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98% COUNTY'S **COTTON FARMERS** IN IMPROVEMENT **PROGRAM IN '44**

County agricultural agent Jake Tarter announces that 98 per cent of Wheeler county's cotton farmers are co-operating this year in the cotton improvement program. There are 1,124 farmers in the county included in the movement.

In this improvement move farmers get their cotton classed free under the Smith-Doxey Act, and this classification is accepted as final for government loans or group sale of the

Following is a list of communities over the county showing the number of members, the acreage of adopted variety cotton, acreage of other varieties and total acreage of members:

Shamrock - 401 members, 7,100 acres adopted variety, 3,788 acres other variety, 10,888 acres in the

Twitty - 135 members, 6,924 acres adopted variety, 1,798 acres other variety, 8,722 total.

Lela — 100 members, 2,071 acres adopted variety, 1,821 acres other variety, 3,892 total.

148 members, 6,041 Kelton acres adopted variety, 999 acres other variety, 7,040 total.

Wheeler - 91 members, 2,801 acres adopted variety, 2,020 acres other variety, 4,821 acres total. Allison - 87 members, 1,846 acres

adopted variety, 780 acres other variety, 2,626 acres total. (Continued on Last Page)

Funeral Services For Mrs. Cicero Craig Will Be Held At 3 P. M.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ila Thelma Craig will be held at the Wheeler Baptist church Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Rev. R. L. Porter, Baptist pastor of Lela, officiating.

Mrs. Craig passed away at 9:15 last (Wedsneday) evening after an illness of several days. She would have been 40 years of age Nov. 24 and has lived in Wheeler since 1936.

She is survived by her husband, twin daughters, Janise and Elise, and Okla.; Mrs. Dorris Wheeler, Cana- 10 o'clock Monday morning. dian; Peggy Manney of Ogden, Utah and Wanda Manney of Wheeler. Two held in honor of the young men, Jesse Morgan and Mrs. Chlorine Spruell, sisters, Mrs. Esta Satathite of San Wheeler, one brother, D. B. Lewis of Los Angeles, her father, J. F.

As each inductee answered the call of Topeka, Kansas.

Mrs. Morgan is also survived by of Los Angeles, her father, J. F. Lewis of San Angelo, and two half brothers, Stanley Lewis of San Angelo and Horace Lewis, now in the army, also survive.

Baptist To Hold Conference Sunday

portant conference held at 11:00 a. service for their country. m. when it is expected to issue a call for a pastor. All members are urged to be present.

Sunday School and Training Union will be held at their usual time.

IN REVIVAL AT KELTON

Wheeler Methodist Church, began a Brothers, Elmer W. Allen, Carl E. revival meeting at the Kelton Methodist church last Friday evening. Patterson, Olen L. Maxwell, Vauda Both morning and evening services are being held. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the meeting which will close Sunday night.

Shamrock Boy Died Wednesday

Bill Meadows, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows of Shamrock, died here last evening. He had undergone an appendectomy Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Burgess and son of Lefors and Bailey O. Burgess, MM1 C, Camp Parks, Calif., are visiting in the J. M. Burgess home.

RATION REMINDER

through Z8, A5, B5 and C5 good in- Martha Buttrill, Emergency War him. He stated that they did not Lee, M. C. Burgess, J. M. Burgess, of much benefit here, the chairman

A8 through Z8 and A5 through F5 stration at the Home Economics Cot- Terrell Gunter, who does his hunt- ter, R. H. Forrester, W. H. Fry, good indefinitely.

32, each good for five pounds inde- fruit, vegetables and meats for the one to listen to the merits of his W. Purnell, Denton; Bud Overton, near Wheeler, died this morning finitely. Sugar stamp 40, good for locker will be given as well as pre- hounds, but to no avail. Praising a Ed Overton, Russell Overton, Forrest (Thursday) at Clarendon. She is a five pounds of canning sugar through paration of these frozen foods for greyhound to a floppy owner is like Overton, Minor Hiett, Vinson, Okla.; daughter-in-law of Mr. Fred Johnson, February, next year.

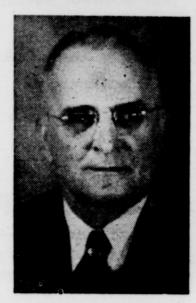
Gasoline - A-12 coupons, good through September 21. Shoes — Airplane stamps 1 and 2,

good indefinitely.

To Begin Revival



REV. BUREN HIGDON



T. D. CARROLL

Rev. Buren L. Higdon, pastor, will During a revival meeting at Jerdo the preaching in an open air re- icho, Mrs. Morgan, then a young vival meeting to be held at the Mo- mother, surrendered her life to beetie Baptist Church from Aug. 11 Christ and united with the Baptist of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hammer, Announcement to this effect was to Aug. 20. T. D. Carroll, noted gos- church there. pel singer, will be on hand to lead the song services. Services will be ed to Wheeler County and establishheld at 11:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. ed their home north of Wheeler with the evening services being held where they were living when they on the church lawn. Everyone is passed away. given a cordial invitation to attend.

four daughters by a former marriage. warded to the Oklahoma City Induc- Wheeler; Mrs. Julia Williams, Mo-They are Mrs. Eris Porter, Vinson, tion Station from Wheeler county at beetie; Willie Morgan, Pampa; Mrs.

> Dyer represented the local board and Los Angeles, Calif.; and Mary Banta he was given a Bible furnished by 29 grand children, 3 great-grand chilthe Giddeon Society through the dren, two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Black American Legion. R. H. Forrester, of Groom and Mrs. Eldora Franklin American Legion Post Chaplain, had of Marysville, Tenn.; four brothers, charge of the program. Rev. Jno. John F. Schaffer, Heppner, Oregon, English gave the devotional.

is home on a brief furlough, was main speaker to the men and relatives and tives and friends. Members of the congregation an- friends who gathered to see them off nounce that there will be no preach- to the armed forces. He spoke brief- of the true pioneer woman and ing at the Wheeler Baptist church ly of the splendid records being made mother. In the midst of adversities, Sunday but that there will be an im- by the Wheeler County members in

> James W. Brothers was appointed leader of the group and Douglas T. McLemore made assistant leader of the group of inductees including the following

J. P. Moore, Glenn L. Markham, Henry N. Miller, Jr., Herbert S. Rev. John English, pastor of the Hogue, Jr., James E. Flynt, James W. Wagner, Ralph B. Wells, Travis L. C. Henry, Wayne D. Harris, Alba A. Wofford, Cecil A. Parker, Leslie W. Havenhill, Wayne I. Morris, Roy J. Nelson, Aaron T. Isaacs and Douglas T. McLemore.

> Edward B. Buford was transferred, to another local board.

The following were transferred here from other local boards: plenty of these. Robert R. Sims, Jack T. Craig, James E. McCathern, Jr., W. L. Coward, Jr., and Stanley W. Hill.

Food Preservation

take advantage of the opportunity ing the loss of one of his floppies. worth, John Lister, R. O. Lister, Kel- office. Women in several of the towns of learning the approved methods of The dog had not showed up and A. ton; O. R. Blevins, O. F. Yell, Sweet- are volunteering their time for simi-Meats, Fats - Red stamps A8 preparing foods for freezing. Miss P. feared that the wolves had eaten water, Okla.; W. A. Purnell, Ernest lar work and such efforts would be Food Preservation Specialist from usually do that. They only ran them L. A. Parks, R. D. Barber, Harry stated. Processed Foods - Blue stamps College Station, will give a demon-home. tage in Wheeler at 2:30 p. m. Wed- ing with greyhounds, moved about Dewey Hampton, Ben Westmoreland, Sugar - Sugar stamps 30, 31 and nesday, August 16. Preparation of through the crowd trying to get some James Swink, Tobe Fry, Wheeler; B. a sister of Mr. George Gray of eating.

Miss Buttrill is interested in im- guy. proving the quality of freezer locker After all this was a wolf hunt and son, Carter, Okla. any questions you may have. out dogs, it is well to mention that Davis, L. R. Barry, Briscoe.

SALES AMOUNT TO \$398,521.25 IN

ty War Finance Chairman, of the Fifth War Loan Drive, reveals that Wheeler county invested \$38,521.25 above its quota of \$360,000 in bonds subscribing a quota of \$170,000 of this type bonds.

A nice letter has been received by Holt from State War Finance Chairman Nathan Adams, commending those who were so liberal with their bond purchases.

Mrs. Jettie Morgan Passes Away Five Days After Husband's Death

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church for Mrs. Jettie Mae Morgan, who had been in ill health for several years. She passed away Friday night at the age of 67 years, 11 months and 17 days. Her husband, Sid T. Morgan, preceded her in death only five days.

