

Ration Tokens to Be Put Into Use February 27

The nation's retail grocers will on the use of the new ration tokens on February 27, when housewives will begin to receive them as change in the purchase of rationed food for points.

The present 16 points for meats and fats becoming valid at the beginning of each week roughly equal 64 points a month. Under the new plan 30 points, (three stamps) will become valid at the beginning of each two weeks period, a total of approximately 60 points each month.

Under the token plan each stamp for meat or processed foods, regardless of the printed designation, will have a point value of 10. Sugar is not affected. Tokens will be issued only as change in bona fide purchases, and only enough tokens will be issued as change to reach the value of the number of stamps nearest the point purchase.

Consumers are urged to familiarize themselves with the use of tokens, and to cooperate in every possible manner with the retail grocer in distributing them.

Consumers' war ration books should be carefully safe-guarded. The War Ration Book Four will probably have to last for the duration, and will be difficult to place if lost.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barker left this week for a fifteen day visit with his parents in St. Joseph, Mo. He is being relieved at the station by Roy L. Bagley, who recently transferred here as night operator, relieving Weldon Johnson. The Johnsons have moved to Georgetown, Texas, where he is now serving as Agent for the Santa Fe.

Mrs. J. W. McCoach spent the last of the week in Lubbock visiting her granddaughter Mrs. Royce Graham.

RATIONING CALENDAR

Fire Inspection—Deadline for coupon holders is March 31. For A and C holders, deadline is Feb. 21. Sugar—Stamp No. 30 in book form is good for 5 pounds through March 31. Shoes—Stamp No. 18 in book form is good for 1 pair. Stamp No. 19 on the Airplane Sheet in book form is good for 1 pair. Meats, Fats—Brown stamps B, T, and U are good through February 29. Brown stamp V is good through February 28. Brown stamp W becomes good January 27 and remains good through Feb. 28. Processed Foods—Green stamps H, and J in book form are good through February 26.

County Home Demonstration Agent Employed

Miss Mabel Ann Manley arrived on Friday to take over her duties as Garza County Home Demonstration Agent. Her appointment was announced by Miss Kate Adele Hill, District Agent, Extension Service College Station, and approved by the county commissioners court.

Miss Manley is a graduate in Home Economics from the Teachers' College at Commerce and her home is near Cooper, Delta county. She was one of Texas' outstanding 4-H club girls, and has had several years of teaching experience. Her office will be on the second floor of the court house and she will be organizing girls and women's clubs just as quickly as she can get around to the communities.

Miss Hill spent Friday in Post assisting Miss Manley in getting started and will return to assist her from time to time. Anyone desiring the services of the county home demonstration agent may reach Miss Manley by mail or at her office at the court house.

WAC Recruiting Team To Be In Post Jan. 29-30th

The Big Spring WAC Recruiting Team will be in Post on January 29 and 30 at the Red Cross room. The team will include Lt. Cora Lee Morrow and Lt. Dede N. Cook and two enlisted personnel of the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District sub-station, Big Spring, Texas.

The United States Army Service Forces and the United States Army Ground Forces are asking for more and more women to fill important positions so that men here in United States and overseas may be released for combat. You now have the opportunity to be classified in a specific job according to your civilian experience and know that you will have that job after you complete your Basic Training. In addition to this the United States Army Service Forces are offering to any girl reluctant to go too far away from home the chance to come back to the geographical limits of her own service command for duty after completing her Basic Training.

Rats And Health

In spite of all that has been done to combat the rat, this pest is still mankind's greatest enemy in the animal world. Rats require both food and shelter for their well-being, and they can not persist where either of these elements is lacking. Rat infestation of premises can usually be traced to some condition favorable to the animals, and the removal of this condition discourages their presence and generally means permanent reduction of rat damage.

It has definitely been determined that typhus fever can be spread by infested rats. The rat killing campaign sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and the City of Post should be supported by every business man in Post.

I personally recommend this campaign. Only through thoroughness and cooperation of everyone concerned will this campaign be a success.

BILLY JOE JACKSON DIES MONDAY AT LUBBOCK

Billy Joe Jackson, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson of Lubbock, died Monday from a relapse of influenza and heart complications. Funeral services were held 3:30 Wednesday afternoon in the First Christian church at Lubbock with Rev. H. G. Gantz officiating.

Survivors include two sisters, Laverne and Elouise Jackson of Lubbock, two brothers, Jimmie Bob of Lubbock and James Oliver of the Army, stationed in Atlanta, Georgia.

The Jacksons lived in the Garden community for a number of years. Mrs. J. A. Stallings has been confined to her home with flu this week.

THE 4th WAR BOND DRIVE

A check-up on our Bond Drive Saturday night, Jan. 22, showed we had made a nice start, but what we want you to do is to continue this good work until every person in our county that is able to buy a bond has bought... Let us emphasize the fact that we all should buy bonds if our quota is attained.

If you will only inform yourself as to what our boys at the front has to go thru—then we feel sure you will not refuse to buy a bond. The government is not saking you for a donation but is offering a safe and sound investment.

Please, Please—let us continue to buy bonds and put this campaign over in a way that will be pleasing to our selves, our government, and our boys in the fox-holes at the front.

"Back The Attack"

Acting Chairman, T. R. Greenfield

To the People of this Community YOU ARE IMPORTANT There is no such thing as a "little" investment in the Fourth War Loan. Your \$25 or \$50 or \$100 Extra War Bond may not have great importance in your mind in making up a \$4 billion dollar total for individuals. But multiply yourself by 130,000,000 and then you will see in real perspective how truly great each citizen becomes in massing national strength against the Nazis and the Japs. Capt. Maurice Witherspoon, Navy chaplain aboard the Carrier Wasp when she sank, tells of a rescued wounded sailor, who, as he regained consciousness, asked: "Did I do my best?" That's the only question you, too, have to ask yourself when you decide the extent of your personal participation in the Fourth War Loan. There undoubtedly will be large single purchases of War Bonds in this community, but yours—if it is "your best," will deserve equally the red, white and blue shield you are privileged to display in the window of your home. So "Let's All Back The Attack." THE EDITOR.

William H. Ingram Reported Missing In Action Over Germany

Mrs. Margaline Ingram, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright of Post, received the following telegram Sunday: Mrs. Margaline J. Ingram, Post, Texas.

The Secretary of War desires me to express his deep regret that your husband, Flight Officer William H. Ingram, has been reported missing in action since January eleventh, over Germany. If further details or other information are received you will be promptly notified.

William is a graduate of Post High school. He was very active in football and other sports while in school. His mother, Mrs. W. K. Aldridge, lives in Hobbs, New Mexico.

KARL CAYTON OF LAMESA CANDIDATE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 106TH DISTRICT

Karl Cayton, of Lamesa, who is completing his third term as county attorney of Dawson county is officially announcing his candidacy for the office of District Attorney, 106th Judicial District.

Mr. Cayton is a graduate of Baylor University and has lived in Lamesa for eight years. He will try to contact as many voters as possible personally. His formal statement will appear in the Dispatch at a later date.

Mrs. Jack Burress was called to the bedside of Mrs. Dick Quail's father, T. F. Magness of Petersburg. Mr. Magness has been very ill in the Plainview hospital for several days.

Pfc. Ralph Cockrell of Dodge City Kansas is spending a fifteen day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Vera Cockrell.

New Arrivals...

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Curtzinger are announcing the arrival of a 9 pound baby boy, Jerry Joe, on Wednesday, January 19th. Mrs. Curtzinger is in Floydada with her parents. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Neal are announcing the arrival of a baby boy, Andrew Curtis Neal, Jr., on January 14. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Howell are announcing the arrival of a 7 1/2 pound daughter, Hannah Sue. The new daughter arrived at the Slaton hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartley are announcing the arrival of a 7 1/2 pound daughter on Saturday, January 22.

Committeemen of Triple A Doing Big Wartime Job

N. E. Dodd, chief of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, transmitting the agency's report to Marvin Jones, War Food Administrator, today praised the farmer-elected committeemen organization of AAA as "the spearhead for agriculture's remarkable wartime accomplishments."

Dodd said that the committeemen organization provides "the framework that enables 6 million individual farmers in thousands of farm communities to work together as a team" to solve many of agriculture's problems both in peace and war.

"Without question, the post-war period will bring problems and a need for world-shaking adjustments of a different kind," the Chief said. "Whatever comes, farmers know that when individual action is not enough, the farmer committees have proved themselves an effective framework for joint action."

The report reviews the accomplishments of State, county and community committeemen during the 11 years of AAA programs. In peacetime, the committeemen organization helped farmers solve the problem of unmarketable surpluses through production adjustments and marketing quotas the report states. When war came, Triple-A devoted itself to mobilizing American farmers into "one huge, efficient production machine." The expanded and different needs of wartime were determined and then national production goals were translated into terms which informed each individual farmer how he could make his maximum contribution to victory.

Running through both the pre-war and war periods, Triple-A's soil conservation program has helped to maintain and increase soil productivity by encouraging farmers to adopt soil-building practices, the report stated. Since the AAA conservation program became fully effective in 1937, average crop yields for the 1937-42 period increased nearly 21 percent above the 1923-32 average. More than 84 percent of all the cropland in the U. S. was covered by the 1942 Agricultural Conservation Program.

Pointing out that the 100,000 farmer committeemen carry full responsibility for field administration of the conservation program, the report lists several other pre-war committeemen functions which have continued into the war years. These jobs include administration in the field of such programs as commodity loans, crop purchases, cover-crop seed production and crop insurance.

State and county AAA chairmen also serve as chairman of USDA War Bonds which have administered such programs as farm machinery and supplies, rationing, the issuance of construction permits and farmer applications for gasoline and tires. Responsibility for the functions detailed in the foregoing has recently been delegated directly to the Triple-A committees.

