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A Common Paper for Common People

Hedley Bank Nears 30-Year Mark

On August 22nd the Security State Bank of Hedley will be 30-years old. It was organized in 1913 with a capital stock of \$15,000 with J. G. McDougal, President; W. B. Quigley, Vice President; T. T. Harrison, Cashier and C. D. Akers, Asst. Cashier. The original directors were T. T. Harrison, J. L. Bain, Bond W. Johnson, W. B. Quigley and J. G. McDougal.

In 1918 T. T. Harrison resigned as cashier and J. D. Swift took his place and remained until 1919 when he left to become cashier of the Farmers State Bank at Clarendon.

In 1919 J. W. Noel of Memphis became cashier and C. L. Johnson also joined the bank's force. In 1919 the banks capital was raised to \$25,000.00 to take care of the growing needs of the community.

In 1925 the Security State Bank purchased the assets of the First State Bank of Hedley and the two institutions were merged in one. The capital was raised to \$35,000 to handle the additional business.

The bank has had only two presidents, J. G. McDougal and J. W. Noel; only four vice presidents, W. B. Quigley, J. W. Noel, T. R. Moreman and J. B. Masterson and only four cashiers, T. T. Harrison, J. D. Swift, J. W. Noel and C. L. Johnson.

The present officers and employees are J. W. Noel, President; J. B. Masterson, Vice President; C. L. Johnson, Cashier; Willie Mae Greer, Asst. Cashier and Peggy Nell Everett, bookkeeper. The directors are J. W. Noel, J. B. Masterson, M. C. Allen, T. M. Post and Sam J. Hamilton.

The bank now has capital of \$35,000.00, surplus and profits of over \$26,000.00, and total resources over \$300,000.00. Their policy of being a home bank and taking care of the home people has assured them a steady growth. Over 80% of the stockholders of the bank live in a radius of 15 miles of Hedley.

Old Timer Picnic To Draw Large Crowd

There will be many a well-filled appetizing basket early Friday morning as the Old-timers of Donley county make preparations to journey to Tate Grove for the Donley County Old Settler's annual picnic.

A varied program will be offered throughout the day, with some kind of entertainment taking place all the time.

Anyone who has lived in Donley county twenty years or longer is invited to attend. Those coming are asked to bring well-filled baskets, meet old friends and enjoy the day.

Don't forget the date is tomorrow, Friday, August 20th, at the Tate Grove northeast of Hedley.

Clarendon & Hedley National Farm Loan Associations Consolidate

Stockholders of the Clarendon and Hedley National Farm Loan Associations recently held meetings at which they voted to consolidate and form a new association to be known as the Donley County National Farm Loan Association, according to Rayburn Smith, Secretary-Treasurer. This association will make loans in Donley County.

"The consolidation will result in one strong association with capital, surplus, and reserves amounting to \$7,500,000. \$880,000.00 in land bank loans and \$300,000.00 in Land Bank Commissioner loans will be serviced through this office," Mr. Smith said.

A full-time office will be maintained at Clarendon. Officers and directors of the association are: C. H. Bugbee, President; J. B. Masterson, Vice-President; A. T. Simmons, C. B. Morris, R. W. Moore.

This consolidation is a part of a state-wide program which will

Baptist Revival Enters Final Three Days

The revival which has been going on for more than a week, will come to a close this Sunday night. Dr. David M. Gardner, who has been doing the preaching, has brought some wonderful messages during the meeting and has merited the praise of a legion of church goers.

Large crowds have been attending the services both morning and night and much good is being manifested at this time. W. D. Kidd, local song leader, has been directing the choir which has added much to the success of the meeting.

Morning services begin at 10 o'clock and the evening services promptly at 8:45. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

Lions Make Final Preparations For Chicken Barbecue

Clarendon Lions made final preparations Tuesday for their coming chicken barbecue to be held at the Country Club next Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m.

The menu will consist of barbecued chicken, red beans, bread, pickles, onions, pie and coffee. Lee Bell, chairman of the preparations committee states that "the food will really be fittin'."

The local ladies and the Hedley Lions and their ladies will be guests of the club at this affair, and a large crowd is expected from the Hedley club.

CLARENDON CANNING CENTER TO CLOSE AUGUST 24th

The Clarendon Canning Center will close Tuesday, August 24th, according to J. R. Gillham, local Vocational Agriculture Instructor, under whose supervision the project has operated. Gillham stated that the center would be re-opened in the early part of September.

The local center working under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Humphrey and Mrs. Josie Ragsdale has canned several thousand cans and jars of foodstuffs and has served as an educational center for instruction in canning with pressure cookers and the use of sealers.

Over one hundred Clarendon and Donley County women have taken advantage of the facilities offered them by the program and the new program in September is expected to reach many more.

Cong. Worley Talks Here Saturday

In making the rounds of his district, Cong. Gene Worley made his visit here Saturday afternoon and spoke to a very attentive crowd at the court house lawn at 4 o'clock. His speech was in the form of a report of his work in Congress and a resume of the war as a whole.

Congressman Worley stressed the fact that the war is not an easy one and that more and more sacrifices will have to be made by all of us before the present emergency can be overcome.

The people of this district have much confidence in Gene Worley and believe that he has done and is doing all he can to serve us to the limit of his ability. He believes that he represents one of the finest districts and the most patriotic people in the Union, and his ambition is to serve them in a way that will reflect honor on his district.

It has been announced that Worley will speak at Amarillo Friday night, August 20, and that his talk will be broadcast over the radio. The exact hour could not be learned at this time.

.18 INCH RAIN REPORTED TUESDAY MORNING

According to the official weather station at the airport, Clarendon and vicinity received .18 inch of moisture Tuesday morning. The rain seemed to be general all over the county and most of the Panhandle and some parts of Donley county reported as much as a half inch.

Even though the moisture was small in measurement, it along with the present cool spell was very beneficial to crops. At least it put a stop to the hot spell and eased the hot wind.

CLARENDON CANNING CENTER TO CLOSE AUGUST 24th

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clayton were joined by Mrs. Marvin Warren and Mrs. Guy Flint at Amarillo and enjoyed a vacation trip and visit in California. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McCracken at Los Angeles and her sister, Mrs. G. W. Osburn at Tomona, Calif. After two weeks they returned home Monday.

Ration Reminder

War Ration Book I
SUGAR — Stamp 14 became valid August 16, expires Nov. 1st. No. 15 and 16, for canning, good for five pounds each through October 31.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 good until October 31, inclusive.

War Ration Book II
BLUE STAMPS—R, S, and T became valid August 1, now expire on September 20. U and V become valid on September 1 and expire October 20.

RED STAMPS—T became valid July 25, U became valid August 1, V became valid August 8, W became valid August 15, all expire on Aug. 31.

GASOLINE—No. 7 "A" coupons now good for 3 gallons each through September 21. "B" and "C" good for 3 gallons each and "E", "R", "T" coupons good for five gallons each. B, C, E, and R issued for 3 months with any coupons left over valid for further use. (Gasoline coupons must be endorsed on the front immediately upon receipt.)

TIRE INSPECTION—"A" book holders must have second official inspection by September 30; "B" book holders, third inspection by October 31; and "C" book holders, third inspection by August 31; "T" book holders, second inspection within 6 months of last date of inspection or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first.

4-H Clubs Boys Prodcing Pork

H. M. Breedlove, County Agent, stated this morning that members of Texas boys' 4-H Clubs who are conducting swine demonstrations will produce the equivalent in pork of the food budgets of 50,000 fighting men during 1943. This estimate by E. M. Regenbrecht, swine specialist for the A&M College Extension Service, is based upon preliminary reports from county Agricultural Agents.

This spring 1,500 purebred sow and boar pigs were placed with Texas 4-H Club boys. These added to the 1,080 likewise placed in 1942, and the 784 in 1941, make a total of 3,364 breeding hogs in the hands of the Club boys. In addition to the production of these animals, many boys are feeding out feeder pigs which they bought in their neighborhoods.

In most instances, Breedlove says, the demonstrations have proved profitable, especially on farms where a surplus of feed grain is produced. It is not uncommon to find boys' sales of hogs sufficiently large to require them to make an income tax return.

Adult farmers likewise have expanded their hog production about as expected. The 1943 spring pig crop was 33 per cent larger than in the preceding year, and a large fall crop is in sight. During the past three years, Texas farmers have made a pronounced improvement in the quality of their hogs. They are getting balanced rations and self-feeders are in use everywhere. Concrete feeding floors and wallows are being built freely on farms and the demand for plans for hog houses and other equipment is large.

A fortunate circumstance is the absence of a serious outbreak of disease among Texas hogs as a whole, Breedlove says. Each time that Texas farmers increased their hog population heretofore the loss from contagious diseases also mounted.

CHARLES M. BALLEW IN ARMY AIR FORCES

Charles M. Ballew is now stationed at the Kearns, Utah Army Air Forces Basic Training Center, it is announced by Col. Converse R. Lewis, Commander.

Before leaving here in July, Pvt. Ballew was agent for the Phillips 66 Oil Co. here. His mother, Mrs. Della Ballew, resides at Texola, Okla. His wife, Mrs. Mattie M. Ballew, lives here in Clarendon.

