

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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## WITH THE CHURCHES

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

C. O. Huber, Pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School, J. S. McLaughlin, superintendent.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship, "The Spirit of God in the Lives of Men."  
7:15 p. m. Training Union, Miss Georgia Colebank, director.  
8:00 p. m. Evening Worship, "The Abundant Life."  
We invite your attendance to our subjects for the Lord's Day and your attendance upon the services of the day.  
The Training Union will announce the Victory Crusade for the following week and solicit the attendance of every enrollee. We are happy to have Rev. Ferguson from Kellerville as instructor in the young people's division, and he will also conduct the devotional period.  
The classes require ten periods of 45 minutes each, thus requiring five nights for the completion of the courses. Class schedules follow:  
7:30 p. m. First class period.  
8:15 p. m. Devotional period.  
8:30 p. m. Second class period.  
9:15 p. m. Adjournment.  
Classes will open Monday evening and continue through Friday evening, with the following departments, teachers and text books for study:  
Adult—"Working Together in a Spiritual Democracy."  
Young people—"Pilgrim's Progress"—Rev. Ferguson.  
Intermediate—"Training in Christian Service"—J. J. McCasland.  
Junior—"The Junior and His Church"—Mrs. Murray Boston.  
Primary—"Topsy Turvy Twins"—Miss Eunice Stratton.  
Everyone of every age is invited.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

S. R. Jones, Supply Minister  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m., F. H. Bourland, supt.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30.  
W. M. S. 2:30 Tuesday.  
Choir practice 8:00 p. m. Wednesday.

### METHODIST W. S. C. S.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. H. Wade brought the devotional. Mrs. J. L. Andrews had charge of the lesson chapter 3 of the textbook, "Our America."  
Others present were Messdames J. L. Hess, J. W. Story, C. O. Greene, H. C. Rippey, Ernest Beck, W. E. Bogan, I. L. Miller.

The W. S. C. S. will have week of prayer programs during the week of Oct. 24 to 30.  
Tuesday the ladies will work at the surgical dressings room from 10 o'clock until 12. Lunch will be served at the church followed by prayer service and business meeting.

On Thursday an all day meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Story. All ladies of the church are invited to attend all the meetings during the week of prayer.

### BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Baptist W. M. U. will meet at 2:30 next Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ruel Smith for Royal Service program.

Miss Oella Hunt of Monahan, Mrs. Glen Thompson and children Treva Jo and Rufus Eibert, of Morton visited the ladies' parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Stewart have our thanks for a subscription renewal for their son, Truitt, at Burbank, Calif.

Mrs. W. H. Trimble and daughter, Ella, of Dodson visited their son and brother, H. R. Trimble this week.

Miss Ruth Strandberg visited in Amarillo last week.

C. T. Calvert made a trip to Gage, Okla., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dyer made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

## War Fund Drive Begins Monday

The National War Fund drive begins Monday, Oct. 25, and all persons are asked to contribute two days' salary to the fund.

Gift blanks will be handed contributors with the 17 different agencies listed, and regardless of how the contributor places the amount in the column, all will benefit from the gift. Should a person desire, to give all to one cause, or a number of causes and leave out some, the amount of the gift must be listed in the space prepared for this purpose on the back of the blank. It is easy to write in the amount and name of the agency, but it must be done on the back of the blank in proper space to be counted for the item desired.

Solicitors will appreciate all contributors taking the blanks and filling them out properly. It should be remembered that the committee is working without pay as a patriotic duty, and at the same time making their own cash contribution. The committee has nothing to do with setting the amount asked, or designating any agency. They will not have any arguments to advance other than the need for the drive as suggested by the national committee.

"We can't all fight! We won't all suffer! But we all can give!" are some of the slogans of the drive. A United War Fund gift covers three fronts in one cause. "You can be there . . . you can give! Meet all these needs through your united war fund campaign."

Charles Cousins is chairman of the soliciting committee, under the direction of C. O. Greene, chairman of the local USO.

Miss Betty Jo Andrews of Lubbock came Thursday for a few days' visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirby and mother visited in Clarendon Sunday.

## IN THE SERVICE

### BILLIE KNORPP MISSING

Word has been received that Staff Sgt. Billie F. Knorpp of Groom, nephew of Earl Stubblefield of McLean, has been reported missing in action.

S/Sgt. Knorpp was an aerial gunner on a bomber and was making his 18th mission over enemy territory.

### MAJOR BARRON FOUND

A telegram has been received that Mrs. J. J. McCasland's brother, Major Gaines J. Barron, who was reported missing in action in Italy, has been located, seriously wounded in a German prison.

Eldon Dyer of the Marines at New River, N. C., visited his parents here last week. He was accompanied by wife, who remained for a longer visit.

Ethel Fern Landers, WAVES officer in the USNR, has returned to her post in the nation's capitol after spending a furlough with relatives here.

Mrs. Frank Blue and Miss Faye Campbell order the home paper sent to their husband and brother, respectively, who are serving with the armed forces.

Pvt. and Mrs. R. L. Bonner, Jr., and baby of Monterey, Calif., are visiting relatives here and at Kellerville.

Earl W. Green, Y 3/c, is a new reader of the home paper, courtesy of his parents here.

Lieut. Cagle Hunt left Tuesday for Fort Bliss after a visit with home folks here.

Pvt. Vernon Johnston of Camp Abbott, Ore., came last Thursday for a visit with his wife.

Sgt. and Mrs. Gwendol Brock of Pampa visited the former's aunt, Mrs. George Humphreys, Sunday.

Cadet George Jacobs of Amarillo visited his wife here last week.

Lieut. and Mrs. Paris Hess have returned to Camp Hood.

## Is That Trip Really Necessary?



This picture of people waiting to board a bus is typical of scenes everywhere in the country. All available space on trains and buses is needed for the armed forces. If you possibly can, stay home this year. Give the serviceman a break.

## Younger Elected Band Director

Tolley Younger of Fort Worth has been elected as band director for the McLean school bands. Mr. Younger succeeds Cyril Pingleton, who resigned recently.

Mr. Younger comes to us from Marietta, Okla., where he was band director. He has had 18 years of band directing experience, 13 of which was in one school. He will have charge of the ward school band, high school band, drum and bugle corps.

Supt. Chaudoin says, "The school welcomes Mr. Younger and are looking forward to a successful year."

## Lions Challenged by Soldiers

According to announcement by C. O. Greene at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday, the soldiers' quiz team from the prisoner of war camp has challenged the Lions for next Monday night's program. Mr. Greene appointed five Lions to compose the club team.

Dr. Batson, vice president of the club, acted as chairman in the absence of the boss Lion, and W. E. Bogan was acting secretary. Eight members were present.

## EDITOR RECEIVES THANKS

October 18, 1943.  
Mr. T. A. Landers, editor  
The McLean News,  
McLean, Texas.

Dear Mr. Landers:  
Your contribution to the success of the Third War Loan Drive is fully appreciated. I want to thank you not only officially, but as a fellow-Texan and as a fellow-volunteer in a vital work that required a lot of personal effort and took many hours from our regular businesses in these exceedingly trying times.

Please convey my thanks to all bales of cotton were ginned in Gray county from the crop of 1943, prior to Oct. 1, as compared with seven bales for the crop of 1942, according to R. H. Wilson, special agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cash and son, Billy Roy, of Dumas visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cash, this week. They also visited relatives at Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Northam have moved back to McLean from Albuquerque, N. M., and are making their home with their grandmother, Mrs. L. E. Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes of Ponca City, Okla., spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kennedy.

Mrs. Milton Carpenter and son returned Saturday from St. Louis, where the latter received medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carpenter visited the lady's sister, Mrs. White, at Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith and children were in Dallas and Fort Worth last week on business.

## Register for Ration Book 4

McLean citizens will register at the high school Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week for War Ration Book No. 4.

It has been requested by school authorities that the books be called for from 4:00 to 10:00 p. m. on Thursday and Friday; and 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Saturday, in order that the school program will be interfered with as little as possible.

Applicants must have their No. 3 books with them, as book No. 4 will not be issued to anyone who does not have book 3.

A person may register anywhere, but the application will be sent to the home registration point after the books are issued.

## Meeting Begins Kellerville, Sunday

A meeting will begin Sunday at the Kellerville Church of Christ, to continue for one week.

Richard Robbins from Abilene Christian College will do the preaching, and services will be held each evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Minister D. C. Lawrence extends an invitation to everyone to attend.

## A FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Bunia Kunkel last Sunday, when all of her children were at home.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kunkel and children of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Chapman of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Johnson and son of Kellerville; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kunkel and son, O. Z. and Buren Kunkel, all of McLean.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 154 bales of cotton were ginned in Gray county from the crop of 1943, prior to Oct. 1, as compared with seven bales for the crop of 1942, according to R. H. Wilson, special agent.

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## Mrs. Ida Henley Rites Tuesday

Funeral rites were said at the Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Ida M. Henley, who died Oct. 17, 1943, at the age of 61 years, 4 months and 13 days.

Services were in charge of Pastor R. S. Watkins, assisted by Rev. C. O. Huber of the First Baptist Church.

Palbearers were Jack Mercer, Boyd Reeves, Ernest Blankenship, Pete Fulbright, Homer Abbott and C. G. Nicholson.

Flower bearers were Mesdames Ruth Franks, Nadine Boyd, Colleen Burrows and Ruth Strandberg.

Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery, Womack Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Henley, who had made her home in McLean for about 15 years, is survived by her husband, C. E. Henley; eight sons, Richard of McLean, John P. of Childress, Buck of Alanreed, and five who are serving in the armed forces: Pvt. Luther, San Diego, Calif.; Cpl. Charlie C. overseas; Sgt. Pete E. Sicily; Pvt. Ralph T. Aberdeen, Md.; Pvt. Walter E. Camp Haan, Calif. Three daughters, Mrs. Oscar Roland, Forney; Mrs. Herman McAdams, Pampa; Mrs. Faye Jones, Mesquite, also survive, together with a cousin, Noble B. Ramey, of McLean; five sisters and 22 grandchildren.

The above-named, with the exception of the two sons overseas, were present, with their families, including 16 of the grandchildren. Also present was Alvie Smiley of Mineola, a cousin of Mr. Henley.

## Football Game Here Friday

A non-conference game with Phillips will be played on Tiger Field Friday night.

This is the second home game of the season, the first being played with White Deer, also a non-conference tilt.

The Tigers have played two conference games, winning the first one against Lakeview and losing 13 to 7 at Memphis last week.

All other games of the season will be played at Tiger Field, with the exception of the one at Lefors on November 19.

## Stubblefield New School Trustee

Earl Stubblefield is a new member of the board of education, having been appointed trustee at a meeting held Monday night.

Mr. Stubblefield will fill the unexpired term of S. L. Humphreys.

## SHOWER HONORS BRIDE

Mrs. George Jacobs, who was before her recent marriage, Miss Maudie Dale Woods, was honored at a shower given Friday in the home of Mrs. Barney Fulbright. Mrs. Fulbright was assisted by Misses Joyce Fulbright and Mary Ann Back, with Mrs. Jack Mercer presiding at the bride's book.

