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Red Cross Asks More Volunteers

The Red Cross has issued a new appeal for women workers as Slaton's quota is far from reached. This is not a call for a week or a month, but for the duration. This work will have to go on as long as the war lasts, and cannot be done merely as an addition to our usual way of life. It is not a spare time war. All of us are needed, and each of us can contribute our share of time and effort if we are willing to give up some of the things we have done during peace time, so that we may have the right to go back to them when the war is won.

W. J. SCUDDERS MOVING TO SEYMOUR

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scudder and daughter Miss Mabel Scudder are moving this week to Seymour, Texas where Mr. Scudder will be connected with the Farmers Gin. The Scudders have made a host of friends while here and they will be greatly missed.

Mercy Hospital

Mrs. Joe Miller has returned to her home, and is recovering satisfactorily following a major operation.

Births

Congratulations to — Mr. and Mrs. A. Gilmore, Post Texas on the birth of a baby girl Oct. 2nd (Genevieve) 6lbs, 2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Guerra, McAllen, Texas, on the birth of a baby girl (Dora) Oct. 2nd. 7lbs and 2ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Merrill, Slaton, Texas, on the birth of a baby boy (Robby Loy) Oct. 3rd 8lbs. The father is a farmer.

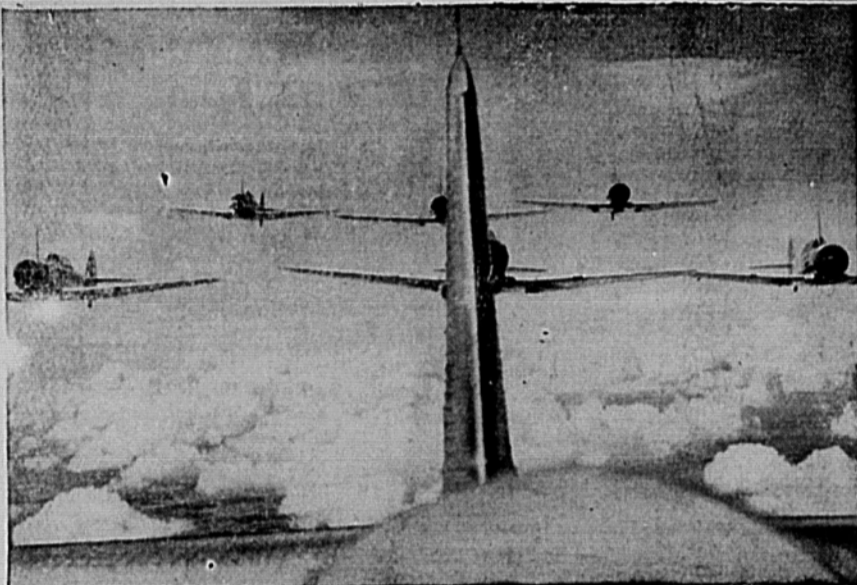
Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Baldwin, Slaton Texas on the birth of a baby boy (Mertree Wright) 5 lbs and 14 ozs. The proud father is attorney-at-law in Slaton.

Mrs. H. J. Belcher, Slaton, Texas, on the birth of a baby boy (Richard Mack) 7lbs 12ozs. Oct. 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Armstrong, Wilson, Texas, on the birth of a baby boy (Charles Edgar) 9lbs. 4 ozs, Oct. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hughes on the birth of a baby girl (Catherine Elaine) 6lbs Oct. 6th. The father is brakeman on the Sante Fe.

GET IN "THE SCRAP" TODAY!



Squadron of low-winged 200-mile-an-hour advanced training planes at Kelly Field, Texas, piloted by young Air Force student flyers, stage a mock attack on the camera plane. Imagine six streams of hot lead pouring from the guns of these six fledgling pilots and you'll have an idea how a Zero or Messerschmidt pilot feels when Uncle Sam's fighter planes get on his tail. Pilots of planes about and also an undisclosed number of other flyers at seven advanced schools in the Gulf Coast Training Center win their wings Oct. 9.

Students To Cover Town Today In Search Of Scrap Metal And Rubber

Professor M. S. Kavanaugh, member of the Slaton Salvage Committee and Superintendent of the Slaton Schools estimated yesterday that the Junior High and High School had gathered forty two tons of scrap metal and rubber and that perhaps that much more could be gathered this week.

The contest, in which Herschel Crawford of the Palace Theatre has offered each student in the winning class a pass to the Theatre, has been extended through the coming week in order to allow the many tons of scrap to be collected that has been promised the boys and girls.

The Junior High School and the High School will have a holiday today and the boys and girls will make a house to house canvass of the entire town to solicit salvage of all kinds. Those who have anything regardless of how small the amount it will be helping the drive by placing it in a pile in front of the homes and business houses so that the students can gather it up. Arrangements have been made for the students to have the use of a number of different kinds of conveyances to collect the scrap in and everyone in Slaton will have an opportunity to help in the drive today.

It should be unnecessary to call the attention of every one in Slaton to the vital importance of helping in collecting the scrap. If you have been negligent turn over a new leaf today, you will not have a better opportunity to get rid of your old metal and rubber than you will have today when the children will do most of the work of getting it to a mill for making weapons for Victory.



Mr. O. N. Alcorn has been informed that his son Arnold Alcorn will graduate today from a Navy School in Chicago where he has been taking instructions on Diesel Engines.

In the final examinations Arnold Alcorn made the highest grade of the 386 in his class. He will leave immediately for an assignment in the Navy work in the Eastern States.

Briggs Robertson Jr., has been transferred from the Navy Base at Corpus Christi to Kingsville where he is taking training in transitional flying. He expects to get wings soon.

Floyd Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith, 300 South 2nd St. spent last Sunday and Monday with his parents. Floyd is in a Navy Training School at Norfolk Va. He expects to see active service soon.

Truett Nash, who is stationed at Brooks Field has been promoted to Sergeant, he is serving in the Signal Corps.

Uncle George Marriott received a letter from Harold Brown last week saying that Harold has been assigned to a destroyer as Chief Radio man. Harold has two assistant radio men under him and fifteen radio men mechanics.

Uncle George explained that radio work is something that is a secret and that very few men know about it. Harold was an employee with the Marriott Electric Co. here for several years before entering the navy over a year ago. Until his assignment to the destroyer he has been going through extensive schooling in this kind of work.

Tom Turner had a letter this week from Bobby who is in training at Cuero as an Air Cadet. Bobby expects to graduate into a pilot soon.

Corporal Victor Buxkemper, who is stationed at Fort Bliss, is spending his fifteen day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Buxkemper. Victor is a cook and has gained 20 pounds but has not given a report on the condition of the men who eat his cooking.

Staff Sergeant Everett L. Mangum, who has been visiting his wife, his grandmother Mrs. J. D. Porter, two uncles, Mont and Lon Porter on a furlough, returned to the Midland Bomber School last Monday. He has been in the third communications Squadron Radio School. He expects to leave soon for Florida where he will enter an Officers Training School.

New Lawyer For Slaton Arrives

Zeke Baldwin has been stepping over little obstacles like automobiles, fences and cotton trailers, he has been passing out cigars and mailing fancy announcement cards and washing his own dishes at home because he is now the father of Mertree Wright Baldwin. Mertree arrived at the Mercy Hospital Saturday, Oct. 3rd and it looks like Slaton will have legal advice for many years to come.

