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Methodist Church Dedication Services Will Be Held Sunday

Food Stamp Plan to Be Set Up in Foard County Effective May 1st, Court Decides Monday



Claude Callaway, chairman of the Board of Stewards.



Dr. W. M. Pearce, district superintendent, Vernon District, Northwest Texas Conference.

7 Boys Reporting for Spring Football Practice, 2nd Week

Thirty-seven boys were reporting for football practice in the second week of spring training. Paul Veeva's injured hip has practically healed and he reported for practice on Thursday of last week. Craig Sandlin, Kenneth Nelson, Edwin Thorn, Kenneth Payne, C. F. Bradford and Kenneth Ellis were the new boys reporting for spring training.

O. C. Wharton, freshman guard, and Kendrick Joy, freshman tackle, were the outstanding rookies of the week. Pat McDaniell, halfback, J. W. Sallis, tackle, and Clifford White, end, were showing up the best from last year's team.

The first scrimmage was held on Tuesday with a mixture of reserves and exes offering the opposition. The following High School boys were used in this scrimmage and showed promise of developing into a real team: Bill Owens, Clifford White, Bob Gobin and Cecil Parkhill, ends; Gordon Erwin, David Parkhill, Billy Fred Short and Glen Taylor, tackles; Paul Veeva, Kenneth Archer and Bobby Joe Hunter, guards; J. W. Sallis, center; Arnold Smith, Albert Bird, C. J. Kelton, Dewitt Cauthan and Pat McDaniell, backs.

Red Cross Sewing Has Been Completed

The sewing for Red Cross, which has been under way at the sewing room at the rear of Ferguson Bros' Drug Store, has been completed. There are a few garments which have been taken by individuals for completion at home to be brought in and when they are in, the sewing will be ready to be packed and sent to the National Red Cross Headquarters.

Mrs. H. Schindler, Foard County chairman of War Relief Production, expresses appreciation to the ladies who have had charge of the sewing on the various working days and, also, to each individual who has helped with the sewing, either at the rooms or in their homes. The work has been well done and in a short length of time.

Nephew of Mrs. Ben Hinds Killed

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hinds attended funeral services in Big Spring Monday for William Hugh Fletcher, 19, a nephew of Mrs. Hinds, who was killed in a collision of a Greyhound bus and a passenger car at Colorado City Friday night. There were three other killed in the accident.

The young man was a student at John Tarleton College at Stephenville and was on route home to spend the week-end. At the impact of the collision, the car rolled into flames and the body of the young man was burned beyond recognition, as were the others.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinds returned after the funeral which was Monday morning at 10

Husband of Local Woman Tells of Ship Wreck

Mrs. Jack Kempton of Morenci, Ariz., who was formerly Miss Savannah Gamble, and who is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gamble, received a cablegram from her husband last month telling of the torpedoing and sinking of his ship, "S. S. Corodia."

Mr. Kempton was sailing to San Juan, Puerto Rico, to commence work as an electric shovel operator for the government. He was formerly employed by the Phelps Dodge Corporation in Morenci and sailed from New York on Feb. 28. He was accompanied by Olin Clark, also of Morenci, and who was also an electric operator. In letters from Mr. Kempton following the cablegram, he relates some of the details which occurred.

"Clark and I were in the same room on the ship when the accident happened. The ship burst into flames within a minute after the explosion occurred. We ran through flames for about fifteen feet and Clark beat me on deck. I haven't seen or heard from him since. I am sure he drowned. There were two girls on board and they were cremated. The other fellow that was with Clark and me also burned. You just can't imagine all the screaming and begging and pleading that one heard. It was the worst experience I have ever had. There were about sixteen on the raft and all of them gave up but five. When we finally landed, it was the roughest place I ever saw, and the sharp rocks cut our feet. There were natives there who furnished us with shoes and clothes and we rode a distance of ten miles to the town on burros. We were taken from there to Port au Prince, Haiti, where our wounds were treated.

"I have been in Port au Prince two weeks now and they have been most pleasant except for my wounds, of course. The president of Haiti came over the other night and brought us cigarettes and different fruits. We are staying in a military school and most all the people speak the French language. The Episcopalian Bishop invited us to his house and we spent a most enjoyable evening with him yesterday. There is some talk about sending us back to the States but I do hope not. I want to see this thing through. If we are sent back to the States, we will probably sail for San Juan within a week. Seriously, I would rather go by plane."

In a later letter received by Mrs. Kempton, her husband says that he had arrived in San Juan and, if it is possible, Mrs. Kempton will join him there in the near future.

Basket Dinner to Follow Dedication of Methodist Church

According to a custom of years ago, an old-fashioned basket dinner will be served at the Methodist Church on next Sunday following the dedication services which will be held at 11 o'clock. The dinner will be served at the Presbyterian Church building and there will be a committee at the Presbyterian Church to receive the baskets as they arrive.

Seats will be provided on the lawn, if the weather permits. Otherwise, provision will be made. Every one in this section is invited to join in the dedication services and to bring dinner and join in the fellowship of the meal. Dishes for eating will be provided but the ladies bringing the food will be asked to get their containers before they leave. A program will be held in the afternoon and everyone is invited to attend this, also.

ENTERS NAVAL TRAINING

Jim Whitfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Whitfield, left Dallas last Saturday for service in the U. S. Navy. He will be in a training school and will be in the radio department. Jim visited his family for a short time about three weeks ago. At that time, he was attending Trinity University at Waxahachie.

MOVED TO QUANAH

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greening and children moved to Quanah Thursday of last week and are living at 900 West 7th Street. Mr. Greening has accepted a position in the meat department of the C. B. Preston Food Store. He has been employed in Crowell at the Coltharp Food Store since it opened a year ago.

Methodist Church to Be Dedicated



Crowell Methodist Church building, erected 22 years ago, will be dedicated Sunday with Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas conducting the services, assisted by the pastor, Rev. H. A. Longino.



Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas, who will dedicate the local Methodist Church building Sunday.



Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor, who launched the campaign last year to pay off the church debt.

Fifth Annual Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club Project Will Be Held in Crowell Saturday, April 4

Methodist Revival at Thalia to Start on Wed., April 8

A revival meeting for the Methodist Church at Thalia will start on Wednesday night, April 8, according to announcement made this week. Rev. O. W. Carter of Childress will do the preaching for the meeting.

Rev. R. I. Hart of Margaret is pastor of the Thalia church.

Ward Motor Service Moved One Door West

Ward Motor Service, owned and operated by Joe Ward and son, Coy, has been moved from the Self building west of the square to the Magnolia Service Station, just west of the former location.

At the new location the business will be operated as a combination repair business and service station. The repair department will be located in what was formerly used for washing and greasing automobiles. Magnolia products will be handled in the service station department.

New Beauty Shop Opened in Thalia

A new Beauty Parlor has been opened for business this week in Thalia. It is owned and operated by Mrs. F. D. Gamble. The Beauty Shop is new and modern in every respect, and is equipped to give first class work in all lines of the operation of a Beauty Shop. Mrs. Gamble asks that her friends give her a share of their patronage.

WILL MOVE HERE

J. N. Banks of Royce City is here erecting a new 5-room dwelling with bath and other modern conveniences on his farm east of Foard City and will move his family to the new home when school is out at Royce City.

Mr. Banks has been in gents furnishing business in Royce City for 25 years. He states that the green bugs have already ruined his wheat crop.

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas to Deliver Sermon

Dedication services for the Crowell Methodist Church will be held on next Sunday, March 29. The day's service will begin with the Sunday School period which will, necessarily, be shortened and the classes will meet in the auditorium at 10:45 o'clock, preparatory to the dedication program which will be at 11 o'clock. Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas will dedicate the church and will also preach the morning sermon.

A special song service will be had, the members of the choir of the various churches of the town assisting in the singing. A girls' chorus, under the direction of Miss Ruby Lee Beville, will render a special number.

A basket dinner will be served at the old Presbyterian Church building and all those who care to are asked to bring their dinner and join in the day's celebration. It is gratifying to realize that any church has liquidated its indebtedness and all denominations are joining in the day's worship and praise.

Committees have been at work on plans for the dedication for some time and everything seems in readiness for the event. The pastor, Rev. H. A. Longino and Claude Callaway, chairman of the Board of Stewards, announced the following committees several weeks ago: Decorating: Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, Mrs. Claude Callaway, Mrs. T. V. Rascoe, Mrs. M. J. Girsch and Mrs. Earl Manard. Invitation and entertainment: J. R. Beverly, C. P. Sandifer, Mrs. George Self and Mrs. W. B. Johnson. Welcoming Old-Timers: Mrs. S. Henry, Mrs. M. S. Henry, Mrs. C. P. Sandifer and H. E. Ferguson. Music: Mrs. Paul Shirley, Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Mrs. T. B. Klepper.

