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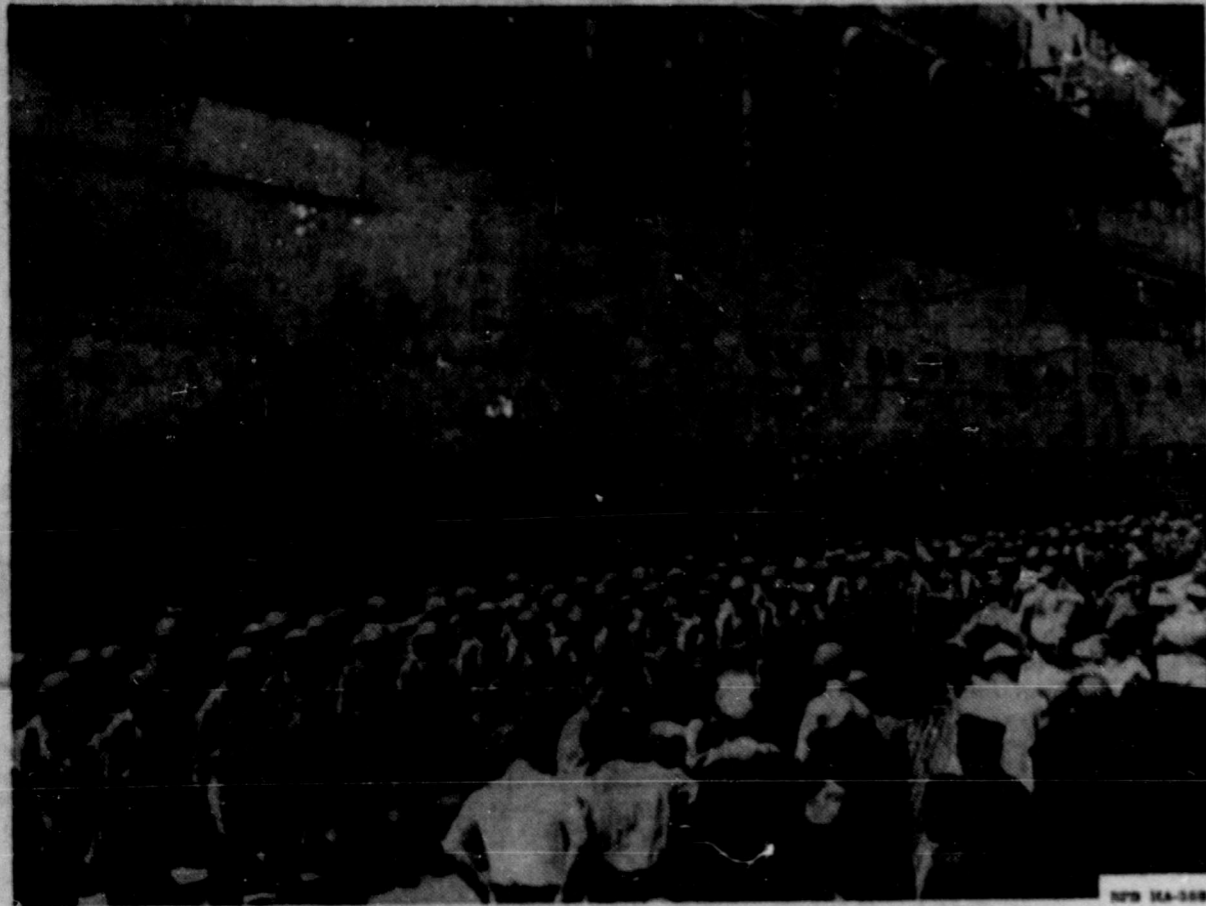
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A Common Paper for Common People

Wacs Assemble on Dock Upon Their Arrival for Duty in Naples, Italy



One of the largest groups of members of the Women's Army Corps to arrive in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations lines up in front of an Army transport before boarding Army trucks for transportation to new quarters. More Wacs are needed to fill 239 types of Army assignments.

ELEVEN MEN REPORT FOR INDUCTION AT OKLAHOMA CITY

Another group of Donley county men reported for induction into the armed service at Oklahoma City January 4th.

Two of the men reported for duty with the Navy. They were Allen Russell Hardin and Albert Johnson Jr.

The other nine reporting for Army service were Jesse Anerson Stiles, Conal Paulson Riley, Leo Paulk, James Charlie Parker, Johnny Melvin Vick, Oscar Lee Wilkinson Jr., Marva Lee Thomas Mays, James Haskell Swearingen and Marvin Charles Salmon.

Traffic Cops Of The Superforts

"Traffic Cops of the Superforts" might be the title of the control tower operators who control air traffic 24 hours a day at McCook Army Air Field, Nebraska.

In their multi-colored "pent house" overlooking the field's runways, the tower maintains close contact with field operations (flight clearing authority), Denver Airways Traffic Control Center, and aircraft both on the ground and in flight, besides numerous other communications contacts.

"A good tower operator," states friendly-voiced S/Sgt. Dayton Shelton, of Clarendon, Texas, one of the control tower operators, "is one who can do three things at once and also be on the alert for things like emergency landings."

Attending to the ability of the operators are the C.A.A. certificates held by every man in the crew. That will enable them to take similar civilian jobs upon their release from the army.

"At least 300,000 civilian airplanes in the U.S. will be flying within three years after the war, compared to 25,000 before the war," states a recent issue of Fortune magazine, thus assuring tower operators of a few post war jobs.

PURPLE HEART AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Wilson have received the Purple Heart which was awarded their son Staff Sergeant Max W. Wilson posthumously. Sgt. Wilson was killed in action last July 2nd in the European area.

A message from President Roosevelt reads in part as follows:

"He stands in the unbroken line of patriots who have dared to die that freedom might live, and grow and increase its blessings. Freedom lives, and through it, he lives—in a way that humbles the undertakings of most men."

WORTH WHILE COMMENTS

BY COUNTY AGENT

Charles O. Rees

HUNGER SIGNS IN CROPS

When plants do not grow well the trouble may be attributed to deficiencies of nitrogen, phosphorus or potassium in the soil. Other elements such as magnesium, iron, boron or calcium, may have comparable effects, but symptoms of their shortage are not as apparent as with the others, says Dr. Luther G. Jones, Dr. Jones, acting head of A&M's agronomy department, formerly was administrative assistant for the Tennessee Valley authority under the direction of the A&M College Extension Service.

Generally, Dr. Jones says, the limitation can be supplied by manures, chemical elements or fertilizers. But he believes that in each instance careful observation of the growing plant first is necessary to determine what elements are lacking. Under field conditions the most common deficiency probably is nitrogen. Its lack first becomes apparent in the decline of green color accompanied by a slowing down or stoppage of growth. Lack of water may have a similar effect but it is not pronounced in the early stages as is nitrogen starvation.

Insufficient root growth, failure to seed or flower properly, and inability of the bud leaves to retain a normal appearance usually are associated with lack of phosphorus. Other deficiency results include failure of a plant to develop the proper amount of protein, and with legumes the inability to produce the proper amount of nitrogen fixation in the nodules. As this condition is more difficult to determine by the usual observation methods, chemical aids are needed for detection.

It is difficult to describe definite symptoms of phosphorus deficiency in corn, Dr. Jones says, except in a retarded rate of growth, slow maturity and lack of root development, especially during the pollination stage. Deficiency in small grains is apparent in a tendency to lodge. They require large quantities for the production of seed and are dependent upon available phosphates for stooling properly.

Potassium deficiency is observed most often in the mottling of the lower leaves of tomatoes and other leafy plants. The characteristic mottling may be associated with the loss of green color and then is called chlorosis. A liberal supply of potassium enables the plant to withstand or ward off leaf spots caused by bacteria and permits the formation of a liberal amount of starch in small grains.

PFC. ODELL DAVIS WOUNDED IN BELGIUM ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Tullis Davis received word the first of the week from the War Department stating that their son Odell had been wounded in Belgium on December 25th.

