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## Nine Minute Men Flags Presented



Nine Flags of the Minute Men were presented that many units of the Santa Fe Railway Western Lines recently in Amarillo, for payroll purchases of Victory Bonds. More than 97 per cent of the 12,378 employees of this Santa Fe Grand Division, working in Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma have enlisted in this bond purchase plan.

Cheering the employees in their patriotic achievement are: (Front row—left to right) Lt. Arthur Trum; Capt. C. S. Haynie and Cecil Abrams, Santa Fe Battalion; H. A. Appleby, signal engineer; H. R. McKee, superintendent, Slaton division; J. B. Briscoe, superintendent, Plains division; Major Joe Jenkins, Amarillo; R. I. Rydin, assistant to the president, Santa

Fe System; E. Byron Singleton, associate administrator War Savings; E. P. Dudley, assistant general manager, Northern District; C. R. Tucker, assistant general manager, Southern District; H. C. Vincent, traffic manager, P&SF Ry.

(Back row) Chaplain John A. Mrocza; W. W. Davis, storekeeper; Capt. H. E. Wilson and R. D. McGee, Santa Fe Battalion; C. A. Casler, auditor, P&SF; R. T. Anderson, general passenger agent, Topeka; E. F. Browder, secretary-treasurer, P&SF Ry.; J. E. Owens, tax agent; Homer B. Fink, treasurer, Santa Fe System; G. C. Jefferis, general manager, Santa Fe Western Lines.



Of late, a number of service men from the air bases around Lubbock have visited Slaton, arriving Saturday evening and with a desire to spend the night and Sunday in

our hotel facilities during these war times cannot accommodate these soldier-visitors and the Chamber of Commerce of Slaton is interested deeply in caring for these men and making their stay as comfortable and enjoyable as possible while they are in Slaton.

Many of you Slaton people have spare bed rooms that are not in use on Saturday nights that these Service men could occupy and appreciate, since theirs is not the homelife that they have always been used to now. So why not extend our 'Southern Hospitality' in this direction and open our homes Saturday nights to our soldiers that like our town well enough that they want to come down and visit it without having to be brought in by the Draft Route.

If you have that spare room or two rooms, and would house a service man or two on Saturday night, call the Chamber of Commerce, telephone 344, and list your name, address, telephone number if you have one and most likely you will soon have a guest that you may have enjoyed knowing very much.

Staff Sergeant Everett L. Mangum has been stationed at Pecos Basic Flying School as Non-Commissioned Officer in charge of the Third Army Airways Communications Station there. His duties

consist of supervising the maintenance and operation of the Main Control Tower. Mrs. Mangum and their baby son plan to join him soon.

Mrs. J. L. Waldrep received a letter from her son Ensign J. Hope Waldrep from Athens Ga. where he is serving as an instructor for the Navy. Ensign Waldrep reported that he is very much interested in his work and that he is kept busy every minute.

Colonel Thomas L. Gilbert, Commanding Officer of the twin-engine advanced flying school where so many youths of this area are stationed, has invited the wives and families of the enlisted men to dinner Thanksgiving Day.

### SLATON STUDENTS JOIN DRAMATIC CLUB

LUBBOCK, Nov. 17.—Misses Phyllis McReynolds and Mary Ann Schmidt of Slaton have been initiated into Sock and Buskin, dramatic organization at Texas Technological college. Thirty-four new members have been announced by the club.

Miss McReynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McReynolds, is a freshman government student. Miss Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Schmidt, is enrolled in the home economics division as a foods and nutrition major. She is also a freshman.

### Ginning Report

Census report shows that 32,468 bales of cotton were ginned in Lubbock County Texas from the crop of 1942 prior to November 1 as compared with 4434 bales for the crop of 1941.

## Rotary To Entertain District Governor Paxton Wednesday Night

At a special meeting of the Rotary Club called to begin at 7:30 p. m. next Wednesday night at the Slaton Club House, the members of the Club will be addressed by District Governor Charles E. Paxton, of Sweetwater, who will be here to meet with the Slaton members on that date.

The meeting Wednesday will take the place of the regular meeting for the Thanksgiving week.

Governor Paxton will combine a business meeting with his program. Dinner will be served by the Ladies of the Methodist Church.



Chas. E. Paxton

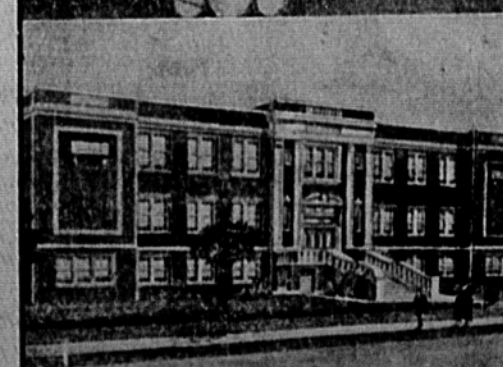
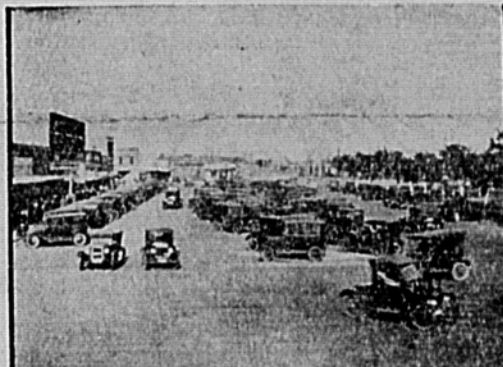
### NOTICE TO PARENTS OF SONS IN SERVICE

All parents who have sons in the Armed Forces in and around Slaton are asked to call Mrs. J. S. Waldrep at 907.

### JIM CLARK DIES HERE

The Williams Funeral Home ambulance took the body of Jim Clark, a negro, to Rockdale for burial this week. Jim was about 65 years of age and died at the Mercy Hospital last Wednesday.

### OUR WHOSIT DEPARTMENT



# APPLICATIONS FOR 'GAS' RATION BOOKS TO START MONDAY

## 90 DAY SUSPENSION FOR TEXAS APPEARS LIKELY

While all details as outlined by Government Rationing of Gasoline will be followed for the plan to take effect on December 1st, there is some possibility that Gasoline rationing for Texas and some other parts of the nation will be postponed.

A strong fight has developed in Congress favoring the delaying of gasoline rationing until a full investigation by a Congressional Committee can be made. The proposal as it stands is to have gasoline rationing postponed for 90 days after December 1st in order that the investigation can be made.

These proposals will not however exempt anyone from applying for a gasoline rationing book this week at the Slaton Club House or from appearing before the rationing committees at the City Hall next week.

