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## Reclassification Begun on Parmer Registrants

In an emergency meeting that continued till well past midnight, the Parmer County Selective Service Board, Sunday began reclassification of all Parmer county registrants in keeping with instructions received from State Headquarters last week.

Reconsideration of the registrants was begun with the view of placing as many men in class 1-A as possible. At Sunday's session, 76 registrants who had previously been put in lower classification brackets, were ordered up for their first physical examination, to be given by Dr. V. Scott Johnson of this city.

Most of those ordered up for their physicals were obtained from class 1-H (over 28 years old) while there was quite a number in other brackets to be moved upward.

New regulations received here Sunday reveal that the former high physical standards have been lowered considerably, and men who were formerly placed in classes 1-B and 4-F are now considered potential 1-A men.

Men who have already had their physical exams, not more than 60 days ago, will be sent to Lubbock for their Army examinations in the near future. Local physicals that are more than 60 days old will require another check-up on the man in most cases under the new physical requirements.

Board members announced that as yet the men in class 3-A had not been considered for reclassification, "but they will be within the next few days," one Board member added.

Since the War Department has placed movement of men under censorship, it has been announced that hereafter no figures will be released on men being sent from here to induction stations nor to Army physical boards.

### TIPTON HELD ON BOND

Jim Tipton is being held in the Parmer county jail in default of bond in the amount of \$1500, set by Justice of the Peace B. E. Nobles, following an examining trial held last Friday.

Tipton is charged with assault with intent to murder. Officers stated that Tipton was arrested at his home in east Farwell during the holidays after he had threatened to kill his wife. He is alleged to have a gun through a closed door, the bullet striking his oldest daughter in the leg. She was only slightly injured. Too much Christmas spirits is believed to have led to the trouble.

### GUS & MABLE SELL CAFE

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Johnson, who have operated a cafe here for the past three and one-half years under the name of "Gus & Mable's", have sold their business to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hillhouse, who are scheduled to take charge on January 1st.

The Johnsons will go to Nowata, Okla., where he has secured a small farm and will operate same.

In taking over the cafe, Mr. Hillhouse stated that he would continue as janitor of the Parmer county courthouse, and that the business would be under the supervision of Mrs. Hillhouse.

## No Tire Board Named Here

So far as could be learned here early this week, no board had been named in Parmer county to constitute the local Priority Board, whose duty it will be to pass on applications for the purchase of automobile tires under the new OPM regulations.

In some counties, this job has been assigned to members of the county defense board. However, members of the Parmer County Defense Board stated early this week that no such appointment had been given them.

Members of the Parmer Defense Board are: Frank Seale, Olan Schleuter, Otho Whitefield, and County Agent Lee H. McElroy.

## Former Local Boy Killed In Air Raid

Pat Guest, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guest, who formerly lived here, is believed to be the nearest approach to Parmer county's first casualty in the present war.

Information received here this week is to the effect that Guest, a member of the air forces, was killed when the Japs raided Pearl Harbor at the outbreak of the present conflict.

Guest is said to have moved from here in 1932 and went to Estancia, N. M., his home at the time of his death.

Records show that not a Parmer county boy was killed in World War I. Oddly enough, also, the only two Parmer county soldiers who were seriously gassed in the war with Germany were named Bill Massey, one of Farwell and the other of Friona.

## County School Heads Will Meet In Austin

Four schools heads of Parmer county, and the county superintendent, have announced that they will leave on Wednesday of next week, January 7th, for Austin, to attend the annual gathering of superintendents, which convenes on the 8th and lasts through the 10th.

Supt. J. T. Carter, of the Farwell school, Supt. W. L. Cherry of Bovina, Supt. Curtis L. Evans of Oklahoma Lane, Supt. R. E. Everett of Lazbuddy, and County Superintendent Lee Thompson will leave here in a group that morning.

No information was obtainable here as to whether or not Supt. W. L. Edelman, of Friona, planned to attend.

The officials will remain in Austin throughout the duration of the convention, starting home on Sunday morning.

### DIES IN SANTA FE

Jo Lee, 15-year-old daughter of Haskell Sudderth, who had been ill with pneumonia for some time, died last Wednesday at Santa Fe, where she had been receiving medical care. Funeral services were held in Amarillo on Christmas Day, and interment made there beside a younger sister.

# PLAN DRAFT REGISTRATION

## Red Cross Sends Appeal for More Aid

Acting on an earnest appeal of Norman H. Davis, chairman of the American Red Cross, W. H. Graham, chairman of the Parmer county chapter, today opened the way for citizens of Parmer county to make further contributions to the war relief fund of the Red Cross.

In the absence of H. Y. Overstreet, who is chairman of war relief activities, Graham said today that no active drive would be instituted for additional funds until the matter had been referred to Overstreet, who is out of the city.

He explained that this chapter had already met its quota of \$1000, "but we won't turn down any voluntary contributions," he added.

He suggested that anyone wishing to contribute further to the war relief fund to see the Red Cross workers in their respective communities, or bring it to The Tribune office.

### Receives Telegram

Graham announced receipt of a telegram from Chairman Davis today, which stated in part:

"The enemy respects neither holidays nor weekends. Partnership in this time of need gives all the people an opportunity. The Red Cross is a people's partnership in a time of need. It is patriotism in action to give to the Red Cross. Miseries of war cannot be measured by mathematical yardsticks nor personal conveniences. The President, the American Red Cross and our fighting men expect much of us. Although your chapter has reached suggested minimum quota, you are urged to continue campaign until everyone has had an opportunity to contribute. An avalanche of giving will help the Red Cross to deliver the goods."

Parmer county was one of the first to reach its suggested quota in this area, Graham pointed out. "But we should not feel that we have completed the task as long as there is an urgent demand for additional aid," he said.

He called upon every Red Cross worker engaged in the recent campaign to accept any additional contributions that might be offered, and to forward same to H. Y. Overstreet of this city.

## Thieves Lift Truck Wheel, Casing, Tube

Ed Hardage, of the Lariat community, is the first to report the loss of an automobile casing in this county since the new restriction on tire-buying went into effect.

Hardage says thieves lifted an almost-new tire, wheel and tube from his truck left parked at the Rawlin Daugherty home on Christmas Eve. He estimated the loss at not less than \$40.

Officers here predicted quite a pick-up in tire thievery and warned motorists to be extremely careful in leaving cars parked outside hereafter. As a further precaution that might lead to a recovery of tires, they suggested that records be made of all tire serial numbers, together with the name of the tire.

## 1941 Rainfall Establishes Record in This Section

### Subscription Offer Expires Jan. 3

The special Christmas offer of The State Line Tribune will expire Saturday, January 3, it was definitely announced today by the publisher.

During the remainder of this week, new and renewal subscriptions will be accepted at the rate of \$1 per year. After Jan. 3 the regular rate of \$1.50 per year will be charged.

This offer applies only to subscribers living in Parmer and adjoining counties.

## Grand Jurors Drawn For January Term

Attaches at the office of County Clerk D. K. Roberts this week released the list of grand jurors for the January term of court, which will open with Judge James Witherpoon, of Hereford, on the bench, on Monday morning, January 12th.

The following men are required to report at the court room at ten o'clock on the morning of the opening day of court in Farwell, officials said:

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| Sanford Harper   | Joe Wilson    |
| J. I. Gober      | Boone Allison |
| W. E. Williams   | Roy Slagle    |
| Frank Spring Jr. | H. S. Curtis  |
| Robert Schueler  | M. M. Sherry  |
| Willis Edelman   | Roy White     |
| John Armstrong   | Glen Dunn     |
|                  | Sam Sides     |

### BUYS, SHOE SHOP

Cecil Robertson, of Lariat, has purchased a shoe repair shop in Lubbock and moved to that city the first of the week to take over his new business.

## Christmas Is Trial To Grandpa Hall

"Grandpa" W. W. Hall, who seldom enjoys the vagaries of younger fry, really had his hands full Christmas Eve.

The Hall family gathered here for Christmas, with six grandchildren "just bustin'" for Santa to arrive. Beaded down on the sleeping porch, one of the youngsters holed every hour, "Grandpa, don't you think Santa has come YEET?"

Finally, at 5 a. m., "Grandpa" Bill gave up and routed the rest of the family out of bed for an exceptionally early distribution of presents. Just as things were going good, in came older son Raymond from Hobbs, who seeing all the lights and hearing the racket, thought somebody was in dire straits, and burst in in great alarm.

"However," opines Bill, "it was by far the BEST Christmas we ever had."

# War and Rain Hold Spotlight for Passing Year

And so tomorrow (Thursday) begins a new year.

With that in mind, a reporter of the local staff this week dug into the dusty files of papers printed locally during 1941 to list the highlights in the twelve-month period.

First and foremost, naturally, came the notation "war", and the reporter didn't have to dig into the files to remember that just twenty years of peace. . . twice in the lifetime of a single generation, the scummy fingers of war have reached out to drag Uncle Sam's coat tails down into the slime.

And then second on the list came the draft, which you will remember, most of us fussed about and resented its intrusion into our lives. Time, as is often the case, proved most of us wrong, and today instead of fussing about being "drafted" into the blankety army" thousands of young men the nation over are willingly and gladly putting affairs in shape and packing off for training in this supreme fight for existence in a democracy.

Rain . . . rain . . . and more rain.

That's third on the list, and no question about it, since it practically destroyed the wheat crop, badly damaged row crops, and caused no end of other upsets, including road and bridge washouts, the damage given the Santa Fe tracks at Friona, and other annoyances too numerous to be mentioned here.

Looking at something a little more cheerful, the county points with pride to the fact that in less than 10 days, Parmer residents over-subscribed an emergency \$1,000 drive for the Red Cross.

Changes Made  
New faces made their appearances in many public offices and school rooms the past year. County Agent Jason O. Gordon tendered his resignation and was succeeded by Lee H. McElroy; Demonstrator Ruth Boyd resigned and was replaced by Miss Elsie Cunningham; Keltz Garrison took over the AAA office when Garl N. Harper moved to Plainview; Miss Wynona Swepston was made a district supervisor in the FSA and was followed here by Mrs. Edna Elms.

D. K. Roberts took over the duties

in the clerk's office; David Moseley and E. W. McGuire were placed on the commissioners court; and Mrs. Chas. Lovelace resigned as county NYA supervisor, with Miss Lola Goodwine taking her place.

At the Texico school, only two changes were made. Miss Mai Pierson succeeded Mrs. Ouida Watson and Lee Richards took over the ag department after the resignation of L. A. McCasland.

Farwell, on the other hand, has practically a new staff, including Coach Jeff Hooper, Miss Velna Sheriff, Miss Dorothy Shaw, Mrs. Ernest Kelly, and Miss Lynnette Cain. Business Closed

The oldest firm in Curry county, Triplett Bros. in Texico, which had sold groceries and dry goods for over 30 years, went out of business early last year, and Wesley Osborne sold his grocery stock, replacing it with hardware. The Gas Company, of Clovis, located a branch office here.

Improvements were made about various businesses, with the most outstanding being the huge in-crease

of room at the Roberts Elevator in Texico. Two locker systems were installed in the Twin Cities, by John Porter and Paul Roberts, in connection with their grocery stores in new locations.

Andy Marcus moved here from Muleshoe to install a poultry and ice house; a de-linter plant and cleaner was installed at the Lariat gin and elevator; a new cleaner was placed at the Farwell elevator; the Plains Grain & Seed announced the installation of a huge feed-mixer; the courthouse and Farwell home ec buildings received new roofs; the Methodist church underwent inside improvements; the Sikes Motor company plant was restyled; and a new audition started on the Phillips 66 station in Farwell.

FFA and 4-H club members were not idle. Nelson Foster, of the Oklahoma Lane 4H club, was awarded a trip to the National Congress at Chicago; and Sam Austin Young was given a medal for outstanding 4-H accounting work.

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The Parmer County Selective Service Board early this week began making plans for the registration of Parmer county's manpower to be conducted under the Selective Service System.

No definite date has been announced when the third registration would be held. Information received here this week, however, indicated that the date was not far distant.

It has been suggested that the pending registration be conducted in Parmer county in much the same manner as the first registration, when a one-day holiday was declared in all schools of the county and the members of the faculty were utilized as registration clerks.

This suggestion was submitted to County Superintendent Lee Thompson early this week and he approved the plan, providing it would be agreeable with local school officials in the various school districts of the county.

Men between the ages of 18 and 64, both inclusive, will be required to register in the forthcoming registration. Men who have registered previously in either of the other registrations, will not be required to do so again, it has been announced.

In considering the use of school buildings for registration, it has been pointed out that no other place is available in many of the smaller communities of the county.

Detailed plans of the forthcoming registration will be announced as soon as they are perfected, Local Board members said today.

## Gene Worley Takes Up Duties In Army

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Carrying out a promise made during his campaign last year, Congressman Eugene Worley, 18th District of Texas, late last Tuesday enlisted and was ordered immediately into active duty.

The day Worley voted to declare war on Germany and Italy, he sent identical letters to President Roosevelt, as Commander-in-Chief, to Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of War, and to Frank Knox, Secretary of the Navy, in which he said: "I respectfully urge you to accept my services in any capacity at any time and in any place in our military or naval forces."

The past two weeks have seen Worley turned down by the Army, where he attempted to enlist as a buck private, and also rejection by the Air Corps. In making application to the Navy, Worley stated his preference for active service and, in accordance with naval regulations, was commissioned a Lieutenant Commander in the Volunteer Branch of the Naval Reserve.