Lieut. Commander Joe Bourland Reported Missing In Action

MRS. PATTERSON ELECTROCUTED

Mrs. J. C. Patterson of Waco, wife of J. C. Patterson, a former Clarendon boy, was killed when she came in contact with a clothes line which had become highly charged by an electric wire falling across it. Mrs. Patterson had gone to hang out some clothes when the tragedy occurred.

F.F.A. Boys Plan Encampment At McClellan

Members of the Clarendon FFA Chapter from over Donley County will journey to Lake McClellan, Saturday, August 28th, for a two-day outing. J. R. Gillham, F.F.A. Adviser, stated the group would leave from the City Hall at 4 p.m. on the afternoon of the 28th and would return to Clarendon on Sunday the 29th.

All youths who have been members of the organization in past years or those who plan to be during the coming year are eligible to make the trip. Each youth is expected to provide his own bedding and eats for the trip which will be made by truck under Gillham's supervision.

Local Lions Club To Sponsor City Wide Clean-Up Week

F. F. A. Youths To Market Large Number of Hogs

Members of the Clarendon FFA Chapter will market approximately 300 head of hogs during the months of September and October according to J. R. Gillham, local F.F.A. Adviser. Of this number, approximately half will be shown in the local club boys show and the remainder will go directly to the market.

Prospects for keen competition is excellent according to Gillham who visited the youths' projects during the past week. An auction similar to the one held in 1942 will be held and all prize winning animals are expected to yield a nice premium for the youths exhibiting these animals.

The three hundred hogs to be marketed by the local youths will furnish approximately 75,000 lbs. of live pork for the "Food For Victory" movement, and will provide enough pork to feed for more than Donley County's soldier group.

Rundell Tractor Business In New Home

Lon Rundell, who purchased the Fink building across the street from the M-System grocery, has moved all of his equipment to the new location. The building has been remodeled and painted throughout. A large service department has been set aside in order that any kind of tractor or implement repair work can be done more efficiently. The painting and fixing up of the building is considered as a greater asset for our little city.

Mr. Rundell features Allis-Chalmers tractors and equipment and has been associated with this business for the past fourteen years. "I have always wanted a building large enough and fixed up right in order to really give our customers the kind of equipment and service they deserve," Mr. Rundell stated this week.

O'DELL DAVIS STATIONED AT KEARNS, UTAH

Word has been received from the Commander, Col. Converse R. Lewis, that O'Dell Davis is now stationed at the Army Air Forces Basic Training Center at Kearns, Utah.

Pvt. Davis is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Tullis Davis of this city and has been in the Army Air Forces since July 9, 1943.

Mrs. J. H. Easterling returned home Monday after a months visit with relatives in Leesville, Alexandria and Bastrop, La., and in Fordyce, Ark. On her return trip she visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrow at O'Donnel, Tex.

Fair Prices For Cotton Assured Farmers

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove, announced this morning that fair prices for their cotton is assured Texas farmers under this year's cotton loan program.

Based on ninety per cent of parity prices as of August 1, 1943 the beginning of the marketing year, the average basic loan rate for Texas approximates 19.90 cents per pound but will vary in different parts of the state because of distance from warehouses to mills. Under the 1942 program, the average loan rate was 17.92 cents per pound.

As in previous years, the loan rate will be on the net weight of cotton. Premiums and discounts for grade and staple will be calculated in relation to the loan rate on 15/16 middling cotton.

Citing differences in the basic loan rate for key cotton points in the state, P. C. Colgin, commodity loan specialist for the AAA in Texas, said the price varied from 19.75 cents per pound in El Paso to 19.96 cents per pound in Galveston and to 19.96 in Jacksonville.

Other leading points and the rates on a per pound basis included Abilene, 19.89; Big Springs, 19.84; Corpus Christi, 19.78; Greenville, 19.96; Harlingen, 19.84; Vernon, 19.91; and Lubbock, 19.84.

Loans will be made directly by the Commodity Credit Corporation or through lending agencies, principally banks, approved by the Corporation. Also in effect for the second year are farm storage provisions which apply to all cotton counties.

Producers' notes will bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum and will mature July 1, 1944, but will be callable on demand. Loans will be available until May 1, 1944.

According to state AAA records, Texas has approximately 333,000 cotton farms, the majority of which are expected to participate in this year's loan program.

Saturday Is Positively Last Day Pictures Will Be Accepted For Victory Edition

With more than 450 pictures of Donley county men and women who are serving in the armed forces, the Leader is poised to begin actual printing of the forthcoming Victory Edition. Two more days, Friday and Saturday, are being allowed for those who have not brought in photos of their loved ones who are serving their Uncle Samuel.

It is hoped that five hundred pictures in all can be obtained and that would be as near complete as it is possible to make it, since we have been told that there are somewhere between five and six hundred Donley county men and women in uniform.

Gordon Bain, chairman of the special activities committee of the local Lions Club, announced Wednesday that the City Wide Clean-Up campaign, voted to be sponsored by the local club at their Tuesday luncheon, would begin Monday, August 23rd and continue through that week.

"No longer period of time should be necessary for this measure as long as we are taking the health of our children into consideration in relation to the Infantile Paralysis epidemic over the state," Mr. Bain stated.

The City Commission has stepped in with full cooperation and aid "that certain clean-up actions must take place in order to satisfy the State Health Department or there is the possibility of the entire city being condemned."

The City will furnish a truck and a driver to haul off trash. All you have to do is call the City Hall and make your request. All vacant lots are to be cleared of weeds and rubbish, and you are requested to clean-up your own premises in the same manner. You are requested to burn everything that is burnable, but to be very careful about letting weed or grass fires get out of your control. If there is a vacant lot near you, you are asked to help, along with your neighbors, to clean it up if you possibly can. When you get ready to burn a lot that you think is a little risky, all you have to do is call the City Hall and request the fire truck to come and stand by while the burning is taking place.

We have no infantile paralysis cases in this county at this time, but it is necessary to take the steps now to prevent an outbreak before your child or someone's child is stricken with the deadly disease.

Clarendon people have never fallen down on a job yet. Let's everyone cooperate and help the Lions Club and the City put this Clean-up campaign over in a big way. Let's make our little city thoroughly clean by Monday, August 30th.

Please turn to page two, column 1 of this issue of your Leader and read what the state health department has to say about infantile paralysis and what should be done to help prevent its occurrence. A few precautions might save a life.

SGT. MARVIN R. JONES RECEIVES MEDAL

The Good Conduct medal has been presented to Sgt. Marvin R. Jones of Clarendon by Colonel Ralph E. Holmes, commanding officer of the Lubbock Army Air Field.

The medal is awarded to soldiers who have completed a year of service in time of war with a rating of excellent as to conduct and efficiency on their job.

Sgt. Jones is the son of Mrs. J. F. Jones of Clarendon and was a farmer when he entered the Air Forces and he is now an airplane mechanic.

Remember - - Saturday of this week, August 21st, is the latest date which pictures can be accepted for publication in the special issue, and if you have not been able to get one in uniform, bring on the one in civilian clothes as it will do.

Remember, too, that your reservation for the more permanent copy of the Victory Edition—the booklet form—should be in this office within the next very few days. The price is only \$1 and it will be a lasting tribute to those from this area as well as to all Americans in every branch of the service.

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Suggestions Concerning The Control And Prevention of Poliomyelitis

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued the following statements and suggestions concerning the control and prevention of poliomyelitis...

Until recently it was generally believed that this infection is transmitted by means of discharges from the respiratory tract. It is now believed that poliomyelitis is primarily another of the several gastrointestinal infections...

Strict sanitary measures must be observed in all communities. Stringent efforts should be made to eliminate the house-fly and to destroy its breeding places. All mosquitoes and mosquito breeding places must be eliminated at once...

All swimming pools should, under rigid supervision, maintain those standards approved by the Texas State Department of Health. This necessarily includes maintenances of proper chlorine level...

All raw foods and vegetables should be washed thoroughly before use and protected from flies, filth and insects. All eating and food handling establishments should adhere strictly to the State

Law concerning the sterilization of dishes and utensils. In the present emergency, those restaurants with insufficient personnel to maintain approved sanitation should close one or two hours a day so that employees can assist in maintaining cleanliness and high sanitary standards.

Every effort should be made to secure approved milk. Rats and mice should be eliminated. Maintained in the home the same sanitary standards that are necessary in community life...