### Legionaires To Meet On Dec. 14

John Hannah, Adjutant of Luther Powers Post No. 438 of The American Legion, has called a meeting of all Legionaires and their families, to be held at the newly remodeled American Legion Hall, on December 14th to dedicate the new quarters of the organization. Refreshments will be served and all Legion members are urged to come and make the meeting a big one.

### Union Service To Be Held On Thanksgiving Day

A Union Thanksgiving Service will be held at the Methodist Church next Thursday morning beginning at 10 a. m. Various churches of the town will cooperate in the service and the ministers of all churches taking part are requesting their members to be present.

Full details of the meeting have not been worked out but the speaker will be one of the ministers of a local church. Everyone will be welcome.

### Tech Holidays Cut In Length

LUBBOCK, Nov. 20.—Elimination of holiday travel congestion is the object of the cancellation of the Thanksgiving and Easter holidays at Texas Technological College. In stead of the usual three-day Thanksgiving vacation only the one day will be given. Christmas holidays are scheduled to begin at 6 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 22, with classes resumed at 8 a. m. Jan 6.

### Slaton F. F. A. Has Meeting

The Slaton Chapter of Future Farmers of America met November the twelfth in the chapter room with 16 members and 1 visitor, Dorvey Lavender of the Wilson Chapter present.

The meeting opened with the opening ceremony, and was followed by a program which consisted of a report on chapter swine production by Johnny King in which it was found that boys of the chapter had as projects 13 sows for pig production. He brought out the fact that if the pigs averaged 200 pounds per head at market time, the increase would be 8800 pounds to the nation's pork production.

The chapter voted to hold meetings on the first and third Mondays of every month.

Jack Dickson was elected Farm Watch Dog to take the place of Wallace Sanders who has joined the army.

The meeting was closed with the closing ceremony. Following it refreshments were served and enjoyed by all.

### Slaton Women Enter Service

Two Slaton Women who have joined the WACCS are expected to leave soon for training. They are Mrs. Carl Merriwether and Miss Mardell Childress. These are the first two women of Slaton to join the Women's branch of the Armed Services, however a number of others are considering entering either the WACCS or the WAVES.

### Canteen Dance Saturday Night

Briggs Robertson reports that there will be a dance held tomorrow night at the Slaton Club House to which the public is invited. The Dance will be given to raise funds to pay for some extra services to be furnished by the Slaton Service Canteen during the Thanksgiving and Christmas Holidays to the men who are routed through Slaton. A nominal charge will be made.

We got our neck out last week in our Whosit Contest, and like Solomon when he gave down his decision upon the identification of an infant's mother, we have been compelled to just hope we are correct. The pictures of the two infants that were published last week were identified as a number of different children including the Castleberry twins, but we have decided that the pass to the Palace Theatre should be given to Mrs. J. D. Plumlee, Slaton Route 2, who reported that the illustration was of her son David Carrol Plumlee and her nephew Wyvon Heff. Two other long time residents of Slaton have also identified them as the above named children. The illustration appeared about four years ago.

Today we publish several scenes that were evidently taken during some kind of celebration here in Slaton. We do not know what the celebration was and if any reader can give us the information we will give him or her a pass to the Palace Theatre.

An Advisory Gasoline Rationing Committee consisting of Judge C. Smith, C. E. Lilley and Jack Watkins will assist the original Committee of J. A. Klasner, J. T. Pinkston and Webber Williams in receiving and passing upon applications.

Each car owner will be allowed an A card if their applications show that they have complied with all regulations. The local committees will be authorized to issue A cards and take applications for other cards. Applications for additional gasoline will be passed upon by the local boards but delivery of cards will be made in Lubbock.

The Committees will start hearing and considering applications next Monday at the Slaton City Hall.

### Holiday Here Next Thursday

Mrs. Lee Green reports that business institutions including the Post Office and the Citizens State Bank have been requested to close next Thursday Nov. 26 in observance of Thanksgiving Day, and that all had consented to do so.

### Gordon Returns From Conference

Reverend H. C. Gordon, who attended the West Texas Annual Conference of the Methodist Church last week at Sweetwater reports that an unusually large attendance was recorded and that the sermons delivered by Reverend Paul Martin of Wichita Falls and Mr. Score of Southwestern University of Georgetown, Texas, were received with great interest.

Reverend Gordon was returned to his Church for the coming year.

### Ferguson Back From Convention

Reverend W. H. Ferguson returned last week from Fort Worth where he attended the Baptist General Convention of Texas that ended last Thursday.

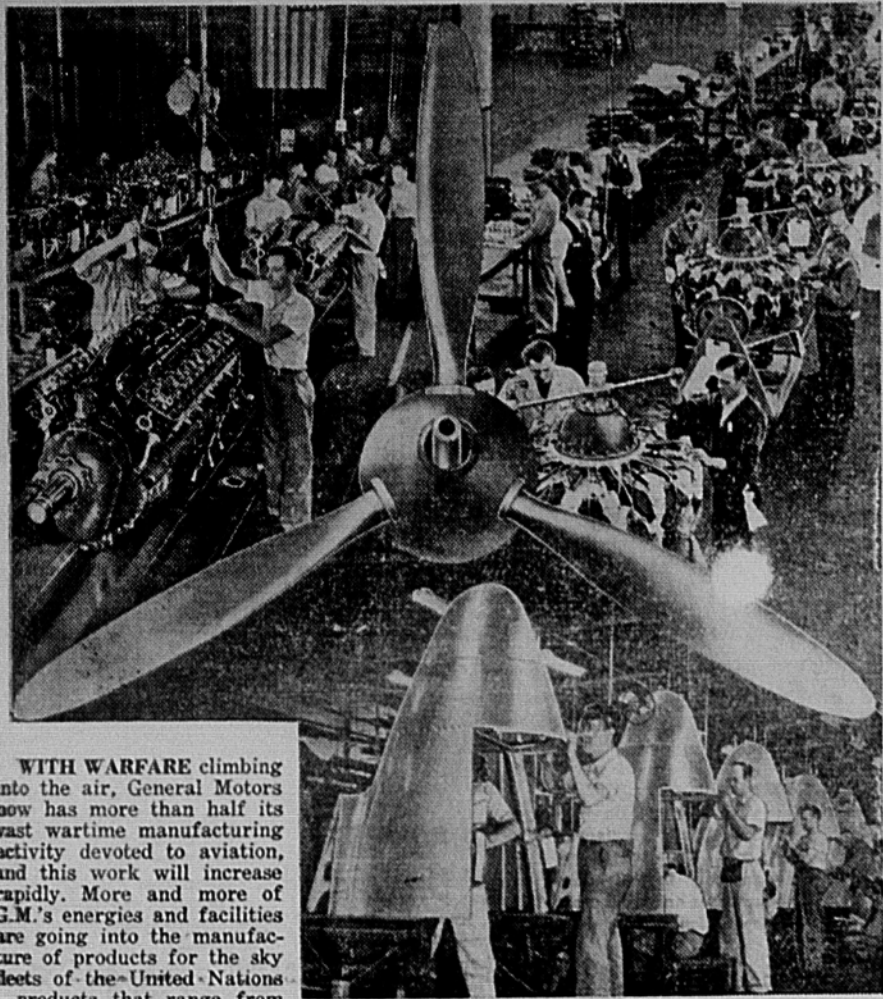
Reverend Ferguson reports a very successful meeting. One of the outstanding events of the meeting was when the report of the payment of \$1,600,000.00 was made making the Texas Baptist now practically free of debt. Speakers at the Convention were Louie B. Newton, of Atlanta, Ga. and Dr. Truitt of Dallas. The reports of the Foreign Mission was most interesting according to Reverend Ferguson. Dr. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons at Abilene, was elected President of the organization.

