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Town and Farm in Wartime

Ration Reminder

Gasoline—In 17 east coast states A-8 coupons are good through Feb. 8. In states outside the east coast area A-8 coupons are good through November 21. A-9 becomes good November 22.

Sugar—Stamp No. 29 in book 4 is good for 5 pounds through Jan. 15, 1944.

Shoes—Stamp No. 18 in book 1 good for 1 pair. Stamp No. 1 on the Airplane sheet in book 1 good for 1 pair.

Meats, fats—Brown stamps G, H, J and K good through Dec. 4. Brown stamp L becomes good Nov. 21 and remains good through Jan. 1, 1944.

Processed foods—Blue stamps X, Y and Z good through Nov. 20. Green stamps A, B and C in book 4 good through Dec. 20.

Simplify Gasoline Rationing

All B and C gasoline coupons issued after Dec. 1 will be worth five gallons each, compared with the present value of two gallons for coupons of those types in the east and midwest and three gallons in the far west. This means B and C books will contain fewer coupons than in the past, but each coupon will be good for more gallons than before. No increase in the amount of gasoline is involved.

Farmers to Get Batteries

Approximately 20% of the fourth quarter production of flashlight batteries will be distributed to farmers, according to WPB. This makes enough batteries for about normal rural consumption available through farm outlets.

More Hosiery for Children

Production of infants' and children's hosiery will be stepped up shortly as a result of priority assistance given to manufacturers for procurement of necessary yarn. The WPB action resulted from a falling supply of infants' and children's stockings.

Canned Luncheon Meat

Consumers will be able to buy more canned luncheon meat during the coming year, according to the War Food Administration. Canning of this product is encouraged because it prevents waste of good bits and trimmings of meat at packing plants.

Temporary Food Rations

Service men on leave can get temporary food rations without the forms usually furnished by the armed services, according to OPA. In an emergency, application may be made on forms available at local ration boards.

Reduce Christmas Lighting

The American people have been asked by the Office of War Utilities to confine Christmas lighting decorations to Christmas trees inside private homes. Saving electricity will mean direct savings of fuel, manpower, transportation, and materials.

Mrs. Lula Young, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCarty and Mrs. Hershel McCarty left today (Thursday) for Lemoore, Calif. The latter will remain with her husband, who is in the Army Air Corps.

Miss Marje Fowler is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gordon Billingslea at Fort Smith, Ark. Mrs. H. Billingslea and sons, W. J. and Earl, are also visiting their son and brother, Gordon.

Little Miss Eunice Elaine Cash has returned to her home at Dumas after a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cash.

Harris King renews for the home paper.

BIRTHDAYS

Nov. 21—F. H. Bourland, Charles Finley, R. C. Kennedy, Mrs. Horace Bowman, Thurman Adkins, Jr., Mrs. W. F. McDonald, Mrs. W. O. Dobson, Mae Echols.

Nov. 22—David King Crockett.

Nov. 23—Edna Staggs, C. H. Leed.

Nov. 24—Eunice Stratton.

Nov. 25—Hazel Pearl Goolightly, Claude Edwin Crawford, R. C. Mathews, Mrs. Claude Brooks.

Nov. 26—Mrs. Frank Blue, Mrs. Bill Crisp, Lee Atwood, W. T. Stridger, Troy Hinton, J. D. Beck.

Nov. 27—Mrs. Charles Finley, B. Reager, Marie Grigby.

U. S. O. Program Monday Evening

By U. S. O. Reporter
A "Truth or Consequences" show was held at the U. S. O. Monday evening. Sgt. Hackett was in charge of the program and Mrs. Vick Jovanovich played the piano. All contestants who suffered the "consequences" were treated to malts after the contest.

Next Monday night, an old fashioned "sing" will be held at the U. S. O. Each guard company will be represented by a "barber shop" quartet. A civilian quartet and instrumental numbers will add to the program.

A wicker roast will be given Friday night at the city park for soldiers and their wives.

The U. S. O. has received another shipment of furniture. Minor repairs are still going on, but the building shows vast improvement.

Shower Honors Mrs. J. G. Kostka

Mrs. James G. Kostka, who was before her recent marriage Miss Julia McCarty, was the honoree at a shower given Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Murray Boston.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames Lee Gibson, George Colebank, Paul Mertel, Ruel Smith, H. W. Finley, and Lee Wilson, with Mrs. C. C. Huber in charge of the program.

Refreshments of coffee and cheese sandwiches were served. A large number were present or sent gifts.

TIGERS PLAY LEFORS

The McLean Tigers will play the Lefors team at Lefors Friday night.

Last Friday Wheeler nosed out the Tigers with a score of 7 to 6. Next week will see the final game for the season with Shamrock, here. Reserved seat tickets are now being sold for the game.

ALANREED SINGING

The Gray County Singing Convention will meet at Alanreed Sunday, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Every singer is invited to bring song books and quartets.

Mrs. Paul Corbet and Mrs. Peggy Hill of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer, one day last week.

Mrs. A. B. McPherson has our thanks for a subscription to The News.

IN THE SERVICE

Pfc. Harold C. Petty of Hunter Field, Ga., and his wife from Savannah, Ga., came last week for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty.

A/c Wilbur L. Wilson, A/c James B. Young and A/c Wood of Childrens visited the former's mother, Mrs. Ellen Wilson, over the week end.

Troy Corbin, son of M. T. Corbin of McLean, was promoted to the rank of sergeant Nov. 13 at Camp Campbell, Ky. He is now on maneuvers near Nashville, Tenn.

Pfc. Oran Kunkel of Gainesville visited in McLean Sunday. He was enroute to camp after a visit at his home in Amarillo.

A/c Joseph D. Pogram of Keller-ville is now stationed at the Armored Replacement Training Center at Fort Knox, Ky.

Bob Barnette of Sheppard Field came Friday to spend a furlough with his wife at the home of her mother, Mrs. Callie Haynes.

Ernest Burrows, who is with the U. S. Army in California, visited home folks here last week.

Pfc. Norman W. Kite, of the Army Air Field, Newport, Ark., is a new reader of The News.

Hugh Cobbs left Thursday for California to return to service with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson order the home paper sent to their son-in-law, Sgt. E. J. Windom, Jr.

WITH THE CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Jack Hardcastle, Minister
Bible study 10:00 a. m.
Sermon and communion at 11:00 a. m., and sermon at 7:30 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to attend any service at the Church of Christ.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

S. R. Jones, Supply Minister
Sunday School 10:00 a. m., P. H. Bourland, superintendent.
Morning Worship 11:00.
No services Sunday night. We expect to visit the Methodist Church to welcome the new pastor.
W. M. S. 2:00 p. m. Tuesday.
Choir practice 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

C. O. Huber, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday School, J. S. McLaughlin, superintendent.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship "Unceasing Prayer."
7:15 p. m. Training Union, Miss Georgia Colebank, director.
8:00 p. m. Evening Worship, "A Prince Most Precious."

Throughout the month of November the pastor will give attention to the subject of prayer in the morning messages. Knowing the purpose of prayer, feeling the need of prayer and desiring the power of prayer, we invite your attendance.

Returning from the State General Convention, attendants report one of the greatest conventions Texas Baptists have ever held with more than 5,000 registrants, representing 3,040 churches with an aggregate membership of 800,000.

Reports revealed state receipts \$277,000.00 beyond the budget, with total offerings \$1,756,000.00, of which more than 50% was given to missions outside our state. For the first time since 1903, Texas Baptists announced that all debts are liquidated, and with the treasurer's report, \$2,000,000.00 in bonds were burned, representing the liquidation of these debts.

METHODIST W. S. C. S.

The Methodist W. S. C. S. met Tuesday afternoon at the basement parlors of the church for a tea honoring Mrs. R. S. Watkins who is leaving for Crowell. Mrs. Watkins received a number of nice gifts, which were presented by Mrs. J. W. Story. The honoree responded with a poem expressing her appreciation.

Following the social hour, Mrs. W. E. Bogan led the study program on the last chapter of "We of America," the subject being "Settlement Houses."

The devotional was on the subject, "The Divine Convoy," with scripture from Isaiah. Mrs. C. O. Greene led in prayer.

Others present were Mesdames S. J. Dyer, J. H. Wade, J. W. Taylor, C. S. Rice, S. A. Elms, Byrd Gull, J. A. Sparks, J. M. Noel, F. R. Smith, S. W. Rice, J. L. Hess, J. L. Andrews, J. E. Kirby, W. C. Shull, Bob Black and Frank Wilson. Gifts were sent by some others.

