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THE LEGISLATIVE GRAPEVINE

By Grady Hazlewood

The Grapevine is: — Governor Coke Stevenson will not run for reelection as Governor of Texas. The Governor is spending from twelve to sixteen hours per day in connection with the duties of this office and no man can stand up under this kind of strain for a very long period. He continues to get up at five o'clock in the morning and is in his office by six A.M. He reads word for word every single bill the legislature passes studying carefully its form and possible invalidity because of defective form or substance.

Soon a very strong move will be made to set up the Governor as the Democratic nominee for the Vice Presidency of the United States at the next general election. Life Magazine will have an issue with several pages devoted to Governor Stevenson at an early date.

Assuming that Governor Coke Stevenson does not run for reelection, Lieutenant Governor John Lee Smith will be a certain can-

didate for this office; Attorney General Gerald Mann may be prevailed upon to run although the Attorney General has always aspired to be United States Senator rather than Governor. The attorney General feels that he could render a much greater public service as United States Senator than as Governor.

Passed by the Senate were all the major appropriation bills which totaled something like fourteen million dollars less than for the last biennium. A considerable part of this reduction is because of the lack of any building program for educational and eleemosynary institutions which were in the budget during the last biennium. However, the general tone of the bills reflected much economy which the Senate felt was necessary because of the burdensome nature of federal taxation.

Senate Bill No. 256, of which

the writer is the author, and which would require the Public Welfare Board to appoint a new executive director within the ten days from the effective date of the Act traveled some strange courses over in the House. One house committee killed the bill by a vote of seven to four and refused to send it out on a minority report. Yet, members of this same committee later voted to impeach the director. A day or two later the House re-referred the bill by an almost unanimous vote to the Committee on State Affairs, which committee voted it our favorably. Why the first committee killed the bill would make very interesting reading matter, but it is now again predicted that the House will pass this measure almost without opposition.

WITH OUR ARMED FORCES

The following letter is from Lt. Charles W. Wood to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood of near Clarendon, Lt. Wood is now serving overseas.

Only that part of the letter which is of interest to the general public is being printed.

My dearest ones: Well at last I am in a place where I can write you a few lines. I hope you have not been worrying too much about me. I am just fine and do hope you are all well. I have not heard from you since the letter you wrote from Amarillo on your return from El Paso. My, but I am happy that you came to see me when you did. I enjoyed your visit very much and wish I could have seen more of the relatives before I left.

We had quite a pleasant ride across the ocean, but was I sick for one night and a part of the next day. Seasickness is different from any other type of sickness I have ever had. Boy it seems that your insides will come right up. I guess I wasn't made to be a sailor. But at last I have my feet on the ground again. It is very interesting here. I wish you could



U.S. Treasury Department Courtesy Detroit Free Press

see the sights we are seeing. Aunt Della would really have a lot to tell if she could only see it. The country is really quite beautiful but to me the good old U. S. A. is better. I even saw some very nice scenery or maybe I should say sights in our traveling in the U. S. before we sailed, things and places I had never seen before.

Please don't worry about me. Write real often and I will write when I can. No telling how long it will be before you will receive this letter as I understand the mail service is sure slow now. Give my best regards to all. Love and kisses

Even the preachers went armed in the early days of Texas. A recent gift to the University of Texas Memorial Museum is the bowie knife carried by Rev. Robert F. Bunting while he was serving as chaplain in Terry's Texas Rangers during the Civil War.

Standards & Grades For Poultry & Eggs

Standards and grades for all poultry and poultry products will be reviewed at a regional meeting in Dallas on April 13 and 14. According to L. P. Cappelman, regional director for the Food Distribution Administration, representatives of the Texas A&M College Extension Service, and Vocational Agricultural and the State Department of Education have been invited, along with federal agencies involved.

Plans for putting Federal grading practices into effect through the Federal-State grading service and cooperating agencies will be worked out. This is necessary in order to comply with maximum price regulations, which are based upon Federal standards and grades. Cappelman explained that establishment of standards and grades is a protection to consumers, producers and distributors. "Consumers should welcome adoption of state-wide grading of eggs and poultry," he added. "There is no doubt about the quality and price of these products when they are graded and labeled according to Federal standards. Producers stand to benefit because distributors will pay more for poultry and eggs when they can be sure that the products are of high quality. When the quality

of the products are not known wholesalers and retailers usually pay lower prices on account of the hazard of deterioration or spoilage." Federal grades and standards for eggs, poultry, and other food products are administered by the Food Distribution Administration of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

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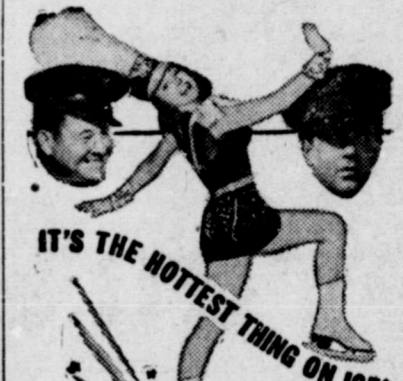
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Begins at 2:00 p. m.
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Shows Begin at 5:30, 7:30, 9:30

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Also
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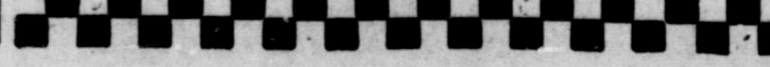


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THE TEMPLE OF TRUTH
By the Apostle

DESCRIPTIVE.
Near Tyrone, N. M. is a cemetery of that typical type found in the places seldom visited. On a tombstone I read an epitaph: "He

walked on the suicide of the highway."