Wednesday morning, they received a letter from Odell and he stated that he had been moved to a hospital in France and that he was doing OK. He stated that he was wounded in the face near the right eye. Odell was employed by Douglas & Goldston Drug Co. before entering the service.

PVT. WARREN HARDIN GRADUATED FROM ARMY AIR SCHOOL

Pvt. Warren Hardin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardin of near Clarendon, has completed training at Stockton Field, the Chanute Field, Ill. Army Air Forces Training Command.

While attending this Army Air Forces Training Command school he received instruction in the electronics course, and in various technical operations vital to the maintenance of the country's fighting planes.

PVT. JACK LAMBERSON WOUNDED IN LUXEMBOURG

Mr. and Mrs. Stock W. Lamberson received word from the War Department Sunday that their son, Pvt. Jack Lamberson, had been slightly wounded December 21st in Luxembourg. No other particulars have been received to date.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Phebe Ann Buntin

"Cancellation of outstanding shoe stamps is not being considered, the Office of Price Administration at Lubbock has announced. Although increased military demands are cutting into civilian supplies, the War Production Board—Office of Civilian Requirements—said that shoe supplies are adequate to honor stamps now outstanding.

While the War Production Board has not yet completed its estimates of 1945 production, OPA said indications are that the next shoe stamps probably will not be validated until sometime next summer. OPA said that no specific date for making the next stamp good can be given now. That decision awaits further information on production of 1945."

As the new year starts, the tire situation remains critical, with little passenger relief in sight. Supplies of all types of tires—from heavy truck and bus to civilian passenger car—are far short of demand, and there is every indication that this shortage will continue for some time. Instead of turning out more passenger car tires, factories are concentrating on more tires for jeeps, to meet stepped up war demands. The emergency is even more critical on heavy truck tires, and it may be necessary to cut civilian truck tire quotas still further the coming spring. It's up to every driver to recap, properly repair, and do his utmost in tire conservation.

HUSBAND OF LOCAL WOMAN REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION

Mrs. Gerald E. Ingle received word last week from the War Department informing her that her husband Pvt. Gerald E. Ingle was missing in action in France since December 2nd.

Pvt. Ingle has been in the service four years and overseas since last May. Mrs. Ingle will be remembered here as Jean Meaders. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meaders of San Gabriel, California and formerly of Donley county.

She is now making her home here with her grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Meaders and aunt, Miss Katie Meaders.

SIX DONLEY CO. MEN PASS PRE-INDUCTION PHYSICAL

The following Donley county men passed their Pre-induction physical examination at Oklahoma City January 3rd.

They are Lawrence Audrey Watson, Tick Drew Barbee, Herman Carlos Hill, Richard Riley Dingler, Jr., Joe Ralph Holland and Arlie Elmer Shawhart.

Single License Tag for 1945

The State Highway Commission Tuesday ordered a single motor vehicle license plate to be used in 1945 and required removal of all previous-year plates.

The single plate is to be on the rear of all vehicles but tractors which will have a front number.

Plates will be smaller, measuring approximately 10 by six inches. Motorcycles and sidecars will have a plate 3 3/4 by 7 1/2 inches. All plates will have black numerals and letters on a gold-colored background.

A new numbering system will be used. Under it but four numerals will be on any plate. Numbers will be preceded by two letters, one above the other. A control letter will be used each time 10,000 is reached, so 9999 will be highest numeral designation.

Presently, 1942 plates are being used on vehicles with attached smaller metal tags showing renewal of licenses for 1943 and 1944.

New license plates are required April 1st.

SUBSCRIBERS' NOTICE

For each subscriber that does not notify the Leader office of a change in address, the Post Office department sends us a notice which carries along with it a fine of two cents which all in all amounts to quite a sum each week with all the moving that has been taking place.

We are asking the subscriber who contemplates a change in address to please notify us ahead of time so we may avoid making mistakes as well as paying the fines.

You are also asked to keep a close watch on the expiration date on your paper and come in promptly and re-new when the time expires. The dating is listed to the right side of your name. If the figures show any dating behind 2-45 (February-45), your paper is in arrears, so please help us keep our mailing list in good standing by bringing in your renewal now.

FORMER CLARENDON YOUTH REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION

Word was received Tuesday that Bob Stark S 2-c, former Clarendon youth, was reported missing in the Southwest Pacific.

Bob is a son of Mrs. Clyde (Doc) Naylor of Portland Oregon and a grandson of Rev. E. B. Bowen, former Clarendon minister. He lived in Clarendon until he was 11 years old and then moved to Monahan, Texas. He finished high school in Jan., 1944 and joined the Navy. He went overseas September 20th.

Every Pay Day Buy War Bonds

Services Held For Mother of Local Men

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church at Goodnight Jan. 5th for Mrs. J. D. Williams with Rev. Vick Allen of Lubbock officiating.

Mrs. Williams passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Stice, at Amarillo January 4th. She lived here with a son, Davis Williams, until 2 years ago.

She is survived by six sons, C. T. Williams of Los Angeles, Andy Williams of Superior, Ariz.; Gid Williams of Clovis, N. M.; Gus Williams of Amarillo; Davis and C. J. Williams of Clarendon. One daughter, Mrs. B. F. Stice of Amarillo. Also 14 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were John White, Gobie Barker, J. E. West, John Hutson, Milton Davis and Robert Carter.

Burial was in Goodnight cemetery with Buntin Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

HUSBAND OF LOCAL WOMAN WOUNDED IN GERMANY

Mrs. Glenn Hoggatt received word last Thursday that her husband S/Sgt. Glenn Hoggatt had been wounded in Germany December 19th. She received letters this week from him, stating that he was now in a hospital in England and assured her that he was doing alright and said he enjoyed the plane ride in the hospital ship to England. He also stated that the doctors had taken 17 pieces of shrapnel from his left foot and several pieces from his left hand and one finger was broken.

Mrs. Hoggatt will be remembered as Miss Nellie Grady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Grady of this city. She is a teacher in the local school system.

CAPT. K. E. BROWN NOW FLIGHT TEST OFFICER

Capt. K. E. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brown of Clarendon, has arrived at the Grand Island Army Air Field, Nebraska, for duty as a flight test and engineering officer. Captain Brown is a graduate of the Texas University college of mines. Mrs. Brown and a daughter, Barbara Jean, are with him in Grand Island. He has been awarded the Air Medal with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters for service in the Southwest Pacific.

PVT. JAMES E. HOTT ADVANCED IN RANK

Pvt. James E. Hott of Clarendon, and a son of A. O. Hott, was promoted to the rank of Private First Class it was announced today at the Santa Rosa Army Air Field, Santa Rosa, Calif., a Fourth Air Force Installation.



U. S. AIRMEN BUILD THEIR OWN VILLAGE—At a 15th Air Force heavy bomber base in Italy ingenious GIs resolved to "winterize" against the cold, rain and mud that hampered life in their tents. Building blocks of tufa stone were obtained at a few cents apiece, transportation was available, salvage material was abundant and there was no man power shortage insofar as architects, builders and decorators were concerned. They went to work with a will during off-duty hours and this town is the result. The investment in their villas ran from \$30 for a one-room house to \$200 for a six-room affair.

Slap Ceiling On Live Beef

The government Wednesday slapped a flat price ceiling on live cattle.

The action, widely opposed by stockmen, carried with it a move to soothe opposition.

The original ceiling was set at \$18 a hundredweight instead of \$17.50 as originally proposed.

Announced by Stabilization Director Vinson, the measure becomes effective January 29th.

The new overall ceiling, covering calves as well as cattle, will be lowered to \$17.50 on July 2nd. Vinson also directed:

1. The Defense Supplies Corporation to increase subsidy payments on choice beef from \$1 to \$2 a hundredweight, and on good beef from \$1.45 to \$1.95 a hundredweight, Chicago basis. The subsidy payment on choice cattle will be cut by 50 cents July 2nd.