CITY AND SCHOOLS NOW READY FOR 1942 TAXES

F. A. Drewery, business manager for the Slaton Independent School District and W. T. Ward, City Manager, both report that the tax rolls for 1942 have been completed and that payments on 1942 taxes are now receivable. Those who wish to avoid the rush of last minute tax paying can do so by making payments now.

NEED FOR RATIONING OFFICE IS FELT BY THIS COMMUNITY

It is becoming more and more evident that Slaton is in need of a Rationing Board. Many complaints by farmers and groups of men and women from nearby communities as well as from those who live in Slaton have come into the Cham-

ber of Commerce office, to the Mayor and to other civic organizations.

With the rationing of gasoline assured and with more and more restrictions on commodities and necessities in evidence for the near-

future it is self evident that the people of this community will be at a great disadvantage unless some means are provided for the using of rationing cards for these items.

At present the difficulty of

transportation to Lubbock of a large number of citizens from Slaton and near by communities is not only a heavy expense but is defeating in part the purpose of the rationing as the use of automobiles

to Lubbock is wearing out tires.

Efforts have been started to secure a rationing office here to care for sugar and the other items that will soon go on the rationing list.

THIS WEEK'S WAR MOVES

Salaries in excess of \$5,000 a year may not be increased without the approval of Stabilization Director Brynes unless an individual has been assigned to more difficult or more responsible work. Director Brynes was given power to place a \$25,000 limit on salaries after taxes but with due allowance for life insurance premiums and fixed obligations previously incurred.

Mr. Roosevelt ordered prices of raw and processed agricultural commodities "stabilized, so far as practicable," at September 15 levels and in conformity with the standards laid down in the new law. The new price control law provides farm price ceilings cannot be set below parity or below the highest market level between January 1 and September 15, 1942, whichever is higher. If such ceilings are too low to reflect increases in farm labor and other costs since January 1, 1941, the President is directed to raise them.

The loan program for a 90 percent parity "floor" under cotton, corn, wheat, rice, tobacco and peanuts, the floor to be established by means of loans. The loans may be held down to 85 percent, however, on corn and wheat used for feeding livestock and poultry.

Agriculture Secretary Wickard, speaking at Tylertown, Miss., said agriculture in wartime must be limited to "producing only the farm products which are absolutely essential." He said farm production for 1942, nearly a record, might not be exceeded for years, and future production might not be sufficient for all needs at home and abroad. "Next year we will need a farm production even greater than this year's... (but) I am not at all sure that total production

Slaton Fails To Make Quota In War Bond Sales For September

will be ever as large.

The War Department opened an intensified campaign to recruit '8 and 19-year-old volunteers for the Army. They may now volunteer for the Quartermaster Corps, Ordnance Department, Chemical Warfare Service, Medical Department and the Corps of Military Police, in addition to the previous choices. The War Department said approximately 270,000 checks totaling \$19,500,000 in family allowance payments are being mailed to some 405,000 relatives and dependents of soldiers October 1-10, including 135,363 first payments. November payments are expected to be twice as numerous as in October.

Selective Service Director Hershey said he hoped mobilization for the Armed Services will reach its peak this year and will go down ward with the start of 1943, but no one can make a prediction with any high degree of certainty because of world military developments.

Registration Of All Commodity Dealers Required By Law

Briggs Robertson, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce has been instructed by the State Department to register every business firm in Slaton that is selling a commodity.

While there has been a law in effect ever since 1918 requiring the registration of all business firms engaged in selling commodities it has not been fully enforced but due to war conditions it is being put in full force.

A limited number of Slaton firms have registered at the C of C offices but not nearly all of them and Mr. Robertson warns that those who do not may get into serious difficulties by not doing so. Those who must fill out registration blanks are drug stores,

From all available reports Slaton is falling behind on the purchase of War Bonds. The first quarter of the year shows that the quota of \$20,000.00 per month was over subscribed, the second quarter was almost good but the third quarter has been falling off each month and the records show that in September we are about \$5,000.00 short of the \$20,000.00.

The Post Office records show that the September purchases were \$12,475, the Citizens State Bank sales amounted to \$2,600.00 and the sales made through the payroll deduction plan at the Sante Fe would run the total up to somewhere around \$15,000.00.

With the biggest cotton crop in the history of the South Plains being marketed and with the substantial increase in local business those in charge of the sale of War Bonds hope the increase in revenue from these sources will cause the deficit in war bond purchases to be taken up before the end of the year.

Local Veteran To Make Address

Unity is America's best insurance against the internal decay which leads to the collapse of democracy, declares Briggs Robertson who is scheduled to deliver the 23rd in a series of "Speak Up for Democracy" radio talks to be broadcast over Station KFYO at 2:45 P. M. Sunday, October 11 under the sponsorship of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States.

"United We Win" provides the theme for the address by Mr. Robertson who will speak as a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2466, stressing an appeal to individual citizens to do their part in America's national defense program by combatting Axis propaganda ideas designed to cripple production behind the lines.

The "Speak Up for Democracy" campaign to strengthen faith in Americanism was launched by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States in December, 1940. Under the supervision of National Headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri, and in co-operation with the radio industry of the nation, local V. F. W. speakers broadcast these talks on the eleventh day of each month. This date was selected in commemoration of the eleventh hour, of the eleventh day, of the eleventh month in 1918 when the Armistice brought an end to hostilities for the A. E. F.

On October 11, V. F. W. speakers will be heard over a total of 483 radio stations. It is estimated these Americanism talks are reaching the ears of at least 40 million persons. Because they are being broadcast over local stations at different hours of the day, these monthly radio Americanism bombardments succeed in reaching different groups of radio listeners with varying listening habits.

In congratulating the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States upon the effectiveness of this radio project, Rupert Hughes, noted author and playwright, recently referred to this "Speak Up

Hickman Made Secretary Of Farm Loan Assn.

Ray Hickman, who has been appointed as Secretary for the Slaton branch of the National Farm Loan Association to fill the vacancy left open when Howard Hoffman entered the Armed Services, has opened his office in the Pemberton Insurance Agency and will conduct the details of the office there.

The new duties taken on by Mr. Hickman will not interfere with the operation of the Slaton Baking Co.

Former Legion Hall Remodeled

The work on remodeling the building at the Slaton City Park that has been known as the American Legion Hall has been completed and is now ready to be put into use for public gatherings for people in this section of Lubbock County reports Ben Mansker, Commissioner for this precinct, who has directed the work.

New flooring, a new roof and a new coat of paint has been finished and a place provided for the storage of equipment for the Defense guard unit for Slaton. The building was formerly kept up by the local chapter of the American Legion but was turned back to the County several weeks ago.

Ray Hickman, L. A. Harral and Webber Williams have been appointed as a committee of three to approve the applications for the use of the building and anyone wishing to use it can get full details from any member of the committee.

for Democracy" program as a "magnificent idea for awakening and stimulating patriotic ardor at a time when it needs to be kindled and re-kindled without cessation."

An Apology

In the Slatonite of October 2 we published a classified advertisement under the signature of Edgar Ehler. This advertisement came through the mail to us and was not authorized or sent by Mr. Ehler. We regret that the advertisement appeared in this paper.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★



PICTURED in the October issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine is this indisputable single-breasted wool-tweed classic suit with gored skirt. It comes in heather blue or brown.