Ushering, etc.: Judge Leslie Thomas, J. P. Davidson, A. Y. Beverly, D. R. Magee and Ed Manard; Publicity: T. B. Klepper, T. L. Hughton and Mrs. J. R. Beverly. Many others have assisted, in a co-operative spirit, in making arrangements for the program for the day toward which the congregation has looked forward to for the past 22 years.

First plans for the erection of a new Methodist Church building in Crowell were started in July, 1919, led by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hamblen. The pastor had been considering the matter for a long time and waiting for an opportune time to place it before the members of the congregation. The campaign was launched and the late Rev. J. W. Hunt of Stamford came to Crowell and filled the pulpit on Sunday, July 27, in the interest of the building program.

Plans at first contemplated the building of a brick structure to cost \$25,000. A committee was selected, composed of Rev. Hamblen, D. P. Voder, M. S. Henry, Mrs. C. P. Sandifer and Mrs. M. J. Girsch to visit the Lubbock Methodist Church and investigate it as a model for the Crowell church. This building was constructed at a cost of \$40,000 and it was decided to model the new church for Crowell after the Lubbock church.

On April 30, 1920, the new building was advanced to a stage where it was ready for the concrete work, which started immediately, according to a news item in The News. The work was going forward with even greater speed than was at first thought possible in the face of labor conditions and crippled transportation facilities, and unless something unforeseen happens to interrupt the work, hopes of completion at an early date will be realized, the news item further stated.

The first services to be held in the new building were held on Sunday, October 13, 1920, according to a report appearing in The Foard County News on Friday, Oct. 15. At that time it appears that the amount needed to make the building clear of debt

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INFANT SON DIES

The three-months' old baby son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Howard passed away early Tuesday morning. The baby had been ill all its life. Funeral services were held at the Assembly of God Church Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, with Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the First Baptist Church, in charge of the services. A special song, "Gathering Buds," was rendered by John Thomas Rasor, with Mrs. Arnold Rucker, accompanying at the piano.

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

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital
Patients In:
E. G. Morgan.
Foy McRae.
Patients Dismissed:
R. L. Hudgens.
Louis James.
Mrs. G. L. Bumpass and infant son.
J. T. Vessel.
Visiting Hours: 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT (By Irene Myers)

Mr. and Mrs. Wyndol Farris and daughter, Linda Kay, of Quannah visited relatives here over the week-end.

son, at Vera Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Cora Hammond returned to her home in Vivian, S. Dak., Monday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Clark.

Hatfield-McCoy Feud Buried 'for Duration'



Two members of the famous feuding families, the Hatfields and McCoy's, take the pledge to bury the ax—in the Axis. They are Cabell Hatfield and Edward La Port, whose mother was a McCoy. They are shown at Charleston, W. Va., where they signed up with the marines.

accompanied home by his son, Charlie Gayn, who had calves at the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Memphis.

BLACK (By Dorothy Hall)

Mrs. W. B. Curry of Thalia visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nichols, and family over the week-end.

FHA Housing Made Long Gains In First 10 Weeks of 1942

War housing made long gains in Texas during the first 10 weeks of this year, according to a tabulation of applications made in the four Federal Housing Administration insuring offices.

During this period, he said, the FHA received 7,974 applications for mortgage insurance under Title VI amounting to \$28,911,445.

Steel-Piercing Eye

Steel used in vital parts for war machines—planes, tanks, ships, guns—must be flawless, because America's fighting men must have weapons that are both accurate and tough.



1. The new million volt X ray built by General Electric saves precious hours in finding flaws. It is so powerful that its rays can pierce thick steel castings.

SAVINGS that Bloom in the Spring. FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS. Folger's Drip or Regular COFFEE 1-lb glass jar 32c. Swan Down CAKE FLOUR PKG. 27c. FORT HOWARD TISSUE WHITE AS SNOW • SOFT AS DOWN 3 Rolls 19c. 4-lb carton 69c. PORK and BEANS White Swan 2 No. 1 Cans 15c. ENGLISH PEAS 3 No. 2 cans 25c. GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46-oz. Can 20c. CORN DEL HAVEN 303 Size Can 10c. MEAL LIGHT CRUST 2 10c Pkgs 15c. OATS Large Package 25c. BRING US YOUR EGGS. PURE LARD BRING YOUR PAIL Lb 14c. BEEF ROAST ARM or SEVEN CUT Lb 25c. PARKAY OLEOMARGARINE 3 Packages 51c. KRAFT'S VELVEETA CHEESE 2-lb box 69c. Haney-Razor

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FOARD CITY (By Mrs. J. L. Farrar)

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RIVERSIDE (By Bonnie Schroeder)

Thomas Willis of Amarillo visited his sister, Mrs. D. M. Shultz, Wednesday.

Luther Ward, and Jady and Ira Tole visited in Fort Worth and Dallas Friday and Saturday. They were accompanied home by Miss Minnie Ward, R. N., of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hrabal and daughter, Geraldine, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Machac, Sunday.

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GENERAL ELECTRIC. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. 1. What is known as a P-40? 2. Where is the city of Soerabaja located? 3. Has Secretary of Labor Perkins resigned? 4. Has Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt resigned from the OCD? 5. Did Congress repeal the Pensions for Congressmen bill? 6. Where is Port Darwin, frequently mentioned in the Far East war news, located? 7. What is said to be Hitler's real name? 8. Near what large island in the East Indies is the island of Bali located? 9. What island frequently mentioned in the war news from the Far East, is Bandoeng located? 10. From what govern does India desire freedom and rule? (Answers on page 3.)

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Items from Neighboring Communities

MARGARET (By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mr. and Mrs. Tom King of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Roy Ayers and daughter, Frances Ann, of Riverside visited Mrs. Grant Morrison and family Tuesday of last week.

Gilbert Choat, who is with the Santa Fe, spent the week-end with homefolks.

W. A. Priest and Jim Ewing repaired the school building, which was damaged by fire several weeks ago, and painting is also being done by them this week.

Miss Joyce Ann Middlebrook spent Saturday with relatives in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney of Quannah visited Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and other relatives here Sunday.

Miss Virginia Mabe of Crowell spent Saturday night with Miss Billie Morrison. The Morrison family accompanied her home Sunday, and visited in the home of Mrs. Carl Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollingsworth and children, Clyde Edward and Theora, of Burkburnett spent from Tuesday until Sunday

with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Russell, and children.

Mrs. Murl Trout and daughter, Mary Helen, of Mobeetie spent Saturday and Sunday with her father, Ed Taylor.

J. W. Sollis returned from near San Diego, Calif., Monday and is staying with John L. Hunter Jr. and family while attending school at Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Powers and daughter, Jolene, of Crowell visited relatives here Sunday.

Frank Priest of Fort Knox, Ky., sustained a painful injury recently when the ligaments of his arm were torn loose while playing football.

Mrs. Jim Ewing and son, and Clarence Cook and wife visited Mr. Cook's uncle, Sam Cook, and family of Memphis and Mrs. Ewing's brother, Leonard Thurman, and family of Childress from Wednesday until Saturday.

Rev. Reece of Henrietta filled an appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Priest and daughter, Lunda Mae, and Mrs. Mary Lou Fletcher of Vernon visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Doyl McCurley and children, Wilburn, Frankie Gene, Kay and Weldon, of Vernon spent

Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. J. S. Owens Jr. of Childress spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Owens Sr., who accompanied her home.

Haskell McCurley of McLean spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley.

VIVIAN (By Rosalie Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carroll and daughters, Wilma Faye and Leta Jo, of Crowell spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin.

Mrs. J. P. Walling of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Walling Jr. and Mrs. Harold Walling of Abilene, spent Sunday with friends here. Mrs. Walling and son are former residents of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Everson and sons, Melvin, Dayton and Dale, spent from Thursday until Sunday with their daughters and sisters, Mrs. Elmo Hudgins and Mrs. Ernest Boren, and their son and brother, Gene Everson, of Pampa.

Mrs. John Allen Fish of Paducah returned home Monday after spending several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Miss Berdell Nelson of Crowell spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nelson. Sidney Gilbert happened to the misfortune of breaking one of his arms Saturday when he fell from a barn.

Mrs. L. D. Harris of Breckenridge, Mrs. J. B. Raspberry Jr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson of Crowell spent Friday with Mrs. T. W. Cooper.

Oleta Meharg and Virginia Sanders of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskew Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simpkins and son, Berl Lynn, of Paducah spent Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson.

Miss Marguerite Lewis left Tuesday for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted a position.

Miss Bernita Fish of Five-in-One spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Mrs. L. D. Harris of Breckenridge has returned home after spending several days with Mrs. J. B. Raspberry.