Commenting on plans for 1944, the report said that the farmer committeemen soon will begin the 1944 production goals drive, telling their neighbors of national needs and helping them plan their individual operations in line with requirements for food, fiber and crop oils.

Expenditures of Triple-A for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1943 totaled \$638,709,513, including \$373,212,215 for agricultural conservation payments and \$197,481,980 for parity payments.

MEN WANTED TO HELP CONSTRUCT 166 OCTANE GASOLINE REFINERIES

Men are badly needed for employment in the construction of refineries in the Panhandle vicinity and any person not employed for the next 30 days can benefit themselves and their country by assisting in this work. One hundred high octane aviation gasoline is greatly needed and the refinery in Borger, Texas, is being rushed to completion.

Farmers or farm hands should consult their county agents and draft board, and must have their permission before they will be considered for employment.

WAR BONDS will buy a stake in your country's future!

RAT KILLING CAMPAIGN

The Chamber of Commerce and the City of Post are going to put on a RAT KILLING CAMPAIGN in the business area of Post. We have secured experienced personnel from the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service to supervise the actual placing of the poison and removing unused bait.

In order for this campaign to be a success and of very much value to us, it is going to require your combined and individual cooperation. It is requested of each business to see that his place of business and the alley is thoroughly clean, especially in and around garbage cans. Floors should be cleaned each night and all waste foods and scraps placed out of reach of rats from now until your business house has been treated. Cafes and drug stores are urged to clean up behind fountains and food counters and to see that this food is placed in garbage pails each night before closing.

The City will make daily collection of garbage until the campaign is over. The rats in the city have become a great nuisance as well as destroying thousands of dollars worth of food and feed, scattering insects and possibly spreading diseases.

With a little help and cooperation from all of us most of the rats can be eradicated. Support this move and do yourself a good turn as well as your fellow business-man.

POST CHAMBER OF COMMERCE B. J. Edwards, President

S. A. Morrow, Former Post Citizen, Dies Monday In Ft. Worth

S. A. Morrow, 81, father of Mrs. W. E. Dent and Charlie Morrow of Post, died Monday morning at 1:30 at his home in Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. Morrow was born in Alabama and moved to Texas with his parents when he was a small child. He lived in Taylor county several years and there married Miss Anna Webb. They moved to Garza county in 1907 where Mr. Morrow was active in the construction of many of the first buildings in Post. He was Past Master of the local Masonic lodge and held a lifetime membership in the lodge. He taught the order to many Post boys while living here.

Eighteen years ago Mr. and Mrs. Morrow moved to Fort Worth where several of their daughters lived. Survivors are Mrs. Morrow, seven daughters, Mrs. Ira Connell, Mrs. Homer Huey and Mrs. Ann Griffith of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ethel Everett of Brownsville, Mrs. Itha Elkins of Seagraves, Mrs. W. E. Dent of Post, Mrs. Lillie Brass of Socorro, New Mexico, and one son, Charlie Morrow of Post. Fifteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive.

Bond Premier At Garza Theatre Thursday, Feb. 3

Cooperating in the Bond Drive with all other theatres in the United States—the Garza theatre has scheduled a Bond Premier for Thursday night, Feb. 3 at 9 p. m. Admittance will be by bond purchase only. The picture selected for this first Bond Premier is "Happy Land," starring Don Ameche, Harry Carey and Frances Dee.

An effort is being made at this time to have other attractions for the enjoyment of bond buyers.

To Fight Gas Black Market

A plan whereby gasoline ration coupons are mailed to individual motorists from carefully guarded central issuing stations is now being established by OPA. The plan is expected to eliminate thefts of ration coupons, give OPA a check of issuance, and eliminate a great load from local boards. To further fight black markets, about February 1 OPA will issue a notice urging endorsement of coupons to be inserted in newly issued gasoline ration books.

District Triple A Meeting Held Here Monday - Tuesday

Wesley Stevens, Assistant State Performance Supervisor and Fred Remmels, Assistant Administrative Officer in Charge, of the State Office, College Station, were the principal speakers at a 2-day District AAA meeting at Post January 24th and 25th.

Also in attendance were V. L. Cude, State Committeeman from District Two, and Charles T. Wasson, District Field Officer. Approximately 50 persons attended from the 19 counties comprising District Two, including County Administrative Officers, County Committeemen and County Field Officers.

This convention was held for the purpose of discussing and inspecting various engineering practices to be carried out during the 1944 Agricultural Conservation Program in this District. The first day of the meeting was spent in discussing specifications of earthen dams and reservoirs, with a field trip to inspect locations and completed dams. During the second day Mr. Remmels gave an interesting discussion of the protein feed situation in Texas. Later, Wesley Stevens reviewed the specifications of terraces and a field trip was also made that day to several farms where terraces had been recently constructed.

Garza county has been acknowledged as one of the leading counties in the State in regard to engineering production practices, and, according to George Samson, County Performance Supervisor, this record could not have been obtained except for the 100 percent cooperation of the farmer and ranchers of Garza county with the AAA.

'March of Dimes' Program At High School Tonight

The people who plan to attend the March of Dimes program at the High school auditorium tonight at eight o'clock will be well entertained and at the same time will be helping the infantile paralysis victims.

The program will consist of numbers by both grade and high school students. The grade school will present the Rhythm Band which will play two numbers, directed by two second grade pupils, Isaac Tension and John Bill Evans. The fourth grade pupils will give the play "The Parade of the Years," and two songs will be sung by a group of Mrs. Roy Mullins' pupils.

High school students will give the play "Snoops Scoop." The cast is composed of Percy Parsons, Mary Margaret Graham, Victor Graham, Victor Sweeten, Alma Outlaw, Peggy Sue Robinson, Helen Thaxton, N. W. Stone and Hazel Cash. A string trio composed of David Buster, Jimmy Bird and G. W. Martin will play several numbers. A soloist, Theda Gilmore, who has become popular among the students as a singer, will sing "My Heart Tells Me" and "Shoo Shoo Baby." Two numbers will be rendered by a High school chorus.

There is no definite price of admission but half of all contributions given will be kept in Garza county to be added to the infantile paralysis fund.

Post High To Hold Basketball Tournay Frid - Saturday

A basketball tournament is scheduled for Friday and Saturday in the High school gymnasium. The following teams are to enter: Post, Fluvanna, Ira, Draw, O'Donnell, Southland, Slaton, Wilson and Hermleigh.

Suitable trophies are to be awarded for first and second place winners in each division. We feel that these teams should furnish the public with some good entertainment. We are counting on you to back your home team.

Mrs. H. L. Henderson and Mrs. Buck McLaurin and children of Amarillo are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Duckworth this week.

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LIVING ON BORROWED TIME

The coal miners should heed the words of a Western labor spokesman while they yet have the opportunity to do so. The editor of the Washington Teamster, in commenting on the question of socialized industry, observes that: "Labor recognizes the danger of too much public ownership of industry. It also knows from experience that such government owned monopoly industries are often harsh employers."

The miners have ruthlessly pushed for government ownership of the coal mines. And in the course of several inexcusable wartime strikes, they have temporarily achieved their objective. The mines are largely in the hands of government. If the present state of socialization should become permanent, the miners may as well disband their union.

Unions are an outgrowth of free enterprise. Wherever free enterprise ceases to exist, unions also cease to exist. At present, free enterprise has been throttled in the coal industry. The coal mine operators are no more than hired managers. As a result, whether coal miners realize it or not, their union organizations are living on borrowed time.

The first foreign language newspaper was established by Benjamin Franklin in 1732 and printed in German.

BONDS OVER AMERICA

The homely, honest features of Abraham Lincoln have provided many sculptors with a pattern for their finest work. Notable among these is the Saint Gaudens "Lincoln," in Chicago's Lincoln Park.



Honest Abe

Buy More War Bonds and Hold 'em

Hitler and his strong-arm squads are learning today what Lincoln preached a century ago: "No nation can become great, half slave, half free."



How Boris Died

By Frank Gervasi

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with Collier's Weekly.)

Here is the inside story of how King Boris of Bulgaria died last August, as told to me by Vassil Dimitroff, a young secretary of the Bulgarian legation in Istanbul.

The death of Boris was mysterious. Some said he died suddenly after too many bullets, and others insisted that his death was from natural causes. The truth seems to lie somewhere in between, according to our informant.

Bulgaria, the first to abandon Germany in the last war, apparently was about to repeat the performance just before Italy surrendered. Hitler knows that there is a strong pro-Russian element within Bulgaria, which had gained power and prestige with Soviet successes.

One day, two Bulgarian "doctors" arrived in Istanbul. These men, surprisingly, had diplomatic passports. They visited the Russian ambassador, with whom they lunched and had a long talk, and returned to Sofia the same evening. The next day, Von Papen talked to Nazi Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop on the telephone, and a day later Boris was summoned to Berchtesgaden.

Hitler saluted lean, nervous Boris coldly. It had been Hitler's custom to greet Boris with kisses on previous meetings. Now there were none. In the room with Boris and Hitler were Von Ribbentrop and translator Schmidt, whose services weren't required, for Boris spoke German. Hitler began talking calmly about the German grand strategy, and the benefits which would accrue to Bulgaria in the ultimate victory of the Reich, but Boris looked timidly unimpressed.

Hitler Gets Eloquent.

Hitler talked for two hours. By the time he was halfway through his oration, he had worked himself up into a fury. He pounded his desk with his clenched white fists, shouting that Germany would not tolerate any treachery, that Germany was not only fighting for its own salvation but also for that of all Europe. Sofia, he yelled, would be smashed like Belgrade if Bulgaria's flirtation with Russia continued.

In the finale, Hitler shoved a paper under Boris' nose with the command, "Sign that!" It was an alliance binding Bulgaria to Germany for the duration and specifying that all pro-Russian and anti-Nazi elements within the country should be "purged."

