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A Common Paper for Common People

## Donley County Goes Beyond Set Quota In Red Cross Drive

The Red Cross War Fund Drive is over the top. Tabulation yesterday showed over \$2900 in hand with a little more money still outstanding.

"But even if the quota has been met," said Lee Bell, chairman of the drive, "we are not closing the drive for several days so that those who have not contributed may still do so by leaving it at the Pastime Theatre or call me and I will come for it."

Lee Bell, the War Fund chairman wishes to express his thanks for the wholehearted cooperation that everyone has given him.

March 31st

Lee Bell War Fund Chairman Donley County Chapter ARC Received Telegram Donley Co. chapter performance most heartening. You, your associates and generous citizenship have contributed materially toward success of greatest crusade in Red Cross history. Confident all workers continuing until every patriotic American has had chance to give what he can.

Truman H. Solverud, Southwest Area Director St. Louis, Mo.

in this worthy cause. He especially wants to thank the rural community leaders, the schools, the Hedley Lions Club and all the captains of the other districts for a job well done, for without this good leadership the job could not have been done.

When the final tabulations are made next week we will give you the total amount raised in the different divisions. Hedley is the only one complete at the present time, their total being \$360.00.

## F.F.A. Youths Learn Practical Way

During the past week, members of the Clarendon Future Farmer Chapters have run contour lines, culled hens, set out and pruned trees, and have built farrowing houses. The local youths spend a major part of their class periods every day learning to do practical tasks.

In addition to the above tasks, the youths are now busily engaged in running a series of contagious abortion agglutination tests to determine whether or not the cows being tested have this disease. J. R. Gillham, local V. A. instructor, stated that before this work was completed, every youth in the classes would run tests on several milk cows.

## RAY PALMER PROMOTED

Ray Palmer of Camp Beal, Cal., has been promoted to Sergeant. Sgt. Palmer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Doss Palmer of this city, and has been in service since August of 1942.

## VISIT IN PAMPA

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bulls spent Sunday visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bransford Bulls at Pampa.

## Texas Swine Breeders President Buys Boar From Donley County Youth

J. R. Gillham, local vocational agriculture instructor, shipped an outstanding young Poland China boar, this week for Carl Morris to Mack Morgan, McKinney, president of the Texas Swine Breeders Association. Morgan, a Poland breeder of many years experience, asked the local instructor to ship him the animal after seeing many of the local youth's winning animals at leading area and state shows. A communication from Morgan following the shipment expressed complete satisfaction

## Les Beaux Art Club To Sponsor Annual Flower Exchange

The Sr. Beaux Art Club announced this week that they will sponsor the Annual Flower and Shrub Exchange again this year. The date has been set for Saturday, April 10, and plans are to hold it at the old Bigger service station. There will be no charges and anyone having flowers or shrubs to exchange is invited.

## RUTH A. CAUTHEN COMPLETES BASIC TRAINING

Auxiliary Ruth A. Cauthen of Clarendon has completed basic training at the First Women's Army Auxiliary Corps Training Center at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, and has been selected for specialist training in Administrative School.

Ruth is a daughter of Mrs. Linnie Cauthen of this city.

## Senior Play This Friday night

The Senior class of 1943 will present a fast-moving comedy, "Double Exposure", at the College Auditorium on Friday night, April 2nd at 8:30 o'clock.

The cast is as follows: Dr. Morkham P. Carruthers—James Clark.

Mark Carruthers—Billy Lowe. Tate Smithers—Bob Word. Curtis Ellis—Victor Smith. Henry Hoisington—Claude Hearn.

Mrs. Dalene Phipps Hoisington—Helen Porter. Maidee Holmes—Mary Nell Keys.

Ginny Gates—Billie Nell Warren. Norma Slater—Ara Paulk. Marian Wylie—Thelma Jean Williams.

Genevieve Hobart—Francis Phelps. Christobal Crenshaw—Dorothy Ann Kennedy.

Sarah Crenshaw—Peggy Stewart.

All school students' tickets will be 15 cents, and tickets for adults will be 25 cents.

The public is invited to see this comedy and at the same time witness the unusual talent displayed by these seniors who are determined to put their play over in a big way.

## Lions Celebrate Ladies' Night

Song and good cheer opened the ceremonies Tuesday night when Boss Lion Louie E. Thompson called the assembly to attention in the basement parlor of the First Christian church.

Dean R. E. Drennan of Clarendon Municipal Junior College had charge of the program. Singing comic songs in harmonious strain Mr. Drennan introduced the "quartet" of five who were to sing classics. In this group were R. E. Drennan, Rev. M. M. Miller, J. E. Kidd, Ray Ferguson and Jack Shelly, with Miss Nelda Sue Burton at the piano. Mr. Ferguson favored with a baritone solo accompanied by Miss Burton as the opening number.

With well chosen words and oratorical bearing, W. H. Patrick presented an especially coveted attendance medal to D. O. Stallings, on behalf of the Club. Mr. Stallings has not missed a club session weekly since becoming a member more than fifteen years ago.

The highlight of the evening was the address of Mr. Henry Teubel, president and manager of the Swisher county creamery of Tullia, Texas. Mr. Teubel, a native of Germany, came to our country in 1910, becoming a citizen by naturalization four years later. He is district commander of the American Legion, having served America in the first World War.

The speaker, by request, confined his remarks to the customs of Germany as he grew to manhood and attended schools of that nation. He expressed his opinion that the war would last some three or four years more because of the intense preparation and hardihood of the German nation. "There is no doubt but what we will win," he said with emphasis.

After describing the cultural advantages of his former country, the speaker remarked that "even with all those developments and advantages, we have more and I like them better right here in the Texas Panhandle." His mastery of our language is superb, enunciation being clear and distinct.

At this gathering were ninety-four Lions and their ladies. The ladies of the Christian church did an admirable job of preparing the food, maintaining their record through the years to the satisfaction of those whom they serve.

## OLD TIMER GETS BACK AGAIN

Among the young men in these parts around forty years ago was Frank Loper. "Why I used to play the harmonica at the Dubbs brothers confectionery and draw a crowd," he said by way of proving that Clarendon had talent and attractions of an elevating nature in the early days. He worked on ranches and knew all the old timers, some of whom he met here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Loper resides in Amarillo and formerly lived in the Tullia section for many years. He was accompanied by Mrs. Loper. They spent Tuesday night with Mrs. John Potter whom they knew when she lived at Tullia.

## Breedlove Urges Victory Gardens For All Families

County agent H. M. Breedlove stated this morning that all persons in Donley whether in the country or in town who have not planned for a garden this spring should do so at once. The Victory garden will supply the needed vegetables that we might not be able to buy at the stores due to rationing. An adequate garden for the family will help to hold down the cost of living and will assist in the war effort by a live-at-home program.

Bulletins of various kinds on planting of different vegetables can be obtained at the county agent's office and bulletins on the control of insects that might effect the plants in your garden.

According to reports from farmers in the county the county agent states that there will be more gardens in Donley county this year than in any previous years during the past fifteen years. Of course this is brought about by the shortage of food in the local stores, rationing and also the patriotism of the people by wanting to produce more food to assist in the war effort. Be sure to make your plans now for a garden, and have one that is large enough for your family if it is at all possible.

## RATION NEWS

By Mrs. Harold D. Bugbee

With the rationing of meats and fats another step is taken in the effort to insure that every citizen shall have a fair share of the things vital to our daily living as war demands reduce the supplies available to civilians.

The volunteers who have worked so earnestly to implement these rationing programs and to inform the citizens of every community of their importance in the pattern of war living have laboriously been convinced of the fact that without the ration programs there would be an unseemly scramble for things now rationed and the unscrupulous and selfish would get more than their share. But rationing alone will not insure the limited supplies available all going around through ration channels.

Black markets are operating. They have operated in tires and gasoline, and many of the operators have been convicted in courts and penalized for their violation of the Federal law.

Black markets have already operated in meat and numerous prosecutions and many convictions resulted.

The government is making every effort to adequately distribute the supplies of meat so that all shall have a share. Those who

## April Victory War Bond Quota For Donley Co. Set At \$142,500

### Elections Expected To Be Quiet Saturday And Tuesday

Trustee elections in all school districts of the county will be held Saturday April 3, Miss Ruth Richerson, county superintendent, reminded patrons this week. Little interest has been shown in these elections, and are expected to run off smoothly with names being written in at the time of the election.

In the City election which takes place Tuesday, April 6, Tom F. Connally is the only candidate named on the ballot which calls for the election of a Mayor for Clarendon.

### TALMAGE MAYFIELD RECEIVES AWARD OF SILVER WINGS

William Talmage Mayfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayfield of Clarendon, received an award of silver wings of the Enlisted Reserve of CPT March 27, after completing his initial solo flight. Mayfield is in Civil Aeronautics Authority War Training Service, and is at present with a group of Army Air Force men at Texas Wesleyan College in Ft. Worth. He enlisted at Houston last November.

Mrs. Mayfield, the former Delma Hill of Clarendon, is in Fort Worth, and their daughter Barbara Ann, is with grandparents in Clarendon.

### RAYMOND JOHNSON ENTERS A&M COLLEGE

Pvt. Raymond G. Johnson of Clarendon, grandson of Fred Johnson of this city has entered Texas A&M College for course of Army Air Force instruction lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an Aviation Cadet in the Army Air Forces.