Worley's predecessor in Congress, Judge Marvin Jones, now sitting on the United States Court of Claims, volunteered his services when he voted to declare war against Germany in 1917, and was elected to a second term while still serving in the armed forces. Senator Tom Connally of Texas, then a member of the House of Representatives, likewise served in the last war. Several of Worley's colleagues in the present Congress have also entered the military services.

Worley said his office would be kept open and that he would remain in as close touch as possible during his service. After a brief period of intensive training in Washington, it is anticipated he will be ordered to the West Coast for active duty.

### RED CROSS WORKERS

All who have Red Cross knitting needles or directions for making knitted garments, who are not using them to make Red Cross garments, please take them to your district supervisor for return to me.

Thank you.

Mrs. Jack Dunn,  
Production Chairman,  
Parmer Co. Red Cross.

### BACK IN STATES

Champ Porter, brother of John Porter of the State Line Grocery, has wired his brother here that he is safe in Fort McDowell, Calif. He had been stationed in the Philippine Islands for the past few months. His presence back in the states was unexplained in his message.

N. E. Bonds was in from Bovina, Tuesday, and reported the loss of his 1939 Ford by fire recently. He explained that he was out in a rye field rounding up some work horses when the machine caught fire. It was a complete loss.

Bringing to more than double the average rainfall that is to be expected in this county, the Parmer precipitation for the year 1941, which ends today (Wednesday) brought all-time high fall of 45.67 inches, according to records kept by J. C. Temple, local weather observer.

Just prior to this, the 1940 rainfall had reached what is thought to be one of the lows of history, by showing a recorded rainfall of only 11.32 during the entire period—and in 1939, only 14.32 was received locally—which all goes to indicate that in 1941 the weatherman decided it was high time all the lost moisture be repaid Parmer county, plus interest.

### May Is Wettest

May, the wettest month of the year, showed only eight cloudy or partly cloudy days and brought a total of 12.45 inches of moisture, averaging over an inch for each day that clouds hung low. In contrast was the month of March, when there were 11 cloudy days, and only 2.22 inches of rain. October also hit a high of 11 cloudy days, with 6.63 inches falling locally.

Four months in 1940 were wetter than the corresponding periods in 1941, it was further shown by statistics, but in the long run, the remaining eight months more than made up for the lack. Only one month—November—was recorded absolutely dry during 1941, and also had only three cloudy days.

### Draws Go On Rampage

The year 1941 will long be remembered by Parmer residents as the "year of the draws" when all usually dry gulches in the county went on prolonged and persistent sprees, washing hundreds of tons of topsoil out of the county—and doing so much damage to the railroad tracks in Friona that the Santa Fe initiated a huge dyke building program to protect the rails against such repetitions.

All draws in the county—Frio, Running Water and Catfish—outdid themselves in hitting high water marks for all time. The lower part of Friona was inundated several times in one week, and the close of 1941 saw residences and business houses being moved to higher ground.

The most serious damage done locally was the flooding of the farm home of Woodrow Hagler, near this city. Some three hundred acres of the Hagler farm were under water and the house was practically covered as waters from nearby slopes rushed into a hitherto lake bed.

High water also raised considerable havoc in the Farwell cemetery, and over the entire section unpaved roads became almost impassable while small bridges and culverts suffered repeated washouts.

The majority of wheat crops were also damaged extensively during continued rains in April and May, while grain crops suffered through a prolonged wet spell in September and October—crops which just a short time before the rainy season had promised bumper yields.

Tabulations Given	
January	15
February	36
March	2.22
April	2.44
May	12.45
June	9.58
July	3
August	1.64
September	6.00
October	6.63
November	None
December	.61
Total	45.67

### IMPORTANT CORRECTION

A news release issued by the AAA through the Extension Service recently, stated that the closing date for the 1941 loans was December 31, whereas the correct date is May 1, 1942. Also the news release stated that cotton loans will mature on April 30; whereas they do not mature until July 31, 1942.

Results count—Try a Tribune ad



# THE SMOKY YEARS

By ALAN LE MAY

W. N. U. Release

## INSTALLMENT 11 THE STORY SO FAR:

Dusty King and Lew Gordon had built up a vast string of ranches in the West. King was killed by his powerful and unscrupulous competitor, Ben Thorpe. Bill Roper, King's adopted son, was determined to avenge his death in spite of the opposition

of his sweetheart, Jody Gordon, and her father. Daring raids upon Thorpe's Texas holdings wiped him out of the state. Roper then prepared for a great raid upon the vast herds on Thorpe's Montana ranches. Several thousand Indians had gathered near

the Canadian border to take every beef that was driven across. Shoshone Wilce, one of Roper's men, told Jody that her father's life was in danger, so she rode to warn him. He was surprised to see her so far from home.

### CHAPTER XV—Continued

When Lew Gordon spoke, his voice was so quiet that its very stillness carried through of imminent destruction. "Bill Roper sent a man to you?"

"I didn't say that. He's a man who was with Bill Roper in the Texas Rustlers' War; he doesn't seem to be in the Montana raids."

"Who was it?" Lew Gordon rumbled. "What's his name?"

"Shoshone Wilce."

"Wilce! I know that name. I know it well. I'd rope and drag him in a second, if I caught him talking to you!"

"This man has talked with Ben Thorpe in Dodge," Jody told her father. "A lot of strange news is working down to Thorpe from up here in Montana. Some bands of rustlers are slashing up and down Montana throwing lead and leather into the Thorpe outfits under Lasham; they say he's badly hurt already—nobody will know how badly until the winter breaks."

Her father waited, his eyes angry. "The word from Dodge explains half the trouble that King-Gordon is up against," Jody said. "Thorpe can't believe that one lone cowboy, deserted by everyone who should have been his friend, could manage to smash his Texas holdings, and go on to cut away his herds in Montana. He thought that we were backing Billy Roper in the Texas Rustlers' War. And he believes that we're backing him now."

"Well?" Lew Gordon said. "You mean to say you came all this way to tell me that?"

"Ben Thorpe means to kill you." Lew Gordon's face showed no change of expression. But he did not reply at once.

"I don't doubt it," he said at last; "what would you expect? You bring war into a range and anybody is likely to go down."

Jody's face was white. "You know what's at the bottom of all the trouble we're having," her father said. "You know as well as I do that two years of nothing but trouble lays square at the door of Bill Roper."

Jody sprang up to face him. "I certainly do not know anything of the kind!" she answered him.

Lew Gordon stared at her. "It's an everlasting shame upon the cow country that Dusty King's killers are still in their saddles. I tell you, Billy Roper is the only man I've seen with courage enough to—"

And now her father angered as she had seldom seen him anger. "You'll tell me nothing!" he roared. "Roper! I'm sick of hearing his name—a dirty outlaw whelp that knows nothing but kill and burn and raid!"

Jody's eyes narrowed and filled with tears. "You may as well know this," she told her father. "The day that Billy Roper dies I want to die too."

For a moment Lew Gordon seemed bewildered; he stared at his daughter as if the devil had come up through the floor. The girl who faced him was entirely strange to him.

He heard her say, "If you had stayed by him, as Dusty King would have done, Thorpe would have been whipped and through, long ago."

"Child," he said queerly, "what are you talking about?"

"If you'd only take Billy Roper back into King-Gordon—"

"That'll never happen while I live," her father said flatly.

A silence fell between them, the question broken by the girl. "He asked me to ride with him once, when he first took the outlaw trail. I wish I had. To the last day I live, I'll wish I'd ridden with him then. And now I'd tell you something more. If ever he asks me again, I'll go."

For several moments he stared at her, more shaken than he had been since the death of Dusty King. Then his face congested, and he rose up on his boot heels to tower over the girl.

"By God," he said, his voice unsteady with the repression he put upon it, "that closes the deal! I've kept my riders off him because of Dusty King, and I let him run on and on, rousing up a range war that has close to busted King-Gordon. But when it comes to tampering with you—it's the end! I'm through, you hear me?"

He caught up his battered sombrero, and his spurs rang as he turned toward the door.

"Dad, what are you going to do?" "There has a reward on Bill Roper's head. King-Gordon is going to double that reward."

He went storming out, his face black and violent with portent of war.

For several moments Jody Gordon stood motionless where he had left her. Then she turned and went out of the house to the long shed-like stable.

Shoshone Wilce was loitering there in the shadow of the rear wall, an uneasy and restless figure.

"Did you find out where Billy Roper can be reached?" Jody demanded.

"Yes, mam, I kind of did, I guess; and I got to be getting on there, Miss Gordon. If you'll just give me any message you want me to take, I'd sure like to be pulling out of here, before—"

"All right. You be here with two good horses just after dark."

"If you could just as leave give me the message now, I'd sure like to—"

"There is no message. I'm going with you to Bill Roper."

Shoshone Wilce looked like a man entrapped. "I can't do it! Your father—I just won't do it, Miss Gordon—"

"All right. I'll make the ride by myself."

"Hey, look! You can't—"

"Bill Roper isn't going to like this, Wilce."

Shoshone studied her searchingly, but found nothing to reassure him. It was in his mind that this girl would do exactly as she said. "My

self."

"Better'n six hundred head! Lord Almighty, Bill! Figuring they're worth twenty dollars apiece, and allowing that all the other boys do as good, we're liable to get out of here with around eighty thousand dollars worth of cattle! You realize that?"

But Roper was thinking of the letter in his pocket; the appeal of a girl who needed him in some unknown way, and who did not even know why he couldn't come.

All the next day they worked to throw the little bunches together into a trail herd. Not all of them had done as well as Tex Long and Kid Johnson, but most of them had done well enough. And then, at last, the first herd privatered in the Great

Raid began to roll. A long steadily moving river of cattle poured northward, a dark welter in the thinning fall of the snow. White-faces, mostly, blocky and heavy, well wintered on the prairie hay—Roper counted two thousand six hundred odd!

Pressed hard by the heavy force of cowboys, the cattle bawled but humped along northward into the valley of the Prairie Elk.

Rounding up within a day's ride of Miles City itself, Roper's men had taken this herd almost out of the very corrals of Lasham's outposts; and yet, so far as any of them knew, that swift-moving drive represented a harder blow than had ever been struck a cattleman in a single raid. In all their months of effort the winter wild bunch had been unable to achieve an equal reprisal upon Lasham, and now they could hardly believe their own success. They forced the cattle hard, driving through the clogging snow at a rate incredible to men accustomed to handling market herds.

The cattle that broke the way through the snow kept dropping back, blown and tired; but as fast as they failed, others were forced forward to take their places. Longhorned, stag-legged steers of the old Texas strain fought the riders, breaking the heavy column repeatedly in their wild-eyed thrusts for liberty, and these were allowed to get away. Gaunt, weak cattle lagged back, snapping to keep up even under the snapping rope ends of the tail riders; they also were allowed to drop out, promptly forgotten. Yet, in that first day, the side riders swept in enough north-roaming cattle to more than make up the loss.

Roper went with the herd as far as Circle Horse Creek; but when they had forded the shallows, crusting through the rotten ice, he turned back. With him he took four men who he believed would do what he said. The cattle were moving more slowly now, plodding doggedly through the heavy going; Tex Long and the remaining eight men could hold them to their way. What was needed now was work of a different kind, and Roper thought he knew how that was to be done.

It was his intention to fight a rear guard action—not only for this first herd, which would be delivered within the week to the Indians who would spirit it away, but for the protection of all the rest of the wild bunch raiding to westward.

But now as he neared the head of the Little Dry, a rider came dropping down a long slope upon a racing horse. His carbine was held above his ragged sombrero in sign of peace; and as he came near they saw that it was Hat Crick Tommy.

Roper jumped his horse out to meet Hat Crick. "What is it? Is there any word? Did she—"

Tommy's face was haggard with fatigue. "She's gone!" he jerked out. "She's been to Miles City—and now she's gone!"

"Gone? Gone where?" "Nobody knows. She's missing—disappeared—strayed or lost or rustled. I don't know which! Her father's wild crazy, and every K-G outfit in the north is combing the trails—"

Roper sat staring for a full half minute. Then his hands fumbled for his reata, shook out the loop.

"Turn that roan pony! I've got to have a fresh horse—"

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## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.  
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(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Lesson for January 4

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#### THE SYNOPSIS GOSPELS: MATTHEW, MARK, LUKE

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 1:1, 17; Mark 1:1, 14, 15; Luke 1:1-4; Acts 1:1-5.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.—I Timothy 1:15.

A new year of God-given opportunity with the assurance of His grace and strength for our daily need. Such is the precious gift we hold in our hands as we enter on A. D. 1942.

With the new year, we enter upon a new course of study—carefully planned ahead through 1947, if the Lord tarries. We begin very appropriately with a study of the life of Christ as presented in the first three Gospels, known as the Synoptic Gospels.

"Synopsis" is a combination of two words, meaning "a view together," and refers to the fact that Matthew, Mark, and Luke give us the same general view of Christ, although differing somewhat in their emphasis.

