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COUNTY FAILS TO GET QUOTA FOR RED CROSS

COLLECTIONS STILL ALMOST \$900 LOW; SOME NOT REPORTED

Hall County may hold its head high for the amount of Red Cross money raised during the past week, but should certainly NOT be proud of the final outcome since funds turned in were below the quota set for the county.

The total amount turned in to E. A. Smith Jr. at the First State Bank as of Wednesday was \$3,146.77, still nearly \$900 short of the quota of \$4,030.

Red Cross officials here are hoping that enough funds have not been turned in to bring the total up to the quota, although they express doubt that this will be the case.

Several communities have not turned in any funds. Among these is that of Turkey, where it has been reported that several hundred dollars have been collected, but as yet have not been turned into Smith.

It is also possible, O. V. Alexander, county chairman for the drive, said, that other outlying communities will turn in more funds. A number of them has turned in none to date, one of the reasons the quota has not been raised.

Last week's total was only \$1,627.64, and the total this week shows that much work was done to raise the additional \$1,500.

According to radio and newspaper reports, the Red Cross drive has met with difficulty in a large number of areas.

Hot, Wasn't It?

TEMPERATURE GOES TO 98

A month ago a coat was a necessity; now it's a burden. For ole man Winter has climbed into his chariot and stolen away.

The highest temperature of the year was reached this week, when summer weather—although it's still spring—drove the mercury up to 98 degrees. That's the official report from J. J. McMickin, local weather observer, who says his thermometer reached that level Monday.

Fruit trees knew that winter had gone, for they blossomed out in all their splendor, and flowers felt the warm weather and opened up to let forth their sweet scent.

The local forecasters, who know no more about it than you or I, were afraid to say what the future weeks hold, but they, along with you and I, are hoping that the weather remains clear with no bank freezes to kill vegetation. Some of the prophets, however, expressed the belief that Hall County would suffer no late spring freeze.

Despite the warm days, the temperature has been dropping during the night to enable pleasant sleeping for Hall Countians. Some clouds have been forming during the day, and Tuesday a few drops of rain found their way to the ground.

The wheat crops are looking extremely well, and the ground is setting in good shape for spring planting. Barring a slap from Mother Nature, both the wheat this spring and cotton next fall will help line some of the farmers' pockets who did not make much cotton last fall.

LAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

Did you ever see a tree wistaria in full bloom? Drive by T. E. Smith's home on Cleveland at 8th and take a look at the most beautiful flowering shrub ever seen in Memphis. The flowers are orchid in color and hang in long clusters. They will give you a spiritual uplift and this gorgeous display—more beautiful than any painting, will be in full bloom this week, and last many more days.

Smith has been doing a lot of work in blossoming out this spring. Various flowers and shrubs make his home more beautiful and give you a spiritual uplift. He is sure to show that beautiful display to you. (Continued on page 8)

Magnolia Surface Surveyors Work Halted by Quake

Perhaps you didn't feel anything, but the submarine earthquake which caused the deadly tidal wave Monday had its effect in Hall County.

Due to the rumbling of the earth, the men connected with the Magnolia surface survey party here were unable to work. Sol Blattner of the group reported this week.

The instruments used by the party are of a delicate nature, it was explained, and show effects of the earth's movement when such a quake occurs.

Lakeview Juniors To Present Annual Play on April 11

'Don't Be Bashful' Name Of Drama; Cast to Include Total of Eleven Students

The junior class of Lakeview is presenting its annual play Thursday evening, April 11. Title of this year's presentation is "Don't Be Bashful."

In the cast are Harold Rumpy as Walter Adams, Ima Ruth Gowdy as Grace Adams, Martha Lollis as Nancy Adams, Carroll Fowler as Sam Hunt, Jerry Williams as Judy Hunt, Tommy Selman as Ken Hunt, K. D. Nabers as Larry Marshall, Bobby Adams as Phyllis Burk, Edith Driver as Frances Terry, Elnora Barbee as Caroline Green, and Don Hillis as Officer Pluck.

In the synopsis, Nancy Adams (Continued on page 5)

THIEVES TAKE \$500 IN GOODS AT BELL DRUG

ENTER REAR DOOR OF STORE; OFFICIALS WORKING ON CASE

Merchandise valued at approximately \$500 was taken by thieves from the Bell drug store at Estelline Tuesday night, Mrs. Fred Berry, Democrat correspondent, reported Wednesday.

The thieves entered the store by prying open a back door, it was reported.

Local officials were in Estelline Wednesday to investigate the burglary, and also to ascertain whether fingerprints could be found.

At present the city of Estelline is without a nightwatchman, although the chamber of commerce there only last week decided to obtain the services of such an official.

The new nightwatchman will be deputized, it was reported, and will be paid a salary of \$150 per month.

A house is now available for his occupancy, and anyone interested may contact J. L. Darby or Clyde Wilkinson.

New V. F. W. Post Meets to Discuss Naming of Group

Next Meeting to Be Held Tuesday Night; Will Be Open to All Eligible Vets

Plans for naming and instituting the newly-formed Veterans of Foreign Wars chapter were discussed at a Tuesday night meeting held in the county court room.

Members present recommended that the post be named after the first Hall County service man killed in World War II. Institution of the post will be on Sunday afternoon, April 14, at the conclusion of a drive to obtain a greater number of charter members. Men who join prior to the institution date will be recorded as charter members.

County records indicate that over 1,000 men in the county are eligible, and it is hoped that a large percentage of them will enter as charter members. Men in the area who are outside the county are equally eligible to join the organization. Overseas service and honorable discharge are given as the only restricting requirements.

Temporary commander Bob Queener explained the duties of post officers in the meeting, appointed a committee to investigate building, another for membership, and a third for veteran employment. Al Wilson and Ted George are in charge of the membership drive.

The next meeting is to be held Tuesday night, April 9, in the county court room unless otherwise announced. All eligible veterans throughout the county are urged to attend in order that none may miss the opportunity for charter membership, Queener said.

No Rest—Plaska P-TA to Sponsor Politicking Party

Ye can-de-dates will have no rest—that fact is for certain.

Maybe you thought the pre-season politicking was to be light, and then the juniors at Lakeview sponsored that opening open-house for office seekers.

And now comes another. The Plaska Parent-Teacher Association announced this week that that group will sponsor a pie supper and candidate speaking at the Plaska school Friday night, April 12. The affair will start at 8 o'clock.

But at least you won't choke on pie, for ice cream and coffee will also be sold, it was announced.

The Plaska P-T. A. wanted it known also that they invite all people—be they candidates or be they satisfied citizens.

Methodist Church To Have Religious Revival in Memphis

Two Services to Be Held Daily, Beginning Sunday; Will Continue Two Weeks

A pre-Easter revival, to commence Sunday morning and continue for two weeks through April 21, will be held at the First Methodist Church in Memphis, Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor, announced this week.

Two services will be held daily, the pastor said. The morning services will begin at 10 o'clock (except on Sunday when they will start at 11), and the evening services will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Conducting the services will be the pastor, Rev. Haynes, who only recently assumed the pastorate of the local Methodist church. The new pastor, who was released in February from the U. S. Army where he had served during the war, he was pastor at the Shamrock Methodist church.

In this issue of The Democrat, an advertisement is being run by the local church to aid in publicizing the meeting. In addition, window cards are being distributed here, in Lakeview, in Estelline, and in Hedley.

The public is cordially invited to attend, Rev. Haynes said. "We urge everyone to be present at as many of the meetings as possible. All denominations will be welcome, and our revival will be one for and of Christianity."

4-H Safety Work Wins State Award

A plaque has been awarded to Hall County—the only county in the state to receive such an award—for the outstanding program in the national 4-H safety contest.

The plaque was received this week by County Agent W. B. Hooser, and is on display in the county agent's office.

The plaque is one of bronze metal on dark oak wood.

Snake Haven--But No Picnic Grounds!

Add to Memphis' list of daredevils, i. e. fliers, firemen, marines, motorcycle fans, and flag pole sitters, a new type adventurer—the rattlesnake hunter.

In a series of snake hunting expeditions, Eldred Childress, T. B. Rogers, and Frank Foxhall have found and killed an approximate 60 rattlers on the Smith ranch north of the city.

Equipped with .22 calibre rifles, special steel snake hooks, and the appropriate amount of chill bumps, the expedition searched out reptile dens along the canyons and trails where any one of us might go plum-hunting or grape-snatching in all our innocent spring delight.

Childress displayed a bag of rattles gleaned from the last hunt, in which there were several dozen with nine rattles or more. He stated that snake dens were usually found in crevices facing south or east (snakes are rabid sun bath enthusiasts) and in rocky terrain.

The hunters were surprised at the numbers of large snakes discovered in groups, snoozing in the sun. Often during the hunt, the three men, aided by Mr. Smith, landowner, were dispatching three or more snakes simultaneously.

If you aren't acquainted with these three unusual hunters, just watch around town for the fellows with strangely erected hair and tight scalps.

The men tentatively plan future forages into reptile hideouts, weather and wives permitting, and will at their present rate soon de-snake the county. Smith has reported that many of the snakes in the raided dens have already packed their rattles and begun an exodus.

Harrison, Milam Named New Members of Council

Funeral Services Held at Estelline For Mrs. Thompson

91-Year-Old Resident Had Lived With Her Daughter, Mrs. F. E. Leary, 16 Years

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist Church in Estelline for Mrs. Eliza Jane Thompson, 91, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Leary, Friday morning of last week at 9:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Thompson had been in ill health for a number of years. Services were conducted by Rev. T. T. Posey, pastor of the First Christian Church of Memphis, assisted by Rev. E. I. Hart, pastor of the Estelline Methodist church. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery in Memphis under the direction of the Estes Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Augusta, Ga., September 9, 1854, and was married to W. H. Thompson in Augusta in 1871. The family moved to Dallas in 1889, and then to Milford, where Mr. Thompson died in 1907.

For the past 16 years, she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Leary, in Estelline. She was a member of the Christian Christian church.

Survivors include two sons, (Continued on page 5)

Hall County Pays Bounties on Total 200 Coyote Pelts

Hall County paid bounties on the pelts of 200 coyotes during the first three months of this year, Judge M. O. Goodpasture said this week.

Highest collector of the pelts so far this year is O. L. Goldsmith of Parnell, who has brought in 66. Goldsmith, however, has not collected any pelts since January 25, indicating that the first few days of the year found him busy hunting out the elusive animals.

Next highest is Pat McLean of Estelline, who gathered in bounty on 20 pelts. Truman Floyd of the Indian Creek community and O. S. Staggs of Estelline have each brought in 18 pelts. Tuesday H. S. Gardenhire of Lakeview brought in 21 pelts to start off April bounty payments.

The county pays a bounty of \$1 for each pelt, the judge said.