Our Weekly Sermon—Honesty in All Things

By the Rev. Harold L. Lundquist, D. D., Member of Faculty Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. Honesty in all things would seem to be what one should have a right to expect without question. As a matter of fact, dishonesty has become so common wherever man is found, that people look on the person who is strictly honest as a peculiar individual. Try reporting an undercharge (everyone complains about an overcharge) or returning excess change, and you will see how unexpected honesty really is today. Under such circumstances the Christian needs to be vigilant lest he also accommodate his own ideas of honesty and begin to justify little evasions rather than being absolutely upright.

The very commandment of God against stealing implies that men have a right to that which they have made, earned or saved. If no one had property rights there could be no stealing. "Thou shalt not steal" forbids every kind of theft. It includes robbery, burglary, safe-cracking, housebreaking; but it covers far more than those obvious wrongs. It refers to such things as loafing on one's job; "borrowing" money from the cash drawer; taking goods from the stock with which one is working; stealing another man's sermon and preaching it as one's own; contracting debts which one can never pay; using false weights and measures; adulterating food or other material; dodging taxes or lying to the tax assessor; using a slug instead of a nickel in the telephone to escape proper payment. It really means something to be honest, and it is a great testimony to the unregenerate world.

More than that, an honest person will make right any known injustice. To be right with God must mean that we are to be right with men. The testimony of many Christians could be presented to show that they have entered upon real peace and usefulness only as they have made consistent effort to right every wrong, to pay every debt. Often such actions open opportunities for Christian testimony and point others to the redemption in Christ, which makes a man live right as well as talk right.

Southland News Virginia King, Correspondent

The service flag of Southland now has 100 stars: Dan Altman, Clyde and Howard Anthony, Erwin Biels, Otis Browning, Millburn and Hilburs Cash, Homer and William Cato, T. N. Day, Dick Dentos, G. L. Dickerson, Marcy Donahoo, Woodrow Dunn, I. J. Duff, O. C. Fuickum, Fred, Fulton and Foster Fletcher, Dalton Ferguson, Lewis Thomas Foster, Homer Gilliland, H. D. Hallman, Kyle, Millard and Wesley Hancock, Herbert Heleman, Sam Hendrix, Carl Hord, Herman Irwin, J. B. Jones, Bryce and Henry Klisg, Jim Krause, Calvin Klaus, Adolph Klasel, Ralph Landers, Billy Lester, Jack and Blanton Martin, John Nelson, Chester Pennell, Clarence and Doyle Paff, J. O. and Arlie Dee Reed, Mannell Reyes, Orville Roper, Scottie Russell, Harvey and Sidney Smallwood, Glen Shelton, Cecil Smith, Howard Smith, Charles Sokall, A. J. Spence, Arthur Stolle, Garth Thomas, Manuel Truelock, Bennie Voigt, Carlos Wagoner, H. C. White, Wayne Whited, A. J. Whittington, Norman Bruster, Aubrey Nunley, David Sims, Horace

Whitaker, Cleo Bland, Jack Kuykendall, James Becker, Kenneth Rockler, Charles and James Collins, Floyd Payton, Ding and Dickie Martin, J. D. Chaffin, Robert Hart, Maurice and Earl Dyer Morris, Elliot Barber, Nelson Mowdy, Wayne Veach, August Lieske, J. L. Taylor, James King, Junior Hord, Bunyon Corbell, Coach Charles Clark, Willmoth and Allen McArthur, Marvin Siewart, Junior Bussell, C. D. McMillan, Leo Bley, Lewis Field, Verne Johnson, George Booker, and Bobbie Leake.

To date, \$12.75 has been collected for the flag, and further offers of donations refused because no more is needed now. They have enough blue and red satin space for 152 more stars, and about half enough white satin.

It has been suggested that a date be set in November or later, and every woman, who has a relative's star on the flag, and all others who are interested, meet to sew on the large number of names expected to leave soon.

Next Sunday, October 11, will be Fellowship Day at the local Baptist Church. Close City Church which has made a success of the tithing plan, will be their guests at the service and basket dinner.

Monday afternoon 123 bales of cotton have been ginned here. Southland O. E. S. met Thursday night for regular meeting. Mrs. Carl Stewart of Lubbock and Mrs. Greer and Tucker of Slaton were guests. After meeting closed, the members joined in singing "Auld Ang Syne". At the conclusion, Mrs. Emily Dean presented Mrs. Maud Gregory with a basket of gift wrapped handkerchiefs, accompanying the gifts with a speech of our

love and appreciation of Mrs. Gregory who is moving to Sweet Texas. Members and guests were served refreshments of chicken wafers, spiced tea and coffee. Southland Chapter has paid a Defense Bond and is on the way toward buying and

Have your prescriptions filled at TEAGUE'S DRUG STORE, registered pharmacist.

Lubbock General Hospital Clinic

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INTERNAL MEDICINE: W. H. Gordon, M. D., R. H. McCarty, M. D. (CARDI)
GENERAL MEDICINE: J. P. Latimore, M. D., H. G. Maxwell, M. D., G. A. Smith, M. D., G. A. Donaldson, M. D., X-Ray, J. H. Felton, M. D.
INFANTS AND CHILDREN: M. C. Overton, M. D., Arthur Jenkins, M. D.
OBSTETRICS: O. R. Hand, M. D.
Clifford E. Hunt, Superintendent
PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY: X-RAY and RADIUM, SCHOOL OF NURSING

Churches

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Services 11 a. m. Youth Church, 7:00 p. m. Evening Service, 8:00 p. m. Welcome to all to come and worship with us. J. Paul Stevens, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST: Bible Study 10:00 each Sunday morning. Preaching at 11:00 and communion at 11:40. Young People's Training Class, 7:00 p. m. Evening Services—8:00 p. m. Ladies Bible class Monday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. J. Laryl Nisbett, Minister.

METHODIST CHURCH: Rev. H. C. Gordon, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:40 a. m. Church Services, 11:00 a. m. Junior League—5:15 p. m. Epworth League—6:45 p. m. Evening Services—7:30 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH: Rev. T. D. O'Brien, Pastor. Morning services: 9 a. m.; 10:30 a. m. Every Sunday. 1st Mass—8 a. m. 2nd Mass—9:30 a. m. "Welcome."

BAPTIST CHURCH: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Church Services, 11 a. m. Preaching Service—7:30. B. T. U.—6:30. Rev. W. F. Ferguson, Pastor.

POSEY LUTHERAN CHURCH: F. T. Sager, Pastor. English services every first, second and third Sundays at 10:30 a. m. No services on fourth Sundays. "Come and worship with us."

Lutheran Ladies Aid meets every first Thursday of the month. Lutheran League meets every second Friday of the month at the Slaton club house.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH: Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Services, 11:00 a. m. Evening Services, 8 p. m. Women's Missionary, Tuesday.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH: Rev. Wm. Howard Butler, Pastor. Bible School at 9:45 a. m. Church Services at 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m. Evening Services at 8:15 p. m.

Foursquare Gospel Church: 225 E. Panhandle. W. W. Parrish, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Evening service 8:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting every morning at 9 a. m.

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Dr. H. L. Spitzer says he got a good laugh out of the following, perhaps you will too:
The following missive is reprinted from the Hamlin Herald, where was published as a letter from a soldier boy to his girl at Cedar Hill, Dallas county, Texas:

"I fought and I fought and I fought; but I had to go anyway. I was called in Class A (The next time I want to be in Class B B there when they come back. When I registered, I went up to

CROWDED WITH THE CALLS OF WAR
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It is true we usually can put through quickly your long distance telephone calls to your loved ones near-by. But when you need your voice to far cities, they may travel on lines jammed to the limit with calls that help move troops, make planes, build tanks.

