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A Common Paper for Common People

Ashtola War Bond Drive Scheduled For Monday

The Fourth War Bond drive for the Ashtola School District is scheduled for Monday, Jan. 31, 1944, according to J. R. Gillham, chairman of the Ashtola War Bond drive committee which is composed of Pink Marshall, Clarence Cobb, J. R. Brandon, L. P. White, Slaton Mahaffey, and Henry Wilson. This committee in a meeting at Ashtola Wednesday, Jan. 27, laid plans for the community drive.

Letters and blank bond purchase application forms are being mailed to every home in the community this weekend. The letter explains the bond drive and explains that a member of the committee will call on every home in the community, Monday, Jan. 31st. Each person is urged to have their purchase form filled out and ready for the committee, and if they have already purchased bonds since January 1, 1944, they are urged to inform the committee of the amount.

The budget for the Ashtola School District is approximately \$15,000, and the committee is doing all they can to see that this amount is raised.

Mrs. A. Gerner Rites Held Wed., January 19th

Funeral services for Mrs. Amelia Gerner, widow of the late J. A. Gerner, was held Wednesday, January 19 in the Trinity Lutheran Church at Amarillo with the Rev. Martin J. H. Hartenburger, officiating.

Pallbearers were Judge Henry S. Bishop, Sam Morris, Howell Christi, S. E. Richardson, Paul Frye and Henry J. Meyer.

Burial was in Llano Cemetery under the direction of N. S. Griggs & Sons.

Mrs. Gerner, who was 93 years old, was born in Sexon, Germany, but came to America during the old sail boat days, when she was three years old. She spent her childhood in Pennsylvania and Wisconsin and grew up and married in Illinois. The seven children of this marriage were all born in Illinois.

The Gerner family came to Texas in 1903 and settled at Lelia Lake, which was the family home for a quarter of a century. For the past several years, Mrs. Gerner made her home with her daughter, Mrs. H. Ernest Smith, Amarillo.

Other survivors are one daughter, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Lelia Lake; four sons, Albert, Edward and John, all of Lelia Lake, and L. B. Gerner of Dallas; 17 grandchildren, six of whom are serving overseas, and six great-grandchildren.

Ration Reminder

SUGAR—Stamp No. 30 in book four is good for 5 pounds through March 31.

MEATS, Fats—Brown stamps B, S, T, and U are good through January 29. Brown stamp V is good through Feb. 26. Brown stamp W becomes good January 30 and remains good through February 26.

PROCESSED FOODS—Green stamps G, H, and J in book four are good through Feb. 20.

TIRE INSPECTION—"A" book holders before March 31, 1944; "B" before Feb. 29, 1944; "C" Feb. 29, 1944; and "T", every six months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first.

GASOLINE—(Coupons must be endorsed on front). "A" coupons, 3 gals. each, with No. 9 coupon expiring Jan. 21, 1944. In B-2 and C-2 books issued effective Dec 1, the coupons nationally have a value of 5 gals. each. Other B and C coupons, including B-1 and C-1, still outstanding will retain their two-gallon value. "R" and "T", five gals. each; "D" one and one-half gals. each; and "E" one gal. each.

Passenger Tire Eligibility

Effective February 1, the determination of passenger tire eligibility will be based upon "occupational" rather than "mileage" standards. The reasons for this change are as follows:

On December 1, 1942 the mileage rationing program was put into effect. Under this program, every passenger car operator was permitted to establish eligibility for some grade of tire. In view of this, it was determined most logical, in the interest of rubber conservation, to ration passenger tires based upon each applicant's monthly mileage allowance since this allowance reflected both his essentiality and his mileage needs. Passenger tires were grouped into three quality classifications. Persons allowed the most mileage were made eligible for tires capable of furnishing the most miles. Persons having lower mileage allowances were restricted to the lower quality tires.

At that time, in view of anticipated production of reclaim and synthetic tires, there were sufficient stocks of all three grades of tires to support such a program. Effective May 1, 1943, however, due to the almost complete disappearance of Grade II tires (lower quality new tires), it was necessary to place these tires into the Grade I classification. Persons formerly eligible for Grade II tires were then permitted to establish eligibility for Grade I tires. On July 1, 1943, because of decreased stocks of Grade III tires, it was necessary to restrict eligibility for such tires to those persons driving occupational mileage. Our over-all stocks of tires were no longer sufficient to provide for the needs of all drivers.

At the present time, our stock of Grade III tires have diminished to the point where the needs of many persons performing essential functions and eligible for these tires under the mileage rationing program can no longer be met. Since it is obviously more important to supply tires to low mileage operators performing less essential functions, it is necessary to depart from the present "mileage" standards of eligibility, installing "occupational" standards in their place.

This new program will enable persons previously eligible only for Grade III tires because of their mileage allowance to establish eligibility for new tires, provided they use their vehicles for highly essential occupational driving. The successful prosecution of the war effort demands that these drivers be kept in operation even though it may be at the expense of less important operators driving high mileages.

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Donley Youths To Exhibit Stock At Houston

Donley County 4-H and Clarendon F.F.A. Club youths will exhibit approximately 35 head of top barrows and two lambs at the 1944 Houston Fat Stock Show, February 4-13, according to J. R. Gillham, local vocational agriculture instructor. In 1943, local youths exhibited two of the four breed champions in the swine division of this show and they hope to better this record this year.

Alvin Barker, F. G. Crofford, Henry Wilson, J. B. Knight, Jim Lovell, Junior Bulman, Joe Carroll Smith, Nelson Christie, Bob Parker, Jack Ballew, Ray Morris, Don Thornberry, and Bobby Brown are youths entering animals at Houston. In addition to the club animals, E. S. Ballew, local hamshire breeder will exhibit a number of hamshire barrows.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

By PEPPY BLOCKER

Only those families in urgent need of cooking and heating stoves may obtain purchase certificates for them from the Donley War Price and Rationing Board this month, it was reported today by the Board.

The reason for this, the Board stated, is because of an acute shortage of this equipment which has developed since last month.

"Contrary to reports, more rationed stoves are NOT available for civilians," the Board said. They quoted figures which showed that this month's quota was reduced by about two-thirds. A total of 53,280 heating stoves were allocated to this region for January, compared to 133,173 for December. A total of 36,611 cooking stoves were allocated the region last month, compared to only 24,161 for January.

"The January quota for this county was set at 16 heating and 10 cooking stoves, compared to 39 and 16 for last month, the Board stated.

"Production during the first four months of rationing ran considerably behind quota and certificate issuance," they explained. "This was made possible by using up a substantial part of the inventories that existed on Sept. 1, 1943. Inventories now have been reduced to minimum operating levels and dealers are complaining that there are so many orders ahead of theirs that they cannot get delivery in less than one or two months."

Additional material is being released by the War Production Board for the manufacture of most types of stoves, but delay in obtaining delivery of materials, and difficulties in obtaining the required labor are apt to prevent production from rising very rapidly in the next few months. When it does increase, it will be reflected in increased quotas.

NOTICE TO LEADER SUBSCRIBERS

The Leader office wishes to thank their many subscribers who came in and extended their subscription another year and helped us get our mailing list up in good shape.

We would like to call your attention to the dating on your paper as there could possibly be a mistake in the date line and we would like to correct it if there is such an error. This request pertains to those who have come in recently to renew or subscribe for the Leader.

Those subscribers whose names were taken off the list this week can still come in and renew their subscription at this time, but the growing shortage of newsprint might compell us at most any time to discontinue taking new subscriptions.

S/SGT. R. A. BEVERLY COULD ENJOY A SNOWSTORM

In a letter recently to his mother, Mrs. Roy Beverly, S/Sgt. R. A. Beverly stated that it was so hot where he was that the Panhandle snowstorms would feel very good to him and states that he hopes to be home by next Christmas.

