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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AUGUST 30, 1945

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Back From Europe



Familiar Sign To Be Erased At Burk Motors

Everybody in Burkburnett is familiar with a sign which was placed on the windows at Burkburnett Motors soon after the war with Japan started. In letters a foot high, "Open For The Duration," greeted passers-by on Avenue D and also on Main street. "Care For Your Car and Your Tires" was immediately under each of the large signs.

Early this week when inquiry was made about when the signs would be taken off the windows, this was the answer: "When those darn Japs sign on the dotted line, down she comes."

The Browning Brothers have given the motorists of Burkburnett and surrounding territory 25 years of uninterrupted service to automobiles, through good times and bad, and felt that the emergency created by the war warranted every effort to continue that service, in spite of the fact that many such concerns hung out "Closed For The Duration" signs.

Fire Department Busy Monday

Burk's Volunteer Fire Department was kept busy last Monday answering calls all over town.

In the morning a run was made out on Preston Street where an out building was on fire. The blaze was kept under control and confined to the one building.

Just after noon the boys were called to put out an oil fire just south of the City Light Plant building where a crude oil storage tank was on fire. The tank caught from a grass fire. Several barrels of oil went up in smoke and the steel tank was ruined. The stock pens fence near the tank was kept wet and saved.

Late in the afternoon the truck was called near the Gamblin Service Station to put out a fire in a Ford passenger car.

Lions Club

Lions Joe Majors and Harry Mayes had charge of the program Tuesday night. Joe presented Miss Alice Millikin, who sang a solo accompanied by Miss Janice Caffee. Next Henry Anderson, Assistant County Attorney, of Wichita Falls gave a talk dealing with the peace time conscription, which is a very serious problem. The program was enjoyed very much by the club. President Harrison called on first Vice-President Harry Dodson to escort the Club Sweetheart, Miss Janice Caffee to the front and past President D. F. Douglas presented her with a check as a farewell gift. Miss Caffee is going away to school and has the best wishes of the club. She has made a good Sweetheart for the past year and one half. Herbert Knauth of Kilgore was guest of Sloan Mills. Next Tuesday night is family night. The club members and their families will meet at the Light plant at 8 p. m. for a watermelon feed. The melons are being cooled at the Ice Service Co., through the courtesy of Lion Carl Maples. Let's make this a success. If unable to attend please report.

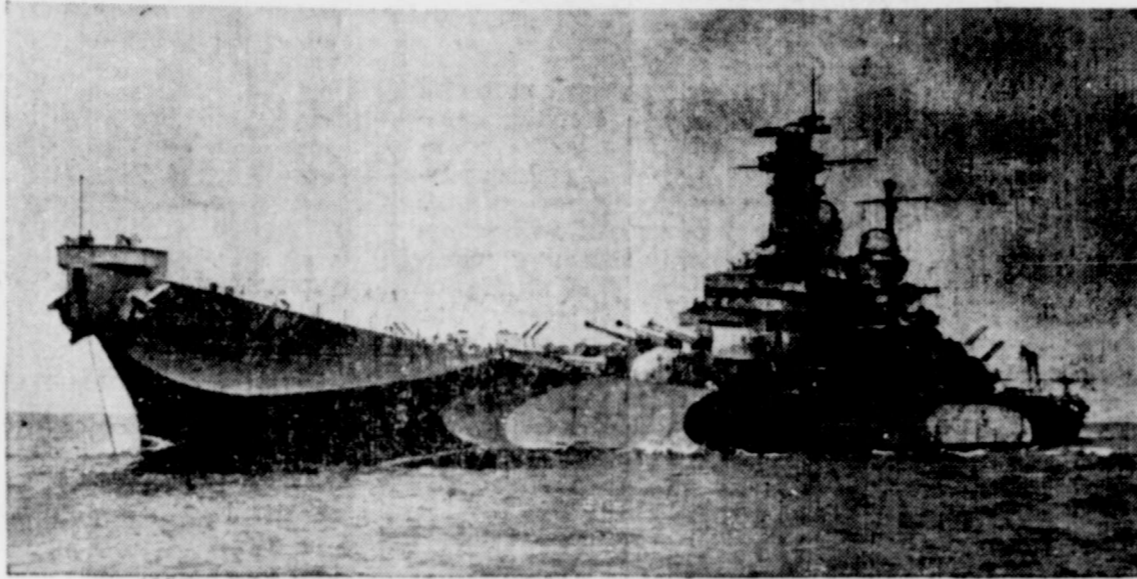
S/Sgt. and Mrs. W. P. Boydston are making their home in Burkburnett following his discharge. Sgt. Boydston served 10 months in the European Theatre of War.

Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Vernon Duke announce the arrival of an 8 lb. girl, Pamela Sue, born Monday, August 27.

The 45th Division is coming home from Europe. It is known as the "Thunderbird Division." Pfc. Ralph G. Baumhardt of Burkburnett is a member of this Division and will get a 30 days' furlough when he hits the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gregg of Britton, Oklahoma, were here Wednesday for a short visit with relatives. While here Mrs. Gregg had her tonsils removed at the Burkburnett Clinic.

U. S. S. MISSOURI TO BE SCENE OF JAP SURRENDER



The United States Navy's mighty 45,000-ton battleship, the U. S. S. Missouri, will end her World War II career in a blaze of glory, August 31, 1945, in Tokyo Bay, when she serves as the scene of the historic unconditional surrender of Japan to the United Nations. Proudly bearing the name of the home state of President Harry S. Truman, the fighting U. S. Missouri has been named by General of the Army, Douglas MacArthur, Supreme Allied Commander, as the locale

of the formal ending of the war in the Pacific. Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Commander-in-chief of the United States Pacific Fleet and Pacific Ocean areas, will sign for the United States, General of the Army MacArthur, for the Allied forces which fought in the Pacific. The U. S. S. Missouri was launched January 29, 1944. Construction was ordered June 12, 1940. Her keel was laid on January 6, 1941, at the New York Navy Yard.

New Plumbing Concern Here

Richard Knowles, formerly of Dumas and Amarillo, has established a plumbing and heating repair business in Burkburnett, located next door to Opal's Dress Shop on Main street.

Mr. Knowles is a young fellow, but he has had several years' experience in his line of work and is enthusiastic about his stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles and two children are living at 606 Avenue F.

You'll Be Proud To Serve In The Texas State Guard

True to the great military traditions of the Lone Star State—the Texas State Guard is an essential military force organized to:

Guard and protect vital industries when needed. Prevent the activities of enemy agents. Maintain the laws and suppress disorders.

Serve in case of domestic emergencies including civil disturbances—distress from floods, storms, fires and other causes. Cooperate with Federal Military Authorities especially in the evacuation of civilians from critical areas.

Observe, report and be ready to preserve the security of the State at all times.

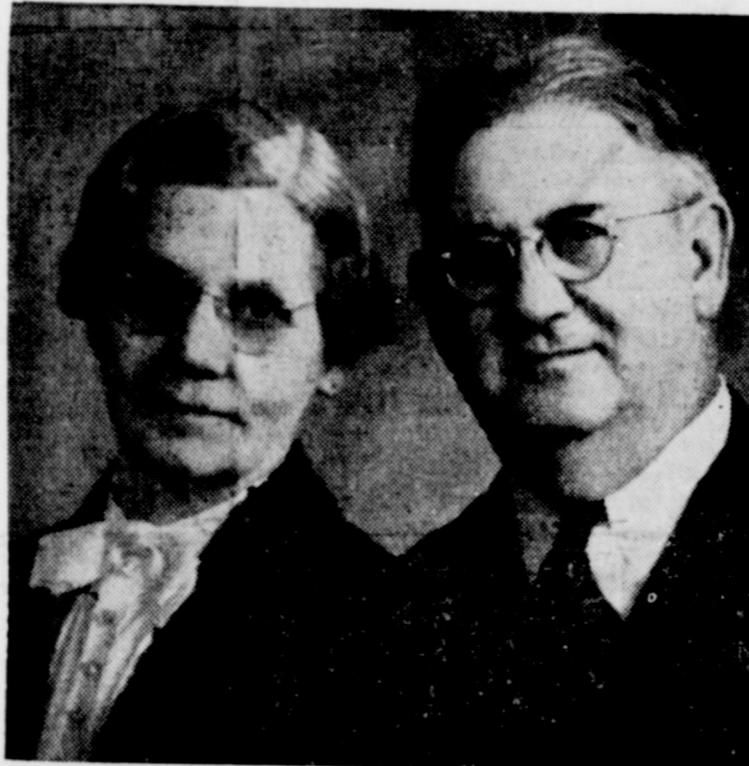
A Mission Of No Little Importance

The Texas State Guard, fifteen thousand strong, has served its state and nation well. Thousands of Texans winning glory for themselves at the fighting front received their basic military training in the Texas State Guard Today, Texas is proud of its State Guard—trained under the supervision of the War Department, superbly equipped, ready and on the job.

Today, the Texas State Guard needs alert, patriotic men to serve as soldiers of the State of Texas, trained, ready for any emergency—capable, experienced guardsmen to carry out the mission assigned whenever it may come.

John B. Matthews and daughter, Mrs. Ollie Faye Kenyon of Midland were here last weekend to visit friends. They also visited in Wichita Falls while up here. Mr. Matthews, a former Burkburnett resident, is now with the Railroad Commission at Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Forqueran, Mrs. L. B. Horr, and Mrs. W. M. Ferguson attended the funeral services at Van Alstyne, Texas, for E. G. Gregory, father of the former pastor of the Thrift Baptist Church, Rev. E. G. Gregory, Jr.



MARRIED FIFTY YEARS—Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. King of Burkburnett celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a golden wedding tea Sunday, August 19. Mr. and Mrs. King were married in Hillsboro, Texas, August 21, 1895.