J. W. Klepper has returned to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Allen Fish, after spending several days in the home of his son, T. B. Klepper, of Crowell.

Mrs. R. S. Haskew entertained her Sunday School class with a picnic Sunday at Sloan Springs.

First Ration Cards Come Off Press



John J. Deviny, acting public printer, and Leon Henderson, price administrator (right), examine the first sheet of ration cards leaving the presses at the government printing office in Washington. The printing of war ration books, No. 1 is the biggest government printing job in history. The books, if stocked, would form a tower 15 miles high.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Nelson and son of San Diego, Calif., are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everson and other relatives.

Mrs. T. W. Cooper, Mrs. Egbert Fish, Mrs. W. O. Fish and Misses Rosalie and Mildred Fish attended County Federation meeting at Crowell Thursday.

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morris and son, John Miller, of Clarendon visited J. M. Jackson and family here a while last week on their return home from Temple where they had been for medical treatment.

Havis Capps and wife of Levelland visited here a while last week. They were accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. H. T. Capps, who will visit there with them and another son, John, and wife.

Mrs. W. S. Tarver of Abilene visited her daughter, Mrs. Sim V. Gamble, and family here a few days this week.

J. M. Jackson and family visited relatives in Levelland and Lee Nowlin and family in Kress recently.

C. C. Wisdom and family visited relatives in Clovis, N. M., Sunday of last week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Forest Durham of Littlefield visited relatives here a few days last week.

A revival meeting will begin at the Thalia Methodist Church on Wednesday night, April 8, with Rev. O. W. Carter of Childress doing the preaching.

Leotis Roberts took Mrs. J. B. Taylor and children to their home in Hobbs, N. M., Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Curry visited relatives in Crowell last week-end.

Mrs. R. H. Cooper left Monday for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Ted Solomon, and family near Lorenzo.

A. M. Patty of Seymour visited his son, Allen Patty, and family here Sunday.

The Young Married Couples Class of the Thalia Baptist Sunday School enjoyed a fish fry and social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble Thursday night. Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cato, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cato, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Price, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Rennels, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patty, Mrs. Isaac Shultz, Rev. T. J. DuBose and Mr. and Mrs. Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin and Mrs. Roy Morton of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shultz here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford visited relatives and attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last week-end. They were accompanied by J. R. Ford of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Grimsley and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patterson visited relatives in Gainesville and Fort Worth and attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last week-end.

Ira Tole, Clarence Hammonds, Gus Hammonds and family and Billie Hammonds attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKinley visited relatives in Clarendon last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan and family visited their daughter, Miss Sidney Swan, in Fort Worth last week-end.

ON TSWC HONOR ROLL

Denton, March 23.—Miss Wynonah Hembree of Margaret is on the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas State College for Women, it was announced recently. Only 8 per cent of the students enrolled at the college made this outstanding scholastic record during the last semester.

Miss Hembree, a general business major, is the daughter of Mrs. J. C. Hembree. She is a senior student. She was honored with other students making outstanding records at a special Honors Day college assembly.

In coming months, ranchmen in the extreme west part of Texas may be asked to grow pilot plantings of guayule, the plant from which rubber may be extracted. Areas in California, New Mexico, and Arizona also are said to be suited to the desert plant.

Dry ice has a temperature of about 114 degrees below zero Fahrenheit.

RAYLAND (By J. C. Davis)

Arnold Hines of Electra spent the week-end in the home of L. D. Mansel.

Bill Keenan and Mr. and Mrs. Dink Ramsey and small daughter of Plainview spent the week-end with relatives here.

Miss Juanita Mansel of Vernon spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blanton of Vernon spent the week-end with her father, J. C. Davis.

Miss Thelma Raines of Vernon visited her sister, Mrs. T. C. Davis, and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett of Riverside visited friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Davis of Crowell visited here Tuesday. She brought Tom Davis home, who had been visiting there several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Lambert and O. W. Holland made a business trip to Lawton, Okla., Thursday.

Ralph Dunn of Thalia visited his brother, Arlie, and family here last week.

Mrs. E. I. Edwards is still seriously ill at the home of her son-in-law, Bert Abston.

Members of the First Aid Class took their examinations last Monday night. J. H. Roberson was the teacher.

Most all farmers bedded their sweet potato seed last week.

There has been so much cold and windy weather that farmers are a little behind with their work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lassiter of Bowie spent the week-end with her father, J. C. Davis.

ANSWERS

(Questions on page 2.)

- 1. It is a U. S. Army pursuit plane.
2. On the island of Java in the West Indies.
3. No.
4. Yes.
5. Yes.
6. Northern Australia.
7. Schickelgruber.
8. Java.
9. Java.
10. England.

Chemists Preparing Substitutes for Raw Materials

Austin, March 16.—Contributions of science in preparing substitutes for strategic raw materials were detailed before a University of Texas audience this week (Tuesday, March 17), by Dr. Harry N. Holmes, president of the American Chemical Society.

Speaking before the Central Texas Section of the Society, Dr. Holmes—distinguished professor of chemistry at Oberlin College, gave special attention to the part being played by science in developing synthetic rubber, toluene, formaldehyde, chlorine, silk, aluminum, magnesium, mercury, manganese, chromium, steel, mica and cork.

"We are increasing our stock pile of these natural raw materials rapidly at present, but we began too late," Dr. Holmes declared. "Scientists had pointed out the threatened shortages but these warnings went unheeded, with the result we are now having to throw every ounce of scientific effort into development of acceptable substitutes.

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In Chaldea, watermelons are produced for their water.

Advertisement for Rexall Drug Store featuring a '10- DEFENSE STAMP' and 'Will Pay You' slogan.

Advertisement for Silque Hand Lotion, priced at 49c, with a '49c' price tag.

Advertisement for Fergeson Bros. Druggists.

Advertisement for BABY CHICKS, featuring Hough Hatchery.

Advertisement for MONEY TO LOAN, offering 20-year terms and life insurance.

Advertisement for MISS VERNON LAUNDRY, offering truck service and guaranteed work.

Large advertisement for WEHBA'S grocery store, listing various food items and prices.

Advertisement for City Delinquent Taxes Must Be Paid!, including a deadline of July 1, 1942.

Advertisement for City Council, City of Crowell, featuring GUY TODD, Secretary.

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All Fool's Day, April First

The origin of April 1, or All Fool's Day, like many customs that have come down to us from the distant past is not clear. There are a number of stories and legends that attempt to explain the origin of the day, but they are rather far fetched in their application and are not generally accepted. It was not until the beginning of the eighteenth century that the practice of fooling people on the first of April became common in England. The early settlers of America brought the custom to this country with them. It is kept alive chiefly by the pranks of small boys and girls. The schemes resorted to to observe the day are most of them rather common place. They consist of putting soap or cotton in chocolates, tying a string to a pocketbook and jerking it away when passersby stoop to pick it up. An old tried stunt is to put a brick under a hat in the hope that some one will kick the hat. It is considered in line with the spirit of the day to fill the family sugar bowl with salt on the morning of April 1, though this is a risky performance in some households. Another popular stunt is to pin a card on the back of a friend bearing the message "Kick Me." Another common trick among the younger group is to point to a supposed black smudge on the face of a friend. When the friend rushes to the mirror he is greeted with the shout of "April Fool." Other stunts supposed to be funny consist of calling a friend, giving the zoo address and saying that Mr. Camel would like to see them, or giving the butcher shop address and leaving the message that Mr. Lamb has a message for them. These and kindred stunts usually mark the observance of the day. The strange thing is that the day could persist and continue to be observed, with seemingly so little behind it.

The most unhappy life is the undisciplined life. It is not possible for any of us to do all the things we would like to do and have all the things we would like to have. We must deny ourselves some things, some times, many things. The individual who has disciplined himself to self-denial and given up gracefully the things he cannot have, has learned one of the most important lessons of happy and contented living.

Political Announcements

For Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 7th Supreme Judicial District: J. ROSS BELL

For District Judge, 46th Judicial District: C. Y. WELCH

For District Attorney, 46th Judicial District: JEAN RODGERS

For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. W. LILLY, A. L. DAVIS, J. P. DAVIDSON

For County and District Clerk: MRS. RALPH McKOWN, J. A. STOVALL

For County Treasurer: MRS. RUTH MARTS

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: DICK CROSNOE, W. B. TYSDINGER, A. B. WISDOM

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: HOMER B. ZEIBIG, DAVE SOLLIS, JOE JOHNSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: A. W. BARKER, VIRGIL JOHNSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: LEM DAVIDSON, OSCAR BOMAN

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: H. E. FERGESON

For State Representative, 114th District: CLAUDE CALLAWAY

For County Attorney: FOSTER DAVIS

Every town and city in this country should pass an ordinance making the theft of tires punishable by a stiff fine and a stiff jail sentence. Such an ordinance should also make it unlawful to use a tire from which the factory numbers had been removed. In connection with this if some enterprising service station in each town would register all tires according to their numbers, car drivers would receive as full a measure of protection as the community could give them. A car owner who has had his tires stolen may recover their value through insurance but this does not help him to secure a new tire to replace those stolen.