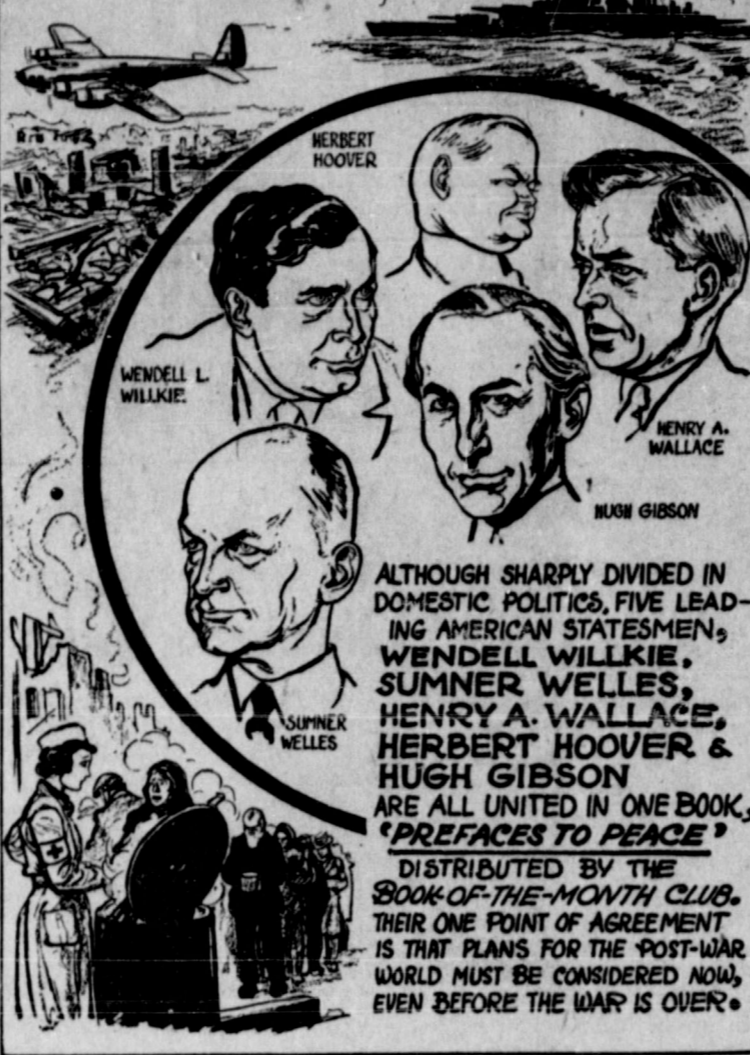
Over-exertion in children should be avoided. Children should not visit homes where there is a sick child. Cases should be quarantined for 14 days and adults who work in food establishments should be particularly instructed in personal hygiene...

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever vomiting, drowsiness, followed by stiffness in the neck and back. When suspicious symptoms appear, a physician should be called immediately.

Fresh fish makes a good summertime dish. It's a source of highly digestible proteins, has a goodly store of phosphorus, and some calcium.

Ex Libris... By William Sharp

POST WAR UNITY



ALTHOUGH SHARPLY DIVIDED IN DOMESTIC POLITICS, FIVE LEADING AMERICAN STATESMEN, WENDELL WILLKIE, SUMNER WELLES, HENRY A. WALLACE, HERBERT HOOVER & HUGH GIBSON ARE ALL UNITED IN ONE BOOK, 'PREFACES TO PEACE'...

United Gas to Aid In Putting Over War Loan Drive

As an aid to putting over the greatest single financial undertaking in the history of any country in the world—the fifteen billion dollar Third War Loan drive to begin September 9, United Gas Pipe Line Company and associated companies are publishing an advertisement in the Donley County Leader and more than 300 other daily and weekly newspapers in the Gulf South.

The advertisement, captioned "WHICH will Johnny be?" points out that "no sacrifice or effort we must make is too great to make sure that the youth of America shall never be the mere pawn of a tyrant dictator."

United Gas Pipe Line Company is engaged in producing and transporting natural gas to meet the fuel requirements of war industries, cities and military centers throughout the Gulf South. Oil production of its associated company is going to meet military requirements in this country and at distant battlefronts.

Youths Wanted In Air Forces

South Plains youth 17-years-old now are being given the opportunity of choosing training in Uncle Sam's expanding Air Force!

Youth of the area who volunteer now will be given a chance to finish their present semester of education, all of them waiting until they are 18-years-old before starting their training as pilots, bombardiers, navigators and other members of the Allied flying might.

The youths are advised to contact the nearest Aviation Cadet recruiting centers. Written consent of parents is necessary. Upon enlisting in the Air Corps reserve, the youths will receive special Aviation Cadet wings.

Any youth who enlists in this program will be given an opportunity to receive the finest possible training in the world today, leading to wings and commissions. Further details may be obtained by writing or contacting the Public Relations Office at South Plains Army Air Field in Lubbock.

South Plains Army Field Day, Sept. 2

Gov. Coke Stevenson has proclaimed September 2, 1943, South Plains Army Air Field Day in Texas.

Gov. Stevenson in his proclamation said: "By virtue of an intensive and ambitious training program carried out under the direction of its commanding officer, Col. Norman B. Olsen, SPAAF has become 'the Home of the Winged Commandos,' known as such throughout the nation, and has proved that the military glider is safe, practicable and effective."

The governor further pointed out that "more young, expert glider pilots have been graduated from the South Plains Army Air Field than any other place in the world, including those youthful fighters who have flown, are flying and will fly American gliders in the invasion of Europe."

A special program is now being planned for September 2. It is hoped that leading civilian and Army officials will be on hand for the occasion.

This is the second such honor for the field, a similar tribute being paid last year.

Farmers Urged To Fight For Higher Grade of Cotton

War Food Administrator Marvin Jones has appealed to cotton farmers, ginners and pickers of Donley County to help relieve a critical shortage of high grade cotton for war purposes. He points out that while the nation's total stocks of cotton are still large, "the decline in grade is startling."

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the War Food Administration and the National Cotton Council have placed in the hands of ginners in Donley County, and in the office of County Agent H. M. Breedlove, supplies of literature and other materials which show the methods through which grade may be improved by the individual harvester and ginner of seed cotton.

Gins in the county have been asked to display large posters emphasizing the importance of grade improvement. They have likewise been asked to attach cards to wagons and trucks bringing cotton to the gin, in order that the message may be carried back to pickers in the field, and to distribute leaflets which point out various grade improvement procedures.

The National Cotton Council, heading up the program in behalf of all branches of the industry, is calling for "superhuman effort to deliver a maximum of high grades despite the obvious difficulties of labor shortages."

"To give the army an adequate supply of the grades required for military goods," says the Council, "it is going to be necessary for every individual farmer to: (1) pick his cotton only when it is dry; (2) keep leaf and other trash out of it; (3) get cotton out of the field before it suffers weather damage; (4) be sure that he does not mix good cotton with bad."

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Advertisement for Douglas-Goldston Drug Co. THE REXALL STORE Phone 36

Advertisement for Donley County Abstract Company C. E. KILLOUGH Phone 44

Advertisement for Simpson's Mill & Feed Store PHONE 149

PASTIME THEATRE

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

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20th LAST TIMES Randolph Scott and Glenn Ford "DESPERADOES" 11-30¢

SATURDAY ONLY AUGUST 21st Betty Rhodes and MacDonald Carey

"Salute For Three" Also Warner Bros. Service Special in Color "Training Champions" 11-25¢

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WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY & FRIDAY, AUGUST 25-27th MICKEY ROONEY FRANK MORGAN

The Human Comedy Also Latest Issue of Fox News 11-30¢ COMING - September 1-2-3rd Robert Taylor in "BATAAN"

COZY THEATRE SATURDAY ONLY AUGUST 21st DON (Red) BARRY "SUNDOWN KID" Last Chapter of "KING OF THE MOUNTIES" 11-20¢

Have a "Coke" = Aloha No (WELCOME, FRIEND)



...or how to be at home in Hawaii

There are two ways to greet a friend in Hawaii. Aloha No, says the native, and Have a "Coke", says the sailor. Both expressions carry the same note of welcome and affection.

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THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH
By the Apostle
BRAINSTORMER.
One of the interesting facts of anatomy is that the man with a sluggish mind has a very active mouth. From that condition was

coined the saying that "he suffers from a constipation of ideas and a diarrhoea of words."
ANATOMY—MOLIGAL.
The girl who is "somebody" in Hollywood, generally has some body.
SCANDAL—PRAISE.
The woman who prates about her model husband likely never

took time to look in her dictionary to find out the meaning of the word model.
SMART GUY.
A tourist stopping at a local service station here Monday had noted the large drouth area. In striking up a conversation, he remarked to the station attendant: "Looks like you need rain here." The station man then commented:

"I wish it would. Not so much for myself, but for my son driving that car over there. I've seen it rain twice."
RELIEF.
In these days when meat is almost meatless, it isn't good form to apologize for the toughness, but, like scratching your chiggers, it gives the lady of the house momentary relief.