2. OPA and the War Food Administration to increase the price of the present stabilization range for choice cattle by \$1 and for good cattle by 50 cents a hundred pounds, live weight, over the stabilization range for choice cattle will be reduced by 50 cents a hundred pounds.

3. OPA and WFA to issue a regulation "making it an OPA violation for a slaughterer to pay more, on the average—grade and yield considered—than the maximum prices of the stabilization range for cattle purchased and slaughtered over a month's period. This provision does not include calves.

4. WFA to delegate authority to OPA to issue an order establishing the maximum percentage of good and choice cattle that any slaughterer may kill or deliver over a month's time.

"The purpose of the directive," the announcement said, "is to make it possible for OPA to secure more effective control of live cattle prices and continue to protect the consumer against any increase in the price of meat."

At the same time, the announcement added, any substantial reduction in live cattle prices "will be prevented."

Cattlemen here and throughout the West have told the government agencies many times that they believed a ceiling on live stock would decrease the meat supply.

Ration Reminder

SUGAR—Stamps No. 30, 31, 32, 33 and 40 in Book IV and all home-canning coupons and certificates are now invalid. Stamp No. 34 is good for five lbs. sugar.

MEATS and FATS—Book IV, red stamps Q5 through X5 are good for 10 points each.

PROCESSED FOODS — Book IV, blue stamps X5 through G2 are good for 10 points each.

SHOES—Book III, stamps one, two and three, with airplane pictures, each good for one pair indefinitely.

CLARENDON SOLDIER AWARDED BADGE

WITH THE 2ND INFANTRY DIVISION — Corporal James C. Looper, 26, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for superior performance of duty in combat on the front lines in France and Germany.

Cpl. Looper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Looper of Clarendon. He has been in the Service for four years.

GAME WARDEN WARNS QUAIL AND DUCK HUNTERS

Game Warden, A. C. Donnell, is jumping the gun on all hunters this week by issuing a warning that the Quail season would close on January 16 and Duck season would close on January 20th. The warning, in other words, is just a reminder that all hunters should get their dates straight and get their hunting over by the closing dates.

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NOTICE: Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 1 cent per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain the news value are not rated as obituaries.

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LIBRARY NOTES
By Mrs. C. A. Burton

The two books which head the best seller list are the two of which I spoke as being Memorial volumes in honor of the memory of Robert Powell. They are "The Green Years" by A. J. Cronin and "Green Dolphin Street" by Elizabeth Goudge, and have just arrived and been placed on our shelves.

salvage his own soul." It is described as a deeply moving novel, one which will keep the reader's emotions constantly in play. It is inspiring—to read it will be a richly rewarding experience.

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Building of Jalna" by Mazo De La Roche. In 1927 an unknown Canadian writer won the Atlantis \$10,000 prize with her novel, "Jalna".

Perhaps England's most popular novelist and a master story teller is J. B. Priestley. His "Daylight On Saturday" is the passionate, colorful and tremendously interesting story of England's little people upon whom this war depends so heavily.

Our readers never tire of stories about doctors and nurses, so two of our new books are nurse stories—"Community Nurse" by Lucy Agnes Hancock; "Ann Star—Nurse" by Adelaide Humphries. Then "Stranger—Husband" is another pleasing little romance about a nurse—all of these are escape reading in these trying times.

These, with the gift books which have continued to come in make quite an addition to our mid-winter reading lists. As every one agrees, we have been having "reading weather" lately.

L. C. Robinson Jr. and Vera Lusk of Panhandle were married Dec. 31, 1944 and Jan. 1, 1945 as the old year passed out and the new year came in. They were married at Amarillo and will make their home at Panhandle. Mr. Robinson is a former Clarendon resident.

Claude Darden has bought a home in Southeast Clarendon from Mrs. Essie Rush and will move his family as soon as the house is vacated.

Mrs. J. R. Porter who had an operation Friday at the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, is reported doing nicely.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK

AT CLARENDON, STATE OF TEXAS, at the close of business on the 30th day of December, 1944, published in the Donley County Leader, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 11th day of January, 1945, in accordance with a call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas pursuant to the provisions of the Banking Law of this State.

RESOURCES
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts—SCHEDULE I \$48,458.33
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 7,900.00
SCHEDULE II 705,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions 548.78
Bank premises owned 7,900.00
Furniture, fixtures and equipment 500.00
Other real estate owned 1.00
Cash on hand and due from approved reserve agents 711,471.85
Total Resources \$1,973,689.94

LIABILITIES
Capital stock \$50,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$14,000.00 not certified 4,500.00
Undivided profits 2,500.00
Reserve for Dividend 2,000.00
Due to banks and bankers not yet to check on demand \$3,087.54
Cashiers checks, dividend checks and certified checks outstanding 16,361.58
Demand individual deposits 1,461,102.45
Demand public funds, including postal savings and U. S. Government deposits 368,172.50
Time certificates of deposit 1,295.84
Total all deposits \$1,900,609.94
Total Liabilities \$1,973,689.94

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY, I, W. Carroll Knorr, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. CARROLL KNORR, Cashier. CORRECT-ATTEST: F. E. Chamberlain, Director; W. J. Lewis, Director; ROY L. CLAYTON, Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.

Your 1944 Income Tax

By J. A. WARREN, Income Tax Accountant, Clarendon, Texas (Series 4)

DEDUCTIBLE BUSINESS EXPENSES:

The above term means just what it says, expenses incurred in your business or trade, costs to you in the production of your income. This is generally misunderstood by many, in that they want to take off everything from the costs of the family wash to the purchase price of a new home, tractor or truck. No family expenses, as such, are deductible. Purchase prices of homes, tractors and the like are investments, not expenses, and are treated under the Depreciation rules. These misunderstandings are caused mainly by misinformation distributed on the streets and in the stores and shops by Income Tax Experts, and it causes no little worry to try to get the taxpayer right on these matters, since naturally, it generally costs him. We shall take up just a few here and try to explain them:

Repairs and Upkeep: This means ordinary repairs to your tenant properties or machinery. It does not mean a new room to your house or a new garage or fence. Just repairs to keep such items in order.

Insurance: This may be deducted if on tenant properties, crops, or say a truck that has to do with your income. Not life insurance nor that on the house you live in.

Medical-Dental: This is the most grossly misunderstood of all and is a nuisance to try to make the taxpayer understand. He has been told he can deduct all this, but this is not true, and has never been, except in rare cases. Here is the way this works: Say your Adjusted Gross Income for 1944, which is the Gross Income less Business Expenses, is \$2000.00. Your Medical-Dental bill is \$100. You may deduct only the amount of your Medical that exceeds 5% of your Adjusted Gross Income, which in this case would be \$100.00 (5% of \$2000.00) so this balances your Medical bill exactly, so the amount you could take off would be exactly nothing.

Remember, it is not what you think or have heard, but the law in fact that governs deductions, and unless this law is abided by, your report will probably be returned to you for correction.

Donley County Leader, \$2 a year. GOLDSTON Wilma Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Brock visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale Saturday night.

We are sorry to have Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring and family to move from this community.

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FORECAST FOR CAR-OWNERS

This Will Be The WORST WINTER Your Car Has Ever Faced!

IF ever a car needed and deserved extra care and extra attention, this winter is the time!

Cold-weather driving, always hard on any automobile, is doubly hard on older cars. And your car, and every car in the country, is an "older car."

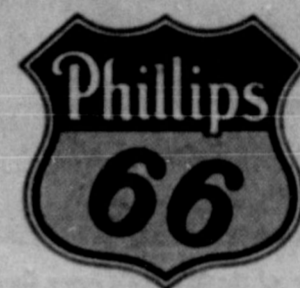
Yet it is more important than ever, not only as precious personal transportation, but as a vital part of the nation's transportation system. So whether your car is three years, seven years, or ten years old... keep it alive, keep it rolling, keep it delivering essential wartime service, regardless of age or weather.