Merrell, Duncan Re-Elected; School Voting Saturday

Little Interest Shown In City Balloting; County To Elect New Trustees

Practically no interest was manifested in the city election held here Tuesday when four aldermen, two of whom are new members of the city council, were elected for terms of two years each.

New members of the council are Wendell Harrison in Ward 1, succeeding O. V. Alexander who did not enter the race this year; and Clyde F. Milam in Ward 3, succeeding M. C. Allen who also did not enter the race.

Re-elected were L. B. Merrell in Ward 2 and R. L. Duncan in Ward 4. None of the four elected were faced with opposition, and voting was very light.

Harrison received 12 votes, Merrell 16, Milam 16, and Duncan 10.

The four members will join H. E. Tarver, O. R. Goodall, R. C. Cummings, and W. T. Hightower, whose terms on the council did not expire this year. The term of Mayor C. C. Hodges likewise did not expire.

SCHOOL ELECTION TO BE SATURDAY

The annual election of trustees for both the independent and (Continued on page 5)

Official Report Gives Hall Total Of 24,389 Bales

Cotton Crop Yield Drops 12,000 From Last Year; Wheat Now in Fine Shape

That last official cotton crop report is out, and Hall County ginning finds itself almost 12,000 bales short compared to that from the crop of 1944.

The 1945 cotton crop, as determined by ginning in this county, totaled 24,389 bales, according to a report by C. Lee Rushing, special agent for the bureau of the census of the department of commerce.

This figure is in comparison with the 38,230 bales, ginned from the 1944 crop, Rushing reported.

But despite the lower production figure, business has remained as good as it was as a result of the 1944 crop. This may be attributed partly to the higher price given for cotton, and partly because most merchants are gradually getting materials and goods now which were not available following the 1944 crop.

Prospects for a better yield this year are high. Early rains (Continued on page 5)

Monzingo Kayoes Wellington Boxer In Matches Here

Bouts End Even, Four to Four; Local Fighters To Meet Lockney Here

"Jarring" Jack Monzingo, knockout specialist of Memphis High School, gave a repeat performance in demonstrating his kayo prowess when he lunged a short jab to knock out Richards of Wellington in the first round at the inter-city contests held here Tuesday night between the Memphis Cyclone and the Wellington Skyrockets.

Memphis fans are in for one more evening of boxing, Coach Curtis Kelley announced at the end of Tuesday bouts. The local fighters will meet a strong group from Lockney Friday night, April 12.

The fights ended four bouts to (Continued on page 4)

Rites Being Held For W. E. McIlroy

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at Lelia Lake in the Church of Christ for William Edward McIlroy, who died Tuesday. Services are being conducted by Minister Frank Chism, assisted by Minister M. F. Manchester.

McIlroy was 56 years, 5 months, and 7 days of age at the time of his death. He lived in Memphis at one time.

Interment will be in the Carey cemetery under the direction of the Womack Funeral Home of Memphis.

Gridsters Commence Spring Training Here

More than 50 aspirants to a spot on the first team turned out for the initial football practices Monday, as the spring grid training opened for Memphis High School.

Coach Curtis Kelley divided the boys into an A squad and a B squad, with the latter composed mostly of the freshmen and some sophomore players. It is planned to have two night inter-squad games, open to the public, later in the spring, Kelley said.

Prospects at present for a lively team next fall are good, the coach said. He stated that his team might not win every game, but no opposition would leave the field without feeling the effects of a hard struggle.

Those placed on the A squad included ends, Duane Vickers, Bill Hickey, Bill Lester, Bill Henry, Olep Ray Jenkins, and Creed Lamb.

Four men are out for the tackle (Continued on page 5)

positions. These four are Doll Rich, Jimmie Gerlach, M. L. Evans, and Ted Graham.

Guard candidates are Jack Monzingo, Culbert Chappell, Wendell Orand, and T. C. Blackman.

Three men are seeking the post as center. Last year, Kelley was caught short on centers when one of the two-out was declared ineligible and the other became ill. So this year there are three out for the spot; these are A. C. Sams, Joe Pat Randall, and Jack Pierce.

Eight men are trying for backfield positions. The eight are Dink Miller, Mark Lamkin, T. J. Kilgore, Larry McQueen, Gale West, Jimmie McElreath, J. D. Ackard, and Bill Davis.

Workouts are now being held inside the stadium grounds daily, from 2 to 4 o'clock each afternoon. So far practice has been limited to blocking, passing, tackling, etc. No scrimmages have yet been held.

Weddings...

Engagements...

Club Activities...

Personal News...

Society

Miss Muffet Merrell, Bride-Elect, Honored With Miscellaneous Shower

Complimenting Miss Muffet Merrell, bride-elect, friends entertained with a miscellaneous shower last Friday night at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene, 11th and Bradford.

Spring flowers were used throughout as the decoration theme, and a huge bouquet of apple blossoms and wedgewood iris centered the dining table which was covered with a Cuban lace cloth. On the mantle were crystal candelabra with white tapers, flanked by kalmia in full blossom.

Gracing the table where the guests registered was a miniature bride, dressed in white satin, orange blossoms and veil. Punch, cakes, and mints, in the bride-elect's chosen colors of pink and blue, were served from a glass table in the sun room.

While the guests were gathered, Mrs. C. L. Sloan Jr. played appropriate music. Miss Patty Lou Sloan, accompanied by her mother, sang "The Desert Song" and "O, What It Seemed to Be."

Miss Merrell, in a white formal gown beaded in gold, was presented the gift from the hostesses, an eight-piece service of crystal, from large Easter hat boxes, as Mrs. Greene gave an original poem, "Little Miss Muffet." Gifts were displayed in the dining room.

Hostesses were Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, Mrs. Chas. Kinslow, Mrs. Art Miller, Mrs. Mack Wilson, Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. H. J. Howell, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, and Mrs. Mae Tarver.

The guest list included Mrs. Ed Ricker of Kansas City, Mrs. Joe Brown of Mineral Wells, Mrs. O. A. Lock of Mangum, Okla., Mrs. M. H. Rhoades of Clarendon.

Mesdames L. B. Merrell, mother of the bride-elect, H. E. Tarver, O. V. Alexander, Byron Baldwin, Jack T. Baldwin, Gayle Greene, C. L. Caviness, C. H. Compton, Ted Cates, Ora Denny, Fritz Crisler, Gladys Power.

Mesdames T. H. Deaver, W. C. Dickey, Lee Elliott, F. A. Finch, F. W. Foxhall, Leslie Foxhall, C. L. Sloan, O. S. Goodpasture, Allen Grundy, C. M. Hawkins, T. M. Harrison.

Mesdames Murray Dodson, R. Faye, L. E. Phillips. Mesdames Cartie Dunn, Joe Durham, Inez Patterson, Bud Faulkner, Mary Ponder, Carol Hightight, E. F. Lemons, Earnestine Cross, H. W. Spear, Mason Shirley, and W. H. Youngblood.



MR. and MRS. CHARLES A. WILLIAMS JR.

Miss Harriet Adams Is Wed To Charles A. Williams Jr.

A candlelight wedding was held at the First Christian Church, Colorado Springs, Colo., Saturday, March 23, at 4 o'clock, when Miss Harriet Delores Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Adams of 310 West Cheyenne Road, Colorado Springs, became the bride of Charles A. Williams Jr. of Memphis.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Gerald Berneking. The church was decorated with palms, baskets of yellow and white snapdragons, and

candles.

The organist played Liszt's "Liebestraum" and Gounod's "Ave Maria" and accompanied Mrs. Burl McKinney who sang "Through the Years" and "Because."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a simple dress of soft white wool trimmed with gold and a gold Juliette cap. She carried a white Bible covered with freesias, centered by an orchid, and with gold ribbon streamers. Miss Jane Wil-

son, maid of honor, wore a white-wine tailored gabardine dress, a band of gold sequins in her hair, and carried an arm bouquet of talisman roses. Jesse R. Mitchell Jr. of Memphis was best man. Allan Smullin, John Kerr, and Arnold Truman, all of Colorado Springs, acted as ushers.

A small family reception was held after the wedding at the bride's home. Miss Louise Williams, sister of the groom, assisted at the reception. The bride's mother wore a gray suit with matching hat, black accessories, and a gardenia corsage. The groom's mother wore a rose afternoon dress, black accessories, and a gardenia corsage.

The bride's traveling costume was a blue-gray suit, black shoes and purse, and a black straw sailor.

After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Williams came to Memphis where they are at home with his parents. Very soon they will move to Lubbock, where Mr. Williams will be employed and where, in June, he will re-enter Texas Technological College to continue his pursuit of a veterinary degree. He was recently discharged from the navy after three years of service. Mrs. Williams attended Colorado University and Iowa State College at Ames.

Christian Church Council Meets in Mrs. Knight Home

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met with Mrs. Gerald Knight April 1, with Mrs. Gordon Maddox as co-hostess.

In the business session, presided over by Mrs. E. E. Roberts, plans were made and committees were appointed for entertainment of the church's returned veterans and their families.

The book, "Daughters of Africa," by Isabel Seabury, was reviewed for the council by Mrs. James Norman. Following a song, Mrs. Clyde Milam and Mrs. G. W. Hayden sang "The Old Rugged Cross" in duet. Prayer was led by Mrs. J. A. Whaley, and the devotional and prayer by Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

Ice cream and cake were served in the social hour. Present were Mesdames J. A. Odum, Lucile Randal, J. A. Whaley, Tom Posey, Elmer C. Moore, Roy Coleman, Cicero Milam, Grover Kesterson, James Norman, G. W. Hayden, Oscar Maddox, Clyde Milam, and the hostesses.

Wesleyan Service Meets in Home of Mrs. C. H. Compton

Wesleyan Guild Service met in the home of Mrs. C. H. Compton Monday night, with a program on "What Can I Do."

The program started following a brief business session. The devotional was brought by Miss Ira Hammond from John 14 and Psa. 51. "The Most Unforgettable Character" was given by Mrs. C. F. Srygley, and "Engineer in Brazil" was given by Mrs. A. Gidden. Prayer by the entire group closed the program.

Refreshments were served to Misses Ira Hammond, Dorothy Gowan, and Gladys Bownds; and Mesdames Clyde Morris, C. F. Srygley, H. E. Bennett, George Payne, Taylor, Bob Tiner, A. Gidden, Hester Bownds, W. F. McElreath, Bill Monzingo, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held the first Monday night in May in the home of Mrs. Hester Bownds.

HAVE SUNDAY GUESTS

Those who were present for Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nixon were Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Srygley and son Ralph, Mrs. Arvin Srygley and son Clayton, Miss Dot Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Roberts and daughter Joyce, Miss Zonell Moore of Claude, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Srygley and daughter.

ACTS ON THE KIDNEYS

To increase flow of urine and relieve irritation of the bladder from excess acidity in the urine

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CROWNED QUEEN Katherine Reeve, junior from Menard, was selected as Redbud Queen from twenty-five hundred students at Texas State College for Women. The attractive blond was chosen for possessing the ideal criteria of poise, beauty, graciousness, and scholastic standing.

