

## War Bond Drive Off To Slow Start

### Eighth Sold First 3 Days Of Campaign

Suggest 20 Buyers Form \$10,000 Club To Speed Up Sales

The Third War Loan campaign in Hansford county got off to a slow start during the three days of last week with sales of \$62,643.50 reported to D. D. Moore, county war finance chairman. This was about one-eighth of the county's quota of \$501,500.

Sales were \$3,337.50 at Gruver post office and the remainder was through the First State Bank, Spearman, and the local post office.

However, sales were picking up Monday and it was believed that Hansford county would have an impressive showing by the end of the week.

A. H. Frazier of Gruver bought \$10,750 of bonds Monday. G. C. Brillhart also bought an order of \$10,000.

Mr. Brillhart said he would like to see a drive started to get at least 20 persons in Hansford county to buy a minimum of \$10,000 in Third War Loan War Bonds. Such a group of orders would go a long way in getting Hansford county a good start in the campaign.

The Community Public Service Co. sent Moore a check from Fort Worth for 2,000 in bonds to be allotted this county. Also, Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. allotted \$1,000 in bonds to Hansford county.

Several out of county property owners have been making purchases locally. Their help is needed more than ever because of the high quota of \$501,500, which should be raised by the close of business Sept. 30.

C. M. Smith of Plainview, Manager of the Amarillo area, telephoned here Monday and said that he understood 37 factors were considered in making up the county's quota. He believes that Hansford county's quota is unusually high but urged Moore and all the workers to do their job as rapidly as possible.

Around 50 committeemen are expected to cover the county thoroughly. One committee worker had done that work by Monday morning, Moore said. He saw every person but one last week. That person came to the bank Monday and bought an order of \$1,575 of bonds.

Speedy work like that would enable the county committee to get a line on the prospects in this campaign, Moore declared. Hansford county had a quota of \$178,000 in the Second War Loan in April and sales were \$317,400. The September quota is about 60 per cent beyond the amount sold in April. The quota averages around \$180 per inhabitant; thus, it is going to take plenty of extra bonds to put the county over the top this time.

With the withholding tax reports out of the way Wednesday, some believe that the bond drive every where will take on added speed.

Among those shopping and transacting business in Spearman Saturday were: Mrs. Lloyd Henderson of Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cookston, Billy Mayfield, Mrs. Henry Reid of Morse, Mrs. Elmer Ayres of Gruver, Mrs. Pearl Jamison, Mrs. Johnny Venneman, Mrs. John Stewart, Mrs. Michael Hill, Mrs. Jack Taylor, Mrs. Owen Pendergraft, Mrs. Charlie Rossen, Mrs. Jess Kirk and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Patterson.

### Bond Ads Wanted Put In Reporter By Bond Leaders

The treasury department is bombarding The Reporter daily with letters asking this newspaper to have every war bond advertisement run possible.

Only through a large number of advertisements calling attention of Hansford county people to the importance of this 15 billion dollar non-banking issue can the war bonds be sold to the amount of \$501,500 to reach our quota.

Firms that have not run war bond ads are urged to do so; others are urged to use repeat advertisements as many of the fine firms have done this week.

## McCrea Recalls Good Old Days When Living On Palo Duro Creek

Clayton McCrea, Hansford county pioneer of Pacific Grove, Calif., recently wrote an interesting letter to Dr. J. C. Jones and the "whole damn family" of Gruver. He is 85 years old. Mrs. McCrea is the sister of the Cator boys, Jim, Bert, Les and Bob, who are mentioned in the Billy Dixon biography. They came to this country in the early 1870's. McCrea's letter follows:

Dear Folks and Old Timers—Just got to answer your greetings for my birthday. Sure never thought anyone on the far away Palo Duro remembered me. I sure am pleased and thank you all. It cheers us "mucho heaps" as we make a step and a stagger on milestone No. 850. Just can't sabbie, if see it to the end, and we are pretty old and weary and the shadows are thickening but we shall toddle down the pike and take things as they come.

### Old Timers Gone

There are, of the men folk of our day, none left—all the Cators, Wrights, Jones, and Tylers and Powers—gone. I'll have to modify that one point. I believe old Guy McKay is yet on terra firma or was some months ago, and of the women folk—your mother, Mrs. Mell Wright, and Mrs. J. H. Cator sum up the list. We are passing on if you ask me.

We wish you to remember us to your mother and of the good cats she put up when we used to drop in for county court meeting and many other times when looking after the "Calamity Janes." Again my "Coconut Thinker" get a second thing. I forgot old Jim Henson, one of the old timers, but he was more of Guyman than of Hansford. And old Hansford is a Ghost Town—along with Ochiltree, Cold Water, Tascosa and guess you can include Mobettie, Sweetwater and Fort Elliott, and there you are.

### What War Fourth Here?

Just what kind of a fourth had you on the Palo Duro? I'll bet a chip with a hole in it—nothing like our Palo Duro Fourth of 40 years ago—with our picnics, fish fries, baseball, horse races and Oh Boy! the EATS. Man! My tongue slobbers for "them days that's gone forever." (By the splendors of Solomon). We didn't have to figure points to eat. You just tanked up and piled in some more until you fell by the wayside or was toted home. And I just bet you don't have the good old time ranch dances—remember the dances in the loft of Hado barn—then at Zulu, George Spivys and one at the McKay ranch and one at the Cator ranch. Don't remember any dance at the VZ-Tyler although they may have had one there and we always had the EATS. "Them days are gone forever" and there you are.

### Fourth Was Quiet

The Fourth here was a very quiet one. We had three days of it, but nothing like old times. They had battleships, great military parades, bands, floats and the like. This time had the preflight boys and sky pilots from Hotel Del Monte which the government has taken over for the duration. There are 1500 to 2000 enrolled and a class graduates every 3 months and the air force takes them over. We have Fort Ord and the Presidio and some 25,000 soldiers at Ord. It's a great government reservation. It's two miles from our spot.

It's a great city and they are not doing any holiday parading but they are training—all the time. Divisions being shipped out and new trainees pushed in and so military life goes on. We three, the Mrs., Grace, and your truly are holding down our home spots. The grandsons are all with Uncle Sam. You hardly remember them as they were in knee togs then. Now they are man sized and almost head and shoulders taller than their Dad and granddad and I always thought

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## Hansford Tax Rate Same As For Past Year

### 80 Cent Levy Made With 15c Road Tax In Special District

Commissioners court Monday set the Hansford county tax rate at 80 cents, the same as last year. Spearman Independent Road district will have an extra tax of 15 cents.

Levy by funds follows: Jury, 5 cents; court house and jail, 5 cents; general county road fund, 20 cents; road and bridge sinking fund, 5 cents; contingent fund, 15 cents; general fund, 25 cents; court house improvement fund, 15 cents.

This will be the final levy for the court house improvement fund as the final bond will be paid next spring. Then, the fine Hansford county court house will be owned by the citizenship without debt.

In the Spearman road district, 100 per cent of one issue is assumed by the state and about 45 per cent of another issue.

Bills were allowed Monday and the court received reports that rapid progress is being made on the bridges for which contract was let last week.

Tax bills will be smaller this year, as the state levy was reduced from 75 cents to 47 cents, a reduction of 28 cents.

## 15,714 Tires Alloted Area In September

A total of 15,714 passenger car tires, 6,972 car tubes, 5,712 truck tires and 6,298 truck tubes were allocated to the 71-county Lubbock district of the Office of Price Administration for the September quota.

The total number of passenger car tires for August was 14,745 showing an increase of 6.5 per cent for September. The increase in the September truck tire quota over August was 23 tires, only .4 per cent. However, the estimated demand for both car and truck tires is 30 per cent more than the previous month due to the advanced cotton and harvest season brought on by the drouth and to the moving of cattle to market and to grass lands.

## First Assembly Held At School Fully Enjoyed

The first general assembly for the Spearman school was called Friday afternoon in the high school auditorium. An hour of pleasure and get-together was enjoyed by the entire school.

Superintendent L. H. Bond congratulated the teachers and the student body for their co-operation and willing efforts to make this one of the best years for Spearman school.

The senior president took the floor and called on a freshman to introduce the faculty, which he did with flying colors. J. M. Edwards, band director, conducted the singing, and Miss Buena Vernon, third grade teacher was accompanist.