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USE THE GUN!



a desk and the man in charge was my milkman. He said "What's your name? I said, "Oh, you know my name." WHAT'S YOUR NAME?" he barked. So I told him "August Childs." He said, "Are you an Alien?" I said, "No, I feel fine." He asked me where I was born and I said "Pittsburg." Then he said, "When did you see the light of day?" I said, "When we moved to Philadelphia." He asked me how old I was, so I told him, "Twenty-three the first of September." He said, "The first day of September you will be in China, and that will be the last of August."

Then I went to camp and I guess they didn't think I'd live long. The first fellow I saw wrote on my card "Flying Corps." I went a little farther and some fellow said, "Look what the wind's blowing in." I said "Wind nothing the draft's doing it."

On the second morning they put these clothes on me. What an outfit. As soon as you are in it you think you could fight anybody. They have two sizes—too small and too large. The pants were so tight I couldn't sit down. The shoes were so big I turned around three times and they didn't move. What a raincoat they gave me. It strained the rain. I passed an officer all dressed up with a funny belt and all that stuff. He said, calling after me, "Didn't you notice my uniform when you passed?" I said, "Yes, what are you kicking about—look what they gave me."

One morning when it was five degrees below zero, they called us out for an "underwear inspection." Talk about scenery—red flannels, B. V. D.'s; all kinds. The union suit I had on would fit Tony Galento. The Lieutenant lined us up and told us to stand up. I said, "I'm up sir, but this underwear makes me think I am sitting down." He got so mad he put me to digging a ditch. A little later he passed and said, "Don't throw that dirt up here." I said, "Where am I going to throw it?" He said, "Dig another hole and put it in there."

Three days later we sailed for Australia. Marching down the pier I had the worst luck. I had a sergeant who stuttered and it took him so long to say "halt" that twenty-seven of us marched overboard. They pulled us out and lined us up upon the pier. The captain said, "Fall in, I said, "I have been in sir."

I was on the boat twelve days—seasick for twelve days. Nothing going down and everything coming up. Leaned over the rail all the way. One of my buddies passed by and said, "Boy, you must have a weak stomach." I said, "I don't know; seems like I'm throwing it as far as anybody." In the middle of one of my best leans, the captain rushed up and said, "What company are you in?" I said, "I'm all by myself sir." He asked me if the Brigadier was up yet. I said, "If I swallowed it, it's up sir." Talk about your dumb people. I said to one of the fellows, "I guess we dropped the anchor." He replied, "I knew they'd lose it. It's been hanging out ever since we left New

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about how good forty or fifty pumpkin pies would taste if you had a hundred pounds of sugar together with the proper ingredients and the digestion of an ostrich, especially when you have two big pumpkins sitting on the back porch smiling at you.

Here are some "cracks" I found in the American Legion Magazine that might bring a chuckle or two:
"When I look at this congregation," said a certain preacher, "I ask myself, 'Where are the poor?' And then, when I look at the collection, I say to myself, 'Where are the rich.'—SPATTERS, Monongahela, Pa.

Six-foot-three soldier: "Shine, boy."
Shine boy (looking at the vast expanse of boots before him: "Here, Bert, give me a hand. I've got an Army contract."—THE SPOKE, Johnstown, New York.

Wife: "That couple next door seem very devoted. He kisses her every time they meet. Why don't you do that?"
Hubby: "I don't know her well enough yet.—THE LOG, Hyannis, Mass.

Reports from the loyal women who have been endeavoring to keep interest in the Red Cross work alive, are that unless more Slaton women can be induced to take more active part in the work the local Chapter will have to be disbanded.

If there ever was a time that support should be given the Red Cross it is now.

It is true that practically every woman has more to do now than at any time in the past but there must be a number of women who still have a limited amount of time that could be devoted to the work of the Red Cross. If you are a patriotic woman of this town and can help the Red Cross by doing an hour or two of knitting or sewing you should get in touch with Mrs. H. R. McKee who will be glad to give you details on how you can help in this way and in other ways.

We have a lilac bush in our front yard that had blooms on it last week which is against all rules and regulation for lilac is supposed to bloom only in the spring. One of our neighbors took one look at the bush and went to quoting prophecies from the Bible about the end of the world when flowers will bloom out of season, summer will turn into winter, etc. The blooms are gone now but I have been watching my tomato vines and if they start bearing again I'm going to get me a long fishing pole and dig out to Buffalo Lake and wait for things to blow up.

We now have enough pumpkin to feed all the machine men at the Santa Fe shop and one printer with an over size appetite. We had the sugar and the spices to do the job. I'll be lucky if I get one pie that has the flavor of corn syrup and a slight tinge of spice for which I'll be thankful, but it is a lot of fun thinking a-

POSEY ITEMS

Miss Ruth Gentry
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pickett, Geraldine and Billie of Slaton spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pennington. The Penningtons are new residents of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Williams and children of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry Sunday.

Mrs. S. N. Gentry, and Staff Sgt. and Mrs. E. L. Mangum and baby spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson of Pettit.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rodgers and boys spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry. They live in Lubbock.

Rev. O. M. Addison held regular services at Posey Sunday morning but was unable to attend Sunday night. Communion was held Sunday morning.

Mr. S. N. Gentry and Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gentry and Mrs. J. M. Morrison attended the fourth quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church at New Home Sunday.

The Young People's Fellowship League met Sunday night to elect new officers. Those elected were: President—Charles Gentry, Vice-President—Benny Moeller, Secretary—Vernell Campbell, Program Chairman—Harold Morrison, Song Leader—Guy Gentry, Recreation Leader—Vaughn Campbell, Game Leader—Ruth Gentry, and Sponsor—Mrs. H. C. Robertson. The League is trying to build its attendance and interest and everyone is welcome to attend each Sunday night at 8:15 o'clock.

More Proteins

(Editor's Note: This is the third article of a series, "Feed to Speed War Production," published as a service to farmers and stockmen.)

"Feeding more high-protein feeds will give us both increased production and more efficient production. It's good business and it's patriotic to feed better balanced rations this year. It will supply more food for war. That's the farmer's job."

In these words and many other forecull statements, Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard and other leaders are urging farmers to feed more protein concentrates this year.

More protein, they emphasize, is needed in rations because the average ration fed livestock in the United States has been deficient in protein, and cannot result in maximum production because of this lack of protein.

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More protein should be used in rations because production of protein is large this season, and the relationship between protein supplies and costs and grain supplies and costs make it advantageous, both for the individual and the nation, to feed more protein.

More protein is needed, because, in the words of the Department of Agriculture:

"Animal growth is essentially the storage of protein. High-quality protein is the cornerstone of all good rations. This scientific fact, of great significance at all times, now assumes much added importance in the face of increased wartime demands for the products of America's livestock industry."

In meeting these increased requirements of protein for more production and more efficient and more rapid production, livestock producers have available cottonseed meal, peanut meal, linseed meal, soybean meal and other vegetable protein concentrates, as well as tankage and the other animal proteins, livestock authorities point out. Most of these concentrates are comparable in feeding value and use, and all give excellent results when properly used in rations.

Cottonseed meal is the most widely-available of the protein concentrates throughout the cotton growing areas and in many adjoining States. Cottonseed meal (and cake) are standard feeds, tested for more than half-a-century of use and in hundreds of experiments, for many classes of livestock; they are widely used in rations of beef and dairy cattle, sheep, horses and mules, goats,

swine and poultry.