Plan **BETTER MEALS**
FOOD BUYS

LIGHTHOUSE CLEANSER For	5c
CARROTS Diced, 16 1/2 oz. Size Can—2 for	25c
MATCHES Finest Superior—5 Boxes	23c
MIXED PICKLING SPICES 1/4 pound	10c
SPINACH No. 2 1/2 Can	21c
CAN-O-HOMINY Makes 1 Quart	10c
BESTYETT DRESSING 1 Quart	35c

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Pound

Coffee CHASE & SANBORN
Reg. or Drip
1 Pound

Pineapple HAWAII
Sliced
No. 2 Can

Tomato Juice HOUSE OF GEORGE
TEXAS
No. 2 Can
2 for

MILK Evaporated
Marshalls
Red Seal
6 Small Cans

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Ladies Gowns Creme and Satin \$2.49 up	Children's RAYON and SATIN SLIPS 59c	Bath Mats AND SCATTER RUGS \$1.25 up	NEW SHIPMENT Ladies and Children's OXFORDS \$2.49 up
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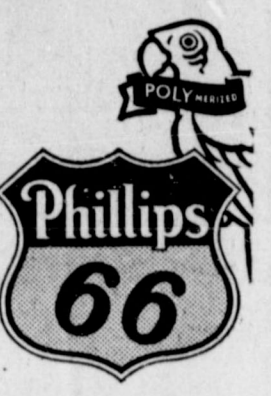
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CHIGGERS.
Some years ago when Mary McKittrick returned to her home in Topeka, Kansas from a creekside picnic, she scratched. In fact she scratched up an idea that has since been published all over the nation. Here it is:
"Oh, here's to the chigger That isn't much bigger Than the point of a small pin, But the lump that he raises Itches like blazes, And that's where the rub comes in."
CHANGES.
If you are in a business that has suffered from style changes, sympathize with the man handling bottled wares. He's screwing corks on now instead of pushing them in.
TWO RULES.
There are two good rules that ought to be written upon every heart. Never believe anything bad about anybody, unless you positively know it is true. Never tell even that, unless you feel that it is absolutely necessary, and that God is listening while you tell it.
HISTORY.
Adam and Eve weren't in love with each other. They simply didn't have any competition.
Some girls do fancy work. Some don't fancy work at all.
Be a live wire and you won't get stepped on.
When a man has a birthday, he seldom takes a day off. When a woman has one, she takes off several years.
A fault of the times, according to FBI Hoover's report, is too much birth control, and not enough control, after they are born.
A woman in shorts with a bib will go anywhere. But a man doesn't want to go any place without a necktie.
Headline: "Man Struck by Car Improves." If it improves 'em to hit 'em with cars, why stop the practice?
The heat, plus an entire lack of gray matter, has caused the old Apostle to run out of anything to say. If you want more of this kind of foolishness, go back and read it all over again. I'm going home and soak my dogs.
Sour milk may be used in pancakes, biscuits, butter cakes, and gingerbread. Cottage cheese may be made from it also.
When greens are washed, sand and grit may be removed by lifting the vegetables from a pan of water rather than pouring the water off.

Traffic Signs May Be Standardized

Do unfamiliar traffic signs and signals confuse you when driving in strange cities?
In the future they will be all alike, if Texas organizations interested in traffic safety have their way.
C. J. Rutland, chairman of the traffic safety division of the Texas Safety Association, reveals that the mayors of every Texas city have been urged to standardize their traffic signs and markings as a safety measure.
The standard suggested is found in the war edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control devices, agreed upon by the American Association of Highway Officials, the Institute of Traffic Engineers, and the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety.
In a letter to the Texas mayors, Rutland, together with E. E. McAdams, director of the League of Texas Municipalities, and J. M. Welch, president of the Texas Police Association, urged that the Manual be adopted by ordinance.

The letter explained that the Manual had been approved by the Texas Highway Department and the State Department of Public Safety.
"Various transportation facilities have brought all of our cities close to each other, and certainly all of them should adopt a standard set of regulations on traffic control devices so that police or engineering departments of each community, as they rehabilitate old equipment and install new, may follow national standards," Rutland stated.
The safety director pointed out that the constant movement of men in their armed services, resulting in "accidents, confusion, and congestion in many instances," has focused national attention on the inconsistencies of traffic signs, signals and markings.
Mrs. Harry Tyler of Lawton, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Speed.

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BUSY WOMENS S. S. CLASS

The Busy Womens S. S. Class of the Methodist Church met in a social at the home of Mrs. L. L. Taylor Friday. Mrs. Taylor gave the class each a lovely Red Cross Quilt top she had pieced and which the class will quilt. She also presented Mrs. C. A. Burton with a lovely pillow because she had been her S. S. teacher for 26 years. Mrs. Taylor served a lovely 2-

course plate lunch in the late afternoon to 12 guests.

PICNIC PARTY

Louva Hunt and Bettie Jean Decker entertained with a picnic party at the City Park Thursday afternoon complimenting Jean Scoggins of Claude. Games were played and refreshments served to honoree Jean Scoggins of Claude, Ann Williams of West Columbia, Texas, Nancy Ann Bell of Daltart, Janice Stegall of Pampa and

May Morris, Mary Ladell Cox, Ira Jean Estlack, Jo Ann Thompson, Jo Ann Ritter, Lama V Tatum, Juanita Carpenter, Johnnie Lorane Johnson and Louva Hunt and Bettie Jean Decker.

GARDEN CLUB

The August guest day meeting of the Clarendon Garden Club has been postponed indefinitely.

Church News

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
J. J. Grubbs, Pastor
Sunday school—10 a. m.
Preaching—11 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed.—7:30 p. m.

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

Sunday, August 22—The Ninth Sunday after Trinity.
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
The semi-annual presentation of the United Thank Offering of the Woman's Auxiliary will be made at this time. There will be no eleven o'clock service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. M. D. Newton of Happy, Texas will preach at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, Aug. 22 at 11 a. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
L. Guy Ament, Pastor
The morning services will be at 11 a. m. Communion and sermon. All are cordially invited to worship with us. What are you worth to the church? Make your christian life something definite. Do not forsake the assembling of yourself with God's people, as some do. Be thou faithful unto death and a crown of life is promised you. The pathway of human progress has been blazed by brave pioneers who believed more than they knew. Your faith should lead you in actions.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hudson are at Pampa where he has accepted a position.



Miss Helen Martin Is Commissioned Third Officer

A former member of the faculty of the American College for Girls in Cairo, Egypt, recently was commissioned a Third Officer in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. She is Third Officer Helen M. Martin of Pampa, Texas, who completed Officer Candidate School on Aug. 13 at First WAAC Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

As music instructor, Third Officer Martin was one of a group of Americans on the staff of the school to which high-caste Egyptians sent their daughters to learn Western customs and culture.

Third Officer Martin is a graduate of Syracuse University at Syracuse, N. Y., and received her Master of Arts degree from the University of Washington, Seattle, Wash. She has also studied at the American Conservatory of Music at Fontainebleau, France, and at Columbia University in New York City.

Before enrolling in the WAAC, Third Officer Martin was supervisor of music in the public schools at Pampa, Tex. She joined the Corps on Jan. 18 at Lubbock, Tex., and took Basic Training at Third WAAC Training Center, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. She was an interviewer in the Classification Section at Second WAAC Training Center, Fort Devens, Mass., until she reported July 2 for Officer Candidate School at First WAAC Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

Her sister, Auxiliary Mildred Martin of El Reno, Okla., is a member of the Corps and is stationed at Fort Devens, Mass.

Miss Martin is a former Clarendon resident and will be remembered by many friends here.

ALLISON BOYS VISIT PARENTS

Cpl. and Mrs. Boyd Allison arrived Tuesday on a 2-weeks furlough to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Horton and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Allison. This is the second furlough Cpl. Allison has had since he entered service, which will be 2 years in October.

Cpl. Allison's brother, Pvt. Arlis Allison, is to arrive this Thursday on a 3-day pass. Pvt. Arlis Allison is stationed at Laughlin Field at Del Rio, Texas.

Clarendon Clinic Hospital Notes

Medical:
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Springfield of Gainesville, Texas; Mrs. Belle Butler of Clarendon.

Surgical:
Loretta Cowan, Ruby Lee Morrison, Carolyn McDonald, Guy Alden Wright, Ann Tipton, all of Clarendon; Patricia Ruth Land, Jackie Dale Land, Mrs. Jack Land, all of Amarillo; Mrs. W. H. Moss of Clarendon; Mrs. Fanny Wilson, Amarillo; Mrs. F. L. Bandy, Clarendon.

Births:
Mrs. B. C. Sharp, Hedley, a girl.

Mrs. W. L. Curry of Sumnerfield and her niece, Pearl Procher and Mr. and Mrs. John Black, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Baker and Jaunita of Amarillo visited Mrs. W. A. Davis, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Osborn of Amarillo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leck Goldston Sunday. They also attended the Reeves funeral here.

H. E. McDonald of Joy, Texas is visiting the family of his son, W. H. McDonald.

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CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to everyone who by word or deed aided us in our sorrow. May you find such friends in your hour of need is our wish.
Children of Mrs. Tatum

Mrs. T. A. Ellis of Gainesville, Texas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon.

Mrs. Pete C. Coffman left Sat. for Dallas for a visit with her daughter.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks and deepest appreciation is extended to the many loyal friends for your kind expressions of sympathy and your beautiful floral offerings during the loss of our beloved Paul.

Mrs. E. R. Reeves
Annie Reeves
Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reeves

Mrs. R. H. Alexander is leaving Friday for Lubbock to be with her daughter, Lois. Mrs. Alexander sold her home to Rolle Brumley.