## Flock Of Friends Pays For Reporter During Past Week

### SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED

- L. B. Campbell, Madison, Kan.
- F. W. Boney, Morse.
- C. L. Cecil, Spearman
- J. R. Richardson, Spearman.
- C. F. Bennett, Spearman.
- Fred Linn, Spearman.
- J. H. Martin, Spearman.
- R. E. Meek, Spearman.
- Pvt. J. D. Beeson, March Field, Calif., renewal gift of his mother, Mrs. W. L. Beeson.
- S. T. Dozier, Texhoma.
- Sgt. S. W. McCloy, Elkins, W. Va., renewal gift of his mother, Mrs. W. M. McCloy, Morse.
- Ellzey Vanderburg, Spearman
- Andrew Retsef, Viborg, S. D.
- J. M. Blodgett, Spearman.
- C. H. Winder, Gruver.
- Gruver Lumber Co., Gruver.
- Mrs. C. E. Barnes, Gruver.
- C. L. Schell, Perryton.
- John Bishop, Spearman.
- Jake Lamb, Spearman.
- Burney Sparks, Spearman.
- Mrs. R. M. Seay, Frederick, Okla., gift of her daughters, Mrs. Roy Russell and Mrs. W. E. McClellan.
- H. C. Brown, jr., Farnsworth.
- T. D. Sansing, Spearman.
- Lt. Homer E. Cluck, North Africa, gift of his mother, Mrs. Homer Cluck.
- Mrs. Homer Cluck, Gruver.
- Mrs. Warren Hart, Gruver, gift of her mother, Mrs. Homer Cluck.
- L. W. Mathews, Spearman.
- Joiner Bros., Polo, Ill.
- H. H. Crooks, Spearman.
- D. J. McGuiney, Morse.
- O. K. Pendergraft, Spearman.
- R. W. Morton, Spearman.
- Mrs. Mary Cooper, Gruver.
- S. N. Graves, Wichita, Kan.
- Pvt. Albert H. Graves, Camp Crowder, Mo., gift of his father, S. N. Graves.
- J. N. Jackson, Spearman.

Last week was the busiest week in subscriptions this year at the Spearman Reporter office.

No special campaign is being waged by The Reporter for subscriptions but the people just came in and paid for renewals and new orders.

Thirty-seven subscriptions were received last week and six of them were sent as gifts. It is surprising how time moves along. Some subscriptions have been going to boys in service for a year and the renewal date has come around. But the relatives want the paper to keep going to the boys as a good morale builder.

It makes the management feel good to have the friends come in and take The Reporter as they have done during the past week. It causes one to want to do a better job in giving Hansford county a newspaper that the people await every week to receive their copy.

Texas, Kansas, California, West Virginia, South Dakota, Illinois, Missouri and North Africa are represented in the list of names published this week. As The Reporter will be read by several

persons in those states, it will help to bring good publicity to Hansford county.

The Reporter again reminds you to keep your subscription paid up to date. When you receive notice that your subscription has expired, please attend to the renewal without delay.

If you do not care for The Reporter or do not wish to renew for any reason, please notify us promptly. The Reporter cannot afford to send the paper to persons with subscriptions in arrears.

Some weekly newspapers now even are limiting the number of subscriptions. It takes a lot of work to keep a mailing list up to date. As business does not increase in proportion these days to the extra circulation, some weeklies are not asking for any more subscriptions.

Many daily newspapers have refused to increase their subscription lists because of the shortage of newsprint.

The Reporter at \$2 a year in Hansford and adjoining counties is a value. Rates elsewhere are \$2.50 a year. Nothing makes a more desirable birthday or anniversary gift than a Reporter subscription.

## Gibner Speaks On Banking At Lions Meeting

Some of the methods of operation of a bank were explained by Clay Gibner, vice president of the First State Bank, in a classification talk at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday noon.

He told of the many operations required to handle checks and how each check is photographed.

Supt. L. H. Bond, a new Lions, spoke briefly. D. D. Moore urged every Lion member of the war finance committee to get to work and see all prospects on his list.

A. F. Barkley said that the Boy Scouts had asked to be included in the United War Chest campaign in October. Action may be considered by the Lions at the meeting next week.

One hundred per cent pins for last year were presented by Secretary Freman Barkly to R. N. Jones, Clay Gibner, Gene Richardson and John Bishop.

P. A. Lyon, program chairman, announced that Joe Hatton would have the program next week. Coy Holt was a guest of Mr. Lyon.

Rev. Mathew Doyel urged all Lions, parents and others to be at the high school at 8 o'clock Thursday night for the presentation of the Boy Scout charter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey returned Saturday from Fort Sumner, N. M. They accompanied Mrs. J. N. Gordon, mother of Mrs. Harvey, who will visit her son Joe Gordon in Fort Sumner for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Hale and children of Throckmorton, Texas are here for an extended visit with relatives.

## Hansford People's Father Succumbs; Buried At McLean

Lee Van Zandt, of McLean, died Saturday in Dallas following a brief illness.

The body arrived in Amarillo Sunday and was in state at the chapel of Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home pending completion of arrangements for funeralservices.

Funeral services were held at McLean Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Van Zandt is survived by three sons and three daughters. They are: J. F. Van Zandt, Spearman; J. E. Van Zandt, Odessa; C. W. Van Zandt, Eugene, Ore.; Mrs. L. B. Sanford, Dallas; Mrs. V. H. Ogle, Gruver, and Mrs. R. A. Burrow, McLean.

Mrs. Sid Lackey was in from the ranch Monday shopping and looking after business.

## Boy Scout Ceremonies Scheduled For Tonight At Spearman School

Wayne LeCrone, scout executive director of Berger, will be in Spearman tonight to conduct the investiture ceremony for scout troops at 8 o'clock.

The ceremony will be conducted for all new scouts inducted into scouting. Ceremonies will be held at the school house.

All boys between the ages of 12-18 are eligible to join the scouts. With the presentation of the scout charter tonight, LeCrone hopes scouting in Spearman will begin to boom.

With the war, the need for boy scouts troops has increased, LeCrone pointed out. Boy scouts work prepares "teen age boys for any war activity in the home

front or even abroad.

Many heroes of the present war secured their first training in the khaki suit of a boy scout, he said. Rev. Mathew Doyel, scouts master for the Spearman troops, will be present to help the scouts director during the meeting tonight.

By the ceremonies tonight, LeCrone hopes to encourage a bigger attendance to the scouts camp held each summer. During the summer camp this year, only four from Spearman were present.

Next June, at least 20 from Spearman should attend the camp held Camp Ki-o-wah on Lake Marvin, LeCrone said.

## Temperature Dropping As Rains Needed

### Some Land Blowing Following Rainfall Night Of Sept. 3rd

With the critical season of the here to bring up wheat, any moisture fell in Spearman during the past week. A in temperature to 47 degrees reported Monday and Tuesday mornings this week. This two degrees cooler than was reported last week.

Although Spearman received inches of rainfall during August the moisture was not general over the county. Rainfall here year was 13.39 inches through August, Fred Brandt, observer, reported.

Rainfall by months has been as follows: January, none; February, 1.0 inch; March, .28 inch; April, 3.57 inches; May, 1.95 inches; June, 1.05 inches; July, .9 inches; August, 3.35 inches. Total, 10 inches; March, .28 inch; April, 3.57 inches; May, 1.95 inches; June, 1.05 inches; July, 3.09 inches; August, 3.35 inches.

August had 28 days with temperature of 28 degrees or more. There were six days with rains, 10 days with one inch or more rain, 15 clear days and 16 partly cloudy days.

Moisture in August fell on the following: 4, 90 inch; 5, 1.2 inches; 10, 1.0 inch; 14, .03 inch; 22, .12 inch.

High winds were reported on August 3 and 12 and thunderstorms on Aug. 4 and 5.

Temperature readings the past week were:

Date	High	Low
Sept. 7	90	49
8	80	50
9	85	50
10	94	49
11	97	58
12	91	61
13	82	47
14	—	47

Farmers are moving along in the sowing of wheat. County agent Joe Hatton estimates that more than one-half of the wheat is sowed.

After the heavy rainfall of Friday night, Sept. 3, when 1.30 inches fell here, there was a high wind Sunday night, Sept. 5, which has caused some blowing of land. Land blowing in a few spots is the worst in five years, it was said here this week. Cultivation though is expected to stop most of the blowing.

## Revenue Bond Gas Election Is Held

Spearman was to vote from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Wednesday on the proposition to issue \$51,000 of revenue bonds to buy the property of the Spearman Gas Co.

As the election was being held after the closing hour for printing news in this week's Reporter, results cannot be given. Details of the election will be published next week.

## County Tire Truck Quota Is Serious

The truck tire quota for Hansford County is still serious. Only four recaps have been issued in September. According to a ruling received from the district office, if no more recaps are issued this month, the October quota for Hansford County will be only four new truck tires!

If your truck tires need recapping, please apply now for certificates for this services. If yours do not need recapping, tell your neighbor to see about his tires, says the rationing board.

## Showing At Ellis Theatre, Perryton

Sept. 16-17, Stage, screen and radio stars in "Hoosier's Holidays."

Sept. 18 William Boyd Andy Clyde, Victor Lorey in "Hoppy Serves a Writ."