The golden wedding tea was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. King, 514 East Fourth Street. Miss Marian Benton was in charge of the guest book. Mrs. R. A. Lincoln of Burkburnett played the piano during the afternoon, and accompanied Miss Jo Anita Cloud of Chickasha as she sang "Always" and "When Your Hair Has Turned to Silver."

Miss Carole Benton, youngest granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. King, took the guests to the tea table where refreshments were served by Mesdames R. C. Tevis, I. D. Russell, J. H. Cecil, J. C. Grubbs, all of Burkburnett; and Mesdames R. O. Elliott of Chickasha, Okla., Gerald Gowdy of Oklahoma City, Okla., and L. C. Fisher of Woodward, Okla.

Mr. King was Miss Minnie E. Bell before her marriage. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bell, Texas pioneer residents. Her father was the first white child born in Hill County, Texas. Mrs. Bell now resides in Dallas.

Mr. King was born in McKenzie, Tenn., but moved to Texas at an early age. He began working for the Cottonbelt Railroad on June 22, 1892. However, he soon was employed by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, and is now railway agent for that line at Burkburnett.

Mr. and Mrs. King have four daughters: Mrs. V. C. Arnsperger, New York City; Mrs. Douglas C. Benton, Nocona, Texas; Mrs. W. T. Cloud, Jr., Chickasha, Okla.; and Miss Sam Anita King, Dallas, Texas. Eight grandchildren: Lt. Commander and Mrs. John Paul Aymond, Lt. V. Clyde Arnsperger Jr., Samuel David Arnsperger, A-C Douglas C. Benton Jr., Marian Benton, Carole Fay Benton, and Jo Anita Cloud; and two great grandsons: V. C. Arnsperger III and John P. Aymond Jr.

CBI Hospitals

Nearly 100 American Red Cross hospital workers now are stationed in 31 hospitals in the China-Burma India theatre. They also serve patients in 73 dispensaries and at convalescent camps.

Miles of Meals

Red Cross service clubs overseas now serve an average of more than 1,640,000 complete meals, 9,000,000 snack lunches, and provide 680,000 lodgings monthly to U. S. troops. Red Cross clubmobiles alone distribute a monthly average of more than 2,800,000 cups of coffee and 8,000,000 doughnuts in forward and isolated areas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Bryant and daughter Betty of Fort Worth were overnight visitors this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bryant.

Marginell Chambers and Jane Duvall are enjoying a nice vacation visit in Denver, Colorado, with Lieut. and Mrs. Don Crowe.

W. D. Wilkins Rites Read Thurs. (Today)

Funeral services for W. D. Wilkins, 73, who died of a heart attack late Tuesday afternoon, were held Thursday (today) at 3 p. m. from the Assembly of God Church of this city. Rev. M. B. Babbitt, assisted by Rev. S. W. Williams, officiated. Interment was in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Survivors include the widow, one son, Lawrence Wilkins, somewhere in the South Pacific with the U. S. Army; and seven daughters, Mrs. Ora Stewart, Cordell, Okla.; Mrs. Lola Stewart, Roosevelt, Okla.; Mrs. Belle Malone, Burkburnett; Mrs. Bertha Swofford, Bristow, Texas; Mrs. Elva Gamble, Pyote, Texas; Mrs. Dorothy Sanders, Walters, Oklahoma; and Mrs. Audie Maulding, Barstow, Texas; thirteen grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Reverends H. M. Savage, Otto C. Perry, Jewell Elliott, Ray Morrow, W. D. Mullins and B. O. Willis.

Office Supplies—Star Office

Play-off For Soft Ball Starts Next Mon. Night

This week ends the last half of play in the soft ball league. Attendance at the games has been good throughout the season, with extra large crowds as the season draws to an end, and competition between the participating teams became very keen.

The play-off games start next Monday night, September 3 and will include the two top teams of each half of the season. The team sponsored by the First National Bank was winner of the first half.

Corner Drug Store is winner of the last half, with Randlett runner-up.

Players and spectators alike have enjoyed the contests during the summer weeks.

Boy Scouts to Hold Aquatic Meet

The Northwest Texas Council Boy Scouts of America will hold the annual Aquatic School and Aquatic Meet at Perkins Reservation on September 4-5-6-7.

The instruction will include beginners swimming, swimming merit badge, life saving merit badge and rowing merit badge. Also, all Scouts will be given the opportunity to qualify for Scout Life Guard, the highest achievement in Scout Aquatics, and nationally recognized award.

In connection with the school, a water show will be given by the Scouts on Thursday evening beginning promptly at 7 o'clock.

The Aquatic meet will be held on Friday, Sept. 7. The winning troop will receive the Hub Trophy.

Hughes-Galloupe Marriage August 6

Buster Hughes AMM 3/c of Burkburnett and Miss Lois Barbara Galloupe of Dedham, Mass., were united in marriage August 6 at Elkton, Mass.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hughes of this city. He is stationed at Westley, R. I.

Funeral Services Held Wed. For Leonard Goins

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Owens & Brumley Chapel for Leonard Goins, 68, who died in a Wichita Falls Hospital Tuesday morning at 7:30. Capt. (Chaplain) Fruzia of Sheppard Field officiated. Interment was in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Survivors include one brother, Sherman Goins of Kilgore, Texas.

Pallbearers were Dink Lawson, T. K. Garland, J. R. Mooney, Weber Shaeffer, Clayton Ponder, and Ace Aulds.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Faulks and son Lewis came up from Abilene Thursday for a visit with relatives and friends. They were accompanied by Gordon Lewis Clements who came for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clements.

Delinquent School Taxes Placed With Attorney

Notice is being given this week that all delinquent school taxes are being turned over to an attorney for collection.

Extra expense and inconvenience may be saved by paying delinquent school taxes now at the tax office in the High School building.

The delinquent tax roll has been greatly reduced in the past year, but there are still several accounts on the list which must be collected if the school is to be operated without the handicap of insufficient funds.

Senator Moffett Spoke To Legion

Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe was here last Tuesday night to speak to members of the American Legion.

Senator Moffett stressed the importance of every ex-service man becoming a member of the Legion.

Mrs. Brookshier At Raylette

Mrs. Neal, owner of the Raylette Beauty Shop, announces she has secured the services of Mrs. Ralph Brookshier for Friday and Saturday of each week for many years Mrs. Brookshier operated her own shop in Burkburnett.

Skeet Hickman is the other operator at the Raylette Beauty shop and may be found there each week day.

District School For Guardsmen At Wichita Falls

Company C of the Texas State Guard assembled with the rest of the 25th Battalion Sunday, August 26th for Record Practice—Course C—Range 200 Yds. to fire U. S. Rifle Cal 30 M1917. Guardsmen were firing for record which entitles him to wear the same medal as is worn by the U. S. soldiers. Sheppard Field Firing Range was used. To be expert Riflemen the score must be at least 172; Sharpshooter 160; and Marksman 130. Company C had two men, F. E. Cruce and Jesse W. Blackwell who scored more than 130, therefore they will receive the Marksman medal.

All Guardsmen of Company C are urged to attend the District School for this area conducted by the Eighth Service Command of the U. S. Army at the Wichita Falls Auditorium Thursday night, Friday Night and Saturday night from eight to ten o'clock, and Sunday morning to 9:30 A. M. Many good pictures will be shown and very important information will be given in lectures at these meetings. All Guardsmen will bivouac on the Auditorium grounds Saturday night, September 1st. Do not miss this mobilization Training School, Guardsmen!

Shipping Tags—Star Office

SOFT BALL LEAGUE STANDING FOR SECOND HALF OF SEASON

	W	L	Pct
Corner Drug	6	2	750
Randlett	4	3	571
Bank	5	4	555
Magnolia	4	5	445
Burk Motors	3	4	429
Devol	2	6	250

Play-Offs Start Next Monday Night. Between Two Top Teams of Each Half.

Application For National Bank

Persons who live in Cottonwood, Okla., and Wichita, Texas, who wish to make application for Government insurance on wheat and cotton may get the application blanks at the National Bank in Burkburnett.

Insurance at the bank will be explained in the insurance booklet in making out the application.

Ocie L. Reed has received discharge from the service and is now home. He was overseas 42 months in the European Theatre of Operations.

REMINDER

STAMPS—Stamps Q2 through U2 expire August 31. Stamps V2 through Z2 expire September 30. Stamps A1 through E1 expire October 31. Stamps F1 through K1 expire November 30.

STAMPS—The stamp becomes valid after 1.

Stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3, book three continue valid daily.

APPRECIATION DAY

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SCHOOL DAYS AGAIN

Starts the line again of youth back to its class rooms, boys and girls beginning another term of learning. This privilege is one of the principles for which American boys have laid down their lives on foreign fields, the continuance of education in a free country. Parents of soldiers have tears in their eyes as they see the youthful parade and wish that their boy was off to school with books underarm. Youth affects us oldsters such, anyway. Many of