The more we, of this country, pay in dollars, the less we will have to pay in blood and the lives of our soldiers. That is something for the man to think about who can, but has not yet bought bonds. Here is another idea for such an one to think about. If the gov-

ernment can't borrow the money from its citizens it will be forced to take it from them in taxes. It might even make the buying of bonds compulsory by all those who have savings accounts. This has not yet been suggested but it is a possibility. The Treasury Department is going to get the funds needed in one way or another. This fact should not be lost sight of.

Say what you will the progress of the country depends upon such men as Edison, Ford, Sloan, Chrysler, Rockefeller, Harriman and Carnegie. They are often made the target of the less successful but without them we would still be plowing through the mud behind horses and reading by candle light. The efforts of all their critics together would not have changed a single backward condition.

Enterprising auto repair shops are taking advantage of the car situation by advertising expert repair service. They point out that it is important now that old cars which may be lengthened. They explain that a little attention at the right time will add miles of life to the car. An enterprising business man can, as a rule, find good points upon which to profit in most any situation.

One prophecy is that after the war many of the surplus planes are going to be converted into freight carriers. It may be a common thing to have vegetables picked the night before and flown in to the market the next morning. They will be loaded on the plane at the field, taken up in the cold air and flown to market without being and arrive fresh and crisp miles away the next morning.

Someone has put it this way—"To lick the Japs lick defense stamps."

Your Horoscope

March 22, 23.—You are kind and generous in sharing your happiness with those you love. You are not a creature of impulse, but stop to see what is to be made by any serious move. If an employee you are faithful and enthusiastic and inspire your associates with your own vigor and determination. You do not like interferences in your details.

March 24, 25, 26.—You have a positive, shrewd, mathematical mind, and are apt to accept only proven facts. You have a love of justice and regard for the rights of others. You want to enjoy yourself and want others to enjoy themselves even at your expense.

March 27, 28, 29.—You love your home, are kind and patient with your children but not overly so with other children. You are intelligent, have much executive ability, quickly grasp general details, and a fair specimen of a good all-around individual.

University of Texas pharmacists are studying methods of growing, harvesting and curing Castilian Malve, a new medicine which is expected to revolutionize the treatment of wounds in war time and thus cut the death rate from gangrene and unnecessary amputations.

A BOOMING BUSINESS



What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

More and more as the news comes in by cable and press and radio the people of this country are beginning to realize that the United States of America is at war. More and more as the news comes in from the various sources we are beginning to realize that the war we are in is no push over. Some of us have realized by now that it is possible for us to lose the war. Although there is lined up against the Axis foes a large number of people and many nations, the scheme and pattern of war today does not give victory to merely overwhelming numbers of men. Mere masses of population, superior in number though they may be, mean little. The deciding factor is trained fighting men and ample mechanized equipment of the newest design.

Not in the role of an alarmist but rather as a sincere realist do we wish to point out that it is possible for America to lose this war, even now. Let's look at the facts. It is true we have two-thirds of the world's population on our side but it is also true that from the standpoint of equipment and trained men two-thirds of the advantage lies with the Axis powers.

The only thing that can correct this is time—and time is running short—very short. The whole question, the whole solution lies in the one fact, can aid be gotten to our allies in sufficient amount, and on time.

We are not going to get ready in time, as long as labor and the administration cling to the theory that so called social gains must be saved even though the country is lost.

Long haired reformers and wild eyed dreamers may scream that we must not give up our so called social gains. I am not so sure. They may wake up too late among the shambles of what was once a great country still drooling over a theory that proved its inability to produce self-sacrificing patriots but rather a stubborn willingness to pull down the very temple in which the theory was fostered, rather than surrender, in the name of liberty, one selfish gain.

We are not going to get ready as long as the farm bloc stands up in Congress and demands its

pound of flesh, and rabbit politicians scurry to do its bidding. We are not going to get ready in time as long as the tax burden is designed to rest upon a few and let the many escape any sacrifice.

We are not going to get ready in time until we quit our hypocrisy, until we put the war and the job of winning the war first, and forget our own petty, trifling selfish selves, forget our so called social gains, forget our time and a half, forget our long profits, and give as the boys in uniform are giving, in sweat, and blood, and life, the last ounce of selfless devotion and sacrifice.

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Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Hastwell)

The Opportunity To Serve Unselfishly: In many ways war reveals the true nature of people. War is revealing for the reasons that it offers unusual opportunities for service and unusual opportunities for personal gain. There are those, who, sensing the atmosphere of heroic service expressed by the young men of the nation, who are risking their lives in their country's service give freely of their time and talent and service. They feel that no one should make a profit out of war, that whatever of service one can give, whatever of time and effort and talent one has, should be given to the common cause.

They expect to give up much for their country and its cause. They are unwilling to profit at the expense of another. I think that when Christ talked to man about service He meant just this sort of thing. He meant choosing service for the common good above gain for one's self. The war offers many opportunities for a definite choice between the two. It is one of the good things among the many evil things that war brings—the opportunity to serve unselfishly.

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The News' job printing department is ready to print Candidate Cards. A good supply of cards is kept in stock and cards can be printed on short notice and we strive to please each customer.

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Crowell, Texas

Restaurant Men to Discuss Advertising

Newspaper Advertising for Profit will be one of the major subjects discussed by several thousand cafe men of Texas during the Fifth Annual Convention of the State Restaurant Association of Texas, April 1, 2 and 3, according to Harry Akin of Austin, president of the organization. The same subject will be featured at local meetings of restaurant associations over the State during the month of April. Restaurant operations during the emergency, the effect of price controls, emergency mass feeding in case of disaster, plans for conserving food supplies, solving the problems of waste, labor scarcity and rising costs, will also be emphasized on the program.

Heading the list of nationally known convention speakers will be Governor Coke Stevenson of Austin; R. D. Clark, Civilian Ad-

visor to the Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.; Holcomb, Pittsburg; A. and Frank Wiffler, Chicago; and Frank Canavan, New York. Other speakers include J. H. Smith and Roy Etchison, Dallas; and other outstanding authorities.

Mr. Akin announced the appointment of Martin O. prominent restaurant operator, to the State Association Committee for the Convention.

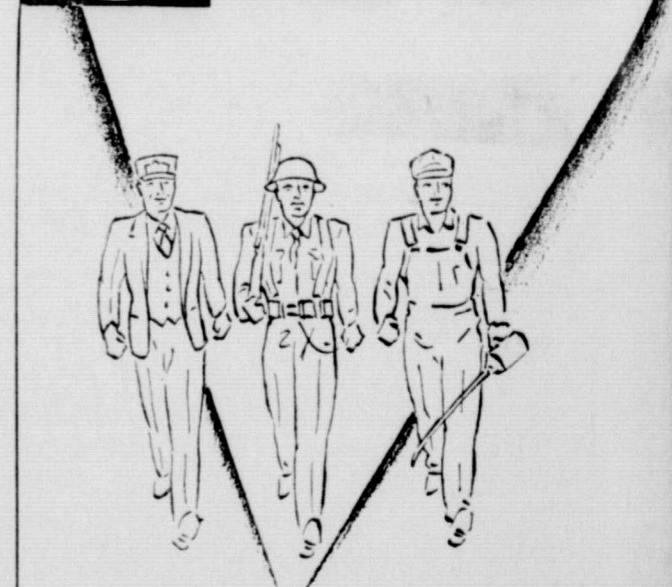
Dehydrated food is a difference between boys front trenches getting a food and not getting a food. Luis Bartlett, University mechanical engineer, state's dietetic association at Austin. Dehydrated weigh less and hence readily transported, ha out.

There often is no accom- thunder in heat lightning



I am still buying Junk Iron and Scrap Metal and Government still needs it.

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Buy U. S. Savings Bonds and Stamp

Locals

Help the Library. Buy from County Federation Food Sale, Sat., March 28, at Hane-Razor Grocery. 10 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint White and daughter, Barbara, were visitors to the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last Sunday.

Alfred Eddy was returned home today from Quannah where he has been in the Quannah Hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee spent Sunday visiting their son, Lieut. Robert Milton Magee, and Mrs. Magee at their home in Lawton.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Long spent the week-end in Henrietta visiting Mrs. Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bomar and friends.

