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July Fourth Ranchers' Rodeo In Clarendon To Be Benefit Of War Effort

President Announces Scrap Rubber Drive To Determine Whether Or Not To Expand Gasoline Rationing

Announcing a nation-wide campaign to collect scrap rubber with an indication that it may be used as a yard stick for gasoline rationing, was announced Tuesday by President Roosevelt.

The chief executive set no date for the drive but expressed hope that it would be started shortly and completed within two weeks. He indicated there would be no expansion of the eastern seaboard gasoline rationing at least until the results of the campaign were known. National gasoline rationing has been suggested as a means to conserve tires.

One of the major problems involved in the current gasoline-rubber situation, the President said, is the fact that there are no accurate estimates on the amount of scrap rubber available. No two persons agree on the amount, he explained, and if the lowest estimates are correct the situation would be very serious, and if the highest were accurate the situation, from a military standpoint, would not be so grave.

The only way to ascertain the quantity, he continued, was through a pick-up rubber campaign—a quick snappy campaign to bring it in.

BUNTIN FUNERAL HOME TO GIVE SERVICE STARS

As a token of loyalty and respect to the members of Donley County families serving in the armed forces of America, the Buntin Funeral Home will, in the near future, present each family with "Glass Service Plaques."

The plaques are both blue stars and gold stars, the blue for members of the family in service and the gold for members of the family killed in service.

The stars glow in darkness. Upon a phosphorescent background the stars gleam constantly throughout the night, reminding the world that a soldier once lived there.

The plaques have one, two and three stars and will be given free to mothers with sons in service.

LAST RITES FOR ALBERT S. MARTIN HELD THURSDAY

Funeral services for Albert Sidney Martin, 41, were conducted at the Hedley Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at 1:00 by Rev. M. E. Wells of White Deer, assisted by Rev. C. R. LeMond and V. A. Hansard of Hedley.

Martin, Hedley Fort Worth and Denver station agent, died last Wednesday in a Memphis hospital after a brief illness.

Mr. Martin was born in Alvin, Texas, June 18, 1900. He was married in Fort Worth in 1921 and became a member of the First Baptist Church in 1922. He moved to Hedley in 1939 with his wife and one son who are the only immediate survivors.

The body was taken to Hillene for burial in the Cedar Hill cemetery. Graveside rites were conducted there by Rev. Hansard and Rev. A. L. Teaff.

FRANK (DAD) HARRINGTON

Frank "Dad" Harrington, pioneer Clarendon resident and conductor on the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad for many years was in Clarendon this week visiting his niece Miss Lee Patton.

Mr. Harrington was one of the early day railroaders in Clarendon and made this his home until his retirement several years ago. He is now making his home in Houston.

QUESTIONNAIRES MAILED TO FIRST REGISTRANTS

The nine-hundred and fourth-seventh occupational questionnaire for registrants in the first registration, October, 1940, was mailed this week to mark the completion of two series of classes.

Occupational questionnaires to 442 registrants in the third registration, Feb. 16, 1942, have already been mailed and returned.

Classification of men listed in the third registration was completed last week.

No date has been set for mailing occupational questionnaires to members of the fourth registration, men between 45 and 65.

INSTRUCTOR CLASS IN FIRST AID TO OPEN IN PAMPA

The names of five Clarendon women have been submitted for a lay instructors' course in Red Cross first aid in Pampa June 15, 20, W. A. Riney, local instructor said today.

The course will be conducted by a staff representative from the St. Louis office under the direction of Mr. Elmo Lowe.

The five who are eligible to attend from here are Berkeley Ryan, Nottie Sims, Laverne McMurry, Mrs. G. E. Norwood and Mrs. Paul Smith.

DONLEY COUNTY RECEIVES OVER INCH OF MOISTURE IN WEEK-LONG RAINS

Rain beginning with a gentle fall last Thursday night, continued intermittently throughout the week climaxed by almost an inch of moisture Tuesday and Wednesday. The total rainfall for the period measured 1.73 inches.

Hail, striking heavily at early cotton crops and wheat in the upper Panhandle, missed Donley County completely, county agent H. M. Breedlove said this morning. Outlying communities all reported good precipitation with varying depths of moisture, Breedlove said.

DONLEY PRODUCERS HAVE RECEIVED \$158,558.34 IN SOIL CONSERVATION CHECKS

A total of \$158,558.34 has been paid Donley County producers for complying with the AAA soil conservation program, it was announced today by Walter Flynt, ACA secretary.

Approximately 175 producers have not received checks yet, Flynt said, and their total should reach at least \$42,000.

Thirteen Childress Families Move To Make Way For Federal Project

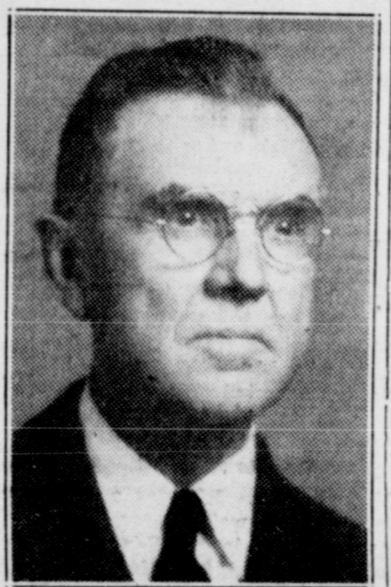
In less than two weeks since the government formally entered suit to gain possession of more than 2,000 acres adjacent to the city all but two of approximately fifteen families, several of them pioneer residents of Childress county, occupying new places to live and in some instances their former homes have been razed.

The largest single group of buildings to be razed comprised the original Givens homestead, which was erected more than a century ago, and at the time of demolition comprised 16 build-

LIONS HEAR NEW CHRISTIAN PASTOR

Rev. L. Guy Ament, newly installed pastor of the First Christian Church of Clarendon was the guest speaker on the weekly luncheon program of the Clarendon Lions Club Tuesday noon in the basement of the First Christian Church.

Rev. Mr. Ament, using the 1st Psalm as a basis spoke on the elements of citizenship, and quoted several inspirational poems in line with his theme.



REV. L. GUY AMENT

Lion Bill Weatherly was the program chairman for the day and introduced Rev. Ament.

Following the program Boss Lion Gillham, who was presiding in the absence of President McHenry Lane, initiated newly elected Lions Estlack, Moody, Helton, Simmons, Harris, Smith, Weatherly by requiring them to speak a given number of seconds, paying a penalty of a penny for each second over or under the prescribed time limit. All drew penalties, even though Lion Smith is said to have spoken the exact number of seconds.

Lion Kent made a brief report on the Hedley Lions Club Charter Night affair last Thursday evening, when Clarendon Lions Club as the sponsoring club attended as a body, some twenty-five Lions and ladies making up the group of fifty from this city.

Lion Bert Smith was named by Program Chairman Lowell as responsible for next Tuesday's Lions Club program.

FREE SHOW FOR CLARENDON PATRONS

Plans are under way for a weekly FREE picture show for the patrons of the Clarendon trade territory, sponsored by the Clarendon chamber of commerce, and paid for by Clarendon business men.

The free programs will likely be offered each Saturday afternoon, with the dates and other details to be announced shortly.

BERT SMITH, JR. BADLY BURNED TUESDAY

By JOE BARNES

Bert Smith, Jr., 14, is in the Adair Hospital suffering from several burns about the legs received Tuesday afternoon when gasoline with which he was washing paint from his body became ignited.

His condition is not critical. Young Smith and three companions had finished painting the swimming pool at the Smith home and were removing paint stains with gasoline, when the fumes were ignited.

The fire supposedly came from a hot water heater-pilot light in the bathroom where the boys were washing.

His body afire, the boy ran into the yard where the flames were smothered by Mr. Smith. He was rushed to the Adair Hospital for medical treatment.

Arlis Ray Allison, one of the companions, received burns about the feet and J. J. Lasson and Dan Young also were burned. None were serious.

The bathroom was not damaged by fire.

AMOUNT OF SUGAR FOR CANNING IS AGAIN EXPANDED

Ruth Donnell, clerk of the local rationing board, again pointed out this week that nine pounds of sugar per person may be obtained for canning. This amount is for the entire year.

In addition one pound per person per year may be secured for jams and jellies.

Applicants may receive one-half of this amount at the present and when the supply is exhausted they may secure the remainder.

YOUTHS UNDER 20 NOT TO BE TAKEN FOR ARMY SERVICE

President Roosevelt declared Tuesday that youths under 20 will not be drafted for several months.

Young men in this age bracket are not now subject to compulsory military service and legislation would be required to remove the exemption.

The President said that although such a move was under study, it would not be forthcoming for several months, if at all.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR J. F. JONES HELD FRIDAY

Funeral service for J. F. Jones about 74, a pioneer Donley resident for more than thirty years, were held at the First Methodist Church in Clarendon at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. The Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, Methodist pastor, officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. M. M. Miller, First Presbyterian pastor.

Mr. Jones died Thursday morning at his Sunnyview home.

Born October 28, 1868 at Neco, Ky., he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Jones and moved with his parents to Brown County, Texas, when he was two years old.

Mr. Jones was married to Mary Harmon in December, 1895 and ten years later they moved to Donley County.

Affiliated with the First Methodist Church at the age of sixteen, Mr. Jones was a faithful church member until his death.

Besides his wife he is survived by two sons, Ernest Jones of Littlefield, and Marvin Jones,

U. S. Takes Another Dip Into Auto Owners Pocket With New Tax Stamp On Sale During Month Of June

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE CONDUCTED

A City-wide Vacation Bible School will be held in Clarendon this summer beginning July 6, it was announced today following a meeting of the local Ministerial Association.

Miss Ruby Moore will head the school and all children of the community from 3 to 17 years old will be eligible for enrollment.

Faculty members are being selected this week and full details will be published next week.

At the meeting the ministers chose Rev. M. M. Miller, Presbyterian pastor, president and Rev. E. L. Moody, pastor of the First Baptist Church, secretary.

The association will meet every first Wednesday in each month for lunch at a local cafe.

FOOD STAMP SALES REACH \$2,669.50 IN DONLEY COUNTY

Donley County food stamp purchases in May reached a total of \$2,669.50, it was revealed by the Amarillo district today.

Six Panhandle counties added to the agricultural marketing administration program in the Amarillo district showed a total purchase of \$23,420.50 in blue food stamps during May, according to a compilation of reports by each county's food industry committee.

Approximately 8,600 persons participated in the program. Hall County was the largest buyer with 2,985 persons participating.

Food industry committee chairman for this district includes W. E. Clifford of Clarendon.

ALLEN ESPEY GETS ARMY PROMOTION

Private first class Allen Espey, formerly of Clarendon, has recently been promoted to the grade of Technician, 5th grade, it was announced this week by Lt. Col. M. B. Barragan, Commanding officer of the 345th Field Artillery Battalion, Camp Barkley, Texas.

Technician Espey is a member of Headquarters Battery 345th FA.

He is the brother of Mrs. Minnie Campbell of Clarendon.

