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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

SGT. L. E. MIXON KILLED IN ACTION

Memorial services are to be held at the Mobeetie Baptist church at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon for Sgt. Leonard E. Mixon, 30, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mixon of Mobeetie, who is reported by the War Department to have been killed in action against the Japs on Layte Island of the Philippines October 23. Mr. and Mrs. Mixon received word Monday of their son's death. The parents had been quite worried since another son, Cpl. Charles, also on Layte Island, wrote Nov. 5 that he was anxious about Leonard and planned to go see about him. Sgt. Leonard was in the Infantry (communications) and left the states about four months after he went into training at Camp Wolters in February 1942. He finished high school at Kelton and was working in a Mobeetie drug store when he entered the army. His wife resides at Borger. Other survivors besides the wife, the parents and brother in service are two other brothers, Harrell of Borger, Clint of Hollis, Okla., Vernie of Mobeetie and a sister, Vera, also of Mobeetie.

PFC. COY BRADSTREET SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Bradstreet were notified by the War Department last Thursday that their son, Pfc. Coy, was seriously wounded in action in Germany November 5th. This is the second time that the young first class private has received wounds while in action since he was wounded slightly August 7 and he is thought to have been back in action for about ten days when wounds of a more serious nature were received. Coy, 19, and his twin brother, Roy, entered the army Sept. 20, 1943 and both have been overseas for about five months. Pfc. Roy was also reported wounded Aug. 9. Up until the time Coy was first wounded the twins had been together since entering the service.

Former Resident Is Buried Here Friday

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church here Friday afternoon for A. J. Baker, former Wheeler resident, who died at his home in Canadian Wednesday afternoon. Rev. A. C. Woods had charge of the service and was assisted by Rev. P. D. Fullington. Mr. Baker was born at Pilot Point, Texas April 24, 1878. He was married to Della Brown in 1898; one child, Ethel, was born to this union. Mrs. Baker passed away in 1899. He was married to Cora McManus in 1903; to this union eight children were born. The wife and five children preceded him in death, and three, Mrs. Audrey Bentley of Canadian, Hoyett of Wichita Falls and Weldon of Ft. Worth, remain to mourn his passing. Interment was in the Wheeler cemetery.

BILL PERRIN ACCEPTS POSITION AT LEFORS

Bill Perrin, deputy tax assessor-collector for the county for the past six years has accepted a position with the Coltex gasoline plant at Lefors and left Monday to take over his new duties with that firm. Mrs. Perrin and children expect to join Mr. Perrin in Lefors about December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robison left Saturday morning for California where they will visit relatives. They went by way of Amarillo and visited their son, T/Sgt. and Mrs. Guy Robison.

Hospital News

R. Y. Sims, Mobeetie, entered the hospital Nov. 15. Ethel Ruth Meadows, Briscoe, underwent an appendectomy Nov. 15. Mrs. W. T. Burris, Wheeler, entered the hospital for treatment Nov. 17. Virgie Burkes, Wichita Falls, underwent a tonsillectomy Nov. 23. J. W. Brown, Allison, entered the hospital Nov. 20. Mrs. L. V. Coleman entered the hospital Nov. 20. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hudson, Briscoe, are the parents of a son born Nov. 19. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wheeler are the parents of a son born Nov. 16. Pfc. and Mrs. Earl Wallace, Mobeetie, are the parents of a daughter born Nov. 18. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gott, Lela, are the parents of a son born Nov. 19. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hubbard, Paducah, are the parents of a daughter born Nov. 19. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reedy, Kelton, are the parents of a daughter born Nov. 20.

Jury List For Third Week Of District Court Is Announced

Mrs. Ollie Beene, District Clerk, announces that the following men have been notified to appear at the court house next Monday morning for possible petit jury service when the third week of the fall term of district court will get under way. As is customary, the third week is that in which the criminal docket is slated. The jury list includes: C. R. Weatherly, C. A. Wassen, A. L. Bean, R. Wm. Brown, C. J. Meek, Roy Bailey, Tobe Frye, Wheeler; W. B. Clynnh, Jr., Michael Mertell, Paul George, V. E. Tarbett, Oscar Laycock, E. D. Baggs, H. T. Williams, Lee Carson, Shamrock; E. A. Zybach, W. D. Douthitt, Roy Waters, Briscoe; I. W. Rives, L. C. Beatty, A. W. Hill-bruner, J. L. Lackey, Johnnie Burrell, Twitty; S. B. Davis, A. F. Forbes, Ben Helton, A. E. Dillon, C. Cowan, John Megee, C. C. Curlee, Allison; F. J. Bailey, McLean; S. G. Burns, Ike Heare, Fay Bearden, Mobeetie; Bailey Whiteley, Texola; D. H. Porter, D. W. Fry, Magic City.

No jury was selected for this week when two of the four civil suits slated for Monday were settled without coming to trial and parties involved in the other two failed to make their appearance. Scheduled for next Monday is the case of Pvt. Melvin Simpson of Shamrock charged with "failure to stop and render aid."

Briscoe Community Plans Thanksgiving Services Nov. 30th

In announcing an all day Thanksgiving service to be held at the Briscoe Baptist church next Thursday, Nov. 30, Frank McDonald, Edd Riley and Mrs. Sterling Price, committee for planning the program, have made the following proclamation: "We have had a bountiful harvest this year, so let us take this Thanksgiving day to pause from our work and give thanks in a true American spirit even as our forefathers gave thanks. This all day service to be held at the Briscoe Baptist church is for each and every one that will join in giving thanks to the Lord." The program will include: 10:00 a. m.—"First Thanksgiving," Rev. McAnalley; 10:30—Devotional and song service with Rev. B. Higdon in charge; 11:00—Sermon by Rev. W. W. Crawford; 12:00 noon—Lunch at the church; 1:00 p. m.—Assembly of God Church in charge; 1:30—Juniors with Mrs. Price in charge; 2:00—Gageby church in charge; 2:30—Church of Christ in charge; 3:00—Methodist church in charge.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Virginia Malloy of Tulsa arrived Sunday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Malloy and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Puckett. Mrs. Von Walker of Amarillo, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. E. T. McCleskey. Mrs. John Jones and son, Charles, of Sudan, visited her mother, Mrs. C. M. Garner, last week end. Aubrey Warren of Amarillo spent the week end in Wheeler with his father, George Warren. He and his father were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren Sunday. Kathryn Carmichael spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller, in Mobeetie. Mrs. C. B. Nash returned last Thursday from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Bassham, and a niece, Mrs. Olin Harris, of Level-land. Mrs. Clifford Hall and children returned last week from a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Ficke, in Mid-land. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and Mrs. S. D. Conwell were in Amarillo Monday and visited with Pvt. S. D. Miller who was on his way to Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Damaris Holt and family of Lefors and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holt and family of Stinnett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt and other relatives. Myrtle Dollins is spending this week in Childress. Pressley Guynes was a Pampa visitor Monday. Mrs. Alton Nations was in Pampa Friday. Harold Nash and Bill Dison were business callers in Oklahoma City Friday. Pvt. Emmett Rider of Taft, Calif., arrived Thursday afternoon for a fifteen day visit with his wife and children. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Carr of Pampa were Sunday night visitors in the R. J. Holt home. Mrs. Harvey Eads visited in Wellington Friday and Saturday.

NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Awarded Air Medal

S/Sgt. James S. (Scotty) Risner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Risner, has been awarded the Air Medal for outstanding and meritorious achievement while participating in operational combat flights from bases in India to bases in China and return, and from bases in China on missions over enemy territory where enemy fire was probable and expected and for having completed more than 100 hours in combat flights. These flights were made over extremely rugged terrain where unfavorable weather made flying hazardous and each individual of the bomber command exhibited untiring energy and meticulous care while flying. Undaunted by the many hazards faced regularly and continuously, they performed their duties in such a manner as to reflect great credit to the Command and the Army Air Forces — so read the award citation. Scotty has recently written his parents that he took part in the raid over notorious Singapore, described by the papers and news reports to be the longest raid ever undertaken.

Furnishes Ammunition

By Technical Sergeant Bill Goodrich a Marine Corps Combat Correspondent Peleliu, Palau Islands (Delayed)— Technical Sergeant Guy Baird, of Star Route, Raymondville, Texas, was one of 50 aviation Marines of the "Death Dealers" squadron who landed here 24 hours after D-Day to help carry ammunition up to the front lines. He assisted an artillery company, short-handed through first day casualties, to turn back Jap counterattacks. The 22-year-old Marine, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Baird, of the same address, kept a steady supply of ammunition flowing to the artillery company through heavy Jap mortar and sniper fire. Baird went without food for 36 hours during the action. A veteran of the early days of fighting on Guadalcanal, he said, he has never seem more concentrated enemy fire.

"I think I was ducking all the time," he added. "The mortars and bullets kept whizzing by day and night." He enlisted in December, 1941, attended Mobeetie High School, and has been with his present commanding officer ever since the latter was graduated from flight school. (Sgt. Baird is a former Wheeler county resident and is reported to be back in the states. He is expected to visit his brother, Douglas Baird, of Mobeetie, while on furlough).

PUBLIC IS WARNED OF CROW BLASTING

Wheeler county agent Jake Tarter, the county agent of Hemphill county, the game warden for this district and several farmers were at work today making "bombs" that are to be placed in a crow roost near Kelton and set off Friday night. The blasting will take place in the Bradford Clay place 1 mile south, 2 miles west and 1/2 mile south of Kelton and every one is warned to stay away from the vicinity until after the blast occurs. Bombs are made by placing sticks of dynamite in short pieces of stove pipe filled with small nails and are then fitted with a cap wired to be electrically discharged. These bombs are hung in bushes where the crows roost. In advising everyone to stay away from the vicinity, Tarter states that if the crows are disturbed they may not light in their regular roosting places and there is also danger of getting injured if anyone is nearby when the blasting takes place.

ATTEND LEGION MEET

Post Commander Fred Farmer, Mrs. Farmer, Post Adjutant Jim Risner, Claud Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Craig and John Barr were among those from Wheeler attending the Eighteenth District American Legion and Auxiliary Fall War Conference held in Shamrock Saturday and Sunday.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Briscoe P. T. A. will meet Tuesday night in the high school auditorium. A social for all age groups will follow the program. Pvt. and Mrs. Earl Guyette came Monday for a brief visit with Cody Cowden and Mrs. Sue Cowden. Terrell Gunter returned Saturday from New Mexico where he accompanied relatives on a deer hunt. Mrs. Dick Craig has been assisting at the post office while Mrs. Chester Lewis is at home with her mother, Mrs. Muse, who is ill.

HEALTH PROGRAM RESUMED DEC. 1

The Board of Directors of the Wheeler County Rural Health Service have announced that the health benefit program will be resumed December 1. Arrangements have been completed for the program the coming year. Services offered will include general medical care, surgery, drugs, dentistry, hospitalization, and specialist services. Dr. H. E. Nicholson, Dr. Walker, and the Wheeler Hospital will give the services rendered this year and in addition will furnish prescribed drugs and biologics. Tentative arrangements have been made with Dr. J. A. Hall, of Shamrock, Dr. V. N. Hall of Wheeler, and Dr. Bennett of Canadian to furnish dentistry for the member families. On the last page of this week's issue of The Times, an announcement carries a more detailed description of the services to be offered under the 1944-45 health program. The directors urge that you fill out an application and make your contribution to the Health Service this month, as the new year will begin December 1, 1944.

Mustangs Wind Out Football Season At Wellington

The Wheeler Mustangs will go to Wellington Thursday of this week where they will encounter the Skyrockets for the last conference game of the season. The game will be played at 2:30 p. m. With the Skyrockets leading the conference and the Mustangs having suffered a series of defeats this season, the Wellington team will naturally be favorites in the Thanksgiving day tilt, but those who have followed the Mustangs through the season know that anything is likely to happen so long as the local boys keep up that "never die" spirit displayed in practically all the games they have played. More than once during the season the Mustangs have come back in the second half to nearly tie the score with their opponents and, if they get to clicking from the kick-off may furnish fans with more excitement than some anticipate.

WHEELER GAS CO. ACQUIRES NEW WELL

H. M. Wiley announces that the Wheeler Gas Co. has acquired a new gas well, the Phillips Laycock No. 1, located in Section 20, Block A8. Tied into the system that furnishes Wheeler and neighboring communities with gas, the well will afford an abundant supply of fuel and assurance of ample pressure for the system regardless of what the demand may be during the coming winter months.

MRS. J. T. WATTS PASSED AWAY THURSDAY

Mrs. J. T. Watts, 71, former resident of Wheeler who left here in 1928, passed away at her home in Amherst Thursday night. She had been an invalid the past eight years. She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Claude Martin, Shamrock; Mrs. Henry Bradstreet, Dalhart; Mrs. Floyd Rowell, Amherst; and two sons, R. T. of Wheeler and C. W. of Kress. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Amherst at three o'clock Saturday afternoon with Rev. Jenkins officiating. Interment was in the Littlefield cemetery.