Matthew, writing his Gospel especially to the Jews, presents Christ as King, Mark, for the Romans, presents the Servant. Luke presents to the Greeks the Son of Man—the perfect Man, and John, for the Christian church, reveals the Son of God. But note that all the Gospels are for us, and in them we find the fourfold picture which presents the many-sided glory and beauty of our Lord. Turning to our scriptures we see—

#### I. The King (Matt. 1:1, 17).

These verses come at the beginning and end of the kingly genealogy of Jesus. It is important that the descent of a king be carefully recorded and studied, for it alone can prove his right to the throne. We know that Israel rejected Jesus as King, but we also know what prophecy reveals that He will one day take the throne of David and reign. Does He have that right?

In Matthew 1:1-17, we have His national and royal descent. Being son of both David and Abraham, He is heir to both the promise and the throne. As King of Israel, there was no need to trace His lineage back further than Abraham through David, but we find that in Luke (2:23-28) the Son of Man is traced back to Adam. Mark has no genealogy for reasons noted below, and John also has none, for the Son of God is eternal, infinite, without need of genealogy.

Turning now to Mark, we find Him presented as—

#### II. The Servant (Mark 1:1, 14, 15).

A servant needs no genealogy, he needs only to be able and ready to work, and that is just what we find in Mark. The account plunges at once into the story of "the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God," who is ready to serve—by life or by death—yes, even by the death of the cross.

The forerunner, John the Baptist, bears his witness. Jesus is baptized. John is imprisoned, and immediately Jesus begins to preach, "Repent ye, and believe the gospel." The key verse of Mark is 10:45: "For even the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister." The characteristic words are "straightway," "forthwith," and "immediately." The Greek word thus translated appears about 40 times in the book. The Servant of God went quickly about the Father's business. Christians, can we say the same for ourselves?

#### III. The Son of Man (Luke 1:1-4).

Luke undertakes to write, under the control of the Holy Spirit, a careful account of the saving work of Christ, but he makes it doubly clear that he writes from firsthand knowledge. "Eyewitnesses" means those who made a personal investigation, hence, those who knew Christ as the Son of Man, the One who became flesh and dwelt among us. "Ministers" means literally those who served under Jesus, His personal assistants; again emphasizing His personal ministry as "the Son of Man who is come to seek and to save that which was lost" (as Luke 19:10, the key verse of this Gospel, expresses it).

#### IV. The Risen and Ascended Lord (Acts 1:1-5).

Christ who was crucified arose a Victor over death and the grave, and ascended to the Father, where He now appears as our Advocate. That does not mean that His work on earth terminated, for we have in Acts what Dr. Morgan fittingly calls "the book of the continued doing and teaching of the living Christ by the Holy Spirit through His body, which is the church."

The Gospels (Acts 1:1) told only that "Jesus began to do and to teach." Acts continues, but does not complete the story. Christ is working today in and through surrendered believers. Will He have liberty to work through you and through me this year of 1942? If so, it is sure to be a happy—yes, a blessed—New Year.



IT REMAINED for Florida and West Point to get the first war All-American in Colin Kelly who delivered the three death thrusts



Grantland Rice

the first Japanese battleship to be sunk. The Florida and West Point fighter found death in a brilliant counter stroke when such was badly needed after the Japanese raids on Hawaii. Captain Kelly was closely followed by Lieutenants Wagner and Keller in setting up

a new honor roll along the road to glory. This new All-America honor roll is one that is sure to give where the main trouble will be giving due credit to so many concerned, not overlooking those gallant marines on Wake island. Colin Kelly's performance in diving through three anti-aircraft blasts for three direct hits on the hostile battleship was not only the final word in bravery but also the final touch in the amazing nerve control needed for this triple blow.

#### Sports For June

Queries including letters and telegrams continue to arrive asking what the future of sport should be. The answer is entirely in the hands of the government at Washington. They know the types of sport that will still be badly needed—and they also know the types that will be out of order until the war is over.

It will naturally take a certain amount of time to get the right program set up. In the meanwhile it is better to keep original programs going until changes are needed under government order. There is no occasion for any panic along this line as competitive sport can still play a big part in the way of physical fitness and morale under proper supervision and direction.

The war situation in regard to sport is a far different thing from what it was at this time a year ago. Then there was largely apathy on all sides. It is entirely different now. Everything else is completely overshadowed, as it should be, by the greatest emergency this country has ever known.

Sport can still play its part in the way of national conditioning and national morale, but there will be a far larger call on all athletes to help out, and classifications will be changed abruptly and on an extended scale.

#### Getting in Shape

Jack Kelly, who might be known as national commissioner of national physical condition, now has one of the country's important jobs to handle. There should be no national softness in times of peace. There is certainly no place for national softness in times of war. And the country, from youth on by middle age, hasn't been moving toward ruggedness for some years.

When the going begins to get tough, health and general fitness mean more than ever. One of the best ways to help rests with each individual who, after all, is the responsible party—the one most affected.

This can be done by closer attention to diet—by taking more exercise—by making a personal point of getting back into better shape.

This country, for one thing, needs stronger legs—only a small per cent are equipped along this line. Ask any able athletic trainer.

#### Too Many Spectators

The point has been made that we have too many looking on—not enough taking part. This is true. But the growth of basketball and bowling has been a big help. These two games now call on many millions.

Bowling, for example, may not be heavy exercise, but it contributes its share. Basketball is now in the middle of a nationwide sweep, especially in all high schools and colleges. There is still a place for competitive sport that has a crowd appeal. To have all this destroyed would be a big mistake. But this should not prevent the spectators from taking better care of their own fitness.

York along the route from New York to California those more closely interested were asking how the new war would affect such sports as football, baseball, racing, etc.

It will have a decided effect on the financial side, which will be nothing to cry about. And there can't be the same keen interest in results. But there will still be competitive sport to contribute its part along needed lines.

#### SPORTLIGHT BRIEFS:

⚔ The contract of Biff Jones, Nebraska football coach, has been extended for another five years. The contract was renewed following the Cornhuskers' poorest season of the century.

⚔ Michigan was third in total home football attendance in 1941 but the Wolverines led the nation in average per game with 60,321.

⚔ Mel Hein has completed his eleventh season for the New York Giants. He played college football at Washington State.

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IF YOU'RE planning a career, you may find that U. S. Civil Service gives the opportunities you want. For Uncle Sam offers many chances to get ahead. In some office jobs you progress through six grades. A Junior Stenographer, starting at \$1,400,



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In this world where there is so much sorrow, and so much unnecessary grief, of fret and worry, how grateful ought we to be that God sends along here and there, a natural heart-singer, who, by his very carriage and spontaneous actions, calms, cheers, and helps his fellows. God bless the good-natured, for they bless everybody else!

## Relief At Last For Your Cough

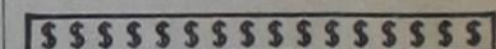
Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.  
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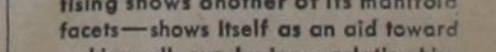


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● In bringing us buying information, as to prices that are being asked for what we intend to buy, and as to the quality we can expect, the advertising columns of this newspaper perform a worth while service which saves us many dollars a year.

● It is a good habit to form, the habit of consulting the advertisements every time we make a purchase, though we have already decided just what we want and where we are going to buy it. It gives us the most priceless feeling in the world; the feeling of being adequately prepared.

● When we go into a store, prepared beforehand with knowledge of what is offered and at what price, we go as an expert buyer, filled with self-confidence. It is a pleasant feeling to have, the feeling of adequacy. Most of the unhappiness in the world can be traced to a lack of this feeling. This advertising shows another of its manifold facets—shows itself as an aid toward making all our business relationships more secure and pleasant.







EIGHT POINTS

HIGH COURT CHANGES

NAZI-SOVIET WAR

WAR ON JAPAN GERMANY ITALY

Chronology OF THE YEAR 1941

DEBUT The year began with these important events:

January 1—Hitler in a speech predicted "victory in 1941." 3—New congress convened, heard President ask "all out" aid for democracies.

THE WAR

January 1—Hitler predicts 1941 victory. 4—Italian defense in Albania reported broken.

February 7—British empire forces capture Bengali, largest important city in eastern Libya, after 16-mile drive in seven days against fleeing Italians.

March 1—Bulgaria joins Axis. German troops enter that nation. 2—Turkey closes Dardanelles as Nazis push through Bulgaria to Greek and Turkish frontiers.

April 3—Bengali, eastern Libyan capital, taken from British by Nazis and Italians. 6—Germany declares war on Yugoslavia and Greece. Invasion starts.

May 1—Iraq protests landing of British forces to protect oil fields. 2—Iraq forces fight British, shell important airport.

June 5—German forces reported in Syria. 6—British and Free French forces invade Syria. 10—U. S. freighter Robin Moor reported sunk by Nazi U-boat in mid-Atlantic.

July 2—Stalin orders "scorched-earth" policy for Russia as Germans advance. 3—Britain halts U. S. occupation of Iceland.

August 7—First Russian air raids on Berlin. 10—Russia admits Nazi gains in Kiev and Leningrad sectors.

16—Soviet agrees to conference of Russia, Britain and U. S. 24—Russo-British troops invade Iran.

September 1—President Roosevelt calls on U. S. to crush Axis powers in Red sea. 4—Nazis claim Russia thwarted on Black sea.

October 3—Executions reported curbing anti-Nazi uprisings throughout Europe. 10—Russians admit troops are falling back toward Moscow.

November 3—U. S. warns Finland to cease fighting Reds. 8—U-boats will fire on U. S. ships, says Hitler.

December 1—Petain meets Goering for collaboration talk. 2—Italy bares big revolt plan; attempt to kill Mussolini fails.

January 3—New congress opens, seventy-seventh. 6—President asks "all out" aid to democracies in message to new congress.

February 3—U. S. Supreme court upholds wage-hour law. 8—House passes lease-lend bill, 260-165.

March 1—C.I.O. strike shuts Chicago plant of International Harvester. 11—Soft coal miners under John L. Lewis open wage parity in New York with operators.

April 1—United Mine Workers of America begin soft coal strike. 2—C.I.O. calls strike in huge Ford Motor company River Rouge plant; 85,000 affected.

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TEN BIGGEST EVENTS OF 1941

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2—British aircraft carrier Ark Royal sunk by torpedo. 3—Army takes over strike-bound North American aviation plant at Ingleswood on orders of F.D.R.

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4—British declares war on Finland, Hungary and Rumania. President Roosevelt announced he had personally dispatched peace plea to emperor of Japan.

5—Senate passes largest tax bill in U. S. history. 11—President orders U. S. navy to shoot at Axis ships sighted in "defensive" waters.

6—George Hopkins, parachutist, rescued from top of Devils Tower, Wyo., after six days. 11—Nazi sports seizing Nazi radio stations in Cuba and Greenland.

7—President Roosevelt signs lease-lend bill and flow of arms abroad begins. 12—President Roosevelt asks Congress for \$7,000,000 to aid Britain under lease-lend bill.

8—House passes lease-lend bill, 260-165. 9—Wendell Willkie reaches U. S. after inspection trip to British Isles; backs U. S. aid to Britain.

9—President Roosevelt appoints super mediation board to settle labor disputes; Ford's Lincoln plant in Detroit is shut down because of steel shortage resulting from Midland steel strike.

10—U. S. assumes protection of Danish colony of Greenland. 11—C.I.O. strike against Ford Motor company is settled.

30—More U. S. aid to China would prevent American involvement in Far Eastern war, says Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

February 4—President Batista of Cuba assumes command of army to nip "plot." 6—U. S. and Mexico reach comprehensive "good neighbor" agreement.

March 5—U. S. and Mexico finish negotiation on mutual assistance pact. King Carol of Rumania flees Spain for Portugal.

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8—Joe Louis stops Tony Musto in ninth round of heavyweight battle. Buddy Baer TKO over Tony Galento in seventh round of heavyweight battle.

February 12—Joe Platak wins national handball championship for seventh consecutive year. Boston Bruins win Stanley cup hockey championship, beating Detroit Red Wings.

March 7—Hank Greenberg, star Detroit baseball player, inducted into army. 9—Billy Soose wins world middleweight championship over Ken Overlin.

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SURPRISE ATTACK ON HAWAII



... AND MANILA



TO BOMB SHELTER



AIR RAID WARNINGS ON BOTH COASTS



DEATHS

January 11—Radio and picture comedian Joe Penner. 20—Dame Margaret Lloyd George, wife of British statesman.

February 1—William Gibbs McAdoo, World war secretary of treasury. 9—Red Smoot, former Republican senator from Utah.

March 6—Gutzon Borglum, famous U. S. sculptor. April 2—Count Paul Teleki, premier of Hungary.

June 3—Lou Gehrig, the "Iron Horse" of baseball. 4—Former Kaiser Wilhelm II died at Doorn.

August 1—William R. Davis, internationally known oil man. 7—Bruno Mussolini, second son of Italy's premier.

FOR DEFENSE BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS



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FINIS

The year drew to a close with these important events: December 7—Japanese attack on U. S. is followed by declaration of war.



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**BOVINA NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green and family, of Dumas, spent Christmas holidays visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant and son, of Abilene, visited her mother, Mrs. J. Sam Gaines, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ellison and son, of Cheyenne, Wyo., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ellison, over the holidays.

Miss Bonnie Jean Belew, of Amarillo, spent Christmas holidays with her father, J. B. Belew.

Troy Free, of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Free over the holidays.

Miss Roberta Gaines, of Amarillo, visited last week with her mother, Mrs. J. Sam Gaines.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trimble and family spent Christmas Day in Amarillo with his parents.