Miss Jettie Mae Schaffer was born in Johnson County, Missouri, on August, 17, 1876 where she lived until April, 1893. The Schaffer family then moved to Texas and settled at Jericho where she and Sidney T. Morgan were united in marriage Feb. 21, 1894 at Clarendon, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan homesteaded land near Jericho where they lived for twenty-five years.

In 1919 Mr. and Mrs. Morgan mov-

Thirteen children were born in the Morgan home, two of them preceded their mother in death. The eleven surviving children were present for the last rites of their mother.

They include Chester Sidney Morgan, Mrs. Alta Lamb, Miss Alice Dottie Phillips and James Alex In a short going-away program (Pete) Morgan, Amarillo;

E. C. Schaffer and Cleo Schaffer, Major Thomas Wood, A. A. F., who Jericho and Ed Schaffer of Clayton, New Mexico and a host of other rela-

> Mrs. Morgan was a good example she always kept the optimistic view of life, her home was a happy place where peace and contentment were E. Baylis.

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Tuesday when Tobe Frye, genial pio-

neer rancher of Wheeler county was

host to a number of friends from

Texas and Oklahoma at the springs

near his ranch home. The guests,

numbering 59, were served all of the

fish they could eat. The meal was

supplemented with delicious cantel-

oupe and tomatoes from Dr. W. H.

Fave's garden and the good doctor

graciously served the group with

ducting this week for the entertain-

This meal was one of the highlights

Men, Dogs, Plenty To Eat And Tall Tales Told

WESTERN HOSPITALITY FLOURISHES

Western hospitality flourished there were 66 dogs present also.

NEWS OF OUR MEN MEN MOMEN IN UNIFORM

Pfc. Hardin Awarded Bronze Star For Rescue Of Wounded Sergeant

With United States Forces in during the drive. Sales of Series E France - For his heroic rescue of a bonds amounted to \$186,568.75 over wounded sergeant at great personal risk from heavy enemy mortar and small arms fire, Private First Class Vernon D. Hardin of Wheeler, has been awarded the Bronze Star.

Pfc. Hardin was advancing with his tank team of the 2nd Infantry Division in France when the incident occurred. He was presented the award by Major General Walter M. Robertson. He is the son of Mrs. Bertha R. Hardin of Wheeler.



TISGT. DAVID C. HAMMER, son day, Aug. 26.

duty July 16. T Sgt. Hammer is a man. Sunday and prayer meetings at least The county has twenty-one boxes. once each week. The chaplains have Some Panhandle counties have anthe near future.

1941 when he went to California. He match strides for that office. volunteered for Army service in December of that year.

Awarded Good Conduct Medal

Fort Lewis, Wash.—Cpl. Woodrow W. Waggoner, of Allison, now in training at Army Service Forces Training Center, has been awarded general. the Good Conduct ribbon "for exemplary behavior, fidelity and efficiency" for more than a year's serv-

The presentation was made at a der the command of Brig. Gen. James

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Occasions like this would not be

complete without a good story teller,

Wofford, W. B. Wofford, T. L. Gun-

Tisdall, Elk City, Okla.; Bill Simp-

TWO MORE WHEELER COUNTY MEN PAY SUPREME SACRIFICE OF WAR

CPL. JIGGS CAIN KILLED IN FRANCE

Mrs. Jiggs Cain received word last

ty, Oklahoma, September 20, 1918 Breckenridge. and moved to Wheeler County with Funeral services for the young his parents when a small child and crew chief were held at the Methohas lived at Kelton most of that time. dist church in Mineral Wells Tuesday

Cpl. Cain entered the service in at four p. m. and were conducted by December of 1943 and took training Capt. Norris B. Ray, Post Chaplain at Ft. Sill, Okla., Camp McCoy, Wis., at FWAAF, and was assisted by an-Camp Breckenridge, Ky., and a camp other Post Chaplain and the local near Nashville, Tenn. He has been pastor. Pallbearers for the military overseas since April, first going to funeral were a group of friends from England and then to France.

parents had from him was written elius is survived by his widow, Mrs. July 8th. He stated in these letters Jeanette Cornelius of Mineral Wells. that since being in France life looked and two sisters, Mrs. L. D. May, short for him.

The following relatives survive: of Wheeler. Mrs. Jiggs Cain and daughter, Val- He was a graduate of Wheeler eene Lucille; his parents, Mr. and High School, graduating here in 1931. Mrs. J. O. Cain; six sisters, Mrs. and attended Amarillo Junior Col-Jewel White and Mrs. Lois Hampton, lege. He was a former employee of of Pampa; Helen, Faye, Alma and the Baker Hotel, Mineral Wells and Velma Cain all of Kelton; and three brothers, Pvt. Clois Cain of New Corpus Christi. He enlisted in the

ALL PRECINCTS TO VOTE AUG. 26

All twenty-one voting precincts in Wheeler County will be used for the run-off Democratic Primary Satur-

Pampa, writes that his company cele- made this week by A. B. Crump, brated their second year of overseas Wheeler County Democratic Chair-

As Wheeler county has one county-He has been in Palestine and North wide race and two precinct races, the Africa. He states "Our company has county committee believes that it is been fortunate in being located where fair to all parts of the county to have we could hold religious services on every box available for the voters.

been very faithful. We had no chap- nounced that they will have only one lain when we first began these serv- or two polling places in the Second ices. I have the honor of being presi- Primary because of the short ballots. dent of our division of the Service In Wheeler County the county-wide Twenty-five inductees were for Morgan and Mrs. Helen Martin, Men's Christian League." He sends run-off race will be between Terrell greetings to friends in Wheeler and Gunter, present incumbent, and hopes to be coming to the U.S. in James O'Gorman for county tax as-

> TISgt. Hammer lived near here, at- In Commissioners Precinct No. 1 tist church for Clinton R. Meek, Jr. tending school at Briscoe, until May race J. P. Keeton and Lloyd Anglin infant son of Cox. and Mrs. Clinton

> > supreme court justice and attorney

Richard Critz opposes Gordon the Tindall Oil Mill, was injured Simpson for supreme court justice when a steel girder fell on him on and Grover Sellers, incumbent, has the construction job at Twitty last Jesse Martin of Ft. Worth as his Thursday. He was carried to a Shamopponent.

Absentee balloting was to have able to return to his home in Wheelceremony at the Medical Section, un-begun Saturday, Aug. 5, and continue er Wednesday. until midnight Tuesday, Aug. 22, but yesterday Crump had not yet received notice from the state commit- Assembly of God Church building tee regarding certification of state and is moving it to the former Holt candidates and the printing of the property on South Shamrock street ballots was being held up on that ac-

Miss Bonnie Hall To Transfer To Okla. City

Miss Bonnie Hall, chief clerk of (nice name for a liar) and the laurels the Wheeler County War Price and as determined by those present for Rationing Board for the past several this distinction went to R. H. For- months, will leave Saturday for Oklarester with Pat Huff close behind. homa City where she is being trans-The following persons enjoyed the ferred to the OPA offices there.

Miss Wilma Bearden, assistant occasion: Ray Brown, George Parker, clerk, has been appointed chief clerk I. L. Mann, J. W. Mann, J. L. Mann, for this county and will begin her Jackie Ray Taylor, Bob Taylor, Boyd duties in that capacity Monday.

Huff, Pat Huff, Carl Levitt, Carl It was learned here this week that August 4. Clapp, Charlie Trayler, and Luke Mrs. Gwen Masterson has resigned of a wolf hunt that Mr. Frye is con- Funston of Allison; George Dorman, her position as clerk of the Shamrock A. P. Bumpers, of Shamrock; E. J. sub-office. Appointment of someone ment of his freinds. Several people Killingsworth, Lawrence Killings- to take her place was to have been brought along their pack of floppies worth, Sam Green, Billy Green, May- made this week.

but when the writer left the group field, Okla.; Joe Vern Killingsworth, R. D. Holt, chairman of the Wheel-Specialists Here Aug. 16 no one had any evidence to prove to Frank Burkhalter, Leonard Woolsey, er County Rationing Board, states him that their dogs could even catch Jack Lamm, R. W. Patterson, Carl that the local board will greatly ap-Every person who has a freezer a wolf, much less kill one. A. P. Thompson, Frank Neill, Sayre, Okla.; preciate work of volunteers for filing locker or expects to have one should Bumpers from Shamrock was mourn- J. E. Killingsworth, T. B. Killings- and other routine work in the local

SISTER DIED EARLY TODAY

Mrs. H. F. Johnson of Clarendon, telling a Marine that a Jap is a good J. D. Barber, Bard, New Mexico; Dr. of Clarendon.

> Mrs. F. B. Craig returned Saturvisited her son, Cadet F. B. Craig, Jr. derwent tonsillectomies August 9.