Next Tuesday the ladies will hold an all day session at the Red Cross room.

Mrs. Arlin Black and little daughter have returned to McAlester, Okla., after a visit with their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. P. Dickinson.

Mrs. Eva Keuhn of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Bonnie Oquillet of Joplin, Mo., visited the former's sister, Mrs. Harold Petty, at the Luther Petty home Saturday.

Miss Mary Frances Davis has returned to Dalhart after being at the bedside of her mother Mrs. John R. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cunningham and Mrs. N. A. Barker visited relatives at Altus, Okla., last week end.

Mrs. E. B. Reeves and daughter of Alanreed were in McLean last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Baten of Pampa were in McLean Thursday.

Watkins Goes to Crowell

Rev. R. S. Watkins, pastor of the Methodist Church for the past two years, has accepted a pastorate at Crowell and will be on the field next Sunday. Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor for three years at Crowell, comes here, and will occupy the pulpit Sunday.

The local church has shown a nice growth under Rev. Watkins' pastorate, with a net gain of 50 odd members.

During the first year \$1,000 worth



of church improvements were added. Chimes were bought for the organ and the parsonage was re-roofed this year. The church led the district this year in all special collections, in the fellowship offering alone, quadrupling their quota. All benevolences have been kept paid in full.

Rev. Watkins served as president of the Lions Club for the fiscal year ending last July, and was on the executive board of the local Red Cross chapter last year.

Many petitionary letters to the conference were mailed by local members, asking for his return but the Crowell church has about double the membership of McLean representing an advancement and an opportunity for added service.

Rev. Watkins subscribed for The News before leaving and will keep up with local affairs for the next year.

CHAMBERS CHILD DROWNS

Funeral services were held Nov. 10 at Hollis, Okla., for Eddie Chambers, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Chambers, who drowned Nov. 8 near his home at Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Chambers formerly lived in McLean.

McLean people attending the funeral were Miss Virginia Chambers, her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. McClellan; Mrs. Barney Fulbright and Mrs. Pete Fulbright.

Womack ambulance runs the past week were: C. A. Watkins home from Amarillo, Friday; J. A. Haynes to Shamrock, Saturday; Mrs. B. B. Brewer from Dallas to Memphis, Sunday; Miss Dorothy Hardman to Shamrock, Tuesday; Mrs. Raymond Dalton to Shamrock, Tuesday.

Mrs. Sybil Cash and children of Pampa visited in McLean Saturday. The children visited their grandfather and aunt, C. A. Cash and Mrs. Milton Carpenter.

Mrs. Nath Franks' sister, Mrs. Clem Millsap, her husband and daughter, Bobby Deane, of Clarkdale, Arizona, visited in the Franks home Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Billy Cash and little son Billy Ray, of Dumas visited the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cash, this week.

Mrs. Georgia Williams of South Bellingham, Wash., former McLean resident, is visiting old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Anderson of Shamrock visited relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

Miss Johnnie Mae Scott of Amarillo visited home folks here over the week end.

Mrs. Nadja Gray is a new reader of the home paper.

Schools Planning Thanksgiving

Thursday of next week will be the last football game of the season for McLean, and the game will be played at 2:00 at Tiger Field.

There will be a Thanksgiving program at the high school at 1 o'clock, followed by a pep rally. All buses will run the regular schedules and school will be in session until noon. Buses will stay until after the game before returning home.

School will not be dismissed for Thanksgiving in order to allow longer time off for Christmas.

The Thanksgiving game will be with Shamrock. If Shamrock wins the game, it will give them the district championship, but should they lose, it will throw the district into a two-way tie with Wellington. Over 200 seat tickets for the game have been sent to Shamrock and a record crowd is expected. School authorities say "Don't miss this game!"

Farmers Meet Friday Afternoon

Farmers will meet at the Odd Fellows Hall Friday at 3:00 p. m. to elect a three-man community committee, two alternates and a delegate and alternate to the county convention that meets in Pampa Friday of next week.

County Agent Glenn T. Hackney and Assistant Agent David F. Eaton will be present and address the farmers at the McLean meeting.

BUMPUS-CARTER

Mrs. W. T. Wilson announces the marriage of her niece, Miss Laura Bumpus of Fort Worth to Mr. Steve Carter, also of Fort Worth, on Nov. 6.

The ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage at Vinita, Okla., by Rev. W. E. Bowers.

The bride formerly lived in McLean, and at the time of her marriage was employed as bookkeeper in a tax accounting office in Fort Worth. The groom is employed by the Steele Tank Constructor Co. of Dallas.

They are at home at Edwardsville, Ill.

TURKEY CEILING PRICES

Ceiling prices for turkeys have been fixed for Gray and adjoining counties at: Young turkeys, light, 3362, live; 4162 dressed; Medium, 3212 and 3962; heavy 3112 and 3812. Old turkeys, light 3162 and 3962; medium, 3012 and 3672; heavy, 2912 and 3612.

COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 1,059 bales of cotton were ginned in Gray county from the crop of 1943 prior to Nov. 1, as compared with 181 bales for the crop of 1942, according to R. H. Wilson, special agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Nath Franks and daughters, Joyce and Ruth, and Mrs. Vonda Bussey entertained in their home at dinner Sunday. The guests were Pvt. "Buddy" Hicks, Cpl. M. J. Baron, Pvt. Martin Banach, and Pfc. Kenn Du Tro.

Mrs. A. C. Meier and daughter of Amarillo visited here Sunday. They were accompanied home by their mother and grandmother Mrs. Laura Byerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vaughn and daughter of Pampa, Mrs. Billy Crisp and baby of Dumas visited the ladies' mother, Mrs. Lula Young, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bones of Compo, Colo., visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bones, last week.

Mrs. Tom Franks has returned to her home at Kermit after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bones.

Miss Madge Burrows of Amarillo visited home here over the week end.

Mrs. Ira Chambers has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Leroy Dudley, at Plainview.

Col. Whitney Lions Speaker

Col. Frederick W. Whitney, commanding officer of the McLean Prisoner of War Camp, was guest speaker at the Lions luncheon held Tuesday.

Col. Whitney told of his experiences in the Philippine Islands and proved to be one of the most interesting speakers heard by the Lions in a long time.

Col. Whitney spent 13 1/4 years in the Orient, most of the time in the Islands. He described the dress, customs, etc., of the natives, who speak some 78 dialects. He told of the different seasons consisting of four months rain, four cool and four dry. The animal and plant life were described. The speaker interspersed his remarks with humorous references to his own experiences as a U. S. officer.

The colonel was a deputy governor in the Philippines under General Pershing.

The club voted to sponsor a football banquet Thursday evening of next week, with no regular luncheon at noon.

Rev. R. S. Watkins, immediate past president, who is leaving McLean, was given a rising vote of thanks for his work in the club. He responded with a few appreciated remarks.

War Fund Over Top at McLean

McLean's quota for the county war fund was oversubscribed \$106, making a total of \$2,005. The county quota of \$2,860 was met last week.

GOODWIN-PETTY

Miss Juana June Goodwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Goodwin of Roby, and Opl. Herman L. Petty of Camp Rucker, Ala., son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty of McLean, were united in marriage Sunday, Oct. 24, 1943, at the First Baptist Church, Dothan, Ala., with Rev. Sam Reeves, pastor, officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Church decorations were of all-white flowers and greenery.

Mrs. Otis Tuttle, organist, played "Because" as the candles were lighted by Misses Martha and Louise Bruner. Mrs. Alton Lynch and Miss Henrietta Burkett sang as a duet, "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life."

Pvt. Herman E. Wooten served the bridegroom as best man, and ushers were Opl. George W. Jenkins and Opl. Frank B. Ward.

The bride was given in marriage by T/Sgt. John J. Gardner, and her maid of honor was Miss Frances Ethridge.

The bride wore an ensemble of defense blue. Her accessories were black and her corsage was of white gardenias. Miss Ethridge was gowned in black and her flowers were pink carnations.

Mrs. Petty was graduated from high school at Roby, in 1941. She later attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, and Sul Ross Teachers College at Alpine. She is now a teacher in the public schools of Stanton.