## All Persons Dealing In Livestock As Agents Must Have Permits

The new Foods Distribution order number 26, provides that each person engaged in the handling of livestock as a dealer or as an agent is required to have a permit says county agent H. M. Breedlove of the Texas A&M College Extension Service. The term "agent" as used in the order includes persons operating auction markets who sell livestock for others on a commission basis. The term "dealer" does not include bona fide producers who are engaged in dairy, wool or meat production or the breeding of livestock and who keep such livestock 30 days or longer.

Dealers and agents are required to establish inventories as of the effective date of the food distribution order 26 and keep records covering all sales and purchases of livestock. These records should include the date of the transaction and the number of cattle sold, the name of the seller and buyer, the weight if the animals are sold by pounds, the price per hundred pounds or if the animals are sold on the headage basis, the price per head.

Farmers are not required to obtain a permit to buy and sell livestock, but are expected to keep records covering purchases and sales of livestock. This order is an effort of the department to do away with the Black Market over the nation, the agent stated.

"Persons who come under any of the above classifications can come by the county office any time next week," Breedlove said, "and receive their permits by asking for them and signing up with the order 26. These permits are issued by the Donley county USDA War Board."

### Local F.F.A. Youths To Compete In Contests Sat.

Schools in the Memphis F.F.A. District will meet at Memphis, Saturday, April 3rd, for the annual leadership contests consisting of news writing, public speaking, and one act demonstration. Jack Ballew, a district F.F.A. officer will represent the local chapter in public speaking, Harry Blair will enter the newswriting event, and James Clark will present the one-act demonstration for the local chapter.

Clark will give a demonstration of the Bangs Agglutination test for determining whether or not cows have contagious abortion. This test is now being taught to all members of the vocational agriculture classes by J. R. Gillham, Vocational Agriculture Instructor.

### M-System Installs Market Equipment

Dick Vallance, new manager of the M-System store here, announced this week that they have purchased the newest type of Market equipment and have installed it in their store here this week. The M-System has been in operation here for a number of years but without a market. The addition of this new equipment will enable them to serve their customers to a better advantage, covering the entire food line of merchandise.

### DONLEY COUNTY SHOWS INCREASE IN COTTON GINNING IN 1942-43

According to Van Kennedy, special cotton census agent here, there were 15,469 bales of cotton ginned in Donley County from the crop of 1943 as compared with 12,784 bales ginned to season crop of 1942.

With April designated as Victory War Bond Drive month, Donley county citizens will be asked to buy \$142,500 in War Bonds and stamps between April 12, when the drive opens, and April 30.

J. R. Porter has been named chairman to conduct this Victory drive. Plans were laid before chairmen in this area Monday night at a meeting in Pampa. J. R. Porter and J. D. Swift attended this meeting.

Donley county directors are Wesley Knorpp, J. D. Swift and J. W. Noel and J. R. Porter as Chairman. A complete set up of committees has not been arranged at this time but three Captains have been named to get things started and they are Allen Bryan, C. L. Johnson of Hedley and Ted Glass of the north part of the county. A complete program will be formulated and announced in next week's issue of the Leader.

"This drive is being conducted at the request of Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau. America will be called upon to raise \$13,000,000,000 during the month to help finance the war program. The \$142,500 quota is our part, and it is expected that we will raise it," Mr. Porter said.

He also explained that this special Victory drive will be conducted in cooperation with the regular War Bond setup for the county, of which Buddy Knorpp is chairman.

During the campaign, efforts will be made to increase the sale of all types of bonds and stamps, and a special effort will be made to sell at least one series E war bond—to as many individuals as is possible. The quota set for this county is exclusive of any bonds which banks here might purchase, Mr. Porter said.

## Donley 4-H Boys To Be Active This Year

4-H Club boys will have various demonstrations in the year of 1943 says county agent H. M. Breedlove. Livestock and home gardens are to be the main demonstrations to be worked on by the boys.

"We intend to have about twenty five beef calves, 150 head of swine and for every 4-H club boy in the county to have a home garden," Breedlove said. There are 125 4-H club boys in Donley county.

"I believe by reaching these goals," he said, "the 4-H club boys will do much in assisting the farmers of Donley county to reach their agriculture war goals in Donley county. This year is going to have to be a big year of production in agriculture. This applies to the youth of the nation as well as the adults. I believe that every boy whether he is an FFA or 4-H club member should take it on himself to see that he is playing some part in production to assist in the war effort."

## Two Clarendon Youths Apply For Highest Future Farmer Honors

Applications for the American Farmer Degree, the highest honor bestowed by the National F. F. A. organization, were sent in this week by H. A. Harrison and J. F. White, two 1942 Clarendon High School graduates. These two youths are two of the most outstanding F.F.A. members of the local chapter in recent years. Only two other local youths ever applied for the degree, and both of these, Joe Williams and Carl Morris, were granted the degree by the national organization.

In order to qualify for the degree, the youths must actually be engaged in farming operations, must have had outstanding project programs, outstanding leadership work, and must have been in the upper forty-percent of their class scholastically. White and Harrison have been officers in the local chapter for the past three years; each has shown many champion animals in their project work, and each has shown outstanding leadership ability. Their records will be checked by the area, state, and national committees and if the local youths qualify they will receive the degree in the fall of 1943.

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THE LEGISLATIVE GRAPEVINE

By Grady Hazlewood.

The early life of Lieutenant Governor John Lee Smith, who was recently a Panhandle visitor, should be an inspiration for any boy. Born of humble parents who homesteaded a small tract of land near Throckmorton, the present Lieutenant Governor lived from infancy to young manhood in a dugout. He was nearly 15 years old before he had an opportunity to attend public schools. Now a deep student of history, a profound admirer of such characters as Abraham Lincoln, Thomas Jefferson, Sam Houston and other early pioneers of Texas history, the Lieutenant Governor charts his future upon the ideas and fundamental principles of these great men. After active foreign service in World War I he returned home and successfully ran for County Judge of Throckmorton County. He was elected to the state senate, and while serving his first term, he ran for his present office and was elected. Now he serves as a very able presiding officer of the Senate of the State of Texas. He is Grand Chancellor for the Knights of Pythias for the

United States and Canada, and on one occasion conferred the rituals upon President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Passed last week by the House of Representatives were the banking code and the revision of delinquent taxes bills. Passed by the Senate was the Manford Labor Bill, and also a bill by the writer which would compel the appointment of a new executive director of the Old Age Assistance Commission within ten days from the effective date of the Act. The bill passed by the vote of 24 to 0, which might indicate how the Senate feels toward this department. Also set for special order for next Tuesday morning is a bill by the writer which would freeze dues and assessments charged by labor unions at pre-war levels; would outlaw strikes or work cessations, and would make it a criminal offense for any representative of a labor union to make false representations concerning work or working conditions in order to induce prospective members to join.

With five members in the army, and needing 25 members present to suspend constitutional rules, it really places a great responsibility on the remaining 26 members to be continuously present. If more than one member is absent the whole senate is thrown out of gear.

Producers Urged To Continue Soil Building Work

Ten years of soil conservation and farm planning will hit pay dirt in Texas again this year and continuation of these practices will assure indefinite top speed production.

That's the emphasis Fred Rennels, assistant administrative officer of the AAA, placed upon the farm program this week when he urged Texas farmers and ranchers to continue soil-building practices at the same time they produce Food for Freedom at maximum capacity.

Texas farmers contribute enormous amounts of food and feed to the nation's needs and the only way they can continue this job is to keep their soils in condition to produce," he said in encouraging farmers to earn their maximum production allowance during 1943.

Under this year's AAA program, approximately 40 practices are offered for soil and pasture improvement through which the production allowance can be earned.

At the same time Texas farmers and ranchers are signing production plan sheets under the Food for Freedom program, they also are working out with community AAA committees a farm plan for investing their maximum soil-building allowance into approved practices.

Follow through on these farm plan sheets during the program year will assure continued production of food and feed needed for "unconditional surrender" of the Axis, the AAA official said.

Rev. S. L. Tidwell and wife from Vancouver, Wash., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Tidwell at this time.

Letters From Former Residents

Dumas, Texas, Hazels Trailer Park March 25, 1943.

Donley County Leader, Clarendon, Texas. Some weeks ago I read a letter from Arthur Chase, to his father and mother (and it was very interesting too). This letter made me think of a story a young fellow was telling of an incident that happened over in North Africa, where our forces was stationed, and a few miles away, was the camp of our enemies. Each had a lake they got their water supply.

These boys had a flock of African geese they were training to do the work of the carrier pigeons. Then the water in the lake our boys was using dried up, so they began to wonder what to do about it. Then one evening the flock of geese disappeared—not a one to be found anywhere. So they naturally thought they had gone back to their wild life.

(This boy said that the nights were so cold the lakes would freeze solid, and next day when the sun came up it would get so hot it would melt the ice.) Then the next morning when they was up and about the camp, they noticed the geese on their lake, and when they went to investigate, found that the leader ordered his forces to follow him, and led them over to the lake of the enemy, and when the water was frozen solid, gave the order, and together they "took off" with the ice, went back to their own lake, and when the sun came out, our boys had plenty of water.

