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## DONLEY COUNTY LADIES KNIT THOUSANDS OF RED CROSS GARMENTS FOR DEFENSE

The Donley County sewing and knitting division of the American Red Cross Tuesday shipped almost 3,000 garments to the Red Cross headquarters in St. Louis, it was announced today by Charlotte Moleworth, volunteer chairman of the service department.

The articles consisted of 300 children sweaters, 50 baby layettes, (which consists of over thirty articles), 250 men's, women's and children sweaters, 2 comforts, 81 hospital bed shirts and 1 afagan.

By way of explanation, Miss Moleworth said each layette included twelve diapers, two sleepers, two gertudes, one sack, one cap, one comfort, two mittens, two blankets, two bands, two shirts, two booties and safetypins and rags.

The entire list of articles was wool knitted at great trouble and time spent by Donley County women, Miss Moleworth said.

Listing for special praise were the farm women who left needed work to knit for the cause, the chairman declared. "Never did anyone of them say that they hadn't time, yet they put aside their own chores to work for the Red Cross."

Also commended by the chairman were the women of the Clarendon Baptist Church who, she declared, worked exceptionally well. Others to be praised were Mrs. H. T. Burton, leader of the Baptist group, Mrs. Arthur Ranson of Giles; Mrs. M. H. Rhoades, Ashtola; Mrs. Earl Myers, Lelia Lake; Mrs. W. L. Jordan, Martin; Mrs. W. H. Gray, Goldston; Mrs. G. E. Kinslow, Hedley; Mrs. Will Barker, Chamberlain, all chairmen of their communities and Mrs. Allen Jeffries who was in charge of shipping, and Mrs. C. J. Douglas who headed the Legion Auxiliary.

### AGED PIONEER RECOVERS

On the street here Monday for the first time in some five months, friends were shaking the hand of W. A. Robertson, aged pioneer who has been ill for a long, long time, as he expressed himself.

Mr. Robertson is the father of Jim Robertson with whom he makes his home in the Sunnyview community. He came to Armstrong county in 1902, and to Donley county in 1914, and is a very fine citizen according to the opinions of the large number of friends of this fine old character.

### BUNTINS BUILDING NEW HOME

A modern bungalow is under construction two blocks west of the Methodist church at this time. The home will be the proud possession of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buntin.

This home will be of the brick veneer type, have six rooms and all modern conveniences. John M. Bass Jr. is the contractor. The corner where the home is being built, formerly belonged to Mrs. Mary E. Watts.

### Institute Is Held Monday

The Clarendon District Institute, was held at the First Methodist Church Monday in an all day session. Rev. G. T. Palmer, District Superintendent presiding. It was considered by all to be one of the best and most interesting ever attended.

The principal speakers were Dr. W. C. House of Amarillo, who preached at 11:15 a. m. and Dr. Sam Hilburn, who has been a missionary to Japan for 18 years. Dr. Hilburn drew many local people who remembered him as a student in Old Clarendon College.

Other speakers of the day were Revs. W. T. Watkins of McLean, J. O. Quattlebaum, Dr. Frank Turner of McMurry College, Dr. Bro. O. Haynes, of Abilene, Marvin J. Robertson, Shamrock, J. E. Kirby of Wellington, and S. M. Braswell, District Lay-Leader, and Mrs. Thompson, District Secretary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Ladies of the church served the lunch at the noon hour.

### GERNER YOUTHS IN SERVICE

Now that Ernest Gerner has joined the naval service at Dallas, that makes two brothers from the family of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gerner of Lelia Lake in the service.

Henry Gerner, the other brother, has been in training in a radio school at Scott Field, Illinois for some time.

### LOST PEKINESE POODLE PET

There is a little girl visiting here who is very sad all because her little bench-legged, pugged-nose, pop-eyed Pekinese poodle is missing. Her name is Elaine Bell, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bell of Clarendon.

This little lady lives at Panhandle. Her mother, Mrs. Houston Bell and little brother, Monta Carl Bell are with her visiting in the S. C. Bell home this week.

### ENDEAVORS ATTEND ZONE MEETING

A group of seven young people from the First Christian Church Endeavor attended the Quarterly Zone meeting of the C. E. at Canyon Tuesday night, Jan. 13th.

"We had as many in attendance as the other churches represented and traveled the farthest, but enjoyed the evening of fellowship," stated Rev. M. E. Hutson.

The next meeting will be held in April, in Pleasant Valley.

Those attending were Doris Cooper, Viola Hearn, Leona McCraw, Arlene Dozier, True Barbee, Lee Shelly and their pastor, M. E. Hutson.

### ADAMSON TRIAL ON AT CHILDRESS

The selection of a jury in the trial of J. W. Adamson was completed early Wednesday afternoon in the district court at Childress, on a change of venue from Donley county to Childress county.

Adamson, former tax assessor-collector of Donley county, is charged with eleven counts of embezzlement of county funds by a Donley county grand jury. In the trial of the first charge here last fall, a hung jury resulted.

Representing Adamson are E. T. "Dusty" Miller of Amarillo, W. T. Link and J. R. Porter of Clarendon. John Dever, district attorney, represents the state's counsel in the prosecution.

It is said that trials on the other ten counts will depend on the outcome of the one now on trial.

### SENIATOR MOFFETT TALKS WAR

Here on a business visit the first days of the week, Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe was a bit pessimistic about the auto business for the next year. "We won't be too long getting ready, and when we do, the fur will fly, in enemy territory," the Senator surmised.

Senator Moffett is owner of the Clarendon motor company here, and is a partner of W. W. Noblet in a similar business at Norman, Oklahoma.

### ATTEND DEFENSE MEETING

Attending a district meeting of home defense unit representatives in Amarillo Monday, were men from all over the Panhandle.

Attending from Clarendon were Sheriff Guy Wright, E. R. Andis and B. C. Antrobus.

## Long Expected Salary Raise

At a meeting of the Commissioners court Monday, that official body voted to continue certain officials of the county on the fee basis rather than a salary.

Salaries were raised in some instances. O. H. Tidwell, caretaker of the Courthouse and grounds, was granted a raise of ten dollars per month bringing his pay up to \$75.

Co. attorney John C. Knorrp's salary was raised from sixty-five dollars a month to seventy-five. Certain fees accrue to this office to make up the apparent deficit.

P. C. Messer of the tax collector-assessor office was raised from a hundred to a hundred and ten dollars a month.

The boys operating the county machinery came in for consideration, too. The main operators are now paid 55 cents an hour instead of fifty, and their assistants were raised from 35 to 45 cents an hour.

The increased costs of about everything one eats, uses or wears is the reason for the increased payments.

### VISITS BROTHER AT ASHTOLA

Lee Brandon stopped at Ashtola a few days ago to visit his brother, J. R. Brandon and other relatives and friends. He formerly was employed at the Ashtola gin a few years ago.

Lee has resided in Los Angeles for the past few years, and recently joined the navy. He expected to visit his parents at Springdale, Arkansas before entering active service.

### ASHTOLA RED CROSS MEETING CALLED

A call for a community meeting of Red Cross effort has been called by Mrs. M. H. Rhoades to meet at the school building there.

The meeting date is Tuesday, January 20th at 2 p. m. "This is important for national victory," Mrs. Rhoades stated, "and I trust that every lady in the community will be present."

### RELATIVE IS ILL

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walls and children of Groom are here to be with his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Massie. Mr. Massie is a patient at Adair hospital suffering from an eresipelas condition in his ear and face, but is improving.

### FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. John Blocker Jr. and baby, Joanna Lee, returned home Sunday. They spent several days visiting relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas.

## Pal of Greene Downs Planes

A short time ago an account of the aviation exploits of Paul Greene were given in this publication, detailing how he escaped by parachute after destroying enemy planes near Rangoon, Burma.

Just before Greene went to Burma, he and another young man, Robert Smith, both of whom had trained at Brooks Field near San Antonio. Each of the young men gave instructions at Randolph Field. They came here to visit Paul's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greene after they were given permission to transfer to Chinese service in guarding the "road to Burma."

Now comes a published report telling how Robert Smith shot down four Jap planes Christmas day near Rangoon. It was there that his pal, Paul Greene, got two Jap planes.

Having visited here, and having a close association with Clarendon's war aviation idol, Paul Greene, likely many readers of your Donley County Leader will appreciate knowing that the "boys over there" are really doing a big job in a big way.

### CLEANERS INSTALL MODERN PRESS

Ever keeping abreast of the improvements in quality of service at the cleaning plant of Parsons Bros., the firm recently installed a modern type of press. "All the operator has to do is press a button," Homer Parsons laughingly remarked Monday, "to get a first-class pressing job done."

## 21 to 37 Pool Faces Drafting In Few Months

Washington—Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, said he expected the nation's man power for military needs in the next several months to be taken from men between 21 and 37 years old, with those registering Feb. 16 probably being put at the bottom of the draft lists.

Speaking at a National Press Club luncheon, Hershey cautioned that local draft boards should not become hysterical or indiscriminately classify men for immediate service because the United States had entered the war.

He expressed the opinion draft boards would be more drastic in putting men in Class 1-A, but added present plans did not call for induction of men from other classifications unless they are reclassified as 1-A. He said the time might be near when men classified at 1-B, for slight physical defects would be reclassified for active service.

## Biggest Red Cross Contribution Is 50 Cents

Yes, just fifty cents. But there is another side to the story. The good woman who patriotically gave that fifty cents to the Red Cross here Friday, probably needed the fifty cents more than those who will receive it.

The lady is Mrs. Loys Stevens, handicapped by being crippled. She has her family work, and no doubt does field work, too. Circumstances have been such that the family has seen more of the seamy side of life within recent years than a big majority has. Despite all this, she insisted that H. T. Burton and Bert Smith take her fifty cents because, as she stated, "our boys in the service need all the help we can possibly give them, though we have to skimp in giving."

As a matter of fact, the two men on that collecting duty, would have been glad to contribute for her, but she wanted to give until it hurt—and did. "It is not so much what one gives," Bert Smith said, "as the conditions under which the contribution is made, that makes it the largest contribution of all."

### JEWELL'S FATHER DIES RECENTLY

It was learned here Tuesday that the father of Roy Jewell of Hedley and Ray Jewell of Pampa had died in a Gainesville sanitarium January 1st.

R. H. Jewell, the father, had been ill for some two years. His home was near Whitesboro where he had resided on the same farm for more than sixty years.

