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## Double Funeral Held For Brother, Sister, Victims Of Accidents Same Day

### Scholastics Are Less As Shown By Final Reports

#### Loss Of 159 As Compared With Last Year Is Felt In Common School Districts

Final tabulations on the school census show that the schools of Hall County lost 159 as compared with last year's totals. The grand total completed recently for this year is 2941 and last year's was 3099.

The loss shows up in the common school districts as the total for this year is 882 compared with that of last year of 1039. Schools and their census are as follows: Eli 65, Deep Lake 73, Gammage 45, Webster 26, Newlin 107, Parnell 83, Indian Creek 48, Pleasant Valley 80, Salisbury 53, Wealth 54, Buffalo Flat 43, Plaska 90, Friendship 43, Brice 72. Included in this total of 882, 23 colored children were registered.

Census for the independent school districts of this county show a total of 2049 as compared with 2051 of last year. There are 64 2051 of last year. There are 64 total. Schools list these numbers: Memphis 902, Estelline 311, Turkey 486, Lakeview 189, Lesley 161.

For each child registered in the scholastic age, the State appropriates \$25.

For Salary Aid schools, the basic salary has been raised \$10 a month, making the basic pay \$100 monthly. Schools with an enrollment of less than 500 are Salary Aid schools, so every school in Hall County except Memphis is in this class.

At the present time, the rural schools of the county are short six teachers, stated Miss Mary Foreman, county superintendent.

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### Rotary Club Has Guest Speakers

Fred C. Porter of the Hall County REA, and Dr. J. Thompson Baker, Presbyterian minister, were speakers on the Rotary luncheon program Tuesday.

Mr. Porter gave facts and figures concerning the Rural Electrification program. Dr. Baker made an interesting and instructive talk about Alaska.

O. V. Alexander was installed as president of the club for the ensuing year.

## WINNING ESSAY ON "ADVANTAGES OF COW, HOG, HEN TYPE OF FARMING"

Below is another essay on the Cow, Hog, Hen Type of Farming. The writer of this one is Harold Rampy, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Rampy of Lakeview, and is a winner of a gilt.

There are many advantages of the cow, hog and hen program. I am going to try to tell some of them.

First in importance is national defense. We can use the meat and hides from the cow. We can use the meat and hides from the hog. We can use the meat and eggs from the hen. All of this can be used in national defense.

I believe every farmer should have several cows, hogs and about one hundred chickens. Of course, it will cause you to use lots of feed, but it will repay you. Suppose your cotton crop was hauled or blown out or maybe dried up from lack of rain. You could eat the meat and eggs. You could sell any of them and make money. The way prices are now, you could make lots of money by selling either of them. Boys could make lots of money by raising calves, hogs or chickens. Boys can help feed a soldier boy, if he would help feed something. Cows give milk and it gives you vitamins. People make butter out of milk. You can make lots of money there, too. When you kill a cow or pig you should give the hides to the government to help make a soldier's pack and shoes. The soldier's pack and shoes, the grease fats from the cow or pig make explosives for shells. Raising animals causes you to raise more feed to feed them. The government is asking that we raise more feed. So, therefore,

Funeral services for Norman Palmer and Wanda Corene Graves, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves of the Salisbury community, were held at the King Mortuary Chapel Friday, June 25 at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. S. Crawford, pastor First Baptist Church of Newlin, assisted by Rev. Sid F. Martin, pastor of First Baptist Church, Memphis.

Both children were born at Antelope Flat in Briscoe County. Norman was born November 12, 1926 and died Thursday afternoon, June 24 about 2:15. Wanda was born July 16, 1931 and died Friday morning, June 25 in a local hospital where she was rushed Thursday about noon after being badly burned from a gasoline explosion.

Norman was found dead about 6:30 Thursday evening in the field near the family home. According to the coroner's verdict, he died from an accidental discharge of a 22 rifle. He had gone to the field to cut Johnson grass for his pigs, taking his rifle with him. The bullet entered his forehead causing instant death.

Wanda was fatally burned in the gasoline explosion caused by fumes from the gas contacting the cement floor of the garage. Norman was not injured in the fire, though he was standing near the garage.

Norman attended school in Memphis and Wanda was a student at Salisbury. Both children were members of the Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors are their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves, two sisters, Margaret Eugenia and Nadine Imogene, two grandmothers, Mrs. Maggie Graves of Tulsa, and Mrs. E. M. Knight of Sherman, fifteen uncles and four aunts.

Pall bearers for Norman were: Wendell Gammage, Connie Hartsock, Jim Hartzell, Johnnie Hancock, E. W. Solomon and Byron Baldwin.

Pall bearers for Wanda were: Dick Oakley, Ed Hutcherson, J. W. Longshore, Jim Berryman, O. (Continued on back page)

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### Miss Ruth Stice Breaks Elbow In Fall Monday

Miss Ruth Stice suffered a painful injury when she fell on the post office steps Monday and broke her elbow.

She has gone to her home in Amarillo to stay until her arm is healed. She will return to work here in about a month or as soon as she is able.

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## Marvin Jones Is Named War Food Administrator

### Judge Jones Appointed After The Resignation Of Chester C. Davis

Judge Marvin Jones, former U. S. representative from the 18th district has been named war food administrator by President Roosevelt. Jones is a nationally-recognized authority on farm and food problems.

He succeeds Chester C. Davis, who resigned after a disagreement with the president over policies of the administration.

Jones was a young Panhandle lawyer when he was elected to congress in 1916 where he served until 1940 when he resigned to accept an appointment to the U. S. court of claims in Washington. He did not seek reelection in 1940 and was succeeded by Gene Worley of Shamrock.

Jones became chairman of the House Committee on Agriculture in 1932 and sponsored or authored more than three-fourths of all farm legislation passed in the depression years.

He took leave of absence from the court several months ago to serve as assistant in the office of economic stabilization and recently served as chairman of the United Nations Food Conference.

In his new post, Jones will have important part in not only providing wartime food for United States and her allies but also in the anti-inflation program.

## L. L. Grisham Passes Away In Local Hospital

### Resident of Hall County For 14 Years Is Buried In Mountain Springs Monday

L. L. Grisham, 65, passed away in a local hospital about noon Saturday, June 26. Funeral services were held in Mountain Springs, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Lester Loyd Grisham was born May 30, 1878 in Jacksonville. He had been a resident of Hall County for the past fourteen years and was at the time of his death living near Lakeview.

Survivors are one son, R. T. Grisham of Lakeview, one daughter, Mrs. Jessie Lee Jones of Denison, one brother, C. M. Grisham of Quitaque, one sister, Mrs. M. S. Loard, Dallas, and five grandchildren.

Womack Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## Hedley Lions Club Names Officers For Ensuing Year

### Club Increases Membership 20 Per Cent In Six Months; Active In Civic Affairs

Dr. D. H. Cox, Hedley physician, was elected president of the Hedley Lions Club at last week's luncheon. Other officers elected were Earl Tollett, first vice-president; Leon Reeves, second vice-president; W. H. Moffitt, third vice-president; C. L. Johnson, secretary-treasurer; Chas. Rains, Lontamer, and Roy Key, tail-twister.

Directors of the club are Ray Doherty, Roy Jewell, J. W. Noel and Alva T. Simmons.

The Hedley club has made a remarkable record this year. At the beginning of the year there were 22 members. Now, there are 48 members, besides two in service. The club won the Melvin Jones birthday contest in January of this year by increasing the membership 100 per cent during the month. The increase of more than 200 per cent during the first six months of the year should give the club a nice reward in the international contest.

The club is reported to be very active in civic affairs of the Hedley community. Some worthwhile community or war activity enterprise is sponsored each month. The Hedley community has never failed to reach its quota in any war drive, and the Lions club is given the credit since it has been responsible for practically every drive put on.

At the luncheon last week a program was put on by Ruthie Johnson, Louise Rogers and Lowery Johnson of Memphis and Sgt. Y. B. Yeats of the U. S. army.

Most "Panama" hats come from Ecuador and Colombia.

## Hall County Old Settlers Reunion To Be Held In Memphis Thursday, July 29

### Former Resident Of Hall County Dies In Amarillo

#### T. M. Pyle, Early Pioneer In Cattle Raising, Lived In Memphis Several Years

T. M. Pyle, 74, a former resident of Memphis passed away in an Amarillo hospital Monday, June 28, after a brief illness. Funeral services were conducted at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the chapel of the Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home, with Rev. Earl G. Hamlett officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery.

Theodore Maxwell Pyle was born February 6, 1869 in Blanco County. In 1891, he moved to Floyd County, then to Hall County. On April 27, 1893, he married Martha Blanche Barnett and they lived here until 1898. They then moved to Clarendon where they lived until 1915 when they moved to Pecos County. In 1938, they left Pecos to make their home in Amarillo.

Mr. Pyle was the son of a Baptist preacher and was well known here. He was one of the first pioneer cattlemen and was at the time of his death, a leader in the cattle industry in Texas, New Mexico and Kansas. He had been a director of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association for the past 30 years. He was a member of the Baptist church.

Mr. Pyle was highly regarded in the cattle centers of the nation. He was honored by the state of Kansas last year for being the man who had raised cattle in that state longer than any other Texan. He had operated ranches in that state for 50 years.

Survivors include his widow, two sons, F. B. Pyle of Sanderson, H. T. Pyle of Amarillo and Logan, N. M., a brother, Paul Pyle of Hedley and a grandson, F. B. Pyle Jr. of Amarillo.

His niece, Mrs. Sam J. Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton attended the funeral and he was a cousin of T. J. Pyle.

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### Many Business Firms Will Be Closed Monday

Observing the Fourth of July, which falls on Sunday, several business houses and offices and the banks will be closed Monday, July 5.

A complete list of places to be closed was not available, but it is contemplated that the offices in the courthouse will not be open.

### Sounds Painless—

## This Pay-As-You-Go Tax Plan

Frank Schofield, collector of internal revenue, First Texas district and War Bonds Administrator for Texas, gives the following statement relative to the withholding tax.

We have just put Uncle Sam's new withholding tax under the microscope and find that it isn't as frightening as we first thought.

In fact, the next tax which goes into effect July 1 is rather painless when it is brought into proper focus.

For instance, our examination of the withholding brackets shows that a man with a wife and two children who earns \$40 a week will be nicked for only 80 cents a week. This is 50 cent per week less than he is now paying out of his wages for the 5 per cent Victory tax—and his entire federal income tax is all paid up.

If the same family earns \$50 a week, the withholding tax will be \$2.80 a week. There is no mathematical nightmare about this.

When Mr. Taxpayer realizes that the withholding tax includes the Victory Tax he is now paying, he should breathe with considerable relief. In many cases, the new income tax deduction from his pay will be less than it is now.

Let's examine the status of a married man with two children now earning \$25 a week. He will pay 40 cents a week as compared with 70 cents now going to Victory tax.

If the same worker makes \$30 a week, his new deduction will be 50 cents against 90 cents now coming out of his pay.

### Drouth Broken

## RAIN Comes in Time

Coming as a most beneficial rain to the gardens and feedstuff over the county, 1.05 inches of rain fell during Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, according to J. J. McMickin, official government weather observer.

Parts of Hall County received more rain than the immediate area of Memphis recorded. Reports are that Plaska received 3 inches and the Brice community 2 inches. The rains fell slowly throughout the county.

Reports indicate that the rainfall was general over the entire Panhandle and extended over almost all of northwest Texas.

Although cotton has not been suffering during this three weeks drouth, the hot winds that have been prevailing were drying the land considerably. The moisture is just in time for the late cotton that has been replanted recently.

The rain was accompanied by cool weather, breaking the season's high in temperature of 104 degrees recorded last Thursday, June 24. The hot weather continued during the week-end, and dropped to 72 degrees Tuesday morning.

Thursday morning, it was still pleasantly cool, but the skies were clearing indicating that the rain is over.

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### Jobs Open

## Cotton Choppers

Many workers have already been placed on farms and there are fifteen boys registered with the County Agent who want work as cotton choppers stated W. B. Hooser, Thursday morning.

There is on file in that office eight requests from farmers for families to live on farms. These farmers have a place for the families to live and want them for general farm work the year around.