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Grape Juice	White Swan QUART	38c
Fruit Cocktail	Gold Bar CAN	19c
GRAPES	Red Empors POUND	28c
PEAS	MISSION—No. 2 Can	17c
CORN	KUNERS, Vacuum Pack—Can	15c
TOMATO JUICE	KUNERS—No. 2 Can	13c
SALMON	PINK—Can	27c
PEACHES	BRIMFULL—No. 2 1/2 Can	27c
PRUNES	2 lb. Box	35c
ICE CREAM MIX	ZIP makes 1/2 gallon—Pkg.	10c
BLACKEYED PEAS	FRESH—No. 2 Can	15c

PETER PAN Peanut Butter

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30c

SYRUP
Blue Label Karo
5 lb. Jar
44c

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Pure Fruit
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FOR SALE - Five room stucco house at Hedley. See Dick Vallance at M System grocery at Clarendon. (14tc)
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WANTED - A woman for general housework for a couple. Permanent place. Call 368-W or write Box 13, Clarendon. (25-c)
WANTED - Lady to do house work who can stay all time. See R. I. McGowan or phone 476-R. (24-3p)
WANTED - Unlimited quantity of scrap metal of all kinds except tin. Will pay a fair price. See Jerome Price. (26-2c)

WANTED - Unlimited quantity of Earth or (fish) worms. Will pay \$1 per quart of solid worms. Bring to the Leader office. Bert Howell, Concessionaire, Lake McClellan. (9-tfc)
WANTED - Empty feed sacks. Thomas Mill & Feed Store. (31tc)
Sewing Machines Repaired. Any make. All work done at store. Thompson Bros. Co. (13-tfc)
WANTED - Will pay cash for good used wire clothes hangers. Unlimited quantity needed. Parsons Bros. (9-tfc)
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WANTED - A second-hand youth saddle that is in good condition. Phone 197 or see Dale Hill at Davis Bumper to Bumper. (26tc)
WANTED - Capable typist would like steady position. Write box 298, Clarendon. (26-p)
Mr. and Mrs. Eomer Thomas and family of Ft. Worth have returned home after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Thomas.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gammon and small daughter Elene who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane, have returned to their home in Ft. Worth.
Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ballew of McKenney left for McKenney Wednesday after a weeks visit with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon.
Mrs. J. L. Hopkins and son J. Mack who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon left Wednesday for her home at Tonkawa, Okla.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Benson were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Ordnance In The Aleutians
The nation which holds Alaska holds strategic control of the airways of the world.
Thus spoke General William (Billy) Mitchell, Chief of the Army Air Corps, in 1925. For this reason, the conquest of Kiska will be only a prelude to major air operations in this vital area.
The Aleutian Chain projects to within 500 miles of the Jap base of Paramushiru, recently raided by our B24 Liberators. Paramushiru, is the last island in the Kurile group, just north of the main Japanese Island group. Future attacks will eventually hit all of the Kuriles and extend to the more thickly populated islands of Japan proper.
The United States is strongly established in Alaska, and on Amchitka, Attu and Adak in the Aleutians. We are there for keeps. Local Aviation-Ordnance problems have been licked.
Here are a few highlights of Lt. Col. L. K. Pepple's report on operations of the Ordnance Department, Army Service Forces, in the Aleutians received to-day by Lt. Col. R. M. Bacher, commanding Pantex Ordnance Plant, near Amarillo, Texas. Col. Pepple is Assistant Air Ordnance Officer, Headquarters, Army Air Forces, and is a native of Lima, Ohio.
Ordnance combat troops store, maintain and test all types of ammunition. They deliver completely assembled bombs and belted machine-gun ammunition to all airplanes of the combat squadrons. They inspect and repair all guns and cannon installed in combat planes.
Pepple's report stressed that these Lt. Col. Bacher said that Col. operations must be carried on under the most adverse weather conditions. It rains almost continuously the greater part of the year. Climatic conditions are particularly severe during the winter season which extends from September through April.
Ammunition storage is extremely difficult. For the last thousand miles on the Aleutian Chain there are no trees—hence no local wood supply for building storage facilities for bombs, bombardment flares, fuzes, pyrotechnics, and small arms and cannon ammunition.
Lt. Col. Bacher cited from the report the fact that Amchitka, Attu and Adak Islands are of rock formation, but any level area is covered with a spongy tundra or boggy muskeg which may extend from a depth of 2 to 20 feet. The tendency of heavy ammunition stacks to sink in the moist tundra makes the storage problem especially difficult.
In servicing bombs to aircraft, because of the difficulties of transportation across the tundra with wheeled vehicles, it is necessary that an additional ammunition area be established near the runway.
Last October and November, Col. Pepple instructed Ordnance personnel on how to prepare bombs for minimum altitude bombing—popularly known as deck-level or skip bombing. This innovation in Air Force tactics has been successfully employed ever since against the Japs.
An ideal site for proof work and, particularly, for testing demolition bombs over water has been found at Knik Arm in Alaska, where there is a phenomenal tide. Here there is a depth of 12 to 15 feet of water upon which bombs can be released at high tide. At ebb tide, an area of approximately 3/4 miles of bottom is exposed, so that any unexploded bombs may be inspected to determine the cause of explosion failure as the bomb lays in the position in which it came to rest. Ordnance observers watch bomb performances from a slit trench near the front of a high bluff overlooking this unique Alaskan proving ground.
Lt. Col. Bacher said that the deadly effectiveness of Ordnance firepower was highlighted in Col. Pepple's report with a description of the Holtz Bay, Attu Island action last November, when 4 Lockheed P-38's destroyed 8 Jap single-float seaplane Zeros in 47 seconds. This is still the record in the lonely Aleutians, key to world air dominance.
Mr. and Mrs. Dee Lowery were up from Childress the week end making arrangements to move to Clarendon to teach school.
Raw green cabbage contains vitamin C—the greener the leaves, the more vitamins and minerals.
Vegetables should be stirred only when absolutely necessary. Stirring mixes air into the food and air is a vitamin-destroyer.

Canada's Guns are Heard 'Round the World
The roar of Canada's guns is being heard today all around the world, on land, on sea and in the air. Foreign to Canadian industry before the war, gun manufacture is now being carried out in scores of plants from coast to coast.
Heaviest land gun built in the Dominion is the mighty 3.7 inch ack-ack gun. Many of these are defending England's coasts and cities from Axis air attacks.
Canada is now manufacturing more than 1,000,000 shells every month, together with great quantities of aerial bombs, trench mortar bombs, and anti-tank mines. Production of shells comprises 28 types of 15 different calibres. A great variety and quantity of shell components are also made. In production are 500-lb. aerial bombs, practice bombs, depth charges, anti-tank mines, grenades, pyrotechnics, etc. Canadian factories turned out their 2,000,000,000th round of small arms ammunition during February.
Small arms ammunition now produced is of 22 types of nine calibres. This ammunition is made for every type of small arms being produced in the Dominion. Both go to more than 50 different destinations in every part of the world for the many battlefields of this global war.
The energy and productive facilities engaged in the production of small arms ammunition may be gauged from the fact that one of these calibres alone—the .303—takes more than 50 separate operations to complete.
Before the war 500 persons were employed making small arms ammunition in one plant. There are now 30,000 workers in two government arsenals and plants being operated for the government by private industry.

New Battle Bayonet
American combat units on all battlefronts are now being supplied with a shorter, lighter and sturdier bayonet by the Ordnance Department, Army Service Forces.
According to Lt. Col. R. M. Bacher, commanding Pantex Ordnance Plant, near Amarillo, strategic materials saved through development of the new bayonet total 362 tons of high carbon steel from estimated 1943 production and 560 tons from the forecast of 1944 production.
The blade of the bayonet has been shortened six inches (from 16 to 10 inches) its weight reduced considerably, and its battle use improved. The new bayonet, like the old one, is flat or sword-like in appearance. It may be used as a trench knife, is easy to handle, and has been especially welcomed by jungle fighters, paratroops, and air-borne infantry.
Japs still retain the flat, razor-sharp bayonet on their rifles. About a year ago, however, the British changed from a blade 12 to 16-inches long to a 7-inch triangular blade. The Russians still continue to use a triangular blade which is issued without a scabbard and is seldom taken from the rifle. The French bayonet is long, round and sharpened to a needle point.
Bayonet drill, despite long range mechanized and aerial warfare, is still standard training in the American Army.

LOCALS
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Land returned home Friday from Tucumcari, N. Mex., where they had visited a week with their son, Marvin and family. Marvin drove the car back home for them and visited a few days, returning to his home Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Mullens of Borger visited Mrs. Mollie Gray and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Land Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Land and family visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McElvany of Houston visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Benson Jr., last week.
Mrs. Russell Barton of Dallas spent the week end in the F. M. Barton home.
Cpl. Doyle Martin of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Martin here last week. He also attended the funeral of his uncle, E. O. Troweck at Crowell Wednesday of last week.
Mrs. J. F. Jones has returned home from a visit with her son Ernest Jones at Littlefield. Her son Marvin of Lubbock accompanied her home and spent a few days. He left for Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. C. W. Martin returned from Crowell Monday where she had attended the funeral of her brother, E. O. Troweck, last Wednesday.
Mrs. Fred Reid of Paducah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas and other relatives here the past week end.
Rev. J. W. Oller of Vernon is here visiting his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Oller and family.
Mrs. W. C. McDonald and two daughters Myrre and Janice of Plainview are visiting in Clarendon.
Rayburn Smith returned home Tuesday morning after spending the week end with his son Victor in Ft. Worth.
J. D. Bourland and daughter Mary Kate of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bourland of McLean were guests in the Frank Bourland home Sunday.
E. L. King of Amarillo was a guest in the Frank Bourland home Saturday.
Mrs. Claude Carpenter of Sweetwater spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Crawford.
Mrs. David Gates from Amarillo spent the week end in the W. W. Crawford home.
Rev. J. W. Oller of Vernon is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Crawford.
Mrs. M. D. Stephens and daughter Carolyn have returned home to Wichita Falls after a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. M. Ozier.

