee: J. C. Campbell, Munday; Guy Glenn, Knox City; Mrs. Orb Coffman, Goree; S. O. Turner, Truscott.

Committee Chairman: J. C. Campbell, Munday; Mrs. H. A. Pendleton, Munday; Guy Glenn, Knox City; Mrs. Orb Coffman, Goree; August Schumacher, Rhineland; Mrs. Marion Ryder, Gilliland; Riley Spinks, Vera; Claude Richardson, Sunset; and Mrs. Earl B. Sams of Benjamin.

## Funeral For J. W. (Doc) Melton Held Tuesday

BENJAMIN.—Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Tuesday in Benjamin for Dr. James Wilson Melton, 75, pioneer civic leader, veterinarian and large property owner of Knox County. He died at his home at 1:30 p. m. Sunday.

Rev. J. T. McKissick, assisted by Rev. Bobby Fall conducted the service at the First Christian Church in Benjamin and burial was in the Benjamin cemetery.

A native of Collin County, Mr. Melton was born in Allen Feb. 1, 1871. He was married there Oct. 31, 1894, to the former Pearl Griffin. They came to Knox County in 1907 and made their home on a farm north of Goree. Later in the year they moved to Goree and Mr. Melton, a graduate of the Kansas City Veterinary College, began practicing that year.

In 1921 Mr. Melton was elected sheriff and tax collector and assessor of Knox County and he and his family moved to Benjamin. It was during his six years in this office that he figured in the capture and arrest of Jim Watson and George Burgess, who in a bold daylight holdup, robbed the First Bank of Truscott of \$2000 in 1927. Sheriff Melton and a lone companion captured the two men and recovered the loot without firing a shot.

Mr. Melton served four years as county judge after his service as sheriff. He was highly instrumental in the building of the new Knox County Courthouse which was erected in 1935.

His profession carried him on midnight trips in all kinds of weather to tend sick animals. It was said of him that he not only knew every man in Knox County but the names of their horses and cows.

At the time of his death, Mr. Melton was Elder Emeritus and Chairman of the Board of the First Christian Church. He had been an elder in the church for 25 years. He was also a member of the Benjamin Masonic Lodge No. 976, and of the Woodmen of the World at Goree. He served as chairman of the Knox County Office of Price Administration from the time of its inception.

Just prior to his death, Dr. Melton has been at Mayo Brothers Clinic in Rochester, Minn.

He is survived by his widow, three daughters, Mrs. Parks Norris of Goree, Mrs. J. L. Galloway and Mrs. W. T. Ward, of Benjamin, three sons, Leroy, Homer T. and James, Jr., all of Benjamin, and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were W. F. Snody and E. B. Sams, Benjamin, W. W. Coffman, Goree, John C. Rice, Munday, W. M. Ford, Vera, and C. A. Bullion, Truscott.

Honorary pallbearers are G. H. Beavers, A. H. Sams, Sr., O. D. Broppus, L. M. Williams, N. J. Bradshaw, W. M. Headrick, Ed. Bateman, all of Benjamin; E. W. Norris, Goree; Peter Loran, Alex. Jones, Munday; John C. Coffey, Hodley; B. B. Cochran, Guy Glenn, Lee Parks and W. M. Griffith, all of Knox City.

## TWO MUNDAY BOYS RECEIVE DISCHARGES

Charley Ralph Ford, seaman 1/c, and Delmar Cadwell, fireman 1/c, in the Navy recently received their discharges from the Norman, Okla., naval separation center.

Ford spent 16 months in the Pacific theater, while Cadwell served a longer time, 21 months, in the European theater.

## Jack W. Qualls Enters Race For County Supt.

Jack W. Qualls announced his candidacy this week for the office of County School Superintendent of Knox County.

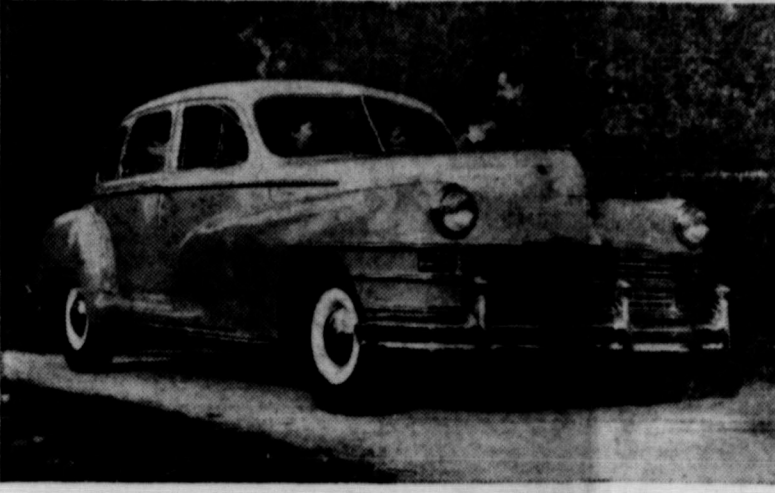
Mr. Qualls was reared in Benjamin, his parents still residing there. He attended the Benjamin Public Schools for eleven years, and upon graduation in 1938, he entered Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

In June, 1942, he received his B. A. degree, and on the 17th of June of that year he enlisted in the U. S. Army Air Forces. He was honorably discharged in November, 1945, after 40 months of service, half of which time was spent in Italy with an ordnance company attached to the 15th Air Force.

Since November 12, 1945, Mr. Qualls has been teaching in the Munday Public Schools. Competent, trustworthy, and eager to serve, Mr. Qualls asks your vote and support on the basis of his merits. He said he will welcome every opportunity to meet the citizens of Knox County and will earnestly try to contact each and every voter before the July primary.

He is married and has one child.

## One of SIX MODELS in NEW CHRYSLER LINE



The 1946 Chrysler "Royal" six-passenger, four-door sedan. This company offers a total of 26 body styles.

## Munday Drops First Game Of Champ Series

The Munday Moguls quintet, taking an early lead and holding it throughout three quarters, went down before the Iowa Park basketball team here Tuesday night in the first of a three-game series to determine the district championship. The score was 17 to 14.

Iowa Park scored first on a free throw, but Munday soon surged ahead to end the quarter 8 to 4. Munday held the lead throughout the three quarters, the half score being 8 to 9, and third quarter score 11 to 12.

A rally from Iowa Park placed them ahead in the last quarter, but a field goal again sent the Moguls ahead by one point. Iowa Park's rally continued until the final whistle, and victory was theirs.

Joe Spann was high scorer during the game, having 8 points to his credit. Jackson and Ladd each scored 5 points for Iowa Park.

The lineups: Iowa Park, Jackson and Ladd, forwards; Watts, center; Chandler and Van Winkle, guards; Bates, Wilcox and Parks, substitutes; Munday, Rogers and Harrison, forwards; Joe Spann, center; John Spann and Montgomery, guards; Bowley and Haynie, substitutes.

The second game of the three-game series will be played at Iowa Park on Friday night.

## Basketball Tourney Is Slated At Goree

An independent basketball tournament will be held in the Goree high school gymnasium on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 28 and March 1 and 2.

This will be an eight-team tournament, and all games will be played at night. Games will start at 6:30 p. m. on Thursday and Friday and at 7:00 p. m. on Saturday.

The teams expected to enter the tourney are: Munday, Weinert, Benjamin, O'Brien, Paint Creek, Leuders, Anson and Goree. All of the teams are composed mostly of returned service men, and there should be plenty of good competition.

## Weather Report

Weather report for the period of Feb. 14th thru Feb. 20th, inclusive, as recorded and compiled by H. P. Hill, Munday U. S. Cooperative Weather Observer:

	Temperature	LOW	HIGH
1946 1945	1946 1945	1946 1945	1946 1945
Feb. 14	25 38	59 84	
Feb. 15	27 43	63 84	
Feb. 16	31 39	70 69	
Feb. 17	36 32	62 46	
Feb. 18	34 27	59 38	
Feb. 19	36 36	59 41	
Feb. 20	32 39	64 43	

Rainfall this week .90 inches; Rainfall this year, 2.45 inches; and Rainfall to this date last year, 2.03 inches.

## Benjamin Brothers Carry Off Top Honors At Calf Show

### Last Rites For John D. Lane Are Held Sunday

Funeral services for John D. Lane, 57, who died Friday night in a Wichita Falls hospital, were held at three o'clock last Sunday in Wichita Falls. Rev. Merlin W. Merrill, assistant pastor of the First Methodist Church in Wichita Falls, officiated.

Mr. Lane resided in Munday for a number of years before moving to Wichita Falls. He was manager of the compress here during his residence in Munday. He was employed at Sheppard Field.

Mr. Lane had been in failing health for some time and had been seriously ill for several weeks.

Surviving are his widow; one daughter, Mrs. R. L. Sams of Benjamin; a son, Vincent E. Lane of Wichita Falls; three sisters, Mrs. Charles Whisenant of Munday, Mrs. M. W. Parks of Breckenridge and Mrs. Ray Martin of O'Brien; four brothers, N. S. Lane of Haskell, Ed Lane of Munday, and Roy and Charlie Lane, both of Goree. Two grandchildren also survive.

Pallbearers were Fred S. Berner, J. W. Crosslin, Jules Bohm, Dar F. Jackson, James A. Rayburn and Jim McDonald. Burial was at Wichita Falls.

## Knox County Hospital Notes

Patients in the Knox County Hospital, February 19, 1946

Arthur Mitchell, Munday, Leo Van Geison, Knox City, Edgar Wilman, Rule, Nancy Heald, Aspermont, Billy Dunman, Rochester, Mrs. O. A. Barker, Mabelle, Mrs. Connie Meeks, Benjamin, Reyford Shipman, Munday, Mrs. G. T. Hardberger, Knox City, C. A. Forman, Munday, Frank Glover, Benjamin, Mrs. Walter Moore, Munday, Mrs. W. S. Britton, Benjamin, Mrs. Jean Floyd, Munday, Mrs. C. B. Condon, Throckmorton.

Baby Condon, Throckmorton, Mrs. Dave Whitford, Knox City, Mrs. Julius Vita, Munday, Baby Vita, Munday, Mrs. M. F. Williams, Sagerton, Baby Williams, Sagerton, Sadie May Hart, Knox City.

Patients Dismissed since Tuesday, February 12, 1946. Mrs. B. J. Garrison, Knox City, Roma Jan Spikes, Knox City, Betty Bailey, Knox City, Baby Bailey, Knox City, Baby Hunter, Munday, Kenneth Pierce, Knox City, Mrs. T. C. Bevel, O'Brien, Mrs. W. W. Roberson, Knox City, D. H. Henry, Knox City, Cecil Ray Epley, O'Brien, Mrs. Elton Scott, Vera, R. J. Walling, Munday, Constance Ann Eads, Munday, Mrs. Carl Green, Munday, Mrs. S. J. Burleson, Rochester, Mrs. H. L. Scarborough, Rochester, C. W. Winchester, Rochester, Mrs. W. L. Decker, Goree, Baby Decker, Goree, Vaughn Gruben, Knox City, Jackie Lankford, Knox City, Mrs. Howard Johnston, Knox City, Mrs. B. R. Nall, Benjamin, Gerald Lee Elliott, Munday.

Births: Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Williams, Sagerton, a Son, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Vita, Munday, a Daughter.

HOME FROM PACIFIC Pfc. J. R. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hill, has returned from the Southwest Pacific, where he saw service with the 96th Division on Okinawa. After the island was secured, the division was sent to Mindoro, P. I., for rest.

J. R. finished high school at Sunset and had lived in San Antonio for the past few years. He and his family expect to go back there if they can find living quarters. He works for the Public Service Co.

ON TRIP TO IOWA Mrs. D. C. Eiland and son, David Chase, left last Friday for Clinton, Iowa. After a visit at Green Bay, Wisconsin, and other points, they will be accompanied home by Mrs. George Martin and two children, who will visit here with Mrs. Martin's mother, Mrs. Dave Eiland, and other relatives.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT Supt. and Mrs. W. J. Hagerty of Rhineland are announcing the birth of a baby boy on Sunday, February 17, at the Haskell hospital. The child weighed eleven and one-half pounds. Mother and son are reported doing nicely.