"We are having requests from farmers every day, so everyone who wants to work, register in this office immediately. Even though farmers have had to re-plant their cotton many times, it is about ready to chop and workers are needed," said Mr. Hooser.

After conferring with a number of the old timers of Hall County, Chas. A. Williams, president of Hall County Old Settlers Association, set Thursday, July 29, as the date for the Old Settlers reunion this year.

A meeting is to be held tonight to perfect plans for the reunion. Tentative plans for the program are that there will be no program during the day, but there will be entertainment for the evening. The old settlers may bring their lunch and stay all day or they may bring their supper and stay during the evening.

"Since gas rationing, we cannot take long trips and by July 29, most of the farmers will be through with their crops and will have more time, and will be ready for a little diversion. This will be no extra expense on anyone. We are not planning an elaborate program for the evening. Just simple entertainment that everyone will enjoy," stated Mr. Williams.

"It has been two or three years since a reunion has been held here and this will be something to take our minds off our troubles for a little while. We will have a chance to see all our old friends and visit with each other, so make your plans now to attend" continued Mr. Williams.

Further details of the reunion will be published later.

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## Tractor Accident Fatally Injures Hedley Farmer

### W. M. Tipton Dies As Tractor Turns Over On Him Monday Morning

W. M. (Bill) Tipton, 41, was fatally injured early Monday morning about two miles from his home near Hedley when the tractor he was driving was crossing a ravine and turned over, pinning him beneath it. His daughter went for him at noon and found him. According to authorities he had been dead since about 8 o'clock.

Funeral services were conducted for Mr. Tipton at the Church of Christ in Hedley at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with Richard Robbins officiating, assisted by Rev. Jenkins, pastor Baptist Church of Hedley.

Mr. Tipton was born in North Carolina and had lived in Donley County in the Bray community near Hedley for the past sixteen years.

Survivors include his wife, one son, and seven daughters. Interment was made by Womack Funeral Home.

## CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY—June 28—Mrs. Irvin Johnsey, June 30—Byron Baldwin, Mrs. Paul McCann, Rufus Jones, S. P. Wells, Gwendolyn Coursey, July 4—Mrs. Bill Jones, Marjorie Don Stone, P. E. Morrison.

CONGRATULATIONS—Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kesterson, anniversary June 28. Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeBerry, anniversary June 29. Pfc. and Mrs. O. J. Gilreath, first anniversary June 30.

For a few years the people of Hall County—Old Timers—have not had the pleasure of gathering in a reunion. But this year, when the whole world is in turmoil and people are keyed up to the last notch and need relaxation, an old settlers reunion will be just the kind of medicine needed. July 29 has been selected as the date, and plans are under way for a day and night session. Since rationing is in effect, people cannot drive away off somewhere to visit "the wife's kinfolks," neither can big barbecue dinners be spread. So this will be a case of Wimpy's duck dinner and each one bring a duck. One may come in the morning and stay all day and into the night, but it is planned to have a get-together session in the afternoon without any set program so that old-timers may renew friendships. At night, a well-balanced program that will be entertaining without being boring is planned. Make your plans now to join in this one play-day of the year.

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NOTED—Wiley Leon has recently been promoted to Seaman 2-C in the U. S. Navy. Wiley is the son of Mrs. Bess Leon and is now stationed at Lubbock at the air base there. Wiley entered the service in April and is now at San Diego, California.

## ROGERS IN ACCIDENT

### Wounded For Draper-Ross Moving To Amarillo; Favorably Known

Funeral services for Joseph Rogers of Amarillo, who was killed by a truck on the highway near Lubbock on Wednesday, June 23, were held in Amarillo, Texas, on Thursday, June 24. Dr. A. D. Forester of the First Baptist Church of Amarillo, officiated at the services. Rogers was 54 years old. He was a fruit and produce jobber out of the Draper-Ross produce company. He was in Memphis for several days in Plainview. Rogers include the wife; a son, Mrs. W. F. Fletcher of Amarillo and three daughters.

## County Man Fine Jersey

Registered Jersey cow has been purchased by V. C. Durrett of Amarillo, Texas. The name of the cow is Sybil May Day Girl. According to an advertisement made by the American Jersey Cattle Club, the whereabouts of all registered Jerseys is known and cared for by the American Jersey Cattle Club, with headquarters in New York City. This information is made possible by the Jersey Breeders' Association. Tattoo identification at similar to finger-prints of individuals of this dairy ways known.

## RATIONING At A Glance

Stamp No. 13 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 14 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 15 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 16 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 17 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 18 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 19 valid until midnight July 15.

Stamp No. 20 valid until midnight July 15.

# Society

## Abernathy-Johnson Rites Read in Waycross, Ga.

In a double ring ceremony read Wednesday, June 23, in Waycross, Ga., Miss Colleen Abernathy became the bride of Sgt. J. P. Johnson. Rev. R. T. Russell read the vows in the First Baptist church. Sgt. and Mrs. Millard Loadwick were the couple's attendants.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Abernathy of Memphis, wore a black and white dress with white accessories. She is a graduate of Memphis high school with the class of 1942.

Sergeant Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson of Lakeview. He graduated in 1936 from Memphis high school. Enlisting in the Army Air Forces in January, 1942, he received his mechanical training at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

He was sent through the Douglas Craft plant at Santa Monica, Calif. Since last October he has been stationed at Waycross, Ga. as a mechanical engineer on a pursuit ship. He is now a crew chief on a Mustang Fighter.



MR. AND MRS. J. O. GIBSON, JR.

## Miss Doris Morrison Becomes Bride Of John O. Gibson, Jr., Seaman 1c

Miss Doris Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morrison of Memphis, and John O. Gibson, Jr., Seaman First Class of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gibson of Memphis, were united in marriage Saturday evening, June 19, at 9:30 o'clock at the Wedding Manor, Los Angeles, Calif.

Organ music and the following vocal numbers preceded the ceremony: "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" and "I Love You Truly." The bridal party entered to the strains of "Lohengrin."

The vows were taken under a golden arch of wedding bells, beside which stood large baskets of pink gladioli. Candlelight was furnished by two large candelabra.

Mrs. Erwin Bayle, matron of honor, wore a rose dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias surrounded by blue hybrid delphinium.

The groom was attended by his cousin, J. P. Gibson.

The bride wore a two-piece white suit with blue and white accessories. She wore a shoulder corsage of red roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Gibson is a graduate of Lakeview high school and attending Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Gibson is a graduate of Memphis high school. He has been stationed at the U. S. Naval hospital since February.

The couple is at home at 4042 Slauson Ave., Maywood, Calif.

## Reports Given on WSCS Conference

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for a business session at the church.

Mrs. D. A. Neeley, president, presided. The group sang "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Mrs. C. W. Broome led in prayer and reported on the annual W. S. C. S. conference held in McLean, Va. E. L. Yeats and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz also gave reports on the conference.

Members present were Mrs. C. W. Broome, Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, Mrs. Myrtis Phelan, Mrs. J. A. Kutch, Mrs. George Payne, Mrs. E. L. Yeats, Mrs. Bess Crump, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. L. M. Hicks, Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mrs. T. J. Hampton, Mrs. Pearl Massey, Mrs. H. H. Newman and Mrs. N. A. Hightower.

The next meeting will be Monday, July 12, with both circles meeting with Mrs. Bob Roberts.

## Victory Quilting Club Meets in L. O. Dennis Home

The Victory Quilting club met at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, June 24, in the home of Mrs. L. O. Dennis.

The president, Mrs. B. B. McMillan, presided during the business session. The afternoon was spent quilting a quilt for the hostess.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. B. B. McMillan, Mrs. T. J. Hampton, Mrs. Bess Crump, Mrs. Burl Smith, Mrs. Robert Cummings, Mrs. Clyde Reed, Mrs. Bill Moninger, Mrs. Brice Webster, Mrs. Alvis Gerlach.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. J. Hampton, Thursday, July 22.

## Ensign Jerry T. Flanery Marries in Dallas Monday

Miss Joan Adelle Truax, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Truax of Dallas, became the bride of Ensign Jerry Thomas Flanery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Flanery of Dallas, formerly of Memphis, at 7:30 in the evening Monday at the Church of the Incarnation.

Rev. L. Valentine Lee read the ceremony. Miss Carmen Cole, singer, and Achilles Taliaferro, organist presented the music.

Miss Betsy Hollister was maid of honor and Miss Dorothy Drew was bridesmaid. John Savage attended the bridegroom as best man and ushers were Ashley Brewer and Ray Schumacher.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a two-piece ice-blue sheer frock trimmed with a lei of ruffles and jeweled buttons. Her gloves, shoes and hat were white. Her white orchid was surrounded by gardenias.

A reception was held for relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truax. Miss Betty Jo Gamble presided at the bride's book. Miss Mary Frank and Mrs. Myron Brown cut the ring-shaped wedding cake.

Ensign and Mrs. Flanery will make their home in Corpus Christi where the bridegroom is stationed at the Naval Air Station, following a wedding trip to Houston. For travel the bride chose a cocoa-brown shantung suit with a white

## Women Work

By INEZ BAKER

We are so happy to pass this air mail letter, that came via San Francisco, on to you. It more than pays the hundreds of men and women who had part in preparing the Soldier's Comfort Kits sent out from Hall County this spring.

"Dear Folks: I received your gift while en route and found the contents to be some of the things a soldier needs and others which help the soldier pass time away. In fact, each article was one of a convenient nature and really appreciated."

Personally I don't know how many of the fellows from my outfit have written thanking you but I know that they, all of them, really appreciate and treasure the bag just as I do. Unofficially on behalf of my buddies and myself—thanks a million.

Yours truly,  
Pvt. Michael J. Badal

Aren't you glad you had a part in making this gift possible?

For a while, until the hot summer days are over, we are losing one of our most faithful workers at the production rooms, Mrs. E. H. Stanford. She has been quite ill and doctors say she must rest a while so she has resigned as Friday supervisor of the sewing rooms. But she has set an example that we may do well to try to follow. Since January 1, 1943, Mrs. Stanford has walked sixty miles going to and from the Red Cross rooms; she has made seventy-one knitted garments, thirteen sewed garments, and more than 2,000 surgical dressings. She has spent 400 hours in the Red Cross rooms. In addition to this she has cut 152 garments and pressed, folded and packed hundreds of articles for shipping. She has talked and lived Red Cross. For the sake of those who do not know Mrs. Stanford, she is sixty-three years of age. She has no sons in the service but how often we have heard her say: "This is my flag, too." All men in the service were her's.

Another large shipment of gauze has arrived. Red Cross headquarters reports we may expect large quotas assigned us all during the summer. This is something we cannot neglect.

crepe blouse and luggage and white accessories.

Mrs. Flanery is a former student of Southern Methodist University and was a pledge of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

## PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mrs. Nelse Williams and sons of California are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lenoir. They visited Mr. Williams mother in Lakeview part of last week.

Mrs. Mamie Benton and daughter Fae spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Melloy and Mrs. J. L. Burt visited in Wellington last Wednesday.

Willie Benton and family went to Childress Lake Saturday night to fish.

Miss Fae Crawford went to Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Clifton Worley's children came Sunday to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowe spent part of last week with their son and family in Wichita Falls.

Billie Grant is reported to be doing nicely. She underwent an operation in a Clarendon hospital last week.

Mrs. Alvin Molloy visited her mother, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Wednesday.