Present and sending gifts were Mesdames Roy Barker, R. B. Jones, S. J. Dyer, C. L. Woods, June Woods, Dolph Burrows, Kate Everett, Milton Banta, L. G. Waldrop, Callie Haynes, J. R. Phillips, A. R. Clawson, S. M. Hodges, George Bailey, R. L. Appling, J. A. Brawley, Edith Mae Ferrell, Gene Woodrome, Y. B. Lee, Vester Smith, J. T. Smith, B. L. Anderson, C. J. Cash, N. A. Watt, Jim Stevens.

Mesdames Ted Woods, W. L. Jacobs, Dewey Wood, Johnnie R. Back, Ernest Watson, M. M. Newman, Barney Fulbright, T. J. Coffey, L. E. Cunningham, Juanita McCBroom, Buck Glass, W. L. Hancock, Ruth Glass, Pete Fulbright, Raymond Glass, Myrtle Smith, R. F. Sanders, Odell Mantoosh, C. P. Callahan, Thelma Huff, Ed D. Smith, Jack Mercer, W. J. Carnes, Bill Moore, W. M. Rhodes.

Misses Willie Mae Moore, Dora Watt, Oshia Gilmore, Naomi Hancock, Idell Gadberry, Shirley Glass, Billie Glass, Mary Lee Abbott, Colleen Burrows, Joyce Fulbright, Duella Wood, Nadine Boyd, Dorothy Bailey, Louise Farris.

Messrs. and Mesdames Tommy Plum, Bill McAllister, Bob Dorris; Messrs. Bobby Smith and Bill Woods.

Mrs. Neal McBroom and Miss Naomi Hancock have returned from a visit to Alabama.

## Alanreed Girl Dies in Wreck

Miss Willa Dean Lingo, 18, of Alanreed, was killed, and Miss Dorothy Lee Hardman, 16, of Alanreed, and David Clark, 24, of Dozier, were injured when the 1941 Ford pick-up in which they were enroute to a dance at Lake McClellan Saturday night skidded 75 yards and rolled into a ravine about three-quarters of a mile from the lake.

Miss Lingo, daughter of Mrs. Jewel Lingo, died from a broken neck. Her father, W. B. Lingo, died less than three months ago.

Miss Hardman was taken by her father, A. N. Hardman, to a Shamrock hospital. She is reported critically injured with her back crushed, a broken arm and fractured skull. Clark suffered a broken back, broken collarbone and bruises. A Womack ambulance took him to Pampa, where his condition was reported "fair." He and Miss Lingo were to have been married Saturday of this week.

The Lingo girl was said to have been dead 1 1/2 or 2 hours before the wreck was discovered. No one investigated, as the car lights were still burning, indicating a parked car, until after some time had elapsed passersby decided something must be wrong. All three were thrown from the car, one being found about 30 yards away and the other two some 60 yards.

Funeral services were held for Miss Lingo Monday, at the Groom Church of Christ, conducted by Rev. S. T. Greenwood, Baptist pastor of Alanreed; and Rev. Vernon Willard, Alanreed Methodist pastor. Burial was made in Groom cemetery, Womack Funeral Home in charge.

Palbearers were Buckum Coleman, Theral Colie, Bobby Willeby, Shorty Sechrist, Earl Colie and Bob Sherrod. Flower bearers were Misses Earline Miller, Frances TerBush, Nita Ruth Miller, Thelma Jo Smith, Fleeta Mae Hill and Betty Jo Fulton.

Besides her mother, she is survived by one brother, Pvt. Bryan Lingo of Wichita Falls; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lingo of Groom, and grandmother, Mrs. Ida Smith of Denison.

## Program Pleases at USO Monday

Another quiz program was given at the USO hall Monday night, with men of the 463rd at the prisoner of war camp pitted against members of the school faculty. The soldiers won again.

According to Chairman C. O. Greene, this type of program seems to please more people than any other given by the local USO and will be used from now on. He has appointed five members of the Lions Club to accept a challenge by the soldiers for next Monday night.

Everyone—men, women, soldiers and civilians, are invited to attend these programs free of charge.

Womack ambulance made the following runs last week and this: A. O. Lemmens to Shamrock, Mrs. M. M. Newman home from Pampa, Mrs. V. N. Rhea to Amarillo, Mrs. Billie Mae Carson from Shamrock, Mrs. Susan Christie to Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark were in Pampa Sunday at the bedside of the former's brother.

Rev. S. T. Greenwood and W. H. Craig of Alanreed were here Monday for the Henley funeral.

## BIRTHDAYS

Oct. 24—Mrs. H. E. Franks, Mrs. S. A. Cobb, Mrs. Lula Young, Janet Regal, Fred Wayne Harris.

Oct. 25—Nora Ashby, Mrs. Byrd Guill, Mrs. J. J. Rallsback, Mrs. Geo. Weems, Jimmie Charles Hopkins.

Oct. 26—Dr. W. L. Campbell, Dr. A. W. Hicks.

Oct. 27—Mrs. J. O. Clark, Mrs. Joe Bidwell, Julia Lee Crawford, Bobby Campbell, Ercy Cubine, Geo. Barrow.

Oct. 28—Mrs. C. A. Watkins, Mrs. J. E. Kirby, Shirley Ann Watkins.

Oct. 30—Obs. Kunkel, Nadine Boyd, Truitt Stewart, Mrs. Kenneth Dyer.







**THE TIGER POST**

Editor for the week: Juanita Earles  
 Reporters: Martha Howard, Pauline Simpson, Iva Nora Simpson, Clio Jones, Zeke Gibson, Zaida Marlin, Freddie Johnson, Joe Johnson, Dorothy Goodson, Irma Ruth Albright, George Savage, Juanita Earles.  
 Artist: Dean Grigsby.

**JUNIOR RED CROSS**

An Editorial  
 From November 1 to 15 is the recruiting period for the Junior Red Cross. We are counting on every boy and girl in the entire school system to join the call for service by joining this year. Never in the history of our country has there been such a need for Red Cross service, and never has there been such an opportunity for boys and girls to render service to our country. Let's join 100% when the call is made.

**MISSING IN ACTION**

Mrs. J. T. Barron of Waco received a wire from the War Department Thursday to the effect that her son, Major Gaines J. Barron, brother of Mrs. J. J. McCaland of McLean, had been missing in action in Italy since September 13.  
 The torch is being carried for Major Barron by a brother, Capt. R. Barron, reserve officer; a brother-in-law, Col. Waldo Willis in charge of Pacific Base, Seattle Wash.; and four nephews, Capt. Mack Barron, Capt. O. J. Barron, Capt. John Ed Barron, and Capt. Beverly Warren, all of whom are overseas.

**CAMPUS CHATTER**

I heard Bill Hill reciting the poem, "The Old-Fashioned Lovers." Here's the way it goes:  
 They strolled into the garden,  
 It was a happy land,  
 Walking close together he held her little-shawl.  
 Holding her little shawl  
 They didn't seem in haste,  
 They walked along in silence  
 His arm about her—umbrella.  
 His arm about her umbrella,  
 Underneath the skies,  
 They talked about the future.  
 He gazed into her—lunchbasket.  
 Gazing into her lunchbasket,  
 Nothing seemed a-miss,  
 Still he lost his self-control  
 And stole a little—handkerchief.  
 Having stolen her little handkerchief,  
 They forgot about alarms  
 Then suddenly he turned to her  
 And drew her in his—notebook  
 Having drawn her in his notebook,  
 She thought he was a thug.  
 Still he changed her mind by  
 Giving her  
 A great big—juicy apple.  
 He pondered o'er the apple  
 And he thought about his life.  
 He turned to her in silence and  
 Said,  
 "Will you be my—chauffeur?"  
 She accepted this position and  
 There's nothing left to tell  
 Next—she went to heaven,  
 And he went to—see her some-time.  
 —Snatched

**NEW STUDENT**

Ernest Roach, who is one of the four new students, hails from Ventura, California. Ernest joined the freshman class on October 18. He is 15 years of age, five feet, three inches tall, and has brown hair and eyes.  
 Ernest has no favorite hobby, but baseball is his favorite sport. We welcome you, Ernest, and say you enjoy your school days at McLean.

Ernest has been taking Spanish in California, and our Spanish class was thrilled to learn that its members could count, speak and understand Spanish equally well as Ernest. We can all improve, however.

**MEET THE SENIORS**

The senior for the week is Doris Earles Bryant. Doris was born at Spearman, April 6, 1925. She has brown hair, blue eyes, and is five feet, three inches tall. Doris began her schooling in McLean and has never enrolled in another school. She is a member of the drum and bugle corps, and also the choral music club. She has been one time been a member of the G. I. club and also secretary of the music club.  
 Doris' hobby is collecting pictures. Her likes are: Clark Gable, movie star; dancing and skating. Doris' Jean's ambition is to become a form of secretarial work.

somewhere. May you have much success in your work, Doris.

**FASHIONS**

"Sloppy-Joe" sweaters hit fashions with a bang this week. Everyone wears one—we, nearly everybody anyway. Kathryn Brooks wears a bright yellow one with an aqua skirt. She wears tan oxfords and white anklets. Loyce Thacker wears a pink sweater and a tan plaid skirt, and a brown ribbon adorns her lovely brown tresses. That beautiful blonde, Jeanne Lane, is seen wearing a beige skirt accompanied by a red "sloppy-Joe." Jeanne wears red sandals and no socks. Meba Hanner flutters down the halls of M. H. S. in a pale blue sweater and a red plaid skirt.  
 Don't give up, boys—M. H. S. has "sweater girls," too.

**THE JUNIOR CLASS**

The junior sponsor, Mrs. Hunt, called an emergency meeting of the juniors, Oct. 18.  
 An assembly program was planned that is to be given in assembly Friday morning with plenty of junior talent, and we aren't kidding. Our program will be followed by a snazzy pep rally.  
 Tuesday night the junior class lost a popular member, James Barker. Even if James has gone with Uncle Sam, our class will always remember what a swell guy he was in every way. The best of luck to you, James.  
 We are also proud of our new junior that enrolled this week Betty Ann Rayford. We're glad to have you, Betty.  
 Well, I guess that is enough for your junior reporter this week, but I'll be back. You know you can't keep a good man down.

**MAKING AVIATION SAFER**

By James Barker, English 3  
 Many people would not realize the importance of making aviation safer, unless their lives were concerned with this occupation. The average American is not concerned with the life and works of other people, unless in some way they are concerned with this problem. For instance, if your brother or sister was a flyer, you would naturally be more interested.  
 There are many problems to be considered in aviation, but the most important is making aviation safer, but only research workers are capable of doing this. If each person tries to do his part it will surely help. One of the many problems in making aviation safer is emergency landing fields. In many communities these fields are needed. Because of this the Army has installed many landing fields in our country. Certainly if some of your own kin was forced down in a cow pasture and killed because there was no landing field you would be bitter because of this inefficiency.  
 Very few people in the United States have the opportunity to work in the aircraft industry, but the ones who do should be more careful in this work. Maybe at the time you do not realize it, but every bit of work you do, you take a young American life in your hands—maybe your own son or brother. Some people do not look at this, possibly, when they half way do their work, but if every time a person bungles his work it would strike close to home he would be more careful.  
 Personally, I am interested in becoming an aviation cadet and certainly would like to know that the American factory works and the whole town is behind me. And I am just sure there are a lot more young Americans feel the same way as I do about aviation. Any team can always win if they are backed up by the rest of the nation.  
 Editor's note: James Barker left Tuesday for the Navy. So come on, all you football fans, and buy a war bond or stamp for James.