Boris asked for permission to consult his ministers. He was told that this wasn't necessary. Boris said he hadn't the power to sign. Hitler said, "Sign!" and pushed a pen in his hand. Boris collapsed. Hitler's physician, Sauerbach, was summoned. Boris had had a heart attack. He rested for a while and seemed able to talk when Hitler again shouted to him to sign. Boris had a second attack.

Fearful that Boris might die in Berchtesgaden—which would have been the worst possible kind of anti-Nazi propaganda within Bulgaria—Boris was loaded onto a special train in the company of Hitler's own doctor and rushed to Sofia. The king had a stroke on his arrival and died that night, leaving Bulgaria in the hands of the Naziphile Prime Minister Filoff.

Turkey Quitting Nazis.

Hitler has been trying to put the squeeze on another state in the Balkan area—Turkey. By an agreement obtained by Von Papen under threat of invasion in 1941, Turkey is obliged to sell all its chrome to Germany as of October, 1943, when the Anglo-Turkish treaty affecting this valuable mineral expired. The first two shipments, bound for Constantinople on the Black sea, however, were torpedoed by Russian submarines, and it is doubtful whether Germany's commercial treaty with Turkey will greatly benefit the Reich.

That is apparently all right with the Turks, who have been almost completely in the Anglo-American camp.

Money flows freely in Turkey. Everyone seems to have plenty of Turkish liras in Ankara and Istanbul, although the country itself is saddled with the high cost of maintaining a large army and is actually extremely poor.

German Peace Planner.

Von Papen at 70 looks like what he is—the old and blunted tool of German Balkan policy. He walks with his foxy head thrust forward. Lately, Von Papen has been talking freely to Turkish friends about the possibility of the Fuehrer's downfall. He even speaks of himself as Hitler's possible successor.

Canny diplomat that he is, Von Papen has also circulated what he calls his "Peace Plan," which is really a blueprint for a negotiated peace such as the Fuehrer's military of Germany would like to obtain.

ANSWERS BETTER BE GOOD

Secretary of the Interior Ickes, who is also President of the newly organized government-owned Petroleum Reserve Corporation, in a signed article in the American Magazine, which discusses the British oil industry, says: "Every British company is touched with a national interest. . . . As a matter of fact, the British government owns an actual stock interest as high as 50 per cent in some of the corporations that exploit the oil. . . . If the British oil industry and the British government are satisfied with an arrangement that protects the oil interests and assures the British government of oil when it needs it most, why might it not be possible to work out an equally advantageous understanding between the American government and the American oil industry. . . .?"

Right here oil-rattened American citizens should ask some questions—If the British plan of government in the oil business is so successful, why must the United States furnish, as our people have been told, the bulk of the gasoline and fuel oil requirements of the Allies? How has private enterprise in the oil industry in the United States, unhampered by government ownership, been able to do this job, when the British government has failed, according to reports, to develop its known oil reserves? Apparently the British system does not supply England "oil when it needs it most."

Why is here always pressure to get the United States, which has furnished the United Nations planes, tanks, ships, oil and all manner of supplies, as the result

A NATURAL REACTION

OPA officials in New York City should be nearly convinced that housewives have no desire to play detective. In reply to four thousand and personal letters in quest of price checkers, the Manhattan War price and Rationing Board managed to secure eleven women volunteers. Eleven out of four thousand is a pretty poor batting average. According to the OPA, a New York housewife simply does not want to be a "policewoman."

Housewives have always had their own way of dealing with merchants who seek to exploit consumers. Their methods are effective. They just quit patronizing stores that arouse their ire. As a result, this country has perhaps the most efficient retail distribution system in the world. Housewives are satisfied that it is treating them fairly, and that retailers on the whole are doing the best job they can under difficult circumstances. Therefore, why make their task harder?

Elephants, like camels, carry a reserve supply of water with them

of production by private enterprise, to scrap the private enterprise system and adopt a policy of government ownership or partial government ownership of industry, in place of a system that has out-produced all others?

Yes, it's high time the people of the United States started asking questions, and it's high time those who would further extend the domination of government over private enterprise began figuring out some good answers.

Views of Neighboring Editors:

Lubbock Avalanche—Newsweek Magazine recently asked 70 students of public affairs this question: "Who, in your opinion, and the 10 Americans, in government, the Armed Forces or civil life, who have made the greatest contribution of leadership to the nation during the first two years of our formal participation in the war?"

The results were interesting and perhaps, significant. Interesting is the fact that General Marshall, Army chief-of-staff, was named on more lists than was the President.

Perhaps significant was the fact that, among the first 24 names, only two have been closely identified with bureaucracy, Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production board, was placed seventh. Harold Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, trailed along in 16th position. If any one on earth ever was drafted for a job that he doesn't want and would like to relinquish, it is Mr. Nelson. Mr. Ickes, whether he deserves it or not, typifies in much of the public mind all that is worst in bureaucracy.

Thus, it is apparent that one large segment of informed opinion doesn't think too much of the contribution bureaucrats have made, and are making, to the victory effort.

The "first 10" and the number of lists on which their names appeared, follow: General Marshall, 66; Mr. Roosevelt, 63; Secretary of State Hull, 48; Wendell Willkie, 47; General Eisenhower, 41; Bernard M. Baruch, 38; Henry J. Kaiser, 35; General MacArthur, 28; Mr. Nelson, 27; and Admiral King, commander-in-chief of the U. S. fleet, 23. The "also rans" listed John L. Lewis with two votes, one with the notation, "substantially bad."

Lubbock Avalanche— If you have shoes on your feet, clothes on your back, food in your kitchen and a roof over your head, you will subscribe to the Fourth War Loan drive out of gratitude.

Never before was science so full of new and wonderful ideas. Another year of scarcities, and it will be able to make anything from anything.

TRIBUTE WELL EARNED
Producers and retail distributors received a well deserved tribute from the President recently, when he said: "Despite the impact of war demands, domestic distributive channels have been kept open to a great degree. It has not been possible to keep all markets supplied with. All the things we would like to have, but the essentials have been available in sufficient quantity to meet the needs of industry and the consumer."

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POST February 2

1 to 5 P. M. At District Court Room In Court House In Post

Employment will be in accordance with the War Manpower Commission's Employment Stabilization Plan now in effect in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Strayhorn of San and his mother, Mrs. Joe Strayhorn of Snyder, were visitors Mrs. Ed Warren Sunday.

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Never Burn Gas In Closed Room While Sleeping

Austin, Jan. 26—Several recent deaths in the State, resulting from asphyxiation by gas fumes, has brought a warning from Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, upon the importance of proper ventilation.

It is never safe, the doctor stated, to sleep in a tightly closed room with a gas fire burning. Even if there are no gas leaks, the air soon becomes vitiated, and harmful fumes will be inhaled into the lungs.

"When occupying a room in which gas is burning, be sure always to have at least one window or door open, to admit fresh air," Dr. Cox said. "If the weather is too cold to permit leaving an open window in the room occupied, then play safe by opening a door into an adjoining room which is properly ventilated."

Dr. Cox said that he was prompted to issue this warning by the fact that thousands of new residents in the state have formerly lived where wood and coal are burned, and they do not know the actual danger of burning gas, and failing to provide good ventilation.

"Occupying a room heated by an open gas flame, and keeping the room tightly closed may prove disastrous the first time tried," Dr. Cox said. "It's better to take no chances. Always be sure your room has plenty of fresh air."

Mrs. Hayes Holman and daughter, Jerry, of Brady, were guests of Post friends over the week end.

SOUTHLAND NEWS

Mrs. Marvin Truelock, Community Correspondent

The Baptist pastor, Rev. O. E. McGaw resigned Sunday morning, having accepted a full-time church at Welch, near Brownfield. The McGaws have made their home here for more than two years and will be greatly missed. Rev. I. J. Duff has been added to the Board of Deacons for a Pulpit Committee.

Mrs. E. C. Armstrong returned home last week with a relapse from the flu.

Wednesday afternoon the G. A.'s and Sunbeams met for the first time since their Christmas tree. Montzee Cloper assisted Mrs. Jack Oakley with the girl's program; two new members, Edith Cooper and Montinia Cisneros and two old members were present. Alene Cooper helped with the Sunbeams which had six members present.

Sunday Mrs. Nettie Kellum had another severe attack of gall bladder trouble.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McArthur moved to Lubbock.

A. O. Shelton and family of Hackberry moved Monday to the farm vacated Saturday by the Ben Catehing family who moved to Slaton.

Betty Sue Basinger, who is employed at Lubbock, came Monday afternoon to spend a day with her parents, the Heywood Basingers. Betty Sue's roommate is Mrs. J. B. Jones, her cousin wife. Mrs. Jones is receptionist at the Lubbock General Hospital Clinic.

Mrs. Ella Pennell, Mrs. Donald Pennell and children, and Ray Fredrickson spent Sunday in Post.

Miss Edna Marie Doherty of Slaton was a guest of Miss Edna Marie Spence of Pleasant Valley last week.

Sunday the Basinger Hotel Dining Room seated 40 dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Basinger. The guests were (guests of honor) S/Sgt. Wm. Basinger of Kingman, Ariz. and Cpl. Clyde Anthony of Chicago, Ill., grandsons of the host and hostess and the following families: the Heywood Basinger, Alfred Basingers, Bill Winterrows, Albert Basingers of Lubbock, G. W. Basingers, Sam Ellises, Clarence Basingers, Paul Basingers. That afternoon, Mrs. John Draper of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. John Baker of Slaton, all former residents here, called. Everyone appreciates the recent grading of Main street.

Mrs. B. Spence was hostess at a party for the children in her son, Jimmy John's room. Mrs. R. O. Rankin is teacher. The Spence family is moving to a place two miles from the New Mexico line. We hate to see these friends, who have lived here so long, move away.