The bridegroom was graduated from the McLean high school in 1939, and from Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, in 1941. He also attended Hardin-Simmons University. Prior to his induction into the U. S. Army, he was a teacher in the schools of Balmorhea.

After spending a week in Alabama with her husband, Mrs. Petty returned to her school at Stanton.

Mrs. Bill Wilcoxson and children of Dalhart visited their aunt, Mrs. C. T. Calvert, and other relatives here over the week end.

LIBRARY NEWS

By Mrs. Lady Bryant
Books read by both boys and girls: Lassie Come Home, Here Is Alaska, My Sister and I, Happy Landings, Tom Sawyer Abroad, Bambi's Children, Education for Death, A Yankee Flier in the R. A. F., Caddie Woodlawn, My Friend Flicka, Call of the Wild, Sunset Pass, Stormy, Riders of the Purple Sage, Rainbow Trail, Border Kid.

Waste Fats Make Munitions and Medicines; Need 200 Million Pounds a Year, Says Nelson

Every Family Must Save a Pound Each Month to Meet Quota

"An adequate supply of fats and oils is essential to the successful prosecution of the war."

With those words Donald Nelson, chairman of the war production board, urged housewives of the nation to cooperate actively in a campaign designed to salvage every available ounce of waste fat.

The fat salvage drive is aimed at every home. Its specific target is the kitchen where, unfortunately, millions of pounds of glycerine-containing fat are being poured into the garbage pail or down the kitchen drain.

Fats will help win the war and be a prime essential in negotiating and implementing the peace. Fat and oil sources have taken a terrific beating in the war. Whole areas that produced palm and coconut oil have been laid waste, cattle have been killed off to feed fighting men. Europe is in the throes of a fat famine.

How seriously this shortage may affect our own troops and our civilian population depends in a large measure on the people themselves. The quota of 200 million pounds of fat for household salvage in 1943 was not set as a measure of the need. The shortage for all purposes, military, industrial and domestic, was far in excess of that figure. It was worked out that American households could save and turn in 200 million pounds of used kitchen grease without undue hardship and without depriving families of their fat energy requirements.

Due to many factors, some of them beyond the control of homemakers, the rate at which kitchen grease is being turned in, is far short of the quota. Yet, a glance at the figures, at the quantity of meat, butter and shortening, available for family use is convincing proof that American households could salvage double their quota if they would buckle down to the job on a drop by drop, tablespoonful at a time program of saving and then turn in their grease to a local meat dealer collector.

The need for waste fat for glycerine and other by-products for explosives, munitions and medicines is not diminishing as our troops advance on all fronts. To the contrary, it is increasing. Nor is the need sporadic or momentary. It



is a long term, continuing program which will probably extend well beyond the limits of a shooting war, according to an Office of War Production statement.

Fat Makes Glycerine. Without glycerine we could not produce gunpowder to fire many of our shells and ship and plane instruments would not function.

Glycerine has no substitute, or in any case, no satisfactory one has yet been discovered for many types of explosives. Because of the shrinking reserve stock of this vital ingredient, the WPB already has found it necessary to ban the use of glycerine in practically all civilian products, cigarettes, cosmetics, dentifrices and dozens of others.

This drastic move was made because we are nowhere near to bringing used fat collections to the point which will achieve the 200 million pounds yearly quota necessary to provide the glycerine its many war uses require. National collections have continued to climb, even with the advent of meat and shortening rationing, but the highest monthly total so far—7,312,617 pounds last March is almost nine million pounds short of the required monthly total.

If you don't think waste fat is important listen to this: 31 table-spoons of used kitchen fat will make enough glycerine for a pound and a half of gunpowder. Or 31 table-spoons of fat will provide powder to fire four 37-mm. anti-aircraft shells. Figuring another way, a pound of fat will yield enough glycerine for 1 1/2 pounds of powder for machine gun cartridges. (There are other materials in gunpowder besides glycerine derivatives, but the glycerine compound is what puts the "punch" in the explosive.)

Other uses for glycerine in war equipment requiring a liquid that does not freeze easily, or has some other necessary quality, are in recoil mechanisms for guns, hydraulic devices, such as presses and elevators, pumps, ships' steering gear, in compasses, depth charge releases and many for other mechanical purposes. Glycerine is also employed in special compounds to coat weapons, as anti-freeze in radiators and on windshields, and in medicines.

Medical Uses. The medical use of glycerine is constantly growing in importance. Glycerine is present in these and many other preparations:

Tannic acid used in the treatment of powder and other burns.

Some insulins used in the treatment of shock as well as diabetes.

Tinctures of opium and gentian used as sedatives to ease pain.

Smallpox vaccine as a preventative injection given to all men in the armed forces.

Sulpha diazine ointments for treatment of fungus growths and abrasions.

Nitro glycerine tablets for a heart stimulant.

Acridine used as an antiseptic.

Military medicine is achieving remarkable results in saving lives. With new techniques and drugs, the death rate from wounds has been reduced from 7.6 per cent in World War I to 3.1 per cent in this conflict. Sulfa compounds and blood plasma are given much of the credit for this splendid accomplishment.

In order that that high rate of recovery and the low rate of death of our wounded may continue, the manufacturers of medicinals for the armed forces must have a plentiful supply of glycerine. As more men are sent into various fields of action, it is inevitable that there will be more casualties and that a still more plentiful supply of healing drugs will be needed.

At the present time the householders of America are contributing around nine million pounds of used kitchen fats to the war effort each month, but this is only a little more than half of what is needed to keep our glycerine stocks at a safe level. It is safe to say that at least three times this amount of valuable glycerine-containing fat still is being wasted. Remember, all fat is wanted. The color is unimportant, as brown fat is as good as white for chemical processing.

The housewife has only to save as much fat as possible each day, store it in a tin can and take her savings regularly to the meat dealer, who will pay her for it and send it on its way to the war production line. Within 21 days it will be processed and the glycerine thus obtained will be put to some vital war use.

Bows With Buckles or Slides Make Charming Little Gifts

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



BUCKLES and slides (you lay 'em at the button counters) are making lively conversation pieces in the fashion world this season. To add to the excitement they are stepping out of their accepted role of trimming shoes and belts to become glamour accents for frocks and blouses, or wherever they can be decorative in costume make-up.

When it comes to little inexpensive gifts that look choice, and are indeed just that, try the buckle-slide-plus-bit-of-ribbon way and you'll find it gives the perfect answer. The bows illustrated should prove welcome news now that the approach of Christmas brings the "What to give" problem up full force, and more so this year what with the war strain causing complications that turns the situation into a real challenge.

The grand thing about these ribbon fantasies is that you can make them, up in a jiffy at almost trifling expense and they are really choice looking. Added to this, they are something one "can use" and they work like magic when it comes to prettifying one's costume. To worn-in the midst of a last minute rush for gifts that will take care of an overflow list of friends, these little bow-and-buckle (or slide) whimsies are nothing less than "blessings in disguise."

The pretty Miss in the picture knows her buttons and her slides in that she buys them to match, which is a very chic gesture on her part. The slide through which she pulls a tri-fold of grosgrain ribbon matches the scalloped button originals on her suit. This she wears bow-tie fashion on her tailored blouse. She bought the slide at the button counter and made it into a brooch by simply sewing a safety pin to the center bar. Bright and gay is the roman-striped ribbon bow shown above to

the left in the group illustrated (1). The ribbon in this instance is slipped through a tailored wooden slide studded with gold nailheads. Worn on the pocket of a shirtwaist frock, it adds a nice color accent. Your schoolgirl friends will welcome this gift for it's a clever way to wear their football colors to football games.

At center left (2), a luscious blue velvet bow is sleekly folded through an oblong mirror slide to serve as a brooch trim on a square-necked dinner or party gown. A companion bow might be worn in the hair or chevron fashion on the sleeve of an evening coat.

Below to the left (3), a black satin bow pulled through a dull, gold-finished buckle presents a dressy version. Three of these dotted down the front of an afternoon dress make a dramatic trim. This is especially good as a make-over idea, in that it effectively brings the important satin accent to last year's wool frock.

To the right above (4), a velvet bow drawn through a fancy mirror buckle makes a dramatic trim as it anchors skirt drapery so that it will "stay put." A companion buckle and bow dresses up the neckline, too. Two colors of grosgrain ribbon pulled through a slide achieves a charming version of the bow-tie fad (5). A fashion-alert dresser will match the slide to the button originals that march down the front of her suit. Good idea is to select ribbons in different college accents to give to your co-ed friends. A gay plaid ribbon slipped through a tailored slide speaks for itself below to the right (6) as a gay hair ornament. Repeat the same bow on the pocket for a double dose of chic. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

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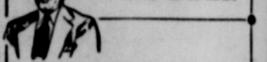
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Morse Famed Painter Samuel Morse, inventor of the telegraph, was a famed American painter.

SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER



Of the 125,000 communities in the United States, 54,000 have no rail connection. They depend on rubber tires for their existence and their contacts with other communities. They rely solely on buses, trucks and passenger cars. Reduction of the national average mileage of passenger cars to 5,400 miles a year through rationing has proved an important factor in rubber conservation. An idea of how this mileage is regulated will be understood when it is known that 55 per cent of the country's cars are operated on "A" gas ration books alone about 25 per cent have "B," and 20 per cent have "C" books for supplementary supplies.

In war or peace
B.F. Goodrich
FIRST IN RUBBER

Rural Driving Hazards Worse in Winter; Death Toll 24% Above Summer Months

Winter's most serious driving hazards are slippery snow-and-ice-covered roads and poor visibility caused by frosted or fogged windshields and long hours of darkness, and these hazards are more serious on rural highways than on city streets according to studies by the National Safety Council.

Declaring that shortage of manpower and of safe winter driving

equipment will be an added handicap this winter in 36 northern states, Prof. Ralph A. Moyer, of the Iowa State college engineering experiment station, who is chairman of the council's committee on winter driving hazards, points out significant facts for consideration by farmers and all others who must drive on rural roads this winter.

"Traffic deaths in snow belt states last winter ran the mileage death rate 24 per cent higher than the summer toll," Professor Moyer said,

while the southern winter caused only a 5 per cent increase." Following are rules, based on council research, for driving under adverse road and weather conditions:

- Winter Rules.**
1. Adjust speed to conditions.
 2. Slow down well in advance of intersections and curves.
 3. Follow other vehicles at safe distances.

Braking Distances on Various Surfaces at 20 mph

Surface	Braking Distance (ft.)
DRY CONCRETE	21 FT.
WET CONCRETE	26 FT.
ON CONCRETE PAVEMENT	
NO CHAINS	69 FT.
CHAINS ON REAR WHEELS	40 FT.
ON PACKED SNOW	
NO CHAINS OR SAND	169 FT.
CHAINS ON REAR WHEELS	88 FT.
SAND ON ICE	86 FT.
ON GLARE ICE	

4. Put on tire chains when roads are slippery with snow or ice.

5. Signal intentions of turning or stopping.

6. Apply brakes lightly and intermittently on icy roads.

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Tailor-Knit Jacket

Never have the knits fitted into our pattern of comfortable living as they do now. The smart practical thing to wear these days is the new tailor-knit wool jacket, designed especially to wear with separate skirts or over one-piece dresses. There is no priority to these jackets and they may be machine-knitted copies or the original handknits. The popular cardigan jacket is shorter than before with one set of pockets and a bright detail of color. They are warm, wear forever, hold their shape and can be worn equally well with slacks. There are also very fine knitted suits with coats that match, but may be worn just as well as separate coats. Knitted one-piece dresses come in smartly tailored blues, browns, sage green, solid colors, plaids, checks and novelty mixtures.

White Hats for Winter

Is Fascinating Vogue A fascinating vogue is being launched in a variety of small hats made either of white plush or white satin. The styles include cunning youthful Dutch caps, some with sequins, the new black beret, bumper pill box, and the little calot with rosettes of self-plush. White satin, made in a very much highly stylized little bicorne, is also included in the group. These are all selling successfully for midwinter to wear with fur coats or with the new black coats that are lined with white rabbit, lamb or ermine.

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THE TIGER POST

Editorial for the week: Jack Sanders... Martha Howard, Pauline Simpson, Iva Nora Simpson, Cleo Gibson, Zella Marie Johnson, Freddie Johnson, Joe Johnson, Dorothy Goodson, Irma Ruth Wright, George Savage, Juanita...

PREVENTION IN THE HOME

Editorial by Joe Reeves... prevention should be practiced in the home as well as at work or in the city. When we are at home we should be especially aware of fire. When we are working around tractors or other engines we should be aware of fire or explosions. If we are living on a farm and filling a gasoline lamp we should fill it in the open and in the daylight. We should especially be careful when we are cleaning up in gasoline or naphtha. We have to clean our clothes in the open where there is no danger of fire and dry them well after. The safest way which I know of to wash clothes is with water and soap, not gasoline. Our lives were lost last year because of carelessness with fire in the home. It should be a challenge to cut down the danger caused by fire. We should know the safety rules of fire prevention. If we are ever exposed to fire in any way we should use a fire extinguisher. If our clothing is on fire we should run and roll in a blanket, etc., in order to get the fire as quickly as possible. In order to have our homes safe from fire we should have fireplaces in our homes for escape from fires. If we were all careful of fire as we are of other diseases, we would be much more safe from fire hazards.

SNOOPER

Harold McClellan and Zella West were together Friday night and Sunday. Quite a coincidence? Carpenter and Norma Brooks seem to be getting quite a case. They have been going around lately. Why Jeanne Lane and Harold Lee are not together? Do you kids believe in old romances back together, or is City beating your time.

Ann Rayford's weekly is getting pretty good. Donnie Dowell, after the Saturday nite she was with the manager, oh—; and Sun-smith Goodman. Boy, is she going around. How does it go?

Johnnie Chilton with Rae Allen in the show. Is the romance starting? I hope not, because my will be no good if she hooks on him. How about Wanda?

Patricia Ruth Rippe interested in the new boy Louis Cooke. How about Ruth?

Frank Stewart with Mary Osborn. What do you like? I don't seem to see her, or are you hiding?

Handsome boys Edw. and Lemuel Ford, are home with it, girls, who is the one?

McMahon and Benni are the happy two-some home on furlough. Mother, Mrs. Hunt (the one of us) has gone to see her handsome Douglas Ivey is home. Boy, did the girl didn't know whether they were going to or from him. How about Douglas?

Atry mailed a pack of wonderful Johnnie this week. How about it, J. A.?

this week. Ed Vincent looked kinda lonesome Saturday nite. Ann Bogan was out of town. Joe Reeves and Norma Jean Bradford were seen together Friday.

Today at noon George roared around and he had a little girl with him about four years of age. What about Paul Miller? We don't hear much about him any more, Virginia.

When eating a steak at Meador's, Bernard McClellan said "Bring an 18 stamp."

MEET THE SENIORS

The senior for the week is Alice Billie Corts. She was born in Santa Fe, Okla., Sept. 13, 1927. Her schooling has included Webb, Lefora and McLean. She came to McLean schools in her freshman year and is treasurer of the senior class this year. Her hobby is traveling and her likes are everything. Alice Billie's ambition is in later years to be a concert pianist, but before that she wants to join the Marine Corps. Lots of luck to you, Billie, in your Marine Corps training and in becoming a concert pianist.

FASHIONS

All our little lambies are dicking out in skirts and sweaters this week.

Ernestine Dickinson is seen in a blue pleated skirt and pink sweater, pink socks and brown shoes. She wears a gold cross for her necklace, and a blue bow in her hair.

Jerry Evans is dressed in a plaid skirt, a white blouse and a rose sweater. She wears white shoes and rose socks. Jerry, like the other girls, wears a pink and white bow in her hair.

Patsy Alexander wears a yellow sweater, wine skirt, blue socks and white shoes. Her blue hair bow completes her costume.

Wanda Davis, a sophomore sweater girl, is dressed in a maize sweater, navy skirt, brown shoes, blue socks and blue hair bow.

ODE TO A SENIOR

Any resemblance to humans is purely coincidental! Oh, them seniors got their pictures Monday.

I saw James Hinton's pictures. What a thrill! What a sensation! These senior pictures will go down in the portals of the immortals. (In the F. B. I. rogues' gallery). The prisoners out at the camp will live in eternal fear when they find out that the guards, instead of having guns, have discovered a new weapon. The psychological effect of Jack Sanders' map and Joe Reeves' dead pan is devastating to the mind.

A general description of senior boys and girls is:

Mop hair 1/2 inch long, 1/2 inch short, elephant ears, buck teeth, horsetail eyebrows, and a nose like Tobacco Rhoda's. (A very handsome bunch indeed).