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

NOTIONS AND ARTICLES OF VARIETY

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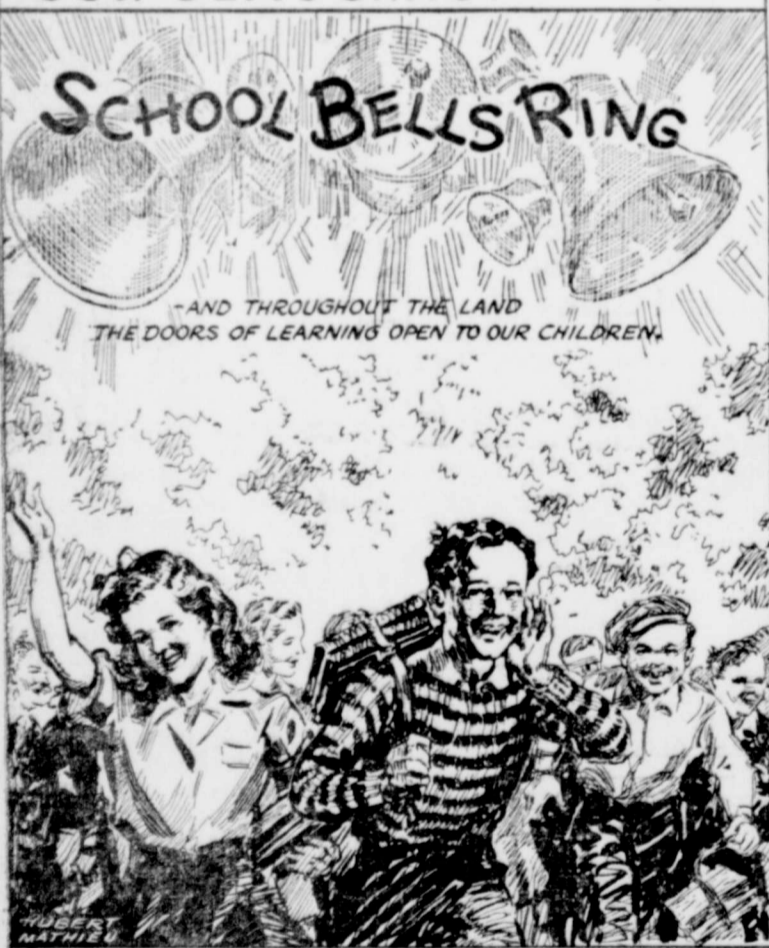
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OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat



WE CAN BEST EQUIP THEM FOR THE TASKS THAT LIE AHEAD THROUGH EDUCATION—EDUCATION MADE POSSIBLE BY OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM—BY ENDOWMENTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS—BY THE INDIVIDUAL THRIFT AND FORESIGHT OF PARENTS WHO, THROUGH SAVINGS AND EDUCATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES, MAKE CERTAIN THEIR CHILDREN WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGHER EDUCATION AND THUS BE BETTER PREPARED FOR THE RESPONSIBILITIES THAT SOME DAY MUST BE THEIRS.

Municipal Light & Water Works

P. A. WIGGINS, City Manager

D. C. McNeill
Water Supt.

E. Y. Buckner
Light Supt.

these lads who picked up guns as they put away their college pen and pencil sets, will be joining the campus crowd this September, thank heavens. The lives of youth are being shaped all over the land, in rural districts and metropolitan areas, formed to believe or disbelieve certain truths and falsehoods. The task of teaching is vast and important and not without error and prejudice. But the responsibility of instruction lies not only with the instructor in the schoolhouse, but in the child's home, with his parents. We are all answerable in the making of our nation's future citizens. Let us make our job a successful one, a monument to all these unborn who are to come, and to profit from our teachings.

REACHING BEYOND

College campuses begin to return to normal, men and women continuing education in well-rounded college programs, especially considered to induce discharged war veterans to take advantage of their GI Bill of Right's opportunity for education at government expense. Changes have been made in some universities to take care of an increased demand for foreign subjects. Not only stressing courses for peace-time occupations, the colleges find studies of other countries and languages of student interest. Our growing responsibility in participating in settlement of foreign affairs, makes a demand for history, government, customs and languages of the nations, felt in the classroom. It is a good sign, according to our standards, for promoting understanding between friendly peoples, and we want to take all steps forward to insure a peaceful cooperation with brother nations.

Burkburnett History

As revealed by the files of the Star 17 years ago.

Miss Lucile Clendennin, daughter of Mrs. Clendennin and the late M. Clendennin, former editor and owner of the Burkburnett Star, was awarded the first prize for the best concluding chapter of the serial story running recently in the Record-News of Wichita Falls, and offered for publication.

Miss Clendennin resides at 204 Avenue D, in this city. The first prize was a check for \$15, mailed out Thursday from the News office.

At 2:30 Monday afternoon fire broke out in the operating booth of the Liberty Theatre an destroyed two first-class machines, fourteen rolls and did much damage to roof on the building. An asbestos screen saved the main

building from spreading flames. The fire is reported to have been caused by the heat from the operating light on the films being run for the afternoon show. Only a few spectators were gathered at this early hour and they, with the operator got out of the burning building without any harm.

Mrs. E. L. Blum is spending a while in Wichita Falls with her mother and other relatives.

J. E. Truelove has returned from New Mexico to his home near the Dodson farm southwest of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cannon and family are enjoying their vacation season at Sulphur, Okla. Mr. Cannon is prescriptionist at the Key Drug Store.

October Last Drive On Behalf Victory National War Fund

The October Victory campaign will be the last drive on behalf of the National War Fund, Judge Ben H. Powell, president of the United War Chest of Texas, announced today.

Following completion of the 1945 campaign, which will raise funds to keep USO and other war fund agencies going until America's fighting men have been returned home, both the United War Chest of Texas and the Nat-

Burk Loege 1027 A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Mondays at 8:00 at the Masonic Hall.

G. T. ENGLAND, W. M.
B. L. Turner, Secretary

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Next Waste Paper Pick-Up

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Pen Staff	5c
Pen Points	1c

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What goes into the medicine is important, and so, too, is what stands behind it to guarantee quality, purity, and accuracy. Behind every prescription we fill, stand the combined experience of our pharmacists totaling years, and the good reputation of the leading pharmaceutical houses known to the medical profession for the quality and dependability of their prescription drugs.

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| Rulers | 5c - 10c |
| School Scissors | 10c |
| Compass | 15c |
| Crayola | 5, 10, 15c |
| Erasers | 5, 10, 15c |
| Mucilage | 10c & 15c |
| NOTE BOOK BINDERS | 25c to \$4.98 |
| FOUNTAIN PENS | \$1.08 to \$1.50 |
| Masterpiece Note Book Paper | 5c - 10c |
| Note Book | 5c |
| Steno. Note Book | 10c |
| Journal Paper | 10c |
| Large Webster Dictionary | \$1.49 to \$2.19 |
| WORLD GLOBE | \$1.69 - \$3.98 |
| Small Webster Dictionary | —60c— |
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ional War Fund will liquidate, Judge Powell said. The state war chest leader called on all Texans to make the October Victory drive the greatest of all.

Through our generosity in this final campaign, we can show our fighting men and our allies our full appreciation for their sacrifices, Judge Powell declared. Funds raised this year will maintain USO-Camp Show operations for our men still abroad and for occupation troops, and provide vitally necessary aid for suffering war victims in liberated areas.

It should be our greatest effort, for only by generous response to the appeal of humanity can we prove to the world that Americans can be as generous in victory as we were determined in war.

Millions of our men still are overseas, and large numbers will be left on occupation duty in Europe and Japan. We cannot abandon our service men now, just because victory has been won. We must help them fight the battle of boredom, and prove to them that our appreciation of their great sacrifices is more than a mere phrase.

And we must extend a helping

hand to our allies in the Philippines, in China and in other liberated countries, in order that they may once again take their rightful place among friendly nations.

We can't let them down now, just because the fighting is over. Judge Powell urged Texans in every part of the state to an all-out effort on behalf of the coming campaign, through which the nation must raise \$115,000,000 for our own and our allies.

Texas which went over the top in two previous war fund drives has been given a quota of approximately \$4,500,000. This means that every community and county will be asked to give this year approximately the same amount as contributed during the 1944 campaign.

The National War Fund drive will open October 1, with local community and county war chests canvassing every residential area in Texas.

Trinity Lutheran Church

10:30 A. M. Sunday School all classes. H. B. Klinker superintendent.
8:30 P. M. Services. Subject: "Walk in the Spirit"

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Veterans SERVICE BUREAU

EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper, through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman and his family. Questions may be addressed to the above Bureau and they will be answered in a subsequent column. No replies can be made direct by mail, but only in the column which will appear in this newspaper regularly.

Surplus Property for Vets

The Surplus Property board has made arrangements through the Smaller War Plants corporation to sell surplus war property to honorably discharged veterans who have entered business or farming in amounts up to \$2,500 on A-1 priorities without buying through regular dealer channels.

Surplus items for any commercial, industrial, manufacturing, financial, service medical, dental or legal, or agricultural enterprise with invested capital not exceeding \$50,000, owned as sole proprietor by a veteran, or when non-veterans have not more than a half-interest, are eligible for purchase with the SWPC acting as buying agent or clearing house on all purchases.

All sales to the veterans will be made to SWPC under OPA regulations and in no instance will the price be greater than original cost to the government, less allowance for depreciation, obsolescence, etc.

Questions and Answers

Q.—When a man has suffered wounds in action how is disability rating for pension purposes determined by the Veterans Administration?

A.—The Veterans Administration says that in the payment of service-connected disability pensions the percentage of impairment is determined on available records by a rating board. The percentage of disability is based upon the average degree of impairment in earning capacity, so that there may be no penalty on any individual for ability to overcome the handicap of disability.

Q.—What are the purchase price limitations in the extension of an agricultural loan guaranty under the G. I. Bill of Rights?

A.—The purchase price must not exceed the "reasonable normal value" of the property as determined by proper appraisal. The purchase price must be within the veteran's ability to pay and succeed in his operations. The local certifying committee will have to certify to the Veterans Administration on its opinion as to whether or not the proposed purchase price of the property exceeds the reasonable normal value of the property.

Q.—Can the mother of an only son request that he be kept in the U. S. and not be sent overseas?

A.—The war department says that a soldier who is an only son is subject to overseas duty if he is qualified. The fact that he is an only son will have no bearing upon his assignment.

Q.—What is a death gratuity for a veteran?

A.—A death gratuity is a lump-sum gift from the government made to next of kin when a member of the armed forces dies. The amount is equal to six months of the deceased person's pay.

Q.—What is the maximum interest rate which may be charged on a guaranteed G. I. Bill of Rights loan?

A.—Four per cent per annum, with the government paying the interest on the guaranteed part of the loan for the first year

Kathleen Norris Says: Time: The Inevitable Cure

By KATHLEEN NORRIS



When your soldier boy comes home, remember that time is the cure for the problems that will come with him.

WHEN your soldier boy comes home, remember that time is the cure for the problems that will come with him.