A Message to Every Farmer
MARVIN JONES, Administrator
WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION
A CRITICAL SITUATION
Food produced by American farm families nourishes peoples all over the globe—our boys on many fighting fronts; our allies; the people in liberated countries. Food from American farms nourishes 130 million civilians who are producing for victory.
It is only by the sweat of your brow . . . the furrow of your plow . . . that the United Nations can go on . . . and on . . . to victory.
Your plowing takes gasoline. Harvesting takes more gasoline. Trucking produce to market takes still more gasoline.
That's why the farmer has been given an A-1 (very critical) preference in eligibility for gasoline today. A preference only secondary to that of the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission, Coast Guard, and Lend-Lease.
Farmers respect that privilege. Honor it.
Their transport (TT) coupons they know are to be used for trucks only. Their E and R coupons they know are to be used for off-the-road purposes—tractors, farm machinery. Their A, B, or C coupons for essential motor car purposes.
And that's the way most farmers are using them.
But now, because of the severely critical situation on gasoline that is spreading from the east coast westward to the source, farmers, along with all other citizens, are asked to save gasoline wherever they can. Whether for tractor, truck or car, say to yourself, "Is it really necessary?"
Perhaps you could car-share on that trip to town and save a few gallons. You could share your truck and save neighbor Brown a few gallons. Every time you can hitch up a team in place of using the tractor you can save a few gallons. Every gallon saved helps the war effort.
The way you use your gasoline is a war responsibility. Your country is counting on you to help solve this critically short gasoline situation.

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Mrs. Fred Swift of Memphis is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift.
Misses Ruth Richerson and Mat-Rhodes left this Thursday for Austin on business.
Mrs. Clyde Alexander and two children will leave Sat. to join her husband at Okla. City.
Jean Scoggins of Claude visited last week with Bettie Jean Decker and Louva Hunt.
Mrs. Ben Williams and daughter Ann of West Columbia, Texas and Mrs. Dick Bell and daughter Nancy Ann of Dalhart are visiting their mother, Mrs. A. T. Cole.
Charlotte Merchant who has been visiting the past month with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant returned to her home at Dallas Friday.
Pvt. Lee Heathington of Haan, Calif., has been visiting his wife and baby and his parents.
Mrs. A. J. O. Bauer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Osborn in California.

MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

Kennedy Davis came down from Amarillo Sunday to spend a two-weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparks arrived here the past week for a visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor visited in the W. K. Davis home Wednesday eve.

Mrs. Gamble returned from a Memphis hospital the past week and is now able to be up. A sister is visiting with her.

Another one of Midway pioneers went to her rest Friday when Mrs. T. L. Naylor who had arrived here from Wichita Falls a few weeks back for a visit with her sons, passed away. Mrs. Naylor had been ill for several years, and her death was not unexpected, but all her friends and past neighbors grieve over her going. She was a woman of pioneer character. No one ever turned from her door with out feeling her power of goodness and kindness.

Miss Jo Ann Davis returned to Silvertown with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis last week for a few days visit. She returned Sunday.

LaVern Goldston and sons Freddy and Jimmy spent Sunday in the John Goldston home while Mrs. Goldston and son Jerry visited with her father, Mr. McMahan of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell and child-

ren visited his parents near Hedley Monday.

Vernon Dennis Goldston is spending the week camping and fishing at Lake McClellan with his brother LaVern Goldston and family.

Mrs. Lively and family were over from Pampa Saturday.

Mrs. Stone visited her daughter Mrs. Pete Riley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kettle and daughter of Wichita Falls came up Saturday for the funeral of her mother. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis spent Sunday and Sunday night with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelce Roberson and daughter Peggy of Hedley spent the week end at Plainview with Mrs. A. B. Stephens.

Mrs. Stephens and baby returned with them for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Edith Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathews spent Sunday in the Longan home.

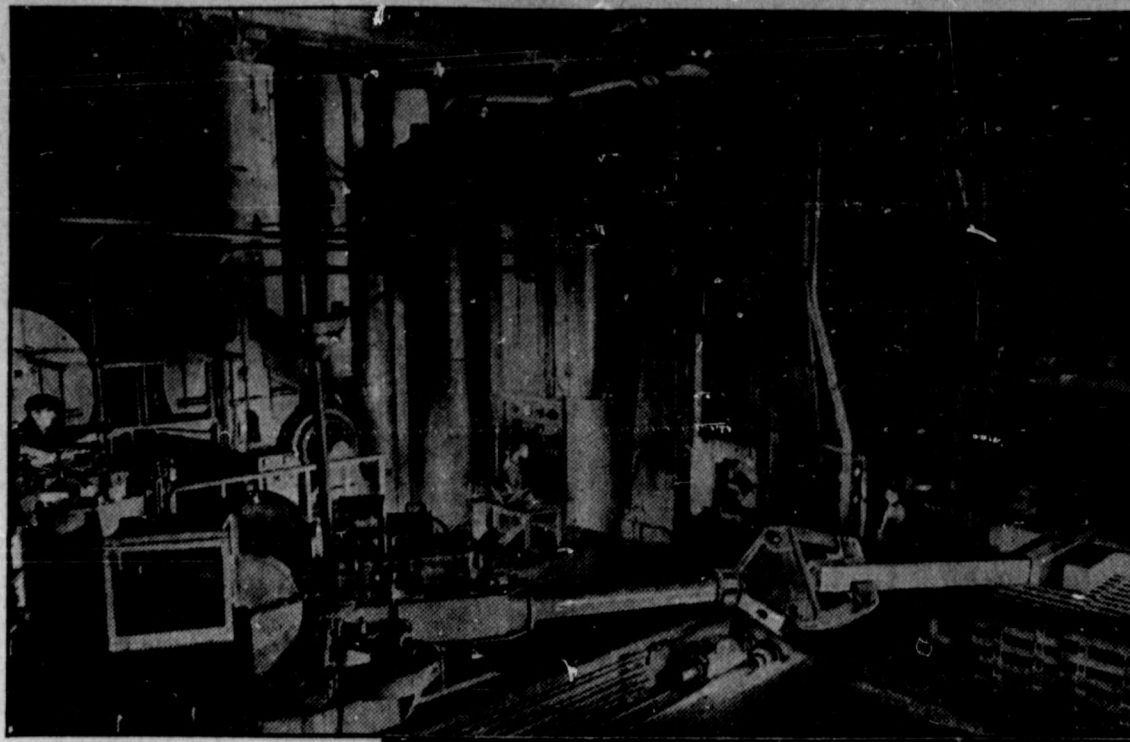
Mrs. Mary Sue Longan began her school at Hedley Monday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman who are visiting here spent from Friday through Sunday with his folks in Amarillo. Toots Pittman formerly of Clarendon is in the hospital in Amarillo.

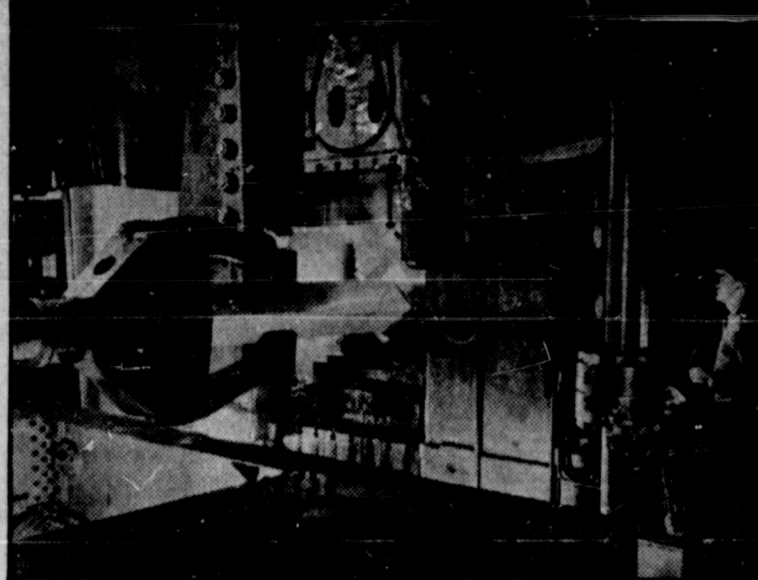
Mrs. Margaret Cole, Miss Thelma Jean Williams, Miss Martha Reamer and Hermon Higgins went to Amarillo Saturday evening spending the night with the Pittmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevenson

Giant "Weapon" on Production Front



This huge machine set-up (above) is the installation required for the 6,000,000-lb. press in a Chevrolet aluminum forge plant, from which comes volume production of aluminum aircraft parts and propeller blades. The press itself, which is served by all the other equipment in the picture, becomes almost incidental to it in this night scene. In the foreground is the manipulator, on which an operator rides from furnace to press, transporting 1,500-lb. aluminum billets which are squeezed, or "cogged down," in the "Vee" dies of the press. In the background are the "air bottles," "air-over-water bottles" and the storage tanks which comprise the accumulator system necessary to develop and maintain the tremendous pressure for the press. The close-up at the right shows the claw of the manipulator inserting an aluminum billet into the "Vee" die.



Americans Outblitzed The Axis

American soldiers "outblitzed" the Axis, Lt. General George S. ("Blood and Guts") Patton, Jr., commander of the United States Seventh Army said in a recent interview, analyzing the success of his troops in Sicily.

Declaring that speed and mobility were the outstanding factors responsible for their rapid advance, General Patton said that this advance, on a swiftly changing front, was accomplished without his troops "ever running out of ammunition."