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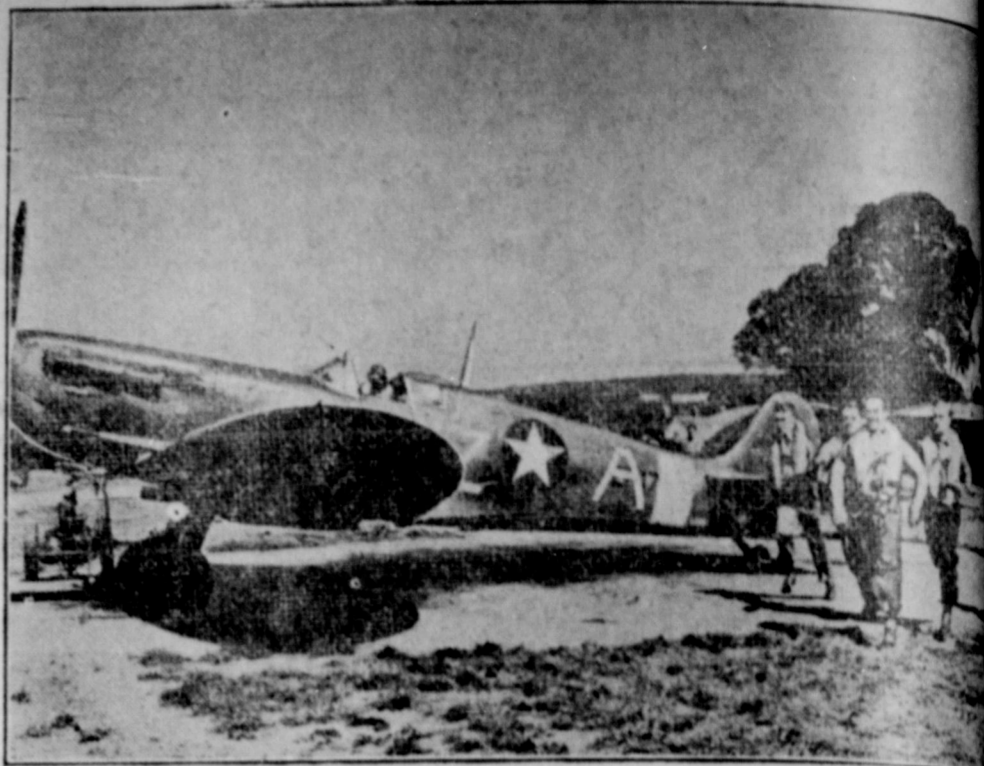
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## ELI

By VALDA SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lewis and family of Lakeview visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and family Sunday.

Sgt. Howard Hall of Omaha, Neb., came Sunday to be at the bedside of his father, J. J. Hall, who is ill in a Memphis hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and family and C. E. Nall visited in the Frank Smith home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Hall and Z. A. Cox were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forkner in Memphis Sunday.

Cpl. Lawrence Taylor of Camp Barkeley spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor.

Staff Sgt. Ben Smith of Sheppard Field visited Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eld Smith and daughter Edna and Valda Smith visited J. J. Hall Sunday afternoon.

Clark Hubbard of Memphis visited Billy Bob Snowdon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Smith and daughter Carolyn of Estelline visited last week with Mrs. W. D. Smith and family.

Mrs. C. E. Wicker, who underwent an operation in a hospital in Fort Worth, is slowly improving. It is reported.

Farmers of this community are thankful for the rain that fell.

## ANTELOPE FLAT

By MRS. DAN DEAN

Miss Naydne Waldrop is employed at the Clarendon Clinic.

Dan Nelse Dean visited Monday with Billie Gene Grant, who is ill in a hospital in Clarendon.

Mrs. A. L. Durham made a business trip to Memphis Monday.

Dan Dean made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Rev. Melton was a caller in the community Friday.

Marian Evans visited Dick Jones Jr. at Fort Sill, Okla., Sunday.

Jimmie Bullock is suffering from a foot injury received when a car drove over it as he was opening a gate.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Groom of Memphis visited her mother, Mrs. A. L. Durham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edger visited the funeral of the children in Memphis Friday.

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We still can sell you anything you want for your wartime family needs. But we want to sell you War Bonds—the very best piece of merchandise we have. For while we are still here to serve you, we serve our country first.

So buy War Bonds at Penney's this July! They are the best investment for your money in the whole wide world!

**PENNEY'S**

## Let's help our farmer neighbors with their hauling problems

AMERICA'S farmers have the tremendous responsibility of raising more food this Summer than ever before in the nation's history.

Farm manpower is scarce. Every hour of every farmer's time is vital to victory. Let's help conserve it.

Don't keep any farmer waiting

Owners of stores, operators of markets, warehouses, elevators, terminals and processing plants, can aid substantially in the success of the "Food for Victory" program by expediting the loading and unloading of farm products.

Every farmer is an essential home front soldier. Don't keep him waiting. He has a long way to go and no time to waste.

Studebaker dealers are co-operating

Studebaker dealers go out of their way to help obtain parts for all makes of trucks.

They co-operate further by handling special repair jobs for farmers as fast as possible.

Many Studebaker dealers have special facilities for locating used trucks, that have been idle or in part-time use, for sale to farmers.

Keep your car and truck up to par

All trucks and cars must be kept in good shape to safeguard the nation's vital transportation life lines. And that's especially important this Summer.

Drop in for regular inspections. Stude-

baker dealers' mechanics are Essential Transportation Workers who can spot and correct truck or car trouble before it becomes serious.

Ask for free copy of Studebaker's valuable, new, 48-page book, "Care and Maintenance of the Farm Truck"—or write Studebaker Truck Division, Dept. N, South Bend, Indiana.

**STUDEBAKER**

A household word in highway transportation since 1897

**RAYMOND BALLEW**  
Memphis, Texas "The House of Quality"

**Wheat Loan Announced**

Wheat farmers will receive loan rates under this program that they did not receive last year, said Fred Rennels, administrative officer of the program. The annual loan value, Galveston winterwheat commodity price under the 1942 program, was \$1.34. The new program, which requires that the farmer's acreage be eligible for the program, explained that producers are eligible regardless of the acre-

age planted. He added that producers in the 19 counties of the wind erosion area off the Panhandle are eligible for loans on their entire production provided they meet 90 percent of their farm warcrop goals, which consist largely of pasture and hay acreage. Either farm storage or approved warehouse loans may be made on this year's crop. Farm storage loans will be made on a note and chattel mortgage basis while the warehouse loans will be made under a note and loan agreement. For farm stored wheat, seven cents per bushel storage allowance will be advanced at the time the loan is made. Farm stored loans will mature on demand but not later than April 30, 1945, while warehouse stored loans will mature on demand but not later than April 30, 1944.

**Locals and Personals**

Miss Jeannett Barnhill of Turkey came Wednesday of last week for a visit with Miss Margie Hardwick. Miss Maud Milam, who is attending W T S C. Canyon, visited here last week-end. Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson returned Sunday from a visit in Dalhart and Amarillo. She visited her daughter, June, in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Troy Broome, Mrs. C. W. Broome and Mrs. B. Webster were Amarillo visitors Friday. Miss Bess Elaine Ayers, who is employed in Amarillo, visited here last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Clark Ayers.

**Raindrops for the Axis**

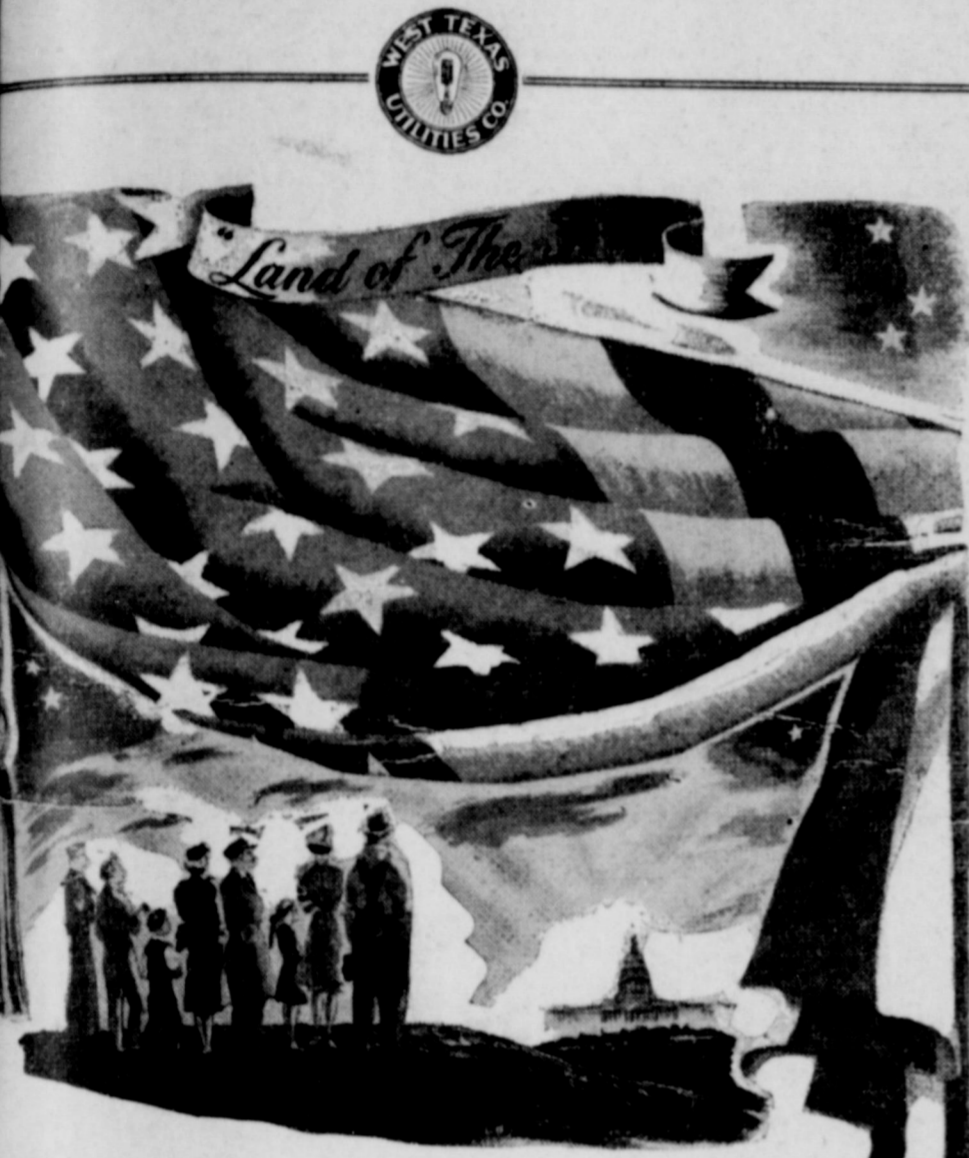


(U. S. Coast Guard Photo From NEA) Getting blockbusters to the battlefronts is quite a shipping chore. Here you see a Coast Guard shore patrolman standing guard over the loading of 2000-pounders on the sea leg of their journey from factory to enemy.

TICKLERS . . . . . By Hayes



"You're going to stay after school and carve 'I won't be late again' in marble 100 times."



What Does It Mean to You—  
*The Constitution of the United States?*

"We, the people of the United States . . ."  
One hundred fifty-six years ago, these simple words began America's warranty of freedom.  
Today we are deep in war—so that this warranty may endure. Should we win—and win we must—whom will it profit?  
Are you a West Texas farmer, and do you love your land? Are you a worker, and do you cherish your hard-bought home? It will profit you that no man, without due process, can wrest your home, your field, your plow from you.  
Do you worship God in a church, or in a synagogue, or in the secret places of your heart? It will profit you that no pagan hand can desecrate your altars.  
Do you impart the truth to the printed page—or do you seek it there? It will profit you that the presses will not be muffled in the night.  
Do you talk with your neighbors on

the street corner—or meet on the steps of the City Hall? It will profit you that no bludgeon can drive you into secret meetings.  
Our Constitution assures us these things. And these we fight for.  
In many ways we fight. Some in small, silent ways—when sons have gone. Some in large, heroic ways—in the roaring of wings, the firing of guns, the sailing of ships. Farmers fight in their fields; ministers from the pulpit's height. Others are making the weapons of war . . . and some are supplying the power with which to run the machines.  
We are proud to be among the men and women of industry, fighting, too.  
And we join with the freedom-loving people of West Texas in asking that Washington's bureaucrats forego their political activities for the duration and concentrate on the fight . . . and that they cease their endeavors to permanently change our Constitution—a threat to the freedom for which we are fighting.