Mrs. F. A. Davis is reported to be improving rapidly from an operation which she underwent in the Quannah Hospital last Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin of Pampa has been in Crowell for the past few days visiting the families of her sons, Joe and Virgil Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper spent the week-end in Lubbock visiting their son, Billy, who is a student at Texas Tech, and also, Mrs. J. N. Nislar.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ferguson of Slaton were in Crowell Tuesday. Mr. Ferguson returned to his home but Mrs. Ferguson will visit for some time with her daughter, Miss Genevieve Ferguson, a teacher in the Crowell Schools.

Lee Roy Cox of Lubbock was here this week looking after his farm and visiting relatives.

Full line of Vaughan's high grade flower seed.—Crowell Flower Shop.

Food Sale at Hane-Razor Gro. starts 10 a. m. Sat., March 28. Foard County Federation.

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Mrs. L. G. Andrews spent the past week-end in Vernon visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Andrews.

Sgt. Murrell Diggs, who is stationed at Harlingen, is at home for a brief visit. He arrived Monday and will remain until Saturday.

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Mrs. Edwin Greene of Houston arrived here Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Allee, and her grandfather, G. A. Mitchell, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Claude Brooks and daughter, Elaine, went to Vernon last Thursday and spent two days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wright and son, Jacob Julian.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Wishon and small son, John III, left this morning for their home in Los Angeles, Calif., after spending several months here visiting in the home of Mr. Wishon's father, J. W. Wishon.

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Ted Longino, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino, who has been employed in a dry goods store in Monday, is here at the home of his parents. He has been ill in a hospital in Wichita Falls for a week but is improved and will remain at home for several days before he returns to his work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Phillips of Levelland and Mrs. Greek Davis and granddaughter, Beverly Davis, of Lorenzo spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Phillips' and Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. McGinnis, and other relatives and friends. They are former residents of Foard County, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips having moved to that section last year.

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It's time to plant flowers. Get Vaughan's pedigreed seed at Crowell Flower Shop. 39-2tc

Mrs. Gale Stout and little son, Lyn, of Wichita Falls, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Stout's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis.

Miss Mary Frances Bruce, a senior at Texas State College at Canyon, spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. George Isbell, Mrs. Rebecca Layne and Mrs. Speleh and little grandson, all of Munday visited Mrs. Lula Walthall Sunday.

Mrs. Jack White and small son, Jimmie Joe, of Quannah are visiting in the home of Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. White, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burrow and little daughter, Mary Margaret, of Sweetwater, spent Monday night and Tuesday in Crowell visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. L. Thurston will leave Saturday for Monterey, Mexico, where she will join Mr. Thurston and the couple will go to Mexico City on a business trip.

Mrs. Wm. Curtin, who has been a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cook, for the past week, returned to her home in Tulsa, Okla., Tuesday.

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Judge J. Ross Bell in Race for Chief Justice Office

Judge J. Ross Bell of Childress was here Friday and stated that he was a candidate for the office of Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals for the 7th Supreme Judicial District of Texas which sits in Amarillo. Judge Bell authorized The News to announce his candidacy for this office, subject to action of the Democratic primaries in July.

The district is composed of forty-six counties of Northwest Texas.

Judge Bell is well known in this section, having resided in Paducah for twenty years and is a former district attorney of the 50th Judicial District. Leaving Paducah fourteen years ago he located in Childress where he has lived since that time. He has been a practicing attorney during his residence in Childress.

VISIT BROTHER AND SON

Mrs. Beecher Wisdom, Mrs. Jack Kempton and Miss Bessie Gamble, all of Crowell, accompanied their mother, Mrs. J. L. Gamble, to Dallas Sunday to visit their brother and son, Howard Gamble.

While gone, they attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. They were also guests at a party given in their honor by Mrs. D. Corzine of Dallas and were guests at a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Ben Sawyers of Denton. Brian Banister of Thalia was also a guest.

The party returned home on Wednesday night.

Of the three assistance programs administered by the State Department of Public Welfare, the children's program showed the highest percentage of increase in March with \$153,320 being distributed to 7,371 families.

Although the federal government will match funds dollar for dollar in providing aid to destitute children under 16 years of age, or up to 18 if found to be regularly attending school, the Texas constitution excludes children who are 14 or over.

The 13th census, in 1910, showed the United States had a population of 91,972,266.

Dedication—

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was \$19,000.00. On this occasion, the late Bishop W. F. McMurry of St. Louis, filled the pulpit. Bishop McMurry stressed the importance of providing a dwelling place for the Lord. "The fact is," he said, "that without giving God his rightful place in our midst, we will go on the rocks, sink into idolatry and lawlessness, just as many countries have done. Hence, a dwelling place for Jehovah is of extreme importance."

At the close of the meeting \$15,500 were subscribed, but owing to the fact a large per cent of the pledges were never paid, due to a financial depression, a debt of several thousand dollars on the building was left unpaid, which increased during years when the membership of the church was not able to pay the interest.

In the early fall of 1941, a campaign was started to pay off the church debt and the list of donations was headed with a gift of \$1,000.00 by Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sandifer. The debt was paid off and all obligations of the church paid in full one month before annual conference of last year.

Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor of the church, launched the campaign.

Brief Bits of News From Here and There

The manufacture of domestic mechanical refrigerators will be discontinued after April 30. Limited production will be permitted until this date.

It is estimated that about 20,000,000 pounds of aluminum will be made available for defense production as a result of a letter sent out recently by the government to 500 manufacturers suggesting that they sell their excess stock of aluminum to the government.

The rationing of gasoline in the east and the northeast is regarded as a certainty by government officials. A number of gasoline tankers have been torpedoed and railroads are using all the tank cars that the transportation of other freight will permit.

The government has relented and backed down from its previously announced position. Rubber tread will be available for girdles, corsets, garters and suspensives.

It is being predicted that the next few months will see some drastic shifts in plants from civilian production to the production of defense materials. These shifts will be made at the insistence of the War Production Board and will not be optional with the industries themselves. The move is deemed imperative to speed up defense production faster. Those in command feel that the quicker the shift is made the sooner the war will be over. It is expected that the shift will not be made without great hardship and inconvenience to the industries affected. In some instances government supervision will be put in plants. If this does not get the job done the government may take over the plants. The sentiment is that nothing shall stand in the way of full speed ahead for defense.

The sentiment against strikes called over trivial matters of dispute is rising throughout the country. There is resentment that workers hold personal gain above the nation's welfare.

While Aid to Dependent Children was instituted because of the need to aid mothers deprived of normal support in rearing their children, aid may be given also to a father of children who are deprived of a mother's care. The primary purpose of the program is to prevent the separation of a child from its parent by reason of poverty.

The South African aard-vark, one of the last animals you'll ever think of, is always the first in the dictionary.

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We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends for their many deeds of kindness and friendship to us during the illness and at the death of our baby and grandbaby. Our hearts are grateful for such friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Solomon.

Mississippi's population increased from 2,009,821 in 1930 to 2,181,763 in 1940, according to census figures.

A steady stream of letters from widely scattered communities of Texas are received by the state office of the Public Welfare Department asking aid for crippled, ill, or mentally incapacitated persons who cannot qualify as dependent children, aged or blind. The state has no program for aiding these unfortunate citizens unless they are either under 14 or over 65, or blind and over 21.

One-fifth to one-sixth of their incomes is paid in rent by working class families in England.

HOSPITALIZATION

Hospital Policies pay in full. Two clients have had the advantage of this liberal policy in our local Hospital.

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Laurel Leaf	8 lbs.	\$1.14
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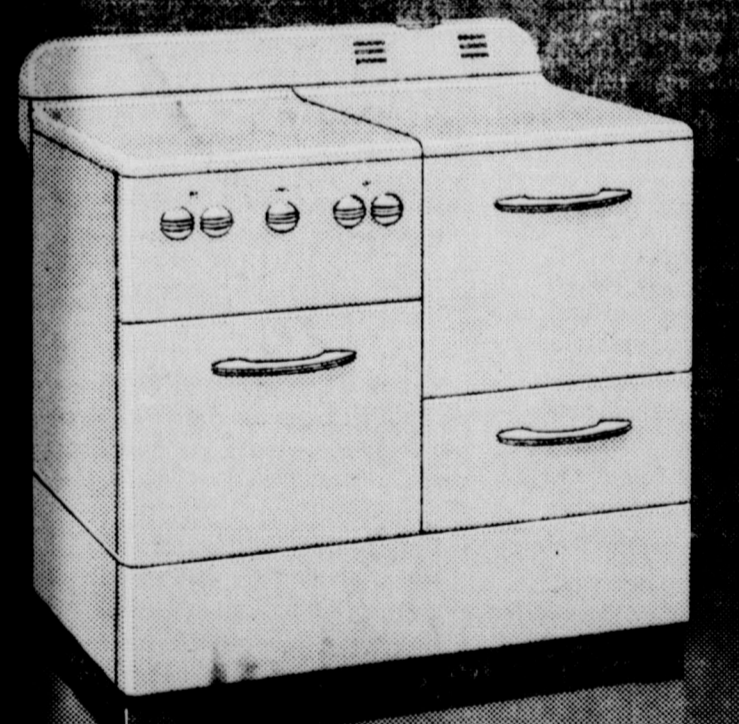
We have set up a nice, small shop with everything handy and can render just as good service as usual.