### ACCEPTS PLACE ON KILGORE NEWS

Miss Jean McDonald, employed by a Pampa paper for some time, has accepted a better position on a Kilgore, Texas daily. She is a graduate of Texas Tech with the class of 1941, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will C. McDonald of Clarendon.

### WENT TO McLEAN

Mrs. J. L. Allison was in McLean Saturday to be with her son's wife, Mrs. Clifford Allison, who had an appendectomy. Mrs. Allison is said to be improving.

### SPENCER JOINS MARINES

Woody L. Spencer, Jr. enlisted in the marine service at Amarillo Tuesday, and was sent to Oklahoma City for his first step in training.

Woody was one of the leading men on the Broncho team here this season, and active in student circles in the high school department.

### VISIT IN ARCHER

Mrs. Paul Slaton and children, Paul and Kay, who spent the past month in Archer City with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Forgey, returned home Tuesday.

### GOES TO DALLAS

Mrs. Mollie E. Gray is in Dallas for special medical treatment. She was taken there Tuesday in a Buntin ambulance driven by Dexter Todd. Mrs. C. G. Stricklin accompanied her mother.

### RED CROSS WILL USE CLUB ROOM

By unanimous vote, the Club Room Board has given the use of the Club Room to the Red Cross without any rental charges. The arrangement will stand during the emergency, the Leader was informed Wednesday.

The Club Room is now Red Cross headquarters. Those wishing to contact any Red Cross official may do so at the Club Room, or secure desired information there.

## Red Cross Gets Aluminum Fund

According to county agent H. M. Breedlove 520 pounds of aluminum have been delivered to Amarillo. The aluminum was taken to Amarillo by Nollie Simmons, chairman of the USDA defense board, H. M. Breedlove, county agent and Walter Flynt of the AAA department.

When the aluminum was shipped from Amarillo, which was the concentration point from this section, there was not enough on hand to justify a shipment from this county, however the campaign was continued and taken to Amarillo and sold for 8c per pound which netted a check for \$41.60. This check was made out to the USDA defense board of Donley, and at a regular meeting of the board in the office of the county agent on the fourteenth of January it was voted by the board to turn the money over to the Red Cross of Donley county.

The board thought that this would help reach the county goal of \$1400.00 and also put the aluminum in government hands where it would be turned into materials for defense. It is planned by the board to start another drive for aluminum in the near future.

## PANHANDLE MAY BECOME NEW SYNTHETIC RUBBER CENTER

New, because synthetic or imitation rubber is a new thing commercially. Scientists and various chemists have been working on 'imitation' rubber production day and night for the past two months when it was seen that rubber supplies in the Far East were to be cut off.

Now our government will expend four hundred million dollars for plants to make substitutes for rubber, some of which are said to be better than real rubber.

Jesse Jones, federal loan administrator said in Washington Monday that this nation should be independent in this respect within 18 months. He also stated that there is enough rubber in the nation now to tide over until the substitute production will be made available.

"The new rubber factories will be designed to produce 400,000 tons of synthetic rubber annually," Jones stated.

The rubber substitute is being made largely from crude oil residue. Since the Texas Panhandle has cheap gas, and an abundance of crude, strong efforts are being made to have at least one of the large factories located in our section of the state. "The prospects look good," it was learned in Washington Tuesday.

## TEN MILLION BOOKS WANTED IN CAMPS

The movement sponsored by the American Library Association and the Red Cross offers an opportunity for the American people to contribute Ten Million books to be used in the soldier camps.

Mrs. C. A. Burton, librarian at the City library, will take care of the books contributed here, and see that they reach the proper point of distribution.

Books of fact or fiction are wanted. Help a lonesome soldier with a book—several of them if you have them. Leave your contribution at the City Library today. Ten million books are wanted, Mrs. Burton said.

## Fire Control In Pastures

County agent H. M. Breedlove announced this morning that at a meeting of the ranchmen of Donley county it was decided that in view of the fact that so much vegetation is now on the ranges that precautions should be taken to prevent fires on the ranges of the county. Mr. Jim Trent of Clarendon was present at the meeting and offered the services of the local fire department where the grass fire was within a distance that the trucks could get to the fire. Mr. Trent also stated that the new truck that the fire department now owns could put out one mile of fire with the water that it carries in the truck.

It was agreed that two blast of the siren in Clarendon would indicate a fire on some ranchman's range and when this signal was given that all of the citizens of Clarendon should rush to the city hall and would be informed on whose range the fire was burning and all persons could turn out and help fight the fire. This program is also sponsored by the local USDA defense board.

Each AAA community committee will serve as chairman in his community and will be on the look out for grass fires in the community and will get the people together to fight the fire after notifying the fire department of Clarendon. All grass fire alarms for fires on ranges will be given at the city hall by calling the local fire chief and not the telephone operator.

It was also agreed that all persons of the county should be warned about taking every precaution to help prevent grass fires because in some sections a big grass fire could cause untold damage to some of the ranchers. The cooperation of all persons is asked in helping to make this program a success.

## Mechanics Must Have Degrees

The average citizen appears to believe that defense plants are badly in need of skilled labor. One often hears that skilled labor is scarce, and that the bulletins and notices are crying for help. This may be true, but the experience of three local men the past week does not verify any such conclusion.

Leaving here some days ago, Buddy Anderson, Loyd Rhoades and Billy Goodman had made up their minds that Clarendon had plenty of auto mechanics to take care of the public, and that their services were needed in some of the defense plants. Two of these men are highly skilled mechanics of years of experience.

They visited plants at Ft. Worth, Dallas, Lufkin, Jacksonville, Orange, Galveston, Houston, Port Arthur and Huntsville. They found crowds of skilled men in line waiting for a job.

The few being employed in addition to the large number already on the jobs at the various plants, had to have school credits of a high order, and in some positions, must have college degrees.

The three local men were back at their place of business Monday working on autos for the local trade, better satisfied to stay in Clarendon, the best town in West Texas.

Mr. Anderson stated that the proper method for getting on a defense job is to begin right here and put an application through the State Employment Bureau at Austin.

## GRANDCHILDREN VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert are having a most delightful time in their home this week. The occasion is the visit of three granddaughters, Lois, Jean and June Gilbert of near Goodnight. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gilbert, the parents being called to Gainesville due to the death of Mrs. Gilbert's father, Mr. Sam Brown.

## TO GALVESTON

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson have returned to Galveston where he will be employed in a welding shop. They resided down there several months during the early part of the year where Billy had the same job.

## HAS OPERATION

Chester Walker of the McKnight country came back from a Temple hospital Saturday where he has been for some time following an operation. Mr. Walker's many friends are glad to know that he is improving in health.

## CHANGES MADE ON SCHOOL FACULTY

Miss Madge Hall of the College faculty, resigned her position to accept a place on the Edinburg, Texas faculty. Her place was taken by Mrs. M. C. Goodner. Mrs. McHenry Lane is doing the work formerly done by Mrs. Goodner.

Mrs. J. Gordon Stewart is teaching temporarily in Mrs. Lane's room in Junior High.

## Parents To Stay Down the List

Washington, Jan. 14.—Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, declared today, "it'll be a long time" before married men with one or more children will be called for army duty.

The United States, General Hershey said, would have an army of 7,000,000 or 8,000,000 men before registrants were needed.

The draft director told the 10th annual United States Conference of Mayors that he had "no sympathy" with "those who are going around saying that now the country is at war the draft boards shouldn't defer anyone."

"Let's be sane and systematic," Hershey said.

## EVERY PERSON WILL HAVE TO EXPEND

Every man, woman and child in Texas will have to buy \$50 worth of defense bonds or stamps, according to the edicts of the State Defense Council in Austin. This is based upon the \$3,266,849,417 pledged.

Donley county's share of this huge sum will be \$268,500. This is figured on the basis of 11 percent of the individual income, it is said.

## EMMETT SIMMONS PHONES HOME

Talking to his home folks may be a common event for some folks, but there was plenty thrills for his parents. A few nights ago Emmett O. Simmons, in Uncle Sam's service for a long time, called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nollie Simmons from Charleston, S. C.

Emmett is doing nicely and well satisfied with his place in the service, his father stated today.

## CHILDREN STRICKEN SUDDENLY

Freda and Sonny Boy Wells of near Lelia Lake were suddenly stricken Monday with a peculiar condition. Neither could talk or move, it is said. A Clarendon physician was called. At this time, both children are recovering nicely.

## Boston Goes To Washington

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Boston of Vernon, Texas, received word from Washington, D. C. last week that Mr. Boston had received an appointment with the Civil Aeronautics Administration. Mr. Boston is now manager of The Goodrich Silvertown Store of Vernon.

The Bostons plan to spend a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Noland of Clarendon before leaving for Atlanta, Ga. on January 25th. They will visit friends in Russellville, Arkansas and Oxford, Miss. before reporting for duty on Feb. 1st.

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**HOW TOWNS ARE BUILT**

Towns are not built by any one individual. They are the product of community effort. They are the sum total of the efforts of all the citizens of the community. Some men make their contribution to the building of a town by erecting a business building or a residence. Some set up a business in the community that gives employment to others that they in turn may build homes and become community builders. How much employment can be given and how much money can be spent on these businesses depends upon the people of the community. If the people of the community spend their money with the local stores and professional men it will contribute to the building of a better and stronger and sounder community. Money spent at home with our local people remains at home to work for the home town. It expresses itself in better homes, better stores, better stocks of merchandise, better business and a better town.

**MAKE MINE THE SAME**

We admit we like the modern girls rouged cheeks, plucked eyebrows, manicured nails and skillfully done hair, says the Columnist in the Tipton Conservative. Some try to talk them down and compare them with the old fashioned girls who gave little thought to personal make up and improvement and who smothered themselves in frowzy petticoats. We will take the modern girl with her faults and all. She is the most charming, most gorgeous, most alluring, most glamorous creature that has yet walked the earth. Whether she is clad in the ultra fashion or in artistically careless slacks astride a boy's bicycle she epitomizes the life of the day and the hour, and we are for her.

The U. S. Marines have made almost 200 landings to protect Americans abroad during the 166 years of their organization.

In designing battleships naval constructors must strike a balance between the weights of machinery, armament, and armor.

ASHTOLA  
Mrs. W. B. Miller

Rev. R. L. Self the Baptist pastor filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and evening. He was accompanied to the morning service by his wife.

Farmers of Ashtola are taking advantage of the beautiful weather this week, and are working early and late trying to get their cotton and feed out of the field.

Mrs. Swearingen and family have recently moved to make their home at Ashtola.