SUGGESTION.
The American Eagle cannot survive on chicken feed. Buy more war bonds.

HISTORY.
Our grandmothers doted on their spinningwheels. So do the girls of today, but they want four

spinning wheels and a B gas ration book.

BIBLICAL.
Judging from the great number of fat calves owned by FFA and 4-H boys here, old Donley county would have been a great place for the prodigal son to return to.

SAME OLD STUFF.
Way back yonder over a hundred

years ago lived old Ben Franklin. Among the many sensible ideas he published was this one: "A good way to idleize a boy is to idolize him."

SMEARY.
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nize the taste mixed up with that fertilizer referred to as tobacco, but the apple juice is there just the same.

DISPLAY.
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WEAKLY POME.
Little bankroll, ere we part. Let me press you to my heart; All the month I have worked for you; I've been faithful—you've been true. Little bankroll, in a day You and I will go away To find some festive spot; I'll return—but you will not.

PIONEER DAYS.
Our folks out here never referred to "shortages" way back yonder when we wintered on bacon with the buttons on, beans and lick, with grease smeared on the bread for a sandwich spread. We had cornbread a lot of the time and liked it. That was the price the pioneer had to pay for coming West when neighbors were few but friendly. We never heard a squawk out of any one when we went on rationing. This plan was resorted to when the chuck had to meet a date down the line when the old man would return from the railroad point often one to two hundred miles away. No one grumbled. It isn't hard for the old-timer to ration a bit now. They think of the old days and wonder if some of it won't really do us good. Can our folks of today take hardships that are soft as easily as the pioneers who took them when they were hard? Yep!! That is the way of the American. Young America is accomplishing the impossible every day on the front where Old Glory is marched on the battle area. It will continue that way. Our duty today—most of all—is to not fail the boys and girls doing their best on the front lines in all the foreign lands where real men and women are making history.

LOLLING AROUND.
Went up for the Press Meet in Amarillo. Got there about noon Saturday. Swell bunch of patriots were carrying on. Military men were there a plenty to cooperate. Weekly newspapers are doing a fine job in aiding the war plans, a colonel told us. Other officers of the Pampa and Amarillo fields had a lot of good things to say by way of expressing their appreciation. The largest attendance on record brought out lots of fine talent, good fellowship and wholesome exchanging of ideas. Met Lewis Nordyke, that coming newspaper man on the News-Globe, and his little woman. Fine folks, the Nordykes. Mrs. Ann Holman, gifted co-publisher of the Hereford Brand. Her partner, Jimmie Gillentine, formerly of Wellington, was elected president for the coming year. The Bard of Matador, Douglas Meadors, became vice president. Clyde Warwick of Canyon continue right on as secretary by unanimous choice of the whole hundreds of newspaper folks. Mr. Warwick is responsible for ninety percent of the success of the Panhandle Press Association, the largest regional press association known. Met dozens of other fine men and women and certainly enjoyed the privilege. Would take ten columns like this to tell a story worth while about these people who give so much for so little in our several communities. Mr. Staley from

Clayton, N. M. never fails to attend. He is one of the most talented men in the game. Some came several hundred miles, as did the Hon. Arthur LeFevre of Houston, editor of the Texaco Topics.

GOLDSTON
Beatrice Smith

Anita Cook spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring and family.

Ina May Brock, Evelyn and Donley Jones and Orren Brock and John Smith visited in the Johnson home. Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson also visited in their home.

Naoma Mooring spent Saturday night with Jewell Pierce. Lester Shields was a dinner guest in the H. C. Smith home Friday.

Mrs. Ray Roberson visited Mrs. William Pierce Friday evening. Mr. Willard Higdon and daughter and Mrs. Eulan Higdon are visiting in the W. C. Higdon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberson and family visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orren Hott of Chamberlain community Sunday. Mrs. Hubert Johnson is home once more after staying in Pampa a few weeks.

We are sorry to report that Pharmacy Mate Ralph Stewart is

ill with the mumps. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard and son and Betty Fern Higdon visited in the Martin community Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ziegler's daughter-in-law who is staying with them received word from her husband, John Ziegler, that he is stationed somewhere in North Africa. He says it is a pretty country.

Mrs. Lester Shields and daughter spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Guinn and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Collier Brock and family.

Mrs. William Jordan of Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock visited in the Murphy Brock home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring and family, Lorene, Marjorie and Eva June Brock and Aneta Cook visited Mrs. H. C. Smith and family Sunday evening.

S/Sgt. Joseph Stewart and Pharmacy Mate Ralph Stewart are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart Joseph returned to camp Friday.

The Junior Sunday school class enjoyed an ice cream supper at the school house Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and family spent Monday in Amarillo.

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FOUND—Womans kid glove. Owner please identify at Leader office and pay for this adv.