**Butane Tanks**

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- Hypno, 1-2 gallon . . . . . 18c
- Ginger Bread Mix, lb. . . . . 25c
- Fruit Cocktail . . . . . 19c
- Sour or Dill Pickles . . . . . 23c
- Pure Honey, Burleson, 2 lbs. . 65c
- Post Toasties . . . . . 14c
- Bewley's Best Flour
- 50 lbs. . . . \$2.29    25 lbs. . . . \$1.18
- 10 lbs. . . . . 51c
- Bewley's Biscuit Baker Flour
- 25 lbs. . . . \$1.13    50 lbs. . . . \$2.17

- FRESH VEGETABLES**
- Spinach Greens    Tomatoes    Squash
  - Cucumbers    Carrots    Lettuce

- MARKET—
- Treat, Armour Lunch Meat, lb. 36c
  - Cheese, Kraft 2 lb. box . . . . . 75c
  - Butter, fresh country, lb. . . . . 50c
  - Oleo, Nucoa, lb. . . . . 25c

**See Us About Your LISTER POINTS and SWEEPS**

- Mens Work Sox . . . . . 15c
- Ladies Cotton Crepe Gowns . . \$1.29
- Boys Sport Shirts . . . . . 79c
- Mens Suspenders . . . . . 69c
- Buttons, All sizes and colors . . 10c
- Red Anchor Egg Mash, 100 lbs. \$4.00
- Red Anchor Egg Chunkets, 100 lbs. . . . . \$4.07
- K. B. Egg Mash, 100 lbs. . . . . \$3.35
- K. B. Egg Chunkets, 100 lbs. . . \$3.45
- Pea Green Alfalfa Hay, bale . . \$1.00
- Coop War Tires, 5.50x17 . . . . \$12.20
- Coop War Tires, 6.00x16 . . . . \$13.25
- Cusholiner for Old Tires . . . . \$2.50
- Speedway Tire Boots . . . . . 20c to 65c
- Grease Guns, each . . . . . \$3.35

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### Possibility Of War Prisoners As Laborers Here

#### Prisoners Of War Must Have Housing Facilities And Age To Be Paid Prevailing Wage

Inquiries as to the availability of prisoners of war from the Hereford Internment Camp for employment on farms are being made by the various leaders of agricultural and other organizations of this county.

In a letter from Lt. Col. Alfred Petsch, of the Hereford camp, he states that prisoners can be worked only in groups of fifteen accompanied by two guards. Transportation must be furnished for the prisoners and guards to and from the prison camp to farms. The camps must have the proper housing capacities and correct sewerage facilities before the prisoners can be sent here.

Wages for the prison labor must be paid to the Government and there are many regulations governing these wages. Prisoners will not work longer hours than the civilian population engaged in similar work in the vicinity, and the working day, except in emergency, will not be longer than ten hours. Wages should be based on the prevailing wage scale in the community for similar work under the same conditions and for persons with the same abilities. The difference in efficiency between labor of prisoners of war and free workers should be considered.

Continuing, Lt. Col. Petsch stated that farmers around Hereford appear to be generally well pleased with the labor, though the laborers on the whole are totally inexperienced in agricultural work.

"We would appreciate you farmers who are interested in getting these prisoners of war as laborers here, coming in and talking the matter over with us. Before any further steps are taken, we want your opinion," stated W. B. Hooser, county agent.

"Since fish kill mosquitos, why not take of bowl of goldfish with us when we go out to weed the garden."

"To many money has a language all own its own and it knows but two words—so long!"

A few of those candidates campaign by saying their desire is only to serve the country, and lected they spend their time in exploiting it.

### First Lady of the Lone Star State Is Fifth To Be Featured in Cotton's Portrait Series

#### Mrs. Stevenson's Picture Appears In Mademoiselle

#### Joins Other First Ladies In Praising Cotton's Serviceability

Memphis, Tenn.—The First Lady of the first state of cotton will be featured in the July presentation of the cotton industry's "Governor's Lady" portrait series.

She is Mrs. Coke Stevenson Jr., and her state is Texas. Her portrait, the fifth to be published in the series being sponsored by the National Cotton Council and Cotton-Textile Institute, will appear in the July issue of Mademoiselle. With Mrs. Stevenson will be shown her two lovely daughters, Scottie Gayle and Linda Fay. All three, of course, will be wearing cottons to show women all over America the lovely-looking, long-lasting garments that can be made of this favorite family fabric.

Made at Mansion The portrait, taken in front of the stately Governor's Mansion at Austin, was made by Wynn Richards of New York, one of the nation's leading photographers, who has been commissioned to do the portraits of the First Ladies of all the cotton-producing states. For the picture, Mrs. Stevenson selected a smartly tailored dress of white pique, with matching hat. She dressed her daughters in delightful big and little sister costumes of striped chambray, with eyelet ruffle pinafores.

Wearing cotton is nothing new for either Mrs. Stevenson or her daughters. "Cotton is my choice because it is cool as well as cool-looking," Mrs. Stevenson said. "I like its freshness and durability. In fact, my daughters wear nothing else because it's so easy to keep clean."

Mrs. Stevenson, a native of Cleburne, Texas, is a Texan from start to finish. Consequently she appreciates the value of cotton to her state. She attended the University of Texas where she met and married Coke Stevenson Jr.,

Maybe the reason we don't think twice before we speak, is because we would then be worn out just cogitating.



Mrs. Coke Stevenson Jr., First Lady of the State of Texas, poses with her daughters, Scottie Gayle, standing, and Linda Fay, in front of the stately Governor's Mansion at Austin. An ardent supporter of cotton, Mrs. Stevenson is wearing a tailored dress of white pique. The little girls are wearing big and little sister dresses of striped chambray, with eyelet ruffle pinafores. This portrait will be published by the cotton industry in the July issue of Mademoiselle as the fifth presentation of the industry's "First Lady" series.

son of the Governor of Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson Jr. made their home at Junction, where the Governor's family had settled almost a century ago, until the death of Governor Stevenson's wife last year. The young Mrs. Stevenson then moved to the 80-year-old mansion at Austin to serve as official hostess for the Governor. The portrait series, presenting for the first time a typical picture

her grandparents, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren and Jo Ann Hart visited Wednesday in Tulsa with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Waisenburg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Caraway of Clarendon visited here Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Bob Land and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCulloch and daughter Linda and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch visited Sunday in Vernon with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Jim Smith and husband.

Mrs. Paul Smith and children of Clarendon visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCraw.

Boyd McClendon of Quanah visited here Saturday with his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald and husband.

Mrs. Laura Jinks of Wolf City is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Wrenn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Daniels and children and Mrs. Ike Hefflin of Mount Pleasant came Wednesday night after Mr. and Mrs. Daniels' daughter, Ada Belle, who is ill. They took Miss Daniels to Dallas where she underwent an operation. She is reported to be improving. She was visiting here with her aunt, Mrs. R. A. Massey and family.

Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger left Thursday of last week for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma City. Miss Leona Pearl McCraw, who had been working in Clarendon, returned to her home here Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald visited Friday night in Hollis, Okla., with his brother, Dr. W. Fitzjarrald and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jones and daughter Ruth, Robert Crooks and Ed Stanley attended a sales meeting of the Waples-Platter Wholesale Grocery Co. in Amarillo Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harrison and daughters, Sharon and Car-

leen, returned Sunday from a visit in Dalhart with relatives.

Mrs. S. L. Seago of Walters, Okla., visited here the first of the week with friends.

Mrs. Claud Johnson and her mother, Mrs. E. S. Howell, went Saturday morning to Lubbock for a visit with their sister and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hood returned Saturday from Brownwood where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Benton and husband, Billy Hood, student in Howard-Payne College, Brownwood, returned home with his parents for a visit.

Mrs. Henry E. Newman left Saturday for her home in Amarillo after a visit here with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Zebb Moore Jr. and Tom Bob Harrison of Amarillo visited here Sunday with Mr. Harrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harrison.

Mrs. J. M. Elliott, who fell several weeks ago and broke her hip, is reported to be improving in the Harris Memorial hospital, Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jim Montgomery of Corpus Christi is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett of Wichita Falls visited here from

Sunday until Tuesday.

Miss Avis Kilpatrick, Childress visitor Sunday.

Mrs. John Howard of Childress is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Wright.

Irma Carson of Childress, Calif., visited here Sunday with friends.

Miss Ira Hammond of Childress last week-end. She is at T. S. C. at Canyon.

Otho Jones Jr. of Childress is visiting his grandparents and Mrs. A. H. Jones of Chapel.

Mrs. J. K. Moreland of Childress, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Linn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. of Lubbock, formerly of Childress, visited here Sunday.

Miss Ruby Thornton of Childress Sunday from a business trip to Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Wilfred Martin of Childress, Wash., has been here with her brother, J. M. and family. She is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. of Childress returned Friday from a trip to Dallas.

### DANCE! COMING BACK! MARIE HETRICK AND HER ALL-GIRL BAND WEDNESDAY, JULY 7 Club Top Hat Childress, Tex

### EAT HEARTY AMERICAN To Keep Well

<b>FLOUR</b> Biscuit Delight 48 lbs. . . . . \$1.75	<b>SUGAR</b> Pure Cane 10 lb cloth bag 69c	<b>CORN</b> Mayfield No. 2, 2 for . . . . .
Peanut Butter, Qt. . . . . 45c	Fresh Beets, bunch . . . . .	Fresh Tomatoes, 2 lbs. . . . . 25c
Cantaloupes, large . . . . . 10c	Spuds, New, 5 lbs. . . . .	Squash, Pound . . . . . 5c
Oats, Toy, Box . . . . . 25c	Peaches, H. D., No. 2 1-2	Oxydol, Large . . . . . 23c
Dreft, Large . . . . . 25c	Corn, W. S., No. 2 . . . . .	Lard, Pure, 8 lb. carton \$1.00
<b>ORANGES</b> Medium Size Dozen . . . . . 25c	<b>Fruit Jar Lids</b> Kerr Dozen . . . . . 10c	<b>Fruit Jars, Qt.</b> Dozen . . . . .
Ginger Bread Mix Pound . . . . . 25c	<b>Fruit Jar Funnels</b> Each . . . . . 15c	<b>Crackers</b> Sunshine Krispy 2 lb. Box . . . . .
<b>WHITE SWAN</b> Coffee, 2 lb. Jar . . . . . 70c	<b>SHILLINGS</b> Coffee, 2 lb. Jar . . . . .	<b>Durox Black, Qt.</b> . . . . . 15c
<b>Kidney Beans, 1 lb. Jar.</b> 15c	<b>Beans, Heinz Baked, jar</b>	<b>Kraut, 2 lb. Jar . . . . . 19c</b>
<b>Dressed Fryers</b> Pound . . . . . 55c	<b>Hot Barbecue</b> 7 Points Pound . . . . . 35c	<b>Pure Lard</b> 5 Points Bring Your

### WEEK-END SPECIALS

COFFEE, Folger's, 1 lb jar . . . . . 34c
FLOUR, Light Crust, 10 lbs., 59c; 25 lbs. . . . . \$1.27
CRISCO or SPRY, 3 lb. Jar . . . . . 75c
MILK, Pet or Carnation, per can . . . . . 5c and 10c
BAKING POWDER, 25 oz. K. C. . . . . 19c
SOAP, P & G or C W, 6 large bars . . . . . 28c
SOAP, Lux or Life Buoy, 3 bars . . . . . 23c
SOAP, Swan, med. bars, 7c; lg. bars, 2 for . . . . . 23c
OXYDOL, large box . . . . . 25c
WHITE KING, Large Box . . . . . 31c
BABO CLEANSER, Can . . . . . 12c
SANIFLUSH or DRANO, Can . . . . . 20c
CRACKERS, 2 lbs. Saltine Flakes . . . . . 32c
PUFFED WHEAT, Quakers, Box, . . . . . 10c
CORN KIX or CHEERIOS, 2 Boxes . . . . . 25c
SALAD DRESSING, Best Yett Pts. 23c qts. . . . . 36c
POST BRAN or GRAPE-NUT FLAKES, Lg. box . . . . . 15c
KRAFT DINNERS, Box . . . . . 9c
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, Skinners, 2 boxes . . . . . 17c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown or Snosheen, box . . . . . 27c
EGGS, Fresh Country, dozen . . . . . 34c
TOILET PAPER, White Fur, 4 Rolls . . . . . 24c
PAPER TOWELS, Scott, 2 Rolls, . . . . . 23c
PAPER NAPKINS, 80 Count, 2 pkgs. . . . . 17c
FLY SWATTERS, 2 for . . . . . 17c
TOMATOES, No. 2 Can . . . . . 12c
CORN, P. R. or W. S., 2 cans . . . . . 16c
ENGLISH PEAS, Mission, 2 cans . . . . . 17c
ARMOURS TREET, can . . . . . 37c
PEACHES, H. D., Large cans . . . . . 26c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, H. D., can . . . . . 19c
SPUDS, Texas Reds, 5 lbs. . . . . 21c; pk. . . . . 59c
SPUDS California Long Whites, 5 lbs. . . . . 27c
FRESH BLACKEYED PEAS, lb. . . . . 8c
CUCUMBERS, Fresh, lb. . . . . 7c
TOMATOES Fresh, lb., . . . . . 12c
OKRA, Fresh, lb. . . . . 17c
BELL PEPPERS, lb. . . . . 20c
CORN, Fresh, each . . . . . 5c
CABBAGE, Green Heads, lb. . . . . 8c
CARROTS Fresh, bunch . . . . . 6c
BEETS, Fresh Home Grown, bunch . . . . . 8c

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### Ahhhh!