Sept. 19 and 20 Suzanne Foster, Claude Raines, Nelson Eddy in "Phantom of the Opera."

Sept. 21 and 22 Phillip Dorn, Anna Sten, John Sheppard, Virginia Gilmore in "Chetniks."

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**IT'S TIME TO BUY WAR BONDS AND HELP RAISE HANSFORD'S QUOTA**

Hansford county did not start off the Third War Loan campaign typical of the spirit of the citizenship in previous war activities. Purchase of one-eighth of the quota in the first three days of the drive last week is not in keeping with Hansford county.



It is encouraging to note that the rate of bond purchases is at a faster pace this week. We know that many things have tended to make this a severe test of the ability of Hansford county to put over the Third

**War Loan.**

One must forget about the high quota of \$501,500 and do the best work possible. Whether that results in an undersubscription or an oversubscription remains to be seen. When the county gets into the spirit of the campaign and the people realize that life here is a song to that undergone by hundreds of thousands of our boys overseas, there is going to be more sacrificial buying.

In buying bonds in this Third War Loan, there is no real sacrifice. Any money that a person saves is an investment. There is no greater investment in the world than one in maintaining the American way of life.

Let's help out these volunteer workers. Why not go to see them instead of having them take the time to call on you? By the time another week rolls around, let's have it said that Hansford county has bought several times one-eighth of its \$501,500 quota.

**Blodgett News**

Mrs. J. F. Sims and daughters, Mrs. Edna Bauertfiend and Mrs. Hela Robison, visited Mrs. J. M. Blodgett Saturday.

Mrs. S. J. Powell called in the Blodgett home Saturday. Mr. Powell hurt his foot while plowing recently and is unable to walk without crutches.

Mrs. Ralph Blodgett transacted business in Perryton Friday. Claude Jackson is helping with the war bond drive in this community.

Sid Davis is making home with his sister, Mrs. Ruth Nitchske.

Pepper Burns is drilling wheat for Mrs. R. Blodgett.

Henry Fuller and children, Kenneth, Keith and Dorothy and Mrs. Edd Corson were Sunday visitors in the Blodgett home.

Mrs. Earl Church was a visitor in the John Kenney home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hooper, Mrs.

Opal Beck and Mrs. R. Blodgett were shopping in Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilbanks visited in Dalhart the past week-end.

Mearl Beck transacted business in Spearman Saturday.

Mrs. Deta Blodgett, Mrs. Opal Beck and Mearl Beck were business visitors in Amarillo recently.

J. M. Kenney visited Bryan Kenney Sunday.

Some of those leaving for college in a few days are: Pat Hutton, Margie Gerber, Marjorie Russell and Buddy Brockus for Texas Tech; Sada Ruth Hoskins, Dorothy Daniel, Rita Roach, Virginia Green and Jewel Brandt for West Texas State College; Faye Womble for Amarillo College; May Nitschke for Winfield, Kan. Teacher's College; Irvin Davis and Jimmie Linn for Texas University.

**'Now I Lay Me Down to Sleep . . .'**



Clustered around their mother as bedtime comes, the four children of Mr. and Mrs. Julius York of Rabun Gap, Pa., repeat a simple prayer well known to every good little boy and girl.

**R. V. Converse Says . . .**

A gentleman standing on the street saw Rastus coming toward him and when he was within speaking distance, he said, "Rastus, where are you going all diked out in that fashion?" Rastus replied, "Oh I's just going to meet a party." "Is that so? Just what party could it be?" inquired the gentleman. "Both parties," replied Rastus. "What do you mean, both parties?" asked the gentleman. "Well, you see," replied Rastus. "She is Republican enough to want all of the good things she sees, and Democrat enough to be sure I is broke before she lets me go home."

The war is moving along in about the way it could be expected. All southern Italy will be in possession of our armies in a short time. But in the meantime the Italians in northern Italy will get a taste of the diet that they have been helping deal out to the conquered countries and we can expect to hear them begging for help very shortly. There is one advantage the German armies have over ours. They, by this time, are well experienced in running to towards home. Russia has done a good job in the north and the Allies have not done so bad in the south, so the Germans will soon be experts in the art of heading for home.

Nearly all of the people except farmers are just knocked out. They act queer and upon investigation it was found they were suffering from Estimate Head-Ache and Income cramps. This malady should pass in a few days and every one will be at the counter buying war Bonds for the benefit of our armies who are delivering the goods all over the world. Buy your Bonds now while you can still get them. Then the boys will not run out of goods.

In a few weeks our wheat will all be seeded in this part of the Panhandle and we will all go into that stage of looking for the bumper crop which is expected to follow and what a time we will have this winter talking about the new granary and the shortage of railroad cars.

Yours,  
 R. V. Converse

Mrs. Ella Belcher and Will Lina Clark of Amarillo are visiting Mrs. Belcher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleck of Gruver.

**Striking Matches Defacing Court House Paint Job**

Although the basement painting job at the court house has just been completed, careless people are already defacing the walls by striking matches and otherwise damaging the paint.

Judge Barkley is having some signs printed to warn the people not to deface the walls. These signs will carry warning that violators will be fined.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robertson and little daughter are living in Perryton. Paul, whose health is improving, is now employed by the Schuster-Boren Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cline and family and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Sheets of Hitchland were visiting and trading in Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Harbour and family returned home Saturday from Pagosa Springs, Colo., where they had been on vacation for a week.

Mrs. A. J. Curtis has returned home from St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo where she underwent an appendectomy recently.

**Classified Ads**

**CAR WANTED:** Will pay cash for 1940 Ford Tudor with good tires and A1 condition. Box 833, McLean, Texas. 39-11tp.

**NOTICE:** Classified, display advertising and news columns close about noon every Tuesday. Please arrange for advertising early; also bring in your news items promptly. 33-11tp

**PERMANENT WAVE, 59c!** Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. **SPEARMAN DRUG COMPANY.** 30-9tp.

**JOB PRINTING**—place your order as far in advance as possible. It takes time to produce printing;

it's a manufacturing job. Spearman Reporter, Phone 10. 33-11tp

**FOR SALE:** International tractor 15-30, overhauled. Ten-foot Oliver one way. C. W. Dunn, next door to Gulf Station, Dumas, Texas. 38-2tc.

**FOR SALE:** 1 John Deere Tractor on steel, one 18 ft. John Deere Combine, one 8-ft. Emerson Plow. Write Box 264, Gruver, Texas. 37-4tp.

**FOUND:** Black dog, long hair, long body, short legs, at O'Loughlins Ranch. 38-2tp

**DR. POWELL,** eye, ear, nose and throat. Will be at Dr. Gower's office Wednesday till noon, Sept. 22. Glasses fitted. Tonsils and adenoids removed. 39-1tc.

**FOR SALE:** 1929 Tractor on steel. Austin Cotter. 37-1tp

**FOR SALE:** One Superflex oil heater, 8 inch burner, practically new. Sanders Apartin. 37-1tp

**STRAYED:** One large red male hog. Notify J. A. Harbour, Stinnett, Texas. 37-2tp

**HELP WANTED:** Lady secretary. Full time permanent employment. Opportunity for advancement. W. B. LaMaster Realty Co., Perryton, Texas. 37-1tc

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**THEY'RE DOING THEIR JOB**



--and they're depending upon us to do ours!

Every day American fighting men are facing death on the battle fronts of the world.

They know what invasion costs in blood and lives. They know, too, what it costs in munitions and supplies that must keep coming in a never-ending stream—and they're looking to us to keep that stream flowing.

So no matter what the sacrifice . . . no matter how hard it pinches . . . do your part by buying at least one extra \$100 bond during this Third War Loan.

Buy more if you can possibly do. Everyone must invest to the limit the non-banking quota of 15 billion dollars is to be reached.

Remember—the men who are fighting for you . . . bleeding for you . . . ready to die for you . . . are waiting for word that the folks at home are backing them up 100%. With victory in sight, we cannot let them down!

**3rd WAR LOAN**  
**BACK THE ATTACK WITH WAR BONDS**

**COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY**

LEND FOR THE KNOCK-OUT . . . BUY EXTRA BONDS THIS MONTH

**Santa Will Have To Shop Early For Your Man Overseas!**



Packages going overseas must be mailed between September 15 and October 15.

Only one package may be mailed in any one week by the same person to the same addressee.

Packages will be limited in weight to 5 pounds and may not be more than 15 inches in length and girth combined.

Do not send perishables.

Address package plainly in ink. Be sure to give return address.

SEE OUR SELECTION OF GIFTS FOR SERVICEMEN

**SPEARMAN DRUG CO.**

Bruce Sheets, Owner

**A Better Land for His Return**

The best way to assure a better land for our fighting men to come home to is to put every dollar we can into War Bonds. The bonds you buy now are an investment in a strong, sure future . . . for you . . . for the men now in battle . . . for America. Put your money into War Bonds and keep it there, for Victory!