**J THROCKMORTON STOOPNAGLE'S PREDICTIONS OF THE FUTURE**

Ten Years from Now  
 Society Matron Ruth Strandberg hired a private detective to shadow her husband. When the disk presented the bill she gasped in astonishment.  
 "Why, you've charged me just half the price we agreed upon. What's the idea?"  
 "The idea is this," replied the dick (who, incidentally, happened to be Don Steadman) "the dame I caught him running around with was my wife."  
 Five Years from Now—  
 Zeke—Wot's the idea of sticking me in a room with a screwy guy?  
 Hotel Clerk Harold Meador—

**BONDS OVER AMERICA**

**Confederate Home**



Defeated men may live in peace and honor under the Stars and Stripes, but under the crooked cross of Nazism there is only ignominy, persecution, death for those who will not bend the knee.

**Keep On Backing the Attack With War Bonds**

this is the only room we had. What's the matter with him?  
 Zeke—Why, he looks all around the room and keeps saying, "No lions, no tigers, not even no pink elephants." He's batty; the room's full of them.  
 Mr. Wilson—What happens when a body is completely submerged in water?  
 Dead-eye (Bubbles) Brooks—The telephone rings.  
 My love has flew; Him did me dirt. Me did not know Him was a flirt. So to all love Let me forbid, Lest you get done Like I been did.

Come in the evening, come in the morning.  
 Come when expected, come without warning;  
 Thousands of welcomes you'll find here before you.  
 And the oftener you come, the more we'll adore you.  
 —Old Irish Rhyme  
 Buy printing in McLean.

**GERMAN PRISONERS SHOCK LITTLE FEED**  
 Several truck loads of German prisoners from the McLean camp have passed through Miami several days this week enroute to farms near town to shock feed. Reports from farmers state that the prisoners can do good work when they want to, but if they refuse to do any labor, as was the case Tuesday, nothing can be done about it but haul them back to the prison camp and call it a day.  
 —Miami Chief.

**THE NEW BABY**  
 is the most precious one of the family. Then why not see that its future is protected by a **JUVENILE INSURANCE** policy? The cost is small.  
**Arthur Erwin**  
 Great Northern Life Ins. Co.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
 Jas. A. Hall, Dentist, announces the re-opening of his office in the Farmers and Merchants State Bank Building, Shamrock, Texas. Advertisement 42-3c  
 Philadelphia, Pa.—"Please remain home on the evening of August 30," was the strange message received by Mrs. Ben Cannavo from the Red Cross. The mystery was explained at 9 o'clock that night when five musicians came to serenade her. The stunt had been prearranged by her soldier-husband before he was shipped to North Africa. August 30 was their first wedding anniversary.

**GET MORE MILEAGE**  
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 Poly Gas and  
 Phillips 66  
 Motor Oils  
 Always stop at the Phillips sign for more mileage.  
**J. R. Glass, Agent**

**LIBRARY NEWS**  
 By Mrs. Lady Bryant  
 Books for those who read for more than relaxation: America's Book of Games, Hobbies, Soles Culture, Hollywood Starlet, Biographical Dictionary of Musicians, Famous Men of Science, The Negro Handbook, Biographies of Great Composers, The World's Great Speeches, Journey among Warriors.  
 Mrs. Lula Young visited in Pampa over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McIlroy made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

**THE BEST FOOD**  
 Our place is known For "the best in food" And when you eat here It has to be good

**MEADOR CAFE**  
 On Highway 66

**Everyday Prices**

Because our ceiling prices are low, you can save money in several ways by trading here.

We have a wide assortment of full economy grocery items from which to select your needs, which makes shopping a real pleasure at **CITY FOOD**.

It is to your advantage from a standpoint of convenience to shop early in the day and early in the week in order to be assured of low prices and a more complete stock to choose from.

The War Chest drive begins Monday  
**"TAKE A TEXAN'S PART"**

**City Food Store**  
 Quality Service Satisfaction

**Criminal Philosophy**  
 About the worst crime an adult commits is to raise up a spoiled child, then turn it loose upon a cruel, hard-boiled world—crime against the child and against society, too.

**A. T. WILSON**  
 at the Hermitage

**Avalon**  
 Weekly Program

Thursday, Friday  
**"THE HUMAN COMEDY"**  
 Mickey Rooney, Frank Morgan

Saturday  
**"THUMBS UP"**  
 Brenda Joyce, Richard Fraser

**"IDAHO"**  
 Roy Rogers, Smiley Burnette

Sunday, Monday  
**"THE POWERS GIRL"**  
 George Murphy, Anne Shirley Benny Goodman and his Orchestra Dennis Day, singing star

Tuesday  
**"FOOTLIGHT GLAMOUR"**  
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LET'S SEAL OUR ENGAGEMENT WITH A KISS, HEDY HONEY--I'LL DO IT REAL LIGHT!

NO SPARKY, YOUR LIPS ARE LIKE STEEL--WE KISSED ONCE AND THEY LOOSENED ALL MY FRONT TEETH-- SAY--I HAVE AN IDEA--

OH, SPARKY, YOU'RE WONDERFUL--I EVEN FELT THAT THROUGH THE DOOR!

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By BOODY ROGERS

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OH! OH!

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SURE, I LIKE GIRLS, BUT NOT TO PLAY WITH! THEY CAN'T PLAY ROUGH, LIKE BOYS!

ZIP!

MAYBE I'M NOT ROUGH! BUT I'M FRISKY!

By FRANK WEBB

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# Who's News This Week

By Delos Wheeler Lovelace

Consolidated Features.—WNU Release.

**NEW YORK.**—Post-war plans are also occupying our Abner H. Ferguson, commissioner of the Federal Housing Administration. With millions of small homes. One may gather from Mr. Ferguson's pleasant predictions that small homes will pop up throughout the country like dandelions as soon as wartime restrictions are lifted.

Reminding that the FHA needs no new legislation to go into immediate action in the small-home field, and pointing out that there is still available practically half a billion dollars of unused insurance authorization, Ferguson talks of two million homes per year for ten years after the swords are beaten back into plowshares. Meanwhile he urges home owners to keep up repairs.

A Democrat, a Mason, a married man and a father, Ferguson has been with the Housing Administration since 1934. First he was assistant counsel, then general counsel, then assistant administrator and, since 1940, administrator. He got his law degree at Georgetown university in 1904. Before that he attended a military school.

He lives in Washington, D. C. But he was born in 1881 in Paris, Va. There are 19 Parises in the encyclopedia not counting Paris, France, but the one in Virginia doesn't appear at all. It must be mighty small. But when Mr. Ferguson's charming new homes begin to rise, Paris, Va., will begin to grow. And so will all the other Parises.

**SURPRISE** parties take the place of tea parties in the capital these days. One of the most successful was the recent appointment of Edward R. **Abel Lincoln, Yet Stettinius Ed Stettinius Came Jr.** as under secretary of state. Many names had been banded about in connection with this post, but whoever thought of the handsome hard-working lend lease administrator?

Stettinius was in San Francisco when the surprise exploded. It may have been worked out by telephone. No less than three phones have always decorated his almost bare desk in the almost bare office he occupied as lend lease administrator. One was appropriately white; that ran to the White House.

Crisp memos are another favorite aid to Mr. Hull's new second in command. Memos are pepper and salt to the big dish of work he consumes each day. Washington knows him as a terrific worker. He is banging away sometimes as early as five and six in the morning.

His father was a J. P. Morgan partner and young Edward attended the University of Virginia and married a Richmond belle. Nevertheless he went to work in 1924 for General Motors as a common laborer. He was vice president by 1931, and in 1936 U. S. Steel made him chairman of its board. President Roosevelt has used him in various important jobs. He took charge of lend lease two years ago.

Forty-two years old, he likes his 80-acre Virginia farm, horses, scrap books about his three sons, raising turkeys and collecting ancient vehicles.

**WITH** the Germans driven back to the Dnieper and retreating northward in Italy, the president of Turkey seems to be leaning a little in the direction of the United Nations.

**Turkish President** Ismet Inonu will know when to get off the fence from the carefully perpendicular position he has maintained heretofore on the continental fence. Gen. Ismet Inonu is one of the most astute diplomats in the global picture. He trained under the crafty Mustafa Kemal Ataturk, whom he succeeded as president when Ataturk died in 1938.

Even Ataturk had no diplomatic device so effective as Inonu's deafness. In a tight corner, the president just plain fails to hear. He mistook his telephone when Franz von Papen came looking for a pal in 1939. But from all accounts he was hearing excellently during our Archbishop Francis J. Spellman's recent visit. He reads English, French and German.

Small and insignificant, Inonu was nevertheless rated a good general in 1922 in Anatolia. When Ataturk introduced Turkey to surnames in the western style, Ismet took his from Inonu, scene of his famous victory over the Greeks. Before that he was Ismet Pasha.

Fifty-eight years old, he has a wife, two sons, and a host of friends, who call him affable and kind. Although his soldiers found him strict disciplinarian. Once every year he asks 10,000 children to his home and gives them a bag of candy.

# Newest Fashions Are Styled With Exquisite Simplicity

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS**



**THE** wartime plea for fabric conservation has ushered in a new era of costume design. It is one that calls for clothes that are feminine but not fussy, with the emphasis placed on beautiful body lines that make streamlined flattery their theme. You will find this new silhouette to be utterly charming in that it slenderizes from head to foot at the same time it subtly molds to the figure with feminine grace.

The exquisite simplicity with which the newer fashions are styled also reflected in the discreet use made of trimmings and the choice manner in which clever detail is worked out so as to achieve "the touch that tells." It will be interesting to watch the development of this movement, for all signs point to the technique that calls for sophisticated simplicity as the fashion creed of the future as well as now. Speaking for the present, certain it is that the new fashions created with the definite purpose of converting a minimum of fabric into a maximum of "style" is resulting in the most dramatically wearable clothes that have ever written themselves into the pages of fashion history.

The winsome dresses done in the Berenice Holloway manner as here pictured, are characteristic of the new trend that calls for classic simplicity. "Body beautiful" lines give outstanding style distinction to the stunning "after five" black dress pictured to the left in the illustration. It has the new short length straight-as-an-arrow skirt, so modish this fall. Fringe is one of the most important trimmings in use this season.

## Handknit Topper



This is a season when handsome wool handknit fashions are looked upon with high regard. A treasured possession is this wool handknit double-breasted topper. It has a thoroughbred air about it which makes instant appeal to women of discriminating taste. Wear it over slacks at home, over skirts or dresses on the street and it will prove wonderfully effective as a wrap worn over evening clothes. Here is a wrap that will hold good the year round and the more you wear it the more you will treasure it.

**Behaved Turbans**  
To suit the turban to the face milliners are giving new side width.

son. In this instance, a deep cascade of black silk fringe falls sleek and sophisticated from a simple neckline, somewhat after the manner of a choirboy's surplice. Note the trim fitted waistline.