Edward Lee Samples was a Sunday dinner guest of Calvin Grantham.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Phillips and daughter, Donna, and son, Kenneth are moving this week to the Clarence Basinger farm east of town. This sister of Elmer Watson formerly lived at Sundown.

Sunday afternoon several girls gathered at the home of Mrs. Marvin Truelock, to sing, work jig saw puzzles and play games. They were: Montzee, Alene and Edith Cooper, Virginia Ramsay, Dorothy Cazell and Mary Frances King.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunn and son and the Dillard Dunns spent Sunday in Merkel visiting friends.

Mrs. Joe Childress arrived Thursday to spend several days with her parents, the W. W. Gillilands while her husband is being transferred from Laredo to a school in Illinois, where Pauline will join him.

Roy King and Miss Esther Rexwindel of Bellflower, Calif. were married Jan. 16th in the home of the bride's parents. The young couple expect to make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and son Leslie attended the open-house celebration of the Golden Wedding Anniversary of the F. M. Ferns at Hale Center Sunday.

Mrs. John Draper of Hereford and Mrs. Dave Draper and children of Slaton were Sunday guests of the W. W. Gillilands.

Sunday dinner guests of the Grady Kings were Mr. and Mrs. Roy King and Clyde. They visited the Harry Kings that afternoon.

Mr. Duff sponsored the Junior party at the Gym Friday night. Those attending were: Jiey Morris, Doris and Mildred Nelson, Polly and Harvey Stotts, Mary Jane Hampton, Ruby Ruth and Robert Becker, Eldon Lancaster, B. H. Thomas, Jack West and Wilmoth Hewlett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whited, Mrs. Everett Samples and son Edward Lee, Mrs. Harry King and daughter, Mary Frances, Mrs. Buford Spence saw the parade in Lubbock Saturday.

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Wacs In India



DELHI, INDIA—A sacred cow stretched prone in front of a bazaar tepee shop here affords much interest and amusement to (left to right) Capt. Elizabeth Lutze, Sheboygan, Wis., WAC; Lt. Sally Dean, WAC, Battle Creek, Mich., and Flight Officer Margaret Maude, WAAF, London, England. The three perform their duties at the headquarters of the South East Asia Command of Lord Louis Mountbatten.

Southland Boys In Service

Harvey Smallwood, who is still stationed in Hawaii, sees the Denton boy quite often.

Saturday Mrs. J. B. Jones received a letter from her husband who is now a staff sergeant and is still in Hawaii.

A week ago Cpl. Clyde Anthony who is stationed at Chicago, Ill., arrived here to visit his grandparents, the E. M. Basingers.

Friday Sgt. William Basinger, gunnery instructor at Kingman, Ariz., came to visit his parents, the Alfred Basingers.

Fred Fletcher writes from India that he now has the job of running the movie projector for their camps six nights a week, which leaves him only one free night.

Mannel Truelock, seaman 2/r, left Sunday for Seattle, Washington, via San Francisco where he is to visit friends. He spent 20 days with his parents, brother and sister, relatives and friends in Post and Lubbock.

Mrs. L. W. Tauton, daughter of the L. J. Duffs, received a letter from Sgt. Tauton that he is moving to Illinois.

Charles Luttrell is spending his ten day furlough with his wife and baby in the Lee Davis home. He is being transferred from Laredo, Texas to Salt Lake City, Utah. His father, Charles Luttrell, Sr., of New Mexico spent Sunday here with him and his family.

POST HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Hazel Louise Cash, Reporter

Senior Personality:

Personality of the week is Jeff Justice III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Justice of Justiceburg. He is on the annual staff and had a lead in the Senior Play. Jeff makes excellent grades and a great future is in store for him.

Guess Who??

She is a winsome blonde with blue-green eyes. She is on the basket ball team as forward and is going steady with a Senior. She is a Sophomore and makes good grades. Well, need I say more?

Miscellaneous . . .

Basketball Tournament in Post High Gymnasium Friday and Saturday.

The March of Dimes program will be held in Post High Auditorium Thursday night at eight o'clock.

Chatter!

Has Betty gotten over "that" crush at last? Everyone hopes so. Cute Couples . . .

Miggie Graham and Gerald Norman.

Jeff Justice and Mary Robertson.

Norma Hudman and Cline Lemley.

Iris Parker and Alvin Davis.

Pinky Edwards and Alvin Davis.

Joy Shepherd and W. L. Crider.

Ganelle Babb and W. F. Cato.

Dustin Sweeten Writes From Somewhere In England

Jan. 5, 1944

Dear Editor: I am writing you to see if you can help me. I came from Post and would like to hear from some of my friends. I haven't received any mail so far. There is nothing that I would like more than to get some letters. I will guarantee to answer all letters.

I am in the Field Artillery and I have been in the Army for about nine months and haven't had a furlough yet. I like England alright but it rains too much here and it is very cold. I will close now.

Sincerely,
Dustin W. Sweeten

Kenneth Lynn is spending his furlough here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lynn. Mrs. and Mrs. Lynn had fourteen out-of-town guests for dinner Sunday. They were from Sudan, Bula, Littlefield, O'Donnell and Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luttrell and little daughter went to Colorado City Monday for a few days visit with his mother. They were accompanied by Lee Davis.

Mrs. E. Z. Parr is visiting this week in Dallas with her daughters Mrs. Bill Rackley, Evelyn and Dorothy Mae Parr.

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Bob Warren

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Help your company meet its quota in this 4th War Loan! Display the red, white and blue emblem at home. It means that you are backing up the 4th War Loan by buying extra Bonds now.

Remember, a \$100 Bond costs only \$75. You get back \$4.00 for every \$3.00 you lend. So back up your fighters—help your country—assure your own financial security for the future. Buy Bonds—buy now—buy more!



Let's All BACK THE ATTACK!

BRYANT-LINK COMPANY

Miss Helen Mack Hume, student of Texas Tech and student assistant in the Registrar's office, was the week end guest of Miss Helen Jo Hundley, a student at McMurry, Abilene, who was home for the week end.

Bill Childers of San Diego, Calif., attended the funeral of his brother, Ed Childers, which was held Thursday of last week.

Bolivian Leader



LA PAZ, BOLIVIA—Victor Paz Estenssoro, leader of the coup by which the government of General Enrique Peñaranda of Bolivia was overthrown. American diplomats are watching political developments in several other South American countries.

WAR BONDS will bring our fighting men back home sooner.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for January 30

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JESUS USES HIS POWER TO HELP

LESSON TEXT—Mark 4:35-41; 5:25-43. GOLDEN TEXT—Why are ye so fearful? How is it that ye have no faith?—Mark 4:40.

Help—that is what man needs, and nothing but the power of Christ will suffice to meet his fears and sorrows. Christ appears in Mark as not only the matchless Teacher of the parables we have just studied, but the mighty Worker.

This is the Gospel in which Christ is presented as the Servant of Jehovah, who came to use His infinite grace and power for our deliverance.

Two great fears gnaw at the vitals of man's existence. Life is full of awful dangers, and death is so dreadfully final and sorrowful. He is afraid to live, and afraid to die—apart from his faith in Jesus Christ. We find the answer to both these fears as we here see—

Jesus' Power Overcomes I. Fear of Life's Dangers (Mark 4:35-41).

The long day of teaching had ended (v. 35), and the disciples carried out His request that they go to the other side of the lake to rest. Just "as he was" they departed, and before long the tired Jesus was asleep. We know how He felt, and what is even more blessed, His knows how we feel when we are tired.

As He slept, a sudden storm (common on the Lake of Galilee) brought deathly fear to the hearts of His disciples. For the moment they saw only the angry waves, the smallness of their boat, and the hopelessness of their situation.

Had they forgotten Jesus? With Him in the boat, they had no reason to fear. They called on Him, and in His majestic and authoritative "Peace be still" the wind and waves recognized their Master's voice.

Should we not learn that in this day of fears and alarms, we may (if we are Christians) count on His presence and His power. If we look at the overwhelming waves of circumstances and think how frail we are, surely our hearts shall fail us for fear. But if Christ is with us, we are in no danger.

Now they were struck with awe at His power. "Sometimes the deliverances wrought by our Lord so reveal His presence and power that His followers are more deeply moved than they were by the perils which threatened. Whether mastering the storm, or standing unseen in our midst today, He appears to the eye of faith, clothed in divine energy and power" (Erdman).

II. Fear of Death's Deep Sorrow (5:25-43).

Trouble is a visitor in every home, it does not matter how securely that home may be founded upon wealth or social position. Frequently, death chooses a shining mark in taking a dearly beloved child. Children strike their roots deep into our hearts and when they are torn from us our whole beings are rent and convulsed. Such was the great storm of sorrow which had come upon the home of Jairus, leading him to make the brave step of faith and hope which brought him to Jesus.

Then as Jesus turned to go with Jairus a woman touched Him. He stopped to seek her out and commend her for her faith. The seeming delay must have greatly troubled Jairus, particularly when the servant came and informed him that he need no longer trouble the Master since his daughter was dead. Not infrequently we have similar experiences, where it seems that while God has promised to help us, He has been turned aside and has forgotten us. The psalmist in Psalm 42:3 cries out, "My tears have been my meat day and night, while they continually say unto me, Where is thy God?"

Our Lord was not troubled at all by the message of the servants of Jairus, but He showed His thoughtful consideration of the father by reassuring him with the words, "Fear not, only believe."

Everywhere fear blocks the way of human peace and progress. Divine wisdom offers a remedy for it all—only believe. We excuse our lack of faith by the conditions which confront us, but none of us face conditions worse than those which confronted Jairus. His daughter was dead and he was told to believe! He obeyed and his faith was rewarded.

When He said, "The child is not dead, but sleepeth," our Lord did not mean that actual death had not taken place, but He meant that in the sight of God death is like a sleep. In the eyes of Christ spiritual death was undoubtedly far more terrible than physical death. A man may be physically alive and yet being spiritually dead be worse off than a man who, though physically dead, is spiritually alive.