STRAYED—Hereford steer, wt. 700 lbs. Has open heart (turned upside down) brand on left shoulder and left ear cropped. See Maurice Risley, Clarendon. (8-p)

FOR RENT

FOR SALE—One short horn Durham Bull, 3 yrs. old. One yearling Durham Bull calf; one four year old horse and one horse eleven yrs. old. See Sam Tankersley. (8-c)

FOR RENT—Unfurnished Apartment. See Bill Weatherly at Shamburger Lumber Co. (7fc)

FOR SALE

Mr. FARMER—Increase the stand and yield of grain sorghum and cotton by treating seed with NEW IMPROVED CERESAN. Stocking's Drug Store (7-p)

FOR SALE—One wind charger. See Mrs. S. J. May at W. J. Garlands apartments. (8-p)

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FOR SALE—A few coming 2 year old registered Hereford bulls. See Clyde Gilbert. (9-p)

FOR SALE—Have received car of Coal. D. O. Stallings. (8-2c)

FOR SALE—Georgia Hibred, first year cotton seed at \$1.50 per bushel. See Lon Rundell. (8-2c)

SURPLUS STOCK OF BULBS—President canna (red), City of Portland (pink), 50c a dozen. About 40 varieties of Dahlias. Mrs. Lon Rundell. (8-3c)

FULLER SUPPLIES—Will sell my remaining stock at 10% discount. See or call Mrs. Johnnie Beard. (8-p)

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AVENARIUS CARBOLINEUM—Kills poultry mites and blue bugs. Sold on a money-back guarantee at— Stocking's Drug Store (52-p)

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WANTED—Empty feed sacks. Thomas Mill & Feed Store. (31fc)

WANTED—Storage space to let. See J. L. Upton. (8fc)

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WANTED—Half breed Jersey cow out of good milk stock. Prefer one with first calf or second calf, fresh. J. C. Estlack, Phone 455, Clarendon, Texas. (6-p)

REVISED OUTLINE OF EMPLOYER'S DUTIES NOW AVAILABLE

A revised "Outline of Employer's duties under the Social Security Act," recently issued jointly by the Social Security Board and the Bureau of Internal Revenue, is now available to employers who wish a copy, according to Dewey Reed, Manager of the Amarillo field office. This outline explains in detail the employer's responsibilities and will be helpful to employers since it answers nearly every question which might arise regarding social security record keeping, tax returns, and liability. Any employer wishing a copy should write or phone the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board, 324 New Post Office Building.

Mr. Reed pointed out that tax returns and questions regarding tax matters should go to the Collector of Internal Revenue at Dallas. Claims for benefits and requests for original or duplicate social security account numbers should be mailed to the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boston left Saturday afternoon for their home at Jackson, Miss. His mother, Mrs. U. J. Boston accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley McCracken of Amarillo visited the weekend with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heckman.

Natural Foods In War Program

Tests made recently in an aircraft factory showed 40 per cent of the workers were deficient in vitamin A; 21 per cent in vitamin B; and 42 per cent in vitamin C, according to Dr. Victor G. Heiser, Medical Consultant of the National Association of Manufacturers. "Of the 132 million people in this country, approximately 97 million are ill-fed," Dr. Heiser states.

The correction of such conditions is a nutritional problem rather than remedial one. "They can be overcome," states Mrs. Ethel Austin Martin, Director, Nutrition Service, the National Dairy Council, "by building daily menus around an adequate nucleus of the protective foods, including milk and its products, eggs, leafy vegetables, raw fruits and other vegetables, meats and their equivalent in other foods of animal origin." Unless they are overcome, the nation's production capacity, so sorely needed in the war program, is gravely impaired.

Such a balanced diet normally contains all the vitamins and minerals the body needs to get the most out of its food. American industry, both individually and through the National Association of Manufacturers, is urging workers to eat these fundamental foods first and then anything else they wish. Activities on the part of industrial leaders are shown by a constant increase in mid-meal lunches of milk, sandwiches and fruit, as well as greater attention to the diets of employees in company-owned cafeterias. Leading manufacturers report that these activities are already resulting in sharp decreases in absenteeism due to illness and to increases in production of essential war materials.

Lawrence Heckman is in hospital at Bryan, Texas. He is doing very well.

Report is that Colie Huffman has the measles in the hospital at Bryan, Texas.

DO YOU KNOW TEXAS?

Texas Memorial Museum on the U. of T. Campus at Austin displays exhibits that stimulate American patriotism. These emphasize that all of our wars have been for a common cause, the same purpose, to liberate man.

The Revolution of 1776 was to get the privileged class of England off the backs of the American Colonists who were redeeming this wilderness.

The War of 1812 was to rescue American seamen from oppression.

The Mexican War was to liberate the settlers of Texas from the whimsy cruelty of Mexican War Lords.

The Spanish War was to save the people of Cuba from the tyranny of the Spanish Government.

Every time our army and navy and flying corps have gone forth it has been to clean up some filthy autocracy.

But all of our wars have been but a preparation for our present task. We did not realize it. No man forces his destiny, no nation forges its mission. Yet the life of every nation, as of every man, is a plan of God.

God has been piling up riches on this continent until we are the wealthiest nation in the world. He has been sharpening our inventive skill and our business ability. Our training has been intensive.

Now God says; "America, you are come of age. All I have done for you is to prepare you for the present conflict, for your real work, Go forth and make the world a decent place to live in."

At this time every son of America is called upon to do his utmost. The slacker is a traitor.

We are sending men across the ocean, men who are physically and mentally the pick of the world, an incomparable army. But the men at home must back them up.

Personals

Mrs. Marvin Warren left Friday for Amarillo where she will make her home.

Mesdames J. L. McMurtry, Pete Kuntz, Guy Stricklin and J. W. Howze were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wood of Amarillo announce the birth of a 7 lb. girl, born April 12th. The young lady is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wood of Clarendon.

Mrs. Bob Oswald and two small daughters of Vernon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford.

Price Whitlock who visited in Clarendon last week has returned to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams were in Amarillo Tuesday. Her daughter June returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman returned home Saturday from San Antonio where they visited a few days, also attended to business while there.