### Mrs. Montgomery Passes Away

The sad news of the death of Mrs. Kate Montgomery of White-wright Texas was received here late Monday. Mrs. Montgomery was the sister of Mrs. W. B. Hestand of Slaton and has many friends here as she has visited her sister often.



# Half G.M.'s War Effort for Flying Forces



WITH WARFARE climbing into the air, General Motors now has more than half its vast wartime manufacturing activity devoted to aviation, and this work will increase rapidly. More and more of G.M.'s energies and facilities are going into the manufacture of products for the sky fleets of the United Nations—products that range from tiny instrument parts, through liquid-cooled and air-cooled engines, to completed airplanes.

Top left: Allison liquid-cooled engines being assembled. These engines power many of the Army's planes.

Top right: Mass production of powerful bomber engines in plants of the Buick and Chevrolet divisions is breaking records under steady acceleration of output. This is the final Buick "cleanup" line after test, tear-down and re-

assembly, where the engines are readied for crating and shipment to a bomber plant. Above: Parts for these bomber nacelles are made at several Fisher Body plants. They are pictured in assembly at the Fisher Aircraft plant.

## ON THE HOME FRONT

Nationwide mileage rationing is scheduled to get underway December 1 after a week's postponement due to unavoidable delays in the distribution of the necessary forms and rationing books. Registration is now underway in schoolhouses of the Southwest, where teachers and other school authorities are giving three days of their valuable time to the federal program. Another volunteer group—the local war price and rationing boards—hunched into the heartiest part of the program as soon as registration is over—that of deciding who shall get supplemental rations. It will be a terrific task and one that can only be handled without serious thought and long hours of labor. A officials urge all Southwest motorists to recognize this fact and help keep the load off the local boards.

OPA's mileage rationing program received a healthy shot in the arm during the past week with its announcement that through November 7, 1,483,800 idle passenger-type tires had been turned into the Defense Supplies Corporation. These tires will be turned back into trade channels shortly where they will be rationed to the country's motorists on the basis of essential mileage. It is a major factor in the government's plan to keep rolling the nation's passenger automobiles.

Because the armed forces and

### The Women Who Suffer From HOT FLASHES then WILLY FEELINGS

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remain open all day Sunday, November 22. Certificates are required to obtain gasoline ration books and for the purchase of gasoline, tires or repair parts.

A drastic cut in wallpaper production, including reduction of the number of styles and colors, has been ordered by WPB. Under L-177, no manufacturer shall purchase or put in process paper stock in excess of 50 per cent of the total tonnage used by him for making wallpaper in the period July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942. War-time restrictions on private house construction was one of the factors considered in determining the extent of the curtailment.

Food costs climbed an average of 2 and one half per cent in the six-state Dallas OPA Dallas region from September 15 to October 13. This information was contained in a report made to Region OPA Administrator Max L. McCullough by Dr. Arthur A. Smith, regional Bureau of Labor Statistics director. His report indicated that the greatest increase in food costs during the period occurred through price rises in eggs, dairy products, and fruits and vegetables, commodities which went under price control on October 5 by OPA order. Prices of canned fruits and vegetables also advanced as a result of OPA adjustments permitted for the new pack reaching market. The report showed the highest increase in food prices for the region at New Orleans, with a 4 per cent jump. Houston was near the bottom, with a 1.6 per cent increase.

OPA region officials announced that consumers who have registered and secured War Ration Book No. 1 will not have to register again to get coffee when rationing begins on November 29. Stamps No. 17 through 28, used in reverse order, will be used to get coffee. Because of its position in the book, Stamp No. 27 will be detached for the first pound of coffee purchased. To consumers who still are unable to get sugar because of excess amounts on hand, local boards will issue ration books with the first sixteen stamps torn out, so that they may purchase coffee under rationing.

It would be nice if the mailman would bring us some of those bills whose first name is dollar. He swore, "If you refuse me, I shall die." So, she refused him and he died—60 years later.

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# WEST TEXAS GAS CO.

## Southland News

Virginia King, Correspondent

December 7, has been decided as the most appropriate date for the second meeting of the women of the whole community to work on the service flag. They will meet at the Baptist Church as soon after noon as possible, and hope that some of the rural women may come, even though gas rationing may prevent them. The flag now has 100 stars. Four more have been embroidered and returned and eleven more were sent out this week.

Billy Becker will leave Thursday for the Navy, the second son of Mr. and Mrs. August Becker to wear a blue uniform.

Bryce King of the Ft. Bliss, El Paso Cavalry came home Thursday expecting to see his brother Leon (Pete) before he left for the Navy. Instead he read Leon's first letter home, postmarked Great Lakes, Ill.

Calvin Klaus and his buddy have purchased a car, because their barracks at Stratford, Conn. are so far from their work.

Howard Anthony visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Basinger last week.

Adolph Klesel has written several letters home from a mosquito infested island where the rats dine on their shaving and toilet soap.

Mrs. Durard Robinson, the Grade School Principal missed all of last week because of the flu, Rev. O. J. Harmonson substituting as teacher.

Mrs. Clyde Sartain taught the 3rd and 4th grade Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Duff have gone to visit their daughter Juanita who is ill in Houston.

School began Friday morning at 9:00 and turned out at 2:30 to enable the large number of absentees to attend school, and pull bolts. This same schedule will be followed in good weather.

C. W. (Red) Dodson had his little finger cut off at the first joint at the Hugo Kenler Gin at Stegal.

Frank Fletcher of Wilson arrived home Wednesday to stay for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clark of Plainview spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. Gene Draper and fam-

**THIS WEEK'S LESSON**

Thanksgiving Day services are held by The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, and its branches throughout the world. The order of service includes the reading of a Lesson-Sermon on the topic of "Thanksgiving." Opportunity is also afforded those present to give testimonies of gratitude appropriate to the occasion.