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WEEK of the WAR

War Production Chairman Nelson said man-hours now being put into military production could be used 24 hours a day. He said manufacturers for monthly production are being converted to war work, the degree of conversion of equipment and any other interfering with maximum production.

The WPB reported 95 per cent of the radio and phonograph industry, which ceases civilian production April 22, will be completely converted to war work by June 30. Production of communication equipment needed by the military services is expected to exceed a rate of \$125 million a month by the end of the year.

War Production Chairman Nelson announced 31 national conferences of Labor and management representatives from contracting plants engaged in making guns, ships, planes, and machine tools will be held during the next two weeks. Meetings will plan to speed up production of war equipment announced by the President. The WPB ordered the production of domestic laundry equipment discontinued by May 15 so the entire capacity of the industry can be devoted to war production.

The WPB said during the three months following Pearl Harbor more than \$72 billion had been made available for the war effort. Appropriations by Congress and additional funds made available through the RFC were larger than all the funds authorized for defense during the 18 months before the attack. The total for 21 months amounted to almost \$140 billion.

Rubber, Gasoline and Oil President Roosevelt in a letter to State Governors proposed speeding up 40 miles per hour be established throughout the country conserve rubber. He also proposed the states enact regulations requiring frequent checking of tires to insure repair and retreading at proper times. The Office of Defense Transportation and Department of Justice offered assistance to coal business enterprises seeking to pool deliveries as a means of conserving trucks, tires and other equipment.

The WPB said deliveries of gasoline to service stations and bulk consumers in 17 Eastern states, District of Columbia, Washington and Oregon will be cut by 25 per cent beginning March 19. Service stations in the curtailment areas must limit their operations to a maximum of 12 hours in any one day and to a total of 72 hours weekly except to provide service to certain essential civilian users. Conserve stocks of fuel oil in curtailment areas, the Board curtailment of new fuel-oil burning equipment in the same areas affected by the gasoline curtailment. Price Administrator Henderson asked filling station attendants to impress on motorists the necessity for saving automobile fuel for use next winter.

Rationing
The Office of Price Administration announced men in the armed forces and those called for induction may sell their new passenger cars without restriction. The board placed used typewriters under a complete allocation program, prohibiting their sale until April 15, but authorizing unrestricted rentals under a 60-day ceiling based on rates prevailing March 5. Allocations will be handled by existing auto and rationing boards.

Shipping
Maritime Commissioner Vickery reported the 1942-43 "Victory" ship construction program has been increased from 18 million to 20 million deadweight tons produce 2,000 ships in two years. Admiral Vickery said U.S. ship production will be greatly increased. The Commission's overall program calls for 2,877 ships to be commissioned by the end of 1943. War Production Administration congratulated ship workers at the

Bentley Shipbuilding Yards at San Francisco who offered to donate a Sunday's work without pay in order to get maximum production of war vessels.

Air
The Civil Aeronautics Administration announced expansion of its programs in order to train 45,000 men a year in elementary flight training instead of 25,000, and 30,000 men in secondary courses instead of 10,000, and to inaugurate training of 31,000 ground technicians annually. Priority in the training will be granted students eligible for appointment as Aviation Cadets. The Army Air Forces' first class of flying sergeants were graduated as military pilots. An Air Corps Officer Candidate School will be established at Miami Beach, Fla., to train Air Corps enlisted men.

Army and Navy
Army Chief of Staff Marshall said reorganization of the Army has reduced the General Staff from about 500 officers to 98 who will concern themselves primarily with planning of military operations. The War Department's Construction Advisory Committee and the Contract Negotiation Board were consolidated into the Construction Contract Board which will recommend and negotiate contracts awarded by the Engineer Corps. Navy Secretary Knox announced Admiral E. J. King, Commander in Chief, U. S. Fleet, will also be Chief of Naval Operations. Admiral H. R. Stark was named Commander, U. S. Naval Forces operating in European waters.

The War Front
United States forces in one raid on Japanese shipping sank two Japanese ships, set four more on fire and beached one. In another action U. S. Naval forces sank a heavy destroyer and a large tanker, put three cruisers and one aircraft carrier out of action. U. S. forces also sank three freighters and one passenger cargo ship, shot down five enemy bombers, and destroyed three Japanese-held airbases in New Guinea. The Navy reported 22 United States' warships were lost in the Battle for Java, including the U. S. Cruiser Houston and the U. S. Destroyer Pope. Two U. S. tankers and two freighters were sunk in the Atlantic. Gen. MacArthur reported no activity on Bataan Peninsula.

Civilian Defense
OCD Director Landis and Federal Security Administrator McNutt outlined plans for temporary hospitalization of civilians injured as a result of enemy action. The plan provides all voluntary and governmental hospitals will serve as casualty receiving hospitals and certain hospitals in "safe areas" will be designated as emergency base hospitals. The program will be carried out by the OCD Medical Division in cooperation with the U. S. Public Health Service and State and local authorities. The OCD issued a booklet suggesting safety procedures for department stores during an air raid.

Prices
President Roosevelt, in a radio address, said the fight "against inflation is not fought with bullets or with bombs, but is equally vital. It calls for mutual good will and willingness to believe in the other fellow's good faith."

The Labor Department reported the average family's food bill jumped 0.5 per cent between mid-January and mid-February. The Department said rents in many defense cities were raised during the last quarter of 1941 on as many as one in every eight rented homes. The Bituminous Coal Division of the Interior Department and the OPA said they are prepared to take whatever steps are necessary to prevent wartime inflationary prices for coal.

Priorities and Allocations
Purchases, sales and rentals of various types of new office machinery were halted by the WPB, except to persons possessing high preference ratings. The Board extended the ban on use of "bright work" to all types of motor vehicles and prohibited its use in replacement parts. Manufacture of bicycles was curtailed, and production of tire retreading and re-capping equipment was suspended except on preference-rated orders. The Board directed canners to set aside for the Government considerable quantities of their 1942 pack of fruits and vegetables.

Maintenance and repair of existing plumbing and heating installations in homes, residences, and office and apartment buildings was facilitated by a new Board order.

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Therefore, come what may, hold fast to love. Though men should rend your heart, let them not embitter or harden it.—F. W. Robertson.

There never did, and never will exist anything permanently noble and excellent in the character which is a stranger to the exercise of resolute self-denial.—Walter Scott.

What then remains? Courage, and patience, and simplicity, and kindness, and, last of all, ideas remain; these are the things to lay hold of and live with.—A. C. Benson.

Germination tests of old garden seeds may be made by planting several kinds in boxes of moist dirt kept in a sunny place. Each lot should be numbered on box and package and a record made of the number of seed planted in each, which usually is 100. This is necessary to get the percentage of germination.

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An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 25c

For Sale

FOR SALE—Milk cows.—R. L. Taylor. 40-1tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—One good, used living room suite; good, used oil and gas stoves.—M. S. Henry & Company. 40-1tc

FOR SALE—2 wrecked cars, one has slightly used 16-000 tires and tubes; the other has 3 17-600 slightly used tires and tubes. See Leo Spencer or J. N. Johnson.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished house-keeping rooms. For particulars, call at The Foard County News Office. 39-1tc

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms upstairs, gentlemen preferred. Also garage apartment.—Mrs. T. N. Bell. 39-1tc

Lost

LOST—Will person who borrowed shoe stretcher, please return same.—Fisch's Dept. Store. 40-1tc

LOST—About Jan. 20, a very large, black and tan, hound dog with white breast, about two years old. Has split in one ear, had collar on. Please write Bill Reed, Box 209, Vernon, Texas, and receive \$7.50 reward. 39-2tc

Found

STRAY HEREFORD yearling, branded "K" backwards on left hip, at my place.—M. S. Henry. 39-1tc

FOUND—Bi-focal glasses in case. Left in postoffice several days ago. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. 40-1tc

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WANT PLEASANT OUTDOOR WORK in a business of your own? Good profits selling over 200 widely advertised Rawleigh home-farm necessities. Pays better than most occupations. Hundreds in business 5 to 20 years or more! Products—equipment on credit. No experience needed to start—we teach you how. Write today for full particulars. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXC-175-145, Memphis, Tenn. 40-1tp

No Trespassing

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

Weekly Sermon

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

Pearl Harbor
Text: "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour."—1 Peter 5:8.