V. W. Carpenter and J. A. Warren were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Miss Billie Nell Warren spent the week end in Amarillo visiting her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Perkins of McLean transacted business here Monday.

Miss Letha Warren of Amarillo came down Monday for a few days vacation with homefolks. She is employed in Amarillo by the Ratliff Drug.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinslow of Hedley visited in the Ed Dishman home Tuesday.

Mable Mongole who is teaching at Alanreed spent week end with homefolks.

Miss Anna Moores who visited in Dallas last week returned home Sunday.

Ruth McDonald of Plainview is visiting relatives in Clarendon this week. She is on her way to enter Radio school at Waco.

MEN OVEYR 38 WILL NOT BE DISCHARGED

The War Department on March 31st stopped the discharging of men over 38 years old. Hereafter, such individuals will be transferred to an anactive status in the enlisted reserve corps, subject to the following conditions:

The man must request transfer to an inactive status to enter an essential industry, including agriculture, and accompany his request by a statement from the War Manpower Commission to the effect that his release is desired.

The man will be recalled to active duty upon request of the War Manpower Commission.

Albert Johnson is in hospital in North Africa with pneumonia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson.

Mrs. Womack of Amarillo is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Andis.

Mrs. Eugene Stewart from Norman, Okla. is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Lester Schull.

Miss Ida Pool who has been teaching at White Deer is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pool.

C. E. Griggs of Dumas spent week end in Clarendon.

Mrs. C. E. Griggs spent the week end with relatives in East Texas.

Estelle Thornberry and Willie Mae Pratt are at Dallas where they have work.

Marvin Jones of Lubbock spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. F. Jones.

Mrs. Curtis Myers of Dumas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cook.

Mrs. Joe Cluck of Dalhart spent week end in Clarendon visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Warner are now at home after a few months at Monahans where Mr. Warner had been doing government work.

Mrs. David Caraway and three children left Sunday for Salinas, Calif. to make their home.

When a student bombardier says he "got a shack," it means his bomb hit squarely on the target. "Shacks" at the Midland, Texas, AAF Bombardier School are thirty-foot square frame structures.

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RIVER IN NEW GUINEA—Fording streams in New Guinea is an everyday occurrence among American soldiers. Men in uniform with packs seek shallow water. Native helpers are heedless of deep pools.

County War Boards Issue Permits

County USDA War Boards of Texas this week were asked to grant slaughter permits and temporary quotas to butchers who do not have 1941 slaughter bases, but otherwise are qualified to receive permits.

Factors which war boards will consider in determining this type slaughter base are quantities slaughtered in 1942, existing facilities, available livestock and meat needs in the locality.

The Boards also were instructed at the same time to grant temporary increases in existing quotas to butchers if the 1941 slaughter base is abnormally low according to existing facilities, available livestock and meat needs.

Under the meat management program, which already is in operation, county USDA war boards and other permit-issuing agencies have proper authority to make adjustments for farm slaughterers whose 1941 bases are not normal. They also may grant small sales quotas to farm slaughterers who do not furnish 1941 records.

Temporary quotas will not be granted unless a petition for relief is filed at the same time. Temporary quotas will remain in effect until petitions are acted upon.

Local slaughterers will be given present quotas or increases in present quotas on the basis of the same four factors but only with the approval of regional administrators of the Food Distribution Administration, the Department of Agriculture has announced.

Purpose of the meat management program is to stamp out black market operations, to obtain adequate supplies of meat for direct war needs, and to secure the necessary control over the supply of meat so that it can be fairly distributed through consumer rationing.

RELIEF SEEN FOR BATTERY SHORTAGE

Some relief is anticipated in the current farm radio battery shortage, the WPB has announced. Lack of batteries has been acute in those farm areas where radio reception depends solely on battery sets. In some sections of these areas, reports have indicated that as many as one-third of the farm radios have been inoperative due to a lack of batteries.

Cotton Insurance Breaks 1942 Record

More Texas farmers will have their cotton crop protected this year than during 1942.

The state AAA office announced this week that already 36,917 applications have been tabulated and that farmers in northwest Texas and the South Plains area now are signing insurance contracts with county AAA committees.

Deadline for this heavy cotton producing area is April 15, the final closing date in the state, according to Donald L. Cothran, state crop insurance supervisor.

Offered for the second year, federal cotton crop insurance protects the crop against all unavoidable hazards from the time seeds are planted until the cotton is ginned. Either 50 or 75 percent of the farm's normal yield is protected under the FCIC contract.

Premiums may be paid by signing a commodity note which calls for payment either in cotton, or the cash equivalent, in deductions from loss payments, or from the first farm payment. Premiums are due in the fall, the AAA official said.

The outstanding feature of this year's program is the reduced premium plan through which growers' premiums will be reduced as much as 50 percent when the amount paid into the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation over a continuous period of years equals or exceeds the amount required to pay one total loss.

HUDGINS

Mrs. S. M. Harp

There was a good crowd out for Sunday school and preaching. Bro. Hansard of Hedley preached both morning and night.

Mary Nell Perdue, Velma Tims, Elois and Ermalea Elliott spent Sunday with Mrs. Harp.

Grandpa and grandma Perdue of Midway, took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Talley and family called in the afternoon.

Imogene Elliott, Jerry Perdue, and Magdalene Talley spent Saturday night with Edna Mae Milles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue and Dane motored to Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Whitt and Charlie Ann called in the Haire home awhile Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ewing and family visited in this community Sunday afternoon.