R. A. is stationed at an Air Base in the Southwest Pacific. He has been in the islands since the first of last May.

WIND DAMAGE NEAR WELLINGTON LATE WEDNESDAY

Only meager bits of information could be learned today of the storm damage west and northwest of Wellington late Wednesday afternoon. Phone lines were put out of use and outbuildings were said to have been blown down in a number of places. No injury or loss of life has been reported as the Leader goes to press.

Mrs. Enner Carroll Passes Away

Funeral services for Mrs. Enner Carroll who passed away here early Saturday morning, were held Tuesday morning at 10:30 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Thomas, with M. F. Manchester, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating.

Mrs. Carroll had been ill only a short while at the time of her demise, although she had been in declining health for a number of years. She had been living with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Thomas, for several months and had made many friends who grieve at her passing.

Mrs. Carroll, nee Enner Trafanstedt, was born in Decab County, Ala. in 1876. She was married to John Carroll in Alabama in 1896. To this union were born 9 children, 7 of whom are still living, 3 boys and four girls. The sons and daughters surviving are: Mrs. Clay Phillips and Mrs. Frank Thomas of Clarendon; Mrs. Eugene Benge of San Francisco, Calif.; Paul Carroll of Turlock, Calif.; Frank Carroll of Delhi, Calif., all of whom were present for the funeral; Mrs. Dan Chitwood of Fort Payne, Ala., and J. A. Carroll of Collinsfield, Ala., who were unable to attend.

Pallbearers were Brooks Ches-shir, S. C. Bell, Johnny Blocker Jr., Johnny Johnson, Oscar Thomas, Cecil Killough of Amarillo. Interment in Citizens Cemetery with Buntin Funeral Home in charge of funeral arrangements.

Out of town relatives here for the funeral were Mrs. Eugene Benge and daughter Beverly Jean of San Francisco, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carroll of Turlock, Calif.; Frank Carroll of Delhi, Calif.; Lawrence Phillips of Odessa, Texas. Friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Killough of Amarillo, Texas.

Show Board To Meet Saturday

Chas. Reed, County Agent, announced this week that the Donley County Show Board would hold another meeting at the County Agent's office at 2:30 Saturday evening, January 29th.

All directors are urged to be present as a report will be made by the financial committee and more complete arrangements made for the Spring Show which will be held March 3rd.

PAROLE VIOLATOR RETURNED

John Halligan, parole officer from New York State, arrived here last Friday to pick up Edward Herberger who was lodged in the jail here for parole violation several days ago by Sheriff Guy Wright. The man was returned to Albany, N. Y., where he is said to have violated a 10-year parole.

Mrs. C. T. McMurtry and Mrs. Clyde Slavin and small daughter, Ann, left Wed. for San Diego, Calif., where they will visit Clyde.

Burlington Line Buys \$10,000.00 In Bonds

It was announced today by D. F. Wadsworth, Agent, Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Company, that the Fort Worth and Denver Line will allocate \$10,000 of a large purchase of Series "C" Savings Notes in furtherance of Donley County Fourth War Loan Drive.

Mr. Wadsworth said that the total purchases of the Burlington Lines in Texas will be one million dollars in the Fourth War Loan effort. He pointed out that this does not include, but is in addition to, the approximately quarter million dollar annual purchase of War Bonds by the employees of this railroad through the salary deduction plan.

WORTH WHILE COMMENTS BY COUNTY AGENT Charles O. Reed

HOME ORCHARDS

If you plan to set out a home orchard, replace dead trees, or intend to plant a few fruit trees, the following suggestions and varieties for this area are recommended by the Extension Service:

10 Cherry Plums: Plant about 25 feet apart. Variety recommended: Hybrid Compass. Matures in June.

10 Peaches: Plant about 25 feet apart. Varieties maturing in July are Elberta, J. H. Hale Carmen. Varieties maturing in June: Carmen and Mamie Ross. Varieties maturing in May are Early Rose, and Early Wheeler.

10 Plums: Plant 25 feet apart. Varieties maturing in June are: six weeks and Bruce. Varieties maturing July are: Gold, Burbank, American.

5 Pears: Plant 30 feet apart. Variety maturing in September is Douglas. Variety maturing in August is Garber.

5 Apples: Plant 30 feet apart. Varieties maturing in August and September: Delicious, Golden Delicious and Bledsoe. Varieties maturing in June are: Yellow Transparent and Red June.

40 Grapes: Plant about 15 feet apart. Graft vinefera varieties on champanel roots. Varieties maturing in August are: Extra Bailey, Beacon, and Block Spanish.

Dewberries: Plant 3 feet apart in rows 6 feet apart. Varieties maturing in June are: Austin Mays, Young Boysen.

Blackberries: Plant 4 feet apart in rows 6 feet apart. Varieties maturing in June are: Dallas and Early Wonder.

Strawberries: (If possible to irrigate) plant 10 inches apart in rows 3 feet apart. Variety recommended is Mastadon Everbearing.

If you have grape vines or fruit trees that need pruning or desire additional information on orchard management see or write your local County Agent.

POLL TAX RECEIPTS SHORT OF USUAL

According to a tabulation of Poll Tax receipts Wednesday, there are approximately 500 yet to be paid if it reaches the same total of last year. At the present time 1,241 have paid and property owners who have not paid their taxes will have to pay for their poll tax on down the line and will not have the privilege of voting unless they do it before January 31st.

Guy Wright, assessor-collector, announced that the tax office would remain open until midnight on the 31st in order to take care of any last minute taxpayers. He also added that a penalty will be added on taxes not paid after that date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL TRUCK BUYERS

All persons planning to purchase used trucks, of any kind, have been advised by the Office of Defense Transportation to consult their District ODT Office before purchasing such equipment.

Several cases have occurred, the ODT said, where persons have purchased trucks and then found the proposed services were of a nature that did not qualify them for allotments of gasoline and mileage.

Such purchases should not be made until the prospective buyer makes certain that a Certificate of War Necessity will be issued by the ODT for the type of service in which a truck is to be used, in the event the vehicle is purchased. The ODT warning also applies to purchases of Army trucks.

Van Brawley spent the week end in McLean visiting homefolks.

War Bond Drive Swings Into Full Gear This Week

GRANDSON-IN-LAW OF TOM CONNALLY LOST OVER GERMANY

Word was received here Monday by Mayor Tom F. Connally that his grandson-in-law, Lieut. James Biggerstaf, was reported missing from an air raid over Germany. Lt. Biggerstaf is the husband of the former Janice Westmoreland. He was a bombardier in the Air force and was reported missing from the big raid on Germany January 11th when 64 planes were lost. His wife is visiting her parents at Ogden, Utah at the present and the bad news was relayed to her there.

PIE SUPPER AND BOND RALLY TO BE HELD AT GOLDSTON FRIDAY NIGHT

Cleo Woods, captain of the war bond committee for the Goldston community, announced today that a pie supper and Bond rally would be held at the Goldston school house tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

They will auction off pies and give premiums, donated by local business firms, to the highest bidders on bonds.

Everyone in the Goldston community is urged to come out on this date and help put them over with their quota of the Bond drive in Donley County. Mr. Woods states that he is confident that his district will step out in the lead by raising their quota before any of the other districts.

The quota for that community is \$9,717.50 and with the full cooperation of everyone should be attained at this one meeting, Mr. Woods added.

FIFTH SUNDAY NIGHT UNION MEETING

This Sunday, January 30, the Fifth Sunday night Union Meeting will be at the Methodist Church. All the Churches are to dismiss the evening hour in reference to the Fifth Sunday night union service.

By Order of the Pastor's Ass'n. Secretary.

HARRY E. MILLER PROMOTED

Harry E. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller of this city, has been promoted from the grade of Corporal to that of Technician 4th Grade at the Engineer Unit Training Center, an Army Service Forces installation, at Camp Claiborne, La.

J. C. Gerner was here from Lelia Lake Tuesday on business.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain is visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

P.T.A. To Sponsor Food Sale Sat.

