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## ON THE HOME FRONT

Official Press Release from the Office of War Information

Home Front morale in the Southwest has been put to the test increasingly in the last week. But gasoline mileage rationing, coffee rationing, milk and meat shortages, and serious prospects of shortages in butter and other commodities are not as bad as some of the discomforts and restrictions we may have to undergo to win the war.

Discomforts, restrictions and even severe dislocation of business are necessary to the realization of our war aim—the destruction of those forces that threaten the very foundations of civilization, our homes and schools.

Gasoline rationing in the heart of the oil country to preserve our precious rubber supply is one of the minor inconveniences of war. Southwesterners should be thankful—and sympathetic—because we do have our huge oil supplies. In the East, where there is an addition factor of transportation, gasoline rations have been cut to three gallons a week, instead of the four gallons to be allowed in the favor of Southwest. On top of that, while Southwestern homes remain comfortably heated with natural gas, Eastern homes will be cold and uncomfortable this winter because of the transportation shortage.

Complaints and protests over some of the restrictions—especially gasoline and coffee rationing—have been loud and frequent, but they don't mean that morale is threatened. When a person fights a fire he's liable to get scorched and blistered when he's hurt he may yell. But he goes right on fighting until the fire is extinguished.

America and the United Nations have been fighting a pretty bad one, and now that our armies and navies are getting closer to the center of the trouble, the civilian population will have to do its share by doing without while the military forces are being supplied.

Doing without coffee while the ships that formerly brought it to us carry supplies to North Africa and the Solomon Islands is the easiest thing civilians can do. Our soldiers in Tunisia may not have coffee, either, but those coffee ships are carrying ammunition and other supplies to them. Cutting down our use of rubber by mileage rationing at home is better than cutting down the manufacture of rubber boats to save our Rickenbackers.

The week's developments, which included a "freeze" order on 50 per cent of the butter stocks in 35 major dairy markets (including Dallas and Fort Worth) and an additional cut in

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## MUSTANGS CLOSE FOOTBALL SEASON

The final game of the season for the Wheeler Mustangs was played Friday night at Lefors, with the score being, Lefors 26, Wheeler 12. The game played at Wellington last Thursday afternoon between the Wheeler Colts and the Wellington Firecrackers was won by the Colts with a score of 19 to 6.

The game with Memphis will not be played this season. The Memphis team made the trip the Wheeler on their scheduled date, but due to rain, the game was not played.

## SHAMROCK TO PLAY LONE WOLF TODAY

Football fans of this area will have an opportunity to see a game this Thanksgiving. The game was matched Monday morning between the Irishmen and the gridmen of Lone Wolfe, Okla.

The tilt, to start at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, will be the first day game the Irishmen have participated in this season.

It will be two strong teams which clash on Denver Field for this Turkey-day game. The visitors boast a record of not having been scored on in conference play in the past three years and of having won 27 out of 30 games during that time. They have won the Wichita Conference the past three seasons.

The Irishmen, too, have a commendable record, having won seven of their nine starts this season, finishing their regular schedule last Friday night in second place in the District 3-A grid set-up. The green and white clad team has held four of its opponents scoreless.

Many local fans are expected to turn out to see the final game of the season and what will possibly be the last game for the duration.

## PLENTY MORE IN THE BARREL



## TARTER IS ONE OF OUTSTANDING COUNTY AGENTS OF THE STATE

V. E. Hafner, director of the Texas Agricultural County Agent Association, announced this week that Jake Tarter, Wheeler county agent, has been designated as one of the eight distinguished county agents of Texas for the year 1942.

Each of the twelve extension service directors were asked to send in the application of one nominee of their district. The county agents of district one selected Tarter as their nominee during the state conference at College Station during September.

Only two other agents of district one have been selected for this designated appointment in previous years. They are W. H. Upchurch of Randall county and V. E. Hafner, now county agent of Childress county and director for the district.

Twenty-two such awards are made to agents of the nation and eight were made in this state. A certificate of merit and a medal were presented Tarter as tokens of his meritorious accomplishment.

Tarter began work as county agent on September 1, 1930. His first appointment was in Wheeler county and he has served this county until the present time. He has many outstanding accomplishments of which the following are picked at random. During the time that Gold Stars were awarded to 4-H club boys, Wheeler county secured a total of 26. Wheeler county received two in 1931, two in 1932, three in 1933, five in 1934, seven in 1935, six in 1937 and one other since that date. The number of Gold Stars is as many as all other counties in the district have received during the same time.

In 1935, L. L. Hildbrunner of Shamrock was awarded the Gold Medal as the Champion Pork Producer of District One.

In 1936, Wheeler county won the State Livestock Judging Contest in the 4-H contest, and represented the state in the International Livestock Judging Contest in Chicago.

Wheeler county has earned four Chicago Santa Fe trips for 4-H club boys in the 12 years the awards have been given.

This county won the West Texas Soil and Water Utilization contest and was paid a premium of \$500.00 which was used in the county to promote Soil and Water Conservation. This award was considered one of the most outstanding contests to be sponsored by the Texas Extension Service. The winning of this award was a great boost to Extension Service in Wheeler county, as well as all of West Texas.

The Wheeler county agent's office is the only office in district one that has maintained an assistant county agent, since 1934.

Of the assistants trained in this county, four are now county agents in other counties of this district.

Wheeler county is spending, through their Commissioners Court, more for Extension Service than any other county in District One, which indicates that the court and people in general are well sold on Extension Service.

Wheeler county has made a success of the Rural Health Programs. In this program, cooperative hospitalization has been available to all farm families of the county. This program is a great benefit to the county. Six counties in Texas have tried this program, but Wheeler county and one other county are the only ones that have made a success of the program. Twenty-three counties

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## MAYOR ELECTED!

The 42 tournament held Tuesday night at the American Legion Hall was well attended. About 15 tables of players enjoyed the 42 and domino games.

A quartet composed of Frank Wofford, W. C. Zirkle, Albert Hayter and Gordon Phillips, accompanied by Mrs. E. H. Kennedy at the piano, rendered several numbers, with the entire group singing "The Star Spangled Banner."

During refreshments, a contest for the "man most lacking in pulchritude" was held and three nominees were selected, with the genial mayor, R. H. Forrester nosing out Brigham Young and Edd Watson in the finals. His award was presented in a beautifully wrapped package.

Next Tuesday night, December 1, another 42 tournament will be held at the Legion Hall at 7:30 with the proceeds to be used for the filling of Red Cross Kit Bags also.

The admission will be 25c per person and refreshments will be served.

The tournament held this week netted about \$30.00 for the Red Cross Kit Bag fund and the Business Women's Club and Wednesday Study Club wish to express their appreciation and thanks for the response given them.

## PAMPA AIR BASE TO BE EXPANDED

Pampa's air base, located twelve miles this side of Pampa on the Wheeler-Pampa highway, will be expanded by one-third over the original authorization granted last May, according to word received from Congressman Gene Worley last week end.

He wired that the War Department had announced authorization Friday of the expansion of an Air Force installation at Pampa to cost in excess of \$1,000,000.

Construction will be supervised by the Tulsa district office of the corps of engineers.

## Questionnaires Mailed to 18-Year-Old Group

Cliff Weatherly, clerk for the local selective service board, stated yesterday that questionnaires were mailed Tuesday and Wednesday to youths of the 18 and 19 year-old group who registered June 30. There are 152 young men of this group to receive questionnaires in Wheeler county.

## Mobeetie Church of Christ Plans Meeting

Bro. Alvie Johnson from Turkey began a series of meetings at the Mobeetie Church of Christ last evening, Wednesday, Nov. 25, and will continue the meeting through Sunday, Dec. 6. All are invited to be present and hear Bro. Johnson. Services are held nightly and begin at 7:15. Sunday morning services will be held beginning at 10:45.