The simple town dress centered in the trio makes bright color its theme, as do the majority of daytime wools this season. The designer chooses a clear singing purple wool for this dress, giving it "glitter drama," via rich gilt embroidery that sparkles from the belt, and nobby jewel buttons that lead up to the double loop collar that nestles high under the chin.

The third of these Berenice Holloway originals as shown to the right is a timeless classic. It has all the subtleties of narrow slenderizing lines which modern costume design demands. This dress definitely carries the message of fall 1943 styling. The gently shirred panel eases off to allow front fullness in the skirt. Chunky plastic buttons shine against the dull mat finish of the gray Enka rayon crepe of the dress. The high notched collar imparts an artificial style touch.

In suits as in dresses you will find that the emphasis is on pencil-slim lines. The smart silhouette that women-of-fashion covet for fall is achieved by wearing a topper in the new short length, such as is creating such a furor just now, over your sleek-skirted suit. The flare of the topper contrasts the slimmness of the suit skirt in animated lines that are youthful and flattering.

The movement to siren slenderness is particularly noticeable in the new beautifully proportioned sheathlike dinner gowns that are so outstanding in the current fashion picture. Sometimes there is a side movement in the slant drape of the skirt, then again a slashed hemline achieves versatile lines.

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## Dazzle Belts Set Off Slim Classic Frocks

The new dress theory is that you look smartest when your frock is of the simplest, emphasizing perfect lines and striking color, with trimmings conspicuous by its absence. With this model of simplicity you are supposed to add some one or other accessory that simply startles with its "dash and go." For instance, there are dazzling belts that are designed to be worn with classically simple frocks just by way of keen contrast. Handwork and jewels and sequins galore go into the making of these glamorous belts that interpret the effectiveness of a single important highspot for your slim classic dress. The only way to properly sense the extravagant beauty of these belts is to see them with your own eyes in display at smart accessory counters and shops.

## Gloves Go Dramatic

As a glamorous touch to your costume gloves are cast to play a star role during the coming months. Just now it's the stunning kidskin gloves designed to go with your smart tweeds and tailored suits that you'll be wanting. The swankiest are brief and you can get them in black, navy or brown stitched in sharp contrast with white. To wear when in gala attire there's a treat in store in that a sensational revival is predicted for fine white kidskin gloves. Decorative stitching, embroidery, tucks, beads and sequins will give them intrigue. Some will be styled with shirred insets, others will have eyelid cut-out embroidery ruffing. There's a big season ahead for immaculate white gloves. Pigskin gloves in white and in suit colors are ideal to wear with smart town suits.

# Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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

## Lesson for October 24

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### HONORING OUR PARENTS

**LESSON TEXT**—Exodus 20:12; Luke 2:48-51; Mark 7:1-13; John 19:25-27. **GOLDEN TEXT**—Children, obey your parents in the Lord; for this is right.—Ephesians 6:1.

Right relations between children and parents have much to do with the peace and prosperity of a community and a nation. Experience has demonstrated that to be true, but even more basic is the fact that it is in accord with the promise of God.

One of the sad breakdowns in modern life is that of proper honor and obedience to parents by children. In all too many homes God's order has been reversed and instead of honoring and obeying their parents, children (both young and old) have taken the place of "boss," and mother and father must obey if they want peace and rest.

The need for our lesson of today is both great and acute. The future happiness of hundreds of thousands of children and the present welfare of thousands of neglected and boss-ridden parents will depend on the intelligence and faithfulness with which this lesson is taught in our churches, and the honesty of heart with which we all receive its truth.

### I. The Command and Promise (Exod. 20:12)

We are told by Paul that this is the "first commandment with promise" (Eph. 6:1-3). The Lord was not making a bargain with man, or seeking to draw out obedience by a prize, but there is obviously a great reward in the observing of this commandment.

Then, too, as the children of God (if we are such) through Jesus Christ, the first and most important consideration to come before us, is what is the mind and will of the Maker of us all regarding this matter of the relation between parents and children? His words are plain—we are to "honor" our fathers and our mothers.

The word "honor" carries with it a great many things, but perhaps the three outstanding elements are respect, obedience, and affection. Our Lord Jesus Christ, who is the Saviour and then the Example of believers, presents a beautiful pattern of true obedience to this commandment.

### II. Willing Obedience (Luke 2:48-51; John 19:25-27)

The fact that Jesus was God manifest in the flesh only enhanced His conduct. He who is divine presents an example of obedience and consideration both as boy and man which we do well to emulate.

1. As a Boy (Luke 2:48-51). The boy Jesus, increasing "in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man" (v. 52), had come to His twelfth year and with His parents had gone up to Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover.

There moved in His heart the conviction that He must now be about His Father's business—an altogether proper and commendable purpose, but one which resulted for the moment in separation from His parents. This was far more serious than a physical separation, for 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 watchful care, nor refuse to obey them even though they failed to understand Him. Equally tragic are the results of hasty and bitter separations brought about by the disobedience of children.

2. As a Man (John 19:25-27). The value of our lesson will be greatly reduced if we see only the responsibility of children while they are young. We are the children of our parents as long as we and they live.

One marvels at the carelessness and hardness of heart that will permit men and women who have time and money for everything else, to neglect their aged parents and even shunt them off into a public institution for care.

### III. Hypocritical Disobedience (Mark 7:6-13)

Such an important commandment naturally held a high place in the thinking of the community. To violate it involved a measure of shame which men sought to avoid. So the Jews of Christ's day devised a scheme which made it possible for a man to appear to be very religious even as he deprived his parents of the honor and help to which they were entitled by the law of God.

The man who was so avaricious that he did not wish to support his aged and needy parents could entirely evade that God-given responsibility by declaring that his property was "Corban," that is, dedicated by a vow to God. Thereafter no matter how great was the need of his parents they could receive nothing.

Thus do men make "the word of God of none effect" (v. 13) through their traditions. The method differs but the spirit persists even in our day.



### GRIM OUTLOOK

During his stay in hospital, the young man had been extremely well looked after by a pretty young nurse.

"You know, nurse," he said one morning, "I'm in love with you, so I don't want to get well and leave here."

"Don't worry; quite possibly you won't," replied the nurse cheerfully. "The doctor's in love with me, too, and he saw you kissing me yesterday."

### Bible Name

Mother—What are you going to name your new doll, Jane?

Jane—Sirshe.

Mother—Sirshe? Where did you ever get that funny name?

Jane—Why from you, Mother. Remember that song you taught me—'I'm going a-milking, Sirshe said'?"

### Right You Are

Mrs. Smith—Where's your husband?

Mrs. Jones—He's gone to attend a committee.

Mrs. Smith—What's a committee?

Mrs. Jones—This one is a body that keeps minutes and wastes hours!

### HUNGRY HIKE



Poetic Tramp—Isn't that view beautiful. It makes me feel like the poet who said: "Oh for the wings of a dove."

Practical Tramp—I'll settle for the neck of a chicken!

### And No Lie

Harry—How about that five bucks you owe me?

Jerry—I can't pay you today.

Harry—But you said that the day before, and the day before that!

Jerry—Well, didn't I keep my word?

### Ripened

Customer—I ordered an egg sandwich and you brought me a chicken sandwich.

Waitress—Sorry, sir, but I called a little late for your order!

### California, Too

Nit—My billfold is like Florida weather reports.

Wit—What do you mean?

Nit—There's never any change in it!

### It All Depends

Smith—Long hair makes a man look intelligent.

Jones—Not if his wife finds it on his coat.

### Good Splashers

Harry—Can you tell me what the people at the next table are eating?

Jerry—Well, I can hardly see them for the spray so it must be soup!

### Dumb Sport

Dora (on golf course)—Par is 74.

Dumb—Yes? And how old is ma?

### TALL STORY



Stranger—Have your crops ever been any worse than this year?

Farmer—Wal, the worst year we ever had was back quite a while, when I recollect our corn was nigh to nothin! We cooked some for supper one day and my paw ate fifteen acres of corn all by himself!

### What a Crack!

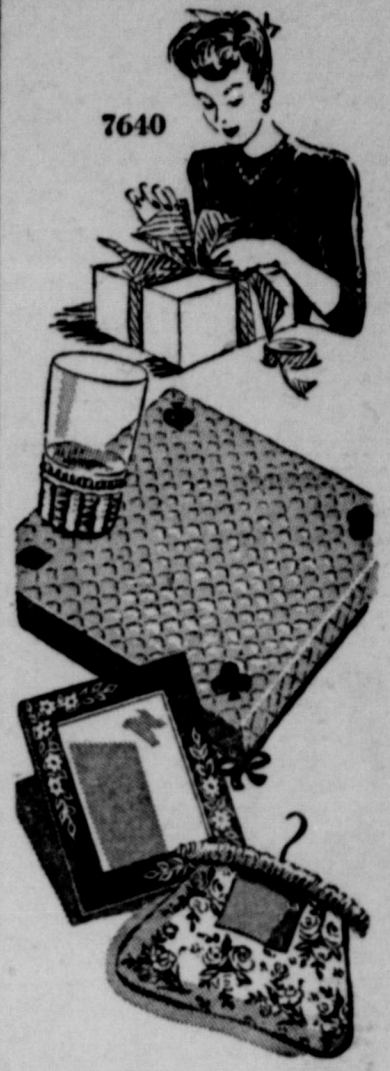
Singer—Don't you like my singing?

Teacher—Singing! Well, you have only one small defect. No matter whether I play on the white keys or the black, you keep singing in the crack!

### Necessary Playmate

Mother—Now, children, what's the idea of calling me to play with you? Sonny—We're playing zoo, mom, and we need somebody to play the lady who comes and feeds all the animals candy and peanuts.

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## 'Flower Flag'

Chinese citizens saw the American flag for the first time on Capt. John Greene's ship, the Empress of China, in Canton river, September 13, 1784. Because it looked like a beautiful flower to them, they called it the "Flower Flag" and continued to call it that for many years.

# IF THROAT IS SORE

IF A COLD has given you a miserable sore throat, here's how to relieve the suffering.

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The largest part of a mesquite tree is below the ground.

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Had Been "Irregular" for Years!

Have you often despaired of ever finding normal regularity? Then, by all means, read this unsolicited letter:

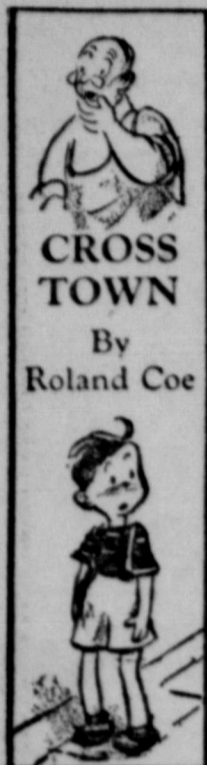
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By Clyde Lewis



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By BOODY ROGERS

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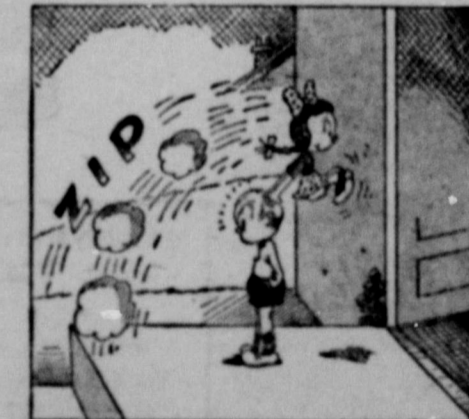
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### DOANS PILLS



# Who's News This Week

By Delos Wheeler Lovelace

Consolidated Features.—WNU Release.

