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Men in Service

Second Class Seaman R. J. Everson, is somewhere in the Pacific, according to a letter received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Everson, of the Vivian community, last week. He said he was getting along fine.

Corp. Locke G. Reinhardt is in North Africa and writes that he is well and doing fine. He says that he has all the comforts there that he could wish for. His last letter was on Jan. 14.

Corp. Elmer L. Porter, son of A. P. Porter, who is stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif., was one of eleven non-commissioned officers of the camp who were honored by the 53rd battalion with a battalion review recently when they were presented Army Good Conduct Medals for three years of "exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity." The men received congratulations from their commanding officer and were given medals which will be signed until after the war by red and gray blouse ribbons and then were guests for the battalion review.

Sgt. George E. Solomon, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Fleisher of Thalia, who is stationed at Ft. Logan, Colo., has been chosen among 50 out of 1,000 men for a two-year course of training at some college or university. His course is to be selective. He volunteered for service in the army in October, 1939, and has been stationed in Colorado since that time.

O/C Herman D. Sandlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin of Vivian, has been sent to Miami, Fla., to enter officers training.

Riley Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin, who returned home last week from A. & M. College where he graduated in military science, left Thursday for the reception center at Ft. Sill, Okla. He will go from there to Aberdeen, Md., to enter officers training.

Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, releases the announcement that Calvin C. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones of Truscott, has graduated from a course in glider mechanics in that place. He is now eligible to win a rating as a corporal or sergeant.

Pvt. Otto Davenport, who is stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark., spent a short time here Saturday and Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Davenport, who is residing in Little Rock, near which city Camp Robinson is located.

Pvt. J. R. (Jake) Moore, who entered the U. S. service on Dec. 8, is stationed at Camp Haan, Calif., and is doing carpenter work at the camp.

Pvt. Glendon Hays is here for a few days this week. He is stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

Supply of New Cotton Bale Ties Limited

The following is taken from a State War Board memorandum quoting a letter from Fred S. Wallace, special War Board assistant to the Secretary of Agriculture:

"Opinion seems to be current in cotton producing areas that adequate supplies of new cotton bale ties will be available for the 1943 crop. We learn from authoritative sources that the amount of steel going into the production of new bale ties will be very definitely limited by E. B. and will be in sufficient quantities to manufacture new cotton bale ties for distribution where re-worked bale tie supplies are inadequate.

"Bale tie re-workers will maintain production in accordance with demand only, and inasmuch as this may result in a definite shortage of bale ties, all handlers of cotton are urged to place their 1943 requirements with vendors of re-worked ties immediately. Re-worked ties should be purchased now and immediate delivery should be taken to assure that re-workers will maintain peak production.

"You are requested to notify all county war boards in cotton producing sections. This matter is important and should be made known to all interested persons at the earliest possible moment."

FATHER DIES

James Benson was called to El Paso Tuesday on account of the death of his father, Fred Benson, 82, who died Sunday night. He is a brother of Charley Benson of Crowell, operator of the Benson Service Station one block east of the square.

James will be accompanied home by his brother, 14, and two sons, 10 and 4, who will make home here with their uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Benson.

'Doing' India



Wartime "tourists," Miss L. Donner, of Minnesota, and Sergt. T. Doolittle, of Mississippi, visit ruins of Kutb Minar, one of the oldest cities of India. Miss Donner is an army civilian employe, while the sergeant is one of many U. S. soldiers stationed there.

Pres. Cemetery Ass'n. Makes Plea for Immediate Aid

Mrs. N. J. Roberts, president of the Cemetery Association, is making a plea for materials and workmen to repair the old sexton house to make it livable until a new one can be built. Her appeal follows:

"While waiting for some plan to materialize whereby we might be able to build our permanent sexton's home at the cemetery, we have lost the sexton for the simple reason that the house had become unlivable.

"There has been a committee appointed to look the old house over and see if it is worth a new roof or new windows and doors and the committee has agreed that the only possible plan was to tear the old house down and, also, the shed in the center of the cemetery and build a temporary building which would suffice until the time does come when the building fund can be used for the purpose for which it was subscribed.

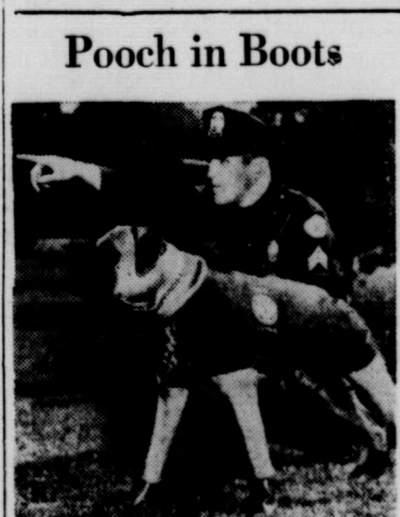
"We must have a sexton on the grounds at all times, although it has never been possible to have him on the pay-roll but about six months of the year. By furnishing him living quarters and by funds from grave digging, he can supplement his salary from the outside for the rest of the year.

"Now, we are appealing for any building materials or funds with which to build the temporary house. It must be something habitable and which can be of use when the better house is forthcoming. We don't want to have to buy anything but shingles and flooring. So, doesn't someone have some windows or doors they aren't using? Or, maybe some lumber for facings?

"Does some one want to volunteer a day's work when the time comes to tear the old house down? Or, maybe a wagon and team to haul the lumber from the shed to the building site?

"We have a beautiful cemetery and it is being well kept, considering the amount expended. Quoting from 'Flanders Field,' 'Let us keep faith with those who sleep within its bounds and hold high the torch. We'll soon be passing it to other hands.'

Pooch in Boots



Kim, a boxer formerly owned by the late Lou Gehrig, is shown with George O'Rourke, former "Seeing Eye" trainer, at the government arsenal at Pictinny, near Dover, N. J., where O'Rourke is guard. Kim is on duty at the arsenal. Note the shoes worn by the dog to protect his pads during constant patrol of his "beat."

Crowell Wildcats Won Victory Over Vernon Lions Fri.

The Crowell Wildcats added another victory to their record in basketball last Friday night when they defeated the Vernon Lions by a 28 to 24 score on Vernon's court. The game was close most of the way with the Wildcats in the lead by two points at half time. However, Crowell had a ten point margin at the end of the third quarter. Wilbanks, forward for Vernon, scored fifteen points to lead in that department. The Crowell score was pretty well distributed. Gordon Erwin was unable to play due to illness.

The Crowell "B" string boys were defeated 16 to 4 by Vernon's B team. The Crowell "B" boys were playing without the services of Kenneth Archer, John Calvin Carter and Cecil Parkhill.

| Box Score | | FG | FT | TP |
|-------------|--|-----------------------------|----------------|----|
| Crowell | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Adams, f | | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Parkhill, f | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| McDaniel, f | | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Blevins, c | | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Nelson, g | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Gobin, g | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | | 14 | 0 | 28 |
| Vernon | | FG <td>FT <td>TP</td> </td> | FT <td>TP</td> | TP |
| Wilbanks, f | | 6 | 3 | 15 |
| Gaddy, f | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Bailey, c | | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Price, g | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Matney, g | | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | | 10 | 4 | 24 |

These same teams played in Crowell on Wednesday night with the Vernon A team defeating the Crowell A team by a 31 to 22 score and the Crowell B team defeating the Vernon B team by a 12 to 10 count. This was Crowell A team's first defeat of the season, however, Gordon Erwin, back guard, had to miss the game again on account of illness.

Foard County Boys Responding to Work of 4-H Clubs

Rural youth in Foard County are entering 4-H Club work enthusiastically as shown by the records of the county agent, D. F. Eaton.

Clubs have been organized at the following schools, two groups at Crowell totaling around fifty members; a group at Margaret of 15 members, a group at Thalia with a membership of 25, and one at Riverside with 15 members. These groups are increasing as the work advances.

The major interests of the boys is livestock growing featuring beef calves, swine and poultry with a few growing dairy cattle. Many of the boys are also growing feed crops for their livestock. Each of these groups is an organized unit with officers and leaders, and meets regularly each month and the members render a program of their own choosing on some vital agricultural topic.

For the present they are studying the life history, damage and how to control the heel fly. They will also be given a demonstration in treating an animal for the heel fly grub.

Services at First Christian Church

Orval Holt, who is a student at Phillips University in Enid, Okla., and who was, a short time ago, pastor of the First Christian Church here, will speak at the 11 o'clock services at the church Sunday morning, Feb. 7, according to information received from the church officials.

The public is invited to attend and the church members are urged to be present to hear this young man.

26 Rattlesnakes Killed in One Den on Minnick Ranch

Orville Jones and Bill Porter report the killing of 26 rattlesnakes Wednesday on the Minnick Ranch. They, with Slim Eavenson and Beatie Joe Eavenson, saw three snakes sunning on a ledge of rock. In killing them they found the den and killed 26, none of them being under three feet long and one was about five feet in length.

The young men report that they knew there were more in the den for they could hear them rattling but they stopped at 26. One, the longest, had 16 rattles.

Texas Iron & Metal Co. Shipped 50,000 Pounds Scrap Rubber

The Texas Iron & Metal Co., local scrap iron dealers, shipped 50,000 pounds of old auto tires and other scrap rubber which has accumulated at its place of business within the last few months.

Charley Bernstein, manager of the business, is making preparations for another big shipment of scrap metal of all kinds.

BOY SCOUTS MEAN BUSINESS



"Toughen up, Buckle down, and Carry on to Victory", is the Boy Scout major task this year. Their 1,570,000 members are in the conflict to the hilt on the home front, doing everything boys of Scout age can do to help win the war speedily and a just peace permanently.

News Staff to Take Boy Scout Week to Orders for Tyler Roses; See Page 5

The Foard County News has accepted a proposition with the East Texas Engraving Co. to take orders for Tyler roses which will be sent direct from Tyler to the customer. The roses range in price from 14c to 17c each in bunches of 24, 19 and 10. The roses are best quality bushes that will thrive and grow.

Now is the time to buy roses to beautify the yards in Crowell and Tyler roses are famous throughout the land. Send your order to The News office at once.

Read advertisement on page 5 of this issue.

Notice, Subscribers

There are still a few subscribers on The News list who have not renewed for another year. Those knowing that their subscriptions have expired should renew them at once to prevent missing any copies, provided they want the paper for another year.

Within a short time now subscriptions that have expired will be removed from the list. The Government is demanding that newspapers use as little newsprint as possible in order to conserve paper. Naturally, this makes it necessary for The News to print the smallest number of papers possible to supply the demand.

First WAAC from This Section Sworn Into WAAC Corps

Mrs. Oleta Denham of Gilliland passed all required qualifying examinations and has been sworn into the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, according to a release from the Army Induction Office in Dallas.

Mrs. Denham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Langston of Gilliland. After being sworn in, the enrollee was placed in the reserve and sent to her home to await a call to active duty. Upon call to active duty, reservists are sent to an accredited training center and after completion of the training course, are put to work with the Army.

Mrs. Denham has a husband, Hubert A. Denham, and a brother, Frank R. Langston, in the U. S. Army.

Report of Funds for Cemetery

The most recent subscribers to the Cemetery fund are:

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|---------------------------|--------|
| Mrs. Anton Hadonek | \$1.00 |
| Shiner, Texas | |
| Anonymous | 5.00 |
| Mrs. Cassie Shievers | |
| Clarksville | 5.00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry | 2.00 |
| Mrs. T. W. Cooper | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Annie Ayers | 5.00 |

Football Boys Given Awards Fri. Afternoon for 1942

The Crowell High School football boys received their awards last Friday afternoon for the 1942 season. Seventeen regulars and Bill Bruce, manager, received a reversible jacket made of old gold wool on one side with a gray "C" and stripes and gray satin on the other. Players receiving the jackets were: Arnold Smith, Albert Bird, C. J. Kelton, Dewitt Cauthan, Paul Veceera, Gordon Erwin, Kenneth Archer, Cecil Parkhill, Clifford White, Billy Fred Short, O. C. Wharton, J. W. Sallis, Pat McDaniel, John Calvin Carter, Bob Gobin, Leighton Adams and Glen Taylor.