Bridal Shower Given at Lakeview In Honor of Mrs. Harold Gatlin

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Harold Gatlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Davenport, was given in the Lakeview home of Mrs. E. J. McKnight March 22 at 7:30 o'clock.

Gifts were displayed and the guests entertained at games. Pie and coffee were served.

The house party consisted of Mesdames Ernest Moreland, Oscar Favors, J. B. Duren, Ted Montgomery, Floy Anthony, John Blanks, Mack Wolf, Raymond Moore, A. G. Smith, E. J. McKnight.

Mesdames Houston Polasek, C. C. Crozier, Del Wells, John D. Reed, Paul Smith, B. F. Davis, O. E. Beavers, H. D. Payne, Clyde Reed, and Paul McCann.

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 KEEP TURNING IN USED FATS TO HELP MAKE MORE SOAP

One Man Army

HE FINALLY GOT HELP

The following is an article recently published in the Shad Weekly, U. S. Army newspaper published in China. It concerns the work now being done by Thomas A. Floyd of Memphis, private first class who is termed the one-man army by the paper. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Floyd.

About two weeks ago the CO, adjutant, first sergeant, and duty sergeant of the 54th troop carrier detachment came into the office of Shad Weekly and talked things over with your reporter. Usually this would not amount to much, having talked with the wheels behind an organization before, but this visit seemed strange. All that was sitting across from me was Pfc. Thomas A. Floyd of Memphis, Texas. He was the whole DS detachment from the

54th troop carrier wing stationed in Manila.

This 19-year-old Texan, having 15 months of army service, was all that was left of the two-men detachment which was sent here from Manila to meet all incoming Manila planes and send off all Manila's outgoing planes. Of course, a few Chinese coolies helped him to load and unload but the responsibilities were great. Besides being his own clerk, typist, driver, and supply clerk, he was his own motor pool dispatcher. He drew his own jeep, made out his own duty roster, and handled his own duty rosters that contained only the name—Pfc. Thomas A. Floyd.

He had no channels to go thru and thus saved unnecessary delay. Not a single snafued lost situation arose.

Wednesday evening Floyd lost most of his positions—re-enforcements arrived. Lt. Robert Lusk of Milwaukee, Wis., arrived and now Pfc. Thomas Floyd sleeps a little sounder because of the knowledge that there is somebody else to assume the responsibility. The One Man Army was ready to retire.

An Idaho potato fell in love with a Hereford potato. In time they had a little sweet potato. The little one grew up and announced it wanted to marry Wes Izzard. "But you can't marry Wes Izzard," protested the parents. "He's just a commentator."

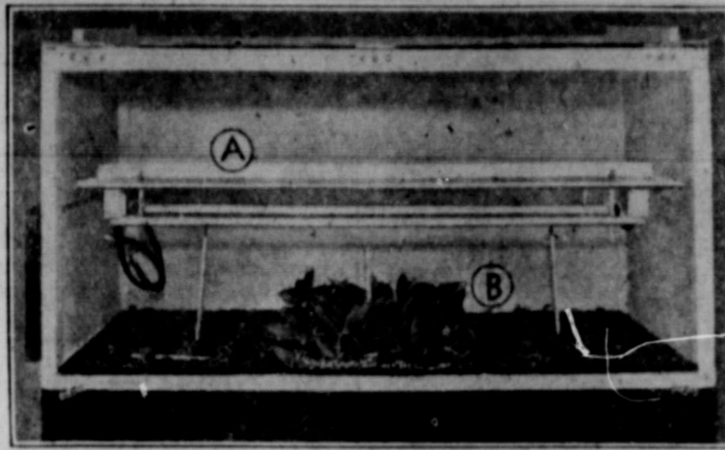
What could be worse than a glass blower with hicoughs?

"Please, Sir," wailed the little boy lost in the department store, "have you seen a lady without a little boy who looks like me?"

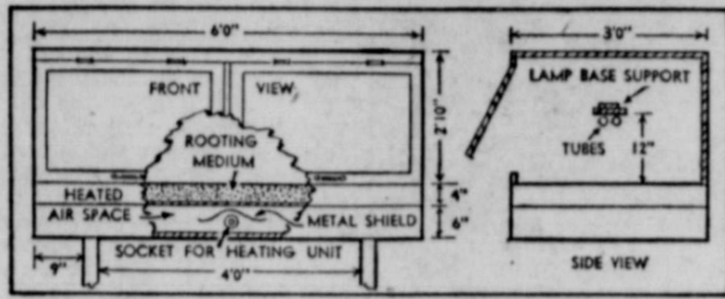
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U. S. D. A. Photograph of Stoutmeyer-Close Hot-Bed. A, Fluorescent Lamp Fixture; B, Trays in Which Plants Grow.



Working Drawing of Basement Hot-Bed Illustrated Above.

A hot-bed in which plants for next spring's garden can be started this winter in the basement, or any room of the house, and grown to transplanting size under artificial light, is illustrated. V. T. Stoutmeyer and Albert W. Close of the United States department of agriculture developed the model shown, which uses fluorescent lamps to supply light. More than a hundred years ago N. B. Ward, inventor of the Wardian case, now called the terrarium, grew plants under gas light, experimentally. But until now it has been impractical to supply sufficient light artificially, without also developing too much heat.

The fluorescent lamp makes it possible to provide, without too much heat, sufficient light to germinate seed and develop plants to the proper size for moving to the outdoor garden.

As shown, the Stoutmeyer hot-bed consists of a box, resting on a table or on legs, in which trays or flats filled with sphagnum moss or vermiculite are placed, with an air space containing a heating unit beneath them, and fluorescent lamps above. Two 40-watt fluorescent tubes—either blue tubes, or daylight type—with reflectors are suspended a foot above the flats. They are kept burning continuously. An air space above them prevents excessive heating.

Below the flats is a space which is heated by a sealed heating unit which fits into an ordinary lighting outlet; or by an infra-red or carbon filament lamp, or by two tungsten lamps connected in series.

Date Reveals That High Income, Good Eating Not Always Together

The popular conception that high incomes and good eating habits necessarily go hand in hand is exploded by data recently released by the U. S. Department of Labor. Quoting from an extensive survey, the department points out that in 1942, milk consumption per capita at the \$2,000 income level per family was fully as high as at the \$4,000 level.

After milk limitations had been in effect for two and a half years, the situation was little changed, but with consumption slightly higher for the lower income group, being about two and three-fourths quarts per capita per week at the \$2,000 level and about two and one-half quarts per week for the \$4,000 group. In the case of cheese, butter and ice cream differences in consumption were slight, but in each case were in favor of the higher income groups.

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Odd Fellows Win Award for Gain In Membership

The Memphis Odd Fellows Lodge No. 444 has been awarded the F. M. Compton traveling gavel for showing the greatest percentage increase in new members for the past year, it was announced this week.

In winning the award, given annually to the lodge in the state showing the greatest membership activity, the Memphis lodge gained a total of 60 new members, C. N. Oren, secretary, said.

The local group had been inactive until February of 1945 for a number of years, although the charter had been kept up, as had the national membership dues. At that time the lodge was re-organized, and by January 1 had gained 60 new members.

Hooper Shaw is the present noble grand of the lodge, C. R. Sargent, vice grand, Chas. Oren, secretary, and W. E. Hill, treasurer. Last month a total of six new

Beef Is Now Off 'Set-Aside' List

The 20 per cent set aside on choice and good grades of beef has been removed, according to E. A. McBryde, district director of the production and marketing administration.

Set-aside meat of the top grades has been purchased primarily by the army but military services estimate they now have sufficient supplies to safeguard stocks, making current set asides unnecessary. Since choice and good beef make up a large portion of meat slaughtered at this time of year, somewhat greater supplies of both grades now should be available on the market, he said.

Morris Wins Title In College Boxing

James Morris of Memphis captured the 149-pound boxing title of Texas A. and M. College, when the intramural contests were held at College Station recently.

In the upperclassmen tourney, a total of 70 boxers were entered, and 65 bouts were fought to determine the titlists.

Mrs. Murray Dodson to Be Director Of Minstrel Show of Memphis Lions

Mrs. Murray Dodson has agreed to work as director of the minstrel show, to be held here soon under the sponsorship of the Memphis Lions Club, H. J. Howell, who is in charge of arrangements of the show, said this week.

The date of the show has been changed from Friday, April 26, to Friday, May 3, due to conflict with certain church activities, Howell said this week. The show will be held in the high school auditorium.

First rehearsal for the show will be on the evening of April 10 in the auditorium, Howell said. The literature has been received, and is now being studied by Mrs. Dodson and Mrs. Gladys Power,

Lion Sweetheart who is aiding Mrs. Dodson in directing the work.

Casting for the various parts will be done within the next few days, Mrs. Dodson said, and rehearsals will start.

Funds derived from the sale of tickets to the show will be used in buying instruments for students in the Memphis High School band, to be organized in June. Members were conferred degrees, and this week three more new members have commenced work on degrees, it was reported.

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Indian Creek Bridge Near Plaska Burns; Cause of Blaze Is Unknown

The Indian Creek bridge two miles east and one north of Plaska was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon. Memphis firemen and equipment were on the scene but were without facilities to combat the blaze.

The bridge, 14 feet high and between 120 and 150 feet long, was on the school bus route and of considerable utility to the Plaska and Indian Creek communities.

Cause of the blaze was undetermined but it was supposed that grass fire was responsible.

A high tension line crossing the creek was severed by the fire, which had reached maximum intensity before Memphis equipment arrived.

Mrs. J. G. Brown of Mineral Wells returned home Tuesday after a visit here with relatives. She is a sister of Mrs. Byron Baldwin, E. P. Thompson, and George Thompson, and formerly lived in Memphis.

Girl Scout Troop Meets at Church

Girl Scout troop number four met last Tuesday in the First Christian Church. Roll call was by Laura Ann Thompson, and dues were collected by Bobbie Ferrel.

A talk on home nursing was given by Marjorie Rogers of the Goodall Hospital. Games on the program were conducted by Martha Aduddell.

Attending were Bobbie Ferrel, Ann Thompson, Jeanine Miller, Mary Evelyn Vinson, Dorothy McGuire, Roddy Lynn Patton, Martha Aduddell, Joy Davis, Charles Hammonds, Dorothy Deaver, Joyce McDaniel, and the sponsor, Mrs. E. W. Godfrey Jr.