U. S. Army, Lubbock. One grandchild, Bobby Joe Jones, also survives.

Pallbearers for the funeral were Zeb Davis, Slaton Mahaffey, J. R. Brandon, Walter Lowe, Lloyd Moreland, and Howard Stewart.

In charge of the flowers were Virginia Williams, Jane Williams, Gladys Hardin, Betty John Goldston, Mary Williams, Pauline Riley, Irene Rhodes and Mattie Rhodes.

Interment was in the Citizens Cemetery with Buntin & Son Funeral Home in charge.

Attending the funeral from out of town were Mrs. B. F. Hannon, Mrs. Mary Boyles, and daughter, Mrs. Richard Kempf, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Langford, all of Chillicothe; Mrs. Walter owners of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKee all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hardin of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Hannon of Memphis and Mr. S. T. Clayton of Amarillo.

ONE DAY PROGRAM OF ROUGH RIDIN' IS PLANNED

Inaugurated by several ranchmen of Donley, there is going to be a July 4th Rodeo in Clarendon after all. The 1942 plans call for a one-day affair with two rodeo programs, matinee and night, with suitable prizes and ribbons to the winners in the usual events.

When the chamber of commerce decided not to sponsor the Annual July 4th Celebration here this year, several ranchmen of the county felt that there should be at least a one-day rodeo on July 4th, so they began planning and soon found that the business men generally were in favor of some sort of an event to take the place of the usual two-day Celebration which had been so popular in this territory for a number of years.

In the organization session Wednesday evening, George Norwood was named president, with Joe McMurry, secretary-treasurer. Committees to handle each phase of the rodeo plans were named, and a plan for underwriting the expense of the big one-day event was adopted, contributors receiving all or part of their contributions back according to the financial success of the venture.

Events authorized include calf roping, bull riding, bronc riding, team tying, old timer's roping, and cutting horse contest in the adult division, with a junior bull riding event for the boys from 12 to fifteen years of age. Special activities and events for the ladies is being worked out by their own committees. Cash prizes will be awarded in all events. Official name is "Donley County Ranchers' Rodeo."

With a special theme honoring the old time and present day ranch workers over this territory, headquarters will be set up for registration and recognition for the various outfits who were and are today.

While the July 4th Ranchers' Rodeo may not draw attendance from so large an area this year, due to rubber tire shortage, it is felt that the matinee and night rodeo competition will draw a fine attendance from Donley and adjoining counties, and will not prove any detriment to the war effort.

Admission is set at 25c and 50c for both performances.

Net profits are to be used exclusively for the war effort, seventy five per cent going into Victory Bonds, and twenty-five percent to the Donley County quota of USO which will benefit all the service men from our territory.

Advertising and publicity will be out shortly, giving full information and covering the contiguous area around Donley.

A full program for the Rodeo will be released next week.

Private R. A. Beverly left today for his post at Carolina Beach, Fisher Field, N. C. after a ten day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Beverly.

ONE DAY PROGRAM OF ROUGH RIDIN' IS PLANNED

The federal government will take another dip into car owners' pocketbooks this month as all vehicles must have new \$5.00 auto stamps before July 1.

The tax stamps went on sale June 10 at postoffices and it has been indicated by Revenue Commissioner Guy T. Helvering that possession of the stamp would be necessary for getting new gasoline rationing cards in areas where motor fuel is rationed.

He said he has been advised by the Office of Price Administration "that in the issuance and use of gasoline rationing books, and important identification will be the serial number printed on the use stamp. In those areas where gasoline is being rationed and in those areas where gasoline will be rationed, possession of the stamp evidencing payment of the use tax on motor vehicles will provide one of the necessary means of identifying the coupon book with the vehicle in the securing of gasoline."

Rationing of gasoline in this section may come at any time. Heretofore, the government has had to depend chiefly on state and local officers to enforce purchase of the stamps.

The new stamp will cover the fiscal year beginning July 1 and will replace the existing stamp issued on Feb. 1, and for which owners paid \$2.09. It will be serially numbered and will have spaces on the back for recording the make, model, serial number and state license number of the vehicle.

The stamp will be gummed on the face and the announcement said that, "It is the desire of the bureau of internal revenue that the use tax stamp shall be placed on the windshield in a location that will not be in conflict with state requirements." The bureau noted that one exception was New Jersey, where state law requires such stickers placed on the rear window.

RATIONING BOARD TO BE CLOSED ON THURSDAY, FRIDAY

The Donley County rationing office in Clarendon will be closed today and Friday, Ruth Donnell, clerk, advised today.

Miss Donnell said the reason for the closing was for a meeting of board members in Amarillo Thursday to discuss War prices and rationing and Friday she would be in Hedley to receive applications for canning sugar.

Miss Donnell will be at the Hedley Red Cross room from 9:30 a. m. throughout the day tomorrow.

In the future the local office will be closed in the afternoons on Saturdays.

National Politics Peps Up—Worley To Have Opponent, O'Daniel Will Make Tour With Hal Collins

Eugene Worley, Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy, and congressman from the 18th Texas district, will have an opponent, it was revealed today with the announcement that Lynn Miller, Pampa pharmacist, had entered the race.

Worley, who was elected in 1940 to succeed Marvin Jones, is now stationed some where on the Pacific coast with the Navy. His name was placed on the primary ballot as a candidate for re-election.

Miller is a former Amarillo resident who has lived in Pampa for the past three years. As far as is known, he is no relation to "Dusty" Miller, the Amarillo lawyer who was a congressional candidate in the 1940 election.

Candidates for the house seat will have until this weekend to file their candidacies.

Candidate for U. S. Senator W. Lee O'Daniel will travel with another while campaigning for re-election this summer, it was announced today.

The announcement said that Hal H. Collins, Mineral Wells candidate for governor, and O'Daniel will travel together due to the tire shortage and the possibility of gasoline rationing. They will make speaking tours in the same sound equipped truck.

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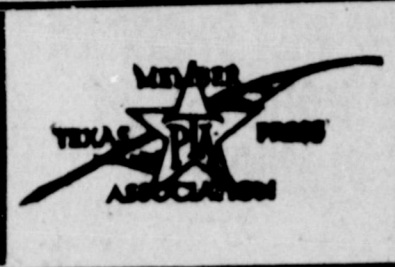
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NO POLITICAL TRIFLING WITH OUR GOVERNOR

The general idea that Texas' chief executive, Governor Stevenson, has an exceptional poise and sense of justice, was further extended in the minds of Texas voters this past week, when he refused to be used in a political manoeuvre of Rail Commissioner Sadler, who resigned to join the army, and wanted to predate his resignation to the deadline of the filing with the state Democratic executive committee for a place on the ticket for his friend and employee, Jas. E. Kilday, thereby in effect making Kilday the only candidate with his name on the ticket for the coveted \$7,000 a year job he (Sadler) was vacating.

Governor Stevenson rightly refused to be confused by a declaration of intention to resign with the formal written resignation, and since no written resignation had been received by the filing deadline took his time about accepting Sadler's resignation, taking the unimpeachable position that he would not be party to a plan to give an unfair advantage to the lone candidacy of Kilday whose name the plan intended to make the sole name on the ticket for the Sadler post.

Governor Stevenson has no objections to Kilday and would probably have appointed him to the vacancy for the unexpired Sadler term, if other prospective candidates had had notice and opportunity to file for place on the primary ticket.

Governor Stevenson has given a demonstration of Democratic practice and fair-play that Texans generally will applaud. Texas voters will prove their esteem for such a governor in the voting on July 25th, when they will return him to office by a huge majority over all his also-ran opponents.

A POINTLESS CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDACY

While the News has frankly stated its belief that our congressman, Hon. Eugene Worley is needed in his seat at Washington, more than he is needed in the Navy, yet at this late hour a candidacy of the gentleman from Pam for Worley's post in Congress appears wholly pointless to us.

Before he left Washington, Worley organized his office for efficient service to the constituency of the 18th district, and the staff is doing a notable job of service to the needs of all our Panhandle towns and citizenship.

The voters of the 18th district will re-nominate Worley by an overwhelming vote on July 25th and no less re-elect him in November.

DOUBLE CAMPAIGNING TO SAVE TIRES

Senator W. Lee O'Daniel has announced that he will make his campaign for re-election to the Senate traveling in company with Hal Collins of Mineral Wells, who is another of the brave opponents of Governor Stevenson in his campaign for re-election as Governor of Texas. The double-campaign tour is to save tires, says Senator O'Daniel.

Whatever the merits of the tire-saving measure, political experience in Texas has proven how unwise it is to mix one's political candidacy with that of any other candidacy regardless of the personal friendships involved.

It may save tires, but it is going to cost somebody some votes.

QUIT YER SHOVIN'



STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OPPOSES GAS RATIONING

In a meeting of the state Democratic executive committee at Austin Monday it went on record as strongly opposed to any rationing of gasoline in Texas where there is so much excess gasoline in storage.

Texas Democrats will stand firmly behind the party machinery in their logical position, and Texas congressmen will have full backing from the folks back home in their pledge, to fight unceasingly against the purely political effort of the heavily populated states of the East coast to force gasoline rationing down the throats of the entire nation just because lack of shipping facilities has made it necessary in their borders.

Why penalize Texas brimming over with gasoline for the war conditions that beset far away states not so well situated and somewhat isolated by lack of tanker shipping?

Economic Highlights

Happenings That Affected the Dinner Pails, Dividend Checks and Tax Bills of Every Individual National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare.

"Neither optimism nor pessimism will win this war," wrote Dorothy Thompson recently "but meticulous preparation, audacious action, taking advantage of every weakness of the enemy, and the use of every hand, brain, material and substitute material that this energetic and ingenious nation can muster. In a war like this one, we must assume at every moment, from start to finish, that its entire outcome depends upon us. In favorable moments we must not relax; in distressful moments we must pull ourselves together. At no moment must our efforts be affected by our moods."

It is undoubtedly true that many of us have given way to unjustified optimism of late. That is only natural. We exaggerate United Nations victories and minimize Axis victories. A high government official said not long ago, that, judging by the headlines in some newspapers, General MacArthur's forces must be knocking at the gates of Tokyo. Even the best of editors succumb to wishful thinking of times, and their papers reflect that attitude.

The plain truth is that, unless the completely unlikely occurs, we have barely started our war effort. The maps of the world tell the whole sorry story. Japanese dominance in the South Pacific is complete. China is in extreme danger, and Burma has been lost. British Asiatic forces have fought bravely, but they have constantly been overwhelmed and forced into retreat. The complete loss of the Philippines has released crack Jap divisions for service elsewhere.

In Europe, Hitler is still supreme. The Russians have performed wonders in holding back the Nazi legions. But the fact remains that much of Russian territory is still in Hitler's hands, and it's a long way from the fighting lines to the German border.

There is no cause for pessimism in all this. The Axis was ready for war and the United Nations were not, and serious reverses were inevitable. And at the same time, we must not make the fatal mistake of thinking that all is going perfectly, and that there's nothing much to worry about. It has been observed, with great accuracy, that the United Nations won't lose the war unless they start thinking that they can't lose it.

