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It's Their Day Sunday--



The old boys who think they have been taking it on the chin will mumble thanks for the ties, socks, shirts and what have you next Sunday morning and they will pretend that they do not amount to much, but don't let them fool you -- they'll all be pleased pink with the gifts and with the fact that you do appreciate their efforts.

Yes, typical Slaton fathers like Ray Hickman, W. F. Ferguson, John Berkley, H. R. McKee, Pete Pierson and many others will be strutting around with their chests out all day next Sunday and let's all give them a hand, folks, perhaps they do deserve a little credit for it is to men like these that our nation owes its birth and its existence.

Slaton Boy In Many Exciting Battles In Southern Pacific

Emory Clifton, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Clifton, who left last Monday to go back into duty in the Navy after a furlough of a month, reported that he has seen active duty in many exciting events of the Pacific war.

Emory is present at the battle for the Ili Islands, Midway battle, the landing of troops at Guadalcanal and his ship has made several trips to Australia and New Caledonia. The ship on which he served as Radioman 3rd class was one of the ships in the Task Force group when the Aircraft Carrier Hornet was sunk, and he acted in rescuing many of the survivors of the Hornet. Emory is a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 811 of the Ili Islands, although he is only 23 years of age. He has been in a navy eleven months and has reported at an Officers' Training School, where he hopes to graduate within the next two years.

We Waz Wrong

The Slatonite would like to make an apology to Mrs. Dick Ragsdale, Princes Slaton and to a severe critic from Waco who received a copy of last week's Slatonite and returned to us with a black line drawn through each place where we mentioned that Tuesday, June 14 would be Flag Day. The man who then went so far as to report to us by sending us a calligraphic separate cover. In spite of our errors, Flag Day is being observed in Slaton very effectively and so far as we know, our error did not seriously interfere with Flag Day in Waco. We wish to call to the critical observers' attention that we did report that June 14 would be Flag Day, which is fifty per cent right and statistics show that anyone who is right fifty-one per cent of the time will make a fortune. All we need to do is to improve just one per cent more.

WORKERS NEEDED FOR SURGICAL DRESSINGS

The surgical dressing room reports that 1500 combination dressings were folded last week. The quota for June is high and more help is needed.

The Fireman's Auxiliary works on Tuesdays, and Wednesdays have been designated as the day for mothers of Service Men to work. The Posey Demonstration Club works Thursday afternoon and Daughters of the Pioneers and Sub Deb Clubs work Thursday night.

Several of the Slaton business men have assisted in making this work possible. S. S. Forrest donated use of the building, Ben Mansker donated lumber for work table and C. A. Porter furnished labor. Bill Layne furnished an electric fan and the Texas-New Mexico Utilities furnished electricity. Mayor Teague donated use of tables and chairs.

Job Printing Neatly Done.

Experiments Show This Section Is Ideal For Truck Gardens And Farms

There are a number of people experimenting in this section with truck growing for the market and several have reported excellent results.

Mrs. J. D. Holt, who for the past two years has been developing a crop of sage, has gathered her second year's yield and is drying it for the market. She can make no estimate of how much dried sage she will have, but says she feels sure that her venture will prove profitable, as the price per pound is most attractive. Due to the fact that most all sage used in this country was imported before the war, the scarcity has put a premium on native grown products. Her first year's yield was used for seeding purposes.

Kirby Scudder, who has a model garden just back of the Post Office, reports that he has already

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Announce Birth Of Daughter

Sarah Virginia is the name of the daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Settle Friday at 9 p. m. She weighed 9 lbs. They have three other children, Sue, Renny and Mary Katherine.

Tornado Goes Over Slaton

Several people reported a small tornado over Slaton last Monday night at about 8:30. A distinct funnel dipped down from a slow moving black cloud that went over the town, but the funnel never did reach the ground.

Plans Made To Build Monument

A co-operative drive to raise funds with which to build a monument to the men who have gone into the Armed Services from Slaton and this section will be started in the near future by the members of the Pioneer Study Club and will be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, said Briggs Robertson, who left Wednesday for New York, where he will visit his son, Briggs, Junior.

The members of the Pioneer Study Club and Mr. Robertson plan to construct the monument of granite or marble and to place it on the City Hall park grounds.

Mr. Robertson will return from New York about July 1st and will assist in raising the money by public subscription for the monument.

The Growing Population

Don and Danny are the names of the twin boys born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edwards, Jr., Thursday, June 10, at 7 p. m., at Mercy Hospital.

Canning Center To Be Opened Monday At West Ward School

A canning center where preparation of all kinds of fruits and vegetables may be done by approved methods will be opened next Monday at the West Ward School under the sponsorship of the Vocational Agriculture Department of the Slaton Independent School System, in connection with the War Food Preservation program.

Lights, water and fuel will be provided at no cost to the public and equipment for the preparing of fruits and vegetables will be provided but cans, jars and fruits, vegetables and all other supplies must be provided by those who wish to do their canning. The work will be supervised by

Cause Of Hay Fever Is Studied

Are you sneezing? If so, maybe you're one of the new Texas crop of allergy victims who have suddenly and mysteriously developed hayfever.

But here's good news—the University of Texas Medical School is trying to do something about your ailment.

Medical School officials held a conference June 13 of all physicians in the state who are skilled in or interested in allergies, to start the ball rolling in a coordinated program to combat allergic diseases.

Exact cause of the new resurgence of "hay fever" is not known, according to Dr. Chauncey D. Leake, vice president and dean of the Medical school, and that's why the conference is being called.

"We hope by pooling the ideas of all allergists in Texas and other interested physicians in an extensive program to find out the cause of this new outbreak, and to find a way to combat it," he said.

USO Wants Magazines And Cards To Distribute To Men In Service

The U. S. O. is not getting enough magazines and playing cards to meet the requests of the service men who pass through Slaton and would like to have the people of this section to bring in any magazines that are of current issue and playing cards. The cards need not be new to be appreciated by the men who often have been on the road for several days and need diversion.

The most popular types of magazines are picture, western, detective, digest and comics.

Those in charge of the USO report that the people of this section have been most co-operative in the past and many letters from men who have gone to camps all over the nation have been received thanking the Slaton people for the services that have been rendered.

Arrangements will be made to call for magazines or cards if those who have them do not have means to get them to USO headquarters at the Santa Fe Station by phoning 9500.

WOMEN IN SERVICE

Aux. Veda L. Parker visited in the Douglas Keese home over the week end. She is stationed in Ruston, Louisiana.

Slaton Growing With Prospects Bright For Men When They Return

There are many indications that the population of Slaton is growing, says Mrs. Lee Green, manager of the Retail Merchants Association.

There is more activity on the Railroad than there has been in more than a decade, every available house is occupied and many home owners are making apartments in their houses to accommodate the newcomers.

While many of the old timers on the railroad have been transferred or loaned out to other divisions, there are many new ones coming in and some of the older ones are returning, according to Mrs. Green, who keeps an accurate record on the activities of the people of the town.