Whatever the situation is, time will alleviate its hardest features; time will bring new interests, new turns of the wheel that will make living tolerable to him.

Be infinitely patient; not too cheerful, not too sympathetic. Keep about him as pleasant an atmosphere as you can, and wait for time.

Perhaps he may have to adjust himself to the loss of a hand, or a leg. Perhaps his sight is gone. Perhaps some facial injury will cause him pain and difficulty for the rest of his days.

Or perhaps — and this is the most dreadful of all — his mind will be slightly disordered. Not enough to make him an institution case, but enough to distress those who love him, depress him almost to despair, and make readjustment slow and hard.

Meet all this with serenity and faith. Time works miracles. Torn ligaments heal; lost limbs are misgotten much less than anyone afflicted by that loss can believe. And love and courage and time — time — build up ruins and tie the scattered threads of life into new patterns.

After the Parties. So when your soldier boy comes home, meet him with the usual royal welcome. Fried chicken and layer cakes, joyous telephoning and visiting, presents, entertainments, unlimited family affection and interest.

But when this flurry is over, the strain comes, and that is the moment when you have to have your strength and philosophy ready. Here is the story of an American mother who has had that crisis to face.

"My twin sons, Rafael and Raoul, went into the service in the army two years ago," writes Mrs. Frank Espinosa of Tucson, Ariz. For a while they were together, then Raoul was sent to the Marianas, from which he returned six months ago, having lost both legs. Rolly is still in this country.

"The mass horrors of war are beyond all comprehension, but surely there is no sadder case than that of a magnificent 22-year-old who comes home hopelessly crippled. His father aged 20 years overnight, and for all my prayers, all my determination, I could hardly bear the shock of meeting him.

"In his wheel chair, he held a sort of travesty of homecoming reception; then we had to face the grim fact — put away forever the old fishing-rod, the football clothes. The pity of friends and family cut him terribly, yet he had to see people. We are not rich, my husband's salary is adequate, but no more. Our home is a six room cottage, in a plain block of similar cottages. The boys used to go away camping in hot weather, and for several seasons, my husband took a job in a mountain hotel, and I went there with him, and helped in the dining room. But we could afford no luxuries for our stricken boy. We could not take him away from the eyes of neighbors and friends.

"For months he sat and brooded.

THE ROAD BACK

Families of war veterans will have to put up with a period of reorientation, while the young man struggles to readjust himself to the old ways of life. Whether this trying time is long or short depends a good deal on the man's character, and on the experiences he has endured. A soldier who faced death for many months will have a harder course than one who served as a clerk, far from danger.

Then too, the problem is frequently complicated by wounds, loss of limbs or senses, or by mental disturbances. The sense of helplessness is especially oppressive to a sensitive young man who has always been strong and active. Mothers, sisters, sweethearts, in fact everyone associated with these unfortunate fellows will have to make a constant effort to help them back to a cheerful viewpoint.

How one soldier regained his happy outlook is recounted by Miss Norris in today's article. He is only 22, but he has to face the future without legs. Yet in time he found new interests — woodcarving, helping with the family cooking, caring for a few chickens and a dog. Simple, homely things, but they are often the best cure for the aftermath of war.

He would try to brighten — my poor boy! — he could not do it. Raoul came home, and was happily married last June. Maria, my daughter-in-law, generously agreed to a quiet wedding in our parlor, so that Rolly could be present, but Rolly would not be best man. It was all sadness, darkness, hopelessness for the three of us at home.

Carved Wooden Dolls. "Then — I hardly know how, things changed. For one thing, we bought him a dozen chickens, and it is extraordinary how they amuse and interest him. For another, I let him help me with cooking and got him a little cook book. Now he asks me to get tarazon vinegar or maraschino cherries for various dishes, and putters away with chopping bowls and egg-beaters while I am getting meals.

"Best of all, he carved me a little Scotty out of soap one day, and it was so good that I have kept it, under a glass bowl, and have encouraged him to carve other things. Now he is carving the most remarkable jointed dolls of white wood; they are so fine in their natural little childish faces and forms that he has not only found an immediate market for the few he has done, but may really hope for a fine livelihood from them. This still seems to my husband and me too good to be true, but it is surely coming.

"Lastly, two weeks ago, to celebrate the first little success of the dolls, we brought him a baby Scotty, a little mass of bouncing black wool, and a few hours later, when Brig was asleep in Rolly's arm, I saw a look on Rolly's face that I thought never would be there again.

"In gratitude to God," this letter ends, "my husband and Rolly and I send you his story, to encourage other mothers to be patient, and to believe that things will be better in time."

Keeping Knives Sharp Most kitchen knives get dull because they are improperly stored, used for the wrong job, and never properly sharpened. To sharpen paring knives put a sharpening stone on a flat surface, pour on a few drops of light or medium household oil, and holding the knife in your right hand, with your left forefinger bearing down slightly on the knife tip, "shave" the stone first toward you, then away from you. The knife is horizontal to the stone throughout the sharpening process.

Improved Uniform SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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

Lesson for September 2

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JOSEPH'S PLACE IN GOD'S PLAN

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 39:20-23; 41:14-16, 25, 41-43. GOLDEN TEXT—See thou a man diligent in his business? he shall stand before kings.—Proverbs 22:29.

Does it pay to trust God? Does He know about the sorrows and the troubles of His people? Does He have anything to do with the affairs of the world? Men are asking such questions in our day, and we have the answer in God's dealings with men in the past.

The story of Joseph is fascinating from almost any angle, but it holds no more important truth than that the man who honors God in his life will be honored by God (I Sam. 2:30), even in the hardest place, yes, and in the highest position.

Joseph appears before us in our lesson as

I. A Prisoner Prospered by God (39:20-23). It is surprising how often one finds God's men in the Scriptures in prison. Their determination to live upright and honorable lives ran so counter to the plans of the world that in the inevitable clash there came persecution.

The story of how Joseph became the object of his brother's jealousy and was sold as a slave into Egypt; how he prospered there only to be disgraced and imprisoned because of the lying accusation of an angry woman—all these are in the background of our lesson.

Now that he was in prison, presumably his influence was gone and his usefulness at an end. Not so, for God can be with a man in the prison as well as in the palace.

He soon became the head man of the jail. Imagine a prisoner taking over the keeper's work! Then, too, he there met the king's chief butler who, though forgetting for a time, did eventually say the word which brought Joseph back into power (see Gen. 40:14-23; 41:9-13).

The obvious lesson and blessed truth here is that when one of God's people finds himself in a difficult place, he can rest assured that God is there working out His own blessed purpose. Why not trust Him and look for His deliverance?

Joseph the God-prospered prisoner now becomes

II. A Prophet Prepared by God (41:14-16, 25). The hour had come when a man was needed who had a word from God. In preparation for the awful years of famine the Lord wanted to use the land of Egypt as His great granary. He wanted thus to preserve the chosen nation of Israel, as well as to meet the needs of others.

The vision of the king, plain as it seemed when interpreted, was unintelligible without the key from God, and He had his man prepared. Joseph was ready to be called from prison to speak the right word at the right time.

How important it is that the Lord's messengers be prepared and ready to respond in the hour of His blessing and opportunity! Many eager Christians look forward to the months and years just ahead of us as the greatest opportunity the Church has had to spread the gospel.

Notice that Joseph gave God the glory (vv. 16-26). The one who really knows what is going on in the world is quick to recognize that only the wisdom and the grace of God are sufficient for man's need. Let the voice of boasting mankind be silenced and let the voice of God speak!

Joseph's prophetic word marked him as God's man to carry out God's plan, so we see him now as

III. A Premier Promoted by God (41:41-43). "I have set thee over all the land," said Pharaoh, and so he had, but in reality it was God who had planned the whole matter. He wanted Joseph there at this time, and there he was.

It may be well to stress the fact that God is interested in government and in the men who hold public office. In fact, the only true foundation for government is found in God. We are told to "be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God" (Rom. 13:1).

The Bible clearly teaches that every governmental agency and every public servant, from the policeman on the corner to the President in the White House, is permitted to exercise authority over his fellow-men only because God has ordained that there should be such government.

Clear it is that every right-thinking official of state and nation should be humble, teachable, discreet, and wise in the exercise of his power, and God-fearing in the discharge of his responsibility.

He who reads may apply the truth of God's Word to himself and find personal blessing. It is a rich and powerful and stimulating Word. Let us use it for God's glory!

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Clubs - Churches

B. W. C. Met August 21st With Wilma Douglas

Mrs. Wilma Douglas was hostess to the B. W. C. Tuesday, August 21st.

Meeting was opened with the song "Jesus Calls Us." Prayer by Mrs. Jo Brookman. The lesson from the book of Ruth, was given by Mrs. Billie Thaxton. Artie Whitesides dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Lovely refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. Clara Johnson and seven members, Mesdames Artie Whitesides, Edna White, Jo Brookman, Pauline Evans, Billie Thaxton, Wilma Douglas and Miss Bessie McKnight.

Mrs. L. D. Holman and Larry Dale attended a family reunion in Post oak, Texas, Sunday. Her mother and brother, Mrs. Clara Roland and Sonny, returned home with them for several days visit.

Mrs. Charles Boyd and Sonny returned home last Friday from Collins, Mississippi, where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Mayfield.

Miss Elnita Morris is leaving Sunday for Fort Worth where she will enter school. She has been visiting her brother, A. E. Morris, of this city for the past few weeks.

Sports Dress Aids War Bond Sales



Candy stripes of clear red on white repeat the style lines of this cool sports dress. Many sun-loving dresses may be found in the pattern catalogs at local stores. Economy-wise home sewers save for War Bonds by sewing.

U. S. Treasury Department

Albert York SF 2/c, who is somewhere in the South Pacific, sends his mother the following meditation:

Onward and upward I press on, Looking to Jesus till the goal is won,

Through paths of service, in my heart a song, Onward and upward I press on.