WHITE HOTEL PROPERTY IS SOLD TO D. A. HUNT

W. H. (Uncle Bill) White and his wife, owners and operators of the White Hotel on the north side of the town square since 1917, have traded the nineteen room stucco building to D. A. Hunt who will convert it into an apartment building. In the deal White acquires the property on North Main street where J. B. Oglesby resides. Both parties are planning on making extensive repairs and improvements on the properties. Mr. White will stucco, re-decorate and add a new concrete porch to the dwelling and Mr. Hunt plans to completely remodel the hotel building with such work getting under way between now and the first of the year.

PUBLIC SALES

Fay Bearden, who resides 1 1/2 miles north of Mobeetie, has announced a close out sale Tuesday, Nov. 28, of several head of cattle, hogs, poultry, farm equipment, household goods and miscellaneous items. The sale is to start at 11:00 a. m. Green and Pettit are auctioneers and Willard Godwin will act as clerk. A complete list of items to be sold appears in this issue of The Times.

Committeemen For Farm Program To Be Elected In December

Farmer committeemen who will have important roles in war and post-war farm problems will be named at annual AAA election in Wheeler county between December 11 and December 16. Locations and dates of the election meeting will be announced as soon as they are arranged. Farmers will choose three committeemen for each of the twelve communities in the county, and delegates from these meetings will later name three county committeemen and alternates. Conservation practices for 1945, production goals, and general agricultural outlook will be among the subjects discussed at the meetings. Committeemen represent both their neighbor farmers and the executive branch of the Federal government in the work and responsibilities of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency. Their recommendations, based on personal knowledge and experience, help shape agricultural programs to fit the needs of their own localities and to meet the problems of farmers and consumers throughout the nation. The election meetings will give local farmers a chance to consider the problems and the demands of the coming year," says Hardcastle, Administrative Officer. "A program is being arranged for a full discussion of what's ahead. Every farmer should attend the meeting in his community to take part in that discussion and to vote in this election." In emphasizing the importance of full attendance at the election meetings, Mr. Hardcastle quotes N. E. Dodd, national AAA chief: "These elections, much the same as local school elections and like the town meetings of other days, constitute real democracy in action. With the approach of peace, AAA elections take on a new significance. It is more important than ever to have the best men available on AAA Committees. The solving of farm problems at this stage of the war, and those that face the nation from here on out will require the best possible leadership and the full participation of farmers."

Christmas Packages Should Be Mailed Before December 1

Public response to the Post Office Department's "Shop Now! Mail In November" campaign is good but needs to be better, according to Postmaster General Frank C. Walker. "Extraordinary wartime conditions face us," Mr. Walker said. "Unless more people buy and mail this month the Postal Service cannot do its job of delivering all Christmas gifts on time." "It is not pleasing to us to have to ask the American people to mail packages so far in advance of the delivery date. We do so only because it has to be done. The job is a tremendous one, but we are confident that it will be done because we know from experience that given sound reasons Americans cooperate magnificently. "Unprecedented shortages of man power and transportation facilities growing out of the war compel early mailing. The Postal Service has given 50,000 experienced employees to the armed forces and 300,000 railroad workers have gone to war. Equally serious is the fact that rail and other transport facilities are taxed to the limit with the great burden of war traffic which all of us know must take precedence. "In a great number of our 43,000 post offices the man power situation is critical. The 200,000 extra workers whom we normally recruited to handle the swollen Christmas volume of mail were able to work long hours of overtime and to do heavy work. This cannot be expected from the women and high school boys and girls to whom in large part we must look this year to meet the situation. "The way in which everyone responded in making it possible for us to handle a volume of 70,000,000 parcels for the armed forces overseas leaves no doubt in my mind that the November Christmas mailing will be equally successful. I ask for the help of the press, radio, business advertisers, civic groups and all Americans in making it possible for the Postal Service to do its work. "We urge everyone to buy now, mail in November and mark gifts 'Do Not Open Until Christmas.'"

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KELTON NEWS (By Rena Johnson)

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb and children are spending the week in Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Washam and family of Pampa spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davidson. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Whitener and family of Levelland and Mrs. Buddy Vanpool of Wheeler spent Sunday afternoon with their grandmother, Mrs. R. O. Johnson. Rev. and Mrs. Bill Pond of Ft. Worth spent the week end here. Rev. Pond filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church. Chaplain L. W. Davidson, Navy, spent the week end here with his parents. He left Sunday for Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Killingsworth and family of Elk City spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Killingsworth. S/Sgt. Hiram Whitener was visiting relatives here Friday afternoon. He has just returned home from overseas duty. Mrs. Sally Pigg of Erick and Mrs. Texas Luman of Dumas were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glover.

SCOUT TROOP TO BE ORGANIZED

M. O. McKay has been named scout master and the local Lions club sponsor for a Boy Scout troop for boys of Wheeler and community. District Scout Executive Olson of Pampa was in Wheeler last Thursday effecting the organization of scout master and committeemen and contacted several boys interested in becoming scouts. Application cards were handed out at school. Boys interested in becoming troop members are asked to fill out these blanks and have them signed by their parents by 7:30 Friday evening when the first meeting will be held at the Legion Hut. Boys 12 years of age or older are eligible to become scouts if they can meet certain moral requirements and are interested in scouting. Those who have not obtained their application blanks and are interested in becoming scouts may do so by being present at Friday night's meeting. It is planned that, beginning next week, the scouts will meet at the Legion Hut each Tuesday night. Troop committeemen include Raymond Sayre, chairman; Harry Wolford, Ansel McDowell, Homer Pitcock and Bill Dison. Rev. Hugh Hunt has been named troop chaplain. Some twenty boys have already voiced the opinion that they would like to become members of the troop and it is expected that several more will get lined up with the troop as it gets under way.