The Burma campaign illustrates our difficulties. Lieutenant General Stilwell and the other commanders planned brilliantly and their forces fought brilliantly. They just didn't have the equipment. General Stilwell had this to say: "I claim we got a hell of a beating. We got run out of Burma and it is humiliating as hell — The Japanese are not by proportioned and properly equipped we can throw them supermen. If we go back proper-out." The invader, in brief, had the material that a modern war demands. The defenders didn't.

Here at home, as the commentators have been saying, we have got over the production hump. Within a few months the production of war materials of all kinds will reach fantastic dimensions. What we still have to do is to win the battle of transportation. The task of supplying forces which are fighting on battle fronts in every section of the world, thousands of miles from the production lines, is staggering. We have not yet solved the Uboat problem. We haven't enough naval craft to keep the convoys going with minimum losses. This is going to take time — and it is going to take stupendous, undivided effort as well.

In short, we are still fighting delaying actions for the most part. We are not yet in a position to start the gigantic counter-offensive which will recap-

ture the many vital positions the United Nations have lost, and carry the war to the home of the enemy. But we are moving swiftly toward the day when that will be possible, and the long-pull outlook grows steadily brighter. In the meantime, it is obviously the part of wisdom to figure on a very long, very arduous war. One thing we can't afford is over-confidence.

Time observes that experts are convinced that "China has been a great military opportunity which the U. S. has neglected — an opportunity which if not grasped may not exist much longer."

China's greatest need now is planes, mechanics and gasoline. And Chinese airfields provide the perfect take-off points for raids on Japan proper. The great industrial city of Nagasaki, for instance, is only three hours by air from Chekiang. Formosa is closer still. All important military objectives in Japan can be reached with relative ease.

The raid on Japan made by Brigadier General Doolittle's squadrons demonstrates that Japan is really vulnerable to air attack. He and his fliers reported that every target was hit according to plan, and that Japanese defense didn't amount to much. The fact that every American plane reached a friendly field is proof of that.

Japanese radio broadcasts following the raid were obviously designed to buck up civilian morale — which certainly indicates that the Japanese people didn't enjoy the American air visit at all.

Many an American bomber, with crews and spare parts, is likely to go to China in the near future. Tokyo hasn't seen the last of United Nations growing air power.

The Low Down FROM HICKORY GROVE

Jumping onto bankers and the folks who manage the bigger businesses, like shipyards, and automobile factories, and railroads, is not going to work as good next fall for anybody trying to get elected to something. If you got in that way last time and try it again now, you have had luck in the offing.

We are just getting hep to the idea that the speedy war planes, and peeps, and geeps, and creeps (which, if you don't know, are bicycles) being turned out, and which are so good and of which we are so proud, are not just an accident. The big factories making these things have to be big. Factories being big right now will sure help save our hides.

Any body poppin' off and saying down with this or that, and tax this guy or that guy clear out of existence, is gonna get tapped on the shoulder and asked to sit down.

Ethiopia, a few years back, was strangled on by Mussolini. Ethiopia had no big business. They didn't have Utopia in Ethiopia.

Yours with the low down, JO SERRA.

COLLEGE STATION — Eighteen thousand families on small farms and ranches in Texas enjoyed comfortable homemade mattresses and warm comforters during the past winter.

Under the direction of FSA home management supervisors, men and women from low income farm families made 23-745 mattresses and 34,474 comforters during the past year and a half.

Don't Delay, Buy War Bonds Today.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

Because it well might be considered a tribute to doctors everywhere — and especially the small-town doctors — the following poem, "A Tribute to Dr. Thomas A. Lowery" and signed simply "A Friend," is reproduced from the Chillicothe Valley News:

Out of his bed at midnight;
Over a snowbound trail;
Watching a case 'till daylight;
Braving a winter gale—

Up from a meal at mid-day,
Off on a hurry call;
Miles on a lonely highway;
Out through a summer squall—

Called from an evening's pleasure
Into the bitter night;
Lured from a moment's leisure
Into a patient's plight—

Rushing away at daybreak
Into a blizzard wild;
Soothing a mother's heartache
Over a suffering child—

Ever a willing servant,
Never a selfish end;
Solace, kind, observant,
Doctor, adviser and friend!

When Rip Van Winkle woke up (so we read in the Stanton Reporter) and wandered back to the old home town, he was neither recognized nor remembered. He found his wife gone, his daughter married, his native village remodeled and America independent. He had seen clear through the Revolution!

Nevertheless, Rip was a lucky man, because we'd never have known about him to this day if Washington Irving hadn't written him up.

Any industry that is contemplating hibernation from advertising during World War II might well consider the plight in which Rip found himself. For after this war, even a Washington Irving — if you could find one — might not be able to bring back into public favor a once popular trade name.

It always pays to advertise!

Yes sir, and yes, ma'am, your columnist is in the race for Lt. Governor of Texas. And if the editor will be kind enough to let this by his blue pencil, any reader who feels he can come to know me through this weekly message about Texas and would like to hand some campaign cards to friends and neighbors, just drop a postal card — and say how many you can use — to Boyce House, 3329 Park Ridge, Fort Worth, Thanks.

Here's a new (at least new to me) Texas joke to close on: A cowboy complained to the ranch cook, "There ain't no chicken in this chicken soup." The cook replied, "No — and there ain't no horse in the horse-radish, either."

An institute to train volunteer workers for community service is being conducted during the first term of summer school at the University of Texas. The short course is preparing workers to serve as board or committee members in planning programs, as aides in new civilian defense organizations, or in established social service agencies.

Bond Paper at The News.

LIVESTOCK SALES NEAR ALL-TIME RECORD IN 1942

COLLEGE STATION — Reports on movement of cattle to market indicate that Texas cattlemen are meeting the goals they accepted in the Food for Freedom program, the Texas U. S. D. A. War Board announced today.

The USDA War Board announcement cited the BAE range and livestock report for May 1, which declared that "total market movement of cattle and calves for the first quarter of the

year 1942 was 421,000 head, which was the second largest movement on record for that period and compares with 351,000 head for the same period last year."

The USDA War Board goal for 1942 called for the marketing of 3,521,287 head of cattle, an 18 per cent increase over 1941.

B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA War Board, declared that the increased cattle marketings were a good indication that cattlemen, along with other branches of the agricultural industry intend to meet their pledges and to do their share in providing Food for Freedom.

Now Is the Time to Come to The Aid of Your Country by Buying War Bonds, Bonds.



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Random Reflections

By DICK COOKE

Most of us wouldn't break the law because we wouldn't want to live in uncertainty, doubt, and the misery of trials and the disgrace of being apprehended. However, I can fully appreciate some types of persons and their utter disregard for law and its enforcement. Here is a little by-play of silliness enacted recently:

A man was picked-up in Clarendon and promptly admitted that he was wanted in two neighboring states. One for "breaking and entering" and one for insanity. The local officers confirmed the confession and the neighboring states said they would come after the man if he would sign extradition waivers. The man would not, naturally, and was released as no violations had been committed here.

Once out of jail the man went about town bragging about the entire business. He was most surely convinced that he had out-smarted the law and declared, despite sheriff's warnings to leave town, that he was in no hurry.

More-or-less patted on the back by the very laws made to safeguard citizens, this man will believe himself immune from trouble until he has made many more respectable citizens terrified, cause them loss of property and perhaps death. A robber, half crazed and with the thought that he can again evade the law, is a dangerous thing in a bedroom.

Perhaps some day the states in

Garden Glances

Presented weekly by the Garden Club

"America the beautiful lies in the hands of the gardeners!"

Roses are still blossoming in marvelous beauty in many gardens. The lovely white rose in the foreground at the home of Mrs. Eula Cox is indeed beautiful. Two bright pink roses adorn the lovely Spanish type home of Willard Skelton.

The H. T. Burton home is surrounded with attractive colors, the pink rose over the side of the porch, tall spirites of hollyhocks, and a cactus with brilliant pink blossoms altogether present a very pleasing view.

The Will Lewis home has several attractive spots, the huge golden elder, the nasturtiums in the window boxes the beautiful evergreens and the spacious lawn. Day lilies are to be found in profusion in the yards of Mrs. C. L. Benson, Billy Weatherly and Allen Bryan.

Kelly Chamberlain's home and grounds are unusually neat and seem to be more green because of the recent rains.

Victory gardens are greatly helped by the rains. Lee Muse has one of the prettiest gardens in the city.

R. R. Dawkins home is more noticeable since the new outside produces a greater contrast with the lawn and trees.

There is a most beautiful display of white lilies in the yard of H. C. Brumley. They are very striking and noticeable.

the Union will plug up useless treasury leaks and spend more time and money working out effective protection. Of course I agree with the reader, I doubt it.

Red Cross Volunteer Service

Knitting

Yarn for only two sweaters was issued this week of Mrs. Marie Lane and Mrs. Clyde Price. Edgar Mae Mongole took yarn for a muffler.

Olive drab sweaters were beginning to come rather fast this week, with about twentytwo sweaters being turned in since last Thursday. Five sweaters were turned in by Hedley women, Mrs. G. C. Brinson (3), Miss Lois Wood, and Mrs. J. B. Pickett. Four sweaters from Clarendon were turned in by Mrs. C. C. Powell, Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, Maurice Berry and Imogene Spencer.

Ashtola set a record this week by turning in thirteen sweaters. The yarn was taken out April 15 and returned June 8. Among the women were Mrs. R. Brandon, Mrs. M. Dunn, Mrs. Hubert Rhoades, Mrs. M. H. Rhoades, (2), Laura Mae Harp, Mrs. W. P. Holley (2), and Miss Jessie Cook (5). These workers are working under Miss Jessie Cook who is knitting chairman in that community and Miss Cook is really doing a fine piece of work. She herself knitted five of the sweaters turned in.

Knitted squares for the afagans were turned in by Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. J. B. Lynn.

The production room received a nice donation of needles from Mrs. C. W. Bennett, Sr., this week. Needles have been very scarce and the donation was truly appreciated.

Seventy-five pounds of olive drab wool will be ready to be issued the last of this week. Those of you who have finished your last sweater may call at the production room anytime this weekend and obtain more wool.

The sweaters for the War Relief have not been coming in as they should. September seems a while off now but let's not wait until the last minute. The sooner your sweater is turned in the sooner it will be off your mind.

Sewing and Cutting
Almost all of the sewing for the emergency has been taken out. All the work has been taken willingly and the workers are progressing nicely. Most of the sewing has been issued to various church units and clubs.

Production Room News
Through the generosity of Mr. Odos Caraway, the production room is the proud possessor of a show case that officials have been trying to secure for some time. Mr. Caraway has loaned it to the Red Cross "for the duration" and it will be used in displaying the garments. Always before the garments have been displayed on the table and some have become soiled from handling.

The only home owned in Texas by Stephen F. Austin, "Father of Texas," is restored in replica on its original site in San Antonio. The Roadrunner and Palsano, is a Texas favorite and was adopted as the official bird of the Centennial Exposition of 1936.