W. L. Williams of Randlett, Oklahoma returned Saturday from Salinas, Calif., where he visited friends and relatives.

The Rebekahs will meet Monday evening, September 3 at 8 o'clock for regular meeting and initiation.

Mrs. Gloria Minick spent last week in Seymour visiting her cousin, Miss Dorothy Minick.

W. A. Minick and Fred Minick left Wednesday for Tullia, Texas, where they will attend the funeral services for their brother-in-law, D. E. Caraway.

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Welborn-Whigham Marriage Announced

Miss Wilma Whigham and Lt. George Welborn were united in marriage Wednesday, August 22 at the Oak Cliff Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas, with Rev. Luper, pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. A. C. Whigham of Thrift, Texas, and at the time of her marriage she was employed as head teacher of the Nursery school in Orange, Texas. She is a 1939 graduate of the Fairview High School and graduated from the North Texas State Teachers College in 1943.

The groom is a graduate of Rock Springs High School and attended a business college in Lubbock. He is now serving in the Army Air Corps, stationed at an Army Air Field in Victoria, Kansas.

The bride will join her husband at Victoria, Kansas, in the near future.

Calvary Baptist Church (Fundamentalist)

Sunday School at ten A. M. with all classes studying Leviticus, chapter five—"The Tresspass Offering." This is the fifth offering we have studied in this book, and as the others, it pictures Christ in a certain phase of the Sacrifice offered in behalf of sinful man. Don't be ignorant in these types and symbols, come and study with us, and gain a fuller knowledge of your Bible.

The Old and New Testaments are not two separate and opposing documents, but are in perfect harmony as they deal with the same eternal truth. God has not changed His mind, nor is He against Himself.

Preaching at eleven A. M. by pastor, Sermon, The Difference Between Salvation and Rewards. (So few seem to know.)

Night services begin at 8:30 in auditorium with an old-time song service—special choir and duet numbers.

Evening message by pastor, "The New Order According to God's Word Shall be its Social, Economic, Political and Religious Set Up?" Get acquainted with God's plan of things, so you can look with intelligence and understanding to the future. The enlightened christian can play a big part in coming world events.

Don't forget the coming tent-revival which begins September 16th.

Street services Saturday night at 8:30. Special music by Leroy and Ernie with their guitars.

Welcome, neighbor, to any and all services at Calvary Baptist. You are never a stranger with us.

Ray C. Morrow, Pastor.

Mrs. Tom Boyd and daughters were visitors in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dickey received word recently that their son, Sgt. Samuel Dickey, is in Germany awaiting transportation home.

Calendar

The Rotary Club meets each Tuesday at Town Hall, 12:15.

The Lions Club meets each Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Town Hall.

American Legion meets each Tuesday night at 8:00 at the Legion Hall.

NOTICE—The County Service Officer, Frank D. Gray will be in Burk on each 2nd Tuesday of each month at the U. S. O. Hall. See H. D. Mabry other days.

Fellowship class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 at the Methodist Church, upper room.

LOOKING AHEAD
by GEORGE S. BENSON
President—Harding College
Stark, Arkansas

Employment First

People who work in the fields, in mills, mines and shops, on railroads and in industry generally, are to be congratulated upon President Truman's choice of Fred M. Vinson, the new Secretary of the Treasury of the United States. His undertaking is enormous, delicate and vital. But it is my belief that nobody else in government is quite as well qualified to handle the job as Vinson.

The new cabinet member knows taxes. Things he has said already prove that he is keenly aware of two things that are currently the most important facts about taxes. (1) High taxes are necessary, now and for some time to come. (2) Wrongly devised taxes in the United States can wreck the financial structure of the entire world in a few months. Dark Ages might visit the earth again.

A Dependable Thing
The "yankee dollar" is one of few known quantities left in the financial world. While this condition lasts, there is a way for weak and depleted countries to gain industrial and then financial strength. The dollar will remain good so long as Uncle Sam keeps meeting his obligations promptly, fulfilling promises and paying the interest on his stupendous national debt.

Our debt is so big and America's moral obligations are so exacting that taxes must be high after the war, much higher than they have ever been in peaceful years before. Government has no way to get money except by taxing its citizens. Consequently the citizens have to be prosperous. There must be full employment, plenty of jobs at good wages—otherwise not enough taxes.

Holding our Ground
The world is relying on the solvency of America, on the soundness of the dollar, and it all depends on jobs. Mr. Vinson said: "Taxes should be levied in such a way that they have the least harmful effect on the expansion of business investment and the creation of jobs because productive employment is the source of . . . revenue which the government collects from taxes."

The Secretary's eye was not on taxes alone. In a recently published report he made it clear that productive employment is the foundation of America's living standard (highest in the world), the source of all income and the basis of prosperity for business and agriculture. We may be assured that Vinson will always do his best to prevent ruination of jobs by taxing business to a standstill.

A Rational Economy
Here is a powerful and rational sentence from Vinson's pen: "The sooner uncertainties in the post-war tax structure are removed, the sooner business management will be inclined to make firm commitments for expansion and the faster men can be put back to work following the wholesale cancellation of contracts that will occur with the unconditional surrender of Japan."

Persons who would like to see America in chaos, people who would like to see a dictator climb to power over America's wasted estates, may call the new Treasury head a friend of big business. He apparently is, to whatever extent such a friendship means jobs for workers, prosperity on the farm, customers in the store and food on the table for America's plain people.

"Sweet" Outfit Helps Buy Bonds



"Sweet as sugar candy" aptly describes a frosty white eyelet-trimmed blouse, worn with purple and pink flower-splashed peplum skirt. Make it with a pattern available at local stores. Watch the War Bonds grow when you add your savings from sewing.

U. S. Treasury Department

Pfc. Richard Dickey of the Combat Engrs. is in a hospital in Southern France. He is slowly recovering after undergoing an operation for Appendectomy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dickey of this city.

RDM 3-C Truman Garland called his wife from Hawaii this week, but was not permitted to tell any of his future plans. Truman has been in the Pacific for the past few months, at Okinawa, Philippines and numerous other places.

Strawberry Plants

I plan to rearrange my strawberry bed about the 15th of September and will have several plants for sale. If you wish to get some of these plants, get them now. If planted in September, a fair crop may be expected next spring.

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Pfc. Clyde H. Boman and wife, J. T. Boman, Jr., AM 3/c and wife and Mrs. J. W. Deaton and family of Phillips, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Rushing of Borgert, Texas, Mrs. Tina Howard and family from Kermit, Texas, Mrs. N. A. Maynard and son Jimmie of Denver City, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boman this week. Pfc. Clyde Boman has just returned from England where he served 22 months with the 8th Air Force J. T. Boman, Jr., is stationed in Norman, Okla., where he is taking a 14 weeks Metal Smith course.

Sgt. Albert R. Coles is on duty for Fort Bragg, N. C. a short visit here with his Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cole.

Leo Dudley and wife are on their way to Colorado via Mexico for a well earned trip for the next week. Their son-in-law, Gordon of Tulsa, Okla., is looking after the feed store while they are gone. Mrs. Walden and are here too.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold are an children of Ackerly and his parents, Mr. and H. Preston, this week.

Winnie Mae Lowery of Houston, Texas, is spending a two weeks visit here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ferguson.

Mrs. J. P. Lawler returned Friday from Chickasha, Okla., where she visited her Rev. Ray Lawler.

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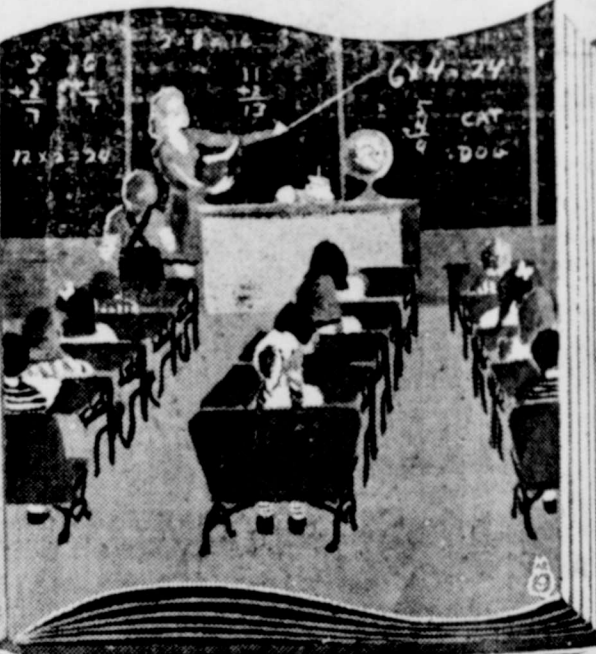


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Veterans' Administration Questions and Answers

What conditions is death payable to dependents of a veteran?

Death is payable to the surviving widow, children and dependent parents of a veteran who dies as a result of an injury in or aggravated by active military or naval service during wartime enlistment.

What amount of income will be a bar to the awarding of a pension to the widow of a veteran who died of causes other than service connection?

A widow will not be awarded a pension if her income is more than \$10,000.00 per year if she has no children, or \$2500.00 per year if she has a child or child-eligible widow.

What evidence is acceptable as proof of marriage in a claim for monetary benefit administered by the V. A.?

Proof of marriage should be shown by the best evidence available. Evidence is acceptable in the order named: 1. A copy of the public or church record certified by the custodian of such record; 2. Affidavit of clergyman or ex-magistrate who officiated in the original marriage certificate, accompanied by proof of the genuineness and the authority of the person who performed the service; 4. Affidavits of 2 or more witnesses to the ceremony. It must be told why the prior record could not be obtained in order for the next in order of importance to be accepted.

May a veteran be presumed to be dead when there is no active proof of death when there is no active proof of death and a widow's pension be paid as a result of such presumption?

In claims for benefits under laws administered by the W. A. where the cause of death is not a factor and satisfactory evidence is produced establishing the fact of the continued and unexplained absence from his home and family for a period of seven years and after diligent search no evidence of his existence after the date of disappearance has been found or received, the death of such person may be considered as sufficiently proved.