The Golden Text is: "I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify him with thanksgiving" (Psalms 69:30).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Give thanks unto the Lord, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the people... Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name; bring an offering, and come before him; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness" (1 Chronicles 16:8, 29).

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: "Gratitude is much more than a verbal expression of thanks. Action expresses more gratitude than speech" (page 3).

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The Pember Agency is always on the alert to se-

cure good trades for their clients and is one of the most active concerns in property rentals. Mr. Pember is one of the best informed men in the State on Insurance and will be glad to advise any property owner on the best policies to carry on any kind of property.

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Although the War has affected the manufacture of mattresses like it has most everything else, The Slaton Mattress Factory is still turning out the best mattresses that can be had and at prices that make them easy to buy.

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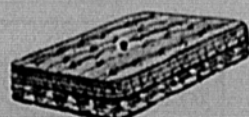
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LOST—White and brown Collie dog last Saturday Nov. 3. Last seen had on collar with Wellington, Kansas tax tag on it and a short chain Reward. Mrs. F. R. Snyder 755 S. 11.

LOST—football—Fell into passing trailer. Return to W. T. Cherry 300 West Lubbock. Phone 563.

## England Safer Than America

AUSTIN, Nov. 20.—The loss of American lives by fire when compared with death lists during three years of war in bomb-battered England, is described by Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner as deplorable. The comparison he said, presents a "very unpleasant picture."

"In a vain effort to defeat the British," continued Hall. "Nazi planes rained flaming hell from the skies over England. War casualties in the first three years ending August 31, 1942, show that German air raiders killed 45,871 persons in England.

"Approximately 30,000 civilians burned to death in America during the same three-year period. In a land free from the roar of enemy planes; where screaming bombs are unknown, our carelessness with fire caused a death toll two-thirds as great wartime deaths in England."

The Commissioner said last week's incomplete fire reports list at least two deaths in Texas. In one, a man was burned to death when he fell asleep while smoking in bed.

The other death resulted from the dangerous practice of keeping gasoline in the home. A can of gasoline near a water heater was ignited. A shower of flames covered a child standing nearby, causing death within a few minutes.

"Fatal fires are almost a daily occurrence in Texas," Commissioner Hall said. "They result from acts of carelessness—our failure to consider either the safety of others or our own safety. It is as many of our people in Texas were killed by bombs as there are by fire, we would be doing something to stop it. Yet, a life lost by fire is just as horrible a tragedy as one lost by an enemy bomb."

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## INTEREST BEING SHOWN IN OVERSEAS KIT BAGS



Slaton Red Cross has 12 overseas kit bags filled and ready for shipment.

The Masonic Blue Lodge and the Royal Arch Chapter of the Masons are giving the contents for 10 bags each and the Eastern Star ladies are making these bags on Thursday.

The approximate cost of filling these bags is \$1 each and if anyone is interested in giving \$1 or donating some of the items please get in touch with Mrs. H. R. McKee. Mrs. J. D. Cox donated 20 packages of chewing gum.

Chairmen for next week are Mrs. Harry Stokes and Mrs. R. G. Lovelless, Monday; Mrs. J. P. Brooks and Mrs. L. B. Wootton Tuesday; Mrs. G. A. Brown and Mrs. Claude Young Wednesday.

## POSEY ITEMS MISS RUTH GENTRY

Mrs. Wesley Gentry visited her sister, Mrs. E. A. Tusha of Leveland this week.

Visitors in the L. K. Hart home this week end were Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart, Mrs. Kenneth Butler and daughter Jennie Sue, and Mrs. Wylie Walker all of Lorraine.

The I. J. Kemp family had as their guests this week end, Mr. and Mrs. Math Weisenfels and daughter, Mary Mildred, Miss Deana Weisenfels, and Mrs. Otto Dietz all of Wichita Falls.

Don Ray Rodgers of Lubbock visited his grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Gentry this week end.

Mrs. E. L. Mangum and son, Ronald Lee, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Porter, Mrs. J. D. Porter, and Mrs. J. T. Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Redman of Tulsa Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Porter remained to visit a few weeks.

Mrs. J. M. Morrison has been ill the past two weeks.

Mr. J. G. Harper Jr. is ill with the tonsillitis.

The Posey Epworth League met Sunday night at the school house for a regular meeting. Miss Ruth Gentry gave the program on "When and Why Do We Pray?"

Messrs. Charles Gentry, Bud Johnson, Vaughn Campbell, and Lesley Rodgers visited in Amarillo this week end.

Those attending the party in Slaton at Geraldine Pickett's from Posey Friday night were: Misses Vernell Campbell and Ruth Gentry, and Messrs. Bud Johnson, Charles Gentry, Vaughn Campbell and Clifford Behlen.

Messrs. Charles Gentry, Bud Johnson, and Vaughn Campbell attended the football game at Lubbock Saturday before going to Amarillo.

Next Sunday night is singing night at the school house and everyone is given a hearty welcome.

## Share The Meat Plan Suggested

COLLEGE STATION, Nov 20—The government's share-the-meat campaign, a voluntary program for consumers, aims at a fair division of available supplies among those who need them, until a system of card rationing can be set up to achieve the same purpose arbitrarily. Meat rationing is not expected until early 1943.

The two-and-one-half pounds of beef, lamb and pork allowed per adult per week is sufficient for an adequate diet, provided other necessary foods are included, says Hazel Phipps, specialist in food preparation for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

But, if you are terribly fond of meat flavor and miss it for that reason more than any other, spread the flavor of meat by mixing it with other foods," Miss Phipps says.

The specialists explains that cereal foods such as bread in stuffings, hominy, rice, and macaroni are good "meat extenders." Vegetables can extend the flavor of meat in stews, soups, chowders, and pot roasts. With meat rationing many homemaker will learn to become more thrifty with left-overs. They will need to save all left-over meat gravy, or drippings and make broth of the bones. Left-over cooked meat can be sliced and served cold or in a salad. Or, Miss Phipps says, it can be combined with other foods in appetizing hot dishes such as browned hash, meat pie, stuffed peppers, croquettes, and chop suey.

It will also pay housewives to make greater use of kidney, brains, heart, and other variety meats which are not included in the "sharing allowance." Like other more familiar meats, these are good protein foods and are an especially rich source of iron and the B vitamins, Miss Phipps says.

## Mercy Hospital Report

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Births Congratulation to— Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Powers on the birth of a son (Jackie Dale) 7lbs 3 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilson, Southland, on the birth of a daughter (Mary Lee) 6lbs 6ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huff, Post, on the birth of a daughter (Veletha Joy) weighing 7lbs and 3 ozs., The father is employed in a defense plant in Amarillo.

## How To Feed Dairy Cows

COLLEGE STATION, Nov.—There is no "best" ration for dairy cows, according to G. G. Gibson, assistant dairyman for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Every dairyman who is feeding his cows properly, Gibson explains, uses a grain mixture which is suitable to the roughage on hand.