N. M. McGlone and S. M. Harp called on O. D. Meador Sunday afternoon.

Davis Williams called in the Tims home Sunday afternoon.

Sidney Harp spent Tuesday night of last week with Junior Putman of Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonecipher spent Tuesday night at Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allee and children, Mrs. Virgil Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Awfil visited in the Talley home.

The community enjoyed a social at the school house Friday night.

There will be preaching at the school house this Sunday night.

A Young Warrior on the American Farm



Farm boys and girls can help beat the Axis in many ways. This chap is raising calves—excellent insurance against a shortage of milk, butter, cream, cheese, and meat for the healthy American family.

MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldstein

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Naylor are the proud grandparents of a new baby born to their son J. R. and wife at the Clarendon Clinic Sat.

Betty John Goldston spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Gene Chamberlain in Memphis.

Mr. John Naylor and daughters Lavada and the twins, and Mrs. Roberta Woods and Miss Vada Waldron were supper guests in the Gene Chamberlain home in Memphis last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis and Arthur Davis made a business trip to Childress and Memphis Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Cook and Miss Jessie Cook of Ashtola spent Monday night with Mrs. Tomlinson.

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In the next few weeks you may be visited by one of the thousands of men and women who are giving their time and effort to the 2nd War Loan Drive. Welcome these patriotic workers if they call... buy from them all the War Bonds you can!

Better still, don't wait for them. Go to your nearest bank, post office, or War Bond booth, and invest more fighting dollars now! It's the least you can do to help those who are fighting and dying overseas!

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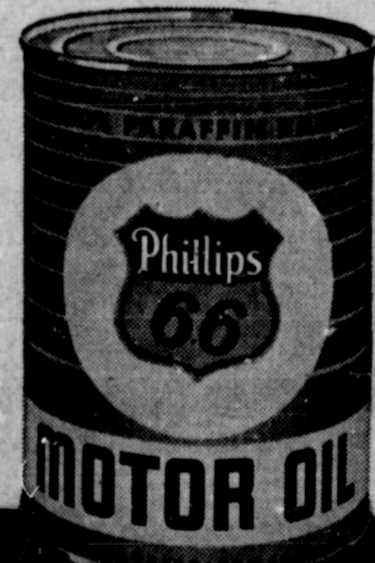


THIS YOUNG MAN'S MILLINERY is merely a dramatic way of picturing the plight of the average car owner after trying to decide between the conflicting claims and values of all the motor oils on the market.

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To Interview Applicants For Seabees

Lieutenant C. B. Parrett of the Navy's civil engineering corps will visit the Amarillo Navy recruiting station Thursday and Friday, April 15 and 16, to interview applicants for the Seabees and assign tentative ratings to all eligible men. Those with construction experience residing in towns within close proximity of Amarillo are urged to visit the station during Lieut. Parrett's stay.

"Seabees" is the name for the Navy's overseas construction battalions. Numerous ratings have been re-opened in the construction units, and now is the time to apply for enlistment, Lieut. Parrett pointed out.

Under the new setup, recently introduced, all men between the ages of 17 and 50, in skilled trades, are eligible for enlistment in the Seabees. Of course, all applicants must be in IA or 3A classification. Boys 17 and men over 37 may volunteer at any time, but those of induction age—18 to 37—first must be interviewed by Lieut. Parrett to determine if they are needed in the Seabees. If qualified, they are given a letter, asking their local draft board to induct them on the next induction date, or no longer than 30 days from the date of the letter.

Ratings will be given to men in the following trades who can qualify: bulldozer operators, carpenters, drillers, electricians, mechanics, pipefitters, plumbers, riggers, sheet metal workers, and many others.

Canada's 2,000,000,000 Bullet Produced



CANADA, during this war, has already turned out enough bullets to wipe out every inhabitant of the globe. Brigadier General D. E. Dewar, Director General of the Ordnance and Small Arms Ammunition Branch, Department of Munitions and Supply, is shown here adding the 2,000,000,000th round of small arms ammunition, a .303-inch bullet to his wide collection. In one working shift, Canada is now producing more small arms ammunition than was turned out in two months with pre-war facilities. The present monthly output exceeds the entire production for the peak year of the

first Great War, and in the latter part of 1943, Canada will be turning out twice as much small arms ammunition in a month as she made in any year from 1914 to 1918. The production for 1943 is expected to reach the record high of 3,000,000,000 rounds. One million dollars a week is being spent on small arms ammunition at the present time. In production are 22 types of 9 different calibers ranging from .22-inch to .50-inch. The Dominion is supplying the ammunition for all types of small arms manufactured in Canada, including Sten, Bren, Lee-Enfield, Boys, Browning, and Vickers guns.

2,000 SACKS OF ARMY MAIL LOST

Through enemy action more than two thousand sacks of U.S. mails carried on United Nations ships and destined for American soldiers overseas in recent weeks have been lost, the Army postal service reports. In making this announcement, the War Department said that the loss of these mails was a striking illustration of why V-mail should be more fully utilized in communicating with soldiers overseas since 36,000,000 pieces of such mail have been handled thus far without the loss of a single letter. This is made possible by holding the originals at the ports of embarkation until the duplicate copies arrive safely at their overseas destinations.

New Program Governing Farm Implement Tires

Keeping tractor and other farm implements operating full time on the farm front highlights two recent actions regarding tires, the Texas USDA War Board said this week.