The following four reserves received black sweaters with gold "C's": R. L. Smith, Kendrick Joy, Kenneth Payne and Horace Todd. The football boys presented L. T. Graves, superintendent, with a bath robe and Coach Graves with a fishing rod and reel in appreciation of their services.

Mrs. Inez Spencer Appointed County WAAC Chairman

Lt. Col. F. W. Steffen was in Crowell Thursday afternoon for the purpose of appointing a chairman for recruiting enlistment of young ladies for the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

Col. Steffen is Recruiting Officer from the Dallas office. He was accompanied by his wife.

Mrs. Inez Spencer was appointed by Col. Steffen as chairman of the WAAC Foard County Enrollment Drive. She will appoint community chairmen in each community in the county. Each community chairman will appoint a committee of local ladies to assist her in establishing an information booth in her vicinity so that all women interested may be given information about the organization of WAACs. If they desire to apply, they will receive aid with their applications, and those who desire to enroll, will be furnished transportation to Dallas for examination.

There is a need for 150,000 WAACs by March 31, in order to release that many trained soldiers now in service, and fully trained to fight and to help bring the war to a quicker close.

Miss Alma Walker has been named by Mrs. Spencer as chairman for the town of Crowell and she may be contacted at the office of the Rationing Board on the second floor of the court house. Anyone interested will see either Miss Walker or Mrs. Spencer at the post office.

The war to redouble those activities which acquaint boys with outdoor life and engender self-reliance, mental alertness, co-operation and consideration for others. Meetings and exhibits throughout the country will introduce these activities to adults and non-Scouts, and preparations are being made for a large increase in membership. A special appeal is addressed to potential leaders to replace the thousands of Scoutmasters and other adult leaders who have joined the armed forces.

NEW DRUGGIST

H. O. Park of Temple arrived here Saturday to accept a position in the prescription department of Ferguson's Drug Store. He assumed his duties immediately. Mr. Park takes the place of W. S. Galloway, who had been employed in this drug store for several months. Mr. Galloway left Monday for his home in Fort Worth.

Built on Great Lakes



The Peto, first submarine to be built on the Great Lakes, goes through the locks at Lockport, Ill., to start her journey to the Gulf, where she will be fitted and join the fleet. The ship, built at Manitowish, received preliminary tests on the Great Lakes. It is said to be the first of 39 subs to be built there.

Mrs. D. W. Pyle Succumbs Suddenly at Mineral Wells

Last Rites Held at Christian Church Thursday Afternoon

The funeral of Mrs. D. W. Pyle, who passed away at 3:30 Thursday afternoon, Jan. 28, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Bryson, in Mineral Wells, was held Friday afternoon at the First Christian Church of Crowell, with Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Those who served as pall-bearers were Hubert Brown, L. A. Andrews, A. Y. Beverly, H. C. Roark, John Long and Homer Zeibig. The members of the Sunday School class of Mrs. N. J. Roberts, of which Mrs. Pyle was a faithful member, were flower bearers. A special song "Saved by Grace" was sung by a quartet composed of John Roark, Mrs. Homer Zeibig, J. P. Davidson and E. A. Dunagan. Mrs. T. S. Haney accompanied them.

Burial was made in the Crowell cemetery with the Womack Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Pyle had gone to Mineral Wells for a visit in the home of her daughter only one week before her death and, at the time seemed to be in her usual state of health. She became suddenly ill just a very short time before death came.

Mrs. Pyle was born in Cooke County, as Sarah Moore, on April 10, 1869. She was married to Mr. Pyle in Clinton, Hunt County, on Feb. 12, 1885. The couple resided in Hunt and Denton counties before coming to Foard County to make their home in 1908. Mr. Pyle passed away on Aug. 25, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Pyle five children were born, three daughters and two sons, all of whom survive her. She united with the Methodist Church when she was a young girl but moved her church affiliation to the Christian Church with her husband, after their marriage. She was a consistent Christian and lived true to her ideals and was truly a good neighbor and friend. She retained her home in Crowell following the death of her husband, but spent much of her time with her children. Mrs. Pyle numbered her friends here by those who knew her and she will be missed by many.

Her children are Mrs. E. W. Burrow, Crowell; R. L. Pyle, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. H. C. Chandler, Wichita Falls; Vernon B. Pyle, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. A. M. Bryson, Mineral Wells. All were present for their mother's funeral with the exception of R. L. Pyle, who was unable to be here. Fourteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren also survive her. A large crowd of friends attended the last rites.

Thread for Red Cross Knitting Has Arrived

Mrs. H. Schindler, chairman for Red Cross War Relief Production for Foard County, announced that thread for knitting sweaters for the soldiers and sailors has arrived and the request has been made that the ladies who knit assist in the project which is now before the Foard County chapter of Red Cross.

Mrs. J. A. Stovall has been named by Mrs. Schindler as knitting chairman and the thread may be had by calling at the home of Mrs. Stovall. There is sufficient thread for making 108 sweaters now on hand. The sweaters are to be of two kinds, sleeveless and with sleeves. Later on, scarfs, helmets and wristlets will be made.

Those who will aid with the knitting are urged to call for their thread immediately and complete the sweaters as soon as it is possible, in order to grant a request that the sweaters be turned in as fast as they are made because the need for them is great. In other words, they are to be shipped in small lots instead of waiting until the entire quota has been reached, as has been done in the past.

TIRE RATIONING

Truck and Bus Tires—B. A. Whitman, Louie Reithmeyer, Carl Cox, Haney-Razor, T. C. Davis. Passenger car tires, Grade I, II and tubes—Hartley Easley, Clint White, Gilbert Choate, W. M. Cox, A. L. Cox Jr., Fred Wehba, J. E. Brock, J. M. Meason, Leonard Tole, A. J. Owens, C. E. Blevins, J. E. Franklin, F. E. Diggs, C. C. Ribble, George Veteto, R. N. Beatty Jr., C. A. Bowley, S. F. McCall. Passenger car recapping service—A. J. Owens, A. B. Owens, Joe E. Bledsoe, L. D. Studyvan, S. E. Croson.

Items from Neighboring Communities

FOARD CITY (By Marjorie Marlow)

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Traweck and family moved last Tuesday from the Lewis Sloan farm to Dr. Kincaid's farm, which was vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hord.

Bob Myers of Littlefield visited his uncle, Joe Rader, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Houston of Sagerton visited Mr. and Mrs. Houston McLain last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar and son, Joe, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patton, of Crowell Wednesday.

Mrs. T. M. Whitby and daughter, Jean, spent the week-end with their husband and father in Dallas.

Mr. Whitby, who is in the Navy, is stationed there.

Mrs. J. R. Merriman and Mrs. E. R. Roland visited relatives at Royce City last week.

Misses Betty Jean Owens and Mildred Marlow spent Friday night with Miss Betty Miller of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Weathers of Crowell.

Mrs. E. V. Halbert and son, Kenneth, returned home last Wednesday from Lubbock, where Kenneth had been attending school.

They were accompanied by Betty Fay Guthrie, who will make her home here. She is attending her second year of school at Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow spent Sunday with Mrs. J. L. Manning and Mrs. Bill Manning and children of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rader and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Midge Adcock of Truscott.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Weathers of Crowell are spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weathers.

Slim Evenson returned home from Montague County last week where he visited relatives.

Mrs. S. M. Cudd of Oklahoma City, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Barker, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Callaway and daughter, Helen, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barker and family.

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Shultz have returned home. Mr. Shultz has been in the Naval Construction Service in Virginia and Mrs. Shultz has been visiting in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKinley and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis McKinley and Joe McKinley in Lubbock Wednesday.

G. B. Neill, who attends Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill, here last week-end.

Ray Jonas and family and Mrs. Ross Shook and sons of Amarillo visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford visited in Lubbock a few days last week.

Mr. Woodrow Johnson of Florida and Sgt. and Mrs. Reed Johnson of San Angelo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, here last week-end.

Edgar Long, who attends Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long, here last week-end.

Mrs. Beatrice McKinley of Lubbock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble, here.

Mrs. R. A. Rutledge of Rayland visited Miss Minnie Wood here a while Saturday afternoon.

Ralph Shultz of Wichita Falls visited relatives here last week-end.

Sgt. Edgar Earl Marlow of Arizona visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marlow, here last week-end.

Miss Ruby Lee Short left Monday for Ranger, Texas, to enter

the Consolidated Air Craft School.

Homer Doty and daughter and Tokio Doty and family of Sudan and Jack Doty and family of Rock Crossing visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Geo. Doty, here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bryson and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bryson of Mineral Wells visited E. S. Flesher an dfamily Sunday.

G. A. Shultz and family visited Gochie Mints and family near Paducah Sunday. Sarah, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mints, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is improved.

Rev. Hamilton of Margaret preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Flesher visited in Mineral Wells and Fort Worth Sunday and Monday.

Roy Croxton of Vernon visited his family here Sunday.

Ed Self and family of Vivian visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Cleve Williams of Brownfield and Howard Williams and family of Crowell visited relatives here a while Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Main and family of Mills, N. M., and Mrs. Lois Lindsey and family of Vernon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne, here last week-end.

Mrs. Roy Hofmann of Rayland visited here a while Monday.

RIVERSIDE (By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Horace Taylor is visiting his mother and family in Garland.

August Rummel and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Rummel's sister, Mrs. Oswald Zock, and family of Lockett.

Berdell Nelson spent the week-end with her parents of Vivian.

Julius Ketchersid of Fargo spent Sunday with his granddaughter, Mrs. Alton Farrar, and family.

C. J. Tuggle had the misfortune of getting his hand badly cut last week.

Mrs. Herman Gloyna is ill at this writing.

Antone Kajas Jr. is in a Vernon hospital suffering from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tole of Wichita Falls spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole.

U. D. Brown of Silverton spent from Wednesday until Sunday with J. Y. Bradford and family and other friends.

H. D. Hudgens and wife spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hudgens, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Moore and family, who have been in Dallas, have returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wesley.

Mrs. Ernest Cribbs is reported to be resting fairly well from a major operation in a Knox City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cribbs, former residents of this community, now reside at Goree.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wesley and family of Wichita Falls spent the week-end in the George Wesley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Cate and family of Crowell, Mrs. Charles Earthman and son, Keith, and Darrell Simmonds of Vernon spent the week-end in the R. G. Whitten home.

Ewald Schroeder visited Carl Haseloff, who is ill in a Vernon hospital, Sunday.

Mrs. Abe White of Dallas is visiting her sisters, Mesdames Horace Taylor and R. G. Whitten.

Mrs. Bailey Rennels, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. E. L. Derr, of Chillicothe, spent the week-end with their brother, Buford Walker, of Rhome.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore of Thalia were dinner guests in the Tom Ward home Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Ward spent the week-end with friends of Vernon, James Adkins, who has been a student in Texas Tech, has returned home after mid-term exams.

Dick Swan has been brought home from the Crowell hospital, where he had been ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and son visited her brother, Jerome Mott, and family, of Bomarton, last week.

Mrs. David Lee Owens has returned home after a visit with her husband, who is stationed at

Somethin's Cookin'—Japs' Goose, Mebbe



Like a coach engaged in skull practice with his team before a big game, Col. Merritt A. Edson (seated at desk) goes over the plan of campaign with his officers as he prepares for another move against the Japs on Guadalcanal. Staff officer in foreground is following planned moves on the map. Japs may be facing their own "Bataan" on this tropic isle.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- 1. Where is the port of Akyab, frequently mentioned in the Far East war news, located?
2. Of what country is John Curtin the prime minister?
3. The harbor of Palermo was recently bombed by the R. A. F. Where is it located?
4. What is the name of the Postmaster General of the United States?
5. For what was Patty Berg of Minneapolis known in the news?
6. What is the number of the present Congress?
7. Who is the presiding officer of the United States Senate?
8. Who is the presiding officer of the House of Representatives in the Congress?
9. How is the Speaker of the House of Representatives chosen?
10. How is the presiding officer of the U. S. Senate chosen? (Answers on page 3.)