BOYCE HOUSE

## Boyce House Visits Munday

Texas' own "jokemaster," Boyce House of Fort Worth was a brief visitor here last Friday morning. He addressed students of the Munday high school at their Friday assembly period, keeping them entertained with his original and borrowed jokes.

Author of several books, such as "I Give You Texas" and "Tall Talk of Texas," House was famous as a writer during the oil booms of Texas towns and cities. He is a one-time candidate for lieutenant governor.

House was on his way to Snyder, where he spoke at the annual meeting of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce.

## Throckmorton Host To Brazos Valley Postal Employees

Throckmorton was host to the regular meeting of the Brazos Valley Postal Employees Association last Monday night. The meeting was held in the basement of the Methodist Church.

Postal laws and regulations are discussed at these meetings, and Claude Norman, rule postmaster, was in charge of the discussions. Sickness and deaths over the area caused a light attendance. Towns represented were Rule, Munday and Throckmorton.

The meetings are held on the third Monday nights of each month. Rule will be host for the March meeting.

Attending from Munday were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burison and Miss Merle Dingus.

## School Money Is Received; Allotted To County Schools

An allotment of school money, amounting to a total of \$7,500,000, was received by Knox County's schools last week, according to an announcement made Tuesday by Merick McGaughey, county superintendent.

The allotment amounted to \$3 per pupil for both the common and independent school districts, McGaughey said.

This makes a total of \$14 per capita received since last September 1. The year's per capita apportioned is \$30 per pupil.

J. C. GAFFORD NOW EMPLOYED AT LOCAL BAKER-McCARTY STORE

J. C. Gafford, formerly of Coleman, has moved to Munday and has accepted a position with the local Baker-McCarty store.

Gafford was recently released from the service, after serving several years. He is a brother of Worth Gafford of Munday. He invites the people to drop in and make his acquaintance.

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# EDITORIAL PAGE

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

## DON'T LOOK TO WASHINGTON

The controversy over wages and prices is paralyzing the country. The situation calls to mind the words of the editor who said, more than two years ago: "Sometime in the not-too-distant future we, at home, are going to find out what total war means, even though we may never feel the impact of bombs on our cities. A pretty good indication of how we are going to find out can be seen in the gusts of bitter controversy sweeping through the land over strikes, taxes, subsidies and inflation. They are the prelude to the storm. When it hits in full fury, the tests of our love of freedom will be upon us."

The storm has not hit in full fury even yet, but as it builds up, as the terrific cost of "total" war begins to be felt, far too many people are seeking the "protection" of government by decree. Their eyes are fixed on the price-wage storm. They fail to recognize the deadly menace of oppression at their side. Those who question the advisability of continued rigid price control and all the other anti-inflation paraphernalia, as a matter of principle, are looked at askance and are reminded that the country will not tolerate the threat of rising prices.

Suppose this kind of chicken-hearted reasoning had been indulged in by the men at the front who learned about total war the hard way? Suppose those men whose lives, not just their comfort, were at stake, had said they would not tolerate the hazards of facing the enemy. The answer to that is that the war would have been lost.

Today we are going to lose the fight against inflation, we are going to lose the peace and we are going to lose our freedom unless we stop cringing before the risk of instability that are destined to be the home front's part of the total war we at home have talked about so blatantly for the past five years.

There is something of far greater importance to every American than the immediate problem of prices and wages. That something is our representative form of government which gave us a free nation. We have imposed upon it a far greater responsibility for our personal welfare than it was ever intended to endure. It has begun to spring at the seams.

In short, America must not look to Washington for answers to problems which not even a dictator could solve.

## THE RETAILER IS A PUBLIC SERVANT

In commenting on the future of the retailer, Dr. Paul Nystrom, Professor of Marketing, Columbia University, says:

"It seems necessary to me to make a statement on what I believe to be a dangerous trend in retailing, namely, shorter hours of store operation. . . .

"Retailers have a public service to perform and that is to sell goods to consumers when consumers want to buy them. Furthermore, in the years that lie immediately ahead of us, if this is to be a prosperous peacetime condition with full employment, retailers must sell more goods than they have ever sold before. . . . It is going to be difficult, if not impossible, to increase retail sales if at the same time we cut down the number of hours of store operation. . . . A retail store is not like a factory that can be operated or closed down at will. If it is to serve its proper purpose, it must be open to the public at the time the public wants to shop. There are millions of customers who are at work in factories, offices and on farms, who can't shop during the middle of the day. Factory hours are not shopping hours. There is real danger to our economy in any effort to match store hours of operation to the hours of operation of the industries."

Among the great advantages of the American distribution system, from the standpoint of consumers, are the numerous types of, competing retail establishments.

## THINGS ONE REMEMBERS

One reads in the newspapers of "picket lines" preventing the owners or managers of factory properties from having access to their own premises. One wonders why we refer to the United States as a free nation. Such circumstances indicate complete capitulation of the police powers of cities and states to the organized forces of revolution.

Suppose, for example, in a strike-bound plant, management would hire pickets to prevent employees from entering their own homes so long as they were on strike. Can you imagine such a condition being allowed to exist? And yet, legally and morally, where is it any different than labor union pickets preventing the owners and managers of factories from entering their own properties?

There are clearly two kinds of law enforcement in the United States today, and it is frightening to see how the rights of minorities are ignored by our lawmakers, our courts and our police power.

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## BONFIRE GROWS HOTTER

The nation's fire bill is soaring to discouraging heights. December's loss of nearly \$50,000,000 was the greatest for any month since the beginning of compilation of monthly totals. This brought losses for 1945 to over \$445,000,000, the highest since 1930. The five-year period 1941 through 1945 shows a 40% increase over the previous five-year period.

These figures hold one comforting fact. Had it not been for the unremitting efforts of the fire prevention authorities, fire losses would by this time have reached truly staggering proportions. Fire prevention has become a scientific, nationwide activity. Trained experts are working to hold fire destruction to an absolute minimum. Their influence is felt in all new buildings, as well as in the older structures. Wiring, heating systems, construction details and materials, escape facilities and extinguishing equipment are all subject to their attention. They have drawn up model fire codes that have profited thousands of communities and saved thousands of lives.

The only regret of fire prevention experts is that they have not been able to do more. However, they are the first to admit that before fire prevention can get in its best leeks, the public individually must lend support. In fire prevention, as in so many other phases of life, it's the little things that count—a careless smoker, a pile of old rags, a frayed electric cord. Statistics show that just such "little things" destroy tens of millions of dollars worth of property and countless lives every year. And the tragedy is that organized fire prevention cannot effectively reach all these causes of destruction. Only the unorganized individual can do it—and in far too many cases he won't.

## YOU MAY BE NEXT

Seldom has any group within the United States been threatened with the degree of political coercion and oppression that now threatens the medical profession.

In spite of protestations to the contrary, the President's plan for a centralized government-controlled medical system cannot be other than oppressive. It is to be financed by compulsory contributions, directed by overhead authority and subject to all the evils of politics. Doctors oppose such a system because of the destruction it would wreak on medical standards. However, more than medical standards should be considered. The public will do well to ponder the potentialities of a program that would put tens of thousands of doctors under the heel of Federal authority, against their will. If it can be done in the field of medicine, it can be done to other groups.

If this country is to have a sound, progressive medical system it must respect the professional judgment of medical men in matters pertaining to medicine, and also respect their rights as a minority group.

## HAS OWNERSHIP ANY RIGHTS?

Only Congress can remodel our own-sided and ineffectual labor laws so that they will represent fairness and equality. Under present labor legislation, all manner of biased rulings have been secured by labor leaders against industry. Abuses have become so odorous that they have finally reached the public's nostrils.

One of the latest moves of labor leaders to alienate public as well as Congressional good will, is their attempt to compel executive or supervisory employees of companies to join labor unions. This is nothing more nor less than an attempt to gain control of management without any financial obligation or responsibility.

If managerial and supervisory employees can be forced into unions, management might as well turn the industries over to the unions to operate, for there would be one left on the side of management to represent the owners. If Congress fails to correct this situation, there will be no more freedom of enterprise in the United States.

## USO ANNOUNCES 1946 CAMPAIGN

Arm Navy Heads  
Praise USO Work,  
Urge Continuance  
REPORT REVIEWS  
5 YEARS OF SERVICE



The Navy pipes down while Larry Adler pipes up! The harmonica virtuoso, touring with a USO-Camp Shows troupe, at New Caledonia naval hospital.

Official announcement that USO will conduct its own fund raising campaign next September and October with a goal to cover minimum service requirements through 1947 was made by President Lindsley F. Kimball at a USO Fifth Anniversary luncheon held in New York, February 18. Similar announcements were made at anniversary luncheons in other cities.

USO came into being on February 4, 1941, when six member agencies joined hands to create an organization to care for the needs of the men and women of the armed forces. So far the American public has contributed 200 million dollars. At the New York luncheon the speakers were Lieutenant General J. Lawton Collins, Director of Information of the War Department, and Vice-Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, Chief of Navy Personnel, who described what USO had done in its five years of operation and what it still must do for the service men here and abroad.

Gen. Eisenhower's Message  
Gen. Dwight W. Eisenhower, Chief of Staff, sent this message: "May I earnestly count on your organization and your host of volunteers to stay with us through the dangerous and difficult period of transition to final peace? We still have a pressing need for the services of USO and will be deeply grateful for your continued help in the future as in the past."

Need for Fund Outlined  
The need for raising a terminal fund in the fall of 1946 is due to the fact that the National War Fund will finance USO only through 1946. Tentative, purely tentative, plans for 1947 call for the operation of some 350-400 USO clubs in the continental United States, largely in connection with hospitalized but convalescent veterans. Operation of station lounges for troops-in-transit, men on leave, and families of service people must continue. Overseas clubs will carry on in Alaska, Canal Zone, Hawaii, Philippines, etc. Camp Shows will still be seen and heard in 1947 by men in hospitals and men overseas.

Coincident with the announcement of the USO fall campaign, President Kimball made public his annual report, in which he says: "USO finds that at its peak of activity, it was serving 1,000,000 people a day in one capacity or another, run-

ning up to more than 1,100,000,000 the total served since the organization was created.

3,035 Units at Peak  
"The number of operations, such as clubs, lounges and similar activities, reached a high point back in March of 1944, a total of 3,035. As training camps closed and the men went overseas this number declined, but the over-all volume of work increased."

"The five-year peak of activity and cost came after peace in Europe and

## Highlights of USO Report

At peak, USO was serving 1,000,000 men a day.  
During the five years (February 4, 1941-February 4, 1945) total of 1,100,000,000 served.  
At peak, there were 3,035 USO operations.  
Peak expenditures were \$5,800,000 a month.  
Peak Overseas Units totalled 178.  
Overseas Club attendance (1942-1945) was 104,819,151.  
During the half-decade, Mobile Services of all sorts totalled 30,000,000.  
19 1/2 million individual services performed by 131 USO-Travelers Aid Units.  
Troops-in-transit attendance totalled 70,000,000.  
At the height of activities 700 USO Shows were given DAILY overseas and in the United States, by more than 4,900 entertainers.  
Four-year total audience for these shows was 172,886,314.  
June 1943 was the numerical peak of volunteers—739,000 of them working that month.  
They worked a total of 165,000,000 hours in the 5 years.  
American public has given \$200,000,000 to service 16 million men and women in armed forces.

before the surrender of Japan. Re-deployment of troops reopened many camps, doubled or vastly increased loads of various seaport cities. Expenditures climbed to \$3,800,000 a month.

"Even today five months after V-J Day—USO must still operate on a basis of \$4,000,000 a month. Over-all operations, aside from USO-Camp Shows, are carried on through nearly 2,000 units."

## New Post-War Problems

Referring to the future of USO, Mr. Kimball says in his report: "The successful conclusion of the war does not, cannot, and will not return the United States to its pre-war status. . . . It is clear even now that our armed forces in the postwar period must be numbered in the millions—and thus present a totally different problem."

"The USO was formed to serve a temporary purpose. . . . It neither seeks nor shirks any specific responsibility, but the particular responsibility it did assume in 1941 will have to be discharged by the end of 1947."

The report concludes with the resolution of the Board of Directors: "USO will complete its wartime, demobilization, and reconversion services December 31, 1947."