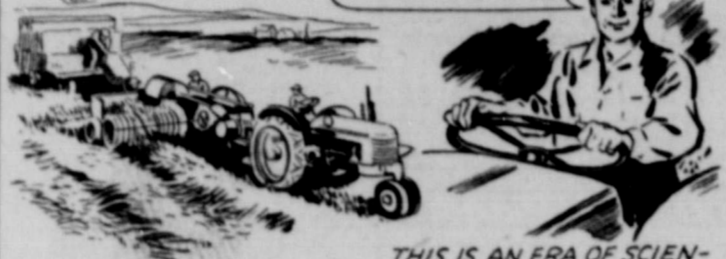
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Twelve Register With Draft Board

Twelve 18-year olds registered with the local draft board during the month of March. The registrants are:

Robert Eugene Meredith, Max Leonard Wilhite, Adair Gilbert, Johnnie Palmer, Hubert Amerson Boggs, Clarence Woodrow Cornell, Charles L. Monroe, John Joseph Mitchell, Earl Wright Jr., Oliver James Burrough, Don Clarence Chamblis, and Lloyd Travis Tigert.

Monzingo

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four, since the deciding match between McCutcheon of Wellington and Cofer of Memphis was cancelled due to illness of the Wellington youth.

Monzingo's bout featured the only knockout of the night, and was the 7th fight on the list of the eight bouts. In the opening round, the two boxers slugged it out for a short time, then clinched. The clinch was broken by Referee Jack Boone, and the two went together again. Monzingo got in one of his well-known short jabs to the chin, and he came out standing up. Richards wilted, was counted out, and had to be picked up from the ring.

Elmo Sams of Memphis and his 95-pound adversary, Karnes of Wellington, furnished another good fight, Sams coming out as victor in the decision. Sams led the fight through all three rounds, but was hard-pushed at times in winning the nod.

When Harris of Wellington won the decision over Donald Corley of Memphis, the fans booed. It was another close fight, one hard to judge. Since two of the judges were local men, and one from Wellington, the visitor took the decision. Most fans believed

James E. Deaver Makes Honor Roll

James E. Deaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Deaver of Memphis, has been listed on the honor roll for the winter semester in the college of arts and sciences at the University of Texas.

In construction of the list, account was taken both of the quantity and of the quality of work accomplished by the students, as shown by reports of the instructors. Deaver was listed as *ampla cum laude*.

TO MOVE TO FORT WORTH Mrs. E. N. Hudgins, resident of Memphis for the past 40 years, will leave soon for Fort Worth to make her home. Mrs. Hudgins is buying a home there, and recently sold her home in Memphis. Her daughter, Mrs. Ward Hicks, is a resident of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reheis returned Tuesday from Norman, Okla., after visiting there in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Olin E. Reheis.

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Court of Honor To Be Held at Christian Church

A city-wide Boy Scout court of honor program will be held at the First Christian Church in Memphis Thursday night, April 11, at 8 o'clock. Scoutmaster Theodore Myers announced this week.

Along with the presentation of star and scout badges, the scouts will present the following program:

Opening: scout oath and allegiance; group singing of "America"; introductory address, Myers; the 12 scout laws, by the scouts; address, by Hugh Olsen of Panama; presentation of badges, Coach Curtis Kelley; prayer, Rev. T. T. Posey; scoutmaster's benediction.

"The cub scouts will also be presented in a group," Myers said, "and we would like to invite all the people to Memphis to attend this Boy Scout program. We will present badges to 19 scouts."

Those to receive badges are Bobby Taylor, Leroy Green, Billy West, Bobby West, Creed Lamb, Jack Knight, Donald Corley, Carl Smith, Don Wright, Bobby Paris, Anderson Gardenhire, Lacy Boles, R. A. Wells, Adrian Combs, Tom Messer, Jimmy Stewart, Doyle Evans, Charles Ed McCreary, and Bobbie Crooks.

J. H. Greenwell of Waxahachie, his sister, Mrs. Lee Crow of Ennis, and niece, Asberry Blacker, visited Sunday through Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hall. They came because of the illness of their mother, Mrs. Alice Smith.

Local Nine Plays Quail on Sunday

The newly-organized baseball nine of Memphis will meet a team from Quail Sunday afternoon on the local diamond near the football stadium Sunday afternoon. The practice game will start at 2:30 o'clock. Manager Don Wright said.

The local team was organized here several weeks ago, and has been undergoing weekly training sessions. Plans are now underway to form a league for the various teams in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin traveled to Dallas this week for a visit. They plan to visit Marlin before their return. Their son, Dr. Alvin Baldwin of Dallas, returned with them after a visit here.

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Surplus recreational equipment at the Childress army air field, including furniture, pool tables, chairs and tables, venetian blinds, and mess equipment, is being offered for cash sale this month under three priorities. All items are being sold at a fixed price.

The first of this week, from April 1 to 5, inclusive, first priority is being given to federal, state, and municipal tax-supported agencies and educational institutions.

Second priority will go to World War II veterans and veterans' organizations and local non-charitable organizations, who may purchase items from April 6 to 11, exclusive of Sunday.

The general public and other organizations will be given a chance at anything left from April 12 to 17, exclusive of Sunday. All sales will be made between 8 o'clock in the morning and 12:30 o'clock. No persons will be admitted to the field prior to the date of the sale, and then only those eligible to make purchases will be allowed. No person will call the field requesting information pertaining to the sale. Veterans wishing to make purchases must bring discharge papers.

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Allen Dunbar Gets U. S. Army Release

Allen Dunbar, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar of Memphis, has received his release to inactive duty with the U. S. Army and is back in Memphis.

Dunbar arrived here last weekend after being released. He will again be associated with his father in the insurance and abstract business firm of Dunbar and Dunbar. Mrs. Allen Dunbar made her home here while he was away.

Lakeview

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is revealed as an honor high school graduate, endowed with a bashful and retiring personality. Nevertheless, she is secretly in love with Kent Hunt, a popular college freshman.

When Mr. and Mrs. Adams arrive at Pine Lake for a summer vacation, the Hunt family is discovered to be occupying an adjacent cottage. Judy, Ken's sister, persuades Nancy to drop her bashfulness and start a campaign to capture Ken. In an effort to make Ken jealous, Nancy hires Larry Marshall, a stranger, to pose as her lover. She introduces him as a popular artist from the East.

Phyllis Burk, a young newspaper reporter, arrives. Mrs. Adams plans a dinner honoring Larry, at which affair he is invited to display one of his paintings. Nancy "borrows" one from the gift shop, and discovers Larry and Phyllis are engaged, yet each unaware of the other's presence at the resort.

Nancy sends the picture back by a Miss Caroline Green who has arrived to talk to Mr. Adams. In the meantime, Nancy mistakes Frances, secretary of Ken's college professor, for Judy's governess.

When Miss Green is caught with the missing painting, Sam Hunt taken into custody as a dangerous character, and Larry is poisoned by Judy's home-made candy, Nancy's affair comes to a climax.

Phyllis and Larry are united, Miss Green invites Mr. Adams to speak before the Women's Law and Order Association, and Nancy gets her man.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long over the week-end were Mrs. U. S. Garrison and son Albert, and Gene Russell of Altus, Okla.

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Crisp, tender salad leaves, of the varieties which the world's best cooks insist upon for their bowl salads, are definitely not among the vegetables which can be shipped long distances to market.

Only the home gardener can enjoy them at their best; and since they so conspicuously unite luxury quality and high nutrition value, a bowl salad programme should be adopted by every amateur who has a vegetable plot. Lettuce, of course, will be principal item on the list, preferably leaf lettuce or romaine, whose tender green leaves have forty times the value in Vitamin A, compared with bleached head lettuce. It can be sown as soon as the ground has been prepared and since leaves can be used when they are two inches wide, it will be ready within thirty days.

When summers are too hot for good lettuce, endive, either the curly leaved, or the broad leaved type called escarolle, will take its place. Escarolle takes 90 days to mature, so it should be sown when the first lettuce is put in, to be ready in midsummer. Three sowings of lettuce and two of endive can be made during the spring in many sections, each planned to take care of family needs during the six weeks' period when the crop from one sowing remains in good condition. Both can again be sown in late June or July, to produce for the late summer and fall, when the harvest will be longer. The endives improve in flavor after frost comes.

Romaine, or cos lettuce, produces oval leaves, standing upright, and is highly esteemed by French salad experts. It is a good late lettuce, starting heat better than the leaf varieties. The leaves can be bleached by tying them up as they near maturity, but this merely changes their color, and lessens their vitamin content.

Lettuce and endive should be thinned out to stand six to ten inches apart as they mature. Most of the thinnings can be used, but the highest quality will be found in the mature plants.

Leaf crops grown in a similar manner, and much esteemed in bowl salads, include corn salad, which is very hardy and can be harvested late in the fall; and upland garden cress, which gives a pungent flavor to the salad.

In the fall Chinese cabbage leaves are delicious. Chinese cabbage may be grown in the spring, with rich soil and an early start. But in midsummer, it always runs to seed. A late crop has no such tendency, and heads are easily produced in the fall, from plants started in late June.

All leaf crops demand rich soil. They must grow fast without check, otherwise the leaves are tough and have a bitter flavor. Plant food should be applied to the soil in which they grow at the rate of 5 pounds to 100 square feet.

J. C. Wells to Speak At Press Meeting

J. Claude Wells, publisher of The Democrat, will be one of the speakers when the Panhandle Press Association convenes for its annual meeting in Amarillo April 12 and 13.

Wells will discuss "Employers' Co-operation with Returning Veterans" in a session Saturday morning, April 13.

The 37th annual convention will be held at the Herring Hotel in Amarillo, and several members of The Democrat staff plan to attend.

Ordinance

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drinks, or beverage to be carried from such business establishment to be served to any person upon any street, sidewalk, or alley within the city limits.

Declaring that the new ordinance is an emergency health measure, the council voted that the measure shall be effective and in force immediately.

The ordinance is being published in full in this issue of The Democrat.

General to Speak At Childress Fete

Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, one of the outstanding military men of World War II, will be the principal speaker at the chamber of commerce and board of city development banquet Friday night in Childress.

Gen. Baker is now deputy commander of the army air forces.

A number of Memphis men will attend the banquet to represent the local chamber of commerce.

Funeral

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George Thompson of Irene, and W. E. Thompson of Turkey; two daughters, Mrs. Knox Seiver of Milford, and Mrs. Leary; and 18 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were F. B. Berry, L. C. Richburg, Hulen Clifton, Walter Whaley, R. A. Eddleman, and Edgar Garner.

Flower bearers were Mrs. L. C. Richburg, Mrs. M. E. Chandler, Mrs. Hulen Clifton, Mrs. Dave Waldrop, Mrs. L. E. Cobb, and Mrs. Carl Jones.