Many parents who are not eligible to receive pension as dependent parent by reason of their income, later, because of financial reverses, become eligible and apply for and receive pension as dependent parents?

Yes, if otherwise eligible, application for such pension may be made by parents at any time they meet the requirements for the dependency of parents.

Where pension is granted to dependent widows, children or parents, because of the death of a veteran resulting from disabilities incurred in WWII service, what rates are payable?

The following are the rates payable per month. Widow but no child, \$50.00; widow, one child \$65.00; with \$13.00 for each additional child; No widow, one child \$25.00, no widow, 2 children \$38.00 equally divided (\$10 for each additional child;) total amount to be equally divided; dependent mother or father, \$45; both dependent parents, \$25 each. As a widow, child or children, the total amount payable may not exceed \$100 per month.

Will a child who receives a pension by reason of the death of its father in service and who becomes mentally incompetent have that pension cut off?

Such a pension will cease at the age of 18 years unless the child becomes mentally incompetent prior to that time, in which case the child will continue to receive the pension as long as such impairment of mind exists.

Is a dependent parent of a veteran who died from a non-service disability entitled to a pension?

No such dependent is not eligible.

Is the amount of pension paid to the widow of WWII veteran who died by reason of a service connected disability the same as that paid to the widow of a WWI veteran who died from the same cause?

Yes, there is no difference.

If a widow of WWI veteran is denied a pension because she has an income of more than \$1000 per year, may she be reinstated if her income is reduced?

Yes, when the income of an eligible widow is reduced to \$1000 she may be awarded a pension, upon submission of satisfactory proof.

Has there been a recent change in the definition of a widow of a WWI veteran for pension purposes?

Yes. Prior to December 14, 1944, the widow of a WWI veteran must have been married to veteran prior to May 13, 1938. Since the passage of Public Law 483, such a widow is one who married prior to its passage on December 14, 1944.

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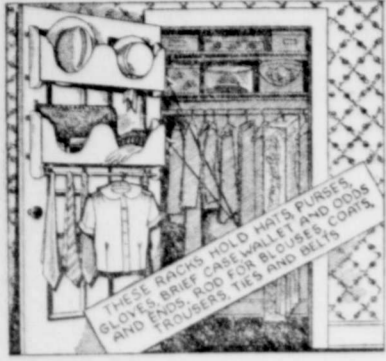
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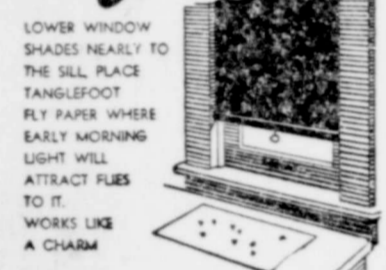
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Japs Guard Against Uprising; Plan to Demobilize 7,000,000; Nation Shifts to Peace Economy

Released by Western Newspaper Union. (EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



Following the joyous news of Japan's capitulation, many persons the country over reverently made their way to church to offer prayers in gratitude for the cessation of hostilities. The crowd worshipping on the steps of St. Patrick's cathedral in New York City was typical, with a constant stream arriving to express their thanksgiving.

Even as General MacArthur arranged the complicated procedure for Japanese surrender and occupation, the U. S. prepared for the major readjustments looming ahead before the nation once again could tread the paths of peace.

With the Japanese government anxious to bring about a cessation of firing before the preliminary surrender parley in Manila, the conference was postponed to permit members of the imperial household to fly to the far-flung Asiatic battlefronts to enforce the emperor's orders to lay down arms.

Appointment of tough and able 57-year-old Prince Higashi-Kuni as Jap premier disclosed an effort to bring all of the weight of the imperial family behind the surrender acceptance to avert any outbreak of diehards which might upset the internal situation. A second cousin of the emperor and an uncle of the empress, Higashi-Kuni has had a long career in the Jap army, serving as chief of the military aviation board, commander of defense headquarters and a member of the supreme war council.

While it was expected that some fanatical officers may try to fight on, or commit hara-kiri, the great mass of Japanese were expected to give up peacefully. "There will be no trouble when American soldiers go to Japan if it is the wish of the emperor," said one Jap naval officer. "The army, navy and Japanese people exist only by the will of the emperor."

U. S. Demobilizes With the end of the war, the services' carefully prepared demobilization plans were scheduled to be put into effect, with the draft continuing for men under 25 years of age unless the President or congress ordained otherwise.

Approximately 261,000 enlisted men and 40,000 officers are eligible for release under the navy's newly announced discharge plan requiring 44 points for the enlisted men and 49 for the officers. Under the program, one-half point is allowed for each year of age up to the nearest birthday; one-half point for each full month of active duty since September 1, 1939, and 10 extra points for dependents regardless of number. Requirements for WAVES are about 14 points lower, with the same credit computations.

Designed to relieve men with the longest service, the navy program will permit release of about 2,000,000 men within the next 12 to 18 months, which, with the army's plan for discharging 5,000,000 G.I.s within a year, will result in a total demobilization of 7,000,000 by 1947.

Except for four categories of specialists, all army personnel with 85 points or more will be immediately released, along with men 38 years of age or over. Until such a time as the size of the occupation force needed in Japan can be determined, however, there will be no reduction in the present point system, it was indicated.

With G.I.s in the Pacific eligible for discharge due to be released, men with low-point scores in the U. S. or with only brief European

CROPS: Another Good Year

Owing to record yields of wheat, oats, peanuts, rice, peaches, pecans and commercial truck crops; near record prospects for hay, tobacco, soybeans, sugar cane, and large production for potatoes, sorghum grains and flaxseed, the department of agriculture predicted the 1945 harvest would be the third best in history.

With the wheat crop estimated at a record 1,146,283,000 bushels on the basis of conditions as of August 1, and with oats at 1,546,032,000 bushels, feed grain production was at a high level despite the estimated drop in the corn harvest to 2,844,476,000 bushels.

One of the bright spots in the picture was the estimated increase in sugar cane production to 6,976,000 tons, and rise in sugar beet output to 9,332,000 tons, promising to relieve the tight supply in the commodity.

Conservation Needed After the most extensive study of farmland resources ever undertaken by any nation, the soil conservation service reported that more than 90 per cent of the country's farmland was in need of treatment to protect it from erosion and maintain fertility.

More than 3,600,000 man years of labor would be required for the huge task, the service said, along with 327,441 years of motor equipment; 1,089,976 years of horse-drawn facilities, and 2,544,106 tons of seed.

Of the 417,561,000 acres of farmland now under actual cultivation, the service said that 43,000,000 should be retired because of steepness, erosion, wetness and stone.

LABORITE BRITAIN

With Great Britain and all the rest of the world awaiting the pattern of postwar life in the United Kingdom, King George VI presented the victorious Labor party's legislative program, with nationalization of the Bank of England and the coal mines heading the agenda.

At the same time, the king revealed that the war's end would not bring about a release of wartime restrictions, with the Laborites seeking power during the reconversion period to maintain control over materials and services to assure proper distribution at fair prices.

Besides nationalizing the Bank of England to promote employment and development, and socializing the coal mines as part of a program to integrate the fuel and power industry, the Laborites propose to reorganize transport; provide social security and industrial insurance; buy land for housing, and set up machinery for planning investments in new business.

WORLD RELIEF: Needs Boosted

With the termination of the war in the Pacific expected to multiply its problems, the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration Director Herbert Lehman declared that more than two billion dollars in additional funds would be needed to help stricken countries before their restoration of stable economies.

Speaking at the third international conference of UNRRA at London, Lehman revealed plans for coping with the Asiatic relief problem, disclosing that plans already have been formulated for the shipment of supplies to China over the Stilwell road and through coastal ports. Of the 100 million Chinese reported destitute, many are expected to succumb even if relief should be offered immediately.

The London meeting was enlivened by Australia's demand to broaden the UNRRA control council to nine members instead of the present Big Four to provide smaller nations with greater representation in the allocation of funds.

FRANCE: Break Marshal

Leader of France's liberation movement, Gen. Charles de Gaulle spared the life of Marshal Henri Petain by commuting his death sentence for plotting against the internal safety of the country to life imprisonment. Nevertheless, the jury's additional sentence of national indignity stood, imposed even after Petain's final assertion: "My thought, my only thought, was to remain with the people of France as I promised instead of abandoning them in their agony... My honor belongs to your country..."

Most controversial French case of the century, Petain's trial found the country sharply divided, with charges on the one hand that the old marshal had delivered the state up to the Germans, and countercharges on the other that prewar politicians were using the proceedings to whitewash themselves.

CONSUMER BACKLOG: Big Order

The American people bought nearly 23 billion dollars less of automobiles and parts, and furniture and housefurnishings in the three years, 1942-44, than they would have if these goods had been available in prewar volume, the department of commerce estimates.

In automobiles and parts actual expenditures totaled 1.8 billions, with expected expenditures under normal conditions, 16.2 billions and the deficiency in purchases, 14.4 billions



Nizer Ex-Rays a Columnist

By LOUIS NIZER

Attorney, Author of "What to Do With Germany," "Thinking on Your Feet," Etc.

I am afraid to write this column because a columnist must have many talents.

1. He must be a humorist, whose column wears a pun-striped suit. As for example:

Allimony is the high cost of leaving. Sex magazines are the filth column of America. Today we have many sulfa-conscious young doctors.

True pals stick together 'til death do them part. He adored her and the feeling was mutual. Time wounds all heels.

2. A columnist must be a movie and theatrical critic who can create atomic bomb devastation with a phrase. As for example:

It took the Curries 30 years to find radium; it took Sir William Ramsay 16 years to discover helium; it took this play only 2 hours to product tedium.

3. A columnist must be a lexicographer who can invent new words which tickle the brain and surprise the eye. As for example:

Bilborish, Rank-in-justice, Teutonic Plague, guesstimate, syndicated column, kilocyclopedia, Emperor Fearhito, infantuation, Petained.