"In the meantime, the member agencies of USO which will have peace-time responsibilities in serving the armed forces will appraise those responsibilities in the light of the future plans of our country for the armed forces and, giving consideration to the pattern of cooperation set by USO, will determine in what fashion those responsibilities can best be discharged."

not seem quite so far away now. Most of us can hardly wait until we are graduated, although we all know that we have spent some of the happiest days of our lives in good ole R.H.S.

## Junior News

Well, Juniors, it's time for us to get back in the groove and submit our bit of news to the paper, too.

It has been decided to continue the Rhineland Register until the close of school. Editor, let's have some good articles from you, too.

The Juniors seem to like music, although they don't like the idea of missing that wonderful study period. You see, we're also very interested in our typing periods. We sincerely believe that we will accomplish much in our music class.

## Freshman News

The Freshman class welcome their new teacher, Miss Claus. We are glad to have her back with us again.

Everyone seems to enjoy Literature. We have just finished reading "The Bar Sinister," which has proved to be pleasing to everyone. We all enjoy Literature more than grammar, don't we?

We really enjoy playing volleyball. When you see that the ball keeps going over you'll know the Freshmen are playing.

We have taken up a new subject, music. We have learned to read the notes and find them on the piano.

We had a 4-H club meeting Monday morning, February 18. Miss King gave an interesting talk on how to prune trees. At our next meeting we will learn how to make an apron basket.

## Eighth Grade News

We had our Valentine Party last Thursday, and we all enjoyed ourselves very much. One of the things we did was to pick out all the words we could in the word "valentine". Bernadette Claus got the most and won the prize.

Last week we had a contest in English. We wrote themes, and the

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Senior News  
The Seniors were pleased Monday morning when they learned that they could substitute music for Texas Constitution. We think music will be helpful as well as interesting, although some of the

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one who received the most votes from the students of our class won first prize. The first prize was won by Doraine Kuehler, the second by Lorene Kuehler, and the third by Gladys Decker. All three were given prizes for their good themes.

## ROOM IV

The pupils of room IV have been very busy the past few weeks. Our main problem is in arithmetic. We're studying angles. Doesn't everyone sympathize with us?

Last Thursday we had a Valentine party. Everyone enjoyed the games that were played, the refreshments that were served, and the Valentines that were given away. Som of the Valentines were very pretty and some were very funny.

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## Washington News Letter

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, D. C., Feb. 15.—The favorite topic of conversation in Washington this week has been the resignation of Harold J. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior. There are two extreme viewpoints concerning him. One group makes him out a villain; another group makes him a hero. Perhaps a majority hold opinions in between these extremes. Some say Mr. Ickes has been an honest and fearless administrator and one of the few government heads who has fired employees for inefficiency and dishonesty. Others point out that he has been a vindictive trouble maker. A good many choice stories have been circulating concerning his record before he came into the government. However, it is always wise to take malicious gossip concerning any person with a grain of salt. As a small boy, my mother taught me the following doggerel which I have always thought worth remembering: "There is so much that's good in the worst of us, and so much that's bad in the best of us, that it hardly pays for any of us to talk about the rest of us." So I'm neither cheering nor crying on the exit of Mr. Ickes.

The Army and Navy this week made recommendations concerning the use of the atomic bomb which I have long expected. The Navy recommended fifty-three advance bases from which aircraft could take off, with atomic bombs at those bases. As a matter of fact it would be easy to build fifty or more secret, inaccessible bases for the storage of atomic bombs in our vast rugged territory of Alaska alone. We could then scatter a number of such bases almost around the world on various islands which we shall retain as a result of this war. These bases could be so distributed and concealed as to make it impossible for any combination of powers to wipe us out in one fell swoop. Such a chain of atomic fortresses might be one way to keep the peace. There is also a possibility of using submarines as bases for launching atomic attacks.

Most of us will applaud Senator Connally's opposition to the Russian demands that the World Federation of Trade Unions be given advisory posts to the United Nations Assembly. This World Federation of Trade Unions embraces the so-called unions of Soviet Russia, the British Trade Unions, and the C.I.O. The American Federation of Labor has been excluded from this world organization. If the WFTU is to have officials sitting in on the boards of the world organization, then every other group of citizens, farmers, bankers, doctors, lawyers, and so forth, should also have representa-

tives upon their councils. Like Senator Connally, "I'm against it." Washington columnist Drew Pearson this week published another false statement. In one of his columns he declared that "Under an act of Congress quietly sneaked through by big business lobbies, the Army and Navy are not permitted to return surplus property to this country from overseas if it is to be sold in the U. S. A. It can only be returned if sold back to the companies which originally manufactured it." There's not a word of truth in this declaration. The day it came out in the press, I asked Major General Glen E. Edgerton, Assistant Administrator of War Assets Corporation, who was testifying before a House Committee, if such a statement was true and he said "no". Anyone who reads the Surplus Property Act knows Pearson's report to be contrary to the facts. It is too bad that such a widely read columnist does not have a high regard for truth. The Army and Navy have authority and will be expected to return to this country all war surpluses that cannot be disposed of to advantage abroad.

The labor government of England continues its program socialization. This week it took over the Bank of England which henceforth will be operated by the government.

Ford officials this week announced this week they cannot continue to produce cars at the old prices. When the prices of materials are raised and the wages of labor are increased, this will of course raise the price of the automobile. For more than a year I have predicted that the price of cars, trucks and farm machinery would soon be 50% higher than before the war.

## Weekly Health LETTER

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

Austin.—Speaking of children and their susceptibility to tuberculosis, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said, "Few people realize that babies and young children are very likely to catch tuberculosis if they are kept in the rooms with persons who have the disease in an infectious stage, or use the same dishes, sleep in the same beds, or are handled and kissed by people who have tuberculosis."

"Babies and young children pick up the germs of tuberculosis just as readily as they pick up the germs of measles, whooping cough or any of the so-called children's diseases. But tuberculosis is different in certain particulars. Unlike most disease, it has more than one form. Babies who get tuberculosis may not show the symptoms we associate with the disease in older people. But the disease in most cases develops rapidly and is likely to end fatally. Tuberculosis in babies and young children is a very serious matter, but recent studies have shown that if young children are removed promptly from contact with the disease and given the necessary care, many lives can be saved.

"A great deal can be accomplished when ever tuberculosis develops, whether young or old, if the presence of the disease is recognized when it is in its early stages and if medical attention is secured promptly.

"Tuberculosis does not just simply happen. Nobody is born with the disease. Everybody who develops tuberculosis gets it from some other source. Children and young people who have been in contact with persons with tuberculosis are especially likely to contract the disease."

## LeTourneau Tech To Be Dedicated At Longview, Feb. 25



LONGVIEW, TEXAS—General Omar N. Bradley, chief of the Veterans Administration, has accepted the invitation of Comdr. Carl L. Estes, East Texas publisher, to deliver the principal address at the dedication of the LeTourneau Technical Institute of Texas here Monday morning, Feb. 25. A record crowd is expected to attend. Commander Estes spear-headed the campaign that brought the LeTourneau school and a plant of the multi-million dollar LeTourneau industries to Longview. General Bradley will be introduced by Commander Estes, who will serve as master of ceremonies. R. G. LeTourneau, president of the LeTourneau Foundation and the vast industries bearing his name, and Mrs. LeTourneau are making their home in Longview. Mr. and Mrs. LeTourneau and a staff of officials and technical men have been in Longview two weeks, working at top speed on preliminary phases of the three-point technical training-industrial manufacturing-land reclamation program which they have outlined for this area. The projects are: 1. Purchase of the army's \$7,000,000 Harmon General Hospital at Longview, including the 156-acre site, 22 buildings and other facilities, for use as the home of the LeTourneau Technical Institute of Texas, which will train 2,000 men, with preference for qualified ex-service men, for greater efficiency and higher earning power in industrial jobs. 2. Construction of a new manufacturing plant by R. G. LeTourneau, Inc., world's largest manufacturer of earth-moving machinery, on a 1,000-acre site immediately south of Longview's city limits. The first unit of this plant will be 300 by 1,000 feet in size, and the plant is planned to use 2,500 workers when expanded and under full production. 3. Establishment of a huge farming and land reclamation project and proving grounds on a 10,000-acre site south and south east of Longview along the north side of the Sabine river.

In a ceremony at Longview on January 30, R. G. Church (left), Federal Works Administration, Washington, hands R. G. LeTourneau, Peoria, Ill., industrialist, papers transferring the abandoned army Harmon General Hospital to the LeTourneau Foundation, which will convert it into a Technical Institute for training men at trades. Left to right: Church; Albert F. Adams, Washington attorney; Comdr. Carl L. Estes, Longview publisher; Irving Porter, Dallas, Tex., Public Works Administration; Capt. N. H. Jensen, Galveston, U. S. Engineers; Capt. Charles L. Alberding, Harmon post engineer; Lt. Col. H. M. Bare, Harmon commanding officer; Capt. Robert F. Burns, Eighth Service Command, Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. LeTourneau.

## LOCALS

Doyle Jones, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McCarty and Mrs. G. W. Russell of Denver City visited with relatives and friends here over the week end.

Ben W. Bowden of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bowden.

Miss Jean Reeves, who is attending T. S. C. W. in Denton, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holder and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jungman were visitor in Abilene last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey King visited with relatives in Abilene last Sunday.

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## Cottonseed May Be Treated Anytime Before Planting

Cottonseed may be treated with fungicides at any time before planting, R. O. Dunkle, County Extension Agent, has pointed out. After treatment the seed should be sacked and stored in a ventilated place, he said.

Texas' 1945 cotton crop was the shortest in 56 years and this has focussed attention on the treatment of seed for the 1946 crop as one phase of efficient production. Agriculture Experiment Station tests conducted over a four-year period showed an average increase in yield of 25 cents at College Station, 14 per cent at Temple, 13 per cent in the Brazos Bottom and 4 per cent at Lubbock. Increases of as much as 50 pounds of lint per acre have occurred at Temple in recent tests. The most favorable results followed planting of delinted seed which was also treated with a fungicide.

Similar results have been obtained on demonstrations conducted by county agricultural agents under farm conditions, Dunkle stated.

A number of chemical preparations have been tested, including ceresan, spergon, cuprocid and sanosed, and gave approximately equal results. Cost of applications ranged from five to ten cents per bushel.

A large part of the yield increases came from better stands through control of two common cotton diseases, sore shin and angular leaf spot. Seed treatment is most important where low rates of seeding are used. Thus, in season such as 1946 when seed supplies are short, smaller amounts of seed will

be required if the treatment is used. Dunkle recommends the use of the rotary type home mixer in treating the seed, or custom-treating when this is available. Directions for applications of the various chemicals are given on the containers and these should be carefully followed.

Glenn Dunkle, who is attending school in Wichita Falls, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dunkle of Benjamin. He attended the 4-H Club calf show here Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Martin and daughter, Mrs. Rupert Williams, are in Paducah this week, attending the bedside of Mrs. Martin's mother, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Shelton of Ada, Okla., spent the week end with Mrs. Shelton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ratliff of Goree, and with relatives and friends at Munday.

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## Crime Wave In Texas Growing

AUSTIN.—Texas is definitely in the grip of a crime wave, Director Homer Garrison of the State Department of Public Safety declared today.

The crime rate in Texas cities and towns, Garrison said, jumped 18 per cent in 1945—and this increase was superimposed upon a substantial increase in the previous year. Forty-six police departments, representing 1,873,000 inhabitants last year reported a total of 46,898 major offenses to the Department of Public Safety.

That total included 284 murders, a gain of 9.65 per cent; 115 homicides, up 6.48 per cent; 234 rape cases, a gain of 23.16 per cent; 972 robberies, up 20.36 per cent; 10,826 burglaries, a gain of

22.54 per cent; 28,154 thefts, a 15.93 per cent increase; and 6,313 automobile thefts, up 20.11 per cent.

The increase in rural crime will be even greater than that in cities, Garrison said.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Skiles and family visited with relatives in Stamford last Sunday.

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HENRY: "I've heard that same thing several times lately... that alcoholics are really sick people. It was news to me. Do you agree with that statement, Judge?"

OLD JUDGE: "Yes, it's true, Henry. It's no notion of mine... it's a statement made by scientists who have studied the subject."

HENRY: "What did they find out, Judge?"