To aid you in doing that, to make your car and your tires go farther and last longer, there is intelligent and expert help waiting at every Phillips 66 Service Station.

Phillips Car-Saving Service includes

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Phillips Tire-Saving Service includes checking air pressures... inspection for nail holes, cuts, and bruises... examination of the tire carcass to warn when re-capping is needed... crisscrossing with the spare every 3,000 miles.



CARE FOR YOUR CAR—FOR YOUR COUNTRY

Remember that this winter, even if milder than usual, is a most critical one for older cars. So don't wait for the weatherman to tell you when cold spells are coming. Do your part to prevent the threatened crisis in home-front transportation.

Drive in for Phillips Car-Saving and Tire-Saving Service wherever you see the Orange and Black 66 Shield... the sign of famous Phillips 66 Gasoline and Phillips 66 Motor Oil.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FARMERS STATE BANK of Clarendon, Texas, at the close of business December 30, 1944. ASSETS: Loans and discounts (including \$1,087.88 overdrafts) \$426,725.74; United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 192,800.00; Other bonds, notes, and debentures 20,000.00; Corporate stocks (including \$1,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) 1,750.00; Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection 441,285.75; Bank premises owned \$8,475.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00; Real estate owned other than bank premises 1.00; Other assets 977.80; TOTAL ASSETS \$1,092,119.31. LIABILITIES: Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$354,261.00; Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 74,161.44; Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) 39,439.24; Deposits of States and political subdivisions 21,356.79; Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.) 15,514.80; TOTAL DEPOSITS \$1,027,313.27; Other liabilities 64,806.04; TOTAL LIABILITIES (no including subordinated obligations shown below) \$1,092,119.31. CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: Capital \$50,000.00; Surplus 4,450.00; Undivided profits 6,318.34; TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 60,768.34; TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$1,092,119.31.

*This bank's capital consists of: First preferred stock with total par value of \$ none, total retrievable value of \$ none. Second preferred stock with total par value of \$ none, total retrievable value of \$ none. Capital notes and debentures \$ none. Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.

MEMORANDA: Fledged assets (and securities based) (book value): (a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities \$100,000.00; (b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) 10,000.00; TOTAL \$110,000.00. Secured and preferred liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 49,005.21; (b) Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets 436.03; TOTAL \$49,441.24.

I, Van Kennedy, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. VAN KENNEDY, Cashier.

CORRECT-ATTEST: J. W. MORRISON, J. H. HURN, J. D. SWIFT, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Donley, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 1945. ANNA MOORES, Notary Public. (SEAL)

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CLARENDON IN THE STATE OF TEXAS. At the Close of Business on December 30, 1944. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes. ASSETS: Loans and discounts (including \$1967.14 overdrafts) \$117,976.88; United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 494,132.88; Obligations of States and political subdivisions 145.70; Other bonds, notes, and debentures 4,600.00; Corporate stocks (including \$2550.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) 2,550.00; Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection 384,261.94; Bank premises owned \$4653.95, furniture and fixtures \$431.25 5,085.20; TOTAL ASSETS \$1,012,755.43. LIABILITIES: Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$715,440.40; Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 7,136.65; Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) 170,459.86; Deposits of States and political subdivisions 34,508.17; Deposits of banks 40,106.13; Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) 5,165.02; TOTAL DEPOSITS \$912,741.13. TOTAL LIABILITIES \$912,741.13. CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: (c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00 \$50,000.00; Surplus 24,196.00; Undivided profits 12,614.72; Reserve (and retirement account for preferred stock) 3,000.00; TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 89,810.72; TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$1,012,755.43. MEMORANDA: Fledged assets (and securities based) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities \$136,400.00; TOTAL \$136,400.00. Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 122,469.50; TOTAL \$122,469.50. State of Texas, County of Donley, ss: I, W. W. Taylor, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier. CORRECT-ATTEST: W. H. PATRICK, I. PATRICK, OGDON CARAWAY, Directors. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1945. J. T. PATMAN, Notary Public. (SEAL)

THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH
By the Apostle

For a number of years the folks down at Hoglaw thought the community chest idea was a Mae West picture.

Then there was the gal who did the "Dance of the Seven Veils" and was arrested for no gauze at all.

Occasionally you run across an open mind that should be closed for repairs.

An Indian squaw danced the rumba for a buck. He wanted to be her beau as soon as he saw her quiver.

In the good old days when she was down to zero, the old boy woke up and threw some wood on his coals in the fireplace. Now he rushes out to see if his car will start.

With the large amount of carrier pigeons being used in this war, may we suggest that they be crossed with parrots so that they could land, hit some body up for a bit to eat, inquire where they had landed and beat it for the home plate without any doubt.

POSSUM FLATS... GOOD NEWS ON THE PARTY LINE



MIDWAY
Mrs. John Goldston

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Easterling. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevenson and daughter, Jaunelle, visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Higgins in the Martin community, and with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman of Houston, who were visiting in the Higgins home. Mr. Ed Moorings is reported ill this week. Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain

and daughter, Evelyn Louise, attended the Eastern Star banquet Friday evening in Clarendon. Mrs. Walter Clifford and boys visited with Mrs. Woods in the John Naylor home Saturday. Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Clifford visited with Mrs. Will Chamberlain Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland have a baby boy which was born January 3rd. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chamberlain of Claude spent the weekend with his mother. Mrs. Chamberlain remained over Monday. Mrs. Dan Keller and son and Mrs. John Goldston visited with

Mrs. Gene Chamberlain in Memphis Wednesday. J. C. Longan was down from Pampa Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andis visited in the Longan home this past Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cox and daughters of Clarendon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain and children were dinner guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Rhode, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John F. Harlen of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday.

LELIA LAKE

Mrs. Adrian McIlroy and baby of Hale Center visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McIlroy last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tanner of California arrived Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace of Farwell left Sunday after visiting with relatives here. They were accompanied home by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons and son Jack of the Army. Mrs. Oscar Roberts and Wanda returned to their home in Amarillo after a short visit with friends and relatives here. Mrs. Billy Howard of Dumas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howard last week. Miss Freddie Sue Musgrove spent the weekend at Carey with her parents. Mrs. D. E. Leathers returned Thursday from Nashville, Tenn., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Naylor and family moved to Clarendon Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Rattan of Goldston are moving to the farm formerly occupied by the Naylor. Mrs. David Hudgins and sons of Lesley spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten. Mrs. Watkins of Ashtola left Saturday after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. J. E. White. H. K. Leathers is quite ill in a hospital in Clarendon.

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Lawlas Robinson of Amarillo visited his sister, Mrs. R. C. Hill the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. James L. Smith moved to Anton, Texas Thursday where they will make their home.
Frank Bourland is confined to his room this week due to illness.

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FRANKS Pound 25c	TOMATO SOUP Campbells—3 Cans 29c	
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BIRTHDAY BUFFET SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Rundell gave a lovely Buffet supper Thursday evening at 7 o'clock honoring Dr. B. L. Jenkins and Marilyn Bartlett whose birthdays are January 4th. Both parties received lovely gifts.

After partaking of a bounteous meal, games were enjoyed.

Those enjoying this occasion were Lt. James Bartlett and wife Vickie of Alexandria, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bartlett and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lowe and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. John Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buntin, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Kemp, Mrs. Homer Mulkey and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Rundell.

MOTHERS STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Dale Hill entertained members of this club in her home Tuesday afternoon. After a short business session, Mrs. Everett Johnson and Mrs. Durwood Jones presented interesting reviews followed by round table discussions.

During the social hour refreshments were served to Mesdames Durwood Jones, Everett Johnson, Bill Weatherly, Walter Clifford, Dalton Swinney, Ray Carter, G. W. Estlack, Geo. Darden, R. Y. King and the hostess, Mrs. Dale Hill.

Pfc. Frankie McClenny came home from the Amarillo hospital on January 6th feeling fine.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The Friendship Club met with Mrs. J. L. Allison on the 8th of January with 9 members present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. C. E. Lindsey, vice-president Mrs. J. D. Stocking, presided. The meeting was opened with the Lord's prayer. Mrs. Ballew read the scripture lesson.