The P.T.A. of the Ward School is going to sponsor a food sale this Saturday, January 29th at the Clarendon Furniture Store from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The P. T. A. is soliciting the help and cooperation of every mother in the school whether they are a member of the organization or not. Included in the sale will be all kinds of pastries, pies, cakes, cookies, etc., and they are asking for eggs, chickens, sausage, meat, butter, cream, buttermilk, home-canned goods or any country produce which you can afford and share with them.

"We will appreciate so much any contribution which you will make," one of the finance committee stated. "If you do not expect to be in town Saturday, anything you could send by your children Friday will be taken care of. We are very eager for a 100% response from all mothers and anything and everything received for this sale will be greatly appreciated. Please put your name on any utensil you want returned."

J. R. Porter, War Bond Chairman for Donley County, announced today that practically all districts in the Donley county setup were hard at work and were making fair progress on their individual quotas and community captains are making various plans to get the people in their districts together to get the job over with.

R. E. Drennan, captain of the Clarendon Independent School District, has summoned the aid of the Lions Club and other individuals in an effort to make up the quota of E bond sales. At the regular Tuesday luncheon of the club, it was voted to back up the drive to the fullest extent and plans have been formulated whereby all business firms in Clarendon have been asked to close their doors from 2 until 4 on Tuesday, February 1st in order to put on a drive that will include every person in the city.

Circular letters and pledge sheets will be distributed by the committee some time this week to every residence in Clarendon, and the committee asks that everyone take an inventory and see how many bonds they can buy and also how many they have already bought this month and have these pledge sheets ready for the person or persons who will call to pick them up between the hours of 2 to 4 on next Tuesday. If you see that you will not be at home, leave the pledge in the door so it can be picked up. The members of the Lions club will be divided up and will cover the entire town during this two hour period, and it is believed that it will take only the one afternoon to raise our quota if everyone will cooperate.

The quota for the Clarendon district is \$97,175 with \$32,390 of this amount to be sold in E series Bonds. Using these figures in comparison to the population, it would take 1,684 of the \$18.75 bonds to make up the quota and this means that every person in Clarendon would have to buy a bond to reach that amount. Naturally there will be some that are unable, so others will have to make up the difference by buying all they possibly can.

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Winter Pasture Goes Up In Smoke Monday

In this time of high prices and scarcity of feed, the fire that destroyed winter pasture on Salt Fork north of Hedley Monday afternoon brings a serious loss.

The fire is said to have started from weed fires on the Buck Calhoun farm about one o'clock in the afternoon. A half section on the Cook brothers farm was burned.

The fire continued up the river bottom on the Rowe ranch lands, where it is said to have burned over several hundred acres.

The fire wagon from Clarendon aided in fighting the fire. Claude Pegram, Chester Walker and his father, Garland Willingham, M. L. Melton, Al Cooke and his wife and two sisters and several others fought the blaze with every means at hand.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crawford came in Tuesday from Hamlin to visit their son, J. H. Crawford and family. Mr. Crawford resided here for many years and was in the real estate business here.

CLARENDON MAN ATTENDS ROUNDUP IN HAWAII

Lt. W. G. Bourland, United States Navy, of Clarendon, was on the general committee in charge of the Texas Day celebration held on Sunday, Jan. 17, in Hawaii. Over 10,000 native Texans and their guests attended the Texas Roundup and barbecue. Admiral Chester W. Nimitz of Fredericksburg was the chief speaker.

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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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BACK THE ATTACK WITH BONDS

The Fourth War Loan is part and parcel of the preparations for the all-out smash at Germany and Japan. The slogan, "Let's all Back the Attack," conveys the note of urgency to everyone of us to do our utmost to make certain that we do not have another Dunkerque or Dieppe on our hands. If you have anyone near the battlefield—and who has not—you will want to sacrifice to the point of hurt to buy extra war bonds.

This is the kind of a war you an individual can't brush off. You're in it to the hilt. Not since the very beginning of the Republic have the ringing words of the Founding Fathers—"we pledge our lives and our fortunes"—resounded so clearly and so truly. Because if we lose, we lose all—not only as a nation but as individuals.

In the big assault, in which men from this community—men from your very home and your neighbors' homes—will be braving every terror a Hitler can hurl against them—you have a job to do. You can't afford to take the chance that you will not be needed. Every man and woman and even our children must deny

themselves comforts and luxuries to put the money into extra bonds in order to achieve in some measure the sacrifices which their sons, brothers, fathers, husbands and friends will make in the next few months, perhaps weeks.

The fateful days are here. In the years to come you will look back at the early months of 1944 and recall what you did to help save yourself, your family and your country.

Every home which displays the Treasury Department's 4th War Loan, red, white and blue shield with its proud message, "We've Bought Extra Bonds," is adding its weight to the attack.

In doing your duty in the forthcoming invasion to crush our enemies, you are first being loyal to your country. However, you must not lose sight of the fact that "buying bonds" and keeping them is actually saving money. Bonds are savings. They are real social security, real old age insurance. They are the safest and best investment for the average man, against a rainy day.

Where else can you find an opportunity for small investment today, such as in E Bonds, that guarantees a 3 3/4 per cent increase in 10 years?

Thus, from a standpoint of

sound reasoning, every person should put every dollar they have into War Bonds, for the good of the country and for the good of the individual citizen. Let's all back the attack.

ASHTOLA
Mrs. Dick Tomlinson

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Garland and Marion also Mrs. Melton Davis and Jerry were Amarillo shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble Barker and family spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett of Newlin.

Roy Brinson and family visited Mrs. Brinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McNeal of Clarendon Sunday, also called on her sister, Mrs. J. H. Crawford who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bolles and Billie Lee of Phillips also Leo Wallace and family were guests of the Ben Lovells Sunday.

Pfc. L. A. Nelson of the U. S. Army and Mrs. Nelson of Plainview are here visiting relatives.

A. D. Shores of Goodnight visited in this community Monday. He asks us to say he found a box of ladies clothing the 11th of January and would like to return it to the owner if properly identified.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holley and Gladys of White Deer had business in Olton Saturday, returning home Sunday.

D. F. Randel returned home from Chillicothe Thursday. Ted Tomlinson went to Pantex Monday where he is employed.

Fannie Rector of Dalhart visited friends here Tuesday.

Lester Joyner of Amarillo was here on business Thursday.

Joe Bownds and family also Mr. and Mrs. Hinders attended church at Goodnight Sunday.

Doyce Graham and family of Clarendon visited his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Cobb is quite ill with pneumonia.

John White is recuperating after several weeks illness.

Rev. O. L. Allen of Goodnight will preach here Sunday, Jan. 30.

Sgt. and Mrs. Eulen Higdon of Laredo are guests in the Louie Morris home.

Earl Cox visited his sister, Mrs. Sausa of Littlefield over the week end.

Buck Spiers and family have moved to the Armstrong farm south of Clarendon, recently vacated by John Hedrick, Mr. King and family of Hedley having moved to the Cap Morris farm where Mr. Spiers formerly lived.

Mrs. Gargus suffered a heart attack Sunday and was taken to a local hospital Monday afternoon. Her condition is of a serious nature.

—On Pay Day, Buy Bonds—

Reporting System to Assist Truck And Bus Operators With Tire Problems

A reporting system to assist truck and bus operators with their tire procurement problems was announced today by John C. Massemburg, Dallas, regional director of the Division of Motor Transport of the Office of Defense Transportation.

Under this system, bus and truck operators who are eligible for tire certificates from their local War Price and Rationing Boards because of exhausted quotas or other reasons, will report that fact to district offices of the ODT.

These reports will enable the ODT to determine the extent of regional tire deficits by classes of highway carriers and by tire-size groups, and will form the basis for taking such remedial action as it is deemed necessary and feasible.