The Seventh Army had all the weapons it needed—enough and on schedule. The quantity and quality of its firepower overwhelmed the enemy.

Lt. Colonel R. M. Bacher, commanding Pantex, the Panhandle's giant bomb-loading plant, said today that the fact that enough weapons were delivered on time to the Sicilian front was a tribute to the Industry-Ordnance team, "backbone of the Ordnance Department, Army Service Forces."

"Most every town and community in the Panhandle has had a part in this home-front achievement," Lt. Col. Bacher said, "because it is through the combined effort of the people of this plains country that Pantex has contributed so much to the war production program."

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visited the Meaders Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bill Word and daughter Yuma Ann are visiting her sister in Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon spent Sunday in the Loyd Moreland home.

Salvaged tin cans mean tin and steel; and copper from leached mine waters.

The first month of the tin can salvage 1,000 tons were collected; in April 20,000 tons were collected.

Texas 1943 Pig Production

Members of Texas boys' 4-H Clubs who are conducting swine demonstrations will produce the equivalent in pork of the food budgets of 50,000 fighting men during 1943. This estimate by H. M. Breedlove, county agent for the A&M College Extension Service, is based upon preliminary reports from county agricultural agents.

This spring 1,500 purebred sow and boar pigs were placed with Texas 4-H Club boys. These added to the 1,080 likewise placed in 1942, and the 784 in 1941, make a total of 3,364 breeding hogs in the hands of the Club boys. In addition to the production of these animals, many boys are feeding out feeder pigs which they bought in their neighborhoods.

In most instances, Breedlove says, the demonstrations have proved profitable, especially on farms where a surplus of feed grain is produced. It is not uncommon to find boys' sales of hogs sufficiently large to require them to make an income tax return.

Adult farmers likewise have expanded their hog production about as expected. The 1943 spring pig crop was 33 per cent larger than in the preceding year, and a large fall crop is in sight. During the past three years Texas farmers have made a pronounced improvement in the quality of their hogs. They are feeding balanced rations and self-feeders are in use everywhere.

Concrete feeding floors and walls are being built freely on farms and the demand for plans for hog houses and other equipment is large.

CIVIL SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

A nation-wide examination to select policewomen of the Washington, D. C., Police Department was announced today by the United States Civil Service Commission, according to information received here today by Ernest Hunt of local civil service Board.

Young women between the ages of 25 and 35 who are in good health are sought. They do not need to have had previous experience or specific education, but a knowledge of social case work and an aptitude for police duties is necessary to do well on the test.

Applications must be filed with the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., by August 31.

Entrance salary is \$2,200 a year; opportunities for promotion are good.

Information and application forms may be obtained at any first or second class post office, or from the United States Civil Ser-

vice Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

Applications from war workers are not desired unless they may use higher skills in these positions.

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	SOAP LAUNDRY—6 Bars	22c

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NEXT DOOR TO COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE

GOLDSTON
Beatrice Smith

Lorene and Marjorie Brock and their sister, Mrs. Irene Heath left last Wednesday for Arkansas for a few weeks visit with relatives. John Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with Junior Patterson of Alanreed.

Mrs. Charley Young and daughters of Lelia Lake spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dilli and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shields and daughter were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and family Friday night.

Mrs. Murphy Brock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Hay and son, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mooring and family entertained the young folks with a party Friday night.

Miss Ina May Brock had her tonsils removed Monday of last

week and is doing nicely at this time.

The young married folks Sunday school class enjoyed a party at the school house Friday night.

Eva June Brock spent last week in Borger visiting her sister, Mrs. Glen Brock and small daughter.

Mrs. Tom Mooring and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Patterson of Alanreed.

Mrs. Collier Brock and family spent the week end in Borger visiting relatives. Eva June returned home with them.

Bro. Fitzgerald and Mr. Bones of Clarendon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gray Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fulton and family visited in the H. C. Smith home awhile Wednesday night.

Lucille Dale spent Thursday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brame of Clarendon.

Mr. Collier Brock left Friday night for Arkansas for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Higdon and family and Mrs. Carl Tucker spent

Sunday visiting their sister, Mrs. Earl Dixon of Conway.

Billie Bray and wife of San Antonio, Mrs. Doalen and Mrs. Woodwin of Paducah visited a while Sunday in the Neely Hudson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart.

We are all enjoying the nice rain at this writing.

DEATHS CUT DOWN PRODUCTION

What is the value of a human life lost in a traffic accident?

That value cannot be measured. State Police Director Homer Garrison said today, but the potential productivity can be measured.

In one year's time, the 539 persons who were killed in Texas accidents in the first six months of this year could have assembled 471 torpedo bombers.

They could have produced more than five times as much of the life-saving sulfa drugs as all the armed forces of the United Nations need.



Bureau of Public Relations U. S. War Department
WAACS HOSPITALIZATION—Auxiliary Marion Moselle, ward master for the WAAC section, Post Hospital, Ft. Worthy Army Air Field, Ft. Worth, Tex., is shown giving extra special care to one of her patients. Ward masters see that pulses are counted, temperatures taken and that patients are kept cheerful, as well as that trays are attractive and the ward kept spotlessly clean. Recreation facilities and a canteen are provided for convalescents. Note the flowers on the table.

U. S. Marines Accepting 17-year Olds

From the year 1775 the Marine Corps has been fighting down through the years to maintain our rights and freedom through out the world. You 17 year olds have a heritage, that of a true American. Your country needs you now. To you young Texans not yet in uniform we say: "If you are 17 years old and have the stuff in you that your forefathers had at the Alamo—we will make you a Marine."

The recruiting office of the U. S. Marine Corps, Post Office Building, Lubbock, Texas is now open to accept 17 year old young men during the month of August. Come in or write for information. Bring your parents and we will gladly answer all questions. By enlisting in the Marines you will get a training that will serve you well the rest of your days. Enlist now while you are 17 and have

the opportunity of making your own choice of the services. If you should see a Marine home on furlough ask him what he thinks of the Marines. "Ask the Man who is one."

Women from 20 to 36 years of age are still being accepted for the U. S. Marine Corps Womens reserve. Apply in person or write the recruiting station at Lubbock, Texas.

ORDNANCE FLASHES

The Army Ordnance production rate for artillery ammunition today is approximately 18,000,000 rounds a month, compared with 2,700,000 rounds a month in 1918.

The number of Army Ordnance machine guns now being produced each month is more than triple the monthly maximum of 22,000 for machine guns of corresponding caliber produced in this country for the United States and the Allies in 1918.

Approximately 1,778,000,000 rounds of small arms ammunition are now being produced each month, whereas the monthly rate reached in 1918 was only 278,000,000 rounds.

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Eggs should be cooked over a slow heat for best results; high temperatures toughen egg protein. For hard cooked eggs, water should be brought to a boil, the eggs covered, then the fire turned off and the eggs allow to sit on the back of the stove for thirty minutes.

Two tin cans out of every three that could be salvage are thrown away.

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Visual Education After the War

Education by motion pictures will be given a tremendous boost when World War II is over, a University of Texas visual education expert predicts.

Dr. B. F. Holland, assistant professor of educational psychology who conducts University courses in visual aids, estimates that many miles of government-produced films on a wide variety of subjects will be donated to visual aid bureaus for free distribution to schools after the war.

At the close of the last war, 43,000 reels of film and 25,000 slides were contributed by the government for educational purposes, he said. Many times this number will be available at the close of World War II.

He also believes that schools will be able to buy more than 20,000 motion picture projectors—perhaps at one-fourth the original cost. Such equipment is now unobtainable. This "windfall" would much more than double the present number of projectors owned by school systems.

Dr. Holland said visual education has expanded rapidly in the last five years. In 1936 only 458 American schools owned 16 mm. sound projectors, and by 1941 this number had grown to more than 9,000.

INCOME TAX NOTICE
August 1, 1943

This is to call the attention of all persons who are required to file Estimated Returns for the calendar year 1943, merchants, professions, wage earners and all classes, except farmers, or those receiving at least 80% of their income from farms, that these returns must be in the office of Collector of Internal Revenue, on or before Sept. 15th, 1943, and farmers must file on or before Dec. 15th, 1943.

Please arrange your figures for the ENTIRE year, and as soon as you receive your forms for filing, give this your immediate attention. Sept. 15th and Dec. 15th, mean now just what March 15th has heretofore, so please understand you must cooperate if you meet the requirements of this law and avoid penalties as are provided.

J. A. WARREN,
Income Tax Service,
209 Goldston Bldg.,
Clarendon, Texas.
(24tc)

Women Ordnance workers at Frankfort Arsenal in Philadelphia are assigned 350 pounds of rouge a year. But this rouge, enough to supply bloom to the cheeks of 11,000 women for an entire year, is used in polishing processes in the optical division.

To get the most good out of potatoes (they contain vitamin C and B1 as well as iron, protein, and calories), they should be cooked in the jackets. If they are to be peeled, it shouldn't be done until just before cooking them. If they are allowed to soak, they will lose vitamins and minerals.

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ALL HOGS MUST BE REMOVED FROM CITY LIMITS

In obedience to a demand by an inspector of the State Health Department of the State of Texas from Austin who visited our city this past week we must clean up the city, and first on his list was the removal of all hogs from the city limits of Clarendon, and when he said all hogs he meant all of them, not even one, to be left in the city limits. The State Health Department is making this demand in its effort to combat the infantile paralysis epidemic that is now current and prevalent.