Coast Guardsman Michael Lopez and Betty Mantia find relaxation in a haystack after a hike on a Connecticut farm, proving that not all seafarers make a beeline for the bright lights when ashore.

### Planner

Sir William Beveridge, author of England's "graduated" social security plan, is caught in a sensitive mood at a welfare council forum where he spoke following a dinner held in his honor at a New York hotel.

### For Better Results Feed Mayfield's Texacream Feeds

Starter, 100 lbs. . . . . \$4.00  
Big M Laying Mash . . . . . \$3.78  
Economy Cow Feed . . . . . \$2.36  
Barley Chops . . . . . \$2.90  
Pratt's Dog Food, Cubed, lb. . . . . 7 1/2c

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Mrs. H. K. Moore and daughter Jeanine returned Sunday from a visit with relatives and friends in Lubbock.

Mrs. E. B. Peters of Nocona left Wednesday after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Estes.

Larry Grundy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Grundy, left the first of June to attend N A T C, Arlington.

Cynthia Ann Combest of Amarillo is visiting here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Graham and daughters, Cecile and Frances, of Amarillo visited here last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman. Ladon Graham, who had been here visiting

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DAY AFTERNOON, JULY 1, 1943

NEWS



NEWS about boys in the Service

P. Cole was a Memphis resident... Mrs. J. T. Nelson visited here with his father...

Lockhart of Salisbury... B. Hoover, who is not yet 18, is returning to the U. S. for medical treatment...

T. Hoover visited in with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoover...

Mrs. Lillie Mae Wilson received word that her son, who was stationed at the Enid Army Flying School, Enid, Okla., has been moved to the Harlingen Army Air Field, Harlingen, Tex. Wilson has been in the armed forces since October 1942.

Ralph Alewine of Hedley left Tuesday for Clinton, Miss., where he reported for service in the Naval Reserve. He will attend Mississippi College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Alewine.

Pvt. J. D. Sims of Fort Warren, Wyo., came Friday for a visit here with his wife and daughter.

Wayne D. Loury was recently promoted to Technician fifth grade from private. He is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Loury.

Lt. Keith Wells left Monday for San Diego, Calif., for training in the parachute division of the U. S. Marine Corps. He recently was commissioned at Quantico, Va. He has been visiting his father, Del Wells of Lakeview.

Pvt. and Mrs. Lavaughn Mash of Wichita Falls visited here last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mash. He returned to Wichita Falls and Mrs. Mash remained here for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rice of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hale of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Parks of Mrs. Hester Bownds of Mrs. Mary Bownds.

You can't tell the social standing of a man these days just from the make and model of his automobile.

There is a town named Axis in Alabama.

It may come to the point when the war is over, that the man who has never been abroad will be a rarity or a stick-in-the-mud!

Americans make approximately 110 billion telephone calls daily.

Precedent Breaker



Probationary Ensign Sau Ki-wong, 25, is the first Chinese to be accepted as an officer candidate by the U. S. Navy. He's finishing studies at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., and will be commissioned in the Medical Corps. A native of Honolulu, he was an electrician at Pearl Harbor when the Japs attacked. (U. S. Navy Photo from NEA.)



Future Readers of The Democrat

Phyllis Carol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McClary Jr. was born June 24. She weighed 6 pounds and 4 ounces. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gleaton and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McClary.

Pfc. and Mrs. Elmer Cross are the parents of a daughter born June 29. Lanita Daris weighed 6 pounds and 5 ounces. Private first class Cross is stationed with the U. S. Army at Fort Sill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stanley of Lakeview are the parents of a son born June 26. He was named Johnnie Ray Stanley.

Swat the swastika! We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and kindly ministrations to us during the illness and at the time of the death of our loved one, and those who sent the beautiful floral offerings. It is our wish that when this same sadness comes to your home you will have God's richest blessings and the same kindness at the hands of your friends and neighbors.

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Roughage in Cow's Feeding Produces More, Better Milk

Feeding cows plenty of good roughage is one of the most economical methods dairymen can use in keeping up milk production. Roughage means pasture, silage and hay.

It is economical, says W. B. Hooser, because the more good roughage which goes down a cow's throat the less grain mixture she will need. Present high prices for feed and a shortage of protein feeds, further emphasize the economy of this. It is estimated that if a milk cow gets all of the roughage she wants she can produce up to two-thirds of her capacity on this alone. Producing two-thirds of the milk on this feed not only cuts the cost of the total feed bill, but saves grain, as well as the precious protein food stocks, for poultry and for livestock when pastures become less nutritious.

Roughages are the bulky feeding stuffs which are higher in fibre and supply a lower percentage of indigestible matter. Such feeds as hay, fodder, straw, silage and cotton seed hulls belong in this class. Most of the sweet feeds on the market, along with ground peanut hulls containing molasses and ground alfalfa hay with molasses on it, are also roughages. Good permanent pasture—the kind which enables a cow to get all she wants in about two hours of grazing—is, of course, the cheapest feed for a dairy animal. Hooser says. But to have good permanent pastures, it is necessary not to overgraze. A good cow should receive some concentrated feed daily whether she is fresh or dry. With good green pasture or legume hay she should eat about three pounds of grain mixture daily for each gallon of milk produced.

Cactus Ordnance Works Reopening

Construction of the Cactus Ordnance works at Etter, 12 miles north of Dumas, will be resumed immediately under the joint management of the Shell Chemical Company of San Francisco and the Chemical Construction Corporation of New York, it has been announced.

The plant will be converted from the making of ammonia to the manufacture of a chemical compound for the war program. Nature of the new chemical has not been revealed.

Original construction of the plant was started May 5, 1941, and stopped May 5, 1943, when it was announced that ammonia was no longer to be used in bombs.

In announcing reopening of the project, the ordnance department at St. Louis stated the "size of the operational program will be comparable to that of the original."

A consoling note for the flower lover who has devoted all the space to vegetables; remember that the lily belongs to the onion family.

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Texas Red Cross Chapters To Provide For Wives

Program Not In Operation Yet, So Do Not Make Applications, Says Hudgins

In March, Congress appropriated an amount of money for state use through the various boards of health for the purpose of providing emergency obstetric and infant care of the wives and babies of men in certain classifications of men in the armed forces.

Dr. George W. Cox, who is the State Health officer states that the Texas Red Cross chapters in Texas do not have the operation of this plan in effect yet, but that publicity will be given to this as soon as the program has been perfected.

E. N. Hudgins, chairman of the Red Cross, asks that attention be called to the fact that the Red Cross will be unable to consider applications for this care that are made before the program has officially gone into effect; consequently if applications have already been made for this care, it will be necessary for the family concerned to file another application after the date the program becomes operative within the state.

This care provides for the wives and infants of any man serving in the fourth, fifth, sixth or seventh grade of the Army, Navy, Marine or Coast Guard, as long as similar services are not available through medical or hospital facilities of the Army or Navy. "As soon as this program gets into operation in Texas, it will be announced, and until then, you are simply wasting your time to make your applications, as they must be made again as soon as it is in effect. Wives, eligible, are the ones who now draw an allowance based on the Serviceman's Dependents Allowance Act," stated Mr. Hudgins.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hammond and son of Portales, N. M., came Saturday for a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hammond and Raymond Ballew.

Billy Ballew left Monday for Benton Harbor, Mich., for a visit with his mother.

L. F. Jones, who is employed in Amarillo, visited here from Thursday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jones.

H. B. Gilmore, who is employed in Amarillo, visited here Monday with his family.

Mrs. Tom Salem visited last week-end in Cheyenne, Wyo., with her husband, who is stationed at Fort Warren.

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Captivity Garden



While awaiting transfer to a permanent prison camp, anti-Nazi German prisoners make garden at Angel Island, Calif. The Germans are divided into pro-Nazi and anti-Nazi groups, the latter being those who seemed relieved at being captured. Note the "P W" (prisoner of war) on the seat of one captive's G. I. trousers. (Passed by Army censor.)

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WAAC and WAVES

Colorado Springs, Colo. June 27, 1943. The Memphis Democrat.

Today being my birthday I received one of the best gifts that could have possibly been given me; and that of course was the Memphis Democrat. You will never know how nice it is to read the home town paper and know what is going on about friends that you would otherwise never hear about. Just one thing wrong with the whole situation and that is it makes me homesick and my chances for coming are very slim. I don't know who is responsible for sending the paper but I sincerely thank them from the bottom of my heart.

The consideration that you give everyone in service is grand and I am sure that every one appreciates it as much as I do. With people like those we have in our armed forces and with those we have working at home, it won't be long until this war will be over and we will all be back home. Thank you again for the paper and give my regards to all the home-folks.

Sincerely, Sgt. Virginia Lemons, WAAC Detachment 3rd Army Air Force Peterson Army Air Force Colorado Springs, Colo.

FAIRVIEW

By VALDA SMITH

Mrs. Eartie Shearer of Denver, Colo., arrived last week for a visit with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Eber Henderson and family of Sanford visited here last week with relatives. Leonard Henderson, who had been visiting here the past three weeks, returned home with them.

W. P. Rogers of Plainview came Tuesday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellerd visited Sunday in the R. Ellerd home.

A reader says that if all war reports were taken as facts we wouldn't be able to figure out who was the vanquished.

Pitchin' In



The labor problem is no discourager to the Roy Berghaus family of Farmington, Mo. They all just pitch in and do what there is to be done. A year or so ago they decided to do double duty, so Papa Roy joined a naval construction battalion and commissioned Mrs. B. and the little ones to farm their 125 acres. At top you see her en route for a load of hay, with little Carol, 9, piloting the tractor and the rest of the Berghaus brood going along to help. Carol does a daily chore in the dairy department, lower left, and at lower right are some 4-day-old Durocs, indicating that Berghaus-pork production is coming along just fine.

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### FIGURE IT OUT YOURSELF!

ARE these things worth upping your payroll savings? Would it be worth a dollar for war bonds out of your pay every payday or out of family income to you to know that for the next several years you were going to be able to sit with your family in church on Sundays, watching the sun do its tricks on the stained glass?

Would it be worth it keep cussing the guy you voted for because he didn't do just exactly what you thought he was going to do?

Would it be worth it to continue being awakened on Thanksgiving Day morning by the intoxicating aromas from the kitchen?

Would it be worth it to keep trimming the tree on Christmas Eve and going to the door every few minutes to see if the rest of the family has arrived?

Would it be worth that dollar every payday to loan your neighbor your lawn mower, and borrow his extension ladder to fix that leaky roof?

Would it be worth it to pull your chair out on the porch and indulge in a 15-minute cat-nap after a Sunday dinner?

Would it be worth it to continue writing to The Democrat, mad as hops, about whether we ought to have trees or birds on the courthouse lawn?

Would it be worth that extra dollar to watch the children get their high school diplomas, and secretly congratulate yourself that your thrift is going to make it possible to send them on to college?

Would it be worth it to go through the picture album with Mom and laugh at those out-of-date dresses and swallowing hard as the snapshots turn back the years?

Would it be worth it to make the final payment on the car while it is still reasonably new?

Would it be worth it to differ with the political opinions of your father-in-law?

Would it be worth it to watch Johnny march off for his first "gate," and wondering whether you ought to let him take the family limousine?

Now, would you be willing to throw in an extra half buck to bring to an end more quickly those throat-catching incidents transpiring daily in the railroad terminals, as the best of our youth marches off to protect these things we've been talking about?