Mrs. Stone, of California, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Free, visited here during the holidays.

Mrs. Dick Free, of Dumas, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hinton Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Belew and son, of Santa Fe, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Green last week.

Miss Margaret Baron, of Amarillo, spent the holidays with her parents, Price Floyd, who is in the Army at Brownwood, visited his parents, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Green and son, of Portales, spent Christmas with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stagner, of Clovis, visited in the Ward Thompson home, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Green, of Amarillo, visited his parents here over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Turner and family, of Santa Rosa, spent Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green, of Santa Fe, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Jones, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ingram and daughter motored to Gainsville, Tex., to spend the holidays with her father.

Miss Aletha Hastings, of Vega, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hastings, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes were Christmas visitors with her parents in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jefferson and daughters left Wednesday

morning for East Texas to visit her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hopingardner and family left last Tuesday for Kansas, to visit her sisters over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Parker and daughters of Amarillo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker, the past holidays.

Billie Starr, of Amarillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Starr, spent the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Elliott of El Paso, spent the Yuletide with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Elliott.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Englant and daughter, of California, arrived here Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Englant.

Miss Dottie Dell Quicfel, of Canyon, spent the holidays here with relatives and friends.

Miss Virgie Crowell, of Canyon, visited in the Oren Crowell home during the holidays.

Miss Anna Hastings, of Arizona, visited her parents over the holidays.

Rex Lovelady, of Canyon, visited his parents, during Christmas.

Hubert Davison, of Lubbock, spent Christmas here with his family.

Mrs. Will Parker was on the sick list the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown spent the first part of the week with his parents in Rhea community.

R. T. Harbor, who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported improving.

Jimmie Wilson, of Lubbock, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

Miss Pauline Norton, of Canyon, visited her parents over the holidays.

Miss Eris Norton, of Portales, spent the holidays with her parents here.

Mrs. Cash Richards and children, Mrs. Joann Wines spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farlington.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Thompson, of College Station, visited his parents last week.

Ovy Sisk, of Hoover, Tex., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Lester Rhinehart, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams and family spent Christmas in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glover and son and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Glover and son were Christmas visitors in the Irwin Bryant home, in Amarillo.

Miss June Hart is now employed at the Williams Mercantile.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Venable and children have returned home from Anson, Texas, after visiting her parents over Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Fred Henry is on the sick list.

Miss Mable McCuan, of Canyon, visited her parents over the holidays.

Elmer Pesch of Amarillo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pesch over the holidays.

Leroy Smith, of Hereford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smith, Christmas.

Mrs. Carroll Russell and daughters are visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gaines, of Friona, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Horton, the past holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Farwell, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Womack, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Morgan and daughter, of Plainview, visited in Frank Wilson home the past week.

Miss Lillie Hester visited her parents in Channing, Texas, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brand and family, of California, visited rela-

tives here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hall and family, of Rhea, visited in the Hinton Blalock home, Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Woltman, of Spur, visited her daughter, Mrs. Roy Davies, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kyle, of Spur, were holiday visitors in the Roy Davies home.

Billie Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker, and Jack Kesler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kesler, left Monday for Denver, Colo., to be examined for the Navy, as volunteers.

Mrs. Hubert Ellison was an Amarillo visitor, Wednesday.

Miss Wanda Wilson, of Denver, Colo., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, last week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wines on the birth of a son, David Dean, Friday, Dec. 26. Mr. and Mrs. Wines were former Bovina residents, but now live at Geary, Okla.

**PLEASANT HILL**

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jarrell Sr. spent Christmas in Leveland, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison and children spent their Christmas visiting with relatives in Bovina.

Mrs. Stella Barnes and daughter, of Amarillo, and Viola Jamesston and husband of Okla., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jarrell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hightower to Coleman for the holidays, returning on Saturday.

Miss Maxine Fasholtz, who is a teacher in the Dexter school, is vacationing with relatives here.

Forest Bell, who is attending Tech, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Calvin Saunders and Miss Marjorie Bocox, who is attending ENMC are at home with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bocox.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gallagher and children are here visiting.

Those enjoying Christmas dinner in the Gene Gooch home were Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. R. Snodderly.

Carl Manns, who returned from California recently, spent Christmas with his children, who are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Bell.

Mrs. Minnie Curtis accompanied two of her sisters to Clarendon, Tex., to visit their niece, who is seriously ill.

Miss Bernice McCormick went to the home of her parents, near Dor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Pierce, of Dimmitt, and Mrs. Kimbrough, of Littlefield, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parker and children enjoyed Christmas with his family at Friona.

Ewald Helms, of Amarillo, spent a few hours with J. A. Parker, Christmas Day.

C. W. Whitener and Clarence Jones left Sunday for Hot Springs, for medical treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coldwell and family enjoyed a goose dinner at Clovis, Christmas, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sorrows.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO Helen G. Anderson, and her husband, if married, whose residence is unknown, A. L. Anderson, whose residence is unknown, W. H. Carlton,

whose residence is unknown, and the unknown heirs of the said Helen G. Anderson, and of the said A. L. Anderson, and of the said W. H. Carlton and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 12th day of January, A. D. 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, at the Court House in Farwell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 18th day of November, 1941. The file number of said suit being No. 1129.

The names of the parties in said suit are: The State of Texas, as plaintiff, which brings this suit in behalf of itself, Parmer County, and for the use and benefit of all political subdivisions whose taxes are collected by the Assessor and Collector of taxes for said County, and Helen G. Anderson, and her husband if married, A. L. Anderson, W. H. Carlton, and the unknown heirs of the said Helen G. Anderson, and the unknown heirs of the said A. L. Anderson, and the unknown heirs of the said W. H. Carlton, and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land, are defendants, and said plaintiffs have implored The Farwell Independent School District No. 4, as party defendant, and as the taxes for said school district is collected by the Tax Collector of Parmer County, Texas, the tax claim of said school district is herein set forth; tax units in said State to appear in said cause and for each to file its claim for delinquent taxes against the property, or any part thereof, described in the petition of said plaintiff. The cause of action being alleged as follows:

That suit has been brought by the plaintiffs for the collection of delinquent taxes for the years of 1927-1941, inclusive of interest, penalties and costs, to-wit: \$12.13 for State taxes and \$62.22 for County and District taxes, together with interest, penalties and costs allowed by law.

The amount of such delinquent taxes due on said lot No. 25 being \$10.84 State Taxes and \$22.75 for County Taxes, and \$28.74 for District Taxes for said School District. And the amount of such delinquent taxes on said Lot No. 26 is \$1.29 for State Taxes and \$6.71 for County Taxes, and \$4.02 District Taxes for the said Farwell Independent School District.

Said taxes are due upon the following described lands/ or lots:

Lots Number Twenty-Five (25) and Twenty-Six (26) in Block Number Fifteen (15) in the original Town of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by recorded map or plat of said town of Farwell, Texas, of record in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas, to which said record reference is here made for all purposes.

Plaintiffs allege a prior and constitutional lien upon said land for said taxes, interest, penalties and all costs allowed by law, and pray for the foreclosure of said lien and sale of said lands for the satisfaction of the same.

Each party to said suit shall take notice of, and plead and answer to, all claims and pleadings now on file and hereafter filed in said cause by all other parties therein.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the Town of Farwell, Texas, at office, this the 28 day of November, A. D., 1941.

D. K. ROBERTS, Clerk of the District Court, Parmer County, Texas.

Issued this the 28 day of November, A. D., 1941.

D. K. ROBERTS, Clerk of the District Court, Parmer County, Texas.

(SEAL) WHAT'LL THEY THINK UP NEXT?

Scientists up at Cornell University are working on ways to "put vegetables to sleep". Seems they already do that with apples—since the apple is a living thing, it breathes or takes in oxygen, and respires or gives off carbon dioxide. By controlling the proportions of oxygen and carbon dioxide, they "put the apples to sleep" so that the fruit will keep a year or more.

With vegetables, it's more of a problem, because different vegetables have different breathing rates. But already the Cornell scientists have been able to double the storage period of most vegetables. There is very little water loss and the vegetables remain crisp and turgid.

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# Local Happenings

## 25th Anniversary Is Observed by Lindseys

The culmination of twenty-five years of married life came for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lindsey, of this city, on Christmas Eve, when relatives and friends gathered in the Lindsey home for a turkey dinner served in buffet style.

Married twenty-five years ago on the Chaney homestead near Texico, the Lindseys have lived in or near Farwell during the entire period of their married life, and are well known locally.

In commemoration of the silver anniversary, many lovely gifts were presented Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey by those enjoying the social.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tunnell, all of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Thompson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knowles and family, all of West Camp; Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Wright, of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Brown, of Maybank, Texas; Miss Addie Lee Lindsey, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindsey, all of Lubbock.

## "Prayer For Victory" Program At School

Supt. J. T. Carter, of the Farwell school, announced this week that the school would sponsor an observance of the "Day of Prayer for Victory" on New Year's Day, as proclaimed in the United States by President Roosevelt and in the British Empire by Prime Minister Churchill.

Rev. E. J. Sloan, of the local Methodist church, and Rev. W. C. Wright, of the Baptist church, will direct the service, school officials have announced, and the doors are being opened to any in this community who care to attend.

The "victory" service will begin at 10:30 a. m., on Thursday morning of this week and Supt. Carter urged that all local people attend.

## Party Is Held In Vincent Home

A group of friends gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vincent, last Monday evening, honoring the Vincents on their wedding anniversary.

"Bunco" and "42" were enjoyed throughout the evening. Mrs. Buddy Jones won high score prize and Mrs. Billy Sudderth held the score for low, also winning a prize.

The home was beautifully decorated in the seasonal motif, carrying out the Christmas colors of red and green. A beautiful tree, adorned with lights and decorations and elaborately wrapped gifts piled high was arranged in the living room. The feature attraction was the opening of the many beautiful gifts tendered the host and hostess.

At the close of the evening, the hostess served a red and green salad plate, fruit cake, decorated sandwiches and punch. The plate favors were gay lighted candles in fancy holders. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Pigg, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Magness, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sudderth, Mr. and Mrs. John Tate, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wallace.

Sending regrets were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith and Miss Francis Smith of Clovis, and Miss Norvelle Cooper of Clovis.

## Thirtieth Anniversary Is Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham, of this city, who Saturday passed the thirty-year mark on the ladder of matrimony, were honored with an anniversary dinner that evening, in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Ross, in Clovis.

The table featured an elaborately decorated wedding cake, which, on top of the third tier, bore the bride and groom figurines standing under an arbor of pink rosebuds.

Attending the lovely dinner were Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham and son, Howard, of Farwell; Miss Eunice Graham, of Olton, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross and young daughter, of Clovis.

## Family Reunion Of J. F. Pesch Family

A family reunion was held at the home of J. F. Pesch, on Christmas Day.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hromas and daughter, Evelyn, of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hromas and sons, Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ender and son of Sagerton; Linard Hoppl, Sagerton; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pesch, Texico; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pesch and children, Bovina; Vinton Bolte, Friona; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thane and daughter, Avoca, Texas; Joe Pesch, Texico; Charles Pesch of Diggins; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Bovina; Private Eugene E. Hromas, Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls; and one brother, John Pesch, of Maybank, Texas.

## Here For Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Vane Petree, of Santa Fe, visited during Christmas week with Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Petree and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Justice, of this city. On Monday, the Petrees were accompanied back to Santa Fe by Mr. and Mrs. Justice, who will visit New Mexico's "Christmas city" Madrid, before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roden, of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. John Benger, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness and Gilbert Bolton, all of Friona, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McMillan on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Magness and family spent Christmas with her father, W. L. Daniels, at Luling, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson of Amarillo, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Minnie Leftwich.

Bobby and Jean Anne Hart returned here the latter part of last week, after having spent Christmas visiting their father, in Kansas City.

Mrs. Dovie McGee departed Tuesday for the lower part of the state, where she will spend some time visiting relatives and friends. Her daughter, Miss Euveta Stiles, who has been teaching at Pleasant Hill, has resigned there to accept a position in a consolidated school near Silver City, N. M., and will leave for her work there shortly.

J. D. Peters Jr., who is stationed with the armed forces at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Peters Sr., of Dora, New Mexico, were holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doose, in Texico.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rogers and son returned the latter part of the week from Idalou, Texas, where they had spent the holidays visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Loyce Votaw spent Christmas visiting her husband, Boyd, who is undergoing medical treatment at Carlsbad, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Greene, of Lamesa, spent Christmas visiting in Farwell with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Sprawls and children spent Sunday visiting with relatives in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Leftwich, of Watrous, New Mexico, spent Christmas here with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Leftwich.

Mack Nobles, of Amarillo, visited in Farwell on Wednesday of last week, taking his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Nobles, home with him to spend Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. (Bob) Butler, of Hemet, California, arrived here the past Saturday and will remain through this week, visiting with relatives and old friends.

Lt. Gabe D. Anderson, who had spent the holidays here with his parents, departed the first of the week to resume his duties at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Landrum are here from Mankins, Texas, visiting in the Jim Landrum home.

Miss Kathleen Runnels returned to her home in Wilmont, Calif., shortly before Christmas, after spending two weeks with her father, K. K. Runnels, who ranches southwest of town.

Mrs. Bessie Roush has returned to her home in San Francisco, after spending a few days with her father, K. K. Runnels, southwest of here.