S-SGT. C. CORNELIUS KILLED IN CRASH

Staff Sgt. Conley J. Cornelius, 30 Friday that her husband had been son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cornelius killed in France July 11. Cpl. Joseph of Wheeler, was killed Saturday af-Jefferson (Jiggs) Cain is the son of ternoon when a Fort Worth Army Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cain of Kelton. Air Field-based B-24 Liberator crash-Jiggs was born in Beckham Coun- ed and burned 23 miles northeast of

FWAAF.

The last letter that his wife and Besides his parents, Sergeant Corn-Clovis, N. M. and Mrs. R. W. Boles

also was in the hotel business at Guinea, Bill and Richard of Kelton. Air Forces in September 1942 at the Ft. Worth Army Air Field.

Scores of Sgt. Cornelius' buddies called by the home to offer consolation to the bereaved relatives and these and many others were on hand to pay tribute to the popular and well liked young man. Eight planes maneuvered over head while the burial rites were in progress and buddies told the parents that never in the history of the air field had military honors been carried out quite so extensively. Buddies also told them that to know their son was to be his friend and of how they shared in the loss of his sudden pass-

All immediate members of the family were present for the last rites. Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius and Mrs. Boles left Wheeler for Mineral Wells Sunday and returned early Wednes-

Burial was in the Mineral Wells Cemetery.

INFANT SON OF COX. AND MRS. CLINTON MEEK DIES

Funeral services were held at four R. Meek. The baby was born Aug. 3 A write-in in the First Primary and died at 6 o'clock Aug. 4. The left Frank Noah, present incumbent, services were conducted by Mrs. and Homer Pitcock opposing each Pansy Meech, pastor of the Assembly other for Constable in Precinct No. 1. of God Church at Briscoe. Interment It is believed that there will be was in the Wheeler Cemetery with only two other races on the ticket- the Hunt Funeral Home in charge.

Lowrie Johnson, superintendent of rock hospital for treatment and was

C. P. Waters has purchased the where he will make a residence out

Hospital News

Winfred Mooney, Briscoe, underwent a tonsillectomy, Aug. 7.

Mrs. W. A. Atherton, Wheeler, entered the hospital for treatment August 7. Mrs. Callie Patterson, Mobeetie.

entered the hospital for treatment August 4. Waunetta Burgess, Wheeler, en-

tered the hospital for treatment Frank Vines, Kelton, is a patient in the hospital.

Les Ovarles, Lefors, entered the hospital for treatment Aug. 6. Mrs. Jack Riley, Briscoe, under-

went an appendectory August 9. Betty Lou Mise, Wheeler, underwent a tonsillectomy August 8. David Johnson, Wheeler, under-

went a tonsillectomy August 9. Nell Garner, Wheeler, underwent a tonsillectomy August 9.

Betty Garner, Wheeler, underwent tonsillectomy August 9. Dorothy Keeton, Mobeetie, enter-

ed the hospital for treatment Aug. 10. Ellen Warren, Wheeler, underwent major operation August 8.

Mrs. Clinton Meek is a patient in the hospital. John Stillwell entered the hospital

August 4. Boneta Ragan underwent an appendectomy August 10.

The twin daughters of Mr. and products and will be aglad to answer since you can not hunt wolves with- Bill Simmons, Hollis, Okla.; S. B. day from Phoenix, Arizona where she Mrs. T. M. Cunningham, Miami, un-

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 1944

War correspondents have reported from every theatre of operations that and say so emphatically and without exception is to get the job done and these receiving high wages at the part and it will be finished. And one fur-coats. When warm weather comes ing back from alien lands and lonely jewels for money to pay their debts

America under their returning feet, in the old home town when their But that which is cherished most is weekly wage was but twelve dollars. the farmland, the little town or the The situation is but evidence that busy city from which the serviceman one's financial condition very often was called to preserve the freedom depends more upon good managewon by his sires. It will be good to ment than it does on big wages. get home, whether the place be drab and ugly, and life at most will be dull after the great adventure.

But can any home place that is contented to remain drab and ugly and will grow as November draws hope to hold its returning sons for near. Dewey will be the rumor sublong? These boys, despite their tragic ject of the Republican party, while experience, have seen much of the Truman will be the pet subject of outer world. Many of them will glad- the Democratic ticket. Truman is sely get back to the countryside, to the lected in view of the popularity of beauty, serenity and way of life the President and the fact that his has been the house guest of Nelda which they know. The cities will take private and political life have been Barry of Briscoe the past week. back their own and absorb an in- opened to public scrutiny for so many creasing quota of new citizens. But years that there is nothing else to rethe little towns, the villages and the veal about him. If he can keep Elea- who is stationed at Ft. McCleHan. roadside hamlets will be losers, if nor at home for three months, the Alabama. they fail to make themselves more opposition will lose most of its thunworth living in than they were when der. Truman is different. He was a Walser were Borger visitors Friday. the boys went away.

Miss Mame Roberts of Howe, who, as chairman of the Civic Planning Committee of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, is furthering a constructive plan for all Texas, are taking steps to make themselves more sightly and more appealing to their boys when they come home. Their example should inspire all other little towns to similar activity. No great outlay of money will be possible in a rural town, nor will it be required. Face-changing can be accomplished by intelligent planning and the well applied energy of the home folk. The drabbest village could be transformed. And hundreds of the little towns, favored by location, could enhance the charm which they have possessed with only a little effort. Each can be made more sanitary and more beautiful. Each can add something, much indeed, to make life in it a happier and finer exper-

The little towns that will make the most of their opportunity will survive and prosper in the postwar adjustment. Those that ignore the opportunity will survive, but their sons will go elsewhere. The many that are invested with natural charm and have advantageous settings can make themselves irresistible. Clyde Walton Hill, long dead but never-to-be-forgotten, left a poem about the Little Towns of Texas that will live as long as Texas lives.

All of the four stanzas of the song give the little towns something to live up to. But one can be quoted:

The little towns of Texas Seen through the prairie haze, How fair and fresh and free they lie.

Beneath the golden days! Not crowded in deep valleys, Not buried in tall trees, But open to the sun, the rain, The starlight and the breeze!

These surely can be made worth coming home to! -Dallas Morning News

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Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

Items of interest culled from newspapers on the Times' exchange list.

You have all heard that "look what goes" whistle the boys give. Entered as second-class matter Dec. Well, the mocking birds give the 18, 1933, at the postoffice at Wheeler, same whistle and now it's the eter-Texas, under Act of March 3, 1879. nal question, "Did the mocking birds learn it from the boys or the boys learn it from the mocking birds?" -Canadian Record

Pawn brokers in cities near war what our fighting men want most production plants report the biggest business ever. In the winter many of come home. They are doing their war plants buy expensive furs and day thousands of them will be com- they pawn them along with their Many of them live the same hand to Home will be the first soil of free mouth existence that they lived back -T. B. Klepper in The Foard County News

Election rumors have been started member of the notorious Pendergast Many of the little towns of Texas, stirred into effort by the stimulating leadership and inspiring example of Miss Mame Roberts of Howe, who.

organization in Kansas City, but should be respected for having accepted the advantages of power politics without having indulged in its Sunday for a visit with Josephine Noah.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chambers of Pampa, spent Sunday with Mr. and

ally accept Truman as the real candidate for President as few expect Roosevelt to remain in office for four more years, should the Democratic party win. Political rumors in a national election should be scorned, the same as they are usually scorned in local elections. -Canyon News

We just can't understand how old ime Democrats can swallow the communist and CIO crowd. It must be that anything to get votes is all -McLean News

German war continues to go well. Many predict an end by Labor Day, out most think of the end in October or November. Allies are agreed that Germans will not fight deep in Gernany and that they will surrender before that stage of the war is reached. A second and bigger revolt is expected in Germany. It will not come rom the army ranks or the German nasses. It will be the top generals, op industrialists and top church peoole. When war with Germany ends nany in the armed forces will be denobilized. Discharges will be indivduals, not complete units. Dependenries, length of service, age and speial skills expected to enter into discharging. Youngsters will continue to be drafted while veterans are being discharged. Possible that first-discharged men be home by Christmas. Ochiltree County Herald

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Elaine Barry of Hollis, Okla.

Mrs. W. F. Hix left Tuesday morning to visit her son, Pvt. Bill Hix,

Mrs. Ted Clay and Mrs. Buster Jolene Witt of Amarillo arrived

corrupt practices. The people gener- Mrs. Joe Tilley and Bonnie Rae.

Fred Allen, the radio comedian, tells about a scarecrow that scared the crows so bad that they brought back the corn they had stolen two years before.

Regarding the recent reference in this "column" to red-back spellers and blue-back spellers, E. C. Lowe in the Lometa Reporter remarks that he was the fourth child in the family and in the days before free textbooks, too, so by the time he got a speller, it didn't have any back on it at all.

