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O'DONNELL, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1941

For the Best Interests of O'Donnell and Lynn County

Trade Day Here Attracts Crowds; Bargains Offered

With crowds on the increase for O'Donnell's weekly Trade Day each week, merchants listed on an inside page are again preparing for an unusual number of merchandise bargains for shoppers.

A glance at the ads of the merchants will show the reader only a few of the bargains he or she may secure in O'Donnell next Wednesday—because each merchant could only list a few in the space allotted, and each firm has many others for sale at prices that will save you money.

Entertainment for the day was appreciated by the crowd attending at Wednesday, and amateur talent in this section is desired each Trade Day.

Next Wednesday, the merchants use ads appear on an inside page preparing to make the day an eventful one for all in addition to bargains. And those same progressive merchants (who are entitled to our trade because they will give you value at low prices) intend to make each Trade Day a better one than the preceding affair. If you do not take advantage of the bargains offered, the opportunity those merchants advertising in the Press are giving you, the loss is yours. It will pay you to observe carefully all the bargains offered.

FROM MISSOURI

William Edward Singleton is here for a short visit with home folks. He is a student at Chillicothe Business College in Chillicothe, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Hughes and Mamie visited in Lubbock Wednesday.

Rotarians Plan To Honor Mrs. Shook, Pianist

Rotarians of O'Donnell plan to honor their only "half-way" Rotarian next Tuesday at the regular meeting when they bid farewell to Mrs. Cary Shook, pianist, who has been present more times than most Rotarians and has never shirked a duty asked of her.

Mrs. Shook will leave next week to join her husband in Crosbyton, where they will make their home.

The program is only in the tentative stage at present, but all members are urged to be present to make the meeting a 100 per cent attendance.

Ten members of the local club were in attendance at the district meeting in Lubbock this week.

Corner Drug Is "Streamlined"

While work is not yet completed, extensive changes have been made in the interior of the Corner Drug store, and giving the place an appearance of metropolitanism.

Carefully planned for weeks, B. J. Boyd, manager and part owner, has made the Corner Drug into a design commonly known as "streamlined." Shelving, glass enclosed, which have been a part of the store for many years, was ripped out and replaced by modern styled shelves. Cases, stands and booths have all been painted white with a narrow red border effect. New, leather-topped steel seats were placed in the center of the store floorspace and steel tables also purchased.

No change as been made in the exterior of the building, but is contemplated.

A formal opening of his new place will be held by Boyd some time in the near future.

Mrs. William McKnight Jr. has returned to her home in Corpus Christi after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wells.

Plan Meet Of Softball Leagues

Do the players and fans of O'Donnell and vicinity wish to have softball this summer?

That's the question that has been asked by Supt. S. F. Janson during the last few weeks, and to decide the question he has called a meeting of all those interested for Monday night at 8 p. m. at the High school.

It is desired that those wishing to sponsor teams, both men, boys and girls, be present.

New Bookkeeper At Singleton Appliance Store

Miss Mary Louise Singleton, daughter of Ed Singleton, is now a full-time employee in Singleton's Appliance store, so announced her "dad" Thursday. She is the new bookkeeper.

Miss Singleton is being graduated from the High School here this week.

AL FRESCO LUNCHEON GIVEN IN WHITSETT HOME

Members of the Tuesday Bridge Club enjoyed a chicken barbecue and luncheon served al fresco at the home of Mrs. Marshall Whitsett this week.

Later, games of bridge were enjoyed with Mrs. C. L. Hafer winner of high score prize. Slam prizes were won by Mrs. Hafer and Mrs. Newell Hughes.

Var-colored roses from the Whitsett gardens were used in profusion to decorate the rooms.

Others playing were Mesdames Boyd, Bradley, Campbell, Forgy, Jordan, Noble, Henderson, Hoffman, Robinson, and Wells.

Mrs. B. J. Boyd will be hostess at her home next Tuesday.

MRS. McLAURIN WAS CLUB HOSTESS

For the weekly meeting Mrs. Waldo McLaurin was hostess to bridge club members Wednesday.

A profusion of colorful spring flowers adorned the rooms where two tables of players enjoyed games. During games, iced drinks were served and at the tea hour ice cream and wafers were served.

Mrs. Namon Everett won high score prize, Mrs. Irvin Street bingo, Mrs. J. M. Bubany floating prize, and Mrs. George Wall low.

Others playing were Mesdames Gibson, Schooler, Daniel, and Stark.

Mrs. Schooler will be hostess next Wednesday.

BILL YANDELL HERE

W. H. "Bill" Yandell is visiting here this week with home folk.

He has been at Kelly Field near San Antonio, but will be sent to a new air base in Arizona following his furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen of near Lubbock visited here Sunday.

Five Men Ready For U. S. Service

TAHOKA, Tex., May 15 (Spl.)—Two negroes have volunteered to fill the call for one colored man to be inducted into the army training service from this county on Monday, May 19. They are: John Dennis Walker of Tahoka, order No. 465, now employed on an NYA road project; and Johnny Bert Williams, under draft age, now employed at Boydston's barber shop. Both have been subjected to physical examination but the board has received no report as to the result.

Three white men have been called to fill the call for May 23. They are: Robert Draper of Tahoka, order No. 32; Melvin Brookshire of Grassland, order No. 215; and Alex Harris Frazier of Tahoka, order No. 230.

All of these have passed the medical examination and been accepted.