OLD JUDGE: "Well, as a result of their medical research, they found out that approximately 95% of the people who drink, drink sensibly. 5% do so unwisely, at times.

Included in that 5% is the small percentage known as alcoholics."

HENRY: "But why are they called sick people?"

OLD JUDGE: "Because it has been discovered that, in many cases, excessive drinking is a symptom of some physical or emotional maladjustment... not the cause of it."

HENRY: "Now I understand it, Judge. I am glad to hear of the modern approach to this problem and that so much is really being done to help these folks."

# Society

## Naomi Hampton Is Hostess Thursday At Valentine Party

Miss Naomi Hampton was hostess for a Valentine party, which was enjoyed last Thursday evening by members of the senior and junior classes of Goree high school and a few visitors.

The party rooms were beautifully decorated in Valentine colors, and games and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening.

The climax of the party was a contest of couples "dressing for a trip to New York in late model clothes." Gloria Murdock and Charles Arnold won the prize by proving themselves the swiftest travelers. Martha Ann West and Wayne Payne placed second.

During the late evening, a dainty refreshment plate of heart-shaped chicken salad sandwiches, fruit and nut cookies and spiced punch was served to the following:

Trudy Coffman, Neida Lovins, Martha Ann West, Gloria Murdock, Naomi Jean Miller, Verna Lee Rawlins, Jonnie Marie Jones, Dorothy Jean Copeland, Doris Ruth Stevenson, Bettie Jean Jones, Janice Davis, Ruth Robinson, Charles Arnold, Billie Joe Wright, Wayne Payne, Billie Frank Moore, John Brown, Dalton Jones, Jim Earl Hammons, Millard McSwain, Jimmie Crouch, Bobbie Moore, Joe Sanders, Billie Joe Roberts and the hostess.

## Goree Study Club Meets Recently With Mrs. John Goode

Mrs. John Goode was hostess recently for the February meeting of the Goree Study Club. Her home was decorated throughout with cut flowers and pot plants.

Mrs. Sam Hampton was director of the program on "Post War Improvements." Mrs. Orb Coffman gave a very instructive talk on "What to Expect in the Post War Automobile," and Mrs. Hampton discussed the "Post War Home and its Furnishings."

After the program, a business session was held with the president, Mrs. W. L. Ratliff, in charge.

Present were Meses. H. D. Arnold, W. M. Taylor, Barton Carl, Dorse Rogers, W. L. Stewart, Orb Coffman, Sam Hampton, W. L. Ratliff, Georgia Maples, Elizabeth Cowser, Miss Bernice Goode and the hostess.

## Truscott Club Meets February 14 With Mrs. Owens

"Cleaning Furniture and Furniture Arrangements" was the subject discussed by Miss Lucie King, home demonstration agent, when the Truscott Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Owens on February 14. A plan for a well arranged living room was shown. Each member who had a problem in furniture arrangement was given ideas as how to solve that problem.

Following this discussion, Miss King gave a demonstration on pruning fruit trees.

Mrs. Homer Black, club president, was in charge of the business session, at which time the following club committees were appointed:

Finance, Mrs. H. P. Gillespie and Mrs. J. R. Brown; program, Mrs. W. O. Solomon; marketing, Mrs. J. E. Stover; exhibits, Mrs. W. R. Owens; entertainment, Mrs. Hawkins and Mrs. Guyon Hickman; 4-H Club, Mrs. W. R. Owens, Mrs. S. O. Turner and Mrs. Homer Black.

Mrs. Solomon volunteered to be living room demonstrator, and Mrs. Black, orchard or yard demonstrator for the year.

Members elected Mrs. Black as candidate to be voted for at the Knox County council as a delegate to the district meeting in Seymour in April. Mrs. Solomon was chosen as alternate delegate.

Two visitors were present: Mrs. William Blevins, and Mrs. Marion Chowning, Jr.

The next meeting will be on February 28, in the basement of the Baptist Church.

## Baptist W. M. U. Meets Monday For Royal Service

Members of the Women's Missionary Society met at three o'clock Monday afternoon at the Baptist Church in a Royal Service program.

Mrs. W. H. Albertson was program leader. The program opened with a song, "We've a Story to Tell," followed by prayer by Mrs. Leland Hannah.

Six members were present for the meeting.

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## Peggy Nagel And John A. Roth Are Married January 30

St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church, Adona, Ark., was the scene of the beautiful wedding of Miss Margaret (Peggy) Nagel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nagel of that community, and Mr. John A. Roth, son of Mrs. Joe Roth and the late Mr. Roth of St. Louis, Mo. The double ring ceremony was solemnized at 10 a. m. Wednesday, January 30, with the Rev. Paul McLaughlin officiating.

The place of ceremony was before the altar which was lovely in its arrangement of white snapdragons, fern and huckleberry greenery. Tall, white tapers burned in candleabras on either side. The prayer bench, on which the couple knelt, was in white, interspersed with fern. Traditional wedding music was furnished by Mrs. Edward Ruff, sister of the bride. She also accompanied the church choir throughout the Nuptial Mass.

Entering with her father, who gave her in marriage, the bride was lovely in a white satin wedding gown with close fitting bodice. The sweetheart neckline was centered with a love bow of beaded pearls; long leg-mutton sleeves coming to a point over the hand; with fitted midriff gathered at the hips, falling into full skirt with long, sweeping train. Her full length veil of illusion fell from a tiara of orange blossoms. She carried a wrist band bouquet of white carnations with white satin streamers love-knotted and staphenotis.

She also carried a white prayer book. Her only ornament was a double strand of pearls, a gift of the groom.

Miss Ann Nagel served her sister as maid of honor. She wore a floor length model of baby pink netover satin, fitted bodice with full skirt. Her headpiece was a shoulder length veil of matching color, with a cluster of pink roses. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations, centered with pink snapdragons, with pastel streamers.

Miss Isabelle Nagel was her sister's bridesmaid. She wore a floor length model of aqua net over satin, fitted bodice with large peplum and full skirt. Her headpiece was a shoulder length veil of matching color, with a cluster of aqua roses. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow sweetpeas, centered with yellow sweetpeas, with pastel streamers.

Joe Roth and Gilbert Roth served their brother as best man and groomsmen, respectively.

A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents for relatives and intimate friends. The table was covered with a lace cloth. A huge three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, centered the table. Flanking the cake on either side were lighted white tapers.

The cake was cut by the bride and groom later in the afternoon and was served by the Mr. Ed Ruff. Mrs. Al Gottspouer was in charge of the bride's book.

The bride and groom left later in the afternoon for a short wedding trip to Hot Springs, Ark. For her going away costume, the bride chose a green three piece suit with brown accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations. They are making their home in St. Louis, where Mr. Roth is employed.

Relatives and friends from a distance attending the wedding were: Mrs. Roth, Messrs. Joe, Gilbert, and Tommy, and Misses Margaret and Lillian Roth, all of St. Louis, Mo.; Robert Roth, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fousett, Conway, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Feess and Miss Johanna Grabber of Petit Jean Mountain; Mrs. John Lanni and Miss Jerry Vaese of Center Ridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ruff of Morrilton.

Mrs. Roth was formerly employed by the Farm Machinery Co. of Munday.

## Willie B. Horan, Bessie McIntyre Wed February 7th

Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Willie B. Horan and Miss Bessie D. McIntyre, the wedding ceremony being performed in Haskell on Thursday, February 7.

The bride, daughter of S. W. McIntyre of the Hefner community, has been employed at Chan's Cafe for some time.

Billie, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Horan, enlisted in the service in October, 1943, and served in the Pacific area with the 4th Division artillery for 20 months. He returned to the states Nov. 2, 1945. Billie was engaged in the battles of Siapan, Tinnian, and Iwo Jima.

The young couple are making their home in Munday. Billie is employed at Gene Brazell's garage.

The Munday Home Demonstration Club will meet on Friday, February 22, in the home of Mrs. Tynes to make hot tomatoes. Please bring your containers. Tomatoes will be ready by six o'clock.

## Miss Juanice Jones, Victor Zagarola Are Married Sunday

In a double-ring ceremony Saturday morning, February 16, Miss Evelyn Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones of Munday, became the bride of Victor A. Zagarola, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zagarola of Jersey City, N. J. The ceremony was read by Rev. W. H. Albertson, pastor of the First Baptist church, in the home of the bride's parents.

An improvised arch of greenery flanked by baskets of pink gladiolas provided the background for the ceremony.

The bride wore a tailored gray suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias and pink carnations. For something old she carried a handkerchief which had belonged to her mother for a number of years, and she borrowed the Bible which she carried.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. Douglas Meizer of Benjamin. Miss Melba Wood, roommate of the bride, of Wichita Falls, was bridesmaid. Mrs. Meizer's corsage was of white carnations, while Miss Wood wore pink carnations.

Doyle Jones, brother of the bride, was best man, and Lieut. Al Mulloy of Wichita Falls served as groomsmen.

The bride's mother wore a tailored suit of light blue and a white blouse. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Jones hosted a reception for relatives and close friends. After the couple cut the three-tiered wedding cake, which was topped with a miniature bride and groom, Mrs. Wood served the cake and Mrs. Meizer presided at the punch bowl. The lace covered table was centered with pink gladiolas. Miss Jean Reeves presided at the bride's book.

The couple left after the ceremony for a brief wedding trip to Stephenville. They will make their home in Wichita Falls where both have positions. Mrs. Wood is employed at a beauty parlor, while he does clerical work.

The bride is a graduate of Munday high school. She attended John Tarleton Agricultural College in Stephenville, and is a graduate of the Orval Beauty Academy in Wichita Falls.

Zagarola is a graduate of Dickinson school of Jersey City and attended the Juillard School of Music, New York City. He received an honorable discharge in January, 1946, after serving 46 months in the army. He returned from 27 months of service in the Pacific theater just prior to his discharge.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this way to express our thanks to the many friends who came and worked so faithfully in the recent illness and death of our husband and father. To those who expressed their sympathy and for the many lovely flowers. Thank you and may God bless each of you.

Mrs. G. W. Stone & family. pd.

## 'TEEN DATE DRESS



'TEEN-AGERS will love this dress—with swishy plaid rayon taffeta skirt—white one-denier rayon peasant blouse—and flattering black velvet girdle. Dress-up rayons can be as practical as they are pretty. The best way to check on dry cleanability, seam strength, and other good wearing qualities in rayon is to read informative labels that give you accurate facts about your fabric.

## Methodist WSCS Begins Study of These Moving Times

The mission study was begun at the Methodist church last Monday afternoon by members of the Women's Society of Christian Service. The service started with the singing of the hymn, "Where Cross the Crowded Ways." A directed meditation followed with silent prayer.

A dialogue "A People in Motion" was given by Mrs. J. D. Crockett and Mrs. Oscar Spann. Mrs. Don Davidson then presented the first chapter in the study book, "These Moving Times." An interesting and worthwhile discussion followed with all members participating. Mrs. G. R. Eiland dismissed the group with prayer.

Present were Meses. Gill Wyatt, Eb Lowe, M. F. Billingsley, J. O. Crockett, Oscar Spann, F. V. Williams, J. C. Burden, R. D. Atkinson, H. A. Pendleton, W. R. Moore, S. E. McStay, G. R. Eiland, John Rice and Don Davidson.

## WOMEN! WHO SUFFER FIERY MISERY OF HOT FLASHES

If the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women causes you to suffer from hot flashes, nervous tension, irritability—try famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Pinkham's Compound is one of the best known medicines for this purpose. Also a grand stomachic tonic!

## Suggs Family Holds Reunion On February 16

A reunion of the Suggs family was enjoyed on Saturday, February 16, when the family was together for the first time since 1937. The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Suggs was the meeting place, where supper and long talks of the past were enjoyed by the following:

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Suggs, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Suggs and family, Mrs. O. P. Cannon and daughters, all of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Howard and sons, Bomarton; Mr. and Mrs. Ben White and sons, Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Suggs and daughter, Goree; Mrs. J. C. Reagan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Suggs and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Griffith, Munday, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Suggs and son.

W. L. Capps of Truscott was a business visitor here last Saturday.

## Reunion Held Last Sunday At J. C. Phillips Home

A family reunion was enjoyed last Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phillips had all of their children together for the first time in three years.