Joseph B. Eastman, director of the ODT, said in Washington that the portion of bus and truck tire production allotted to the ODT by the Office of the Rubber Director for the first quarter of 1944 falls by substantial percentages to meet the requirements in various tire-size groups as estimated by the ODT, which is the claimant agency before the Office of the Rubber Director for tires required by the domestic civilian transportation services and facilities. These deficits are reflected in the currently reduced truck and bus tire quotas which the Office of the Rubber Director has allotted to the Office of Price Administration for rationing.

It is against these reduced quotas, it was explained, that certificates to acquire tires may be issued to commercial vehicle operators by the OPA's local War Price and Rationing Boards.

"Because of this situation," Mr. Eastman said, "There are many instances where eligible commercial motor vehicle operators are being denied tire certificates by OPA boards because of exhausted quotas or other related reasons. We can reasonably expect that until there is substantial improvement in the number of truck and bus tires to be allocated for civilian highway use, the number of these denials will increase."

In order to provide for the

maintenance of commercial highway transportation at a level required by the war effort and essential civilian activities, it was said, it is necessary for the ODT to determine the extent to which the denial of tire certificates threatens to slow down or immobilize essential rubber-borne services and facilities.

The ODT, therefore, is requesting all eligible bus and truck operators, who are denied tire certificates by local ration boards for any reason, to report such denials to the ODT Motor Transport district offices, together with the reason assigned by the board for the denial of the certificates.

HUDGINS
Mrs. S. M. Harp

There was a good crowd out for Sunday school and preaching. Bro. Grisby preached in the morning and Bro. Goodnight brought the message in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Perdue Jr. and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jacobs, Bobbie and Bettie of Clarendon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Perdue visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Roy and family Sunday.

Imogene Elliott and Jerry Perdue visited with Magdalene Talley Sunday.

Sidney Harp spent Wednesday night with H. R. Cowan.

Those to take Sunday dinner in the Harp home Sunday were Misses Velma Tims, Mary Nell Perdue, Eloys and Earmalea Elliott and Dan Tims, Bill Perdue, and Ben Talley.

We are still having some moving in our community. Mr. and Mrs. Van Roy moved in our community and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mills moved to Lelia Lake last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake West and Joyce visited in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harp spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie of Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tims and Clyde visited with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliott and family Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Boydston of Pampa visited Clela Fern Phillips over the week end.

Miss Berry and Mrs. Rufus White were Amarillo visitors Sat.

Mrs. G. D. Shelley and son Billy Jack, Annie Ree Porter and John Earl Ryan were in Amarillo Mon.

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THE PENALTY.
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GOING UP?
About the best method of climbing higher is to remain on the level.

WEAKLY POME.
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THE HATE FEST!
Many a man has found out that he can't get ahead in this life by spending his time getting even with some one.

THE NEWLY RICHED.
The old girl whose hubby had suddenly had an oil well thrust upon his farm put on some dog when she met with the ladies society to-do recently. She explained the care of her jewels by saying "my diamonds are cleaned with ammonia, my rubies with French wine, my emeralds with Russian brandy and my sapphires with fresh milk by my maid each day."

Another old girl sat next to her and got off this one to top the topic of conversation: "I don't have my jewels cleaned at all. When they become the least bit soiled, I just throw the blamed things away and get new ones!"

MIDWAY
Mrs. John Goldston

Taken from Jan. 23, 1744 issue of Grit, an American newspaper. This family is all out for winning this war.

Besides writing a letter a week to each of the 12 children in the Armed forces and working each day in a five and ten cent store, Mrs. Emma Van Cowtren of New York City is serving as a Minute Woman in the Fourth War Loan drive. When her son, Jafes joined the Marines she wrote her thirtieth letter signed "very respectfully yours," to Pres. Roosevelt, telling the Chief Executive: "I am sorry to inform you, Mr. President, that the source of supply is exhausted and the board of selective service will have to look elsewhere than in my family."

Mrs. Van Cowtren has three daughters in the WAC, six sons in the Navy, one in the Army, one in

the Merchant Marine, one in the Marines.

The Fourth War Loan drive is on. Let's do as this family has—do all we can. Buy all the war bonds we can. Back our boys with guns and ships. The bonds we buy will perhaps save many of our boys' lives.

The oldest man on active duty with the armed forces of the Allies is Chief Boatswain's Mate George (Barnacle Bill) Sanderson, 82, who is on duty at a Navy recruiting station in Los Angeles, Calif. He began his Naval career 61 years ago. He is now in uniform serving in his third war. (Grit)

Miss Jane Williams from her school spent the week end with her parents and grandparents, the Meaders.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meaders and Miss Katie spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams.

Betty John Goldston and Ida Mae Wiedman were guests of Rowena Crutchfield in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and boys of Altus, Okla. visited with the Chamberlains and Goldstons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton and daughter of Memphis visited with her mother, Mrs. Brame in Clarendon Sunday.

Sue Stone of Memphis visited her sister, Mrs. Pete Riley Monday of last week.

Mrs. Everett Stephenson visited with Mrs. W. D. Higgins Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruel Nichols visited in Clarendon Monday.

Mrs. Will Chamberlain and daughters visited her mother in Clarendon this past week.

Dorothy Jean Tatum spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mary Ann Bromley.

Bob Bentley visited Sat. and Sat. night with Billy Milt Bromley.

Mrs. Bill Bromley entertained a number of friends Thursday eve in honor of her mother, Mrs. Milt Mosley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mosley are leaving for south Texas for awhile. Donley County will miss this pioneer family, who have lived in our midst for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Naylor visited Sunday evening with the Hefners.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland were in Amarillo on business this past Tuesday.

Buster Nance visited the Holland boys Sunday.

Pfc. Calvin Holland arrived Friday night from Laredo, Texas for

a visit with his parents. He will leave Monday week for Frisco, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Nance visited in the Holland home Friday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dickens of Hedley spent Sunday with his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Holland.

Mr. Holland and son Pfc. Calvin Holland were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mrs. W. D. Higgins left the first of the week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Pittman at Houston, who had undergone an operation this past week.

Our young friend in the Pacific Area now has attained the rating of Pfc. Kenneth Stone.

The Rileys from Shamrock visited in the W. K. Davis home Sun.

Mrs. Longan visited friends in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Goldston and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson of McLean visited in the John Goldston and W. K. Davis home Mon.

One manufacturing suggestion by an employee of an Army Ordnance facility brought about the saving, for each 1,000 armored vehicles, of 12,000 pounds of armor plate, 12,000 bolts and nuts, 1,500 machine hours, and 7,500 man-hours.

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TYLER—HOTT

Miss Geraldine Tyler, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Tidwell of Tullia, and T/Sgt. Wilfred M. Hott, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott of Clarendon, were united in marriage at 5 p. m. Sunday, January 23. The impressive double ring ceremony was at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Gipson, Rev. Gipson, officiating.

The altar in front of the fire place was beautifully decorated with baskets of pink and white carnations. Fourteen lighted white Cathedral tapers in branched candelabra cast a soft glow over the scene. The ceremony was opened with the playing of the beautiful "Always." As the "Wedding March" from "Midsummer Night's Dream" was being played, the bride and her attendants entered and approached the altar to take their places midst the flowers.

The bride wore a spangled-trimmed light blue crepe dress with navy accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with gardenias and white satin streamers. She was attended by Mrs. Arlene Burrus of Floydada, and Miss Carmon Duren of Lakeview.

Mrs. Burrus wore a brown and white, Shepherd-check suit with brown accessories and a shoulder corsage of talisman roses. Miss Duren was dressed in a beautiful light blue suit with navy accessories and wore a corsage of white carnations.

D. Winfred Tyler, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Mrs. Hott is a graduate of Lakeview High School. She studied at Wayland College and Amarillo Junior College. She is employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

The bride-groom is a graduate of Clarendon High School and Junior College. He received his BBA degree from Sam Houston State Teachers College. At present he is a member of the Armed

forces serving in the Signal Corps.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tidwell and D. Winfred Tyler, all of Tullia, Mrs. G. G. Gregory, sister of the groom, of Longview, Texas; Mrs. William Lavander, Memphis, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Duren, Carmon and Sharon Duren of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hunt of Claude; Mrs. Erin Pieratt, Miss Sarah Brashears, Miss Bobbie Welch and Miss Billie Gipson, all of Amarillo. After February 1, the couple will be at home in Nashville, Tenn.