Red Cross Ships Garments And Kits

Mrs. Jake Tarter, Red Cross Production Chairman states, "Wednesday the local chapter shipped 21 olive drab sweaters, 2 navy turtle neck sweaters, 7 quilts, 22 hospital gowns, 18 fracture pillows and 144 kits. The cost of filling each kit is one dollar; if any one cares to make a donation for this worthy cause it would be greatly appreciated. The Stitch and Chatter club is to be commended for the amount of work they have accomplished. They have completed 27 quilts. The local chapter would also appreciate some feed sacks as material for quilt linings is no longer available at the stores. Mrs. Tarter announces the work room will be closed until after the Christmas holidays.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY TO BE DISCUSSED TUESDAY NIGHT

The Thursday Fine Arts Club of Shamrock with Miss Nell Adams as chairman, is sponsoring the appearance of Mrs. Grace Hodge, Police Woman of Amarillo as guest speaker on Juvenile Delinquency Tuesday, November 28 in Clark Auditorium at 8 p. m. This is a matter of community interest rather than alarm about the youths in our localities. Not that they are uncontrollable but that the adults may know how to direct and supervise the activities of our youths toward the building of good citizens. The public is invited and parents are urged to hear Mrs. Hodge on this date. There will be no admission charge.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS BAPTIST CHURCH P. D. Fullington, Pastor

Sunday School—10:00 a. m. Morning worship—11:00 a. m. "What God Will Mean In Eternity" Training Union 7:00 p. m. Evening Worship—8:00 p. m. "Why You Should Attend Church."

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1944

The early refugees to these shores, thankful for a haven from dangers past, grateful for those blessings of opportunity found in this new land, gave us our first Thanksgiving Day, as far back as 1621. Not just for a successful harvest, the proud results of their labor, but for many other reasons did they raise their prayers. They had come from various countries to a strange soil, hopeful of building new lives, determined to conquer this vast wilderness where, with the help of God, they would freely and steadfastly erect a foundation for the house of government to come. Their Thanksgiving was devoted to faith. This has outlived them and today, at a time when comforts and safety, even such blessings as hope and courage are strained, the nation again comes to the observation of Thanksgiving Day, and considers the bounteous harvest in its individual lives. Inasmuch as those Pilgrim Fathers laid the cornerstone for this democracy, we who followed, are certainly continuously grateful for the privilege, and are surely willing to guard the rights invested most diligently. This is a blessing no war can erase, we shall see to that ever faithfully.

Humility has not been professed by enough, but such was necessary in formulating the original colonies. Universal love has not been indulged in enough by the majority, to have proven itself effective, since man has permitted intolerance through prejudice to overcome his good judgment. That was another of the attributes of the early Pilgrims. Harmony and unity they found must be added to make a nation great, to work for the good of all. None of these conditions have changed since 1621. Have the people themselves?

There is great significance to today's Thanksgiving Day, since the evils of bigotry, cruelty and poverty have been felt by a sorry world this past year. But for these things which we can not help, we will not aggravate by adding to them through lack of appreciation of the profound blessings enjoyed by this nation, by the people of Wheeler, and our deep gratitude we are determined to maintain through the year. Thanksgiving every day, since every hour we should be aware of those material and spiritual goods offered each of us.

Butchering Days

Rural America has its butchering days, perhaps unappreciated by the city slicker who knows not of such an institution, this harvest for the preparation of winter's meat. You do not shrink from the killing, the preparing, but to those who gather with friends to observe the occasion, it becomes not only a business but a friendly gathering as well. Old fashioned as the town pump, the chance to talk politics and crops, for the women to chat and exchange recipes, is far from a melancholy or distasteful festival. Sausage and spareribs are far from unsavory subjects. Then consider the yearly gathering of the rural clans to butcher, a mingling of folks happy to work and talk together. Another custom remaining from those many years back that spells America.

A fellow don't need two Thanksgivings this year to give forth prayers of gratitude. Every day is Thanksgiving Day here.

A man asks who is the dumbest, the fellow who was fooled by the woman he married or the chap who bought phony oil stock.

ROGUE THEATRE

"YELLOW ROSE OF TEXAS"

—starring—

ROY ROGERS

Fri. — Nov. 24-25 — Sat.

"IN THE MEANTIME DARLING"

—featuring—

JEANNE CRAIN

FRANK LATIMORE

Pre.-Sun.-Mon. — Nov. 25-26-27

RAY MILLAND

BARBARA BRITTON

—in—

"TILL WE MEET AGAIN"

Wed. — Nov. 29-30 — Thurs.

Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

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

A friend who, like everybody else, has been shopping around for cigars, has failed to collect many. As a consolation he is collecting the notices that the stores put up to indicate their lack.

A good many say plainly, "No cigars." One store saves labor by setting up a sign with the one word, "No." Another version is, "We do not keep cigars under the counter. If you don't see any, there aren't any." Another appeals to common sense with the observation, "If there is no line-up, there are no cigars."

But the sign to end all signs is one seen in a Cincinnati drug store, which said: "Out of cigars. Out of film. Out of gum. Out of patience. Out of town." —Amarillo Times

The News has stated a number of times that the so-called lend-lease was merely a gift to our allies. It is now revealed that England is about ready to publish its White Paper in which it will admit that she is bankrupt. This means that she does not intend making any effort to pay her debts. Most Americans will agree that it is cheaper for us to pay the war debt rather than fight Hitler alone. This could have happened if Hitler had conquered England and left Russia alone. But most Americans do not relish having England repudiate her debt to us in two wars, while she attempts to hold onto all of her world possessions. She could at least give the United States some of these possessions as a gesture to making a settlement. —Canyon News

In these days of high living costs and high wages, there is one group that is working harder than ever, yet they are paid no more than they

drew many years ago. We are talking about the United States postmen. A bill is now pending in Congress which would increase the pay of the men who so constantly perform their duties in the delivery of the mail. It should be made into a law at once. The mailmen are entitled to more pay. If you appreciate the service that your mailman gives to you and if you feel that he is underpaid, then set right down and write your Congressman and Senators. Their vote on this measure will be guided very much by expressions from voters. —Oehlert County Herald

Mr. Churchill, who has spread more good will than the former Prince of Wales and traveled farther than Mrs. Roosevelt, is off again—this time to Paris. In the course of his travels he has picked up more knowledge of world conditions than most of his fellow men could ever hope to know. Yet there is one condition prevalent in America which we do know about, and we suspect that it prevails throughout the world. On the basis of it we offer our explanation of why England gets to see as much of its Prime Minister as it does. He has to go home occasionally to get his laundry done. —Spearman Reporter

The sixth war loan is a big undertaking and will require the cooperation of everyone to reach the goal. War bonds as Christmas presents has been suggested as a good way to help the war effort and please the recipient. —McLean News

They couldn't try Thomas De Lorenzo for saying that he would rather see Americans die in battle for want of equipment than see his union lose any of its "rights" at the Brewster aircraft plant, where he is the UAW local's president. But they could try him on the charge of lying about his police record to get a job, and find him guilty.