Now, if we will all follow—OUR—leader, as these geese did, we can put this thing over, and the quickest way will not be too soon.

Please remember, as he said too, you are the man, behind the man behind the gun.

I am sure if we could talk to the boys "over there" they would say:

- If the lines should form and break—
Because of things you failed to make—
The extra tank, or ship or plane
For which we waited, all in vain,
And the supplies that never came—
Will you then come and take the blame?
For we, not you, will pay the cost
Of battles you, not we, have lost.

We had a letter from daughter Esther a few days ago. She and Curtis are working in the Vega Air factory, and are helping to build one of the very large planes, and when completed, will carry about 11,000 gallons of gas, and is supposed to travel 1 mile to the gallon.

Another thing she said is when you stand off the runway and see one of these planes take the air, it makes you, as Orphan Annie once said, "feel good all over" to know that you had a part in the making of that plane, but, if, and when that plane goes to a watery grave, then you will wonder "if" it could have been caused by some part you failed to make—as it should have been.

The next time I write I will tell you something about a letter we received a few days ago from two friends of our from Hot Springs, N. M., who are somewhere with Uncle Sam's fighting forces, and we are guessing they are in the South Sea Islands. This, mind you, is only a guess.

So I will say, Buy, buy bonds now, or, later, bye, bye freedom.
Yours truly,
C. E. Griggs

Car Sharing Is Emphasized

The Donley County War Price and Rationing Board will place increased emphasis on car sharing in considering applications for "B" and "C" gasoline rations beginning March 22, the Board announced today.

The Board's statement followed receipt of a letter from OPA mileage rationing officials pointing out that if passenger car mileage is to be reduced to the 5,000-mile-a-year average recommended by the War Relocation Authority, "ride sharing must be made a universal practice." Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown last week appealed for full public cooperation in the renewed car sharing program.

"Car sharing has been a requirement for obtaining supplemental rations to drive to and from work since the inception of mileage rationing," the Board said. "The newly launched program, to be conducted jointly by the Office of Price Administration and the Office of Civilian Defense, was designed, merely, to give impetus to the ride-sharing movement. OCD, through its Local Defense Councils, will help people form car clubs in each community. OPA through its rationing boards and mileage rationing plan, will provide the gasoline rations to keep car clubs running.

Meat Sellers To Get Permits

College Station, March 24—Meat permits to all Texas farmers in all areas and to local butchers and meat packers in small towns will be issued by county USDA war boards under the meat management program, B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, said this week.

Under the program, announced by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, all persons who slaughter and sell meat must have permits by April 1st.

Object of the national meat program is to control black market operations, to obtain adequate supplies of meat for direct war needs, and to secure the necessary control over the supply of meat so that it can be fairly distributed through consumer rationing.

Pointing out how the program applies to farmers, Vance said if animals were slaughtered for home use only that permits would not be required, but permits would be required if any of the meat were delivered to others. All slaughterers also must keep complete records of all livestock slaughtered.

Under the program, three orders have been issued:

- (1) All livestock slaughterers who sell meat, including farmers and local butchers, to operate under a slaughter permit system and, as an aid to enforcement, to stamp their permit number at least once on each wholesale cut;
(2) All livestock dealers to obtain permits to buy and sell livestock and to keep complete records of their operations. Farmers are not required to obtain dealer permits but they are asked to keep records of their purchases and sales;
(3) All slaughterers who operate under federal inspection to set aside for war uses designated percentages of their production.

Under the dealer-permit plan, anyone who buys and sells cattle, hogs and sheep and keeps them for less than 30 days, is considered a dealer and is required to obtain a permit from his county USDA War Board.

He also is required to keep a complete record of his livestock purchases and sales, including the date he bought the animals, from whom he bought, their weight, the price he paid for them, to whom he sold them, and the price received.

A similar record of sales also will be required of all producers who sell livestock, regardless of whether they are classified as dealers. A dealer in livestock receives no stamp of any kind nor are his operations restricted since he can sell to anybody he chooses.

"In connection with the new slaughterers' permit regulations, it was pointed out the OPA price control and grading regulation still will apply," Vance said.

PASTIME THEATRE

MATINEES—SAT. & SUN. and HOLIDAYS Begins at 2:00 p. m. —OTHER DAYS— Shows Begin at 5:30, 7:30, 9:30

FRIDAY & SATURDAY APRIL 2-3rd

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News & Spirit of Annapolis 11—30¢

TUESDAY APRIL 6th

Jinx Falkenburg & R. Hayden

"LUCKY LEGS"

Cartoon Bargain Day—11-15¢

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY APRIL 7-8th

THEY FIGHT TO BEAT THE BAND! ORCHESTRA WIVES. MONTGOMERY RUTHERFORD, Carole LANDIS, GLENN MILLER and his band, LYNN BARI, CESAR ROMERO.

News 11—30¢

—COMING— "Commandos Strike at Dawn"

COZY THEATRE

SATURDAY APRIL 3rd

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Chapter 7 of "Valley of Vanishing Men" 11—20¢

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CLARENDON HATCHERY CLARENDON, TEXAS

That Extra Something! ...You can spot it every time. SPOTLIGHT Bands, the radio program broadcast over Blue Network every week night for Coca-Cola, features the nation's favorite name bands. Their names mean something because their bands have something extra to offer. Coca-Cola got where it is by offering something that more than quenches thirst. It brings a delightful after-sense of refreshment, too. In ice-cold Coca-Cola you find quality you count on. You find delicious taste that sets it apart. You find refreshment that goes into energy. Anybody can make a soft drink, but only The Coca-Cola Company makes Coca-Cola. The only thing like Coca-Cola is Coca-Cola, itself. It's natural for popular names to acquire friendly abbreviations. That's why you hear Coca-Cola called Coke. Both mean the same thing... "coming from a single source, and well known to the community". Lines are put in, stages fixed, loudspeakers hooked up, and rehearsal begins. Soon, the boys in uniform will hear their favorite band in person just as their families will on their home radios. The best is always the better buy! BOTTLED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE COCA-COLA COMPANY BY MEMPHIS COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY

**THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH**

By the Apostle

**GARDEN HELP.**

Congressman Gene Worley remembers his friends here with a shipment of Victory Garden instruction books. They are most

helpful. If you want one, inquire at the postoffice. They will be given out free as long as they last. The four booklets are well worth your time.

**SKUNKITIS.**

A demonstration of volunteer rationing of clothing was demonstrated in the Midway community by one of their most prominent citizens a few days ago. The good

woman in the house heard a commotion at the barn. A few minutes later she heard her husband at the back door. When she opened the door, there stood his ribs minus clothing except his hat, underwear and shoes. "What on earth has happened?" she hastily inquired. Then the husband explained that he had just finished off a skunk, but that the "club was too short!" (E. V., you owe me the

biggest and best watermelon of your crop this season for not printing your name right here.)

**DAD BLAME IT!**

Former hillbilly, lawyer, railroad commissioner and all-round fellow Lt. Sadler of East Texas is now stranded in the far East for lack of snuff. He who specifies his snuff by saying, "smoke is the shadow, chewing tobacco is the

body, but snuff is the real soul of the weed," gives vent to a yell that is heard clear back to the piney woods. That section down there has always gone strong on drives to help the "giverment," but this Sadler snuff drive has eclipsed all former efforts, according to reports. The folks, his old neighbors, are making up money to ship Jerry—I mean Lieutenant Sadler—a ton of snuff. They figure that if he does not warehouse it under his bottom lip, he can throw a lot of it into the eyes of the enemy and capture them in herds.

**RATION DOPE.**

When you get under full swing with your rationing and can't make both ends "meat," try making one on vegetables.

The milk of human kindness has been rationed since time began.

The successful man is the fellow who can make more than his wife can spend, and the successful woman is she who finds such a fellow.

**CULTURED.**

Several Bostonses are said to have starved to death already under point rationing. They did not think it polite to point.

**PROMOTER.**

The right honorable Sir Eddie Bishop, chief ramrod of the Dalhart Texan is a real promoter, among his several famous accomplishments. This old boy recently gave a "coming out" party. He wanted to build a Victory Garden. Those who "came out" were required to bring along at least two bits worth of garden seed. Some brought gourd seed, but they each brought something. Now Sir Eddie is all set. He intends to offer surplus garden seeds for prizes to the best worker when the time comes to plant or to work the garden. Rah for Eddie! Rah for Dalhart!

This is all folks. Got to go work in that Victory Garden. Some one may try to beat my record. How about offering a prize for the best Victory garden products this season?

**MIDWAY**  
Mrs. Joha Goldston

Mrs. Houston Allen and children Roseman and Orlan of Pampa spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. M. F. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce White, Miss Minnie Mae Roberson of Quitaque, Mrs. Houston Allen of Pampa, W. L. Graham of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson of Goldston were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. M. F. Roberson Sunday. Young Graham is to enter the army soon.

Hollis Roberson spent Saturday night with his cousin Daphne Roberson at Goldston.

The people of Fairview community organized a Sunday school at the Fairview school about a year ago and it is progressing nicely. A nice crowd attends and much good is derived. The Supt. Mr. Loyd Hefner invites and urges everyone near to come and be with them. The rural S. S. is important now as never before, with gas rationing and busy times. A neighborhood Sunday school is an essential to the rural people.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain Ben Chamberlain and Miss Mattie Rhodes visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Orrell Naylor and Misses Minnie and Ava Naylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown Saturday eve and with the Hefner's Sunday evening.