ALLENWORTH—SANBORN

In a beautiful double ring ceremony solemnized in the Protestant Post Chapel at the Army Air Base, Dalhart, Texas, Miss Claire Allensworth became the bride of Lt. Russell Sanborn, at 12 noon Sunday, January 23rd. Miss Allensworth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Allensworth of Clarendon.

Lieut. Sanborn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Sanborn of Sanborn, New Hampshire.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue suit with black accessories. She carried a nosegay of gardenias surrounded by rosebuds.

Mrs. Ben F. Smith of Plainview, Texas, aunt of the bride, was Matron of Honor. Mrs. Smith wore a red wool suit and had a gardenia corsage.

Mr. Ben F. Smith of Plainview, Texas, served as best man. Pre-nuptial music was furnished by the Post organist who also played the wedding marches and soft music during the rites.

Miss Allensworth graduated from T.W.C., Ft. Worth, Texas, and received her M.A. degree from the University of Old Mexico, Mexico City. She taught in the Okmulgee, Oklahoma High School and for the past two years has been a Spanish and French in-

terpreter for the Government stationed at San Antonio, Texas and more recently at Los Angeles, Calif.

Lieut. Sanborn is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire where he received a degree in government. He is now stationed with the 333rd, Combat Detachment, A.A.F., Dalhart, Texas where they will make their home for the present.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Allensworth of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith, Patricia and Ben Hardy Smith of Plainview, Texas.

JONES—DUBBS

Miss Ima Jo Jones of Memphis and George Dubbs of Abilene and formerly of Clarendon were married in the county court room January 17th with Judge R. Y. King performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Dubbs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Jones of Memphis and received her education there. Mr. Dubbs is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sill Dubbs of Abilene.

Mr. Dubbs left here approximately 12 years ago but still remembered the old home town and decided to come back here to live.

He bought a home on west first street which was recently owned by Fred Buntin. He is in the exterminator business, and Clarendon will be his headquarters.

ENTERTAINS WITH GOING-AWAY LUNCHEON

Mrs. Bill C. Bromley entertained her mother with a going-away luncheon Thursday at her lovely country home. The guests were the honoree, Mrs. M. W. Mosley of Hedley, and Mesdames E. W. Bromley, Frank White Sr., Lon Rundell, Frank Whitlock, A. T. Cole, R. R. Dawkins.

The guests were invited to the dining room where the wild turnpike and all of the trimmings were made beautiful on white linen china, and crystal center piece was tall white tapers and pink and white sweet peas on reflecting mirror. Place cards and sweet pea favors added to the 3-course luncheon.

Mrs. Mosley received a beautiful gift from the guests and Mrs. H. C. Brumley who was unable to attend.

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

The H. D. Club met Friday, January 21 at the home of Mrs. G. A. Anderson, hostess, Mrs. W. A. Simpson, co-hostess. Eleven members were present.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Lena Antrobus. All joined in singing "America" with Mrs. O. C. Watson at piano. A business discussion was had at which time plans were made for program of year. Mrs. C. Darden was received into the Club.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Lena Antrobus with Mrs. O. C. Watson, assisting.

Lovely refreshments of pie, coffee, tea was served to members, Mesdames Karl Adams, Lena Antrobus, W. A. Davis, O. C. Watson, C. D. McDowell, A. H. Baker, Earl Lea, C. Darden and hostesses Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Simpson.

TELEPHONE FORCE ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Cordie Thompson entertained the Telephone force Wednesday night at her home with a dinner-theatre party. After a lovely luncheon plate was served, the girls went to the theatre and enjoyed the show.

Those present were Mrs. Fannie Wilson, Lois Underdown, Joyce Smith, Athalee Dodson, Thyra Haley, Hazel Bingham, Bobbie Nell Whitsell, Lila Mae Allison and hostess.

1912 NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. L. S. Bagby entertained the members and guests of this Club at her home Thursday afternoon. The usual needle work and visiting was enjoyed.

Mrs. Bagby, assisted by Miss Nettie Sims, served a lovely plate luncheon to guests, Mesdames Hutchins, Davidson, Church, Carroll Knorrp, W. H. Patrick, W. H. Martin; club members, Mesdames, A. L. Chase, A. R. Letts, John Sims, J. T. Patman, Glascoe, J. W. Evans.

Church News

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

J. J. Grubbs, Pastor
Sunday school—10 a. m.
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Mr. Walter B. Knorrp, Lay Reader
Wednesday, February 2—Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple—10 a. m. Holy Communion.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. Guy Ament, Pastor
Next Sunday is our annual Roll Call day. We are hopeful that every member will be present to answer to his or her name. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. After morning service we go to the Sub-Story for lunch and the Roll Call service. Bring your friends. It will be a covered dish lunch. Bring your dish and enjoy the social hour with us.

There will be no evening service. All the churches convene at the Methodist church for the Fifth Sunday night union service. Let us have a great service.

The Missionary society meets next Wednesday at 8 p. m. at Mrs. Pipes and Miss Gladys Wright is leader for the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMurry celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Jan. 20th with a dinner and close friends.

LELIA LAKE WHIRLWIND

WHO'S WHO

Name: Nova Lee Barker
Age: 16
Ambition: Nurse
Best all round girl: Earnestine White.

Best all round boy: Bobby Tom Parker.
Best dressed girl: Lois Reynolds
Best dressed boy: Phalen Weathersly.

Best friends: Phalen, Bobby, Earnestine and Lois Marie.
Nickname: "Little Barker"
Favorite Orchestra: Harry James.

Favorite song: "As Time Goes By"

Favorite actress: Betty Grable
Favorite actor: Cary Grant
Pet Peeve: Gossip
Likes: Sailors

Name: Earnestine White
Age: 15
Ambition: Beauty operator
Best all round girl: Nova Lee Barker

Best all round boy: Phalen Weathersly.

Best dressed girl: Lois Marie Williams.

Best dressed boy: Bobby Tom Parker.

Best friends: Nova, Lois Marie, Bobby and Phalen.

Nickname: "Tena"
Favorite orchestra: Tommy Dorsey.

Favorite song: "Shoo! Shoo! Baby"

Favorite actress: Lana Turner
Favorite actor: Robert Taylor
Pet Peeve: Two faced girls
GOSSIP
Say kids! Where did Laura Jean Clark get the little silver football? We are very glad to hear that Alice Bain had a very nice time in Chillicothe the past week.

Why do all the Freshmen girls run after Fancher Davis? It isn't because of his red hair is it?

How is Martha Ann going to get to play practice, since the way she used to come has gone to the Navy?

Why does Anna Sue always come by after Harold on play practice nights? It wouldn't be because she is Harold's leading lady—in the play—is it?

Why are Lois and Velma always talking about Junior? It wouldn't be because there are two boys' name Junior, would it?

All the girls say that Billy Phillips will really be a basketball player by the time he is a Senior.

Why do all the girls like to come skating of Friday nights? A few Juniors and two college girls went to the show Wednesday night. They really had a swell time. Ask the college girls how they went.

The mid-term tests are all over now. (we hope)

Lois Marie was really proud of herself in typing. She got 21 words a minute. Bobbie was also proud of herself; he got 22 words. This is their first year for typing.

The Seniors think that they will have their play Jan. 27, 1944.

It seems as if all the girls are getting them some denim slacks.

CHAPEL

Mrs. Davis was responsible for the chapel program last Friday afternoon. They had a little program called "Ten Pretty Girls." The girls had on paper dresses of all colors. They looked very cute. The High School girls sang "Sweet and Low" and "America The Beautiful." And Waybun Phillips sang "Paper Doll." He's got Frank Sinatra beat a city block. The Freshmen and Sophomores will be held responsible.