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 - BELL PEPPERS, lb. 25c
 - FRESH RADISHES, Bunch 5c
 - CARROTS, Extra Nice Bunches 5c
 - LETTUCE, Nice Heads 9c
 - CELERY, Large Bleached Stalk 15c
 - SPUDS, 10 lb. Bag, Russetts 49c
 - LEMONS, Large, Sunkist, Dozen 29c
 - GRAPEFRUIT, Ruby Red, Each 7c
 - DRIED PRUNES, Extra Large, 2 lb. pkg. 38c
 - DATES, 7 Ounce pkg. 31c
 - CRACKERS, 2 lb. Box, Krispy 32c
 - MATCHES, 6 Boxes, Diamond 28a
 - SPAGHETTI Or MACARONI, Skinners, 2 boxes 17c
 - PEANUT BUTTER, Peter Pan, Glass 33c
 - CHEESE, Lang Horn, lb. 39c
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 - EGGS, Fresh Country, Dozen 31c
 - GINGER BREAD MIX, Box 22c
 - TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 2 Rolls 17c
 - PAPER TOWELS, Scot, 2 Rolls 23c
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 - FLY SWATTERS, 2 for 17c
 - RAISIN BRAN, 2 Boxes 23c
 - WHEATIES, 2 Boxes 23c
 - OATS, 3 Minute, Small box 13c—Large 28c
 - BOBO CLEANSER, Can 12c
 - SANIFLUSH, Large Can 20c
 - CHLOROX, Quart Bottle 18c
 - POPCORN, Jolly Time, Can 18c
 - ENGLISH PEAS, Mission, Can 15c
 - CORN, Our Darling, Can 17c
 - KRAUT, Large 2 1/2 Can 19c
 - HOMINY, No. 2 Can 11c
 - TAMALES, Can 21c
 - TOMATO JUICE, Can 12c
 - COMPOUND, Crustene, 3 lbs. 59c
 - COCOA, Hersheys, 8 ounce Can 12c
 - BAKING POWDER, 1 lb. Calumet 18c
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Dalhart Firemen Visit in Memphis

Several members of the Dalhart volunteer fire department called Wednesday at the local fire station. Chief E. W. McMeen and Assistant Chief E. B. Wadkins stated that the Dalhart firemen were on a search for grass roots to sod the new Dalhart football field which was recently completed. The firemen have volunteered to set the grass.

Chief McMeen went on the Indian Creek fire call yesterday with local volunteer firemen.

Harrison

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common school districts of Hall County will be held Saturday.

The Memphis elections will be held at the City Hall, Superintendent W. C. Davis has announced. Only the names of R. L. Coleman, E. E. Cudd, and T. B. Rogers will appear on the ballot, and all three are up for reelection.

A number of trustees will be chosen from over the county, County Superintendent Mary Foreman has announced. These will be for both the common and independent districts throughout the county.

Mrs. Noel Clifton and Cathy Dawn visited Saturday and Sunday in Estelline with Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Hulen Clifton.

Many a married woman leads a double life—her own and her husband's.

Banquet

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ing his appreciation of the attendance of the membership of the clubs, and recognized the importance of their work.

Attending the banquet and show were: Jimmie Ray Gowdy, Tommy Gattis, Wayne Dudley Adams, Billy Wayne Fowler, Jack Lynn Fowler, Mildred Booth, Martha Pearl Davenport, Billy Salmon, John Luther Byars, Joe Booth, Bruce Gibson, David Horace DuVall, Carroll Fowler.

Morris Odom, Harold Rampy, D. C. Messick, Fletcher Bownds, Harvey Joe Jarrell, Jimmie Bownds, Bruce O. Gibson, John C. Turner, O. B. Rampy, David Davenport, W. B. Hooser, Phil Evans of Amarillo, Jack Robinson of Amarillo, J. J. McDaniel, and Herschel Combs.

Official Report

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have placed a fair seasoning of moisture in the ground, although farmers are not too jubilant over this fact as yet. Most farmers are inclined to wait and see how the rains fall during the summer months before doing any predicting on the fall yield.

Wheat growers, the number of which have increased during the past two or three years, are elated with the spring crop. The wheat is looking very good, and barring a freak of nature will bring in good money this year.

Mrs. Ward Hicks of Fort Worth left Wednesday after spending a few days visiting in the home of relatives here.

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OOOOOH, DADDY! - THREE BIG SACKS! MAYBE M'LL MAKE COOKIES!

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LAND SAKES! YOU-ALL STILL EAT LIKE PIGS WITH MY GLADIOLA EMERGENCY FLOUR BAKIN'!

BE WISE, LADY: "TO BRIGHTEN EVERY BAKING HOUR JUST BAKE WITH WELL, WITH WHAT?!"

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Answers to Social Security Problems Found in Booklet

It's much better to get the real facts on your questions concerning social security than it is to rely upon the word of some one not familiar with the law. Social security board field offices furnish facts on many problems, such as:

- Why is a social security account card necessary?
- What jobs are covered under the law?
- Why benefits may be endangered by a worker having more than one account card?
- What the account number means to a wage earner?
- What are survivors' benefits and who gets them?
- What are retirement benefits and to whom are they paid?
- How may a wage earner find out about his wage record?
- How much will "my own" benefits amount to at age 65?
- How may a wage earner get a correction on his wage statement?

Answers to these and many other similar questions are contained in social security board pamphlet 35 which may be obtained by calling or writing to the social security board field office, Amarillo.

Mrs. G. E. Ricker Jr. of Kansas City, Mo., is spending several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Powell of Lefors visited his sister, Mrs. Dora C. Jones, here last week.

Let Your Tractor Do It.

MORE AND BETTER TRACTOR IMPLEMENTS FOLLOWED THE HIGH-COMPRESSION TRACTOR.

I AM PLANTING 30 MORE ACRES OF CORN THIS YEAR.
THE FARMER COULD PLOW, PLANT, FERTILIZE AND CULTIVATE WITH LESS TIME AND EFFORT.

MUCH DIGGING BENT THE OLD TIME FARMER'S BACK WHILE HE WAS STILL YOUNG.
NOW A TRACTOR POWERED SCOOP SHOVEL OR POSTHOLE DIGGER DOES MORE IN A DAY THAN A MAN COULD IN TWO WEEKS.

A TRENCH FILLER MOVES MOUNTAINS OF EARTH MORE RAPIDLY THAN A MAN COULD MOVE MOUNDS.

ONCE, THE FARMER STRAINED HIMSELF WITH INCESSANT LIFTING. NOW, TRACTOR ATTACHABLE LOADERS AND WINCHES DO THIS WORK FOR HIM.

Facts and Figures. Courtesy of Scientific American.

Mrs. E. H. Stanford to Receive Award for Long Red Cross Work

Mrs. E. H. Stanford, who voluntarily gave a total of 4,045 hours of service to the work of the American Red Cross in Hall County during the war, will be honored at a ceremony early in May when special awards to which she is entitled will be presented to her.

The more than four thousand hours of service by Mrs. Stanford were put in from 1943 to 1945. Mrs. Murray Dodson, production chairman for the Hall County chapter, said this week. Mrs. Stanford will be awarded a ribbon bar with eight silver stripes in recognition of her service.

A number of other women of the county also deserve awards for their work, Mrs. Dodson said. She urged all those who have served 200 hours or more in volunteer service during the war to contact her, since the records of the work done by each volunteer are not completely up to date. Certificates and pins are available for these workers, she said.

The presentation ceremony will be held early in May, Mrs. Dodson said, and all of the awards are to be made at the same time. F. Leo Durkee, regional director of chapter service, complimented Mrs. Stanford on her service in a letter written to Mrs. Dodson recently, stating that Mrs. Stanford's service was certainly "worthy of recognition."

Haynes Announces Sunday Services

Services for the First Methodist Church in Memphis next Sunday have been announced by Rev. A. C. Haynes, pastor. The services are as follows:

9:45—Sunday School, W. D. Young, superintendent. The attendance of the Sunday School is increasing. Come Sunday and help reach the goal.

11—Morning worship service. This is the opening service of the pre-Easter revival. The subject of the sermon is "The Four H's in a Revival."

6:45—Methodist youth fellowship meeting.

7:30—Evening worship service. Subject of the sermon is "Which Road Are You Traveling." The young people will go to the basement after the service for an hour's fellowship and recreation.

In announcing the services, Rev. Haynes issued the following invitation: "To all who mourn and need comfort, to all who are weary and need rest; to all who are friendly and wish friendship; to all who pray, and to all who do not but ought; to all who sin and need a Savior and to whosoever will; this church opens wide its doors and in the name of Jesus, the Lord says, Welcome."

The only thing worse than a quitter is a man who never begins. She was only a gravedigger's daughter, but you ought to see her lower the beer.

"Count that day as wasted when you have not laughed." Clara Barton founded the Red Cross.

Ann Hathaway was the wife of Shakespeare. Henry Ward Beecher was Harriet Beecher Stowe's brother.

William Thackeray wrote "The Virginians."

Big Ben is the name of the famous chimes in the House of Parliament in London.

Future Readers of The Democrat

Henderson Smith of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harrison are the parents of a son, James Tildon, born March 31. He weighed 6 pounds, 11 1-4 ounces.

A daughter, Camelia Lynn, was born April 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Ira E. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sain of Estelline became the parents of a 10 pound, 7 ounce girl, Nina Myrtle, March 27.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis are the parents of a son, Raymond Darriell, who weighed 11 pounds, and was born March 26.

A daughter weighing 7 pounds, 1 ounce was born March 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Thad Rodgers of Clarendon. The infant was named Bonnie Ellen.

Born to Lt. and Mrs. A. W. Rasco, a son, David Arthur, March 29 at Memphis, Tenn., where Lt. Rasco is now stationed. The boy weighed 7 1-2 pounds.

A daughter, Janis Elaine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith of Sherman March 28. He weighed 7 pounds. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Send Your Easter Dry Cleaning Early

Remember... Easter Sunday is Only 16 DAYS AWAY!

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Sale of Surplus Army Goods to Be Held at Childress

Starting Monday, the first of a series of sales of small lots of surplus army goods will be held at the office of the salvage officer, Childress Army Air Field, Childress.

This property will be on display for five days beginning at 8 o'clock Monday, and will continue through Friday, April 12. Hours of this sale will be from 8 to 4 each day, and no prospective customer will be permitted to inspect the property before or after the hours specified.

There will be no deposit of money or contracts required. At 4 o'clock April 12, all bids will be opened publicly and awards made to the highest bidder. After awards have been made the successful bidder will be notified by mail or telephone and he will be given five days to appear, pay for and remove the property. If purchase has not been completed within the five days limit, the award will be cancelled and a new award made to the next highest bidder. The government reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Material on sale consists of plumbing and electrical supplies, building materials, paints, farm, garden and hand tools, motors, and other items. In order to bid on this material it will be necessary for the interested buyers to inspect the property which is on display. Any individual may bid on any or all lots of property on sale and awards will be made to the highest bidder, however, employees of the United States government and military personnel will not be permitted to enter bids for the material on sale.

Upon arrival at the main gate, prospective purchaser will be directed to the warehouse where property is being displayed.

Tuberculosis is not a hereditary disease, but the organism is easily passed on in families.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 302
An ordinance prohibiting the serving of food, drinks, and beverage upon any public street, sidewalk or alley within the corporate limits of the City of Memphis, Hall County, Texas.