Raymond E. Phillips, Phm. 1/c in the Navy, has just returned from overseas, having served two years there.

A most enjoyable dinner was served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Phillips to the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phillips and Joe Lynn, Raymond E. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Phillips and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Phillips and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henson and children, Bobbie Henson of Wichita Falls, Henry Denn and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Phillips and children.

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## Wichita Valley Nursery

2 Blocks South of Munday High School

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Practically All Sizes

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"Your Firestone Dealer"

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You and your daughter will both lose your hearts to these new \*Kate Greenaway. Wonderful summer gardens are reflected in many woven plaids . . . checks and stripes, delightful prints and solid colors. Hurry in to have a look! Sizes 3 to 6X.

We also have sizes 7 to 14. We have just received a nice shipment of these dresses. They won't be here long, so come in early and see them.

## Baker-McCarty

THE STORE WITH THE GOODS

## COME SEE OUR . . .

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and

PREMIER VACUUM SWEEPER

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## LETS YOU TURN OUT BREAD

at a moment's notice!



Quick acting . . . easy to use—keeps for weeks on your pantry shelf



IF YOU BAKE AT HOME—you can make all the delicious bread you want to, any time you want to with wonderful New Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast. No more being "caught short" with no yeast in the house . . . no spoiled batch because yeast weakened. New Fleischmann's Fast Rising keeps fresh on your pantry shelf for weeks. Keep a supply handy. At your grocer's.

## Another Nice Shipment of . . .

## Furniture

Our buyer has just returned from Dallas, where we purchased a nice assortment of furniture. We now have a larger stock than in many months. See our line of—

- Bedroom Suites
- Odd Beds and Chests
- Dinette Suites
- Platform Rockers
- Cedar Chests
- Gas Heaters

Other items also in stock. It's not easy to get yet, but we have a nice stock on hand now. Get it while we have it!

## Home Furniture Co.

And Mattress Factory

M. Boggs

A. C. Boggs

# Buy, Sell, Rent, Lease or Exchange It Through . . . The Times Want Ads

C. L. MAYES is in the Real Estate business. His office is over First National Bank. 1c.

**TIRE REPAIRING**—We are equipped to do repair work on your tractor tires, and our prices are very reasonable. Come to our station for tire repairs and those Good Gulf products. R. B. Bowden's Gulf Service Station. 2-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Nice 5-room rock house, well located. See R. M. Almanrode. 30-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Six rooms and bath, large garage and servant house, two lots—a real buy. It is a nice stucco house. See J. B. Justice, Goree, Texas. 30-tfc.

**MONUMENTS**—For 44 years, we have furnished this part of Texas and Oklahoma with the most modern, up-to-date monuments and markers, as good as you can buy. See A. U. Hathaway of Munday, agent for Vernon Marble and Granite Works. 32-3tp.

**FARM MACHINERY CO.**  
PHONE 61

We have the agency for McMillan Ring Free Motor Oil. We invite you to try this superior oil. Available in quart cans and 5-gallon buckets.

Two 2-bottom 14-inch moldboard plows, in good condition, ready to go.

Tractor repair parts are becoming increasingly hard to get. If you plan to have your tractor overhauled this season, don't delay. Come by and let us figure the job for you.

**FOR SALE**—Seven-room house with bath, rock hen house, brooder house, garage, storm cellar, six lots, good orchard. J. B. Justice, Goree, Texas. 26-tfc.

**WHAT EVER YOU want** in nursery stock, we have it. Wichita Valley Nursery, two blocks south of the High school. 23-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Good 6-room house, close in with electricity, water, and gas. See George Gains. 30-4p.

**CARS FOR SALE**—1942 Cadillac coupe; 41 Ford coupe; 440 Ford tudor; 40 Ford 4-door; 40 Chev tudor; 39 Chev. coupe; 41 Studebaker champion tudor; 39 Buick sedan; 39 Studebaker sedan; 34 Ford tudor; 34 Chev. tudor; 39 Lincoln Zephyr 4-door sedan; 39 Ford truck and trailer. Brown & Percy Motor Co., Haskell, Texas. 32-2tp.

**BROILERS and FRYERS**—As you like them, dressed or alive. Phone your orders or call in person. Walter Bevers, Munday, Texas. 31-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Buildings lots in Munday. See Mrs. G. W. Redwine, Munday, Texas. 32-2tp.

**RADIO WORK**—Bring us your "sick" radios. B. L. Melton, Jr., will fix them for you. Our shop is now located upstairs, over our store. The Rexall Drug. 27-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Residence in northeast part of Munday, 5 rooms and bath, barn, chicken yard, garage and storage room. O. O. Putman, Rt. one, Wehnert. 32-tfc.

**SEE R. M. ALMANRODE FOR YOUR HOSPITAL INSURANCE.** 30-tfc.

**LOANS**—Federal Land Bank farm and ranch loans, 4 per cent interest. Baylor-Knox National Farm Loan Association, L. B. Donehoo, secretary - treasurer, Seymour, Texas, will be in Munday, Texas, on Tuesday of each week. 48-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—One practically new 2-bottom 14-inch Allis Chalmers mold board breaking plow. See H. R. Hicks 7 1/2 miles southwest of Munday. 32-3tc.

**FOR SALE**—Ford tractor with 2-row equipment in good condition. J. C. Watson, Rt. 2, Goree. 32-2p.

**FOR SALE**—150 and 250 gallon Butane tanks. Also butane hot heater and space heaters. Seymour Appliance Co. 1st door west of frozen food locker Seymour, Texas. 31-2tc.

**FOR SALE**—3-room new frame house with hard wood flooring to be moved. Y. T. McReynolds, Seymour, Texas. 32-2tp.

**FOR SALE**—90 acres sandy land farm old improvements. See J. B. Justice, Goree, Texas. 30-tfc.

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**FOR SALE**—One Massey-Harris power row binder, one Massey-Harris power 10-ft grain binder. Moeck & Barker, Seymour, Texas. 31-2tc.

**FOR SALE**—Two-wheel stork trailer with good tires. See Hershel Mansfield, Rt. 2, Munday, Texas. 32-2tp.

**NOTICE**—We do welding and machine work; general auto and tractor repair. See us. Strickland Garage. 35-tfc.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Three quarter ton Chevrolet pickup, with good 8-ply tires and sideboards. Would trade for larger truck. John Thompson, Gilliland, Texas. 31-3tp.

**FOR SALE**—250 acres of land northeast of Munday R. M. Almanrode. 32-tfc.

**STRAYED**—From the Rose Bates ranch between Bomarton and Hefner, several head of weaned calves, branded "H" on left side. Information leading to their recovery will be appreciated and suitably rewarded. Ruben Bates. 31-3tp.

**WANTED**—We are the authorized dealer of Allis-Chalmers Harvesters, and tractors, and other farm machinery. Reids Hardware etc. 45-tfc.

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

**IRONING WANTED**—Located at Payne House, Goree. Mrs. Carl Howry. 1tp.

**FOR SALE**—1934 Tudor V-8 Ford with '39 motor, good tires and new paint job. See L. C. Guinn, Jr. Munday, Texas. 33-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Used wheel chair, good as new. The price is reasonable. R. L. Gaines, Munday. 1tp.

**FOR SALE**—Four fresh Jersey milk cows, \$90 to \$100, each. G. T. Floyd, Rt. 1, Munday, Tex. 33-3tp.

**FOR SALE**—Excell electric pop corn machine, almost new and in A-1 condition. Will sell pop corn with it. Also No. 1 grade WAC ladies' shoes and men's marine work shoes; also one rebuilt bicycle. Shoe Shop, Goree. 33-tfc.

**HOUSE PAINT**—Before you do any painting, be sure to see us. House paint, \$3.10 per gallon; oil paint, \$1.85 per gallon; oil, \$1.60 per gallon. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 33-tfc.

**WANTED**—Two first class mechanics for work in service department of DeSota-Plymouth dealership. See I. V. Cook at Atkinson's Grocery. 33-4tc.

**FOR SALE**—200 Austr white pullets, 10 weeks old, \$1.00 each; three improved mother nature brooders, \$10.00 each; a few dewberry plants. Also good juicy boilers and fryers that never touch the ground. If you have tried them before you will come back for more. Walter Bevers, Munday, Texas. 33-2tc.

**WANT TO BUY**—80 to 100 acres, improved at about six thousand dollars. Location not important, but must have frame house and fair land. Box 446, Munday, Texas. 33-2tp.

**TRACTOR FLATS**—Call us for quick service on tractor flats, anywhere at any time. Blacklock Home & Auto Supply. 33-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—About 500 nice fryers. B. E. Smith, on highway, two and one-half miles south of town. 33-2tp.

**FOR SALE**—Nice 6-room house to be moved. Also a one-room and garage to be moved. R. M. Almanrode. 33-tfc.

**FIRST CLASS**—Paper hanging and interior decorating. See Jerry B. Duke at Munday Hotel, or call B. A. Yarbrough, phone 72. 33-4tp.

**FOR SALE**—1940 Ford truck with long wheel base, dump and flat bed. For sale, or will trade for pickup. Bob Guffey. 1tp.

**FOR BREEDING**—Our 300 pound registered boars. Duroc at Earl Foshee's farm, 3 1/2 miles east of Munday, Hampshire at R. H. Howell's farm 2 1/2 miles northeast of Munday. Breeding fee is \$3.00. Future Farmers.

**FARM FOR SALE**—200 acres tight land, improved. Some City property in Goree. Also 4 houses and lots in Goree. J. B. Justice, Goree, Texas. 14-tfc.

**WANTED**—Clocks to be cleaned, oiled, and adjusted, \$1.00 each. Also clock repair work on all makes. Leave clocks at Goree Depot or give them to E. V. Shackelford, Goree, Texas. 16-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Houses and lots in Goree. Also choice farms for sale. See Buel Claburn, licensed real-estate dealer, Goree, Texas, Box 103. If you want to sell, see me. 28-tfc.

**FOR SALE**—Six room house, servant's quarters, garage and barn. On corner lot. See W. C. Cunningham. 31-4tp.

**John Hancock FARM LOANS**  
1 and 1 1/2 % Interest . . . 10, 15 and 20 year loans  
No commissions or inspection fees charged. Liberal options.  
**J. C. BORDEN**  
First National Bank Building  
Munday, Texas

**LET US**—Order repair part for your Coleman stoves, irons, lanterns, etc. Reid's Hardware. 9-tfc.

**WANTED**—We are the authorized dealer for J. I. Case Machinery. Repairs for Case tractors in steel Reids Hardware. 45-tfc.

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION**  
Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between H. D. Ohlenbusch, Paul Weiss, G. E. Hardin and Emory Hardin under the firm name of Weiss & Company, doing business in Vera in Knox County, Texas, was dissolved by mutual consent on December 31, 1945.  
All debts owing to said partnership are to be received by Weiss & Company, Vera, Texas, and all demands made on said partnership are to be presented to Weiss & Company, Vera, Texas, for payment.  
H. D. Ohlenbusch,  
Paul Weiss,  
G. E. Hardin,  
Emory Hardin.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF THE HOOD SCHOOL BUILDING**  
Notice is hereby given that the Hood School Building, a 4-room brick structure, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, March 16, 1946, at 3 p. m. at the front door of the city hall in Munday. Building is to be moved from its present site. All lumber and bricks in good condition.  
The Munday Independent School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Munday Independent School Board

**FOR SALE**—New 2-room house and two business lots in Goree. Price \$600.00. Will sell, trade or rent. A. L. Langford. 33-2tp.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We take this means of expressing our deep appreciation to our Munday friends who were so kind to us at the time of the tragedy in our home, which claimed the lives of our loved ones, Mrs. Gene Tonn and Oliver W. Lee.  
For every deed of kindness, every word of sympathy, and every floral offering, we are deeply grateful and we pray God's blessings on you all.  
Gene Tonn, Haskell. 1tc.

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## At The Churches

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Don R. Davidson, Pastor.

10:00 Church School: A place and a welcome for all.

11:00 Morning Worship: The greatest opportunity the church has to minister to you. A service in which you have a part.

6:00 Methodist Youth fellowship. A place for training in Christian living for our Youth.

6:45 Evening Preaching Service: An informal service of singing and helpful meditation directed by the pastor's message.