Nature could be counted on to provide entertainment for a boy growing up in a little town, two score years ago. On a warm, genial day of Spring, you could hunt for a four-leaf clover and, a little later in the year, you could tie a June bug on a strnig and be amused by his buzzing efforts to fly away.

And there were lightning bugs that could be put in a bottle. And you could get a broom straw and stick it down a hole and pull it up with a crawfish attached, maybe.

After a heavy rain, it was fun wadng and sailing little boats. And the first snow was the signal for making a snowman, putting an old straw hat on his head and a corncob pipe in his mouth. Or maybe a fort was built and there was a snowball battle.

Col. Gordon Simpson of Smith

Associate Justice of the Supreme perament. Court to reach the runoff. An infanrecognition by the War Department of North Africa and Italy.

County rolled up a splendid vote for of his legal ability and judicial tem-

Under the general rule applicable try lieutenant in World War I, Simplin such cases, Simpson will return to son is nearing 50 years of age, with a the United States in October after wife and two daughters in high his long service overseas and, if school, but he volunteered early in elected, he can enter upon the duties World War II. He has served as a at once. As a member of the Supreme legislator, district judge and presi- Court, Gordon Simpson will serve no dent of the State Lawyer's Associa- faction but will serve all the people, tion and is now on the chief court of just as he has served all the people the United States Army in Italy-a in offering his life on the battlefields

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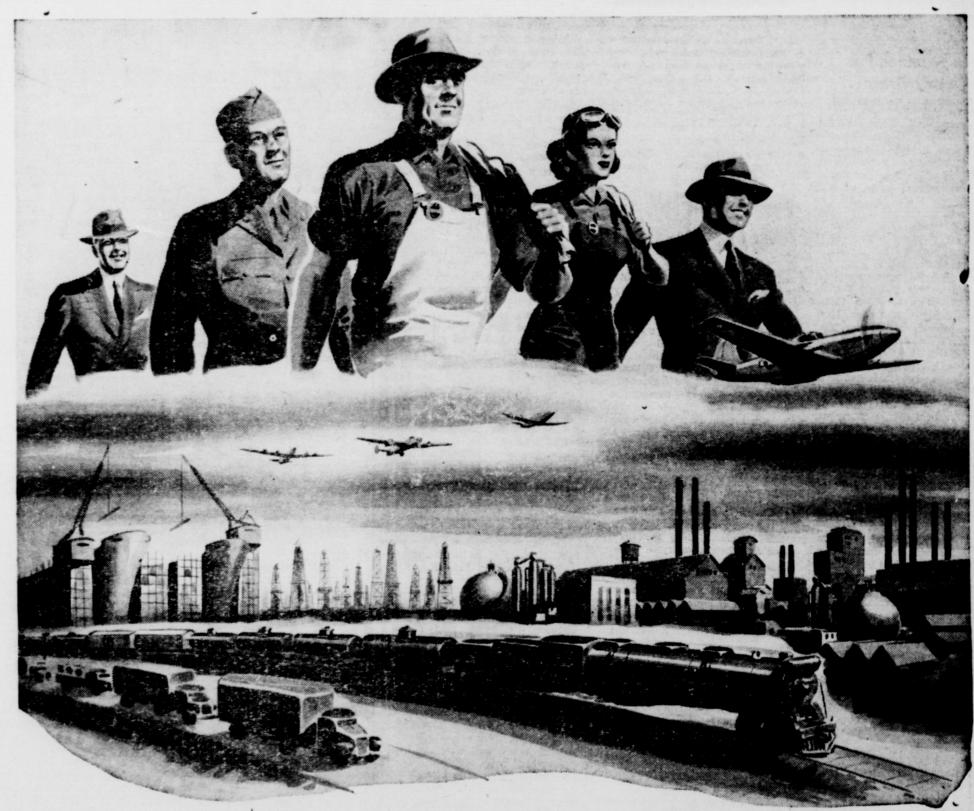
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The Food Outlook

By AMY SUE BECKETT

Asst. Co. Home Demonstration Agent Agricultural Economics of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

A summary of the BAE's survey received by the A. and M. College Extension Service says that civilian supplies of all the principal food will, at least, be as large as they were last summer. The total quantity of meats available to civilians in the July-September period is expected to be less than in the past few months but last summer's supply. Meat consumption in the third quarter of the year usually is less than in the April-June

Poultry marketings probably will set a new record for this time of the for several days. year, and only slightly smaller quantities of butter are expected to be available for civilians in July and August than in May and June.

The BAE estimates that the fresh market truck crop acreage may yeild more vegetables this season than in 1943. The survey adds that the nation's all-time high wheat crop, estimated conservatively at 1,035 million bushels, indicates that somewhat larger quantities of wheat than was expected earlier may be used for feed. Texas contributed a record yield of more than 72 million bushels to the nation's history-making pro-

Meanwhile the Office of Price Administration has a word of caution Ray. and explanation on the distribution of these unequalled crops. It warns that it may become necessary again to assign point values to the meats ter, Mrs. Bronson Green. and processed foods which were put on the free list last May. Canned

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carter and Let's look at the food outlook Coene and Yreva visited Donald through the eyes of the Bureau of Rowe in a Pampa hospital Sunday. Dreka Rowe who has been visiting here, returned to Pampa with them.

> Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nash and Mrs. Curtis Pond were business calland Friday.

and Tulia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Topper of Sweetwater, Okla., and Mrs. Milton Finsterwald and son, Larry, of Mobeetie, left Tuesday for Trinidad, Colorado where they will visit friends

visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nash and son, Garth, Mrs. C. B. Nash and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek attended church services in Kelton Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Asbery, Sr., and Joyce, and Mr. and Mrs. G. A.

Mrs. Solon Reeves of Shamrock spent the week end with her daugh-

M Sgt. Jack Pitcock of Sherman, was a week end visitor in the Homer

Sgt. Harrison Hall of Sherman arrived Friday night for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Joe Hyatt.

Sgt. Narville T. Conner writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conner, that he is now in France.

Jaco visited Mrs. Otho Gaines in Pampa hospital Sunday.

Miss Augusta Mathews of Pampa visited friends and relatives in Mobeetie and Wheeler Saturday and Sunday.

vegetables, OPA assures, will be returned to point rationing. The chief reason for making the point free temporarily was to help move the 1943-44 stocks so as to induce canners to provide a maximum 1944-45

pack. Regardless of big food crops, OPA calls for the cooperation of every consumer against waste. "In wartime," it says, "waste and spoilage is a national scandal."

LEGAL NOTICE

(First published in The Wheeler Times August 3, 1944)

H. J. R. No. 18 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of purposes authorized in said section voters, voting in such election; and,

(80) cents on the one hundred dollars approved by the qualified property Constitution." ____ valuation for any one year; providing tax paying voters of any county, as Court may make such re-allocation and changes shall remain in force printed on their ballots the following ed by a majority vote of the qualified and changes in such levies that the and effect for a period of six (6) words: same shall be submitted to the quali- years from the date of the election ers in Oklahoma City last Thursday election and shall be approved by a changed by a majority vote of the provide that the Commissioners tion for that purpose; and providing tax paying voters, voting in such of such county, voting on the proposi-Mrs. Charles May and Miss Emliy election; providing that if and when tion, after submission by the Com- said section by changing the rates delegated to counties, cities or towns May are visiting relatives in Canyon such re-allocations and changes in missioners Court at a general or spe- provided for any of the purposes au- by any other section or sections of changes shall remain in force and ef- further maintenance of the public Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pond and the same again shall have been changelection to be held for that purpose levies that the same shall be sub-proclamation for said election, and family are visiting in Plainview this ed by a majority vote of the qualified shall vote such tax, not to exceed mitted to the qualified property tax shall have the same published as re-Miss Gladys Pettie returned to after submission by the Commission- subject to taxation in such county. be approved by a majority of the Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Oklahoma City Friday after a week's ers Court at a general or special elec- And the Legislature may pass local qualified property tax paying voters, Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof tion for that purpose; providing that laws for the maintenance of the puba limitation on powers delegated to local notice required for special or counties, cities or towns by any other local laws. This section shall not be have been approved by the qualified propriated, to pay the expenses of section or sections of this Constitu- construed as a limitation of powers property tax paying voters of any such publication and election. tion; fixing the time for the election delegated to counties, cities or towns for the adoption or rejection of said by any other section or sections of and daughters, Marie, Lucille, Betty proposed Constitutional Amendment; this Constitution." making certain provisions for said Asbery, Jr., were week end guests of election and ballots thereof and the al Amendment shall be submitted to their daughter and family, Mr. and method thereof; directing the issu- a vote of the qualified electors of this Mrs. M. O. McKay and son, Donald ance of proclamation therefor; pre- State at a general election to be held