Miss Thelma Jean Williams came down from Dalhart Tuesday to supply here for the Telephone Co., of which she is an employee.

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WANTED—Scrap Iron. You can donate it if you like or I will buy it. Jerome Price. (50-c)

WANTED—A good Car with first class rubber tires. Mrs. W. T. Lackey, Clarendon. (49-p)

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—640 acre sandy farm. J. B. Riddle, Hedley, Texas. (49-c)

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Pair heavy duty bed springs, between Brice and 6 miles north of Clarendon. Finder please notify P. M. Baten or leave word at Leader office. (49-p)

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.

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RED CROSS VOLUNTEER SERVICE

Wherever the American soldier is stationed, whether in the 125 degree heat of the plains at Agra, or at the almost inaccessible jungle air-warring outposts, or the Rest Homes 7,000 feet high in the Himalayas, the American Red Cross is overcoming innumerable difficulties in bringing him a comforting bit of home.

Knitting

Mrs. W. A. Riney, Chairman of the knitting, has called in all knitted articles which will be shipped this week. We will give a list of those helping with this quota in our column next week.

Sewing

Mrs. Bill Patman turned in 11 hospital robes made by the following ladies of the Win-A-One Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church: Mrs. Jim Patman, Mrs. G. T. Palmer, Mrs. Lon Ruffell, Mrs. Rayburn Smith, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. H. W. Hanks, and Mrs. Ed Mosely from the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bob Head turned in 14 coveralls made by the following ladies of Mrs. Burton's Sunday School Class: Mrs. Gilmer Ayers, Mrs. Fred Russell, Mrs. W. A. Riney, Mrs. Lloyd Shelton, Mrs. Rob Hill, Mrs. Ed Mosely and Mrs. Head.

Sheets and pillow cases for our Community Chest were made the past month by: Mrs. Ed Dishman, Mrs. Karl Adams, Mrs. Millard Word, Mrs. D. F. Wadsworth, Mrs. Heckle Stark, Mrs. Harry Ruddell and Mrs. Nova McClure.

We wish to thank Mrs. Nova McClure for helping us so generously in making hospital robes. Six was her quota. Mrs. Rayburn Smith and Mrs. George Green also helped with the sewing of these robes. Mrs. H. W. Hanks is making two pairs of coveralls.

Mrs. W. L. Jordan has 36 pillow cases, 6 sheets, and 6 coveralls, which will be made by the Martin Quilting Club.

Mrs. D. W. Clampitt gave one quilt top and some used clothing. Mrs. M. Goodner gave us some used boy's clothing.

The Donley County Chapter of the American Red Cross will make 1000 garments to be used in the hospitals. We hope to have this sewing ready for distribution the early part of February.

The Red Cross rooms, after this week, will be open only on Mondays and Fridays from 3:00 until 5:00 p. m.

HOME SERVICE

Mrs. C. A. Burton

Always one of the most important services of Home Service is helping with applications by the families for allotments and allowances and helping in necessary adjustments of the same. Under the increased amount granted by the Oct. 26th ruling, the class A dependents, wives and children, received the increase at once, but so far I have not heard of any class B dependents who have received it. The number is so large that it is being a tremendous job to make the change. The Office of Dependency Benefits is urging that no one write about it, the change will be made as rapidly as possible.

A Red Cross release of Jan. 15th carries the statement that the U.S. Children's Bureau has approved

the plans for emergency maternity and infant care of dependents of servicemen in the four lowest pay grades in the states of Louisiana and Texas, but that some time may elapse before the service is entirely available. It is also pointed out that individual physicians and hospitals are not compelled to take part in this program if they do not wish to. Texas has been slow to adjust to the required conditions for securing this fund, but at last we have it.

Under agreement between the U. S. and Germany two American officers and twelve enlisted men who had been prisoners in Germany were repatriated in October and returned to the U. S. by way of Sweden and England. This was the first repatriation of seriously sick and wounded from Germany during the present war, and was done according to the terms of the Geneva Prisoner of War Convention. Doctors, Chaplains, and enlisted medical personnel who are not needed for the care of their fellow prisoners are entitled to repatriation. The ships carrying repatriated prisoners sail under safe conduct guarantees and carry neutral International Red Cross Delegates as observers.

A source of great worry is the fact that our men who are prisoners of war are still getting very little mail from home, some have not heard from home for months, though their letters reach the home folks here. The International Red Cross is working on this and hoping to improve conditions.

Mrs. Doss Palmer is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hart at Post.

Mrs. F. L. Goldston and Mrs. W. F. Frey shopped in Wichita Falls last Thursday.

Since Pearl Harbor, more than 13,500 enemy planes have been destroyed by the Army Ordnance machine guns, cannon and bombs supplied U. S. Army Air Forces.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams returned home Monday after a visit at Dalhart with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Holman. They were joined there by a sister, Mrs. Rheda Pepper from Pratt, Kansas for a visit. They also visited their children in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green of Grand Prairie are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Green this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilkinson of Ft. Collins, Colo. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Taylor. They left Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry and daughter, June, left for Tucson, Ariz. where they will be for three months.

Cpl. Garland Holland from Drew Field, Tampa, Fla., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Howard Holland while on a 10-day furlough. Cpl. Holland is a radio technician and received his training at Crowder, Mo.

MORE COFFEE AND COCOA IN 1944

Civilians will get more coffee, chocolate and cocoa in 1944 than in 1943, according to the War Food Administration. Four pounds more of coffee and one-half pound more of cocoa beans have been allocated for each civilian.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hudson and son Buddy of McLean visited relatives here the week end.

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Make the sacrifice now—buy more than the extra \$100 Bond your country counts on you for—winning the war is worth any sacrifice you make. Besides, you aren't giving, you're lending to America! You'll get back every dollar you invest in War Bonds, with interest.

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MEN'S WEAR

LIBRARY NOTES

By Mrs. C. A. Burton

The bad weather has increased the demand for books, and we were fortunate in having quite a few new ones for our readers.

The daily press carried the statement that even while black smoke was still rising from the ruins of the University of Kiev after being sacked and wrecked by the Germans, the Russians began

rebuilding it. They hope to have it ready for use in six months, and the city is being scoured for books to begin to replace the library of 1,300,000 books destroyed by the Germans.

The author of the "Peter Rabbit" stories, Beatrix Potter, died Dec. 22 at Sawrey, England. She was the author of many other nursery classics which children all over the world enjoy.

David Work Griffith, the veteran Hollywood producer and director, is working on a film biography of Dr. George Washington Carver, the late great negro scientist who was born a slave, was elected to a fellowship in the Royal Society of England and won the Roosevelt Medal for distinguished service in science.

years old, Mrs. Merriwether Gilmer still writes the "Dorothy Dix" column for the Associated Press. She was one of the first lady crime-reporters in the newspaper business and has been giving advice to the lovers of more than two generations.

"Lassie Come Home," MGM's production of the late Major Eric Knight's story has been voted by the National Screen Council to be the best December release for family entertainment.

The story is a rarely good one and has been enjoyed by many of our readers, both young and old. From the Associated Press comes the statement that Wilkie's "One World" has been translated into Danish and is being distributed by the free Danish underground. Refugees reaching Sweden reported that "One World" was Denmark's best seller just now.

LELIA LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowling went to Amarillo Tuesday.

W. V. Bain and family returned last Monday from a visit with relatives in Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morton and small daughter of Los Angeles, Calif. left Thursday after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Quin Aten had business in Amarillo Thursday.

Sam Lowe, local Sinclair agent, sponsored a picture show at the school gym Wednesday night. Many prizes were given away, besides three pictures being shown.

Mrs. Albert Sanders and son of Amarillo left Sunday after spending several days in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. R. Myers.