In many cotton-growing areas, production of cottonseed meal is being supplemented this season by increasing production of peanut meal, another good protein concentrate. Peanut meal may be used as the only protein supplement or it may be fed in combination with cottonseed meal as a protein supplement. The mixture of these two proteins gives excellent results.

Feeding authorities who are stressing the need for more protein in rations are making available practical, helpful information on balanced rations through Extension Service and Experiment Station publications, and offices of County Agents and Vocational Agriculture Teachers. Oil mills throughout the Southeast, Southwest, and East also have available authoritative, practical feeding information that will speed-up the production of meat and milk.

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Society - Clubs

Marriage of Miss Elvira Smith Solemnized Monday at Church

Before an altar of white chrysanthemums and greenery, Miss Elvira E. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Smith, became the bride of Owen J. Aftreth of Denver, Colorado, in a service at 9 a. m. Monday at the Methodist Church, Rev. H. C. Gordon officiating.

Mrs. Allen Ferrel played "Serenade" by Schubert and "I Love Thee" by Greig preceding the ceremony and during the services she played "Liebestraum" by Liszt and the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father wore a street length dress of white wool and fingertip veil caught by a head piece of white carnations.

For something old she wore a gold bracelet and diamond louverlier belonging to her mother. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and her wedding ring belonged to her maternal grandmother.

Miss Mary Lee Thompson, maid of honor, wore a gold velvet frock with matching heart shaped hat and a corsage of carnations. Ervin Shind of Minneapolis, cousin of the groom served as best man.

A reception was held at the brides home immediately following the ceremony, after which the couple left on an extended wedding trip. For her travelling costume the bride wore a brown-tailor made suit with brown accessories. The couple will be at home in Denver.

The bride is a graduate of Slaton High School and received her degree from Texas Tech. Mr. Aftreth is a graduate of the University of Minnesota School of Architecture.

Parties Given

The traditional wedding breakfast was given Sunday morning by Mrs. T. C. McCall. A twilight tea shower was given last Saturday from 6:30 to 8:30 at the home of Mrs. M. A. Pember. Fall decorations were carried out including dahlias, roses and chrysanthemums. The dining table was laid with a lace cloth, crystal candelabra and white tapers. Mrs. W. L. Jones of Lubbock and Mrs. J. P. Haliburton served punch. Miss Mary Watkins and Mrytle Teague were

O. E. S. To Hold Friendship Night

The order of the Eastern Star will hold their annual Friendship night Tuesday October 13 and all Chapters in District 2 are invited. Mrs. Mattie Lee Scroggins, Worthy Matron urges all members to attend.

Slaton Girls Active In Tech Social Clubs

LUBBOCK, Sept. 30.—Misses Mary Ann Schmidt and Phyllis McReynolds of Slaton are among the 96 women students at Texas Technological college who have been pledged to social clubs this week. Bids were issued at the end of a week's rush activities.

Miss McReynolds is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McReynolds and is a freshman in the division of arts and sciences. She will become a member of Sans Souci.

Miss Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Schmidt, and a freshman in home economics, has been pledged to Ko Shari.

MRS. EMMA WALLACE ENTERTAINS CLUB

The Jolly Quilting Club met Tuesday October 6, with Mrs. Emma Wallace, 2413-24th St. Lubbock, for an all day quilting. A monthly business meeting was held and it was voted to quilt for the Red Cross.

At noon a covered dish luncheon was served to the following members: Mesdames J. W. Ward, T. M. Wheatley, H. H. Edmondson, Jess Burton, E. E. Wilson, the hostess and the guests, Mrs. Alan Lynch and daughter Cynthia of Lancaster Mrs. J. E. Banks and Mrs. S. C. Carlton of Lubbock, Mrs. W. T. Slaughter, Mrs. C. E. Jarman and Mrs. E. M. Lott of Slaton.

Next meeting will be in the W. T. Ward home and Red Cross quilting will be done.

at the bride's book. Mrs. Nan Tudor and Mrs. Allen Ferrell furnished the music.

Hostesses were Mesdames S. H. Adams, H. A. Ferrell, W. L. Jones, Jr., Jessie Prosser, R. M. Nash, R. G. Shankle, T. C. McCall, L. R. Tibbs, J. E. Eckert, J. H. Teague, Jr., J. P. Haliburton, L. V. Pounds, R. L. Smith, Nan Tudor, C. E. Smith, M. A. Pember, T. A. Turner, J. R. Thompson, C. W. Wilkes and Misses Mary Watkins, Mrytle Teague and Mary Lee Thompson.

METHODIST LEAGUE IN REGULAR MEETING

Epworth League of the Methodist Church met Sunday night at 7 p. m. at the church. Miss Ruth Doherty was leader of the program "What We Can Do Together". She discussed "Group Spirit in Action" and "Enlarging our Group". There were 12 members present. The time has been changed from 7:30 to 7 p. m.

Slaton Federated Clubs Have Joint Program Tuesday

Carrying on the tradition that each year one of the Slaton Federated Clubs be responsible for Federation Day, this year the Wednesday Study Club sponsored the program Tuesday evening from 6:30 to 8:30 at the Club House.

Baskets and vases of fall flowers were used throughout the entertaining room and the tea table was centered with a bowl of yellow and brown shades of marigolds. Hostesses from the five clubs poured tea and served the refreshments. Miss Glenna Williams played during the tea hour.

In the receiving line were the presidents of the clubs, Mrs. Roy Mack, Wednesday Study Club, Mrs. Lee Green, Civic and Culture Club; Mrs. Charles H. Walton, Junior Civic and Culture Club; Mrs. R. L. Smith, 1940 Study Club and Miss Mrytle Teague, Daughters of the Pioneer Club.

Mrs. Mack gave the Address of

Welcome and Mrs. Green read the Club Collect. Mrs. Sug Robertson as program chairman then introduced the guest artists.

Miss Mary Evelyn Pickle of Lubbock played several piano selections.

Mrs. W. N. Blake of Lubbock gave her book of poems "Flaming Skies" which is soon to be published. This book is based upon her life beginning at 12 years and is dedicated to War Mothers, Mrs. Blake having three sons in the service. Her pen name is Marion Tipton Roland.

Mrs. Ardele Scales, Lubbock composer, sang several of her original numbers accompanied by Mrs. Loyd Croasin of Lubbock. Among the selections were "America Sails the Seas" and "Lullaby". At one time Mrs. Scales was with the San Francisco Opera Company and on the N. B. C. network.

W. S. C. Service To Hold Interesting Programs

The Women's Society of Christian Service is starting its fall mission study, Mon. Oct. 12th, and is inviting every woman of the church to be present at every meeting. There will be six lessons on the study of the Latin American countries and they will cover every phase of Latin America life.

The first meeting will be in the home of Mrs. O. D. McClintock, 805 W. Garza, when Mrs. O. L. Byrd of Lubbock will review Gertrude Diomant's "The Days of O'Felia". The second meeting will be Tuesday Oct. 20th in the home of Mrs. R. G. Loveless, 905 W. Garza. At this time Miss Ruth Horn, of Texas Tech, will be with us and give us first hand information of Latin American countries.

Miss Horn has been in all the

countries of Central America and South America except one and has visited on the islands of the Carribean.

The text we are using for our fall study is, "On This Foundation," by W. Rycraft and will be given at the last four meetings by Mesdames Royd Boyd and Marvin Abernathy.