Figure it out yourself!

### WHO SAID SACRIFICE?

OUR forefathers did without sugar until the thirteenth century, without coal fires until the fourteenth century, without buttered bread until the fifteenth century, without potatoes until the sixteenth, without coffee, tea and soap until the seventeenth, without pudding until the eighteenth, without gas, matches and electricity until the nineteenth, without canned goods until the twentieth century, and we have had automobiles for only a few years.

Now, what was it you were complaining about?

### Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGE

The next three months will be critical from the standpoint of obtaining enough feed for the tremendous amount of livestock and poultry in this county. Local feed stores are seriously concerned over the problem. It will take a tremendous amount of products. The county has more beef cattle, more dairy cattle, more hogs and more chickens than at any time in its history. Right now the prospects are above average, but farmers will not rest on an anxious glance at the sky be-

tween now and September...Wellington Leader.

There's lots of scents to this story. Grandma Blackwell, 70, Clarendon resident is the top ranking contender for the pole-cat killing honors.

Although suffering with a game leg, a result of a broken bone recently, Grandma Blackwell exterminates her skunks the hard way.

One late afternoon this week, Grandma Blackwell scattered meat scraps near her door for food for her cats. Returning outdoors a few minutes later she saw three skunks enjoying the feast. Seizing a mop, Mrs. Blackwell went to work in earnest and when the dust had cleared, the three



pole-cats lay dead.—The Clarendon News.

The good streets of the home town, its churches, its schools and its homes were built by its money things are ever built in any town by the dollars we send to the city. That's the fellow in the grocery store who stands back of the counter with more worries than coupons, supplies, markets, and prices than you have. He will tell you that he is having troubles and he is probably right when he says there are more to come. When we step to the counter and grumble because there isn't any of this, wonder why a shortage of that, wonder why a shortage of this, remember that his headache is worse than yours and he isn't any happier because he can't carry on "business as usual" than you are.—The Scurry County Times.

In the trend of complaining of food cost, produce limitations, black markets, coupon difficulties, we sort of forget a person who needs consideration in all of this regimentation and who seldom gets anything but a sight of impatience for all his troubles. That's the fellow in the grocery store who stands back of the counter with more worries than coupons, supplies, markets, and prices than you have. He will tell you that he is having troubles and he is probably right when he says there are more to come. When we step to the counter and grumble because there isn't any of this, wonder why a shortage of that, wonder why a shortage of this, remember that his headache is worse than yours and he isn't any happier because he can't carry on "business as usual" than you are.—The Scurry County Times.

March 20, 1943.

D. C. Lane, et al, to Temple Lane and Floyal Lane, part of N 1-2 section 147, block S-5 D & P. Ry. Co., S 1-2 section 147, block S-5 D & P Ry. Co., filed March 22, 1943.

Mattie Butler, et al, to O. L. Anthony, lots 1, 2, 3, block 67, Memphis, and part of section 19, block 19, filed March 22, 1943.

American National Bank of Beaumont, et al, to J. R. Collins, sections 180, 181, 183, 184, block H. Beauty, Seale and Forwood survey, containing 2560 acres of land, filed March 25, 1943.

Minnie Mabery, et al, to L. H. Price, section 31, block 1, certificate 2-184, J. Poitevent, containing 640 acres, filed March 26, 1943.

Commerce Trust Co, to B. L. Maddox, E 200 acres section 19, block 2, J. Peltevent survey, filed March 29, 1943.

Winnie V. Hutchins et al, to Albert J. Rogers, lots 22, 23, 24, block 43, Estelline, filed March 29, 1943.

First State Bank to J. W. Revell, NE 1-2 of section 73, block 2, T & P Ry. Co. survey, filed March 31, 1943.

### BRICE

By MRS. D. S. JOHNSON

Rev. M. O. Evans will preach at the Baptist church Sunday at 11.

Clyda Fern Wilson of Amarillo spent the week-end here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tate.

Staff Sgt. Olaf Phipps visited friends here Thursday. He returned to his camp Saturday.

Those visiting in the H. Moreman home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Graham, and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman of Memphis, and W. P. Cagle of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Anna Dickson of Memphis was here on business Friday.

Mrs. Thomas Perkins of Lockney visited her sister, Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Friday. Bobbie and Max Johnson returned home with her for a few days visit.

Rev. G. H. Gattis of Brookstone is visiting his son, T. H. Gattis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loftis Loyd of Lubbock visited in the M. L. Pittman home Thursday night. They are moving this week to Portland, Ore. Mrs. Loyd was formerly Miss Fisher who taught in the Lesley school the past year.

A clipping from a paper published at the hospital base at Vancouver, Wash., where T. Sgt. Marion Cross is in service, reads as follows: "Sgt. W. M. Cross, sergeant of the guard, keeps things right in 76, dependable, quiet, does his job, won the good conduct medal, the strong silent type, his wife's proud of him, so are we."

D. B. Gage and family of Quitaque have moved to this community. Mr. Gage will be employed at the gin.

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### Town and Farm In Wartime

(Weekly News Digest prepared by the Rural Press Section, OWI News Bureau)

#### TOWN AND FARM—What to Write Soldiers

The soldier wants the intimate details of life back home," says Chaplain (Major) Alvie L. McKnight of Cleveland, Miss., who has just returned to the U. S. after five months of duty on Guadalcanal. "That the girl two doors down has taken a war plant job, or that the couple across the street have had a baby may make your letter read like a personal column in a small town weekly newspaper, but that's what he wants. By all means, don't tell the soldier about your troubles. He has enough of his own. Domestic troubles affect the morale of the soldier at the front more than anything else. Something to live for and go back to is what keeps a soldier American. It is what gives a man fight. Home life is everything to the man at the front."

#### Average Income Up, But—

In July, 1940, the average American had an increase of about \$47.92. Military expenditures in that month amounted to approximately \$1.50 per person. In April of this year, income per capita was 1.8 times what it was in the middle of 1940—\$85.03, but if the average American had been asked to pay April's war expenses on the spot, they would have taken \$53.52 of his new \$85.03 income.

#### \$1 Apiece for Good Tires

One dollar apiece is the maximum price that OPA has set for low-quality used passenger car tires which are now permitted for the first time. Maximum additions to this price are provided when tires are given emergency repairs before being sold.

#### Jap Prisoners Die

More than 300 U. S. war casualties are the result of unhealthful conditions in Japanese prison camps, according to messages received through the International Red Cross from Japan. Disease is stated in each case as the cause of death.

#### Soldiers' Dependents Get Checks

Family allowances and voluntary allotments-of-pay are now in force for about four and a half million soldiers who have more than seven and one-half million dependents, the War Department announces. More than 20 million

family allowance and of-of-pay checks have been wives, children and other ents, relatives of army year.

Prosecute Gas Ration Criminal prosecutions of rationing instituted by OPA April 30, 1943, totaling Ninety-three cases involving violation of gasoline rationing. Ninety-three cases involving individuals ranging from automobile owners and station attendants to criminals engaged in systematic sale of stolen gasoline books and coupons.

#### INDIAN CREW

By MRS. NOVA VANDER

Zettie Jo and Thelma went to Amarillo last week to attend to the wheat business school.

Glendon Henry is with the Plains in the wheat business.

Mrs. Ida Whitten is a guest, her brother, Holly of Norman, Okla.

Devine Henry visited B. Orrell of Webster last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie had as their guest Sunday and Mrs. Jerold McDaniel and Miss Dorothy of Memphis, and Miss Lee McDaniel and Miss Daniel of Amarillo.

Mrs. G. L. Stone is a daughter, Mrs. Buck Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Ray Powell and of Berger visited her parents and Mrs. Pannell, last week.

William Lavender, stationed at Sherman visited here last week with his mother and other relatives.

Naomi Morrison is in Amarillo.

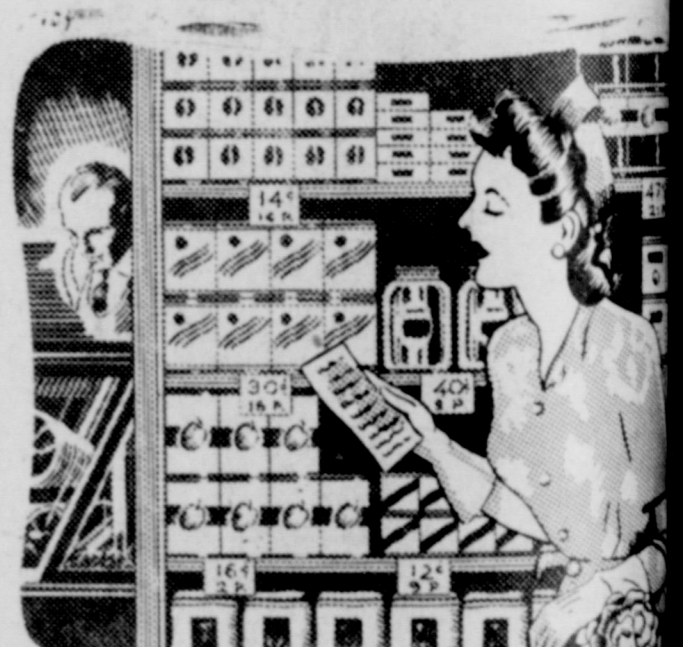
Mr. and Mrs. Jessie daughters of Clarendon Saturday with her parents and Mrs. Jim Allan of Loyd Vandeventer visited Tuesday.

Charles Lacy of Amarillo here last week-end with his family. He is employed in Amarillo by the Waples - Platter grocery company.

"LETO'S" Helps "Gums" Get Well

Are your gums unsightly? Do they bleed? Do they burn? Do they cause you embarrassment? Druggists return money on a bottle of "LETO'S" fails to help.

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### LADY

LOOK AHEAD!

Look beyond the shelves of the grocery store. Look for the ration tickets. Think of the time next winter when you want to be sure you'll have plenty for the family to eat.

What's the best way to do that? Don't put the whole on the grocer. He's doing a grand job, but he's working under a handicap, with rationing and shortages on every side.

There is a better answer—CAN while you can. Can your toes, peas, beans, beets, carrots, corn, and fruits of all varieties—everything you can. It will pay you dividends, savings, more for your ration tickets, food shortage "ance," and the satisfaction of having helped keep our forces well fed.

United Gas has a booklet, "Home Canning of Fruits and Vegetables," which is offered to you without cost. Request a suggestion from this booklet.

#### CANNING TIP

"Rims of glass jars should be free from any nicks or chips. Tops should properly fit the jars. New rubber rings should be used."

This booklet will help you. The pamphlet on dehydration of fruits and vegetables is also a canning aid. Stop in our office and get your free copies.

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WHAT A LOVELY NIGHT, HUNK—IT MAKES ONE FEEL SO ROMANTIC!

MR. TILLER SAYS IT MAKES HIM FEEL ROO-MATIC!

BUT LOOK AT THAT MOON—DOESN'T IT THRILL YOU?

IT IS SORTA PRETTY, MISS LORNA!

(I'VE BEEN STARING AT THE MOON FOR TEN MINUTES NOW—MAYBE IT'S HAVING SOME EFFECT AFTER ALL!) WHAT ARE YOU THINKING OF?

I WAS THINKING IF THE MOON WAS MADE OF CHEESE, HOW MANY RATION POINTS IT'D TAKE TO BUY IT!

# NEWS

## County Men in the Armed Forces



12, and the other April 19. I was sure tickled to hear from you.

Mother, wish I were there to eat your cooking and give Miss Frosty a spanking. How is that young lady by this time? I bet she is as fat and sassy as a young mule.

Well I guess Dad is planting crops, and I bet Abe is out there every day piddling around.

Mother, I suppose that my dear wife is there by this time. I will be glad when the time comes when I won't have to take orders from anyone but her.

I will be in port in three hours and I will write you right now. So will close for this time. Give my love to all and tell them I am OK.

With all my love,  
EARTS.

California Desert June 20, 1943

My Dear Father:

Today is Father's Day, so I'm dedicating this to you. Never before, did this day mean so much to me. All these years, I just took you for granted; some one always there; ever sure and ready for any and every call I would make on you no matter how taxing or insistently my demands. Now that you are not here to do everything for me, I surely miss you and realize a thousand times a day how much you did and how much I owe you for the best things I have.