For example, sudan pasture which might run 15 per cent protein would require a different grain mixture from sudan grass hay containing only about one half the protein content. The simplest method to determine the proper grain mixture for feeding along with any roughage, or combination of roughages, is to find the protein content of the roughage and add grain mixture. The total should be it too the protein content in the 27.

Considering the point whether a variety of feeds is needed in grain mixtures, Gibson refers to an Experiment Station test in feeding a simple grain mixture in comparison to a complex one. The former contained ground shelled corn, soybean oil meal and some minerals, and the latter six different feeds plus the minerals. Thirty days feeding of the two groups resulted in practically no difference in production.

One of the best production records in Texas is being made by a herd receiving a mixture of 400 pounds ground ear corn, 300 pounds oats, 200 pounds cottonseed meal, 400 pounds wheat bran, and 100 pounds soybean meal. It costs \$1.94 a hundred and contains 19 per cent protein! It is suitable for feeding along with a roughage containing eight per cent crude protein.

"It looks as though more soybean meal is being fed in Texas dairy herds than ever before," Gibson observes. "It is a good protein supplement and can be used to build up the protein content of the rations."

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## When You Marry Tell Uncle Sam

LUBBOCK, Nov. 20.—In commenting on the heavy increase in the number of marriages within the last year, John D. Palmer, manager of the Lubbock Social Security Board field office, said that persons who have been issued social security account numbers and have changed their names through marriage should notify the Social Security Board.

"It is essential that when a woman marries and changes her name she notify the Board in accordingly in order that we may make our records conform" Palmer stated. "It thus prevents confusion and costly errors in recording her wages that could result if her employer reported her wages under her married name while the Board's records still showed her maiden name."

Any individual may apply at the Social Security Board office in Lubbock for a "change in records" form but, he added, they should bring their account number cards with them. It is then possible to issue a new card immediately, showing the changed name under the same number. Women who apply for a "change in records" by mail should enclose the original card but should keep a record of the

number until the new card is received. Palmer also emphasized that the employer should likewise be informed of the change so that the name reported by him will be the same as shown on the corrected account number card.

The reporting of such corrections and changes is necessary in order that the Social Security Board may maintain accurate records at all times to assure prompt

payment of old-age and survivors insurance claims, Palmer said, who also stated that there is no charge for the correction of such records.

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# Society - Clubs

## Slaton Home Demonstration Club Has Election Of Officers

The Slaton Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Henry Robinson Wednesday for a covered dish luncheon. Mrs. Robinson is home food supply demonstrator for the club.

Miss Clara Pratt, county home demonstration agent, told the group that one should be careful not to overcook the roast chicken for overcooking will destroy more vitamins. "A chicken young enough to roast will cook in one and a half to two hours in a 3500 oven," she said.

Mrs. R. C. Hall was re-elected president; J. F. Henry vice-president; Mrs. Cieta Young, treasurer. Mrs. Robinson was elected secretary. Mrs. Cieta Young and Mrs. Robinson were elected council members and Mrs. W. H. Long as alternate.

Mrs. Hoyt Agnew and Mrs. W. J. Anderson were visitors. Members present were Mesdames W. H. Long, C. E. Lilley, Roy Collins, O. F. Kitten, E. E. Wilson, Cieta Young, Lucyle McEver, I. C. Tucker and Miss Pratt.

The club will meet again December 16th at the home of Mrs. McEver for a Christmas party.

## 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, Chapters XXV-XXXI. Tabernacle Pattern.

1. Of what two materials was the furniture within the Tabernacle composed?

2. Of what two materials was the furniture in the Court composed?

3. In what form is the Tabernacle furniture placed?

4. Name the six pieces of furniture and state the location of each whether in the Court, the Holy Place or the Holy of Holies.

5. What is the best lesson you have learned in studying the Tabernacle?

The Tabernacle speaks of Christ in many ways. Even its materials and colors. The wood—His humanity, gold—His divinity, Silver—redemption, brass—judgment, white for purity, blue for promise or prophecy, purple for royalty, red for blood.

Members present included Mesdames W. P. Florence, J. W. Scott, E. E. Wilson, R. C. Sanner, C. C. Wicker, H. H. Edmondson, P. M. Wheatley and the following guests Mesdames E. M. Lott, Fred Stottle mire, J. F. Ewing and C. E. Jarman.

The club meets next at the Club House Dec 1st with Mrs. Sanner hostess.

## MEET WITH MRS. TUDOR DAUGHTERS OF PIONEER

Mrs. Melvin Tudor was hostess Monday night to the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club.

Roll call was answered with a Bible verse.

During the business session the club decided to have a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Odie Hoods and after the party a dance will be held at Legion Hall.

For the program Mrs. Chas Marriott gave a talk on "Christ of the Andes".

Those attending were Mesdames Oree Glascock, Joe Wicker, George Privett, Max Arrants, J. P. Halliburton, Cecil Scott, Hood, Marriott and Misses Mary Watkins, Myrtle Teague and Naydiene Smith.

## W S C S Meets In Ranch Home

Mrs. Gus Robertson was hostess to the Womens Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon at her attractive ranch home.

Mrs. H. C. Gordon, president, called the meeting to order and gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. S. H. Adams gave the devotional on "Gratitude" and Mrs. R. G. Shankle read several poems. Mrs. R. H. Todd gave a summary of the study on Latin America including a vivid description of the habits of the natives in that country. The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. L. R. Tibbs.

Refreshments were served to the 23 members present from the tea table which was covered with an embroidered organdy cloth over yellow and centered with an arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums and autumn leaves. Mrs. J. S. Edwards presided at the coffee service and Mrs. Howard Swanner poured tea.

The Society will meet next Monday afternoon with the president Mrs. H. C. Gordon at the parsonage.

## QUILTING CLUB HOLDS ALL DAY MEETING

Mrs. Ben Basker was hostess to the Jolly Quilting Club Tuesday. At noon a covered dish luncheon was served. The time was spent in quilting on a flower garden quilt.

Members present included Mesdames W. P. Florence, J. W. Scott, E. E. Wilson, R. C. Sanner, C. C. Wicker, H. H. Edmondson, P. M. Wheatley and the following guests Mesdames E. M. Lott, Fred Stottle mire, J. F. Ewing and C. E. Jarman.

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## Henry-Barry Announcement

Announcement was made last week of the marriage of Mrs. R. L. Henry and William T. Barry of Slaton which took place in Lubbock Sunday Nov. 8 at 2:15 p. m. with Rev. H. J. Robinson officiating. They were married in the study of Rev. Robinson with Mrs. C. H. Mellroy the only attendant.