We are glad to report Wanda Jo and Allen Ray Graham are able to return to school after being out two weeks on account of illness, and Jeanette Stogner is back in school this week after having an attack of mumps.

Miss Nancy Miller made a trip to Amarillo Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kuykendall and children spent last week visiting in Amarillo.

Mrs. A. L. Allen spent Tuesday at Amarillo with her granddaughter Sammie Jean Allen, who is ill of mastoid trouble.

Miss Doris Kuykendall is spending some time in the home of her uncle, Mr. Guy Kuykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Shelton have recently moved to a location on the JA ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham and children are occupying the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Shelton.

Mrs. M. H. Rhoades, the Red Cross leader for Ashtola community is calling every lady of the community for a meeting at the school building Tuesday afternoon, January 20 at 2 o'clock.

This is important to our nation, so everyone is urged to attend this meeting.

Have you asked your equipment dealer about repair parts for your farm machinery? If you haven't, do it now; the manufacturers need to know how much metal should be held out for this purpose so they can go ahead with military contracts.

**Crop Insurance Gets Under Way**

College Station, Jan. 12.—When A. V. Vickers, San Patricio County cotton farmer, signed his name on the dotted line of the first cotton crop insurance application in Texas, he inaugurated the program which will guarantee cotton growers an income in bad years as well as good.

Vickers, who owns and operates three small farms with a total cotton allotment of 83 acres, hasn't suffered a crop loss during the seven-year period on which his insurance rates are based.

"I think insurance is a good thing even if you don't expect to collect indemnities," he told Donald L. Cothran, state cotton crop insurance supervisor, and B. E. Ingle, assistant branch manager for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, who witnessed the signing of the first application. "I don't expect my house to burn down either but that's no reason why I shouldn't carry insurance on it."

As a result of his no-loss record, Vickers will pay the minimum rates on his insurance. On his 34-acre allotment, 10.8 pounds of cotton per acre will insure a yield of 192 pounds, 75 percent of his normal yield. On another 34-acre allotment the rate is 12 pounds, insuring production of 229 pounds per acre. On a 15-acre allotment, a premium of 8.3 pounds per acre insures a 112-pound yield.

Federal all-risk cotton crop insurance is available to farmers for the first time on their 1942 crop. Administration of the crop insurance program in the counties is handled by county AAA committees.

A War Department report says that the wool from 26 sheep, or about 200 pounds, is required to outfit a soldier with overcoat, jackets, pants, underwear, socks and hats needed during his first year of service.

Fighter Squadron VE-72 is symbolized by a blue burglar wasp wearing boxing gloves.

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**Saving Land Idea Grows**

College Station—Conservation conscious Texas farmers are falling in line with the new AAA terracing program, according to B. F. Vance, administrative officer in charge AAA in Texas.

Under the new set-up, farmers can terrace their land now and pay for it later, the AAA official said.

Machinery of the terracing program is simply operated, Vance said in explaining that county AAA committees set a reasonable price for terracing easier farms of the county through offers made by cooperating contractors. Once the fair price for a county is determined, farmers get bids for their farms from the contractors, take the offer they like best, and get their terracing done.

"It goes without saying that prices of terracing will vary by farms," Vance said, "but establishing a reasonable price for a county will serve as a yardstick for measuring costs of easier and more difficult jobs."

When terracing has been completed and checked by county AAA officers for specified requirements under the farm program, contractors are paid by the AAA and charges later deducted from farmers' conservation payments.

Increased popularity of the program with Texas farmers is attributed to the fact that no cash outlay is required to get farms terraced, Vance said.

**STATE STARTS NEW YEAR WITH HEAVY DEFICIT**

Texas' state government started the new year with a deficit of \$30,248,065. State Treasurer Jesse James reported last week. This was compared with the \$25,413,507 deficit of the comparable date in 1941 and the deficit of \$31,938,914 at the semi-monthly report Dec. 15.

The Confederate pension fund was finally out of the red, showing a credit balance of \$209,809. There was only 114 veterans left on the pension rolls, along with 2,737 widows.

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**THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH**  
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**DIRTY DEVILS.**  
Mrs. James T. Colbeck, who has just returned from Hawaii to her home in Haddonfield, N. J., relates another angle to the Pearl

Harbor raid. The wife of an air corps technician, Mrs. Colbeck states that several of the Japs shot out of the air at the Pearl Harbor raid, were found to be wearing class rings of Roosevelt High School in Honolulu. Some learned men have been telling us how loyal the Japs of Hawaii would be in this war. Our nation educated them to be proficient enemies. The two Japs who were talking peace plans in Washing-

ton with Secretary Hull at the very hour the raid was in progress, are both American college graduates. Will our men in key positions never learn?

**WISTFUL THINKING.**  
What a howl would go up if the newspapers were to criticize the individual as freely as the people criticize the newspaper. Every issue of a live, reputable newspaper is a mantle of charity. If a pub-

lisher could get out a 'cold fact' edition some day, and then fly overhead in a plane and watch the results—whew! What a picnic that would be!

**CARELESS KIND.**  
The College Hill Widow froze her nose last week while leaning against the window pane watching the neighbor women pass. She wanted to find out if any of them got a new dress Christmas.

**RECKLESSNESS.**  
During the practice "blackout" in Albuquerque, one fellow made a serious mistake in the darkness. He kissed his wife instead of the maid.

**LOGIC.**  
Worry is the interest paid on trouble before it comes due.

**DISGRACED.**  
German 'kultur' has been displaced by "Nazi vultures."

**SPEEDSTERS.**  
Some people drive as if they were anxious to have their accident and get it over with.

**SMART BIRD.**  
When a crow is rigged up to talk by a slit in his tongue, he really becomes a valuable bird. Down at Hogjaw, Haston Yazzie reports that his son Poosy, third next to Ozzie the smart one, has listened to that crow all fall and has increased his vocabulary so that he has been advanced to the second grade. Poosy had been in the first grade five years, all of which adds further to the reputation of the crow for intelligence. You know a lot of men who ought to associate with a crow for a long, long time.

**WEAKLY POME.**  
"The time has come," the Walrus said,  
"To talk of many things—"  
Of tires and tubes—  
By Boobs and Rubes.  
Of Girdles and gloves,  
And other loves,  
And wishing we had wings.

**ILLUSTRATION.**  
A fusser is a man with a pot-bellied mind filled with grudges.

**RETROSPECTION.**  
Strange as it may seem, many a raw deal is cooked up in advance. And sooner or later, most of such cooks, will get a mess of their own stew.

**PROGRESS.**  
In pioneer days the long skirt and creeping infants did the work now assigned to the vacuum cleaner.

**DAME NATURE.**  
It took a college professor to discover it, but town raised pigs are said to have larger kinks in their tails than rurally raised pigs. The idea of old Dame Nature was to keep the town pigs from slipping through the sewer. Ain't Nature grand?

With that 'sense and nonsense,' here's hoping we have fair weather for a long, long time. We've had plenty of cool weather, and if all the hogs were not killed, it's too late now. Cool weather is not fit for anything except to kill hogs, the old folks told us in our kid days.

**WHAT'LL THEY THINK UP NEXT?**  
A writer with a flair for "looking up" information tells us that honey isn't merely a jar of liquid amber to give zest to the breakfast toast and flapjacks. During the past few years packing firms have bought honey in large lots for curing hams, and many carloads of it have been bought by brewers. Hydromel (honey and water) is one of the oldest drinks known in Europe, and honey brandy and honey champagne still are considered delicacies by connoisseurs—the fellows who will try anything once. Manufacturers now are working on improvement of honey butter or honey cream with the consistency of soft butter. But such products tend to become rancid, this writer says. If you don't already know it, honey also flavors some brands of your fine cut and chewing plug.

Contagious abortion in hogs is becoming a serious problem in many breeding herds. The disease can be controlled by methods similar to those used for dairy herds.

Experience in controlling large sand dunes near Dalhart, has enabled the Soil Conservation Service to protect the right of way of a trans-continental railroad near Las Animas, California.

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**GOLDSTON**  
Beatrice Smith

44 attended Sunday school Sunday evening.  
A small crowd attended singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grey and daughter visited her mother, Mrs. Lena Dilli and son Carl Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson and son Dwayne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eanes and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Hay and son Thursday night.

The P.T.A. enjoyed a party at the school house Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Zoro Hudson moved to Dr. Witt's place near Goodnight Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merdie Guest and her mother, Mrs. Jim Scott of Salinas, Calif. visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, new year's day.

We are sorry to report that Haskell Speir and Sally Higdon have the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale and daughter awhile Sunday evening.

Mrs. Dale and daughter Lucille and Thelma Lee Holcomb and Vilas Ziegler have been on the sick list the past few weeks.

Those to visit in the Charley Young home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brock and Mrs. Dewitt Pope and daughter of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli and Jo Wayne, Mr. Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Lewis and family of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and children visited them Sunday evening.

Those to visit in the H. M. Stewart home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Devers and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart.

Those to visit in the H. C. Smith home Sunday were Mr. Collier Brock, Mr. Jo De Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and family and Elton Gammage.

Miss Ethelyn McBrayer moved to Lakeview last week. She has been staying with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odell McBrayer.

Hugh Stewart and Bryant Tucker visited Dennis Rattan Sunday evening.

Mr. Herman Mooring left Sunday for Wichita Falls where he is going to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Brock and family Sunday evening.

Juanita Mooring spent Sunday with Violet Gholston.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rains and son of Arizona visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Brock and family last week. They are now living in Borger.

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Such service is cheaper and is certainly far more desirable than health insurance. Every one of us knows that an occasional check-over on our automobile reveals little things gone wrong which will become bigger things unless they are cared for. That is exactly the same condition we have in our bodies, and the importance of correcting them before they become big things is obvious.

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## CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

Members of this Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Hommel at 2:30 p. m. on Friday, January 16th.

## LADIES AID MET TUESDAY

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian church met in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. F. C. Johnson directing the lesson.

## 1937 BRIDGE CLUB

Met with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Penick, Monday evening at their home.

Games of Auction were played with high score prize going to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Landers. Low score prize went to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wayne Estlack.

A delicious salad course was served to guests, Mr. and Mrs. McHenry Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Landers; and members, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wayne Estlack, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack and the hosts.

## CIRCLE MEETINGS.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met as follows Wednesday afternoon:

Circle One in the home of Mrs. Dave Johnson. Mrs. R. Y. King led the devotional. Mrs. A. L. Thornberry gave the resolutions for the New Year. Fifteen members were present.