The first action lifts county quota restrictions on farm tractor and implement tires while the second action specifies farmers may obtain tires recapped with reclaimed rubber without rationing certificates.

Farmers now are required to apply only to their local rationing boards to obtain sufficient tires for farm use. The local boards have been advised by OPA that substantial district, state and regional reserves have been established to provide for needs. Also, a national reserve will be maintained to increase field office supplies of this type tire.

The principal reason behind the move which frees recapping with reclaimed rubber from rationing restrictions was the desire to have farmers recap their tires in time to prevent total loss of worn tire casings. As a move to conserve rubber, replacements will not be issued for tires that can be recapped.

Previously, recapping of rear wheel tractor tires was not required and replacements were granted even though the tires to be replaced were suitable for recapping.

Tractor and implement tires will now be recapped with Grade F camel back, which contains no crude rubber.

RUBBER OUTLOOK NOT SO BRIGHT

The long-range rubber outlook offers some hope now, but the real squeeze will come this summer.

Rubber Administrator Jeffers has stated that the bottom of the barrel will be scraped between October, 1943, and March, 1944. There has been a lot of publicity about the tires that will be available this year and statements that we would have approximately 12,000,000 tires against approximately 3,000,000 that were used last year. Last year there were only approximately 3,000,000 cars eligible for tires, while under tire regulation 1A there are possibly 27,000,000 passenger automobiles now eligible for tires.

There is still a good number of additional tires in the Government warehouses, useable "as is". However, the 600x16, a very popular size, is getting very scarce. There are considerable stocks of 700x16 which may be used in the place of 600x16. As you know, it is possible to use several different cross-section sizes on a 16-inch rim.

Restrictions Removed From Fencing

All types of fencing materials have been removed from the farm machinery rationing program, according to the Texas USDA War Board.

In making the announcement, the board explained that fencing materials now could be sold without restrictions and that applications to secure delivery would no longer be required by purchasers.

The machinery rationing program, under which approximately 75 types of farm machinery are restricted to essential needs, was put into operation several months ago in all Texas counties. Purpose of the program is to route available supplies of essential types of machinery into channels where maximum contribution will be made to agriculture's war production program.

Although removed from rationing restrictions, supplies of fencing materials still are limited and dealers are being requested to restrict sales to producers' immediate needs in order that maximum use might be obtained from the supplies now on hand.

They also are asked to limit sales, insofar as possible, to farmers and ranchmen for increasing production of agricultural commodities this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Roberts.

Mrs. Weldon Warren arrived Monday from Vernon and is spending the week here with relatives. Weldon is stationed at Frederick, Okla.

Canucks and Yanks Fly Wing to Wing Guarding Alaska



High over the great mountain ranges of Alaska speeds a flight of R.C.A.F. Kittyhawks, ready to meet in the air anything the Japs may send against the shores of this northern outpost of the continent. Each day the aircraft of Canadian and United States forces cover many miles over dangerous mountain country and the lonely waters of the northern Pacific. In the case of a large scale invasion of North America by the Japanese it is probable that "these aerial fighters" would be out in front to bear the first shock. They have already clashed with strong forces of the Jap and bombed his outposts on a number of occasions.

THE United States and Canada—two nations which have long shown the world an example in how to be peaceful neighbors—are now showing the world how they can fight side by side when that peace is threatened. Symbolic of this close co-operation between the two countries is the U. S.-Canadian air unit now guarding the rocky shores of Alaska.

Already the Yanks and Canucks have had numerous brushes with the Japs in the North Pacific area. First Canadian to bring down a Jap in that part of the world was Wing Commander Ken Boomer, of Ottawa. Some of the Canadians now serving in Alaska are veterans of many bombing raids and dog fights over Europe. Men of the R.C.A.F., most of them graduates of the coun-



try's great chain of instructional schools, are now fighting on virtually all of the world's fronts. President Roosevelt recently referred to Canada as "the airdrome of democracy." One and a half billions of dollars will be spent on the British Commonwealth Air Training plan in Canada during the next three years. Canada will provide half of the money and 80 per cent of the air

crews to be trained. In the upper photo, a flight of Canadian fighters is shown as it speeds over the towering mountains of Alaska. In the lower photo, a group of Canadian fighter pilots study their maps prior to a routine patrol. The winter fogs and sleet storms of Alaska and the Aleutians have made this section one of the most hazardous operational areas of the war.

Mrs. Jordan and Mrs. Richard Cannon spent Monday evening in the J. D. Wood home.

B. Chenault of Lelia Lake Sunday in Amarillo with his wife and daughter, Billie Ray.

WIVES SERVICE MEN TO GET MATERNITY CARE

Maternity care for wives of service men and care for their infants will be available shortly for those who apply to State Health Departments, according to Katherine F. Lenroot, Chief of the Children's Bureau of the U.S. Department of Labor. Following appropriation by Congress of \$1,200,000 to meet estimated needs to July, plans are being rushed to extend such aid to women in the 48 states, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico.