## Quail Hunters Warned That Poison Bait Has Been Put Out In Area

Bird season opens December 1, and as in former years it is expected that local hunters as well as those from neighboring towns are making preparations to use several dogs in the hunt.

County agent Jake Tarter has issued a warning to all dog owners that 1,670 pounds of poisoned horse meat has been put out for poisoning crows and hawks. The bait contains Strychnine Suphate, the most deadly known poison for dogs.

It is reported that crows are destroying a large part of the feed over the county.

## Appreciation Day Started Here Again

Next Saturday afternoon Wheeler merchants will again resume the Appreciation Day feature carried on for the past two years up to Saturday, October 15.

Wheeler merchants have decided to resume the presentation of cash awards in showing their appreciation for trade afforded them because, since mileage rationing is going into effect residents are, more or less, prohibited from going elsewhere to do their trading, and it is not the intention of local merchants to use this unavoidable circumstance as a weapon to get the patronage of local residents and have decided to continue the Appreciation Day feature just as though it were ordinary times.

Presentation of awards will be at the usual place at 4:30 p. m. Saturday.

## Soldiers Will Feast On Thanksgiving Day

Pvt. James Scotty Risner wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Risner, a letter this week telling of how he is looking forward to the Thanksgiving feed for soldiers of Sheppard Field. He included a clipping listing the menu as follows:

Oyster soup, roast turkey with sage dressing, cranberry sauce, snowflake potatoes with giblet gravy, candied sweet potatoes, buttered asparagus, creamed peas, Waldorf salad, grapes, apples, oranges, fruit cake, mince meat pie, pumpkin pie, ice cream, Parker House rolls, bread and butter, coffee, cigars and cigarettes—23 items in all for the soldiers to feast upon Turkey Day.

The value of the rations for Thanksgiving Day is \$9.570—almost double the usual rations.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller, Wheeler and son, Sgt. William H. Miller, Lubbock, returned Sunday night from a combined business and pleasure trip to Fort Worth and Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Stanley and daughter, Mrs. Austin Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Mundy, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tisdal and daughters, Pamela and Charmay, all of Shamrock, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump, honoring Miss Pettus Ladd of Fort Worth, who is a house guest of the Crumps'.

Mrs. W. J. Webb and family had as week end guests her brother, Walter Mobeley and wife and daughter, Mrs. Viola Beaver, of Corppas Cave, Texas and also Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brewer of Mobeetie.

## J. D. MERRIMAN AND MRS. A. C. WOOD ARE RADIO QUESTION WINNERS

Lewis Nordyke, exchange editor of radio station KGNC's early Sun. morning, is due considerable credit for putting Wheeler on the air last Sunday morning in a broadcast devoted mostly to giving interesting facts pertaining to this community and county.

As a habit with Mr. Nordyke, he asked a question during the program and persons were invited to call in answers. The first two persons to call in the correct answers to the Times office were J. D. Merriman and Mrs. A. C. Wood and these two persons are to be awarded a special prize for being the first to call in their answers.

The question asked was: It's a hot, dry day and a man and his boy have hitched a team to a wagon, driven by the water trough to let the horses drink and gone on down the road. The man turns off the road and drives into a running creek and stops the team. Why did he drive into the creek? The answer, of course, is that he wanted to soak his wagon wheels.

Nordyke reports that the radio station received more than 100 telephone calls after the program.

## Nelson Sends Telegram Requesting Rest '42 Be Dedicated to Scrap Hunt



J. B. CROWDER, First Class Petty Officer, made his last rating by meritorious conduct honor. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Crowder of Wheeler. J. B. is now wearing a gold bar with four stars upon it, representing four battles he has been through since the declaration of war last December. Graduating from the Wheeler High School in the spring of '39 and joining the navy a year later he will have been in service three years next May.

It has been two years last Thursday since he has gotten leave to visit his parents here. His address is: J. B. Crowder, Jr., SK1c USN "S" Div., U. S. S. Enterprise, c-o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

## Guthrie Replaces Holt As Chairman of The County Rationing Board

Lee Guthrie has been appointed Chairman of the Wheeler County War Price and Rationing Board, County Judge D. A. Hunt, who made the appointment, announced this morning. Guthrie succeeds Raymond D. Holt who tendered his resignation early this week. Mr. Holt is to be commended for the splendid manner in which the board was handled during his administration.

Mr. Guthrie is well qualified for the chairmanship and will carry on the work with the same untiring efforts, giving of his time freely as the necessity demands.

The office of the board has been moved to the Court House from the building occupied by Attorney Bud Martin.

## NO COFFEE UNLESS SUGAR BOOK IS HELD

There are many citizens who did not receive sugar ration books because they had a surplus of sugar on hand. It now becomes necessary for them to apply for these ration books in order to secure coffee on and after Nov. 29.

If a citizen registered and secured War Ration Book No. 1, he will not be required to register again in order to get coffee, as stamps 18 through 28 will be used to secure coffee rations.

In order to get coffee, consumers must register for Ration Book No. 1, even though they had an excess of sugar on hand during the registration time in May. Sugar stamps will be removed from the books to cover the amount of sugar on hand May 4.

On and after Nov. 29 consumers older than 14 years as shown by their sugar registrations, may buy one pound of roasted coffee per person for the five weeks including January 3, 1943. Because of its position in the book, Stamp No. 27 will be detached for the first coffee purchase after rationing begins.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. LOYD RICE, Preacher  
Come hear Gray Carter, noted evangelist, Thursday night, Dec. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beauchamp of Amarillo, are the parents of a son born Wednesday at the Wheeler hospital. Mrs. Beauchamp is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Guynes.

Those attending Eastern Star, at Mobeetie, Tuesday evening from Wheeler were Mesdames D. O. Beene, Lonnie Lee, Chester Lewis, Loyd Lee, Artie Lee Hunt and Ben Barker.

Pfc. Lonnie J. Powell returned to Fort Riley, Kansas, after spending 15 days with his parents and wife in Mobeetie.

In a telegram received by The Times yesterday from Donald M. Nelson, chairman of war production, he states that the government is asking American farmers to dedicate the remaining weeks of 1942 to an intensified scrap hunt. Steel mills need more heavy scrap and the farms are one of the best sources of this type metal. He requested further help of The Times in the farm drive and in aiding our salvage committee to continue this effort throughout the next few weeks.

All salvage committees are being instructed to continue to make available to the farmer all their transportation facilities and man power to cooperate in every possible way. Mr. Nelson concluded by stating that the nation is looking to the American farmer and he is sure they will come through.

Wheeler farmers are to be commended on their efforts thus far in the nation's scrap drive. Wheeler county is among the top of the list in the per capita amount of scrap metal already turned in for the war effort.

## GOWAN GETS 2 YEARS FOR THEFT OF CAR

Olin E. B. Gowan was sentenced to serve two years in the state penitentiary by a jury in district court this week.

Gowan was accused of the theft of a 1936 Ford in Shamrock last August. The car was recovered in Childress by highway patrolmen a short time after it was taken.

The above case and minor matters were all action seen in the court this week.

Next week, the fourth week of the present term, will be non-jury. No petit jury will be called and the week will be spent hearing non-jury matters.

The case of the State of Texas vs. Emmet Smith has been set for the week of December 7. Smith, who has been re-indicted because of a slight technicality in the original indictment, is charged with murder without malice in connection with the death of Tyson Jeffus, who died Thursday night, May 14, as the result of being thrown from the running board of his car into a barbed wire fence.