Out here, this desert training is not the easiest kind of life, but the hardships are no small blessings if they make me think and rate the worthwhile things of life at their true value. The lack of water on these thirsting sands taught me how sweet and indispensable is God's good gift of clear clean water we used to leave running in the sink until you called our attention to such sad waste. You couldn't count the number of times each day my memory leaves your voice at table at home telling me to eat more than that, or more of this good food, especially since this training cuts out noon meals to sharpen the appetite with a good sauce of hunger for humble but very welcome fare like hash or beans.

It had to take a war to teach me serious consideration and the worth of things that really count. And this war discovered you for me. Strange that in this time of separation, I at last come nearest to you, nearest to understanding all you meant and mean.

Most of all, I want to thank you for being my father, a swell father you are too. Your unselfishness made happy all the years I have. I owe you more than just thanks. I have a wonderful admiration for you. I hope I can measure up to you.

I am an I-A soldier in the A-1 army of the world art of self-defense and science of blotting out those inhumans whose ideas are not the ideas and ideals you handed down to me when you schooled me in simple democracy and sincere Americanism. I feel this is my personal fight, my own defense of my land, my home, and all I love, especially you. Because I am so proud of you, I'm putting everything I have into this fight to keep the American life and liberty you gave me.

At church today and every future Sunday, this is my constant prayer for you: "God bless my father, Give me the grace to be the best soldier in America, the soldier he thinks I am. Make me the man my father is and I'll be the soldier you want me to be. For Your's, and his sake, I will be my best at my best every minute of my life. God bless my father."

and Mrs. S. P. Wells seen a lot of water several countries since the States. He writes: Africa, May 19, 1943, and Mom:

I heard from you in, but our mail hasn't going through so good suppose you have already had over here as far as concerned, but of course I'll over yet, so I guess we to keep up the good

Tunis the other day. I used to be a nice didn't look like much after all, it took us six get it, and as far as I med, I don't want any of Africa either.

I told you where I have been leaving the United have been in Ireland, Scotland and Wales, and place, from here I don't know where we will go, to come back to the while at least. There is much chance of that, can never tell what will when.

Love,  
Paul.

ter Phillips received from her son, Pfc. Grady stating that he has onville, Fla., where he stationed for some time, as duty.

and Mrs. W. G. Shear-Lakeview have two son and Earts, in Sam's service. Both have written letters to parents, which are published below:

U. S. Merchant Marine At Sea, May 24, 1943

Dear Mother, Dad and I will find you OK. a nice trip this time enough excitement to not so weary.

I just received two letters down in (censored) and pleased to hear from you. I would get any mail back to the States. One Mrs. was mailed April

er with all the blessings of health and happiness and success always."

Your loving son,  
Seyon Shearer

Pvt. J. E. Jones of Camp Barkley, Abilene, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones of Harrell Chapel.

Cpl. J. G. Gardner left Sunday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner. He is stationed at Fort Riley, Kan., in the medical corps.

James Fultz left Tuesday for Arlington where he reported for active service with the U. S. Marine Reserve at N T A C. He was sworn in the Marine Reserves in Dallas in September, 1942. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz.

Cpl. Hiram Crawford, stationed at AFBS, Childress, visited here last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crawford.

Cpl. Jesse E. Ioor of Nashville, Tenn., is home on a furlough to be with his mother, Mrs. John E. Ioor of Lakeview, who underwent an operation last week.

Capt. Fred Brewer is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brewer of Childress. He is stationed at Fort Huachuca, Ariz. Capt. Brewer and father were visitors in Memphis Monday.

While here, I'm perfecting myself in the manly art of self-defense and science of blotting out those inhumans whose ideas are not the ideas and ideals you handed down to me when you schooled me in simple democracy and sincere Americanism. I feel this is my personal fight, my own defense of my land, my home, and all I love, especially you. Because I am so proud of you, I'm putting everything I have into this fight to keep the American life and liberty you gave me.

At church today and every future Sunday, this is my constant prayer for you: "God bless my father, Give me the grace to be the best soldier in America, the soldier he thinks I am. Make me the man my father is and I'll be the soldier you want me to be. For Your's, and his sake, I will be my best at my best every minute of my life. God bless my father."

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## Plots Sub Attack



Rear Adm. Charles A. Lockwood, Jr., of Lamar, Mo., is the guiding brain behind the Pacific fleet's submarine force. He's in command in place of the late Rear Adm. R. H. English, killed in an air crash. (U. S. Navy Photo from NEA.)

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Richberg and son, Mrs. T. D. Gee, and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Billingsley, Mrs. Ruth Stout, and son, Mrs. Artie Davidson, Mrs. E. Chandler, Mrs. Roy Smith and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Labay, Mrs. R. H. Whaley, Katie Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry, and Miss Fern Dean Smith of Lakeview.

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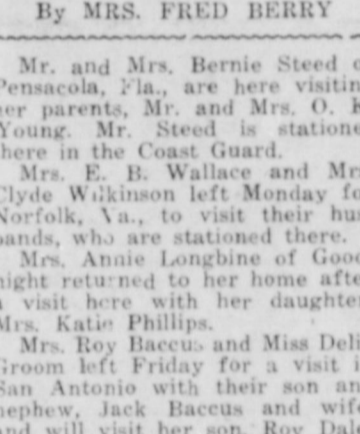
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In a Clinch With a Clutch

Alyce Curbay of Borg-Warner's Rockford, Ill., plant proudly displays the largest and smallest clutches made at the factory, where employees learned at their "E" award ceremony that the big article on the left is at work in tanks on nearly every battlefield.



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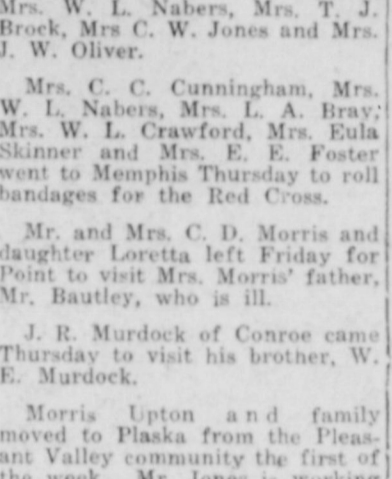
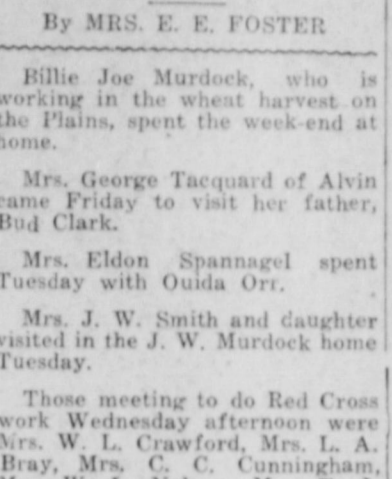
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### First Construction Photographs In State's Newest Industry

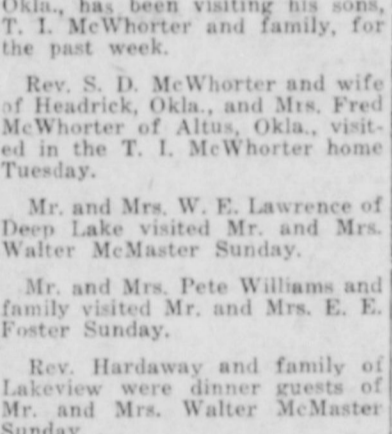


Tire & Rubber Company of Akron, Ohio, the plants have open-type walls to take advantage of Texas' benign climate and to conserve building materials. At the top left is a process building in a 60,000-ton plant while the picture beside it shows three reactors in place and space for another. Below, left, are the stripping towers which remove excess butadiene and styrene from the latex while beside it, is a picture of Glenn A. Barber (white shirt), project manager for one of the plants, examining a reactor with an employee.

These synthetic rubber plants in southeastern Texas, nearing completion and scheduled to start production this summer, are the first in Texas' newest industry. Built by the Goodyear

Bleat Me, Daddy!

Mrs. John Leonard had 32 little lambs, their stomachs were empty and oh, they were orphans! So she rigged up a feeding rack with nipples beer and pop bottles on her farm at Wiggins, Col. Are the lambs thriving? Baaaaaatcher life they are!



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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragan and daughter Nelda May of Lesley community visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ellis.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell spent Sunday afternoon visiting in the T. J. Brock home.

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DOAN'S PILLS

Comments—

(Continued from page one)

Hon. Marvin Jones has been appointed to a big job, that of food administrator, succeeding Chester C. Davis. If anyone can do the job, Marvin can. But, his friends are fearful that the little jealous men of Washington will get his goat just like they got that of Davis' by petty hickering and undermining. Marvin is too big a man and too valuable to be slaughtered on the altar of jealousy. Let's hope he will get the job done and without being crucified like most of others who have been named to high places in the war effort.

Speaking of jealousy in Washington, the latest school kid stuff has come out between Jesse Jones and Vice President Wallace—two of Washington's biggest men. There is a great war on, and the whole world is on the anxious seat. When two men, holding high posts as those two, stop war effort to engage in controversy as to who did what and why, then the general public wonders why. I don't know which of the two, if either, are in the right. I do know that the American populace is getting sick and tired of the squabbling going on in Washington and want to see action instead.

Just when farmers were beginning to wonder if dry weather would continue, a fine rain visited this whole section of country, giving needed moisture slowly and surely, without damaging old or young crops. A number of farmers who were hailed out recently had to stop planting just before the rain, the top soil was getting so dry. Now, they are about through with all the planting and do not need to worry about not having sufficient moisture. Nature takes care of a lot of things, and man-made laws sometime fail entirely.

The readers will probably guess that I have been relieved from work in the mechanical department by my having time to express disgust in some cases and appreciation in others in this column. Yes, Mr. Sellers, printer of Joplin, Mo., arrived Tuesday and is doing a far better job in the back office than I ever dared to do.

Dick Griffin, blind boxing promoter of Dallas, uses a German shepherd dog to guide him through the heaviest traffic.

A father writes his son that things are as usual in this country—it's still difficult to open windows on trains, street cars and buses.

Palace

Saturday Only— "Halfway to Shanghai" Irene Hervey Kent Taylor

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday and Monday— "Silver Skates" Kenny Baker Patricia Morrison

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday— "A Stranger in Town" Frank Morgan Jean Rogers

PALACE AND RITZ BARGAIN DAY

Every Friday July 2—Only Frank Buck's Jacare Killer of the Amazon! Also Added Attraction "Fala," The President's Dog

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Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday— "Margin for Error" Joan Bennett Milton Berle

Double Funeral

(Continued from page one)

B. Hoover, Alfred Hutcherson. In charge of flowers were: Mrs. Alfred Hutcherson, Mrs. Guy Nelson, Mrs. Manuel Burnett, Mrs. J. W. Longshore, Mrs. Irvin Oakley, Mrs. Dick Oakley, Winona Oakley, Patsy Burnett, Joan Burnett and Dorothy Hutcherson. Interment was in Fairview cemetery under direction of King's Mortuary.

Tri-State Rodeo In Amarillo July 2-4

For the first time in five years or more the Tri-State Fair has booked a big-time rodeo for four shows, July 2-3-4, in Amarillo. There will be shows each afternoon and on Saturday night, July 3.

Beautler Brothers will direct the rodeo in which both amateurs and professionals will compete.

These Couples— GET LICENSES

The Hall County clerk's office issued marriage licenses during the month of June to the following: June 3, Jesse E. Ioor and Katherine Marine Maroney; June 5, Henry R. Harper and Ruby Neoma Turner; June 6, Albert M. Gilchrist and Dorothy Edens; June 12, James Lucian Souder Jr. and Willie Bernice Easter; June 5, George Harold Sterling (colored) and Erlane Dixon (colored); June 23, Clifford Stone (colored) and Gladys Green (colored).

Argentina's government palace is known as the "Pink House." Time was we used to send our old clothes to the missions. Now we wear them.