The Club was reorganized and the following officers elected: Mrs. Lindsey re-elected president; vice-president, Mrs. Stocking, re-elected; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Pool; Reporter, Mrs. Ballew re-elected. The time of meeting was changed to the 2nd and 4th Mondays. The next meeting will be January 22nd at the home of Mrs. L. Ballew.

The hostess, Mrs. Allison, served a lovely refreshment plate to Mesdames Stocking, Teal, Pool, Van Eaton, R. O. Thomas, Tyree, Morrison, Ballew.

KAPPA KAPPA SORORITY

The regular meeting of the Kappa Kappa Sorority was held in the home of Alma Jo Mosely Wednesday afternoon. The story of the life of Elizabeth Barrett Browning was given in an interesting manner by Beverly Stricklin. Melba Ruth Grady read several sonnets. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess, Alma Jo Mosely, assisted by Ruth Patman.

—On Pay Day, Buy Bonds—

JOINT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Glenn E. Allen and Mrs. Ed Mosely entertained for Jo Ann Allen and Margaret Mosely with a joint birthday party at the home of Mrs. Allen Tuesday, January 9th.

Various games were played. Two pink and white birthday cakes were lighted on the dining table cover with a lace cloth.

Chocolate and cake were served to the following: Joan Cox, Nell Bentley, Shirley Brumley, Fanchon Allred, Jo Ann Ritter, Doris Louise Smith, Doris Knorpp, Alice McCrary, June Star Allred, Ira Jean Estlack, June Mayberry, Dorothy Ann Castleberry, Marsha Jane Allen, Millard Word, Rodney Youree, Billy Carl Pittman, Billy Bob Adams, Guy Alden Wright, Jack Trussell, Monty Smith, Jimmy Dick Lowery, Fred Molesworth, Guy Lynn Tatum, John Wesley Crawford, Jack Cox, Wesley Farr, Rockne D. Shazo, Jo Ann Allen, Margaret Mosely, Alma Jo Mosely, Mrs. Dick Allen, Mrs. W. C. Larimer, Mrs. Ed Mosely, Mrs. Glenn E. Allen.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

Mrs. Ed Dishman entertained the Auxiliary in her home Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Heckle Stark presiding. Mrs. Millard Word presented the program "Ourselves Ambassador."

Mrs. Dishman served lovely refreshments to guests, Miss May Dishman and members Mesdames Geo. Green, Harry Ruddell, Howard Stewart, McClure, Heckle Stark, Millard Word, J. H. Howze, D. F. Wadsworth, R. A. Chamberlain, A. L. Chase, Homer Glasco, Kendall, Fred Chamberlain and the hostess, Mrs. Dishman.

WIN ONE CLASS

The Win One Class of the Methodist Church met in a business and social meeting Monday in the home of Mrs. R. Y. King.

Mrs. Rayburn Smith gave a very inspiring devotional and read a very impressive prayer from a West Point Military book. Mrs. John Goldston, the outgoing president, had charge of the meeting.

New officials were not installed on account of some working and could not attend. The treasurer's report gave for the year's work: \$300 in the bank; \$500 given in bonds to match \$500 given by Dr. B. L. Jenkins for a \$1,000 War Bond to be given to the Memorial Funds of the Orphan Home of the Methodist Church at Dallas.

Dr. Jenkins gave the \$500 in memory of Mrs. Jenkins, who was a leading member of this class, provided the class would raise the other \$500.

This class also sponsored the painting of the church on the inside and have made arrangements for the painting of the outside when conditions permit.

They paid for one set of the new doors and sponsored the putting up of all three sets of doors. In addition to these projects, the Win One Class pays all the expenses of a little girl in the orphan home. Having kept the present one four years, this child makes the third to be educated and cared for by this class.

Mrs. J. T. Patman has been the brilliant teacher of this class for several years.

Mrs. John Goldston was given a rising vote of thanks in appreciation of her work in the class during the year.

The hostesses of the meeting were Mrs. King and her daughters who served delicious refreshments to guests: Mesdames Johnston Jr., Johnston, Connally, Hanks, Goldston, Mayes, Rhodes, Taylor, McDonald, Van Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Otto and daughters and grandson of Portales, N. M. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McClenny over the week end.

Ray Rumpy S 1/c is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rumpy. Ray is stationed at a submarine base in New London, Conn.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

To honor Allen Homer Estlack on his seventh birthday, a party was given Monday the 8th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Estlack.

A series of games preceded the presentation of a handsome collection of gifts. During the late afternoon refreshments were served to Wes Knorpp, Ben Naylor, Robert Hill, Frank White III, Stewart Dean Smith, Ruth and Rebecca King, Judy Jane Land, Patsy and Barbara Estlack, Nancy La Grone, Jackie Estlack, Lora Jean Horten, Loretta Mooney, Ira Jean Estlack and honoree, Allen Homer Estlack, and Miss Mary Howren and Mrs. J. C. Estlack.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. Guy Ament, Pastor

The annual roll call is set for the third Sunday in January, 1945 which is January 21. We are hopeful that every one in reach of Clarendon will be with us for the day. We will have the regular services in the morning. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching and Communion at 11 a. m. Dinner in the basement at 12 noon. Everyone bring your basket and be prepared to stay for the day. We trust the friends will get in touch with those away and insist that they be with us for the happy occasion. The official Board will be in charge. Your only ticket for admission is basket well filled.

L. F. Bones who has been in the Clinical Adair Hospital was able to be moved home Wednesday.

Mrs. Shackelford, mother of Mrs. Homer Bones, is in the Clinical Adair Hospital for medical treatment.

Billy Lee Mears, who is in the Navy and stationed in California is home on a furlough.

Betty Ann Craft left Tuesday for Shreveport, La. to visit her sister, Mrs. Dan G. Smith.

Mrs. Gledon D. Merchant of San Antonio is a guest of Mrs. Harry Blair this week.

Major Elery Watson and Mrs. Bess Gray Stricklin transacted business in McLean Saturday.

Church News

With The 36th Texas Division

WITH THE SEVENTH ARMY IN FRANCE—The 36th "Texas" Division has turned in quite a combat record since being in France and ample proof of their capabilities is revealed in a recent compilation of prisoner of war figures.

Included among the 17,000 prisoners taken by the division have been Major General Neuling, Commander of the LXII Reserve Corps, with his entire staff, and Brigadier General Richter, Commanding General of the 199th Infantry Division.

The Texas Division, has processed through its cages and clearing stations soldiers from 10 German infantry divisions, one armored division, and a multitude of diversified military and semi-military units.

Prisoners have varied in age from sixteen to fifty-six, in nationality from German to Yugoslav to Central Asiatic. Not all of the prisoners were German soldiers. Scores of marines, sailors and even flight personnel were taken. Aside from making heavy inroads into the infantry strength of the Wehrmacht, troops of the 36th have captured men from twenty-seven different anti-aircraft battalions; Luftwaffe ground units; ration depots and even bakery, butchery and sanitary companies. Also processed through the division cages were

cadets from the Lyon Air Signal school, the Biarritz Anti-Aircraft School, and several divisional battle schools. Members of the Nantes Harbor Police Force, the Marseilles Gestapo, the Spanish Border Guard and the Toulouse Industrial Inspection Corps were represented among the captured groups.

Many of the prisoners were unable to identify any unit to which they belonged other than a squad or platoon.

Along with these prisoners came a tremendous quantity of documents. One document, a divisional order, outlined the German plan of attack which was to take place the day preceding the 36th Division's final destruction of the Montelimar pocket, in which the remnants of the German 19th Army rearguard were trapped. Hundreds of maps, sketches, overlays, strength reports and similar lists fell into the hands of the 36th, enabling them to gain a detailed picture of enemy strength, dispositions and equipment.