You are always welcome to any of our services. We do not expect everything in our services to be acceptable to everybody but we do believe every service has enough acceptable help to be a blessing to your spiritual life. Your presence is

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of Jehovah." Ps. 122.

A cordial welcome awaits you at all services at the Church of Christ.

Bible study, 10:00, morning service, 11:45; young people's meeting, 6:00; evening service, 6:45; Wednesday, men's training service, 7:30.

"Give unto the Lord the glory due His name; bring an offering, come before Him; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness." 1 CH. 16:29.

Robert Gordon Clement, minister.

**1,550 Attend P. C. A. Meeting At Stamford**

Approximately 1,550 persons, of whom 605 were members, attended the 12th annual meeting of the Stamford Production Credit Association last Friday at the bank house on the Texas Cowboy reunion grounds. This was by far the largest attendance ever recorded.

Rev. Dick O'Brien of Big Spring made a humorous address during the afternoon, and Dr. Virgil F. Lee, president of the Production Credit Corporation in Houston, spoke briefly.

J. B. Sauls, assistant to the president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, Houston, also spoke. He had attended eight meetings over the state and stated this was the largest attendance of any other PCA meeting.

Attendance prizes amounting to between \$250 and \$300 were awarded. These were awarded by the PCA and business firms of Stamford and Anson.

J. F. McCulloch, vice president, presided for the business meeting at which two directors were named. C. G. Burson of Haskell was re-elected, and J. Spurgeon Reeves of Hawley was named a new director to succeed Lasater Hensley of Guthrie.

Registration of members began at 10:30, and a ranch style dinner was served at the noon hour.

A new nominating committee for the year was named, with a member representing each county of the association. The following compose the committee: C. C. Kimmel, Spur; E. D. Weaver, Rule; C. B. Hutchinson, Munday; W. L. Bucklew, Girard; Clyde Gries, Old Glory; T. E. Long, King County; Sam Diller, Moran, and T. Owens, Anson.

J. L. Hill, Jr., secretary-treasurer, gave the financial report of the past year, and Mr. Hensley gave the director's report.

During his report, Mr. Hill said one of the desires of the association was to have so large attendance that they couldn't take care of the crowd. We have accomplished this today, he said.

Among guests at the meeting

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Next Sunday morning on the regular Baptist Hour program at 7:30 we will be privileged to hear the Honorable J. M. Broughton of Raleigh, North Carolina. He is a layman, ex-Governor of his home state, outstanding lawyer, and has been Superintendent of the Sunday School of the Tabernacle Baptist Church at Raleigh, S. C., since 1914. His subject is "Christian Men for Tomorrow's World," and should be of great interest to all. Be sure to hear this program.

You will recall that we announced some time ago that we are to have a week's meeting, beginning the 10th of March. May we make our plans to be in these services.

All services at the regular hours next Sunday. Sermon for the morning hour, "What Think Ye of Christ?" Study your Sunday School lessons, come at ten o'clock and stay through the preaching service. W. H. Albertson.

**GOREE FOURSQUARE CHURCH**

Rev. Oma Jones will preach at the Goree Foursquare Church on Sunday night, February 24, at 7:30 p. m., on the subject "Coming the Second Time."

The entire public is cordially invited to attend this service. J. B. Justice.

were Ernest Utizer and Roy Fuller of Abene; Clyde Rozelle, NEA photographer, and the following county agents: F. W. Morton, Haskell; H. C. Stanley, Jones; and C. C. Walker, Stonewall.

Over 100 people registered from Knox County, including visitors and members who are served through the Munday PCA office.

Officers of the association are: J. B. Pumphrey, Old Glory, president; J. F. McCulloch, Stamford, vice president; J. L. Hill, Jr., secretary-treasurer; Paul L. Summers, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Manager of the Munday office is C. R. Elliott and his assistant is Mrs. Aaron Edgar.

Mr. Elliott reports that the association made loans during 1945 totaling \$2,762,587.00. The territory served consists of Knox, Haskell, Jones, King, Kent, Shackelford, Dickens and Stonewall.

Mahlon Boggs was a business visitor in Dallas on Tuesday and Wednesday.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Words are inadequate for expressing our thanks to all of our friends who were so kind and thoughtful during our recent bereavement, in the death of our loved ones. Your thoughtfulness made our burden of sorrow easier to bear, and has taught us the true meaning of friendship.

We sincerely appreciate every act of kindness, every word of sympathy and condolence and every beautiful floral tribute. We pray God's richest blessings on you all. The Lee Family.

**ROXY**

Munday, Texas

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Kirby Grand, Fuzzy Knight are gunning for trouble in

**"Trail to Vengeance"**

Also No. 5 of

**"Jungle Raiders"**

Saturday, Feb. 23:

**"People Are Funny"**

Starring Jack Haley, Helen Walker, Rudy Vallee, Ozzie Nelson and Art Linkletter.

Sunday and Monday, Feb. 24-25

James Craig and Frances Gifford in the MGM Production

**"She Went To The Races"**

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, February 26-27-28:

Samuel Goldwyn presents

Danny Kaye in

**"Wonder Man"**

In Technicolor

Supporting cast includes Virginia Mayo and Vera Ellen.

## Pvt. Utah Groves Returns To Duty

Pvt. Utah Groves returned to Dodd's Field, San Antonio, on February 18 for reassignment. He has been on a 30-day re-enlistment furlough.

Groves received his basic training at Camp Wolters, then went to Ford Ord, Calif., leaving there for the Philippines. He arrived back in the states January 10, at Camp Stoneman, Calif.

Groves was in the quartermaster criminal investigation department. He went to the trials of Yamashita and attended other interesting trials. He also served on Leyte and Okinawa.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Groves of Munday.

Ray Moore, who is attending school in Canyon spent the week end here visiting his mother, Mrs. John Moore and other relatives and friends.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for helping us save our home the morning Mr. Barnetts' house burned. Also for your kindness to us during the time he was in the hospital and his death.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weber. Pd.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cosby of Olney were visitors here last Sunday.

Ben Qualls and Mrs. Cantrel and children of Benjamin were visitors here last Sunday.

Grady Beck of Munday is among the two hundred veterans who recently enrolled at John Tarleton College in Stephenville this semester. Grady is majoring in Civil Engineering. While in the Army, he saw service in the European theatre.

A Want Ad In The Times Pays

**PAINT--**

You can not buy better paint than that which bears the—

**Firestone Supreme Quality Label!**

Sold with a written guarantee!

Outside white, per gallon \$3.10	Oil, per gallon ---\$1.60
Barn Red (paste) per gallon \$1.85	Turpentine, per gallon \$1.49

If you have painting to do, see us. We will contract the paint, or paint and labor.

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Here's a problem for you, Watson. What living cost has DECREASED while nearly all other costs have gone right on rising?

My dear Watson, the answer is at your finger-tip. What else gives you twice as much for your money as it did 15 years ago? What else is ready day or night, winter or summer, to lighten your tasks and make life more comfortable for you? What else gives you so much service for just a few pennies a day? What else, my dear Watson, but Electric Service?

Elementary, my dear Watson. Electric Service—dependable and cheap—is the result of hard work, private initiative and experience on the part of the men and women of your electric company—under sound, steady business management.

**West Texas Utilities Company**

# AAA FARM NEWS

## Party Price Index

The party index used to figure prices for farm products has climbed to its highest peak in the last 25 years.

This index which represents the prices, interest, and taxes paid out by farmers, has reached 176 of the 1910-14 base period. This is an increase of 5 points from a year ago.

The Department of Agriculture states that the actual prices received by farmers for things they sell are averaging 18 per cent above parity price levels. Farm income was even higher since total crop production last year was the third largest in history.

Parity, as defined by Congress in the Agriculture Adjustment Act of 1933, seeks to give agricultural commodities a purchasing power with respect to articles that farmers buy equivalent to the purchasing power of agricultural commodities in the base period (usually 1910-14).

Subsidy payments on the butterfat and milk produced in October, November and December are being made this month. The payment rates for this period are 17 cents per pound for butterfat and 70 cents per one hundred pounds for whole milk. The final date for accepting applications is February 26, 1946.

## Any Hiss Today?

Iowa has turned up something

## Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

**CREOMULSION** for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

## SOAP—SHORTS—FLOUR....

We have a nice supply of soap, sold on money-back guarantee; quality shorts, and Robin Hood flour. Come see us for these products.

We also handle Mar-Ket and other quality feeds, poultry remedies, stock salt, etc. Get your needs here.

We furnish a ready market for all your produce.

## Perry Produce

In Rock Bldg. South of Town DEE PERRY, Owner

## WESTINGHOUSE...

- Electric Radios
- Electric Refrigerators
- Electric Washing Machines
- Electric Automatic Dryers
- Electric Health Lamps
- Electric Ironers
- Electric Water Heaters
- Electric Water Pumps

And 76 other Major Electrical Appliances "Every House Needs Westinghouse"

## The Rexall Store

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## POSSUM FLATS... THE MASTERPIECE

SEZ HE'S SEARCHED MONTHS FOR A BEAUTIFUL SUBJECT TO PAINT AND NOW HE'S FOUND ONE.

LOOK! — HE'S ONLY PAINTING TH' GLADIOLA BISCUITS! HE AIN'T PUTTING THE GAL IN THE PICTURE AT ALL!!

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Fant Milling Company  
Sherman, Texas

THINK OF IT! — THOSE LIGHT VELVETY-TENDER, FLAKY BISCUITS ARE A MASTERPIECE ANY WOMAN CAN PRODUCE IF SHE JUST USES GLADIOLA FLOUR!

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TO BRIGHTEN EVERY BAKING HOUR, JUST BAKE WITH GLADIOLA FLOUR!

THEY TASTE JUST AS GOOD AS THEY LOOK, TOO!

## Titles To Autos Needed To Secure '46 License Plate

AUSTIN.—The Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Department today urged all Texas motor vehicle owners to see that the titles for vehicles to be registered in 1946 are in order. The law provides that before a vehicle may be registered, the owner must present to the Tax Collector the prior year's registration receipt and must have a title.

Many people do not understand the importance and value of the Title Act, and do not realize that the Certificate of Title Act was passed to improve the validity of titles on motor vehicles thereby making such title comparable to an abstract on real estate.

Motor vehicle owners who have acquired used vehicles, and who have received assigned titles from the previous owners, are urged to apply at once for their titles in order that the transactions may be recorded and new owners shown on the title records of the Department. Motor vehicle owners are also urged to register their equipment by purchasing the 1946 license plates as soon as possible. It is a common practice throughout the State for owners to wait until the last week in March, thereby creating congested conditions and long lines of applicants in the various Tax Collector's offices. The County Tax Collectors are experiencing difficulty in obtaining temporary help, and you will be helping them and yourselves by obtaining 1946 license plates during February or in the first part of March and not waiting until the last day or days.

There are some persons operating motor vehicles with Out-of-State license plates who may legally operate under 1946 Out-of-State license plates, and these persons are cautioned to obtain such 1946 plates and apply same on or before the expiration of their present plates. There are others operating motor vehicles with Out-of-State license plates who must legally re-register in Texas, and these persons are advised to purchase Texas plates immediately to avoid having to pay a penalty in addition to the registration fee.

Particular attention of the owners of trucks, truck-tractors, trailers, semi-trailers and buses was called to the fact that they must be prepared to furnish the Tax Collector with a complete description as to size, type, and serial number et cetera, of equipment to be registered, and must be prepared to register for the actual weight of the empty vehicles plus the heaviest load to be carried, which under the law cannot be less than the manufacturer's rated carrying capacity. If in doubt as to the actual weight, the owners of commercial vehicles should have them weighed and present the weight certificate at the time of registration.

**GETS NAVAL DISCHARGE**  
Recently discharged from the Navy at Norman, Okla., was Raymond Earle Phillips, Ph. M. 1/c, of Munday, who last served aboard the U. S. S. Relief and spent 14 months in the Pacific area.

At the same time Secretary Wallace warned that farmers have markets for their products at a good price only if workers in the cities have money to spend. So, full employment in this country is of vital interest to farmers. When unemployment strikes, farm wages become depressed and farm prices follow the downward pattern.

"It will take a systematic, well-thought-out program of Federal measures that will direct the activities and policies of the national Government toward the basic objective of full employment opportunity," Secretary Wallace said.