These lessons on the Latin Americas should be very interesting and helpful, covering at a time when we are trying to promote a spirit of friendship between the Americas. There will be a devotional and special music at every meeting. Please do not miss a single meeting.

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Dr. Ling Gives Outstanding Program for Methodist Women

The Woman's Society of Christian Service tea in honor of their second birthday was held Monday at 3:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. A. E. Whitehead.

The following program was given: Prelude, Mrs. Allen Ferrell. Devotional, 19th Psalm, Mrs. H. C. Gordon.

Prayer, Rev. H. C. Gordon

Dr. Ling who is doing research work at Texas Tech, Lubbock spoke on "The Crisis the Chinese Woman Faces."

Mrs. M. W. Abernathy talked on "Emergency Gift for Missions in the World Today."

Refreshments of coffee and cake was served after the meeting.

Mrs. W. D. Williams of San Bernardino Calif. is visiting her mother Mrs. A. C. Benton. Mrs. Williams will be remembered as Edda Belle Benton.

ALATHEAN S. S. CLASS ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Alathean Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church met Wednesday at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. R. Bain, with Mrs. Boyd Meeks, co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president and the opening prayer led by Mrs. Meeks. There were 14 members present. Mrs. J. S. Vaughn is teacher of this class.

The following new officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. D. Loring; Vice President, Mrs. Tudor; Secretary, Mrs. Jess Burton; Treasurer, Mrs. L. M. Conner; Devotional, Mrs. Alvin Glasscock; Pianist, Mrs. W. H. Edwards; Song leader, Mrs. Tifferteller; Social Chairman, Mrs. A. E. Clack; Reporter, Mrs. C. R. Bain; Stew-

Jack Clark who has been employed by Western-Kimbell Gro. the past six months has now accepted a job with the Sante Fe.

Jimmit Jean Guinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Guinn of 1000 W. Lubbock, has been announced as a pledge of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority at Southern Methodist University. Miss Guinn is a freshman majoring in English.

Mrs. Mary Owens returned to her home in San Antonio Friday after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Charles E. Dickson. Mrs. Owens, a former Slatonite, will leave for San Antonio about Nov. 1, for an extended trip to Memphis, Tennessee.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. H. Edwards.

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Personals

Mrs. W. D. Cooper and two daughters Sallie and Mina Sue of Albuquerque have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garland, Mrs. Cooper was formally Almo Garland.

Mrs. Ara Brown of San Angelo is visiting in the home of Mrs. Guy Brown.

Miss Mary Leslie Culwell, Tech student, visited her parents this

week end.

Pvt. and Mrs. Oree Glascock have been visiting friends and relatives the past week. Pvt. Glascock is stationed at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Miss Wilda Ruth Hannah, student at Texas Tech, visited her parents over the week end.

Miss Pearl Farschon has just returned from an 18 day vacation in Miami Beach, Florida.

and Mrs. Henry Mahone and Mrs. R. W. Woodruff of Shallowater.

Mrs. J. E. Robertson visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Robertson in Behlen, N. M. last week and attended the state fair at Albuquerque. Mrs. Robertson returned with her little niece, Mary Rita Robertson.

Everett Robertson is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson. He is working at the Clovis Air Base as a time-checker.

Mr. J. E. Kuykendall of Big Springs, is in Slaton visiting his niece, Mrs. J. E. McReynolds and Mr. McReynolds. Mr. Kuykendall is a former Slaton resident, a Santa Fe employee when the town was founded. He has been saying "howdy" to his many friends in the Masonic Lodge and also to old customers of his grocery business. Mr. Kuykendall will return to Big Springs Oct. 11.

Dan Says Its Time To Smile

War news, gasoline rationing and the shortage of bacon had no effect on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Liles last week for they were wearing smiles as big as the best Joe E. Brown ever produced and they were spreading the news that they are now grandparents. A phone call from Wayne Liles at Orange Texas, reported that a 6 lb. daughter had arrived. Wayne and his family are now located at Orange where Wayne is employed in the shipbuilding industry.

Birthday Dinner For B. P. Sandefur

B. P. Sandefur of Floydada celebrated his 90th birthday Sunday October 4. A big dinner was given in his honor at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Ferrier.

Grandpa Sandefur as he is known to all his friends and neighbors is still active and enjoys having his friends around him.

Those present were his children Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sims of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Gentry and daughter Joy of Slaton, his granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Randolph, Mrs. H. C. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize and sons, George and Stevens, Mr. John Mankin and Mr. Pierce Winbery.

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the quota already announced for the month, will make it possible for all car owners eligible under rationing to receive recap certificates from their local war price and rationing boards where their casings are worn smooth, thus preserving the tire carcasses. No change is made in the eligibility rules.

New district offices of the Office of Price Administration will be opened by October 15 at Lubbock, San Antonio and Tulsa, Region OPA Administrator Max McCullough has announced. They will be staffed to provide essential services in connection with price control and rationing for business firms and consumers. The Lubbock office, with a staff of about 60 persons, will serve 70 West Texas counties. With a staff of about 80 persons, the San Antonio office will serve 63 South Texas counties. The Tulsa office with a staff of about 60, will serve 30 eastern Oklahoma counties.

The special projects salvage section of WPB's conservation division at Dallas is urging all Southwestern citizens to act as "salvage scouts". Scouts are to report any idle metal they can find in the states of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana, sending information on the nature, location, and if possible the ownership of such equip-

ment to the WPB special projects section at Dallas. Abandoned bridges, mines, buildings, railroad and street car rails, saw mills, tanks and sunken ships in the Southwest constitute a mine of dormant metal.

In a move unprecedented in American history, Price Administrator Leon Henderson has clamped price ceilings over virtually all food items previously exempt from control.

Following President Roosevelt's directive, Mr. Henderson moved speedily last week to increase from about 60 per cent to a full 90 per cent, OPA's control over the average family's food budget and acted to extend rent control over additional areas with a population of approximately 80,000,000 persons. Farm prices, long a thorn in the side of effective cost-of-living control, will go under a price ceiling for the first time in history.

The 60-day emergency food ceilings, effective Monday, October 5, on food retailers, wholesalers, and processors, "freeze" at the highest levels of the period between Sept. 28 through Oct. 2, each individual seller's prices for butter, cheese, evaporated and condensed milk, eggs, poultry, flour, dry onions, potatoes, fresh and canned citrus fruits and juices, dry edible beans, corn meal, and mutton.

As of Oct. 3, the only important foodstuffs exempt from price control were fresh fruits and vegetables (except potatoes, dry onions, and citrus fruits), fresh fish, and peanuts—all of a seasonal character.

Mr. Henderson announced that work would proceed immediately to translate into permanent OPA regulation the 60-day emergency ceilings. In keeping with OPA practice, he said conferences would be held with the growers, processors, wholesalers and retail sellers of the various food products af-

Drivers License Deadline Nov. 1st

This is for the special benefit and relief of all those Texans who've been worried these months about when to renew their drivers' licenses.

Come November 1, all original licenses will expire. The operator who hasn't obtained a renewal by then will be without a license, State Police Director Homer Garrison warned today.

Automatic renewals are granted where the application is made on time, Drivers License Chief J. B. Draper explained. But once an original license has expired, the driver must take an examination in order to obtain a new license. Anyone who drives without a valid license is liable to arrest and fine.

Applications forms are available from State Police district headquarters, by mail from the headquarters in Austin, and at most county courthouses, either from sheriffs or tax collectors.

Renewed licenses are good for two years, and cost 50 cents and cash or postal money orders must accompany applications.

