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Low Zero Local Area

chilling blasts swept in Sunday and Monday people shivered with portions of the state.

coldest weather here 1939, so weather observers placed at various

placed, with perhaps one reliable dropping down zero. Another registrer, Lubbock reported

tenants reported pipes when the thaw from heating stoves

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of 50 new garments by the local branch of has been announced Stark, chairman.

needed by the local and all women were urged to contact the regular meeting Wednesday.

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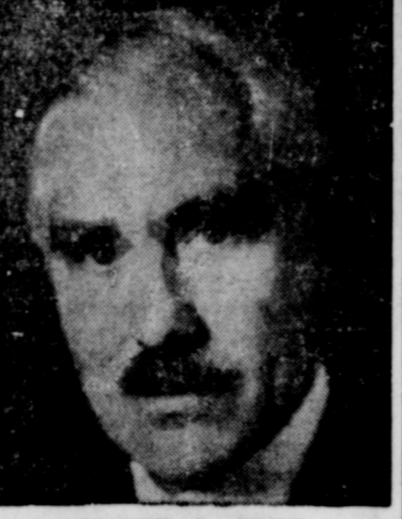
Joseph C. Grew Warns Half-Effort Will Not Defeat Japan

By JOSEPH C. GREW

United States Ambassador to Japan until the outbreak of war, and author of "Report From Tokio."

WASHINGTON, D. C.—In describing one of the big air battles over Guadalcanal a recent newspaper account tells of an American flyer who parachuted from his crippled plane to the waters of Lunga Bay. The Navy craft which picked him up next went to the rescue of a Japanese pilot seen struggling in the water nearby.

The Japanese are pawns of a senseless but mighty militarism—a warrior caste which is ruthless and cruel beyond comprehension.



JOSEPH C. GREW Says It's Fight to Finish

From the flood of eye witness accounts of atrocity and bestiality one fact shines clear. We must utterly crush that machine and caste and system. If, however, we Americans think that collectively and individually we can continue to lead our nor-

mal lives, leaving the spirit of self-sacrifice to our soldiers and sailors, we shall unquestionably run the risk of a stalemate with Japan. I do not have the slightest doubt of our eventual victory. But I do not wish to see the period of our blood, sweat and tears indefinitely and unnecessarily prolonged.

This is a total war, the only answer to which is a total American victory. It is a war in which half measures of any kind mean incredible waste of material, energy and human life.

Workmen Hired And City Plans Regular Street Cleaning; Stores Urged To Assist

Many Worry Over Unsliced Bread

Are you among those fortunate persons possessing an old-fashioned bread knife? Then you're the envy of those now having to use butcher knives, paring knives, pocket knives, hacksaw blades and other cutting utensils to slice bread.

Don't blame your baker—your government has ordered the change in bread handling which caught many of the younger generation napping.

One young lady was heard asking an older person Monday on the art of slicing bread evenly because her slices started thinly and wound up much thicker—so much so they wouldn't pop out of the toaster.

Rat Eradication Is Planned Here Soon

A rat eradication in O'Donnell aimed at present for just the four-legged variety, was assured Tuesday noon when members of the Rotary Club voted to sponsor such a drive in O'Donnell within the next few days.

Poison has already been brought through the County Agent J. C. Smith, who in turn is working with the district agent. Full co-operation is to be given local citizens.

While few homes here are believed to have any rats around their places, many business houses are infested, and bait will be placed. It is planned that similar drive will also be needed within one month of the first poisoning.

Several of the property owners here have used their own methods to eliminate rats, but their actions were nullified because rats from other places would soon infest the places so poisoned, and the job would have to be done over again with like success.

Rotarians are to have charge of the drive, and should have complete plans made by the next issue of the Press in order that the public may be informed of the places to be poisoned.

It is necessary that the drive have the co-operation of all business places.

DOUGLASS BALLEW LEAVES FOR NAVY INDUCTION

Dougllass Ballew, who only recently enlisted in the "seabees" branch of the navy, left Tuesday for the state of Virginia where he will be "processed" and sent to quarantine.