Miss Verna Miller, who has been attending school at Anderson, Indiana, arrived home last week for a holiday visit with home folks.

Miss Jessie Bullock, who is employed in Chicago, came in last week to spend the holidays with relatives and friends locally.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hall had as guests on Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hall of Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ott of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Clovis, and Raymond Hall, of Hobbs.

County Judge Lee Thompson and wife were attending business matters in Lamesa on Monday.

Glen London arrived home this week on a 16-day leave from Fort Knox, Ky., where he has been stationed the past several weeks.

Mrs. P. A. Lee, who is spending the holidays in Los Angeles, writes her family that she is "having the time of her life".

Dick Bobst will leave the last of the week for Lubbock, to enroll in Draughan's Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Harmon, of Happy, visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McElroy in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Doose and family spent Christmas Day in Lubbock with his mother, Mrs. F. J. Doose.

Miss Lovilla Clay returned the last of the week from Shamrock, Texas, where she had spent Christmas with her parents.

Mark Payne, who has been visiting here will leave Friday for Belton to renew his school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Humble and daughters spent the Christmas holidays visiting with friends and relatives in Liberty and Houston, Texas. They returned home via Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Sprawls and family spent Christmas Day with relatives in Lubbock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson, of Three Rivers, Texas, will leave today for their home, after having spent the holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vincent and Miss Frances Smith, the latter of Clovis, have returned home after spending the Christmas holidays with the latter's parents at Childress.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

W. C. Wright, Pastor  
D. J. Brown, S. S. Supt.  
T. A. McCuiston, E. T. U. Director  
Mrs. E. G. Williams, W. M. S. Pres.  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.

Preaching hours, 1:00 a. m., 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer service, Wednesday night 7:30 p. m.

B. T. U. hour, 7:00 p. m.  
W. M. U. each Monday, 3:00 p. m.

At the regular Sunday evening service of the church, Dec. 21, a Christmas program was rendered, a fine crowd being present. At the close of the service an offering was taken for the Children's Home in Portales. Also gifts of food, clothing, toys and candy were placed around the tree for the Home. The cash offering amounted to \$16, with value of other gifts being even more.

The Lottie Moon Christmas offering was also observed, amounting to \$18.60. This Christmas offering, named in honor of Miss Lottie Moon, a pioneer missionary to China, is observed annually by most of the 25,000 Baptist churches in the Southern convention. Last year, through this one offering, over \$380,000 for the support of more than 450 foreign missionaries and enterprises which circle the globe, was given. This work is sponsored in the churches by the Women's Missionary Societies.

The gifts to the children's Home go to support some 60 orphan children who reside there. This Home is owned by the Baptists of New Mexico, but is open to needy orphan children regardless of class or creed. It receives its support not only from Baptists but from friends of every faith throughout the entire country.

The past Sunday's attendance was a little below average due to inclement weather and holiday visitations. Among our visitors, Sunday morning was a group of students from ENMC who rendered a short program of songs.

At the regular Wednesday night prayer service of this week, plans for a church revival this month will be presented and discussed. It is hoped that a good number will be present at this service.

In compliance with the proclamation of President Roosevelt that January 1 be observed as a day of prayer for our nation, the church will cooperate in a special service to be held at the Farwell high school auditorium, Thursday, at 10:30 a. m. The church membership and all of the people are invited and urged to attend this service.

May the pastor take this opportunity to personally and humbly express his gratitude to each and every one for the many kindnesses and courtesies shown him and his family during the Christmas season and other occasions. We have learned to love our new place of service and the people have quickly won a place in our hearts. We are deeply challenged with this new field, desiring and resolving to render a bigger and better service to the entire community, lending our unqualified support to any and every movement that would be the means of uplifting humanity and the making of our community and our world a better, happier place to live.

A few practical New Year's resolutions, which, if adhered to would revolutionize all of our lines:

Resolved that throughout the coming New Year to:  
Attend church regularly.  
Read daily a portion of scripture.  
Observe regularly each day a few moments of silent meditation and prayer.

Render each day at least one small unselfish service for others.

## IMMANUEL EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rhea, Texas  
New Year's Day  
Divine Worship at 10:45 a. m.  
Sunday after New Year:  
Sunday School and Bible class at 2.15 p. m.  
Divine Worship at 3:00 p. m.  
Congregation meeting in the evening.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

Karl W. Keller, Pastor.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 10:00.  
Morning Worship, 11:00.  
League meets at 7:00.  
Evening Worship, 7:45.  
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E. J. Sloan, Pastor

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Lariat, Texas  
Rudolph Weiser, Pastor

New Year's Day: Divine Service 10:30 a. m.

Sunday after New Year's Day:

Sunday School and Bible class 9:45 a. m.

Divine Service, 10:30 a. m.

Instruction, 11:30 a. m.

Waltham League topic study 7 p. m.

You are invited to worship with us.

## The Lutheran Hour

Pointing out that one of every four major crimes is perpetrated by youths under 21, Dr. Walter A. Maier of Concordia Seminary appealed Sunday, in his coast-to-coast Lutheran Hour address, for American fathers more fully to assume the responsibilities of Christian training in the home.

"American fathers," the theologian said, "should realize that God has ordained them to the head of the family, not merely as the breadwinner but as a spiritual leader who will carry out the Scriptural injunction to rear their children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." If outside activities take too much of their time from the home and the guidance of their children, fathers should drop some of these external interests to insure Christian training and Christian example for their boys and girls.

Asserting that many of our present-day evils are traceable to unwillingness of modern religious leaders to go all the way in acclaiming Jesus as God and Saviour, Dr. Maier urged a nation-wide return of the churches to the full acceptance of Christ as the Saviour of the race. The present national emergency, he added, calls particularly for the comforts and strength that Christ as God alone can offer, and he appealed for "pulpits" that echo and re-echo the gospel accepting Jesus as the divine Saviour.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hines and family spent Sunday in Lubbock.

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## January 15th Is Set As Senior Play Date

With rehearsals beginning on Monday of this week, Miss Lynnette Cain, sponsor, said today that the Farwell seniors would present "His Ozark Cousin" in the local auditorium on the night of January 15th.

Taking a new version of a hillbilly play, this time it is the "city dudes" that get the razzing.

Mrs. John Rankin (Billie Sharpe), and her family, Jack (Jim Bob Dow), Glenda (Ella Bee Shelley), and Sue (Onealya Cole), are well to do Ozark residents, who discover that some Eastern relatives are coming to visit them, and knowing that the Easterners will expect "you-all ain't seen nothin' yet" relatives decide to do things up brown by being the best (or the worst) hillbillies ever encountered in the Ozarks—and the results are hilarious to the last curtain.

Other than the Rankin family, the cast includes Ned Richman, a friend of the Rankins, Charles Holland; Fay Kirby, girl-friend, Johnnie Hillhouse; Gary Stark, the handsome newcomer, A. G. Acker; Guy Haines, father of the Eastern cousins, Scott Billingsley; Betsy Haines, his wife, Lenora Birdfield; Randall, their son, Max Wallace; Frances, the daughter, Merle Lovelace; and Uncle Zed Tyler, the only real hillbilly in the bunch, James Martin.

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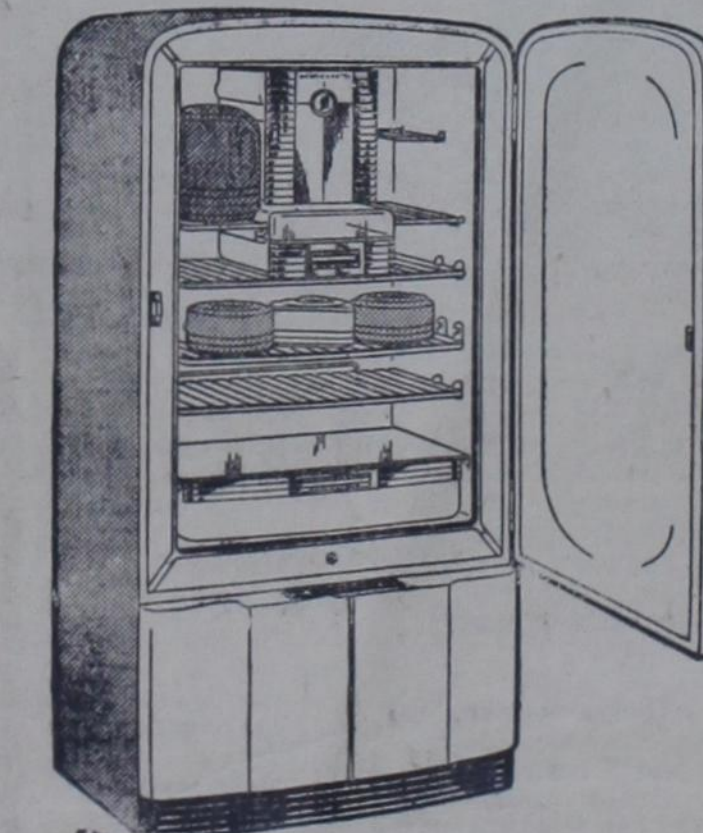
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

# Hitler Takes Over Personal Command Of German Army as Russia Continues To Push Invaders Back on All Fronts; Far East Battle Centers in Philippines

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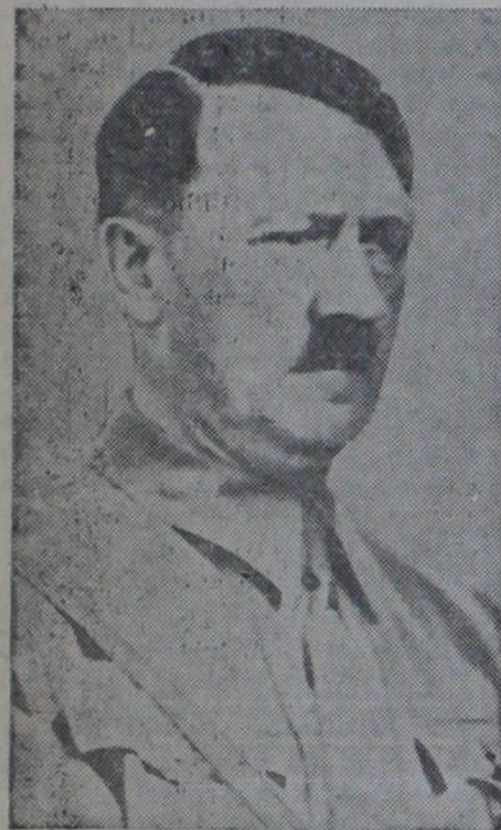
## HITLER:

### Inner Voice

Explaining that he was answering an "inner call," Adolf Hitler took over sole command of the Nazi army because, he said, the Russian war had "exceeded all past notions."

This meant that the former commander-in-chief, Field Marshal Walther von Brauchitsch, was out, as Hitler put it, because of "the vastness of the theater of war" and the manner in which military operations, economic and political war aims were linked.

Berlin circles discounted theories from other world capitals that Von Brauchitsch was dismissed because



ADOLF HITLER  
An 'Inner Voice' Spoke.

of the tie-up resulting from the Russian campaign; But Hitler did say that "the present war is now entering upon a new and favorable stage for us. We are now facing a decision of world-wide importance." Germany's task until spring, he pointed out, was to "hold and defend with fanaticism" what they had already gained.

## EVIDENCE:

### On Russian Front

Both returning American newspaper observers and dispatches from Berlin itself began to hurl the heavy weight of evidence back of the facts that Russia had been informing the world about the inroads the weather was making on German strength and ability to fight and as to the defeat the Nazi armies were suffering.

Two Berlin dispatches had told, first in the Volkischer Beobachter, Hitler's own newspaper, that the "Russians are equal to us as fighters and under some conditions superior"; and, second, that the German soldiers were suffering terribly from the cold.

The second instance was given to the world by Goebbels himself, in opening a campaign, "house to house and apartment to apartment" to collect warm clothing, particularly furs, for the men on the Russian front.

Goebbels had said, in part: "We have done all to equip the army for winter. But winter came too early. Our soldiers will still lack much."

"We must prevent German soldiers from suffering the winter in Norway, Russia or elsewhere."

"The front wants everything the Fatherland can give for defense against this winter which set in so early, earlier than usual."

The American newsmen told of watching the German retreat, of the abandonment of materials, including tanks and guns as the Nazis fled from their advanced Russian positions back over the snow-packed roads. There had seemed to be no diminution of the Russian claims as they added division after division to the list of "those annihilated."

## LIBYA:

### Bright Spot

Another bright spot in the war reports had been the British North African campaign, which had suddenly gone into high gear, and there began to be a repetition of the previous British campaign, which swept across Cyrenaica almost to the doors of Tripoli, and resulted in the taking of an estimated 100,000 prisoners.

This time it was not the Italians, but the Germans, who were fleeing across the desert North African plains along the coast, with the British in hot pursuit.

General Rommel's famous tank divisions, battered and broken, were jamming the roads toward Bengasi, chief German-Italian landing spot for supplies, having abandoned Derna and all the hard-fought-over territory close to the borders of Egypt.

## MANILA:

### Major Thrust

The good news from Russia and Libya had been rather offset by the discouragements and losses of the Far Eastern campaign, and it had become evident that the Japanese attack on the Philippines had been slowly but steadily growing in intensity.

Then came the report that 80 transports of Japanese troops had been sighted off the coast between the port of Lingayen and Manila. These thousands of soldiers meant that the long-expected invasion of the Philippines was under way. U. S. land, sea and air forces then began their defense against this major battle force of Japan.