Your state has a War Bond quota. Remember that everytime you open your pocketbook or write a check put 10 percent of your family's income into War Bonds and Stamps.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The 75-millimeter gun is a divisional weapon used by the Artillery as an anti-tank gun. It has been replaced to some extent by the more modern "105", known as the heaviest of divisional weapons. The 75-mm gun costs \$12,000 and has been converted by our Ordnance into a "blaster" twice as efficient as in the first World War.

This gun gets maximum power for minimum weight and cost, and the American people are providing the finance through the purchase of War Bonds. If you do your share and invest 10 per cent of your income in War Bonds, adequate supply of this efficient gun can be assured our fighting forces. Buy War Bonds every day.

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SAFETY RULES FOR WATER SPORTS ARE LISTED BY EXPERT

AUSTIN — Some timely advice to vacationists concerning the proper precautions to be used in water sports was released from the State Health department today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

It was pointed out that, in view of wartime restrictions, vacation pleasures are apt to be limited to excursions and picnics at nearby lakes, rivers, and ponds of unfamiliar depths and currents, and without the usual lifeguard supervision associated with bathing beaches and commercial swimming pools.

"Swimming and water sports are beneficial to good health provided one's physical condition justifies this type of exercise," Dr. Cox asserted; "nevertheless, they possess dangerous possibilities if the rules of safety, thru carelessness or thoughtlessness, are disregarded."

The state health officer outlined the following simple rules for bathing and swimming in safety:

1. At least one hour should elapse after a meal before entering water.
 2. Upon the first indication of fatigue, come ashore and call it a day. Don't reenter the water.
 3. If becoming chilled, leave the water immediately.
 4. Do not enter the water when overheated.
 5. Learn to float. This is most important.
 6. Never attempt to rock a boat in a spirit of fun.
 7. Never swim in water that may be polluted. Swimming close to or even a few miles below sewage outlets is inviting the possibility of acquiring disease.
- "Excursions, picnics, and swimming parties contribute much to a healthy, happy, normal life, which is especially desirable at this particular time when the whole nation is tense and under a strain," Dr. Cox said. "It is by no means advisable to eliminate these excursions from our summer program, but it is important that they prove beneficial and not disastrous."

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE

By TOPPS

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MORE MILITARY AIRPLANES WILL BE BUILT DURING 1942 THAN WERE MANUFACTURED BETWEEN THE TIME THE FIRST MILITARY PLANE WAS DELIVERED TO THE ARMY IN 1909 AND THE BEGINNING OF THE PRESENT YEAR

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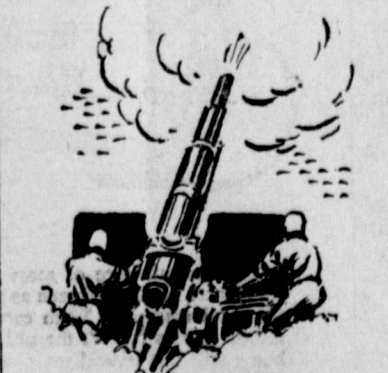


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BERRIES: Will begin picking berries Monday, June 8, every day except Sundays, at Luttrells Orchards, 2 miles west of Hedley. W. J. Luttrell. 23-3tp.

Personals

Glenn Allison left Wednesday for Dallas for induction into the navy.

Hardy Mack Bourland of Quail spent last week here with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson.

Laverne Darden spent Tuesday in Memphis with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Foxhall.

Joyce Greenhouse spent the weekend in McLean with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nath Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reid and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Reid visited friends in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perkins of McLean visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Parker.

Mrs. Addison Mitchell of Panhandle and Mrs. Iva Gaither of Breckenridge visited in the J. M. Acord home Friday.

Mrs. George Walters of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris left Friday for a visit with relatives in Ozona.

Ray Holman of Tucumcari, New Mexico is spending the summer here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Flynt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Wells of Huntsville arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Well's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Stallings.

Mrs. Harold A. Chun and daughter, Margaret Clair of Houston, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Chun's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Braswell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sibley and children of Amarillo stopped in Clarendon a short while Saturday enroute to San Antonio to visit Mrs. Sibley's brother, Gerald Sivally.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram and daughters of Clovis, New Mexico were in Clarendon Monday visiting with Mr. Ingram's mother, Mrs. C. B. Ingram, and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cauten and daughter of Amarillo visited here Monday with his mother, Mrs. Linnie Cauten.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Slavin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Kritzer in Amarillo Sunday.

Jessie Ingram of Amarillo spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. C. B. Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift visited in Amarillo and Canyon Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Marion Speden and daughter, Carolyn of Wichita Falls arrived Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Speden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ozler.

L. E. Thompson, who has been confined to his home with illness for the past week, is able to be up and about again.

Anna Moores and Anna Moores Swift left this morning for a week's vacation in Dallas.

Mrs. John Blocker, Sr., is visiting in Dallas this week with her daughter, Penelope Blocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grundy and family of Quitaque visited in the V. L. Smith home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edd Barnes of Amarillo spent Saturday night here with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Edd Barnes, while en route to Memphis to visit her brother.

Mrs. J. H. Headrick left recently for Los Angeles, California where she will enter the University of Los Angeles for the summer session.

Ensign Robert Nichols visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nichols while enroute to Boston, Mass.

Floyd Little of Miami, Arizona arrived Monday for a two weeks visit here with his sister, Mrs. Carl Saye.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus White returned Saturday from Waxahatchie where they visited with Mrs. White's parents.

Mrs. Alan Furman and Miss Anna Lynn Barnes of Amarillo spent Saturday night here with their mother, Mrs. Edd Barnes.

Miss D'Laurel Beville of San Antonio is visiting here this week in the J. T. Patman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Estlack and son of Electra and Phifer and Eugene Estlack of Austin spent the weekend here in the J. C. Estlack home.

Nancy Davidson who arrived by plane from Bremerton, Washington, last week to visit her aunt, Mrs. Simmons Powell, left today with her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Davidson, for a visit with relatives in Dallas, Fort Worth and Whitewright, Texas, before returning home in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hembree of Plainview visited here several days this week with Mrs. Hembree's mother, Mrs. Eva Atterberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen White of Shamrock spent Sunday here with Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, Sr.

John Molesworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Molesworth, returned Tuesday from Schriner Institute where he attended Monday from Wyoming where she visited her husband who is stationed at Fort Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant and daughter, Marilyn of Amarillo visited here Monday and Tuesday in the Cal Merchant home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lowry and family visited in McLean Sunday with Mrs. Lowry's mother, Mrs. J. W. Storey.

Vesta Gamble of Goodnight has been visiting in the Roy Beverly home for the past ten days.

Ione Wall spent Sunday in McLean with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wall.

Mrs. O. W. Latson was taken to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo for medical treatment Monday by Buntin Ambulance.

Bond Paper at The News.

A Plain Statement about WESTERN VACATION TRAVEL

NATIONAL PARKS ARE OPEN. The national parks of the West—including Yellowstone, Glacier, and Rocky Mountain—are open to vacationists this summer. Park hotels and resorts will be open, and regular motor bus service will be in operation during the season between rail gateways and hotels, and between hotels within the parks. Sightseeing sidetrips have been suspended.

COLORADO ROCKIES. Hotels and resorts in the Colorado Rockies are opening. While sightseeing bus operations have been suspended, it is possible for vacationists to reach nearly all the principal scenic regions by train or regularly scheduled buses. Resort operators, upon notice, will meet guests at nearby rail or bus stops.

DUDE RANCHES. More than 100 dude ranches in Wyoming, Colorado and Montana reached via the Burlington are accepting guests this season. Upon advance notice, ranchers will meet guests at nearby rail station. Limitless sightseeing trips are available from ranches by horseback or wagon.

WARTIME TRAVEL INFORMATION. For information on train schedules, equipment and resort accommodations, consult your local Burlington ticket agent. Now, more than ever, it is important to obtain travel counsel so as to avoid conflict with war traffic.

War Traffic is the No. 1 Job

The most important job of the Burlington for the duration is to provide fast, dependable transportation for troops and war materials. This has been done and will continue to be done and will continue to be the primary purpose of the entire Burlington organization.

In addition to the expeditious handling of war traffic, the Burlington has the capacity to care for the civilian freight and passenger movements, many of which are inseparable from the war effort.

Best use can be made of this travel capacity by planning trips so as to depart and return during the middle of the week. Reservations, when required, should be made several days in advance, if possible.


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By LAURA CLARK

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten and daughter, Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Batson and Mrs. Sam Roberts spent Sunday in Memphis at the home of Mrs. Brice Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCauley of Amarillo were visiting their parents Sunday.

Robbie Carolyn Dotson of Corpus Christi is spending her vacation here with her grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Bullard and cousin, Evelyn Dean Johnston.

Miss Marie Bain was honored with a bridal shower Friday afternoon when Miss Moodye Aten presented her with a large box full of useful gifts from her many friends here. Miss Bain is being married this week to Rev. Johnnie Cole of near Ft. Worth.

Billie Price of Estelline who has been spending the week with Martha Ann Clark returned to her home Tuesday.

A dinner honoring the 71st birthday of Mrs. J. T. Ellis of Pulaski, was given in the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Dutton Sunday.

The children attending were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ellis and family of Pulaski; Mr. C. H. Ellis and family of Pulaski; Mrs. Bob Holtzclaw of Wellington.

Visitors were Mrs. Edgar Foster and children, Mrs. C. A. Ragon of Pulaski, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chaney of Longview, Moss Dorothy Bragg and brother of Wichita Falls, Miss Vernice Spencer of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Orr of Memphis, Mrs. Frank Wolford and Monte Ray of Lelia Lake.

Miss Vernell Leathers spent the weekend with her parents,

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who assisted us in word or deed during our great sorrow, the death of our dear loved one, and for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's blessings rest on you.

Mrs. J. F. Jones and family.
Mrs. N. L. Jones and family.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. Guy Ament, Pastor

Sunday School meets at 9:45 a. m. Make it unanimous.

Church services at 11 a. m. Song and communion service. Followed by sermon, subject, "The Man at the Temple."

Evening services, good song service and sermon. Subject, "Dividing the Word of God Right." 8:30 o'clock.

Next Wednesday Prayer service and Bible study. All are cordially invited to attend the above services and enter into the worship with us. Bring some one with you.

Mr. and Mrs. Leathers.

Martha Ann Clark celebrated her fifteenth birthday June 8th with a party. Guests were Billie Jean Price, Evelyn Dean Johnston, Robbie Carolyn Dotson of Corpus Christi, Earnestine White, Lois Reynolds, Mary Frances Meeks, Bobbie Dutton, Nova Lee Barker, Lois Marie Williams, Mamie Barker, Tom McGowan, Harry Urey, Jimmy Lee Butler, James Clark, and Laura Jean Clark.

Dainty refreshments were served. The girls spent the night and enjoyed a slumber party until the wee hours. A late breakfast was served to a bunch of sleepy eyed girls Tuesday morning.

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SOCIETY

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VIVIAN TAYLOR

LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB HOLDS LAST MEETING OF YEAR FRIDAY

Les Beaux Arts Club held their final meeting of the 1941-42 club year Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Riney as hostess. The meeting was held in the out-door living room in the yard of Mrs. Crockett Taylor.