Mrs. Durwood Jones spent Monday night in the Dick Tomlinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelce Roberson and Mrs. Weldon Gregory, Mrs. Mary Sue Longan and children, Miss Bobbie Watts visited in the Longan home Sunday.

J. A. Meaders and Miss Katie Meaders went to Memphis Monday on business.

Louis Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis had a sinus operation in a hospital in Los Angeles, Calif. the past week. He is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Quattlebaum of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Quattlebaum Friday.

Mrs. Bob Williams visited with Mrs. Edith Longan Sunday eve. Mrs. Fannie Rector spent Monday night with Mrs. Dick Tomlin-

son. Mrs. Rector is living in Dallas now.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Swinney visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Swinney in the Chamberlain community over Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Swinney and Slim Russell visited in the Hulet Swinney and Dalton Swinney homes Thursday.

Harley Longan and Mrs. Mary Sue Longan visited with the Dalton Swinney's Sunday eve.

Ronald Swinney was here from Fritch visiting his brother Dalton Swinney.

LaVern Goldston was down from McLean during the week having work done on his car.

Mrs. Dick Tomlinson visited in the Goldston and Meaders homes awhile Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor of Clarendon visited the W. K. Davis' Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Riley and Mrs. Johnny Riley returned Monday night from Shamrock where they had been called on account of the death of Mr. Henry Riley. Mr. Riley passed away in a Shamrock hospital Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Riley was a pioneer resident of Midway for several years. His many friends here regret his passing.

Mrs. Anderson has been ill with flu the past week.

Mrs. Gamble is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Newell Wood of Amarillo spent a few days visiting the Pickering's the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes returned to San Antonio Tuesday. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain in Memphis Tuesday afternoon on their way back.

Mrs. Pete Riley and brother J. L. Stone made a trip to Memphis the past week.

Calvin McCrary and Robert

Talley of Clarendon visited with Vernon Goldston Thursday eve.

Glenn Williams went to Temple the past week for a clinic examination. He visited with his son Joe at Wichita Falls on his return.

Miss Jane Williams of Skellytown spent the week end at home.

Betty John Goldston spent the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams and daughters Misses Jane and Mary Ellen were Sunday guests in the J. A. Meaders home the past Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Nichols spent three days with her parents in Canyon the past week.

Mrs. Edith Longan underwent a minor operation in the Clarendon Clinic Saturday. She is improving nicely and was returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Beach and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stephens of Plainview came over Sat. eve spending the night and day in the Longan home. They returned Sunday evening, Mrs. A. B. Stephens remaining over with her mother.

Guest in the Dick Tomlinson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Knox of Vega, Corp. D. W. Tomlinson of Pampa, Mrs. D. W. Tomlinson of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tomlinson and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook and family of Lelia Lake, Mrs. Tomlinson Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen, a nephew of Lubbock and Mr. W. E. Allen Sr., who were week end guest, Mrs. W. J. Mason and baby who are to visit for a few days with her parents, the Tomlinsons. Mrs. Mason is from Levelland.

Mrs. Noblet, Mrs. John Knorrp, and Mrs. Walter Knorrp were shoppers in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Ethel Moss visited with relatives at Shamrock last week.

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<b>LEMONS</b> 350 size—Dozen	29c
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(5 Points per Pound)

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1 Pound ..... **26c**  
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**SPAM** (10 Points) ..... **39c**

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**CRACKERS** EXCELL—1 Pound ..... **10c**

**LYE** W. P.—3 Cans ..... **25c**

**Lighthouse Cleanser** 3 for ..... **13c**

**MORTON SALT** Round Pkg.—2 for ..... **19c**

**ENGLISH PEAS** (13 Points) GIBSON—2 Cans ..... **25c**

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## PATHFINDER CLUB

The meeting was held in the parlors of the Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon, with Mesdames Walker Lane, Frank Frey and Walter Flynt as hostesses. A bowl of spring flowers adorned the president's table. In a brief business session, Mrs. J. R. Porter's request to be placed on the associate roll was granted. Mrs. C. A. Burton, chairman of the year book committee, briefly outlined the plans for work for the coming year.

Mrs. Oscar Thomas, Spanish teacher in Junior High, has conducted a brief Spanish lesson for the Pathfinders at each meeting this club year. At this meeting she gave the Club a rare treat by presenting a group from a Junior High class. They were Francis Peabody, Melba Ruth Grady, Tom Goodner, Max Keys, Wayne Donnell, and Manly Bryan. With Manly at the piano, they sang in Spanish, "Where, O Where, is My Little Dog Gone," and "The Long, Long Trail." Then they carried on a conversation between the members of a family group—all in Spanish. The Pathfinders gained but little information from the conversation, but they thoroughly enjoyed the splendid way in which it was carried on. They closed their brief program by singing in Spanish "Good Night, Ladies."

The program for the afternoon was a Panel Discussion of Current Events, led by Mrs. L. N. Cox, and the general theme was "Peace After the War." Mrs. Cox introduced the discussion with the statement that "Peace must be more than a mere interval between wars," and then the discussions followed the plan of a Democratic Manifesto by Emery Reeves.

Mrs. Cox asked "Why does the world need a declaration of interdependence?" and Mrs. C. B. Morris gave the answer. Then "What are some of our peace aims?" was answered by Mrs. L. E. Thompson. "What does the average man think about peace?" was answered by Mrs. Allmond and Mrs. King answered, "What about immigration?"

As these topics show the discussions were most timely and intensely interesting, each being thought-provoking.

At the close of the program, Mrs. Frey showed a very interesting collection of souvenirs from North Africa which had been sent

her from time to time by her husband, Capt. Frank Frey.

The hostesses served lovely refreshments to 26 members and the following guests: Miss Lucile Polk, Mrs. M. M. Miller, Mrs. L. F. Goldston, Mrs. A. L. Chase and Mrs. Ray Wilson.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. T. McMurtry and Mrs. Simmons Powell, in the McMurtry home. Mrs. U. J. Boston will give a book review.

## KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Mrs. Frank White Sr. entertained the club members and guests at her home Thursday afternoon. During the business meeting, Mrs. Bob Hay was elected to membership. Janise Benson sang "America." Bernie Benson gave a reading.

After several hours of sewing and visiting, Mrs. White, hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Loyd Benson, served a lovely plate lunch to guests, Mrs. L. E. Thompson, Mrs. Elkins, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Guy Ament, and Mrs. Benson; club members, Mesdames H. C. Brumley, Honfer Mulkey, Grover Heath, Gene Noiland, Lon Rundell, Cap Lane, Eva Draffin, R. R. Dawkins and Mrs. White.

## ENTERTAINS WITH LUNCHEON

Mrs. George A. Ryan entertained with a luncheon at one o'clock on Thursday, March 25th, at which the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Berkeley Ryan to Ensign Lawrence C. Neece, was made.

The table was centered with a miniature bride, mounted on a white dias. Other decorative appointments were navy blue anchors with coils of white rope, individual favors of small plastic anchors pinned to ribbon printed with naval designs and white place cards bearing the inscription "Berkeley and Lawrence."

Guests on this occasion were Mesdames C. L. Benson, H. M. Breedlove, Kelly Chamberlain, Frank Hutchins, Carroll Knorpp, Walter Knorpp, Ernest Kent, Floyd Lumpkin, Alfred McMurtry, George Norwood, Willard Skelton, Clyde Slavin, Miss Nettie Sims, Miss Charlotte Molesworth and the honoree, Miss Berkeley Ryan.

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## 1926 BOOK CLUB

The 1926 Book Club will meet with Mrs. B. G. Watson next Tuesday, April 6th.

## Church News

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
J. J. Grubbs, Pastor  
Sunday school—10 a. m.  
Praying—11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed.—7:30 p. m.

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST**  
Rev. Frank H. Hutchins, M. A., Clergyman  
Mr. Walter B. Knorpp, Lay Reader

Friday, April 2—5:45 p. m.  
Litany and Meditation.  
Sunday, April 4—The 4th Sunday in Lent—11:00 a. m.  
Holy Communion and Sermon.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
L. Guy Ament, Pastor  
The Church must go on or go down. The first business of the Church is Evangelism. We are saved to save another.

Make your program now to attend the revival meeting, beginning April 18th. Run one week and close Easter Sunday night.

Next Sunday our services at 11 a. m. Get the habit. Be where you can count for the best. Our stay here is short, let us do our best.

Evening services will be at 8 o'clock. Be with us and serve with us. Next Wednesday 8 p. m. our prayer meeting and Bible study. Read the third chapter of Acts of the Apostles. All are invited and welcome.

Women Missionary Society meets next Wednesday 3 p. m. at Mrs. C. R. Skinner's.

## CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and Christian acts during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother; also wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be yours always in our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Moore and Family.

## RED CROSS VOLUNTEER SERVICE

Let us do away with petty things, with little jealousies and ambitions. In the awful crisis confronting the world today there is no place for small souls. Great hearts are needed, indifferent to self, filled with the flame of love and pity, undaunted in service and unflinching in the fulfillment of our duties to suffering mankind.