Mrs. L. E. Daniel was a business visitor in Tahoka last Friday.

him for advice and information on hog cholera as well as all other agricultural problems.

In a special meeting of the city council, attended by an appointed committee from the Rotary Club, plans were outlined for the cleaning of streets in O'Donnell, and to hasten the work the city fathers hired Pete Lopez as a regular workman.

The street cleaner, so the council members say, keep the streets clean of all trash weekly, and the co-operation of each business place in town is urgently requested. A few business places have made it a practice to sweep paper and other trash into the streets and alleys, and according to the council, such practices must be stopped.

A measure of co-operation will be asked at first by the council, but should this not prove practical, other measures such as calling in the state health department will be invoked.

"We have been criticised by many people on the condition of the streets and our statements that labor was scarce, and co-operation on the part of the business places needed, were unheeded by many, so now we're taking the stricter route and intend to see that these state health laws are observed," one council member declared.

THANK YOU Our thanks to Harvie Jordan for his Press renewal and also for his brother Andrew Jordan who is with the Coast Guard in Groton, Conn.

Sgt. and Mrs. Hulon Bolch were in Lubbock Thursday.

Opportunity! Join the WAVES The Navy needs women to be trained for specialized jobs. You may be just the one to release a man for sea duty. INQUIRE TODAY Clip and mail the coupon below for booklet containing full information.

Nazarenes Plan Memorial Service

The Church of the Nazarene will have a memorial service Sunday, Jan. 24, in honor of the founder of this church, Rev. C. C. Montandon.

Rev. Montandon came to O'Donnell, leaving a church with a fair salary and well established church, and with the true pioneer spirit of our early Christian preachers, started the work here.

With a life of devotion to his calling, and several other churches established to his credit, his health finally gave way, and on Dec. 30th he passed to his final and glorious reward.

He is missed by all who knew him, and the cause of Christianity lost one of its most ardent defenders. Brother Montandon lived at Waurika, Okla., at the time of his death.

TO DALLAS Miss Jessie Jean Long went to Dallas Wednesday, where she will visit relatives and she will probably remain there where she will work. She was a mid-term graduate of the local High School.

TUESDAY CLUB Mrs. E. T. Wells will be hostess next Tuesday to members of the Tuesday Bridge Club.

THE SUN may be shining, but there's a lot of cold weather ahead!

Buy These Bargains In WARM JACKETS SWEATERS WORK CLOTHES and GLOVES FOR 1-3 Off THOMPSON'S TOGGERY

Hog Cholera Prevention Methods Are Explained By Lynn County Agents

Tax Collector Here On January 28-29

For the conveniences of taxpayers of O'Donnell and vicinity, a deputy tax collector will be stationed in O'Donnell on Thursday and Friday, January 28-29 for the purpose of collecting county, state and poll taxes, so R. P. Weathers, assessor-collector of Lynn county, announces.

By sending a collector to O'Donnell, Weathers is serving this section well, and allowing all to conserve on gasoline and tires which would be needlessly used in making a trip to Tahoka for the payment of taxes.

CLASSIFIEDS

TO TRADE—Chevrolet pick-up for coupe. Line-Lambert Grocery.

SEE ME for fruit and nut trees. Ben Moore.

LOST or STOLEN—My "C" ration book. Dr. J. F. Campbell.

FOUND—at my place. Dark, mottled, coming two year steer. Owner may have same by paying feed bill and by describing other identification marks. C. B. Morrison, 3 miles South Newmoore.

FOR SALE Ford "A" coupe. See Mack C. Bradley at Ellis Chevrolet Company.

STATED MEETING NIGHT A. F. & A. M. LODGE NO. 87 Each Thursday Night Each Month W. E. Tredway, Worshipful Master Ben Moore, Secretary. VISITORS ARE WELCOMED

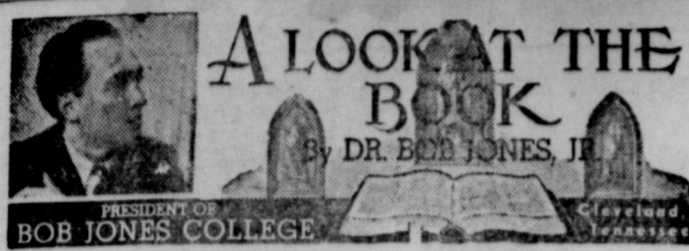
Amount of Victory Tax Deductible from Weekly Wages of Selected Amounts and Amount of Net Victory Tax After Deduction of Credits

Table with columns: Weekly wage (gross amount), Gross Victory tax, Single person—no dependents, Married person—no dependents, Married person—two dependents. Rows show values for wages from \$12 to \$100.