De Lorenzo's punishment, if it survives appeal, is mild—30 days and \$500 fine. But at least it should serve notice to him that he is not inviolate

AUCTIONEERS

Not the oldest or the greatest in the business —too many others claim that—but if you want satisfaction, see us.


LEONARD GREEN
Mobeetie

SHELBY PETTIT
Wheeler


STRETCH

YOUR FEED DOLLARS
BY BUYING PURINA CHOWS

For FAST GAINS
Many leading hog men average 100 lbs. of pork with 5 1/2 bu. of corn and only 50 lbs. of Hog Chow on the Purina plan.
Grain with HOG CHOW




Raise GOOD CALVES
One bag of Calf Startena replaces 40 gallons of milk, and grows big, vigorous, thrifty calves. Saves time, labor, and money.
Start 'em with STARTENA



For Full Egg Baskets, Feed PURINA LAY CHOW
It pays to balance your grain with Purina Lay Chow. Quality ingredients supply what your own scratch lacks.



There's LOTS of MILK in... PURINA COW CHOW
Feed a proven dairy feed built to help keep cows in condition for capacity production and long milking life.



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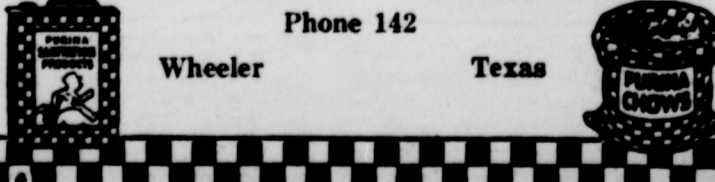


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Thanksgiving, Nov. 23.....	Psalm 103	Sunday, Dec. 10.....	Isaiah 55
Friday.....	Jhon 14	Monday.....	Psalm 121
Saturday.....	Psalm 23	Tuesday.....	Philippians 4
Sunday, Nov. 26.....	Psalm 1	Wednesday.....	Revelation 21
Monday.....	Matthew 5	Thursday.....	Luke 15
Tuesday.....	Romans 8	Friday.....	Ephesians 6
Wednesday.....	I Corinthians 13	Saturday.....	John 17
Thursday.....	Psalm 91	Sunday, Dec. 17.....	Isaiah 53
Friday.....	Matthew 6	Monday.....	I Corinthians 15
Saturday.....	John 3	Tuesday.....	John 10
Sunday, Dec. 3.....	Isaiah 40	Wednesday.....	Psalm 51
Monday.....	Psalm 46	Thursday.....	Psalm 37
Tuesday.....	Romans 12	Friday.....	John 1
Wednesday.....	Hebrews 11	Saturday.....	Revelation 22
Thursday.....	Matthew 7	Sunday, Dec. 24.....	Psalm 90
Friday.....	John 15	Christmas, Dec. 25.....	Luke 2
Saturday.....	Psalm 27		



By **BOYCE HOUSE**

Recently, this observer heard "Indian Love Call," that stately and melodious song, played on a juke box—in swing time. I've now heard everything!

In Corpus Christi:

There is a cafe that serves eggs any way you want them—just so you want them scrambled.

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And a souvenir shop bears the romantic name of "The Sea Chest."

My good friend and fellow newspaperman, John McCarty of the Amarillo Globe-News has written a booklet, "The Enchanted West," splendidly illustrated by Ignatz Sahula-Dyck and published by the Dr. Pepper Co., of Dallas, that covers the scenic variety of the West, its rugged history, notorious early-day characters, great ranches and ranchmen, rodeos and many other subjects—truly an excellent piece of work.

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One day, a traveler was asked the customary question, "Where are you going?" and he replied, "I am going to be hanged on that gallows in the middle of the bridge."

If the guards allowed him to go across the bridge, then he lied and should have been hanged. On the other hand, if they hanged him, then he told the truth and should have been permitted to go on!

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MOBEETIE HI-LIFE

Items of interest pertaining to the Mobeetie Schools

The Red Cross

The high school students are making a contribution to the Junior Red Cross. Each class decided to contribute not less than 10 cents. Each class has made the following contribution: Freshmen, \$1.60; Sophomores, about \$5; Juniors, \$2.60; Seniors, \$2.10; 8th grade, \$2.35. There are a few who still have given nothing.

Basketball Season Opens

The Mobeetie girls and boys basketball teams have already entered the Shamrock tournament which is January 12 and 13, and the Hedley tournament which is December 15 and 16. Although the schedule is still incomplete they have the following games scheduled. Dec. 19, McLean, there; Jan. 5, McLean, here; Jan. 19, Hedley, here; Jan. 26, Hedley, there.

Surprise Party

Mrs. Ransom Carter gave a surprise birthday party for her son, Carl, Sunday afternoon. Refreshments of birthday cake and punch were served to Angela Duncan, Juanita Walker, Maurita Lamon, Helen Trout, Mignon Colwell, Peggy Ware, Florene Corcoran, Delton Burke, Wallace Corse, George B. Dunn, Charles Waters, Wilma Prock, Bonnie Prock, Ray Jones, Ralph McLaughlin, Paul Jones, and Carl Carter. Everyone had a very good time and would like to say for once that they got to whip Carl, even if it was his birthday.

Senior Party

The Senior Class went to Pampa Thursday night. One group arrived in time to see two shows. Later the other car came trailing in after having trouble. Everyone enjoyed refreshments at the White Way. Mrs. Dorothy Chase, a former Homemaking teacher at Mobeetie, went with the Seniors.

Juanita Walker entertained the group at the White Way and on the way home. Her main subject was poetry written by Mrs. Marchbanks.

The Seniors who went to Pampa were Cleta Fae Davis, Billy Lou Trimble, Maurita Lamon, Juanita Walker, Dorothy Nell Goodnight,

Betty Jo Brewster, Ray Jones, Harold Haning, George B. Dunn, Carl Carter, Leroy Patton and their sponsor, Mrs. Marchbanks.

Freshman News

The Freshman class entertained several high school students at the gym Thursday night. Games played were winkem, fishing for love, marching to Jerico, relay, too late for supper and two deep. Refreshments of doughnuts and cokes were served to the following:

Nancy Ware, Joan Colwell, Charlotte Smith, Nellie Davis, Onie Sims, Ray Sims, Neal Herd, C. E. Trimble, Vera Mixon, Vernie Mixon, Norman Lowry, Tom Lamon, Douglas Corse, Joyce McCauley, Betty Jean Patton, Wylene Davis, James Lancaster, Frances Corcoran, Bonnie Prock, Horace Trimble, Hugh Jeffus, Doyle Greenhouse, Marion Reed, Quintin Godwin, LeRoy Hathaway.