## Sewing

Mrs. John Goldston turned in two quilts made by the following ladies of the Midway community: Mrs. Dick Tomlinson, Mrs. W. B. Higgins, Mrs. Bob Williams, Mrs. Leroy Luttrell, Mrs. Everett Stevenson, Mrs. Margaret Cole, and Mrs. John Goldston. These ladies completed these quilts at an all day meeting. They were joined in the afternoon by Mrs. J. A. Meaders, Mrs. Edith Longan and Peggy Meaders.

Mrs. C. L. Benson turned in 24 men's night shirts made by the following ladies of the Home Demonstration Club: Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Mrs. G. A. Anderson, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Clyde Butler, Mrs. O. C. Watson, Mrs. G. C. Heath, Mrs. A. G. Lane, and Mrs. C. L. Benson.

There are still 59 men's shirts to be made, which we hope will be called for this week.

## Knitting

Wristlets for the armed forces were turned in by Mrs. Frank Phelan and Mrs. Ernest Kent.

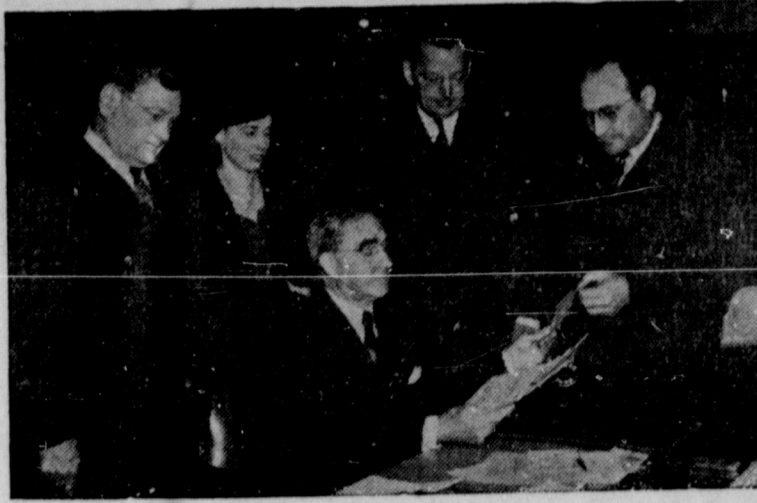
Two very nice donations were received for the Soldier's Kits from Mrs. C. W. Bennett and Mrs. Charles Bugbee.

## HOME SERVICE

Mrs. C. A. Burton

The Press has lately carried information relative to Dependents Benefits, allotments from the soldier and corresponding allowances by the government. This information is usually given a man when he is inducted into the service, and an increasing number of men are making the applications themselves for their dependents. Then the dependents must get affidavits proving relationship and dependency.

As Home Service Secretary, I have blanks for all these pro-



**TEXAS BAPTIST CONVENTION IS DEBT-FREE.** Executive Secretary W. W. Melton (extreme left) looks on as Treasurer R. A. Springer (extreme right) gives to Paul Danna (seated) the Convention's check for \$33,000 and receives in return the last note marked "Paid in Full." Dr. George J. Mason, executive secretary of the Baptist Foundation of Texas, and former Convention treasurer (second from right, and Mrs. LaVerne Tittle, bookkeeper, are shown witnessing the transaction.

cedures. I have furnished these blanks and the necessary information to a great many people in Donley County, which I am glad to do, application blanks, affidavits, etc.

I have recently received through Red Cross channels a Board of Economic Warfare leaflet entitled "Gift Shipments by Mail," which gives explicit instructions. But the caution is given that regulations are constantly being changed, and senders are referred to postmasters for the latest information. But constantly the people at home are being urged to limit their sending because space is so necessary for more vital shipments. They are told that quite often the articles they are sending are already being supplied to the soldiers either by the government or the Red Cross.

The War and Navy Departments have also asked that the families of servicemen be discouraged from sending money to

them overseas, but where this is necessary, that a postal money order be obtained and sent in a letter through regular mail channels.

Effective March 1, the cost of American Red Cross standard food packages for prisoners of war was increased from \$2.75 to \$3.50 per package. Again the statement is made that these needs are being met by these agencies.

Caution is again given concerning letters being received from agencies purporting to know of an "inheritance" or a "trust fund" which might be payable to the addressee. These are often sent in the effort to locate people who have not paid bills. But tragic stories are told about such letters received by families of men interned or reported missing. Recipients of such letters are urged to send them to the Federal Trade Commission at Washington, D. C.

## HUDGINS

Mrs. S. M. Harp

There was not so many out for Sunday school but we hope for more out next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue spent the week end visiting a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goodjoon of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliott and family spent Sunday at Lelia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Awfil and Mary Rae spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Talley and family.

Those to take Sunday dinner in the O. L. Jacobs home were Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie and family of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jacobs and son of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jacobs and daughters of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harp and SiLacy, Mrs. Whitt and Charlie Ann called in the afternoon.

N. M. McGlone called on S. M. Harp Monday night.

Cleo and Mrs. Stonecipher moved to Quail Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jacobs and daughters of Amarillo visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jacobs and son of Dumas spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs.

## MOVES TO McLEAN

Rev and Mrs. Vernon Willard moved to McLean this week. He has been appointed to the Heald Circuit. The ladies of the Womens Society of Christian Service gave them a pounding Saturday night before they moved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry are at Mineral Wells for medical treatment.

## NOTICE

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Mrs. J. A. Warren (7-c)

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2 lbs. for

**39c**

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**Pineapple Juice**

46 oz. Can  
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**41c**

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**PICKLES**

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Full Quart

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<b>Bake-Rite</b>	Perfect Baking (15 Points)	<b>.75</b>		
<b>Grapefruit Juice</b>	Nine POINTS 46 oz Can	<b>.29</b>		
<b>KRAUT</b>	BULK (No Points)	<b>.25</b>		
<b>LARD</b>	PURE HOG Bring your pail Pound	<b>.19</b>		

<b>Grapefruit</b>	Texas Large Size 6 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>ORANGES</b>	Texas DOZEN Large size	<b>39c</b>
<b>CARROTS</b>	Large Bunches	<b>5c</b>

<b>SYRUP</b>	Penick Golden—5 lb. Bucket	<b>39c</b>
<b>CORN</b>	Whole Kernel, vacuum pack—Can	<b>15c</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	DEL HAVEN—303 size Can	<b>13c</b>
<b>SALMON</b>	Brimfull—1 Can	<b>27c</b>
<b>TOMATO SOUP</b>	Campbells—1 Can	<b>10c</b>
<b>GREEN BEANS</b>	WAPCO—No. 2 Can	<b>15c</b>
<b>POKE SALAD</b>	No. 2 Can	<b>12c</b>
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LIVESTOCK FARM WANTED Will buy your livestock and equipment; buy, lease or rent your farm, reference exchanged. Write % this paper. Box C.C.C. (6-c)

WANTED—Half breed Jersey cow out of good milk stock. Prefer one with first calf or second calf, fresh. J. C. Estlack, Phone 455, Clarendon, Texas. (6-p)

WANTED—Farm job. Large living quarters wanted. References can be shown. See Claude Pegram, Memphis, Quail Route. (6-p)

WANTED—Empty feed sacks. Thomas Mill & Feed Store. (31tfc)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAYOR: TOM F. CONNALLY

Protect Your Social Security Account Number

A man's first duty is to his family and his country and "we do not believe there is a wage earner in America today who would not think twice before permitting himself to lapse into a period of thoughtlessness and neglect where either is concerned," said Dewey Reed, Manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board, who recently called at our office to discuss a problem which has already become both costly in time and expenditure of government funds.

Mr. Reed had reference to the carelessness and thoughtlessness on the part of social security account number holders who, without considering the seriousness of the matter, have either lost, misplaced or neglected to keep track of their social security account numbers.

Many workers only think of their social security number when they are considering a job when they should also be considering the value of the number and the protection it represents. The cost of issuing a duplicate number equals that of thirteen war bullets; the time consumed by the account number clerical staff is considerable and manpower as well as womanpower is becoming more acute from day to day.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Allen and two children spent week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burson on their ranch near Silverton. (6-p)

Baptist General Convention of Texas Pays Last Dollar of Indebtedness

Dallas, March 29—The Baptist General Convention of Texas has paid the last dollar of its indebtedness, Dr. W. W. Meiton, Dallas, executive secretary, announced today.

A check for \$33,000 handed by Treasurer R. A. Springer to Paul Danna, Baptist layman and banker, brought to a successful conclusion the victory debt paying campaign launched by Dr. Melton a year ago, when the debt stood at approximately \$400,000.

Ten years ago the convention indebtedness was \$2,000,000, not including the debts of Texas Baptist institutions. While these have not yet been paid in full, substantial progress has been made here also.

The regular quarterly meeting of the executive board of the Baptist General Convention, convening in the Baptist Building, Dallas, the morning of April 6, will witness the burning of a token note, symbolic of release from the indebtedness, Dr. Melton said.

Navy Promotes Use of V-Mail

Oklahoma City, March 29—With V-Mail stations now functioning smoothly in widely scattered overseas areas, the Navy Department is launching a drive to promote the use of V-Mail to Naval personnel, according to an announcement today by Lieut. Comdr. T. A. Nicholson, public relations officer. Over 10,000,000 V-Mail letters have been safely delivered to date.