The credits may be taken currently or after the war. They amount to 40 percent of the tax for married persons, 25 percent for single persons, and 2 percent for each dependent. They may be taken currently and will be based on (a) payments of premiums on life insurance policies in force on September 1, 1942; (b) payments of old debts; (c) net purchase of War Bonds.

Your Druggist DIDN'T START THE WAR! So don't blame him when you can't always get the goods you want. Neither can he. And don't blame the druggist when he asks for return of used metal tubes, or when he can't KEEP OPEN LATE HOURS, or when he can't deliver or give all the services he once gave. Our government won't allow this any more—to save tires, gas, materials and labor for the war effort.





There is no tragedy like the tragedy of a missed opportunity. The world is filled with people who are failures because they failed to take advantage of an opportunity. There are men who had a chance to get an education but who failed to avail themselves of it and who, therefore, have never been able to realize their full possibilities since their minds are untrained and their talents undeveloped. There are others who failed to grasp opportunities suddenly thrust upon them whereby they might have secured fortune and prominence. Shakespeare has this to say about opportunities:

There is a tide in the affairs of men, which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune; Omitted, all the voyage of their life is bound in shallows and in miseries.

Some men are more fortunate than others. They neglect the first opportunity, and they are given another. To some men opportunity after opportunity is offered and none are taken advantage of. Sadder of all neglected opportunities is the opportunity of salvation. God gives a man a chance to prepare for eternity, and he neglects it. Sometimes in His divine mercy innumerable opportunities

—Released by the Gospel Fellowship Association

**T. HANES IS NON-COM**

Field, Miss., Jan. 20.—Private T. Hanes this week became commissioned officer at this

important air base in the south when he was promoted to the grade of corporal. Corporal Hanes, son of Charles D. Hanes, Route 2, O'Donnell, Texas, entered the service at Fort Bliss in February, 1942.

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**W. S. OF C. S. HOLDS PLEDGE SERVICE**

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. J. P. Bowlin, with Mrs. A. H. Koeninger as co-hostess on Monday, Jan. 17, for the Pledge Service.

The service was opened by a song. Mrs. Gates led in prayer. Mrs. Hollowell led the devotional, followed by group singing.

Mrs. Ervin Jones gave "A New Earth Wherein Dwelleth Righteousness" from the "Methodist Woman."

Mrs. Hollowell and the group in unison read, "Litany For The Spirit of Love and Service."

The pledge cards were signed and handed to the treasurer after which refreshments were served to Meses. Garner, Lindley, Gates, Warren, Moore Sr., Ballew, Edwards, Curtis, Pickens, Moore Jr., Coffee, Hollowell, Hal Singleton Sr., Jones, and Miss Ruth Van Meter and the hostesses.

Co. Supt. Lenore Tunnell of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart visited here last Friday evening. Mr. Stewart is a civilian instructor in Ballinger and Mrs. Stewart joined him there this week to make their home.

Mrs. W. A. Holman of Big Spring was a business visitor here last Friday.

Mrs. L. T. Brewer was in Lubbock Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Gardenhire and her new grand-daughter.

**"It Takes Both"**



It takes an Isbell and a Hutson... a Sammy Baugh and a Dick Todd to form a forward pass combination. It takes both... War Bonds and Taxes to provide the necessary finances to win this war—a war for freedom and humanity. Are you doing your part?  
*(U. S. Treasury Department)*

**DORCAS S. S. CLASS SOCIAL**

Mrs. J. T. Middleton Sr. was hostess last Friday when she entertained members and guests of the Dorcas class.

After the devotional, a business meeting was held.