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FOR RENT—Garage apartment, nicely furnished. Call 108W. Mrs. Lee Thornton. 2-2c

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment, modern conveniences. North 7th. Mrs. A. M. Wyatt. 2-2p

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Adults only. Mrs. C. Gerlach, 1412 Bradford St. 3-3c

For Sale

FOR SALE—June 28, beans, peas, okra, for canning. Phone 180. 422 North 5th St. 2-2p

FOR SALE—75 dark young Cornish Game hens at \$3.00 each. Mrs. T. B. Roberts, 2 miles south Memphis, Box 825, Memphis. 3p

FOR SALE—Gentle paint saddle mare, 2-1/4 miles west of Lakeview on pavement. Guaranteed to please. Will deliver. E. H. Saunders. 3-3p

FOR SALE—About 4 dozen White Leghorn hens, \$1 each. E. C. Yearly, 1221 Dover St. 1p

1415 Bradford St. 3-3c acres irrigated wheat and cotton land, suitable for irrigation. \$300.00 per acre, near Hart, Texas. W. D. Duree, Box 120, Dimmitt, Texas. 3-2p

Wanted

WANTED—Unfurnished apartment. Phone 85W. 1p

WANTED to buy, air conditioner. Phone 274. 1c

WANTED—Good 10 or 12 inch FOR SALE—By owners, 860 Phillips 66, 9th and Main. 1p

WILL care for graves in cemetery at reasonable prices. Phone 235-M. R. D. Evans. 2-2p

WANTED—To buy farm from owner. W. P. Cagle, Jr., Box 841, Memphis, Texas. 1-3p

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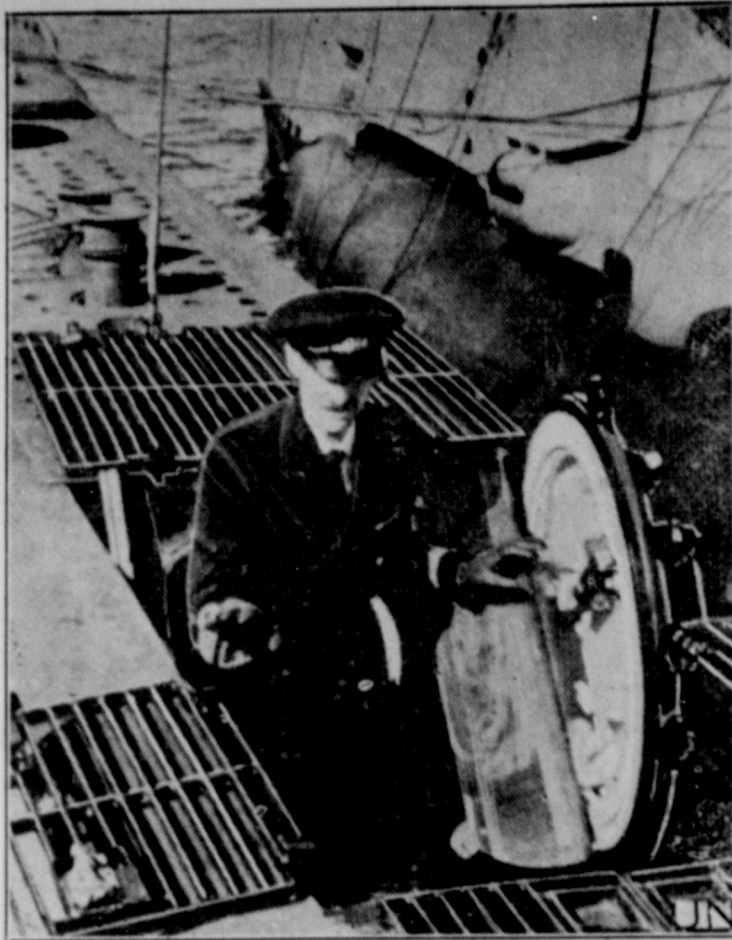
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Counter Attack



KING HAAKON VII of Norway inspects the newest addition to his Royal Norwegian Navy, the British-built submarine Ula. This vessel, prowling Axis supply lines, will take toll for the 400 ships—42 per cent of pre-war tonnage—lost by the Norwegian merchant fleet in the service of the United Nations. Today, working with Allied navies on convoy and patrol duty, are some 60 ships of the Royal Norwegian Navy.

Statement of Sen. Connally On His Anti-Strike Bill

Bill Authorizes President To Take Over Strike-Bound Plants; To Aid War Effort

Washington, D. C.—The Connally Anti-Strike bill has passed the Senate and House and is before the President.

The principal object of the bill is to keep war plants producing. On June 12, 1941, I offered an amendment in the Senate which provided for taking over by the President and the operation by the Government, of plants engaged in producing national defense articles wherever such production was impeded or hindered by strike or labor disputes. That amendment was adopted by the Senate as early as 1941 by record vote of 67 to 7. However, it failed of adoption in the House of Representatives.

The bill was later modified and improved. The bill approaches the issue from the national viewpoint, from the war needs, from

the dire necessity to keep plants going and to keep production moving to our heroic men on the far-flung battlefronts in this war. Main provisions of the bill are: (1) It prohibits any strike in a Government-operated plant or plant seized by the Government, under penalty of imprisonment and fine. (2) It provides for a 30-day notice of a labor disturbance in a private war plant and a secret ballot. (3) If a strike then occurs, the Government can take over and penalties will operate against any further strike. (4) It gives the War Labor Board power of subpoena and clear statutory powers. (5) It is no offense for any individual worker to quit work in any seized or Government-operated plant but penalties are provided for inducement or conspiracy with others to interfere with the continuous operation of a Government-operated war plant. (6) It authorizes the President specifically to take over strike-bound plants.

More than 500 racing fans cycled to the Newmarket, England, race track on opening day.

There is the memory, treasured by a few men, of days gone by when sport consisted of a flivver, a frying pan and a coffee pot.

WEATHERLY

By COLLEEN WEATHERLY

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn of Dumas visited with relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Velda Mae, Elaine and Eunice Imel have returned home from a visit with friends and relatives.

Dorothy Wellman spent Sunday night with Eloise Stephens.

Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith and boys have gone to Dumas to spend this week-end with her sister, Mrs. Bill Dunn.

Eloise Stephens spent Sunday with Dorothy Wellman.

A. B. Stephens and sons were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill and daughter Patsy, G. W. Hartwell and Aurila Rice were Turkey visitors Saturday night.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherly entertained the people of this community with a party Friday night.

Mrs. Shorty Hayes of Memphis visited with her sister, Mrs. Jim E. Weatherly Saturday afternoon.

Feggy Weatherly has returned to her home in Wheeler after a short visit with relatives.

Miss Billy Joan Canada is spending the summer days with her mother in Amarillo.

Mrs. Olen Bonner and children of Amarillo are spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Earl Imel.

Jimmie Joe Stephens spent Sunday with Glen Ray Cummings.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly and June, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly and family and Eloise Stephens.

Mrs. Chester Weatherly honored Chester Weatherly with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hartwell and family of Estelline, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hartwell of Estelline, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn and family of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire and family of Lakeview, Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and June, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Hill and daughter Patsy, G. W. Hartwell, Gale Stephens, Henry Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith and boys, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman and Chester Quigal.

Chester Quigal spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman.

Howard's Auction Sale Successful

The horse sale at A. W. Howard's ranch southwest of Clarendon last Saturday, was very successful. Mr. Howard reports. A large crowd of interested buyers attended despite the very hot weather.

Some 60 head of saddle animals were sold, and the prices brought at auction were better than expected, Howard said.

Overheard a man say that we'll know we have gone back to normal living when the government spends most of its time probing.

"VICTORY" WAR WORKERS HOME ERECTED IN RECORD TIME



Photo—Washington Star Start of prefabricated home assembling job by inexperienced crew at 10:15 a.m.



Photo—Washington Star At 11:10 a.m. the workmen had constructed the home, as shown above.

Complete installation consisting of a double-unit "Victory" War Workers Home and a single-unit "Victory" Home, ready for inspection.

BUSY Washington took time recently to witness the breaking of a home construction record with the erection in 55 minutes of a prefabricated "Victory" home by an inexperienced crew of 2 carpenters and 4 laborers under the guidance of W. E. Senkel, plant superintendent of Texas Pre-Fabricated House & Tent Co. of Dallas. Erection of the house, which is located on a lot adjacent to the Army and Navy Club on I Street, N.W., was witnessed by many government officials and other interested spectators.

Later the same day, two additional units were constructed and furniture placed in the house ready for inspection by Federal housing officials, builders and the public. The complete installation consists of a double-unit "Victory" War Workers Home and a single-unit "Victory" Home.

The construction crew first laid two sections of flooring on foundation blocks and fastened them together with self-interlocking wood joists. The four wall panels were quickly placed in position and secured together with bolts. The wall panels were then joined to the floor panels with lag screws set in pre-drilled holes. Next the crew placed the four roof panels in position and fastened them together by means of heavy bent strap clips drawn together by bolts. The wall panels also were secured to the roof panels by heavy metal bent straps. To the peak of the four roof panels they then attached a square metal collar. Finally, the ventilator was set in place on the peak and the job was finished.

A complete "Victory" home unit which measures 16' x 16' for a small family includes a living room, bedroom, bath and dinette. There are 14 windows in the basic unit, six in the rear, four in front and two on each side.

Being a Good Soldier



Corp. Argo Anania has hundreds of mascots at Camp Clifton. A professional apiarist, he located a swarm of bees in the brush near camp and now has three hives under fulltime attention. His battery mesamates put away the honey. (Special Photo from NEA.)

Reduce Summer Losses in Eggs

Blood rings, or heat damage, to fertile eggs are causing Texas egg producers a substantial loss daily. This was reflected in a series of egg grading schools conducted recently in scattered sections of Texas by the A. & M. college extension service. If losses corresponding to this sampling prevail throughout the state the supply of one of our important food items is being curtailed.

Heat sets up germination and renders a fertile egg inedible. But this may be prevented by disposing of all male birds during the summer and thereby producing only infertile eggs. Eggs are highly perishable and cannot be subjected to heat without destroying quality.

When laid, the temperature of an egg is about equal to that of the hen's body—104 to 107 degrees Fahrenheit. Therefore, proper cooling is essential. During the summer, eggs should be gathered two or three times daily and placed in a wire basket for cooling. Producers can use cellars or home-made cooling devices. An inexpensive and serviceable cooler may be made by covering the sides and ends of a frame with coarse burlap sacking, and keeping the cloth moist by putting one end of it in a pan of water placed on top of the frame. The eggs are kept in wire baskets within this frame until cooled, and then placed in a standard egg case which also is kept in the cooler.

Flans of this type of cooler may be obtained from county agents or by writing to the Extension Service at College Station.

Eggs should not be held for more than one week before being marketed. As far as possible they should be turned daily by shifting the position of the case. This prevents the yolk from settling and sticking to the shell membrane.

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GUESTS IN STANLEY HOME

H. W. Blanks, who had gone to Dalhart for the summer, returned home Tuesday to be with his grandson, Corp. R. L. Stanley of Camp Haan, Calif., who is visiting his mother, Mrs. Martie Stanley. Mr. Blanks has four grandsons in the service and the fifth will leave July 6. Mrs. Stanley accompanied her husband here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blanks and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blanks and Miss Evelyn Hamilton of Amarillo visited in the Stanley home Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Blanks and daughter Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanks visited with them Sunday.

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Locals and Personals

Miss Wynona Caudle visited last week-end in Amarillo with Miss Mary Nell Barham.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Perkins were business visitors in Dallas last week-end.

Mrs. H. Gilmore and daughter Pauline of Turkey came Thursday of last week to bring Mrs. H. B.

Reduce Summer Losses in Eggs

Gilmore and son Jerry home here. Mrs. Gilmore had been visiting in the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. P. Sunday in Wichita, Kan. Their daughters, Mrs. Manoushagian and Mrs. M. E. Thrash and Mr. Pyle returned Sunday and Mrs. Pyle went to for a visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. G. attended a barbecue Panhandle Lumbermen's convention at Lake McClellan night.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis N. M., left Friday after the home of her parents, Mrs. A. L. Musgrove.

Kenneth Hardin of and Roy Ray Johnson, line, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. of Harrell Chapel.

Mrs. J. L. Wyatt and Juanita, Anita Lucille and getta, of Dalhart, and Leo B. Wyatt of Columbia visited here last week with father, W. Blanks.

William Clark and Gertson left today for where they will attend nance school.

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