Another case set for the same week is that of Louise Simmons, Shamrock negroess, charged with the murder of another negroess, Rena Wilson in Shamrock a few months ago.

## Jeffers Says Mileage Rationing to Start Dec. 1

William M. Jeffers, federal rubber administrator, reiterated before a congressional committee this week his determination to make gasoline rationing nationwide as scheduled on Dec. 1, as a rubber conservation measure.

He told a House interstate commerce subcommittee that while there is sufficient gasoline for the operation of automobiles outside of the eastern states, "obviously a car will burn up as much rubber in Oklahoma, for example, as it will in Maine."

Jeffers repeated the previous accusation that a movement he said had been organized to prevent nationwide rationing "is being financed by people who ought to know better," adding, "why they are I leave to some one else to judge."

He filed samples of hundreds of post cards and letters he said he had received from people opposing rationing, noting that they were simple in nature. He did not elaborate as to who was backing the opposition campaign.

## THIRL SIMS IS ENROLLED IN PRE-FLIGHT TRAINING

Beginning three months of intensive physical conditioning and ground school work preliminary to further training for Naval aviation, Thirl Sims, Mobeetie, Texas, enrolled this week at the U. S. Pre-Flight School at Athens, Ga., Sims, son of Matt Sims, is a former student of West Texas State Teachers College. He completed CAA Primary Training at Canyon, Texas.

## J. M. WALLACE IS COMMISSIONED 2nd. LIEUT.

J. M. T. Wallace has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Army of the United States upon completion of a 13-week course in the Quartermaster Corps Office Candidate School at Fort F. E. Warren, Wyoming and will take up duties in the feeding, clothing, and transportation of the U. S. Army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas T. Wallace, Wheeler, Texas.

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A lot of folks think we are good because we pretend to be shocked at the sins of others.

Thirty-six per cent of farm families and single persons living on the farms of America made less than \$500 cash in 1941. Their non-cash income—home grown food—is estimated at \$421 for the same year.

It is difficult to see how anyone can claim the farmers and dairymen are profiting by the wartime rise in farm produce prices. In fact, they are so far from profiting that under the impact of labor shortages, government regulation, and rationing of gas and machinery, many thousands of them are quitting in discouragement.

However, the bulk of the nation's farmers will fight for the right to produce sufficient food for our soldiers, civilians and our Allies, at a price that will not force the farmer out of business. The stakes in this fight are high. If the farmer loses, the nation loses.

Government fiat may equitably distribute what food is left, but only the farmer can produce more.

A married man's wife finds things for him; a bachelor knows his are on the floor.

In a recent address in New York, Dean Carl W. Ackerman of Columbia School of Journalism, pointed out the dangers in restricting freedom of the press as is now being attempted in suit filed by the Department of Justice against the Associated Press and 1,275 daily newspapers.

"If those who are determined to freeze the press, succeed in achieving their objective, we may have freedom of speech, but be deprived of freedom to speak, because the facilities and instrumentalities of communication will be frozen for the duration and only those governmental officials and agencies beyond censorship control will be able to use them.

"Under the cloak of war emergency, the American way of life is being profoundly changed by law, by directives, by executive orders, by judicial decisions, by consent decrees and by accomplished facts which the people are told about after the events."

Dean Ockerman pointed out that insofar as censorship of war activity was necessary to the success of war plans, no one has a right to object and no journalist would purposely give aid or comfort to an enemy, but he said the present attack on the press "has no justification whatsoever by the necessities of war. The object of what that suit it not to preserve the freedom of the press but to freeze the press into a new mold, not during the war but in perpetuity."

And in that last sentence Dean Ackerman points out a growing danger to freedom in the United States—freedom of the individual, freedom of industry and freedom of economic progress. The loyalty of our people and their willingness to give their sons, their daughters and their worldly possessions to once and for all stamp out the threat of foreign dictatorship in America, must not be used as a screen behind which political agencies can freeze the nation into a new mold of restricted rights after the war.

Women now control 75 per cent of the nation's spending. Uncle Sam, of course, gets the other 25 per cent.

Every man starts life as a baby—and the smart ones out grow it.

## ROGUE THEATRE

"The Rough Riders"  
—in—

**"DOWN TEXAS WAY"**

Buck JONES Tim McCoy  
Fri. Nov. 27-28 Sat. Mat.

Hedy LAMAR William POWELL  
—in—

**"CROSSROADS"**

Sunday Matinee begins at 2:00 p. m.  
Pre.-Sun.-Mon. Nov. 28-29-30

LIONEL BARRYMORE  
faces his greatest test  
—in—

**"Calling Dr. Gillespie"**

Wed. Dec. 2-3 Thurs.

### Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

Items of interest culled from newspapers on the Times' exchange list.

Those who have been crying for a second front now really have their wish. But what a difference to the second front the drug store military experts would have planned. We have been hearing cries that we should have land troops in France, across from England and plow through the Germans. We tried this on a small scale and lost about 75% of the men who landed. With careful preparation we landed several thousand men in North Africa with little loss. These men are now poised to strike along a long front. Brains count even in war, and those who never fought a battle are out moded as military experts in this fast moving fight.—The Canyon News.

Don't ask your editor to "keep it out of the paper." He probably knows what should be kept out of the paper better than you do. And don't tell the editor what he "ought" to run; give him something he can run. Don't try to force him to run something he does not want. These rules are taken from a recently issued Red Cross booklet and are intended to put you in right with the editor. An editor likes to think that he knows something about what should be in the paper—he makes his living that way—but he is always glad to learn of anything that he can run that is of service to the community.—The McLean News.

In Federal court at Fort Worth the other day, a defendant received a sentence of two years for impersonating a federal officer. He admitted on the stand that he had been married ten times without getting any divorces. We wonder how all those ex-wives were content to let the 37-year old defendant take a Federal sentence instead of being tried in state courts on charges of bigamy.—The Panhandle Herald.

Real religion is defined by a prominent clergyman as follows: "Get religion like a Methodist. Experience it like a Baptist. Be sure of it like a Disciple. Stick to it like a Lutheran. Pay for it like a Presbyterian. Consiliate it like a Congregationalist. Glorify it like a Jew. Be proud of it like an Episcopalian. Practice it like a Christian Scientist. Propagate it like a Roman Catholic. Work for it like a Salvation Army lassie, and enjoy it like a colored man."—The Donley County Leader.



In the hills of Southwest Texas, there is a little town two miles from the railroad. An aged darkey with an ancient cart and an old horse used to meet the trains and carry the traveling men to the hill town and back. On one occasion, a "drummer" spent more time than he intended and, hurrying up, said:

"Uncle Mose, can you get me to the station in time for the train?"

"Naw, suh, boss, de train am due in 'bout eight minutes."

The knight of the grip exclaimed: "Didn't you tell me that Pegasus there was a calvary horse in the war with Spain?"

"Yas, suh, dat's a fact."

"Then, give me the lines"—and jumping into the seat, the man said, in a ringing voice:

"Tension!"

At the once-familiar command of "attention," the horse pricked his ears and seemed to straighten in the traces.

"Charge!" commanded the driver. And away the animal leaped. Around the curves through the hills, he sped, the darkey turning pale and hanging on. As they came in sight of the station, they saw the train. Not slackening speed, the horse rushed on until his driver shouted:

"Halt!"

The man jumped to the ground, threw a \$5 bill to Uncle Mose, grabbed his grip and swung on to the last coach of the train as it started pulling out.

It was several months later, that another traveling man rushed up under similar circumstances.

Remembering the wild ride, the old uncle said, "Yas, suh, I kin git you thar!"

As the drummer had done on the other occasion, Uncle Mose shouted: "Tension!" The horse stiffened. "Charge!" And away he went. They rushed around the turns and, when they reached the final stretch, there stood the train across the road.