Circle Two met in the home of Mrs. Cal Merchant with ten members present. Mrs. Chas. M. Lowry led the devotional. Mrs. Merchant gave an appreciation talk.

Circle Three met with Mrs. L. N. Cox with ten members and two visitors present. Mrs. C. A. Burton directed the devotional service. Mrs. G. T. Palmer presented the program.

## FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Mrs. J. A. Meaders was hostess to the Friendship Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated with winter shrubs and greenery.

Mrs. C. R. Skinner opened the meeting with prayer.

The afternoon was spent in conversation and needle work.

Mrs. J. D. Stocking closed the meeting with prayer.

The next meeting will be January 27 with Mrs. Jess Pool.

A delicious plate lunch was served to Mrs. J. D. Stocking, L. Ballew, Jess Pool, J. W. Morrison, H. Tyree, G. J. Teel, Glen Williams, C. R. Skinner, Miss Katie Meaders.

## MCDOWELL CLUB

This Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Simmons Powell. Mrs. Frank White Jr. was leader, assisted by Mrs. Dick Shelton.

After the business meeting, Mrs. H. R. Beck directed the choral practice.

Officers for the new year are: President, Mrs. U. J. Boston; vice president, Mrs. Gordon Stewart; recording secretary, Mrs. Tom Goldston; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frank White Jr.; treasurer, Miss Anna Moores; choral director, Mrs. H. R. Beck with accompaniment by Mrs. Allan J. Bryan.

Miss Onata Hayter of Breckenridge, Texas, formerly of Clarendon and Mr. Leon Holman of San Francisco, Calif., were united in marriage December 20 in Reno, Nevada.

## HAYTER-HOLMAN

The bride was attired in a navy blue traveling suit, trimmed in blue fox fur. Her accessories were also navy blue.

Mrs. Holman is a graduate of Clarendon High School, having resided in this city since childhood. After graduating from the Dallas School of Beauty Culture in Dallas, Texas in 1938, she became an employee in Breckenridge at the Little Beauty Salon.

She is the daughter of Mrs. S. A. Eddings of San Augustine, Texas, and formerly of this city.

Mr. Holman is the son of Mrs. Alma Holman of Breckenridge, and has been a resident of San Francisco for several years. He is manager and head buyer of the Shipping department at Frederick Starnes Wholesale and Drug Co. of that city, where the couple will make their home.

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## HARMONY CLASS

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Clarence Whitlock entertained the members of her Class assisted by Mrs. H. Warner. The vice pres. presided over the business session. Mrs. M. R. Allensworth gave a very interesting devotional. Forty-two was played.

Refreshments of cherry pie, whipped cream, salted nuts, tea and coffee were served.

Members present were Mmes. O. C. Watson, M. R. Allensworth, Lester Schull, Bill Ray, Frank Phelan, Lee Holland, B. C. Antrobus, Paul Shelton, M. L. Thornberry, Dee Lowery, Tom Goldston, L. B. Penick; visitors, Mmes. Durwood Skelton, L. C. Riley, and the hostesses.

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## MOTHER'S STUDY CLUB

Met in the home of Mrs. Walter Clifford Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Walter Lowe assisted Mrs. Clifford as hostess.

Mrs. Alvin Landers presided at the business meeting.

New officers were elected for the Club and will take office in Sept. They are: president, Mrs. Henry Tatum; vice-pres., Mrs. Bryan Armstrong; Sec.-Treasurer, Mrs. Bill Riney; parliamentarian, Mrs. J. E. Burch; reporter, Mrs. Bill Hilliard.

A lovely refreshment was served to members, Mmes. Alvin Landers, Bryan Armstrong, Clyde Douglas, Ed West, Bill Riney, W. C. McDonald, G. G. Reeves, Bill

Patman, J. H. Howze, Alfred Estlack, Frank Hommel, Bill Hilliard, R. Y. King, J. E. Burch, and hostesses, Mrs. Clifford and Mrs. Lowe.

## PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club held the first meeting of the new year in the small auditorium of the Methodist Church Friday afternoon, Jan. 9, with Mrs. C. B. Morris in the chair. The meeting was held at this place because the clubroom had been lent to the Red Cross temporarily.

Roll call was answered with health hints. After a few necessary committee reports, Mrs. J. T. Patman, Federation Counsellor, read an article on "Conservation" from Mrs. J. W. Walker, State Federation president. This article pointed out the many ways in which Club women might help in national defense. Mrs. Kennedy read a letter from Mrs. Walker to Club women urging their support of national defense by buying stamps and bonds.

Dorothy Ann Kennedy very graciously substituted for her mother by giving a piano solo, "Waltz in C Sharp Minor by Chopin."

The remainder of the program was dispensed with because of the necessity for a longer business session than usual. A motion was made and carried that the Pathfinder representative of the Club room board be instructed to vote to offer the use of the clubroom to the Red Cross during the emergency if it should be needed. Several large homes were offered for meeting places for the club should this be necessary. Mrs. H. T. Burton told something of the Red Cross work in prospect through the Production Department.

A discussion was then held as to whether the club would hold its annual anniversary party on Jan. 23rd. This was led by Mrs. C. E. Bairfield, chairman of the social committee. The consensus of opinion was finally that the club women as a part of the citizenship as a whole should help to maintain the morale of the country by carrying on as usual in the social life as elsewhere—only that it should be done as inexpensively as possible. This was urged by the president, Mrs. Morris, as well as by Mrs. Bairfield and her committee. Therefore the annual anniversary party will be held at the home of Mrs. C. T. McMurtry on Jan. 23rd, with each member inviting two guests—and the money saved by celebrating very simply will be given to the Red Cross.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. J. H. Howze; Vice-President, Mrs. John Bass; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ernest Hunt; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. C. A. Burton; Treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Patman; Parliamentarian, Mrs. C. E. Bairfield; Federation Counsellor, Mrs. Lee Holland; Historian, Mrs. Van Kennedy.

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## only be cured by music.

Then, too, there was his story about the "varmint" in Texas, called the "Santa Fe," that was still worse than the tarantula, for the best brass band in the country couldn't cure their sting; that the creature had a hundred legs and a sting on every one of them, besides two large stings in its forked tail, and fangs as big as a rattlesnake's. When they sting you with their legs alone, you might possibly live an hour; when with all their stings, perhaps fifteen or twenty minutes; but when they sting and bite you at the same time, you first turn blue, then yellow, and then a beautiful bottle-green, when your hair all fell out and your finger nails dropped off, and you were as dead as a door-nail in five minutes, in spite of all the doctors in America.

## The Usual Retort

Even that was all right; but the last straw was when a young lady asked if he had ever seen a mirage out on the plains. He didn't know what a mirage was but supposed it to be something like a drove of horses or buffalo and replied he had seen thousands. "The last one I saw," he added "was just back of Santa Fe, and it stampeded when we got in about a quarter of a mile of it; and such a dust as was kicked up you never saw, for there hadn't been a drop of rain there in six months."

The young lady was rather taken back at that. "I always heard that the mirage would disappear as you approached it, but I never heard of one kicking up a dust before," she said. But Big-Foot wouldn't be denied. "They don't in other countries, where the ground is kept wet by constant rain," he explained; "but in Texas, you see, it is different."

The Bureau of Navigation is also the fashion bureau of the Navy, initiating all changes in uniform regulations.

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## WRIGHT ANNOUNCES FOR SHERIFF

Guy Wright, incumbent sheriff and tax assessor-collector, this week authorized the Leader to announce his candidacy for reelection subject to the Democratic primaries in July.

In his announcement, Wright said, "I want to ask the voters of Donley County to examine my record while in the office you entrusted me with two years ago. Also my record as deputy sheriff during the seven years I served in that capacity. After due consideration of these records you see fit to return me to this office,

your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.  
Guy Wright (Advt.)

## MISS WIEDMAN SPEAKS TO DONLEY VOTERS

In announcing my candidacy for the office of District and County Clerk, I wish to most sincerely thank the people of Donley County for their support and consideration in the past. I have tried most earnestly to give you the very best and most efficient service possible.

I will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming election.

and pledge you a continuance of my very best efforts.

Helen Wiedman (Advt.)

Mrs. R. M. Morris and son Marshall visited in Amarillo, Sunday.

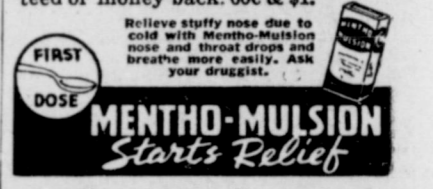
Harrison Simpson was down from Dalhart Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Simpson, and took his wife and son back home with him Sunday. They had been visiting here a week.

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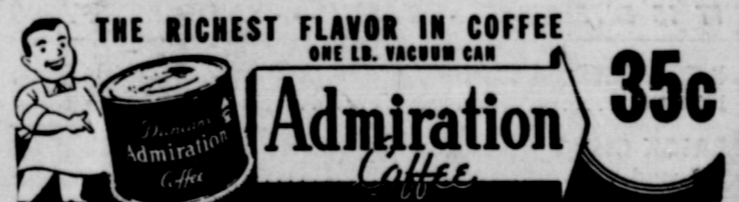
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FOR SALE—Purina Laying Mash, \$2.25 per hundred. Clarendon Hatchery. (25tfc)

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LOST—Red Durham heifer between Ashtola and Goodnight Monday, January 12th. Call or notify Reagan Bain, Phone 92-J in Clarendon. (47-c)

WANTED

FARM WANTED—Have about \$1500 dollars to pay down on a farm, 160 or 200 acres wanted. Riley Eudy, Arlie Route, Childress, Texas. (52-p)

WANTED—Man with car for special work. See L. T. Walker at the Latson Apartments after 6 p. m. (47-p)

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED TWO MEN—Due to increase in business we need two men not subject to immediate draft who live in Donley County. Must have car, be honest and willing to work. You should make \$30 to \$50 a week. Apply in person or write R. M. Eldred, 115 B East 4th Ave., Amarillo, Texas. (47-c)

WANTED—To exchange kaffir and maize bundles for anything I can use, including hogs, calves, yearlings or poultry. J. T. Mayo, Clarendon, Tex., Rt. 1. (47-p)

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

Political Announcements

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

COUNTY TREASURER MARGARET V. THOMPSON DAVID JOHNSON

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RED CROSS FIRST AID LECTURE COURSE

In compliance with the National Defense Program for the training of civilians in the event of an emergency an organization meeting of Donley County citizens interested will be held at the Women's Club rooms, now Red Cross headquarters, on Friday night, January 16th, at 8 o'clock. Dr. M. E. Borsook will give the course of lectures.