> expenses of said election. ___ ISLATURE OF THE STATE OF lowing words: TEXAS:

will hereafter read as follows: either increasing or decreasing the perty tax paying voters of such coun provided further, that before the this Amendment shall not be consaid Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in the State of Texas, by changing said said county taxes that the same shall Section 9 so as to provide that the be submitted to the qualified pro-Commissioners Court in any county perty tax paying voters of such counmay re-allocate the county tax levies ty at a general or special election, authorized in said section by chang- and shall be approved by a majority ing the rates provided for any of the of the qualified property tax paying

by either increasing or decreasing provided further, that if and when strued as a limitation on powers dele- county as herein provided, such re the same, but in no event shall the such re-allocations and changes in gated to counties, cities or towns by allocations and changes shall remain total of such taxes exceed eighty the aforesaid county taxes have been any other section or sections of the in force and effect for a period of six that before such Commissioners herein provided, such re-allocations Amendment shall write or have less the same shall have been chang-

"Against the Amendment to Secfied property tax paying voters of at which the same shall be approved, tion 9 of Article 8 of the Constitu- after submission by the Commissionsuch county at a general or special unless the same again shall have been tion of the State of Texas, so as to ers Court at a general or special elecmajority of the qualified property qualified property tax paying voters Court in any county may re-allocate that this Amendment shall not be such county tax levies have been ap- cial election for that purpose; and thorized in said section by either in- the Constitution." proved by the qualified property tax the Legislature may also authorize creasing or decreasing the same, but If it appears from the returns of paying voters of any county as here- an additional annual ad valorem tax in no event shall the total of such said election that a majority of the in provided, such re-allocations and to be levied and collected for the taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the votes cast are in favor of said fect for a period of six (6) years roads; provided, that a majority of one year; providing that before such part of the State Constitution. __ from the date of the election at the qualified property tax paying Commissioners Court may make such which same shall be approved, unless voters of the county voting at an re-allocations and changes in such of Texas shall issue the necessary property tax paying voters of such fifteen (15) cents on the one hun- paying voters of such county at a quired by the Constitution and Laws county, voting on the proposition, dred dollars valuation of the property general or special election and shall of this State. this section shall not be construed as lic roads and highways, without the that if and when such re-allocations priated out of any funds in the Trea-

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutionscribing certain duties of the Gover- throughout the State of Texas on the nor of the State of Texas; and mak- seventh day of November, 1944, at ing an appropriation to defray the which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEG- have printed on their ballots the fol-

"For the Amendment to Section 9 Section 1. That Section 9 of Article of Article 8 of the Constitution of 8 of the Constitution of the State of the State of Texas, so as to provide Texas, be so amended that the same that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county "Section 9. The State tax on pro- tax levies authorized in said section perty, exclusive of the tax necessary by changing the rates provided for to pay the public debt, and of the any of the purposes authorized in taxes provided for the benefit of the said section by either increasing or public free schools, shall never ex- decreasing the same, but in no event Mrs. O. Nations and Mrs. Marl ceed thirty-five (35) cents on the shall the total of such taxes exceed one hundred dollars valuation; and eighty (80) cents on the one hundred no county, city or town shall levy dollars valuation for any one year; more than twenty-five (25) cents for providing that before such Commiscity or county purposes, and not ex- sioners Court may make such receeding fifteen (15) cents for roads allocations and changes in such levand bridges, and not exceeding fif- ies that the same shall be submitted teen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the to the qualified property tax paying one hundred dollars valuation, except voters of such county at a general or for the payment of debts incurred special election and shall be approvprior to the adoption of the Amend- ed by a majority of the qualified proment September 25, 1883; and for the perty tax paying voters, voting in erection of public buildings, streets, such election; providing that if and sewers, waterworks and other perm- when such re-allocations and changes anent improvements, not to exceed in such county tax levies have been twenty-five (25) cents on the one approved by the qualified property hundred dollars valuation, in any tax paying voters of any county as one year, and except as is in this herein provided, such re-allocations Constitution otherwise provided; pro- and changes shall remain in force vided, however, that the Commission- and effect for a period of six (6) years eers Court in any county may re- from the date of the election at allocate the foregoing county taxes which same shall be approved, unless by changing the rates provided for the same shall have been changed by any of the foregoing purposes by a majority vote of the qualified prosame, but in no event shall the total ty, voting on the proposition, after of said foregoing county taxes exceed submission by the Commissioners eighty (80) cents on the one hundred Court at a general or special election dollars valuation, in any one year; for that purpose; and providing that

(6) years from the date of election Those opposing said proposed at which same shall be approved, unproperty tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, the county tax levies authorized in construed as a limitation on powers

one hundred dollars valuation for any Amendment, the same shall become a

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State

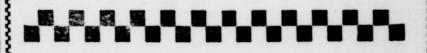
voting in such election; providing as may be necessary, is hereby approand changes in such county tax levies sury of the State, not otherwise ap-



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(By a Rogue)

For Friday-Saturday, August 11and Mary Beth Hughes in Timber Queen. This picture is packed full of action and scenic beauty. The background is in the north woods Bailey Monday. country amid the tall pines and mountains where the lumber-jacks visited Mrs. Ward's mother in Sayre, enact a story of everyday occurence Oklahoma last week end. to them, but one that will hold the interest of movie-goers of all ages. So, lets' get out with Mother Nature and enjoy the granduer of the mountains and falling timbers.

Standing Room Only

Standing Room Only presents cently undergone an operation. Paulette Goddard and Fred Macwill keep you rolling with laughter. last week end. You will be none the wiser, but we Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bright of tertained. It is just the kind of pic- day. ment on the screen. The play date wheat. is Prevue-Sunday-Monday, August

Passage To Marseilles

the title implies. It is blazing action nia. with a capital xyz. And of course Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lancaster Humphrey Bogart could be expected and baby visited her parents, Mr. to deliver just such a morsel of en- and Mrs. J. L. Martin, in Shamrock tertainment. So if you do not like Sunday. war in all its fury, then please stay Lloyd Futch visited his brother at home Wednesday - Thursday, Junior Futch, in Pampa recently. August 16-17, because Passage to Supt. and Mrs. Jack Davis and Marseilles is just such a picture. It children visited relatives and friends was not intended for the weak heart- in Dodson last week end. ed, but rather for those who can Dinner guests in the Hugh Bailey

MOVIE CHATTER MOBEETIE HAPPENINGS

By Mrs. F. C. Peace

Lt. and Mrs. William A. Leonard and son of Hondo are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Leonard. spent the week end in Canyon. 12, the Rogue offers Richard Arlen They are also visiting relatives in

in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh and Mrs. Bob Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ward and son

Mrs. J. L. Mixon, Mrs. Frank Worthington and Fannie Joe were business visitors in Wheeler Monday. Mrs. V. H. Sanders is in Shamrock with an aunt who has been very ill.

Mrs. J. D. Futch was in Pampa last week with a sister who has re-

Madalene Burres visited relatives Murray in a dizzy comedy, one that and friends in Mobeetie and Wheeler

guarantee that you will be well en- Healton visited relatives here Sun-

eat up. There will not be a dull mo- Pampa where he has been hauling and son, Jiggs.

Mrs. John Mackie of Pampa spent 12-13-14, at the cool Rogue Theatre. Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Ferguson.

Homer Ruff, son of Mrs. John Mrs. Leonard Mills and Joyce. Passage to Marseilles is just what Walker, has returned from Califor-

home Sunday were: Grady Bailey,

KELTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Willoughby

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Nelson and daughter from near Erick spent the Mrs. S. L. Moore, Miami, visited week end here in the home of Mr.

> Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Clemmens and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stan-

> guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Killingsworth.

family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davidson. Mrs. Sidney Fabin of Shamrock

spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Davis. The community extends to Mrs.

Cain and family the deepest of symture that prevue audiences literally Al Ferguson has returned from pathy at the death of their husband

Miami; Mr. and Mrs. McAvoy and

Cpl. Aubrey Leonard who has been stationed at Camp Barkeley has been

LEGAL NOTICE

CREDITORS THE STATE OF TEXAS

claims against the estate of N. M.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of N. M. TIPPS, deceased, late of Wheeler County, Texas, by the Hon. D. A. Hunt, Judge of the County Court of Wheeler County, on the 7th day of August, 1944, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence, Briscoe, Texas,

MRS. LUCILE TIPPS,



(By Rena Johnson)

Rev. and Mrs. John English and son, Jerry, were Sunday dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb and

Janie Cain and Mr. and Mrs. J. O.

Donald Carman is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Carman. Mr. and Mrs. Clive Splawn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and

Geneva, Bobby and Bettie Mae of

transferred to Ft. Lewis, Wash.