4. He must be a philosopher who disguises his wisdom in simplicity so that he does not appear pretentious. As for example:

It's better to give than to lend and it costs about the same. Suggested sign for a museum: "Touch as much as you like with your eyes, but don't see with your fingers."

I am afraid of Senators who have a difficulty for every solution. Love at first sight often ends with divorce at first sight.

Funny thing about temper, you can't get rid of it by losing it. Man argues that woman can't be trusted too far. Woman argues that man can't be trusted too near.

The President has the power to appoint and disappoint the members of his cabinet.

5. He must be a religionist who realizes that religion is caught, not taught. As for example:

An atheist is a man who has no invisible means of support. The best reply to an atheist is to give him a good dinner and ask him if he believes there is a cook.

6. He must be an ironist who does not hesitate to master the art of insult. As for example:

She dresses like a bad photograph—underdeveloped and overexposed. His mind is like his farm, naturally barren and made worse by mistaken cultivation.

He is addressing his speech to posterity, but his audience will be here before he finishes.

7. He must be an economist who knows that when a theory collides with a fact, there is a tragedy. As for example:

Those who complain about rationing ought to remember that there was no sugar until the 13th Century, no coal until the 15th Century, no coffee until the 17th Century, no matches until the 18th Century and no gasoline until the 19th Century.

8. He must be an internationalist who keeps the conscience of the people boiling. As for example:

A good motto for the war criminal trials is: "The prisoners, not the sentences, should be suspended."

Don't relax. Germany has more intelligence per square head than any other nation.

International moral: President Lincoln saw a small boy carrying a child up a hill on his shoulders. He asked him whether the burden was not too much for him. The boy answered: "It's not a burden, it's my brother!"

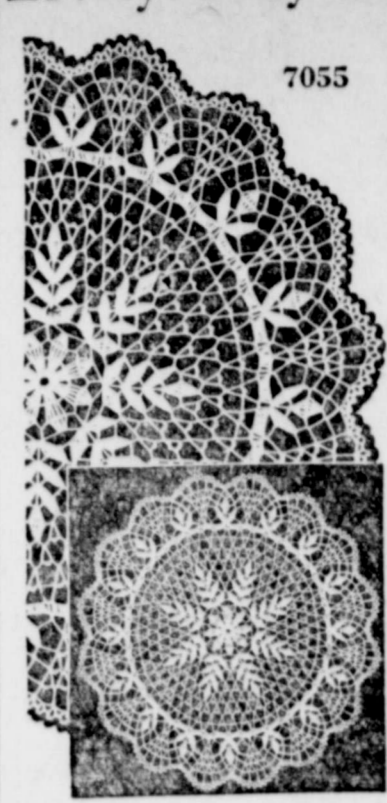
Under fascism, the only virtue is strength. Under democracy, the only strength is virtue.

9. He must be a historian with a human interest touch. As for example:

The spelling backward craze goes back a long way. In 1808 there was a political fight over Jefferson's embargo. His political opponents ridiculed him in cartoons as "O Grad Me."

10. He must be a reporter who can reveal information kept secret even from many Government officials.

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ASK ME ANOTHER? A General Quiz

The Questions

- 1. What part of the United States was once known as New Connecticut? 2. What determines the price of gold? 3. If one could stand at the North pole, in what direction might one face? 4. Can you complete the following proverb, "When you take out and do not put in, expect—"? 5. How did the United States acquire Florida? 6. What is the name of the breed of tailless cats? 7. In what capacity was Buffalo Bill connected with the U. S. government? 8. Which of the following are likely to use the word hegemony, a mining engineer, statesman or chemist?

The Answers

- 1. The Western Reserve in Ohio. 2. It is fixed in the United States by an act of congress. 3. Only south. 4. "To reach the bottom." 5. By purchase from Spain. 6. Manx cats. 7. As a scout and pony express mail rider. 8. Statesman (in referring to the preponderant influence or authority of a state).

North Magnetic Pole

The first plane to search for the exact position of the North Magnetic Pole was the British Aries, which made two flights over and around the charted location on Boothia peninsula, Canada, between May 19 and 26, 1945, says Collier's. The special instruments employed indicate that this pole is some 250 miles north-northwest of the position shown on charts and maps for many years. It is still, however, nearly 1,200 miles south of the North Pole itself.

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would discover a true explanation of the cause of these conditions, and also a solution for the problems that so sorely perplex us. Our modern world has drifted far from God, and faith in His Word is rapidly vanishing. Great nations, that were once blessed with gospel light, have within recent years turned to accept the godless philosophies of paganism. Human rights in the matter of both civil and religious liberty, were never more lightly regarded than at the present time. Is it any wonder that violence is increasing throughout the earth, when millions have accepted theories that remove from the hearts of men all sense of responsibility toward a personal God?

THE REMEDY

The remedy for this situation is not found in some newfangled gospel of social or political rearrangement. Unless men of this generation repent of their proud boastings, go back to the Bible, and renew acquaintance with God of their fathers, there is little hope for the future. If history is allowed to speak it will tell you that when any people come to think that they can get along without God, they are headed for oblivion.

THE BIBLE RELIABLE.

The belief is well-nigh universal today that the Bible is unscientific in its teachings, and that well educated people no longer believe its writings to be

divinely inspired. I wish to make it emphatically plain and clear that it is impossible for any man who will acquaint himself with the known and proven facts concerning the Bible to doubt either its divine origin or truthfulness. Within recent years many of the ancient cities mentioned in the Bible have been unearthed after having been lost sight of for hundreds of even thousands of years. Amid the ruins of Nineveh, Babylon, and other once populous centers of civilization, have been found numerous records of historical nature, graven upon the stones of their massive buildings. The dates and events thus recorded, have when translated, been found to agree with the Biblical record of such happenings to a marvelous degree.

Furthermore, the Scriptures were written by some forty men during a period extending over fifteen hundred years of time. In few instances was there any personal contact between one and another of these writers. Yet the things written by any one of them is in wonderful accord with the statements made by all the rest. The only reasonable explanation that can be made of this fact is the one given by the apostle Paul when he said, "All Scripture is given by inspiration of God." II Timothy 3:16.

While Christ was still on earth he said, "Search the Scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life; and they are they

which testify of me." John 5:39. We would be wise to follow this instruction of the master. Some time ago an old man living in New Jersey found five thousand dollars in a family Bible. In packing his trunk to go to his son's home he had occasion to take down the old family Bible left him by a relative. The Bible fell open and scattered here and there throughout its pages, he found fifty one hundred dollar bills in all!

You probably will not find any one-hundred-dollar bills hidden away in your Bible, yet it contains riches more valuable than silver or gold. In the Bible the riches of God's love, grace and wisdom are made known. We would be wise to search its pages daily looking for the treasures which have been left there for you and me.

(Watch for next weeks article)

First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9-45.
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Training Union 7:30.
Preaching Services, 8:30.

The summer is ended—and the Fall is here. The average attendance for the two summer months has been above the 300 mark which is good for the hot weather.

Now that the fall is here and cooler weather, and with our vacations over, and new people moved into town our attendance should begin to climb back up considerable.

Only five more Sundays for this associational year. There will be new teachers, new classes, and should be new spirit.

Coming up—Just a few more days now—Our training Union Study Course, September 9th-14th. Miss Louise Vilimane, of the State Department, and Mrs. Hancock, a real Indian is to lead in this course. There will be four books taught. They are: Adults, Southern Baptist in World Service—Young People and Intermediates—Pilgrims Progress, Jr. Bible Facts—Beginners and Primaries, Topsy Turvy Twins.

You are urged to get ready for this course and make it one of the very best.

Mrs. Hancock, the Indian, will speak Sunday night, September 9th at the regular preaching services, and each night for the next four nights to all the public. You are invited to hear this Indian Missionary who is one of our Home Missionaries to the Indians.

—Pastor.

Market Flooded With Potatoes

With farmers harvesting more potatoes than the markets can handle, local housewives are asked to help move current supplies by buying generously and serving them often.

According to E. C. Murni, Acting District Director, Commodity Credit Corporation's office of supply, the potatoes now being harvested, while excellent food, will not store for a length of time. For that reason, they must be consumed immediately, he explained.

In this area, farmers are sending more potatoes to market than can be absorbed, Murni said, adding most of them must be consumed locally if food waste is to be prevented.

The United States Department of Agriculture, to support prices to growers began buying potatoes several days ago. While this is a definite relief for farmers, housewives also can help provide additional outlets by buying and serving lots of potatoes while they are seasonally plentiful, he said.

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Waiting Contest

Hard as it may be to get a died-in-the-wool bureaucrat thinking about winter problems in the summer time, unless something unusual happens, cold weather will come again. One of these days a school bell will ring, a boy will come down the street bouncing a football and after that it won't be long. More-over winter calls for a lot of things that are scarce now.

Let's take shoes as a down-to-earth illustration. Which is better for keeping a boy's feet off the frosty ground, a 1942 price ceiling or a pair of good heavy brogues with wool socks in them? That's the problem before the American people, with school bells only a few days away. Getting into production on civilian goods is what the OPA is currently bungling.

Hold That Price

The OPA's war job was to keep prices of useful things from skyrocketing—a noble work requiring some stiff rules. But today, with the war won and war business slack, OPA is still making rules. One of them says: Manufacturers may make things for civilians provided they sell at 1942 prices. There's the rub, for factory owners now ready to start reconverting, making jobs safe for their employees.

The 1942 price rule stops them; nothing else. Workers want their jobs to last. Most civilians have saved some money and want to buy new things. Industry is anxious to serve them but very few factories can operate at 1942 prices. Materials cost more now and labor costs more also. There is only one thing a manufacturer can do, namely, beg OPA for special permission to price-up and go to work.