The financial condition of the town is unusually good, says Mrs. Green, and she still considers all of the men who have gone into the Armed Services as citizens of Slaton and believes that most of them will return to Slaton when the war is over. Not only will they return, but she says that most of them will be in much better financial condition when they do return and will make much better and more capable citizens than they were when they left.

Plenty Of Water Says Mr. Ward

Better water your lawns and gardens early in the morning or late at night, says E. H. Ward over at the City Hall, for the water system is not capable of supplying all of the water that is in demand in the early evenings. According to Mr. Ward the city wells are capable of supplying many times as much water as is consumed in Slaton, but the pipes and pumps are not capable of getting it to the homes.

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OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

Captain Merle Garrigues came through here Saturday on his way to Salt Lake City, Utah. He has been stationed at Perrin Field, Texas. His wife remained here to visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Garrigues and Mrs. Herschel Crawford.

The following Slaton boys, who have been home on furlough, have returned to their stations: Pfc. Pat Appling to Bryan Field, Texas; Pvt. Bruce Maxey to Clovis, New Mexico; Lt. W. H. Mudgett to Columbus, Georgia; Radioman Emory Clifton to San Diego; Sgt. Fred E. Splawn to Lowry Field, Colorado, and S-Sgt. Claude W. Young, Jr., to Camp Haahn, Calif.

Cpl. Gordon Shelby, son of Mrs. H. E. Shelby, is now "somewhere in England".

James D. Keese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Keese, left this week for Camp Wolters, where he will report for induction into the armed services. He was in the Texas Tech ROTC for three years.

Trainee Carlisle Bickerstaff is now attending a military college in Chester, Pennsylvania, studying civil engineering. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bickerstaff. Mrs. Bickerstaff, the former Miss Doris Martin of Amarillo, is expected this week for an extended visit.

Pvt. Leroy English, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. English, is now stationed at Camp Bragg, North Carolina. He has been in the Army only a short time, but is very well pleased.

The following poem was received recently by the family of Martin Verkamp and was signed by 68 members of the company in which he served:

"We've lost a soldier and a good one, too,
Though he was a boy that few of us knew;
It's hard to believe, it doesn't seem real
And we just can't express the emotions we feel.
He was here for the same thing as we,
To insure that our loved ones would always be free.
The sympathy we share for his family at home
Cannot be expressed in just mere poem;
But we will always remember his smiling face,
For we know that he's gone to a far better place.
Captain William Gray."



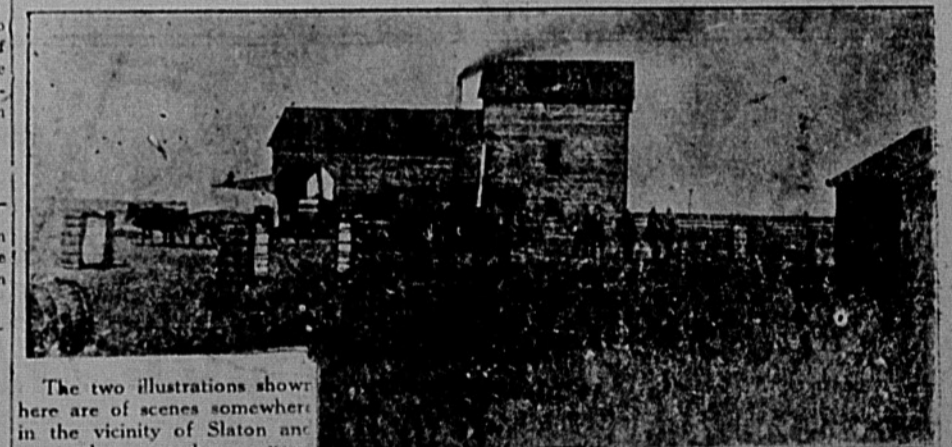
LT. RAYFORD ROBERTS

Lt. Rayford Roberts, stationed at Langley Field, Va., in the Air Corps, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Roberts. He will be here about ten days.

The Office of War Information offers these pointers for home-folks writing to soldiers, sailors, and marines—based on suggestions gathered in a survey among servicemen at home and overseas, in cooperation with the Special

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WHOSIT? WHATSIT? WHERE'SIT?



The two illustrations show here are of scenes somewhere in the vicinity of Slaton and were taken a good many years ago. Mr. M. A. Pember says the Gin was one for which he sold a steam operated tractor for its motor power.

The other outfit is a wheat gathering gadget of some kind, according to Mr. Pember, and must have been operated in these parts when it was a contest between cotton and wheat as to what would be the pay crop.

To the first three people correctly identifying both illustrations we will give one pass each to the Palace Theatre Phone or write Whosit Editor at the Slatonite.



SOUTH PLAINS BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL GUIDE

Health Rules

Of all the things that should be kept sanitary and clean the most important should be the place you sleep. The state of Texas and the health authorities consider unsanitary mattresses one of the most dangerous health hazards and have passed stringent laws controlling the sale of used mattresses.

To protect the families health every head of a family should have all mattresses renovated at least once every two years, says Mr. Ed Meyers, manager of the Slaton Mattress Factory. Not only does renovation make the mattress sterile, but also gives it the original buoyancy and lightness that it had when it was first made.

The Slaton Mattress Factory has the newest and best equipment to do mattress renovating properly and can turn out the work promptly and at a very moderate cost.

Mr. Meyers has had many years of experience in the making of mattresses and does business all over the South Plains. He is always glad to quote prices on making new mattresses or on renovating any kind of mattress and will be glad to give information on caring for your bedding.

Slatonite Want Ads Get Results.

What To Do About A Hot Summer

Only those who have awnings know what it means to have protection from the broiling summer sun. Once you get them you wonder how you could have suffered so long without them. There is nothing that adds so much in appearance to a home or to a business structure as crisp, new colorful awnings, especially the kind that Skinner Awning Co. of Lubbock is now in position to install.

The Skinner Awning Co. still has the good, prewar materials to make into awnings and since you cannot get material to remodel your exterior, there is nothing you can do to improve the appearance of your home except to dress it up with new, striking awnings.

Awnings from the Skinner Awning Co. of Lubbock are priced very conservatively and most everyone is agreeably surprised at how little the work and materials can be supplied. This company is always glad to quote estimates and make suggestions on how awnings ought to be made. They can make awnings to fit over any window or door and also do repair work on awnings, luggage covers, cots, and many other items. Visitors are al-

ways welcome and it's no trouble for the Skinner Awning folks to answer questions.

Brrr! Winter Is Coming

"Don't be like the man who would not patch his roof when the sun shines because the rain did not come through the holes, and could not patch it when the rain came pouring down," says Lee Tudor, manager of the Slaton Coal and Grain Co. "Now is the time to order coal while delivery can be made."