The negro's lips began to tremble as he turned to his passenger and said:

"I'se leavin' dis heah cart an' you better jump, too—'case I'se done forgot de word whut means to stop!"

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Lois Staley and Walter Staley, Jr., left this week for their home in San Marcos, Calif., after visiting several days with their grandfather, W. E. Dollins and other relatives.

Loras Garner and son, John Marshall who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garner left Friday for their home in San Francisco, Calif.

Miss Elsie Atkinson and Sally Atkinson and son, Gary spent the week end in Wellington visiting their son and brother, W. H. Atkinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fulfer and daughters, Ruth and Evelyn, of Borger visited in Wheeler with relatives and friends Friday.

Cadet David Shehan of the Coast Guard visited friends in Wheeler the first of the week. He is being transferred to the eastern states. Mr. Shehan was with the Farm Security office during his residence in Wheeler.

C. R. Stahl, General Manager of the Panhandle Division of the Southwestern Public Service Company and Mr. Crisp, President of the same company and located in Dallas, trans-

acted business in Wheeler, Thursday.

Miss Wave Wallace who has been employed in the government offices in Washington, D. C. for the past year has returned to Wheeler for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

I. C. Thurmond of Amarillo trans-

acted business in Wheeler, Monday.

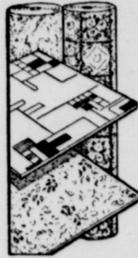
Pvt. Lindsey McCasland spent the week end visiting his family here. He has been stationed at the air field at Pampa as an Air Craft Technician.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Adams of

Shamrock had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCasland and grandson, Ronnie McKenzie, of Atlanta, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morris Gene and Colleen of Amarillo and Pvt. Lindsey McCasland and wife and daughter, Lana Elaine.

## PREPARE YOUR HOME FOR THE WINTER SEASON AHEAD

With A New Genuine  
**PABCO SANITARY RUG**



Now on display a large stock of genuine Pabco Sanitary Rugs in attractive designs and pretty colors. Also a large selection of yardage linoleum ready to cut and fit any shape or size floor space. Buy your new floor covering here at a real saving.

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## Toys! Toys!



This store is featuring a large stock of toys of all kinds. To mention only a few: Boys' Wagons, Girls' Dolls and Buggies, Mechanical Toys, Games and hundreds of others are now ready in our Toyland Department.

# The Gulf South MEANS BUSINESS

Gulf South skies are vibrant with the roar of motors. There is a quickened pace of industrial activity as airplanes, guns, ships and shells pour forth from huge assembly lines. Men in khaki and men in blue are everywhere. Civilian Defense classes have waiting lists. War Bond drives exceed quotas.

Every man, woman and child in the Gulf South, joined with all America, is meeting the challenge. They are answering with the might of all our natural resources and speeded production. They are determined that no dictator shall rob us of our precious heritage . . . the right to life, liberty and happiness.

Natural Gas, a part of our great industrial army, has never worked so hard as now. Our facilities—more than adequate in peacetime—are now taxed to the utmost to meet the greatly increased demands of war. Because of these greatly increased demands and because building of pipe lines must be kept to a minimum to conserve steel, all of us can help by careful use of this precious fuel. The Gas you save will help build more armaments for Victory.



## The Gulf South

Is Working With All America for VICTORY

# UNION PRODUCING COMPANY UNITED GAS PIPE LINE COMPANY AND ASSOCIATED COMPANIES

BUY A SHARE IN VICTORY . . . BUY U. S. WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

**KELTON NEWS**

(By Rena Johnson)

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davidson spent last week in Fort Worth and Dallas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb and children were business visitors in Amarillo, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Cooper and son, Robert, of Hardesty, Okla., spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elliott, Mrs. Kincaid and Curtis Neal of Aledo spent the week end here in the homes of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnson and Rena returned home Friday from a week's visit at McKinney and Wylie with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Audry Downs were visitors at Perryton, Monday.

Oscar Johnson, Lloyd Keeney and George Henderson, Jr., spent the week end in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown of Briscoe spent Thursday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hicks of Wylie spent Sunday night here in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnson and family.

Mrs. Leonard Rathjen and daughter returned home Wednesday after a ten day visit at Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Henderson honored their son, Buck, with a dinner Sunday. Buck left Monday for the air corps. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Henderson, Mrs. Morris Henderson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Tucker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hink and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Henderson.

The Kelton Baptist W.M.U. met at the church, Monday, November 23. There were four present. The president Mrs. J. A. Tucker was in charge. Mission Study was led by Mrs. J. F. Rathjen.

The W.M.U. is giving a triple shower for three recent brides, Mrs. Vaughn Lister, Mrs. R. O. Lister, Jr., and Mrs. Claude Revious. The shower will be at the community church, Monday at 2 p.m., November 30. Everyone is invited.

Miss Julette Richardson of Borger spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Willoughby spent the week end in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bledsoe were visitors in Shamrock Monday afternoon.

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**MOBEETIE HAPPENINGS**

(By Times Correspondent)

**New Methodist Pastor**

The new Methodist pastor in Mobeetie is Rev. J. N. Tinkle. He will carry on the Methodist work here for the coming year. Rev. G. W. McLain is pastor of the Methodist Church at Nolan, Texas. Congratulations to Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Tinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Hawks of Hereford, Texas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ridgeway.

LeRoy and Claudie Mae Patton and Mrs. Sallie Ring transacted business in Wheeler, Monday.

Nathan Hunt of Amarillo transacted business in Mobeetie, last Friday. Corp. Arthur Carmichael and wife were week end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller.

Raymond Puckett, who is stationed in Amarillo, visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie over the week end.

J. V. Arron and family of Encino, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Beck and other relatives this week.

Mrs. Lester Leonard entered the Pampa hospital for medical treatment Friday.

Mrs. Alice Burch of Gageby visited her son, A. A. Burch and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beck of Magic City visited in the M. S. Beck home, Sunday.

Pvt. Sam Mixon visited his children, Mary Alice, Charlene, Royce and Loyce in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mixon Saturday. He left late Saturday afternoon for camp in Livingston, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hathaway and family of McLean were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hogue.

Sgt. Bill Powell of Ft. Bliss visited in Mobeetie over the week end.

Mrs. Bill Dart of Spearman visited her mother, Mrs. Clarence Lee of Mobeetie during the week end.

Mrs. Jinnie Heffener of Oklahoma City is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Hathaway this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCain of Pampa visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie, Sunday.

H. T. Reed who is stationed in Pampa in the Air Corps visited in Mobeetie Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Guynes and small granddaughter, Judy Woodward of Amarillo returned to their home Sunday after a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Ed Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haynes and family of Oklahoma City have moved back to Mobeetie to make their home.

Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Harris returned home last week from Oklahoma City after several weeks visit with their daughter and family.

Mrs. W. H. Ellis and Mrs. Nealey Ellis of Pampa were Mobeetie visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. R. W. Beck is visiting her husband in Camp Crowder this week.

Mrs. A. A. Burch returned home last week from visiting her son, Sgt.

**MOVIE CHATTER**

(By a Rogue)

**Down Texas Way**

Those Rough Riders, Buck Jones, Tim McCoy and Raymond Hatton will be at the Rogue Theatre Friday and Saturday, November 27 and 28, in a picture that fits the great southwest like a glove. It is Down Texas Way, and of course will concern itself with the wide open spaces of the typical cattle country known as Texas. These three fellows bid fare to become popular western stars now that Gene Autry will not be coming our way but a few more times. Buck Jones and Tim McCoy were the two leading cowboy stars about six or eight years ago and it looks like they are on the road back. So lets start getting acquainted with them now, so that you can look forward to their future pictures. We know you will like them.