A program on Panhandle birds given by Mrs. J. D. Stocking and Mrs. Walter Taylor was made especially interesting by the many birds that gave an orchestration throughout the program. Nests of the various birds that were building in the yard were viewed by the members and a tour was conducted through the gardens.

An ice course was served to Mrs. George Bagby, Mrs. Lollie Bagby, Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mrs. J. W. Evans, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, Miss Mary Howren, Mrs. C. C. Powell, Mrs. J. D. Stocking, Mrs. J. D. Swift, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Mrs. Frank White, Jr., Mrs. Homer Glascoe, and Mrs. Fred Russell.

MRS. ALLISON IS HOSTESS TO FRIENDSHIP CLUB TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. J. L. Allison was hostess to the Friendship Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. Skinner, president, opened the meeting and the opening prayer was given by Mrs. C. E. Lindsey. Mrs. J. D. Stocking gave the scripture reading.

The usual social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served to Mrs. C. R. Skinner, Mrs. J. D. Stocking, Mrs. L. Ballew, Mrs. G. J. Teel, Mrs. M. E. Thornton, Mrs. Allison and two guests, Mrs. George Matheson and Miss Naomi Allison.

The next meeting of the club is scheduled for June 23 at the home of Mrs. L. Ballew.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. ADAMS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Clarendon Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Karl Adams Friday afternoon with Mrs. O. C. Watson presiding over a short business meeting.

Plans were laid to do quilting for the Red Cross at the next meeting which will be held June 19 with Mrs. O. C. Watson. Each member has been requested to bring a thimble and needle.

Mrs. A. G. Lane and Mrs. C. L. Benson, Sr., were appointed to take charge of the program.

Attending were Mrs. G. A. Anderson, Mrs. G. W. Antrobus, Mrs. A. H. Baker, Mrs. C. L. Benson, Sr., Mrs. M. A. Hahn, Mrs. A. G. Lane, Mrs. C. C. Watson, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Mattie Hudson, and Misses Ida and Eta Harned.

GARDEN CLUB TO MEET

The Clarendon Garden Club will meet Monday afternoon, June 15, at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. L. Chase.

MRS. PAT SLAVIN ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE PARTY MONDAY

Mrs. Pat Slavin entertained a number of guests with a bridge party Monday afternoon. The affair was given in the home of Mrs. C. T. McMurtry.

A color scheme of pink and green was carried out with bouquets of pink sweetpea and carnation decorating the entertaining rooms. The color scheme was carried further in refreshments which were served from the buffet and dining table.

At the end of the afternoon, Laverne McMurtry held high score and Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr. cut high.

The guests list included Mrs. John Knorpp, Mrs. Carroll Knorpp, Mrs. Kelly Chamberlain, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr., Mrs. C. L. Benson, Jr., Mrs. J. C. L. Benson, Jr., Mrs. J. T. Hoy, Mrs. Paul Slaton, Mrs. B. F. Kirtley, Mrs. Simmons Powell, Mrs. Mike Stricklin, Mrs. John Blocker, Jr., Mrs. Alfred McMurtry, Mrs. H. M. Breedlove, Mrs. W. H. Skelton, Mrs. Floyd Lumpkin, Berkeley Ryan, Anna Moores Swift, Maxine Ellis, June McMurtry, and Laverne McMurtry.

NAVY CLUB HOLDS REGULAR MEETING MONDAY EVENING

The Donley County Navy Club held their regular meeting at the Club Room Monday evening.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by the reading of the minutes from the last meeting. Plans for the completion of the window display in Green's window were discussed. A letter commending the club on its work was read to the group by the president. The letter came from Chief Norman of the Amarillo recruiting office.

A report was given on the donation of a large number of magazines by Stocking Drug Store. The magazines will be sent to the men in service.

The meeting closed with the request that any relative of the Navy, Coast Guard, or Marines be asked to take active part in the Navy Club.

OUT OF TOWN VISITOR HONORED AT SWIM PARTY AND PICNIC

Manly and Gene Bryan were hosts Friday evening at a swim party and picnic at the Country Club in honor of Nancy Davidson of Bremerton, Washington.

Guests were Shirley Price of Marion, Ill., LaRuth Young, Patty Molesworth, Max Keys, Freddie Molesworth, Jimmie Douglas, Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mrs. J. W. Davidson, Mrs. Simmons Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan, and the hosts.

Mrs. G. J. Teel returned Monday from a ten day vacation in Tres Ritos, New Mexico. She was accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Barrett and Mrs. Kerr of Amarillo.

MATRONS' HARMONY CLASS MEETS IN COX HOME THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Members of the Matrons' Harmony Class of the First Methodist Church held their regular monthly social and business meeting Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. N. Cox. Assisting Mrs. Cox as hostess was Mrs. W. E. Ray.

Following a business session presided over by the class president, Mrs. J. M. Acord, guests spent the remainder of the afternoon playing forty-two.

Frosted cake and cookies were served to one guest, Miss Ineva Headrick, and to members Mrs. O. C. Watson, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Mrs. J. M. Acord, Mrs. Paul Shelton, Mrs. Homer Bones, Mrs. C. E. Morris, Mrs. Lee Holland, Mrs. Victor Smith and Mrs. Paul Smith.

DORCAS-ALETHEAN CLASS MEETS IN ALDERSON HOME THURSDAY

Members of the Dorcas-Alethean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Earl Alderson for their regular monthly business and social meeting. Assisting Mrs. Alderson were Mrs. Bill Bromley and Mrs. Tom Helton.

After a short business session games of forty-two were played during the afternoon.

Attending were Mrs. T. T. Allred, Mrs. Hattie Palmer, Mrs. Bob Webster, Mrs. Carl Peabody, Mrs. C. Huffman, Mrs. Owen Pyeatt, Mrs. Joe Goldston, Lorene O. Gunter, Mrs. Fred Cook, Mrs. J. E. West, Mrs. C. J. Douglas, Mrs. L. T. Shelton, Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, Mrs. B. B. Harris, Mrs. Lloyd Risley, Mrs. Chester Talley, Mrs. Walter Flynt, Mrs. Doss Palmer and Mrs. Bert Smith.

ALLISON, HARTON NUPTIALS SPOKEN HERE SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Harton of this city are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Thelma, to Boyd Allison of Sheppard Field, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allison, also of this city.

The nuptials were spoken Saturday evening with the Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, Jr., pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating at his home. The couple was accompanied by the bride's brother, Barney Harton and the groom's sister, Lila Mae Allison.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Allison are graduates of the local schools. They will make their home in Wichita Falls.

CHAMBERLAIN ENTERTAINS WITH DINNER PARTY WEDNESDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Chamberlain entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening with a dinner party which was served buffet style from tables arranged in the yard.

Attending were Mr. Will Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr., Mr. John Molesworth, Charlotte Molesworth, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bugbee, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Knorpp, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knorpp, and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain.

Edith Shelton left this weekend for Albuquerque, New Mexico where she will enter the University of New Mexico for the summer session.

Chit-Chat



By VIVIAN TAYLOR

If I should go upon a diet
And slenderize my hips;
If I should paint a cupid bow
Of red upon my lips;

If I should misplace both my
brows;
An permanent wave my hair;
And fix my nails a dazzling red
To make the people stare;

If I should walk with swaggering
steps,
And chat with pep and vim;
If I should do all these I'd
Probably catch a hundred men.

But men aren't worth the bother,
The chase is all for naught.
So I shall stay contented
With just the few I've caught.

After a survey, Dorothy Killgallen, gives us a composite picture of the girl of a doughboy's dreams. She says Johnny Soldier has finally sketched her and she comes out short, has a tiny waist line and plenty of curves, dances like a jitterbug, and dresses like a school girl in jumper frocks and shirtwaist dresses and tailored suits with giddy feminine touches. She wears a hair ribbon or an old-fashioned "barrette" in her hair, no hat. In short, the doughboy's is a cross between Rita Hayworth and the girl next door.

News Item: On Saturday, May 30, Mrs. D. S. Smith completed fifteen years of working in the same building with only two changes in bosses. She worked for nine years with Hanna-Pope and Company and the last six with Mellinger & Rosenwasser. Mrs. Smith says she's feeling a bit lost but right now she's enjoying the rest.

With the month of June well under way, we are finding that picnics are being revived this summer like never before, and we are finding that they are fun too. Pack yourself up a picnic lunch of some kind and travel

WALTER KNORPPS ENTERTAINS WITH BUFFET SUPPER SUNDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knorpp entertained with a buffet supper at their home Sunday night.

Enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Keady Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Noblet, Miss Charlotte Molesworth, Mr. and Mrs. John Knorpp and Dick Cooke.

ANNA MOORES SWIFT ENTERTAINS WITH STEAK SUPPER

Anna Moores Swift entertained a number of friends with a steak supper Saturday evening on the Swift farm.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Oakes and son of Amarillo, Mrs. Mary K. Blanton of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, Jr., and son, Ineva Headrick, Anna Moores, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift.

TAYLOR-McDANIEL MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED BY PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Lois Marie, to Jim McDaniel, aviation cadet at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo. The marriage took place May 16 at Weatherford.

Mrs. McDaniel is a graduate of the local schools and at the time of her marriage was a student nurse in a Lubbock hospital. Mr. McDaniel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McDaniel of Lubbock.

MISSIONARY NOTES

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday afternoon in a group meeting at the church with Rev. G. T. Palmer giving the devotional.

Officers of the society had charge of the program. Each gave a report of the duties pertaining to their respective offices.

Those taking part on the program were Mrs. L. N. Cox, Mrs. Paul Shelton, Mrs. Lee Holland, Mrs. David Johnson, Mrs. W. E. Ray, Mrs. G. T. Palmer, Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mrs. R. Y. King, Mrs. Elba Ballew, Mrs. C. A. Burton, Mrs. V. L. Smith. Refreshments were served.

(ride if you can and if you can't, walk) to the nearest tree and try it. You'll find that you can really get a kick out of slapping at mosquitoes and picking ants out of the food. And how about that lost art, the moonlight hayride? All you need is a horse, a wagon full of hay, a night full of stars and an open road. The entertainment will take care of itself.

The other day we were chiding a girl friend for not doing her bit by knitting for the varicose causes. "Well, I figure," replied the accused, "that the causes have just about enough trouble already without my knitting for them." Helpful.

We've just finished reading "Mrs. Miniver" and a more interesting and fascinating little book we have never read. But how in the name of mud they have managed to make a movie out of it is more than we can see. Probably nothing but the title and the names of the characters are the same. A movie can either make or break a book and we're sincerely hoping that this movie turns out to be as entertaining as the story itself. Perhaps Greer Garson, herself, will be the making.

Mrs. S. T. Nichols had quite a surprise last weekend when her son, Robert, dropped in for the weekend. Robert, an Ensign in the United States Navy, was on his way to Boston, Mass., to report for duty. He was an outstanding figure around town during the weekend in his naval uniforms. Another navy man, Ensign Woodrow Bulls and Mrs. Bulls are "furloughing" here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bulls.