Lingayen was called by military experts the "gateway to Manila" and because of this a strong defensive force was thrown into action to defend it. First reports told of the United States forces "holding their own." One unconfirmed report told of the sinking of at least one Japanese troop transport.

A landing on Davao made the fourth spot in the islands on which the Japanese had gained at least a temporary foothold.

The Davao landing became the potentially greatest menace against Manila, because it was on the nearby island of Mindanao, largely inhabited by Japanese and Japanese sympathizers.

A hotbed of fifth-columnist activity, Davao had been editorially called Davaochukuo before the outbreak of the war, because Luzon dwellers regarded it as the chief fifth-column threat.

The landing there was believed to have been engineered with the aid of treachery from within. The American troops gave battle to the invaders, but no claims of immediate victory were made, and the landing was said to have been "in considerable force."

## AIRMAN:

### Heads Navy

After a week which had seen rapid shifting about of the American naval and army high command in Hawaii, Washington had made a sudden move which made the supreme commander of the U. S. Navy Admiral Ernest J. King, an air officer.

Previously the command of the Pacific and Asiatic fleets had been



ADMIRAL STARK  
"On the Shelf"

placed in the hands of ship-minded officers, and the air arm had been believed to feel slightly "out of it."

Jubilant reigned in the air force of the navy when Admiral King was placed in supreme command. The appointment had completed the shakeup and a rapid prosecution of the war in the Pacific under Admirals Hart and Nimitz was expected.

As a matter of fact, many observers wondered if the appointment did not place Chief of Operations Admiral Stark "on the shelf" for what duties remained to him were unspecified. Formerly he had been regarded as the navy's supreme commander.

## WILLKIE: To Fore Again?



WENDELL WILLKIE  
Out in Front?

The President, attempting to run the war again with an augmented cabinet which contained no less than 15 persons, was said to be contemplating a supreme war council which would sit with him and under him prosecute the war.

And the reports had been that Wendell Willkie, his 1940 opponent, might be a member of the group. This had been speculation since Willkie lunched with the President, and since a couple of other jobs that were open were not tendered to him.

Those closest to the President believed he had a most prominent place reserved in his mind for Willkie.

In fact, informants as to the President's plans named the following as probable members of a five-man board which would plan the war effort: Willkie, Rear Admiral Leahy, minister to Vichy, former head of the navy, former governor of Puerto Rico, Vice President Wallace, now also head of the SPAB which runs priorities, Philip Murray, head of the C.I.O.

## SHORTAGES:

### Looming in U. S.

In addition to the tire rationing which was imminent, and the tire prohibition which preceded it, the government saw other shortages looming in 1942.

Among them, it was said, would be a shortage of electric power. Such a lack, it was declared, "seemed practically certain in 1942 and 1943" in some sections of the country, including the Southeast, the Southwest, the Pacific coast and part of the Middle West.

Householders were warned to be parsimonious in their use of electricity.

Blackouts of all non-essential lighting, including many store signs, were predicted.

## HONGKONG:

### 'Sacrificial'

A band of British and Hindu and Canadian defenders of Hongkong were termed a "sacrificial garrison" in dispatches telling of the last-ditch fight to hold the island stronghold at the north end of the China sea.

Chief hope of the defenders rested on the Chinese, and oddly enough the Chinese were the chief menace to the defenders.

Bearing out the former statement, the Chinese soldiers were driving southward from the East river, past Tamshui and Pingshan, within a few miles of the rear of the Japanese who had occupied Taipo and Kowloon on the Hongkong mainland side.

That this attack would be successful and divert enough Japanese power from the Hongkong front to change defeat into victory for the British was the chief hope of the defenders.

Bearing out the second statement was the fact that several hundred thousand Chinese refugees from the mainland, having no other direction in which to flee, had gone over the half-mile of water to Hongkong, where they were jamming the already crowded island and seriously menacing supplies of food, water and shelter.

These refugees were regarded as almost equal in endangering the defending garrison as were the Japanese guns and bayonets.

## SUBMARINES:

### Versus Submarines

Almost simultaneously with reports from our navy of the sinking of at least two Japanese vessels by our own submarines, and the expressed belief that the navy was beginning the long process of blockading Japanese shipping came reports of attacks by Jap submarines on our shipping along the California coast.

Three vessels had been reported attacked, one escaping and one apparently being hit, though the fate of the third was not at once clear.

Two of them were oil tankers, the Emidio and the Agriworld. The latter vessel was said to have escaped and the former to have been hit and to have sent out an SOS.

The navy was not telling the world where its submarines were moving about, but Japan admitted about "20 U. S. undersea boats" were operating in waters close to Japan and that their shipping was being menaced.



## FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

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**Cleaning Rugs and Upholstery**  
SOILED carpets, rugs and upholstery can be cleaned by shampooing with soap jelly. Ordinary soiling will come out easily, but other methods should be used for obstinate and unusual stains. These may call for professional work. Further, shampooing should be applied only to fabrics of which the colors are fast.

The jelly is made of chips or flakes of pure and mild soap; the kind of soap that is used for fine laundering. Four cups are put in a bowl or wide-mouthed jar, and one cup of water is added. The jelly will form within an hour. A portion of the jelly is put into a mixing bowl and beaten with an egg-beater, which will raise suds as stiff as whipped cream. Using a soft brush, jelly is worked on the fabric in a space 12 inches or so across. After a few minutes for the loosening of the dirt, the space is wiped with a cloth damp with clear water, and with a stiffer brush, the nap is brushed in its proper direction. An adjoining space should then be cleaned.

The suds are so dry that upholstery fabric will not be soaked, as would be the case with soapsuds as usually used. After cleaning, the fabric should be quickly dried. A rug can be supported on boxes and chairs, so that air can get at the back as well as the front.

**Mounting Maps**  
There have been few times when maps have been studied to the extent that they now are; maps of Europe, Africa, the Near and Far East, as well as the parts of the world not at present involved in war. For a map to be useful, it should be mounted on a stiff support. One-eighth plywood, is excellent. The first step in mounting is to lay the map on the plywood, and to mark the positions of the four corners. The plywood is then given a coat of shellac on both sides and on the edges. When this is dry, another coat of shellac is applied, the map is rolled up, and one of its ends is laid down with the corners on the marks. With the worker leaning over the board, the rest of the map is then thrown over the head, to be supported by it. The rest of the map is then quickly laid on the damp shellac, and smoothed with the two hands, which are free. As soon as the map is down, it should be gone over with a stiff brush, working from the center toward the edges, to push out air bubbles that may have been caught. Should any remain, they can be disposed of through a pin hole in the paper in the center of the bulge.

**Room Decoration**  
Question: A study used by four people has a white ceiling; walls are light blue, and window frames are light yellow. Walls and ceiling are dirty and should be done over. The room is 11 feet square. In redecorating, what colors would make the room appear larger?

Answer: A light room will seem larger than if finished in dark colors. Had I your problem I should use one single light color for everything; ceiling and woodwork as well as walls. My choice would be light ivory or a pastel shade. Colors to relieve the monotony could be in curtains and upholstery.

**Floor Cleaning**  
Question: Good oak floors are discolored and revarnished. How can I clean them and make them light? How can I clean stair treads? Sanding would be expensive.

Answer: At a hardware store you can get an alkali powder to be mixed with water that will take off the varnish and the discolorations. Directions on the label of the box should be carefully followed.

**Floor Finish**  
Question: What would make a good finish for a newly sanded oak floor? We dislike varnish.

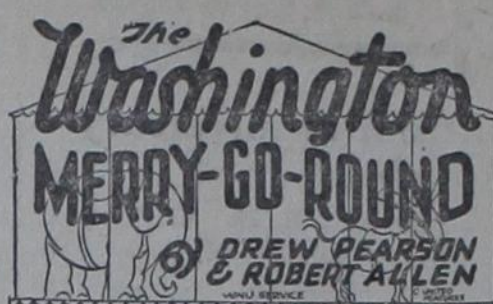
Answer: Use a treatment called a seal, which soaks into the wood and becomes part of the surface, rather than lying on it. Any good paint store should have a sealing liquid. If you want to, you can finish it with wax.

**White Paint on Red**  
Question: How can I give a white finish to a red seat without the red coming through?

Answer: Take off all present finish with paint remover, which will also take out much of the red. The remainder can be sealed in with one or two coats of aluminum paint, to be finished with white enamel.

**Alcohol Stain**  
Question: What will remove white spots left on my walnut bed by spilled alcohol?

Answer: Rub with camphorated oil, or use scratchless cleaning powder moistened with household oil, rubbed on with your finger tip.



Washington, D. C.

## MONEY CONTROL

Money—capital—is headed for early, far-reaching controls by the U. S. government. Those controls will be much different from those employed in World War I.

So far, practically every other phase of U. S. economy has been marshalled to the defense of the nation. / But because there has been no immediate shortage of money as such, capital has been left alone. This will be changed in the near future.

A significant hint of what is in the offing was contained in a recent little-noticed speech in Detroit by Ganson Purcell, crack young member of the Securities and Exchange commission. This is the outline of the control program under consideration in inner defense circles:

There will be no private capital issues committees in various cities as in the last war. Instead, there will be a single inter-departmental committee composed of treasury, SEC, RFC, Federal Reserve and other U. S. financial officials.

Object of this committee will be not to prevent the investment of capital in stocks and bonds of non-defense projects (because priorities lists make such investments useless), but to "patrol" the financial practices of corporations so as to direct as much of their earnings as possible into the defense program.

For example: A ceiling may be put on corporation salaries in order to compel firms to build up reserves and prevent officers from offsetting personal income taxes by boosting their pay checks.

Ceilings also may be put on dividends so that defense profits above a "reasonable" limit would be available for additional defense plant expansion or the purchase of government bonds to finance the war. Also, such reserves may be needed after the war to enable corporations to readjust their affairs to peace-time production.

Problems of capital control are great and complex, but defense authorities consider them vitally essential. Prior to the sudden outbreak of the Japanese conflict, the subject had been under quiet consideration for some time and tentative plans had been mapped out. With the nation engaged in war and confronted with the necessity of at least tripling previous defense appropriations, the regulation of capital becomes an urgently immediate requirement.

Every business man, banker and broker may expect early government action.

## 'POLITICAL TRUCE'??

Democratic chiefs may be reading a lot more into the wartime "political truce" with the GOP than actually is warranted.

If the Democrats figure that the exchange of cordial telegrams between Democratic National Chairman Ed Flynn and Republican National Chairman Joe Martin mean the G.O.P. will abandon plans for a vigorous 1942 campaign, they've got another think coming.

Martin has no thought of laying off campaign activity. He considers that his reply to Flynn means only cessation of partisanship in congressional consideration of administration measures to wage the war. That is the sole extent of the "political truce."

In fact, behind the scenes, Martin already is busy putting both the national committee and the Republican congressional campaign committee in shape for a knock-down fight against the Democrats next year.

Martin's objective is to capture the house and strengthen the G.O.P. in the senate as the foundation stone for a Republican presidential victory in 1944.

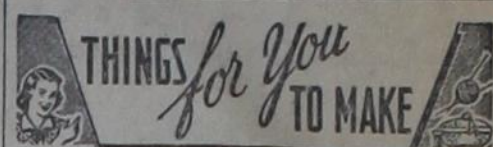
Until recently, Martin's ambitious plans were sorely handicapped by lack of funds. But this problem has been solved by two angels who have come to his financial rescue—Pennsylvania oil millionaire Joseph Pew and Pennsylvania steel millionaire Ernest T. Weir. They have agreed to fork over personally, and also to obtain other contributions.

## MERRY-GO-ROUND

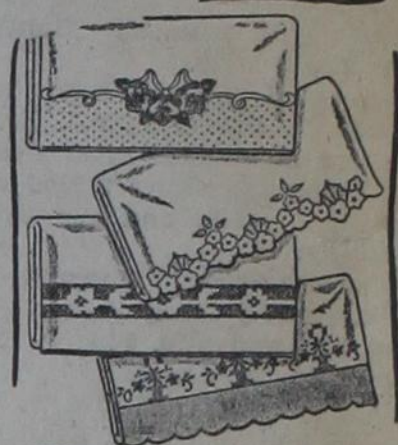
Insiders are crediting Federal Security Administrator Paul McNutt with an important victory in the appointment of Watson B. Miller as head of the Old Age Insurance bureau of the Social Security board. Miller, close friend of McNutt and former rehabilitation director of the American Legion, replaces John J. Corson, who was shunted to another job at \$1,000 a year less pay.

The state department will soon issue a new Black List of firms doing business with the Axis. On it will be some American citizens who failed to heed repeated warnings.

Heavy-browed "Denny" Lewis, brother of John L. and head of the United Construction Workers, is taking no chances since the slugging his henchmen staged at the recent C.I.O. convention in Detroit. "Denny" has a hulking bodyguard close at hand in his Washington office. At Detroit "Denny" was always surrounded by a squad of strongarm men.



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## It Got Him

Hardboil—What are you looking so sheepish about this morning? Ballyhooy—I couldn't sleep and counted 'em all night.

## Assumed

"Do you think you could learn to love me?"  
"Perhaps. But if I were a man, I'd hate to think I was an acquired taste."

A silent man often has a reputation for knowing about ten times as much as he really does know.