In the minds of the English-speaking peoples Pearl Harbor is a "picturesque speech" for utter neglect of duty. What makes the matter doubly lamentable is that known potential strength for defense was available.

On the high seas of one's spiritual life there is a place which takes on the form of Pearl Harbor. In view of God's overcoming power, men of letters, talent, ability, and high position in life have experienced the humiliation of a spiritual Pearl Harbor—the gutter, penal institutions, penury.

Jesus says: "All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth." It is this power, placed at our disposal, which overcomes the soul's deadly, though unseen, enemy—Satan. He catches us while off our guard when we should be watching and waiting. The cautioning words of the apostle are apropos: "He that thinketh he standeth" (that is what they thought at Pearl Harbor, "take heed lest he fall" (and did they fall!))

To avoid the disaster of a Pearl

Harbor, let us constantly remember the epigram, frightened with significance: "Prayer—craft is mightier than air-craft."

How true are Peter's words. "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about seeking whom he may devour." Hence, we inoculate ourselves against the assault of the adversary by heeding Paul's words: "Finally, be strong in the Lord... put on the whole armor of God... for our wrestling is not against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, against the powers, against the world-rulers of this darkness, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places" (Eph. 6:10-17).

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CHURCHES

Christian Science Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Sunday services at 11 a. m.
Wednesday evening services at 9:00 o'clock.

Sunday, March 29, 1942. Subject: "Reality." The public is cordially invited.

Methodist Church
Let us become so interested in the Dedicatorial service as to forget all other church interests, may I call your attention to our Young Peoples' Union meeting this Thursday, 8:30 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Rascoe are showing pictures taken in the Philippine Islands that are indeed interesting. The program will consist of devotional, moving pictures of the Filipino life, business session and recreation with refreshments. This is our quarterly meeting in which the entire Circle Union meets and it is very important that all young people attend.

Sunday School will convene at 10 a. m. as usual, but the additional period will be shortened for class work and the bell will sound for assembly at 10:45. Please be prompt in beginning and closing to avoid a rush at the service hour of church.

Bishop Holt will preach at the eleven o'clock hour and dedicate the church immediately thereafter. The service will of necessity be a bit longer than usual, but with dinner served at church, it will not inconvenience much. We have worked twenty years for this service and should enjoy it to the fullest.

We are inviting all people to attend and bring a basket to spread dinner with us. Dinner will be served Cafeteria style in the

Presbyterian Church just east of the Methodist Church. There will be some one at the Presbyterian Church to receive your basket when you arrive and will spread your dinner for you. After dinner, get your own dishes to the sons of men his mighty acts and the glorious majesty of his kingdom. Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations" (Psalms 145:10-13).

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following from the Bible: "All thy works shall praise thee, O Lord; and thy saints shall bless thee. They shall speak of the glory of thy kingdom, and talk of thy power; To make known to the sons of men his mighty acts and the glorious majesty of his kingdom. Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations" (Psalms 145:10-13).

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INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

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SOCIETY

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
Phone 165 or 43J

Marriage of Miss Maye Randolph Announced

Miss Maye Randolph of Wichita Falls became the bride of Fred Bledsoe of Fort Worth in a ceremony performed in Wichita Falls on Feb. 28.

Mrs. Bledsoe is the youngest daughter of Mrs. W. M. Randolph of the Foard City community and is a graduate of Crowell High School. For the past three years she has been employed as secretary to Dr. J. E. Reagan of the Clinic Hospital at Wichita Falls.

B. & P. W. CLUB BANQUET

Mrs. Irene O'Connell, Mrs. Sally Archer and Miss Blanche Hays were hostesses at a lovely Easter banquet for the Business and Professional Women's Club last Thursday evening at the Tea Room. In the center of the table was an arrangement of golden bell, on each end were green tapers and attractively arranged between the golden bell and tapers were miniature carts of bunnies and colorful eggs. The place cards were small nests containing a candy Easter egg with the guest's name written on the egg.

Miss Hays was mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Archer read the club collection. An enthusiastic singing was held after the banquet. Kathleen Eddy, a club guest, did a tap dance, accompanied by Louise Fisch at the piano, and gave an exceptionally good exhibition of baton twirling. The entertainment was ended with a musical contest, conducted by Mrs. Archer, accompanied by Mrs. Inez Spencer at the piano. Mrs. Mae Solomon was winner of the contest.

Those present were: Misses Mayme Lee Collins, Gusta Davis, Lottie Russell, Gussie Todd and Alma Walker, and Mesdames Louise Fisch, Estelle Powers, Mae Solomon, Inez Spencer, Lillie Welch, Thelma Owens, the hostesses and the guest, Kathleen Eddy.

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Miss Mary Ella Rettig Honored

Miss Mary Ella Rettig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rettig, of Crowell, who is attending Drury College at Springfield, Mo., has recently been initiated into Kappa Delta Sorority, a society organization of the college. Three other young ladies of the college were initiated at the same time.

In connection with the initiation, there was a formal banquet, and, at the banquet, the four were introduced as full fledged members. A picture of the banquet appeared in a daily paper of Springfield. The honor is distinctive, and the requisites for admission into the sorority are based upon scholarship and personality.

Miss Rettig is a freshman in Home Economics at the college.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

Observing its annual health and safety day, the Columbian Club met March 18, at the home of Mrs. T. L. Hughton with Mrs. Sam Crews, presiding, in the absence of Mrs. Hines Clark, and with Mrs. B. W. Self as leader.

Roll call was answered with individual responses, as has been the rule this club year, and the guest speaker, Mr. L. E. Tackett, was introduced. "With the vaccines, serums and anti-toxins of the present day medical world, there is positively no excuse for anyone's having such diseases as smallpox, typhoid fever and diphtheria," stated Mr. Tackett. He said further that the treatment for tuberculosis has not varied in the last twenty years, namely, rest, good food, sunlight and a determined amount of exercise. There are five types of colds, one of which is affected by cold germs, it seems; and anyone desiring to make a name for himself in the scientific laboratories would find this field "wide open." Mr. Tackett explained the history and told a few uses of the several "sul fa" products. It is interesting to note that the primary Sulfanilamide is of Germanic descent, having been discovered by a dye manufacturer in Germany.

There were many interesting points in Mr. Tackett's speech and the club desires to thank him for his interest and co-operation. Following the above "before supper" speech, as Mr. Tackett expressed it, Mrs. M. N. Kenner brought out once more the necessity for carefulness in the home in regard to falls, burns and cuts.

A quiz on signals, traffic rules and drivers' licenses was given by Mrs. Self and it was gratifying to learn that practically everyone present either had a new drivers' license or had made application for one. Mrs. Grady Halbert concluded the program with a short Edgar Guest poem entitled "Now You Have Your License." The next meeting will be on Saturday, March 28, with Mrs. Chas. Thompson, at which time the Junior Columbian will be honored with a 42 party.

Mrs. Walter Thurston, of Denver, Colo., was a guest. Mrs. Thurston was a charter member of the Columbian Club.

ADELPHIAN CLUB

The Adelpian Club met last Wednesday afternoon at the Club House with Mrs. J. A. Stovall as hostess.

A very interesting program on "Darina" was enjoyed by twenty-two members. Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick was program chairman and gave an interesting talk on "Broadway in Review." Miss Frances Hill gave a life's review of the Barrymores, the famous actors. A review of the play "The Corn is Green," by Emily Williams, was given by Mrs. Earl Manard. This play has been on Broadway for the past year with Kathryn Cornell playing the leading role.

Mrs. Claude Brooks brought information to the club members on how Uncle Sam's soldiers are cared for. This information is furnished by the government and is in the form of seven pamphlets.

In the report, Mrs. Brooks stated that never in the history of the world have the soldiers of any country been so well cared for and so well trained.

GARRISON-ORR

According to a news article from The Paducah Post, Miss Vena Garrison of Paducah had left for Yuma, Ariz., where she was married to John Lee Orr of San Diego, Calif., who met her at Yuma. They were married on March 7.

Mrs. Orr is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Garrison of Hackberry, near Paducah. Mr. Orr is the son of Mrs. Ura Orr of Crowell and was practically reared here. He graduated from the local High School in 1940. He enlisted in the U. S. Navy last year and has been stationed at San Diego since that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr will reside in San Diego.

LIBRARY NOTES

There has recently been added to the Library "Windswept," by Mary Ellen Chase, author also of "A Godly Fellowship" and "Mary Peters."

This new book is one of the best sellers of the year. It has proven to be not only a popular historical novel of Maine or even New England, but for all of America.