**SPEARMAN HARDWARE**

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# Social Notes

## Clubs :: Churches :: Parties

### WALKER CIRCLE MEETS AT SANDERS HOME

Mrs. Rex Sanders was hostess for the Walker Circle at the home of Mrs. Rose Walker on Wednesday. Mrs. Sanders, chairman, presided. The Bible study was taken from the book of Isaiah with Mrs. W. D. Cooke as reader.

Mrs. Jess Edwards, Mrs. Fred Brandt, Mrs. John Gill and Mrs. W. A. Van Cleave assisted with the lesson. A short business session was conducted at the close of the lesson.

### DOUBLE SHOWER GIVEN FORMER WALLIN GIRLS

A pink and blue shower was given in honor of Mrs. True Leatherman, the former Miss Frankie Wallin, at the home of Mrs. D. L. McClellan Saturday afternoon. Immediately following it a surprise bridal shower was given to her sister, Mrs. Lester Leatherman, the former Miss Mildred Wallin. The hostesses were Miss Bonnie Ruth Fleck and Lucille McClellan. The table was decorated with gladioli and the favors were thimbles. The refreshments were cookies, candy and punch. Miss Selma Dahl presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Ed Rafferty sang a lullaby accompanied by Miss Anna Beth Winder. Many useful and beautiful gifts were received by each honoree.

Those attending were: Mesdames Helen Ruth Shapley, E. T. Rafferty, R. D. McClellan, Harley Alexander, Ben Harris, A. R. Bort, F. A. Shapley, sr., Clifford George, F. R. Wallin, Jake Shapley, A. P. Wallin, William Etling, jr., F. A. Shapley, jr., W. A. Shapley, C. A. Winder, Dave McClellan, Harvey Shapley, Buck Maupin, Ella Belcher, Frank Fleck, M. F. Barkley, W. L. Harris.

Misses July Nell and Lou McClellan, Velma and Rachael Harris, Sandra and Joleane George, Geraldine and Juanita Wallin, Harley Jane and Betty Jo Wallin, Deanna Shapley, Betty Shapley, Peggy Jo Lieb, Anna Beth Winder, Jean Fleck, Will Lina Clark, Anna Mae Shapley, Opal Miller, Janice Etling and Betty Ruth McClellan.

Mrs. Lilly Palmer of Perryton visited relatives in Spearman Sunday.

### BUFFET SUPPER GIVEN FOR SCHOOL FACULTY

Supt. and Mrs. L. H. Bond entertained the entire school faculty and Mr. and Mrs. Alvino Richardson with a buffet supper Saturday evening at the school cafeteria. All enjoyed the occasion. Special comment was made on the hot rolls and cake, which was prepared by one of Spearman's enthusiastic Parent-Teacher members.

A very interesting faculty meeting was held and plans for the new year's work were completed.

### BETTER HOMES H. D. CLUB HEARS REPORT

The Better Homes H. D. Club met September 7 with Mrs. Hix Wilbanks as hostess. A demonstration was to have been made by Miss Tompkins, but she was detained in Amarillo and will give the demonstration at the next meeting.

Mrs. R. V. Converse gave a very interesting report of the State H. D. C. meeting in Dallas. The next meeting of the Better Homes club will be in the club-room Sept. 21.

### TWENTIETH CENTURY STUDY CLUB MEETS

The Twentieth Century Study club held its first meeting of the new study year with Mrs. D. B. Keim as hostess and Mrs. A. F. Barkley as co-hostess. Both the home science and fine arts departments were well represented. Mrs. Keim, general president, presided.

Mrs. T. D. Sansing gave the main talk of the meeting, which was on Federation. This was very instructive and interesting. Some new business was discussed and voted upon. The new year books are very nice indeed and the club members are justly proud of the work done by this committee.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames T. R. Shirley, R. V. Converse, Fred Hoskins, Marvin Chambers, J. E. Womble, Paul Roach, O. C. Holt, Hall Jones, H. L. Heard, W. M. Glover, Wm. Sheets, Roy Wilmeth, Ray Phelps, J. H. Buchanan, Woodville Jarvis, Rex Sanders, M. W. Graves, A. F. Barkley and Mrs. D. B. Keim.

Mrs. Dick Kilgore visited relatives in Pampa over the week-end.

### MRS. J. D. HESTER IS COMPLIMENTED

Mrs. J. D. Hester was entertained with a surprise birthday party Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Gwenfred Lackey as hostess and Mrs. Delon Kirk as co-hostess. The appointments were festive in military colors with fall showers adding beauty to the occasion.

Mrs. H. L. Heard and Mrs. Roy Russell presented Mrs. Hester with a lovely corsage of asters as she entered the room and at the close of the games, the honoree was presented with many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Vester Hill received the prize for high bridge score. Those present were Mesdames Fred Dally, Bruce Sheets, Jimmie Jackson, Guy Fuller, R. E. Meek, S. B. Hale, R. W. Morton, Jesse Davis, Bill Gandy, Frank Allen, Roy Russell, H. L. Heard, Jos. Jones, J. D. Hester, Vester Hill, Delon Kirk, Gwenfred Lackey and Blanche Bergen of Gruver.

### HANSFORD COUNCIL HEARS REPORTS

The Hansford County Council of H. D. Clubs had their regular meeting Saturday, Sept. 11, at 3 p. m. with the chairman presiding.

The meeting opened by group singing and a special by Mrs. Jack Taylor and Mrs. W. E. Davis entitled "The Marine's Hymn."

There were 12 present. A very interesting report was given by Mrs. R. V. Converse and Mrs. Wesley Garnett on their trip to the state convention held in Dallas, Aug. 17, 18 and 19. The reports were well given and enjoyed by all present. It is understood that the reports are to be given to all clubs and a great deal of interest is being shown there.

Mrs. Leon Sullivan is the new state president; Mrs. G. A. Rogas, secretary; Mrs. J. O. Henderson, treasurer, and Mrs. R. L. Campbell, new vice president of district one.

An amusing sidelight to Mrs. Converse's trip to Dallas is her confession that she walked thru a red light and was called to account by the traffic officer. Upon his insistence that she was looking at him when he blew his whistle, she had to admit that she was concentrating on the sights, and as further justification, that she was from a way back in the country. After examining her drivers license, etc., he assured her that her conduct would be overlooked.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Close visited Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks in Perryton Friday.



## What The Folks In Service Are Doing

A/c Boyce Pruitt, Amarillo Army Air Field, visited over the weekend with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Skinner.

Lt. Charles Cox, Army Air School, California Tech, Pasadena, has been commissioned a second lieutenant and transferred to Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Texas, which pleases Charlie very much as his parents live near there. Mrs. Cox is with him. They will visit relatives here a few days.

Harold Womble of the Army Air Corps, Keesler Field, Miss., has received an honorable discharge, and at present has charge of the bookkeeping department at Womble Hardware Co. Harold is a graduate of Texas University and at the time he entered the service, he was bookkeeper in a large mercantile establishment in East Texas.

Sgt. Leon Schroder of the Pampa Flying Field spent the weekend with his parents.

Jesse Ralston, S2/c, is finishing his naval training on the west coast and will be moving on soon from all reports. Ora Ralston enlisted in the marines at El Paso the past week. There are two of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ralston's sons in the service and a third one, Cecil, is coming up in the next call.

Pvt. Burton Olsen of the Army, F.A.B.N., who has been in training near Los Angeles, Calif., for the last few months, was home on furlough visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Olsen. He reported for advanced training this week at Camp Gruber, Okla.

Miss Betsy Dahl returned home

### • Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. When a woman's name is mentioned should a man ever make a disparaging remark about her?
2. Should you repeat gossip that you would not wish to be held responsible for passing along?
3. Should you razz the service man who evades answering your military questions?
4. When using a public park should you obey all of the park's rules, such as not picking flowers, not taking a dog in, etc.?
5. If you work in a volunteer war organization should you feel free to criticize it just to make conversation?

What would you do if—  
You meet a friend whom you haven't seen for a long time in a group of strangers—  
(a) Start reminiscing immediately?  
(b) If the others can't be included in the conversation, wait until you are alone to reminisce?

- Answers
1. No.
  2. No.
  3. No. He is obeying orders.
  4. Yes.
  5. No. Criticism within the organization may serve a constructive purpose; you can do nothing but tear down, however, by criticizing it just for the sake of making conversation.