Federal Income Tax Head of Family Exemption

A single person, or a married person not living with husband or wife, is entitled to a personal exemption of \$1,200 for the year if he can qualify as head of a family. A head of family is "an individual who actually supports and maintains in one household one or more individuals who are closely connected with him by blood relationship, relationship by marriage or by adoption, and whose right to exercise family control and provide for these dependent individuals is based upon some moral or legal obligation."

Examples of head of family status would be a widower or widow who maintained a home for a dependent child, or a son who supported and maintained a household for a dependent father or mother. In order to meet the test of actual support and maintenance as head of a family, the benefactor must furnish more than one-half of the support and maintenance.

The term "in one household" ordinarily means under one roof, but if a father is absent on business or a child or other dependent is away at school, or on a visit, the common home being still maintained, the head of family exemption would still apply. Where a parent is obliged to maintain his dependent children with relatives or in a boarding house while he lives elsewhere, the additional exemption may still apply. If, however, without necessity, the dependent continuously makes his home elsewhere, his benefactor is not the head of a family irrespective of the question of support.

The term "closely connected by blood relationship" applies to a person's progenitors and lineal descendants, to his brothers or sisters, whether by the whole or half blood, and to his uncles, aunts, nephews, and nieces. Irrespective of any legal obligation of the taxpayer to support such dependent relatives, a moral obligation to do so exists, and if the individual is actually supporting and maintaining in one household relatives of this degree he is entitled to head of family exemption.

A taxpayer is considered to be "closely connected by marriage" with his step-sisters and step-brothers, but whether his right to exercise family control and provide for these individuals is based upon some moral or legal obligation must be decided upon the facts in the particular case. The same considerations apply to the status of a taxpayer because of support furnished to his father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, and sister-in-law. First cousins by blood, and cousins of lesser degree, are not regarded as so "closely connected by blood relationship" as to give rise to a head of family exemption.

A legal guardian who may maintain and support in his home a dependent ward is not entitled to the personal exemption as head of a family if the ward was not connected with him by relationship of blood, marriage, or adoption; nor is a taxpayer entitled to exemption as head of a family by virtue of maintenance and support of a child not legally adopted.

Your Horoscope

February 1, 2, 3, 4.—You have unbounded energy and enthusiasm, are very creative, ambitious and honest. You are critical, showy, proud and express your opinions freely. You have a fine talent for decorating, either your home or yourself, and can accomplish satisfactory results at comparatively low cost.

February 5, 6, 7.—You are a fairly good financier, economical, and will not take a risk when there is a chance or possibility of losing. Get rich schemes do not interest you, but after a proposition is an assured success you are willing to get into it and help put it across. You are refined, proud, fond of dress and society.

Junk the Japs with your scraps. Help win the war. Give all your scrap metal now.

Red Cross Active After Boston Fire; Aids Victims

Blood plasma and sulfa drugs were flown by the American Red Cross to Boston from New York and Washington to aid the injured victims of the Boston night club fire. With 272 units of blood plasma previously made available to Boston hospitals, another shipment of 100 units was dispatched from Washington by plane.

Two members of the National Headquarters staff and ten members of the North Atlantic Area disaster staff were sent in to assist the Boston Metropolitan Chapter. Red Cross nurses and nurse-aids were mobilized in Boston and surrounding chapters to relieve the exhausted nursing staff of the Boston City Hospital and the Massachusetts General Hospital. When a possible shortage of sulfa drugs was reported, the Red Cross arranged air priority for Dr. Orville Wyss, a sulfa expert, to take a supply of the vital drugs to Boston.

Seventy-five emergency and regular Red Cross ambulances aided in transporting the dead and injured. Fifteen mobile canteens fed rescue squads, families, and injured at the scene of the fire and at hospitals. Families who visited mortuaries and morgues in an effort to identify the missing were also fed by the canteens. Red Cross Motor Corps members transported relatives between homes, hospitals and morgues.

Hundreds of welfare inquiries, pouring in from relatives and friends were handled, and Red Cross disaster workers visited the homes of families of victims of the fire to offer emergency aid where required.

dollars every week. This means real hardship, because this vast outlay will not be used to create wealth. It will be blasted out of experience in the smoke of bombs and shells and in the wreckage of planes and ships.

In the months to come, thousands of banks will be pushing the sale of Bonds as never before. The banker realizes the necessity of sound finance. He knows that the value of the money in his keeping and the individual freedom of the people who own that money are at stake. They are the strength of democracy. And he knows that by his efforts to sell War Bonds directly to the people he is doing his part to save both.—Industrial News-Review.

Minneapolis.—Said the appreciative elderly man to the kindly Red Cross nurse's aide who was helping care for him: "I'm sure going to tell Ma about you when I get home."

We Want SETTING EGGS

Bring in your setting eggs on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Place orders ahead of time for baby chicks. Also in the market for your poultry, eggs, hides and cream.

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NOTICE!

I will be out of my office February 7, 8 and 9, attending the Southwest Educational Congress in Fort Worth, Texas.

DR. W. A. MEEK, Optometrist, Quanah, Texas

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Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT (By Irene Myers)

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Phelps, of Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Turner of Abilene spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. S. S. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger May of Lubbock spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Marchbanks.

Little La Verne Carroll of Abilene is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Gordon and children of Foard City visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children and Geo. Myers, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Devote Hord and daughter, Ginger, and Mrs. Derrell Hord and son, Jimmy, were in Munday on business, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rutherford had a family reunion at their home Sunday, Jan. 31. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Willard Trawick, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Holmes of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rutherford and children of Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Collier and children of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Lavan Caddell and children of Munday, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell and children and Mrs. Johnny Jones and children.

The Lone Star Sub-deb Club of Truscott met Jan. 30, in the home of Lynette Chowning. The following were present: Mrs. J. E. Stover, sponsor; Joyce Jones, Lynette Chowning, Clara Jones, Gaye Nelle Chilcoat and Winnie Sue Turner.

RAYLAND (By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

Pvt. Bill Keenen and wife of Gainesville were visitors here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Rutledge visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rutledge, this week.

Miss Rebecca Shultz of Holliday is visiting her mother, Mrs. Geo. Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Clure Flowers and children of Dalhart, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Abston, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hines announce the birth of a baby daughter, Shirley Lynn.

Mrs. Pete Crisp is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Martin of Sheppard Field visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin, last week.

VIVIAN (By Mildred Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and daughter, Pauline, of Riverside visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish and family last Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Gaudin of Vernon returned home Thursday, after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Walling.

Mrs. Egbert Fish, who has been ill in the Paducah hospital, was brought home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Richard Davidson of Abilene is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Self.

A. T. Fish and daughter, Neoma, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish of Paducah Saturday.

Mrs. R. L. Walling spent from Thursday until Monday with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Gaudin, and her sister, Mrs. Harris Bewley, of Vernon.

Raymond Lawhon of Ogden visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish of Paducah, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bery Fish and family Monday.

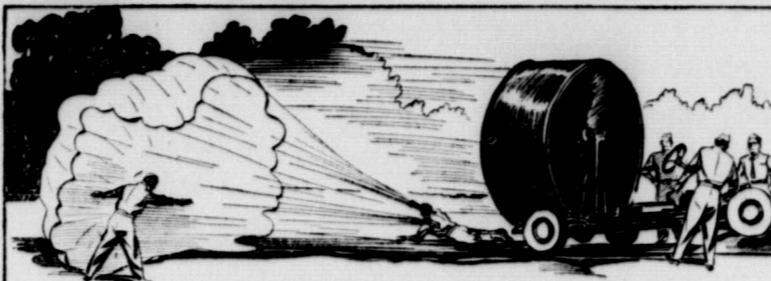
Miss Bernice Walling visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lawhon and family of Ogden.

Mrs. Allen Fish and daughter, Mrs. J. M. Denton, attended the home-coming at the First Christian Church in Paducah Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Denton visited Mrs. Egbert Fish in the Paducah Hospital Wednesday afternoon.

Bery Fish made a business trip to Dallas Monday, returning Tuesday. He visited his brother, Dr. John H. Fish, of Fort Worth.

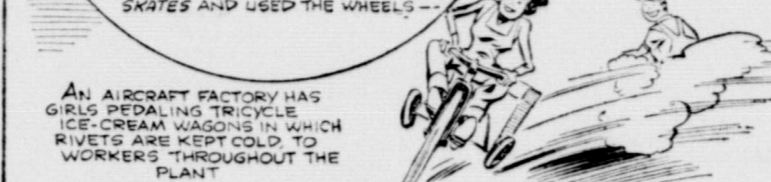
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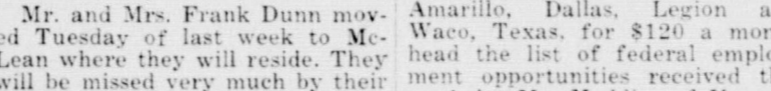
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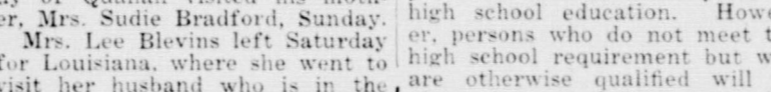
A MANUFACTURER UNABLE TO GET 900 BAR BOLTERS FOR A CONVEYOR HE WAS PLANTING IN A NEW EGG-DRIVING BELT, BOUGHT 100 PIRKS OF ROLLER SKATES AND USED THE WHEELS



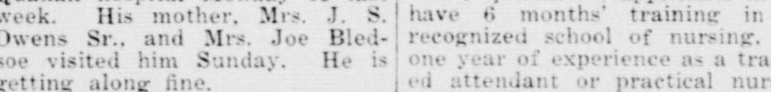
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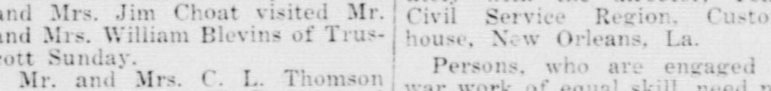
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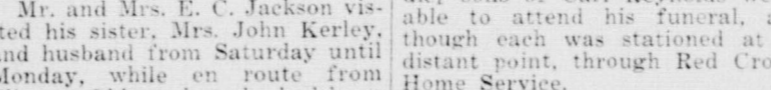
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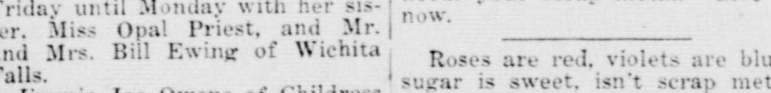
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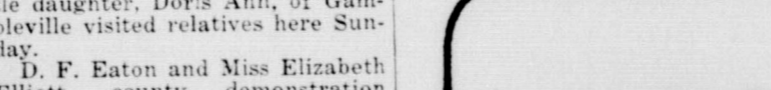
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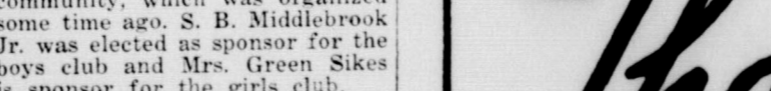
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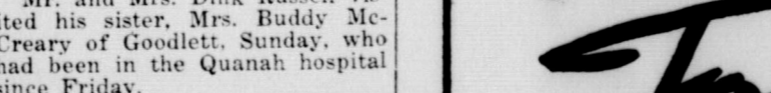
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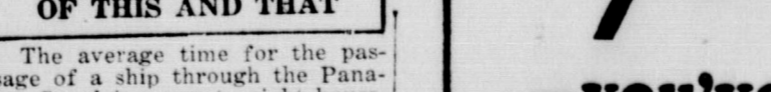
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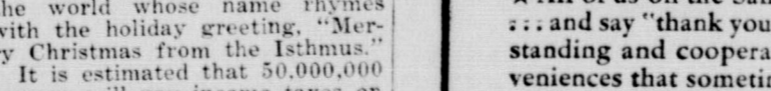
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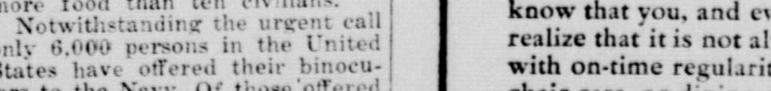
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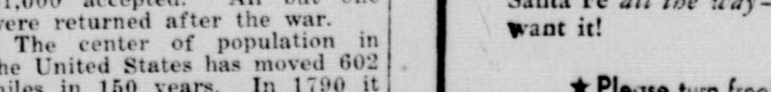
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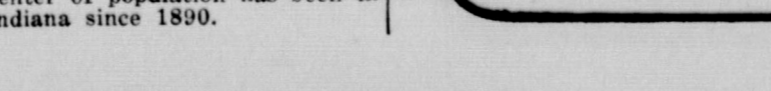
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Poultry Program Planned by Texas A. & M. Experts

Uncle Sam wants Foard County farmers to produce 16 per cent more poultry this year than last, to substantially increase poultry meats and eggs.