Miss Chase has portrayed the past and present of America, the gifts and graces of her new comers as well as the contributions of her older stock.

"Windswept" is a way of life as well as an absorbing story of tragedy and conflict, pain and pleasure, sacrifice and fulfillment. As every one who reads any of her books realizes, Miss Chase writes unusually beautiful prose, and here it is at its best.

Food Stamp Plan—

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Participants: each month, eligibles will receive through the mail, a Food Stamp Authorization Card. In order to get the stamps the eligible must fill in the amount of orange stamps he desires to buy in the space by the dollar sign on the authorization card; he must sign his name in the space provided on the card; he must get a money order from his local post office or rural mail carrier for the amount of orange stamps he is buying; if it is more convenient, he can secure a cashier's check at any local bank for the amount of orange stamps he is buying; this he will send to the address given; his order will be filled the day it is received and stamps will be sent by return mail.

Retailers cannot give cash change for purchases made with stamps, but the retail merchant can and will give a credit slip for the change due the eligible if the credit slip will show that it is good only for food or blue stamp food.

The stamps must not be taken out of the book until payment is made for the food which has been purchased; stamp books cannot be left at the store; any member of the family may take the book of stamps to the food store and buy food which will be eaten at home; if the retail merchant does not know the person who uses the book, the merchant will require that the person identify himself by showing his identification card; food stamps can only be used to purchase food, from a retail food store to be eaten at home; they cannot be sold or traded, nor can they be used to pay a bill owed to a retail food merchant; they must be used only for the purchase of food which is received at the time the stamps are given to the merchant. Many other rules and regulations apply with reference to the use of the stamps which will be furnished to all eligibles at the proper time.

The Food Stamp Plan is designed to assist all those eligible for participation and will do so if all rules and regulations are followed. The following requirements must be met before a case can be certified to participate in the Food Stamp Plan; all cases must be householders preparing their own food and maintaining their own table. (Non-householders, boarding house cases and those residing with a family which is not eligible to participate in the plan cannot be certified to receive food stamps.) All cases must have a

Home Demonstration Council Meeting Held Saturday

Regular meeting of the Foard County Home Demonstration Council was held in the court house Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. After the usual business session was held, Miss Joellene Vannoy, home demonstration agent, told of the duties of the Victory demonstrators, which follow:

1. Do my very best to win the war.
2. I will take good care of everything I use.
3. I will buy carefully anything I have to have and buy Defense Bonds and Stamps all I can.
4. Will work hard with my family and neighbors and help everyone I can to carry on in these times.

At this meeting three delegates were elected to attend the district home demonstration meeting to be held at Graham some time in April. The delegates are Mrs. C. R. Moore, Mrs. James Sandlin and Mrs. W. L. Scott.

Next meeting of the Council will be held April 18 at 2:30. All members are urged to be present.

Members of the Vivian Home Demonstration Club told of sending nine boxes of cookies and candy to the boys of their community who are in the service of their country, and some other clubs are planning to do the same thing for their boys.

W. F. Statser, NTST Student, Enlists in Marine Corps Reserve

W. F. Statser, sophomore from Crowell, is the first North Texas State Teachers' College student to enlist in the Marine Corps Reserve for training with the Candidates' Class for Commission, according to a news release from the college.

Statser's enlistment qualifies him as a private first class on active status, and he will remain in college until he completes degree requirements unless the exigencies of the service necessitate his being called to active duty before graduation. In that event at least six months' notice will be given.

When called to active duty as a private first class he will be given three months of training for a commission as a second lieutenant, Marine Corps Reserve.

The Marine Corps Reserve Candidates' Class for Commission consists of at least three enlistment plans which permit North Texas State students to enlist while on the campus and remain in school from two to four years while preparing themselves for officers' training schools. Last Saturday the college was notified that its curricula had been approved for participation in the Naval Reserve V-1 training program.

A palatability test on safflower meal is being conducted at the Spur substation of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. The three steers used in the test gained 2.14 pounds per head daily during the second 28-day period.

A good milk goat can produce ten times her body weight of milk in a single lactation period, USDA research shows.

London's special schools for the blind and deaf, have 7,500 children enrolled.

food need. The budgetary requirements for public assistance programs in this state or area will be the basis for determining whether or not a food need exists. The following types of cases may be certified to participate in the program on a purchase basis, if they meet the above requirements: Cases receiving, or eligible to receive public assistance; Works Projects Administration cases, whether actually employed on a project or awaiting assignment; Farm Security Administration cases receiving cash food subsistence grants; by special arrangement with AMA cases receiving assistance from private welfare agencies may be referred to the Central Certifying Agency for certification to participate in the Food Stamp Program; general assistance and non-assistance cases may be certified to receive free, blue only, stamps without the purchase of orange stamps, if they meet the eligibility requirements and if the financial resources of the case prohibit participation on a purchase basis at the rates of issuance applicable.

There are two colors of food order stamps; one is orange and the other is blue; each stamp is worth twenty-five cents. Orange stamps may be used to purchase any commodity or product sold in retail food stores and to be eaten by persons at home, except soft drinks, wines, liquors, beers or other alcoholic beverages, or tobacco in any form.

Blue stamps may be used to purchase blue stamp foods, which means foods grown and processed in the United States and found by the Secretary of Agriculture to be in surplus and listed in Surplus Commodities Bulletins, prepared and distributed by the Surplus Marketing Administration. Because the Food Stamp Plan is not a substitute for public assistance, eligible households must buy orange food order stamps in an amount approximately equal to their former purchases of food; then they will be given free blue order stamps enabling them to get at least \$1.50 worth of food for each \$1.00 they spend for orange stamps.

Scout Camporee Will Be Held April 2nd, 3rd and 4th

Jim Polk, Boy Scout Field Executive, announces that there will be a camporee for Boy Scouts of this area on April 2, 3 and 4, at the Hamp Stepp place on the highway between Quannah and Crowell. Scouts should turn in at the frame house just south of the rock house.

Each troop must have an adult in charge, preferably the Scoutmaster, or assistant or troop committee. Each troop must take its own drinking water and water can. Tents will be furnished by the Council, but, for fear that there will not be enough tents, those who have one should take it. Each Scout must have a hand-book. He must have his bedding, four quilts or blankets and cot, if desired. Cooking equipment, including buckets and dishes must be provided for each troop. First aid kits, both individual and troop kits must be had, tools and fire-fighting equipment, such as axes, picks and hoes and old tow-sacks. Each Scout must have an old tennis ball or a rubber ball of some kind, a towel, a flashlight, a coffee can, a rope and a Scout neckerchief.

The program for the first day includes registering, the pitching of tents and a tent pitching contest. The campfire, at which each troop will give a stunt, will be the feature of the evening and taps will be sounded at 9:30.

The activities on Friday will begin with a flap-jack cooking contest. At 10 o'clock, a bee-hive hike, in which prizes will be awarded, will be enjoyed. The boys will cook and eat their dinner. In the afternoon, interesting activities will be carried on until taps, Saturday will be filled with further programs of scouting and the camp will be brought to a close at 2 o'clock.

Gambleville 4-H Club Organized

The girls of the Gambleville community were organized into a 4-H Club at the School Wednesday, March 25. The following officers were elected: Juanita Shook, president; Frances Meadors, vice president; Jimmie Ruth Alston, secretary and treasurer; Sue Solis, reporter; Sue Solis, song leader; Jimmie Ruth Alston and Frances Meadors, bed room improvement demonstrators; Sue Solis and Imogene Porter, gardening demonstrators; Catherine Meadors, sponsor.

Each of the five girl members of the club is buying defense stamps. The club will meet next week with Miss Joellene Vannoy, county home demonstration agent. The meeting dates are each second and fourth Wednesday.

Typhoid Fever Is Preventable

Austin.—"If you have not been vaccinated against typhoid fever within the last two or three years, go to your doctor and be protected against," Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises prospective campers, Boy and Girl Scouts, summer vacationists, and all other users of the open road—as the out-of-doors season approaches.

"Typhoid fever," he continued, "is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the ignorance or carelessness of some individual."

"A carrier is a person who has had typhoid at some time and who even after recovery carries the germs of the disease in the urine and the discharges from the intestinal tract. Carriers who are careless in their personal habits are likely to infect any food they handle with unwashed hands. Some of the most serious and far-reaching outbreaks of the disease have been caused by drinking milk or eating foods that have been handled by carriers. Persons may be carriers without knowing it."

"Typhoid germs are hitch-hikers. They are picked up and spread from person to person by water, milk, flies, fingers, food. Every case of typhoid is contracted by way of the mouth and the digestive system. The State Department of Health and the local health departments can be depended upon to continue their fight against the disease, but there will still be sources of infection that can be warded off only through the protection afforded by vaccination against the disease."

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