Come to these lectures, this is your chance to train for very valuable service to your community and your country. —Committee.

Mrs. Lena Antrobus is again at home after a pleasant visit in Oklahoma City with her daughter, Mrs. Tren Stargel and family.

Church News

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Alma Wisdom, Pastor. Church services every Thursday, Saturday and Sunday night. Sunday school, 10 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST M. F. Manchester, Minister. Bible study for all classes begin at 10 o'clock a. m. Preaching and the Lord's Supper at eleven a. m. Sermon subject: "The evil and the good of money."

Evening services begin at 7:00 p. m. Subject: "How we are saved by grace." Everyone is welcome to all services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH J. O. Quattlebaum, Jr., Minister. Subject Sunday morning 10:55 o'clock, "Calvary, the Church's Supreme Height to View the World." Vesper Services at 5 o'clock. We made a good beginning with this early hour, join us for worship at this time. The Church should have Priority on your time, especially on Sunday.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH M. E. Hutson, Pastor. Bible School—9:45 a. m. Communion and Preaching—11:00 a. m. Young Peoples Meeting—6:30 p. m. Church Service—7:15 p. m. Mid-week Service Wednesday—7:15 p. m.

Last Sunday we celebrated the 50th Anniversary of the local church. Several of the old timers were there, many from out of town and told of many of the trials and problems of the church back years ago. But we decided that it had been the victory over those trials and problems that today give us courage to carry on and become victorious over the problems we have today.

Miss Dorothy Rhodes is assisting Supt. Ruth M. Richerson since Miss Johnnie Rhodes went to California last week.

WENT TO CLAUDE D. T. Lewter, brother-in-law of R. T. Brown, died at Claude Monday. Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brown and Bettie Jean attended the funeral service Tuesday.

Texas Farmers' Two-Way Attack



Texas farmers are launching a two-way attack on U. S. enemies by delivering their scrap iron for use in munitions manufacture and buying defense stamps and bonds to help finance the war. In the top picture, W. A. Gann, right in wagon, Travis County farmer, unloads his wagon with the help of B. W. Giles, left, who owns the farm Gann works, Arthur Swenson, chairman of Travis County USDA Defense Board, and Guy C. Hartgraves, county AAA administrative officer. Then he takes part of the money he got for the scrap and buys defense stamps from J. H. Johnson, Del Valley postmaster.

SIDE GLANCES ON TEXAS HISTORY

By Charles O. Hucker University of Texas Library

The Disposition Of Santa Anna

When the Battle of San Jacinto was done and the Texas government had the Mexican President Santa Anna a captive in its hands, it might be thought that its worries were over at last. But, as a matter of fact, its worries were only begun; and its most embarrassing problem was what to do with Santa Anna.

On May 14th, 1836, the Mexican President and David G. Burnet, President of the provisional government of Texas, signed a secret agreement. According to the text of it printed in the Rev. H. S. Thrall's "Pictorial History of Texas," one of the standard histories in the Texas Collection of the University of Texas Library, the fifth article of the agreement reads as follows:

"The present return of General Santa Anna to Vera Cruz being indispensable for the purpose of effecting his solemn engagements, the Government of Texas will provide for his immediate embarkation for said port."

Although two members of his cabinet were opposed to this plan, President Burnet was determined to keep his agreement and on June 1st put Santa Anna and his captive followers aboard the schooner Invincible at Velasco to be taken to Vera Cruz, together with two Texas ministers who were to negotiate a peace treaty.

The news of this action, however, was received very unfavorably by the people of the town, who thought it unwise to release their most valuable hostage. They held a public meeting and demanded that he be brought back

ashore and kept. Next day a company of volunteers from New Orleans arrived and threatened hostilities if the Invincible were allowed to sail. In their turn, every member of the cabinet threatened to resign at this, but Burnet finally yielded. Santa Anna was brought back to await the first session of Congress.

Meantime the news had spread to the army. Highly indignant, a number of officers signed a letter to the President announcing that if Santa Anna were released "the army of citizen soldiers will again assume the privilege of putting down the enemies of Texas."

Then they passed a resolution ordering Burnet's arrest, according to Thrall.

The Showdown This was early in July, and immediately an officer was dispatched to "arrest the person of David G. Burnet; take into your possession the books, papers and records of the Secretaries of State, of War, and of the Treasury, and them safely keep, and report forthwith."

Word of this mission, which was intended to be a great secret somehow leaked out. Burnet was thus put on his guard; and the citizens of the surrounding country felt a quick change of sentiment and crowded into Velasco to defend the civil government.

Thrall notes even that word was got to the approaching officer that "Judge Lynch was preparing to sit on his case." At any rate, he lost heart and hastily returned to his camp. No further action on the matter was taken, even during the meeting of Congress. So General Houston, newly installed President of the Republic, took matters into his own hands at the end of the session and on December 22, 1836, released Santa Anna. In the company of two Texas officers he rode to the Mississippi River, proceeding from there to Washington, D. C., whence he sailed at last for Mexico.

LOCALS

G. D. Shelly left Monday to work at Lubbock a few days.

Mrs. Cruse of Amarillo is visiting Mrs. W. H. Corbin.

Mrs. J. K. Porter of Wellington had business here Saturday.

W. H. Youngblood of the Brice country was here on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Connolly of Amarillo visited the parents of both here the fore part of this week.

Mrs. Hattie Rutherford of Dallas visited Mrs. Whitlock and other friends here Friday.

Misses Ethelyn Drennan and Frances Grady, students of West Texas College, were home for the week end.

Mrs. O. D. Liesberg is spending the week with a granddaughter, Mrs. Shannon Barker in Amarillo.

Everett Johnson is employed at Shamrock for the week on a special job.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Johnson and Mrs. F. C. Johnson were in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Fred Chamberlain is now home after visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Chamberlain at Bay City for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman spent Sunday with relatives in Hedley.

Edwin Todd and wife of Childress visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd.

Edith Speed of Paducah is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Speed.

Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Palmer attended a missionary meeting in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Storey of McLean attended the missionary meeting here Monday and visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. M. Lowry.

Mrs. Paul Slaton and children, Paul and Kay are visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Forgey at Archer City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cook of Salisaw, Okla. are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Shelly.

Mrs. Glen Riley has been dismissed at Adair hospital and taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Howard Stewart. Mrs. Riley and babe are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Riley of Amarillo spent Sunday here with his sister, Mrs. Hattie Palmer and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hamilton of Pampa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hoy.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain went to Ft. Worth Wednesday for an extended visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Browder.

Mrs. N. C. Percival has been informed of the death of a sister, Mrs. S. E. Day in Rock Mountain, Virginia with whom she visited a few months ago.

Gene Butler of Camp Bowie at Brownwood visited in Clarendon the past week end.

Mrs. Tom Blasingame and son of the JA ranch visited in the Fred Russell home Tuesday.

Mrs. Carrie Wiedman is at home after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hardesty at Salem, Oregon. Mrs. Hardesty accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allmond were visiting relatives at Memphis, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Noland spent the week end at Vernon visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and Mrs. F. C. Johnson were in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kirtley returned home Tuesday. They had visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith at Hubbard City.

Winfred Wise who was honorably discharged from selective service for lack of physical requirements, has accepted a good position in a photo studio at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift were in Memphis Monday on business.

Dorothy Ann Kennedy is confined to her home with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranson of near Giles, had business here Fri.

Mrs. Lena Antrobus is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tren Stargel and daughter Jean, in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant spent Sunday in Pampa with their son, Jack Merchant and family.

Mrs. Hugh Harman, wife of the local band director, is recovering from an appendectomy at Guyton, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Baker of Amarillo spent Sunday here with the ladies' mother, Mrs. W. A. Davis.

Mrs. Lois Ellen of White Deer visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Pipes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Pipes visited their daughter, Margaret in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. David McCleskey has gone to Washington to join her husband who has a federal position there.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Chamberlain of Bay City announce the arrival of a daughter, born Jan. 2nd. The little lady has been given the name, Ann Chamberlain.

Advertisement for Cameron's New Plan Book and Survey Service. Includes text: 'WORKING CONDITIONS CERTAINLY HAVE IMPROVED AROUND OUR PLACE SINCE THE BOSS STARTED THAT MODERNIZATION PROGRAM'. Features an image of a bull and a plan book.

Advertisement for U.S. Defense Bonds. Features a large graphic of Uncle Sam holding a top hat and a sign that says 'BUY U.S. DEFENSE BONDS!'.

Advertisement for E. J. Wise Watchmaker. Text: 'E. J. WISE WATCHMAKER WATCH REPAIRING A SPECIALTY Office at 210 Latson Apartments P. O. Box 402 Clarendon, Texas'.

Advertisement for Hilliard Service Station. Features an image of a car and text: 'AT YOUR SERVICE... Drive in and get all the service and courteous treatment you're entitled to! Water, Check tires, Polish windows, Check oil. Best of all, you'll like the quality work and friendly atmosphere. Hilliard Service Station TEXACO PRODUCTS Phone 37-M'.

**MIDWAY**  
Mrs. John Goldston

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins Sunday afternoon. Leona McCraw spent Monday night with Betty John Goldston. Mr. Bill Gaither of Breckenridge spent Sunday and Monday in the Longan home. Mrs. Longan returned to Breckenridge with Mr. Gaither Tuesday for a visit with the twin boys. She will remain for the week. Mrs. Elizabeth Evilsizer is ill this week. Leslie Pickering of Amarillo returned his parents Sunday. Mrs. Leslie Pickering is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Gene Chamberlain in Lubbock. Jaunell Stevenson visited in the Gamble home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Gamble's mother spent the past week with her. Relatives from Lakeview visited in the Gamble home Sunday and Mrs. Gamble's mother returned with them for a visit. Mrs. J. C. Longan and daughter spent Saturday night in the Longan home. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andis of Amarillo visited in the Longan home Sunday. Mr. Gene Hester who has been seriously ill was taken to a Pampa hospital. He returned to his home the past week, improved to some extent. Betty John and Vernon Goldston spent the week in the W. K. Davis home while their parents were in St. Anthony hospital. Miss Roy Guy Seaton underwent an operation in the Adair hospital the past Thursday. She is reported doing nicely, and is expected to come home this week. John Goldston was returned to his home Sunday in a Buntin's ambulance, having been in St. Anthony hospital the past two weeks convalescing from a major operation. He is improving nicely, but will have to remain in bed a nother week. Mrs. W. M. Pickering who has been taking treatments from Amarillo Drs. for some time is now in bed to remain for a month. Her friends and neighbors are wishing her an early recovery. Clifford Davis of Amarillo visited his parents Friday afternoon. Visitors in the John Goldston home Sunday eve were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins and Bobby Cole. Lenode Goldston of Houston and Jack Goldston of Washington, both formerly of Clarendon

visited the John Goldstons in St. Anthony's Sunday. They are in Amarillo to be with their mother, Mrs. Willie Goldston who is seriously ill. Lucille, the daughter from California, is expected in to be with her mother. Mrs. Arlie Wood was also in St. Anthony's in Amarillo the past week.