—By Zeke (not a senior.)

FIRE PREVENTION

By John Dwyer... Are you a true patriot of the United States? Are you doing everything you can to help win the war? If you claim to be this, why don't you clean up the fire hazards in your home? As a true citizen it is your first duty.

There are many different kinds of hazards that can cause a fire and leave you without a home, and only the clothes you are now wearing.

One common way fires are started is by leaving matches where children can get them. Put your matches out of the reach of children. Improper wiring in the attic can prove to be one of your most treacherous enemies. Have a trained electrician check the wiring in your house, for it may be a lot cheaper in the long run. Many a housewife has quit ironing and gone to town for a little while, to come back and find her home in flames. How simple it would have been to set the iron off the ironing-board before she left.

Every big fire pleases our Nazi enemies, Hitler and Tojo. We don't want to please them. The more we can displease them the better we like it. One way of displeasing them is by preventing fires. It's a terrible thing any way to have your home devoured by flames.

Fire is something we must have to smelt our iron, and do many other things toward winning this war. But we must learn to control it, as well as use it.

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MISTER, HOW DO WE GET TO APPLEDALE?
IT'S KINDA HARD TO EXPLAIN—BUT I'M GOIN' THERE—JUST FOLLOW ME!

By BOODY ROGERS

WE'RE IN TOO BIG A HURRY TO FOLLOW YOU, MISTER—JUST POINT OUT TH' WAY!

LALA PALOOZA — A Discussion in Geography

OH, I HOPE NO HARM HAS COME TO POOR MADAM ANY NEWS ABOUT MY SISTER, SERGEANT?
NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS, VINCENT—BUT I GOT A THEORY
Y'SEE, I FIGGER AFTER THEY WRECKED THE CAR THEY JUMPED IN A PLANE AN' FLEW OVER TO CINCINNATI, MICHIGAN
HEY, SARGE—CINCINNATI'S IN COLUMBUS
NO, OHIO'S IN COLUMBUS
NO, NO—OHIO IS THE CAPITAL OF DETROIT—AIN'T IT?
NOW, LOOK—LET'S START WITH THE ORIGINAL THIRTEEN STATES—
BABETTE, YOU GO HOME—I'M GONNA LOOK FOR LALA MYSELF

By RUBE GOLDBERG

REG'LAR FELLERS — A Restless Guest

A NAVY ORTER HAVE A MASCOT, AN' NELLIGAN'S NANNY GOAT GETS TH' JOB!
BAA!

I'LL PUT HIM IN TH' ADMIRAL'S CABIN WHILE TH' OLE BOY IS ASHORE, GET IN THERE, BUTCH!

BAA!
WHAM!
SOCK!

JUST YOU WAIT TILL TH' ADMIRAL HEARS ABOUT THIS!
BAA!

By GENE BYRNES

RAISING KANE — Same for the Goose

PUNKY, DO YOU CARE IF I SHOOT PICTURES OF YOU WHILE YOU'RE FISHIN'?

YOU HAVE A TER-RIFIC IMAGINATION TO THINK YOU CAN ACT-UALLY TAKE PICTURES WITH THAT BOX!

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By FRANK WEBB

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See Here, Private Hargrove!

by Marion Hargrove

THE STORY SO FAR: Private Marion Hargrove, former feature editor of a North Carolina newspaper, has been inducted into the army and is receiving his basic training at Fort Bragg. He has been classified as a cook and this coupled with his frequent assignment to KP have made him quite familiar with the Company kitchen. He has also learned a lot about the finer points of "goldbricking" and of other favorite soldier pastimes. He has learned all of the popular army slang expressions. He has become well acquainted with a number of other rookies—as the first training period draws toward its close this gang starts to break up. Hargrove himself is just starting his first ten-day furlough.

CHAPTER XI

It's enough to drive a man to drink. You get a ten-day furlough and head for New York. You mooch a due bill on an ultra-swank hotel. You say to yourself that for those ten days you will be an all-out civilian, you will squander your substance in riotous living, you will forget altogether the fact that you are a soldier. And then what happens?

You wake up at six o'clock, no matter how late you stay out the night before. Then you can't go back to sleep. You have to buy enormous quantities of civilian food to keep up with your Army appetite. You look in shop windows and see books you'd give your wisdom teeth for, but you think of your purse in terms of \$38 a month and the inner man convinces you that you can't afford them.

You'd like very much to put on your civilian clothes, just for a change, but your friends think you look so pretty in your uniform that they won't let you pull the old blue serge out of mothballs.

It isn't bad all the way through. For instance, I walked out of the hotel the other day and ran into one of the boys from my own barracks, in New York on a three-day pass. We exchanged the prescribed comments on the smallness of the world and I saw a sparkling opportunity to spread a thick layer of hokum. I could make the lad think I was one of these filthy-rich pri-



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vates you so often read about in the papers.

The kind that go about flashing \$1,000 bills before unsuspecting headwaiters.

"Won't you have lunch with me?" I asked. Then I added, quite casually, "I'm stopping here at the Astor."

His eyes popped faintly, but a good soldier never passes up a free meal. We went back into the hotel and into the terrifically smart dining room. I smiled condescendingly at the headwaiter, to make him think I was a cash customer at the hotel, and he led us to a table.

"I'm afraid you'll find the food here depressingly 'dull,' I told my comrade-in-arms. "No ortolans or hummingbird tongues. They seem to go in for plain but wholesome foods. Won't you try the breast of guinea hen, with a sip of Onion Soup Reine?"

"I don't care if I do," he said. "I ain't particularly particular about what I eat."

"My nerves are all shot," I remarked airily. "New York tires me dreadfully. I have to run about noisens volens—that's Latin for willy-nilly—from one night club to another, brushing up on old friendships. And I'm getting so tired of shows and cocktail parties! Won't you have a slug of hooch with me? I've got to have one."

He gulped nervously and replied that he didn't care if he did. I noticed with satisfaction that he was taking in all the propaganda about night clubs, shows, and cocktail parties.

"I'm a man of simple tastes myself," I said, lifting both eyebrows to give my face that bored expression. "I can't stand these silly mixed drinks. I like my liquor straight. I'm partial to Scotch."

"I'm a rye man myself," he said. The waiter, who had been standing by with a growlingly disgusted face, shrugged his shoulders and fetched two tiny flagons of the Old Enemy.

gulps. Ooooh! I shuddered violently, but he didn't see. He had turned his face and was coughing with real fervor.

We managed to get through the meal all right, weakened though we were by the freewater. I continued to impress him. The only obstacle I hit was his reminder that I would be spending Thanksgiving on kitchen police.

We parted when I told him I couldn't get out of a reception I had to attend at 2:30. I had sufficiently impressed him and, with the aid of Providence, I might be able to borrow money from him occasionally back at Fort Bragg.

The meal cost me nothing, but the fifty-cent tip was staggering. If worst should come to worst, I could always hock my watch. If I had a watch.

Thanksgiving Day—with all its roast Vermont turkey, its pies and fruits, its candies, and free cigarettes—was just another day to me. Phooey to it.

Our mess sergeant, one Orville D. Pope, was disgustingly cheerful when he awoke me in the morning. "Please go away," I said. "Just go away and let me gently curse."

"Oh, Private Hargrove," he crowed, "we have so much to be thankful for. So very, very much! We have food, and warmth, and freedom!"

"Food, we've got," I growled. "Including potatoes, with peellings to peel. This is my 678th potato this morning. I don't need coal for warmth when I'm bathing myself in sweat. And freedom? See, I am laughing bitterly! It is Thanksgiving Day and I am peeling potatoes and washing dishes for the orgy. Phooey to Thanksgiving!"

Sollie Buchman, the cook, who was a student with me in Battery A, strode up humming that maudlin old grammar-school song about "over the river and through the woods, to grandfather's house we go."

"It is a glorious day," drooled Private Buchman. "It does my old heart good to think of the expression on those boys' faces when they see that Thanksgiving dinner."

"Repress yourself, Pappy," I asked him. "It is not to think of the dinner. I am thinking of the sinks overflowing with dirty dishes left by those gluttonous hogs. It was not enough that we had trays to wash. Now we have to have improvements. Now we have to have china plates. And cups. And soup bowls. And silverware. I hate progress!"

"Better leave the lad alone, Pappy," sighed Sergeant Pope. "He is putting and will not enter into the spirit of the day. He has done wrong and is paying for it now."