Soil Conservation Is Up Saturday

TAHOKA, Tex., May 15 (Spl.)—Land owners of Lynn county are urged to meet with W. G. Kennedy, Muleshoe, district member of the Soil Conservation Board, at the Lynn county agricultural building Saturday at 10 a. m. if they are interested in securing another poll of Lynn county farmers on the proposal to establish a Lynn county soil conservation district.

About a year and a half ago organization of Lynn and Dawson counties into such a district was proposed and although about 90 per cent of the voters favored the project in Lynn, Dawson county defeated the proposal. County agent Don Turner says this is Lynn county's opportunity, and if sufficient interest is shown another poll may be taken.

Frank Liddell was a business visitor in Lubbock Tuesday.

Little Miss Carol Ann Lambert is visiting in Lubbock with her aunt this week. Her sister Marcelle was reported as slightly improved from an illness from pleurisy.

IN MIDLAND

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell spent Sunday in Midland as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Singleton, Mrs. Hal Singleton Sr., Mrs. Charles Hoffman, and Helen Jean were in Lubbock Monday.

Miss Lometa Robinson, Tech student, and L. E. Robinson Jr., who attends John Tarleton College at Stephenville, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Robinson.

Mrs. H. L. Phillips and Dickie Lee of Lovington, New Mexico, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Anglin and Mrs. Carey Shook were in Tahoka Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cheairs and Claudia Ann spent the week end visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Dr. G. R. Miller, who lives on a ranch near Austin, was here Saturday the guest of his brother, J. R. Miller and family.

Rev. McDonald To Preach Sunday; Both Services

Unless again detained by circumstances over which he has no control, the Rev. E. C. McDonald, newly named pastor of the First Baptist Church here, will preach next Sunday at the local church, so local church officials say.

The Rev. McDonald will preach in the morning and at night.

Mrs. Henderson Is Commissioner

TAHOKA, Tex., May 15 (Spl.)—County Judge Chester Connolly on Thursday tendered to Mrs. W. O. Henderson the appointment as county commissioner to fill out the unexpired term of her husband, who died Saturday, and she indicated her acceptance, according to information given to the News.

An order to that effect will be entered on the records of the county clerk's office and the required bond will be filed within a few days, it is contemplated.

This is the second time that a woman has served as county commissioner of Lynn county.

HARMONY HD CLUB

The Harmony Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. G. C. Aten Monday, May 12. Miss Phenix gave a demonstration on making Angel food cakes and gave a very interesting talk on "Cakes for Special Occasions."

New officers elected were: President, Mrs. Willie Isaac. Vice President, Mrs. Jesse Lane. Secretary, Mrs. L. D. Evans. Council Delegate, Mrs. G. C. Aten. Reporter, Mrs. Finis Gleghorn. Home Food Supply Demonstrator, Mrs. Ernest Gleghorn.

Bedroom demonstrator, Mrs. Clyde Meeker.

Others present were Mrs. Van McKee, Mrs. Arvel Evans, Mrs. William Blair, Mrs. Ray Richey, Mrs. W. W. Blair, Mrs. Leonard Mires, Mrs. Robbie Lane.

The club will meet at Mrs. Willie Isaac's Thursday, May 12. Everyone is invited to attend a very interesting program is planned.—Reporter.

Mrs. Marguerite Perdue of Tyler and Mrs. R. A. Rabun of San Diego, California, left Wednesday for Tyler after having spent a week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance.

Mrs. Stansell Jones and young daughter, Jane, were in Lamesa Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy D. Smith visited her sister, Mrs. J. A. Moody in San Angelo Tuesday.

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Commencement Is Slated Tonight

Commencement exercises for the O'Donnell High school will be held tonight at the auditorium with District Judge Louis B. Reed of Lamesa slated to address the class. A total of 41 seniors are to be graduated this year.

Doris Nell Gates is valedictorian and Lena Mae Burleson salutatorian.

Baccalaureate services were held Sunday. Grammar school final exercises were held Thursday night.

Teachers of the local school system will scatter far and wide next week, with practically all of them planning to attend summer school sessions.

TERRY-BYBEE

Ted Terry and Miss Tommie Bybee of this city were united in marriage in a beautiful ring ceremony in the home of the Reverend Mr. Lee at Lamesa Wednesday, May 14, at 9:45.

The bride was tastefully attired in a navy blue Reddingcoat ensemble with blue accessories.

The couple was accompanied by Mrs. Terry's sister-in-law, Mrs. Jodie Bybee and Fred Trammell of Lamesa.

Mr. Terry is the son of Mrs. Bettie Terry of O'Donnell and for the past five years has been employed at the Bryant Coal and Grain Company.

Mrs. Terry has been employed at Mrs. Moody's Candy Company in San Angelo for the last few months. The couple will be at home in O'Donnell for a while.

WILL OCCUPY NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Applewhite and young son, Jackie, will move Saturday to their new home on Tenth Street.

They recently purchased it from Mr. and Mrs. Cary Shook.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

Valuable Oil Supplies of Middle East Result in Shift of War Scene to Iraq, But 'Battle of Atlantic' Still Remains As Most Important Phase of Conflict

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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When the British put forth an effort to hold the Iraq oil wells by force they faced cavalrymen like these. These Iraqi troops make an impressive sight on parade but Iraq asked Germany for heavy mechanized forces to aid in keeping the British from complete control of the highly valued oil fields.

(See Below: WAR—Changed Scene)

WAR: Changed Scene

Although nothing in the European war was a certainty except its uncertainty, it seemed reasonably likely that the attempted Axis pincers move against Suez via north Africa and the Middle East would change the vital scene of the war to that locality.