Because it is sixty-five times lighter than regular mail, V-Mail, photographed on microfilm and dispatched to its destination by air, means a substantial saving of valuable plane space. One small strip of V-Mail film carries 1,600 letters and weighs only twelve ounces. A mail bag carrying the same amount of regular mail weighs 48 pounds or one sack of

V-Mail will equal 65 sacks of ordinary mail. The saving in cargo space means more room for transporting fighting equipment, medical supplies, and food.

"V-Mail has number one priority over all other types of personal mail," Commander Nicholson points out. "However, space-saving, not speed, should be the first consideration of correspondents to Navy men in the field."

"Frequently men in service write their families and tell them not to send V-Mail because it is slower. Transportation facilities returning to the United States have more room than the heavily-loaded outgoing facilities and less delay results in mail received from operational areas."

"When the family receives their son's letter in a few days, where as their own mail has taken weeks or months to reach him, they naturally think that air-mail is best. As a result, their bulky outgoing mail piles up on the coast awaiting transportation."

Even when sent to a locality where it cannot be microfilmed, V-Mail, in its self-envelope, is lighter by 40 per cent than an equivalent amount of air mail and it still retains the highest priority of all personal mail.

The safety of V-Mail is guaranteed, because if a roll of V-Mail film is lost enroute to its destination, another roll can be reproduced and forwarded. V-Mail is private, as it goes through the photographing machine at tremendous speed and is read only by the censor, when necessary.

The Navy Department asks the cooperation of all correspondents in addressing mail properly. Mail incorrectly addressed to Naval personnel will be returned to the sender, since the clerical personnel available is unable to render personal service to each individual in the Navy.

Annual Meeting Of State Historical Ass'n Announced

The Forty-Seventh Annual Meeting of the Texas State Historical Association will be held in Austin on April 23 and 24, Dr. H. Bailey Carroll, Director, recently announced.

Speakers and subjects listed on this year's program include the following: Andrew Forest Muir, "Railroad Development in the Republic of Texas"; Col. M. L. Crimmins, "The Wainwrights in Texas"; Dr. P. I. Nixon, "Plagiarism and Kindred Affections in Texas History"; Houston Wade, "The Personnel of the Mier Expedition"; J. W. Williams, "The National Road in Texas"; R. W. Steen, "Some Industrial Ventures of the State of Texas"; Gibb Gilchrist, "The San Antonio Road"; George Isbell, "Cunninghame Graham"; Rudolph L. Bieseke, "Hamilton P. Bee's Trip to the Indians of North Texas in 1843"; L. E. Peevy, "Texas Enters the Union"; Stuart McGregor, "The Texas Almanac."

VISIT IN HODGES HOME

Those taking birthday dinner with Mr. W. E. Hodges Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood and daughter Evelyn Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bain and son Jack of Dumas, Mrs. Willie Roberts and family and Miss Della Wood.

VISITING PARENTS

Pfc. and Mrs. Bill Edwards of Camp Stoneman Pittsburg, Calif., were home on a furlough last week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edwards at Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Foster at Turkey.

Geraldine Pratt of Lefors spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Morton visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morton and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Grounds at Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. James Morton is visiting her parents near Canyon this week.

Mrs. Maggie Hopkins and Mrs. Jim Hopkins of Pampa spent Wednesday visiting Mrs. Karl Adams.

Development of a "sonic system" of bomb scoring at the Midland, Texas, AAF Bombardier School enables instructors many miles from target to "listen in" on bombs dropped by students, tell exact position of bomb hit on target.

Personals

Mrs. Cicero Turpen and children, Dixie Ann and Butch of McLean visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Foster in Turkey last week.

John Humphrey of the Pacific Naval Service visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Humphrey the past week, returning with his family to California Wednesday.

Mrs. Loyd Shelton who is ill in St. Anthony hospital at Amarillo is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boston of Jackson, Miss., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nolan and Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant and daughter, Marilyn of Amarillo spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant.

Mrs. L. L. Wallace and three children, Miss Eula Naylor and Elbon Naylor, took Mrs. E. A. Naylor, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Cox, to Carlsbad, New Mexico and visited a week, returning home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bain and son visited over week end with relatives at Altus, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boston visited friends in Amarillo Wed.

Mrs. Ed Dishman and Mrs. Walker Lane left Monday for Dallas where they will attend the Presbyterial this week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Evilsizer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loper of Amarillo visited relatives and friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. Y. Howze, father of Mrs. W. L. Landers and J. H. Howze, left Sunday for a visit with his daughter at Dundee, Texas.

Mrs. Maurine Lackey who teaches at McLean was home for the week end.

Mrs. Mullins is at home from a months visit at Gainesville, Houston and Huntsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright were in Amarillo Friday. Mr. Wright attended F. B. I. meeting while there.

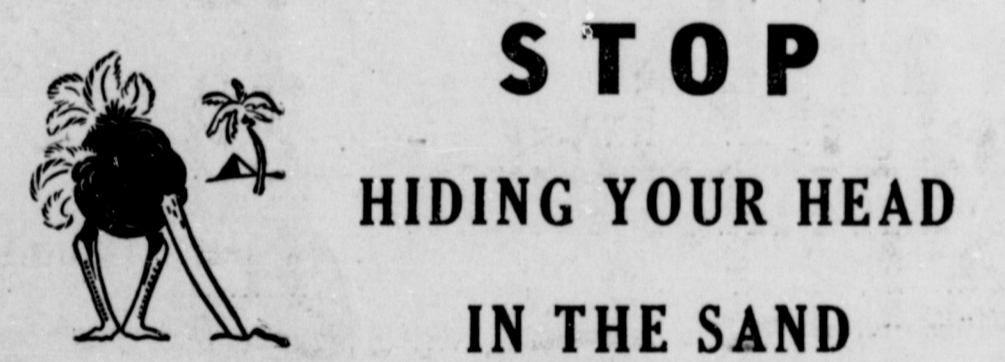
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Penick who teach school at Lefors visited friends in Clarendon the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bourland had for dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bourland of McLean, J. B. Bourland of Pampa and W. M. Bourland of Quail.

Johnnie Bates FIRST CLASS SHINE AND SHOE DYE JOBS at Whitlock's Barber Shop

Chick Brooders Just Received a Big Shipment of BABY CHICK BROODERS Oil and Gas BABY CHICKS every Tuesday and Friday. Due to a sharp increase in the price of hatching eggs, we are forced to increase our prices \$1.00 per hundred on all breeds. CLARENDON HATCHERY CLARENDON, TEXAS

Women Needed! The Army needs women 21 to 44 years old urgently and immediately for non-combatant duty now being performed by potential fighting men. If your personal situation will permit enlistment you are urged to consider and find out about the WAACs. CLIP AND MAIL WAAC, U. S. Army Recruiting Station 1114 - 10th Street Lubbock, Texas I am interested in the WAACs. Please send information Please send application Name Address Age Phone THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER A COUNTY-WIDE NEWSPAPER



It won't get you anywhere, take it from us! When you keep yourself hidden like that, folks forget you. Remember, out of sight --- out of mind! You business men MUST keep your names before the public. If you haven't advertised in ages, come on out --- let people get a look at you --- a good, long look! Then, first thing you know they'll be getting acquainted with you all over again --- your business will come back to life, things will really pick up.

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### ODT Assures Farmers Plenty of Gas Allotments For All Truck Needs

Farmers may schedule their 1943 crops with the assurance that they will be able to obtain enough gasoline for all necessary truck operations, local fuel supplies permitting. N. F. Nelson, District Manager of the Office of Defense Transportation stated today. "The ODT's mileage control program for commercial motor vehicles is completely flexible," Mr. Nelson said. "Farmers may request adjustment of their Certificates of War Necessity whenever conditions warrant."

#### Adjustments Possible

Such requests for gasoline, load or mileage adjustment should be made to the Farm Transportation Committees of the USDA County War Boards. These committees are composed of the farmers' neighbors and their recommendations will be accepted by the ODT District Office making the adjustment.

If a farmer's allotment is still insufficient after an adjustment, he may appeal through his Farm

Transportation Committee to his ODT District Office, or he may appeal directly to the ODT District Office. Emergency gasoline rations may be obtained from local War Price and Rationing Boards while the requests for adjustment or appeals are being considered.

"Hence," Mr. Nelson said, "no farmer need restrict his 1943 acreage because the present gasoline or mileage allotments on his Certificate of War Necessity are insufficient for an expansion of his operations."

### Rationed And Non-Rationed Meat Items

The following is the official OPA list of foods that will and will not be included in the rationing program covering meats, cheeses, edible fats and oils and canned fish.

#### These foods will be rationed:

**MEATS**—All fresh, frozen, smoked, and cured beef, veal, lamb, and pork; all meats and meat products in containers of tin or glass; all dried meats; Variety meats including tongues, brains, hearts, liver, tripe, sweetbreads, kidneys; bouillon cubes, beef extracts, and similar concentrates; all dry, semi-dry, and fresh, smoked, and cooked sausage, including salami, pork sausage, baked loaves, wieners, scrapple, souse, head cheese, and others; suet, cod, and other fats.