**Crossroads**

Crossroads is the picture for Preview, Sunday and Monday, November 28, 29 and 30, at the Rogue. It offers lovely Hedy Lamar and suave William Powell as the stars of a picture that is sure to appeal to the ladies as well as the gentlemen. It is William Powell's first dramatic role in years. We generally associate him with the Thin Man Pictures, and of course we associate Hedy with the Goddess of Love, or something. We will be seeing you at the Crossroads.

**Calling Dr. Gillespie**

Calling Dr. Gillespie is the first of a new series of pictures that will take the place of the Dr. Kildare stories. You will recall that Lew Ayres is now in the army and naturally he will not be in Calling Dr. Gillespie, nor any of the others that are to come. However, you will find that the series is just as good as they ever were. You will want to see Dr. Gillespie call, a new assistant to take Kildare's place. This will happen in the next one of the series which is called Dr. Gillespie's New Assistant. There will be three new faces in the picture, all trying to gain public favor. After the public has had a chance to see the picture they will be asked to vote on who should get the place of the new assistant. You will want to take part in the balloting. So get in there from the beginning and see the first of the series, Calling Dr. Gillespie, Wednesday and Thursday, December 2 and 3, at the Rogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Beck and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beck, Saturday night and Sunday. Grant Beck is employed at the Cactus Ordnance plant near Dumas.

Charley Burch in Parris, Texas. Charley has been very ill but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mobley and Mrs. Viola Beaver and family are visiting in the Jeff Brewer home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beck and family visited in the Mobeetie community last week.

Mary Grooms visited in Pampa over the week end.

**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**

Ernest Schaub and family of Samnorwood spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Schaub. Albert Chapman has bought the J. B. Reynolds homestead in the east part of Wheeler.

Mrs. Marvin Sanders and son of Tucumcari, N. M., came Friday for a short visit with her brother and family.

Bob Puryear who has been visiting with his cousin, Clay Ealum and Mrs. Louise Ealum, returned to his home in Hemphill county, Tuesday.

LeRoy and Billie Brigman returned Saturday from Arizona where they have been employed for several weeks.

Donald Ware of Clovis, N. M., is making an extended visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright, and Mr. Floyd Wright spent Friday night with Mrs. Robert Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Schaub. They were en route to Houston, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wileman and daughter, Mrs. O. C. Lowry, returned Monday from a visit with Roy Wileman at Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCasland and grandson, Ronnie McKenzie of Atlanta, Texas, came Saturday to spend Thanksgiving week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland and other relatives.

Joe Tilley, who is working at Dumas, spent Monday in Wheeler visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Holt and sons, Larry and Dennis Lee, of Stinnett, spent Monday at the McCasland home and visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCasland of Atlanta, Texas, who are guests there.

Mrs. Horace Smith of Miami, visited Tuesday with Mrs. Albert Hayter.

Pvt. Grady F. Havenhill, who is stationed near Pampa, spent Sunday with his wife and son and other relatives here. He returned to his post Monday.

D. G. Sims of Mobeetie returned Friday from Camp Wolters where he visited his daughter, 2nd. Lt. Mary K. Sims, who has volunteered for foreign service and will leave in the near future for an unknown port.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morris and children of Amarillo and Mr. and

Mrs. T. A. Greenhouse and children of Mobeetie, were in Wheeler during the week end to see the ladies brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCasland who are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Sims visited in Wheeler, Saturday.

Pvt. and Mrs. Will Powers and Mrs. Jeff Williams attended to business in Wheeler, Thursday, while Mr. Williams transacted business in Pampa.

Pvt. and Mrs. Will Powers are visiting friends and relatives in Mobeetie. They were accompanied to Shamrock Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Powers and son, Lige Eddie, to visit friends and relatives. They will return to Las Vegas in about ten days, where Pvt. Powers is stationed.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many deeds of kindness shown during the illness and death of our mother and sister, Mrs. T. J. Kelley. We also wish to thank everyone who contributed flowers making up the beautiful floral offering.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelley and family  
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<b>SALAD DRESSING</b> 32 oz. Jar-----	<b>25c</b>	<b>APPLES, Colorado</b> Winesap's, 4 Lbs.-----
<b>I. G. A. LYE</b> 2 13-oz. Cans-----	<b>15c</b>	<b>LEMONS, 360 size</b> Fancy Sunkist, 6 for-----
<b>I. G. A. MILK</b> 3 Tall Cans-----	<b>25c</b>	<b>POTATOES</b> 10 Lb. Mesh Bag-----
<b>GREEN BEANS</b> No. 2 Cans-----	<b>10c</b>	<b>ORANGES, 252 size</b> Texas, Doz.-----
<b>FRUIT COCKTAIL</b> 2 No. 1 Tall Cans-----	<b>33c</b>	<b>MARKET</b>
<b>I. G. A. SOAP GRAINS</b> Large Package-----	<b>19c</b>	<b>KRAUT</b> Bulk, 2 Lbs.-----
<b>DUROX LAUNDRY BLEACH</b> Full Quart-----	<b>10c</b>	<b>MINCE MEAT</b> Bulk, 1 Lb.-----
<b>TOMATO SOUP</b> Campbell's, 3 Cans-----	<b>25c</b>	<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b> Bulk, 1 Lb.-----
		<b>SAUSAGE</b> Pure Pork-----
		<b>PORK STEAK</b> Per Pound-----

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**WOMEN'S CLUBS AND SOCIAL EVENTS**

**MISS INA FAY ROBISON IS HOSTESS TO WHEELER BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB**

Ina Fay Robison entertained the Business Women's Club with a Thanksgiving dinner and bridge in the home of Mrs. I. B. Lee, Monday evening, November 23. Miss Clara Finsterwald won high score and Mrs. Evert Smith won low score.

Members and guests enjoying the evening were Mesdames R. H. Forrester, Inez Kennedy, Jack Garrison, J. L. Gilmore, Max Wiley, Evert Smith, Artie Lee Hunt, Elsie Hays Hood, and Bryan Witt. Miss Helen Green, Leona Crossland, Mary Eunice Noah, Blanche Grainger, Arlie Lee, Clara Finsterwald, and the hostess. The club members voted and accepted Artie Lee Hunt and Arlie Lee as new members.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. FORRESTER**

The Dorcas Sunday School Class taught by Mrs. R. H. Forrester met with her Friday night at her home on South Canadian, for a business and social. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. W. E. Collins with Mrs. Bryan Witt giving the invocation. The perfect attendance record was held by Mrs. Carl Laflin and Mrs. W. E. Collins, who each received a nice Bible.

The class voted to pack a Thanksgiving basket for some needy family. A bible quiz and group singing furnished the balance of the evening's entertainment, after which refreshments were served by the hostess to the following: Mesdames Paul Green, H. E. Young, Carl Laflin, Floyd Pennington, J. M. Burgess, W. H. Black, Bill Perrin, Curtis Pond, George Porter, Bryan Witt, Cliff Weatherly, J. F. Witt and Jimmie Mitchener.

**MR. AND MRS. R. J. HOLT ENTERTAIN THURSDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Holt entertained with a buffet dinner Thursday evening, at their home near Silver Lake.

The entertaining rooms were attractively decorated with autumn flowers and at the bridge games, following the dinner high scores were held by Mrs. Ansel McDowell and Glenn Porter.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Green, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Green, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Renter, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Porter, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Forrester, Mr.

and Mrs. R. Wm. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Adams, Mrs. C. E. Vincent and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Holt.

**MRS. H. E. YOUNG STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB HOSTESS**

Mrs. H. E. Young was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club, Tuesday afternoon.