## HOME MAKERS CLASS HAS REGULAR MEETING

The Home Makers Class of the First Baptist Church had their social and business meeting Thursday afternoon Nov. 12 in the home of Mrs. J. R. Robertson, with Mrs. L. S. Jefcoat and Mrs. John Crawford co-hostess.

Mrs. W. T. Driver presided and Mrs. L. Roaten brought the Devotional.

Refreshments were served to the following members, Mrs. Guy Brown, L. M. Smith, E. Lott, W. P. Forence, J. M. Stevens, R. C. Hall, J. G. Harper, P. Wilson, Hubbard, Yates, Jefcoat, Crawford, Driver, Roaten and the hostess.

## Mrs. Joe Johnson Is Class Hostess

Eight members of the Loyal Workers Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met Thursday at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Joe Johnson.

During the business meeting it was decided to bring gifts for the birthday bag in December and also to bring gifts to exchange for the Christmas tree.

Those present included Mesdames P. M. Wheatley, O. W. Ray, L. R. Tibbs, W. H. Proctor, Marion Hodge, L. L. Frazier, S. P. Ferguson and the hostess.

Next meeting will be Dec. 17 with Mrs. C. L. Suits.

## Play Given By Culture Club

Members of the Civic and Culture Club heard a one-act play on "Health and First Aid" given by Mrs. M. L. Elliott and Mrs. Bessie Donald in the home of Mrs. W. E. Smart last Saturday afternoon. The club president, Mrs. Green, presided over the business meeting. Names were drawn for Christmas gifts for Dec. 12. Roll call was answered with "Do You Know?"

Fifteen members and two guests Mrs. D. J. Neil and Mrs. Gertrude Witherspoon of San An-

gelo were present.

The club will meet Nov. 28 in the home of Mrs. Ragsdale with Mrs. Lee Green hostess.

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With a current production of about 400 planes a month, Canada is now looking after a substantial part of the requirements of the Joint Air Training Plan. It is building operational planes for the Royal Canadian Air Force, and it has accepted substantial orders for training and service planes from England and the United States. And there are still some plants which are not yet in full swing.

Passed by Censorship, the manufacture of aircraft in Canada is now confined to nine types, of which the Bolingbroke is one. A twin-engine reconnaissance bomber, the Bristol Bolingbroke requires several hundred man-hours to build, and costs in the neighborhood of \$85,000. It has a maximum load of 1,000 pounds and can fly from Ottawa to Calgary without refueling.

A single tire of this plane contains as much rubber as an entire set of tires on a passenger automobile.

Today, Canada's aircraft industry occupies some 3,500,000 square feet of plant floor space. With an average monthly increase of more than 2,000 men and women, the industry has expanded its personnel forty times since the war began. These men and women come from the farms, from schools and domestic service, without any mechanical training, and must be taught to do the work they will ultimately perform.

## Mrs. H. R. McKee Wins Recognition

The Austin Tribune Newspaper prize was awarded to the Seventh District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs for the most artistic scrap book with the best news coverage. Responsible for this book is Mrs. H. R. McKee publications chairman, and Miss Conny McDonald of Lubbock compiler-illustrator.

This book was disqualified by the judges for the first \$10 prize because it covered all the units in the Seventh District instead of separate units. It was the only one submitted with hand drawn illustrations and a hand made cover. Of light tan cotton cloth and tied with a leather thong it has on the cover brown crayon sketches of the four things which have made Texas great: oil, cattle, wheat and cotton, the cotton being real. This book showed much originality of design, had excellent news coverage, good continuity, and due credit goes to Mrs. H. R. McKee of Slaton.

To visit their daughter, Mrs. Neal Hallmark. Mrs. Pack will return in a few days but Mrs. Pack plans to stay several weeks.

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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pember and family of Portales, New Mexico visited the M. A. Pembers last week end.

Mrs. Joe Bailey of Dallas visited her brother P. M. Wheatley and family Armistice Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards Jr. and son of Lamesa have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards.

Miss Fern Wheatley who has a position in Lubbock was here last week end to be with her parents.

J. E. Eckert Jr. from Seagraves visited his parents last week end.

Guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard Saturday and Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Black of Pampa.

Night Watchman Charley Yates left last Tuesday for Houston where his father is ill.

Mrs. T. E. Vinyard and son T.

E. are visiting Mrs. Vinyard's daughter Mrs. Charles Marriott Jr Mrs. Vinyard is a sister of F. A. Drury.

Mrs. W. T. Caldwell of Littlefield is visiting in the home of her nephew Grady Elder.

Mrs. Roger Pinson and son James of Hale Center are visiting the Leonard Harrals this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marshall of Rock Island Illinois are visiting in the K. C. Scott home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Pack are leaving today for Oklahoma City

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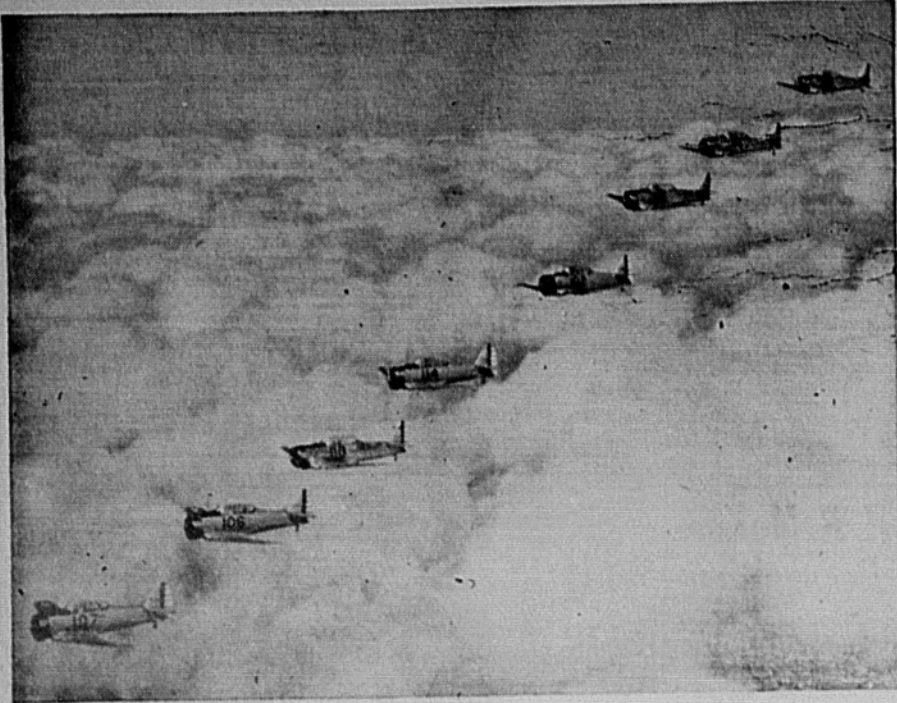
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**COOPER NEWS**

Kathryn Robertson

Cooper Rural High School was declared the winner recently of first prize of \$15, offered for competition among rural schools of Lubbock County in the recent national scrap metal campaign. The school was well ahead of the closest competitor with 20,840 pounds of scrap actually weighed in during the period of the drive.