## Off Pitch

Ben—I'm continually breaking into song.  
Glady's—You wouldn't have to break in if you get the key.

## Well Described

As Sandy walked slowly down the village street two of his old friends looked on sadly.

"Man, Sandy's lookin' awful white and thin these days," said the first.  
The second shook his head dolefully. "Ay, ye're right," he replied. "He's just like a bottle o' milk w' shoes on!"

## On Wrong Trail

A Negro preacher was hearing confession. In the middle of it he stopped the young sinner.  
"Young man," he said, "you ain't confessin'—you's braggin'."

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## That Nagging Backache

### May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fall to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.  
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## HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

Washington: The United States has more than 90 monitoring radio stations listening constantly for signals that might be endangering the country's war effort, it was revealed.

Sackett's Harbor, N. Y.: The USO opened a radio station "broadcasting by soldiers for soldiers"—first in the country. It was predicted that they would be opened at all camps.

Washington: The FBI cautioned auto owners to protect their cars better against thieves since the tire shortage had made them more attractive as booty.

London: One hundred thousand bomb and shell fillers in ordnance factories in Britain sent birthday greetings to Josef Stalin of Russia on his sixty-second birthday, according to official news sources.



Washington Digest

Farmer Has a Vital Role In Helping to Win War

Repairing of Machinery, Conservation, and Improved Farm Gardens Listed as Best Methods of Aiding in Emergency.

By BAUKHAGE

National Farm and Home Hour Commentator.



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America's two important weapons against her enemies in the long war we see ahead of us today are the assembly line and the farm. In Washington in the department of agriculture a war cabinet has been created for Secretary Wickard made up of the heads of the action-agencies—the agencies that are created to help the farmer do things.

"We, in Washington, can't do a thing by ourselves," said an official to me. "We can't grow a bushel of wheat or raise a peck of corn. But we can line up behind the department's field men to help the farmer in this emergency. We are now organized to put our maximum effort into that kind of help."

The three most important things for the farmer to do now, according to Washington officials, are:

1—Repair Machinery

First, get agricultural machinery repaired. SPAB has allocated material for repair parts. There is no sign that these allocations will be cut down but there is no chance of increasing them. The farmers got out record crops in 1940 and 1941 with their old machinery. They can't do it a third year unless that old machinery is repaired now. And if it isn't repaired now it won't be ready for spring.

2—Conservation

The second important word for the farmer is conservation. Get every piece of scrap metal off the farm and into the hands of the junk man. Watch your bagging. Remember we import jute and there is likely to be decided shortages. Cotton can't entirely fill the gap because the machines making heavy cotton materials are being utilized by the army. Save waste paper, too. (This column is being written on the back of a mimeographed newspaper release.)

3—The Farm Garden

And here is a third reminder: The farm garden. Remember that there is a sharp shortage on tin-plate. Everything in the way of food that you can preserve for yourself saves the need of cans. Not only the things that you can put in glass jars but also root crops which can be stored without the use of containers—carrots and turnips and cabbages, too.

So much for what the farmer is expected to do. Now what is going to be done to the farmer?

In the first place he is going to be asked to produce more with less help. Secretary Wickard says that goals in the "food-for-freedom" program are just about right but that they have to be reassayed in the light of the war with the Axis. Here are some of the main changes:

First of all, because we are going to be a harder-working nation, on the home front and elsewhere, an increased amount of vitamin-contained strength-bringing vegetables will be needed.

The sugar situation will have to be considered very carefully. We may lose imports of a potential million tons from the Philippines. The Hawaiian islands as a sugar source are uncertain. Much of the Cuban sugar will have to be turned into industrial alcohol. As to production on the continent, the labor situation—of which I shall say more later—cuts deeply into that program, for sugar labor is always rapidly absorbed by competing interests.

The supply of oils and fats is another problem which may require a reassaying of the food-for-freedom program. Fats and oils make up a heavy import from the East Indies. They represent essentials as food and also for manufacture—the oils which go into the glycerin products for explosives, the drying oils for paints, for instance.

Farm Labor Problem

Of course, the worst problem the farmer has to face, and the one that must be solved before those I have already mentioned, is the labor problem.

Young, strong, mechanically minded young men are the backbone of the successful farm. Young, strong, mechanically minded young men are the backbone of a successful army. Especially a modern army. The same segment of the population is also needed in industry.

This brings us back to the question of machinery. Farm machinery is more important than it ever was. We know that as Vice President Wallace pointed out to me the other day, and as the last two years' records show, farmers can always increase their output a lot without buying new machinery if the market justifies it and if they have manual labor. But they can expand their production only so far without either more labor or more machines and they can work the old machine only so far before it breaks down, unless it has particular care.

The farmers of America are being called upon to do agriculture's biggest job in history. They need all the machines that can be spared from the factories now building tanks and other supplies. They need labor to take the place of the boys called from the farm to the factory and the battlefield.

Land Army of Women?

Already efforts are being made to fill the demand. Among others, Mrs. Roosevelt's land army of women, as one official puts it, does not look as funny as it did when the idea was first put forth. But at this writing I have been unable to learn anything further of the plans for a land army of women from civilian defense headquarters here. And it has to be a trained army before it can help the farmer.

What steps are being taken to replace the brain and brawn which the war is taking away from the farm?

The department of agriculture is working with county committees and defense boards to establish closer co-operation with national, state and local employment service. The farm placement organization has been expanded.

Farm placement services are being set up in 11 regions. Within these 11 groups of states, placement representatives are being appointed. Federal Security Administrator Paul McNutt has sent out a call for specialists in farm-job problems. He expects to install one in each of the nation's 1,500 full-time state employment offices.

Although I cannot state anything official on the subject at present it can be safely predicted that congress will be asked for additional appropriations for adult education in agriculture.

As this is being written efforts are being made to obtain a ruling from the Selective Service administration which would put skilled farm laborers on the same basis when considered for deferment from the draft as are skilled industrial workers.

Here's an Answer With Logic Aplenty

A neuropsychiatrist on one of the Medical Advisory boards had occasion to examine a registrant from one of the county local boards. The doctor passed him.

But when the registrant was sent to Fort Snelling for induction, he was rejected by a neuropsychiatrist there as being neurotic. The local board, thinking the doctor who originally passed the man would be interested, notified him to that effect.

The doctor was curious as to the reason, and asked the local board to send the registrant to see him again.

"So they wouldn't take you at Fort Snelling," Dr. Kamman said. "Nah," the registrant replied. "One of those nervous doctors threw me out. Asked me a couple of fool questions and wouldn't pass me."

"And what did he ask you?" Dr. Kamman inquired.

"Well, first he asked me, 'What would you do if one of your ears was shot off?'"

"So I said, 'Guess I maybe couldn't hear very well.'"

"Then he said, 'And what would you do if both ears were shot off?'"

"So I told him, 'Then I guess I couldn't see so good.'"

Even Dr. Kamman hesitated at this one. Then he ventured, "After all, that was kind of an odd answer. What in the world made you say a thing like that?"

The registrant was affronted. He explained patiently, "Well, if both ears were shot off, my hat would fall down over my face, and then I couldn't see."

Kathleen Norris Says:

Happy Marriage Demands Character

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)



My husband began telling me of a pretty girl in an adjoining office. All the men were crazy about her. When I expressed the hope she would soon marry he said gloomily she had admitted she loved him.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

WHEN a man is mentally defective, girls perceive his affliction, and nobody wants to marry him. But when he is morally deficient there seems to be no way of seeing it in time.

There ought to be. There ought to be questionnaires and tests for the husband-to-be, simple questions as to whether he respected the truth, knew anything about the responsibilities of marriage and was prepared for its inevitable concessions and sacrifices.

For the happiest marriage is a matter of generous adjustments, and is bound to have its dark, difficult and bewildered moments. Successful marriage is no accident; it is a lifework. It demands courage and character.

From his very early days a boy ought to be trained to think of his marriage. He ought to be told that he will owe his wife honesty and faithfulness. To be sure, the wedding service stresses this, in the words "for better or worse, in sickness and in health." But if back of that pledge there is no home influence, extended over years and years, to implement that promise, it means nothing.

Don't Forget Marriage.

You mothers who are so anxious about your small boys' teeth and manners, the schools they attend and the friends they make, don't forget to include in your education and care of them an occasional serious talk about marriage.

If men were schooled to simple decency in marriage I could not receive such a letter as came to me this week from "Daphne."

"I am in real trouble and I honestly don't know what to do," writes Daphne. "I have been married three years, and am 23. Billy, my husband, is 27; he is steady, works in an automobile-parts shop and makes a good salary. We have a little boy 15 months old, and I am expecting another child in February. My parents live 700 miles away in a small village, I am the only child. We knew Billy for some years before I was engaged to him. I have loved him from my sixteenth year."

"After Alan was born he acted rather queerly, seemed quiet and went out alone a good deal, and finally confessed to me that he had 'fallen hard' for a woman some years older than he, a divorced woman who had worked in the office. She had, however, married again, and Billy's infatuation had cooled. He explained his straying away by saying that at home it was all 'dust, dummies, dishes and babytalk,' and no man liked that."

Shuns Responsibility.

"Well, after that I did all I could to be interesting and keep the house pleasant, and our baby was, and is, an angel, no trouble at all, and almost no crying. Billy says he likes the baby, occasionally throws him about or brings him a toy, but he assumes no responsibility for him. We employ a colored girl of 15, who will sit with Alan evenings and help me after school hours."

"We decided that Alan must have a companion; we both wanted a girl baby. I love children and always have wanted them. At first Billy was nice about it, saying that we would have our family young and enjoy them together, but about three months ago he once again began to

MESSAGE FOR HUSBANDS

Most of Kathleen Norris's messages are addressed to wives; but here's one for their husbands. A girl who wouldn't think of marrying a man who is mentally or physically defective, will not hesitate to marry one who has never learned to accept the moral responsibilities of marriage. Perhaps she is not to be blamed for that. It isn't easy to judge a man you have seen only at his best. So it is really up to the mothers and fathers of future husbands to give them the moral background they need, so that they will bring to marriage the decency, courage and sense of responsibility without which that marriage has no chance of being a happy one.

seem absent-minded and depressed, and I recognized the symptoms of another affair.

"Pretty soon he began to tell me about Marian, a pretty saucy girl in an adjoining office, who had all the men crazy about her. I hoped, as in Carmen's case, that she would soon marry, too, but when I expressed the idea Billy told me gloomily that she wouldn't, she had admitted that she loved him. She is just 18, has a flighty three-times divorced mother, and I suppose thinks that handsome Billy is fair game, babies or no babies."

"This was a terrible blow to me, for his manner indicated that he was well-pleased with the idea; but worse followed. Yesterday, Monday morning, I received in the mail a letter from him saying that he is not coming home again; he is staying with Marion and her mother in an apartment hotel. He says he has never really loved me, that it was all a mistake, that his mother will take Alan and I must go to my mother until the new baby comes, and that a lawyer has told him that all he need allow me is \$15 a week. He says he will send that only if I agree to a divorce."

"The shock of this has made me frightfully nervous and I don't know what to do. I don't believe his mother would take Alan, for she lives with a married daughter who is not strong. But what arguments can I use to bring Billy back, and what is your opinion of him?"

Refuses to Divorce Him.

My opinion of Billy could hardly be printed in a family paper. The writer of this letter lives in Sacramento, Calif., less than a hundred miles away from me, and my answer was to drive up and see her and have a personal talk. Shortly afterward she stored her furniture and went with her small boy to live with her mother and father, and the courts have told Billy to send her \$75 a month. She intends never to grant him a divorce, and so the matter will stand at a deadlock for a long time.

But the misery of it, the heart-break and tears and loneliness and sense of failure can't be cured by any such solution as that. Daphne took all a girl's dreams and hopes into her married life. She loved her little home, her husband, her first baby.

There's no cure for a man like that. If this had come after 12, 15 years of marriage there might be. He might then have lost his senses for a while, only to recover and begin to realize the value of what he had tried to throw away.

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Uncle Phil Says:

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Or What You're After

It's not much good being a "go-getter" if you don't know where you are going.

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A CYCLE OF HUMAN BETTERMENT

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JOIN THE CIRCLE READ THE ADS

BRIEFS . . . By Baukhage

The following letter has been received by the department of agriculture: "I would like to get some advice on poultry concerning ducks. I lost 2 ducks and it looks like I am going to loose the rest. I had 5 to start with. The 3 one seems to have the same as the others they get so full of water then it looks like there is no hope please send me some advice by return mail."

Cecil Davidson, 18-year-old farm boy of Moore county, Texas, has built himself an adobe house for \$120, the department of agriculture reports. The young man is a sophomore at the West Texas State college, and worked on the structure during his summer vacation and week-ends. Davidson used 2,000 hand-made adobe bricks in the undertaking.