The Midway Quilting Club met with Mrs. Tomlinson the past Thursday.

Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and son Johnny spent the past week in the Goldston home with the children while their parents were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Goldston and boys of McLean visited LaVern's father in Amarillo Thurs.

Mrs. W. D. Higgins and Marguerite Cole visited with Mrs. Corbin and daughters the past Friday. Mrs. Corbin is ill at present.

Farmers are busy this pretty weather finishing up the gathering of their crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seaton and family are moving to the J. A. Meaders farm where Mr. and Mrs. Eanes lived the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Eanes are moving to the Martin filling station where the Pitman's have lived, and the Pitman's are moving to Clarendon.

W. D. Higgins is assisting Romeo Derrick in feeding cattle. Mrs. Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seaton visited in the Goldston home Monday; Rev. Quattlebaum of Clarendon, Tues.

**PENSION PAYMENTS HAVE DOUBLED IN LAST 3 YEARS**

Current payment of old age pensions amounting to \$3,152,002 has brought emphasis once more to this "baby" in the family of state government spending agencies.

In the comparatively short space of three years, the available records show, the total paid out in pensions has more than doubled, while the population of a fair-sized city has been added to the pension rolls.

In January, 1939, there were 113,300 people receiving this form of state gratuity. The average payment that month was \$13.84 and the total put out was \$1,567,897.

The following January, the budget had been slashed to fit the income, with an average of \$8.91 paid to a slightly greater number of pensioners, 119,730, who received a total of \$1,066,793.

The upward trend continued the following year, with 122,730 pensioners getting an average of \$13.93 for a total of \$1,699,751; and finally came the 1942 figure, which made payments to an additional 50,610

**Hogs To Play Bigger Part**

College Station—Hog production, a basic item in the Food for Victory program, easily can be made successful if properly fitted into a profitable farming plan, according to E. M. Regenbrecht, swine husbandman of the A&M College Extension Service.

Especially suited as a small enterprise, hog production primarily is dependent for success upon the availability of an abundance of grain feed. Hogs always pay more for corn, barley, or grain sorghums than does the grain market. About four pounds of feed produces a pound of pork, but the feed must be properly balanced. Feeds used to balance the farm grain usually are higher in price than the latter but the quantity is small.

Farmers who keep from one to three sows almost always make a success, Regenbrecht says. Hogs do not do well when run in large groups because sanitation and disease prevention become serious problems with large herds. The principal item of expense in hog production is the grain feed, but if this is grown on the farm, or obtainable locally at reasonable prices, the enterprise easily can be established on a profitable basis.

While a sandy, well-drained soil is the most suitable, hogs can be successfully raised on a heavy black soil, but in such case concrete feeding floors are almost a necessity. Hog pastures are necessary, with small grain for winter, and sudan for summer the best. Native grasses such as bermuda are good for a short time in the spring, but soon get hard and tough, and become of little value. A good pasture will furnish 50 percent of the needed protein and otherwise reduce the cost of production, Regenbrecht says.

Suitable equipment—a movable hog house, a few troughs and a self-feeder—can be built at small cost. A concrete wallow can be classed as almost a necessity. If hogs are kept comfortable they make rapid and economical gains and losses from overeating are avoided. It is likewise true that hogs which do not have a dry, warm place in which to bed during the winter will not make as much profit as those properly sheltered.

**LELIA LAKE**

Mrs. J. Q. Bell of Idalgu left Friday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. McCauley and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Angel of Groom spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Josephine Espey spent most of last week in Amarillo in the home of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown of Amarillo visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Bullard Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ben Wright and small daughter of Maple are guests of her sister, Mrs. Lee Usery and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCauley of Amarillo were week end guests of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bullard of Quail visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDaniels Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roberts and children of Amarillo were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd M. Rice of Wayside visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wood last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Johnston from Quail visited her mother, Mrs. E. Wood Sunday.

Mrs. Garl Bain of Borger is visiting her mother, Mrs. Espey. Mr. and Mrs. Mc Elroy have

**Memorandum To Secretary of County Agricultural Conservation Ass'n.**

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, January 5.—At this time the work being done by the State Office primarily has to do with cotton crop insurance and auditing and certifying Forms SR-514. Due to the tremendous amount of computations necessary in handling these two programs and because it is very difficult to secure machine operators during this period of emergency, it is impossible to employ personnel sufficient to handle the work as fast as it is received from the counties. It therefore follows that either the cotton crop insurance work or the applications for payment work must be considerably curtailed. Because it is absolutely imperative that the cotton crop insurance work be completed prior to the closing date for accepting insurance applications, it is not deemed advisable to curtail this work in any way. Therefore, it will be necessary for the State Office to greatly limit the number of applications for payment which may be approved daily.

In the past most payments were issued within a comparatively short time from the date the application was received. As producers no doubt have by now become accustomed to fairly prompt payments, it is likely that many of those who have already signed applications will be inquiring of county offices as to why they

recently moved from Carey into our midst. P. A. Howard and family of Childress spent Sunday with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Jon Reed visited with his parents in Jericho. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Howard and son moved Monday to their new home near Anton on the South Plains. They recently sold their home here.

have not received payment. It will be greatly appreciated if all county offices will explain all of the circumstances as to why payments are not being issued promptly and discourage the producers from contacting this office with respect as to why they have not received payments. Unless the inquiries directed to this office can be held to a minimum, employees now being used in connection with the application for payment work will necessarily have to be withdrawn to assist in the handling of correspondence.

Yours truly,  
s/ B. F. Vance  
Administrative Officer in Charge

The first recorded notice of a competitive drill for company flag at the Naval Academy took place in June Week 1868.

The Navy normally performs a public service by conducting marine surveys, printing charts, and sending warnings to ships at sea.

The Navy has taken a prominent part in developing aviation.

deep-sea diving, and short methods of navigation.

Deep sea divers of the U. S. Navy have attained depth of more than 500 feet.

A Jersey heifer should be at least 27 months old before she has her first calf.

**POSTED WARNING!**  
Positively no hunting on the Rowe ranch, Mill Iron ranch, Shoe-Bar ranch or Word ranch. This area is included in the State game preserve.  
W. J. Lewis  
(29tfc)

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Natural Gas is one of these resources. In factories, mills, military centers, and homes throughout this region, Natural Gas is playing an increasingly important role. Our organization always has been vitally aware of its responsibilities. And during this war crisis, it is especially mindful of the importance of helping to meet our country's war requirements fully and adequately.

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**HUDGINS**  
Mrs. S. M. Harp

There were only a few out for Sunday school Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tims and Clyde spent Sunday at Hedley.  
Mrs. Harp visited with Mrs. Lacy Noble of Clarendon awhile Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs returned Thursday night from a business trip from Hot Springs, Ark.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Meador and children of Dumas spent from Saturday until Monday visiting in this community.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Awful and baby of Goodnight is visiting in this community at this time.

**Radioclast Examination**  
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Sidney Harp spent Friday night with Bill Perdue.  
Mr. and Mrs. N. M. McGlone spent Saturday in Memphis.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue, Mary and Geraldine visited at Quail Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie, Mary and Drew of Martin visited awhile Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs.  
Those to take dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harp: Misses Essie Roy, Velma Tims, Floree Talley, Aiton Webb and F. T. Perkins.  
Clara Bell Bandy spent Sunday with Magdaline Talley.  
Uncle Walt Raney is visiting in this community at this writing.  
Bill Perdue, Frederick Bandy, and Sidney Harp spent Sunday with Ben Talley.

**SECOND LARGEST WARTIME PILOT CLASS TO BE GRADUATED SOON**

The "full speed ahead" war program will be kept going if Gulf Coast Air Corps Training Center officials have anything to do with it.  
Officials at the training base have set the week of January 10 to 16—many days ahead of schedule—as the turnover date for the largest group of Aviation Cadets ever to be training at the 25 advanced, basic and primary schools

scattered throughout the Training Center.  
From the Gulf Coast's four Advanced Flying Schools—Kelly, Brooks, Ellington, and Victoria—will flow the second and largest wartime class of commissioned pilots in the history of American military aviation.  
Some of the pilots will be returned to training schools where they will be flight instructors and others will be ordered direct to combat units on duty at home and abroad.  
Student officers, aviation cadets and the first class of enlisted pilots—now in training at Randolph Field, Goodfellow Field, and Brady, Texas, all Basic Schools—will report to advanced schools for the final phase of their flight training.  
In turn, Student Officers, Aviation Cadets, and enlisted pilots now training at the 16 primary schools throughout Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Missouri will transfer to the above-mentioned and the Sherman, Texas, and Enid, Okla., Basic Flying Schools.

**COURT RULES ON SURGERY LIMITATION SUIT**

If the operating surgeon leaves anything inside your body, better find out about it before the expiration of two years.  
For, after two years, the patient is barred by the two-year statute of limitations from bringing suit for damages against the physician, the Texas Supreme Court ruled last week.  
Ruling was in a case from Dallas County. The operation in question was performed in 1931. In 1935, while dressing the wound a relative of the patient found a sponge protruding. The suit for damages was filed in 1936. The two year statute of limitations started in 1931, the court held.  
Mrs. Florence Hvass and Marilyn Maher returned home Sunday after spending a few days with Mrs. Edythe Maher and Mrs. Ruth Wheat in Seymour.

**Ranchers Have Defense Part**

College Station, Jan. 14.—Realizing pastures rate top place as a source of cheap feed for livestock, Texas ranchmen are already improving rangeland under the new AAA range conservation program according to Howard Kingsbery, state AAA committeeman and ranchman from Santa Anna.  
Ranchmen running three sections or more are eligible for participation in the program this year, the AAA committeeman said, while ranches containing less than the required 1,920 acres will be signed under the AAA farm program.  
Included as regular practices for the first time in 1942 are elimination of huicache and noxious underbrush, bushes and shrubs, Kingsbery said.  
Range-building allowances will be approximately the same as under the 1941 program, he said, but added that minimum payments for 2,000 acres or more will not be less than \$160. Minimum allowance for ranches of less than 2,000 acres will be 8 cents per acre.