**NEW YORK.**—Post-war plans are also occupying our Abner H. Ferguson, commissioner of the Federal Housing Administration. With millions of small homes. One may gather from Mr. Ferguson's pleasant predictions that small homes will pop up throughout the country like dandelions as soon as wartime restrictions are lifted.

Reminding that the FHA needs no new legislation to go into immediate action in the small-home field, and pointing out that there is still available practically half a billion dollars of unused insurance authorization, Ferguson talks of two million homes per year for ten years after the swords are beaten back into plowshares. Meanwhile he urges home owners to keep up repairs.

A Democrat, a Mason, a married man and a father, Ferguson has been with the Housing Administration since 1934. First he was assistant counsel, then general counsel, then assistant administrator and, since 1940, administrator. He got his law degree at Georgetown university in 1904. Before that he attended a military school.

He lives in Washington, D. C. But he was born in 1881 in Paris, Va. There are 19 Paris in the encyclopedia not counting Paris, France, but the one in Virginia doesn't appear at all. It must be mighty small. But when Mr. Ferguson's charming new homes begin to rise, Paris, Va., will begin to grow. And so will all the other Parises.

**SURPRISE** parties take the place of tea parties in the capital these days. One of the most successful was the recent appointment of Edward R. Stettinius Jr. as under secretary of state. Many names had been banded about in connection with this post, but whoever thought of the handsome hard-working lend lease administrator?

Stettinius was in San Francisco when the surprise exploded. It may have been worked out by telephone. No less than three 'phones have always decorated his almost bare desk in the almost bare office he occupied as lend lease administrator. One was appropriately white; that ran to the White House.

Crisp memos are another favorite aid to Mr. Hull's new second in command. Memos are pepper and salt to the big dish of work he consumes each day. Washington knows him as a terrific worker. He is banging away sometimes as early as five and six in the morning.

His father was a J. P. Morgan partner and young Edward attended the University of Virginia and married a Richmond belle. Nevertheless he went to work in 1924 for General Motors as a common laborer. He was vice president by 1931, and in 1936 U. S. Steel made him chairman of its board. President Roosevelt has used him in various important jobs. He took charge of lend lease two years ago.

Forty-two years old, he likes his 80-acre Virginia farm, horses, scrap books about his three sons, raising turkeys and collecting ancient vehicles.

**WITH** the Germans driven back to the Dnieper and retreating northward in Italy, the president of Turkey seems to be leaning a little in the direction of the United Nations.

**Turkish President** refection of the United Nations from the carefully perpendicular position he has maintained heretofore on the continental fence. Gen. Ismet Inonu is one of the most astute diplomats in the global picture. He trained under the crafty Mustafa Kemal Ataturk, whom he succeeded as president when Ataturk died in 1938.

Even Ataturk had no diplomatic device so effective as Inonu's deafness. In a tight corner, the president just plain fails to hear. He mistook his ear-phones when Franz von Papen came looking for a pal in 1933. But from all accounts he was hearing excellently during our Archbishop Francis J. Spellman's recent visit. He reads English, French and German.

Small and insignificant, Inonu was nevertheless rated a good general in 1922 in Anatolia. When Ataturk introduced Turkey to surnames in the western style, Ismet took his from Inonu, scene of his famous victory over the Greeks. Before that he was Ismet Pasha.

Fifty-eight years old, he has a wife, two sons, and a host of friends, who call him affable and kind, although his soldiers found every street disciplinarian. Once every year he asks 10,000 children to his office and gives them a bag of candy.

# Newest Fashions Are Styled With Exquisite Simplicity

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



In this instance, a deep cascade of black silk fringe falls sleek and sophisticated from a simple neckline, somewhat after the manner of a choirboy's surplice. Note the trim fitted waistline.

The simple town dress centered in the trio makes bright color its theme, as do the majority of daytime wools this season. The designer chooses a clear singing purple wool for this dress, giving it "glitter drama," via rich gilt embroidery that sparkles from the belt, and nobby jewel buttons that lead up to the double loop collar that nestles high under the chin.

The third of these Berenice Holloway originals as shown to the right is a timeless classic. It has all the subtleties of narrow slenderizing lines which modern costume design demands. This dress definitely carries the message of fall 1943 styling. The gently shirred panel eases off to allow front fullness in the skirt. Chunky plastic buttons shine against the dull mat finish of the gray Enka rayon crepe of the dress. The high notched collar imparts an artful style touch.

In suits as in dresses you will find that the emphasis is on pencil-slim lines. The smart silhouette that women-of-fashion covet for fall is achieved by wearing a topper in the new short length, such as is creating such a furor just now, over your sleep-skirted suit. The flare of the topper contrasts the slimmness of the suit skirt in animated lines that are youthful and flattering.

The movement to siren slenderizing is particularly noticeable in the new beautifully proportioned sheath-like dinner gowns that are so outstanding in the current fashion picture. Sometimes there is a side movement in the slant drape of the skirt, then again a slashed hemline achieves versatile lines.

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## Handknit Topper



This is a season when handsome wool handknit fashions are looked upon with high regard. A treasured possession is this wool handknit double-breasted topper. It has a thoroughbred air about it which makes instant appeal to women of discriminating taste. Wear it over slacks at home, over skirts or dresses on the street and it will prove wonderfully effective as a wrap worn over evening clothes. Here is a wrap that will hold good the year round and the more you wear it the more you will treasure it.

Balanced Turbans To suit the turban to the face milliners are giving new side width.

## Dazzle Belts Set Off Slim Classic Frocks

The new dress theory is that you look smartest when your frock is of the simplest, emphasizing perfect lines and striking color, with trimming conspicuous by its absence. With this model of simplicity you are supposed to add some one or other accessory that simply startles with its "dash and go." For instance, there are dazzling belts that are designed to be worn with classically simple frocks just by way of keen contrast. Handwork and jewels and sequins galore go into the making of these glamorous belts that interpret the effectiveness of a single important highspot for your slim classic dress. The only way to properly sense the extravagant beauty of these belts is to see them with your own eyes in display at smart accessory counters and shops.

## Gloves Go Dramatic

As a glamorous touch to your costume gloves are cast to play a star role during the coming months. Just now it's the stunning kidskin gloves designed to go with your smart tweeds and tailored suits that you'll be wanting. The swankiest are brief and you can get them in black, navy or brown stitched in sharp contrast with white. To wear when in gala attire there's a treat in store in that a sensational revival is predicted for fine white kidskin gloves. Decorative stitching, embroidery, tucks, beads and sequins will give them intrigue. Some will be styled with striped insets, others will have eyeliner cut-out embroidery ruffling. There's a big season ahead for immaculate white gloves. Pigskin gloves in white and in suit colors are ideal to wear with smart town suits.

# Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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## Lesson for October 24

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### HONORING OUR PARENTS

LESSON TEXT.—Exodus 20:12; Luke 2:48-51; Mark 7:6-13; John 19:23-27. GOLDEN TEXT.—Children, obey your parents in the Lord: for this is right.—Ephesians 6:1.

Right relations between children and parents have much to do with the peace and prosperity of a community and a nation. Experience has demonstrated that to be true, but even more basic is the fact that it is in accord with the promise of God.

One of the sad breakdowns in modern life is that of proper honor and obedience to parents by children. In all too many homes God's order has been reversed and instead of honoring and obeying their parents, children (both young and old) have taken the place of "boss," and mother and father must obey if they want peace and rest.

The need for our lesson of today is both great and acute. The future happiness of hundreds of thousands of children and the present welfare of thousands of neglected and boss-ridden parents will depend on the intelligence and faithfulness with which this lesson is taught in our churches, and the honesty of heart with which we all receive its truth.

### I. The Command and Promise (Exod. 20:12).

We are told by Paul that this is the "first commandment with promise" (Eph. 6:1-3). The Lord was not making a bargain with man, or seeking to draw out obedience by a prize, but there is obviously a great reward in the observing of this commandment.

Then, too, as the children of God (if we are such) through Jesus Christ, the first and most important consideration to come before us is, What is the mind and will of the Maker of us all regarding this matter of the relation between parents and children? His words are plain—we are to "honor" our fathers and our mothers.

The word "honor" carries with it a great many things, but perhaps the three outstanding elements are respect, obedience, and affection.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, who is the Saviour and then the Example of believers, presents a beautiful pattern of true obedience to this commandment.

### II. Willing Obedience (Luke 2:48-51; John 19:25-27).

The fact that Jesus was God manifest in the flesh only enhanced His conduct. He who is divine presents an example of obedience and consideration both as boy and man which we do well to emulate.

1. As a Boy (Luke 2:48-51). The boy Jesus, increasing "in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man" (v. 52), had come to His twelfth year and with His parents had gone up to Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover.

There moved in His heart the conviction that He must now be about His Father's business—an altogether proper and commendable purpose, but one which resulted for the moment in separation from His parents. This was far more serious than a physical separation, for 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 watchful care, nor refuse to obey them even though they failed to understand Him. Equally tragic are the results of hasty and bitter separations brought about by the disobedience of children.

2. As a Man (John 19:25-27). The value of our lesson will be greatly reduced if we see only the responsibility of children while they are young. We are the children of our parents as long as we and they live.

One marvels at the carelessness and hardness of heart that will permit men and women who have time and money for everything else, to neglect their aged parents and even shunt them off into a public institution for care.

### III. Hypocritical Disobedience (Mark 7:6-13).

Such an important commandment naturally held a high place in the thinking of the community. To violate it involved a measure of shame which men sought to avoid. So the Jews of Christ's day devised a scheme which made it possible for a man to appear to be very religious even as he deprived his parents of the honor and help to which they were entitled by the law of God.

The man who was so avicious that he did not wish to support his aged and needy parents could entirely evade that God-given responsibility by declaring that his property was "Corban," that is, dedicated by a vow to God. Thereafter no matter how great was the need of his parents they could receive nothing.

Thus do men make "the word of God of none effect" (v. 13) through their traditions. The method differs but the spirit persists even in our day.



## GRIM OUTLOOK

During his stay in hospital, the young man had been extremely well looked after by a pretty young nurse.

"You know, nurse," he said one morning, "I'm in love with you, so I don't want to get well and leave here."

"Don't worry; quite possibly you won't," replied the nurse cheerfully. "The doctor's in love with me, too, and he saw you kissing me yesterday."

### Bible Name

Mother—What are you going to name your new doll, Jane?

Jane—Sirshe.

Mother—Sirshe? Where did you ever get that funny name?

Jane—Why from you, Mother. Remember that song you taught me—"I'm going a-milking, Sirshe said"?"

### Right You Are

Mrs. Smith—Where's your husband?

Mrs. Jones—He's gone to attend a committee.

Mrs. Smith—What's a committee?