After putting forth the scouring scourer, the Lord performed a miracle by simply speaking to the child and saying, "Little girl, arise."

Here then is the Lord who can overcome every fear, in both life and death. Is He not the one we need as our Saviour?

Squinting Through A Periscope

with ALFALFA ALF

Education must be awful expensive. All the papers what I wrote for told me if I expected them to keep printing what I wrote I simply would have to get educated, at least learn to spell. I told them if it was spelling they wanted instead of philosophy they could change it to suit themselves and take the cost out of my pay. So this week I got bills for \$1.19 more than my pay came to. If everybody that writes for papers does that good for them they should be getting rich. I'll either have to get educated quick or strike for more pay.

It seems Congress is wasting a lot of time arguing over the Soldier vote. We can't conceive of anybody objecting to our boys voting while in service, but there is a big objection to Washington naming the qualifications of voters in all states, henceforth and forevermore. If they would pass an emergency bill, for the duration only, allowing the vote to the soldier who was a qualified voter at the time he or she, entered the service, or, if he becomes of age after entering the service and could otherwise qualify in his respective state, we believe the opposition would be negligible.

We heard a story not long ago of a grim tragedy that illustrates the dire consequences of any considerable let down on our home front. A young soldier in the South Pacific, with his trusty rifle and unerring marksmanship, was successfully stopping the Japs who were trying to rush him in his foxhole. While he was methodically picking them off as they came in range a Sergeant snatched the rifle out of his hands and started away with it. "Sarg, why are you doing this? You are leaving me unarmed and at the mercy of those sneakers." "Sorry, Buddy," replied the Sergeant in a husky voice, "The guy who bought this rifle wants his money back." That could have been your own son. Won't that cause us to hold on to our War Bonds until the direst necessity forces us to part with them. And doesn't it cause us to want to buy more Bonds to replace the ones our neighbor may be forced to turn back. We have that opportunity right now. Let's back the attack to the limit of our ability by buying Bonds and Keeping the Bonds.

We are old-fashioned enough to believe that a man should be a man, straight forward and honest under all conditions. And we are not gullible enough to believe, in all cases, the saying, "he is too big a man to be guilty of sharp practices." This is just a preamble to our assertion that we have little use for the radio commentator or newspaper columnist who praises the character, genius and strategic ability of one of our top ranking Generals until some person, probably unauthorized, mentions him as good political material to contest said columnist's friend, then turns and by subtle methods and innuendos attempts to smear and discredit him. Maybe we don't have to read his column or listen, but how else can we prevent being sneaked up on.

Saving Originals of Famous Newspaper Copy

Because, as FPA says, "Nobody ever wrote anything too good to print in a newspaper," Prof. Max R. Grossman, head of the department of journalism at Boston university, finds himself in a quandary.

Professor Grossman has long been disturbed by the fact that the original manuscripts of much of America's best writing are thrown away. "From the day of 'Publick Occurrences' (1690) to the present time," Professor Grossman declares, "nobody has tried to save the valuable original copy of stories written by reporters who later emerge as famous authors, playwrights, and novelists."

Boston university hopes to establish a manuscript museum in its department of journalism which, ultimately, may become part of an "Archives of American Journalism." This manuscript collection will comprise the original copy of great and important news and feature stories, editorials, columns and the like—memorabilia containing the "sweat marks" of the author and of the copy desk. Editorial cartoons and newspaper sketches will also have an important place in the collection.

Friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Belle Fairbanks, who is a patient in the Lubbock General Hospital, is convalescing satisfactorily and soon will be able to return home.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GIVE FIRST AID TO TREES, SHRUBS

First aid for thousands of trees and shrubs damaged by recent ice storms over the state is necessary if these plantings are to regain their natural shape and beauty.

Broken branches, split branches, bent branches, and wounds all require different treatment, according to the horticulturist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. Where the weight of ice and snow causes branches to break several feet from the body, a form of pruning will help. The hanging limb should be removed at the point of the break. Then select a side branch between the break and the body of the tree and cut the stub off at this point.

Authorities say usually split branches will not "grow back" even though they are tied in place. These should be removed at the body of the tree, and no stubs should be left. All splintered and rough edges should be smoothed off before wound paint is applied.

White or orange shellac makes a good wound paint. Or a mixture made by heating together eight parts (by weight) of resin and three parts of boiled linseed oil may be used. The paint should be applied to the bark ring and hardwood area.

Less serious damage may include bent branches which do not return to their original position. These may be pulled back into place and held by wire to other branches. Or, horticulturists say, a portion may be pruned.

Shrubs such as arborvitae which have been disfigured by the weight of ice may be sheared. That is, two to six inches of outside growth may be removed from the entire surface. This usually is a February operation, but can be done now without further injury to the plant.

Coleman Browning Stationed In Northwest Africa

Leta Browning received a letter from her husband Coleman Browning saying he was now in Northwest Africa. His letter in part:

"Well we got here o. k. Never lost a man. I can't write much about the crossing but it was really a mess. Lots of the boys got seasick but I was one of the lucky ones who did not. We crossed on a very large boat and there were lots of boys on it. It has rained every day since we arrived. Be sure and send me Hoy's address as I may see him soon."

TO THE CITIZENS OF GARZA COUNTY

I wish to announce to the citizens of Garza County my candidacy for the office of Treasurer of Garza County. Let me express to you my thanks and appreciation for your loyalty and support. I have tried to conduct the business of the office in an efficient manner and feel that my experience in the work will qualify me to do the job even better in the future than in the past.

I solicit your vote and influence in the July Primary and assure you that I will do my utmost to justify your continued confidence that you have heretofore placed in me.

IRENE RODGERS

TO THE CITIZENS OF GARZA COUNTY

In this issue of The Post Dispatch I take this opportunity to announce that I am a candidate for County and District Clerk of Garza County, subject to the Democratic Primaries.

I should like to contact each individual personally, but because of existing conditions, a house to house canvass will be impossible.

I realize the importance of keeping the County Records accurate, and if elected, I shall strive to serve in the capacity as Clerk to the best of my ability and for the best interest of the citizens of Garza County.

Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

RAY N. SMITH

Two Garza Men Receive Promotions At LAAF

The Lubbock Army Air Field recently announced the promotion of Sidney Smallwood to Private First Class, from Justiceburg, James M. Bunker was also promoted to Private First Class.

LAAF is an advanced pilot training school, a part of the Nation-wide Army Air Forces Flying Training Command. Located on the flat plains of West Texas, it was early chosen as an ideal location for the intensive training necessary to equip cadets, who come here from basic training, as pilots of the Army's "ant fortresses, Mitchells, Marauders, and other multi-motored ships now spreading destruction on enemy installations in all theatres. The Commanding Officer is Col. Ralph E. Holmes, a command pilot with 17 years experience in the Air Forces.

"Single" Question Vexes Authoress

THOUSANDS of women who have found congenial and profitable employment will eventually have to answer the pertinent question:

"What doth it avail a woman if she is reasonably personable, fairly successful, lives as she prefers to live—and is unmarried at thirty?"

Ruth Lyons discusses this matter in an article in the November issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine. Discussing a tea engagement with three women from her home town, she says:

"Sooner or later, one of them looks at me—with the certain smile that invariably goes with the statement—and says: 'So you never married.'"

"And there it is. My accomplishments are suddenly of a great nothingness. My smart suit and amusing hat are all at once merely the riddly substitutes to satisfy an emotional hunger; my charming apartment, the barren nest of a frustrated old maid. Or so their eyes tell me."

In the article the writer points out that the unmarried woman regardless of her preference for single blessedness, is somehow regarded as a social anomaly.

"Most unmarried women are in a delicate position," she states. "Society seems to resent the fact that these creatures have not fallen into the normal pattern of two by two and one to carry. There always has been, to my way of thinking, something a little ghoulish about the immense amount of morbid curiosity directed toward the genus spinster."

Extend Sale of Ration-Free Shoes

Sales of certain (chiefly novelty types of women's shoes, ration-free, at three dollars or less a pair, have been extended an extra week—through February 3, OPA has announced.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

Mrs. E. A. Warren
SOCIETY and LOCAL EDITOR
Phones 111 and 116J

Reports of all social and club meetings will be appreciated. All reports should be turned in not later than Tuesday 6 p. m. each week.

MAHON HOMEMAKERS
MET WITH MRS. IRIS
MAHON JANUARY 20
The Graham Homemakers club in the home of Mrs. Iris Mahon Thursday Jan. 20. The noon was spent visiting. The meeting will be with Mrs. Norman Thursday, Feb. 3. Refreshments were served to the following members: James Nettie Seay, Vivia Dav-Lola Peel, Dovie Young, Min-Wright, Ada Mae Tucker, Annie Wallace, Pearl Wallace, The Hoover, Naomi and Mae man, Myrtle Cox, Bernice Post, Alma McBride, Rene Pitt and the hostess. —Rep.

Avon Dunlap Visits Mother
Avon Dunlap was home Christmas and got an extension during the illness of his mother. On his return to Norman, Oklahoma, where he has been taking special training in metal smith work, he was transferred to Norfolk, Va. for advance training. He likes his work very much and is always glad to hear from folks back home. His address is: Edgar A. Dunlap, S 1/c (AM), A B A T U, Hut G-8, Breezy Point, NAS, Norfolk, Va.
Men get pearls from oysters, but women get diamonds from nuts. —Rep.

MRS. L. G. THUETT, JR.
ENTERTAINS MERRY MAKERS
CLUB ON JANUARY 18TH
The Merry Makers club met on Jan. 18 with Mrs. L. G. Thuet, Jr., with Mrs. L. P. Baker as co-hostess.
It was decided at this meeting that everyone who drew for club pals were to pay their dues and have the club when their time comes.
Delicious refreshments were served to fourteen members and two visitors.
The club met on Jan. 25 with Mrs. Tom Williams as hostess. There were seventeen members and two visitors.
Miss Mabel Ann Manley, County Home Demonstration Agent, met with the club and gave a very interesting talk. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.
The club will meet with Mrs. J. F. Brandon on Feb. 8. —Rep.