**WENT TO HAWAII HIGH**

Haddonfield, N. J., Jan. 7.—Mrs. James T. Colbeck, just returned from Hawaii, says that some of the Japanese who bombed Pearl Harbor were former class mates of hers in schools there.  
The wife of an air corps technical sergeant stationed at Pearl Harbor, Mrs. Colbeck told friends that some of the enemy pilots shot down wore class rings from Roosevelt High School, Honolulu.  
Naval reserve enlistments topped regulars for the first six days in October, 1941.  
John Adams said: "Naval power is the natural defense of the United States."

**Lower Octane Rating Gas In Prospect**

Ahead of civilian motorists lies a road likely to resound with more motor pings than usual as local gasoline jobbers began to receive notification that conservation of tetraethyl lead had reached the filling station pump.  
Tetraethyl lead is the ingredient which steps up the octane rating of gasoline to give a smoother and more efficient operation of an automobile motor. And just as it affects the automobile motor, so does it affect the airplane motor, which is why the government has clamped down on the civilian use of tetraethyl.  
The premium grade of gasoline sold at filling stations has had an 82 octane rating, but according to jobbers, refineries now are delivering 78 octane fuel. The regular grades, which have been from 74 to 75 octane, now will be 71 octane.  
A drop of a few octane points may make a considerable difference in the smooth performance of automobiles. The outlook, most jobbers believe, is that the premium grade before long may disappear from station pumps altogether.  
The Navy has taken a prominent part in the development of earth induction compasses, bubble sextants, and efficient propellers for aircraft.  
Ex-Secretary of the Navy Wilbur said that the Navy was the greatest educational institution in the world.  
The custom of special Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners on naval ships goes back more than a hundred years.

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**ANTELOPE FLAT**  
By Marian Evans

Roy Waldrop spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Sam Hendrix, of Lesley.  
Henry Edens and Bill Edens spent Sunday in Plainview.  
Percy Sisk was in Turkey Saturday night.  
Raymond Waldrop went to Lubbock Saturday for his final exam for the army.  
Mr. and Mrs. Justus Ridge of Denison are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Durham.  
Mr. and Mrs. "Bo" Phillips of Brice visited Mr. and Mrs. John Durham Sunday night.  
Mr. Oscar Bullock, the official bus driver, was ill Friday and was substituted by Roy Waldrop.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard were in Silverton Friday.  
"Pretty Boy" Bevers of Silverton visited Mr. and Mrs. Sim Rhoades Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wood of Brice visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Durham last week.  
Mrs. R. Sanderson and son Louis who has been ill in a Vernon hospital returned home Tues.

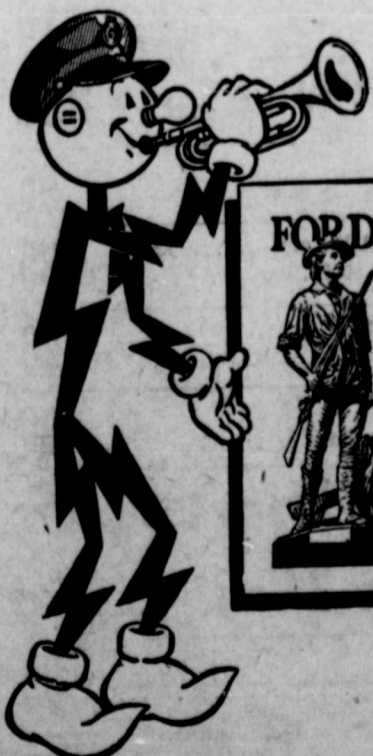
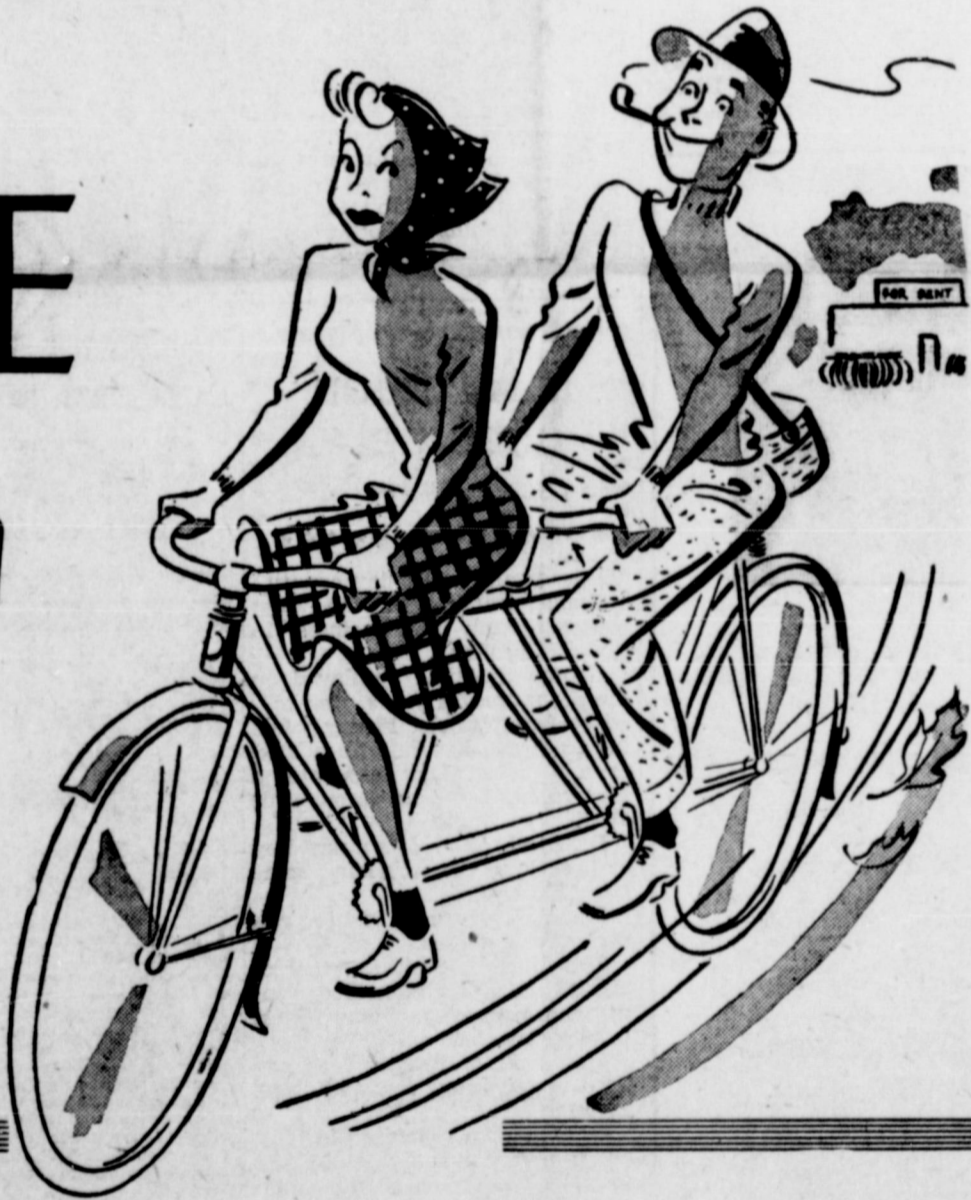
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**CURBS ON MOTORISTS MAY AFFECT STATE TAX**

Various curbs upon the motorist by the Federal government may hit the state government in one of its most vital spots: The gasoline tax.  
Just how far the ban on sales of new tires and new automobiles is going to affect the tax—which is one of the state's chief source of income—Sam Kimberlin, chief of the motor fuel tax in the Comptroller's office was not ready to say, although admitting that he anticipated a substantial decrease.  
Some sources saw a decrease of more than one-third, which, on the basis of collections for the last fiscal year, would mean a loss of \$20,000,000 in revenues to the state.  
For last fiscal year, collections exceeded \$60,000,000, some \$5,500,000 over the previous high point.  
During the months of September, October, and November collections were up \$1,506,000 over the same period in the past fiscal year. December collections will not be tabulated until about January 20; but Kimberlin did not think they would reflect any decrease. But by February 20, when January tabulations are made, he believed the psychological effect of the various bans would show itself in the income.  
"I know of several people who already have started "doubling up" in going to work in the mornings," Kimberlin commented.  
—State Observer.

Calvin Coolidge said, "All the money that has ever been spent on the Navy has been returned to the community several times over in direct stimulus to industrial development."

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That means there remains a truly big job to be done here at home. Everybody left behind must help.

Our own special job—this company's—it two-fold: *First*—we must provide the light and power needed by army camps, air training schools, and defense industries in this West Texas country. *Second*—we must continue serving your home and business, doing all this in an economical manner so that we may also continue contributing all possible tax support direct for defense purposes.

We must conserve copper, rubber and automobiles. Our cars and trucks were reduced from 334 in 1931 to 235 in 1941. With further reduction

now, many will do double duty in order to take care of the public's electric service requirements over a 45,000-square-mile area.

These vehicles, in 1941, traveled a total of 3,506,872 miles, or 140 times around the globe! Many of them have been rebuilt, and now will be rebuilt several times.

With a shortage of tires, cars and trucks, the job of maintaining the same type of good service in 1942 will be an increasingly hard task. It will require more maintenance and rebuilding throughout. This, we will continue to do, making replacement parts in our own repair shop, if necessary, to maintain the continuity of service to you.

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### RED CROSS OFFICIALS THANK LADIES FOR USE OF CLUB ROOM

When the Womans Club Room board voted this week to offer the women of the Red Cross the use of the club room in the City Hall for a temporary sewing room, it came as a great aid in the sewing and knitting work for refugees and the sick and wounded of the army and navy.

The officers of the Donley County Chapter desire to express their most sincere thanks for this gracious act on the part of the management of the club room, and for the patriotic motives that prompted it.

The expression of thanks is signed by Miss Charlotte Molesworth, Chairman of the Home Service workers; J. D. Swift, secretary-treasurer, and Sam Braswell, Chapter chairman.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

One Day Associational Baptist Training Union Conference will meet with the First Baptist Church, Clarendon, Friday, January 23rd, beginning promptly at 2:00 p. m. Come and bring your picnic supper. This is a great opportunity to prepare ourselves to become greater soldiers for our Lord. There is a place for each, from the oldest to the youngest.