Joe Fred Leonard, Roberta Leonard, Marie McCauley, Audrey Alexander, Billie Alexander, Jimmie Shelton, David Abbott, Kenneth Northcott, Dealie Key, Louis Key, Doris Barton, Virginia Henderson, Dorothy Eubanks, Sidney Lancaster, Betty Jean Lancaster, Drew Godwin, Thurman Clay, Ola Mae Scribner, Mrs. Oad Gatlin, Mrs. Jack Davis, Miss Ward, Miss Watt, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. F. M. Biddy, Mr. F. M. Biddy, Mrs. Dan Altman and Judy Altman.

Abber and Jabber

Have you heard how the Trimble and Hanning case is getting along lately?

Wonder who says, "Don't keep secrets from your honey?"

It seems rather embarrassing when you can't read signs, doesn't it, Dorothy Nell and Betty Jo?

Do you know why C. E. goes up to the Helpy-Selfy Laundry so often? Mobeetie pupils want to inform the parents that they now have a bashful boy attending their school especially when Mr. Trout comes to the door, isn't that correct Ray S. Wonder why Carl and Angela don't like company.

Our new Mutt and Jeff are Doyle and Nancy.

Why does Joan blush when Mrs. Gatlin calls Hugh Jeffus down.

Maurita is looking forward to Thanksgiving, that's when Stacy Arnold comes home.

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LIBBY'S No. 2 1/2 Jar **35¢**

STRAWBERRY JELLY
PURE FRUIT 1 Pound Jar **33¢**

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COCOA HERSHEY'S Half Pound Box **10¢**

DATES PITTED 1 Pound Box **65¢**

PORK SAUSAGE Pound **30¢**

BEEF ROAST Per Pound **28¢**

BOLOGNA Per Pound **25¢**

BRICK CHILI Per Pound **30¢**

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W. M. S. ENJOYS BOOK REVIEW

Mrs. Jimmie Mitchener was hostess to the W. M. S. of the Baptist Church at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. Mrs. Lee Guthrie gave a partial review of "The Spiritual Heritage of China."

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Raymond Sayre, C. N. Wofford, M. L. Gunter, J. W. Williams, A. W. Williams, Charlie Warren, George Porter, P. D. Fullingim, Minnie Farmer, Lee Guthrie and the hostess, Mrs. Mitchener.

SUE SAVAGE CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY SATURDAY

Mrs. Alwyn Savage entertained Saturday afternoon with a party which observed the tenth birthday of her daughter, Malva Sue.

Games were enjoyed after which refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Those present included: Waynetta Burgess, Sue Williamson, Patricia and Kay Hubbard, Gayle Dysart, Esther and Kay Rogers, Lovetta Moore, Marilyn Swink, La June Mann, Bonnie Rae Tilley and Nadine Barton.

Rita and Jeanette Perrin, Helen Johnson, Beverly Bradshaw, Betty Jo Taylor, Betty Lou Kidwell, Loretta Crowder, Jo Ann Hardcastle, Sue, Keith and Cortland Savage.

BOYS ENJOY OUTING WEDNESDAY

A group of boys enjoyed a wiener roast given by Jimmy Bronson Green on the lawn at his home last Wednesday evening. The affair was given in honor of Jerry English who left Thursday for Vega. Each boy brought a gift for Jerry.

Other boys enjoying the outing were Garland Parks, Richard Brown, Edward Hubbard and Tommy J. Moble.

G. A.'s MEET MONDAY WITH CHARLENE BRADSHAW

The G. A.'s met at the home of Charlene Bradshaw Monday night. A program was given by Josephine Noah and Hazel Lee. The next meeting will be held at the home of Coene Carter.

Refreshments were served to the following: Betty Hix, Coene Carter, Hazel Lee, Dolly Douglas, Josephine Noah, Edna Farmer, Mrs. Sayre and the hostess, Charlene Bradshaw.

M. O. McKay was a Shamrock caller Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the words of encouragement and deeds of kindness extended to us in the loss of our son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ayres and Children.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation for the many acts of kindness and the beautiful floral offerings received at the death of our infant daughter and sister, Carolyn Joyce.

We especially wish to thank Rev. A. C. Wood for his words of hope and consolation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rector and Children, Corene and D. L.

THE CORRAL

Items of interest pertaining to the Wheeler Schools

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Junior Reporter.....Patsy Wiley
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Freshman Reporter.....Betty May

Spreading Contamination

You've read the Kleenex advertisement that says "don't put a cold in your pocket," well, we don't want it on the hall or study hall floor either. There are waste baskets in the study hall, and all the class rooms, so please put your Kleenex in them.

This is the time of year when colds start, so we want to remind you that you can help keep the cold epidemic down if you will.

To The School Board

This question is addressed to the school board by the ever-bored student body: "Why can't we have school dances?" Dances sponsored by the school provide wholesome entertainment and recreation to keep the students from standing on the street. What about it, school board?

Homemaking News

Mrs. Wiley attended a homemaking conference at Pampa on Saturday, November 18. This meeting was one of a series of conferences to be held in the state for the purpose of discussing different phases of the year-round homemaking education program with special emphasis on the summer work.

Some of the problems discussed at the Pampa meeting were: Limited transportation as it affects the program of work; shortage of materials and equipment with which to work; how to work with girls who are employed in farm work, and town; and lack of enough students to justify the summer program.

FFA News

Vocational agriculture I and IV just finished varnishing and painting the inside of the ag. room. Also the outside window facing and screens have been painted. This work was done in connection with our paint-study program.

In the last FFA meeting the chapter voted to sell subscriptions to the Texas Livestock Journal. The chapter is doing this to raise some money and will appreciate selling the magazine to anyone interested.

Bennie Westmoreland bought a calf from Chester Morgan to feed

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express my appreciation and thanks for the care and kindness of Dr. H. E. Nicholson, the nurse and everyone who helped care for me during my recent illness for the many beautiful flowers, gifts and cards, and for the dinner and hospitality for the relatives in the home of Mrs. J. M. Porter. All these things will ever be remembered. May God bless each and everyone of you.

Mrs. Floyd Atherton and Family

out for the Amarillo show next spring. Other boys who already had calves they plan to feed out for the show are: Corky Guthrie, and Wayne Jolly. All report their calves are doing fine.

All but two of the boys have their gilts (registered Durocs) bred that they won in last year's FFA contest. FFA boys are working to win the eight gilts to be given away this year by the chapter.