The City Commission proposes to co-operate with the State Health Department, and this is notice to the owners or keepers of all hogs in the city limits of the City of Clarendon to immediately remove such hogs from the city limits, and unless they are removed, criminal procedure under the proper city ordinance will be instituted against the owner or keeper of such hogs. This ordinance has been tried out and proven to be in all things properly drawn with appropriate penalty, and it is under such ordinance that the City Commission proposes to compel the removal of such hogs if they are not voluntarily removed.

THE CITY COMMISSION
By:
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E. F. Smith, and
George Norwood

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Important Meeting

N. F. Nelson, District Director of the Office of Defense Transportation, Amarillo, Texas, announced today that the harvest of the 1943 cotton crop is almost upon us. Greater motor transportation conservation measures relating to cotton, cottonseed crushers, ginners and cottonseed product industries is necessary. To keep our vital automotive equipment rolling, an important meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 24th, at 1:30 p. m., to be held at the Herring Hotel, Amarillo, Texas.

The purpose of this meeting is to select committees from the various cotton, cotton ginners, and cottonseed products industries in twenty-six Texas Panhandle and West Texas Counties to work with the Office of Defense Transportation District Staffs in discussing and promulgating plans for the further conservation of vital motor transportation.

Definite action will be taken at this meeting that will materially affect the operation of these allied industries. Members of these industries are urgently requested to be present to participate in this meeting, said Mr. Nelson.

Mr. Thomas E. Huggard, ODT Regional Farm Vehicle Specialist of Dallas, Texas, will be present to explain fully the provisions and possibilities of this program and to render any other aid possible to the industries.

Roy Dee Taylor Killed By Truck

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Roy Dee Taylor at the Assembly of God Church with Rev. J. J. Grubbs officiating.

Roy Dee, aged 9 years, was accidentally killed Saturday afternoon when he stepped into a truck on the highway in front of his home about 3 blocks west of main street. The truck was driven by Jack Estes (colored) of Dallas who is employed by a construction company at Dalhart. The Sheriff stated the accident was described as unavoidable. Roy Dee passed away on the way to the hospital.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Taylor, a brother Thomas Lee and a sister Carolyn Joe. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melton; 12 uncles and four aunts.

Pallbearers were Jim Warren, Joe Hall, Bill Adams, and J. A. Howard.

Flower girls were Delene Blair, Mary Gladys Heathington, Georgia Endsley, Sybil Head, Ruthie Roberts, Willie Maurice Vermillion, Katherine Looper and Violet Huckins.

Burial was in citizens cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

June Melton is visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hoyt at Lefors this week.

Points Out Location Where United Nations Prisoners Are Held In Italian Prison Camps



This pretty little Washington Miss is being shown on a map of Italy, locations of Italian prison camps where United Nations prisoners of war are held. The Red Cross volunteer also shows the Washington Miss the contents of the standard American Red Cross prisoners of war food parcel, which the International Red Cross forwards in sufficient numbers to make possible weekly distribution to each American military prisoner. (American Red Cross for the Office of War Information)

New Support Price For Cottonseed

A new support price of \$55 per ton for cottonseed to Texas farmers was announced this week by the War Food Administration through the state AAA office, says County Agent, H. M. Breedlove. The new price, which went into effect August 1, and will continue through July 31, 1944, is \$6 per ton over last year's minimum price for basic grade seed, f.o.b., shipping points.

Commenting on the program, AAA officials pointed out there will be no contracts with processors on the 1943 crop. The price will be effectuated through an offer by Commodity Credit Corporation to purchase cottonseed products from oil mill operators who agree to purchase cottonseed in lots of not less than 10 tons at the support price. Since the majority of Texas cotton producers will not be able to dispose of their seed in the minimum quantity, they are being encouraged to pool seed cooperatively or accumulate seed in lots of 10 tons or more for direct sale to oil mills in order to receive the higher price.

According to present regulations, the support price of \$55 per ton, f.o.b., shipping point, basis "U. S. Standard grades," will apply in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, while other cotton producing states will receive \$56 per ton on the same basis.

AAA officials added that in areas where oil mills have accepted the offer and desire to purchase cottonseed at a "flat" or "as is" price, these prices shall average not less than the average price which would have been paid if each lot of cottonseed had been purchased on a "U. S. Standard Grades" basis.

B. C. Antrobus is attending the American Legion at Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barcus Antrobus and baby and Mrs. Williams were in Amarillo Monday.

AT HEDLEY THURS. NIGHT

Those attending the Lion's Ladies night banquet at Hedley Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Gillham, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Lane, Mr. and Mrs. John Knorpp, Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Zandt of Tulsa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hurn and sister, Mrs. L. N. Cox and family Friday. Their son Joe accompanied them home after a weeks visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurn.

Essential Drivers Get Ample Gas

The change in the value of gasoline rationing coupons will not effect essential driving in Texas, and local boards have authority to restore cuts, Office of Price Administrator Prentiss Brown has assured all members of the Texas congressional delegation.

A letter from Brown was made public in which he "wanted to make it clear" that while driving must be reduced to an average of 5,000 miles per car annually, "this does not mean those with essential driving in excess of this figure will be curtailed."

Two major changes being made at this time in the Midwest and Southwest are: (1) Reduction in value of passenger car coupons from four to three gallons; (2) Lowering of the "B" ceiling for in-course-of-work driving to 480 miles.

"As a matter of fact, it is expected that individuals who are not able to perform essential driving after the coupon cut will make application for additional coupons to their local war price and rationing board," Brown said.

WANTS FRIENDS TO WRITE

Edward Blair Ozier underwent an operation at the station hospital at Camp Perry, Virginia. He is in the 8-Super Battalion there. He would gladly appreciate his friends writing him. His address is E. Blair Ozier C.M.-36 Station Hospital Surgery 1 Camp Perry, Virginia.

—On Pay Day, Buy Bonds—

Paul Reeves Rites Held Sunday

Funeral services for Paul Reeves, who died Saturday morning at Dumas, were held Sunday August 15th at the First Baptist Church with Rev. E. L. Godwin, pastor of the Baptist Church of Gruver, officiating.

Mr. Reeves had been a long time resident of Jericho before going to Dumas where he has been a deputy sheriff of Moore county for only a short time. He was at one time foreman of the Blevins Ranch and was later associated with the Texas Company.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. E. R. Reeves of Jericho; a sister, Miss Annie Reeves of Jericho and a brother, E. R. Reeves of Lefors.

Pallbearers were Jodie Helm, Elmer Ashmead, Fuqua Younger, A. B. Barnett, Jim Burnett, Dee Smith, Ezelle Fox and A. L. Hill.

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

Mrs. J. T. Warren of Memphis visited in Clarendon Sunday and also attended services at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Mrs. J. W. Usher and daughter of Mangum, Okla. have returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Martin and son Jimmy of Dumas spent the week end visiting his mother, Mrs. W. D. Martin.

Donley Pioneer Buried Here

Funeral services for Mrs. T. L. Naylor were held Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church with Rev. E. L. Moody officiating, assisted by Rev. David M. Gardner. Mrs. Naylor with her husband came to the Panhandle in 1896 and she has been a resident of the county for 40 years. The past seen years being spent visiting with her children and other relatives Mr. Naylor preceded her in death two and a half years ago.

She is survived by two sons, John and Carl, both residents of the Naylor community and a daughter, Mrs. Geo. Kettle of Wichita Falls, and a host of relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were A. O. Hefner, Truett Fields, Walter Clifford, Newt Waldron, Will Chamberlain and W. M. Pickering.

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

Mrs. W. H. Tuttle of Panhandle is visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant.

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TOMATO JUICE House of George, No. 2 Can—2 for	25c
GRAPE JUICE White Swan—Quart Bottle	38c
PEAS Big M Early June, No. 2 Can—2 for	25c
VINEGAR Distilled—Gallon (bring your jug)	30c
WASHO Large Package—Each	23c
POTTED MEAT Red Seal, 5½ oz. can (limit)—Each	10c
POTATOES RED—Peck	50c
TOILET PAPER Northern Tissue or Ft. Howard—3 Rolls CHARMIN BORATED 650 sheets—2 Rolls	23c 15c
PRUNES 2 lb. Cello Bag	29c
BLEACH LAUNDREX—Quart Bottle CLOROX—½ gallon Bottle	15c 29c
FLOUR DOBRY'S BEST—48 lb. Sack DOBRY'S BEST, 50 lb. full size pillow case sack TRY DOBRY'S—IT'S DIFFERENT	\$2.45 \$2.60
FLOUR Silver Peak—24 lb. Sack	\$1.05

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10c	40c	9c	39c
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FLOUR 24 lbs.	\$1.05	10 lbs.	65c
Cantaloupes Firm Fresh 2 for	COFFEE W. P. POUND	Peanut Butter WAPCO QUART JAR	SOAP P & G 6 BARS
25c	23c	55c	22c
YELLOW PEACHES Gallon	73c	Assorted LUNCH MEAT Pound	
81-Points		29c	
6-Points			
Beef Roast POUND	TENDER Round Steak POUND	Fresh Liver POUND	Ground Beef POUND
28c	39c (13-points)	25c (6-points)	25c (7-Points)

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