We wonder if people in the East deliberately poke fun at Texas or are they truly ignorant of the fact that there are a few

of us who can speak correct English and read and write. And why when, speaking of a Texas man, do they usually say "a long rangy Texan"? Some of us are short. But, you know, people are the most gullible creatures alive. We have a girl friend that went to school in the East and told the wildest tales you ever heard and said they ate 'em up. She even had a few followers that firmly believed that they only time we wore shoes was when we went to a dance and that was to protect our feet, and come Saturday night everybody's hair just naturally got curly. Would be nice wouldn't it?

The other day two people we know were quibbling over whether men were more vain than women. Finally, they agreed that to settle the argument they

would walk down the street and the first group of both men and women they saw one of them would say loudly, "Hello, Good Looking." If a man turned, she would be right; if a woman turned, he would be right. They tried it. At that call, "Good Looking," every member of the group turned as if being paged. Both men and women. So, they still have their argument.

Mrs. J. D. Browder and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting this week with Mrs. Browder's mother, Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain.

Mrs. C. G. Stricklin and daughter, Beverly, are visiting in Dallas this week.

Ensign and Mrs. Woodrow Bulls are visiting here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bulls.

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INFLATION BATTLE CAN BE WON ON THE HOME FRONT

COLLEGE STATION — The battle against inflation is one that can be won on the home front, according to H. H. Williamson, director of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, who has just concluded a series of meetings in various Texas cities with key representatives of all governmental agencies contacting the rural people of Texas.

"The average man and woman in Texas", Williamson says, "is ready and anxious to do everything possible to win the war; but they want to know what they can do now."

"The A. & M. Extension Victory Councils form a human chain that can disseminate information to every farm home in Texas in a very short time, and the message we want to get across to them at the present time is a simple one."

"Economists estimate that there will be 17 billion dollars more available this year than there will be consumer goods on the market. In other words, if you take a dollar to town, there'll only be 75c worth of goods to buy. You can spend that dollar for 75 cents worth of goods if you want to bid up the prices of goods, but that is foolish economy. The thing to do is spend your 75c and take

"Now that quarter needn't burn a hole in your pocket, because you can do a lot of good with it if you want to. You can pay your debts, you can buy War Bonds, you can lay it aside to be used after the war to buy

consumer goods that you cannot buy today.

"If you want to go the whole route, just spend half of every dollar you have instead of spending three-fourths of it. That will leave a lot of consumer goods available for the other fellow, and prices will not rise unless one person is willing to pay more for an article than his neighbor."

LUMBER COMPANY ANNOUNCED NEW MANAGER HERE

With the resignation of Tommie Harris who will this week leave for the United States army, Foxworth - Galbraith Lumber Lumber Company announced this week that J. K. Morton of Lelia Lake would take over the management of the Clarendon yards.

Mr. Morton has been with the Company over 24 years having supervised the building of the Lelia Lake yard in 1917. With the closing of the Lelia Lake yard the first of this year, Mr. Morton retired from active business in Lelia Lake.

Harris has made an outstanding record with the company and has greatly increased the volume of business of the local yard. He is entering the army as a candidate for the officers training school.

Every penny is a patriotic penny if it hastens the privileges of peace. Every dollar you invest in war bonds will shorten the months of the war. If your state meets its quota this month, peace may be a month closer.

SHARPEN HOE FOR HOT WEATHER GARDENING

COLLEGE STATION — Sharpen the hoe and plant some hot weather vegetables to come along after the spring garden has burned up or gone to seed, J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist of the A. and M. College Extension service advises home gardeners.

Summer leaf lettuce of the Grand Rapids variety will produce young, tender leaves in three or four weeks, he says. Other vegetables which should be planted at this time for a late crop of the best quality are tendergreen mustard and squash. If a larger assortment of summer time eating is desired, plant butter beans, okra, green pepper, eggplant, cream peas and cantaloupes along with them.

If certain spring plantings are not to be repeated, use those spaces for planting hot weather vegetables. For example, English peas may be followed with cream peas, and after white potatoes are dug, use that ground for cream peas also while the soil is well worked up. If plants of green pepper and eggplant are available, use them and thereby hasten production three or four weeks.

Cantaloupe for breakfast, the horticulturist says, has the same place in the diet as tomatoes or oranges, or other fruit juices. The Perfecto variety, which has a tender, highly flavored, salmon colored flesh, is recommended.

Rosborough reminds that it is good garden practice to give plants which grow into the summer months an extra meal of

plant food. For tomato plants apply about a half teacupful of fertilizer, like 6-12-6, in a circle 12 or 18 inches away from the plant and mix into the soil about six inches with a hoe.

Watering the more tender vegetables such as lettuce, mustard and etc., during hot weather will hasten growth and improve quality.

KNOW ANSWERS WHEN ASKING FOR CANNING SUGAR

COLLEGE STATION — Homemakers canning fruit this year will save themselves time and trouble if they do some advance preparation before applying to their local rationing board for certificates.

"Be prepared to answer these three questions for the A and M. Extension Service: How many quarts of fruit did you can last year? How many quarts of last year's fruit do you still have on hand? Another word of advice is: 'Keep a record of the fruit you can with your rationed sugar because your rationing board will ask for it when you apply for more sugar.'"

Answering these questions will be relatively simple for the thousands of rural home makers who have kept records and filled food preservation budgets as recommended by county home demonstration agents of the Extension Service.

Rural homemakers may stretch their sugar allowances by using thinner syrups for canning fruits and fruit juices and by using corn syrup or honey as substitutes in canning recipes, Miss Jones says. Information on these methods can be obtained from county home demonstration agents. She warns that saccharine, a coal tar product with an extremely sweet taste, cannot be used in canning because it becomes bitter when heated.

Here is the specialist's summary of the rationing regulations as they apply to sugar for canning: "You will get one pound of sugar for every four quarts of finished fruit you are putting up, and you may can as much fruit as your family needs. You may have an additional pound of sugar for each person in your family to make a small supply of jams, jellies, and fruit butters."

WPA WILL NOT REQUEST LONG TRUCK CONTRACTS

SAN ANTONIO — Due to increased demand for trucks in various types of construction work, WPA will not request indefinite contract bids from truck operators this year, it was reported today by E. A. Baugh state director of WPA operations.

Bids for truck hire will be requested as needed on an individual project basis. Truck owners who previously have submitted bids annually in June for WPA contracts to the Procurement office of the United States Treasury department will be invited to bid throughout the year on specific projects as the need for trucks arises, Baugh said.

SOME FISHIN'

Fishing below Marble Falls lake was so good over the weekend it kept the anglers busy. More than 150 big catfish and many game fish such as bass and crappie were hauled out, the Game Warden in that territory reported.

LIBRARY NOTES

(By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

A chance at some book bargains brings us the following books to enjoy during these long June days.

- "King's Row" — Henry Bellamin; "The Sun Is My Undoing" — Marguerite Steen; "This Side of Glory" — Glenn Bristow; "Appointment in Samora" — John O'Hara; "Heaven Isn't Here" — Maisie Grieg; "When a Girl's In Love" — Helen Topping Miller; "Richard Halliburton His Own Life Story"; "Captain Paul" — Edward Ellsberg; "Hungarian Rhapsody" — Bertita Harding; "The G-Men" — William Engle; "Peace River Justice" — Lawrence A. Keating; "He Looked For a City" — A. S. M. Hutchinson; "Portulacca" — Bernice K. Harris; "Heartbreak Honey-moon" — Watkins E. Wright; "October Fires" — Margaret Flynn; "Until the Shearing" — Anne Miller Downes; "The Singing Beach" — Elizabeth Foster; "Ellen Spring" — Elizabeth Morvina; "Soldiers' Pay" — William Faulkner; "Grandsons" — Louis Adams; "The Brownings" — David Loth; "Nursing Home Murder" — Ngaio Marsh; "Station Wagon Set" — Faith Baldwin; "Ring Without Romance" — Maisie Grieg; "Hill Billy Doctor" — Elizabeth Selfort; "Happiness Around the Corner" — Pamela Wynne; "Laudfall" — Nevil Shute; "Flotsam" — Erich Maria Remarque; "Random Harvest" — James Hilton; "Squadrons Up" — Noel Monks; "Mulberry Bush" — Helen Topping Miller; "Corner Drugist" — Robert B. Nixon;

And for our boys and girls: "Don Sturdy on the Ocean" — Victor Appleton; "Don Sturdy Trapped in the Flaming Wilderness"; "Through the Air to the North Pole" — Roy Rockwood; "Billy Smith, Explaining Aye" — Roy Rockwood;

And these Carolyn Keen mysteries: "The Circle of Footprints" — "The Clue of the Cobweb" — "In the Shadow of the Tower" — "The Secret of Lone Tree Cottage."

From the above list you will see that all types of readers have been provided for — You will recognize many authors whom you have liked and some new ones. The library membership is enlarging each day. More and more of our people are appreciating the pleasures it brings them.

WEST TEXAS GIRLS INVITED TO THE STAMFORD RODEO

STAMFORD — Every city and town in West Texas is being invited this week to name a cowgirl sponsor for the Texas Cowgirl Reunion to be held July 2, 3 and 4, according to H. G. Andrews, sponsor chairman.

The cowgirl sponsors again will be a colorful part of the arena shows this year, with the judging taking place at regular performances. Judging will be done this year by the regular rodeo judges. Riding ability of the sponsor will rate 40 per cent in the judging, while her riding togs and equipment will be judged at 15 per cent. The performance of her horse will be considered at 30 per cent, and its confirmation and equipment at 15 per cent.

First place winner will be given a \$135 saddle by the Texas Cowgirl Reunion, and second place winner will receive a belt

IMPORTANCE OF FARM REPORTS

by WALTER FLYNT (ACA Secretary)

I would like to call the attention of the farmers to the reports that they are asked to turn in from time to time. These reports, though necessary, are sometimes tedious and hard to figure out, and especially the cotton reports are difficult to keep track of since they are issued in the early fall and must be kept until harvesting is completed.

These reports are very necessary because the whole system on which the Agricultural Association is based is the keeping of records. We must have a record of how much cotton and feed and government land is planted, and how many soil building practices are carried out in order to know how much payment is due each person. We must know how much cotton and wheat is produced on each farm in order that we might have a basis on which to figure the rate of payment per acre on each farm.

We ask producers to make reports from time to time because they better than anyone else, know what each individual farm has done, or will do, or will need in the current year. For instance the cotton reports which each operator has been asked to turn in on each farm: We have found in many instances that errors were made in the reports from the gins and in this office which would make quite a lot of difference in the actual field, and if these reports were not sent in by the operator we would have no way of knowing that an error had been made. Also there are the cards which are sent out asking for your estimate of the amount of milk, eggs, livestock, and certain other commodities, will be produced on your farm or farms in 1942. These taken as a single unit would not amount to very much, but taken by a county as a whole, or as a state, the war department, as well as Department of Agriculture and other departments of the government, know to a very close figure on what to depend in the production line.