The Slaton Coal and Grain Company always keeps a big stock of coal in grades for all purposes as well as feed and grain of all kinds. They offer several different brands for all building purposes and carry bulk feed as well as sacked feed for both poultry and live stock. They offer several different brands of the better quality feeds to make more balanced rations or feed it as they come in the sacks.

They are in the market for poultry and will pay top prices for good fryers and hens. If you need anything in this line see Mr. Tudor and he will see that you get prompt and efficient service.

Slaton Has Good Freight Service

Very few towns have the good freight service that Slaton and this vicinity enjoy, says O. N. Alcorn, who operates the Alcorn Motor Freight Lines. With his daily motor freight service to Lubbock this company delivers all kinds of freight in the shortest possible time and saves much gasoline and tire wear for those who have traffic with firms in Lubbock.

The Alcorn Motor Freight also makes special trips to all parts of the country and can move household goods to other towns or go get freight in other localities. Mr. Alcorn personally oversees all freight moved by his vans and has the reputation of doing very satisfactory work. His vans also are equipped to move freight from one part of town to another and a phone call will get full information on costs and schedules.

Big Market For Good Produce

The men in the service must be very, very fond of eggs says Ralph Robertson, who operates the Ralph Robertson Independent Produce Co. in Lubbock. Ralph has a big contract with the government to supply an almost unlimited number of eggs to the men in the service and he is paying top prices to the poultry raisers of this section to bring them to him.

Ralph says the produce raised in this section of the country is top grade and the farmers and even the folks who live in the small-

er towns can make good money raising chickens, eggs and by feeding cows.

Mr. Robertson has been in the produce business for the past fifteen years and is thoroughly familiar with this line of business as well as with the best methods to produce good quality produce of all kinds. He has many suggestions that he will be glad to make to anyone interested in getting top results from their poultry and live stock and he invites visits from those who are interested. His place of business is convenient to any one from this section of Lubbock County as it is located on the right hand side of Avenue H as you enter Lubbock from the south.

Farmers Get First Attention

While proper lubrication has always been important for motor driven vehicles it has never been more vital than it is now and M. L. Murray, local representative for Conoco Products says that he will be glad to supply any motor car or tractor owner with valuable information concerning the proper lubrication of motor driven vehicles.

"With the Food for Victory so important to the nation and to us all individually I feel that it is our duty to work as close as possible with the farmers in order to secure full production. We are making extra efforts to deliver both gasoline and lubricating oils to the farmers of this section and will do everything in our power

to make deliveries on short notice. Any farmer who needs tractor gas, lubricating oils and other supplies can get our prompt attention," says Mr. Murray.

Mr. Murray, who has operated the local agency for Conoco Products for the past five months, reports that the demand for Conoco Products is growing steadily.

How To Calm Your War Nerves

Even in war times when there never seems to be a time when there is not something to keep ones nerves on edge, you can find a few minutes of calm and pleasure at the Adair Music Co. where you may find the newest and best in sheet music and recorded music. The B. E. Adair Music Co. in Lubbock features the largest stock of sheet music in all West Texas as they carry an immense stock of musical selections from the jazziest of the jazz to the most classical. This Company also carries all kinds of musical instruments including a large showing of rebuilt pianos that have been put in perfect tune and mechanical condition. All of these instruments are priced most attractively and can be bought on convenient terms.

Visitors are always welcome at the Adair Music Co. and those who enjoy playing over the new musical pieces that come in from day to day may do so on the instruments provided for that purpose.

Job Printing Neatly Done.

THIS WEEK'S LESSON.

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 20.

The Golden Text is: "To us there is but one God, the Father, of whom are all things, and we in Him" (I Corinthians 8:6).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "By the word of the Lord were the heavens made; and all the host of them by the breath of his mouth" (Psalm 33:6).

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: "Infinite Mind creates and governs all, from the mental molecule to infinity" (page 347).

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Canada's Mothers Do 'Big' Job

EACH day the great war industries of Canada are enrolling more women to take the place of men called away from their machines for active duty in the armed services. Already nearly 250,000 Canadian women are working in war factories. Immense release of womanpower has been possible by the creation of day nurseries by Dominion and Provincial authorities.



Organized group games are important in the program planned for the tiny tots sheltered daily by the Dominion-Provincial Nurseries. Trained attendants care for every need of these youngsters whose mothers are employed in Canada's many war industries.



Canadian women reporting for work at a munitions plant. Many of them are mothers, who have shortly before left their children in a local nursery for the day while they are working.

Balanced meals at regular hours, rest periods and supervised recreation are among the childhood essentials supplied to these youngsters of Canadian women war workers.

Knowing their children are well cared for, Canadian women can put their best efforts into their war jobs with a free mind.

Starting mainly as inspectors, Canadian women have invaded every field of operation, except those where sheer strength is the prime requisite. They are making intricate radio and electrical devices, shell fuses, parachutes, and uniforms; they operate lathes and milling machines, they work in



many sections of shell filling, explosive and chemical plants. In the vital aircraft production field their numbers have grown from a handful at the outbreak of the war to a total larger than the pre-war total of all employees. And while it is customary to

UNION NEWS

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Rev. Clinton filled his usual appointment at Union Baptist church Sunday. Both services were well attended.

The announcement has been released of the marriage of Miss Kathryn Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robertson, and Pvt. R. M. Cade, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cade.

The wedding services were held in the home of Dr. Wier of Paris, Texas. Dr. Wier is a presbyterian minister there.

The bride wore a royal blue silk suit, with white and black accessories, and carried a white bible with a gardenia corsage.

Only close relatives attended the wedding. The couple will make their home in Paris.

Those visiting in the home of F. H. Griffin Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Claud Sooter, Toy Burch, Lauretta Sooter, Links Meyers, and Gertrude Sooter.

Miss Bobby Lee Neighbors is visiting with her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Boyd.

Those visiting in J. B. Patterson's home Sunday were Ed Richard Richards and Rev. Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith of Slaton spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. R. M. Cade.

Pvt. Charlie Meyers has not arrived at his camp due to so much rain. He is water-bound in Tennessee. Charlie reported this place is beautiful, however most of it is under water.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell received a message last week that their nephew, Pilot James Russell, was reported missing in action.

Mrs. S. J. Presley is visiting relatives in Red River county.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson and family visited in the Union community Sunday.

Quite a reunion was held in the home of A. M. Pair when their son, Lt. Jerry Pair, presented to his family his new bride.

The wedding took place Tuesday night June 8, in San Antonio, Texas.

They are spending a seven day honeymoon with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pair.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Sedrick visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Jones Sunday.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. White Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hughes and daughter, Cathryn Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and son Cooter and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble.

Miss Nancy Cade of Lubbock visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. G. Hampton last week.

Sgt. Cloy Presley has reached his destination safely. Mrs. Presley received the word. After a spell of sea-sickness, he said "even the ground was very beautiful and the scenery was divine."