Games and contests were enjoyed. A delicious refreshment plate was served at the tea hour.

Guests were Mesdames George McDonald of Abilene, and W. T. McDonald of Lemesa; members were Mesdames Huff, Emerson, P. A. Mansell, C. H. Mansell, Yandell, Smith, Hancock, Haney, Vermillion, Shaw, Earles, Burns and McDonald.

**TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB**

Mrs. Guy Bradley entertained Tuesday Club members in her home this week for the weekly party.

In bridge games, Mrs. C. L. Hafer won high, Mrs. Wm. G. Forgy bingo and Mrs. Charles Hoffman low.

Others playing were Mesdames Noble, Hughes, Henderson, Robinson, and Jordan.

Mrs. Waldo McLaurin and Mrs. J. T. Middleton were in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. W. L. Palmer, Mrs. W. A. Emerson, Mrs. Fay Westmoreland, and Miss Yvonne visited in Hamlin last week with Mrs. Palmer's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sumrow and sons were visiting in Lubbock Saturday.

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Plenty of Parking Space At . . .

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Specials for Friday and Saturday Jan. 22-23

**Crackers** Two Lbs. **25c**

PICKLES . . . . . Dill . . . . . qt. 22c

JELLY, all flavors . . . 2 Pounds . . . . . 25c

POP CORN . . . . . Jolly Time . . . 2 cans 25c

**All-Bran** Kellog's 2 for **25c**

CLEANSER . . . . . W. P. . . . . 3 for 13c

MILK, Carolene—It Whips . . . . . 3 tall cans 25c

**SYRUP** Tex. Special 1 gallon . . . **65c**

PEAS, Empson's June . . No. 2 can . . . . . 2 for 35c

SAUSAGE SEASONING, Old Plantation . . 1 pkg. 25c

SALAD DRESSING . . . 1 Quart . . . . . 35c

**FLOUR** Tulia 48 lbs. **\$1.75**

CHILI . . . . . 1 Pound Block . . . . . 25c

PORK CHOPS . . . . . 1 pound . . . . . 37c

HAM HOCKS . . . . . Pound . . . . . 22c

**OYSTERS and FISH**

**1942 Taxes Are Now Due!**

All property owners of Lynn County are called upon to pay their 1942 taxes as quickly as possible. Payments now will greatly facilitate work in this office during the usual rush period.

All citizens between 21 and 60 years of age are required to pay a poll tax. This payment must be made when other taxes are paid.

Please remember that penalty and interest will be charged on all taxes after February 1st.

**R. P. WEATHERS**

Assessor-Collector, Lynn County

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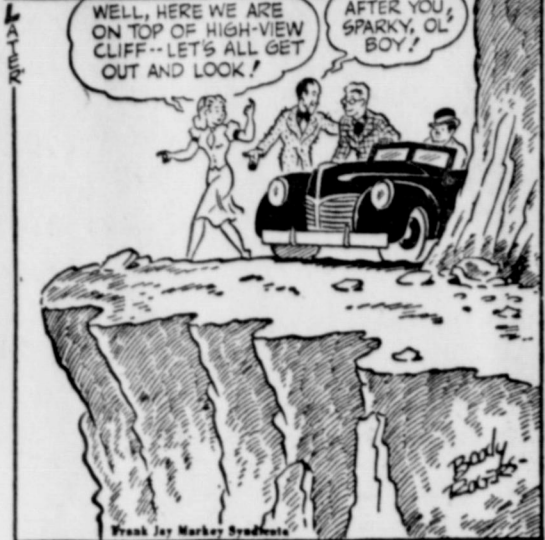
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PRIVATE BUCK  
By Clyde Lewis

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The World at Its Worst

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

CLIPPING

SITS, STIFLING YAWNS, AND WISHING CALLERS WOULD GO

STARTS UP OUT OF CHAIR HOPEFULLY AS CALLER SAYS THEY REALLY MUST BE GOING

REMAINS SUSPENDED IN MID-AIR AS WIFE URGES THEM TO STAY LONGER AND THE MATTER IS DEBATED

SINKS DOWN AS EVERYONE SET-TLES BACK FOR 'JUST FIVE MINUTES MORE'