In making these reports, a very essential factor is promptness. If a questionnaire is sent out, and returned within a period of a week or ten days it takes just about one-half the time and expense to tabulate it, than if the receipt of these questionnaires were spread out over a period of from a month to six weeks. In the interest of more efficient service in the county office, as well as saving in Association expenses, these reports should be turned in with the least possible delay. Letters of instruction which are usually mailed with reports should be studied and followed where possible since this would leave the time spent in instruction to individual producers for attending to other work which must be done in the county office.

Any thing which may be done to decrease the expense of the association work should be considered closely by each producer, since payments seem to be getting smaller each year, and the work to be performed by county associations does not seem to be decreasing any.

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DO YOU KNOW TEXAS? By Garland Adair

A reader of this newspaper can get the answer to any question of fact by writing to A. Garland Adair, Curator, Texas Memorial Museum, Austin, Texas.

Memorable Passage: It is perhaps more fitting now than during a peaceful era that thought, care and planning should be given to the observance of Texas' centenary of statehood.

Q. To whom should I write for a copy of the Texas Statehood Week program which contains an address by Gov. Coke Stevenson? A. You may procure a copy of the program as given in the Texas Memorial Museum by addressing your request to Col. Paul L. Wakefield, executive secretary, Texas Centennial of Statehood Commission, Austin, Texas.

Q. Where and when will the 1942 convention of the DRT be held? A. Mrs. Ben E. Edwards of San Antonio, the president, states that the 1942 convention will be held in Galveston on May 15 and 16.

Q. What is the oldest Texas newspaper? A. The Galveston Daily News recently celebrated its centennial as the oldest newspaper in Texas.

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"LET OUR FOLKS KNOW WE DIED"—SOLDIER

The first navy casualty list for this country will be released within a few days, Capt. Leland P. Lovette, public relations officer of the Navy, in Washington said Monday. Next of kin notification have been the only source of casualty news.

With this announcement there was released for publication a letter from an American soldier in Australia, which is one of the great human documents of this war. The letter follows:

"SIRS: "What kind of country is it that will send a man out to die for it, yet when he has his guts blasted out, the simple fact that he died for his country is such unpleasant news that it must not be published back home for fear of 'undermining' the morale of the home folks?"

"I'm just another one of these guys who's got a \$21-a-month job with Uncle Sam. I spend my time learning how to kill Japs and Germans. It's my job. "I'm doing the best I can, and I don't have much time to think. But I'll be damned if I can figure out what the government means when it announces that casualty lists can't be published because they are 'depressing.'"

"Maybe I'm wrong, but it seems to me that when a guy has done his best and died in some jungle or desert trying to save decency for the world, surely his country could show him one line in a newspaper to inform the fellows in the office back home that he did all he could do.

"It seems to me that the American people would want to know the names of the fellows who stopped the bullets and bayonets, and it looks to me like the effect would be just the opposite of 'undermining' the morale.

"For myself, I'd like to know the name of every American Bucko who's had the honor of dying by the side of a soldier like McArthur. I'd like to salute those guys individually, and if the list is ten pages long, won't depress me a bit. I'll just make me want to get at the enemy a little faster.

"I'd like to believe that if the Japs knock me off in Australia, the newspaper back home will announce the fact, not as my tribute to me, because I won't know anything about it anyway, but just so the fellows who knew me will know that one guy from a red hill in Georgia somehow found the courage to stay in there and fight.

"The government says the announcement of my death would scare the folks back home, 'depress them, and make them want to fold up and quit.' But by God, I don't believe it's true.

"If I'm wrong, I wish you'd explain it to me, so I can understand it. But if I'm right in believing that the casualty lists should be printed, and that my folks can still take it, then I hope you'll do what you can to set the fellows down in Washington straight.

"I'm fighting for my kind of with them. His sincerity is such that they are never embittered. Anyway, God has never tried to make a man who would please everybody else.

Q. Tell me something about Gordon Smith. A. Gordon Smith of Austin is a candidate for State Treasurer. He is now devoting his full time to his campaign and finds Texas truly a beautiful land of vast distances. Some facts about his life are especially interesting to the voter of Texas at this time.

"Know your candidates" is an admonition worth heeding throughout the country. He is married; has been a member of the Baptist church since childhood, and will make an aggressive campaign as possible, under tire rationing and other government restrictions and inhibitions, as war times will permit. Gordon Smith was born in Rusk county on the 4th of September, 1904, and is therefore 37 years of age. He is the son of Lon A. Smith, formerly state senator, comptroller and railroad commissioner of Texas. He was named Gordon for the confederate general, John B. Gordon. As a child he attended the public school of Rusk county. When his father moved to Austin he attended the public school of Austin. In 1923 he was given a job in the American Bank of Austin as messenger boy. By attention, industry and integrity he worked his way up until he was made assistant cashier of that large and old bank. In the meantime he qualified himself as a banker by graduating from the American Institute of Banking.

Interesting: Mr. Byron Laird has one of the largest and most interesting collections of fossils and other treasures of nature to be found anywhere in the southwest. They are beautifully displayed in his department store at Gatesville.

folks here in America, and I'd like to think that when they hear that the Japs got me, instead of folding up and quitting, they'll send a thousand more guys right behind me to do the job I couldn't finish.

"Sincerely, "AN AMERICAN SOLDIER."

TEXAS RANCHERS PREPARED FOR EMERGENCY

COLLEGE STATION — Texas ranchmen have been getting ready for just an emergency as 1942 presents.

With ranchmen and farmers engaged in the biggest food and feed production job in history as their part in total war, grassland which has been restored to former grazing capacity will pay off in livestock production this year, declared Howard Kingsberry, state AAA committeeman and ranchman from Santa Anna.

Practices carried out most extensively under the 1941 range conservation program, as in former years, include contour furrowing, deferred grazing, and eradication of noxious plants.

Cooperating under last year's program, 7,304 Texas ranchmen cleared 1,671,155 acres of prickly pear, cedar, mesquite, and lechugilla. Of the total acreage from which noxious plants were cleared, 1,147,590 represented prickly pear while 281,548 represented cedar.

Approximately 262,583,971 feet of furrows, and spreader terraces were constructed. Object of these practices is to control water and keep it out of creeks and gullies, catch grass seed which otherwise would be lost, and help prevent erosion.

More than 4,689,638 acres were devoted to natural and artificial reseeding while approximately 11,470,224 cubic yards of dirt were used in construction of spreader dams and earthen tanks on 3,378 ranches.

Resume of 1941 range program indicates 13,895 Texas ranchmen signed 62,462,200 acres under the program. Approximately \$3,695,366 were paid cooperators to off-set heavy investments made in rebuilding grass land, Kingsberry said.

GOLDSTON NEWS By Sibyl Rattan

Sixty-five attended Sunday School Sunday. Singing was held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Nath Helton visited her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Hutt Stewart Sunday and attended singing Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock's baby girl, age one year, was taken to Amarillo last week for an operation on the spinal column.

Dennis Rattan went to Lakeview Saturday.

Hugh Stewart, Bonnie Joe Mooring, Jimmie Nell Parker and Herman Mooring were dinner guests in the Rattan home Sunday.

Sibyl Rattan, who is attending summer school, visited with her parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart made a call on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli Sunday.

Monta Mooring spent Sunday with Violet Ann Ziegler.

Mrs. Myrtle visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kerbow Tuesday.

Mrs. Kerbow the quilt last Friday night that the P. T. A. mothers made.

Mrs. McQueen has to grandsons visiting her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Blocker, Jr. and daughter, JonnaLee, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Blocker in Clarendon Sunday.

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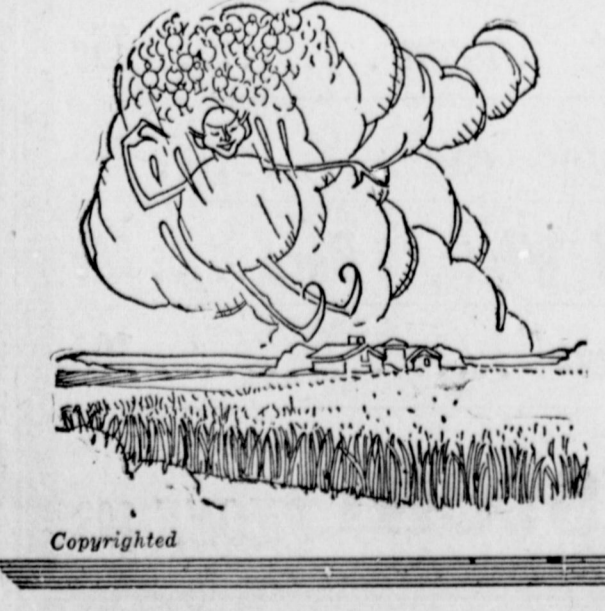
NOTICE! Mr. Wilson has felt for sometime a desire to serve his country in some capacity where his efforts would be more beneficial. Consequently when the opportunity came for employment in a defense industry he felt it his duty to accept.

Following the emergency Mr. Wilson hopes to return to Clarendon and re-enter business. He has retained his station equipment, merely selling the stock to W. W. (Wayne) Morrow who will continue the same high standard of service.

Mr. Morrow is an experienced car and truck operator and knows the necessary adjustments and lubrication for your auto or truck. He is a native of Clarendon but has had several years of experience in operating transport trucks in the Pacific coast region.

He is also familiar with Sinclair products having worked for H. L. McElvany and for the present Agent. You are welcome to drive into his station where every courtesy will be extended and your business greatly appreciated.

In leaving Mr. Wilson wishes to thank his many customers for their patronage during his stay in Clarendon and extends to them an invitation to remain customers of Mr. Morrow's. Sinclair Service Sta. ACROSS STREET FROM CITY HALL PHONE 100-M



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MIDWAY

By Mrs. John Goldston

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering and Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston went to Amarillo Saturday. Mr. Goldston for an examination by the doctors.

Kennedy Davis came down Saturday from Amarillo for a two weeks visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones and Marvin Jones of Lubbock remained over until Monday with their mother.

Friends and neighbors regret the passing of Mr. Jones the past Thursday. Mr. Jones had lived in Midway for years and everyone that knew him loved him. He is gone but his life will live on as a shining example to others.

Grandmother Gaither brought the twins, Billy and Henry, sons of Bill Gaither to see their grandmother, Mrs. Edith Longan, the past Saturday from Breckenridge.

Mrs. Mitchell of Panhandle who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Gaither, accompanied them en route to her home.

Mrs. Elizabeth Evisizer, who has been making her home with her sister, Mrs. Longan, moved

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Clarendon Hospital REPORT FOR WEEK

Admitted to the hospital since last Thursday were Mrs. Bill Percival medical and Jerry Newman, young son of Mr. and Mrs. John Newman, who was treated for injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Percival are the parents of a son, born Tuesday evening.

COMMISSIONERS OK BILLS

Regular monthly bills were approved by the Donley County commissioner court meeting in regular session Monday. No other business was transacted.

The court will meet again next Monday for special business.