Private Buchman and the mess sergeant busied themselves at the ovens. I sat there ferociously jabbing at potatoes and muttering wildly. Three times I scowled at the sergeant, but he wasn't looking.

Mauri Sher, my bosom companion from the cooks' battery, came racing in through the back door. Mauri was slated to be transferred to a cook's job at Madison Barracks, New York, and would be leaving the following day.

"If you have come to extend the season's greetings, comrade," I told him wearily, "kindly do not trouble yourself. To paraphrase Dickens, any fool who goes about with 'Happy Thanksgiving' on his lips should be boiled in his own slumgullion and buried with a GI breadstick in the head. Do not attempt to cheer me."

"I'm not going to Madison Barracks," he shouted. "I'm staying here. Right here in the Replacement Center! I'm going to be a mess sergeant in the antitank battery. A mess sergeant!"

I was dawdling over a huge chocolate nut sundae the other night at the Service Club cafeteria when Johnny Lisk walked in with someone who was a dead ringer for Simmons Jones of the Charlotte News staff. Anyone who is a dead ringer for Simmons Jones can't be anybody but Simmons Jones, I decided, so I gave the low whistle. The two saw me and came over.

It was Simmons, all right. He looked as if the two things he needed most at the moment were a haircut and a kind word of sympathy. He had the look of utter futility known only to those who have been in the Army for less than ten days.

"Well, boy," I asked him, "how do you like the Army? And you don't need to lie about it."

"I don't think I'll ever get used to it," he said. "I've been pushed and crowded and yelled at for a week now, and it doesn't get any better. Maybe I was just born to be a civilian."

WNU SERVICE

Simmons knocked on wood. "Well, they must have forgotten me. I've been in the Army a week already and I haven't been on KP yet."

"You will, brother," said Johnny. "You will."

"Hargrove," said Simmons, "will you please stop looking at my hair? I can't go ten feet without being reminded to get a haircut. As soon as I can find a minute, I'll get it cut."

"Are you really having a hard time of it?" I asked him.

"Well, after that talk I got from you before I was inducted, I thought I would be going through hell for the first three weeks. The way you talked was terrifying, to say the least. So I prepared myself for a much rougher time than I'm really getting."

"The drilling isn't bad at all. I suppose my dancing has helped me there. Anyway, I even surprise myself at it."

"But the getting up and dressing in ten minutes! I'll never be able to do it. Everything is all right until it comes to the leggins. I struggle with those things until I'm limp, and I never do get them on in time. Yesterday I just tied them on for reveille and sneaked back and



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put them on properly later. I've tried every way possible, but I just can't get anywhere with them."

"How are the fellows?" I asked him. "Nice bunch of boys?"

"I was surprised at them," he said. "People I've never seen before, and they all go out of their way to help each other. When we were first inducted, there were a lot of fellows I'd seen possibly once or twice before in my life and we all acted as if we'd known each other since we were babies."

"Then, too, I've already run across some of the boys I know. Johnny here is attached to our battery for rations and quarters, and so is Buster Charney. They do as much as they can to show me the ropes and help me along during this awkward period."

Reading through the camp newspaper the other day, I noticed stories written by Pvt. T. Mulvehill, Private Thos. Mulvehill, Pfc. Tom Mulvehill, Thomas Mulvehill (pfc.) and various other authors whose names bore startling resemblance to Thomas Mulvehill, Pvt. or Pfc.

The collection of literary and journalistic contributions to the Fort Bragg Post were all marked by the same flair for rhetoric, the true gift of gab, and a certain rich and gorgeous sentimentality. In the midst of a factual story about a group of college girl choristers coming to Fort Bragg for a concert, the steady journalistic strain would suddenly burst into brilliant and majestic phrases such as "The Blunkh Battalion recreation hall will burst into golden sound next Tuesday night when the angelic voices of thirty lovely Zilch College young ladies present a recital . . ." or "The General's little eight-year-old son, awed by the solemnity of the occasion, clung to his daddy's hand throughout the impressive ceremonies."

This is what is known as the Mulvehill Touch.

The Mulvehill Touch is supplied at Fort Bragg by the Public Relations Office's irrepressible and inimitable whirling dervish, Black Tom Mulvehill, a fantastic and unbelievable Irish tyro, who came from New York City by way of Salt Lake City, Utah. Mulvehill of the great head and the shaggy locks, Mulvehill of the lumbering walk, the man of a thousand faces and a thousand voices—Mulvehill is the Public Relations Office's one spark of true glamour, our hope of immortality.

Mulvehill is everywhere at all times. Out of every hundred photographs taken at Fort Bragg—official or personal, professional or amateur—it is safe to say that the flexible face of Private Mulvehill will beam out at you from ninety-five of them. Photographers have no idea of how he gets into the pictures, but a picture of any "Rec" hall in the Center will show Mulvehill playing ping-pong. (He's the one nearest the camera.)

Mulvehill's next greatest talent is his ability to create wildness and confusion at will. His desk drawers bulge and spill great quantities of unrelated papers, old notes, newspaper clippings, and weird personal effects. His working schedule and methods are chaotic and unorthodox. He can write six stories at once, using every needed typewriter in the building.

(TO BE CONTINUED)



Fertilizing Soybeans In Rotation Studied

When, How Is Question Before Agronomists

How and when to fertilize soybeans in the rotation is a question that faces hundreds of thousands of American farmers, since the war's demands have so greatly increased the production of this crop.

Agronomists at the Purdue university agricultural experiment station are seeking the answer to this question in a series of experiments that are expected to produce some interesting results.

One of these tests, conducted by R. R. Mulvey, designed to reveal the best place in the rotation to supply supplemental fertilizer to meet requirements for higher crop production, is being conducted on three blocks of land comprising 10 plots each on the university's soils and crops farm.

The present rotation is corn, soybeans and wheat, with sweet clover seeded in the wheat as an intercrop.

Before the present experiment was laid out, the land had been in a rotation of corn, wheat and clover for 25 years. All crops had been removed yearly from all plots. On six of the plots to which six tons of manure had been added annually, the corn yield had averaged 56.5 bushels per acre. On four of the plots which had received no treatment, the corn crop averaged 43.5 bushels. Thus the contrasting plots represent two levels of productivity—one of medium and the other of low productivity.

In the current tests, corn on all plots received 100 pounds per acre of 0-12-12 fertilizer near the hill at planting time. Wheat is fertilized with 300 pounds of 3-12-12 at seeding time and is top-dressed with 20 pounds of nitrogen the latter part of March. Because of adequate fertilization of both corn and wheat the intercrop of sweet clover is to be relied on for nitrogen. But whenever the clover fails, 80 pounds of nitrogen will be plowed under on all plots.

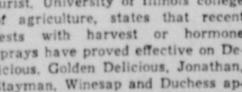
In addition to the foregoing basic tests, variations of treatment are being tried on particular plots. For instance, 400 pounds of 0-10-20 is applied via the plow sole for corn, on two plots where the soil is of a medium productivity level. Similar treatments are applied for soybeans on three additional plots—four hundred pounds of 0-10-20 is top-dressed on wheat in March on two plots—one on low level productivity soil and the other on medium level.

When harvests are completed yearly on the various plots and yield results under the different fertilizer treatments are compared, it is expected that some interesting information will be forthcoming on the most effective means of applying supplemental fertilizer in the rotation.

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Not only do hormone sprays cause apples to remain on the tree until they mature to a higher color and greater size, but they also cut labor needs because the picking period can be extended and fewer helpers will be required.

V. W. Kelley, extension horticulturist, University of Illinois college of agriculture, states that recent tests with harvest or hormone sprays have proved effective on Delicious, Golden Delicious, Jonathan, Stayman, Winesap and Duchess apples. Growers have reported good results with several other varieties.

Sprays usually become effective two or three days after application and remain for two weeks or more, he says. If possible, application should not be made too early—preferably when the apples start to drop. Concentrations recommended by the manufacturer of the particular spray should be used and a thorough application is necessary, since the spray must wet the stems of the fruit in order to be effective.

"However, harvest of Delicious apples should not be delayed too long, because the fruit will become mealy," he warns.

Rural Briefs

Save and store every ounce of feed possible this year in the form of hay, silage, root crops, grain, and meals, suggest livestock specialists.



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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for November 21

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HONESTY IN ALL THINGS

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 20:15; Leviticus 19:11, 13; Luke 19:1-10, 45, 46. GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt not steal. Exodus 20:15.