Befer "hWat Would you Do" solution—(b).  
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### SHEDECKS HAVE SUNDAY GUESTS

Guests in the H. M. Shedeck home Sunday were Pfc. and Mrs. Jack McWirtter of Amarillo and Cpl. Richard Shedeck of Garden City, Kan. A real old fashioned Sunday dinner was served with all the frills as Miss Leona Shedeck is to leave this week for Canyon as a sophomore at W.T.S.C.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

10 a. m. Bible school; 11 a. m. communion and preaching; 7:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor; 8:30 p. m. sermon. Please note the change in time of the evening services. Be sure to be on time. "Can the Lord depend on you?" C. F. Bastion, pastor.

### SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY IS GIVEN

A number of Mrs. Louis Buchner's friends surprised her on her birthday with a covered dish luncheon at her Monday, Sept. 13. Many lovely gifts were received by the honoree.

Those present were: Mesdames Ed Close, Dennis Jones, Leo Dacus, Jack Whitson, Jake Lamb,

Walter Davis, Johnnie Close, Ernest Archer, John Gill of Wichita Falls, Lelan Close and Lynn Rogers of Borger and Mr. Joe Close.

### MRS. CARL HUGHES ENTERTAINS CIRCLE

The Lottie Moon Circle of the Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Carl Hughes, September 8. Mrs. W. M. Glover, chairman, presided. Miss Altha Groves gave the devotional and opening prayer.

Mrs. Dave Tice was lesson leader. All present took part in the discussion. The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. Baley.

Lloyd Buzzard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Buzzard, was rushed to the Newman Hospital in Shattuck, Okla. last Wednesday with an acute attack of appendicitis, and was immediately operated upon. Mr. Buzzard returned Friday while Mrs. Buzzard remained with Lloyd a few days.

Jane Love, daughter of Mrs. Walter Love, who is living at present with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kern, has been ill with a cold the past week.



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### THE WAR TODAY

Herr Hitler, Signor Mussolini, General Tojo — meet Mr. Cordell Hull. Our secretary of state has ideas which are intimately associated with your common welfare. He states that one of this country's war aims is to achieve an iron-clad peace for the world, backed by nations ready to use force to maintain it. He says "if there is anything on which all right-thinking people are agreed, it is that the monstrous specter of a world war shall not again show its head." Now you three war-lords, as instigators of the present global bloodbath, should be deeply interested in Mr. Hull's declaration. He didn't say so specifically, but his thesis certainly seems to contemplate putting all of you out of circulation, because there can be no possible assurance of peace so long as you remain at large (or do you remain at large, Signor Mussolini?) As a matter of fact, putting you out of circulation doesn't necessarily mean taking your lives, though I'm sure you who hold life so cheaply wouldn't mind facing a firing squad or yet the hangman. However, it strikes me that the least it can mean is depriving you of your liberty so long as you live. Maybe hanging is too good for you and that, as one of my colleagues remarks, you should be locked up and forced to listen continuously to phonographic records of your bombastic speeches. Anyway your fate is something Allies must decide, and the quicker they do it—and implement it—the better. You'll remember, Fuehrer, how the Allies in the last war shouted themselves hoarse over hanging your predecessor in crime, the Kaiser. Then everybody got cold feet. The Kaiser lived long and well, until old age led him to his reward. There's a far different atmosphere this time, though, because we know it's no good beating armies if we don't also eliminate the instigators of the aggression. The Axis armies are merely tools which are used by the war-lords, who reproduce their kind, generation after generation. To ensure peace we Allies must get at the roots of evil. In the case of Germany, Herr Hitler, we must eliminate from society in one way or another not only your wicked self but all your captains—like Goering, Himmler and Goebbels. But we shall have to dig much deeper than that, because the real and perpetual mainspring of German aggression is Prussian militarism. We must eliminate the Prussian war lords as well—and they won't be hard to name. There's a very similar situation in Japan, General Tojo. You and the other militarists are guilty of multiple aggression and untold atrocities. We're going to get you, Tojo, and your co-murderers. As for Italy, Signor Soft Underbelly, we want you and a few other cowardly gangsters like your son-in-law Count Ciano. That's not asking much. A most satisfactory solution of the problem (if any) growing out of your elimination from society would be to hold Allied courts martial as fast as you criminals are rounded up. We want no Roman holiday made of your trials—no theatricals, no fuss or feathers, no piddling about. We need dignified and speedy courts martial which will send you all to your just punishment—whatever that may be. Miss Isabell Hurndon of Fort Wroth, a district employee of the Community Public Service Co., spent several days this week in Spearman.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones of Englewood, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones, are here visiting this week. Chester is employed in the American Airplane Factory in Englewood. Miss Ruth Walberry of Optima, Okla. is here visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Martin. Ruth has been employed to teach in the Gruver school this year. Miss Bonny Ruth Fleck and Jean Mrs. Ella Belcher and Will Lina Clark were shopping in Spearman Monday. Patsy Ann Wallin of Gruver visited the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvia Davis of Spearman. Mrs. Jack Gates and children of Lubbock spent the week-end in Spearman with her mother and brother, Mrs. Dana Hazelwood and Paul. Visiting in the Dan Burleson and Frank Davis homes Saturday were Mrs. A. N. Burleson and Mrs. Clifford Burleson of Pampa and Mrs. C. H. Lester of Slick, Okla. Sunday visitors in the Frank Davis home were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baston of Pampa. Mrs. Georgia Horry spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kizzian on the Palo Duro. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tomlinson, Essie Bell and Glenn, returned home last Sunday after a visit with relatives in California. Miss Beatrice Green, former teacher of the Spearman schools, who is now teaching in Phillips, visited in Spearman this week end. Mary Lee Dacus, who attends W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, and Patsy Dacus were visiting in Spearman the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Jr. and children visited his sister, Mrs. H.S. Ayres, of Guymon Sunday afternoon. John Allen of Guymon was transacting business in Spearman Saturday. Mrs. Martin Sheets, who has been visiting her husband in Oregon, is visiting relatives in and near Spearman this week. Doc Major, an old time resident of this county, who now lives near Lubbock, is visiting in Spearman this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Close, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buchner were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rogers of Phillips Sunday. It will be practicable to blot written words which you do not publish; but the spoken word it is not possible to recall.—Horace.

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ets, son of Mr. and Mrs. ets, who suffered a serious injury sometime ago had removed Wednesday and g. Shields of Pasadena, are visiting her parents, Mrs. Ben. Maize. She Lt. and Mrs. Charles are enroute to San Angelo. They are visiting here Cox's parents, Mr. and ze and other relatives. and Mrs. J. E. Corsen re- to Pampa this week after ng the summer on their farm in Spearman. Mr. Corsen is ers young and helped through and did all his own plow- has 900 acres in fine con- e Gibner of El Paso, son of rd Mrs. Gibner, is here on on and is really enjoying if driving a tractor and get- wheat crop in. After being office for so many months, actor was just like Army to him. Womble and Faye, el Womble and Larry me after a few days prings, N. M. ntine of Morse, Jim- r Jones, Henry Hal- Ceell, of Gruver were usiness in Spearman Allen is home this ce visit with her ado. Travis Williams ater, Vivian Ann, isiting a few days am's mother, Mrs. d, and other rela- rs Ora Schroder as the past week the funeral of Mr. r. Gerber, who has summer school at home for a few urn to Lubbock enroll for the anks and daught- et, of near Du- the winter in ry Margaret in y will be with Wilbanks.

### Lawrence McClellan In Regiment Setting New Walking Record

Pfc. Lawrence R. McClellan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo McClellan, is here on furlough from Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, where he is now stationed. Lawrence Ray is a member of the 351st infantry regiment, which just recently set a new world's record in marching in army maneuvers in Louisiana. This regiment walked 67 miles in 48 hours and immediately set up and went into action against the enemy. General Marshall, chief of staff, wrote the colonel of this regiment congratulating him and the boys on establishing a new record. As a reward for this record they were sent to Fort Sam Houston, which Lawrence Ray says is one of the prettiest and most modern army camps in the U. S.

### Appetite Lost

PEORIA, Ill. — Thieves broke into the home of Mrs. R. Stronschien, raided her ice box, apparently intent on enjoying a feast. But they didn't disturb the food in the ice box. Instead, Mrs. Stronschien told police, they took eight \$25 war bonds and \$25 in cash she had placed in the refrigerator.

When this war is over the United States and the British Empire will control every square foot of the high seas and the air above those seas, and that is a frightful responsibility, because upon that power will rest the security of the world.—Navy Secretary Frank Knox.

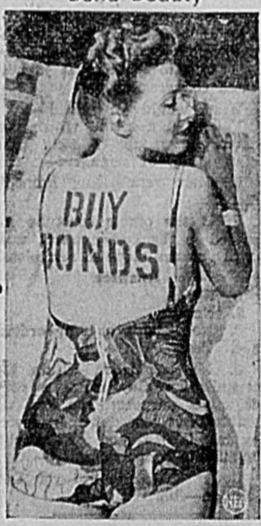
Cornerstone of Bentley Hall, Allegheny College, Pa., contains a piece of Plymouth Rock, marble from Dido's Temple in Carthage, mortar from the tomb of Vergil, and a portion of brick from the Tower of Babel.