That Suez eventually would fall to the German-Italian forces was deemed a likelihood, though the failure of this campaign would conversely mean a distinct turn of the tide in British favor.

Even before the outset of the campaign, when the British had concluded the first move into Iraq, the British ministry of information attempted to prepare the public for an adverse outcome by letting it be known that even the fall of Suez would not be fatal to the British cause.

Indeed, the propaganda articles pointed to Alexandria as a much more vital spot in the Mediterranean than Suez, but how this helped when Alexandria was as much of an Axis objective as Suez was a little difficult to see.

Perhaps it was that the British thought they could hold out at Alexandria after Suez had fallen, thus naming the objectives in chronological order.

All this was considerably in the future, however, for the British attempted to "jump the gun" as they had at Salonika and Piraeus, by landing an expeditionary force in Iraq. There was one vital difference, however, that in Iraq they were meeting an unfriendly regime, whereas in Greece the landing was welcomed, as the Greeks already were at war with the Axis.

Within a few days after the landing from the Persian gulf the British found themselves virtually at war with Arabia, though the Iraq army was only 28,000 regularly armed and uniformed men. But the government which had got its power through a Nazi-inspired coup d'etat, ordered all citizens to grab whatever arms they had and to wage a holy war against invading England.

Objective

Vital objective of the British was to prevent damage or seizure on the part of the Arabs of the vital Mosul oil fields, and the British drive was aimed particularly at Kirkuk, the start of the pipeline from the Mosul fields which supplied airplane and fleet fuel for the Mediterranean forces.

However, though the Arabs were conceded little chance to stand up to the British attackers, they were on the ground, and even as they started shelling British troops and the Habbaniyah air field, and even as they started appeals to Germany for help, thus laying the groundwork for the landing of a German expeditionary force, Arabs seized the Kirkuk end of the pipeline, and were reported to be flooding the oil fields.

It could not be estimated how much damage was being done, but though the pipeline seizure was pleasing to the Germans, a serious sabotage of the oil fields would prove embarrassing to Germany, though much more to the British.

For the Germans stood even more in need of oil than the British. The latter could get oil from other sources, notably from the United States, but one of Germany's secondary objectives in the Near East

was this same group of oil wells. Of course, if the German drive southward should succeed, the Haifa end of the pipeline would fall as well as the Kirkuk end, not to mention the oil field itself.

Formula

None doubted that Germany would hold to this so far winning formula of warfare and leave the Arabs largely to their fate until the planned advance had been thoroughly worked out. This was the method employed in northern Africa, where the Germans let the Italians take their beating until they were driven back to Tripoli.

Then the forces of the Reich crossed the Mediterranean, largely in Italian ships, landed on the north African coast, and promptly and with high speed drove the British back on their heels, taking everything that the Italians had lost in a matter of weeks, where it had taken the British months.

This was the western end of the pincers which was aimed at Alexandria Egypt and Suez, with the move of the eastern end, which started with the Grecian campaign and the general Balkan infiltration, expected to start as soon as the proper diplomatic and military preparation was finished.

Many believed the Germans would have to hurry this time, for some observers reported the Russians to be drawing troops from the eastern part of the country, and beginning to concentrate them in central Russia.

This might mean two things, either a protective movement, or an effort to beat the Germans to the Near-Eastern punch and to go into the Eurasian territory themselves, perhaps through Persia. There was an outside possibility that Russia, however, might content herself with a Persian grab, and aim toward British India.

Soviet Upset

The Soviet was considerably upset, it was true, by the German entry into Finland; was more upset by the infiltration into Bulgaria; and still more bothered by the reports from Turkey that the Turks were planning to follow the lead of all Balkan countries except Yugoslavia and Greece, and permit the Germans to have their will unchecked.

Should the Russians actually jump actively over to the British side of the war, which was deemed extremely unlikely until the British had imparted a serious defeat to the Axis, then the whole complexion of things would be changed and Italy and Germany would find themselves with a real problem on their hands.

What seemed most likely was the eventual fall of Asia Minor to the Axis, and even at long last the fall of Suez and Alexandria.

Closest observers of the war believed that even with all of this the British had a chance to win if they could definitely win the battle of the Atlantic; could definitely resume the unchallenged mastery of the seas; could receive from the United States "all-out" aid including active entry into the war; and could repel an invasion of the British Isles themselves.

Those in touch with the Washington scene believed this country much closer to being actually in the war, with some actually predicting that our entry was no further off than 60 days.

Tax Testimony



Here is Edward A. O'Neal, American Farm Bureau federation president, as he testified before the House Ways and Means committee on the subject of national defense taxes. He told the committee that the public should be made aware that their taxes are for national defense. He contended that plans to increase taxes on tobacco, gasoline and other products, would tend to reduce the money that could be spent for farm products.

CONVOY: Pre-War Issue

The question of conveying materials to Britain by American warships, and the sending of such materials in American flag ships to the British Middle-East command was rapidly becoming the pre-eminent issue before the public.

The isolationists, naturally, were condemning conveying as an act of war, and as a breach of President Roosevelt's campaign promise to confine military and naval service to "this hemisphere."

At first observers believed the question was scheduled to die in the foreign affairs committee debate in the senate, especially after the defeat of the Tobey resolution in committee by a 13-10 vote. The closeness of this vote, however, gave administration opponents new courage, apparently, for almost immediately there was a quantity of stormy material on the front pages all surrounding the question of convoys.