Lillie Pair, the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pair, was rush-

ed to the Lubbock General Hospital when he fell from the tower of a windmill. He suffered from severe injuries but is improving satisfactorily now that he is home.

George Gamble visited a few days with his sister, Mrs. R. D. Presley, of Shallowater, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ward of Morgan Sunday.

Miss Margie Shelton visited in the home of Mae Peterson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pair of Can-

adian visited relatives here last week.

Visiting in Mrs. M. D. Gamble's home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Presley and son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson are remodeling their rent house for the gin workers.

Charles Lee Roy Cade has won the Registered Poland-China gilt given by Sears, Roebuck and Co. He chose the gilt from the litter of the gilt that was given away last year to Adrew Kitten.

Are these farmers spinning a round out here? Checking sand, planting over and hunting seed. And my, how the damp weather helps these little weeds grow.

Pvt. Jack Cade of Wichita Falls was visited by his aunt and uncle R. M. Cades, last week end.

Social Security Payments Decline

The increase in new social security accounts has been accompanied by a decrease in requests for primary benefit payments for old-age and survivors insurance, indicating many 65-year-olds are staying on their jobs and in ad-

dition a lot of persons who were already drawing benefits have gone back to work, thereby stopping their income from Uncle Sam temporarily. Benefit payments of this type will be resumed when these workers retire from covered employment.

Payments of death benefits to dependents have increased, however. This is natural, John Palmer, Manager of the Social Security Board Field Office in Lubbock, pointed out, since a larger number of persons come under provisions of the act than formerly. A number of dependents of soldiers and sailors killed in the war are drawing social security benefits now, based on work performed in industry covered by the act before they went into the service.

The War Department sends copies of its casualty lists to the Social Security Board, and if the man had a social security account number the Social Security Board notifies his dependents, instead of waiting for them to ask for the benefits.

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Cotton Jacket



A short mess jacket of heavy cotton makes a summer evening gown an informal evening dress. The jacket worn here by Maureen O'Hara, RKO star, is trimmed with a drawstring and three buttons in a soft, dusty red. The same dusty red forms the background for coral and rose stripes woven into the simple evening dress. Unpressed pleats bring slender fullness to the skirt.

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Santa Fe CHIEF TOPICS

Much of America's half billion bushel harvest of wheat in 1943 probably will be piled on the ground, at least during the harvest rush, in the opinion of Santa Fe Railway officials who are preparing for the annual harvest's deluge of grain.

Because of military transportation requirements, surplus equipment formerly allotted to handle the wheat rush simply does not exist. Licker and the 1943 crop in local storage until its movement to terminals or mills becomes a wartime necessity, the railroad experts pointed out.

A near shortage of grain cars exists today, two weeks in advance of the wheat harvest. Santa Fe loadings of old wheat are 135 percent greater than last year and virtually all available cars suitable for grain handling are required by shippers daily. Pending delivery of more than 100 new locomotives that the Santa Fe has had on order for a considerable time, the motive power problem is equally pressing as the grain car situation, according to J. J. Mahoney, general superintendent of transportation for the Santa Fe.

"We anticipate a movement of 40,000 cars of wheat this year from Western Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Colorado, the majority of which is threshed with combine harvester, requiring a large number of cars stored in advance of the harvest to meet the demand, Mahoney continued. "We have approximately 60 more Santa Fe grain cars off our line than a year ago, leaving only 40 percent of our own good cars on home rails. Last year we had a large number of OK fare box cars stored in the wheat belt awaiting harvest, which has not been possible this year. Slow return of our cars and the task of selecting and fitting foreign cars for grain load-

ing makes an ordinarily difficult problem even more so.

"With harvest but a matter of days and no cars accumulated to handle the crop, we will have to do the best we can with the current supply, but it is highly probable that wheat will have to be stored on the ground temporarily. Although we handled 40,000 cars during the harvest rush last year, subsequent loadings have brought the total the 106,776 cars moved since May 1, 1942.

The promotion of J. A. Noble as district engineer of the Southern territory of the Santa Fe Railway Western Lines, to succeed W. H. Rochester, who was named Assistant Chief Engineer of the Coast Lines, was announced today by G. C. Jefferis, general manager.

Willard R. Baker, roadmaster at Clovis, was promoted to succeed Noble as engineer of the Pecos division, with headquarters at Clovis.

Noble is one of the most popular officials on the Western Lines, and has been with the company since 1907, holding various jobs in the engineering department until 1917 when he entered the Army and served overseas as Captain with an Engineering Corps. Upon conclusion of the War he returned to Santa Fe service and was promoted to division engineer at La Junta, Colo. He served on the Northern District until 1930 when he was transferred to the Pecos division as district engineer with headquarters at Clovis.

Baker has been with the Railway since 1904. He held numerous positions in the engineering department and was promoted to roadmaster in 1943.

Other changes in the operating department, on the Southern district were: Appointment of R. C.

Matthews as trainmaster on the Panhandle division with headquarters at Wellington, Kansas, succeeding L. M. Olson, who was appointed trainmaster at Clovis, succeeding T. J. Anderson, who was appointed trainmaster with jurisdiction over Clovis Terminal, Roswell and Carlsbad districts, succeeding C. E. Martin, who was made night trainmaster at Belen terminal. Matthews, former trainmaster at Slaton, returns to the Santa Fe following a leave of absence during which he was engaged in Government war production activity. The promotion of Noble and Baker were effective June 8 and the other changes are effective June 16.

Not every worker who dies is covered by the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance law, even though taxes have been deducted from his wages and taxes have been paid by his employer. Consult the nearest office of the Social Security Board for detailed information.

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the wheat belt where it is needed now! In four months this car has covered 1,439 miles on Santa Fe rails, and 9,749 miles on the other railroads. No rest for a war worker these days, but a fellow sure gets around!

Every Car in Action

Every Santa Fe box car, as well as box cars of all other railroads, is in action today. Some of these cars are too far away to be able to return to the wheat belt in time for use.

But guided by the wise direction of the Association of American Railroads, the Office of Defense Transportation, and the Interstate Commerce Commission's Bureau of Service, plus the friendly cooperation of the Army and Navy and war freight shippers, Santa Fe is making every effort to secure as many cars as can be spared from war movements to handle this year's wheat harvest.

A Wheat Car Gets Around

Starting at Hutchinson, Kansas, with a load of flour for Boston, this wheat car has been kept rolling with vital war cargoes, including Army shoes, Army clothing, aluminum, lumber, machinery, and has just delivered a warload at San Francisco... far from

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WITH OUR MEN

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Service Division of the Army Service Forces:

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2. How anxious the family is for the boy's return.
3. How well and busy the family is. Give details.
4. How the family is getting along financially.
5. What's doing in the community: news about girls (single) he knows, doings of friends, who's marrying whom, exploits of the home team and other sports events, social doings, effects of the war on the home town. Reminisce a little about past events and places the boy used to visit. Enclose clippings from the home-town paper.