MADRID, Sept. 13—Reports reaching here today from the French border said that many of the Vichy government's pro-German employes were quietly vanishing under fear of assassination and that German domination was nearing an end.

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### Bond Beauty



Julie Bishop of Hollywood really backs the Third War Loan drive with this attractive ad.



NORTHERN ITALY: Bombs and Revolt Rock Top of Boot

Unrest among the Italians and increase in bombings of bases and industries has marked northern Italy since the fall of Sicily. Invasion is not so likely north of Rome, where Germans may make stand along Po river, but this area is destined to play a key role in future war developments.

### Father's Draft Question Put To High Command

The administration shifted the explosive father draft issue gingerly over to the high command's door step today as a recharged congress met again after 10 weeks of canvassing home town sentiment on the home and foreign fronts. Calling for a statement of manpower needs by the chiefs of the army and navy, senate democratic leader Barkley (Ky) made known a desire for few days delay in consideration of the Wheeler bill which would postpone the

### drafting of pre-Pearl Harbor fathers until after Jan. 1.

Significantly perhaps, Barkley told reporters he believed the country is confused by the uncertainty that has marked attempts to meet the manpower issue—that the people are worried because they don't know what to expect and because no individual knows just where he stands. To clarify this situation, Barkley proposed that Gen. George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, and Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the fleet, be summoned before the military affairs committee, while the Wheeler bill is held on the senate calendar for action next week. This, he indi-

cated, would enable congress to obtain an authoritative statement of the armed forces, needs before it is called upon to act.

Senators Hill of Alabama, the Democratic whip, and Gurney (R-SD), a military committee member and house Republican leader Martin of Massachusetts joined in a demand for "up to date information."

While there was some possibility that Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) might accede to this delay, Chairman May (D-Ky) of the house military committee was ready to shove the issue to the forefront there with a proposal to ban permanently the drafting of fathers and possibly to fix a limit on the army's size.

## Fighting Mad Does It!

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One fighting-mad American Soldier can accomplish a lot . . . if he has fighting-mad Americans at home to back him up. A fighting mad American army can win a quick and decisive victory . . . if it has Americans at home to back it up. Complacency on the Home Front can blunt fighting weapons, making fighting efforts futile. The slightest slackening of effort after encouraging news from the front can quickly make that news less encouraging. Determine to get this war over speedily . . . There's just one sure way to do it! **BACK THE ATTACK . . . BUY WAR BONDS** now and keep on buying them!

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### BONDS OVER AMERICA

Among the bayous of Louisiana at St. Martinville is the grave and monument of Emeline LaBRe, heroine of Longfellow's immortal "Evangeline," a simple French Canadian girl who won undying fame.



Evangeline

France too had memorials to a simple girl who became a national heroine. At Orleans and at Rouen, milestones in the life of Joan of Arc were marked by stone and metal memorials, since destroyed by Nazis.

**Back the Attack With War Bonds**

### Sanitation Is Best Way To Stop Leukosis

Leukosis, or orange paralysis, has been more prevalent during the past months than other poultry diseases, according to Dr. W. A. Boney, poultry veterinarian for Hansford County College extension station, College Station.

The disease, thought to be a virus, has not been isolated. It causes an abnormal growth of blood cells. Occasionally it is in the form of what is called big liver disease, and at other times appears as a tumor. On occasions it takes the form of enlargement of the bones, especially the shanks which become distorted in size.

The disease is transmissible through the egg from adult to offspring and from infected to non-infected birds by bites of external parasites such as blue bugs, mites and mosquitoes.

Boney says that the disease manifests itself wherever it strikes. For example, if infection is in the eye, the grey eye of orange paralysis is present. Pigment of the iris immediately around the pupil fades to a light grey, and the pupil also becomes jagged. Dr. Boney, however, cautions care in culling birds because their eyes are usually of a grey color before they come into production.

Though no medicinal treatment has been found for the disease, Dr. Boney recommends as a preventive the control of external parasites through a good program of sanitation and spraying. For the control of roosts he suggests carbolic acid and kerosene or five parts. As a further precaution keep your young pullets from sharing poultry houses with older birds. If this is not possible, a thorough culling of older birds should be made before the young are allowed to house with them. All lightweight, emaciated and grey-eyed birds should be removed.

### Personals

J. Daniels of Texhoma will spend the winter in Spearman in the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roach.

Mr. Art Turner, who has been in the care of an eye specialist in Oklahoma City for some time, is improving.

Mr. C. K. Wilmeth of Wichita, a former resident of Hansford county, was in Spearman last week looking after business affairs.

Buddy Brockus spent a few days in Wichita, Kan. the past week visiting with Harold Graves.

### Lakeview Tattler

Busy, well, I'll say, no time to write, no time to fool around. Sam stepped off a tractor and hurt his foot and cannot use it for walking, and these old broken down feet of mine are taking all the steps they are in the habit of taking and all the steps his feet have been taking. Last night I managed to get the chores done by ten by leaving the milk goats unmilked. This morning I arose an hour earlier and did not finish until 10 a. m. I tried to milk two goats one of them laid down in my lap until I couldn't do a thing with her. The other one I tried to park her foot on top of my head. It doesn't seem to me that the goats are very cooperative and what is to become of them while Sam is a "crip" is more than I can tell.

I went to the Gilman Flowers home this morning to borrow a crutch and while there learned Mr. Flowers peeled the apples he bought at Wheeler last week. Good guy to have around at apple peeling time.

While in town last week I learned that Mrs. R. B. Yoakley has been a very busy lady this summer and some of the country sisters don't think the town housekeepers don't have much to do should take notice. Mrs. Yoakley has canned 90 quarts of peas, 80 quarts of corn, 30 quarts of okra, 65 quarts of tomatoes, 40 quarts of beans, three bushels of peaches, two bushels of pears, 15 cans of blackberries, one bushel of apples, has engaged a bushel or two of beans to can, had a small victory garden that was hailed out. But it takes more than a hail to dampen her ambition to conserve for home use and in that way send her share of food to the battle fields and the hungry of the other countries. She also has about 40 hens and 35 young chickens. Reese, the son, stated he had worked so much this summer that he had not had time to go fishing. Mrs. Yoakley and son were working in the jewelry store while Mr. Yoakley had gone to market.

Mrs. Oscar Flowers was very busy canning peaches Tuesday of last week and the way she was getting the job done proved she was an old hand at canning.

Mrs. Milo Blodgett has been on the sick list the past week; glad to say she is feeling some better.

Mrs. John Sim and daughter, Hila, called in the A. D. Reed home last week. Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beck of near Gruver, were also callers in the Reed home.

Most everyone in this community is sowing wheat. Mrs. George Rehenkamp has canned until she has no jars left to use and her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Weaver, is very thoughtfully starting to quilt several quilts at mother's house.

Mrs. Luther Tappenerst was chatting away telling this and that about her work at home when all of a sudden she said, "I better be going and see how Luther is getting along taking care of the children." It sort of sounded like Luther might have a job to do.

Last week while the writer was calling at the Sam Nitschke home, Mrs. John Sim and daughter called and left a delicious banana nut cake.

A card from Mrs. Fannie Metz states she spent the summer with her mother in Minneapolis, Minn.

A letter from Leona Emmick states she is teaching one of the popular movie stars daughter music.

Mrs. Sam Nitschke is busy canning for winter use. The writer received a very interesting letter from Mrs. Florence Philyaw several days ago telling all about the many jars of fruit and vegetables they have canned. She also stated they were in the drought district and crops were short.

The town Alpena Pass, Ark., she is living in is in a beautiful green valley and this spring flow-

### Beautiful but Brisk



Here is a WAC to make military men spin around and whistle (if they dared) but Sergt. Anne Brauley of Philadelphia is noted more for her ability as a soldier than as a charmer. Known as the poster WAC, she rates highest praise as the "most military WAC in North Africa." Her picture for the recruiting poster was unposed.

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### Rationing Calendar

War Ration Book I—Sugar: Stamp 14 expires November 1. Nos. 15 and 16, for canning, good for five pounds each through October 31. Shoes: Stamp No. 18 valid for one pair of shoes through October 31.

War Ration Book II—Blue stamps: (Canned Fruit, canned vegetables, fruit juices, soup, frozen food, catsup, etc.) R. S. & T. expire September 20. U. V. & W. expire Oct. 20. Red stamps: (Meat, canned meat, butter, margarine, lard; cheese, canned fish, fats, oil, canned milk.) X, Y, & Z valid through Oct. 2.

War Ration Book III—Brown stamps "A" became valid for meats on September 12. "B" stamps to become valid on September 19.