Mrs. Sam Tomlinson and children left Friday for a short visit with her grandparents and other relatives in Munday, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams came Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers, and other relatives in Amarillo. Mr. Williams of the U. S. Army is stationed in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Arch Collins entertained at the school house last Friday afternoon in honor of Geraldta Whately, who is to leave with her parents for Levelland Monday. The honoree received many gifts after which Mrs. Collins served refreshments of pop corn balls and cookies to pupils of the first four grades.

An entertaining program was given Friday afternoon in the gym by the 5th and 6th grade room, Mrs. O. L. Davis being the sponsor.

Mrs. William Walling and daughter of Los Angeles visited last

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Maximum prices for sales of used airplanes powered with a single engine of not more than 500 horsepower have been established by the Office of Price Administration.

This action has been taken at the request of the Civil Aeronautics Administration and concurred in by the War Production Board, it was announced.

Since the start of the war nearly all sales of these used airplanes have been made to the Civil Aeronautics Administration for training purposes, but it now appears that these planes will be sold in increasing numbers to civilian buyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Martin and children Lloyd and Marian of La Junta, Colo. spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Martin. They left Monday for Rocky Ford, Colo. where they will make their home.

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MUSICAL DINNER

"When a boy reaches sixteen, it is a very special occasion, so would you come and help my grandson, Carroll, celebrate his sixteenth birthday? A quarter of eight at a formal dinner party in the home of Mrs. Harry Brumley."

This was the invitation received by the following dinner guests: Miss Ruth Henry Patman, Mr. William Stanley Carlile, Jr., Miss Edith Joy McCrary, Mr. Bert Smith, Jr., Miss Johnnie Lorraine Johnson, Mr. Calvin Virgil Merchant, Jr., Miss Beverly Gray Stricklin, Mr. Garland Glynn Reeves, Jr., Miss Jean Dale Porter, Mr. John Manly Bryan, Miss Kathleen Ella Grady, and Mr. John Carroll Brumley.

The girls all were in gay evening dresses. The table was lit by candle light and decorated in blue and pink. A three course dinner was served and enjoyed by all. The place cards were made of a

staff of notes from different songs indicating the escort's name or description.

After dinner Mrs. Rolle Brumley played some selections on the piano. Everyone had a wonderful time.

CHAPEL

Presenting Friday's chapel program Junior and Sophomore students of Mrs. L. N. Cox's English classes gave several oral themes which had been chosen as those outstanding in the class.

Manly Bryan spoke on "Amateur Photography"; Max Keys, "My Favorite Airplane"; Wesley Palmer, "Invention and Early Development of the Motion Picture Industry"; Gertrude Calcote, "Duties of a Script Girl"; Jearl Dean Aduddell, "My Favorite Hobby"; and two poems, "The Death of the Flowers" and "The House by the Side of the Road" were given by Billie Jean Knox and Ada Sue

Smith. The book, "Get These Behind Me" by Hartzel Spence was reviewed by Mary Nell Hanks. Ruth Patman spoke on mistakes in English grammar.

"Let Me Call You Sweetheart" and "There's A Long, Long Trail Winding" was sung and announcements were made by Mr. R. E. Drennan.

CORRIDOR COMMENTS

It is more fun to get stuck in deep mud—especially if you are with the right person. Ask a certain gang about Saturday night!

Why is it that a certain someone is always coming around corners when he shouldn't? For example—The Clarendon Hotel corner Tuesday night. That crowd didn't like it so much!!

Aren't these "Four Course" dinners a mix up? Especially when they try to eat so fast and get their spoons mixed up—that's bad!!

Mary Ellen was riding high this week—the Army was here! Lucky!

Lois, Kidd, and Ballew seemed to be having quite a time with their "problem" Thursday evening! What finally happened, kids??

JR. HIGH

Jeanne Marie had difficulty in solving her math this week.

Bob and Buster have been unloading salt this week.

Alice Durant is our new pupil from California.

Ladelle has a pretty hair dress this week.

We are drawing beautiful designs in math.

Here's some hot news! The Astola basketball girls played the Goodnight girls and with only five girls and no practice for four months, beat them 16 to 15. The team is composed of Shirley Smith, Imogene Wilson, and Gertrude Calcote, forward and Billie Jean Knox, Helen Rhoades, and Billie Jo La Grone, guards.

What say we give three rahs for these girls!!!

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What is your favorite branch of the service? Why?

Ada S. Smith: Naval Air Corps; He will soon be in there!

Elise Norwood: Army; Could it be sarcasm because Wayne is in the Navy?

Barbara Bell: There are more Bells than one! Army Air Corps.

Cora L. Muse: Commandos; Well—can't you guess?

Edith McCrary: Navy; Guess again!

Ruth Patman: Navy; various reasons!

Johnnie Johnson: Navy; Whoop-ee!!

Jack Ballew: Army Air Corps; I want to be a tail gunner!

Arvis Davis: Boy Scouts; More excitement!

Mary E. Pipes: Army; And you guess!

Imogene Wilson: Navy; Wouldn't you like to know!

Shirley Smith: Navy; My one and only is in there!!

Kathleen Grady: Army Air Corps; my brother is in there!

Lois McCrary: Navy Seabees; What a question to ask me!

Carroll Brumley: Army Air Corps; the one I want in!

J. R. Morgan: Naval Air Corps; Best branch of service!

Max Keys: Army Air Corps; Carse Tooter is in it!

Raymond Adams: Navy; Better treatment!

Billie J. Land: Army Air Corps; Cause that will be the future!

Bob Bentley: Navy; I like their "bell bottomed" trousers!

Calvin Merchant: Navy; general reasons!

Donald Beard: Navy; Because it is the best!

SOUTH WARD

Gail Stevenson from Miss McGowan's room has moved to Arizona.

Mrs. Prewitt's room is learning to say the days of the week in Spanish.

Miss Mongole's room has bought ten new library books with their P.T.A. fund.

Mrs. Headrick's room is working on Eskimos and the days of the week and months of the year.

Miss Stevens' room has new bookshelves. Everyone is back in school after sickness.

In Mrs. Bain's sixth grade room the pupils have made a sudden improvement in Spanish. They have a new visitor which is a mouse.

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JR. HIGH GOSSIP

Ardith Warren is wearing a darling new sweater of yellow and a green corduroy skirt.

We wonder why Ruth is so very, very sad since Thursday.

It seems that Louise had a little trouble Tuesday night. How about it, Louise?

We wonder where Faye got that cute necklace she is wearing.

Delene, did you get scared Tuesday night?

Who was it Mae was in the show with Saturday night? And it wasn't Fae!

Was Violet happy Tuesday because her sister came home or was it a letter from Oklahoma? We wonder!

Douglas, in the class meeting yesterday, why did you sit in the corner? Afraid?

Everyone wonders what happened to Leo's arm. What did happen, Leo?

Boy! Will the girls be glad when the snow all melts? They're snow balled every afternoon.

In the twenty minute study hall, why does Wanda Rose keep looking towards the back of the study hall?

P. T. A. PROGRAM

Mrs. Holland's fourth grade is putting on this month's P.T.A. program.

"Uncle Sam's Partners," a three act play.

The Cast:

Mr. Brown—Jimmy Lowry.
Mrs. Brown—Eva Lane
John—Delbert Robertson
President of Stamp Club—Bill Bell.

Members of the Stamp Club:

Jeff—Jerry Price
Patrick—Jimmie Thompson
Catherine—Patsy Jackson
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KAPPA KAPPA SORORITY

The Kappa Kappa Sorority met in the home of W. M. Patman Wednesday afternoon, January 19 at five o'clock with Kathleen and Melba Ruth Grady as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order, and new business was discussed which included the selection of a sorority pin.

Marilyn Barlett gave an interesting report on Forest Lawn Memorial Park, stressing statuary and the famous "Last Supper" window.

Delicious refreshments were served to twenty members and the sponsor, Mrs. White.

GOLDSTON

Wilma Smith

Those to visit in the Edd Moor-ing home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Higdon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli and Wayne and Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield and family, Veda Rae Lewis and Mr. Clarence Reynolds.