The actual hauling was made impossible by heavy rains during the last few days of the campaign. In

a contest between the grammar and high school grades, the grammar school pupils were announced as the winners.

Miss Myrtle Coleman, grammar school teacher, suffered minor injuries a week ago Sunday when she struck the back of a parked transport oil truck while driving southward on the Tahoka highway. She suffered a head injury, bruises and lacerations and loss of several teeth in the collision. Her condition has been reported improving, and expects to go back to her school work in another week. Mrs. E. E. Pierce will substitute until Miss

Coleman returns.

Mrs. E. L. Byrns of Harlingen, Texas returned home with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade.

Staff Sergeant James Earnest Whatley received his promotion last week. He is a former student of Texas Technological college and is stationed with the 813th school squadron at Big Spring. He and his wife have been visiting his parent, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whatley.

Miss Marcille Bowers, whose home is in Lubbock, took her new school position as Home Economics teacher Monday.

Cooper school opened last Monday after a five week period of cotton pulling. Attendance has only been about seventy five per cent this week.

Supt. B. M. Hayes and family have moved recently in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dawkins moved to Lubbock recently where their daughter Dortha Nell, a Tech student will have the privilege of living with them. Rose Mary, their other daughter, will also attend school in Lubbock.

Those visiting in the E. A. Robertson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Roberts and child-

**4-H Club Girls Get In Scrap**

COLLEGE STATION, Nov. 20.—Texas 4-H Club girls have collected enough scrap rubber for seven battleships, 72 28-ton tanks, with a tire for a bomber thrown in, Onah Jacks, state girls' club agent of the A. and M. College Extension Service, announced in a radio broadcast which opened National Achievement Week on November 7.

In addition, 4-H members salvaged enough steel for 728 light tanks and enough waste paper to make more than 391,000 cartons for anti-aircraft shells. "With bonds and stamps you've bought Uncle Sam can buy more than 700 machine guns with 10 rounds of ammunition each," Miss Jacks said in her radio talk addressed to nearly 28,000 club girls.

The state girls' club leader said that 4-H girls comprise a land army over 26,000 strong, and they are "on the job today—plowing, gathering crops, caring for chickens or livestock, or doing other extra farm work." In their ranks also are about eight and a half thousand fire fighters and 600 air raid wardens and plane spotters.

Besides growing food for home use all through the year, 4-H Club girls have preserved enough food to supply 1,700 soldiers for a whole year. And there are enough 4-H Club girls who have studied first aid and home nursing to supply each of those soldiers with two nurses each—and there would be "more than 400 nurses left over," Miss Jacks said.

Concerning the national observance she said, "This 4-H Achievement Week is intended to give you and others an opportunity to look over your work—see where it's good and make it better. This week is time—to reset your sights and to go at it again to do a finer job for your country and yourself than you've ever done before."

ren, Mrs. C. B. Barrett, Mr. E. F. Dawkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ellenberger of Lubbock.

**Range Loss Adds To Beef Shortage**

Thousands of pounds of beef needed to help offset shortages in the United States will be lost this winter unless immediate steps are taken, livestock authorities say. The danger is especially great because losses are less apparent than if the meat were visible to the average person they add, and it is apparent, though serious, in the Cotton Belt.

This threat to the nation's beef supply—preventable by feeding small amounts of cottonseed cake or meal, peanut meal or other protein concentrates—consists of losses of weight in range cattle (even deaths in some cases), failure to produce calves, and the production of weak, light calves.

That losses are just as real as if they consisted of beef spoiling on a shipping platform is evident from such statements as this quotation from a Department of Agriculture Yearbook.

"In the range country of the Southwest and in the Southern States, particularly along the Gulf Coast, thousands of cattle have to depend upon range the year round; as a result, death losses are usually quite heavy, and while the majority come through, the ill effects of undernutrition are usually clearly revealed in their poor condition and small size."

With wartime scarcity of beef adding to the profit incentive for feeding a pound or two of cottonseed cake or peanut or cottonseed meal, daily, to prevent this loss at a very small cost, feeding auth-

orities expect past losses to be reduced sharply in the winter of 1942-43 by better feeding and management.

Deceptively-mild weather, changed overnight by blizzards and "northers", and abundant grass low in feed value are two factors accounting for relatively large losses in the South and Southwest experience shows. Sudden weather changes are familiar to every cowman, but many do not realize how quickly and early range and pasture grass loses its protein and mineral content.

Experiment Station tests in the Southwest during 1941 show that grass samples, some collected as early as October 15, provided only one-fourth of the digestible protein and less than one-half of the phosphorus needed to maintain pregnant beef cows. Authorities found that grasses analyzed would not meet maintenance needs after frost, and pointed out that need for the protein supplement became greater as the season advanced.

Danger of losses can be virtually eliminated by the simple method of feeding small amounts of available supplies of protein concentrates, a consistent practice of many successful cattlemen. Time is important, cattlemen have found fall "caking" should start early to prevent loss of weight and condition that cannot be regained later. Early feeding, continued longer, even though smaller daily amounts are fed, is better than heavier feeding after cattle are losing weight.

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### JUST TALK by A.M.J.

Although I feel like some other  
kind of an animal from boys and  
girls who are in the teen ages and  
early twenties I get a surprise and  
I must admit, some pleasure in be-  
ing recognized by these wise and  
all knowing hopes of the future  
and I would like to state that the  
young folks I have come in contact  
with in Slaton have all been far  
better mannered than most of those  
in the towns I have resided in be-  
fore I descended upon Slaton. A  
few of them have entered into  
conversation with me, although at  
a safe distance always poised  
for flight, in case I should go into  
one of my ferocious spells. At the  
Sub Deb Dance last week, where  
my wife drug me as a spectator, I  
felt like old father time only I did  
not have a strong handled scythe to  
lean upon. I got pushed around by  
a lot of highly decorative young  
ladies and big footed boys until  
twelve o'clock waiting to see them  
do the boogie woogie and all they  
did was amble around to some  
funeral dirges way off in the far  
corners of the building. It was  
quite an evening for a man who  
needs a big shot of vitamin B 1.