Joint action by free citizens, for common objectives, he urged as a way of obtaining measures directed at social and economic progress.

A statement received from Mr. B. F. Vance, State Director, shows that 46,081 pounds of cotton was paid to farmers in Knox County during 1945 for losses that occurred in connection with the crop insurance program. This is by no means all of the losses that occurred. It is believed that the additional pounds to be paid will run as high as 60,000 pounds.

## Goodbye Foam—In Motor Oil



PITTSBURGH, PA. — Blowing through two straws, this young lady shows how the serious handicap of foaming oil has been eliminated in high speed motors. Oil in the beaker at the right, treated by an anti-foam agent developed by Gulf Oil Corp., cannot be made to foam or bubble over. The beaker at the left demonstrates how air can make untreated oil froth out of motors like foamy beer, sometimes causing shutdowns of trucks, tanks, ships, power plants and machinery. Overcoming of the foaming problem, considered serious by various Government agencies, was announced recently.

## LOCALS

Mr. Ada Garrison has returned home after spending several days with her brother and sister, Sam Harlan and Mrs. Kate Browning, and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bauman and two sons of Tulsa, Okla., visited with Mrs. Bauman's father, M. G. Nix, and other relatives here over the week end. Willard, recently discharged from the air forces, is now employed by the Gulf Oil Corporation at Tulsa.

Misses Jeanne Davis and Sue Barrett, roommates in A. C. C., Abilene, spent the week end here with Jeanne's mother, Mrs. Jo Mae Davis, and with other relatives.

Joe Tom Nelson came home last week with his honorable discharge from the Navy. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nelson, met him in Wichita Falls last Thursday.

## RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Cpl. Howard G. Bruce is home with a discharge, after serving 16 months in the European theater. He received his discharge on January 30. He and his family will make their home in Munday, where Bruce is employed at the Gratz Service Station.

## Do "Plate-Sores" Bother You?

If your "GUMS" itch, burn, or cause you discomfort, druggists will return money if the first bottle of "LETOS" fails to satisfy.

TINER DRUG

## Pointers Given On Tractor Care

A partially charged battery that gives tractor operators many headaches can be eliminated by periodic testing and routine servicing, points out J. L. Stodghill, local dealer of Fort-Ferguson tractors and Ferguson System implements.

He said experience indicates that overcharging and lack of distilled water are chief causes of short battery life. Battery boiling is caused by overcharging and should be remedied by decreasing the charging rate, he added before giving the following suggestions on battery care:

It pays to test a battery with an hydrometer. The reading indicates the condition of the battery.

Don't take a reading from a cell which has had water added to it until after the tractor has been driven for at least 30 minutes.

If readings of 1225 or less are obtained, the battery is not sufficiently charged and should either be recharged or replaced.

If the battery has been discharged by leaving the light or ignition on, it may be recharged by normal operation.

If readings above 1250 are obtained, the battery is fully charged and it will merely be necessary to add distilled water.

Many things to watch for in connection with the tractor battery follow:

Partial corrosion of cables restricts current capacity.

Broken or cracked battery case may allow battery fluid to escape.

Low gravity cells.

Sealing compound broken away from cell covers.

Terminal posts broken, or partially broken.

Cell connectors broken away from posts, or post broken away from strap.

Freezing due to partially charged battery.

Clean terminals for inspections with ammonia or baking soda in water.

Inspect battery carrier for looseness or broken battery fasteners.

Check charging rate and adjust

## Furniture BARGAINS!

We are getting a good stock of used furniture. Come in and look it over.

Every item in our place can be bought at a bargain!

We have some nice bargains in oil heaters and oil cook stoves.

See what we have—and let us know what you have to sell.

## Knox County Trading Post

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Branch

## Prompt Service On All... Repair Jobs

We try to render you the best and most prompt service on all repair jobs. Scarcity of parts delay us many times, but the work is done promptly when parts are available.

Let us figure with you on repairing of your tractor, truck or automobile. Experienced mechanics do the work here.

We are equipped to do electric and acetylene welding.

## Giles Repair Shop

Joe Giles, mechanic  
Located in Reid's Hardware Building

to specifications. High water consumption is an indication of excessive charging.

Harmon Sessions, who is attending school in Wichita Falls, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Prudence Sessions.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harrell visited with relatives and friends in Anson last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cowan and Miss Merle Dingus were business visitors in Haskell last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Joe Riptoe of Throckmorton spent Thursday with Mrs. Howard Bruce. Mrs. Riptoe is the former, Mrs. Troy Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Phillips returned home last Saturday from San Antonio, where they spent a week attending the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Docia Garner, who is in a San Antonio hospital. They reported their daughter much improved.

Pfc. Albert Andrae Jr. of Camp Hood, Texas, spent several days here last week.

Pfc. Walter M. Hertel returned to North Carolina last Monday after spending a 15-day furlough with his wife and other relatives and friends.

## Evergreens Conifers and Broadleaf

Arizona Cypress, Italian Cypress, Austrian Pine, Pfitzer Juniper, Blue Column Juniper, Silver Spire Juniper, Radiant Juniper, Virginia Juniper, Variegated Juniper, Retinispora Juniper

Bakers Arborvitae, Excelsia Arborvitae, Berkman's Golden Arborvitae, Rosedale Arborvitae, Golden Bonita or Globe Arborvitae, Green Bonita or Globe Arborvitae

Youpon Holly, Winterberry Holly, Mahonia or Oregon Holly, Cotoneaster, Euonymus Patens

Wax Leaf Ligstrum, Euonymus Japonica, Cherry Laurel, Pyracantha or Firethorn, Lodense Ligstrum, Magnolia Trees, Japan, Ligstrum

Nandina, Abelia, Photinia, Jasmin, Hypericum, Rosemary, California Privet Hedge, Amur River Privet Hedge, Lodense Privet Hedge.

## Wichita Valley Nursery

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## Radio Work

Two experienced repairmen are on hand to do your radio repair work. Our experience assure you of quality work.

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We are getting in quite a few new tubes and other radio parts, and will be able to give quicker service.

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## LET'S ALL BE GOOD FRIENDS



We've known most of you for a long time and have enjoyed serving you. We like you to call us by our first names, too. It's more friendly. Our aim has always been to give you the best merchandise plus courteous service.

## Prescription Service

We offer you a complete prescription service. Two registered pharmacists on duty here, so one will always be on hand to wait on you. Promptness and efficiency are what you get when you bring your prescriptions to...

in Munday it's

## EILAND'S Drug Store

# Goree News Items

Relatives here for the funeral of Jim Barnett last Friday are: Bert Barnett, O'Donnell, Harry Tidwell, Smithville; Mr. and Mrs. H. Walker, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Elliott and Mrs. Rebecca Brown, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wright, Mrs. Helen Wilson and Jay Barnett, Davidson, Okla.; Holmes Tidwell and George Tidwell, Frederick, Okla., and Mrs. Lean Brown, Fortales, New Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stalcup and son, Edwards, and Mrs. R. D. Stalcup attended the wedding of Mrs. Stalcup's grandson, S. M. True, Jr., and Miss Anna Jean Roberts at Plainview last Sunday. The wedding was at the First Methodist Church at 3 p. m. True has recently been discharged from the naval service.

Mr. and Mrs. Heard Reeves of Wichita Falls were visitors with relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McMahon spent the week end in Grandfield, Okla., visiting with relatives.

Geraldine Harlan spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harlan of Littlefield, who returned with her for a visit with Mrs. Harlan's mother, Mrs. Bud Coffman, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hendrix of Amarillo were visitors in the home of Mrs. Hendrix's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Homer McMahon, and other relatives at Munday.

Eunice Thornton of Wichita

Falls spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thornton.

Sam Hampton left Sunday for Barlett, in response to a message that an aunt had passed away. He attended the funeral Monday. Mrs. Cannon Roberts and Mrs. Mae Wright made the trip with Mr. Hampton and visited relatives in that city.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Taylor entertained out-of-town guests several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Dickson of Sweetwater and Harold Brickhouse of Houston were week end visitors with Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Heard.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Paul of Dallas were recent visitors in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Heard.

Virgil Edwards, who has been with the armed forces in the South Pacific, came in last week. Virgil and his brother, Charlie, are visiting their parents at Harlingen.

Mrs. Scott Turner, who is a patient in a Wichita Falls hospital, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Cortie Coffman of Morton were visitors with Mrs. Sarah Coffman and other relatives here several days last week.

Mrs. Gene Heard left last Saturday after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Heard, to join her husband, Capt. Gene Heard, at Houston. Capt. Heard has his discharge now.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gipson of Coleman are here for a visit. Mr. Gipson was recently discharged from the naval service.

Clarence Moore of Miami, Fla., is here for a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barnett were visitors with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Bain Barnett at Moran last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caldwell and family were visitors with Mr. Caldwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Caldwell, recently.

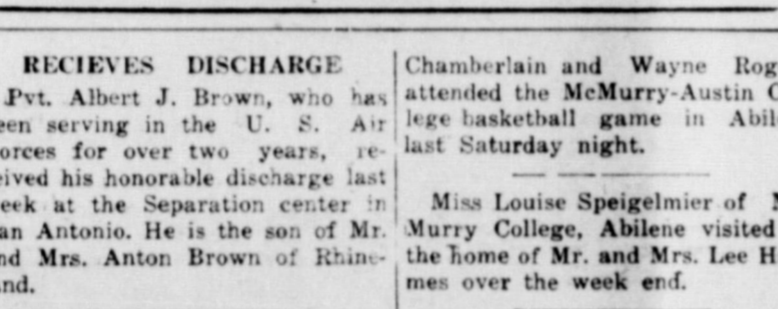
# People Spots In The News



**TEAMWORK** . . . Huge government war-built alumina plant in Arkansas will be operated by Reynolds Metals as result of Aluminum Co. of America's voluntarily granting free license under its manufacturing patents. Atty. Gen. Clark called move "kind of teamwork that will get reconversion job done."



**"PRESS" QUEEN**—18-year-old Ruth Boyd of Edison High school, Miami, Fla., was the choice over professional models to reign at the annual Press Photographers ball there.



**TABLES TURNED**—Don Bell, newspaperman of Hutchinson, Kansas, sits at desk of former Premier Hideki Tojo of Japan. Bell was prisoner of Japs for 37 months. On this same floor Tojo and other Japanese will face war-criminal trials.

**RECEIVES DISCHARGE**—Pvt. Albert J. Brown, who has been serving in the U. S. Air Forces for over two years, received his honorable discharge last week at the Separation center in San Antonio. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Brown of Rhineland.

Dick Harrell, who is attending medical school in Galveston, came in Sunday to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harrell.

Cpl. Robert Green, who is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., spent the week end here with his wife and two daughters, and with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hawkins and little daughter of Sweetwater spent the week end here with Mrs. Hawkins' mother, Mrs. J. B. Bowden, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Roberts and children of Weslaco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wren over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holder, Jr., left last Thursday for Denton for a 10-day visit with relatives.

Rev. Don Davidson, Lee Haymes, Joe Spann, Joseph Borden, D. G. Chamberlain and Wayne Rogers attended the McMurry-Austin College basketball game in Abilene last Saturday night.

Miss Louise Speigelmier of McMurry College, Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haymes over the week end.

Travis Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ky Hunter of Iowa Park, visited relatives and friends here over the week end. Travis returned home recently after serving in the U. S. Marines in the Pacific for a number of months.

Mrs. J. E. Richardson of Lorenzo, and Mrs. Hattie Williams and Mrs. A. K. Tartt and little daughter, Allison Kay, of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holder several days last week.

Capt. James N. Walker of Dallas spent the week end with relatives here. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Walker and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Eiland.

Miss Pauline Spruill of Goree plans to visit her mother, Mrs. S. M. Spruill of Winnsboro soon. Miss Spruill is employed at the Easley Cafe in Goree.

# Bradley Clears Up Idea Of Dismissal Non-Service Cases

Mr. Charles E. McCarthy, Acting Manager of the Veterans Administration Regional Office in Waco, Texas, which exercises jurisdiction over practically the entire State of Texas, is in receipt of a telegram from General Omar N. Bradley, U. S. Army Administrator of Veterans Affairs, calling attention to a telegram sent to Department Commanders of the American Legion at the direction of Mr. Stelle, saying: "The Veterans Administration is attempting to dismiss from hospitals 46,165 total non-service connected cases."