Train Accidents On Increase

AUSTIN, Sept. 23.—Habit is killing a lot of Texas people.

A survey by State Police statisticians showed today that accidents involving trains and motor vehicles increased from 2.63 per cent of the total in the first eight months of 1941 to 4.89 percent of the total in the same period this year. This was an increase of 86 percent.

And why were 58 persons thus killed in the last eight months?

It's because the victims—mostly farmers, truck drivers and tradesmen—have failed to realize that train schedules aren't what they used to be. They're people who used to know when the trains ran, and they never bothered to look out for a train unless one was due. But now troop and sup-

pected.

"The action completed by Congress and swiftly confirmed by the President's signature is of most vital importance to every man, woman, and child in this country," Mr. Henderson stated. "As I have said before, we have tried to hold down the cost of living with wholly inadequate weapons. The Congress and the President have now increased the strength of our arsenal greatly. From here on in we shall, with the help and good will of all the people, be in a position to intensify our fight to maintain the kind of economic stability necessary to win this war and assure a peace to which our soldiers may return with confidence in the foundation upon which we all may join to build the future."

Price Administrator Henderson also announced that within a few days he will issue rent control designations covering every dwelling unit in the country, urban and rural, not now subject to control, OPA rent regulation are already in effect in 190 defense-rental areas with a population of approximately 50,000,000. Under the President's directive, Mr. Henderson will ultimately make coverage of the country complete, taking in not only the 205 additional defense-rental areas he already had "designated," but all other dwelling units.

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All 44 of the drivers were men; 40 of them lived in rural areas; and 38 lived near the scene of their particular accident. And 26 of the collisions occurred on county roads or in towns of less than 2,500 population.

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CHIEF TOPICS

Dallas.— Problems of the railroads which are intensified by the pending seasonal peak of travel in addition to a continued record military movement, will be discussed by the Southwest Shippers' Advisory Board meeting at the Hotel Baker here Thursday.

Several hundred representatives of industry, finance and agriculture from Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico will attend the general sessions.

This is the sixty-first regular meeting of the Board.

Joseph P. Cudger, general chairman of the Board, will preside and M. L. Dickerson will assist. They are traffic managers of the Gulf Oil Corporation, Houston, and Southern Advance Bag & Paper Co., of Hodge, La., respectively.

Nathan Adams, president of the First National Bank of Dallas, is to be principal speaker at the luncheon sponsored by the Transportation Club of Dallas, wherein he will emphasize the "necessity of cooperation between shippers and carriers," as an essential adjunct in aid of the War program.

Analysis of business conditions in this territory will highlight the Board's Thursday morning sessions with R. E. Clark, manager Car Service Division of the Association of American Railroads, Washington, speaking on general transportation conditions throughout the United States.

The report of the Executive Committee will be made by Wallace Green, general secretary. R. B. Ball, vice president and general manager of the Santa Fe Gulf Lines, Galveston, will present the report of the Railroad Contact Committee; R. D. Rifenburgh report of the Car Service Division; A. E. Rankin, report of the Freight Station Section. Frank A. Leffingwell, secretary of the Texas Industrial Traffic League, is to preside as Luncheon toastmaster.

The Executive, Railroad Contact, Joint Loss and Damage Prevention Committees, will hold their meetings in the Baker Hotel, Wednesday, preceding the general sessions.

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending Oct. 3, 1942, were 25,648 compared with 22,712 for the same week in 1941. Cars received from connections totaled

13,305 compared with 9,649 for the same week in 1941. Total cars moved were 38,953 compared with 32,361 for the same week in 1941. Santa Fe handled a total of 38,436 cars during the preceding week of this year.

COOPER NEWS

How to prepare chicken for canning was topic for Miss Clara Pratt, county home demonstration agent, as speaker for members of the Slide Home Demonstration club Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. W. Crews.

Seventeen chickens were canned in the demonstration as boned chicken, ground, giblet and broth chicken. The whole chicken was packed in No. 2 cans.

Talks were given on "The Home and School," by club members.

Those attending were Mesdames Lewis Henderson, Lee Rieger, O. R. Copeland, Charlie Strickland, L. D. Stanford, George Hindman, and Jessie Jones, Mesdames H. W. Crews, Floyd Harris and Bill Hayes were visitors.

Miss Tommie Jean Bartlett was hostess to a Senior party given in the home of her parents Friday night. Refreshments were served to: Lester Chisum, Othella Stevens, Virginia Johnson, Walter Beverly, Ethel Coats, Tolbert Coleman, Viola Bruedigan of Southland, Raymond McGehee and Elmer Altman of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams and family of Carlisle visited in the R. M. Cade home Sunday.

Caston Hamilton, son of Mr. C. P. Hamilton of Stephenville, visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton of Wilson and the E. A. Robertson's last week. He has been in Naval training for eight years and previously been on a submarine in the Pacific War zone for five months. He was accompanied by his wife and daughter Penny; also Eddy Crow and Harold Burleson, all of Portland, Oregon.

Miss Dortha Nell Dawkins, a Tech student, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dawkins.

Cooper Pirates chalked up an easy 26 - 0 triumph over Tahoka Bulldogs last Friday night at Tahoka.

Captain J. B. Morris scored two touchdowns. Clyde Gill and Doyle Sheppard also scored for Cooper.

Mrs. Worley Jeter visited in Lubbock this week.

Miss Ruth Hopping is staying with her grandmother and attending school in Lubbock, until her mother, Mrs. Odell Rieger, returns.

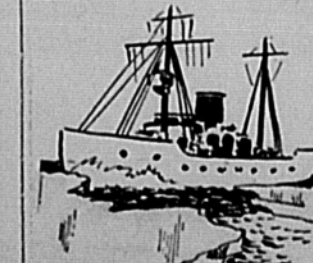
L. D. Qualls, who was in the Navy Air Corps at San Diego returned home last week.

Doyd Barrett spent Saturday night with his parents, the C. B. Barrets.

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The Movie Reporter

Bidding for special attention among the more action-conscious moviegoers, Universal's **MEN OF TEXAS** comes Friday and Saturday to the Palace Theatre. The picture, obviously destined to rate high among outstanding historical films, is declared to have been given lavish and accurate treatment by its makers. The story, heralded as a sweeping chronicle of post Civil War days in the Lone Star State, is said to have one of the most imposing groups of players ever assembled for a picture of its type. Headlining the list of imposing names are Robert Stack, Brod Crawford, and Jackie Cooper. Anne Gynne leads the feminine contingent and other notables include Ralph Bellamy, Jane Darwell and Leo Carrillo.

Spencer Tracy, Hedy Lamarr and John Garfield co-star in the adaptation of John Stienbeck's best-selling novel "Tortilla Flat" to the screen. The film brings his memorable characters to life, recreating the picturesque California colony of piasanos near Monterey. The pulsing action, the battles and the peaceful interludes have been captured by a cast of unusual competence and understanding. The supporting cast is superb, faithfully reflecting the lovable characters of the novel. They include Frank Morgan, Akim Tamiroff, Connie Gilchrist and Allen Jenkins. See "Tortilla Flat" at the Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday.

Henry Fonda and Lucille Ball

With Our Men In The Service

HDQ'S. GULF COAST TRAINING CENTER, Oct. 9.—"Ready for combat duty" was the stamp of approval placed on 310 fledgling flyers from Texas at seven advanced flying schools of the Gulf Coast Training Center today as they won silver wings of the Army Air Forces.