As the Texans passed over the crest of the Vosages Mountains, the prisoner count from the Riviera to Alsace soared over the 17,000 mark. The 143rd Infantry Regiment alone processed more than 5,000 prisoners. The high points for a single day was 1,530, the number taken on August 30.

Misses Irene and Bettie Rhodes left Tuesday for Belen, New Mexico to visit their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Riley.

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MILK Borden Tall Can—3 for	29c	WASHO Package	21c
CAKE FLOUR Swansdown—Pkg.	30c	SALAD DRESSING Bestyett—Quart	37c
GINGER BREAD MIX Package	22c	KARO White—5 lb. Jar	45c
POP CORN Pound	20c	PORK & BEANS White Swan—Can	9c

SPUDS WHITE 10 LB. Mesh Bags	45c	FLOUR Gold Medal—25 lb. Sack	\$1 29
Cauliflower Snow White Heads POUND	17 1/2 c	LARD Pure Hog. home rendered—Pound	20c
Grapefruit Large Size EACH	5c	SUGAR, no stamp Pure Dextrose—3 lbs. for	25c

QUALITY MEATS

SAUSAGE Pure Pork—Pound	35c
STEAK Family Style—Pound	29c
LAMB CHOPS Pound	39c

SALT MORTONS Round Pkgs 2 FOR	15c
EGGS DOZEN Fresh Country	35c

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Classified Advertisements

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — Furnished apartment. Close in. Mrs. A. H. Baker. (47-p)

FOR SALE

ROUP REMEDIES for chickens for sale at — Stocking's Drug Store (46-p)

FOR SALE—5 room house; lights water and gas; 100 ft. front by 140. Two blocks off highway in east side of town. See J. A. Howard, owner. (47-p)

Pep up egg and milk production by feeding Dr. LeGears Cow and Poultry Prescription. for sale at Stocking's Drug Store (46-p)

FOR SALE—Electric Easy Washing machine with spin dryer, in good working condition. To be seen at West Texas Utilities. For sale by Mrs. Gordon Bain. (46-p)

O. K. Rubber Welders have a new shipment of 3rd grade tires for all size passenger cars and some sizes for trucks. No certificate necessary. (1-p)

FOR SALE—320 acre farm and grass land, improved. Would consider small house in trade. Immediate possession. See me at once. Mrs. Essie Rush at Mrs. A. H. Baker. (46-p)

FOR SALE — Buff Orpington Roosters. W. M. Pickering. (47-p)

WATER GLASS at Stocking's Drug Store (46-p)

FOR SALE—1940 Model R M-M Tractor. Oversize tires, starter, lights, complete two-row equipment. Made only 2 crops. See J. R. Gillham or Roy Alexander. (43tf)

FOR TRADE — Will sacrifice for cash or trade best equipped Custom Mill and feed business in Donley County. Two electric motors, have own power plant, doing good business. Reason for selling - - health and other interests. See or write Rosco Land Hedley, Texas. (47-p)

CALF SCOURS—Do not let your calves die from scours. Vaccinate them with GLOBE white scour vaccine. For sale at Stocking's Drug Store (45-p)

AUTO GLASS—Prepare for winter now. Auto Safety glass for any make car. No delay. Cut and polished while you wait. "You Always Save at" THE PAINT STORE Hudson & Taylor's Phone 82-M (38tf)

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FOR SALE — 8-pc. Dining Room Suite. Mrs. B. G. Watson. Phone 377-J. (47-p)

FOR SALE — M-M "J" Tractor, good tires, all equipment, \$850. See J. A. Stewart, Clarendon, Texas, Naylor Rt. (47-p)

FOR SALE — Shingles for kindling. One block west and five south of Methodist Church. (47-2c)

FOR SALE — Superflex Ice box, kerosene burner, large size, in good shape. See H. H. Hunt next door to Stallings home-place. (30-p)

FOR SALE — The Quaker Oats Co. full of Pep Feeds. Stanton's Feeds. Donley County Consumers. (47-p)

CHOCOLATE CANDY — Large shipment of Elmer's Choice Chocolates packed for overseas shipment and for consumption at home received today at Stocking's Drug Store (47-p)

FOR SALE — F-12 IHC Farmall with equipment in good condition, good rubber, priced right. See Dave Williams, 1st house south of cemetery on Brice highway. (47tf)

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LOST and FOUND LOST—Pair of reading glasses with gold frames and celluloid on handles. Finder please return to Ernest Taylor. (46-p)

LOST—Hub-cap for Studebaker Champion automobile. Finder call 48-R or return to Leader office. (48-p)

LOST—Buick hub cap. Generous Reward. Mrs. C. G. Stricklin. (47-c)

LOST—24" Bit extension between Ed Wheeler place and Ashstola. C. N. Munn, Goodnight, Texas. (47-p)

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holman of Dalhart are visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams. They will be here several days. Mr. Holman is on his way to good fishing grounds.

Mrs. Harry Blair and daughter Delene and Mrs. D. Merchant visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Park Mitcham at Childress Wednesday. Delene remained for a longer visit.

Johnnie L. Beard has been promoted to Ship Cook 3/c. He is somewhere in the Aleutian Islands.

A. N. Wood of Los Angeles, California and former merchant here, is back for an extended visit.

Miss May Dishman of Mexico, Missouri is visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman, Mrs. McClure and Mrs. Kendall.

Van Brawley and Homer Hardin took Pvt. Ted Tomlinson to Ft. Sill, Okla. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Summers and children of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McClenny over the week end.

Mrs. Charles F. White of Little-rock, Ark. is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McClenny.

Mrs. J. W. Sullivan and children visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McClenny Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blocker were called Saturday to Mineral Wells to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. S. T. Sayre who is critically ill.

Lt. James Bartlett and wife returned to Alexandria, La. Sunday after a short visit with home-folks.

Mrs. Alvin Hicks left Monday for her home at Allen, Texas. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon and a sister, Mrs. Johnny Hopkins and children, Johnny and Clea.

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CORRIDOR COMMENTS

What teacher upset a very important experiment in physics just this last week?
We noticed the girls were lonesome while the boys were away.
What ten or twelve girls were blocking main street Sunday night. Looks bad for lonesome Ballew.
Why is Ada Sue so friendly toward her rival from Lelia Lake?
Mr. Jarrett David, you must be blind as a bat not to notice, that Nelda Lee Harrison is crazy about you. "Wake up and live, boy!"
Looks as if Kat's "mystery" has been solved!! Carroll's the lucky fellow.
We are very glad to have our new band director, Mr. Stanley,

here with us and we hope he stays a long time.
Charles, what happened? Looks like your technique isn't so good after all, and Mary Ann went for another guy.
Betty Jean is wearing the Postman out. She gets one of those "things from that certain guy every day. Good work!!
Seems as though Dot is getting the rush from that certain dark headed guy.
Every branch of the service was represented Tuesday!! Basil Smith from the Navy, Beverly Ray from the Army, and L. B. Hartzog from the Marines.
Speaking of the Navy, who was that cute Sailor roaming the halls Thursday morning? He seemed to be acquainted with Coach. Oh Boy!!
We hear that Mr. Stanley has a darling daughter and his son isn't bad either!!
What was Barbara so mad about Thursday morning? Could it have been the morning after the night before?
We wonder why Bert Smith is going with a certain Sophomore girl? We could tell you more.
What happened to Lou and Doug last Sunday. Fuss, Maybe?
What certain out-of-town, red-headed boy was Nita with Sunday? Fun, eh!!
What's this we hear about Jim-

Lie Dean thinking about another girl? Watch out Melba!!
What was the little sign hanging on Mrs. Hess' door? Could it have been a "no visitors" sign turned around?
What bunch of girls went New Year's Eve Carrolling? We wonder if they are afraid of fire-crackers.
What was it that Billy Jean Knox got for Christmas? A ring, maybe?
Well, well we wonder what the football boys did New Year's day?
What is this business concerning Sam Lowry and Louise Underdown?
We understand Bert Barns had quite a time seeing the New Year in.