Lewis Chamberlain is visiting in Plainview this week with his sister, Mrs. R. V. Payne.

to Amarillo the past Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Longan took her mother, Mrs. Nelse Roberson to Amarillo Saturday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chamberlain and Ben visited with John Goldston Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and son, Billy, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stedham and son, Charles arrived Monday to spend their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riley at Shamrock the past Saturday. Mr. Riley is ill.

Brack LaGrone is working for Mr. Smallwood now.

SALE OF SINCLAIR STATION ANNOUNCED

The sale of the Clyde F. Wilson Filling Station to W. W. (Wayne) Morrow, was announced this week.

Wilson, feeling a desire to work in defense industry, has accepted a position in Amarillo but in a statement to The News, said he hoped to return to Clarendon following the war.

Morrow has had wide experience in automobile and truck servicing having worked both in Clarendon and in the Pacific coast region.

The same high standard of service will be maintained, Mr. Morrow says.

CHANGES IN BUS SCHEDULES WENT INTO EFFECT JUNE 10

In complying with the wishes of the President of the United States, the Office of Defense Transportation, and the Railroad Commission of Texas, effective June 10th all schedules of Bowen Motor Coaches will be slowed that they may be operated at a top speed of forty miles per hour. It was announced today by Bowen officials.

This action is taken in order to conserve rubber and other materials vital to the war industry.

On June 10th and thereafter schedules from Clarendon to Wichita Falls, Ft. Worth, Dallas will leave as follows: 2:52 a. m.; 8:07 a. m.; 10:27 a. m.; 2:47 p. m.; 7:22 p. m.; 11:57 p. m.

Schedules from Clarendon to Amarillo will leave as follows: 12:11 a. m.; 2:43 a. m.; 5:14 a. m.; 11:26 a. m.; 4:51 p. m.; 9:01 p. m.

Pearl Harbor Evacuee Writes Of Value of U. S. O. To Service Men

By MRS. D. E. CARAWAY

One notes with regret, the apathetic attitude the people as a whole, have taken to the current USO drive. The popular opinion seems to consider it 'just another fund,' perhaps of less importance than others since it deals with a lighter phase of living, that we accept for granted, because of its ready accessibility to the demands for civilian life.

Because we can go to the corner drug store and buy a magazine, or sit in the quiet solitude of our own homes and write our letters, or attend the neighborhood movie at will, not to speak of having access to many other forms of recreation, we fail to consider that these same diversions assume a two fold importance to the boys who are in the armed services.

Many of them are away from home for the first time—all of them are facing the prospect of active battle from day to day, or week to week. Hard work and much fatigue are the order of their days in most instances. The few precious hours they spend at liberty leaves them free to seek whatever amusement might be available. So wherever these boys may be, we should surely be glad enough to put forth any small effort that can be made to provide them with a few hours in pleasant surroundings, with some interesting item of recreation to relax their mental tension, and fortify their thoughts upon return to duty.

If there are any of us who think this phase of their life is unimportant, let us consider the word "recreation." RE-create—to make over or renew. This is a vital part of every person's life.—and surely so much more so for these boys in service, with all the viciousness of warfare they face, and home life just a memory and a goal.

Because I happened to have been a resident of one of our greatest military outposts, there was at hand an opportunity to get a first hand view of this problem. Perhaps I can take you on a short, descriptive journey, that you might get a picture of what the lack of these facilities mean to the men, and what a good USO organization can do for them.

This place is a comparatively small island, and the men stationed there number untold thousands. Previous to the outbreak of the war, recreational facilities were scarce enough—a few shows—the Army-Navy Y. M. C. A., and far too many undesirable hangouts commonly termed "beer joints"—most of them located on dirty, narrow streets in the old section of the city. I have seen the men wandering the streets, bored and at loose ends, condemning the lack of decent amusements, and after exhausting attendance at the shows simply for lack of anything else to do.

FORMER DONLEY MAN TELLS OF ARMY LIFE

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is a personal letter written to the editor and was not meant for publication but due to the many friends and business associates of the writer, The News takes the liberty of passing along this information. The writer, Marvin Warren, formerly manager of the Clarendon Furniture Store, is in Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming.

"Well I have been rather busy since I have been here and have not had a lot of time to write. We are on a very rigid schedule and are constantly on the go from 5 a. m. to 5 p. m. We have drills, road hikes, and daily physical exercises.

I went to the indoor rifle range today and practiced the four different shooting positions, standing, sitting, kneeling and prone. We will go to the outdoor rifle range next Monday and be there about three days as there are 320 in our company so it will take quite a while to get through.

I am becoming more accustomed to the climate and altitude and like it better here but had rather be in Texas and hope to get back but do not know. I will be here for ten more weeks and then??

It is raining here this afternoon and is getting rather cool. I cannot think of much to write but if you want to know anything about army life or the post just write and I will try to answer.

Regards, (Signed) Marvin.

Since actual wartime conditions have descended, this situation has multiplied itself, because while the personnel has increased many times over, the sources of recreation have decreased. Magazines on the newsstands were already a thing of the past some months ago, and the shows were playing old pictures. The people of the city have made every effort to aid the men in this direction, and with the limited materials at their command, they did fine work. It is possible for each of us to aid their efforts by the mere contribution of a few cents or a few dollars, when called upon to do so. Just how vast this organization must be to cope with these demands adequately, may be readily judged by considering the number of army camps and naval training stations in this country not to mention the many fronts on which our men are living under combat conditions and where the need is most felt.

So do let us all consider what this USO drive really means—that it is a definite importance on the lives and attitude of our men. Providing them with decent and progressive recreation, we are building their morale to a winning pitch, and giving them the satisfaction of feeling that the folks at home are doing their utmost to make life as tenable for them as possible, against the day when Victory is ours, and home life becomes a dream come true.

HUDGINS NEWS

By Mrs. S. M. Harp

There was a large crowd out for Sunday School and preaching Sunday. Rev. Stonecipher of Quail preached.

Mrs. John Perdue and children visited awhile Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Perdue, Jr., and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitt and Charlie Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. John Fowlkes and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thompson and son visited awhile in the Harp home Saturday night.

Velma Tims spent Sunday with Mary Nell Perdue.

Rev. and Mrs. Stonecipher took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster, Gerald and Dewey took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harp and son.

Uncle Tom Roy is visiting in Amarillo at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jacobs, Mrs. D. H. Perdue and Mrs. A. L. Jacobs and babies of Dumas spent part of last week in this community.

Grandma Harrison returned Saturday from a visit with a son in Memphis.

Sidney Harp visited with J. L. Williams Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster and son and Mr. and Mrs. Harp and son called in the John Perdue home Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Stonecipher spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. McGlone.

Velma and Dan Tims, Bud Roy and Dane Perdue visited in the William Meador home a while Saturday night.

FFA YOUTHS ENLARGE REGISTERED SWINE PROGRAM

Registered Chester White, Poland China, Duroc, Hampshire, and Berkshire gilts have been secured this spring by a number of Clarendon FFA youths and other Donley County club boys working under the leadership of J. R. Gillham, local V. A. instructor.

J. F. White, Max Mays, W. R. Parker, Harold Darby, Ray Graham, Gene Harrison, C. Cobb, Lavern Goldston, and Jiggs Mann each have a registered Duroc gilt. J. Spier, Hershey Brinson, Billy Marshall, Raymond McKee, Fancher Davis and Ralph Morrow each have weaner size Chester white gilts. Dania Howerton, Henry Wilson, Ray Morris, Cecil Woods, and J. Goodman are each starting in the registered Berkshire business. Registered Poland gilts went to Billy Stapp, Marvin Ray Jordan, Jr. and Gene Bulman, James Vick, and Jack Riley and Ray and Royce Morris are keeping registered gilts that they raised. Bobby Parkey is starting a registered Hampshire project.

This list of youths along with those boys already established in the swine business will continue to make Donley County the source for top breeding and feeding stock of each of the leading swine breeds.

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DONLEY ABOVE AVERAGE IN PAYING FEDERAL STAMPS ON DEEDS

Donley County has only thirty violations of federal Documentary Stamps which must be placed on deeds wherein conveyance of realty exceeds \$100, during the past five years, C. I. Powell, federal Internal Revenue officer, said yesterday.

Powell, checking the deed records at the county clerk's office, said even these were not exactly violations as they were brought about by misinterpreting the law rather than by wilful acts.

The stamp ratio is 55 per \$500. The federal agents pointed out that the majority of violations were on transactions with the federal land bank and the HOLC. The law sets out that government agencies are exempt from the tax but this does not release the individual or company entering a contract with the government agency.

Powell explained that all counties were being checked for violations of the stamp law and that Donley County had less violations than any county he had checked to date.

MARTIN

By Mrs. J. H. Helton

Mrs. Herman Patterson and children are visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Helton took supper in the J. H. Helton home Tuesday night.

Mrs. William Bailey spent Friday in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jones. Her mother, Mrs. Jones is gradually improving. She is able to be up and around.

Freeman Helton of Amarillo has been at home for the past few days.

Mr. W. E. Hodges fell off the barn last Thursday and hurt himself seriously. He has been confined to his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baley visited awhile Monday afternoon in the W. E. Hodges home.

Mrs. J. A. Pool has been at home with her daughter, Mrs. R. Cannon the past week.

Melba Christie spent the week end with her parents.

Mrs. J. D. Woods spent Tuesday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges.

Mrs. Tick Barbee visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hodges and children of Hereford and Mrs. C. B. Roberts of Ashtola visited Wednesday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Barnes of Amarillo spent the weekend here with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harkness and family of Weatherford visited here Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelan. Mr. Harkness is editor of the Weatherford Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and Dorothy White Campbell were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Clarendon News is authorized to present the following candidates to the voters of Donley County, subject to the Democratic primaries in 1942.

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

For State Representative 122nd District: ENNIS FAVORS

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY JOHN DEEVER

For County Judge: R. Y. KING (Re-Election)

H. C. BRUMLEY WALKER LANE

For County Treasurer: MRS. MARGARET V. THOMPSON (Re-Election)

DAVID JOHNSON

For District and County Clerk: MISS HELEN WIEDMAN (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor: GUY WRIGHT (Re-election)

For County Commissioner: Precinct No. 1 JOHN HERMESFEYER (Re-Election)

H. SLATON MAHAFFEY

For County Commissioner: Precinct No. 4 BEN CHAMBERLAIN MARVIN HALL (Re-election)

For County Commissioner: Precinct 2 G. G. REEVES (Re-Election)

FORREST E. SAWYER

TO NEW JERSEY

Wesley Powell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell and Ed Grundy of Quitaque left Wednesday for Patterson, New Jersey where they will be employed by The Curtis Wright Air Plane Company. Both are engineering students from Texas Technological College.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Green left Friday for Dallas where they are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Newton Bently, and other relatives.

B. P. Brents of Amarillo was a business visitor in Clarendon last weekend. Brents is associated with the Heath Furniture Co. of Amarillo and the Clarendon Furniture store.

Mrs. Clyde Holtzclaw, who was seriously injured recently in an auto-bus crash near Claude, was reported to be slightly improved this week. Mrs. Holtzclaw is a sister of Mrs. Clyde Martin.

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