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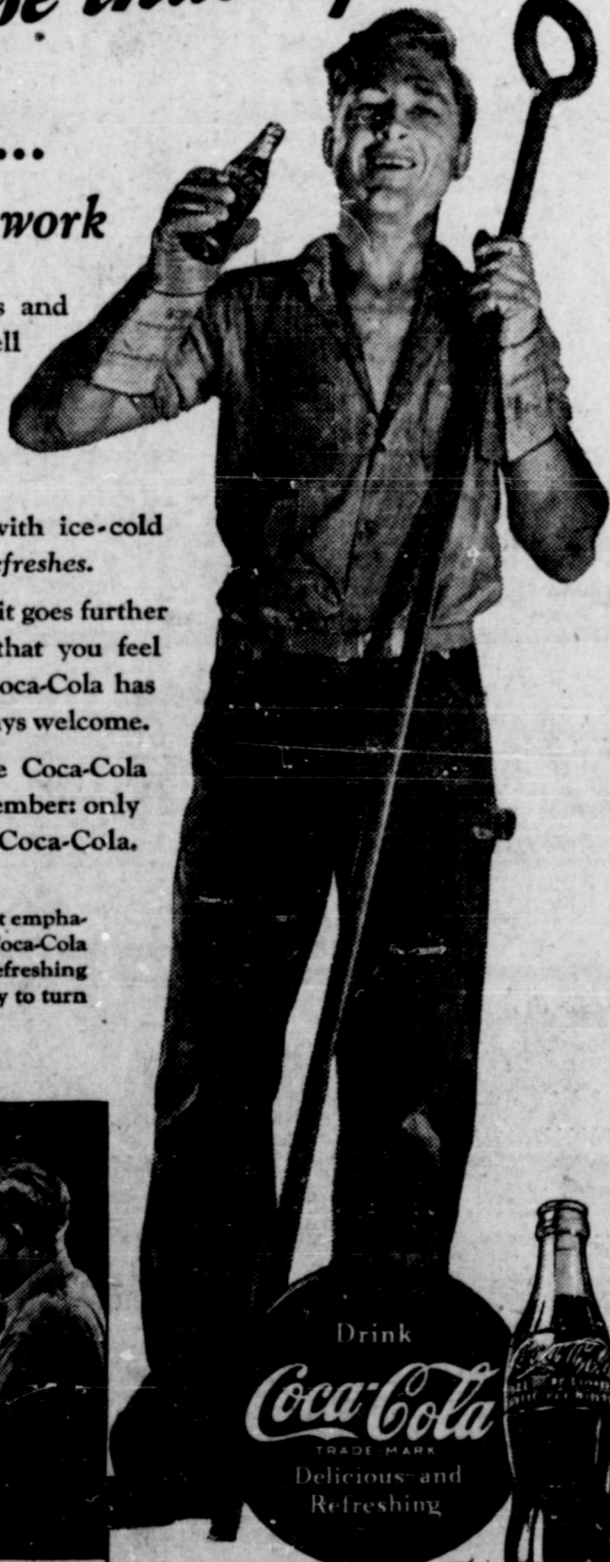
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ANNOUNCEMENT

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John McClellan, a 6½ lb. baby girl, April 12th at Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo.

Dave Johnson and A. C. Donnell were down over Sunday from Amarillo visiting homefolks. Mr. Johnson is employed by Morrow Thomas Hwd. Co. and Mr. Donnell is employed at Pantex Ordnance Plant.

HAVE SONS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Allison have had the pleasure of having both of their sons home with them. Pvt. Arlis Allison has a 15-day furlough and Cpl. Boyd Allison and wife were here on a 3-day pass. Boyd is still at Wichita Falls and Arlis is stationed at Del Rio, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed of Lelia Lake announce the birth of a son, Robert Cleveland, April 4.

TO THE PRODUCERS OF DONLEY COUNTY:

Walter J. Flynt, Secretary
Donley County ACA

As you know this Thursday, April 15, is the closing date for taking out Cotton crop insurance, and as this will probably not get to you until after that date, I wish to thank each and everyone of you who were interested in Crop Insurance, at least enough to come and let us explain it to you whether you took it or not. I for one enjoy selling insurance, because I believe it is the thing for most farmers to do. I hope that we may serve you in 1943 as we have in 1942.

Most of you have already read the daily papers and heard over your radio that Congress did not see fit to appropriate the money with which to carry on the Incentive Payment program. This means that we will not receive the \$8.00 per acre on Grain Sorghum, or the \$30.00 an acre on peanuts or any of the other designated war crops. This came as quite a shock to us as all our information has been to go ahead with telling farmers that the Program would be in effect in 1943. The only Incentive Program left is on Vegetables for Fresh Market and the Irish Potato program. This denial of payment has not affected the War Crop Program however. You will be expected to plant at least 90% of your war crop goal. The penalty of \$15.00 per acre for underplanting below 90% of this goal is still in effect, and Producers who plant below this amount will be penalized up to the full amount of their cotton payments, but it will not effect their earnings made by carrying out soil-building practices.

The cancellation of the program is very disappointing, but the fact still remains that we are in need of planting a large acreage of Grain Sorghum, in order to feed the greatly increased amount of livestock which are in the country at this time. We have no government land to plant this year, therefore we may plant more grain sorghum than in the past. This at least is to the Producer's benefit whether we get paid for it or not.

We are to start out very soon on a premeasurement program. That is we are sending clerks and planimeter Operators out in about fourteen communities in the county to try to help you to measure off your crop before you plant it. Aerial maps will be taken to the communities, and rough sketches will be made on specially prepared sheets showing the amount of each permanent field. Then we will try to help you measure off your crop in any way that you wish so that you will not be overplanted on cotton or underplanted on War Crops. After plots have been picked out to plant these crops they will be marked on a sheet which you are to keep to go by, showing chain, yard or foot measurements (whatever you desire) on each plot you pick out. These plots will also be drawn on the aerial maps just like you tell us, and a carbon copy of your sheet will be filed in your farm folder, so that we may tell what we told you when planning your crop.