The chapter project program shows that there is close to an average of three projects per boy.

Sophomore Class Party

The Sophomore class had a party Wednesday night at the school gym. Everyone invited two guests. We all had a nice time.

This And That

Huge plans are being made for the football banquet and the Junior party.

The Juniors and Seniors are writing themes this week. The most likely topic is "Cupid's Work in Wheeler High."

The farm animals seem to have taken over the fourth period study hall, Donald makes a wonderful calf.

We have a new pupil this week; her name is Patsy Sue Hunt, and she is the new pastor's daughter.

Tough luck, girls, Pat Patterson moved to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mauney and daughter, Doris, of Berger were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyatt, Mrs. Alton Nations and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hyatt and little son, Joe Richard, spent the week end in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashley and Mr.

and Mrs. John Stevens of Amarillo were Wheeler visitors Sunday afternoon.

Joe Tilley returned Saturday from a business trip to San Antonio and Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Britt of Grenville, New Mexico visited relatives

and friends here the first of the week.

Dr. V. N. Hall is visiting his mother and brothers in Birmingham, Alabama.

I. B. Massey of McLean spent last week in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Archie Hibler.

We are glad to have Bonnye Prater back in school again.

Edna, wouldn't it be wonderful to be a WAVE?

Bettie Hix, who is going to teach you and Patsy to dance, you hope? How long is the Senior reporter going to sleep?

The homemaking girls extend an invitation to the aggie land boys, since they are such wonderful artists, to paint the homemaking building. Refreshments might be served. What about it, boys?

At ease students! The diamond Virginia Marrs has been wearing was a birthday present given to her by Mary.

The latest sports fashion is white oxfords with red and blue autographs on them. This seems to have been started Tuesday by Virginia Marrs, Melba and Helen Little.

We are all wondering what in the world has happened to Betty Richerson; she hasn't been seen around Wheeler high school for quite some time now.



We extend Thanksgiving Greetings to our friends and customers. Today is a day to pause and think and give thanks we're Americans. We are grateful for many things today that we have taken for granted in the past. May we all be worthy.

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The Times War Time Reporter Says

"THANKSGIVING"

My Granddady, I recon, was one of the most thankful men I ever knew. He started to return thanks one day, and Granddady said, they ain't nothing to be thankful for, the old hound dog done got all the meat. But Granddady just bowed his head, and said "Oh Lord, I'm thankful for a well fed hound." Today my poem is "Thankfulness."

Forgive me, dear Lord I know not how to pray, But I too, will be thankful This Thanksgiving day.

I'm thankful for the air I breathe The trees and stars above, I'm thankful, Lord, that I can live And have friends I can love.

And, Oh Lord, I am thankful Even though sometimes I'm wrong, That I will have an honest Judge To place me where I belong.

Farm Produce To Fill Red Cross Overseas Thanksgiving Tables

Farm products will contribute to the Thanksgiving celebration in American Red Cross clubs throughout the world, where our servicemen will be served the traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings, including cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, vegetables, salad, and, of course pumpkin pie. Turkeys are expected to be plentiful overseas for the American boys who last year consumed 28 tons of turkey in one city alone.

Entertainment, though simple close to the front, will include in Red Cross leave area clubs back of the lines large dinner parties preceded by religious services and followed by games, movies and Thanksgiving programs.

For hospitalized servicemen and those unable to come to the clubs, the American Red Cross has made special provision. Clubmobiles will visit outposts and airfields. And in hospital wards brightened with decorations made in many instances by the patients themselves, Red Cross hospital workers will again provide entertainment, and a Thanksgiving dinner will be served. Bed patients will have specially prepared holiday trays.

FARM CENSUS STARTS JANUARY 1ST

Right after Jan. 1 an Army of 26,000 men and women—armed with 195 questions—will set out to visit every farm in this country to get basic information on agriculture.

They are census takers. The only figures they want are farm figures. They will ask questions like these: Name of owner, number of people living on farm, number of people employed, wages, crop and livestock production, and value of land, buildings, machinery.

This census probably will be one of the most important ever taken.

Here are a couple of reasons why: This year U. S. farms are in peak production, outstripped everything that went before and for good reasons: when Americans have money—they have more now than they ever had—they spend much of it on food; the armed forces have to be fed; and food is being shipped abroad.

Between now and the next census this peak production may not be necessary and probably won't be. The government will have to know something about its farms and farmers in

Crop And Livestock Production Goals For '45 To Be Set Nov. 27-28

Representatives of farm groups and agencies will meet in College Station on November 27 and 28 to establish 1945 crop and livestock production goals for Texas, it was announced today by State AAA Administrator, B. F. Vance.

Suggestions drawn up by the War Food Administration on the basis of prospective requirements for food and fiber from 1945 production will

be presented to the meeting as a guide in fixing next year's goals, Vance said.

The State meeting has been called at the request of Food Administrator Marvin Jones who has asked each state to determine its goals in relation to national needs. The sum of the state goals will become the national goal.

WFA representatives will be present at the meeting to explain the outlook for 1945 requirements and also for such production factors as labor, fertilizer, and machinery. Government price support announcements covering each commodity also will be given.

Vance pointed out that AAA committeemen again have been given a major responsibility to work with farmers in attaining the goals. Full participation by other agencies and groups will be needed, he said.

Leaders invited to attend the state meeting include the state AAA committee and representatives of Texas USDA War Board and other agricultural leaders.

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Look into your heart and ask yourself honestly: "Have I stopped fighting? Have I stopped buying War Bonds because I think the war is about over?" You're not a quitter; your answer is "No!"

The fight in the Pacific calls for a highly specialized type of equipment. B-29 bombers that cost \$600,000 in War Bonds; M-4 tanks with bulldozer blades that cost \$67,417; "alligators" that cost \$30,000; millions upon millions of gallons of gasoline. We need more and costlier equipment than any war has ever called for. And that's the big reason for the 6th War Loan Drive. Just as long as a single Japanese aims a gun at our men—we must continue to buy War Bonds.

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Reminders

Meats, Fats — Red stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through P5, good indefinitely. The four red stamps validated October 29 totaling 40 red points will have to last for at least a 5 week period. No new red stamps until December 3.

Processed Foods—Blue stamps A8 through Z8 and A5 through W5, good indefinitely. No new stamps until December 1.

Sugar — Sugar stamps 30, 31, 32 and 33, each good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar stamp 34 became good November 16 and remains good indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40, good for five pounds of canning sugar through February 28, 1945.