Mail Bags Full

The OPA, if you remember, is famous for leaving no stone unturned, and all that sort of thing. It is rumored that some men in the bureau have their own private opinions about business people anyhow. Before they grant any firm special leave to change a price, they investigate. That's all right, but applications to reconvert are coming in fast, more than 500 a day.

The bureau will never wind up its red tape in time. The only possible way out of trouble is to make a reasonable rule for all industry to follow, let whistles blow at 6:00 a. m. and ask questions later. Will they do it? Who knows? Employees and customers would probably cheer loudly for any employer who kept his payroll alive and said "Ph-t-v-vut" to the OPA, but it's dangerous.

Formula for Panic

Most business men are conservative. They are likely to wait exactly as long as the OPA says wait. Unable to do business on 1942 prices, they may pull fires from under their boilers and lay off the crew. Then the waiting contest starts. Bureaus will wait on investigations; employers will wait on bureaus; workers will wait on employers and you and I will wait for everything.

Idle workers in the soup-line; farmers without markets let crops rot in the field. An ugly picture. The way to avoid it is to let industry convert, sell its products to people with money and pay the men who work. Inflation can be prevented without starting a panic, if OPA will adopt a workable rule soon enough. But bureaus are usually more interested in rules than in reasons—warts on the nose of progress; bunions on the toe of time.

Pvt. Billie E. England writes his wife and two small children from Okinawa that he is feeling pretty good again and hopes to be home by Christmas. He has met several Burk boys while on Okinawa including his brother also Andy Anderson who lived here a few years ago.

The Rebekahs will meet Friday night, August 31 at 8 o'clock for team practice. All members are urged to be present.

Arriving last Wednesday at the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brittain and sister, Miss Faye Brittain were Mrs. G. F. Green and son, Guy Frederick Greene, Jr., and Mrs. E. M. Schirm. Mrs. Greene has been living in San Francisco, Calif., whose husband is a Chief Petty Officer in the U. S. Navy is now in the Central Pacific. Mrs. Schirm has been living at Tuonset Point, Rhode Island. Her husband is also a Chief Petty Officer, who is stationed in Rhode Island. Their other daughter, Mrs. L. C. Malloy and daughter are now residing in San Francisco, California with her husband who is with U. S. Navy. These three sons have seen plenty of action in the Pacific.

Oklahoma Pastor Accepts Pastorate

The Reverend H. Leimer of Granite, Oklahoma has accepted the pastorate of the Trinity Lutheran Church at Clara. The Trinity congregation became vacant last April, when their former pastor, Paul Kaiser, accepted the call extended to him by the Grace Lutheran Church in Burkburnett. During the vacancy the Trinity congregation has been served regularly by the Rev. A. O. Kaltwasser of Harold. The members of Trinity feel fortunate in securing the Rev. H. Leimer, who is leaving St. John Lutheran Church at Granite, Oklahoma to assume the pastorate of the Trinity congregation at Clara. Pastor Leimer plans to move his family sometime in September and assume the duties of this charge at that time.

New Ration Stamps Valid September 1st

Five more red stamps in War Ration Book Four will be good for the purchase of rationed meats, fats, fish and dairy products on Saturday, September 1, OPA announced. The new stamps are L1, M1, N1, P1, and Q1. They are being validated for the usual four months' period—in this instance, September 1 through December 31.

Sugar stamp 38 in War Ration

Book Four also will be good September 1, and will remain valid for the purchase of five pounds of sugar through December 31.

Mrs. George McClarty, P. A. Wiggins, Paul Browning, and Ray Hill attended the Committee meeting of the County Fair at Iowa Park, Texas, Tuesday night.

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	Pure Apple Cider, Gallon		45c
TOMATO SAUCE, 8 oz. Spanish Style			5c
CORN FLAKES White Swan	11 oz. Box		5c
FLOUR	25 Pounds Belle Wichita		99c
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FOR SALE—Pre-war Dining room suite. Call Star office. Phone 52. 4-tfc.

See my ad about strawberry plants on another page of the Star this week. J. V. Brookshear. 4-4tc.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon between Ave C and D pair of Boys Glasses. Finder please return to Star Office or City Hall. 5-1tc.

FOR SALE—If you want a good used Singer Sewing Machine, see Lige Chrestman at Garland Furniture Co. 5-1tc.

FOR SALE—1936 Buick with Radio and Heater. Good tires. In good condition. Can be seen after 1:30 at 414 E. First St. 5-1tc.

FOR SALE—Baby Buggy. Good condition. See at 511 E. 2nd St. 5-1tp.

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WANTED—School girl to help with work in the morning and afternoon. Phone 32 or call at 514 E. 4th St. 5-1tc.

WANTED TO RENT—Small sandy land farm. Close in. G. F. Wills, Rt. 3, Wichita Falls or phone 2-4837 Wichita Falls. 5-1tp.

FARM FOR RENT—120 acres grass, 40 acres crop, teams and tools. Immediate possession. Water, gas and lights. B. F. Rush, 1 mile North Thrift, Texas. 5-2tp.

COOLERATOR for sale. Good condition. 118 Ave. D. 5-1tp.

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Let this victory mark the beginning of a better life—a life of true godliness and sincere gratitude for God's blessings.

Let the Church help you live that better, fuller, happier life.

Calendar

Sunday School at Town Hall, 9:45 A. M.

Morning Services at Town Hall 11 A. M.

Evening Worship at Town Hall 8:30 P. M.

Adult instruction class on Tuesday night.

Women's Missionary Society meets Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sam Koenig.

A cordial welcome to all services and Bible study meetings.

Paul Kaiser, Pastor.

B. T. Britton of Seymour was here Wednesday on business and to visit his sister, Mrs. Jim Aday and family.


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Devol News

Clara Stofor

Corp. Richard Schwer, Ordinance Air Corp. arrived Tuesday, last week from Habumajoi. They were 47 days on the trip to Honolulu through the Panama Canal and to New York City. "Candy Jones" arrived on the same boat. Richard had been overseas two years, ten months. He was inducted January 20th, 1942 and had only one trip home, which lasted one day. He now has his discharge.

Harvey Shirley of Shawnee, Oklahoma has been visiting relatives and old friends in these parts the past few days. The Shirley family were early settlers in Cotton County and are well remembered here.

Frank Mabry, Burkburnett visited relatives and friends in Devol Sunday.

Floyd Jenkins, discharged from the army recently and home for the past week, left Monday morning for Chicago. From there he will go to the west coast where he has a job waiting.

Mrs. Clara Reynolds, daughter Sally, Miss Fink and Miss Duckworth returned Wednesday last week from a four weeks trip to Mexico City and other places of interest in Mexico. They spent a few hours in Devol, on their way back to Lawton, to visit with Mrs. Reynolds' parents Mr. and Mrs. Oles Stofor. In all they traveled 5,000 miles on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lloyd of Visalia, California, visited last week with the Harold Landes family and other friends. They attended to personal business matters while here.

Mr. John Coker has bought the garage and other buildings on the Sims lots. Mr. H. Riding and Frank Cozby wrecked the buildings for him. Mr. Coker will use the lumber in improving his residence property at S. E. Corner of town.

Miss Leota Stipes of Wichita Falls visited Odessa Uthe this week.

Sgt. Willie Thompson arrived home last Friday. A family reunion of the Thompson family was held at the home of Doby Thompson in Burkburnett last Sunday with twenty-eight members of the family in attendance. Mrs. Thompson, the mother, and two daughters Ruth and Edith came from Oklahoma City. Willie spent the night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Paul Stevens, Devol.

Mrs. O. L. Bridges and son Chas. Lee, visited Mrs. Bridges' aunt, Mrs. Dick McClain, Grandfield, Monday.

Miss Aileene Stofor returned Saturday from Altus, where she visited Mrs. Bill Alford and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bray. Miss Stofor will make her home in Burkburnett with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Dodson while employed in the grade school.

T-3 William C. Beall, who has been in the Western Pacific the past 43 months and 13 days, arrived home on 30 day furlough Monday. He will go to Aberdeen, Md., for reassignment.

T-Sgt. John Coker is home on furlough. September 27th he will go to Camp Chaffee for reassignment. John had been with the army in Italy and was among those to deploy to Japan when they were turned back at the Panama Canal and returned to N. Y.

Lucile Patterson took Sunday dinner with the Misses Betty and Florence Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hinkle visited in the Marvin Patterson home, Burkburnett, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell, of Grandfield spent Monday and Tuesday in the Cates home.

Sunday guests in the Frank McClendon home were a brother of Mrs. McClendon and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bumhart of Wichita Falls and mother, Mrs. L. Bumhart of Burkburnett.

Mrs. W. W. Manley's nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Oma Harman of Five Points, Ala., and her brother Fred Harman of Fort Worth visited in the Manley home Sunday and Monday.

Peace On Earth

In the Spring of 1942 the people of America found themselves engaged in a global war the result of which many of our boys will never return to American soil.

At that time, with gasoline and tires rationed and with automobile production suspended, it looked as if the automobile dealers could not continue in business.

After carefully taking a survey of the existing conditions we came to the conclusion that if such a global war were to be prosecuted, to the fullest extent by the American people, it would be necessary that some of the automobile dealers remain open in order to repair the cars which were so vitally needed by the civilian population.

Having been in the automobile business in Burkburnett for twenty-five years, we felt it our patriotic duty to help keep the cars of our community running, so across front of our building was painted this sign "OPEN FOR THE DURATION."

During these past four years we have endeavored to render to motoring public the very best possible service under existing conditions. Due to the shortage of power and parts our service has been as satisfactory as it could have been under normal conditions.

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The Devol Demonstration Club met in regular session last Tuesday P. M. With everyone still busy with canning and getting the children ready for school, attendance is small. Our demonstration agent, Kitty Johnston, for past eleven years has been transferred to Tillman County. We know Miss Kitty will be missed over the County, but we are well satisfied with our new agent, Miss Greb of Walters. She has visited the club a number of times and we know she knows the work and will not let the club life suffer because of the change, and pledge her our cooperation.

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