We are sorry to report that Beatrice Smith is on the sick list this week. Mrs. Smith is staying with her at Groom.

Mrs. Odell McBrayer spent the week end in Amarillo visiting her brother who is stationed there.

Mrs. Dishman has been in bed with the flu this week.

Mrs. Roy Roberson stayed in Groom Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. H. C. Smith and Beatrice.

Veda Rae Lewis spent Sunday night with Betty Fern Higdon.

Wilma Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with Daphne Roberson.

John and Billie Smith visited Sunday in the Roy Roberson home.

Mrs. H. F. Johnson is on her way to recovery. She has been in the hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock were in Borger over the week end.

L. M. Putman visited awhile with John Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell McBrayer spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Haynes.

There will be a box supper at the school house Friday night. The proceeds go to buy playground equipment for the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson of Goodnight Sunday.

The site of the Army Ordnance arsenal in Philadelphia was part of a tract sold in 1742 by John Penn, grandson of William Penn, to Alexander Hamilton for one shilling per hundred acres. Since the site covered '91 acres, its cost at that time was less than a shilling.

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So before you look into your wallet—LOOK INTO YOUR HEART. Your company, the place where you work, has been given a quota to meet in this 4th War Loan Drive. Do your part to help meet this quota. And remember, millions of America's fighters are waiting for your answer, your pledge that you are backing them to the limit.

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Home Slaughter Of Hogs

Donley County Agent, Charles Reed, has received the following information: The War Food Administration has prepared a short summary on the regulations governing farm slaughter of livestock which will help in making them understand more clearly.

Farmers are reminded, for instance, that the removal of limitations on farm sales of pork, which will end on February 17, next—REPEAT: February 17, next—does not mean that restrictions have been lifted on beef, veal, or mutton.

A permit or license for the slaughter and delivery of beef, veal, lamb and mutton still is required when the meat goes to persons living off the farm. They are further reminded that the amount

of meat, other than pork, which a farmer may so deliver is restricted unless he has a license or permit.

Farmers who take advantage of the removal of limitations on sales of pork, are asked to give this cooperation: Always collect ration stamps when meat is sold or delivered to persons off the farm. Ration stamps collected should be turned in to the local war price and ration board along with a brief report of the meat sold. This should be done each month that sales are made.

They also are asked to follow OPA price ceilings and always to register as a seller. They should obtain proper permit for the slaughter of cattle, calves, lambs, sheep and hogs.

J. C. Perdue, Windy Valley farmer, was here on business Monday.

Roy Jewell was here on business from Hedley Monday.

Culling For Egg Production

Charles Reed, Donley County Agent, has received the following information on culling poultry: The 1944 poultry conservation program has been set in motion with a request from the War Food Administration to cull flocks during January. Poultry husbandmen of the A&M Extension Service suggest that all undesirable, weak or runty birds be culled, and only the top layers retained.

The program already is well under way since most hatcherymen have completed selection and testing work on their hatchery egg flocks, says George P. McCarthy, Extension poultryman. Accordingly, most of the culling will be confined to the numerous small flocks over the state. Cull-type hens are wasters. They consume scarce feed and contribute little to the food program until sold for meat. Removing them will mean extra starting feed for 1944 chicks.

In making replacements, McCarthy believes poultry producers will be wise to buy their chicks early this year. Those hatched early are easier to brood because more uniform temperature can be maintained in the brooder house. Moreover, danger from coccidiosis is greatly reduced on chicks brooded during the cooler months.

Poultrymen this year can profit by avoiding last year's mistake of overcrowding their laying houses. In culling flocks or buying chicks for replacements, it is a safe rule to allow three square feet for each bird in the house. For example, a 20 by 20 foot laying house has 400 square feet for floor space. On the basis of three square feet per bird, it would have a safe capacity for 135 laying hens.

McCarthy says that if hens are given adequate feeding space and a good feeding program is adopted, a higher average production can be maintained than possibly could be sustained under other conditions.

Deputy Collector To Be Here Feb. 21st

Deputy Collector C. I. Powell will be at the Antrio Hotel on Feb. 21, 1944, from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., to render assistance with income tax problems to any who desire it. This will be the only visit that can be made to Clarendon before the end of the current filing period on March 15, 1944.

If you desire to receive assistance from the Deputy Collector in the preparation of your 1943 Income Tax Return the following information must be available:

Total salary or wages for 1943, including bonus and overtime pay before deductions.

Statement of Income and Victory Tax withheld by your Employer during 1943. (Form V-2 or W-2)

Total amount of all other income in 1943.

Amount of tax shown on your 1942 return.

Amount paid on your 1942 income tax.

Amount paid on Estimated Return, Form 1040-ES if any.

Members of the Armed Forces during any part of 1942 or 1943 should furnish a copy of their 1942 Income Tax Return.

SAM J. HAMILTON ANNOUNCES FOR DIST. ATTORNEY

The Leader was authorized this week to announce the candidacy of Sam J. Hamilton of Memphis for the office of District Attorney for this district.

Mr. Hamilton was appointed in March of 1943 to fill out the unexpired term of John Deaver who resigned to enter the armed forces as a Captain in the Marine Corps.

Mr. Hamilton has been in the practice of law at Memphis since July, 1912, and is fully qualified and acquainted with the duties of that office. He solicits the vote and influence of all Donley county voters and hopes to get around to see as many of you as possible before election time.

MARVIN HALL ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION AS COMMISSIONER PREC. 4

In announcing my candidacy for the office of county Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, I am doing so solely on the basis of my past record. I believe the experiences I have had in the commissioners court will enable me to render better and more efficient service in the future to the people of Donley county.

If selected again to represent you, I shall at all times be diligent in safeguarding the interest of the taxpayers and citizens of the county. My policy in the future, shall be as in the past, fairness to all, special favor to none.

I appreciate the support and cooperation given me in the past, and earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the coming election.

MARVIN HALL

Clarendon Clinic Hospital Notes

Medical:
Mrs. Lizzie Gargis, Ashtola; Mrs. J. H. Crawford, Clarendon; Mrs. J. J. Longhaggen, Claude.

Surgery:
Mrs. A. V. Mote, Hedley; Miss Millie Land, Hedley; Mrs. Lee Bell, Clarendon.

Births:
Mrs. Maggie Combs, Hedley, a girl.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this means of thanking our friends for their words of sympathy and kind deeds at the passing of our loved one. We also wish to thank those who made beautiful floral offerings. May God bless you is our sincere prayer.

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JACK MOSS LOCATED
Jack Moss, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Moss, who formerly resided here, who has been in the Military service for a long time, and who was "presumed lost" in the Pacific Area for some 2 years, recently reported by card to his father that he is alive and a prisoner of the Japs in Burma. He stated he was well and with friends, naming one, then his signature appeared to be genuine.

Mary Frances Word has accepted a position in C. C. Powell's office.

MORE MOISTURE FALLS IN DONLEY
Donley county along with a large portion of the state, was on the receiving end when .62 inch of moisture fell Wednesday, and the unusual happened when the rain was accompanied by much lightning and thunder, the latter being very unusual for the first month of the year. The rain was welcomed as a whole, for it more or less packed the ground down and will keep it from blowing so badly later on.

Colder weather is forecast for this vicinity tonight and tomorrow.

Mrs. Roy Carhart of Panhandle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cal Merchant this week.

J. T. ROBERTS RETURNS FROM SEA DUTY
J. T. Roberts, seaman first class, USNR, Clarendon, attached to the U. S. Naval Armed Guard Center at New Orleans, La., has just returned from sea duty as a member of a Naval gun crew assigned to an American merchant vessel, it was announced today by headquarters of the 8th Naval district at New Orleans. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts of Clarendon. His wife, Mattie, resides in Hedley.

The young Texas gunner was employed by the Clarendon Home bakery before enlisting. He received his boot training at San Diego, Calif.

Roberts is now awaiting further assignment as a Naval Armed Guard gunner. He has had a year of sea duty since entering the service.

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