Hopkins - Herd
Wedding Held In
Amarillo, Jan. 18
The wedding of Miss Joyce Hopkins and John T. Herd of Post was solemnized in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Amarillo at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, January 18, with Bishop E. C. Seaman performing the single Ring ceremony.
The bride is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Hopkins of Miami, and the bridegroom is a son of Mrs. H. B. Herd of Fort Worth. The couple was attended by Mrs. Jack Henry of Floydada, sister of the bride, and G. W. Connell of Post. Mrs. Henry wore a light grey ensemble trimmed with red.
The bride, given in marriage by her brother, C. D. Hopkins of Stamford, wore a two-piece suit of aqua blue with white gloves, dark brown accessories, and small hat with brief veil. Her corsage was a single white orchid, and she carried a white prayer book.
An informal reception for the wedding party and close friends was held in the junior ballroom of the Herring Hotel at Amarillo. The long table was centered with a pink and white floral arrangement and three-tiered white wedding cake. Several guests attended from Post.
Mrs. Kenneth Henry presided over the bride's book and Mrs. W. A. McSpadden poured coffee. Mrs. Howard E. Smith of Austin, Mrs. John Lewis of Floydada, Miss Melzie Chronister of Dallas, and Mrs. Ralph Arnold of Perryton assisted in the serving.
The couple left on a short wedding trip of unannounced destination.
Mrs. Herd has been employed with the Amarillo Globe-News for the past three and a half years. Mr. Herd is a prominent banker and rancher of Post.
After Feb. 1, Mr. and Mrs. Herd will be at home in Post.



GENE RAY IRVIN HONORED
ON FIFTH BIRTHDAY
Gene Ray Irvin, nephew of Mrs. Tommy Anderson and Mrs. Nola Brister, was honored on his fifth birthday Wednesday, Jan. 19 with a party given by Mrs. Tommy Anderson.
After a series of games directed by Winifred Anderson and Sue Bynum, gifts were opened and refreshments were served to El Wanda Davies, Billy and Sue Bynum, Paul and Naomi Wright, Ann and Detman Mullins, Dura Ann Hughes, Charlotte Brown, Billie Marie Williams, Treva Faye Boyd, Tommy Malouf, Sonny McClellan, Mary Ann Hundley, Anita Kennedy, La Rue Stevens, Sue Bell Brister, Jimmie Richards, and Winifred Anderson.

NAZARENE CHURCH
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Evening service.
NYPS 7:15 p. m.
Preaching 7:45 p. m.
Wednesday evening prayer service 7:30 p. m.
Rev. A. T. Moore, pastor

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
"The Little Church With A Big Welcome"
Grayson C. Tension, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching Service 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Preaching Service 8 p. m.
Prayer Service Wednesday evening 8:00 p. m.

First Baptist Church
R. C. Tension, Pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Training Union 7 p. m.
Monday: W.M.S., 3:30; G.A.'s RA's and Sunbeams 4 p. m. YWA 8 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:15 p. m. Choir Practice 8 p. m.
Mrs. Della Justice returned from the Dallas market last week end.

FOR the inclement weather ahead the black or tan capekin-leather jacket above, as shown in the November Good Housekeeping Magazine will come in handy.

POST P-TA HAS INTERESTING MEETING JANUARY 13TH
Thursday, January 13th the Parent-Teacher Association met at the High school for the first program of the New Year.
Mrs. J. A. Stallings introduced Ramona Tension who played piano selections. Mrs. Ray Smith presided in the absence of Mrs. J. E. Parker, president. L. J. Bearden introduced Miss Ruth Haggard who discussed "The Father's Place in the Education of the Child," and Rev. R. C. Tension who discussed "Religion in the Child's Life."
Miss Bonnie McMahon's room won the prize for the primary section; Miss Haggard's for the intermediate; the Seniors for High school.
The next meeting will be Feb. 10, and will be the Annual Founder's Day Program. A tea will be given in the Home Economics department following the program. Members are urged to attend this program. —Reporter

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL
FOR FIRST SEMESTER
Seniors— Betty Jane Travis, 96.66; Mary Margaret Graham, 95.75; Jeff Justice, 95.50; Betty Williams, 95.50; Johnnie Ruth Cato, 93.75; Wilma Dixon, 93.75; Mary Margaret Duckworth, 92.25; Cecil Trull, 92; Jamell Buster, 91.75; Doris Kirkendoll, 91.33; Alene Gerner, 91.25; Zora Ann Outlaw, 91.20; Melba Miller, 90.75.
Juniors— Norma Joy Hudman, 93.75; Bobby Cash, 93.40; Carrol Bowen, 93.25; Ellouise Dodson, 93.20; Don Shirley, 92; Iris Joy Parker, 91.75; Harvey Mason, 91.60; Wanda Thomas, 91.25; Billie Jane Robinson, 90.75; De Alva Darden, 90.
Sophomores— Joy Shepherd, 95.25; Alarah Pierce, 92.75; Mary Etta Norman, 92.50; Leona Hulsey, 92; Nora Joy Blacklock, 90.50; Jimmie Chandler, 90.50.
Freshmen— June Taylor, 93.25; Vernon Lusk, 91.50.
Eighth Grade— Helen Thaxton, 94; Viola King, 93.71; Edith Williams, 93.57; Winifred Anderson, 93.57; Binnie Ann Bowen, 92.71; Billie Louise Nichols, 92.28; Marjorie Beth Edwards, 91.22; Jane Anne Turner, 90.42.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET WITH MRS. BEN WILLIAMS MONDAY
The Presbyterian Missionary Society met Monday with Mrs. Ben Williams. Several members were absent on account of illness. There was a discussion of Stewardship with Mrs. A. C. Surman as leader who substituted for Mrs. W. E. Dent who was called to Ft. Worth on account of the death of her father. Plans were made for the World Day of Prayer.
The next meeting will be a Prayer and Praise Service in the home of Mrs. D. C. Williams. —Reporter

NEEDLECRAFT CLUB
The Needlecraft club will meet Friday, January 28, at 3:30 p. m. with Mrs. J. B. Faulkner.

PRISCILLA CLUB
The Priscilla club will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. with Mrs. Victor Hudman.

Steel Springs For Furniture
In about 60 days, steel springs for upholstered wood furniture will be on the market, according to the War Production Board. Manufacturers may use a limited quantity of steel springs under a new W. P. B. ruling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Howell of Carlsbad, N. M. attended the funeral of Ben's uncle, Ed Childres last week. They also visited a few days with homefolks before returning to Carlsbad Tuesday.

FRY'S

SPECIALS for FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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Grade School News

Miss Bonnie McMahon, Reporter

Honor Roll for the Third Six Weeks:

First Grade—Maudie Fay Ray, Dora Ann Hughes, Don El Dale.

Second Grade—Isaac Tennison, Treva Boyd, Katharine Luce, Joy Laverne Martin, Willie Ann Mathis, Watella McClellan.

Third Grade—Ina Jean Cato, Carolyn Cummings, Bobbie Dickson, Jimmy Ferguson, Bobby Joyce Henderson, Judith King, Ross Morrow, Charles Osborne, Darrell Stone.

Fourth Grade—Ann Mullins, Ann Gates, Billy Lee Smith.

Fifth Grade—Mary Nell Bowman, O. K. Bowen, Robert Tennison, Mary Ann Hundley, Anita Kennedy, Barbara Lewis, Annie Mae Pierce.

Sixth Grade—La Vonne Ferguson, Elsie Jane Sheppard, Charles Bower, Sue Bell Brister.

Seventh Grade—Ramona Tennison, Junior Malouf, Sue Bynum, Elsie Verna West, Fay Ruth Hamilton, Marjorie Freeman.

Assembly Programs

Mrs. Brister's third grade students had the assembly program on January 14. Three students dramatized the story "Epaminondas." It was quite entertaining. The story was read in class and planned for dramatization by the students. Darrell Stone played the part of Epaminondas, Ina Jean Cato was Mammy, and Charlotte Brown was Grandmammy.

Mrs. McRee's sixth grade entertained in assembly on Jan. 21. They gave a play entitled "Tom Buys War Stamps." The following students were in the play: Charles Bowen, Verna Dell Long, Bobbie Pennington, Sue Bell Brister, Wayne Thomas, Jimmie Light.

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Pointing out that potentially merchant seamen are among the nation's most convincing "ambassadors of good will," Capt. Edward Macaulay, deputy administrator of the War Shipping Administration, announced that United States merchant ships carry army guide books explaining the life and customs of countries touched by the vessels.

The War Shipping Administration obtained 60,000 guide books from the army covering nine countries: Australia, Egypt, Great Britain, India, Iraq, New Zealand, New Caledonia, North Africa and Syria. The books have been packed, three sets to a ship, in the regular ship library kits prepared by the American Merchant Marine Library association and will be placed aboard all merchant vessels touching New York, New Orleans and San Francisco.

Captain Macaulay explained that the impression natives of many countries get of America is created by our merchant seamen who enter these lands as civilians and are not under military control or supervision. "In many cities," Macaulay said, "the only American civilians to be seen may be merchant seamen. Their conduct may be used as a gauge by the natives to measure their esteem for Americans as a whole."

Germ Proof Air

Bacteria and viruses that cause colds, influenza, pneumonia and other airborne diseases may be banished from American homes, factories and other buildings after the war! This striking possibility, holding forth the promise of a sharp reduction in the amount of airborne infections, is revealed in the announcement of experiments conducted in the Technological Institute of Northwestern University, dealing with the use of propylene and triethylene glycol vapors in the control of airborne infection.