WHAT DID YOU THINK OF DALLAS AND THE GAME?

Coach Naylor: Dallas was so crowded that when I drove up beside a street car, I actually had to let down the car windows to let the passengers get out of the street car.
Gene Harrison: The game was pretty one-sided, and Dallas was too crowded for me.
H. R. Cowan: I didn't think much of the game, but Dallas was alright.
W. S. Carille: T.C.U. was definitely out classed, and Oklahoma had a great team. Dallas is OK, but I like Fort Worth much better.
Sidney Harp: Lots of pretty girls in Dallas, but the game was a little one-sided.
Junior Mann: The game could have been better, and Dallas—well, wouldn't you like to know?
Charlie Sullivan: The game was good, but Dallas is too large for me.
Jiggs Mann: The game was good, but a little one-sided. In Dallas there's one on every corner.
Curtis Thompson: The game, Dallas, and the trip were all fine.
Joe Tom Lovell: It was a good game, but there was too much traffic in Dallas.
Paul Semrad: The game was fairly good, and Dallas was smoky.
Billy Roy Blackman: The game was best yet, and Dallas was wonderful, and I do mean wonderful.
Raymond Adams: The game

THE C.H.S. BAND

The Clarendon High School Band, under the direction of Mr. J. G. Stanley, has set its goal for the coming year.
The first aim is to reorganize the band parents. This organization is very important for the advancement of the band.
The band will drill a lot on marching as well as on concert playing. The football games of the next season will be pepped up by a marching exhibit of the band at the half.
In the band there is a feeling of loyalty on the part of all the members. The morale is to be kept high by a few social activities. These activities will be enjoyed by the Jr. High Band as well as the High School Band.

JR. HIGH

Peggy Wright was absent Monday and Tuesday.
Millard Word lost and found his glasses.
"We are looking forward to next week when we have exams," say the seventh grade.
Ray David, Wayne Hall, and Edwin Thomas are ill.

was OK. Dallas is fine, but I like Fort Worth much better.
Charles Davis: The football game was uneven, and Dallas has too many street cars.
Robert Naylor: The game was fine, but Dallas needs to straighten their streets then maybe I could find my way around. Dallas doesn't need to remove, however, what was walking on the streets.
Donald Beard: The game was OK, but darn that hitch-hiking. My neck is sore from looking at the tall buildings.
Pete Bromley: It was the wildest race track I ever went to.
Tom Goodner: The game was pretty good, Dallas is OK, but Fort Worth is better.
Bob Bentley: While I was awake the game was very interesting. There is not Angels in Dallas.

SOUTH WARD

Mrs. Mears' room won the dollar at P.T.A. last Thursday.
Mrs. Headrick has three new pupils, Genella Mooring, Katherine Hood, and Doris Hudson.
Miss McGowan will be back next Monday.
Mrs. Prewitt's room is enjoying a new pupil, Jimmie Martin from California.
Mrs. Tollans room has a new pupil from Goldston, Arlis Mooring.
The fifth grade is modeling clay.
Miss Stevens' room has a new pupil, James Noaleman.

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MARTIN

Mrs. Jack Eddings
Martin community extends its deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patterson in the death of his father, Mr. D. M. Patterson who was a long time resident of this community, and was loved by everyone in his faithful service in the church and community. Mr. Patterson lived at El Paso at the time of his death.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Easterling and girls, Mrs. J. H. Easterling and Mrs. Roy Morrow spent the week end at Friona with Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Jordan.
T/Sgt. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman from Ellington Field (Houston) are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Pittman and other relatives here this week.
Rev. Bob Cooksey and wife from down Lelia Lake way spent Wednesday in the W. L. Jordan home.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Crofford and Margie spent Sunday in the Earl Hodnett home.
T/Sgt. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddings and

Joyce took dinner in the W. D. Higgins home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pittman, Mrs. Lou Jordan and baby and Mrs. W. L. Jordan called in the afternoon.

A letter the past week from Pvt. F. G. Crofford, saying he had landed safely in England.
Dorothy Terry spent Sunday with Joveda Roberts.
Miss Glenda Davis from Amarillo spent the week end with her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Allen spent Sunday in Amarillo.

Pvt. George Harold McKee and wife of Camp Walters, Texas spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKee. Pvt. McKee is being sent to a camp in Maryland.

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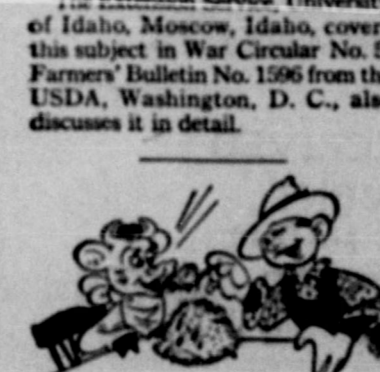


It's pretty hard concentrating on a job of mowing just after you've stirred up a nest of bumblebees. Likewise, a cow has a hard time concentrating on her job of producing milk while pestered by heel flies.

Heel flies bother cows in the summer, but you can do a big part of the job of controlling them now. In the summer, flies lay eggs on the cow's hair. These hatch into maggots which form grubs under the skin. The grubs hatch into flies in the spring.
Whether you know the heel fly by that name or some other, and whether you call them grubs, warbles, "woles" or what, they are the same pest.
By destroying grubs in January or February, you cut down the fly population next year. Treatment generally recommended is to apply to the backs of cattle with a stiff brush, a wash consisting of 12 ounces of derris powder and two ounces of soap flakes in a gallon of water.

Hand dusting is another simple way to do the job. Use a tin can with ten to 15 holes punched in the bottom. Thoroughly mix a pound of ground rotenone-bearing root with a pound of wettable sulphur. Sprinkle the mix over the animal's back and rub it in gently with your hand.

The Extension Service, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, covers this subject in War Circular No. 5, Farmers' Bulletin No. 1596 from the USDA, Washington, D. C., also discusses it in detail.



The very first point of the 1945 Eight Point dairy program is "Grow an abundance of high quality roughage." Roughage is just about the most important part of a cow's diet and the higher the quality, the less cost to the owner. With high quality roughage, less grain supplement is needed.
This is quite a few weeks ahead of plowing time, but there is no better time to my mind to get down to definite plans on your roughage program.

First of all you need to figure how much roughage you'll want—how many tons of silage and hay. That is determined by the number and breed of cows in your herd. Dairy experts say that cows should have between 20 and 35 pounds of silage daily plus 10 to 15 pounds of good hay.

Alfalfa wins all roughage popularity contests hands down and I hope you are planning on an ample supply. An acre per cow is a pretty good way to figure. Alfalfa is highest in protein and grows well in nearly every region.

If you use clover, timothy, lespedeza or some other hay crop, you'll have to plant a greater acreage than if you use alfalfa. Illinois figures 600 lbs. of digestible protein per acre of alfalfa, 180 per acre of lespedeza and 240 per acre of red clover, so you see how much more actual food there is in alfalfa.

Circular 502 from the Extension Service, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill., has a table showing the feed value of hay crops per acre, and I suggest you write for a copy.



Right here in the middle of winter is the best time I know of, also, to take a look at last year's pasture and figure out how to make it a better pasture in 1945.

A friend of mine down Mississippi way says a pasture is a place where a cow can fill her stomach in an hour or two and can spend the next few hours taking a nap. When she does this, she's working for you. If she has to eat all day long just to keep alive, she is not on a real pasture.

What most permanent pastures need is a proper mixture of different grasses, plus lime and fertilizer. You can do yourself, your cows and the national milk program a lot of good by deciding now on the right mixture, ordering seed and getting set to grow the kind of pasture which will bring you greatest return.

You'll find recommendations for pastures for various types of soils and suggestions for alternate pastures in Circular 193, issued by the Extension Service, University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.* It suggests spring sowing of bluegrass and redtop, to take care of scanty growth. Lespedeza and white clover also may be used.