McCarthy suggests planning the 1943 program to start at least two groups of chicks, one to come off in February or early March, and another as soon as the first group can be removed from the brooder house.

Moderation, however, should be observed. Overcrowding, lack of feed hopper space, and lack of water fountains should be guarded against.

To avoid transportation delays McCarthy suggests buying chicks as near home as possible. But in doing so, choose the better grade from a reliable hatchery.

THEY WERE READY

American doctors have been criticized for bungling the medical manpower problem. The incongruity of the criticism is apparent when it is realized that it at least helped to bungle manpower in every activity.

It is a dead certainty that if the medical men had been no better prepared for war than those who now criticize them so loudly, the medical situation would indeed be serious.

Admittedly, there has been hardship in some areas. Emergencies have arisen. Tempers have been frayed. But the background of American medicine has given it the tools to do the job.

MARGARET (By Mrs. John Kerley)

Rev. and Mrs. R. I. Hart went to Tahoka Friday for a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn moved Tuesday of last week to McLean where they will reside.

Rev. Zuel Bradford and family of Quanah visited his mother, Mrs. Studie Bradford, Sunday.

Earl Huston went to Quanah Friday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. J. R. Eldridge, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blevins and Mrs. William Blevins of Truscott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomson and son, Mrs. D. W. Barron and children, and Mrs. J. W. Owens of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hunter Jr. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson visited his sister, Mrs. John Kerley, and husband from Saturday until Monday, while en route from Clinton, Okla., where he had been working, to their home in Abilene.

Miss Ruby Priest spent from Friday until Monday with her sister, Miss Opal Priest, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewing of Wichita Falls.

Jimmie Joe Owens of Childress has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey and little daughter, Doris Ann, of Gambelville visited relatives here Sunday.

D. F. Eaton and Miss Elizabeth Elliott, county demonstration agents, met at the school house Monday afternoon with the leaders of the Victory Council of this community, which was organized some time ago.

S. B. Middlebrook Jr. was elected as sponsor for the boys club and Mrs. Green Sikes is sponsor for the girls club.

Clyde Porter and family moved from Crowell to the old Wesley home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell visited his sister, Mrs. Buddy McCreary of Goodlett, Sunday, who had been in the Quanah hospital since Friday.

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

The average time for the passage of a ship through the Panama Canal is seven to eight hours.

The Canal Zone is one place in the world whose name rhymes with the holiday greeting, "Merry Christmas from the Isthmus."

It is estimated that 50,000,000 persons will pay income taxes on 1942 incomes in this country.

Because of the strenuous life they lead six soldiers consume more food than ten civilians.

Notwithstanding the urgent call only 6,000 persons in the United States have offered their binoculars to the Navy.

The center of population in the United States has moved 602 miles in 150 years.

In 1790 it was 23 miles east of Baltimore. In 1940 it was two miles south-east of Carlisle, Indiana.

The center of population has been in Indiana since 1890.

Nursing Assistants May Secure Work Under Civil Service

Nursing assistants to work in the U. S. Veterans Administration hospitals at Alexandria, La., Amarillo, Dallas, Legion and Waco, Texas, for \$120 a month head the list of federal employment opportunities received this week by Mr. Maddin, of Vernon, local civil service secretary.

Applicants must be twenty-one years old and have two years of high school education.

However, persons who do not meet the high school requirement but who are otherwise qualified will be given a general test occupying about two hours.

In addition to meeting this general requirement, applicants must have 6 months' training in a recognized school of nursing, or one year of experience as a trained attendant or practical nurse.

Application forms may be secured from Mr. Maddin at Vernon and should be filed immediately with the director, Tenth Civil Service Region, Customhouse, New Orleans, La.

Persons who are engaged in war work of equal skill, need not apply.

Mayville, Mo.—The three soldier sons of Carl Reynolds were able to attend his funeral, although each was stationed at a distant point, through Red Cross Home Service.

If you coast now you won't have any coast line. The Army needs your scrap metal. Give it now.

Roses are red, violets are blue, sugar is sweet, isn't scrap metal too?

POTATOES No. 1 RED Peck 35c \$2.49 100 Lb Sack

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BEST YETT SALAD DRESSING Qt Jar 33c
Tomatoes No. 2 2 Cans 21c
PEAS Delmonte 2 Cans 35c

PURE LARD 8 Lbs 1.29 Bring Your Bucket

Graham Crackers 15c 1-Lb Box
Karo Syrup 39c 1/2 Gallon
SOAP Crystal White 6 Bars for 25c
BEETS No. 2 1/2 Can 15c
SUGAR No. 11 Stamp Lb 6c
Grapefruit 6 for 20c
LETTUCE Large Head 6c
CARROTS Large Bunch 5c
OLEO PARKAY Lb 23c
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Smoked Jowls Lb 21c
STEAK Lb 25c
Sausage Pure Pork Lb 25c
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ANSWERS (Questions on page 2)

- 1. In Burma.
2. Australia.
3. In Sicily.
4. Frank Walker.
5. As a golf champion.
6. 78th.
7. Vice President Henry Wallace.
8. Speaker Sam Rayburn.
9. By the membership.
10. The Vice President is the presiding officer of the U. S. Senate by virtue of his office as vice president.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A teaspoon of flour mixed with the hot grease in which you fry eggs will keep them from popping.
If shredded coconut becomes dry it can be softened by steaming in a clean cloth over boiling water.
Dry salt sprinkled immediately on new fruit stains will prevent them from being permanent.
Mildew stains should be removed while fresh—by laundering.

YOU CAN'T STOP ACCIDENTS SO YOU MUST PREPARE FOR THEM

Many valuable hours are lost to the nation's war effort through the neglect of minor accidents. Play safe! See that your home and work kit are well stocked with First Aid brand emergency needs, now. Use promptly.

First Aid EMERGENCY NEEDS
QUIK-BANDS 23c
REEL-ROLL COTTON 33c

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Thanks Folks -you've been swell!
Santa Fe
Let's All Pull Together
Military travel is mounting, and we need your help to maintain adequate civilian passenger service.
Make reservations and buy tickets early.
Carry least possible luggage, checking extra pieces to avoid crowding.
Vacate dining cars quickly after meals.
Travel mid-week, avoiding week-end rush periods.
Please turn freely to your local Santa Fe Agent for help with your travel or shipping problems.

THE Foard County News

T. B. KLEPPER, Owner-Editor

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The Lord also will be a refuge for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble.—Psalms 9:9.

Boy Scout Week

February 6 to 12 is Boy Scout Week. The whole nation pauses to salute the organization which has contributed so greatly, in this World War as in the last, to the winning of the War.

It is hard to see how War Bonds and Stamps could be sold, or vital materials salvaged, or all the varied forms of printed information distributed, without the untiring help of these public servants.

The soldier who has been a Boy Scout makes a better soldier, and former Sea Scouts are officer material for the Navy, the Coast Guard and the Merchant Marine.

Scouting is training for a way of life, the kind of life America chooses to lead, the kind for which her sons are fighting across the seas.

Now is the time for someone to invent a gadget by means of which we can get fifty miles to a gallon of gas instead of only sixteen.

Ration Book No. 2

With the advent of War rationing book No. 2, the country will have its first experience with rationing on a point system.

As in the case of the rationed items increases or decreases. War rationing book No. 2 will contain four pages of blue stamps and four of red. The blue stamps will be for the first group of commodities to be rationed by points.

The coupons will be in one point, two point, five point and eight point value. The purchaser, before making a purchase must figure on the number of available points he has for food needs for the remainder of the week.

The seed fellows better get ready for a big run in the spring. There is going to be the biggest gardens planted and the most extensive home canning program put on this spring that this land of the free and the home of the brave has ever seen.

It is hoped that there are a number of people in Crowell who can see fit to respond to the appeal for provision for a home for the cemetery sexton.

HISTORY

Boy Scout Day—February 8: February 8 is the anniversary of the chartering of the Boy Scouts of America, February 8, 1910.

The origin of the Boy Scout organization is attributed to Sir Robert S. S. Baden-Powell, an English army officer. He conceived the idea while serving in South Africa and wrote a book "Aids to Scouting."

Out here in the middle west we cannot understand a situation that will prompt a large group of workers to throw down their tools and walk out on a strike at a time like the present.

I never read of these strikes resulting in stoppage of work without coming to mind that labor leaders have secured practically everything they have asked for from the administration.

all boys upon admission into the organization is: "On my honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country; and to obey the Scout law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight."

What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

As it comes time to write this column the papers are filled with the news that a strike is in progress among 19,000 anthracite coal miners.

As we of the middle west understand it the strike is occasioned by the fact that Union leaders have ordered an increase in Union dues. The miners are objecting to the added burden and because of it and the strike occasioned by it are asking for an increase in wages.

The strike comes at a time when every resource of the nation is being devoted to an effort to secure sufficient fuel to keep homes at a livable temperature and to keep industry running.

Of the farming section have many grievances. We feel the pinch of many rules arbitrarily made by bureaus in Washington.

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30 YEARS AGO IN THE NEWS

Items below were taken in whole or in part from the issues of The News of Jan. 31 and Feb. 7, 1913.

On next Sunday, Feb. 2, passenger service on the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient, will be greatly improved by the addition of two daily trains between Ft. Stockton, Texas, and Altus, Okla., and by the inauguration of through Pullman car service between Ft. Stockton and Kansas City.

Foard County makes an excellent showing in a report made by the Federal Census Department at Washington, showing the total number of farms to be 718 with 370 operated by owners and 349 by tenants, and comprising an area of 290,704 acres valued at \$5,211,632.

Members of the Thalia Literary and Debating Society extend an invitation to the people of the neighboring communities to visit their meetings which are held on each alternate Friday night.

Miss Birdie Thacker of Gilliland, Knox County, was visiting homefolks Saturday and Sunday.

Garland Burns left the latter part of last week for his old home at Caney, Okla.

Brudge Andrews came over from Chalk Monday evening and, Tuesday morning accepted a position with Massie-Vernon Gro. Co., and began work the same morning. Brudge says he some day expects to fill a position as president of a wholesale grocery.

A bill was introduced in Congress by Hon. Jno. Garner of Texas providing for the acquisition of a portion of the Fort Brown reservation at Brownsville by the State of Texas for the purpose of establishing an experimental station.

Notwithstanding the very bad weather Saturday night, Feb. 1, a very good crowd gathered at the new school building in Foard City for the box supper. Mr. Ferrin was the entertaining feature for the occasion, following which the boxes were sold.

R. J. Roberts, manager for the C. T. Herring Lumber Co., visited his family at Vernon last Sunday. Mr. Roberts is preparing to move to Crowell.

Henry McLarty left Tuesday for his home in Vernon. He has been manager of C. T. Herring Lumber Co. here for the past two years.

J. D. Leeper of the firm of R. B. Edwards Co., left the first of the week for the eastern markets where he will buy an immense stock of dry goods for his firm.

Bert W. Self of J. W. Allison Dry Goods Co., left early in the week for St. Louis and eastern markets to purchase the spring and summer line for his house.