Mrs. Joe E. Johnston, Associational Director.

#### NATIONAL GUARD TO SERVE IN ARMY

Adjutant General J. Watt Page announced today that, with certain exceptions, all enlisted men of the National Guard of the United States not now in active Federal Service will be called to active duty during the period January 5th through January 28th by order of the Secretary of War.

The War Department directive, General Page pointed out, orders the recall to active service in the Army of the United States of all components, including the Regular Army Reserve, the Enlisted Reserve Corps and the National Guard of the United States, and revokes a recent directive authorizing recall of these men on an individual voluntary basis. He said:

"In Texas approximately 1,800 National Guardsmen not now in active Federal Service will be affected by this order. Including among these are men who have been discharged from active service during the past several months (some because they were twenty-eight or older, some because of dependency, and some for other reasons) and assigned to the State Detachment under State control.

### Birthday Party Will Honor President

Clarendon business men today expressed their desire to cooperate to the fullest extent in promotion of local celebrations of the President's Birthday. Plans for the celebration now include a dance at the Opera House and a Bridge Tournament at the Antro Hotel.

Business firms cooperating with George Norwood and his capable committee are the Donley County Leader, Clarendon News, West Texas Utility, Thompson Hardware, Clarendon Furniture, Allen Bryan, Greene Dry Goods, Simmons Powell, Goldston Jewelers, Rexall Drug, Willard Skelton, Ben Franklin Stores, Hoy's Florist, Clyde Wilson Service Station, Norwood Pharmacy, and Melling & Rosenwasser.

Mr. Norwood this morning said, "We appeal to the people of Clarendon and surrounding communities to plan now to help us celebrate our President's Birthday in a way that will not only bring them a great deal of pleasure but will also benefit a worthy cause. We urge you and you and you, to keep Friday, January 30th as an 'open date'."

#### FORMER TREASURER SERIOUSLY ILL

Friends here of Mrs. Willie Goldston will be grieved to learn of her critical illness in St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo.

Her condition has reached the point that all of her children have been called to her bedside as early as Tuesday.

Mrs. Goldston, a sister of the Caraway brothers and Mrs. Eva Rhode here, was county treasurer of Donley county several terms some twenty years ago.

#### IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Glenn White of Shamrock was returned to the hospital Sunday. She had been critically ill for some time, and is said to have taken worse again.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvey and Mrs. Blackwell, mother of Mrs. Harvey, spent several days the past week with Mrs. Blackwell's sister and other relatives at Post.

### Japs Are 'Flash' Fighters, Said Hillburn

Japanese soldiers are "flash" fighters and when American forces are strengthened the Japs will fade.

That was one of the views on the war expressed Monday in the First Methodist church by Sam Hillburn, a graduate of old Clarendon college, who was driven out of Japan five months ago after 20 years as an instructor in an American college at Kobe.

Professor Hillburn, an interesting speaker, gave his listeners a vivid picture of modern conditions in Japan.

The speaker explained that Japan of years ago was an agricultural nation and that it was a peaceful nation. Then Japan turned from agriculture to manufacturing and that was when trouble started. The new Japan made cheap goods but didn't have a market for them. So it was decided to create a market by expanding.

He said that Japan didn't want war and hinted that America was responsible for the war by teaching the Japs American ways. He further declared that there were many Christians in Japan and that today they are fighting against the war. He said that Japanese Christians were more devout than American Christians. There is no noise, loud talking and laughing when Japanese Christians go to church. Each carries his Bible and hymn book and goes to his seat where he quietly worships.

Prof. Hillburn was chased out of Japan five months ago and was replaced by a German professor. When he left he and his family were allowed four potatoes and a small amount of rice at one time. The rice was 85 per cent sweepings from Indo-China granaries and 15 percent pure rice. The good rice was being exported, he said.

In mentioning that Japanese soldiers are "flash" fighters, the speaker said that in a TB test, only nine per cent of the 250,000 young men given the test were free of the disease. No army can stand up long under those conditions, he said.

Japan's birth rate over the death rate is 1,000,000 a year, the speaker said. He declared that the United States wouldn't take the overflow and that no other country would, so the Japanese nation had to expand.

### FSA Program Is Working Nicely

For the six-year period, ending December 31, 1941, collections by the Farm Security Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture in this region, were 87 percent of loan maturities.

The impressive record of the FSA's broad program of helpful service to low-income farm families, was made public by W. W. Raney, a member of the Donley County Advisory Committee, who with other local citizens works with this agency without pay in behalf of needy farm families.

Mr. Raney said he was making this phenomenal record public "in order that the true value of this agency's work might be generally known."

Getting closer home, the county committeeman cited figures showing the proportion of maturities repaid over a six-year period in Texas was 94 percent.

He mentioned the fact that all money now being loaned to the low-income farm families by the FSA is borrowed by this agency from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. As farmers repay their loans, the money is returned to the United States Treasury, thus this money does not come to the FSA by direct appropriations by the treasury.

"I mention this fact," he said, "because I fear that few tax payers realize that the Farm Security Administration is not a relief agency. Rather, it is a lending program, with low interest rates, for farmers who can not get help from any other source. Loans are made for a period of from one to five years."

Among the many methods helping needy farm families, the FSA has a program whereby groups of farmers receive the use of expensive farm machinery and breeding stock which they could not afford alone. At the present time 8,571 farmers are receiving benefits from 1,112 coop facilities and services in this region which were financed with funds borrowed from the FSA.

Mr. Raney said of the most far-reaching programs of self-help for low-income farm families is the Group Medical Care program sponsored in many counties in cooperation with local medical societies. Through this program the people are receiving adequate medical protection. There are 6,779 families in 39 counties in

this region receiving benefits from this phase of the FSA plan. In the Texas portion of Region 12 which embraces 47 counties there are 14 such medical groups with 1,911 families participating.

The Farm Security Administration's chief functions now, in the opinion of Mr. Raney, is to help farmers raise the vast amount of food needed to win the war.

"For FSA," he said, "this means concentrating on the continuing of aid to low-income farmers in every section of this country. These small farmers cannot benefit from high prices as can the big operators and it is a mistake to think they can contribute to winning the war unless they receive help in producing and marketing their products, while at the same time protecting the health of their families."

Mr. Raney said, in conclusion, that in his opinion the Farm Security Administration is the only branch of the Federal Government which has the machinery already set up to help the low-income and needy farm families to help themselves, and to provide these people a chance to enjoy some of the democracy which they are called upon to defend.

#### IN HOSPITAL

W. A. Massie was taken to Adair hospital Tuesday in a Buntin ambulance. He is suffering from some form of infection to the side of his face, it is said.

Mrs. Hugh Riley spent the past two weeks in Odessa with her daughters, Dorothea and Mrs. Jiggs Mosley and family.

### MEMORY LANE

(10 years ago in Donley county.) Old Tack was principal speaker at the start of the banquet Tuesday night. Henry Ansley, bard of the bread basket and wrangler on the Bar Nothin' ranch brought the house down repeatedly with his witticisms.

The car stolen from Carl Bennett around 6 a. m. was found three hours later in the lane near the C. H. Bugbee home out of gas.

Miss Rhoda Wiedman was elected president of the B&PW club Tuesday night.

Only 328 cars have been tagged with the new license to date, 155 short.

The Denver railway company mailed in a tax check for approximately \$22,000 to pay all taxes and thus help the school at once rather than pay a split tax.

Cora Lee Muse found her pet dog "Boots" through a classified in the Leader. The dog was at the W. M. Mace home at Lelia, who reported it.

Norman Daniel Hudson, revered citizen known to hundreds in Donley county, passed away at Adair hospital January 11th.

W. P. Nichols, father of Turner Nichols, and one of the county's most highly respected citizens died Monday.

R. H. Carver, who soldiered over a year in Siberia, spoke on that subject at the Lions Club Tuesday. Mr. Carver is a teacher in the public schools.

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### CLARENDON CHRONICLE

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(36 years ago in Donley county.) Cashier Patrick of the First National Bank had business in Claude Tuesday.

George Scarlitt, employed on the JA ranch for years, was killed at Lamar, Colo. Friday when his team ran away with a hay-rake. A prong of the rake entered his eye and came out through his skull.

Dr. Stocking reports a new boy at the John Chamberlain home born Monday.

Miss Kitty Jones is visiting relatives in Memphis.

Mrs. L. Starr Smith, mother of Mrs. F. E. Harrington died Sunday morning after a long illness from a cancerous condition.

Mrs. J. E. McAllister and son Fred are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Deal.

Gray county, organized in 1902, has the lowest tax rate in the state. It is 55 cents on the hundred. T. M. Wolfe, teacher of the Heald school informed us today.

Dr. T. W. Carroll was called to see Grandma Franks at Memphis Friday.

J. G. Love told us today that he had set aside 20 acres for a town-site at Turkey.

Homer Mulkey said he did a fine business photographing in Memphis Saturday.

Hall county has collected 489 poll taxes, while we have 382.

Advertisers: T. H. Allen, groceries; H. J. Rathjen, shoes; E. Dubbs & Sons, racket store; M. F. Lee, coal and feed; J. J. Woodard, lumber; Citizens' Bank; G. W. Washington, drayman; Priddy-Reeves, real estate; O'Neal hardware and implement company; W. J. Berry, barber; M. L. Vinson, meat market; Stockett & McCrae, livery stable; Clarendon College; McClellan & Crisp, real estate; G. N. Harris, dentist; A. M. Beville, insurance; Drs. Standifer & Caylor; Powell Trading company, drygoods; E. A. Taylor, blacksmith; E. Corbett, bootmaker; J. H. O'Neal, lawyer, Denver and Frisco, railway systems; W. P. Blake, notary public.

Henry Tatum is recovering nicely from an appendectomy in Adair hospital last Thursday. He is expected to be at home again most any day.

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GUM Wriggley's 3 for . . . . 10

GRAPEFRUIT Large size—3 for . . . . 10

SOAP med. Bar CW 6 for . . . 25c

TAMALES Casa Grande 15 oz. Can—2 for . . . . 25

MEAT CURE Figaro, 10 lb. can . . . . 75¢ 85

MILK Pet or Carnation 3 Tall or 6 Small . . . . 28

SNOWDRIFT 3 lb. Can . . . . 69

COFFEE, Break O' Morn lb. . . 22c

Tomatoes No. 2 Can. . . . 10c

FLOUR Carnation 24 lbs. . . . 92

SCOTT TISSUE 3 rolls . . . 25c