Some senators and some cabinet officers openly favored conveying; the President opened the Red sea as far as Suez to American vessels carrying aid to democracies; and American warships were unofficially reported to be in waters immediately adjacent to Singapore.

Biggest sensation had been sprung earlier by Senators Tobey and Nye when they claimed to have "inside information" that complete conveying already had begun. All forces admitted that the President had the power, as commander-in-chief of the navy, to order conveying, in fact to order navy ships to carry out any of his commands.

The question as put to the President. The President did not answer but the categorical denial by Secretary Hull and Admiral Stark satisfied most people, including all friends of the administration, that the "actual convoy" rumor was only that and nothing more, especially when neither Nye nor Tobey could quote chapter or verse as to their information source.

However, all these statements sprang back into prominence when of all places Vichy walked into the controversy by stating that 26 American ships "loaded to the gunnels" with munitions assigned to the British Middle East command and conveyed by American warships, had arrived at Suez.

The navy instantly issued at least a partial denial. But the navy denied confined itself to the statement that "no United States ships are engaged in convoy duty."

U. S. 'ENTRY': Into Conflict?

Just as all developments brought one vital question more nearly to the fore, the question of whether or not America actually was to enter the war on the side of the British, the issue, oddly enough, was being brought more and more to a head by the America First Committee.

This group now was finding Charles A. Lindbergh its natural leader following his dramatic resignation from his reserve colonelcy in the air force, and especially after his subsequent utterances, particularly his St. Louis address, which was given verbatim coverage in most newspapers that were opposed and in all large newspapers whether opposed to Roosevelt or not.

Whether it was intentional or not, the anti-interventionists were rapidly forcing the issue to where most observers believed a show down was not far distant.

While in this country we do not have the "responsible ministry" system of England such as brought Churchill to ask a "vote of confidence," the lack of which would automatically put him out of office, it was obvious that the Roosevelt foreign policy would continue to be carried to its final objective of all aid to England unless congress forced a major policy change.

More Power for the R.A.F.



The largest fleet of light planes ever seen in New York was christened on behalf of the R.A.F. benevolent fund, and will make a barnstorming tour of the country to raise funds for the families of England's air defenders. The fleet was inspected by these models. Inset: A Canadian woman working in a De Havilland aircraft factory at Ottawa, Canada. In Canada, women are taking the place of men in industry.

'Before and After' in Ireland



Northern Ireland has had a taste of Nazi wrath, and southern Ireland is getting ready to meet "any invader." At the left an impromptu concert is enjoyed in a destroyed area of Belfast after German bombers visited Northern Ireland. At least 500 lives were lost. Right: Prime Minister Eamon De Valera of Eire inspects troops during the greatest military display ever seen in Dublin.

Standing Ready—Somewhere in England



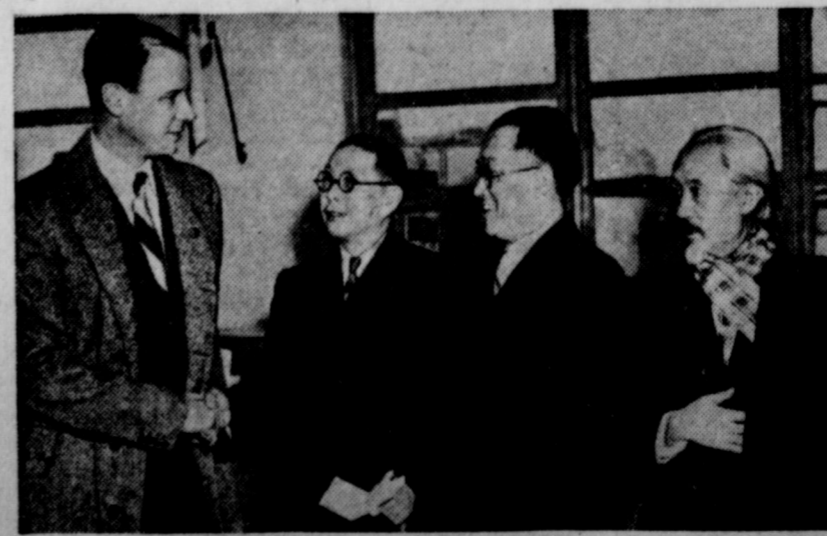
In the "danger zone," the Dover-Folkestone area of England, which has become the "front" in the battle of Britain, home-guardsmen patrol the barren sea cliffs and shore—ready to give Hitler's Nazis a warm welcome if they come. Sergeant W. Read, a retired civil servant, standing guard, typifies the spirit of Great Britain.

'Buddy' Poppy Girl



Daughter of a World war veteran, Joan Leslie, actress, is shown in her new role of national "buddy" poppy girl. She was selected for the 1941 "buddy" poppy campaign of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S., for aid of veterans' families.

New Chinese Foreign Minister Greeted Here



Appointed foreign minister of China while serving as that nation's ambassador in London, Dr. Quo Tai-Chi is shown on arrival in New York. L. to R., Newbold Morris, president New York city council, welcoming Dr. Quo Tai-Chi, while Dr. Hu Shih, Chinese ambassador, and Li Yu Ying (right) personal representative of Chiang Kai-shek, look on.