"Reverses in a war are part of war... neither side in a war tells its people just what it is up against. At a time when truth is most needed, truth becomes illegal." — J. French Robinson, President, East Ohio Gas Company.

Arm for the love of America. Your scrap metal is needed now for more ships, guns, planes, and one that lives only for its own selfish desires.

and one that lives only for its own selfish desires. Certainly the patriotism of the man at home who lays down on the job cannot be compared to that of those who, regardless of and in spite of hardships and obstacles, carry on.

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Abe Lincoln knew about thrift in a log cabin on the Sangamon River in Illinois. He learned economy splitting rails, putting up fences, keeping a store in New Salem. George Washington was thrifty too, on a plantation in Virginia, not through necessity, but because he was a wise manager and a good business man.

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SHIPBUILDING FIGURE

Foard County News: Clay P. Bedford, native of Benjamin, Knox County, is a keyman in the shipbuilding yards of Henry J. Kaiser in Richmond, Calif., according to a news dispatch appearing in the Sunday issue of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

County News tends to round the picture. Texans are far in front in the fighting that goes on in the air, on the land and under the sea. Texans prominent in and out of the political councils in Washington.

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Office Supplies

The News has a good stock of Office Supplies, small items that are needed in offices and business houses around the square. Mimeograph stencils, typewriter ribbons, large receipt books, Mephisto pencils, Scotch tape, ledger sheets, two sizes; letter files; file folders, two sizes; legal pads, filing trays, typewriter carbon paper, 8 1/2 x 11 and 8 1/2 x 14, also pencil carbon cut any size; stamp pads, all colors.

Who needs a pencil sharpener? We have two Chicago Automatic sharpeners and no doubt the last ones we can buy until after the duration.

We also have three Tot staplers and several thousand staples. We have one roll of staples for a Bates stapler.

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LOCALS

Going to paper? See W. R. Womack.

Get your Office Supplies at The News office.

Miss Clonita Russell left Sunday morning for Lubbock where she entered Texas Technological College.

Best linseed oil and turpentine.—W. R. Womack.

Miss Frances Cook of Matador is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cook, and other relatives and friends.

Miss Verne Joy is spending a two weeks' vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Joy. She is employed at Orange.

The Koolite Coolerator is here. See it now.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Emma Howard arrived here from Los Angeles, Calif., last week for an extended visit with relatives and friends. She is now in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. T. P. Reeder Jr. of Del Mar, Calif., is at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert W. Self.

St. Joseph's Altar Society is sponsoring a Bridge and 42 Tournament at O'Connell's Lunch Room, Wednesday, Feb. 10, at 8 p. m. Your attendance will be appreciated.

Pyrex cooking wear, Corey coffee makers, fiesta ware, kitchen ware.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. J. C. Cumley of Dallas was a guest in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark Monday night and Tuesday. Mrs. Clark met her in Wichita Falls Monday.

Miss Louise Greening is now residing in Oklahoma City where she is employed by the Douglas Aircraft Co., Inc. She states that she likes her work which is in the Sheet Metal department. She expects to be there for the duration.

W. P. Hord, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hord, has gone to Austin and is working as a page for Representative Claude Callaway. W. P. is also attending the University of Texas.

Johnson's wax and Glocoat, floor mops.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kimsey and Mrs. Joe Brown and son, Jay Don, spent Saturday in Lubbock visiting Miss Bette Shaw Kimsey.

Mrs. C. L. Williams of Brownfield was a visitor here last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and other relatives and friends.

Gold Seal and Quaker felt rugs, best made.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. J. R. Moore left Thursday morning for Riverside, Calif., to spend a few days visiting her husband, who is stationed at Camp Haan, Calif. Mrs. Moore has been employed at Vernon for the past five months.

Mrs. Tommie Johnson arrived here last Saturday for an extended visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown. Her husband has been called to foreign duty. He is a Lieutenant in the Army Air Corps.

Have you seen that pretty wall paper that pastes to any wall? No canvas, no tacks.—W. R. Womack.

Misses Beverly Hughston, Doris Campbell, Lealys Gilliam and Joyelle Tysinger who attend TSCW at Denton spent the mid-term vacation in the homes of their parents. They were taken to Denton Monday by Mrs. W. B. Tysinger.

Misses Margaret Long and Helen Joy Smith left for Amarillo Saturday for a short visit in the home of Miss Smith's mother. Miss Long will go to a position in a bank in Lubbock and Miss Smith will be employed by a daily paper in Lubbock. The two had visited here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Long since Wednesday.

John Clark Long, Truman Taylor, G. B. Neill Jr., Joe Wallace Beverly, James Welch, Bill Klepper, Edward Roark and J. T. Hughston left Sunday afternoon for Lubbock to take up work at Texas Technological College for the next semester. J. T. is now entering Tech, the others have been at home for the mid-term vacation.

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Financing of Food Production Program in Foard County

The Foard County USDA War Board has been requested that its chairman, Grady Halbert, set up the personnel to handle this food financing program. Therefore, the following explanations of this program are given. These facts are taken from a communication from the Farm Credit Administration.

1. General Policies. The following general principles and policies will serve as a guide to the Corporation's representatives, and the chairman of the war boards and their designees in determining, according to their best judgment, whether the application should be declined:

(a) The purpose of the program is to provide adequate financing to assure maximum wartime production of essential agricultural commodities; therefore, no loan shall be made unless it will enable the borrower to engage in or increase his production of essential agricultural commodities.

(b) This program is not a substitute for other sources of credit, nor is it intended to compete with other lenders. Its purpose is to supplement other sources of credit where needed. Each producer will be urged to obtain his

compresses for several days and then massaged the limbs and exercised them by moving them. Many prompt cures resulted from her treatment in Australia. The Australia medical profession resented her success and published an article denouncing her treatment. She then went to London where she was equally coolly received. In 1940 she came to America. Physicians in Minneapolis looked with favor upon her program and she was given space in the Minneapolis General Hospital to carry on her experiments. Support was given her by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Victims brought to her within two weeks after contracting the disease responded to her treatment. Sister Kenney for over twenty years has done her work gratuitously. She lives on small royalties from a transport stretcher she invented during World War I. In spite of opposition, jealousy, suspicion and accusations she is continuing her fight to relieve pain and end deformities from the dread disease.

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Proper Foods in Daily Diet Aids in Keeping Good Health

Austin.—That the inclusion of proper foods in the daily diet plays a very important part in the maintenance of good health was stressed in a statement issued this week by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"One of the most dreaded of all diseases, pellagra, is caused entirely by not eating the kinds of food which would insure a properly balanced diet," Dr. Cox said. "The public is prone to overlook the serious nature of pellagra. At best it is an uncomfortable and unpleasant disease, but aside from this, there is one possible result that can be very tragic. All too frequently pellagra leads to serious mental disturbances," Dr. Cox warned, "and in some cases, actually insanity."

According to the State Health Officer, pellagra is known as a disease which is not respecter of persons. There is danger of pellagra striking at any age and either sex when the diet is consistently faulty.

To make sure that the diet contains the proper pellagra-preventive elements, it should include plenty of milk daily, some fresh, lean meat, and as many fresh vegetables, especially green vegetables, as possible. Tomatoes and whole wheat bread are also very valuable. Eggs contribute their share to pellagra prevention as do all varieties of fresh fruits.

"It is not the amount of food you prepare for your table, but the kind of food included in their daily diet which will protect your family from the appearance of pellagra," Dr. Cox declared.

Every day is scrap day. Make your contributions now to the Army scrap metal drive.

Brief Bits of News From Here and There

Sister Elizabeth Kenney, frontier Australian nurse, has developed a technique for the treatment of infantile paralysis that has resulted in a startling number of cures. The accepted treatment for infantile paralysis was immobilization of the muscles, keeping the affected parts in splints for months at a time. The theory was that by the treatment normal muscles would not pull the affected muscles, supposedly weak and sagging, out of place, causing deformity. Sister Kenney having had to treat many cases on the Australian frontier where medical assistance was not available, did not know this. Her treatment was directly opposite. Instead of binding the legs in splints she heated them with hot

Financial requirements, if possible, from any bank, production credit association, or other lender, including the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office if the loan is eligible.

(c) This is not a program for refinancing existing indebtedness.

(d) Loans will not be made for the purchase of real estate or for extensive permanent improvements upon the farm. Loans for repairs and needed minor improvements which will facilitate increased production and for the purchase of essential livestock (including dairy cattle), work stock, machinery, equipment, etc., may be made even though liquidation of that portion of the loan made for capital expenditures may require two or three years' time.

2. Loans to be made through duly authorized loan representatives of the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation of Washington, D. C., at Kansas City, Mo. To expedite the handling of applications and closing of loans, arrangements have been made to have a loan representative of the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation of Washington, D. C., (hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation"), located in each agricultural county in the United States. Such representatives are designated by the County War Board. The Foard County War Board has designated A. R. Sanders as local representative to handle these loans in this county.

3. Eligible borrowers. Loans may be made to actual producers only. These include any farmer, stockman, or poultry producer, including any partnership or corporation engaged in agricultural or livestock production.

4. Loan Purposes. Loans may be made to finance production, harvesting, and marketing of crops; purchasing, raising, breeding, fattening and marketing of livestock; production and marketing of poultry, poultry products, and dairy products; purchase and repair of equipment essential to the farmer's production program; and for other purposes directly related or incident

CARD OF THANKS

Our hearts are filled with gratitude and thanks to the many friends who were so kind to us in our recent sorrow. For the flowers and for each deed of neighborliness, we are appreciative.

Mrs. T. A. Spears, Ernest Spears, Fred Spears, Edgar B. Spears.

PIE SUPPER

There will be a pie supper held at the Good Creek school house Friday night, Feb. 5th, it was announced here Monday by Misses Billie Jo Scott and Hope Brown. Everybody is invited to attend and the girls are asked to bring a pie. Proceeds will be given to the Free Will Baptist Church.

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We take this means to express our sincere thanks to the many friends, who so kindly ministered to us in so many ways during our recent bereavement. Such deeds of neighborly kindness will ever be cherished by each of us.

Family of Mrs. D. W. Pyle.

WE SERVE to "A," "B" and "C" Books from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. on all days except TUESDAY. 24-hour Service to "T" Books on All Days. We will appreciate your business. BENSON SERVICE STATION

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GOOD FURNITURE: BED ROOM, LIVING ROOM, DINING ROOM and BREAKFAST ROOM SUITES. Odd Pieces: Chests, desks, lamps and lamp tables, chairs, pull-up chairs, platform rockers, including the "cricket" platform rockers, and the new Springless or "woodenspring" seat pieces.

We have secured the agency for the new COOLERATOR, too. It is known as the KOOLITE COOLERATOR. ON hand now.

SUN PROOF and UTILITY HOUSE PAINTS. WATER SPAR ENAMELS and VARNISH, BOTH COLORED and CLEAR, and ALL ACCESSORIES: LINSEED OIL, TURPENTINE, BRUSHES, COLORS, SAND PAPER, Etc.

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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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 SOCIETY: Ada Jane Magee
 HOME ECONOMICS: Evelyn Barker
 SPANISH: Lowell Campbell
 CLASS REPORTERS: Betty Seale, Billy Morrison,
 Raymond Hord and Albert Bird
 REPORTERS: Monty Balcom, Jane Roark and Roy Joe Cates

EDITORIAL

I wonder if very many people know the truth about how much Texas is doing in this war, and appreciate it. For one thing, our boys aren't waiting to be drafted or called, but instead, they are enlisting every day—thousands of them. We're all very proud of the fact that we lead the nation in men in all branches of the service. They're doing their part throughout the world.

Men of Texas were born fighters. We haven't been under six different flags for nothing. Our boys are always ready to serve. Think about the Lost Battalion in Java. So many of our boys in that famed division are now prisoners of the Japanese.

I read in the paper the other day that in Java 800 men were headed straight for a terrific Jap force, and they were singing. Yes, singing, and the name of the song was "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You." We are also very proud of the fact that Texas A. & M. has turned out more officers than West Point. You will also remember Ensign Don Mason, a Texas Aggie, who "Sighted Sub, sank same." Also Ensign George Gay, only survivor of the Torpedo Squadron 8 in the Battle of Midway, was a Texas Aggie.