DON'T TELL HIM

1. Your troubles. He has troubles of his own.
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3. About things you are deprived of. He can't supply them.
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California, has gotten an honorable discharge from the army because of his health. For the present he is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tucker.

PLENTY WATER

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The demand for water has been heavy this year as more people are raising gardens and produce than ever before. A number of meters have been installed in vacant lots to care for the gardens that have been made on the lots and many people have turned their flower gardens into vegetable patches, said Mr. Ward.

On The Home Front

Effective June 21, meat prices at retail will be lowered from 3 cents to 7 cents a pound by order of the OPA. New prices for cured and processed pork will go into effect on July 5. Reductions in price are smaller on cheaper cuts and larger on the more expensive. As in the case of the rollback of prices on butter, the lowering of meat prices will not directly affect the farm producer. Subsidies, which began June 7, will be paid to anyone who slaughters 4,000 pounds of meat or more per month.

Tire inspections for commercial motor vehicles now may be made every 5,000 miles or every six months, whichever occurs first, CDT has announced. Previously, commercial vehicles had to have tire inspections every 5,000 miles or every 60 days, whichever occurred first.

American soldiers officially reported as prisoners of war in enemy countries to date total 17,083 the War Department has announced. Of these, 11,307 are held by Japan; 3,312 by Germany and 2,464 by Italy. However, these reports are incomplete. Information in the hands of the War Department indicates that the basic diet of an American soldier in German prison camps is largely potatoes, cabbage, fish and an indefinite amount of meat.

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will be permitted to purchase suitable substitutes when they are unable to find a dealer with tires designed expressly for their purposes. Dealers may also sell passenger car owners tires and tubes of a slightly different size than is called for by the rationing certificate.

Manufacture of civilian leather products, which was prohibited after June 1, can be continued on through 1943 out of manufacturer's inventories, under a recent WPB amendment. Among products affected are dress gloves and mittens, brief cases, new upholstery radio cases, pocketbooks, handbags, cigar and cigarette cases, key cases, tobacco pouches, watch straps and dog furnishings.

Rural electrification loans to 26 systems in 18 states have been made to a total of \$1,790,000 for immediate extension of service to more than 1,000 farms qualifying under present WPB regulations permitting connections to farms producing livestock, dairy and poultry products. The following allocations have been made in Texas: South Plains Electric Cooperative, Inc., Lubbock, \$10,000; Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc., San Augustine, \$85,000; Erath County Electric Cooperative Ass'n, Stephenville, \$10,000; and Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc., Stanton, \$10,000.

A new "TT" gasoline coupon, which replaces the present "T" coupon, will become valid for use on July 1. The old type of "T" coupon will be invalid on and after July 1, except in the northeastern shortage area where it will be used through July 25. OPA expects the change in design to help take up "slack" mileage and remove potential sources of black market gasoline.

383-mile, 16-inch pipeline from Sundown, Texas, to Drumright, Oklahoma, having an initial capacity of 54,000 barrels of crude oil daily, has been approved by the War Production Board upon the recommendation of the Petroleum Administrator for War. Construction is expected to begin early in October, 1943, and should be in operation sometime in March, 1944, the administrator added, providing that materials and workmen are available on schedule. The pipeline will serve to provide middle western refineries with additional supplies of West Texas crude oil, thus helping to relieve the national oil shortage.

State Guard News

Interesting demonstrations in riot control, first aid, and signal communications were given at the regular weekly drill period of the local State Guard Company Wednesday evening. The Headquarters Detachment of the 39th Battalion, commanded by Lt. Walter Smith, Lubbock, Texas, was present and took part in the demonstrations. A good number of local citizens were guests of the Company.

The month of June is "recruit month" for the local Company and several new recruits have been added. These recruits will be given six weeks of fundamentals before taking part in the regular training schedule of the Company. There are still some vacancies in the Company and it is hoped that these will be filled before the end of the month. Lt. Marion G. Martin, Personnel Officer, reports that he is receiving numerous inquiries concerning State Guard work.

All Officers of the local Company, as well as two selected Non Commissioned Officers, will attend State Guard School at Camp

Bullis, Texas during the month of July. This school is sponsored by the Eighth Service Command and includes four sessions of one week each.

Last Sunday's field exercise was well attended. Instruction in the firing of the Thompson Sub-Machine gun was given. The Thompson is considered one of the most valuable of the infantry weapons, and this gun will be the subject of considerable instruction in the future. The date of the next field exercise will be announced shortly, and will probably deal with the firing of the riot shotgun.

The local Company has sent many men to the Armed Services of the United States in recent months. Reports from all of these men indicate the value of the fundamental training they received in the State Guard. The trend of their letters is to the effect that any man who feels he will have to enter the army will do exceedingly well to avail himself of the training that he can receive at home.

POSEY ITEMS

VERNELL CAMPBELL

Mrs. Red Fincher and children were visitors in the home of T. A. Johnson Sunday.

Misses Ruth Gentry and Phyllis Williams were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gentry over the week end.

Miss Betty Ross Maeker spent Sunday with Joyce Johnson of Plainview.

There was a nice crowd out at singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Schuette went to Plainview Sunday to see his sister who was ill.

Miss Juanell Hart has returned home after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Moore of San Antonio. Mrs. J. M. Shafer was operated on Monday morning.

Word has been received that Charles Gentry, Vaughn Campbell, and Boyd Becher have finished their boot camp training in San Diego, California.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Johnson and little daughter, of Lubbock, were visitors in the T. A. Johnson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benton and children of Dimmitt are visitors in the home of Mrs. Margie Benton.

Ration News

GASOLINE—"A" book coupons No. 6, good for four gallons each, outside the Eastern gasoline shortage area.

SUGAR—Stamp No. 13 good for 5 lbs. through August 15. Coupons No. 15 and 16 are good through October 31 for 5 lbs. each for home canning purposes. Housewives may apply to their local ration boards if necessary.

COFFEE—Stamp No. 24 (1 lb.) is good through June 30.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) became valid June 16.

MEATS, ETC.—Red Stamps J, K, L, M good through June 30. N becomes valid June 20.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue Stamps K, L, M, continue good through July 7.

LUBBOCK, June 9.—West Texas farmers and others living at a distance from their local War Price and Rationing Boards may renew

their "A" gasoline coupon books by mail, the District OPA office pointed out today, in an effort to save gasoline and prevent loss of hours from work. This plan will go into effect on June 22 and after that time, both motorists and bicyclists should begin picking up their application forms. Local Boards will publicize the names of filling stations at which the forms can be secured, the OPA said.

Due to the fact that "A" rations expire on July 21, applications should start coming in immediately after June 22 in order that the boards will have time to process them and mail them back before expiration date. This mail renewal plan also includes renewal of the basic "D" motorcycle rations and eliminates the school-house registration that was necessary when basic rations were issued, the OPA said.