Mrs. Jones—This one is a body that keeps minutes and wastes hours!

### HUNGRY HIKE



Poetic Tramp—Isn't that view beautiful. It makes me feel like the poet who said: "Oh for the wings of a dove."

Practical Tramp—I'll settle for the neck of a chicken!

### And No Lie

Harry—How about that five bucks you owe me?

Jerry—I can't pay you today.

Harry—But you said that the day before, and the day before that!

Jerry—Well, didn't I keep my word?

### Ripened

Customer—I ordered an egg sandwich and you brought me a chicken sandwich.

Waitress—Sorry, sir, but I called a little late for your order!

### California, Too

Nit—My billfold is like Florida weather reports.

Wit—What do you mean?

Nit—There's never any change in it!

### It All Depends

Smith—Long hair makes a man look intelligent.

Jones—Not if his wife finds it on his coat.

### Good Splashers

Harry—Can you tell me what the people at the next table are eating?

Jerry—Well, I can hardly see them for the spray so it must be soup!

### Dumb Sport

Dora (on golf course)—Par is 74.

Dumb—Yes? And how old is ma?

### TALL STORY



Stranger—Have your crops ever been any worse than this year?

Farmer—Wal, the worst year we ever had was back quite a while, when I recollect our corn was nigh to nothin! We cooked some for supper one day and my paw ate fifteen acres of corn all by hisself!

### What a Crack!

Singer—Don't you like my singing?

Teacher—Singing! Well, you have only one small defect. No matter whether I play on the white keys or the black, you keep singing in the crack!

### Necessary Playmate

Mother—Now, children, what's the idea of calling me to play with you?

Sonny—We're playing zoo, mom, and we need somebody to play the lady who comes and feeds all the animals candy and peanuts.

# Things to do



IT'S not only fun, it's patriotic to make your gifts this year. So out with needle, crochet hook, paste pot and paint... make this exciting bridge-table cover, mirror frame, or ingenious hanger with pocket for belts and gadgets.

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## 'Flower Flag'

Chinese citizens saw the American flag for the first time on Capt. John Greene's ship, the Empress of China, in Canton river, September 13, 1784. Because it looked like a beautiful flower to them, they called it the "Flower Flag" and continued to call it that for many years.

## IF THROAT IS SORE

IF A COLD has given you a miserable sore throat, here's how to relieve the suffering. DO THIS NOW—Melt a small lump of VapoRub on your tongue and feel the comforting medication slowly trickle down your throat—bathing the irritated membranes—bringing blessed relief where you want it, when you want it. DO THIS TONIGHT—Rub throat, chest with VapoRub. Its long continued poultice-and-vapor action loosens phlegm, relieves irritation, eases coughing, invites restful sleep. VICKS VAPORUB

## Most of Tree Underground

The largest part of a mesquite tree is below the ground.

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Being humble pays—no man ever got snake bit looking down.

It is only by listening that we learn—nothing is learned by talking.

Many times a pessimist is only a man who at one time had an optimistic for a partner.

'S funny how we all like to expose our ignorance by telling how the war should be won.

Patriotism is more than words. The loudest talker, are sometimes the worst slackers.

The boys who are doing the shooting are not worried by rumors, nor about entertainment either, for that matter.

Lie detectors are not new. The first one was made out of a man's rib, and there has been little improvement over that model.

It is about time to stop building gas pipe lines out of Texas. Gasoline can be made from natural gas and we may need every natural resource we have before too long. To try to sell all the gas at once may be a short-sighted policy, when future needs are considered.

It is claimed that we had to have rationing because we could not depend upon the patriotism of the people, but with black markets and slackers we must still depend upon patriotism to make rationing work. There are probably just as many people under rationing that are disregarding all rules as there would be under an appeal to patriotism.

Something like a million men are said to be running typewriters and doing office jobs in the armed forces that could be done just as well by women. The only way one of these able bodied men can be released for overseas service is for another woman to join the WAVES, WAC or other women's units. If the women do not enlist at a better rate, selective service for them is indicated.

The idea of electing officials for one term only is growing in popularity. We have men in the national Congress who have been there so long they are entirely out of touch with the rest of the country—men 70 and 80 years of age, completely isolated in their thoughts as far as the needs of their respective districts are concerned. Elect any man to office long enough and he comes to think that he owns the of-

ice, and in most cases forgets that he is a servant of the people.

Governor Stevenson deserves another term without opposition. Texans can congratulate themselves on one of the quietest, most efficient terms in many years. It may be that citizens of this state enjoy the noise and upsets that had become almost a habit for the past several years, but from this distance it has been good to sit back and know that things are working smoothly without the fuss and feathers. Our governor is not perfect, and doubtless he has made some mistakes, but he deserves great credit for keeping the state on an even keel during perilous times.

Some people are slow to learn that there are many things about the war that cannot be published. The name and number of a service man's fighting force, his company, regiment, division squadron, is military information and not for publication. Most of the happenings a prisoner of war camps must be cleared through Washington before they can be published. It is said that some towns lost military installations because of premature publicity. What information you find in The News columns will be what the Office of War Information considers helpful to the war effort, and we will not knowingly allow any information of any kind in our columns that is contrary to wartime practices. We are glad to have any information that can be properly published, and appreciate the cooperation of our readers in furnishing us this information.

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**GONE**

When I was a farmer boy upon the edge of Arden, Long before the Better Way of Doing Things was born, The weasels stole my chickens and the rabbits ate my garden, The foxes got my geese and the woodchucks took my corn.

Always I was fighting them, tracking them and trapping, Always I must leave the plow, stalking them and shooting; Weeds grew high as I would try to catch a weasel napping, As I'd drop a hoe to stop a muskrat at his looting.

Now I've logged the wood, and drained the marshes with my ditches, Now there are no rabbits, and the foxes' day is done; My meadow swells with fatness and my garden teems with riches— But I am done with farming, for it isn't any fun. —Ted Robinson in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**SMALL PART**

Two soldiers, on their way for overseas duty, were standing on the deck of a transport.

First Soldier—Did you ever see so much water in all your life?  
Second Soldier—You ain't seen nothin' yet. That's just the top of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lynn have moved here from Pampa.

Mrs. Neal Humble and baby are visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

**THE CUB POST**

**EIGHTH GRADE NEWS**

Maurine Harlan and Sue Davk are on the verge of fighting. Maurine has been using those blue eyes of hers to take away Sue's boy friends.

I happened to be riding by yesterday and I saw Billy Boston putting forth his charms and escorting Maurine home. Bill was formerly Sue's.

All the school librarians this year are from the eighth grade. They are Jan Back, Monna Caldwell and David Burch. Assistant are Yvonne Clark, Sue Davis and Maurine Harlan.

Most of the eighth grade students stayed home and picked cotton during the school vacation. Some, however, went to Amarillo. Harry Ferguson and Monna Caldwell are getting pretty chummy. In fact, if you had gone to see them last night you would have seen them sitting together. They are all calling this reporter a liar, but I have eyes and talent or blackmail.

**SECOND GRADE**

The second grade in Miss Galleg's room is enjoying their review.

The flag of Texas is being observed and made, with special care to the exact proportions of the parts.

It is interesting to think that the word Texas means "Friendship." Also, the thought that "Friendship" was adopted as the state motto. There are more interesting facts that are being talked about, too.

The boys and girls wish to thank Mrs. Tate for the material sent them by Mr. and Mrs. McCasland.

**FIFTH GRADE NEWS**

We are giving a report on our error box in language. During the past week Brooks Hugg made more mistakes than anyone in the fifth grade. Ella Ann Herndon heard the most mistakes.

The assembly program next Friday will be by the third, fourth and fifth grades. The mothers and friends are invited to attend.

**THE THIRD GRADE**

We have a new student in our room. Her name is Betty Jo Patterson, from Clarendon.

We are getting our new reader, Land of Happy Days.

**SEVENTH GRADE**

The girls in the seventh grade are getting popular these days by wearing lipstick to school. By the way, Jack Brooks and Bobby Kramer took LaWanda Shadie and Marsalee Windom to the show and bicycle riding.

LaVeta Jo Gunn and Ethel Hugg are interested in an eighth grade boy.

We are very sorry to lose one of our pals, Bobby Kramer, who moved to Amarillo.

Our basketball team is doing fine with a good coach, Mr. Lawrence.

**FOURTH GRADE NEWS**

The fourth graders are busy this week learning their parts for the assembly program which will be given by the third, fourth and fifth grades on Friday afternoon.

A number of our pupils are absent from school this week for bull pulling. We are studying maps in geography and several children have brought their own globes and maps to school to make the work more interesting.

We are sorry to say that during the past two weeks we have lost two students, Edra Johnston and Junior Jones. Today (Monday) we gained three new students, Dale Johnston, Winifred Haire and Patsy Blaylock.

**FIRST AND SECOND**

The first and second grades are very happy to be back in school. We are working very hard trying to make up for the two weeks lost.

A group of the first grade children were thrilled to receive their new readers this week.

Mrs. Denison and Mrs. Gray wish to state their thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Tate, the primary supervisor of Collin county, who has so generously given us the primary material. It has been of great help to us.

This week we have had two new pupils. They are Donald Blaylock and Don Dayle Hare. These two boys are members of the first grade class.

**FIRST GRADE ROOM**

The first grade children are glad

to be back in school after a two-weeks vacation. Most of them have remembered the words they learned the first month of school. We are going to start planning for a good time on Halloween and are going to make many pretty things in our creative art work. One group of children are reading in a new book this week. It is a pretty blue book and they like it very much.

**NEWS FROM HEALD**

Henry Ivey of Houston, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. T. Litchfield, returned to his home Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chilton and Mrs. Amie Jaye were in Shamrock Saturday.

Mrs. Clois Hanner and daughters, Martha Joyce and Neida Loyce visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Geo. Reneau, Friday Mr. and Mrs. Hanner took Neida Loyce to Amarillo last Wednesday for a final check-up. She is learning to walk again.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd of Dumas visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reneau Thursday of last week.

Ernie Ivey of Sudan came last Thursday to the home of his sister, Mrs. J. T. Litchfield.

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Rippy and daughters, Iva Dell, and Mrs. Arbie Lankford; the latter's son, and Mrs. Loula Ladd were in Amarillo Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Nida Green and Miss May Ruth Stauffer were callers in the Ladd home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Holder were in Amarillo Friday and Saturday.

Miss Wilma Holmes of Amarillo visited home folks Sunday afternoon. She was accompanied home by Iva Dell Rippy, who had been visiting in Amarillo.

George Reneau was in Borger last Friday.

The Methodist W. S. C. S. met with Mrs. Nida Green Monday of last week at 2:30, Mrs. K. S. Rippy, president, presiding. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Phillips and sons, T. F. and Wesley, were in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Karson are the parents of a girl born Oct. 15 at a Shamrock hospital. Mrs. Karson will be remembered as Miss Billie Mae Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Lane were callers in the K. S. Rippy home Sunday afternoon.

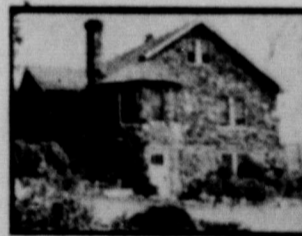
Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hodges made a business trip to Pampa and Borger Wednesday.