Honesty seems to be so obviously right that one might expect it always everywhere—if bitter experience had not indicated the opposite to be true.

As a matter of fact, dishonesty has become so common that a person who is strictly honest is a bit of a novelty. Some even think he is peculiar.

Under such circumstances the Christian needs to be vigilant lest he also accommodate his own ideas of honesty and begin to justify little violations rather than being absolutely upright.

The teaching of Scripture on this matter is very plain.

1. **Honesty and Fair Dealing** (Exod. 20:15; Lev. 19:11, 13).

The very commandment against stealing implies that men have a right to that which they have made, earned, or saved. If no one had property rights there could be no saving. Some of our modern isms deny such rights, but their reasoning is clearly not biblical or Christian.

"Thou shalt not steal" forbids every kind of theft, and the passages in Leviticus indicate that this includes more than robbery or ordinary stealing.

It relates to every kind of false dealing with another, such as oppression or the withholding of just wages. That, too, is stealing in the sight.

Perhaps we ought to be more specific and apply the truth to our own lives. Stealing includes such things as loading on one's job, "borrowing" money from the cash drawer, taking goods from the stock with which one is working, stealing another man's sermon and preaching it as his own, "lifting" material out of another man's book without credit, contracting debts which one can never pay, using false weights and measures, adulterating food or other material, "watering" milk for the selling worthless stock, dodging taxes or lying to the tax assessor, passing a slug instead of a nickel, or using a telephone to escape proper payment.

One might also gambling (which is using another man's property by chance), making an unearned large profit on the labor of another, making money out of the sorrows and failures of others, etc. To be honest means to be fair—and that has broad implications.

2. **Honesty and Restoration** (Luke 19:10).

The reality and thoroughness of the sinner's conversion was indicated by his willingness to restore all the money he had unjustly (but legally, note that!) taken from his fellow citizens—and that in fourfold measure.

As hard as it is possible to do so, the honest person will make right his known injustice. To be right in God's sight means that we are to fight with men. The testimony of many Christians could be presented to show that they have only turned upon real peace and usefulness as they have made consistent effort to right every wrong, to pay every debt.

When such actions open opportunities for Christian testimony and for others to the redemption in Christ, which makes a man live as well as talk right.

3. **Honesty and Religion** (Luke 19:46).

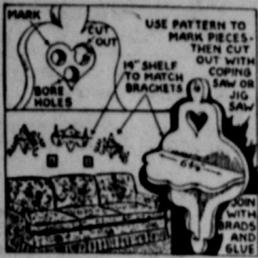
One might think it unnecessary to speak of honesty upon religious folk. They ought to be honest. But here we see in sharp contrast to the honesty and restitution of Zacchaeus, the stubborn disobedience and dishonesty of the priests in the temple. Jesus had already cleansed the temple of the traffic in money-changing and the sale of animals for sacrifice practiced there (see John 8:17). On that occasion He rebuked them because they made His Father's house "a house of merchandise."

When they know the change of heart of a converted Zacchaeus they should have heeded His admonition. They did not believe in Christ when they went with their ungodly desecration of the temple area until it became "a den of thieves" (v. 46).

What happened so long ago needs application to our present day. So is the quotation from the "Lectures on Commentary" which we have read before that we repeat it now.

Speaking of "the goings on in our churches" the writer says, "Is it honest when it assumes obligations that it cannot meet, and is forced to use all sorts of questionable means to raise money for the benefit of the church? Is it honest when it turns a building consecrated to the worship of God into a restaurant or a theater? Is it honest when it turns its pulpit into a lecture platform for the promotion of current events or the sale of popular books or plays?"

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This sketch shows a set of these quaint wall brackets in a living room of today. They will delight the host of modern amateur woodworkers who are rigging up work benches and wondering what they

6 Presidential Aspirants Win After Being Defeated

Of the 25 presidential candidates who ran for the office one or more times after their first defeat, only six were elected. They are as follows: John Adams in 1796, Thomas Jefferson in 1800, John Quincy Adams in 1824, Andrew Jackson in 1828, William H. Harrison in 1840 and Grover Cleveland in 1892 for his second term.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Paint is "good to the last drop" if kept in glass jars tightly covered.

You might try breaking up crisp left-over bacon and adding it to muffin batter for supper.

Keep your cut flowers fresh by changing the water in the vase each day. Thoroughly wash the vase when the change is made.

Small children will amuse themselves for hours with an assortment of boards and boxes of different sizes and perhaps a saw-horse or two, with which they can arrange all sorts of climbing devices.

Cover the children's school books with oilcloth which can be wiped clean with a sudsy cloth whenever soiled. The covering will protect the covers, and teach the children respect for books and for cleanliness, too.

For success in hand-laundering rayons use lukewarm water; if the water is hard dissolve a small amount of mild water-softener in the tub before adding the soap. Use mild soap flakes or beads, and make a rich suds.

ASK ME ANOTHER? A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

1. What is the Quirinal?
2. How many deadly sins are listed?
3. What does blood plasma look like, as used by the Red Cross in the care of the wounded?
4. Who wrote the lines: "He prayeth best who loveth best all things both great and small"?
5. How long is a kilometer?
6. How many children did Johann Sebastian Bach have?
7. In the Bible, what two words follow, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh _____"?
8. How many feet does the natural bridge of Virginia span?
9. The Ptolemies were the ruling family of what country?
10. What is the difference between amphibious and amphibian operations in this war?

4. Samuel Coleridge.
5. Five-eighths of a mile.
6. Twenty.
7. "My help."
8. Ninety feet.
9. Egypt.
10. Amphibious operations are combined operations of the army, navy and air force. Amphibian is all army, relating to the transfer of troops and equipment from one shore to another.

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The Answers

1. One of the seven hills of Rome.
2. Seven: Pride, anger, lust, envy, covetousness, gluttony, and sloth.
3. It is a white powder, resembling ordinary baking soda.

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The Rubber Shortage is behind us but the Tire Shortage is still here!

Less than two years ago America faced as frightening a situation as any country at war ever faced.

Unless something was done, and done quickly, we would soon be without rubber.

And without rubber, no plane could fly, no tank could move, no ship could sail, no truck could roll, people could not get to work, materials could not move to and from plants.

That was the situation the Government and the rubber companies had to lick inside of two years if America was to stay in the war.

Did the "impossible" really happen?

Let's see what you think. Right now, there is nearly enough rubber to meet our essential needs.

Today, this threat to American victory is merely an unpleasant memory, because Government, the Rubber Director, and a group of industries—rubber, petroleum, chemical, alcohol—working together, compressed into less than two years a job that would normally have taken a dozen years. But . . .

Because the public saw huge synthetic rubber plants shoot up almost over night, and heard that synthetic rubber was in large-scale production, they figured the tire headache was almost over.

Now—a warning!

This is the situation today—the rubber supply crisis is past, but the long predicted and anticipated tire shortage is with us.

Why is this so, when thousands of tons of Government synthetic rubber are now being made?

Why is this so, when the rubber industry is producing a tremendous tonnage of rubber products and more airplane and truck tires than ever before?

Because, as the Baruch Committee foresaw—the fact that few tires could be made until we had our synthetic rubber supply well on the way, resulted in millions of tires going out of service without replacement—and those remaining have less mileage in them. Inventories of prewar tires are gone.

Because our military needs are way beyond anyone's anticipations.

Because the rubber companies must use a lot of their manpower and machines to make bullet-sealing gas tanks and hundreds of other rubber products for war, in addition to tires.

Because half of today's requirements are for heavy-duty, large-size truck, bus, combat, artillery, and airplane tires, requiring many, many times the labor and materials of peacetime needs . . . and finally . . .

Because the manpower shortage hangs over the tire industry as it does over all industry, and there are just too few hands for the job.

Straight from the shoulder

These problems will be licked when our enemies are licked. Meanwhile, we want to tell you frankly

that unless you, and all tire-owners continue to make the preservation of tires a vital personal problem . . . our home-front transportation will break down and slow up the war production of America.

The way out is for you to conserve the tires you've got—stretch their life in every way you can.

How to make tires last longer

Do no unnecessary driving.

Live up to the government regulation—don't exceed 35 miles an hour.

Keep your tires inflated up to recommended pressure, and check them every week.

Avoid hitting holes in the road, or bruising your tires on curbs or stones. Don't start or stop suddenly. Slow down for sharp corners.