Steps pointed out in the procedure to follow include (1) on June 22 pick up application forms from designated service stations; (2) fill out forms according to instructions

tions and mail them immediately to the boards. Filling these forms should be back cover of the present "D" book (properly filled) and (b) the current tire inspection record showing that previous inspections have been made. Applications should show number of tires now on car and if there has been any change since the last tire inspection. Explanation and evidence of purchase should accompany application form.

Social security cards are not supposed to be used for identification purposes excepting them as such. By accepting them as such, hotels, business men and bankers are of identifying the old-age insurance account of the owner with the Social Security Board.

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Slaton H. D. Club Holds Meeting Wednesday At Club House



Between Us Girls

BY DONNA SANNER

I don't know any of you, Slatonites, to be surprised when you hear that Editor Jackson has gone on a little "jaunt" to California. Mrs. C. C. Hoffman's sister is driving to Los Angeles and is offering to share her car with anyone wanting to go with her and share expenses. Well, when Mrs. Hoffman mentioned the fact that her sister is "a very attractive blonde", I'll bet Mr. Jackson started thinking of an excuse to tell his wife right then and there. By the time you read this he'll probably have his suitcase packed! (I'm only kidding!)

Of all the teasing, I sure get my share! And more. Especially from the printer, H. M. Faulkner. He calls me "Dainty" one minute and "Heavy" the next. Isn't that a mess? I guess I'll have to get Mr. Jackson's Victory garden hoe-handle and hit H. M. on the head a couple of times. Bet he wouldn't tease me anymore, what do you bet? Gosh! I probably wouldn't know if he teased me anymore or not if I hit him. Guess I'd better think of something not quite so brutal. Huh?

I've surely had a lot of fun going swimming this summer. Golly, I get out in the deep water just like I could swim! (Can't idiots have more fun?) I'm really pretty brave, though. I bought myself a new bathing suit the other day and, gosh, I was sitting on the bench by the bath house when some little chum splashed water all over me. That didn't bother me at all, but when I saw that my bathing suit was all wet, boy, did I tell him a thing or two. Maybe even three, because then I had to get in and splash around for a couple of hours. I sure felt silly out there with people whizzing by me on both sides while I was brushing up on my "dick dive".

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Society - Clubs

W. S. C. S. Hold Meeting In Home Of Mrs. R. H. Todd Monday

Mrs. S. H. Adams was leader of the program, "Rural Religious Work In America," when the Women's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. R. H. Todd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. H. C. Sanders, assistant hostess.

Mrs. Allen Ferrell offered appropriate piano music. Mrs. H. C. Gordon led the devotional on "Religion As Revealed In Nature". Mrs. L. A. Harral rendered a vocal solo, "Into Thy Woods My Master Went," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ferrell.

Miss Joe Hestand discussed, "Spanish People and Their Customs on the Border". Mrs. Sug Robertson talked on, "Indians in Arizona." Mrs. J. D. Barry read an interesting letter about the "Work of the Miners in Utah." Mrs. Edna Wood discussed, "Rural Work of the Conference in Georgia."

Following the business meeting the hostess served a refreshment plate of orangeade and cookies to about twenty members.

The entertaining rooms of the home were decorated with an array of spring flowers.

The next four meetings will be in a Bible study, the first program being in the home of Mrs. Ferrell next Monday at 4 p. m., with Mrs. C. L. Heaton as co-hostess.

MISS GROCHOWSKY'S MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Grochowsky of this city are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude, to Staff Sergeant David Hawk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hawk of Bicknell, Ind. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Francis B. Flanagan at 9 o'clock May 22nd, at the Post Chapel at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mrs. Hawk is a graduate of the Newton, Kans., High School and for the past several years has been employed in the bookkeeping department of F. W. Woolworth at Newton, Kans. S-Sgt. Hawk is now stationed at Fort Riley, Kans.

H. E. Girls Are Busy At Work

The Homemaking girls are very busy this summer working on their group projects at school. They are reorganizing the files, straightening the closets, varnishing the kitchen floors, making drapes for the sewing department, putting curtains in the kitchen, and are painting it.

At home they are carrying out such projects as making garments, refinishing furniture, caring for chickens and rabbits, canning and gardening, taking care of the yard, and remodeling their rooms.

They plan to complete the major part of their projects June 25 and will have their Achievement Day August 29 at the High School.

The group met Monday, June 14, in the H. E. Department for a brief business meeting. They decided to meet Thursday at 1:30, at the high school, to make garments for the Red Cross. A trip to Buffalo Lakes this coming week was discussed.

About twenty members were present at the meeting.

Sub-Debs Meet In Sledge Home

The Delta Sigma Sub-Deb Club met in the home of Miss Dorothy Sledge, Monday, June 14. In the absence of the President, the meeting was called to order by the vice president.

During the business meeting plans were made for a slumber party Wednesday, June 16, in the home of Miss Glynda Williams.

Refreshments were served to sixteen members and one guest, Miss Jean Bechtel of Amarillo.

June Wedding Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jobe of Slaton are announcing the marriage of their son, Charles, to Miss Camille Bartlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett of Corsicana, Texas.

The wedding took place Sunday, June 13, at the Rectory of the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Corsicana. Rev. Msgr. V. Graffeo officiating with the single ring ceremony.

Charles graduated from Slaton High School and attended Texas Tech. The bride is a graduate of Corsicana High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobe are at home in Dallas, 5019 Tremont St.

Young Women's Class Enjoys Picnic Friday

Mrs. T. K. Martin's newly organized Young Married Women's Class of the First Baptist Church attended a picnic Friday evening, June 11, at McKenzie Park, Lubbock.

The following members were present: Mesdames Floyd Boyd, Geo. Harlan, Jr., Loyd Henry, K. N. Hope, E. A. Kercheval, N. N. Miller, J. D. Plumley, G. W. Priddy, C. W. Roberts, Elton Smith, Leon Walston and Vernon Wampler.

Guests were Evelyn Brown, Viola Martin and Mrs. Bess Murphree of Houston, Texas.

FORREST BIBLE STUDY

Ora Forrest Bible Study will meet 3:30 p. m., Tuesday at the Methodist Church. Mem. vs. Psa. 121:1.

Lesson: Studies in the Book of Numbers. Chapters 33-36. Israel at Moab.

1. What did God threaten to do to Israel if they failed to drive out the inhabitants of Canaan?

2. Name the six cities of refuge. (Josh. 20: 7, 8.)

3. For what purpose were these cities of refuge appointed?

4. Name three types of Christ in the book of Numbers.

5. What prophecy of Christ is there in the book of Numbers? (24:17).

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Personals

Mrs. C. L. Garrigues, Mrs. Merle Garrigues, and Mrs. Herschel Crawford will leave Saturday for Houston. Mrs. Merle Garrigues will make her home with her parents there for a short time and then will join her husband, Captain Merle Garrigues, in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. W. A. Tucker is in Lubbock Sanitarium, where she has had a serious operation. Her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Hayes of Oklahoma City and son, Bobby, and another daughter, Mrs. J. L. Miller of Dodge City, Kansas, are all at her bedside.