Bomb Shelter



Jacob Baker of Cleveland, with model of his shock-proof bomb shelter which will house four persons. Mr. Baker says the shelter will be in process of manufacture soon.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in Defense News

Ⓢ The state department granted unlimited licenses to the British Iron & Steel corporation and the British purchasing commission under which customs collectors are authorized to accept shipments of specified products, without the presentation of license forms, going to British New Guinea, British North Borneo, Federated Malay States, Unfederated Malay States, Hongkong, Oceania, Papua, and Sarawak.

Ⓢ OPM Director of Priorities Stettinius put into effect blanket priority ratings enabling manufacturers of airplane frames, engines, and propellers to obtain needed materials "to speed production of military airplanes for the United States and Great Britain." Mr. Stettinius also announced immediate application to 16 vital defense metals of a system of inventory controls designed to prevent excess stocks in industry.

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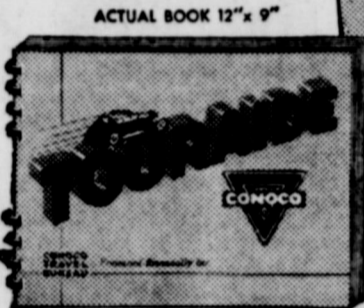
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FDR Asks Nation For Full Support Of Cotton Week

MEMPHIS, TENN.—May 14—Urging the American people to give their fullest support and cooperation to National Cotton Week, May 16-24, President Franklin D. Roosevelt declared that the cotton industry is confronted with one of the most

serious situations in its history.

The President told Oscar Johnston, president of the National Cotton Council, that "it is my sincere hope that the observance of National Cotton Week will serve to call the attention of the American people to the importance of this great agricultural commodity in the economic life of our country."

Although the domestic use of cotton during recent months has been unparalleled, Mr. Roosevelt said, "All indications point to a domestic carryover at the end of the current

year equal to the all-time high of 13,000,000 bales." He declared that this huge surplus arises directly from the wartime loss of America's export cotton markets.

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in the eighteen cotton producing states are directly dependent upon cotton for a livelihood," he continued, "while an additional fourteen million scattered from the Atlantic to the Pacific derive at least a portion of their income from cotton. Our entire population is vitally affected by the welfare of cotton."

"This situation makes it all the more important that we continue and redouble our efforts to increase consumption here at home. For this reason National Cotton Week is an event of particular significance this year, and it should have the fullest support and cooperation of the American people."

Simultaneously with the receipt of President Roosevelt's message, Mr. Johnston announced that governors of seven of the cotton-producing states have already issued proclamations officially designating May 16-24 as National Cotton Week in their states.

Mr. Johnston said that all indications pointed to a record-breaking observance of Cotton Week this year. The event is conducted on a nationwide scale by the National Cotton Council, representing raw cotton, and the Cotton-Textile Institute representing cotton manufacturers.

Specialists Are Urged To Prepare For Service In Army

Moving promptly to prevent any unnecessary increase in the growing shortage of manpower in certain specialized professional fields, General J. Watt Page, state Selective Service director, this week urged all local boards to give the most serious consideration to the individual occupational deferment of students in these fields.

General Page's directive, based on a report from the Office of Production Management, interpreted the new policy of National Selective

Service Headquarters concerning individual occupational deferment of students in the following courses: Chemistry, Medicine, Dentistry, and the various Engineering fields, Civil, Electrical, Chemical, Mining and Metallurgical, and Mechanical.

Mrs. Harvie Jordan visited in Lubbock Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Bowlin.

Guests in the J. T. Middleton Sr. home last week end were Mrs. Sam Newsome of Las Cruces and Mrs. Lewis Thomas and sons of Plainview.

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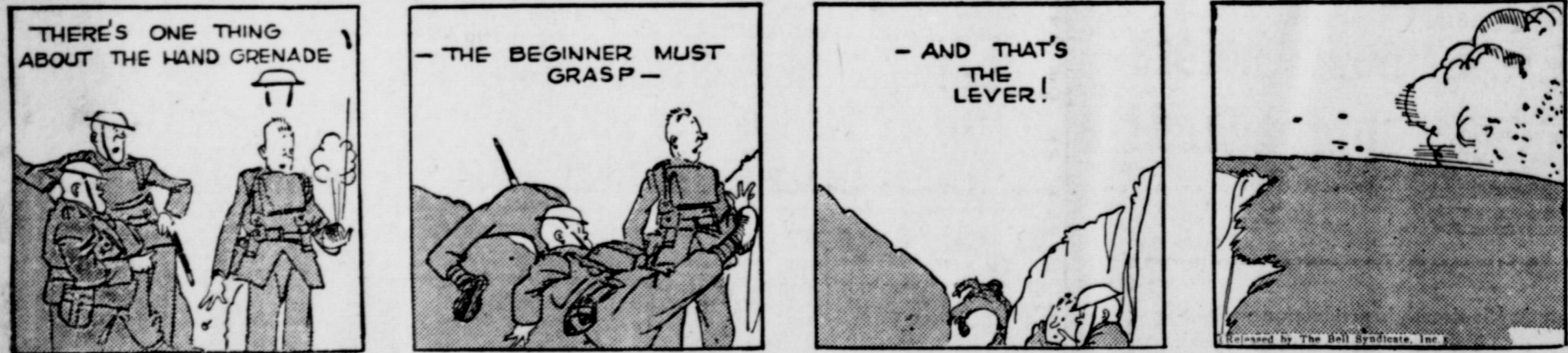
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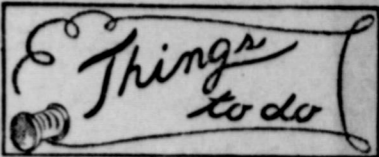
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 For the weekly meeting, members
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 Methodist Church Monday after-
 noon.