Another thing that stands out are the 1,000 men from Texas who volunteered to replace the crew of the lost cruiser, Houston. There is no doubt that Texas is doing its part. Even General MacArthur said that—"Whenever I see a Texan in my command, I have a feeling of confidence."

Not only is Texas giving its sons for the fight for freedom, but it is giving its money. Millions and millions of dollars are being spent for War Bonds and Stamps.

The Texans are fighting. They know what they want—and what the people of the Allied nations want, and they're going to do their part to keep the freedom and the liberty that is so much a part of this great nation, America, and of the other Allied nations.

BYLINES IN AND OUT OF SOCIETY

To me, the most outstanding motion picture of the year was none other than "Now, Voyager," with "Mrs. Miniver" and "King's Row" running a tie for second. Another outstanding "movie" which should be mentioned is "Hold Back the Dawn." As far as the best actors, I think Ronald Reagan and Walter Pidgeon deserve first place; for the actresses, Bette Davis and Greer Garson. Other outstanding performances in heavy drama were given by Charles Boyer, Jean Gabin, Van Heflin, Alan Ladd, Spencer Tracy, Lana Turner, Ann Sheridan, and Nancy Coleman. In the lighter comedy and romance pictures, I

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"THREE O'CLOCK . . . AND I HAVEN'T SLEPT A WINK"
 WAKEFUL NIGHTS—how the time drags! Minutes seem like hours, we worry over things done and left undone. After such a night, we get up in the morning more tired than when we went to bed. Nervous Tension causes many a wakeful night and wakeful nights are likely to cause Nervous Tension. Next time you feel Nervous and keyed up or begin to toss, tumble and worry after you get to bed—try

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D. R. MILES NERVINE

Roy Joe: "Do you love me, Jean?"
 Helen: "But my name is Helen."
 Roy Joe: "Isn't this Wednesday?"

NEW STUDENT
 Name: James Cooper, Former School Attended: Sweetwater, H. S.
 Subjects Taking: Typing, Bookkeeping, Algebra, Speech.
 Classification: Senior.
 Color of Eyes: Blue.
 Color of Hair: Blonde.
 Favorite Subject: Bookkeeping.
 Dislikes: English II.
 Likes: Turkey.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?
 Just for fun, let's think what funny names certain people would have if—
 Booty were an Animal instead of a Bird?
 Billy Fred were Long instead of Short?
 Ethel Hope were Green instead of Brown?
 La Rue were Happy instead of Grave?
 Dovie were a Howler instead of a Barker?
 Evelyn Jean were Finnis instead of Scales? ("Mickey Finns" or fish finns?)
 Ada Jane were Jiggs instead of "Maggie"?
 John Thomas were Lotion instead of a Razor?
 Clifford were Black instead of White?
 Kenneth were Putty instead of Payne?
 Dorothy were Bluing instead of Greening?
 Doris were Fort Worth instead of Denton?
 Sammie were Smith instead of Jones?
 Ruby were a Gambler instead of a Priest?
 Dorothy were a Living Room instead of a Hall?
 Laverne were a Sharpshooter instead of an Archer?
 Edgar B. were Guns instead of Spears?
 Ann were Disfavor instead of Favor?
 Gaylon were Berlin instead of Paris?
 Bit were Eve instead of Adam?
 Raymond were Patriotic instead of a Hord (er)?
 Tom were Eaststream instead of Westbrook?
 Benny Joyce were Red instead of Brown?
 Linda were Corny instead of Cobb (well)?
 Ruth were Climbs instead of Diggs?
 Cecil were Lookout Hill instead of Parkhill?
 Rather dopey, don't you think? I thought so.

BRIEF BIOGRAPHIES
 Name: Marjorie Brock. Nickname: None. Organizations: Senior '43; F. H. T. Club. Favorite Radio Program: Bing Crosby. Likes: Angel Food Cake. Dislikes: Boys that are stubborn. Aversion: Bashful boys. Most Popular Boy: Billy Fred Short. Most Popular Girl: Mary Edwards. Best Dressed Boy: Glenn Randolph. Best Dressed Girl: Margaret Davis. Best Personality (Boy): J. W. Solis. Best Personality (Girl): Betty Owens. Favorite Actor: Tyrone Power. Favorite Actress: Bette Davis. Favorite Orchestra: Glenn Miller. Favorite Teacher: Thompson. Favorite Subject: Algebra. Favorite Color: Blue.

WE WONDER—
 What could have happened between: Wanda K. and Cotton? Patsy K. and John B.? Jane R. and Warren H.? Ann F. and Gaylon P.? Booty B. and Betty J.? (Or is there anything?) Bessie G. and Kenneth A.? Vernon G. and Mildred M.? Billy Joe T. and Leta Jo C.? Booty B. and Betty Jo Z.? Mas Ferguson and "that New York guy"? (We just had to say something about you, Miss Ferguson. Are we right?) Yvonne W. and Dan P.? Betty Jo Z. and Truman T.? Wanda K. and Truman T.? (Wow!)

ATTENTION, EVERYONE
 Do you think she is guilty for the murder of Bjorn Faulkner? If you read the last issue of the Wildcat, you will remember that we announced the coming dramatic presentation, "Night of January Sixteenth." Because of technical difficulties beyond our control, we were forced to withhold the date. But now it can be told. The date for the presentation of "Night of January Sixteenth" is February 19. Please remember this date. Help us by telling your friends and neighbors. It will be presented at the Foard County Court House. Can you remember what you did on January 16th?

THE TRANSOM PEEKER
 Oh boy, I just found some scandal in Locker 44! (This should go in the "Believe It Or Not" column!) Thanks a lot. Well, well, Polly Davis certainly changed her mind. She is definitely off the subject of John Calvin—who is going to be next? Well, I could tell you. Francis Ann Ayers seems to have some deep, dark secret. Out with it, Frances—who is he? Could it be a certain Junior boy? From all I hear, Yvonne Williams and Truman Taylor have really got up a case. Well, a correspondence case, anyway. We all missed Marjorie Young last week. She seemed to have had a slight case of the mumps. Wonder who could have given them to her. What is this we hear about Keetch and John Bradford breaking up? Could there be anything to it? Seems as though some Crowell girls were worried about the happenings of last Friday and Saturday night at Truscott. You better watch out, girls; they might have doublecrossed you! Hardy Sanders was certainly grave in the 7th period study hall. Could it be that he was worrying about Joyce Jones? Crook Gobin is keeping up a correspondence with a girl in Wellington; (or at least someone

War Stamp Sales Over Half Billion Dollars, Album Drive Opens



Appealing Margaret C. Russell of the War Savings Staff takes up this new Treasury poster which will be seen from coast to coast. It pictures retailing slogan, "SAY YES." A drive is underway for Americans to buy additional War Stamps to fill albums and convert them into War Bonds.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's retailers from the tiniest hamlets to the mighty cities are acting as a spearhead in a great Treasury Department campaign to sell the additional War Savings Stamps needed to fill more than 100,000,000 albums now in the hands of the American people.

According to a report released by the Treasury Department today, sales of War Savings Stamps totaled \$559,777,000 for the period from May 1, 1941, through November, 1942.

Stamp sales have risen from less than three million dollars per month when they were first introduced to the public to an average of more than fifty million dollars per month at the present time.

The Treasury's slogan, "A half-filled album is like a half-equipped soldier," has been adopted officially by retailers for the campaign.

The importance of the drive is seen in the fact that a War Bond potential of nearly two billion dollars hangs in the balance. Every War Stamp album, converted into a People's Bond, for which the purchaser pays \$18.75 and which matures to \$25.00 value when held for 10 years, adds its force to the war effort.

The Treasury Department is counting upon the country's school children to play a powerful role in the success of the SAY YES drive. The volume of stamp and bond sales is at the rate of \$200,000,000 for the current school year.

ROSEBUD AT WAR
 Rosebud is eight, and the most beautiful shade of caramel fudge. To her loving Mammy and Pappy she is known, on approximately alternate days, as "Angel" and "You devil child." It was on her devil child days that Rosebud tied the knots in the shirts that Mammy had taken in for washing, and poured the whole of the vanilla bottle into the lamb stew, just, she said later through bitter tears, to "flavor it up some."

On her angel days Rosebud is equally imaginative even if a more restless occupant of the little shack down on Vinegar Hill. Once when Mammy was out doing day work, Rosebud got a wave of cleaning fever and scoured every pot and pan in the kitchen so that they literally glistened. Another day, left alone, she tidied up Mammy's and Pappy's room to such a point of apple-pie order that it was a week before Pappy could find an undershirt.

Rosebud is a great reader of the newspapers. Mammy and Pappy don't take one, but there are plenty of perfectly good newspapers blowing round Vinegar Hill. It was out of one of them that Rosebud got her idea for spending the ten cents the Bunny had put under her pillow the night her tooth came out. After breakfast Rosebud disappeared down the Hill and reappeared soon after with a beautiful ten-cent War Stamp pasted firmly into a brand-new book with neat little squares for more stamps. She displayed her investment to Mammy. "I declare you're an angel child," Mammy said. Rosebud went on sitting on the kitchen floor staring with large brown eyes at the empty squares in her book. From time to time she took hold of one or another of her teeth and wiggled it, gently.

Mammy was engrossed in a particularly big washing. Rosebud was as quiet as a mouse and Mammy forgot about her until, coming in from the yard with her arms full of dry sheets, she encountered her child with a large hammer in her hand. Scouting the devil in her angel child, Mammy shouted at her. "Rosebud! Come yere with that hammer! What you planning on doing?"

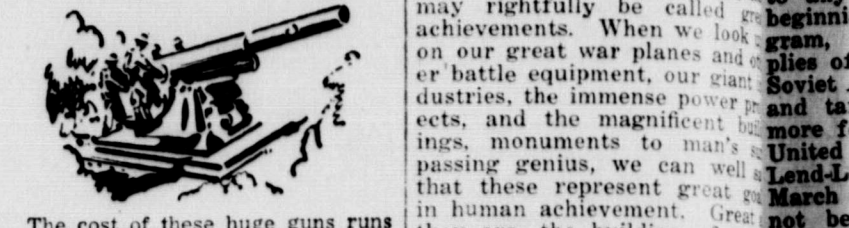
But what was done was done. In Rosebud's other hand was another tooth. Her mouth was stretched in a broad if slightly bloody smile. "I ain't doing nothing, Mammy," she said. "I'm just filling up my stamp book."

(Story from an actual report in the files of the Treasury Department.)

Say yes. Take your change in War Stamps. Your investment in War Bonds today will save a payday for tomorrow. U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The biggest field gun in the Army. That's the 240-mm. howitzer. It's twenty-feet of barrel and must be pulled into position by tractors. After it is rolled into place, its own wheels are removed and the Big Bertha is set upon its emplacement ready to fire at its target some twenty miles away.



The cost of these huge guns runs into thousands of dollars but we can assure the Army of obtaining them by our purchases of War Bonds. Ten percent or more of your income is necessary. The easiest way is to join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory. Let's "Top that ten percent."

Double-dating Saturday night were none other than our editor, Mary Edwards with John C. Long; and Helen Callaway and Bill Bruce (Boy, that Callaway girl really gets around, don't you agree?).

Seen at the preview Saturday night: Clarence Orr and Virginia Mabe, (something new); and also Raymond Hord and Patsy Ketchersid. This has been Raymond's life-long ambition. Congratulations!

A certain party of six took in the President's Ball in Vernon Friday night. From all reports, the music was strictly "corny."

Say, boys, I suppose you all noticed Betty Jo's cousin, didn't you? Well, if you didn't you certainly must have been asleep!

Where is Scales' ring? John Thomas was wearing it Monday, but something tells me that he didn't get it from Scales.

Miss Ferguson gave "yours truly" strict instructions not to put a certain something in the paper. Just as a personal favor, I obliged. (I want to pass history, see?)