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND COUNTY OF WHEELER)

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Hunter-Reynolds **Vows Exchanged**

In the main chapel of the Christian Church of Wichita, Kansas, on July 14th, Miss Dorothy Hunter became the bride of Rolan Hugh Reynolds, with Rev. J. Barbee Robertson officiating. Mrs. J. Barbee Robertson, at the organ, played several appropriate selections during the ceremony.

Mrs. Reynolds is from Chickasha Okla. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis G. Reynolds, formerly of Wheeler county. Both will remain in the employment of the Boeing Aircraft Co. and will make their home for the present at 412 Mathewson St., in Wichita, Kans.

Wheeler friends extends greetings and best wishes to the happy couple.

W. S. C. S. MEETS AT METHODIST CHURCH

The Women's Society of Christian completed the program. Service held their regular meeting in the parlor of the Methodist Church Problem of Suffering."

G. A's. ENJOY SWIMMING PARTY

Hix, Fontilla Montgomery and Miss Mrs. Elton Boultinghouse, Joy S.

MOBEETIE EASTERN STAR HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Mobeetie Chapter of the Eas- Barr. tern Star met in regular session business of the evening was completed, a short program was pre- their encampment next year. sented about the founder of the order, Dr. Robert Morris. The numbers included a solo by Edith Flanagan, a short summary of the life of Robert Morris by Dorothy Davis, and a quiz game over the above summary conducted by Elsie Scribner.

Thursday night, August 3, the birthday of Robert Morris was celebrated with an Eastern Star picnic. daughter, of Tulia, spent the week A huge meal and fun out of doors filled the evening. Those present Bonnie Harmon and baby returned were: Armor Lee Marchbanks, Thel- with them for a visit. ma Dunn, Betty Green and young daughter, Lt. Grady Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scribner; and the following families: Garland Key, Henry Flanagan, Bob Galmor, and Jack Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hanning and AAA and Extension meeting in Ama-V. B. Hardcastle attended a District rillo Tuesday. Mr. Hardcastle visit- a daughter, Mary Alyce, born Aug. 4. ed his wife, who is attending school in Canyon, and returned home Wednesday morning.

Betty Harmon, who has been visiting Mrs. Bonnie Harmon this summer, returned to her home in Artesia, New Mexico Sunday.

"Super Wardrobe" here today.

Fifty Club Members **Attend 4-H Encampment**

The 4-H Wheeler County encampplace last Thursday and Friday with Oklahoma. approximately 50 club members, club sponsors, and the home demonstra-

Registration was from 2 to 4 p. m. with council officers in charge. Club Field. girls participating were: Betty May, song leaeder; Peggy Hefley, pledge to the flag; Georgie Gaye Porter, candle lighting ceremony; Yreva Sue Carter, morning devotional. At the evening service each club gave a skit. Betty, visited D. L. Johnson in a The 4-H gold star pin for 1943 was Shamrock hospital Sunday. also awarded to Joy Williams. The presentation was made by Mrs. Hester Dodson, 4-H chairman of sponsors. Colorful bandeaus made from old felt hats was the handicraft featured. Different games and singing

Those attending were: LaDell Atherton, Lottie Marie Zybach, Zonell Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to Kelly, Jo Ann Porter, Claudell Cox, is visiting in the T. S. Puckett home continue their study of "God and the Betty May, Yreva Sue Carter, Bar- this week. bara May, Dreka Rowe, Georgia Gaye Porter, Mrs. George Porter, Mrs. Aubrey Pond, Maxine Pond, Glenna Faye Addison, Joan Kenney, The Girls' Auxiliary of the Baptist, Betty Lou Ogle, Sidney Fay White-Church, their sponsor, Margaret ley, Helen Joslyn, Meka Waldo, Jan-Dyer, and several guests enjoyed a ette Blocker, Mrs. Edgar Blocker, ents in Wellington returned home swimming party at the Shamrock Juanita Clepper, Armell Sorenson, Tuesday night. pool Tuesday night. Those attending Betty Jo Standlee, Rosemary Finwere: Edna Helen Farmer, Virginia setrwald, Iris Clepper, Clara H. See-Rose Marrs, Melba and Helen Little, dig, LaVerne Finsterwald, Emil Lea Patsy Wiley, Betty Richerson, Mary Seedig, Maidel Sorenson, Estie See-Alice Waters, Coene Carter, Betty dig, Marie Finsterwald, Helen Green, Dyer; guests were: Army Sue Beckett, Celeste and Melba Wiley, Kath-Bell, Mrs. Milt Williams, Ileat Carryn Carmichael and Mary Elizabeth ver, Dolores Welty, Jeanett Wegner, Joann Shaffer, Wanda Shaffer, Peggy Hefley, Mrs. Hester Dodson, Mrs. Welty, Mrs. Beasley, Mrs. Elmo Riley, Amy Sue Beckett, and Ruth

Sponsors wish to thank everyone Tuesday evening, August 1, with fif- who helped in any way to make the teen members present. After the encampment a success and encourage the girls to plan big things for

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

L. R. Barry attended to business in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Adams and end in the W. W. Adams home. Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. White George and Hall George of Magic City and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bidwell of McLean, spent Sunday in the H. H. Herd home.

Mrs. Noel George, of Humphrey, Oklahoma, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Maxwell.

Lt. and Mrs. R. J. Puckett, of Inde-

Jan Sanders of Pampa is visiting in the home of her aunt, Mrs. D. A. Hunt, this week.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Wood this week are: Major Thomas Wood; Dr. George

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Crapp and children, Linda, Billy, several weeks in Wichita Falls with Margie, Steve and Mary Jane, of Pvt. Emmett L. Rider. Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henry ment for girls was held at the Riley Miss Nina McReynolds of Durham,

Week end guests in the home of tion agent and assistant agent at- Dr. and Mrs. Glen R. Walker were Sgt. George Wilson and Sgt. Eric Forsberg of the Pampa Army Air

> Mrs. Verna Callan spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Virgie Greenhouse in Memphis.

Mrs. D. L. Johnson and daughter,

Ruthie Johnson attended the graduation exercises at the Pampa Army Air Field Sunday.

Chester Faulkner of Needles, Cali-

fornia visited Billie Jean Pendleton Janet Woods, of Sayre, Oklahoma

Phyllis Kay Puckett left Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days in

Shamrock with Janet Russ. Master James Parsons McDowell, who has been visiting his grandpar-

Mrs. Emmett Rider and son, E. C.,

Wood, San Antonio; Mrs. Brooks came home Thursday after spending

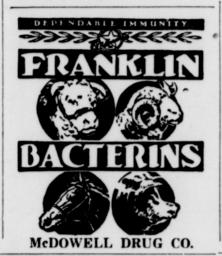
Mrs. Eris Porter, Hollis, Oklahoma is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cireco

Mr. and Mrs. Lemoin Wagner of Tulia were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Sid Morgan.

Mrs. Kenneth Wheeler of Canadian visited her mother, Mrs. Cicero Craig, Monday.

Mrs. Inez Kennedy took her nephew, Joe Craig Wofford, who has been visiting here the past few weeks, to Amarillo Sunday.

Jess Swink and D. A. Hunt were business visitors in Austin this week.



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BRISCOE NEWS

By LOTTIE MARIE ZYBACH

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Atherton and Billy were in Shamrock Thursday on

Mrs. Virgil Helton and daughter, Rozena, were in Shattuck Wednesday

and Thursday.

Mrs. Lucille Tipps and children Dean, Patsy and Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Walker and children Nancy and Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hunter and daughter, Verena, business callers in Shattuck Thurs-

A number of 4-H club girls of this community attended the annual 4-H encampment Thursday and Friday. Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Salser were

visiting friends here Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zybach spent the week end in Pampa visiting

Mr. and Mrs. John Zybach, formerly of this community. Mrs. C. P. Waters and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waters and family of

Wheeler visited relatives here Sunguests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Zy-lener.

bach and family. Mrs. Dick Kiker of Spearman, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Stanley of ton's and other relatives here and Crump. their mother who is very ill in

Mrs. Caroline Venable was a busi-

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LOCAL GIRLS WILL ATTEND T. S. C. W.

T. S. C. W. of Denton, will open its regular session in September with county, a survey of room reservations ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lamb. in the dormitories shows.

signed when registration begins Sep- rock. tember 18, the report shows. Dormiories open at noon September 17.

Mary Lois Bledsoe will be a new student from Kelton, and Frances Huff will be an old student from Alli-

Benita Mae Armstrong will be a new student and freshman, and Celeste Jean Wiley will be an old stu-

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Yeo. 1c and Mrs. Buford Conwell and children visited a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Conwell and other relatives Tuesday morning. They were enroute to Hutchinson, also in Christ Jesus: who, being in Kansas where Yeoman Conwell will the form of God, thought it not robbe stationed.