Cpl. Jean Adams, from SPAFS, in Lubbock, has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Shankle.

Miss Verna Wilson left today for a two week's visit with her sister in Austin, Miss Erma L. Wilson, who is taking nurse's training at Breckenridge Hospital. She will also visit relatives in San Antonio and Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wilson had as week end guests, Sgt. and Mrs. D. W. Crawford and Miss Mary Crawford of Salinas, California. Sgt. Crawford returned Sunday to Amarillo Air Base where he has been transferred from Ft. Ord, California.

Mrs. Rosalie Moon of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ely Wednesday enroute to Clovis to visit Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ellis.

Mrs. W. T. Cherry and son, Jimmy, have returned from San Angelo, where they have been visiting Mr. Cherry's sister, Mrs. F. W. Ater.

Miss Jo Hestand, who has been teaching school in San Angelo, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hestand.

Miss Nora Nowell, of Muleshoe, mother of Mrs. E. J. Kenney and Mrs. O. D. Kenney, is reported to be improving very nicely and may be able to be taken home soon. She is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Mrs. R. B. Bechtel and children, Jean, Bobby, Marion Bechtel Bartlett and her two months old daughter, visited friends here over the week end. Jean remained to spend several days with girl friends.

Mrs. R. J. Crittenden, of Amarillo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cherry and her sister, Mrs. Mary Watson.

Mrs. Wade Thompson of Belen, New Mexico is visiting friends and relatives.

Visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard is Dr. Howard's mother from Kemp, Texas.

Miss Billie Lucille Ellis left Wednesday for her home in Clovis after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ely.

Mrs. Ray S. Darwin and two sons, Jimmy and Tommy, of Oklahoma City are spending several days with Mrs. Darwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mansker.

Mrs. Weldon Moore of Odessa, formerly of Slaton, is visiting Mrs. J. P. Halburton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mansker have returned from San Angelo, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Henry.

Mrs. Aubrey Evans and children of Amarillo left Thursday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brooks and J. B., Jr., are moving here from Trusdale, Oklahoma this week. Mrs. Brooks has been elected to teach in the school next semester.

R. T. Parish of Goosecreek, Texas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lamb. Mrs. Lamb is his daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants left Thursday on a short business trip to Dallas.

Elmer Sparkman and Dude Hoge have returned from a working trip in Belen, New Mexico. They were employed there as brakemen for the Santa Fe.

Mrs. Claude W. Young, Jr., left Thursday for Pampa to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maxey.

Miss Ray Jean Ely spent the week end in Clovis visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ellis.

Mrs. E. G. Abington and Mrs. George Lemon of Lubbock, and their children, left Saturday for Ft. Worth. They will be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bain and daughter, LaVerne, have returned

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from Mineral Wells, where they visited Mrs. Bain's mother, Mrs. J. C. Foust.

Miss Wilda Ruth Hannah is a house guest of Miss Maxine McMillen in Lubbock this week.

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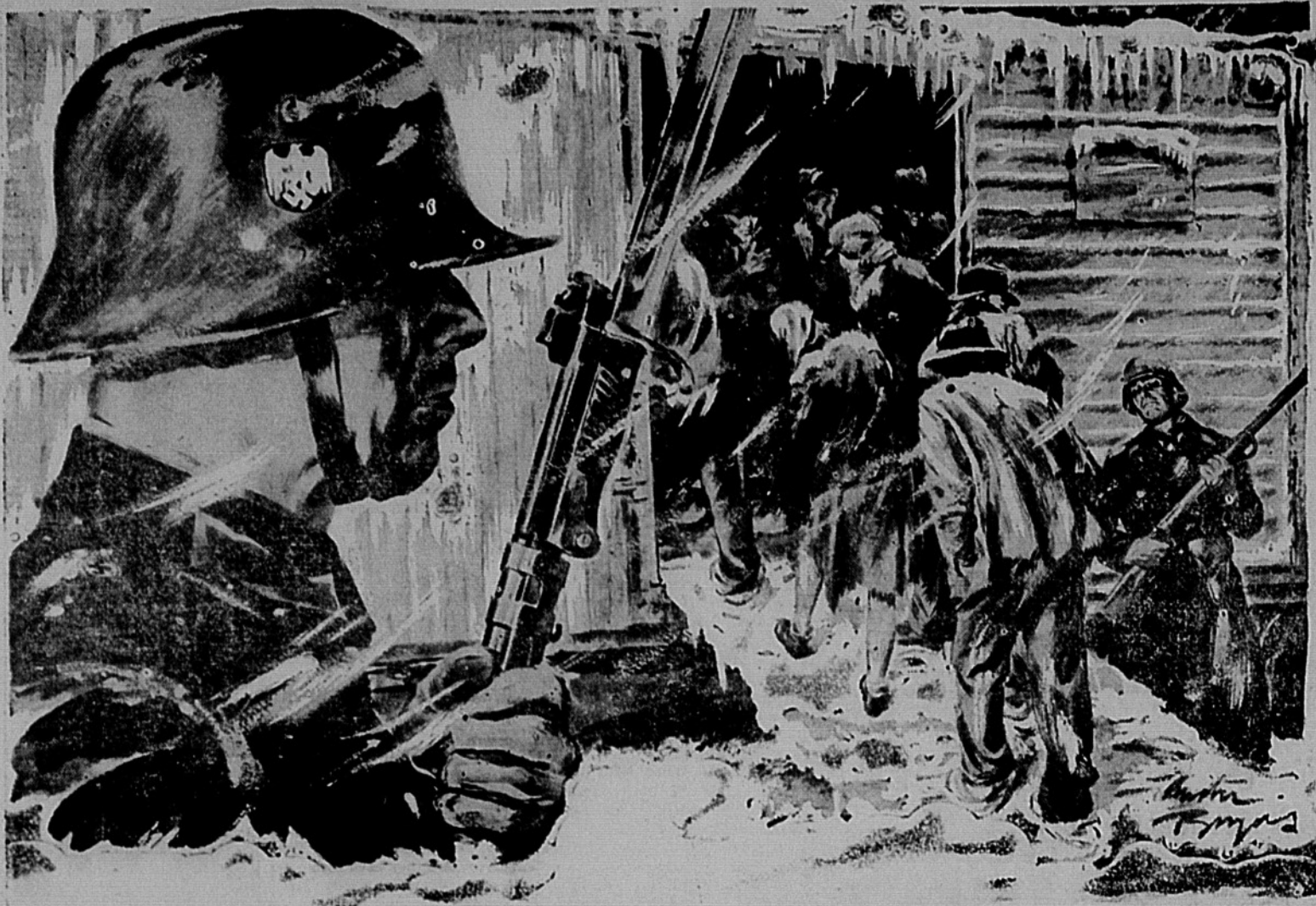
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JUST TALK
by
A.M.J.