How he does it is more than I know, but anyway—he has got all the CHS girls under his thumb nail, pretty big thumb nail. Know who I am talking about? Couldn't be Albert Bird—or could

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A WEEK of the WAR

In 15 months of Lend-Lease aid to Russia, the U. S. has shipped about 2,600 planes, 3,200 tanks and 81,000 military motor vehicles for Russian use against the Axis.

Reporting on United Nations aid to the Soviet Union, Lend-Lease Administrator Stettinius said we have shipped more planes and tanks to the U. S. S. R. than to any other country since the beginning of the Lend-Lease program, and since sufficient supplies of food are as necessary to Soviet Army success as are planes and tanks, we are now sending more food to Russia than to the United Kingdom.

The weapons that got through from the U. S. to Russia were only a trifle compared to Russian production, but at the same time sent to replace vital elements lost to Russian industries moved to safety behind the Urals, were helping Russian factories to keep operating.

Thus American products have had a part in the fight these courageous people are waging against our common enemies — in the great drive westward, the battles that have destroyed quantities of Axis equipment and supplies and killed more Germans than all the United Nations put together.

But, the OWI points out, Lend-Lease is doing a job all over the world. The \$7,496,000,000 in goods transferred and services rendered by the U. S. up to the end of last November strengthened the fronts from Russia to Australia, Africa, for example, has proved that Lend-Lease and fighting the war are the same thing. The supplies, installations and equipment brought in with Lend-Lease funds, the ports built up along the Persian Gulf and the Red Sea, the airfields, docks, shops, pipelines, communications and railroads built with Lend-Lease aid—these are the facilities and bases now being used by U. S. forces to fight the war in Tunisia, in the Middle East, and all the way to China.

Little War Labor Boards Under a sweeping decentralization program, the National War Labor Board is establishing 12 regional war labor boards, with full authority to make final decisions in labor disputes and in voluntary wage and salary adjustment cases. Each of the regional boards will be set up on the NWLB tri-partite system of public employer and labor representatives. William Davis, chairman of the NWLB, said that under this plan wage stabilization will be done primarily in the field, with the NWLB in Washington sitting as a sort of supreme court selecting its own cases for decision by orders for review. Only policy defining cases will be brought to the national board.

The Board found that between January, 1941, and May, 1942, when the President announced his seven-point anti-inflation program, the cost of living had gone up 15 per cent. During that time, about two-thirds of all manufacturing wages had also risen at least 15 per cent. Therefore,

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Wanted

WANTED—Young Shetland pony, gentle for children to ride.—Bruce Benham, Vivian, Texas. 30-2tp

IF INTERESTED in good pedigree Qualla cotton planting seed, see Henry Hrabal, Rt. 1. I'm ready to take orders. 31-2tp

In ruling on wage increases, the board felt that those whose wages had already risen high enough to cover the cost of living increase should not be granted further general increases, but that all others were entitled to have their average straight-time rates brought up to a point 15 per cent above the January, 1941, level.

The War Front Japanese pockets of resistance in the Sannananda area of Papua New Guinea—all that is left of the Japanese Papuan army of 15,000 shock troops—are rapidly dissolving before American and Australian troops.

The American position on Guadalcanal has improved much in the past week, since the capture by U. S. troops of Mount Austen, last Japanese position dominating Henderson Field, and the United Nations' position in the Pacific war is now more favorable than at any time since the Marines first landed on Guadalcanal in August, 1942. Incidentally, although for several months the Marines have been operating jointly with Army troops in the Solomons area, most of the Marines have now been replaced by Army personnel. This week Maj. Gen. Alexander M. Patch, U. S. Army, took command of American forces on Guadalcanal, relieving Maj. Gen. Alexander A. Vandergrift, U. S. Marine Corps.

During the five-day period of January 13 to 17, inclusive, our forces killed over 1,000 Japanese in various actions on Guadalcanal. Even in the air, Japanese strength in the Solomons is growing steadily weaker. Maj. Gen. Millard Harmon, commander of allied air

Lost

LOST—Tire, tube and wheel for Ford pickup.—J. L. Farrar, Foard City. 32-1tp

For Rent

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FOUND—Hydraulic jack. Owner may have same by paying for this ad.—S. E. Crosnoe. 32-1tc

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STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Feb. 8, 7:30 p. m. 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.

LESLIE THOMAS, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

No Trespassing

NO TRESPASSING allowed on the Teague Estate land. No passing through.—Mrs. L. Kamstra. 31-1tc

NO HUNTING or FISHING allowed, as all my land is in Federal Game Preserve.—W. E. Johnson. 29-12tp

TRESPASS NOTICE

Positively no fishing or hunting on any of my land on Beaver Creek.—J. M. Hill. 4-1tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community, known as the Harris place, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. 33-1tc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 1f

CITATION

State of Texas, County of Foard. To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of J. G. Thompson Sr., deceased: The undersigned having been duly appointed Executor of the estate of J. G. Thompson Sr., deceased, late of Foard County, Texas, by Leslie Thomas, Judge of the County Court of said county on the 14th day of December A. D. 1942, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence, Thalia, Foard County, Texas, or Route 2, Crowell, Foard County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 12th day of January, A. D. 1943.

John G. Thompson Jr., Executor of the Estate of J. G. Thompson Sr., deceased. 29-4tp

and ground troops in New Zealand, pointing to the enemy's dwindling supplies of all categories of combat aircraft and lack of pilots, said the Japanese are definitely short of meeting the requirements of their air forces.

From North Africa the Middle Eastern command, reporting the progress of the British, planes are keeping up their relentless attacks against Tripoli and against Castel Benito Airdrome. The raids on Tripoli harbor have been aimed at facilities the Axis might try to use for evacuation. Air activity in Tunisia continues.

Size of Armed Forces

According to Under Secretary of War Patterson, the size of the armed forces is a military problem that should be left to the military leaders to work out. Citing President Roosevelt's figure of 7 1/2 million in the Army by 1944 and estimates of more than 2 million in the Navy and Coast Guard, Mr. Patterson said 10 mil-

CHURCHES

Christian Science Church Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday, February 7, 1943. Subject: "Spirit."

St. Joseph's Catholic Church Time of Masses: October-April (inclusive). 1st Sunday at 11:00. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 9:00. May-September (inclusive). 1st Sunday at 10:30. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 8:00.

Methodist Church We are delighted with the increased attendance at Sunday School last Sunday. It looks like old times to have our people attending Sunday School in this fashion. Do it again next Sunday and bring a friend with you. Dr. W. M. Pearce, our District Superintendent, will preach at the regular evening hour next Sunday. He will conduct a discussion hour each succeeding night of the week until Thursday. On Thursday night the discussions will close with a session of the Quarterly Conference. The general theme for discussion will be: "The Christian Motive, and Method of Living." Such questions as "Who is a successful person?" "By what standard is the Christian to be controlled?" "Are we justified by saying that Christianity is the hope of the world?" "Under what condition may the church become the hope of the world?" and many other such thought-provoking questions will be discussed at length. The discussion group is open to any who wish to participate. If you care for a text on these subjects, it may be purchased for sixty cents.

lion men in the Army and Navy is less than one out of every 13 of our population. Germany has one out of every 10 under arms. Britain has one out of every 10, and Russia's proportion is fully as high. "To say that we Americans cannot maintain one in thirteen is a note of defeatism. We cannot leave the hard work of fighting to the British, the Russians and the Chinese. And a war like this one cannot be fought, certainly it cannot be won, without an Army and a Navy of a size adequate to the task."

Agriculture To help farmers increase production in 1943, Agriculture Secretary Wickard has made available through the Food Production Administration a new source of credit for the production of essential war materials. We are now loaning \$200,000,000 and \$225,000,000 of additional funds will become immediately available at the county level, and the loans (short time loans at five per cent interest), which will be made through the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation, will be limited only by the amount needed to do the production job.

Cost of Food Although admitting that the farmer's share of the consumer's food dollar is now larger than it has been in many years, Mr. Wickard said the retail cost of food now represents the smallest share on record of the industrial worker's income. According to data available for the first 11 months of 1942, the retail cost of food for the average industrial worker's family amounted to 28 per cent of the worker's earnings, a record low in relation to income, while the farmer's share of the consumer's food dollar averaged 53 per cent, the largest share since 1920.

Farm Manpower The War Manpower Commission's Selective Service Bureau has liberalized the requirements for agricultural deferments, expected to keep many additional workers on the farms. The revised guide—approved by the Agriculture Department, the WMC, the farm organizations and other groups—provides that a local draft board may be justified in some cases in deferring an agricultural worker producing as little as eight war units of essential products. While emphasizing that the national objective is still a minimum per-worker production of 16 or more war units, the new guide no longer considers 16 units a standard.

Minneapolis.—"The Red Cross has done a marvelous job over here," writes Private Jim Levy from Australia, "and deserves all the support people at home can give it."

Be on your mettle with your scrap metal. Army needs it now.

Barking dogs do not bite—while they're barking.

Be with us Sunday for the introduction that will be given in the sermon. Services will begin at eight o'clock. No tuition charges or collections for these discussion periods.

Sunday morning: Services at 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Gripping Power of God's Word." Sunday School at 10 a. m. W. S. C. S. Monday at 4 p. m. Other services announced at the church.

Christian Science Services "Spirit" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 7.

The Golden Text is: "Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts" (Zechariah 4:6). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Who hath directed the Spirit of the Lord, or being his counsellor hath taught him?" (Isaiah 40:13).

Weekly Sermon

By George S. Schuler, Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

"Praise the Lord and Pass the Ammunition"

Text: "Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts."—Zechariah 4:6.

Almost any turn of our radial brings us what seems destined to become the outstanding popular war song of today—"Praise the Lord and Pass the Ammunition." What ever one's reaction may be, there are two striking and undebatable truths suggested in this song. First, victory has been achieved; and second, a war is still in progress.

As Christians we are not in a warfare "against flesh and blood, but against principalities and powers." Notes of praise, such as "Praise the Lord," are indicative of victory achieved. Few people praise the Lord for defeats, yet many times our defeats in Christian experience react as victories. For they spur us on to ultimate victory. So the first phrase of this war song, as well as in our Christian experience, is a note

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of victory. The second phrase suggests that the battle is still in progress with either victory or defeat ahead; hence "pass the ammunition" as a guarantee for victory.

Ammunition bespeaks of destruction. Asking for it to be passed is a confession of one's need for that power which guarantees victory. In our spiritual experience we need the ammunition that God supplies with which to destroy the power of the evil one, who is going about seeking whom he may destroy.

Spiritual ammunition is none other than the power of the Holy Spirit, who not only destroys but rehabilitates. In the measure we ask for His power and yield to Him, in that proportion we will achieve victory.

Our hearts and lives should ever be sounding forth His praises for victories won by His omnipotent power. We should be seeking constantly this ammunition of God.

The war song concludes with the declaration that "we'll all be free." But as Christians, who have gained the greatest victory

of our lives by surrendering to the Lord Jesus Christ as our personal Savior, we are already free. For whom the Son of God makes free is free indeed (John 8:36).

SAFETY SLOGANS

Safety is the best first aid. One man's fire may bankrupt fifty.

Gasoline develops horsepower—use horse sense in handling it. Pay day is always a month off for the spendthrift.

Swing and sway the Scrap Metal Way.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Foard County Texas, will, on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1943, in accordance with the law governing county depositories receive sealed proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in said county who may desire to be selected as the depository for the county funds of said county including Foard County school funds, said sealed proposals to be delivered to the County Judge of Foard County Texas, on or before 10 o'clock A. M., February 8th, A. D. 1943.