Gasoline — A-12 coupons in new ration book good for four gallons through December 21.

Fuel Oil — Period 4 and 5 coupons from last heating season, and period 1 coupons from new heating season good throughout present heating year.

Shoes — Airplane stamps 1, 2 and

3 in book three, good indefinitely.

Vacation Travel Can Cost Gas Coupons

Motorists who use gasoline illegally to travel to winter resorts face the loss of their mileage rations, the Office of Price Administration warns. Chester Bowles OPA Administrator said: "The millions of patriotic drivers throughout the country who are abiding by the mileage regulations and getting along on tight rations so that all may share fairly the scarce civilian supplies have a right to expect OPA to shut down hard on those who obtain gasoline unfairly for non-essential trips. We intend to do just that." The agency has ruled that persons who are planning a seasonal trip for a definite period of time are not making a bona fide change of residence and that special rations may not be granted for such trips.

Tenant Farmers Get Fertilizer Price Aid

Landlords selling fertilizers to ten-

ant farmers cannot charge more than the applicable retail ceiling price of these products, Office of Price Administration has ruled. An additional mark-up by landlords never was authorized, the agency stated.

Cigarettes To Go Unrationed

The shortage of cigarettes experienced throughout the country reflects the bad distribution due to wartime conditions and the fact that the armed forces are now smoking a fourth of the country's total production, but no rationing of them is contemplated, the Office of Price Administration states. The War Food Administration reports that the number of cigarettes being manufactured for civilian and soldier consumption is the greatest in the history of the tobacco industry. Only a negligible amount of tax-free cigarettes is sent abroad for consumption other than by our armed forces. Black market operations and hoarding are also believed to be the factors contributing to the spotty distribution and civilian shortages.

Find Jobs For Veterans

Jobs were found for 60,064 veterans of this war and for 10,892 from the last war during the month of September by the United States Employment Service, the War Manpower Commission reports. Of the total of placements, 12,492 involved disabled veterans whose skills, aptitudes and experiences enabled them to perform many types of productive work.

Land Boom Periled Rural America

Editorial by Claude R. Wickard, Secretary of Agriculture. History is threatening to repeat itself in the farm land market. Another farm land "boom," closely paralleling the one that ended so disastrously after the last war, is building up in this country. Both the price of farm land and the number of farm sales in many areas have been rising at about the same rate as in the last war. If this trend continues, rural America had better watch out.

One encouraging sign is that actual land prices haven't yet reached the high level of 1919-20. But still we can't say now how much higher these prices are likely to go because, in the world war I period, the high point in the land market was not reached until more than a year after the fighting stopped.

It would be sad indeed if the nation should witness another seige of farm land foreclosures, bankruptcies, and forced sales such as hundreds of thousands of rural families experienced after the bottom fell out of the land boom that accompanied the

World War I period. For 13 hazardous years after 1920, land prices were on the downhill trail. And that statistical fact doesn't begin to tell the full story of human tragedy and misery. Because when a wave of bankruptcies hits a community, everybody suffers — lender and borrower, business and professional people alike. It will be particularly unfair for returning veterans, who want to buy land, if they have to compete in an inflated land market. For them, or farmers either for that matter, to go heavily in debt on land prices bid up far beyond long-time earning capacity is an invitation to disaster.

So my advice is — Don't buy land at inflated prices. Put your war-time income into sound investments, such as war bonds, so that you can benefit from that money in the years ahead.

Public Asked To Help Doctors

The necessity of everyone of us to cooperate with the medical profession in order to keep to a minimum the demands on our physicians is urged by Paul V. McNutt, Chairman of the War Manpower Commission. Pointing out that about 1,500 physicians had died on the home front during the first six months of this year, Mr. Mc-

Nutt said, "All over the nation our doctors are sacrificing themselves to help us do a magnificent job." He cited the day and night work, the extra travel and physical hardships facing doctors responding to the calls of increased numbers of people.

Boy Scouts Exceed Paper Goal

The Boy Scouts of America have exceeded their goal of 100,000 tons of waste paper during the two months drive of August and September. As a result, says J. A. Krug, Chairman of the War Production Board, about 85,000 Scouts and Cubs throughout the country will qualify for the individual WPB award. He called the

number eligible for the individual award "an astounding fact when we consider that it required a certified 1,000 pounds of waste paper collected and moved to the waste paper dealers in order to earn this individual award."

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- 1 Large Hog Feeder
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Valoree Riley of Oklahoma City is spending her vacation with home folks near Briscoe and her sister, Betty, at Borger.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Laffin were Sunday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Laffin in Miami.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swan of Borger and daughters of Klamath Falls, Oregon visited friends here Monday.
Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ayres, were Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wheeler of Clinton, Okla., Shelby Wheeler of Cordell, Okla., and Mrs. Margaret Buck of Butler, Okla.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dysart and children of Ft. Worth are visiting relatives in Mobeetie and Wheeler.

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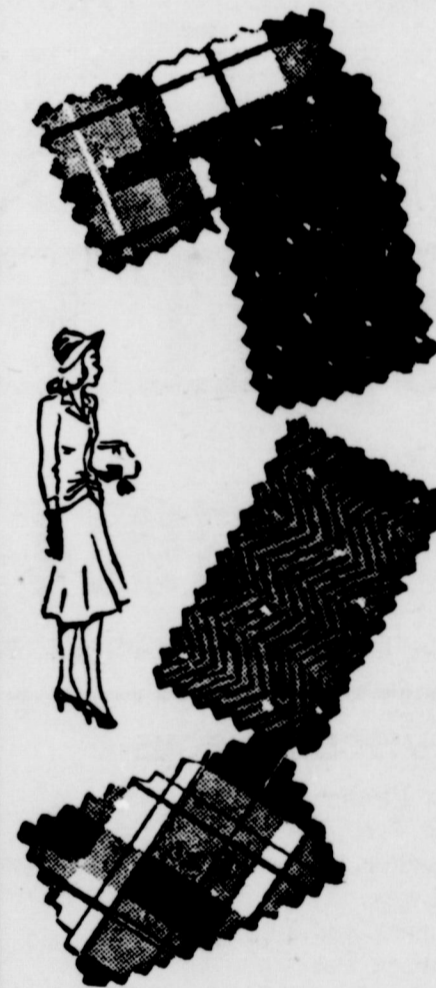


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2. Each person included in this program shall be entitled to ten days hospitalization in any one case of illness.
3. Obstetrical cases will be hospitalized, not to exceed three days for both mother and baby in normal cases, under this agreement.

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