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# See Here, Private Hargrove!

by Marion Hargrove



**THE STORY SO FAR:** Private Marion Hargrove, former newspaper feature editor has been inducted into the army and has spent some time in training at Fort Bragg. In his advice to prospective soldiers, Private Hargrove had advocated a pre-induction period of "painting the town red." Once in the army he thinks "an open mind" is the best policy for the "first three weeks are the hardest." Some of the more fundamental phases of army life have gone over Private Hargrove's head and his conduct has landed him often on KP duty. He has been classified as a cook. Between his KP duty and his regular cook assignment he has spent considerable time in the kitchen.

## CHAPTER VII

One of the nicest things about working in the kitchen in Battery C of the 13th Battalion has been the knowledge that its number-one chow hound, Buster Charley, would drop around after supper and the conversational fat. It's like a letter from home to listen to Buster's slow and mournful drawl, and his refreshingly dry humor is a pick-me-up at the end of a long, hot afternoon.

Buster came prancing up the chow line, the other evening with a grin that started at the back of his head and enveloped his face from the nose down.

"What's eating you, Walter," I asked him, "besides that egg-sucking grin?"

"Leaving here, boy!" he sang. "You won't see me around for three months. And when you see me, son, you'll see stripes on my sleeves and a look of prosperity on my clean-cut Tarheel face!"

The man behind him wanted to get to the mashed potatoes, so Buster had to move on down the line, I got the whole story from one of the kayspees while I waited for him to make his evening call.

Of the 200-odd men in Battery C, two men had been selected for three months' training at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. At the end of their three months, they will come back as gunnery instructors, with a non-commissioned officer's rating and a specialist's extra pay on top of that. Mrs. Walter Charley's little boy Buster was one of the two men selected.

One of the sergeants near here came back from a recent leave with one of the most glorious shiners that ever darkened the human eye.

"Run into a door?" I asked him. "Gave a guy the wrong answer," he replied simply, "or rather, the answer he didn't want."

I looked at his face; his teeth were all there and his jaw was still in one piece. I looked at his hands; the knuckles showed the marks of service.

"I was at a party," he went on. "When this fellow who lives next door to my folks wants to know 'how's the morale in the Army?'"

"Leaving here, boy," he sang; "You won't see me around for three months. Then I'll be wearing stripes on my sleeves."

"Excellent," I tell him; "excellent!" He looks me up and down sort of pitying-like and wants to know don't I read the magazine stories about how poor it is. Well, I tell him, "I spend all my time with the boys and believe what I see more than what I read."

"He goes on from there making cracks at the Army and the country and the suckers we are for giving our time for what's not worth fighting in for the first place. I listen politely for a while, because even though I'm not in uniform I don't want to look rowdy. I stand as much as I can and then I ask him to his feet. It isn't long before his three brothers join the fight. It was one of the brothers put his finger ring in my eye."

"Brother," I told him, "that ain't a black eye. That's a badge."

"I lost the fight," he said. "You won the argument, though," I told him.

"I'd like to use the sergeant's name, but he made me promise not to."

"I told the Old Man," he said, "that I got the shiner playing baseball."

"How can I fit you into a coat," moaned Supply Sergeant Israel, "with you fidgeting around like a race horse at the post? Stand still, dern you, stand still!"

"Heavens to Betsy, Thomas," I complained, "you're getting to be the fustiest old maid in the outfit. I'm not squirming!"

ers and betters. In the second place, don't argue with me. In the third place, don't fidget in the first place. And in the fourth place, don't agitate me unnecessarily. I'm at the end of my patience with you and I ain't feeling in no holiday spirit anyway."

I buttoned the handsome winter blouse and he stepped back to inspect it with the eye of an artist. "Every time my wife gets mad at me, she has her picture taken to send to me. The picture I got today showed she's going to eat my heart out unmercifully when I can't put off my furlough any longer and I have to go home. And with domestic difficulties on my hands, I have to fit your winter uniforms."

He yanked at my coattail, straightened the collar and scratched his head. "Hargrove—37 long," he yelled to the boy at the desk.

"Man that is born of woman," I comforted him, "is of many days and full of trouble."

"Git off the platform and into this overcoat," he sighed. He held the coat while I got into it and he slapped my hand for fidgeting again. "Sometimes I wonder why I go to so much trouble keeping you boys dressed right. Here I spend the whole afternoon wiping sweat out of my eyebrows, just to see that your clothes fit you and you won't look like a bunch of bums—which you are."

"Do you know what some ungrateful kitchen termite said the other day? He started putting it around that the Army could double itself in half an hour by filling up the extra space in its trousers. Do your trousers fit you bum?" He straightened the pleats in the back of the overcoat and gave the tail an unnecessarily vicious yank.

"Did I say they didn't?" I groaned, raising my arms despairingly. "Just because somebody else says you stretch the coat in the back so the man will think it fits right in the front, you have to go picking on me!"

"Me pick on you?" he screamed. "It's a wonder my nerves ain't completely shot! Do I come around and put signs on the door saying, 'Walk Up One Flight and Save Five Dollars?' Do I throw gunny sacks on your bed and ask you to take up the cuffs two inches?"

"With my thankless job, it's a wonder I haven't collapsed before this. I wish I was a permanent kitchen police instead of a supply sergeant. Hargrove—37 long! NEXT!"

"This battery is my baby," Corporal Henry Usery said, loosening his belt for a real bull session. I've watched it grow from thirty-one men to what it is now. It was hard work building up this battery to what it is now, but it's worth it when you look around and see what you've done."

The assembly sighed en masse and decided to loosen its belts. Usery was wound up again.

"When I got here, there wasn't anybody here but the instructors. We spent four weeks eating dust and running rabbits. There I was—I'd spent thirteen months learning the old drill and tactics to where I reckon I had it down better than any man in the whole Army. Then they started this 'minute Army,' with a bunch of green ignorant Yankees—and I had to teach them what they had to know!"

The bull session nodded wisely and Corporal Usery went on. "Now, this young Corporal Joe Gant, for instance. Now, this Corporal Gant, when he first came in, was one of the greenest rookies in the bunch. But he snapped out of it and made corporal in four months."

"Was that soldiering," a voice broke in, "or handshaking—as the Latins used to say, mittus floppus?"

"Much as I can't stand Gant, I'll have to admit it was soldiering. That's the way it is. You sweat your head off hammering the drills and the callisthenics and the military courtesies and guard duty and the physical hygiene and the manual of arms into them. They're all clumsy and awkward as a bear in an egg crate at first, but then you can see them, after a while, snapping into it and getting better and better. By the time we've had them thirteen weeks, and they're ready to be assigned to their posts, they're as keen and alert as a bunch of West Point cadets. They're extra good cooks and better soldiers."

"Isn't a good soldier a specialist at gripping and growling?" somebody asked him.

"Gripping is an art, just like gold-bricking is an art. Before you leave here, you learn that you spread your gripping a bit when you spread your energy all over everywhere, gripping about everything. You learn to choose one thing and specialize in gripping about that."

"If you want to be a specialist at gripping, you have to get on your gripping. You get to where your clothes toes. You get to where your clothes are comfortable. Where you used to think the food was terrible, now you pretend that you don't get enough of it. You like the beds and enough of it. You like the beds and by nine o'clock you're sleepy. So you have to find something special you grip about. If you haven't got any originality at all, pick you out one special noncom and gripe about him."

"Now, you take Private Hargrove, for instance. First came here, he gripped about me telling him he was carrying his rifle wrong. Now he gripes when I tell him he's carrying it right. He might have something there. He still carries it like it was a 75-millimeter gun. He's getting so shiftless, even at gripping, that he can't find anything to beef about except not getting any mail. I'm going to write all his creditors, so he won't even be able to gripe about the mail."

Somehow on the wild coast of South Carolina, the battalion in which I cook is being treated to a weekend to combine business with pleasure. We can romp in the Atlantic while we get a "taste of the field." With the wind blowing the sand into kitchens and pup tents alike, it will be nice to get back to

At night we sleep, or simulate sleep, in pup tents made by our own hands with loving care.

Fort Bragg for a taste of the food we eat. A vexed soldier here doesn't grate his teeth. He crunches them.

We made the trip here in lorries, which are the mechanical age's nearest approach in appearance to covered wagons. You've probably seen them rolling noisily but smoothly through town—large canvas-topped trucks with a folding bench down each side inside. You'd expect to be hauled out of one of them, beaten to death, at the end of a 130-mile trip. They give a tolerably bumpy ride, just tolerably.

When we started pitching camp, about a quarter of a mile back from the beach, we found the place already inhabited — by cannibals. These creatures, which masquerade as harmless flies and even camouflaged by the harmless sounding name of sand flies, must have vampire blood back in the line somewhere.

I don't bear any grudge against the easygoing, good-natured house fly—in fact, I feel rather cruel when I squash one for tickling me—but it arouses my pioneer fighting spirit to see a stunted horsefly light on my bare leg, make himself sassily comfortable and start draining off my life's blood. But what can you do? Slapping one only serves to make him mad at you.

At night we sleep, or at least we simulate sleep, in pup tents made by our own hands with loving care, blood, sweat, tears, two pieces of waterproof cloth, two lengths of rope, and a handful of turned lumber.

I share my little duplex with Private Warren, the new student cook who told me the story about the man at the boarding house. When I stumbled home last night, primed to the gills with a blend of sand and salt water, I discovered that we had an overnight guest! The chief cook on our shift, in the task of packing the field kitchen, had neglected to put his own field pack (tent half, blankets, etc.) on the truck, so he decided to drop over and have us put him up for the night.

A pup tent, as you probably don't need to be told, will accommodate two men, provided neither of them walks in his sleep. If three men are to sleep in one tent, at least two of them must be midgets or babes in arms. Cooks should never sleep two to a tent, because of their tendency toward plumpness.

We arranged ourselves in the tent by wrapping knees around the tent poles, putting all feet outside for the night and raising one side of the tent high enough to make a rustic sleeping porch of the whole affair.

The guest proved to be one of those loathsome creatures who pull all the covers to their side of the bed. We had quite a lot of trouble with him, since he slept in the middle and rolled up in both our blankets. We remedied this by waiting until he started snoring, then recovered our blankets, rolling ourselves in them and throwing a raincoat over him.

The three-man arrangement was very uncomfortable for a while. When I finished opening my eyes by scooping the sand from them, I found that I had rolled through the opened side of the tent and spent the night under a myrtle bush ten yards down the slope.

During my first off hour, I succeeded in getting a tan which must have darkened the very marrow of my bones. My chest, back, and legs looked the color of a faded danger flag and smelled like the roast pork that the cook forgot to wash. After that, the sun and the sun went their ways and I went mine.

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### Town and Farm in Wartime

#### Ration Reminders

**Gasoline**—In 17 east coast state A-6 coupons are now good. In states outside the east coast area A-8 coupons are now good.

**Fuel Oil**—Pericid 1 coupons are good through January 3.

**Sugar**—Stamp No. 14 good for 5 pounds of sugar through October. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 good for 5 pounds each for home canning through October 31.