*NOTE: There usually is a 3c charge for pamphlets mailed to non-residents of a state, but possibly your own state has a free pamphlet on the same subject. Ask your county agent.

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Ralph Randel of Panhandle visited with his father D. F. Randel Sunday.

Mrs. Millard Word will entertain the members of the young peoples S. S. class Friday night January 12 with a social beginning at 7:30. All members are urged to be present and visitors are welcome.

Pvt. Ted Tomlinson of Ft. Sill, Okla. was home Sunday on a week end pass.

E. C. Dewey of the U. S. Navy and Mrs. Dewey of Sherman are guests in the E. C. Dewey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Briggs of Martin have moved to the farm where L. P. White formerly lived.

Mrs. Thomas of Wellington visited Mrs. Dollie White Friday.

Mrs. A. L. Wallace, Tom Gillespie, Gertrude Calcote, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Slater were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Atkins Mace of Clarendon Sunday.

Joe and Jim Lovell attended the basketball tournament at Claude Thursday and Friday.

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Cook of Phillips visited in the W. A. Poovey home Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Wilson underwent an operation at the Clarendon Clinic Thursday.

Ruth Nelson of this community and Pvt. John Just of Amarillo Army Air Field were married Monday, Jan. 1st by the Army Chaplain. Ruth is employed in Amarillo.

Those who attended the funeral of Grandmother Williams Friday from this community were Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mr. and Mrs. Goble Barker, Mrs. Mary Allen and Mrs. Ben Lovell.

Homer Hardin had business in Lawton, Okla. Sunday, returning home Monday.

Pvt. Herschel Brison of the U. S. Army is home on furlough.

Kathleen Brinson left Monday for Amarillo where she is taking a course in beauty culture.

Jimmie Garland was slightly wounded Thursday when a shot from an air gun, his younger brother was playing with, struck him in the head just about the eye. He was rushed to a physician who reported no serious damage was done.

Pvt. A. J. Self and family of Ft. Benning, Ga., are here visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Anderson. He will return to camp the 15th and she will remain for a longer visit.

Misses Iva and Ertle Davis spent the week end with their sister at Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blair and daughter Biffie and son Harry Jr. and Arlene Dozier were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

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Another Christmas has come and gone—and by this time, dad has probably grown weary of playing with the toys and turned them back to the kids. Most Texan's enjoyed a prosperous and reasonably happy holiday, despite the absence of the boys overseas. But I wonder how many have stopped to give thanks for our really finest Christmas gifts?

Our best gifts were not the ones so prettily wrapped and placed under the tree. These are the Christmas gifts that deserve our most profound thanks:

France, given back to a free world by our fighting men—Belgium, where thousands of Americans died in the true spirit that Christmas commemorates—a few thousand feet of ground gained in Italy, or Burma or China—a few more islands occupied by American fighting men in the Pacific.

A battle fought and won thousands of feet in the sky over Germany, where Christ is forgotten—a Jap ship sent to the bottom, at a cost of American lives—a deed of heroism performed silently and unseen in the dead of night—a life given gladly, so that others may live in freedom and decency.

Those were our real Christmas presents—gifts bought with the blood and the lives of our sons and brothers and husbands. The

price that was paid for them was so great that every Texan, and every American wherever he is, should bow his head in solemn reverence at the thought that mere man can make such sacrifices in the name of Humanity.

We should be grateful that our men abroad have given us so much, and that we are a year closer to final victory.

We should be grateful that we are citizens of a nation that believes that freedom, and honesty and decency are worth fighting for—and dying for.

We should be glad that, as Americans, we still believe in helping others—that we still possess the idealism that makes us take the side of the weak and the per-

secuted and the down-trodden.

We should be forever grateful that it is our privilege to do more than merely fight and win a war. We should be happy in the knowledge that during 1944 we have made life a little better, a little easier, and a little finer for those who are not so fortunate.

We should be grateful for the National War Fund, which gave us the opportunity of helping so many millions of suffering war victims, which made it possible for us to send aid direct to our fighting men on every front and even behind the barricades of enemy prison camps. We should give solemn thanks that in America there still lives the spirit that could conceive and put into

being such an organization, dedicated unselfishly to Humanity.

And we should be forever grateful for our national, state and local leaders who gave so generously of their time and energy toward success of the great War Chest program.

Yes, it was a swell Christmas, if we truly evaluate our great gifts. And next Christmas can be even greater, if we all strive throughout the coming year to do everything in our power to support the fighting men whose sacrifices will bring final victory and peace.

Mrs. Rundy Rhea and son Don of Ashtola were guests of Mrs. R. C. Hill Sunday.

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December 30, 1944

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Other Real Estate	1.00	Deposits	1,900,609.96
Cash and Exchange	\$711,471.85		
U. S. Bonds Owned	705,000.00		
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A/C Warren George Jacobs has successfully completed basic flying training at Stockton Field, California, and will proceed to an Army advanced flying school to take the final steps toward the attainment of his silver pilot wings. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jacobs of Alanreed, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barton left Sunday for Dallas where Mrs. Barton will receive medical treatment.

VISITS PARENTS

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Wilfred M. Hott and S/Sgt. James Leskey of Ft. Riley Kansas visited in the home of Wilfred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott over the week end.

This was the first time Sgt. Leskey has been in Texas. He has lived all his life in New York City and says he plans to visit Texas when the war is over.

Miss Mable Mongole who has been teaching school at Vega has given up her school to be at home with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Mongole who is quite ill at this time.

RED CROSS VOLUNTEER SERVICE

HOME SERVICE Mrs. C. A. Burton

In a late bulletin by the Red Cross, the statement is made that Emergency Maternal and Infant care is being authorized for more than 40,000 wives and infants every month. It is provided for wives and infants of men in the four lowest pay grades of the armed forces and of aviation cadets. This care is provided in every state in the U. S. and also in the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico. Physicians, nurses and hospitals are paid for the care they give but their cooperation is voluntary. This care may be given to the wives or infants of our enlisted men reported as deceased or missing in action. Medical, nursing and hospital care are provided throughout pregnancy, at childbirth and for six weeks afterward, and for an infant for one year.

There are fourteen large bonded warehouses for the supplies sent prisoners of war and civilian internees. Early this year they were reported as having 70,000 tons of supplies.

Volunteers at the four American Red Cross Prisoner of War Packaging Centers observed the third anniversary of Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, by packing the twenty millionth prisoner of war parcel for shipment overseas.

More than 2,000 women, many of whom have relatives in prison camps, work at these centers in St. Louis, Philadelphia, New York and Brooklyn. They pack 11-pound food parcels for weekly distribution through the International Committee of the Red Cross to prisoners of war in Europe. Special shipments of high-protein parcels and invalid food parcels for the sick are included.

In December there were 359,247 prisoners of war held in the U. S. Of these 305,648 were Germans, 51,156 Italians and 2,443 Japanese. They are in 130 base camps and 295 branch camps—located in all sections of the U. S.

At the same time Germany and Japan had 55,598 of our men as prisoners of war besides 4,486 from our Navy.

Again we are told that mail cannot reach a man reported missing until he is officially reported a prisoner of war. Airmail may now be sent to prisoners of war free.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patman accompanied their son, Lt. Billy Patman as far as Amarillo where he left by train for Santa Ana, California, Wednesday.

Rev. Ament attended a church convention at the First Christian Church in Amarillo, Tuesday.

Miss Virginia Tucker, Red Cross Field Representative of this district was in Clarendon this week and met with the local Red Cross Chapter.

Mrs. Neely of Dumas spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Homer Bones.

Major Elery Watson and wife of Alexandria, La. are spending a 15-day furlough with Mrs. C. G. Stricklin and Beverly Grey.

Floyd Haudashell S 1/c, somewhere in New Hebrides Islands, South Pacific, writes home he is fine and working hard and it sure does get hot there.

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MATCHES 29c
DIAMOND—CARTON

BEEF ROAST 26c
A Grade—LB.

POP CORN 30c
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