**FISH**—All fish, shellfish, and fish products in hermetically sealed containers.

**FATS AND OILS**—Butter, margarine, lard, shortening, cooking and salad oils.

**CHEESE**—Cheeses of all kinds except those expressly excluded. Rationed cheeses include the following: Cheddar (American), Swiss, Brick, Munster, Limburger, dehydrated grated, Club, Gouda, Edam, Smoked, Italian (all hard) Greek varieties, Processed cheese, cheese foods. Cheese products containing 30 percent or more by weight of rationed cheeses.

#### Foods not rationed:

**FISH**—Fresh fish, frozen fish, smoked, salt, pickled fish, fish in containers that are not hermetically sealed.

**POULTRY AND GAME**—All poultry and game, whether fresh, frozen, or in cans or glass.

**FATS AND OILS**—Alive oil when not blended with other ingredients, salad dressings and mayonnaise.

**CHEESES**—Soft or perishable cheeses such as: Cream cheese, Neufchatel, cottage, pot, Baker's, Camembert, Liederkranz, Brie, Blue; cheese spreads made with a base of cheese which is not rationed; cheese spreads and cheese products containing less than 30 percent by weight of rationed cheeses.

### Army Air Cadet Training Offered To Young Men

A third classification of young men desirous of U. S. Army Air cadet training who may be examined by the Aviation Cadet Board at Amarillo Army Air Field was announced today by the board.

It includes civilians, 18 to 26, who have registered with their Selective Service boards, but have not yet been called for induction into the armed forces.

In all, this makes three classifications of men now eligible for aviation cadet training if passed by the board at Amarillo Field. The other classifications are: first, young men 17, not yet 18; and second, men already in the service, between the ages of 18 and 26.

Complete physical and mental examinations for aviation cadet training are given by the board at Amarillo Field. For detailed information and application blanks, young men are requested to address a letter to "Aviation Cadet Examining Board, Amarillo Army Air Field, Amarillo, Texas," giving age and draft status. Or, they may appear in person at the board's building 1519, on the field, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., daily except Sunday.

All persons planning to appear before the board were advised today that the first requisite is a birth certificate and letters of recommendation from responsible persons familiar with the applicant's character and citizenship.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fink and son K. Mac visited his mother, Mrs. Earl Lea Sunday.

### Crop Insurance To Cover 10% Increase

College Station, March 24—Cotton crop insurance has been extended to include all cotton planted within 110 percent of the 1943 acreage allotment.

Under the 1942 program, initial year of cotton crop insurance, protection was limited to insurance on the production from the acreage allotment for the farm. Extension of insurance to include the additional acreage follows Secretary of Agriculture Wickard's announcement that cotton growers may plant 10 percent over their 1943 cotton allotments without losing AAA farm program payments and privileges.

The additional cotton acres, up to 1100 percent of the allotments, are subject to the same insurance requirements as all other cotton regularly planted on the farm. Such acreage must be planted and cared for in accordance with good farming methods and usual practices followed on the farm.

Since only two closing dates, April 1 and April 15, remain in which applications may be signed this year, Donald L. Cothran, state crop insurance supervisor, urged Texas cotton farmers to contact local AAA committees immediately and review insurance possibilities for their farms.

Under the FCIC contract, either 50 or 75 percent of the farm's normal yield may be insured against all unavoidable hazards, such as wind, rain, hail, drought, boll weevils and other insects.

### Farmers Paying Off Loans

A steady increase in the number of long-term Land Bank farm mortgage loans paid off in full in Texas this year is reported by the Federal Land Bank of Houston.

Last year one loan out of every ten was paid out completely and the first part of 1943 has brought a doubling of the number of pay-offs in the same period for 1942.

"Getting farmers and ranchmen out of debt on their land is one of the biggest accomplishments of the Land Bank System," said President Sterling C. Evans. "The Land Bank was established to serve agriculture on a business basis, from a long range viewpoint. It is one of the few farm mortgage institutions which permits the borrowers to pay on or before maturity of the debt."

### War Board Studies Future Needs

Farm machinery needs for 1944 were being studied this week by the Texas USDA War Board.

Purpose of the study is to help determine a 1944 farm machinery production program which will provide sufficient machinery to meet food production goals and at the same time require a minimum amount of critical materials.

Under this year's farm machinery rationing program, there was not sufficient time in which to consult state war boards as to their needs, and as a result allocation of machinery was smaller

than needs, in many cases. Although too early to appraise 1944 needs with final accuracy, the study now underway will act as a guide to manufacturers in procurement of materials for construction of machines to be used early in 1944.

The Department of Agriculture also must obtain an allocation of steel and other critical materials from the War Production Board and machinery estimates from each state will help determine approximate needs.

Through careful and deliberate consideration in estimating machinery needs, over-production of equipment for 1944 use can be averted, B. F. Vance, chairman of the board, said.

### Rabbit Meat Produced Quickly

Rabbits are marching to the rescue of the meat shortage. According to R. E. Callender of the A&M College Extension Service, rabbit fryers are producer quickly, and "the home use of their

fine grain, pearly white nutritious meat will add variety to the family diet."

Callender, who is Extension game management specialist, says that rabbit raising requires little space and equipment, and may be carried on in city back yards as well as on the farm. Only 90 days are required after the doe is mated until four or four and one-half pound fryers are ready for the skillet. With proper feeding the young are ready for consumption at about two months.

Out of 51 definite breeds of domestic rabbits Callender suggests New Zealand whites, New Zealand reds, Flemish giants and Chinchillas as among the best suited for beginners who desire to produce meat and fur. White rabbits of the larger breeds make excellent meat and their skins usually bring top prices, he explains. All pelts should be saved and marketed. Home production may be started with young rabbits or bred does, but normally one male and two females might be sufficient for a beginning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merchant and daughter Jacqueline ofampa visited the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merly, and "the home use of their

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In fact, most every businessman, farmer, stockman... every producer in West Texas today... knows just how he feels. They, too, need another hand.  
Your Electric Servant has the same problem. Right now, we're being called on to balance good service and low rates against fast-climbing operating costs and shortages of material.  
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Don't get us wrong. We know the necessity of heavy wartime taxes. We're proud that ours was a sizable portion of the \$620,000,000 in taxes paid last year by America's business-managed electric companies. That was 23c out of every dollar paid for electric service. The total of \$620 million dollars was enough to outfit 1,687,762 soldiers like Butch.  
We're proud, too, that there has been no rationing of electricity... and no increase in cost to you!  
How is it possible to do this... pay heavy taxes, overcome shortages of material and manpower?  
Well, the credit goes to sound, well-balanced business management. And because our trained and experienced organization of men and women are working together as a team.  
But while America's electric companies, under business management, are doing all this, government and municipal (politically operated) power systems are not paying a penny in taxes to help win the war.  
Shouldn't every one do his full share?  
**West Texas Utilities Company**  
INVEST IN AMERICA—Buy War Bonds and Stamps!

State Historical Association Seeks Local "Oracles" In Texas History

A splendid suggestion for the advancement of research in Texas history has been made to the Texas State Historical Association by Judge Hobart Huson of Refugio.

The advancement of Texas history can be accomplished if the local authorities in Texas history are brought to the attention of the Association.

The list of the local historical "oracles" will be published in The Southwestern Historical Quarterly, the oldest scholarly historical publication in the state.

GOLDSTON Bestrice Smith

Forty-eight attended Sunday school Sunday morning. Sylvia Fay Morgan spent Sunday and Sunday night with her cousin Lucille Dale.

Naoma Mooring spent Sunday night with Jimmie Nell Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shields and daughter and Jewell Pierce visited in the H. C. Smith home Sunday evening.

Hollis Roberson spent Sunday night with his uncle and family Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli and daughter visited in the Roy Roberson home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard and son visited in McKnight Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Murray and friends of Borger visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude R. Fulton, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and family spent Sunday with his mother and family. Orrin Brock spent Tuesday night with Joe Wayne Dilli.

Wilma Smith spent Tuesday night with Daphne Roberson. Peggy Stewart spent Thursday night in town with relatives. Daphne Roberson spent Thursday night with Jaunel Stevens.

Oscar Thomas is our bus driver now since Bro. Willard was called to Alamo to be pastor. He will also drive a bus there. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale entertained their daughter Lucille with a birthday dinner. Those to attend were a cousin Sylvia Fay Morgan, Naoma Mooring, and Jimmie Nell Parker.

Betty Fern Higdon spent Saturday night with Jimmie Nell Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tucker and sons were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Higdon and family. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring and family visited in the W. C. Higdon home Sunday evening.

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Army Issues Call For Skilled Mechanics

Dallas, March 27—The Army issued a special call here today for skilled mechanics and construction men to serve with units of the Corps of Engineers attached to the Air Forces, Ground Forces and Army Service Forces.

LELIA LAKE

Mrs. Alton Meredith and son of Amarillo visited with her sister, Mrs. Gerald Whatley Friday. Mrs. Tidwell who has been teaching here, is joining her husband who is to do missionary work in Washington.

Army Issues Call For Skilled Mechanics

night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox. Mr. and Mrs. Keat Reynolds and family of Dumas spent Sunday with relatives.

The First Notes of Spring Suggest NEW WALLPAPER AND PAINT

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Godfrey and son of Plainview spent Sunday with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reynolds and baby of Abilene came Wednesday for a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reynolds.