**Shoes**—Stamp No. 18 good for 1 pair. Validity has been extended indefinitely.

**Meats, fats**—Brown stamps C, D, E and F good through Oct. 3. G becomes good Oct. 24.

**Processed foods**—Blue stamps V and W expire October 20. Blue stamps X, Y and Z are good through November 20.

#### Help Farmers Collect Ration Points

To assist farmers in sending OPA the ration points they collect from the sale of rationed food, local rationing boards are mailing farmers the necessary reporting form, addressed envelopes, and complete instructions. Farmers who either sell or transfer rationed foods, such as fresh or smoked meat, all types of sausage, lard, butter and cheese, are required to collect ration points from purchasers. The full cooperation of farmers is essential for the success of the food rationing program OPA said.

#### Draft Delinquents to Be Inducted

Beginning November 1, all men 18 to 25 years of age who are subject to selective service but who are delinquent will be placed into class 1-A immediately and ordered to report for induction to the Selective Service Bureau of the War Manpower Commission has stated.

#### Use Book Four Nov. 1

Housewives will start using green stamps A, B and C from new war ration book 4 Monday, Nov. 1. These stamps will be valid through December 20 and will be used for buying processed foods in the same way as the blue stamps in book 2. The last blue stamps in book 2 (X, Y and Z) remain good through Nov. 20. Book 4 is being distributed Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. One individual may apply for book 4 for all members of his family residing at the same address. The applicant must have a war ration book 3 with him for each person for whom he wishes to obtain a book 4.

#### Ration Tokens in February

Ration tokens are expected to be ready for use by February. They will be red and blue and each will have a value of one point. They will be used by consumers as change for processed foods and meat-fats ration stamps. The blue tokens will be used with blue ration stamps for buying processed foods; the red tokens with the red stamps for buying food rationed under the meat-fats program. The ration coins, made of layers of vulcanized fiber, will be slightly larger than a nickel and smaller than a quarter.

#### Army Cuts Butter Allowance

The peacetime daily butter allowance of two ounces per soldier has been reduced to approximately 1.12 ounces per man, the War Department has reported. This includes butter used as a spread and in cooking.

#### Other Americas Send Rubber

Tropical forests of the other Americas have yielded a rising inflow of natural rubber this year to mix with the synthetic product from new chemical factories opening in the U. S. In the first four months of 1943, rubber-producing regions of the other Americas shipped 50% more rubber than in the comparable period of 1942, according to Everett C. Holt, Chief of the Commercial Research Section of the Rubber Development Corporation.

#### Leaves for Harvest Work

Commanding Officers of Army Service Forces Establishments have been authorized to grant vacation leave to civilian employees to assist in the fall harvest, according to the War Department. The action was taken at the request of the Director of Labor of the War Food Administration.

Mrs. M. M. Newman, who has been seriously ill, is reported improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Culvert were in Shamrock Sunday.

H. W. Brooks made a business trip to Dallas this week.

C. E. Hunt says to renew his subscription to the home paper.

### PARABLE

The preacher was troubled. So he went to a psychologist for advice. It seems that he had been a successful preacher. Time after time he had gone into a community where the church was in debt and the attendance was small and invariably he had built up the congregation and improved its financial condition. And just as invariably he had been transferred to another charge. He couldn't understand why.

The psychologist questioned him at length. When he learned that the preacher read at least one book a week but seldom read the newspapers very closely, he declared, "That's the answer!"

Then he gave the preacher this advice:

You have enough sermons memorized to last for several years. You are still digging and studying out you are talking above the heads of your congregation. You are giving them sound Christian principles but they are going to sleep on you for you are not talking the language they can understand.

The average member of your congregation reads nothing but the newspapers. He thinks in terms of today and bases his thinking upon what those newspapers tell him. Read those same newspapers yourself. Cut out a many books and you'll speak the language they can understand.

Always tell at least one joke during your sermon, preferably three or four. But if you have only one, tell it about half way through your sermon. Then you'll wake them up and put your message over.

Always try to mention the name of at least four members of your congregation each Sunday. If you are called upon to speak before some organization other than your congregation, learn the names of the people at the speakers' table and mention everyone of them in some way. If you are addressing a group of farmers, illustrate your points with examples or jokes about things around the farm. If your audience is a group of stock men, your jokes should be about animals. If they're business men talk in terms of business.

#### A GRANDPA WONDERS

Time was in Eighteen Ninety three, An old man Grandpa seemed to me.

His hair was thin and silver gray His beard was much like tangled hay.

He seldom walked without a cane He dreaded snow and feared the rain.

His rheumatism or his gout Was all I thought he talked about.

My grandpa's age I wasn't told When I was only twelve years old. They taught me old men all expect From children kindness and respect.

Deep in his chair he'd often doze His spectacles upon his nose. Today this shock has come to me I'm older now than, then, was he.

I wonder if my grandson think As I sit snatching "forty winks" To rest a little if I can: "I'm sorry for the poor old man!" No doubt when from this earth I've gone.

And he still happily lives on, He'll tell the children at his knee How old his grandpa seemed to be. —Edgar A. Guest

#### POOR DADDY!

One day Mary came to her mother with a very serious look on her face.

"Mummy," she said, "heaven sends us our daily bread, doesn't it?"

"Yes, dear," mother replied. "And Santa Claus brings me presents?"

"Yes, dear." "And nurse brings our babies?"

"Yes, dear." "Then, what's daddy here for?" she demanded.

V. B. Reagor and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Carruth of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Waldrop was in Shamrock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jordan were in Wellington last week.

Mrs. T. A. Landers visited in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. Homer Abbott has our thanks for a subscription favor.



News Note.—"Country girls make the best nurses," say medical authorities, "because they know how to get up in the mornings."

### BONDS OVER AMERICA

At Green Bay, oldest settlement in Wisconsin, there is a heroic statue depicting an Indian, a missionary and an explorer. Nicolet, Perrot, Marquette, Joliet and Black Bird, a Sauk Chief, are all remembered.

#### Spirit of Northwest



Keep On Backing the Attack With War Bonds

Many people from distant lands live at peace here in America making it a better place to live. Read for yourself what Nazism has meant for Norway, Denmark, Holland, Greece.

#### SPOT CASH

The tramp entered the doctor's office. There was a worried look on his face.

"Doctor," he said, "you've got to help me. I swallowed a quarter 15 years ago."

"Good heavens, man!" ejaculated the doctor. "Why have you waited all these years? Why didn't you go to a doctor the day you swallowed it?"

"To tell the truth," replied the tramp, "I didn't need the money at the time!"

#### BAD MISTAKE

Mr. Brown—So your son had to leave college on account of poor eyesight?

Mr. White—Yes, he mistook the lean of women for a coed.

#### RELATIVE MATTER

A woman purchasing war bonds told the clerk: "I've been saving this money to divorce my husband but I can stand him better than I can Hitler."

Joe—I want to change my name. Your Honor.

Judge—What is your name?

Joe—Joe Stinks.

Judge—I don't blame you. What do you want to change it to?

Joe—Charlie.

Garrison.—Several "graduates" of a Red Cross home nursing class were so intent on understanding approved procedures that they appeared for further instruction at the first meeting of a new class. "We want to get drilled in deeper," they explained.

Country Constable—Pardon me, miss, but swimming is not allowed in this lake.

City Flapper—Why didn't you tell me before I undressed?

Constable—Well, there ain't no law against undressing.

Wife (from above)—Ready in a minute, dear.

Husband (a little later)—No hurry now, dear, I've got to shave again.

Customer—Call the manager. I've never seen anything as tough as this steak.

Waitress—You will if I call the manager.

You traverse the world in search of happiness, which is within the reach of every man; a contented mind confers it.—Horace.

The man wrapped up in himself makes a small bundle.

### IT CAN HAPPEN HERE!

Pretty Caller—May I see the manager?

Office Boy—Yes, the manager always has time to see pretty girls.

Pretty Caller—Well, then, tell him his wife is here.

### EYE OPENERS

Corset—Something to keep waves out of WACS.

Apparent—That which has one or more children.

Carnibal—One who loves his fellow men.

### THE OLD THIEF

"The new washerwoman has stolen two of our towels."

"The thief! Which ones, dear?"

"The ones we got from the hotel in Miami."

### STILL LIFE—1943

It's easy enough to be pleasant when there isn't a jolt or a jar for the man worth while is the man who can smile when he has no gas for his car.

Good people take up bad habits so quickly now that it is difficult for bad people to be any worse than the good.—Claude Callan.

A man's real possession is his memory. In nothing else is he so rich. In nothing else is he so poor.—Alexander Smith.

E. H. Almond is a new reader of The News.

Miss Wanna Roach visited in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. Porter Smith made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Davis and children visited at Abra Sunday.

Everybody reads newspapers.

### Prescription Filled Over 15 Million Times

Recommended to do just two things: relieve constipation and gas on the stomach.

This successful prescription is now put up under the name of ADLERIKA. Get a bottle of Adlerika next time you stop at your druggist's and see for yourself how quickly gas is relieved and gentle but thorough bowel action follows. Good for old and young. Get Adlerika from your druggist today.

POWERS DRUG CO.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors in and around McLean, for kindness shown during the illness of my wife and mother. Also our thanks to our ever faithful Dr. Batson. C. E. HENLEY and FAMILY

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES.—One insertion, 2c per word. Two insertions, 3c per word, or 1c per word each week after first insertion.

Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter. Black-face type at double rate. Initials and numerals count as words. No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week. All ads cash with order, unless you have a running account with The News.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE.—Purebred Guernsey bull calf. G. F. Anderson. 1p

FOR SALE.—36 Ford two-door sedan, good motor and tires, radio, spot light, heater and other accessories. Phone 125W after 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE.—Work team and milk cow. 4 miles N on Pampa highway, 1/2 mile W. on East section. E. C. Listman. 1p

FREE PRINTING.—Make your selection of Christmas cards from our stock now and your name will be printed free, when as many as 25 cards are taken. Cards priced from 5c each. News office.

NO INCREASE in price of floor sweep at News office.

PAPER CLIPS at News office.

### LOST OR STRAYED

LOST, Saturday—1939 McLean senior class ring, initials W. I. L. Reward. Wynema Lamb Blue. 1p

LOST.—Yale lock key on ring. Reward. Return to News office.

STRAYED, from Carl Wood place, white-faced heifer calf, short tail. Notify T. A. Massay. 1p

### FOR RENT

SLEEPING room for rent. See Mrs. S. R. Kennedy. 1p



FOR RENT SPACE IN THIS PAPER Will Arrange To Suit GOOD NEIGHBORS—PRICES TO FIT YOUR BUSINESS

## If You Were There... You'd Help

You can be there . . . on the job every day! Your United War Fund covers all fronts in one cause.

### WE CAN'T ALL FIGHT! WE WON'T ALL SUFFER! BUT WE CAN ALL GIVE!

Your gift goes around the world. Giving is fighting, too! Full support of the National War Fund is to be met in a ten days campaign, starting Monday, October 25.

You can help win the war sooner, with a minimum loss of life. You can give our fighters, our allies and their families the greatest weapon of them all—the will to win. You'd do more, if you could be there, and you can be there through a prompt and generous gift.

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