LESLIE THOMAS, County Judge, Foard County, Texas. 29-4tc

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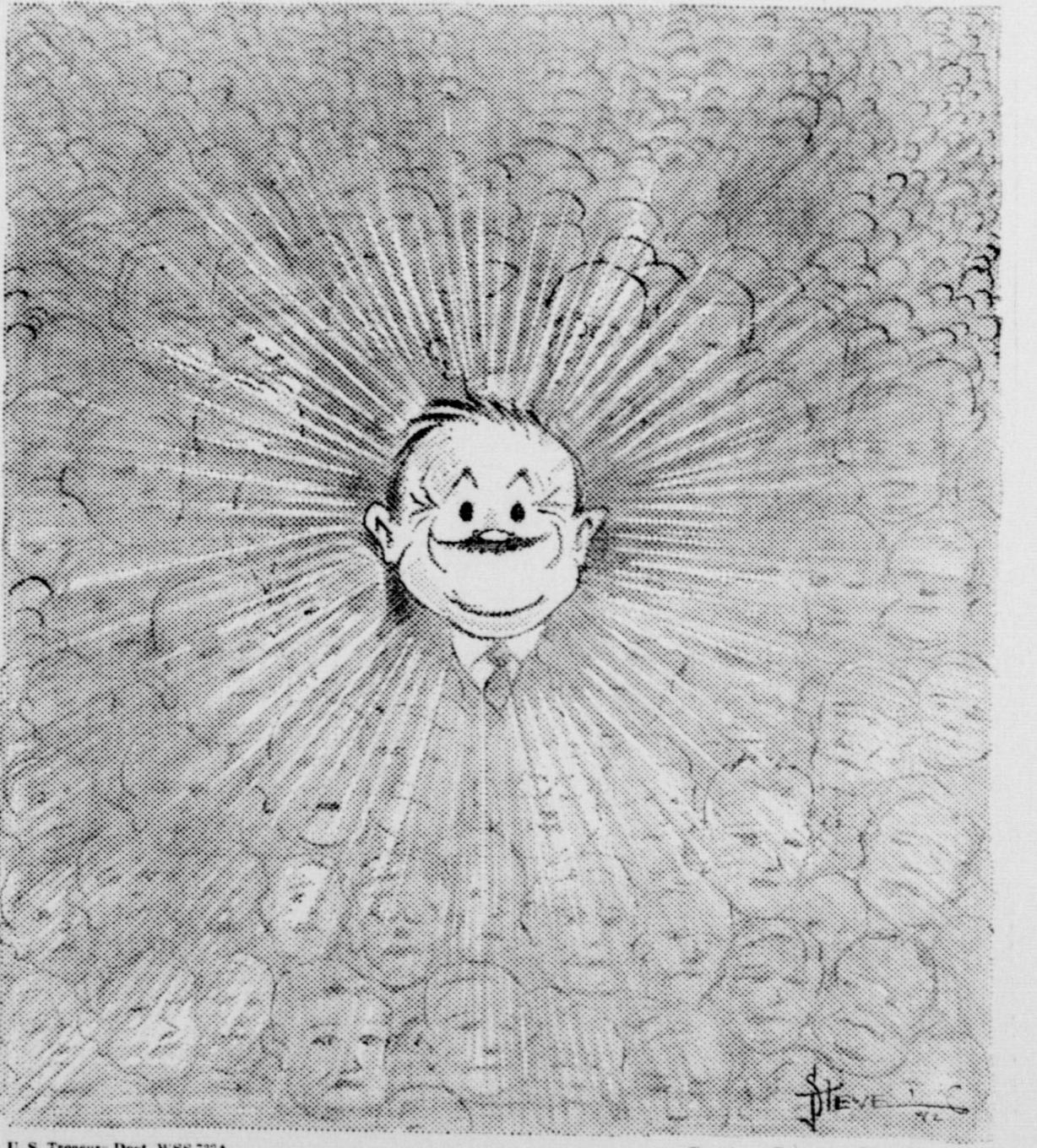
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COUNTY FEDERATION

With the Crowell Garden Club acting as hostess club, the County Federation of Women's Clubs met at the Adolphian Club House Wednesday, Jan. 27.

Approximately 35 women attended the meeting, representing the different communities of the county. It being the time for the election of officers, the following were elected to be representatives for the coming two years: Mrs. T. W. Cooper of the Vinton community, president; Mrs. S. S. Bell of Crowell, vice president; Mrs. J. A. Stovall, secretary; Mrs. J. R. Roberts, reporter.

The program for the day was timely and well received. The

noon meal was delicious. When some 35 or 40 women place a dish of their choicest concoction on a table to be served, cafeteria style, and good coffee, as was prepared by Mrs. H. Clark and Mrs. H. K. Edwards, who served as kitchen hostesses, there is a rare treat in store for any woman who makes an effort to attend these meetings. It all supplies a wholesome association which no woman who is eligible for membership can afford to miss.

The next meeting will be held in March.

WESLEYAN GUILD

The Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church met in regular session in the home of the sponsor, Mrs. M. S. Henry, Thursday

evening, Jan. 28, and the following officers were installed by Mrs. Innes Clark, president of the Women's Society of Christian Service: Blanche Hays, president; Mary Bagland Thompson, vice president; Lottie Russell, secretary; Wilma Jo Lovelady, treasurer; and Ruth Patterson, reporter.

Mrs. J. B. Harrison Jr. gave the devotional, using Lydia, a convert of Paul at Philippi, as an example of a good business woman, who put Christianity first. Mrs. Harrison showed that more Lydias were needed today.

The first meeting in January is automatically the meeting for each member to make her pledge for the year, and after hearing Mrs. T. H. Klepper tell of the great work that the church is doing in the midst of the world turmoil, no member hesitated to increase her pledge. Among the many worthwhile thoughts that Mrs. Klepper gave, the two most outstanding and convincing ones came from the Book of Isaiah: "We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves" (Rom. 12:13), and "Every man according as he purposed in his heart, so let him give not grudgingly, or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful giver" (II Cor. 9:7).

The sponsor served refreshments to her members and three guests: Mrs. Innes Clark, Mrs. T. H. Klepper and Mrs. Tommie Johnson.

Wedding at Methodist Parsonage Wednesday

The marriage of Miss Phoebe Maxine Wallace to Frank Love took place at the Methodist parsonage Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock with the pastor, Rev. H. A. Langston, performing the ceremony.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Wallace, accompanied the couple. Mrs. A. Stovall was also present.

Mrs. Love is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Wallace and Mr. Love is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Love. The couple will reside with his parents on the M. S. Henry farm.

Altar Society Resumes Meetings

The St. Joseph's Altar Society has resumed its meetings, holding the first meeting for the year on Sunday, Jan. 31st. The main business at this meeting was the election of officers. Mrs. H. Schindler was elected as president, Mrs. M. O'Connell was elected as vice president, Miss Julie Eubank, treasurer, and Miss Rosalie Dinkels, secretary.

It was planned to have a benefit bridge and 42 tournament at O'Connell's Lunch Room on Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, at 8 o'clock. Every one is cordially invited to attend the tournament.

Miss Longino On Honor Roll

Miss Lenore Longino was one of the thirty-three students listed on the semester honor roll at McMurry College, Abilene, Texas.

The roll includes the top ranking students of McMurry with standing determined by grade points. Miss Longino received a total of 72 points. Twelve points are given for an A and some points for a B.

Miss Longino is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino, of Crowell.

West Side H. D. Club Meets

"Perfect Grooming is the First Law of Cleanliness," stated Mrs. Doris Bahr, extension specialist in clothing, in an article titled "Grooming," which served as the foundation for the program for the meetings of the West Side Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. Clyde Cobb on Friday, Jan. 29.

The person who wishes to be well-groomed and pleasing to others, can do so by following the following suggestions: bathe daily, use a deodorant, use a hair cream, keep hair and nails immaculate and shoes fresh and thoughts pure and cheerful. These suggestions were pointed out by the following members, Mrs. Clyde Cobb, Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, Mrs. W. L. Scott and Mrs. G. H. Kinslow.

Two visitors were introduced, Mrs. Dwight Moody and daughter, Betty. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. A. Fox on Wednesday, Feb. 10.

Gambleville H. D. Club Has Meeting

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, Jan. 26, in the home of Mrs. Willie Garrett. The roll call was answered by each member giving a nature fact which could be portrayed.

Mrs. J. C. Prosser told of ways for making facial bars. Mrs. Earl Davis gave a miniature to one of the members and showed family ways in which home miniatures are often given. Mrs. Milton Carroll gave an interesting talk on "Decorative and Astronomical." Mrs. Dave Sallis told why and when the hair should be shampooed and that both dry and wet shampoos should be given.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to seven members and one guest, Mrs. Frank Gamble. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Milburn Carroll in February.

Acres of Roses in Tyler



Here is a typical scene in one of the many rose fields to be found around Tyler, Texas, where 60 per cent of America's rose bushes are grown and shipped every year. You can now procure Tyler rose bushes at most reasonable prices through the co-operation of The Foard County News. They are fine, sturdy bushes that will grow next in your garden. Full planting instructions come with every package, and all bushes will bloom lavishly this season.

Physically Disabled Have Opportunity to Receive Training

Ray Whisenbunt, supervisor of Vocational Rehabilitation of the Department of Education out of Fort Worth, is asking that all the physically disabled, those that have a 1-F classification, to either come or write him at 419 U. S. Courthouse, Fort Worth, Texas. There are a few things that you must have before you can get in to the war effort: A birth certificate, you must have ways and means of getting into Fort Worth, you must be physically fit to do eight hours of work, you must be able to pass a physical examination, and you must have means to live until the first pay day.

Many war industries are calling for those that have physical disabilities, such as hard of hearing, deafness, a short limb, a disabled arm, to the extent that it prevents you from getting into the service, yet you have enough use of it to do assembly line work.

The age limit is ordinarily 18 to 40 for women and 18 to 55 for men. You must bear in mind that you have to be able to get around and be able to do close and exact work. If you know you can do eight hours of hard work, see or write Mr. Whisenbunt at once. However, bear in mind that an interview might determine that you cannot do the work. Herma cases will not be accepted at present.

Never before in our time has the call been so strong for those that have physical disabilities.

Your country needs you; we can help place you in the right job. This is a service that your State Department of Education is giving to you, only for the asking. If you are young, we will try and work out a training program for you that will equip you to do your part, but so you are above sixteen years old," Mr. Whisenbunt said.

He further urged all who read this to pass it on to those that are hard of hearing, the deaf, and those that have physical disabilities. Have them to see or write him at 419 U. S. Courthouse, Fort Worth, Texas.

ANOTHER TEXAS "ARMY"

Enlisting and training a 4-H Club food production army equal to the number of Texans in the armed services is a new war-time objective of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, Director H. H. Williamson has announced.

Director Williamson estimates that there are more than half a million boys and girls between the ages of 9 and 20 in Texas farms, while the state now is said to have more than 300,000 in the various branches of the armed services.

"That means we must enroll three of every five farm boys and girls who are in the 4-H age brackets," Director Williamson explains. County agricultural and home demonstration agents will direct the training of club members, assisted by local men and women who are successful in production work and who have qualities of leadership. Purpose of the 4-H expansion work is not

only to increase the production of essential agricultural products, but also "to help rural youth develop soundly in line with democratic and Christian ideals."

"I will try to feed and clothe a fighter and myself" will be the slogan of the new 4-H movement. The idea came from Jackson County, where 4-H boys in 1942 resolved to produce sufficient beef for all men the county had given to the armed services. They more than doubled their production goal.

More than 85,000 4-H boys and girls were enrolled in the Extension Service in 1942. In announcing the mobilization program which will be carried on during the month of February, Director Williamson said, "Our American young people are eager to help in war programs. I believe they will respond astutely if they understand seriousness of our food situation and how they can help meet

ROTARY CLUB

The Crowell Rotary Club entertained Wednesday at a

with a male quartet composed of John Rasor, Ebb Scales, J. Davidson and Ernest King. Mrs. Arnold Rucker was organist. These men have been singing together for a number of years and they sang a number of their favorite songs on this occasion. Ernest King is going to enter the service with short time, and Ebb Scales is going to go into defense work.

A visitor at the meeting Wednesday was D. D. Huntman of Quanah.

Hough Incubators Now Operating

I now have my Baby Chick incubators in operation and I am in the market for setting eggs on Friday and Saturday and will pay

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A Chesterfield coat—that can be worn with everything—or a more dressy type;

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