It has been known for some time that propylene and triethylene, when introduced into small test chambers, display dramatic power to kill bacteria in the air. How this laboratory knowledge could be tested and applied in large rooms, involving the question of ventilation, was the problem that focused the attention of the Northwestern scientists.

C. A. Jackson and son, James, of Carlsbad, N. M. were visiting in Post for several days. C. A. had the misfortune of getting his foot badly crushed.

SPOT NEWS PICTURES . . .



FROM JEEPS TO TEN-TONNERS—American Red Cross Motor Corps volunteers in Washington, D. C., take a final test in Jeep operation as two Army officers give pointers. Upon completion of an instructor's course Motor Corps members can operate any vehicle, and give it road repair too.

PLAN LARGE SCALE R. A. F. BOMBER OPERATIONS



ENGLAND—Air Chief Marshal, Sir Arthur Harris, (center) is shown with his staff studying maps and reconnaissance photos as they plan a huge scale R. A. F. bombing raid over enemy territory. Berlin has been steadily bombed and other industrial centers are being hit hard.



PACKAGES REACH PRISON CAMP—Here a group of American prisoners of war held at Stalagluft III-B, in Germany, is shown with cartons of American Red Cross Prisoner of War Packages. One package weekly is distributed to each American prisoner.

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We wish to express our deep appreciation for the help and kindness shown us during the illness and death of our loved one, your sympathy and kindness shall always be remembered and may God's richest blessings be yours.

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Weekly Sports News

By Victor Sweeten

Post's basketball teams bounced back into the win column over the week end with victories over Fluvanna, Draw and Post Independents.

In the first game it was Post girls matched against Fluvanna with Post winning in an 18-0 rout. Post took the lead and added to it all the way and the outcome was never in doubt. Post's stars were Miller, who was high scorer with seven points, and Carpenter who played a terrific game at guard.

Next Post boys played the winner of the Draw-Fluvanna game which was Draw. This game only lasted sixteen minutes but during that time Post's superiority was obvious; the final score was 12-16 with Stokes emerging as high scorer with six points.

Next came the games with the outsiders with Post winning both of them—the girls in the opener by a score of 14-4 and the boys in the nighttime 12-11.

Post girls have carved out a rather imposing record with seven victories and only three setbacks. The boys on the other hand, have done reasonably well winning nine and falling into defeat five times. They have to their credit four victories over the fast Post Independents headed by Altman and Riddle. The independents are not satisfied with the outcome of their latest skirmish with the Post team and are issuing a challenge to meet them again sometime in the near future.

WAR BONDS . . . buy them first—then buy what you need.



Japan's Resources

By Max Hill

(WNU Feature—Through special arrangement with The American Magazine.)

We hear a lot about Hitler's Fortress of Europe, but seldom about Japan's larger, and vastly richer, Fortress of Asia. Yet, if you could shuffle the lands of the earth around as you do pieces of a jigsaw puzzle, you would find that Hitler's empire could be tucked away in far less than half of the area that Japan now rules.

Emperor Hirohito's domain is larger than continental United States, and he has more than he can use of many vital war materials which are so scarce here that our scientists are on day and night shifts trying to find practical substitutes. It is the richest natural area in the world, and its resources transformed Japan overnight from a poor relation among the world powers into an empire that spreads from the cold of the northern Pacific to the tropical heat of the Indian ocean below the equator. And a determined enemy is welding this conquered region into a war machine that, given time, will dwarf the military might of the other end of the Axis at its command.

The areas which Japan either captured or just walked into and took over, amount to some 3,100,000 square miles and contain fabulous quantities of war materials. All of it was taken in the first few months of the war, and since that time we have been able to recapture not much more than 20,000 square miles.

Germany does have one important advantage over her Pacific ally: She is looting a continent which already was industrial; Japan's conquests, for the most part, were in an area predominantly agricultural and primitive. Japan must fight a war steadily growing more serious for her, and at the same time build the war plants to handle the plenty that is there for the taking. She is somewhat like the burglar trying to tote off more than he can carry.

Plenty of Oil

As to resources, let's take oil first, as one of Japan's most necessary raw materials. Before the war, Japan stored up millions of gallons of the oil she bought from us and from the Netherlands East Indies. Then she struck, and you may be sure she didn't start out empty-handed. Tokyo's radio boasts that she now has approximately 70 per cent of the Indies oil wells back in production.

The Indies produce less than one twenty-fifth of the oil flowing from American wells, about 2,500,000,000 gallons each year. But Burma has oil wells, too, and I am told by sources I know are reliable that the Japanese program for this year is to store 42,000,000 gallons of oil, just put it away for the future. Even so, they are at work at home, taking 3,500,000 barrels of oil each year from the Manchukuo shale fields, extracting oil from coal, experimenting with oil from sardines (or glycerine, and with oil from soya beans, boiling pine-free stumps for another type of oil, and—most important of all—building synthetic oil plants.

The synthetic plants, which are scattered throughout the empire, are the big question mark in Japan's oil production. Some of them use German patents; others a process invented by the Japanese themselves. We have never been able to locate all of them or find out how much they are producing.

Rubber, Tin and Quinine

Oil is only the beginning of the riches of the Indies. This great region also produces one-third of the world's natural rubber; one-fifth of the tin; 90 per cent of the quinine, so valuable in tropical fighting; and extensive deposits of nickel, bauxite (from which aluminum is made), manganese, gold, and silver.

But Japan can put all of these riches in a side pocket and forget them, with the exception of the nickel on the island of Celebes, and look with greedy eyes on the rest of the conquered area.

Including the Indies, this empire produces 98.5 per cent of the world's natural rubber and 90 per cent of the world's tin. Two million tons of ore high in iron content are dug out of the Malaya mines each year, and the Japanese are now supposed to be busy on a plant to smelt this ore near Singapore.

We read frequently of the difficulties Japan has with her shipping, but you never hear any mention of the American tonnage it takes to bring tin from Bolivia, halfway down the west coast of South America, and inland, a much longer haul than the Japanese have.

The enemy has 80 per cent of the world's tin; we have about 15 per cent, which is what Bolivia produces, and by agreement we have to split most of that with England. Do you wonder, now, at the almost desperate plea of the government that we save our steel tin cans?

Harvey Gilmore Taking Flight Training in Missouri

Aviation Cadet Harvey Glen Gilmore recently arrived at the 309th Army Air Forces Flying Training Detachment, located at the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics near Sikeston, Missouri, from the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center where he received his pre-flight training. During his stay at this detachment Cadet Gilmore will undergo a course of instruction in the primary phase of the Army Air Forces flying training program. This course includes academic, military, and physical fitness work as well as elementary flying instruction. Upon completion of his duties in Missouri he will be transferred to one of the basic flying schools in the Central Flying Training Command for more advanced work.

Previous to his entry into the Air Corps Cadet Gilmore attended Post High school. He is the son of Mrs. E. L. Gilmore of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Storie, Jr. and little daughter and Mrs. Scott Storie were in Lubbock Monday where they went for a medical check-up for the baby, who has just recovered from pneumonia.

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Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company



There are two kinds of farming. One is wasteful farming although farmers have not called it that or even recognized it as such. Let this kind of farming use the soil because our minds are completely centered on getting cash return for crops at the end of the season.

Men who do the other kind of farming are the ones who are trying to keep their topsoil from going down the river. These men are the ones who expect to live on their land for a good many years to come. They do not expect to move somewhere else. Perhaps their sons will farm this land after them. Each year these men use every method they can hold the land and build its fertility while they plant and harvest their crops and make their living. This is permanent agriculture.

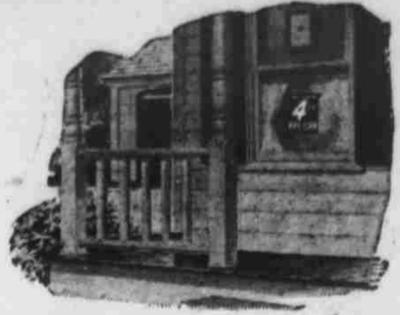
The people in the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District have begun to develop a permanent agriculture. They have a long way to go before they succeed in mak-

ing farming so sound and good and durable that their families can go on living here successfully and happily for many years to come. They may have much to do but they know it. They have the idea and are working on it.

During the past year the farmers and ranchers in the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District did a lot of work to save the soil and store the water that is needed to make a good crop.

From January 1, 1943 to January 1, 1944, the following work was completed in the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District: Terrace lines run, 693.7 miles; terrace grader work, 533.5 miles; building up old terraces, 75.5 miles; contour cultivation on 22,887 acres; strip cropping on 25,131 acres; crop rotation on 25,032 acres; controlled grazing on 68,999 acres; contour furrows and ridges on 125 acres; planting new permanent pasture and range, 53.5 acres; drainage ways-channels, 1601 reeds; stock ponds, 25 with 49.5 acre feet; new silos, 34.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
 vs. Raymond Earl Kirkendoll

MEETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the date being Monday the 28th day of February, A. D., 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Garza County, at the Court House in Post, Texas.

Ease Restrictions On Plumbing

Consumers who wish to buy plumbing, cooking, and heating equipment in most cases no longer need authorization from WPB. Some of the items which need no priority rating are—bathrooms, lavatories, toilets, laundry trays, sinks, showers, shower stalls, condensation pumps, chemical toilets, drinking fountains, septic tanks, grease interceptors, flush tanks, scullery sinks and wash fountains. Unrationed cooking and heating stoves also may be purchased without WPB authorization.

Promoted To Rank of Corporal

W. G. Brannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brannon of Post, was given his silver gunner's wings and promoted to the grade of corporal when he completed the flexible gunnery course for radio men at the Yuma Army Air Field this week. Prior to his training in flexible gunnery, Corporal Brannon graduated from the Radio Operators and Mechanics School, Sioux Falls, South Dakota. He is a graduate of Post High School.