A world outlook program was
 directed by Mrs. Namon Everett.
 Others having topics were Mes-
 dames Stark, Addison and Sherrill.
 Present other than the above were
 Mesdames Gates, Ben Moore Jr.,
 Koeninger and Pearce.

THANKS
 The Press wishes to thank Buriy
 Brewer, Rt. 3, Tahoka, Mrs. U. C.
 Rains, also of Rt. 3, Tahoka, and
 C. R. Pearce, Austin, Texas, for
 their renewals to the Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Smith of
 Wichita Falls spent the week end
 visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
 W. L. Palmer.

**T-BAR H. D. CLUB STUDIES
 FROZEN FOODS**

"Frozen foods should never be
 washed before cooking," stated Miss
 McNatt to the T-Bar H. D. Club at
 its regular meeting May 9th in the
 home of Mrs. E. O. Overman.

In preparing foods for freezing,
 they are carefully washed and do
 not require washing after being
 frozen. Water will dissolve much of
 the flavor, color and nutrient of
 frozen meats, fruits and vegetables.
 Therefore we should not put our
 frozen foods in water to thaw, but
 we may cook our vegetables before
 they have completely thawed out,
 she stated.

Mrs. Paul Johnson was elected as
 our candidate for the State Home
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Mrs. Oscar Hall has returned from
 Canyon, where she visited her sis-
 ter, Mrs. S. D. Allen.

Miss Leta Merle Koeninger spent
 the week end visiting her parents,
 Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koeninger.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Rodgers and
 Charles of Levelland visited here
 last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hafer were
 in Tahoka Sunday to attend the
 funeral of W. O. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradley s
 Sunday in Plainview visiting
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A lesson on "Forward Steps" was
 held.

Those present were Pat Burns,
 Ruth Curtis, La Moyne Line, Peggy
 Sue Cummins, Ina Merle and Peggy

Beach, Joycye, Edna and Julia
 Edwards a visitor, Betty Lou Mc-
 Clary, and Mrs. Line.

W. M. S. MET

In the absence of the director,
 Mrs. Drew Hobdy, members of the
 W. M. S. of the Baptist Church ob-
 served a study course program on
 Monday.

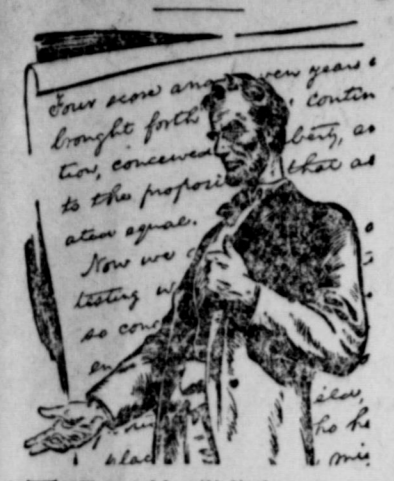
The lesson was from the book,
 "Signs of the Times."
 Present were Mesdames Earles,
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A wise God shrouds the future in obscure darkness.—Horace.

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Household News
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... TO THE CLASS OF '41!
(See Recipes Below)

COMMENCEMENT TIME

You can't believe it, can you? Susie is graduating from high school!

In between putting the final stitches on her organdy dress and entertaining visiting friends and relatives, are you going to try to find time to give her a party?

Please do. To her, it's a very important time, and she'll undoubtedly remember the gang's "last real get-together" for the rest of her life.

Why not a buffet supper? What with was raging elsewhere, you might play up the patriotic theme in decorations, refreshments and entertainment.

Use a white tablecloth, dotted with red and blue stars, and matching napkins — they're inexpensive and colorful. To top this off, use a trio of star-shaped red, white and blue candles for a centerpiece.

It won't be necessary for you to do much, except, of course, prepare the food. Games and chatter will fill up the evening. But remember that you have as guests youngsters with appetites. They like second helpings.

Serve an appetizer, one hot dish, plenty of salad and hot rolls, more cake or ice cream than you think you will possibly need, and flatter their sense of sophistication by offering second cups of coffee.

A fortune telling cake is always fun when the crowd is young and merry. You can write fortunes on slips of paper, roll them and wrap them in bits of waxed paper, and put them in the cake after it is baked. Another idea is to put in a little trinket for each guest—an engagement ring and a wedding ring, to forecast the first marriage; a key for happiness; a bean for industry; a toy soldier and so forth. You can buy these favors at the ten-cent store.

***Good Fortune Cake.**

- 2 cups sifted cake flour
- 2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2/3 cup butter or other shortening
- 1 cup sugar
- 3 egg yolks, well beaten
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 3 egg whites, stiffly beaten

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg yolks, then flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla and fold in egg whites. Bake in two greased 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375 degrees) 25 to 30 minutes. Double the recipe to make three 10-inch layers. Spread chocolate or maple frosting between layers and on top and sides of cake.

LYNN SAYS:

Games may or may not be the type of entertainment your crowd will enjoy. Just in case—here are a few suggestions:

As soon as guests arrive, they receive a card with the name of a food printed on it. Each player must then find someone with the card with the name that combines with the name on his own card. Suggested names are liver and bacon; apple pie and cheese; sauerkraut and wieners; brown bread and baked beans; ham and eggs; bread and butter; doughnuts and coffee; steak and onions; hot dogs and mustard. This game may be used in choosing supper partners.