There is one young lady who has been going around town entering arked automobiles and I want to warn her now that if she leaves any more hot rolls and fried chicken in our car at noon time I am going to report her to her mother.

Because of my expanding belt line I have already been accused of hoarding food and if this young lady sneaks into our car again I will be afraid to go near an OPA. In fact I'll have to go home and hide under the bed if she is reported in town. The young lady goes around in a very peculiar outfit — she wears what look like white pants, rolled up to her knees and a fancy blouse. She persists in putting fried chicken in our car I am going to report her to her mother.

and that would be worse than an invasion from Europe.
Several people asked me if I had seen the twister that came over Slaton last Monday night and each time I have gone into my recitation about the tornado that hit Austin many years ago. Just the merest reference to a tornado starts me off on the Austin tornado when my wife's aunt who topped the scales at around two hundred, got going at top speed, while the tornado hovered over the town only to turn around and go back to remove her corset because she was afraid the lightning might hit the steel girders or whatever it is that they put in a corset that goes around a two hundred pound woman.
My story about the Austin tornado is so full of awesome details that a little one horse tornado that could not even reach the ground falls flat and leaves Slaton scary cats without a breath of wind in their sails.

O. D. McClintock and Lee Tudor stopped me and made the mistake of mentioning the little pigtail tornado. After my detailed description of my prize tornado, Mr. McClintock told of one that he saw, in fact, his tornado was not just one but one big one and six little ones all at one time that combined to make a mess out of a town in South Texas called Bellview. Lee tried to get in once or twice to tell of the one he saw, but the papa tornado with six children was too big a load and he dropped out of the contest, dropped into his easy riding chair and started slapping flies with his swatter.

Carl Lewis' portable tent grass lawn is doing fine, but I have a feeling that he will open his June communication from the water department with the feeling of a man who is about to have the death sentence passed upon him.
Carl rolled up a section of the former Santa Fe Golf course and brought it home about two weeks ago and the grass has not found out yet that the change has been made. He says that the lawn is his, but the garden is his wife's, which brings me to the conclusion that men, after all, appreciate things besides fast horses and beautiful women.

Alan Payne says that most every woman in Slaton must have as many feet as a centipede. He says one woman bought six pairs of shoes and that several women came in

and bought three and four pairs just before the No. 17 stamp became void.
Most everyone admits that they have bought a lot of canned goods and other rationed articles that they do not have any immediate use for and it looks like we are all living better than we ever did before the war started.

At intervals which come just after I have read some article in the Readers Digest, or in some magazine of its kind, I start out to follow instructions on how to make friends or influence people. I read some inspired article on how to manage a wife, how to eliminate worry and on how to control your nerves, how to get anything you want and how to improve your speaking voice.

So far my influencing has backfired on me three times and I got influenced instead of doing the influencing. I woke up three weeks after I tried to manage my wife and, after careful deductions, I gave up and let her pull all the strings; I eliminated worry for three days and came back from a fishing trip to find the linotype and the newspaper press looking like a dollar alarm clock that Junior had taken apart. I sat down and tried to make a list of what I want and all I could think of was a week's good sleep, and decided after a few minutes practice that a good speaking voice is a liability instead of an asset, because most people talk too much anyway.

Folks who do tricks and work puzzles with matches and bent nails are past my understanding. When I come in contact with someone who is afflicted with these habits I know I am in for a rough interval and I try to be accommodating and wiggle the bent nails or the pieces of string around a few times, but my heart is not in it and I want to go out in the back yard and sit on the back fence and wonder what it is all about.

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Evening service 8:30 P. M.
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Weekly Sermon

Honoring Our Parents
By the Rev. Harold L. Lundquist, D. D., Member of Faculty Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

The fine obedience of parents to their children has been pointed out as one of the remarkable developments of modern life. Yes, we mean just what we have said. In too many homes God's order has been reversed. Instead of honoring and obeying their parents, children have taken the place of boss and mother and father must obey if they want peace and rest.

1. The Command of God (Exod. 20:12). What is the mind and will of the Maker of us all regarding this matter? His words are plain—we are to honor our fathers and our mothers.

The word carries with it a great many things but perhaps the outstanding elements are respect, obedience, and affection. We should look up to them with high regard, obey them as long as they have the authority over us, and show true affection for them.

2. The example of Jesus (Luke 2:41-52). The fact that Jesus was God manifest in the flesh only enhances the glory of His conduct. He who is divine presented an example of obedience and consideration both as boy and man which we do well to emulate.

The boy Jesus, increasing "in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man," had come to His twelfth year, and with His parents had gone to Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover. There moved His heart the conviction that He must now be about His father's business—a purpose altogether proper and commendable, but it resulted in separation from His parents. Not only was this physical, but we read that they did not understand Him (v. 50). Tragic indeed are the consequences of our failure to understand our children. Notice, however, that Jesus did not withdraw Himself from their care, nor refuse to obey them (v. 51).

Being grown and having a family of one's own does not relieve one of responsibility for one's parents. Even in His dying agony, Jesus remembered to commit His mother to His beloved disciple,

Movie Reporter

Alan Ladd, tough guy star of Paramount's spy thriller, "Lucky Jordan," now at the Palace Theatre, really believes in luck.
His trench coat, now his movie trade mark, was worn in his first picture for luck. He's worn it in each of his other pictures. The brief case seen in "Lucky Jordan," is the one he carried in "This Gun For Hire" and "The Glass Key."
Alan Ladd's heart interest in "Lucky Jordan" is pretty Helen Walker, a Hollywood newcomer.

New sidesplitting comedy situations punctuate the rapid-fire action of Damon Runyan's "It Ain't Hay," starring Abbott and Costello, and playing at the Palace Theatre preview Saturday night, Sunday and Monday. The two comedians, recently crowned the nations No. 1 box office kings, are apparently surpassing their laugh records in the current Universal fun-film.

Grace McDonald, Cecil Kellaway, Eugene Pallette, Patsy O'Connor and Richard Lane are headliners in the large supporting cast which includes Leighton Noble and his orchestra. "It Ain't Hay" was directed by Erle C. Kenton. Alex Gottlieb, responsible for many of the previous Abbott and Costello screen hits, was the producer.

Laid against a background of modern war-torn China, Paramounts "The General Died at Dawn," which opens at the Palace, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, is a timely fast-moving action drama of high adventure among those little known but highly colorful characters who make a business of international intrigue.

John. One marvels at the carelessness and hardness of some sons and daughters toward their parents.

3. The Admonition of Paul (Eph 6:1-4). Apart from commanding their children to do wickedness, every parent has the right to expect obedience. But there is a tremendously important truth on the other side of the picture. Parents are not to provoke their children to anger, to disrespect or disobedience. How much we need God's grace! May God help us who are parents for our children are our most valuable possession.

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