JUMPS UP AGAIN WHEN AT THE END OF A QUARTER HOUR, ANOTHER MOVE TO GO IS MADE

SITS DOWN, SIGH-ING INWARDLY, AS ONE OF CALLERS IS RE-MINDED OF A LONG STORY

AT NEXT MOVE—JUMPS UP AND FORESTALLS ANY DELAY BY SAYING 'HELL GET THEIR COATS'

STANDS HOLDING COATS INTERMIN-ABLY IN HALL AS WIFE, AT LAST MINUTE, DISPLAYS HER KNITTING, ARMS GET VERY TIRED.

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MANY DOCTORS RECOMMEND

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Great Year Round Tonic

When Your Back Hurts  
And Your Strength and Energy is Below Par

It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling. Sometimes frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning is another sign that something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.

There should be no doubt that prompt treatment is wiser than neglect. Doan's Pills. It is better to rely on medicines that has won country-wide approval than on something less favorably known. Doan's have been tried and tested many years. Are at all drug stores. Get Doan's today.

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### Learning a Swimming Aid



(RFB-MA-51)  
These four members of the WAAC are learning how to use a barracks bag as a life preserver. At a southern Women's Army Auxiliary Corps training center, they jump into a swimming pool, bringing the mouths of the bags smartly down upon the water so that air is forced into them. Thus inflated, the bags will support the swimmers for a considerable time.

Mrs. J. A. Edwards and Joyce and Mrs. John Vermillion visited in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Jones and two children moved to the Elliott Harris home this week.

### Collision Results In Drunk Charge

(From The Lynn County News)  
A young white man was arrested and placed in jail Saturday night on a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor after the car he was driving had collided with a Mexican's truck parked in front of a Mexican cafe in the building formerly occupied by Calvery's hatchery.  
No one was in the truck at the time, it is said. The impact knocked it a distance of twelve or fifteen feet, according to Deputy Sheriff

### CECIL L. McDANIEL GRADUATES FROM ARMY TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Gulftport Field, Miss.—Pvt. Cecil L. McDaniel, formerly of Route 1, O'Donnell, Texas, has been graduated from this Army Air Forces Technical Training Command School for airplane mechanics and is ready to take his place on the far-flung service lines of this global war wherever the biggest American planes are based, at home or abroad.  
He has received a course of intensive training to fit him for his important task in this war.  
In private life, Private McDaniel engaged in agriculture at O'Donnell. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McDaniel.

### — SCRAP THE AXIS! —

Arthur Hodge, and greatly damaged it. The car was practically demolished but the driver was not seriously hurt, receiving only some flesh wounds on the face and possibly some bruises. No physician was available at the time.  
The accused made bond and was released from jail Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell visited in Midland Sunday.  
Mrs. T. Garrard and her father, R. L. Tubbs of Lubbock, visited in Coleman Sunday.

Mrs. William Edward Singleton Jr. of Kansas City, Mo., has been a visitor here in the Singleton home this week.

Mrs. Homer Hancock was in Lubbock Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Ballew, the latter is in Abel Sanitarium.

James Hash Jr. arrived here this week from California for a visit with his wife and other relatives before entering service.

LOST—Pink key ring with one key. Had Burton-Dodson, Haskell, Texas on it. Please leave at Corner Drug.  
Do your part! Get in the SCRAP!

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**WHITESIDE'S LAUNDRY**  
PICK-UP AND DELIVER  
Better Service!  
Leave Bundles or Notify  
**Everett Barber Shop**

**ANNOUNCE DAUGHTER'S BIRTH**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gardner announce the birth of an 8 pound daughter Mary Beth, born Saturday, Jan 16th, in a Lubbock hospital.  
They have one other child, a son.  
Mrs. Gardner is the former Miss Mary Frances Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudson daughter, Elva Jo, are new students here from Rochester. They will reside on the Mansell farm.