Gasoline: (Gasoline coupons must be endorsed on the front immediately upon receipt.)

No. 7 "A" coupons now good for 3 gallons each through September 21. No. 8 "A" coupons become valid on September 22 for 3 gallons, expire on November 21. "B" and "C" good for 3 gallons each. "D" good for 1 1/2 gallons each. "E" good for 1 gallon each. "R" and "T" good for 5 gallons each. B. C. E. and R issued for 3 months with any coupons left over valid for further use.

"A" book holders must have second official inspection by September 30; "B" book holders,

### SALUTE!



THE GIRL SCOUT salutes Old Glory and the nation salutes the Girl Scouts for their wartime work on the home front. In response to the urgings of national, state and local government leaders, including President Roosevelt; and civic and religious leaders, educators and sociologists, the Girl Scout organization has undertaken the job of trying to make Girl Scout membership available to every girl in the country who wants it. Civic-minded citizens from coast to coast are helping Girl Scouting is now organized in seven thousand communities. National registered membership was 807,704 on August 1, a gain of 152,834 since Pearl Harbor.

third inspection by Oct. 31; and "C" book holders, fourth inspection by Nov. 30; "T" book holders, second inspection within six months of last date of inspection

### Gruver News

Mrs. Sherman Bunt, a sister-in-law of Mrs. L. K. Garrett, is visiting in Gruver. Her husband is in the armed service.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Evans, Mrs. Frank Fleck and Bonnie Ruth were visitors in Amarillo the past week.

Lucille McClellan left Tuesday for Lubbock where she will attend Texas Tech College. This is the beginning of her senior year.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McRee have moved to Hot Springs, N. M., to spend a few months in visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bort and daughters and Rev. and Mrs. Biggs made a business trip to Amarillo Friday. Barbara Jean and Peggy Lou stopped off in Stinnett to visit their aunt.

Miss Bonnie Ruth Fleck and Lucille McClellan were visitors in the Frank Wallin home Saturday evening.

Miss June Harmon has been visiting in Gruver with friends and relatives.

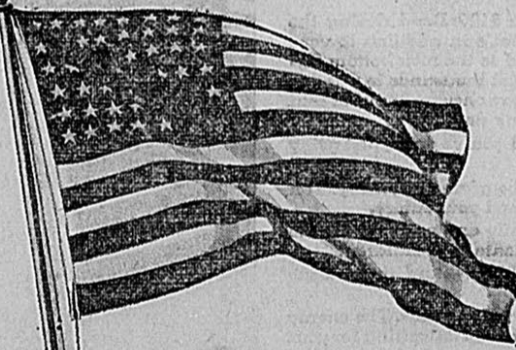
The Baptist revival closed Sunday night.

Garland Thorne, who now lives in May, Okla., was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McJunkin and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones the past week. He reports his friends that he is a proud father and that Mrs. Thorne and four weeks old son are fine.

or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first. Speedometer reading should be written in on record.

# HANSFORD COUNTY

## THE 3<sup>rd</sup> WAR LOAN DRIVE STARTS - TO BACK THE INVASION!



## 3<sup>RD</sup> WAR LOAN

15 BILLION DOLLARS (NON-BANKING QUOTA)

### What you will be asked to do—

MARK well the date—Thursday, September 9th. For on that day, you must answer to your country's call.

On that day, the 3rd War Loan Drive opens. You will be asked to back our fighting forces to the very limit of your resources. You will be asked to go ALL-OUT FOR INVASION by investing in EXTRA War Bonds—more War Bonds than you perhaps think you can possibly afford.

To meet the national quota, every individual in the country who earns a wage or draws an income or has accumulated funds must invest, if he possibly can, in at least one EXTRA \$100 War Bond. Those who can, must invest in more bonds—hundreds and thousands of dollars' worth more.

Scrape up the money from every source you can . . . turn in all the loose cash you carry with you . . . dig out what you had tucked away "just in case." Go without pleasures, luxuries, even necessities this September. And give our fighting men the things they need to fight with—and win.

These men are throwing everything they

have into this fierce invasion push. They are giving their blood, their lives. No one can put a price on such courage, self-sacrifice, devotion. But you can show you're with them to the limit! You can say it with Bonds . . . EXTRA Bonds this month.

**World's Safest Investments**  
For this 3rd War Loan, you will be offered a choice of various government securities. Choose the one that fits your requirements.

United States War Savings Bonds Series "E"; gives you back \$4 for every \$3 when the bond matures. Interest: 2.9% a year, compounded semiannually, if held to maturity. Denominations: \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Redemption: Anytime 60 days after issue date. Price: 75% of maturity value.

2 1/2% Treasury Bonds of 1964-1969; readily marketable, acceptable as bank collateral. Redeemable at par and accrued interest for the purpose of satisfying Federal estate taxes. Dated September 15, 1943; due December 15, 1969. Denominations: \$500, 1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000. Price: par and accrued interest.

Other securities: Series "C" Savings Notes; 7 1/2% Certificates of Indebtedness; 2% Treasury Bonds of 1951-1953; United States Savings Bonds series "F"; United States Savings Bonds series "G."

### FUL-O-PEP NOW HELPS GET SPRING-TIME EGG PROFITS THE WHOLE YEAR 'ROUND!



### FUL-O-PEP EGG-BREEDER MASH NOW CONTAINS Concentrated Spring Range!

MORE PROFITS  
MORE EGGS  
BETTER LIVABILITY  
BETTER HATCHABILITY  
HEALTHIER FLOCKS!

ORDER TODAY FROM  
On Hand 500 Ful-o-Pep chicks. Two cars protein supplement containing cottonseed meal, linseed meal, soybean meal and corn gluten, with minerals. We urge you to lay in a supply while available. Also Dairy Ration, Scratch Grains, Laying Mash, stock salt, etc.  
**R. L. PORTER GRAIN & SEED CO.**

### Rubber Man



New U. S. rubber boss is Col. Bradley Dewey, named to succeed director William Jeffers, who resigned.

## BACK THE ATTACK—WITH WAR BONDS

# County of Hansford

McCrea Recalls

(Continued from PAGE ONE)

I counted as one. Boys In Service Dick, the oldest one, 28, is with the air force of the army, is instructor motor division now at New Haven, Conn., at Yale University. He is now a sergeant and expect him to blow in tomorrow on furlough. Been a year since last saw him. In the course in the exams, he averaged near 100% and there were 20,000 in training. So we think he has earned his grades. Whether he will be shipped "over there", no sabe.

Mal is in the regular army. He is 27, is in the infantry and somewhere in Africa, being chased the Huns and Dagoes. And now in on the kill at Tunisia. Just had a line from him. He is a corporal and has a troop or gang of 12 men to look after. And they, his gang, got by all right. I just bet that gang gave the Huns a few pointers in that scrap for that bunch was and is a cross of the Tiger cat-forked lightning and hell fire, if you ask me.

We had quite a few of the gang here for the eats when the division was at Fort Ord. Mal has been in the army for more than 2 1/2 years; was in the first call of enrollees from California and in the invasion army in November '42. Is not a bit stuck on Africa, but it musta agree with him as his weight is 175 pounds and hard as nails. What they have gone through although severe casualties, is only a starter to what the invasion of Europe will be. Bet a bag of 275,000 Huns and Dagoes and all of Egypt, Lybia, and Tunisia in fact all of Africa. Just ain't to be sneezed at, and Hitler has a damn bad headache. The "Baloney Wind" don't count. He wishes he had a hole to get in and pull the hole after him.

One Boy In Navy Ray, the youngest of the boys, 26, is in the navy and the sailor boy is seaman 1st class and now in the Pacific at New Caledonia navy base. His ship is at the base but the layout are at another island, establishing posts. When in action he is gunsighter and has a gang under him. Has been three 6 months; says it's a great country "down under" hot and tropical; said he was taking a rest under a coconut tree and some monkeys were having a picnic with the nuts when one hit him in the head. He thought a Jap shell or a cyclone had hit him as those trees are 75 to 80 ft. tall. You can save the result; says he has five coconut bump on his head and he ain't resting under the trees any more when the monks are picnicking. He was not seasick on the long ocean voyage but when they crossed the equator the heat got him; went down and out for a time but is all o.k.

Are Great Grandparents Ray is the only married one and By the Great Horn Spoon of Moses! We are the great grandparents to an 8 1/2 pound son born to Ray and wife, June 11th. All are doing fine and son and heir can howl in 47 ways and then some. Now, who the dickens ever thought I'd live to be a great grand and Ray is ten thousand miles away and don't know that he is pa. He has been worrying a pile over the matter; perhaps by now he had the news; takes about 6 weeks or a little less for a letter to get to him, although we caught a letter from him in about 30 days. Well, that's about all; hadn't intended to be so "windy" but when I got wound up, it's just got to bust out or explode. Don't

think I'd know the old Palo Duro now for the creek to be bare of alfalfa, cattle and horses. Just don't seem to hang fire. Do you folk run any cattle now or has the Nesters got everything? They now style themselves as wheatitians, and is all the creek in that class.