Whereas, the serving of food, drinks and beverage to occupants of automobiles parked on the streets of the city of Memphis, Texas, creates a traffic hazard and an unsanitary condition dangerous to public safety and health;

Therefore, Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Memphis, Hall County, Texas:

Section No. 1: That from the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, partnership or corporation to serve or carry for the purpose of serving any type of prepared food, drinks or beverage to any person upon any street, sidewalk or alley within the corporate limits of the city of Memphis, Texas.

Section No. 2: It shall be unlawful for the owner or operator of any business establishment, including individuals, partnerships, or corporations, to permit any type of prepared food, drinks or beverage to be carried from such business establishment to be served to any person upon any street, sidewalk or alley within the corporate limits of the city of Memphis, Texas.

Section No. 3: Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall upon conviction be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$1.00 and not more than \$100.00.

Section No. 4: For the preservation of public safety and health, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and by reason thereof, this ordinance shall be effective and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this 2nd day of April, 1946.

C. C. HODGES, Mayor, City of Memphis, Texas.

ATTEST:
D. L. C. KINARD, Secretary, City of Memphis, Texas.

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Society

Mrs. Charles A. Williams Jr. Honored With Tea at Home of Mrs. Wilson

Mrs. Charles Albert Williams Jr., recent bride, was the honored guest at a beautifully appointed tea given to introduce her to the friends of her husband and his family Saturday afternoon of last week.

The courtesy was extended by the bride's aunts, Mrs. Hulda Wilson and Mrs. Viola Wimberly, and a life-long friend, Mrs. Elsie Guthrie. The tea was held at the home of Mrs. Wilson, 721 Cleveland.

Guests, calling between 4 and 8 o'clock, were greeted by Mrs. Charles Williams Sr., and Mrs. Guthrie, who introduced the honored guest. Mrs. Bill Ragsdale, an aunt from Amarillo, presided at the bride's register, which was a hand-painted book she had made for the occasion.

Pouring tea during the afternoon were Mrs. J. L. Downis, Lubbock, a cousin of the bride; Miss Martha Ragsdale, Amarillo, also a cousin; Miss Louise Williams of White Deer and Memphis, sister-in-law; and Mesdames Linnie Cauthen, Claudia Lee, and Viola Wimberly.

Miss Gertrude Rasco, local marmalade artist, rendered a program which included the following: "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You," dedicated to Mrs. Williams, who comes from Colorado Springs, Colo.; "Estrellita," "Indian Love Call," "La Paloma," "Dark Eyes," "Castanets," "I Love You Truly," "The Bells of Saint Mary's," "Foster Medley," "The Spanish Dancer," and "Tea Two."

The reception rooms and dining room were decorated with bouquets of lilacs, iris, and carnations. More than 160 friends called.

Rev. and Mrs. Brice L. Peacock visited relatives in Cisco and Dallas last week.

Mrs. Sullia Ellsworth and son of National City, Calif., and Mrs. G. H. Hunt of Salinas, Calif., visited in the home of their cousin, Mrs. Virgie E. Weems, last week.

Homemaking Club Discusses Plans For Annual Dinner

The Homemaking Club of Estelline school met Wednesday, with Helen McCrary in charge. Most pressing business discussed by the club were problems relevant to the mother and daughter banquet to be held April 18 in the gymnasium.

Each plate will cost 65c and had to be paid for by April 1. The club expects to entertain about 125 persons at the banquet, with perhaps an additional 10 honorary guests. Cost of napkins, program printing, and other incidentals was also discussed in the business session.

Committees were appointed for setting the table and procurement of various components of the menu.

On the meeting program were readings by Jimmie Nell Hayes and Louise Mae, "Wrong Kind of Husband and Wife Relationship," and "Right Kind of Relationship in the Home." A story of home relationship was read by Marie Rae.

Dorothy Hodges Is Honored With Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges honored their daughter, Dorothy, with a birthday dinner Sunday at their home near Plaska.

Present at the party were Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lindsey of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hodges of Plaska, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Marks, Misses Kathleen McMaster and Vernice Spencer of Memphis, Mrs. H. E. Stewart, Keith and Jimmy, and Mrs. Tom Chastain and son Gayle of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges, Robert Allen, and the honoree, who is a resident of Amarillo.

KEEP FIT

DIET: Eat "lean" foods. Save used fat and use it for 4c a pound.

EXERCISE: Ten Minutes a Day Takes Bulges Away.

Exercise Series No. 5 For Digestion Aid

- Stand erect with feet apart. Stretch arms even with shoulders.
- Inhale. Twist sideways and touch floor—right fingers to left toes.
- Exhale. Return to original position.
- Repeat exercise—left fingers to right toes.
- Alternate eight times.

BE HEALTHY—SAVE AND TURN IN USED KITCHEN FATS

Victory Class of Methodist Church To Have 2nd Annual Birthday Dinner

The second annual birthday dinner of the Victory Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church in Memphis, with a theme of springtime and garden time, will be held in the church basement Friday night. The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie will serve as toastmistress, and included on the program will be Rev. E. D. Landreth of Clarendon and Rev. E. L. Yeats of Hamlin. Rev. Yeats is a former pastor of the local church, and was serving as pastor here when the class was organized.

The program will open with the group singing "Happy Birthday," following which Rev. Landreth will give the blessing, "Thanks to the Great Gardener."

Dinner will then be served. Rev. Landreth will start the after-dinner program by telling jokes on outstanding people, entitling his speech as "Johnny Jumps Up." Kermit Monzingo, Bill Monzingo, J. F. Henry, and Bob Tiner will compose a quartet, singing "In the Garden."

Rev. Yeats will then speak on "Planting and Budding," and T. E. Noel will sing a solo, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer." Rev. A. C. Haynes, Memphis pastor, will speak on "Harvesting," and the program will be closed with the group singing.

Shower Is Given For Mrs. Rodgers In A. Greer Home

A shower for Mrs. W. Rodgers was given recently in the home of Mrs. A. Greer of Estelline. Hostesses for the affair were women of the Rebecca Lodge.

Readings were given by Mrs. Fred Meadows and Barba Ann Adams, with music by Mrs. R. Adams.

The honoree was assisted in opening the gifts by her mother, Mrs. Cargill. Thirty guests registered in the bride's book and were served refreshments of punch and cookies.

Needle Craft Club Meets in Home of Mrs. A. Gerlach

The Needle Craft Club met Tuesday, April 2, in the home of Mrs. Albert Gerlach. Mrs. T. D. Weatherby was in charge of the business meeting.

Following the program, refreshment plates were served to Mesdames S. E. Mayfield, Nat Bradley, Bess Crump, George Hammond, J. M. Ferrel, Claude Hickley, T. D. Weatherby, the hostess, and one guest, Carolyn Ferrel.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Bradley April 16.

Sub Deb Club Has Meeting in Home Of Miss Lawrence

The Sub Deb Club met in the home of Miss Peggy Lawrence Tuesday with Miss Mary Wells as co-hostess.

The president, Miss Sue Anne Roberts, conducted a business meeting in which plans were made for the spring formal dance to be held May 1. Refreshments were served.

Present were Misses Marie Morris, Ruth Jones, Syvilla Saunders, Ann Norman, Marjorie Stone, Ellen Lenoir, Sue Anne Roberts, Jo Fowler, Dora Mitchell, Louise Rogers, Martha Godfrey, Mari- anne Lee, Yevive McDaniel, Peggy Lawrence, Mary Wells, and Mrs. Charlene Hall, sponsor.

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Trapp home Saturday night and Sunday.

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Sunday dinner guests in the Parge Winn home were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Winn, Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Moss and Donald, Cleta Fern Ferrel, and Jean DuBose.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson were visitors in Quitaque Sunday.

J. W. Franklin and Bob Mother-shed went to Fort Worth Monday on business.

The Parnell Community club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. May Weatherly and Mrs. Turk McCustion with 10 women present. The members worked on a quilt for Mrs. Winfred Weatherly. Iced drinks and cookies were served by the hostess.

Mrs. J. W. Franklin and Miss Mae Paul were Estelline visitors Sunday afternoon.

W. H. Neely made a business trip to Memphis Monday.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman have as their guests this week their son, Joe Coleman of Galveston, and her sister, Mrs. Walter Leach of Marshall, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbert and baby visited in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, Mr. Stone, and Wall Russell left Friday for Mississippi on business. They plan to be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. Roy Sneed and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath of Lakeview visited here last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers.

Misses Daisy Holland and Nicky Eddleman of Fort Worth spent last week here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crump, Mrs. Frankie Echols, and Jackline Fowler of Brownfield spent Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darby.

Jack Moore and wife left last week for San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed. They spent 30 days here with his mother, Mrs. Sam Powers.

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Memphians Get Navy Discharges

Two Memphis men, Walter Floyd Offholter and Darrell Johnson, have recently received their honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy, it has been reported here. Offholter, a machinist's mate first class, was discharged March 30 at the separation center in Shoemaker, Calif.

Johnson, a coxswain, received his discharge at the separation center at San Pedro, Calif. His wife, Mrs. Genevieve Johnson, is living in Memphis.

Asked by his wife how the wedding went off, the preacher replied, "Fine, my dear, until I asked if the bride would 'obey' and she said, 'Do you think I'm crazy?'—and the groom, in a sort of daze, mumbled 'I do'. Then things begin to happen.

We've been operated on so often that we'll probably have 'em engrave on our tombstone, "Gone to join his appendix, adenoids, and tonsils."

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Comments —

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things will grow here, if given proper attention.

I am still thinking Fairview Cemetery should be cleaned up—an organized effort on the part of the citizenship would in one day change the City of the Dead into a place of which one would not feel ashamed.

By the way, Mrs. Landrum Stanford has been appointed chairwoman of one of the women's clubs. She is anxious to help get something started in the way of cleaning up the town. How many others would like to join her in such a movement?

Real summer weather held sway here the first three days of the week, with promise of rain Tuesday night. This promise disappeared with the north wind.

Memphis people probably realize by this time that there are three or four projects which need to be started if the town is to become the kind of town we would like to have. The four things needed right now are: Community auditorium, air port, street lights, and street markers. Yes, it will cost some money. So will anything that goes for betterment and convenience.

I might add a fifth item: Improvement of fronts of business houses to make them more inviting.

Bill Phleuger of West Main is hot and bothered as to whether people are humans or animals, in speaking of people they are said to be meek as a lamb, sly as a fox, fleet as a deer, gentle as a dog, sound as a hound's tooth, strong as an ox, savage as a lion, graceful as a fawn, dirty as a pig, awkward as a newborn colt, and stubborn as a mule.

Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

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For District Clerk:
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For County Judge:
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For Sheriff:
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For Tax Assessor-Collector:
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For County Clerk:
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 RAYMOND G. CHEVES

For County Treasurer:
 CHAS. DRAKE
 (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
 MARY FOREMAN
 (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
 J. O. FITZJARRALD

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:
 MORGAN BAKER
 J. S. GRIMES

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
 ROY PATTON
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discriminate against cotton manufacturers. . . . Agriculture Committee is studying problems and complaints related to the over-all farm program. . . . Open hearings are being had on extension of Selective Service training and service act. . . . Committee this week is studying national health legislation.

No, Agnes, I did not write the letter from Bill Phleuger, which was published in this column last week. The letter came by mail, and was not the product of yours truly. I feel flattered that people think I am capable of turning out such good writing.

A repercussion of that letter appeared at the City Council meeting Tuesday night when a report of the year's activities was read. In reporting on the light question the following sentence was injected:

Wonder why our friend "Bill Phleuger" didn't holler when his pappy was on the council.
 I don't get it, I hope.

Speaking of letters, The Democrat received a letter this week answering one that was published last week concerning the youth problem. The letter was unsigned and therefore cannot be published. If the party will come in and sign the letter, it will be published in next issue. The name will be left off, if desired.

Old Tack (Amarillo columnist) published the history of the world with just three words this morning: ADAM TO ATOM.

Mayor C. C. Hodges to the councilmen: "Gentlemen, you have worked hard and accomplished much. Let us build on this foundation and go forward to making Memphis the best place in which to live." This is a fine resolve and should receive the support of all citizens.

Matilda Upstart of West Noel: "Our car has reached the stage where we call it our pleasure car—it's such a pleasure to get out of it."

Nutshell items from Washington concerning you: General Bradley told labor committee over 1,400,000 veterans drew unemployment compensation during first week of March, costing \$33,934,000. . . . Col. Ernest O. Thompson advocated removal of price ceilings from petroleum and products. . . . Chairman Bankhead says officials of CPA will be called before sub-committee to explain orders by which cotton is set aside for export because of charges that these set-aside orders favor producers of rayon and

So there is no oil in the test northeast of Memphis? From now on the slogan will not be "That's oil," but "That's all."

During the recent strike a telephone supervisor was listening in to test a relief operator. The test over, the supe issued her report: "Darling, you did okay, but would like to make one little suggestion. I think it would be better to use the routine 'One moment, please' instead of 'Hang on to your drawers, Mister!'"

Children's Bureau statisticians confirm the popular belief that the proportion of births of boy babies increases during wartime and immediately after.

Alexander Joins City Drug Staff

Lon Alexander, pharmacist, has joined the staff of the City Drug Store and will be in charge of the prescription department. W. C. Foote Jr., owner, announced this week.

Alexander only recently sold his interest in the Memphis Drug to his former partner, Cecil McCollum. Alexander has been a resident of Memphis for a number of years, and was in the drug business at Childress at one time.

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County 4-H Members Receive Awards at Lions Meeting

County Agent Presents Medals

Hall County's 4-H Club winners were feted at the regular Lions Club meeting Wednesday when medals, bonds, and certificates were presented to the leading 4-H members.

Presentation of the awards, which are prizes for contest winners during the year, were made by County Agent W. B. Hooser.

Those receiving awards, with the contest won and the award received, are as follows:

Carroll Fowler, Lakeview, state award in better methods contest, winning a trip to the 4-H Club Congress in Chicago; Bruce Garner Gibson, Turkey, state award in poultry contest, winning a trip to the congress.

Jim Whaley, Estelline, 1st in state garden contest, \$25 war bond; Laddie Sloan, Estelline, 1st in state in national dairy con-

test, \$25 war bond.

Harold Rampy, Lakeview, 1st in state safety contest, \$25 war bond; Sloan, third in state achievement contest; Billy Hancock, Lakeview, leadership, meat animals contests, received two medals.

Morris Odom, Newlin, field crops contest, meat animal award, medal; Jack Moreman, Brice, meat animal award, medal; Don Hancock, Lakeview, soil conserva-

tion contest, medal.

Jimmy Bownds, Memphis, safety contest, medal; Don Hillis, Lakeview, safety contest, medal; Tommy Gattis, Lakeview, safety contest, medal; Harvey Joe Jarrell, Newlin, safety contest, medal.

Fletcher Bownds, Memphis, Safety contest, medal; Billy M. Salmon, Brice, garden contest, medal; Ronnie Gowdy, Lakeview, garden contest, medal.

John Luther Byars, Lakeview,

garden contest, medal; Jimmy Ray Gowdy, Lakeview, garden contest, medal; Jimmy J. Stephens, Parnell, garden contest, medal.

Gayle West, Memphis, safety contest, insect reporter, medal and certificate; David DuVall, Lakeview, leadership, book entitled "I Dare You"; Martha Davenport, Lakeview, leadership, "I Dare You."

Mildred Booth, Lakeview, leadership, "I Dare You"; Wayne

Dudley Adams, Lakeview, poultry, medal; Jack Lynn Fowler, Lakeview, poultry, medal.

Billy Wayne Fowler, Lakeview, poultry, medal; Joe Booth, Lakeview, leadership, "I Dare You"; D. C. Messick, Newlin, poultry, medal.

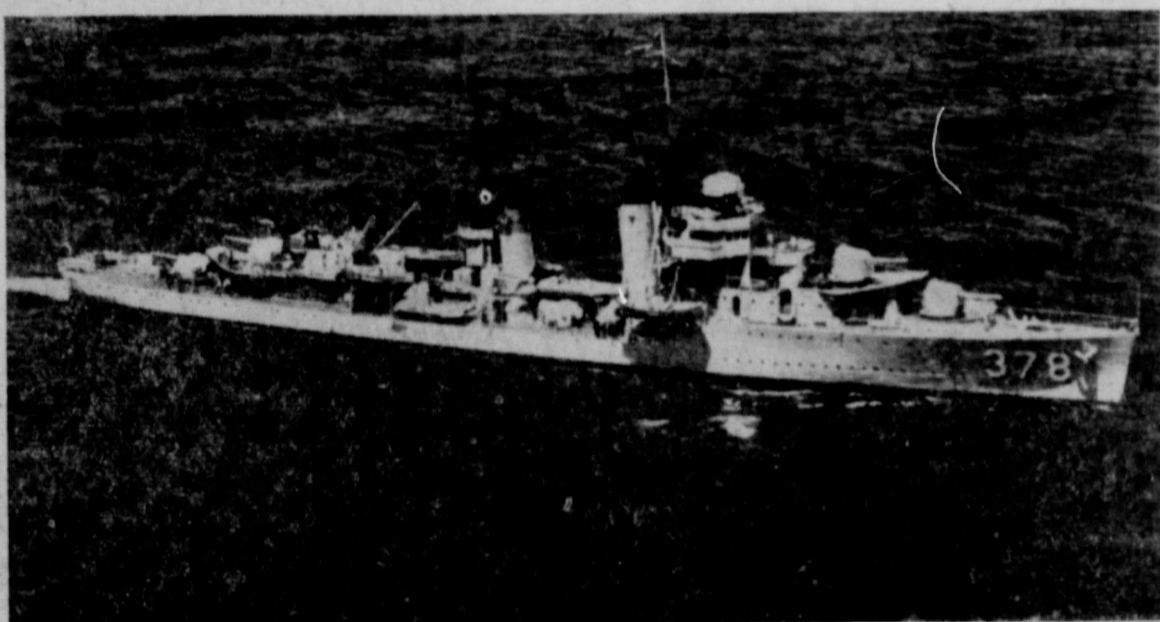
In the district show in Amarillo held earlier in the year, Bruce Gibson won a \$125 registered Jersey heifer by showing the grand champion gilt. And Carroll Fowler took a similar prize with his Duroc boar.

Chickens came in for their share of prize money in the district show in Amarillo, when the following prizes were won: Wayland Marcum, took second place with 125 leghorn chicks; Frankie Wheeler, 3rd with 120 leghorn chicks; W. H. Wood, 4th with 100 leghorn chicks; and John Luther Byars, 5th with 100 leghorn chicks.

SEA POWER

... at the crossroads

Here are four more ships of the target unit for the coming atomic bomb tests, to be held at Bikini Atoll in the Marshall Island Group. These ships, part of the 32 United States combatant vessels listed for Operation "Crossroad," will be anchored, unmanned, in the Bikini lagoon. In the first operation to be held next summer a B-29 flying more than five miles high will drop the bombs, described as of the Nagasaki type. This is the second in a series of layouts of the ships of the target units.



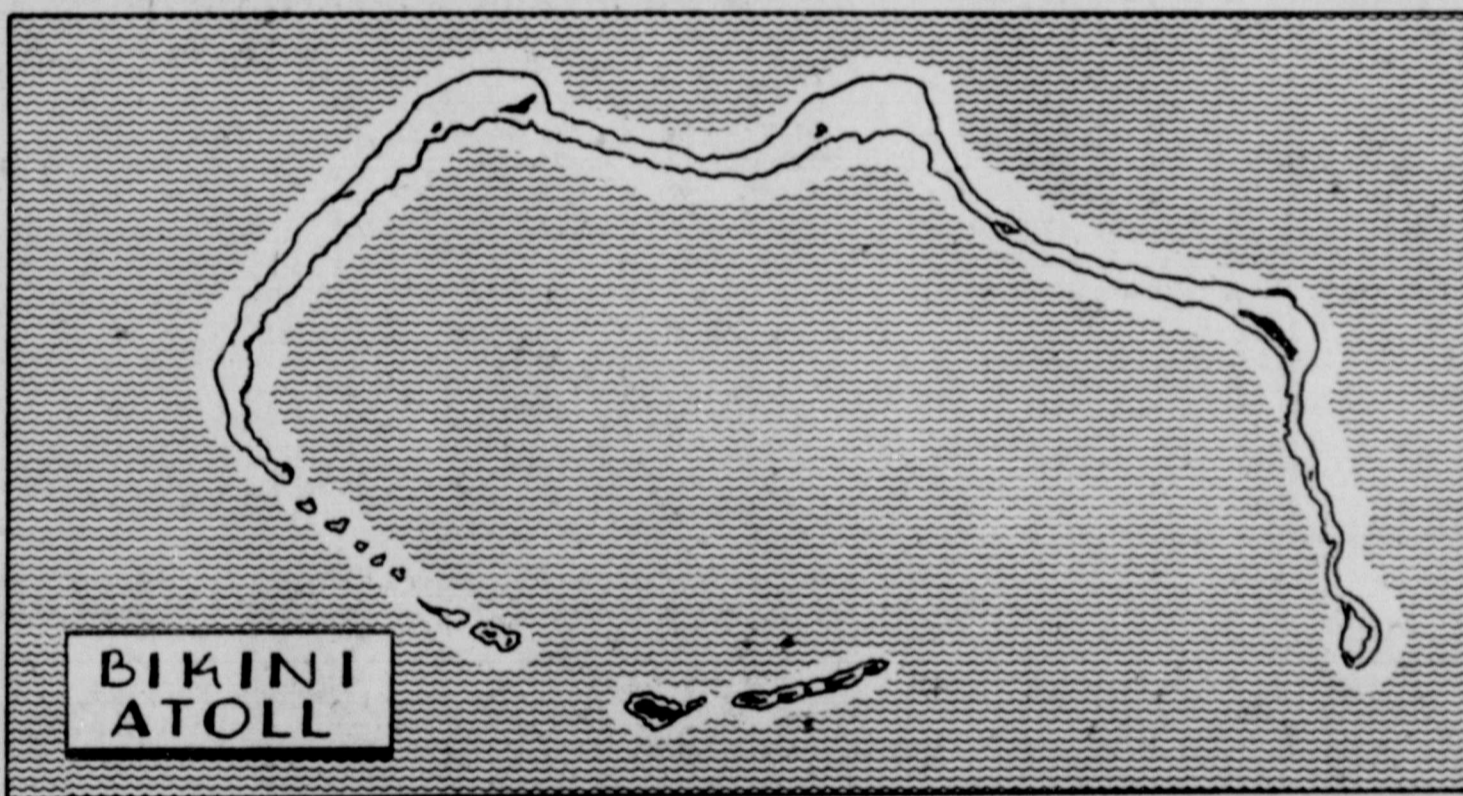
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The first of the Navy's "cruiser" carriers, the USS Independence, commissioned in 1943, has had a long and battle-scarred career in every Pacific war zone. She participated in actions from Tarawa to the blows against the Jap mainland, operating with carrier groups in air strikes, and supporting amphibious assaults.