The Fourth War Loan is on! Every farmer, every rancher in America is called to the greatest offensive yet . . . the buying of more War Bonds than he has ever bought before.

There are lots of other places we could be putting our money, sure! And there are lots of other places our boys could be than in foxholes and slit trenches. But none of those other things we'd rather be buying or doing amount to anything right now. The boys are doing their job. We've got ours to do to take every cent we can scrape together and buy War Bonds with it!

And what a lot of sense it makes, after all. War Bonds are the safest and best

financial reserve ever offered us. We will have buildings to repair, machinery to replace, and improvements to buy later on. Where's the money coming from if not from today's earnings? And where's the money coming from for that long vacation, for the children's education, for the new car?

Take a look at the types of War Bond investments that are offered. Pick the type that fits your particular needs. And then write out the biggest check you can and order Bonds today from your postmaster, your bank or your Production Credit Association. You will look back on this day as the *wisest* day you ever lived!

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Western Musical In Color Coming To Garza Theatre

Another great new Paramount musical, in Technicolor, co-starring Dorothy Lamour, Dick Powell and Victor Moore, is due to show next Wednesday and Thursday at the Garza Theatre, with Gil Lamb, Cass Daley and Milt Britton and his band, when "Riding High" is one of the merriest film musicals ever made, a whiz-bang of a Western, glorified with gorgeous girls, peppy tunes, eye-filling costumes . . . all that and in Technicolor, too!

It tells the hilarious story of Victor Moore, a counterfeiter, who tries to elude Sheriff Gil Lamb and play Cupid to Dottie and Dick Powell at the same time. Dottie has the role of an ex-burlesque queen who returns to Arizona because her father has become part owner of a silver mine. Dick is the other owner, but the mine hasn't been able to operate without money. That's where Moore and his counterfeit lettuce come in.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Tomlinson of O'Donnell transacted business in Post Monday.

Clara Herring visited with his mother in Plainview Wednesday. She has been quite sick but is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Marie Truelove of Dallas spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ed Warren. Mr. Truelove and Ed Warren are stationed at the same Navy base in the South Pacific.

Jack Martin and Mrs. Faydell Johnson, of the local soil conservation office, attended a district meeting in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Sgt. Joe Moss is visiting with friends in Post.

War Bonds will guard against a post-war depression.

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Political Announcements

All political announcements are accepted for publication strictly on a cash-in-advance basis.

The Dispatch is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Garza county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

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For County and District Clerk:

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For County Treasurer:

IRENE RODGERS
(Re-election)

For County Attorney:

V. J. CAMPBELL
(Re-election 2nd Term)

**For District Attorney
106th Judicial District:**

KARL CAYTON
Of Lamesa, Dawson County

Mrs. S. C. Caldwell returned home last week from Stamford where she had spent the past two weeks at the bedside of her father, John Furr of Jayton, Texas. Mr. Furr died January 14 in the Stamford hospital after an illness of two months. Death was the result of a heart ailment. He had visited in the Caldwell home a number of times in recent years. Mrs. Furr accompanied her daughter here to spend a few days before going on to visit other relatives on the South Plains. Other relatives visiting the Caldwell home after the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. McCombe and Mettie Lee Caldwell of Marfa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hyde returned from Fort Worth and Dallas Friday. Mrs. Hyde was at market where she bought new spring apparel for the Steven's Style Shop.

Buy a War Bond Today!

PLEASED WITH TEST RUN AT SEA



Official U. S. Navy Photo

The skipper of the mighty French battleship Richelieu, (name not supplied) chats with the British and American Liaison officers aboard his reconditioned vessel during a recent test run at sea. The ship, damaged in battle at Dakar, now is back in place at the head of the Free French Fleet fighting with the Allies. She was repaired at a U. S. port and her fire power is bigger than before.

EMPLOYEE SHOULD KEEP SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

"Recently a number of persons have come into the Lubbock office, requesting duplicate Social Security account number cards, stating that when they started working, their employers had kept their card," said Ertan Tate, manager of the Lubbock office of the Social Security Board.

The number on the social security card is the number of the wage earner's social security account. It is necessary that the employer keep a record of the person's name and number as shown on the social security account number card, but an employer should not keep the card itself for his record, since this is the property of the wage earner.

The unnecessary expense of assigning duplicate account number cards could be avoided in such cases if employers would return the account number card to the employee as soon as they have made a record of the name and number. Tate suggested.

Pvt. Elmer L. Hill would like to get in touch with Post boys. He has been in the service since Dec. 29 and is stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif. His wife, the former Gene Foreman, is working in Los Angeles with the Cal shipyards as timekeeper. Elmer's address is: Pvt. Elmer L. Hill, 39718867, Bat. C. Bldg. 6307, 56th St. 12th F. A. TNG Regt., Camp Roberts, Calif.

Mrs. R. C. Smiley and baby moved to Slaton last week.

Junior Haws is visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Haws.

WANT-ADS

CLASSIFIED RATES
First insertion, 2c per word; subsequent insertions, 1c per word. No ad taken for less than 25c, cash in advance.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and apartments, private baths and garages, reasonable prices—phone 52J. Colonial Apartments.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Leonard Electric Refrigerator. See Homer McCrary at Greenfield Hardware.

Young Hens For Sale—50 White Leghorn, 15 Rhode Island Reds and 15 White Wyandottes at \$2.00 each. Hatched April of last year. See Mrs. J. A. Bird or phone 909-F11.

FOR SALE—First Class Milk Cow. Giving 3 gallons now. Bangs Tested. Will be fresh in May. See Lee Dodson. 1tp

FOR SALE—7 Room House In South Post. See N. J. Lamotte. If

FOR SALE—Monuments. Any kind or price. See me for quality stones. Marvin Hudman.

FOR SALE—Good windmill, tower, sucker rod, 80 ft of 2 inch pipe and 150 ft. 3-4 inch pipe. See A. T. McCampbell, Rt. 1, 5 1/2 miles Northwest of Post. 4tp

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED! 500,000 rats to kill with Ray's new improved rat killer. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Guaranteed at Post Feed & Fuel. 206

WANT TO RENT—Might pay 12 months rent in advance for 3 or 4 room modern house in Post on pavement with option to buy same in 90 days at a set price. Will consider suburban acreage. Improved for chickens. Might trade equity in 200 acre farm for grass. Deeded or lease. S. J. Bozeman, Rt. 1, Muleshoe, Tex. 3p

Typewriter and Adding Machine Ribbons, Adding Machine Paper, Carbon Paper. Dan Cockrum.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this way of thanking our many friends for their help and kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband, father and brother, May God's richest blessings rest upon each and every one of you is our daily prayer.

Mrs. Edward E. Childers
Sgt. and Mrs. Elvin W. Childers
Loyce Childers, Rosemary Childers, Betty June Childers, Patsy Jo Childers and Jerry Don Childers and G. W. Childers, W. W. Childers, Mrs. Della Glass and Mrs. G. W. Brannon

Piggly Wiggly

FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS

ORANGES TEXAS POUND 8c

FRESH— POUND— LARGE— POUND—
CABBAGE 5c PECANS 45c

GRAPFRUIT TEXAS POUND 6c

LIBBY'S FRUIT— NO. 2 1/2
COCKTAIL 35c

KRISPY— POUND—
CRACKERS 19c

POST— LARGE—
BRAN FLAKES 14c

SUGAR PURE CANE 10 POUNDS 65c

ASST. FLAVORS— BOX— EATWELL— CAN—
JELLO 7c SARDINES 14c

WELCH'S— 1 LB. JAR— CARNATION— LARGE—
GRAPELADE 22c MILK 9c

Peanut Butter QUART 45c

Post LUCKY STRIKE— CAN—
TOASTIES VIENNA SAUSAGE 12c

8c LUCKY STRIKE— CAN—
POTTED MEAT 6c

UWANTA— 1 LB. CAN—
CHUM SALMON 21c

TOMATOES NO. 2 11c

IVORY— MED.— CAMAY— BAR—
SOAP 6c SOAP 7c

OXYDOL LARGE 23c

MARKET SPECIALS

SALT JOWLS POUND 17c

SLAB BACON A GRADE POUND 32c

Pork Chops POUND 33c

BEEF ROAST POUND 28c

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT ANY ITEM IN STORE

Piggly Wiggly

IMPORTANT TAX REMINDER

If you have not already paid your 1943 City and School Taxes, don't forget to pay them in January. After this month Penalty and Interest will be added. If you still owe any delinquent taxes, now is the best time to pay them off too, for you are entitled to take credit for all taxes paid when you make out your Income Tax returns.

W. F. PRESSON, Tax Collector, City Hall

GARZA

FRIDAY - SATURDAY Jan. 28 - 29



Chester Morris as "Boston Blackie"
"The CHANCE Of A LIFETIME"

Sat. Nite 11:30 Jan. 29-30-31
SUNDAY - MONDAY



HE'S WHISTLING AGAIN!
Red SKELTON
chases blues and clues in the newest and most uproarious of all his "Whistling" laugh hits! It's Red-roarious! Sky-high Skelton fun!
WHISTLING in BROOKLYN
with ANNE RUTHERFORD • ROGERS
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--- WEEK JAN. 28 --- FEB. 3 ---

TUESDAY Feb. 1

Again By Popular Demand!
Cecil B. DeMille's

"UNION PACIFIC" - "WAHOO"

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY Feb. 2 - 3

DOROTHY LAMOUR
DICK POWELL
VICTOR MOORE
IT'S A ROARING RODEO OF FUN, MUSIC AND LAUGHTER!
Heep heep songs!
Heep heep squaws!
Heep terrific!
in Technicolor
You'll all be singing the great tunes . . . with Dotty and the gang!
"RIDING HIGH"
A Paramount Picture with
Gil Lamb-Cass Daley and Milt Britton AND BAND
Directed by GEORGE MARSHALL