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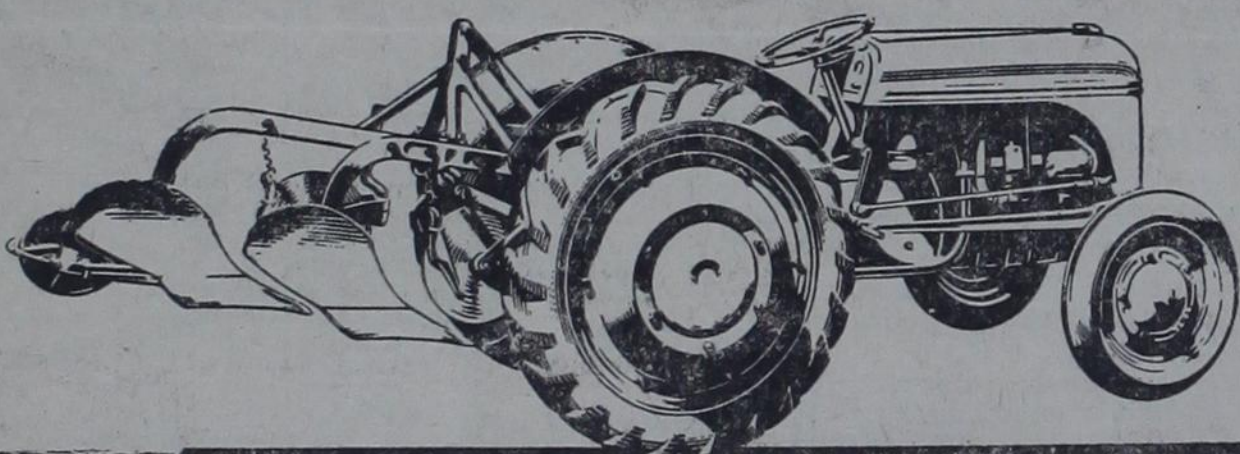
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## Demonstration Club Notes

**Help Your Neighbor Club**  
The club met December 18th in regular session in the home of Mrs. J. T. Walker. A comfort was tacked for the hostess. Several members were present, and refreshments of cake and cocoa served. The club also presented Mrs. Kenneth Wise with a very lovely shower. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. C. R. Hurst. Everyone is invited.

They also presented Mrs. J. B. Daniel with a farewell shower, as she is leaving for her new home in Missouri. The club sends its regrets as she was a true member, but wishes her lots of happiness in her new home.

- Schedule for January**
- January 2: Office.
  - January 5: Radio broadcast 8:00; Oklahoma Lane 4-H clubs, 10:30.
  - January 6: Lakeview 4-H club.
  - January 7: Training school for club reporters.
  - January 8: Midway and Lazbuddy 4-H clubs.
  - January 9: Garden co-op meeting, Bovina, 2:30.
  - January 10: Office.
  - January 12: Farwell 4-H club.
  - January 13: Bovina and Friona 4-H clubs.
  - January 14: Office.
  - January 15: Midway home demon-

- stration club.
- January 16: Oklahoma Lane home club.
- January 17: Office.
- January 19: Radio broadcast, 8.
- January 20: Rhea home demonstration club.
- January 21: Live-at-Home demonstration club.
- January 22: Bovina home demonstration club.
- January 23: Hub home demonstration club.
- January 24: County council, Friona, 2:30.
- January 26: Radio broadcast, 8.
- January 27: Lakeview home demonstration club.
- January 28: Parmerton home demonstration club.

### CONFERENCE GAMES ARE ARRANGED FOR LOCALS

Two conference games, the first of the 1941-42 season, will be played on the local court Friday night of this week, when the Farwell cagers entertain the Lazbuddy players. Coaches Jeff Hooper and Velna Sheriff reported today.

At this time, little information on the calibre of the visitors was available, local officials admitted. However, it is understood that the Lazbuddy boys lost to Oklahoma Lane, that team defeated Friona, and Friona then was smacked down by Farwell, which may or may not give some indication toward the result of the coming game.

The Farwell girls, mostly greenhands at the game, probably face the toughest match, but no statistics were on hand, Coach Sheriff said.

The first game of the evening will begin at 7:30, and as the locals play for keeps Friday night, officials are urging a good attendance.

**Play Bovina Tuesday**  
The boys will likewise stage a conference match on Tuesday night of next week, while the girls will be left behind, as Bovina has dropped girls' cage activity from its sports calendar.

### HIGHLIGHTS OF '41

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Foster and Mary D. Christian, also of Oklahoma Lane, were named Gold Star clubbers, and Foster, Gilbert Watkins, Wendell Christian and Leon Grissom received medals for outstanding dairy cattle work. C. L. Calaway also received recognition in meat cattle demonstration.

The Farwell FFA group put itself on the map by taking first place in booth exhibits both at the Bi-State and Tri-State Fairs. In addition, the shop team placed 1st in the district, while Lazbuddy came in second and Friona ranked fourth.

The Texico poultry team won first in a judging contest at Portales, with the dairy judging group placing second. John Hadley, young Texico farmer, carried off the blue ribbons at the Bi-State Fair with his Shorthorn entries.

Only two fires of any consequence occurred in this immediate community. The first was the burning of the Claude White home near Farwell, when the family lost practically all household and personal effects. The other blaze was at the Roberts Elevator, when some 75 tons of hay were destroyed.

**Mitzenfeldt Sentenced**  
The biggest criminal case of the year involved the sentencing of Richard Mitzenfeldt, Clarence Ingram and Charles Wilson (negroes) for the alleged attempted murder of Wanda Lee Martin, on December 27, 1940. Mitzenfeldt was sentenced to 25 years, while the Negroes drew 15 year sentences each.

Three car wrecks during the year brought tragedy into local homes. Miss DeLaura Williams and her brother, Duncan, were involved in an accident in California, from which Miss Williams never recovered. Brice Bullock, Texico farmer, died instantly in a collision near Farwell, while Ebone Allison, driver of the other car, sustained critical injuries and was not out of danger for many days.

The latest of the accidents occurred just a few weeks ago, when Greer Hughes, Texico, was killed near Fort Sumner. E. F. Jokey was badly injured in a wreck near Clovis a short time ago, but is able to be out.

**Largest Class Graduates**  
The largest class ever to receive diplomas from the Farwell high school finished in May, with 28 in the group. The Bovina class was also exceptionally large, with 23.

Rev. W. T. North, who for several years had served as pastor of the local Baptist church, accepted a call to the Peacock, Tex., pastorate, and Rev. W. C. Wright moved here.

Recognition night was held at the Farwell school; women of the town began discussing the pros and cons of cotton stockings; and the only local twins of 1941 were born to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hooper in December.

Defense classes in training for metal working and mechanics were held at both local schools. The annual stock show at Friona drew a large crowd, and the quality of the animals was unusual.

**Boy Is Drowned**  
The only Farmer county casualty from the heavy rains came when Walter Andrew Wright, of Lazbuddy, and the horse which was "towing" him across a large surface lake, both went down in the muddy water.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel was elected to a senatorial position from Texas, in a special election held following the death of Morris Sheppard. The first T-P home was finished near Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Mose Glasscock moved in.

Improvements were made on the Texico-Hollene road and additional REA lines built in the county. Farmers of the county became interested in eradicating Bang's disease among cattle, and started tests. The first cotton stamps were received by Geo. W. Magness.

A. E. Cade attempted suicide in the Bovina depot, and was later removed to Leflore, Texas, to face a charge of killing Constable Bill Cumberland. The first state-wide blockout was held in New Mexico.

Two changes were made at the schools, with Farwell voting in the 12-grade system, while a hot lunch project was installed at Texico. A cafeteria garden was started for the Farwell cafeteria, but when WPA aid was withdrawn, the project came to an untimely end.

Soy beans were planted in Farmer county, and a Boy Scout troop organized in Farwell. Women over the county "pitched in" on Red Cross sewing; the Farmer school property, lying in Andrews and Gaines counties, was leased to an oil company for a neat return to the schools.

A weather recording device was picked up by Hugo Kleeman, near Texico; the Friona Star was sold to the Hereford Brand; one of Farwell's oldest families, the R. A. Hawkins, moved away; and Mrs. H. Arncid, Texico commercial teacher, appeared on the state program.

**Sports Are Noted**  
In the basketball tournament, the Friona boys and Lazbuddy girls were champs; the Texico grade players won the Curry meet; Price Brookfield, former Friona Star, now of WT, was named captain and forward of the All-American basketball team.

The Oklahoma Lane volleyball girls won the county and district,

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and Frank Thompson, though in the Army, continued to burn up the course in track meets. The Texico softball boys won the grade tournament, and the youngsters also took the county track meet.

**Numerous Deaths**  
The sudden death of J. H. Martin, former sheriff, was one of the most shocking to this county, while probably the most tragic death was that of John Paul Vinyard, nephew of W. W. Vinyard of this city, who died in a plane crash just after getting his "wings".

Other deaths included: Mrs. B. R. Taylor, former resident; both Mr. and Mrs. H. C. White, only three months apart; Mrs. Murice Jauss; C. M. Kelly, former resident; John L. Herrington; C. C. Norton; Alexander Brown; Mrs. Wm. Krietzburg; Mr. Pearl Eva Eberting; Virgil A. Nowell; Howard Lee Cannon, who was killed and burned in a car crash;

Mrs. John White, wife of the Friona editor; L. O. Sullinger; Mrs. L. Rinda B. Englant; Judge Harry L. Patton of Clovis, well known here; Floyd H. Cummins, suicide victim; Mrs. Mary Frances Whitley; Mrs. Nat Jones, found dead in her home in Friona; W. C. Jones, of Lubbock, killed in a car wreck near Bovina; Rev. Amos S. Holmes, Bovina pastor; Bryan Singleterry of Pleasant Hill; Mrs. Martha Helen Lamisco; Mrs. Ida M. Kelly, Mrs. T. H. Dillard, Mrs. Charles A. Edgerton and R. D. (Bob) Williams.

**Social Events**  
In the social calendar, outstanding events were the 25th wedding anniversaries of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kaltwasser; the 10th anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. V. Scott Johnson; the 30th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast; the 17th of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hulsey, and the 31st of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Matthews.

Clay Jernigan (Mrs. Harley Busanmas) was voted bathing beauty at WT; and the Frank Foster family held a reunion, with all members gathered for the first time in 27 years. Grandma Snell, bedridden for a number of years, celebrated her 94th birthday with a party at her home.

Joe Blair was elected head of the Texico alumni, and Mrs. Mary Kiersey, grand matron of District 2 of the Texas Chapter of Eastern Star, was a notable visitor at the Bovina chapter.

**Weddings**  
The following weddings were listed in The Tribune:

Arline Wegman to Cecil Winegert; Azleet Randol to Grayson Roberts; Juanita Baldock to Gordon Bennett; Faye Thompson and Edwin Allen; Emily Minter and Lt. John Foster Beall; Margaret Hamley and W. H. Minter; Polly Glasscock to R. A. Cantrell; Nelle Elliott to Raymond Young; Baylor Triplett Jr. to Edwina Gean; Nora Jones to Fred C. Tharp; Juanita Pursley and Lloyd Roberts; Hope McClain and Harold C. King;

Nova McGuire to Charles A. Robertson; Abie Graham and Vance Crume; Marguerite Smith to R. L. Day Jr.; Paul Grant to Nina Mae Parish; Marjorie Hughes to Clark Selman; Cora Belle Page to Joe Bates Jennigs; Madaline Randol and A. J. Adams; Willa Mars and Tilon G. White; Jimmie Overstreet

and Natalie Davis; Louise Palmer to Wesley Ingram; Alice Petty to Glen Bell; Edith Berry and Wesley Osborne; Minnie Mae Coffman and Woodrow Glasscock; Mary Lea Carrington and Van Crume;

Glenda Roberts to Vaiton Morris; Allene Thompson to Therman Chandler; Vivian Eason to Jerry Lloyd Brand; Vera Mae Taylor to Alden W. Woodward; Zena Belle Roberts and R. Kendrick Green; Maurine Tandy and Ollie Smith; Pauline Taylor and Howard Fincher; Geraldine Walker and Ermon Miller; Elsie Gholson and Walter C. Hadley; Eilene Randol and Leon Cantrell; Coystal Tabor to Harley Stone;

Anna Bell Cranfill to Wydett Fourmentin; Maudie Leach to Truman E. Daniel; Clay Jernigan to Harley J. Busanmas; Blanche Blurton to Dale Collins; Pat Bagley to Floyd Preston Miles; Eillie Briscoe to Merriman Vise; Imogen McDonald to R. L. Mullins; Mildred Carter and Edward T. Harrison; Ella Onete Bellar and Paul G. Parks; Allie Henderson and Aubrey Willard; Lola Jean Smith to William Howard Ham, Jr.; Fern Hammonds to D. O. Hobson Jr.;

Cozie Burke and Wayne R. Wallace; Mrs. Ina Mae Gilson and C. F. Bieler; Barbara W. Gaskins and Joe Hensley; Madalyn Taylor to Ernest E. Kelly; Helen Newton to Orville London; A. J. Moorman and Doris Mimms; Oleta Ellis and Marvin Davis; Margaret Greene to John A. Johns; Mrs. Genevieve Knight to A. D. Smith; Amy Jane Atkins to Alfredo Fourmentin.

### PUBLIC ROAD NOTICE NEW ROAD

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**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**  
We, the undersigned citizens, freeholders, residing in the precincts through which the following described proposed road will run, hereby give notice that on the 26th day of January, 1942, we will petition the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Parmer County, for a public road of the first class, 60 feet in width, in said County, having its points of beginning and ending as follows:

**FIELD NOTES:** Beginning at a point in the Southeast corner of Sec. 7, Township 12 S. Range 4 East thence 1 mile west to the Southwest corner of Section 7, Township 12, Range 4 East and between section 7 and section 12, Township 12 South Range 4 East.

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