Every section of the United States, Latin America, even Shantung, China, was represented on the huge class roster (exact size undisclosed), the ninth group to graduate since Pearl Harbor.

New pilots from Texas include: Staff Sergeant Jerry Pair, Route 1, Slaton, Texas.

The mechanics role in modern air warfare was recognized by electing a crew chief at each field as an honorary member of their group.

One member of the Moore Field class who wants a chance to avenge his home town is Brian P. Glass of Shantung, China.

Single engine fighter pilots are graduating from Foster Field, Texas; Moore Field, Texas; and Lake Charles, Louisiana, Army Flying School. Bomber pilots are graduating at Ellington Field, Brooks Field, Kelly Field and Lubbock Army Flying School, all in Texas.

Christian Science

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, October 11.

The Golden Text is: "Salvation belongeth unto the Lord; thy blessing is upon thy people" (Psalms 3:8).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For thou art not a God that hath pleasure in wickedness: neither shall evil dwell with thee" (Psalms 5:4).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "When we put off the false sense for the true, and see that sin and mortality have neither Principle nor permanency, we shall learn that sin and mortality are without actual origin or rightful existence." (page 281).

co-star in Damon Ruyon's best-selling novel adaptation for the screen, coming to the Palace next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The story is admirably transferred from the novel to the screen and does not suffer in the transfer, on the contrary it has even been improved upon if that were possible. **THE BIG STREET** was read by millions in the book form and applauded heartily. See it for outstanding entertainment.

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FORREST BIBLE STUDY

The Forrest Bible Study will meet at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Methodist Church.

Lesson: Studies in the Book of Exodus, Chapter XVIII.—Wilderness.

1. How many important stops did the children of Israel make in their journey from the Red Sea to Sinai?—Name them in order.
2. What was it at Marah that did not suit them?—How was the difficulty remedied?
3. What did they find at Elam?
4. Of what did they complain at the Wilderness of Sin?
5. With what besides Manna did God feed the Israelites? 16:8, 12, 13.

Mrs. L. R. Tibbs bible study

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says Dorothy Greig

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Tomato Scotch Broth
1 can condensed tomato soup
1 can condensed Scotch broth
2 cans water

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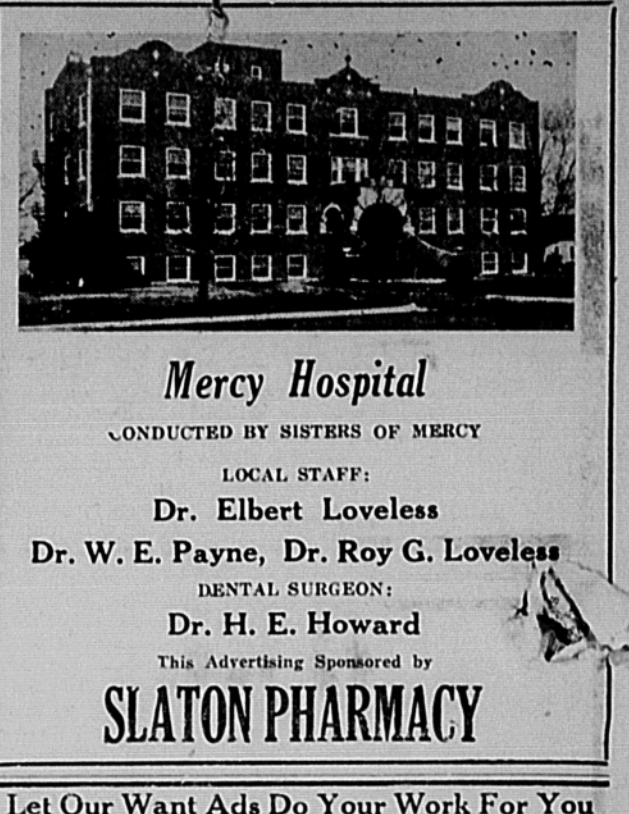


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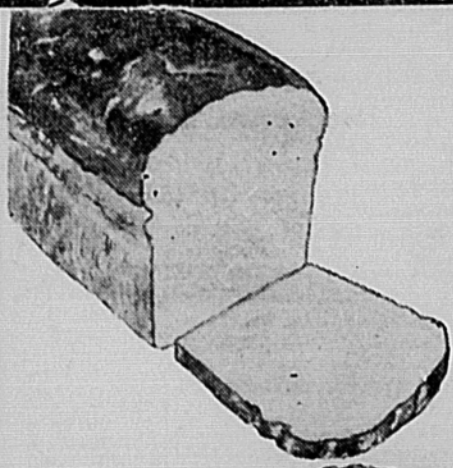
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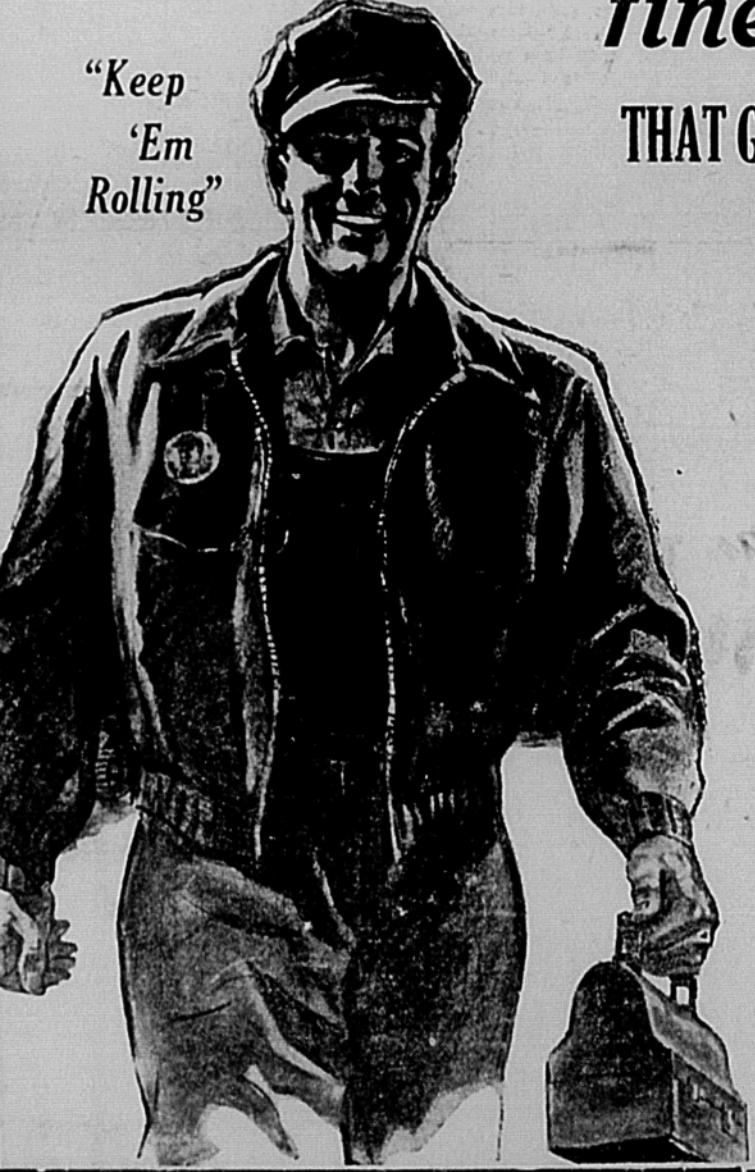
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