The afternoon was spent sewing and refreshments were served to the following Mesdames Bob Rodgers, Frank Noah, Jud Johnson, Bill Black, S. P. Hodnett, A. C. Wood, J. N. Green, D. O. Beene, E. G. Pettit and the hostess, Mrs. Young.

The next meeting will be December 8 with Mrs. Bill Black as hostess.

**NELLIE BEA CANDLER ENROLLED IN RED CROSS CLASS**

Nellie Bea Candler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Candler, Jowett Station, is enrolled in a class of Red Cross instruction at N.T.S.T.C., Denton. The class is designed to aid prospective teachers in the organization of class room Junior Red Cross.

Miss Candler is a senior student at N.T.S.T.C. She belongs to the Current Literature Club, the Elementary Council, and the Girls Religious Training Class.

**MRS. ROE GREEN LEADER OF W.S.C.S. PROGRAM MON.**

The W.S.C.S. met Monday afternoon in the church parlor for a year book program led by Mrs. Roe Green assisted by Mrs. J. M. Porter. Officers for the ensuing year were elected during the afternoon.

Those attending were Mesdames J. M. Porter, Wayne Cook, Luther Parks, Roe Green, Bronson Green, D. E. Holt, R. J. Holt and Albert Hayter.

**BAPTIST W.M.U. GROUP PLAN SPECIAL MISSION PROGRAM NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING**

Wednesday evening, December 2, at 8 p.m. there will be a special Foreign Mission Program, sponsored by the W.M.U. of the Baptist church. Some of those on the program are Rev. O. O. Holladay, Mrs. Frank Wofford and Mrs. R. L. Rodgers. Also special music is being arranged for the occasion.

The program will be of special interest to Baptists and everyone interested in Foreign Missions. This will be your opportunity to give your gifts, whether small or large, to this great cause.

**Miss Ruth Faust Is Recent Bride**

Miss Ruth Elise Faust, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert J. Faust of Wheeler, became the bride of Lieutenant Lowell O. Kendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kendrick of Lubbock, Texas, at sunrise, Sunday morning, November 1, in the St. John's Methodist Church, Lubbock, Texas. Rev. Dwight McCrea performed the single-ring ceremony by soft candlelight.

The altar was beautifully decorated with tall white urns filled with yellow and white chrysanthemums and autumn leaves. The only illumination of the church was soft light from groups of cathedral tapers, in white candelabra on each side of the altar. While Miss Emogene Tonn, a student of Texas Technological College, played a prelude, Patricia and John Kendrick, cousins of the groom, lighted the tapers.

Mrs. Lillian Butler, accompanied by Miss Tonn, sang "Because" by d'Hendelot. She also played the Wagner Processional, and during the ceremony softly played "The Flower Song" by Lang, followed by the Mendelssohn recessional.

The bridesmaid was Miss Elmore Smith of Floydada and the best man was Pvt. Scott Strader of Lubbock.

The bride was attired in a street length dress of heaven blue with brown accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink rose buds. For something old she carried an Irish linen handkerchief which her uncle had bought in Dublin as he returned from France after World War I and which her mother had carried at her wedding.

The bridesmaid wore an embroidered grey jacket dress with emerald green and black accessories.

Mrs. Kendrick is a Wheeler High School graduate and a 1940 graduate of Texas Technological College, graduating with a B. A. degree in government with minors in Journalism and English.

Lieut. Kendrick received his commission from Texas Technological College in June and is with the 22nd Armed Engineer Battalion, stationed at Camp Cooke, Calif.

Attending the wedding were the brides mother, Mrs. Rupert J. Faust, the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kendrick, Sgt. and Mrs. Michael Holleny, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, Alton and Harold Kendrick, brothers of the groom. Also a number of other relatives and intimate friends were present.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kendrick in Lubbock.

The house was beautifully decorated with baskets of yellow and white chrysanthemums and tall vases of dahlias.

On a lace covered table the bride's cake was enwreathed with pink rose buds. The cake was cut by the bride assisted by the groom.

Assisting Mrs. H. J. Kendrick with the coffee service, were Mrs. Michael Holleny, Miss Dorothy Agnew and Miss Elmore Smith.

Immediately following the reception, the bride and groom left for California where for the present they will make their home.

**JOWETT JOTTINGS**

(By Times Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Matthews spent Thursday and Friday in Borger visiting this son, Gene, who is working at the Cretney Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Newman and daughter, Helen, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Leonard, Friday.

T. E. Rhoton and family of Borger spent the week end with Mrs. Rhoton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oldham.

Attending the Red Cross meeting Tuesday were Mrs. Floyd Adams, Mrs. Ralph Oldham, Mrs. Roscoe Meeks, Mrs. Clarence Dyson, Mrs. H. E. Matthews, Mrs. A. R. Newman, Mrs. Cliff Sivage, Mrs. C. H. Candler and Mrs. A. J. O'Brien.

Several officials of the Southwestern Public Service Company visited the Jowett Station Thursday and Saturday. They were Mr. C. R. Stahl, Mr. Crisp, Will Leslie, Mr. Green and Lou Roberts.

Mr. A. J. O'Brien and family made a business trip to Pampa, Friday. Their daughter, Anita, caught the bus there for Amarillo where she expects to spend a month with her sister, Joan and her grandmother, Mrs. Elva O'Brien.

**TWITTY NEWS**

(By Mary Ella Westmoreland)

Mrs. Clayton Kelley and daughter Zonell of Corn Valley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Clay and attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Pillers and children spent the week end in Amarillo.

Hugh Martin has been ill the past week. We hope him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Ellis of Fort Worth visited last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westmoreland.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Patterson moved to their farm near Lela, Sunday.

Bro Humphrey will preach at the Church of Christ next Sunday. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. John Henry Carver of Denver, Colo., is spending some time with Mrs. H. N. Carver while her husband is in the armed forces.

Mrs. Ferris Kromer and daughter of Cureau spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn King and Miss Marion.

**Here's How The Tire Inspection Plan Works**

If you are wondering how the tire inspection plan works read the following information:

Your tire inspection record is attached to the tire record and application form for basic mileage ration. On it you fill in serial numbers of all tires you own, whether mounted on your vehicle or not.

The tire inspection record will be signed and returned to you if you have complied with the provision above. You must keep the tire inspection record in your car at all times.

The first tire inspection period is

between Dec. 1, 1942 and Jan. 31, 1943, during which time all vehicles must have their tires inspected by an authorized OPA inspector. He may charge up to 25c per vehicle if no tires are removed. If he removes tires, he may charge 50c per tire. After January 31, A and D drivers must have tires inspected every four months with inspections at least 60 days apart. B, C, and supplemental D drivers must have tires inspected every two months with inspections at least 30 days apart.

The inspector will check the condition of your tires and the serial numbers. If serial numbers differ from those on your record, he will inform the local rationing board, unless you have been authorized to purchase another tire and you have part D of a tire certificate showing any tire serial number not shown on the record. If tires are O. K. he will sign your record. If he finds repairs to tires, tubes, or vehicle necessary for tire conservation, he will not sign the record until you carry out his recommendations. If a tire is worn smooth,

he may recommend a recap. In that case he must remove the tire from the wheel to complete the inspection. If your tire is not fit for recapping, he may recommend replacement. In all cases, he will report any evidence of tire abuse to the local board.

You apply to your local board for a rationing certificate if the inspector recommends a recapping service for your tire, or a new or used tire or tube. These cannot be obtained, however, without a rationing certificate. If you have complied with all tire and gasoline regulations and the rationing board finds you are eligible, it may issue a certificate for recapping service or for the grade of tire to which you are entitled.