As farmers are to measure their own land in 1943 in planting as well as in regular compliance, I believe that this program will be a valuable program to them. If farmers wish to measure in chains we will carry a chain along with us so that if they wish to make wires to serve as chains they may do so.

You will receive a letter telling you what community to go to and what day to be there before your community is visited. You will receive further instructions in next week's papers and in letters to you personally.

GUEST IN GERNER HOME
Miss Lillian Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, residents of Amarillo, Texas, was a recent visitor in Lelia Lake. She was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gerner. Miss Smith is the bride-to-be of Ernest S. Gerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerner. Mrs. Gerner and son Bill made the trip back to Amarillo with Miss Smith, Monday, April 12th.

Toy Wood from Imperial, Calif. spent week end with his aunt, Miss Della Wood and other relatives.

Mrs. O. C. Watson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson Jr. and family at Perryton this week.

Ration News—

(Continued from Front page)

Large amounts of meat are normally slaughtered, processed, and sold at wholesale or retail by farmers, and large amounts of butter are churned and sold by their wives.

Voluntary compliance of farmers with the provisions of the rationing order on meat and butter is essential. Every farmer who raises cattle, pigs, or sheep may slaughter, and every farmer who has a cow may produce butter. He may sell his products in the retail or wholesale market or he and his family may consume them.

Obviously, the farmer is outstandingly important in all phases of the meat and fat rationing campaign. He has specific rights and specific obligations which he must understand and carry out "on his honor."

Provisions which affect the farmer are:

1. He must secure a license for slaughtering.
2. The license number must be stamped on each primal cut of meat.
3. Stamps must be collected for all meat sold.
4. These stamps must be turned in to the War Price and Rationing Board and a monthly report made on sales.

Provisions which affect the farmer's wife are:

1. Stamps must be collected for all butter sold.
2. These stamps must be turned in to the War Price and Rationing Board and a monthly report made on sales.

Farmers are asked by their government to retain in their books

red stamps for the home-slaughtered meat and home-churned butter their families use, because all meat and butter was counted as a part of the country's over-all supply and was included in the basic figure on which the ration allowance was computed. Overconsumption by the farm families means less than the proper share for others. Farm families are asked to join all other Americans in the program to "share and share alike."

Blackout for Blackmarkets

It takes two to make a black market, a seller and a buyer. Black market operations at retail have included selling above ceiling prices and misrepresenting the grade of meat. Back of these retail operations lie illegal wholesale pricing practices, up-grading, and illegal slaughtering. And the illegal slaughtering may be of diseased animals, and carried on under unsanitary conditions.

Any consumer who gives a thought to the matter recognizes the importance of eliminating these black market practices. They are a menace to our economy; they may divert so much meat to illegal channels that we are unable to "share and share alike"; and they may threaten the health of our families.

Dollar and cents ceiling prices recently set on pork will do much to curb black markets. But these markets can continue to operate in spite of the new ceiling price system if consumers continue to patronize them.

VISIT AT PERRYTON

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson and son George, and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus and baby spent week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson Jr. and family at Perryton. The Watsons made the trip especially to see their new grandson, Jackson Lawler Watson who was born Tuesday, April 6th.

C. E. Griggs of Dumas spent week end in Clarendon looking after business.

Clarendon Clinic Hospital Notes

Surgical:
Mrs. A. Grant, Conway; Mrs. F. L. Berry, Pampa.

Medical:
Mrs. J. H. Hurn, Mr. D. B. Hood, Mrs. Beula Gamble, Mrs. J. A. Parker, all of Clarendon.

Births:
Mrs. J. R. Naylor, Clarendon, a boy, Rudy Leon, born April 10th.
Mrs. Lloyd Risley, Clarendon, a girl, Martha Jo, born April 6th.
Mrs. Vera Howell, Hedley, a boy.

Oscar Maxey was down from Dumas Sunday visiting homefolks.

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LETTUCE Each	5c	PEANUT BUTTER WAPCO—24 oz. Jar	35c
CELERY Stalk	15c	FRUIT COCKTAIL WHITE SWAN (13 Points)—No. 1 Tall Can	19c

PURE LARD 4 lb. Cart. Armour (20 points)	68c	COFFEE 1 lb Jar WHITE SWAN	37c
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OXYDOL Large Size—Box	23c	CRISCO Creamy (15 Points)—3 lbs.	75c
FLOUR SUNNY BOY (guaranteed)—24 lb. Sack	\$1 00	DRIED PRUNES (No Points)—2 lbs.	25c
CREAM MEAL YUKONS BEST—20 lb. Sack	65c	BULK BEAN SEED—No points Pinto, Great Northern, Lima, and also English Peas.	

VALLANCE "SPECIAL" in Print Sack—Guaranteed		TO FEED ONE OF THE BEST FEED YUKON'S BEST	
FLOUR 24 lbs. ... 89c	\$1 75	Chick Starter and Laying Mash	
48 lb. Sack			

BEEF ROAST (7 Points)—Pound	25c	FRESH LIVER (6 Points)—Pound	20c
TENDER JUICY STEAK (8 Points)—Pound	32c	PORK SAUSAGE Good Quality (Points)—Pound	31c
ASSORTED LUNCH MEAT (Points)—Pound	27c	OLEOMARGARINE Sunlight (5 Points)—Pound	21c
CREAMY BUTTER (8 Points)—Pound	55c	PORK CHOPS (Points)—Pound	35c

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF ANY ITEMS.

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