General Bradley wires that statement is without any foundation in truth. That such statement might cause no unnecessary worry on the part of patients in Veterans Administration hospitals and their loved ones, he has requested that publicity be given to the following letter which he has sent to all members of Congress:

"Upon inquiry made of the National Adjutant of the American Legion, the Veterans Administration is informed he has sent telegram to Legion Department Commanders, quoting the Legions National Commander as saying: "The Veterans Administration is attempting to dismiss from their hospitals 46,165 total non-service connected cases." The statement is absolutely without foundation in truth. There is great danger that it will cause unnecessary fear and anxiety among sick veterans and their families. At a press conference held on February 1, 1946, I said: "Under the law, priority must be given to service connected cases. Non-service connected cases will be hospitalized wherever possible. I have not, nor will I, advocate any changes in the law which would provide for hospitalization of service connected cases only." That statement still holds good. We are not dismissing non-service connected cases of any character from our hospitals so long as they are in need of hospitalization. This is being sent you for your information that you may reassure any constituents who write to you that there is no basis of fact to this allegation."

General Omar N. Bradley, U. S. Army Administrator of Veterans Affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bledsoe left last week for Canyon, where they entered West Texas State Teachers College for the spring term.

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We can do a first class wash, grease, polish and wax job; also motor steaming.  
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Baker's Best Hair Tonic	\$1.00 plus tax
Pepsodent Tooth Paste, two 25c tubes (50c value) only	25c
Vitalis Hair Tonic, small size only	50c plus tax
Harriet Hubbard Ayers Hand Cream, 10-ounce size (\$2.00 value) for	\$1.00 plus tax
Zenith Weavever Fountain Pen and Pencil set with a guarantee for	\$2.75

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All the quality and flavor of good meats are retained when your beef and pork are processed at our locker plant. Our processing methods assure you of minimum of waste, too.  
We are trying to give you an up-to-the-minute service. Our plant is kept clean and is open for inspection at any time.  
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Study the design of the New Freedom Gas Kitchen above and you'll see why it is in a class by itself.

While small and compact, the kitchen is so expertly designed that it has the feeling of spaciousness. Its three work centers—preparation, cooking and clean-up—are located and spaced to save steps. There is plenty of storage space and adequate work surfaces. And right in the middle of this lovely kitchen is the preferred cooking appliance—the automatic gas range. In your remodeling or new home plans be sure that whatever "make" range you buy, around which to build your New Freedom Gas Kitchen, carries the CP seal. Then you'll know it has all the best features of dozens of ranges combined into one.

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New gas home appliances are now on display in many dealers' stores. See them. To secure early delivery place your order now.

**ALLIS-CHALMERS** SALES AND SERVICE  
**REID'S HARDWARE** Munday, Texas  
**LONE STAR GAS COMPANY**

### Calf Show—

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out of a possible 300, and Ginger Johnson of Board County and Stanley Glover of Benjamin tied for second place with 285 points.

Following the judging, Mr. Scofield selected the ten best calves to be shown at Wichita Falls. Those who will show calves in the district show are: Buddy and Fred Crenshaw, Benjamin, Pat Hill, Munday; Olen Ray, Jeanette Beck, and Jerry Beck, all of Vera; J. G. Pultz, Gilliland; Carroll Fred Glover, Benjamin; Bryson Laird, Benjamin.

Fred Crenshaw was selected for the "best showmanship" during the exhibiting of calves, while Bryson Laird placed second.

Closing the show was an auction, C. R. Elliott, auctioneer, in which eight of the calves were sold. Owners of the calves, the weights, purchase price and purchasers are as follows:

John Ed Smith, 1020, 17 cents; Reid's Grocery, Knox Coity; J. G. Pultz, 830, 20 cents, Roxy Theater; Donald Joe Jackson, 835, 17 1/2 cents, Piggly Wiggly market; Jerrel Trainham, 825, 19 1/2 cents, Reid's market, Knox City; Billy Mayberry, 845, 19 cents, First National Bank; C. A. Davis, 815, 22 cents, League Ranch, Benjamin; Pat Hill, 745, 22 1/2 cents, Munday Locker Plant; Jerrel Trainham, 680 25 cents, Eiland Drug Store and Ford Tractor Agency.

### Local 4-H Club Meets On Monday

The Munday 4-H Club met last Monday morning at 8:45 at the study hall in the local school.

County Agent R. O. Dunkle and Miss Lucille King, home demonstration agent met with the group.

A study of the different kinds of soil was held, after which the club members tested the soil on the school grounds and found it suitable for most any type of plants. They found the soil 3 feet and 8 inches deep.

Forty members and two visitors attended the meeting.

Mrs. F. H. Russell, who had an eye operation at Wichita Falls last Tuesday, is getting along nicely and may be able to return home this week end.

### Political Announcements

The Munday Times is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Knox county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:

MERICK MCGAUGHEY (Re-election)  
JACK W. QUALLS

For District Attorney, 50th Judicial District:

JOE REEDER, JR.  
THOS. F. GLOVER (Re-election, Second Term)

For County Treasurer:  
WALTER SNODY (Re-election)

For Commissioner of Precinct No. Three:

G. E. EYDER

For Sheriff of Knox County:

L. C. (LOUIS) FLOYD (Re-election)

For Commissioner of Precinct Two:

L. A. (LOUIS) PARKER (Re-election)

### Benjamin Names Manager; Mayor, C. of C. Meets

The Benjamin Chamber of Commerce met, Tuesday, February 12, 1946, at 7:30 p. m. in the District Court Room of the Knox County Court House.

At this meeting it was made known to the public that Von Ray had been elected City Manager, and that A. E. Ball had been elected Mayor, Ben Qualls, had resigned on account of his health.

Collins Moorhouse gave a short talk to the members of the Chamber of Commerce and visitors regarding an adequate and desirable water supply, which the town is trying to locate. The U. S. Government has agreed to make a loan grant in the amount of \$3,200.00 to help in locating this water supply. At the present time the City of Benjamin has received \$1,600.00 from the government for this project.

The engineers have three propositions in mind for locating this water supply. They are as follows:

1. Two miles east of town.
2. Ten miles east of town.
3. Grating the City Lake.

If the water is located east of town it will be hard, and therefore, will have to be treated.

Clyde Edward Williams showed a short movie of the different offices and employees in the County Court House, which was enjoyed by everyone.

The Chamber of Commerce received twelve new members at this meeting, making a total of thirty-five members.

The next Chamber of Commerce meeting will be held February 25, 1946, at 7:30 p. m. in the District Court Room of the Court House. The citizens of Benjamin are urged to attend this meeting.

### Activities of Colored People

Rev. J. T. Taylor of Vernon was in Munday on the 18th and has organized a C. M. E. Methodist Church. Service will be held Sunday morning and Sunday evening at the residence of Bro. Frank Scott. Everyone is invited to come.

Rev. and Mrs. Green of Waco visited the latter's sister, in San Angelo and motored to Munday with them to be in the service Sunday night.

Mrs. Mac and little son of San Francisco, Calif., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Whitney.

Little Willie Dean of Los Angeles is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean.

Sgt. Coney Moore received his discharge after three years and 41 days in the service of our country. He was sent to Camp Fannin, where he was discharged. He was happily received by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Moore, and his mother, Mrs. Octavia Williams.

### Capt. Albertson On Terminal Leave

Capt. Howard Albertson, who recently returned to the States after several months of service in the Pacific, arrived here on January 30 for a visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Albertson. His wife and one-year-old son are also visiting in the Albertson home.

Capt. Albertson was working on his master's degree when he entered the service. His leave will expire in May, and if released from the service, he will likely continue his degree work.

### Texas And Her Annexation

By Dr. E. C. Barker, Professor of American History, The University of Texas

#### Mexico Agrees To Recognize Tex.

After long delay, the Mexican government accepted the terms offered by Texas, namely, recognition of Texan independence on condition that Texas should maintain its independence. On May 17, 1845, the British minister in Mexico delivered to Captain Charles Elliott the Mexican reply. In addition to accepting the Texan proposals, it stipulated that its reply should be null and void if Texas accepted annexation. In delivering the Mexican document to Elliott his colleague in Mexico wrote: "It is a matter of regret . . . that so much time has elapsed between the presentation of the (Texan) articles to this government and the moment of their acceptance, but you are too well acquainted with the dilatory habits of Spaniards and Spanish Americans not to be able to explain this circumstance to the President" of Texas.

Elliott made all haste back to Texas on board a French warship, and reported his arrival at Galveston to his home government on May 30, 1845. He hastened to Washington on the Brazos and delivered the Mexican document, but President Jones told him that the popular fever for annexation made its acceptance very doubtful.

#### The Work of Donelson and Others

It is not likely that public opinion in Texas was disposed to reject annexation, but the American government took no chances. Donelson was instructed to urge acceptance and assure the Texans that objectionable conditions of the annexation offer could be eliminated by Congress after annexation was completed. Dr. Ashbel Smith, who played an influential role in the diplomatic history of the republic, is authority for the statement that agents from the United States were active in promoting annexation sentiment and pledged the government to shower benefits on Texas. He says: "The promises were among others to clear out our rivers for navigation, to deepen the entrance of our harbors, to build light houses on our coast for commerce, to erect military works, fortifications for the defense of the coast, to execute important works of internal improvement, and to do various and sundry other things for Texas which were beyond our means . . . under the fostering protection of the United States it was gloriously prophesied, with spread eagle magniloquence, that capital would flow into Texas . . . to develop and utilize our incalculable natural resources. Employment, wealth and prosperity would reign in this land. Here in the West lay the inexhaustible Orient."

But such oratorical exertions were unnecessary. Captain Elliott easily read the writing on the wall and wrote Lord Aberdeen on June 15 that he felt there was no reasonable doubt of the result, "and

### Ex Libris... By William Sharp

**THE BIGGEST ANIMAL ON EARTH LIVES IN THE SEA— THE WHALE.**

**THE LARGEST SEABIRD IS THE ALBATROSS—HAS WINGSPREAD OF ELEVEN FEET!**

**GREATEST OCEAN DEPTH EVER SOUNDDED IS OFF MINORAWO—5736 FATHOMS.**

**CAN THE LEGEND OF ATLANTIS BE TRUE? IS THERE A LOST CIVILIZATION UNDER THE SEA?...**

**SCIENCE OF THE SEVEN SEAS—Henry's Seemann.**

### Judge Callaway Meets With School Board Tuesday

Claude Callaway of Crowell, state representative for this district, met with members of the Munday school board last Monday night to discuss with them problems pertaining to the local schools.

Representative Callaway is a strong booster for the advancement of the rural school program, and has done some important work along the educational lines in the Texas Legislature. He enlightened the local school board on several problems confronting the local schools.

The local board feels that Judge Callaway is doing the rural schools of his district a real service at Austin.

Miss Helen Homer of Wichita Falls spent the week end here visiting with relatives and friends.

Six professors from the National University of Mexico visited the University of Texas campus February 15 and 16, addressing and visiting University Spanish classes.

renewed reflection has strengthened me in the impression that I had better not be here at the period of . . . formal action upon the subject, be it what it may."

### Major Walter Rice Home From Japan

Major Walter W. Rice, former county agent of Knox County, was here the latter part of last week for a visit with friends, and was enjoying his visitations immensely.

Major Rice, who served in the field artillery, has just returned from Japan, where he was with the occupational forces for several months. He was enroute from Ft. Bliss to Ft. Worth to visit his wife and daughter. He is on several months' terminal leave.

Rice, who started the Knox County 4-H Calf Shows 12 years ago, was an interested visitor at the annual show here Saturday.

The only person ever known to die of fallen arches was Samson.

Early-risers are braggy in the morning and draggy in the evening.

After skipping church the other day we met the minister on the street and he expressed his regrets by saying that it wasn't that he missed the vacant chair, so much as it was the vacant stare.

Nothing fills you quicker nor fools you more than soup.

Miss Rose Brown of Abilens was here visiting home folks several days last week.

The attitude of the movie actress toward marriage seems to be that I have been, I am, and I am going to be.

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