Sardine—Some guest is chosen to be "It," and is given five minutes to hide in a spot large enough to hold several people. At the end of five minutes everyone else goes in search of "It." When one guest finds "It" he hides in the same spot and before long the hiding place is packed. The first person unable to squeeze in is "It."

THIS WEEK'S MENU

Graduation Party
All-American Appetizers
*Americana Salad
Clover Leaf Rolls
*Veal on Skewers
*Good Fortune Cake Ice Cream
*Spiced Coffee

***Spiced Coffee.**
6 cups decaffeinated coffee
1/2 cup whipping cream, whipped
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

Top each cup of coffee with a spoonful of whipped cream into which the spices have been folded. Sugar may be served with the coffee, if desired. You can use your favorite method of making the coffee, with regular grind for percolated or boiled coffee and drip grind for drip or glass maker. Allow a heaping tablespoon for each cup. And if you "perk" it, give it a few minutes extra brewing to bring out its full flavor.

Now that I've made suggestions for dessert, I'll go back to the real beginning of your party.

While placing the supper foods on the table, Susie can pass a tray of appetizers, which are, after all, just a reminder of the good things yet to come. A tiny American flag placed in the center of the tray will add to the party theme.

Potato Chips au Gratin.

Spread crisp potato chips with pimiento cheese. Serve plain or with a thick slice of pickle in the center of each. Chips may also be sprinkled with grated American or Parmesan cheese. Before serving, put under broiler to melt cheese and heat chips.

Stuffed Celery.

Scrape deep stalks of celery. Cut into 3-inch lengths. Place in ice water to which lemon juice has been added. The celery may be placed in a covered jar in a refrigerator until crisp. Several types of filling may be used to add variety.

Bacon Snacks.

Wrap 1/2 slice bacon around a sweet pickle or stuffed olive and fasten with a toothpick. Broil until bacon is crisp and serve immediately.

One first glance at the salad will bring an enthusiastic response from the crowd. Illustrated in the picture at the top of the column, it is called

***Americana Salad.**

- 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 2 cups tomatoes
- 3 whole cloves
- 1 small bay leaf
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 1/2 teaspoon thyme
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper or paprika
- 3 tablespoons vinegar

Stir gelatin and cold water together. Let stand at least 3 to 5 minutes. Meanwhile simmer tomatoes with seasonings in a covered container for 10 to 15 minutes. Strain and add vinegar. Dissolve the softened gelatin in this mixture, and pour into one large mold, and chill until firm. When it has set and is ready to serve, it is divided into two squares with layers which are joined together with a filling of cream cheese. A cream cheese star decorates the top. This recipe makes 6 portions. Now for something truly different in the way of a hot dish—

***Veal on Skewers.**

Cut boneless veal in pieces 1 1/2 inches square by about 3/4 inch thick. Stick on 8-inch metal skewers, alternating meat with slightly smaller peeled potato halves or cubes, chunks of carrot, and whole small white onions. Lay skewers in roasting pan, add 1 cup hot water, and salt. Cover and bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) for 1 hour, reduce heat to 350 degrees F., add more water if needed. Bake about 30 minutes longer, or until tender. Garnish with broiled bacon.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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

S. S. Lesson for May 18

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BROADENING CHRISTIAN HORIZONS: SAUL'S CONVERSION

LESSON TEXT—Acts 9:1-16.
GOLDEN TEXT—I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision.—Acts 26:19.

The conversion of Saul is recognized as one of the outstanding events in Bible history. When two brilliant English lawyers, Lord Lytton and Sir Gilbert West, set out to disprove the truth of Christianity, they selected the resurrection of Christ and the story of Paul's conversion as the focal points of their proof. Working independently, they then came together to compare notes, and found that they had both become Christians as they had become convinced of the truth of the Scriptures.

The two events may well stand together as mighty evidence for Christianity, for only on the ground of regeneration can the change in Saul be accounted for, and only on the assurance that he met the risen Christ on the Damascus road can we account for his conversion. This is a great lesson, let us make the very most of it.

I. Saul, a Bold Persecutor (vv. 1, 2).

As our lesson opens we find the brilliant and zealous young Jew, Saul, "yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord." The persecutions in Jerusalem had practically wiped out the church in that city, but had scattered the disciples abroad, and thus the witness had been spread. The death of the godly Stephen, to which Saul had given his approval, had only increased his determination to destroy those who were "of the way" of Jesus. Looking for new fields to conquer, he carried with him to Damascus letters from the high priest at Jerusalem, giving him authority to imprison the followers of Christ. But on the way he met Christ Himself, and was stricken to the earth.

II. Saul, a Convicted Sinner (vv. 3-9).

Stricken down by a brilliant heavenly light, he finds himself talking to the Lord Jesus. He hears from His holy lips the solemn indictment of those who persecute God's people—"Why persecutest thou me?" He who lays unkind hands upon, or brings untrue accusation against, God's children had best beware, for so closely is our Lord identified with His people that when they suffer, it is He who bears the hurt.

In a single sentence the Lord disposes of the persecuting zeal and the sinful skepticism of this proud young Pharisee, and Saul enters into Damascus not as the haughty persecutor, but as a man trembling and astonished. He spends three days shut in with his own soul and God, not seeing, not caring to eat, but entering into communion with God. By God's grace the old life is pulled up by the roots as it is displaced by the new life in Christ Jesus.