Army Issues Call For Skilled Mechanics

friends and relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Simmons and daughter Sondra Sue of Gruver spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holland.

The First Notes of Spring Suggest NEW WALLPAPER AND PAINT

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Holland and daughters of Groom left Monday after a few days visit with his parents. Odell suffered a broken ankle Saturday.

Army Issues Call For Skilled Mechanics

Mrs. M. G. Cottingham, Mrs. Greer Cottingham, Mrs. L. Noble, Mrs. Morgan were Amarillo visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Boner Howard of Lubbock were home for the week end.

The First Notes of Spring Suggest NEW WALLPAPER AND PAINT

A. B. Bynum returned Tuesday for a few days visit with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carter of Amarillo. Mrs. Pat Hinton of Geronimo, Arizona, left Friday after being called by the death of her mother.

WATER RATES REDUCED For VICTORY GARDENS The production of food is one of the most important contributions to the war effort at the present time. The Government is urging every family to plant a Victory Garden in their back yard.

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Edith Barnes of Hobbs, N. M., was here this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Speed. Edith is working as an airplane mechanic at the Hobbs field and is doing a swell job of it, too.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus were in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Olen Walker of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sims.

**TO THE PRODUCERS OF DONLEY COUNTY:**

Walter J. Flynt, Secretary  
Donley County ACA

The sign-up of farm plan sheets is nearing completion. These sheets are of necessity slow in the process of coming in because there is so much information to be put on these sheets, as well as it being so hard to contact farmers and ranchmen during a very busy season.

The result of the sign-up, besides giving the producer a better and clearer view of the 1943 program, it has shown us that farmers are really in earnest about their desire to help in every way that they possibly can. I estimate that our grain sorghum goal will be more than 3,000 acres short voluntarily, without having to raise anyone's goal over the amount they have chosen for their goal. If the county goal of 69,000 acres is to be met, this would mean a probable increase of approximately 4% on all goals.

I wish to urge those who have not signed their 1943 War Board and Farm Plan Sheets to inquire as to who has their sheets and try to get them signed up as soon as possible. All these sheets must be completed before we can be sure that goals will be met and further increase will not be needed. I am sure that each farmer and ranchman will want to get this done at the earliest possible date as it will make lighter the work on the office force if the tabulation is not strung out over too long a period.

In making a study of the cotton crop insurance program in this county for 1942, which as you know, was an exceptionally good year, I find that premiums were paid in the amount of \$15,837.65, while losses paid out have exceeded \$30,000 with some losses still to come in. This report on a good year indicates that the premium rates set up for the farms are none too high and should possibly be increased instead of lowered as some producers have stated.

Of course we do not know what kind of a year we are to have in 1943 regarding the possible weather obstacles, but we can always be sure of at least a partial yield through crop insurance. I want to remind producers that there is only 15 more days in which to sign up for 1943 cotton crop insurance. Before passing up this insurance, at least let us figure it for you and tell you the other points in which you probably will be interested.

Let us help to stabilize your farm income. Is it not better to have an adequate income every year than to have a large income

one year and none the next? One man expressed my sentiments exactly the other day when he said, "When I make a good crop I don't need my government check, and when I don't make a good crop, I surely need the insurance." Let us serve you.

**Ration News—**

(Continued from Front page) patronize black markets divert meat that should go to the armed forces or to their fellow citizens at home. They encourage the slaughter of meat under conditions that breed disease, and often of stock that is diseased, and thereby endanger their own and others' health.

The public accepts rationing. The public must condemn and expose black market operations. This is as much a responsibility on the home front as fighting the enemy is on the battle front.

Red stamps may be used for any of the foods rationed in the meats and fats program. The same stamps are valid for meat, cheese, butter, canned fish, margarine.

Study the point values of the foods you buy most often. Clip a meats and fats "point table" from your newspaper and keep it handy.

Budget your points. Spend Red stamps carefully. Make them last for the entire ration period. When you receive "One-Point" stamps in change, use them the next time you shop, if possible, so they won't expire.

Remember, you still use the Blue Stamps for purchasing pro-

**Mrs. Hattie Moore Dies Sunday**

Funeral services for Mrs. Hattie Moore, age 83, were held Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Clarendon with the pastor, Rev. E. L. Moody, officiating.

Mrs. Moore had made her home in the Chamberlain community for a number of years and at the time of her death was living with her son, R. W. Moore.

Mrs. Hattie E. Moore, wife of Hamilton S. Moore, was born March 14, 1860 in Ironton, Ohio. She came to Texas in 1911 and to Donley County in 1918. She was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Wood of Ironton, Ohio.

She was saved and joined the Missionary Baptist Church at the age of 14, and became a member of the First Baptist Church of Clarendon in 1927. She has been one of the most loyal, faithful and consistent members, was loyal in attendance and supported her church to the end of her life.

She was united in marriage to Hamilton S. Moore in 1885, and to this union was born one son, R. W. Moore. She is survived by her son and family, Mrs. Loula Lee Moore, George E. and Rex L. Moore, and a host of true and loyal friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, 4 brothers and two sisters. The call came at 8:10 a. m., March 28, 1943 when she closed her eyes in death and went out to

cessed foods, and stamps from War Ration Book 1 for sugar and coffee. No change can be made in blue stamps.

be with her husband and Lord. Pallbearers were H. A. Harrison, G. G. Reeves, A. O. Hott, H. M. Reid, R. P. Wilson, L. R. Bates. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery.

Mrs. M. G. Cottingham, Mrs. C. R. Skinner, Mrs. Greer Cottingham, Mrs. L. N. Nobles and Mrs. Roy Morgan were in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Maggie Hopkins and son Jim of Pampa visited her daughter, Mrs. Karl Adams Monday.

Mrs. Forrest Sawyer spent the week end with her daughter Marilyn at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams went to Amarillo Saturday. Her daughters, Mrs. F. F. Kinzer and June Melton accompanied them home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt and children of Lefors spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams.

Almous Lynn of San Francisco visited his wife and parents here over the week end.

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Most everyone driving a car is unfortunate at some time and get a dent in their fender or the body of their car smashed. With the war going on, you shouldn't let these dents go very long without having them repaired, for new parts are almost impossible to get and the vibration of the car will break these injured parts down more and more as time goes along.

**PAINTING . . . POLISHING AND WAXING**

Painting is necessary to the life of the body of your car . . . without it, rust will eat up your investment. Let us spot up your car or give it a brand new appearance with a complete paint job . . . and to keep your car looking better . . . bring it in and let us give it a first class Waxing and Polishing.

WE HAVE A FEW NEW RADIOS FOR SALE

**Clarendon Motor Co.**

Phone 400



Dealer

**GET TOP QUALITY FOR YOUR FOOD POINTS**

<b>CARROTS</b> LARGE BUNCH	<b>3 1/2 c</b>	<b>LETTUCE</b> Very Finest Head—Each	<b>5c</b>
<b>Fresh ORANGES</b> DOZEN	<b>21c</b>	<b>POST BRAN FLAKES</b> LARGE BOX	<b>15c</b>
<b>Good Eating Apples</b> DOZEN	<b>19c</b>	<b>Good Eating SPUDS</b> 10 Pounds	<b>37c</b>

<b>PAYING FOR EGGS</b>	<b>35c DOZEN</b>	<b>Dried Prunes</b>	<b>1b 15c</b>
	<b>IN TRADE</b>	<b>DRIED RAISINS</b>	<b>2 lb. Pkg. 31c</b>

<b>FLOUR 24 lbs. . . .</b>	<b>\$1.00 \$1.95</b>	<b>TOMATOES</b> (16 Points per Can) No. 2 Can—2 for	<b>15c</b>
<b>SUNNY BOY 48 lb. Sack</b>		<b>PINTO BEANS</b> (For planting Beans, No Points)—Pound	<b>8c</b>
<b>Pure LARD</b> (Requires 5 Points to pound)—8 lb. Carton	<b>\$1.55</b>	<b>KRAUT</b> 2 lb. Jar	<b>21c</b>

<b>For more Eggs, feed Yukon Best Laying Mash—100 lb. Sack . . .</b>	<b>\$3.05</b>	<b>Cane Sugar</b>	<b>10 lb. Sack 67c</b>
<b>YUKON BEST CHICK STARTER</b> 100 lbs.	<b>\$3.70</b>		

**INSTALLED NEW MEAT MARKET**

We wish to announce to our customers and friends that we have installed new Market equipment and will be able to offer a complete variety of fresh and cured meats at all times. It is our aim to serve you with the best.

<b>BEEF STEAK</b> Home killed, tender (average 8 points)—Pound	<b>39c</b>	<b>LUNCH MEAT</b> (7 Points)—Pound	<b>25c</b>
<b>PORK CHOPS</b> Lean (8 points)—Pound	<b>39c</b>	<b>FANCY BACON</b> (8 Points)—Pound	<b>35c</b>
<b>BEEF ROAST</b> Fancy Chuck, bone in (8 points)—Pound	<b>23c</b>	<b>COUNTRY BUTTER</b> (8 Points)—Pound	<b>50c</b>
<b>COUNTRY STYLE SAUSAGE</b> (7 Points)—Pound	<b>33c</b>	<b>OLEOMARGARINE</b> Meadlake (5 Points)—Pound	<b>24c</b>

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF ANY ITEMS.

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