**TOWNSEND'S**  
Flowers for All Occasions

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Free Removal of Dead Animals  
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### Here's How You Can Help

1. Shut off parts of the house not in use.
2. Do not keep your rooms too warm. Train yourselves to become accustomed to lower temperature.
3. Refrain from using the range oven for room heating.
4. Keep your heating equipment in top-notch condition.
5. Install insulation, storm sash, weather stripping, and caulking if possible.
6. Use a low blue flame for cooking, cook vegetables in as small an amount of water as possible, cook more one dish meals, and keep burners clean.

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Highest Cash Prices Paid For EGGS! Get the Cash and Trade  
Where You Please!—Cash Buys Groceries Cheaper!

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FRIDAY, Jan. 22 -- End ???**

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The safe easy way  
to get clothes clean

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27c **21c**  
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PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 Heavy Syrup . . . . . 25c  
PEANUT BUTTER . . . Full Quart . . . . . 43c  
CRACKERS . . . . . 2 lb. box . . . . . 20c

SPUDS Idaho Russett 10 or Colorado pounds **25c**

MATCHES, True Americans . . . . . 6 boxes 25c

**SOAP SPECIAL**



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We Lead . . . . .  
Others Follow

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WE LEAD, OTHERS FOLLOW—WE DON'T MEET PRICES

SYRUP, Crystal White—Save Sugar—1/2 gal. . . . . 39c  
CATSUP . . . . . 14 Ounces . . . . . 15c  
CORN, Cream Style . . . No. 2 can . . . . . 12 1/2c

**WE LEAD!**

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LIVER — Pound — **20c**  
Wieners, lb. **22 1/2c**  
Butter, lb. **53c**

**It Takes Both, War Bonds and Taxes, to  
Win—Victory Tax Special Direct Levy  
Asked to Help Meet Heavy War Costs**

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Approximately 50,000,000 American workers began to make an added contribution to the War cost this month in the form of a 5% Victory tax.  
For many millions of Americans the Victory tax and the 1943 income tax are the first direct levies to be made by the Government to meet the staggering War costs. And it will take both . . . taxes and War bonds . . . to provide the supplies and materials to win the War and the peace afterwards.

The Treasury Department estimates that the Victory tax will raise approximately \$2,000,000,000. Every person receiving more than \$12 per week must pay the Victory tax upon that part of his income over and above the \$12. For example, a married man with a salary of \$50 per week, with two dependents, would make only a net payment of \$1.06 per week after allowance for post-war credit.

The Government has made every effort to make the impact of the new tax as light as possible. The law, in effect, provides that in the case of married persons whose sole income is from wages or salary, 40 percent of the Victory tax paid (up to a maximum of \$1,000) plus 2 percent for each dependent (up to a maximum of \$100) may be used as a credit against whatever Federal income taxes the individual may owe at the end of the year—provided he

has purchased certain War Bonds, or paid old debts or paid life insurance premiums equal to the amount of this credit. In the case of single persons this credit will be 25 percent of the Victory tax paid (up to a maximum of \$500). Should the Victory tax credit exceed the individual's Federal income tax, the unused portion of the credit may be refundable to the taxpayer.

Even with the Victory tax, the 1943 income tax, and all other taxes paid by individuals, the average American will have more money with which to buy War Bonds than he has ever had before. Here are the statistics which explain that statement:

In 1940 the total income payments made to the American people amounted to about 76 billion dollars. In that same year the total personal taxes paid, Federal, State and local, were roughly 2.5 billion dollars,

leaving 73.5 billion dollars of disposable income. During 1943 total income payments are expected to rise to 125 billion dollars and total personal taxes under existing revenue legislation will be 15 billion dollars—leaving 110 billion dollars of income at our disposal as against only 73.5 billion dollars in 1940.

In 1943 Mr. Average American will still be carrying a much lighter tax load than his Canadian or English brothers-in-arms. In Great Britain total national and local taxes paid by individuals at present amount to 31 percent of the national income. In Canada, total individual taxes amount to 25 percent of the national income. In the United States, total personal taxes, Federal, state and local, will amount in 1943 to 18 percent of national income. Our English allies invest an additional 10 percent of national income in War savings. Our Canadian allies invest an additional 11 percent of national income in War savings. We Americans, to match the record of our Canadian neighbors, would have to invest this year 20 percent of our national income in War savings. To match the English record we would have to invest 23 percent of national income in War savings.