What you can do to make your tires last: drive, start, and stop slowly; take curves slowly; look out for bumps, including curbs; inflate tires properly at least once a week; keep wheels aligned; keep brakes adjusted; shift all tires every 5,000 miles; repair breaks, cuts, and leaks promptly; straighten or replace bent rims; and share your rides.



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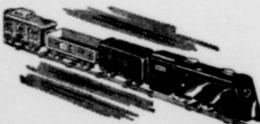
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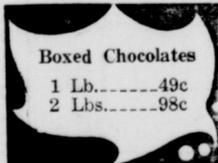
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**WHAT SAY YOU?**

For we know that the whole creation groaneth and travaileth in pain together until now. And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the first fruits of the spirit even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of our body.—Romans 8: 22-23.

—W. J. BRUMLEY

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
(First Published in The Wheeler Times November 5, 1942) 4t  
**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO: Nadine Tadlock Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Wheeler County at the Court House thereof, in Wheeler, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation same being the 14th day of December A. D. 1942, then and there to answer plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 19th day of September A. D. 1942, in this cause, numbered 3406 on the docket of said court and styled Houston T. Tadlock Plaintiff, vs. Nadine Tadlock Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Suit for divorce on grounds of 3 years abandonment as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wheeler, Texas this the 30 day of October A. D. 1942.

Attest:

(Seal) **ARTIE LEE HUNT**  
Clerk, District Court, Wheeler County, Texas

**FOOD SPECIALS**

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

<b>SPUDS</b> Red, 10 Lbs. ....	<b>23c</b>	<b>JELLO</b> Ass't Flavors, 3 Pkg's. ....	<b>20c</b>
<b>ORANGES</b> Texas, Dozen .....	<b>19c</b>	<b>SALAD DRESSING</b> Big Value, Quart .....	<b>23c</b>
<b>GINGERBREAD MIX</b> Dromedary Pkg. ....	<b>23c</b>	<b>COCOA MIX</b> Quick Serve, Kraft's 1/2 Lb. Pkg. ...	<b>17c</b>
<b>FLOUR</b> White Swan, 48 Lbs. ....	<b>\$ 1.79</b>	<b>Pancake Flour</b> 3 Lb. Pkg. ....	<b>17c</b>
<b>PEP</b> Kellogg's, 10 oz. Pkg. ....	<b>10c</b>	<b>HARVEST TIME</b>	
<b>MUSTARD</b> Quart .....	<b>9c</b>	<b>BABY FOOD</b> Clapp's, 3 cans .....	<b>20c</b>
<b>Delmonte Peas</b> Early Garden, 303 Can. ....	<b>15c</b>	<b>POPCORN</b> Jolly Time, 2 cans .....	<b>25c</b>
<b>SOAP</b> P. & G., 6 Bars .....	<b>23c</b>	<b>SOAP</b> Lifebouy or Lux, 3 bars. ....	<b>20c</b>
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Gas ration books were issued at the Mobeetie High School Thursday and Friday afternoon and all day Saturday. All the teachers cooperated in issuing the ration books.

Mrs. M. D. Blankinship, former English teacher in this school, was a visitor Wednesday. Everyone was glad to see her.

#### Juniors Hold Party At Gym

The Juniors held a party at the gym Tuesday night.

The guest at the party were: Cecil Seitz, Talmadge Moore, Art Ridgeway, Lee Thomas, Zelma Barber and Wilma Bearden.

Members of the junior class attending were: L. D. Smith, Stacy Arnold, Glenn Seitz, Nadine Henderson, Johnnie Reed, Hoyt Dunn, Jewell Eubanks, Jack Roberts, J. W. Creekmore, Bill Bailey, Lucille Gordon, Billy Jean Baird and Tom Walker.

#### Sophomores Hold Party At Gym

The sophomores had a party at the high school gym, Monday night. Everyone seemed to have had a good time. There were several that attended the party. Those that attended were: Aubrey Leonard, Carey Dysart, Agnes Corcoran, Troy Prather, Lorine Corcoran, Harold Haning, Melba Robison, Martha Lamon, Jesse Ray Leonard, LeRoy Johnson, Juanita Walker, Tom Walker, Jimmie Bradley, Ithama Gales, Clyde Bonds, Jack Gales, Fannie Jo Mixon, and Art Ridgeway.

The sponsors were Mrs. J. H. Scribner and Mrs. Leonard Green.

#### Picked-Up Here and There

Johnny Murrel has been seen transacting business at the home of Mr. E. V. Herd. He said it was a strictly business matter and should be regarded as such.

Could it be a fact that Opal Smith is the new depot agent? It has been said that she has been seen in the vicinity of the depot. Also she has been absent from school the last several days and this leads anyone to believe that she has been taken or is taking over the depot.

R. Z. Ford is extremely patriotic. He has been seen helping Mr. H. E. Matthews with his scrap iron. Everyone supposes this to be his patriotic duty but some people are always getting ideas and believe it to be his

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Betty Sue Bownds and Miss Lucile Chance attended the afternoon services at the Episcopal church in Shamrock, Sunday. Bishop Seaman of Amarillo was the guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayter accompanied by his sister, Mrs. W. C. Womack of Quitaque, made a business trip to Sherman last week. They left Sunday afternoon and returned Thursday. In Iowa Park they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coppock and daughter, Jo Ann.

Mrs. C. E. Vincent and son, Robert, of Lefors visited Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. Robert Holt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Giles and children, Edward and Virginia Sue, of Borger, visited Sunday in Wheeler with friends. They were en route to Borger from Hollis, Okla., where they visited his parents.

Mrs. Clarence Lee of Mobeetie shopped in Wheeler Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Gordon Stiles and daughters, Sandra Sue and Sharon, and Mrs. Glenn R. Walker, made a business trip to Shamrock Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Deward Wofford and son, Dale, left Friday night for Cross Plains to visit her parents. Her sister, Miss Rosa Byrd, joined her in Amarillo and accompanied her to Cross Plains.

Mrs. Charley Candler and sons of Jowett Station were Shamrock visitors Friday afternoon.

Nathan M. Hunt of Amarillo, visited last week with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hunt and son, Donald, and also with Dr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waters and children of Lubbock spent the week end in Wheeler visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Doris Hooker was one of last week's winners in a contest sponsored by the Amarillo News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zirkle and son, Larry Don, visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hollis in Canadian, and with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Fuller in Miami.

duty to Augusta and not to his Uncle Sam.

**Why The Seniors Should Be Dignified**  
 Just why the seniors should be dignified is hard to understand. They should take the part of acting like people that have grown up instead of acting like they were in the lower grades.

It has been said that just fourteen seniors could make more noise than twenty juniors or all high school.

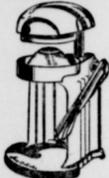
Seniors should take the lead and be able to carry on without having to be told everytime just what to do. They should be willing to help others in any way they could and make friends with everyone. Above all a senior should want to learn all they can because it is just a preparation to starting a home of their own and starting out in the world.

With these few little helps the seniors should be half-way grown up and act like seniors should.

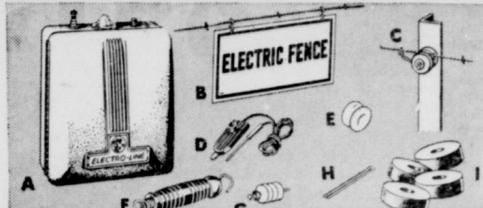
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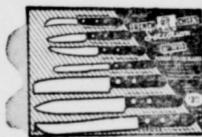


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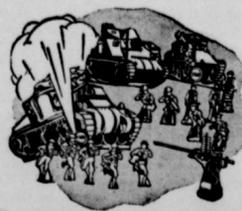
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The bulk of Christmas mail must be in the post offices by December 1 this year if deliveries on time are to be assured, according to Smith W. Purdum, Second Assistant Postmaster General. Mr. Purdum is responsible to Postmaster Frank C. Walker for smooth and efficient air and railway mail service.