I am sending you a little dog-erel that I thought of the nester; it may tickle your risables especially when think of the nester with his pants all out in winter time and stirring up dusters in the summer time and oh, boy! ain't it a great country!

Early Palo Duro Days I was going to tell you about the Palo Duro when I first hit it. There were only four dug-outs and stockade from the mouth of the creek to its head and just six men residents of the county. There was the 777 Rancho (white house) Old Paddy O'Neil; rock faced dug out; the Zulu Stockade and the old picket house; Tylers all gone; possibly the rockwall of old Paddys Dugout may yet be standing. You folks own the spot. The first house-permanent built in the Panhandle; was the Zulu Stockade or store. There was no Fort Elliott then. It was built in 1875. The Adobe Walls Fight was June 1874 and a whole lot more that wouldn't interest you and of the first public school taught on the Canadian River at old Tascosa in 1885 by yours truly, and of the Big Killing there March 21, 1886, and I got mixed in it. Officially only 4 killed; two wounded; take it from me. Son, there was hot time in the old town that night.

Now, I'm singing off, you all, and the Mrs. is doing the writing and I'll nct butt in any more. With best ever to you all. Your old Timer, Old Man McCrea.

The Landing of the Nester on the Palo Duro The breaking waves dashed high On a low and grassy shore. The cotton woods against the stormy sky Their giant branches tossed And the heavy night hung dark and dour. The hills and wate o'er When a band of Nesters Snagged their pants On the wild Palo Duro Shore. Not as conquerers—they, weary nesters, came, But to tear up the soil In the cow land of the free. Days, months, years, ages Shall pass away on that Fair Palo Duro Shore. Yet, all the nesters left Are dusters—forever more. Hemans and shakespear.

Oslo News

Morning worship at Oslo Lutheran church next Sunday 19 Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity. Will begin at 11:30 a. m. Sermon theme: The Chief Ingredient of Christian Character. 1 Cor. 13: 1-13. The Sunday school will begin at 10:30 a. m. The confirmation class will meet at the church next Saturday at 10 a. m. H. C. Hjortholm, pastor.

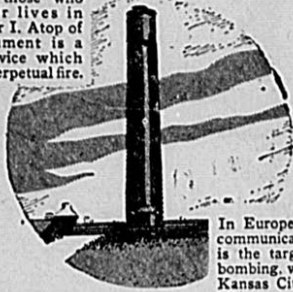
Oslo News

Farmers here are sowing wheat but much of the ground is too dry for the seed to sprout. There has been considerable dust in the air when the wind was high. Some indications point to a dry fall, but everyone here is still hoping for rain. Leona Knutson, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knutson, left last Friday for Northfield, Minn., where she will attend St. Olaf College. She will be missed not only in her home but also in the various community and church activities where she took a place of able leadership. However, we are glad that she has been given

BONDS OVER AMERICA \* \* \*

Liberty Memorial

Near Union Station in Kansas City, Mo., towers a great stone memorial to those who gave their lives in World War I. Atop of this monument is a special device which simulates perpetual fire.



Buy an Extra Bond in the 3rd War Loan

In Europe today every communications center is the target for aerial bombing, with cities like Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati, Denver, Nashville, Richmond, Salt Lake City, lying in ruins.

this splendid opportunity to receive a good education under Christian influences. We will be looking for her return for her vacations.

Marcella Olsen and Leona Knutson were dinner guests of Miss Ruth TeBeest at her apartment in Guymon on Monday of last week.

It gave us a great thrill, last Saturday to see Louise and Amy Knutson mount the big tractors,

each big three drill in tow, to drive them to the Jackson place near Gruver where the father, Mr. Emil Knutson, continued sowing wheat after completing the sowing nearer home. The girls in this community are doing their part to relieve the manpower shortage.

Emil Knutson has been assigned to canvass this community for the Third War loan. We are sure he will be well received in all the

Oslo homes and that each of us will do his or her part in putting this drive over in true Oslo style.

Pastor and Mrs. Hjortholm were supper guests at the home of Mrs. Lewis Johnson in Guymon last Saturday evening.

Selma Dahl spent the week-end at her home here last week. When she came, she brought some much needed text books from the county superintendent to the Oslo school. This is an example of the kind of cooperation we need in these days of gasoline and rubber shortage.

The Oslo school began its work for the ensuing school year last Monday with Pastor Hjortholm, who taught the school last year, as the teacher. Fourteen pupils are enrolled. There are three in the first grade, three in the second, two in the third, one in the fifth, one in the sixth, two in the seventh and two in the eighth grades. Three pupils are attending another school, and one may be unable to come because of the distance and the inability of the district to furnish transportation. We hope that the bus taking the high school pupils to the Gruver High school will be operating again this year. The school there will open on Monday, Sept. 20. The opening was delayed two weeks because of the infantile paralysis epidemic which has been quite severe in counties not far from Hansford.

Ruth TeBeest, who is working as office assistant for Dr. Smith

in Guymon, spent the week-end at her home here last week. Leona Knutson spent Monday night at the John O. Dahl home.

When drying stocking hang them between damp towels so the moisture evaporates evenly and streaks are avoided.

Back on Job

Friends, I'm back on the job again at the Sinclair Service Station on Highway 117. After being on the job more than seven years, I decided to cowboy a while in August, 1942.

I was out one year, lacking 14 days, but decided that the only place for me was the retail Sinclair station. So, on Aug. 30, I went back on the job. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Closed on Tuesday, but Open on Sunday

Back The Attack With War Bonds

J. W. SANDERS

Sinclair Service Station

I'M HERE... the enemy's just over the hill!

MAYBE I'm your boy—or the boy next door. You know, Mary's sweetheart. Joan's husband, Timmy's daddy. Your son, Father! Your boy, Mother!

Anyway, I've got something to say to you. I've got to make you understand.

This is it. This is zero. This is INVASION!

I'm here, with a million other boys just like me. We're your INVASION forces. And we're going to stay. It wasn't easy getting here, and it is going to be a lot harder before we're through.

WE'RE GIVING ALL WE'VE GOT

I said we were going to stay. I promise that, even if it means the thing—well, the thing we don't like to talk about. Because we're giving all we've got: Our minds, our strength, our blood.

But you see, this isn't going to be enough. Not unless those planes we need snarl down out of the sky on the enemy just over there. Unless those tanks get here. Unless the supply ships get through. Unless there are enough bullets for this rifle.

YOU'RE ON THE INVASION FRONT NOW!

It's that extra \$100 War Bond, all of them together, making up the \$15 billion worth they're asking you to buy in September, that will prove that you are on the INVASION front with him.

Your part is at least one extra \$100 Bond during the Drive—at least \$100. Of course, that's in addition to your regular bond buying. A \$100 Bond is the rock bottom figure. Some of you will have to invest thousands to put this Drive across. Take it out of your pay check—or out of that nest egg you were saving for a rainy day.

All you can spare is too little, all you've got is just going to be enough.

Look at it this way: You won't be giving anything. You will be investing in VICTORY—and your future.

Things like safety for your family and money after the war to buy a new home, or to educate your children.

You're buying a stake in VICTORY—and that means America, yours and mine!

I guess that's all I've got time to tell you now. The enemy is waiting, just over the hill. Don't keep us waiting for you!



It's up to YOU to put it over.

3rd WAR LOAN

HANSFORD COUNTY

The drive's on for \$501,500 of War Bonds for Hansford county. These bonds must be sold by Sept. 30.

Hansford county has never failed in an assignment for World War II and every one must do his best. Buy Bonds liberally in tribute to the fall of Italy, the biggest break yet in the Axis.

L. H. FISHER Phillips 66 Retail

World's Safest Investments United States War Savings Bonds—Series E: gives you back \$4 for every \$3 when the bond matures. Interest: 2.9% a year, compounded semiannually, if held to maturity. Denominations: \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Redemption: any time 60 days after issue date. Price: 75% of maturity value. 2 1/2% Treasury Bonds of 1964-1969: readily marketable, acceptable as bank collateral, redeemable at par and accrued interest for the purpose of satisfying Federal estate taxes. Dated September 15, 1943; due December 15, 1969. Denominations: \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000. Price: par and accrued interest. Other securities: Series "C" Savings Notes; 1/2% Certificates of Indebtedness; 2% Treasury Bonds of 1951-1953; United States Savings Bonds Series "F"; United States Savings Bonds Series "G".

3rd WAR LOAN \$15,000,000,000 NON-BANKING QUOTA BACK THE ATTACK WITH WAR BONDS

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