When I look at the care free  
sun tanned and well fed faces  
of such men as Ed Buxkemper,  
Sug Robertson and Silas  
Wilson and think of all the  
good things a farmer can  
have that other folks cannot  
get I sail off into the realm  
of fancy and see myself as a  
properous farm owner with  
fat cows grazing upon luxur-  
ious fields and bountiful crops  
growing in profusion all over  
the open spaces, and then the  
phone rings and some one  
wants to know why they did  
not get their last weeks paper.  
However it does seem to me  
that there are a lot of mighty  
good farm citizens in this

community and that this is a  
substantial worth while A-  
merican part of the United  
States where war time in-  
flation and war time enter-  
prises have not warped our  
prospective and where we still  
have our feet planted on the  
earth. By this I do not mean  
that the people of this com-  
munity are not fully war con-  
scious and anxious to do their  
duty for I believe they have  
proven their patriotism by  
buying more than the quota  
set in war bond purchases  
and by the number of volun-  
teers that have gone from this  
part of Lubbock County into  
the armed services. We have  
not had our way of life up-  
set as much as many parts  
of the country and when the  
war is over we will not have  
to make as many adjustments  
as other places where great  
army camps have been estab-  
lished. It is the good substan-  
tial farmers of this commu-  
nity that have helped make  
Slaton and this part of Lub-  
bock County one of the best  
places in the world in which  
to live.

J. H. Watkins was in the office  
this week after having returned  
from a hunting trip with J. H. Ed-  
ward, B. G. Guinn and Carl Lew-  
is. Mr. Watkins dropped into a  
chair with a sigh as he told us  
of the trip and said that there were  
only two birds brought into the  
camp on the entire hunting trip.  
He said that he just went along  
for the trip and did not even take  
a gun but he believes he could have  
killed as many birds as all of the  
other men put together if he had  
just taken his tennis racket along,  
as he could have knocked the two  
birds down with the racket about  
as easy as the hunters did with  
their guns. It must have been a  
hard trip.

To look at Ray Ayers you  
would not suspect him of be-  
ing the modernistic kind but  
on close examination it devel-  
ops that he will probably be  
one of the first men in Tex-  
as to have a combination air-  
plane, automobile and bath  
room all combined into one  
or be the first man to build a  
composition home. He is be-  
ginning to be one of the best  
air line customers in Slaton,  
he now owns the nearest thing  
to a jeep that can be bought  
by a private concern and I  
am looking for him to appear  
in a zoot suit any day.

For years I have been hearing  
about radios that would print  
a daily paper and dump it out  
each morning in a tray and of television  
and family airplanes and now  
comes predictions of plastic au-  
tomobiles and of airplanes that  
can be tied out in front of the house  
like Grandpa used to tie his horse.  
The magazines are showing illus-  
trations of the family air sedan  
with papa steering the contrap-  
tion with one finger as he looks  
out over the top of a mountain but  
I have still got my doubts about a  
lot of this Jules Verne stuff.  
Suppose television does come  
then what are the big broadcasting  
companies going to do with most  
of their performers who have good  
voices but look like forty niners  
and what are the airplane manu-  
facturer going to do when a few  
families riding around in the fam-

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ly air sedan accidentally land out  
in the middle of the Atlantic when  
they thought they would come  
down in their own back yard and  
as for the radio that prints and  
delivers a morning newspaper I  
will be glad to get one myself for  
we have certainly been producing  
them the hard way for many a  
year and it does not take a very  
close observer to see that we are  
not doing a very good job at that,  
with printers being as careless as  
they are and paper high and hard  
to get. It is going to be a vacation  
for a lot of us and I would like  
to speak right now for a good rock-  
ing chair on the shady side of the  
Home for Broken Down newspap-  
er men who had their gray train  
wrecked by a three dollar and nin-  
ety eight cent radio that could edit,  
proof read and print its own news-  
paper.

It seems that the folks in A-  
frica who play ball with the A-  
mericans and English are going to  
get plenty to eat and it is prob-  
able that most of the food will  
come from the United States, all  
of which, in my opinion, points to  
what we may expect when our for-  
ces capture more and more terri-  
tory. Perhaps the tire and gasoline  
rationing may seem tough but wait  
until a good share of our apple  
pie and doughnuts are in the same  
class with the dodo then we will  
have something to worry about.  
Cocanut cake is already a thing  
of the past, T-bone steak is as  
scarce as aluminum and it may not  
be long before most of us will be  
glad to get a big mess of sweet  
potatoes and one eyed peas and a  
big bowl of thin gravy will look  
like a dish of ice cream.

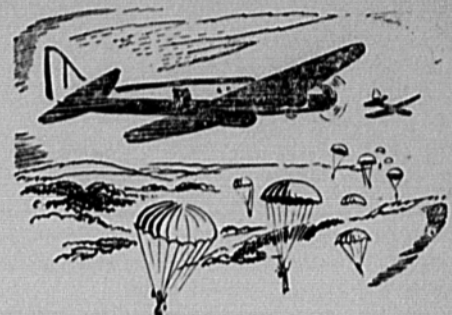
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LUBBOCK, Nov. 20.—Texans  
compose about half the officers on  
foreign duty for the United States  
in this war, if Major Richard  
Kight saw a true picture while  
piloting Wendell Willkie abroad.  
"We didn't make a stop where  
there were as many as four offi-  
cers together, when there wasn't  
two of us from Texas." Major  
Kight said on a recent visit to the  
campus of Texas Technological  
College, where he formerly attend-  
ed school. "One of the fellows re-  
marked he thought it was about  
time the rest of the United States  
signed up and helped Texas win  
the war."  
Willkie, at the conclusion of the

Journey to Egypt, Russia, China  
and other lands, characterized Maj-  
or Kight, a native of Lubbock, as  
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**Movie Reporter.**

Working in the cast of Republic's "Flying Tigers"—which will play locally at the Palace Theatre beginning Nov. 24-26-26, was an extremely personal assignment for Gordon Jones, who has a prominent role in support of John Wayne and John Carroll.

Jones' brother, Captain Paul L. Jones, was serving under General Stillwell in the Chinese army in the very territory in which the story of "Flying Tigers" is laid.

Jones plays the role of the easy going pilot friend of John Carroll in the film, which deals with the heroic efforts of the Flying Tiger group fighting to preserve the Burma Road.

Earthquakes came to be old stuff to Rosalind Russell and Janet Blair by the time they finished work at Columbia in the movie version of "My Sister Eileen," uproarious new comedy at the Palace Theatre with Brian Aherne also starred.

The explanation is that the base ment apartment set, in which the action of the sensational stage play took place, was built at the studio entirely on rockers. Every time the dynamite blast was set off as called for in the script, workmen begin jerking levers and the walls, floor and even the actors bounced and jumped as if a real earthquake had hit the place.

Director Alexander Hall had the set put on rockers for the sake of realism, and to get as many laughs as possible from the dynamite sequences. But the Misses Russell and Blair became so black and blue from bumping into dancing chairs and tables they hired a masseuse for the duration of the film.

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