See that your wheels and axles are in line.

Switch your tires from wheel to wheel every five thousand miles, and have them inspected regularly for removal of foreign objects and repair of cuts.

And—most important of all—recap your tires as soon as they become smooth.

Though not all civilians will be able to get synthetic rubber tires in the near future, you may be one of those who will. Therefore, you should know . . . and remember . . . these facts:

FACTS ABOUT PASSENGER CAR TIRES

The synthetic rubber tire is not yet an improvement but it will keep your car rolling through the emergency.

In many respects, the new synthetic rubber tires are an unknown quantity.

How they would behave at the phenomenally high speeds of prewar days is purely academic. The patriotic citizen knows that high speeds wear out his treads far faster than the recommended speed of 35 miles per hour, and drives accordingly.

Under-inflation, driving over rough roads, and other abuses are bad for all tires—but today's evidence is that synthetic tires will stand less of these abuses than the tires you have been used to.

But, since these tires will be rationed to you in trust for the nation, it will be your duty to take every possible care of them, and to prevent misuse and abuse.

As we gain more experience with synthetic rubber tires, more and more things will become known about them, and the public will be kept informed.

If you use synthetic rubber tires, be sure they are properly installed. They should be put into the tire, then inflated, deflated, and inflated again. And they should never be mounted on rusty rims.

FACTS ABOUT TRUCK AND BUS TIRES

On truck and bus tires, particularly in over-the-road, inter-city service, the situation is less satisfactory.

Truck and bus tires are operated under more severe conditions than passenger car tires. They are heavier, thicker—generate more heat. They are all too frequently overloaded, must travel on any kind of highway their work requires.

Again we'll be perfectly frank about it: synthetic truck and bus tires now built will not stand all the abuse that the prewar tire would take, especially overloading. Progress is being made every day—but overloading which damaged a prewar tire can ruin today's synthetic rubber tire.

The Tire Industry is bending every effort to solve the serious problems of furnishing satisfactory and sufficient tires to the truck and bus field.

But a serious threat still exists to our most vital transportation.

So remember this—while the treads of present truck and bus tires are vitally important, the carcasses of these tires have a value to our truck operators, and to the nation, that is beyond price. Unless these tires are made to last and last, there is almost certain to be a breakdown of truck service.

Every one of these tires must be recapped the very minute it needs it—before any damage is done to the carcass. Speeds must be cut down, especially on hot roads. Overloads must be eliminated. Proper inflation is a necessity.

Operators, garage men, drivers, all have a heavy responsibility that they cannot now avoid. These are straightforward statements. The warning must not go unheeded. A new tire warranty recognizes these conditions, but the real job is conservation!

A new warranty—

With conditions as they are, and synthetic rubber in its present stage of development, a new tire warranty has become necessary and has been adopted. It applies to all tires. Under its terms, injuries such as bruises, body breaks, cuts, snags, and heat failures, as well as tread wear are not subject to adjustment consideration.

Nor are injuries or failures which result from improper tire care or misuse or abuse. This includes failure as a result of overload, excess speed, improper inflation, or other non-defective conditions. Or when tires are used on rims not conforming to Tire and Rim Association Standards.

Remember—the tire industry, the Rubber Director, everyone is working together with all their energy, as they have from the outset, to keep America's wheels turning.

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DAMYANKE INDOCTRINATION WITH TEXAS HISTORY

When a Northerner thinks of Texas, he visualizes a vast area filled with steers and wild horses, thinly populated by taciturn cowboys. This same Northerner also thinks of Texas as a western oil producing state, and not much more. Before being placed in a squadron of Texans, I, too, was one of those disillusioned Northerners, but since then my conception of Texas, the South, and even the Civil war, has changed amazingly.

Naively enough I asked a Texan if Texas fought in the Civil war. "Fought in it? Hell, man, we're still fighting it," he replied, and from another side of the barracks flowed the laconic drawl, "And we're still winning it."

It is impossible to understand Texas or Texans, unless you change your entire perspective. First of all, you must realize that the United States is composed of North, South, East and West, and the Republic of Texas.

It's also essential to understand that Texas is the most important state in the union, where all the women are beautiful, where the biggest and the best cattle, horses, sheep, hogs, grain, fruit, oil, vegetables, minerals and athletes are turned; and Texas is the state that supplies 90% of all the men in the Army, Navy, Marines and Coast Guard, and 94% of all the women who join the WAC and WAVES and those who become Hollywood queens. Once these facts are absorbed, even a Northerner can perceive that in anything and everything Texas produces the "BIGGEST and BEST-EST."

Civil War Not Ended

For more than 75 years we Northerners mistakenly supposed that the South stopped fighting at Appomatox. Many of us are still confused about what took place there. Here are the authentic facts as compiled by a Texas historian, who prefers to remain anonymous:

"After chasing the Union Army all over the map, the Confederates and General Lee were very, very tired. The Southern Army camped at Appomatox, preparing to wipe out the Yankees in the morning. General Lee was resting at the courthouse before mapping out the strategy which would make the South victorious. Into the courthouse walked General Grant, ready to surrender. Now Grant was such an inconspicuous looking man that Lee took him to be his orderly. Naturally Lee gave Grant his sword to polish. (He gave him his boots, too, but that can't be proved). Grant, very surprised, took Lee's sword, thinking Lee had surrendered. Grant then thanked Lee for surrendering, and Lee, being a Southern gentleman, wouldn't go back on his word."

Don't think Hitler doesn't know what he's up against in these sons of the Lone Star State. Mussolini hasn't stopped running since he heard that the Americans who joined the British Eighth Army were from Texas. The Texans have Hitler's punishment all planned for him after they round him up. They are going to send him "up North" to live as punishment for all the crimes he has perpetrated.

I think we can tell our airplane manufacturers, our tank, ship and submarine makers and the armament industry that they can close shop and run along home now. We won't need weapons to beat Hitler, Tojo and company. Those Texans will talk them to death. —A Damyankee.

Sunday dinner guests in the Luther Petty home were Mrs. Herman Petty of Stanton, Pfc. and Mrs. Harold Petty of Savannah, Ga., Mrs. Wesley Loveland of Sayre, Okla., Pvt. Wesley Loveland, Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy of McLean.

Mrs. T. W. Beck has returned to Grenada, Miss., after a visit with home folks here.

Mrs. T. A. Langham went to Pampa Sunday to the bedside of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. V. B. Reager and sons, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Carruth of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McIlroy and little daughter were in Lubbock the first of the week.

Mrs. J. B. Pettit visited relatives at Clarendon over the week end.

Wacs Get Soldiers' Mail Through



"Mail Call" is music to the ears of soldiers wherever they are stationed. Here, two members of the Women's Army Corps on duty at Hondo Army Air Field, Texas, are sorting some of the thousands of letters which form a link to home for soldiers serving at that field.

Mrs. Luther Petty, Mrs. Herman Petty, Pvt. Wesley Loveland, Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy were in Sayre, Okla., Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Loveland.

There was a young lady Who lived in a shoe. With but three pairs a year, What else could she do?

Mrs. C. H. Puckett says to keep the home paper coming to her address; she doesn't want to be without it.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wood and daughter and son, accompanied by Sgt. Ted Leonard, were in Amarillo Thursday.

W. L. Haynes of Weatherford, Okla., came Friday to the bedside of his father, J. A. Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wilson of Stamford visited the former's sister, Mrs. Dewey Wood, last week.

Walter Smith of Amarillo visited home folks here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Coleman of Shamrock were in McLean Sunday.

Miss Jewell Cousins of Borger visited home folks here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffey attended a Masonic meeting in Dallas last week.

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Mrs. D. B. Ventch of Borger visited her aunt, Mrs. S. B. Paat, over the week end.

Miss Jamie Lee Watkins of Borger visited home folks here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cash were in Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. Cagle Hunt visited her husband at El Paso over the week end.

Mrs. Lula Young visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins, at Memphis last week.

Mrs. Jack Fowler of Shamrock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Romain Pugh, Thursday.

Wib Fowler made a business trip to Shamrock Friday.

J. A. Haynes was taken to a Shamrock hospital Saturday.

Mrs. D. A. Davis and Mrs. J. A. Sparks were in Shamrock on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Graham and son of Shamrock visited in McLean Sunday.

C. O. Greene was in Amarillo Wednesday.

W. J. Chilton was in Shamrock on business Monday.

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