U. S. Treasury Department

**BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN  
CAROL ANN THOMPSON**

Mrs. Floyd Thompson honored her young daughter Carol Ann, with a party Monday, Jan. 18, on the anniversary of her sixth birthday.

The group of children enjoyed toys, books and music.

Favors of hairbows and combs were presented to the young guests who had presented gifts to the honoree.

A pink birthday cake written on top with "Happy Birthday, Carol Ann" was cut and served with hot chocolate.

Mrs. C. J. Beach, Carol Ann's grandmother, assisted in serving.

Those present were Carol Ann Lambert, Cynthia Rae Forgy, Roddy Gene Pelts, Helen Jean Hofman, Frankie Jo Young, Mary Frances Pierce, Edward Noble, James Dan Thompson, Charles Ray Pierce, Don Fritz, Jimmy Hughes, Johnny Boy Billingsley and the honoree.

Mrs. M. J. Elzie of Lamesa, great grandmother of the honoree sent a gift.

Herbert Brown of Nashville, Tenn., visited in the Roy D. Smith home recently. He was enroute to Calif., where he has joined the Merchant Marine.

Mrs. E. T. Wells returned Tuesday from Tyler and Houston where she had visited her daughter.

Among those renewing their Press this week were Mrs. D. M. Middleton and Mrs. J. M. Long.

Lieut. and Mrs. Ray DeBusk were recent visitors in the home of his parents. They were enroute to Utah.

Mrs. Don Edwards is reported ill at her home this week.

**Farm Meeting  
Monday Night**

TAHOKA, January 21 (Special)—Farmers of this area are invited to attend a farm meeting in the Tahoka high school auditorium at 8 o'clock Monday night, at which the farm program and soil conservation will be discussed, according to Tom Seay, vocational agriculture teacher.

County Agent J. C. Smith and H. E. Mather of the Soil Conservation Service will be the speakers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Bearden and young son, formerly of this city, are now living in Ogden, Utah, where Sterling is attending a Civil Service school.

Mrs. Effie McClennen is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim Ware, in Gainesville.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Ft. Worth has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burley Brewer.

Mrs. Dallas Vaughn returned home Monday from a Lubbock hospital, where she had received medical treatment for an infected carbuncle.

Do your part! Get in the SCRAP!

**1939 STUDY CLUB**

An interesting lesson on "Education" was the topic for 1939 Study Club members when they met Jan. 20 at the home of Mrs. E. C. McDonald.

Mrs. Fay Westmoreland was director. She discussed "A Defense of Democracy in War as Peace."

Mrs. Albert Koeninger talked on "Character and Education." Roll call was answered with a current event.

A round table discussion was given by the group.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Ft. Worth was a guest.

Members present were Mesdames

Bowlin, Brewer, Carroll, Coffee, Earles, Hagood, Koeninger, Moore, Middleton, Pickens, Shoemaker, Wells, Westmoreland, Yandell, Vermillion and McDonald.

The club will meet Feb. 3 with Mrs. Ben Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clemage were in Dallas attending Market this week. Misses Skeet Golightly and Leatha Newby were in charge of the O'Donnell Bargain Store in their absence.

Mrs. Shack Blocker and her mother, Mrs. J. J. Davis, were in Leveland visiting this week.

**STUDY CLUB MEMBERS  
WILL MEET AT RED CROSS**

All Study Club members are to meet at the Red Cross room next Wednesday.

There are twenty members everyone is asked to do their part to complete their quota.

**NEW PRIMARY TEACHER**

Mrs. Will Ed Tredway is the Primary teacher, taking the place of Miss Julia Townsley, who had the fifth grade to fill the vacancy of Mrs. Carl Reavis.

Mrs. Roy D. Smith was a visitor in Lamesa Tuesday.

**To Taxpayers  
of O'Donnell  
and Vicinity**

For your convenience, a deputy tax collector will be in O'Donnell to collect county, state and poll taxes on—

**THURSDAY - FRIDAY, JANUARY 28 - 29**

At The Office Of The  
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