Mrs. Bryan Witt of Amarillo is a Mr. and Mrs. Hollis George and house guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. son, Eddie, were Sunday dinner Forrester and Mrs. Jimmie Mitch-

Lester Gast of California and Mrs. Shamrock and Mrs. Dennis G. Rey-Walter Burkhart of New Mexico, onlds, Guymon, Oklahoma, were Sunhave been visiting the Floyd Ather- day guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. McNatt of Norman, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Close and children of Phillips, and ness caller in Canadian Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker of Shamreck were week end guests in the W. E. Taylor home.

Methodist church at Perkins.

Pfc. Leroy Lamb of Kearns, Utah, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

S3 C Leo Lamb visited from Satfour young women enrolled from this urday through Monday with his par-

Fontilla Montgomery spent the All dormitory rooms will be as- week end with her parents in Sham-

> Mrs. D. O. Beene spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Glen Scott, in Amarillo.

> Geraldine Williams worked in the ration office in Shamrock last week

La Vora Ann Hall of Oklahoma City is visiting her sister, Bonnie Hall, this week.

Miss Jennie Riley of Amarillo is spending her vacation at the Riley

Let this mind be in you, which was bery to be equal with God.

-Phil. 2:5-6

LEGAL NOTICE

(First published in the Wheeler Times August 3, 1944)

H. J. R. No. 8 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendemtn to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this State shall have the power Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Salser of Per- and authority to provide a system of kins. Oklahoma, who have been visit- retirement and disability pensions ing friends in Briscoe and Allison for its employees, provided, however, where Rev. Salser was formerly pas- that no pension system shall be set tor of the Methodist Church, dropped up in any city until it has been apby the office to tell us how much proved at an election by qualified they enjoy reading the Times each voters entitled to vote at an election week. Rev. Salser is pastor of the on the question of the issuance of tax supported bonds; Section 51-f proiding that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of reirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such plan or

therefor and prescribing the form of

thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51-e. Each incorporated the power and authority to provide priation to pay any of the cost of any ity pensions for appointive officers tion. a system of retirement and disability pensions for its appointive officers and employees who have become disabled as a direct and proximate result of the performance of their duties, or have passed their sixty-fifth birthday, or have been employed by such city or town for more than twenty-five (25) years and have passed their sixtieth birthday, when and if, but only when and if, such system has been approved at an election by the qualified voters of such city or town entitled to vote on the

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

the Second Democratic Primary, August 26, 1944.

For County Tax Assessor-Collector: JAMES O'GORMAN

T. L. GUNTER For Commissioner: Precinct No. 1: LLOYD ANGLIN

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program as the Legislature shall di- question of issuance of tax supported system authorized by this Section." and employees of the cities and rect and shall provide that partici- bonds; provided that no city or town pation therein by cities and towns shall contribute more than the equi- al Amendments shall be submitted tional Amendment giving authority shall be voluntary; provided that the valent of seven and one half (71/2) to a vote of the qualified electors of to the Legislature to provide for a Legislature shall never make an ap- per centum of salaries and wages of this State at an election to be held system of retirement and disability propriation to pay any of the cost of the officers and employees entitled throughout the State in November, pensions for appointive officers and any system authorized by this Sec- to participate in its pension system, 1944, at which all ballots shall have employees of cities and towns." Each tion; providing for an election on the and that said officers and employees printed thereon, "For the Constitu- voter shall scratch out two (2) of question of the adoption or rejection shall contribute a like amount; and tional Amendment providing that the said clauses on the ballot, leaving of such an amendment and making this Amendment shall not reduce the cities and towns in this State shall the two (2) expressing his vote on an appropriation therefor; providing authority nor duty of any city or for the proclamation and publication town otherwise existing.

this State shall have the authority and "Against the Constitutional proclamation for said election and

have the power and authority to the proposed Amendments. . provide a system of pensions for their | Sec. 3. The Governor of the State "Section 51-f. The Legislature of appointive officers and employees," of Texas shall issue the necessary

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEG- to provide for a system of retirement Amendment providing that all cities shall have the same published as re-ISLATURE OF THE STATE OF and disability pensions for appoin- and towns in this State shall have quired by the Constitution for tive officers and employees of cities the power and authority to provide Amendments thereto. Section 1. That Section 51 of and towns to operate Statewide or by a system of pensions for their ap-Article 3 of the Constitution of the districts under such a plan and propositive officers and employees." All Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much State of Texas be amended by adding gram as the Legislature shall direct ballots at such election shall also thereof as may be necessary, is hereand shall provide that participation have printed thereon, "For the Con- by appropriated out of any funds in therein by cities and towns shall be stitutional Amendment giving author- the Treasury of the State, not othervoluntary; provided that the Legis- ity to the Legislature to provide for wise appropriated, to pay the exlature shall never make an appro- a system of retirement and disabil- penses of such publication and elec-

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitution- towns" and "Against the Constitu-

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand



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The **Times** War Time Reporter Says

Folks I'll tell you:

My Ganddad was a man that liked company most especially iffen it was women company. He said that when folks come and broke bread with you they wasn't so likely to steal your hog when they was a leavin'. He thought that it was right restful to listen at women talking about cooking, he figgured that one of them might demonstrate.

I sorter hate to tell it on him but I recon he was a ladies man, he rode trains a lot just to try out his teckneek on 'em. He would set down behind a purty woman and turn his gaze on the back of her head and he would put all the magnatism he had in that gaze and purty soon she would get to fidigiting and look around, and he said if that woman had a smile in her eye when she looked around he would go over and give her his paper or fix her car window. But if she had ice in her eve he looked for another woman. Grandad was all the time a huntin' a soft job so he could go all dressed up and finally he found really a sweet job fittin' corn cob stoppers in sorgum jogs and he said the world would never know how sticky that job was. Actually his hands got so sticky every thing he saw stuck to 'em and they fired him.

My little poem today will be: I'd like to be a big shot And lead so-ciety, Just head the long parade And have folks kow-tow to me.

It would be great maybe, For a few days it might be fun, Just kidding yourself along, But you wouldn't fool anyone.

God made us what we are, Leopards can't change their spots, But we just keep on wishing Some day we'll be big shots.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Begert and Mrs. Copeland, Allison, visited Mrs. Alwyn Savage Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. J. Noah and Patsy Noah visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Adkinson in Shamrock Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Patterson and

daughters of Pampa were Wheeler visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Russ and chil-

dren of Shamrock were Wheeler visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith and

family, Shamrock, visited Mrs. I. B.

Mrs. Tommy Henderson and daughter, Gloria, of Borger, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Walser.

Mrs. Willard Godwin of Mobeetie, was a Wheeler caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Coate and son of Wakeeney, Kansas visited her sister, Mrs. Holt Green, Friday and Friday

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AND THE RESERVE AND THE PARTY OF THE PARTY O

night. They were enroute to Littlefield to visit her parents, and will Phillips where she has accepted em- Corps. return to Wheeler this week end. Mrs. Travis Patterson and baby of Pampa were in Wheeler Monday.

ployment.

Bliss. He will return to Amarillo to to Wheeler Friday.

Mrs. Ted Clay left Sunday for begin his training in the Army Air

Dwayne Bradford, who has been Harold Callan left Sunday for Ft. visiting in Oklahoma City, returned week end.

and Mrs. Janie Gill in Amarillo last in the Cook home here.

Mrs. Alton Nations and daughter children returned to their home in visited Mrs. Oregon E. Addington Canyon Saturday after a week's visit

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35-1tp LOST — Black coin purse containing Liberator. May God's richest bless-FOR SALE - Concord grapes will \$3.00 and change. Return to T. E. ings rest on each of you. We also

> STRAYED - Red brown Greyhound. ward. Sherwood Blasdel.

LOST — Billfold containing \$70. Lost somewhere in downtown Wheeler Monday morning. Reward. Mrs. W. S. McCoy or please notify Sheriff

WANTED - A housekeeper to do only house work. J. E. Bowman.

PUBLIC enemy No. 1-

ALCOHOL

NEWS FROM THE BOYS

(Continued from Page One)

Robert M. Brigman Wins Promotion

Robert M. Brigman, 23, son of Mrs. Jerome Brigman, 1115 Pennsylvania, Ft. Worth, formerly of Wheeler, holder of the DFC with two clusters and the Air Medal with two clusters, has been promoted to first lieuten-

Brigman has been based in India as a pilot in a troop carrier squadron of the Eastern Air Command since March, 1943. He was based as a mechanic in Puerto Rico in 1941 before he transferred to the Air Forces for cadet training

A graduate of Masonic Home High Mighty Mite football team in 1939 cause of the lack of hoe hands and and 1940. A brother, Master Tech. Sgt. William Lloyd Brigman, is in the Marine Air Corps

Pfc. Ernest Megee Reported Wounded

Mrs. Jettie Morgan-

(Continued from Page One) found. This noble, Christian charac-35-3tp ter was admired and loved by everyne who knew her.