Unprecedented wartime demands on postal and transportation systems, plus a prospective record volume of Christmas mailings, were cited by Mr. Purdum as necessitating earlier mailings than ever before. "It is physically impossible for the railroads and air lines, burdened with vitally important war materials, to handle Christmas mailings as rapidly as in normal times," Mr. Purdum said. "If the bulk of parcels and greeting cards are held back until the usual time—the period of about December 15 to 23—they simply cannot be distributed in time, and thou-

sands of gifts will reach their destinations after Christmas.

In 1941 about 21,950 mail cars were required between December 12 and 24 to deliver Christmas mails—enough cars to make a train 270 miles long. This year, the extra cars needed to move holiday mails are largely being used by the armed services, and a severe shortage is in prospect.

The postal service usually borrows about 2,500 trucks from the Army and other Government agencies, and rents about 10,000 from private owners, to handle the Christmas mails. This year, it will be extremely difficult to obtain enough of these vehicles to meet even a substantial part of the need. The Army needs its own trucks and private owners are reluctant to let someone else use their tires.

Railroads are cooperating by converting some hundreds of steel box cars and similar equipment for mail transportation, and Joseph B. Eastman, Director of Defense Transportation, has ordered that unnecessary travel be curtailed to the limit during the holiday season. But these measures cannot assure deliveries of gifts on time unless the public co-operators by mailing early and thus spreading the transportation load over a longer period than usual.

Mr. Purdum called attention to the task of the Post Office Department in moving millions of pieces of mail every day to and from soldiers, sailors and marines throughout the world. This extraordinary job must be kept current, even while the holiday rush of mailings is handled. Also, he pointed out, the postal establishment is operating with many thousands of inexperienced personnel, employed to take the place of men called to the armed services. The new employees naturally cannot handle the holiday mail jam with the smoothness and speed of the postal veterans whom they replace.

In view of all these handicaps to the service, Mr. Purdum added, postal patrons should mail their gifts by December 1 if they wish to insure that their friends will not be disappointed at Christmas.

Pvt. Melvin Bryant of Dalhart visited his wife and her folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Webb over the week end.

Used silk and nylon hosiery started on their way to war, with the opening of WPB's collection campaign on November 16. Collection boxes have been placed at women's hosiery counters of retail stores. The stockings turned in will be processed and reclaimed into valuable war materials, destined for action on the front lines.

## THE CORRAL

Items of interest pertaining to the Wheeler Schools.

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### Around School

The senior class has lost another member recently. Juanita Toon and Robert Reynolds of Mobeetie were united in marriage last Saturday.

Buela Belle Pond, who is the cousin of Dorothy Pond, visited school Tuesday.

The classes met Tuesday to decide the "wheres and amounts" each member would donate to the American Junior Red Cross.

It seems that at last a schedule has been worked out by which we will turn out at 12:15 during the cotton picking vacation. We will have 1 hour classes after we start our full days again.

November 25 was the last day for English book reports.

### Whys and Wherefores

We wonder what Louise W's. secret girls are all "a-flutter." Could it be that one of the Wheeler boys came home on a visit and brought along a friend?

Why are so many students worried this week? Could it be that it is the last week for book reports? We wonder what Louise W's. secret is. They say she makes better grades in English IV when she doesn't study than when she does. Tell us Louise.

Why are so many girls dropping out of school to get married? Maybe they want to get into the fight.

### Fishes Pool

The freshman class met Tuesday and elected officers. Their officers are as follows: president, Donald Reeves; vice-president, Leon Weatherly; secretary, Joeline Witt; sponsors, Mrs. Wiley and Mrs. Harmon. Good luck to you for a good semester average, officers!

**Keyhole Spy**  
 Dear Keyhole Spy—Why does one of the junior girls always back out of being president when we have class meeting? Maybe she gets frightened in an audience.

Dear Keyhole Spy—Who was under the green hat with the green feather Tuesday? It couldn't be one of the seven dwarfs, could it? Say, Dopey? Dear Keyhole Spy—Did the two senior girls find the job they were looking for? Ask them, they should be able to tell you, if they aren't too stiff.

Dear Keyhole Spy—Who was the blond with Dorothy Pond Tuesday? They say it was Bulah Belle Pond from Kelton. We were glad to have her.

### Personalities

Name, Oscar Ragan; age, 16; years in Wheeler High School, 4; likes, ice cream; dislikes, selfish people; favorite food, chicken; favorite book, "Treasure Island"; favorite song, Elmer's Tune; favorite subject, typing; hobby, none; favorite actor, Ronald Reagan; favorite actress, Ann Sheridan; ambition, to be a pilot.

Name, Odous Hooker; age 17; years in Wheeler High School, too many (he says); favorite food chocolate pie; favorite book, "Sea Wolf"; favorite song, Under a Strawberry Moon; favorite subject, bookkeeping; hobby, fishing; favorite actor, Robert Taylor; favorite actress, Betty Grable; ambition, to join the navy.

### Outstanding Agent

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have undertaken the program in the United States and, at the present time, only six counties have completed the program.

To prevent damage of food and feed production in the Food For Victory Program this year, 890 pounds of copper carbonate have been used to treat grain sorghum seed. Ninety per cent of the grain sorghum seed in Wheeler county has been treated. Two certified seed producers started in 1938. Twenty per cent of the seeded acreage in the county was planted to certified seed in 1931 and seventy per cent planted to this seed in 1942.

Wheeler county has had an Agricultural Council that has worked with Mr. Tarter during the entire time he has been county agent in the county. Through the close cooperation of the community leaders and the county agents, many successful achievements have been accomplished. The results of this good work is shown over the entire county.

The horse and mule shows in Wheeler county have been outstanding, and there are few counties in Texas that have better livestock. Mr. Tarter is one of the outstanding horse and mule judges. He has judged many horse and mule shows in Texas, as well as adjoining states.

Tarter has always put Wheeler county on the map with excellent exhibits from his county at the various district and state fairs. His agricultural exhibits have always been outstanding.

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### The Home Front

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allocations of meat for sale to civilians, probably won't be full felt until after the first of the year. Present plans call for card rationing of meat to replace the voluntary system now in effect, but the Office of Price Administration said no butter rationing program is in immediate prospect.

In connection with the gasoline rationing program, the OPA said that dealers will not be permitted to accept coupons from the new ration books unless each coupon has the required identification on the back. For most passenger car, truck and motorcycle operators, this identification will consist of the vehicle's license number and state of registration.

While new regulations were bringing restrictions, there were compensations for farmers who have been hard pressed to keep their labor in the face of draft demands and competition of industry.

Instructions were issued to local selective boards to defer farm workers between the ages of 18 and 45 who are necessary to and regularly engaged in agriculture. Local boards

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Also on the labor front, decentralization of the wage stabilization pro-

gram resulted in the opening of a regional War Labor Board office in Dallas for the states of Texas, Okla., and Louisiana during the week. Problems of wage adjustments under the new restrictions may be taken up with the Wage and Hour Division offices of the Department of Labor, which will pass them on to the Dallas WLB office if necessary.

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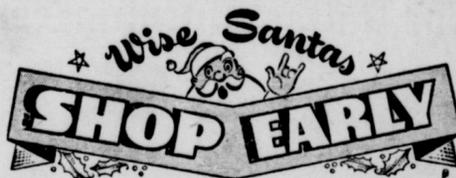
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