III. Ananias, an Obedient Disciple (vv. 10-12).

Ananias was the "I am here, Lord" type of Christian to whom the Lord could confidently commit His important business. All we know of him is what is contained in this chapter, but it is a very beautiful and enviable record. God is able to work directly on any human soul and accomplish His end (as He did with Saul on the Damascus road), but His usual manner of working is through faithful human agencies. One wonders how much would be accomplished for God if every Christian were as willing and ready as was Ananias to do the Lord's bidding in seeking out and helping a struggling soul.

The greatest of all Christian leaders, the apostle Paul, was led out into his life of loyalty and service to Christ by a humble layman. Repeatedly God's Word by precept and example stresses the vital importance of personal work on the part of laymen and women. The leaders of Christian work during the coming generation are now in the Sunday school classes of our churches, perhaps in a little wayside chapel in the country, in the village church, in the mission or settlement house, or in the great city church.

IV. Saul, a Chosen Witness (vv. 15, 16).

The fears of Ananias that Saul might still be a worker of evil (v. 13) were soon overcome by God's assurance that in the praying Saul He had prepared for Himself "a chosen vessel" (v. 15) to bear the gospel to the Gentiles and to kings, as well as to Israel.

The great witness of Saul was to be accompanied by great suffering. How often the two go together, and both may be (as they were in Paul's life) for God's glory. Saul knew nothing of that subtle hypocrisy known as being "a secret believer," for at once he made open confession of his faith in baptism, and "straightway he preached Christ in the synagogues that he is the Son of God" (v. 20).

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America's 'Safety Belt'

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In general, however, the zone's width is irregular, varying anywhere from several hundred miles from the mainland at the California coast to about 1,200 miles east of Florida.

AROUND THE HOUSE

When painting the basement floor it is a good idea to paint the side walls six or eight inches above the floor the same color as the floor.

Sash cords should be checked frequently. A broken window cord may result in a broken window glass or crushed finger.

Much of the shine can be taken out of worn blue serge by sponging lightly with vinegar before pressing.

Old, worn blankets make good padding for the ironing board.

Wash silk underwear in lukewarm water but never in hot. Do not rub hard or twist fabric. Remove the water by patting the silk between towels.

To poach an egg, cover it with boiling water. Cover the pan in which it is to be cooked and let stand for six minutes. Cooked in this way the egg may be easily digested.

Still All Right

A stalwart young Maricopa Indian petitioned the tribal court to have his name changed. At birth he had been given the name "All Right." The court agreed that his request was reasonable and that his name "might be misleading." After a great deal of red tape had been unwound, representatives of the Great White Father authorized the court to permit "Maricopa Indian known as 'All Right' to change his legal name to any other name of his choosing."

Asked if he had selected another name the young Indian buck answered promptly:
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THOMPSON-JOHNSON

Miss Margaret Lucille Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and Guy Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Thompson, all of this city, were married Sunday night, May 11, in Seminole.

The Rev. J. M. Kelly read the ceremony at the Presbyterian manse in Seminole.

Attending were Miss Lanette Johnson of Gail, cousin of the bride, and Clifton Buchanan.

Both are popular students of this year's graduating class and a host of friends extend best wishes to the couple.

**ACE HI CLUB
MET IN TAHOKA**

Mrs. Jimmie Applewhite was hostess to members of the Ace-Hi Bridge Club at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Prentice Walker in Tahoka Wednesday.

Roses in various colors were used to decorate the entertaining suite.

In bridge games Mrs. Sterling

Bearden won high, Mrs. Bedford Caldwell low, Mrs. Floyd Thompson traveling prize and bingo prizes were given Mrs. J. M. Alderson and Mrs. J. T. Middleton Jr.

At the tea hour, fresh strawberry sundaes and cake were served.

Other than the above mentioned present were Mesdames Jack Howard, Johnnie Billingsley and J. M. Bubany.

Mrs. Bearden will be hostess next week.

**DORCAS CLASS
HAD SOCIAL**

In her home on East Fifth street, Mrs. J. T. Middleton Sr. entertained Dorcas S. S. Class members on Wednesday.

A Bible study was conducted. A profusion of lovely garden flowers decorated the house.

Ice cream and cake was served to Mesdames Vermillion, Earles, Shaw, Debenport, Stubblefield, Harris, Howard, and Brock.

SIXTH GRADE PARTY

Members of the sixth grade were invited to the home of Bobbie Dan Blocker last Monday evening for a delightful party.

Mrs. Blocker, Mrs. Paul Gooch, Mrs. A. W. Gibbs, and Miss Mabel Harris assisted in entertaining the group with games and contests.

Miss Harris received an array of lovely gifts from her pupils.

Punch and cookies were served to about 40 guests.

Harvie Jordan was a business visitor in East Texas last week end.

WILL ATTEND WEDDING

Mrs. George Oates and small daughter, Barbara, have been in Rochester the past two weeks attending pre-nuptial parties for

Miss Mary Ruth Clark, sister of Mrs. Oates.

Miss Clark, who has been a frequent visitor here, will be married to David Brooks Crockett of Rule

on May 17.

T. E. L. SOCIAL

For the monthly social of T. E. L. Sunday School class, a delight-

ful party was given in the home of Mrs. Ed Goddard Wednesday. Mrs. Pierce was co-hostess.

The exchange of gifts was held and ice cream and cake was served.

Present were Mesdames Ed Mires, Beach, Holtzclaw, Lind Rhea, James, Ballew, Cox, Cummins, Preston, Hal Sims Jr. and the hosts.

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