After funeral services here the garden hose. You'll like the price, body was taken to the Jericho ceme-35-1tc tery where it was laid to rest in the family burial plot.

Rev. A. C. Wood officiated at the hand electric radios. Nash Ap- last rites in Wheeler and graveside 35-1tc rites at the cemetery. Burial was under the direction of the Hunt Funeral

> Pall bearers were Harry Wofford, Terrell Gunter, Ernest Lee, Aaron Williams, Claud Barker and Cliff Bradstreet. Dorothy Greenhouse, 35-3tp Mrs. Katie Finsterwald, Lucille Hut-Lillie McClain, Mrs. Fay May and ily. Pearl Hanning of Canadian acted as

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their acts of kindness and hospitality through the long illness of our dear father and mother. We ap-27-1tc Supply, Wheeler. 35-1tc preciate the words of sympathy, the beautiful flowers and the faithful service of the doctor and hospital attendants.

The Morgan Family

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of 35-1tp WANTED - Place for high school thanking our friends and neighbors girl to work for room and board. for their many acts of kindness and 35-1tp ley J. Cornelius was killed in a crash landing of his plane, a B-24 be ready Sunday, August 13. J. E. Austin or Times office and receive want to thank those who sent flow-

> Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cornelius, Mr. Answers to name of "Red." Re-Mr. and Mrs. L. D. May and family, and Mrs. R. M. Bowles and Chester, 35-1tp Clovis, N. M.

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Briscoe - 53 members, 1,603 acres adopted variety, 1,201 acres other variety, 2,804 acres total. Mobeetie — 120 members, 3,601

acres adopted variety, 1,004 other variety, 4,605 acres total.

This makes a total of 45,398 acres of cotton planted in the county with abandonment running higher than any other previous year since 4,480 acres of the lint crop have been abandoned after the first planting with these acres being planted to some other crop after the first stand was lost or vegetation took the cotton and it was either plowed up and planted to some other crop or simply abandoned to the weeds. This leaves a total acreage of 38,917 acres standing July 1 in this county.

Tarter states that a great amount of abandonment of the cotton was bean over crop condition by the farmers who planted more cotton than they could plow and hoe.

The chairmen of the various organizations of the county are as follows: Shamrock community, A. P. Bumpers, chairman, Tindall Gin, York Gin, Cooperative Gin Company, Mrs. Stella Megee received a tele- and E. C. Hoffman Gin cooperating; gram from the War Department Twitty, J. E. Baker, chairman, J. M. Wednesday stating her son, Pfc. Tindall Gin Company cooperating; Ernest Megee, had been wounded Lela community, A. B. Pike, chairslightly July 22. Pfc. Megee, 23, is man, J. W. Gooch Gin, J. M. Tindall stationed in New Guinea and has Gin, and the Larsh Gin Company, been in service three years. He has Magic City, cooperating; Kelton comserved overseas two years. He is munity, Henry Hink, chairman, J. formerly of Wheeler and attended M. Tindall Gin Company cooperating; school here. His mother is staying in Wheeler community, C. O. Martin, Oklahoma City at present but ex- chairman, Farmers Coop Gin Compects to return to Wheeler after the pany cooperating; Allison community, W. O. Trayler, chairman, Farmers Coop Gin Company and Chickasha Gin Company cooperating; Briscoe community, L. R. Barry, chairman, Farmers Gin Company and Briscoe Gin Company cooperating; Mrs. J. W. Watts the past two weeks Mobeetie community, Tom E. Laman, are Miss Gertie Haskett and little to Greensboro, N. C. chairman, Smith Brothers Gin Company and Planters Gin Company co- They will return to their home in operating.

> Gins and producers alike have taken keen interest in the one variety a movement and have assisted the county agent with the program for getting the free classification.

CARD OF THANKS

their words of consolation and floral good people."

Cox. and Mrs. Clinton Meek, Mr. now employed at the Wheeler hosand Mrs. E. E. Meek and Family, pital. chinson, Gladys Spruell, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wallace and Fam-

> Pfc. Ralph Meegee from Daniel ing. They attended the funeral of Field, Ga., is home on furlough. Mrs. Reevous' brother in Tolar.

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Chance-Rachal

Word has been received by local people of the marriage of Miss Lucile Chance, former Wheeler County home demonstration agent, to Nich-olas George Rachal. The ceremony was performed June 11 in the Methodist Church at Lufkin, Texas. The couple are at home at 1165 Eleanor Street, Knoxville, Tenn.

nieces, Della Beth and Diane Wright. Childress Sunday.

Miss Mildred Watts of Dumas was fall. week end visitor in Wheeler. Leon Max Griffin, T. C. who is somewhere in New Guinea on a tor-

pedo boat, writes, "Besides seeing some activity, a couple of real storms at sea were pretty tough. Think of-We wish to thank our friends for ten of the old home town and its Miss Grace Gowin, Shamrock, is

> Mrs. Alma Reevious, Wheeler, and Miss Leloyd Reevous, Canadian, returned from Tolar, Texas this morn-

Clyde Reevous returned home Tuesday after a week's vacation at

Mrs. Billie Wayne Wagner and daughter of Pampa are visiting in the Roy Herd home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Winters of Twitty will leave Sunday for Oklahoma City where Mr. Winters will undergo surgery.

SSgt. John H. Carver, son of Mrs. Visitors in the home of Mr. and H. N. Carver, will leave Friday after a week's visit at Twitty. He will go

Miss Betty Riley arrived Monday to be with her family near Briscoe. She will teach in Borger again this

Farrell Wallace, MM2C, arrived Wednesday for a fifteen day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wallace. He is stationed at Camp Parks, California.

C. S. Morgan, Mrs. Alta Lamb, Miss Alice Morgan, Mrs. Helen Martin, Wheeler; Mrs. Julia Williams, Mobeetie; Willie Morgan, Pampa, Mrs. Dottie Phillips, Amarillo; Bennie Morgan, Mrs. Chlorine Spruell, Los Angeles, Calif., and Mary Banta, Topeka, Kansas, went to Clayton, New Mexico Monday to visit Edd Schaffer who is ill. They returned Tuesday.

TO THE VOTERS OF CONSTABLE'S PRECINCT 1, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS

It comes as a complete surprise to me, that my freinds (?) have forced me into politics, but in times of great national stress like these it is my considered opinion that no man, who is a warm blooded American, has the right to refuse to bear the burdens imposed by circumstances and since my country (I mean my Precinct) has drafted me to the high office of Constable, I here and now announce my intentions to contest for such office to the last drop of my ability, if any.

It is usual and customary, in political races, to acquaint the prospective voters with the potent facts concerning their candidate. In accordance with this ancient custom and in the performance of a duty I owe to the electorate, I herein set forth the vital evidences of early foundations that adequately fit me for the high office for which I, because of so much warm solicitation, have decided to seek, viz:

- 1. I was born and raised on a farm in Wheeler County. In fact, I think I made a mistake to ever move to town.
- 2. I am a self-made man. Not having the advantage of a good education, I sometimes do the wrong thing, but I assure every one of my friends that it is always a mistake of the head and not of the heart,
- 3. I have all my life been very hard-headed. When I make up my mind as to what is right, it would take more than the renumeration I shall receive in this office to make me swerve from the path of duty.
- 4. I need the office. Although the salary is not princely, it would supplement the other hard earned renumeration I now receive and would help to pay social security, income tax and buy war bonds.

As it is to be contemplated that speeches may be made in my behalf, I herewith announce the platform upon which I stand and I promise to do all within my power to carry out the promises and reforms that are contained herein, viz:

- 1. I am against Hitler, and will be against him and his ilk until complete victory is achieved by the allied nations against all such persons throughout the world.
- 2. I am against all great national disasters, such as the Chicago Fire, the Johnstown Flood, California Earthquakes and circus tent conflagrations. In this connection, I promise to inspect the tents of any and all circuses that come to my precinct prior to any exhibition.
 - 3. I am against long and continued droughts, sandstorms and cyclones.
- 4. I am for rains in July (in fact I think at least one-fourth of every July should be at least damp).
- 5. I am for snows in January and February and not at other times when they interfere with necessary work or holidays. I further make this positive promise, if elected, my wife will not begin to make
- speeches nor write columns in syndicated newspapers. In closing I wish to warn my prospective supporters not to listen to the tales told on me and especially not to bet with anyone that tells such tales that he can't

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