Holder of a Presidential Unit Citation, the 10-year-old destroyer USS Smith fought in seven "star" engagements in the Pacific, sank a large Jap lugger, destroyed nine enemy aircraft, and received credit for one "probable" Jap submarine sunk. In the Battle of Santa Cruz, an enemy torpedo plane crashed on her deck and made a raging inferno of her forward topside but did not check her screening activities. In the Battle of Ormoc Bay, the Smith fought off suicide planes for nine days and emerged relatively undamaged.



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Bikini—where the tests will be conducted. The shores of the lagoon will be evacuated of all human beings and the latest in shore defenses set up, while the target fleet will be anchored in the shallow waters of the half-moon lagoon. Within a nearby radius will be the ships of the amphibious and transport units, undergoing the tests as well as the combatant-type ships.



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Oldest heavy cruiser in the fleet, the USS Salt Lake City has been in 17 engagements in the Pacific war, has helped sink 15 enemy ships, damaged 10 others, and destroyed 12 planes. The ship won the title, "The One-Ship Fleet," when she aided the stricken USS Boise off Cape Esperance in October, 1942.

The battleship USS Pennsylvania, holder of the Navy Unit Commendation for her "illustrious combat record" in the second World War, was flagship of the fleet in peacetime and in the First World War. The vessel, five times "sunk" by Radio Tokyo, participated in 13 invasions "without casualty to herself or her personnel," after her damage at Pearl Harbor.

What Happens To Calves When Not Sold Here?

What happens to those calves of Hall County 4-H Club boys when they are not sold in Memphis following the annual stock show here?

Usually a good number of them go to Amarillo, and from there some are taken to the Fort Worth show. Here's a brief resume of what happened to some of the calves this year:

Hall County entries at Amarillo took about one-third of the prize money offered, gathering in a total of \$217.50.

For the fourth consecutive year Hall County boys exhibited the best county group of 15 calves at the Amarillo show, to get a prize of \$20.

Jack Moreman of Brice awarded the prize for the Panhandle calf, the reserve champion calf, first in the group of five calves, first in the senior division, and a 5th place prize—of these in the Amarillo show to give him \$122 in prize money alone. Moreman also took a prize for showmanship.

Moreman's reserve champion calf sold for \$1,016, and the other four calves were also sold to bring the grand total to \$2,021.46.

Martha Davenport of Lakeview took her calves to Fort Worth, and sold the three for a total of \$1,100.73.

Carroll Fowler placed one of his entries in the Amarillo show, and was awarded a \$6 prize. He also won \$15 in prize money in Fort Worth, and sold three calves there for \$1,170.

Harold Rampy, in Amarillo, was awarded prize money placing his calves 2nd (\$21 money) and 28th (\$4.50 money). One of his entries named the reserve Panhandle champion calf, and his two calves sold for a total of \$554.

Billy Hancock won prize money for 3rd in the group of three calves, and also took a 12th and 30th place, to give him a total of \$24 in prize money.

Laddie Sloan sold his calf at the Fort Worth auction for \$418.08.

Gayle West also entered the Fort Worth show, and his calf brought \$359.48. Fletcher Bownds sold his calf in Fort Worth for \$363.90.

Jimmie Bownds' calf auctioned off for \$330.22 in Fort Worth and Morris Odom got \$304 for his calf there.

Ted Swift Made Corporal in Army

Ted Swift, U. S. Marine, 3d Army at the front, and Charles... have signed...

Swift, who is serving in Europe, does typing and change... work for headquarters of the 2nd marine division.

writes that he likes his work, but is getting "awfully tired of looking at squint-eyed Japs." His letter says that when the Japs mean an American service man they always want to know when he is going home, and if he has any cigarettes.

Eight Panhandle Counties Attain Quota for Museum

Eight counties of the Panhandle have raised their quotas of funds for the completion of the addition to the Plains Museum on the campus of West Texas State College in Canyon. The latest of these to attain their goal of \$1,000 was Hansford County, where W. J. Miller and David M. Warren obtained \$1,040 from 36 subscribers in seven hours.

Parmer County was the first to reach its quota in the current drive to raise \$60,000. Parmer set the pace with a total of \$2,000 contributed by 16 subscribers. The drive was directed by Hamlin Overstreet, officer of the Panhandle Plains Historical Society. Carson County, in a drive directed by David M. Warren, subscribed \$2,258.50. There were 214 contributors.

O. T. Nicholson of Shamrock put Wheeler County into the cash column with a total of \$2,068 received from 124 subscribers. From Claude, President Newton Harrell of the society sent in \$1,943.50 from 24 Armstrong County individuals and firms. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Finch and Allyn D. Finch donated a total of \$1,050 for Hartley County. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price of Stratford led off with \$1,000 in Sherman County, and Royal Pendleton and nine other citizens added \$184. O. H. Finch and John O. Colquitt of Dalhart have sent in \$608 to date from 26 subscribers in Dallam County.

From Pampa, Mel Davis sent \$1,265 from nine individuals in DeWitt County. Randall County raised \$1,800 up to now. H. Ripkin of Amarillo, chairman of the museum campaign, has sent more than \$6,000 from 26 Pan-



Decline of Prices For Texas Farms Not Due During '46

Appearance do not suggest that a decline in the prices of Texas farm land is in the offing. Accordingly, says Tyrus R. Timm, economist in farm management for the A. and M. College extension service, families looking for a break before investing wartime savings in land may have to wait beyond 1946 to get it.

Average farm land values on July 1, 1945, he explains, were above their 1920 levels in one sixth of the states, and equal to or above 1919 levels in one half of them. The trend in Texas was revealed in a sampling of three representative counties by the Texas agricultural experiment station, showing that farm land prices went steadily upward in the third quarter of 1945. But a significant factor was noted in an increase in cash buying, Timm says. Tenant buying which usually is low at this season, showed an increase over the previous year in two of the sample counties.

A more desirable trend was indicated in this quarter, however, in the fact that more buyers indicated intention to operate the tracts purchased and non-farmer

sellers still were on the increase. Timm explains that during the war farm and ranch leaders in and out of the government cautioned about the consequences of the existing land boom. One of the hopeful signs for control was efforts to enact a stiff capital gains tax to stop speculative buying. The principle embodied was to tax away practically all of the profits if a farm was resold within two years or some other specific period during the emergency.

Ceiling prices also are under consideration. But because of the many "variables" in a piece of farm real estate ceiling prices probably would affect only sales after "the next one." That is to say, the first sale would become the ceiling for the emergency period with allowance for improvements.

A third, or voluntary method, is through education. Throughout the war county agricultural agents and other farm leaders discussed causes and effect of land booms with their farmers. "An attack on the 'land boom' itself likely will bring little result," Timm says. "The solution to the problem will come through a solution to the general inflationary problem."

known Heirs and Legal Representatives of the said W. S. Hodges, Deceased, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Hall County at the Court House thereof, in Memphis, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 29th day of April A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1946, in the cause, numbered 2943 on the docket of said court and styled J. W. Shockley et al, Plaintiffs, vs. W. S. Hodges and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said W. S. Hodges, deceased, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit in statutory trespass to try title, Plaintiffs sue for the title and possession of Lot No. 42, Block No. 1, Scott's Addition to the town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, for damages in the amount of \$25.00 and for costs of suit.

Plaintiffs claim title and pos-

session of the said land and premises, by virtue of 10 years adverse possession prior to the commencement of this suit, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, at the 15th day of March, A. D. 1946.

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By MRS. WILLIAM HAYNIE

ter County subscribers. Three donors have sent \$600 from Hemphill County. Several other counties have contributed substantial amounts.

About half of the \$60,000 needed is on deposit in a bank, said Dr. L. F. Sheffy of Canyon, secretary of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. Officers of the society have decided to complete the drive as soon as possible in order that work on the two-story addition may be started. Such construction is considered imperative in order to prevent rain damage to the original building.

Mrs. Zeda Goodpasture spent the week-end in Muleshoe with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cox.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Shirley of Friona spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collins Craighead.

Mr. Jordon of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jordon over the week-end.

W. E. Murdock came home Sunday after a month's visit with friends and relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Waites spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murdock.

Those visiting Mrs. Eldon Spangol Thursday were Mrs. E. S. Foster, Mrs. J. E. Murdock, Mrs. W. T. Haynie, and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

J. W. Chappel and Calbert and Eugene Martin went to Childress Friday for fishing.

Mrs. Henry Foster came home Tuesday after a three-weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball of Abilene.

Lora Martin spent Monday night in Memphis visiting Mrs. Joyce Bloxom.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams of Brice were Plaska visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Owens and family of Hereford visited Mrs. G. P. Owens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hodges of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. T. I. McWhorter Sunday.

Agnes Oliver of Wichita Falls spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver.

Edd Murdock of Memphis was a Plaska visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Wells and daughter Addie Lou and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Wells and children, Sammy and Medra Ann of Memphis visited in the J. W. Oliver home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster and children went to McLean Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd.

Mrs. Amanda Martin and Billy visited Mrs. J. W. Oliver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Messer of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry Saturday night and Sunday.

The Plaska P.-T. A. will sponsor a pie supper and candidate speaking Friday night, April 12, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. Come one, come all. Let's show the candidates we are interested in them, and the P.-T. A. needs your help. There will be ice cream and coffee to go with your pies. Let's have a real get together and enjoy it.

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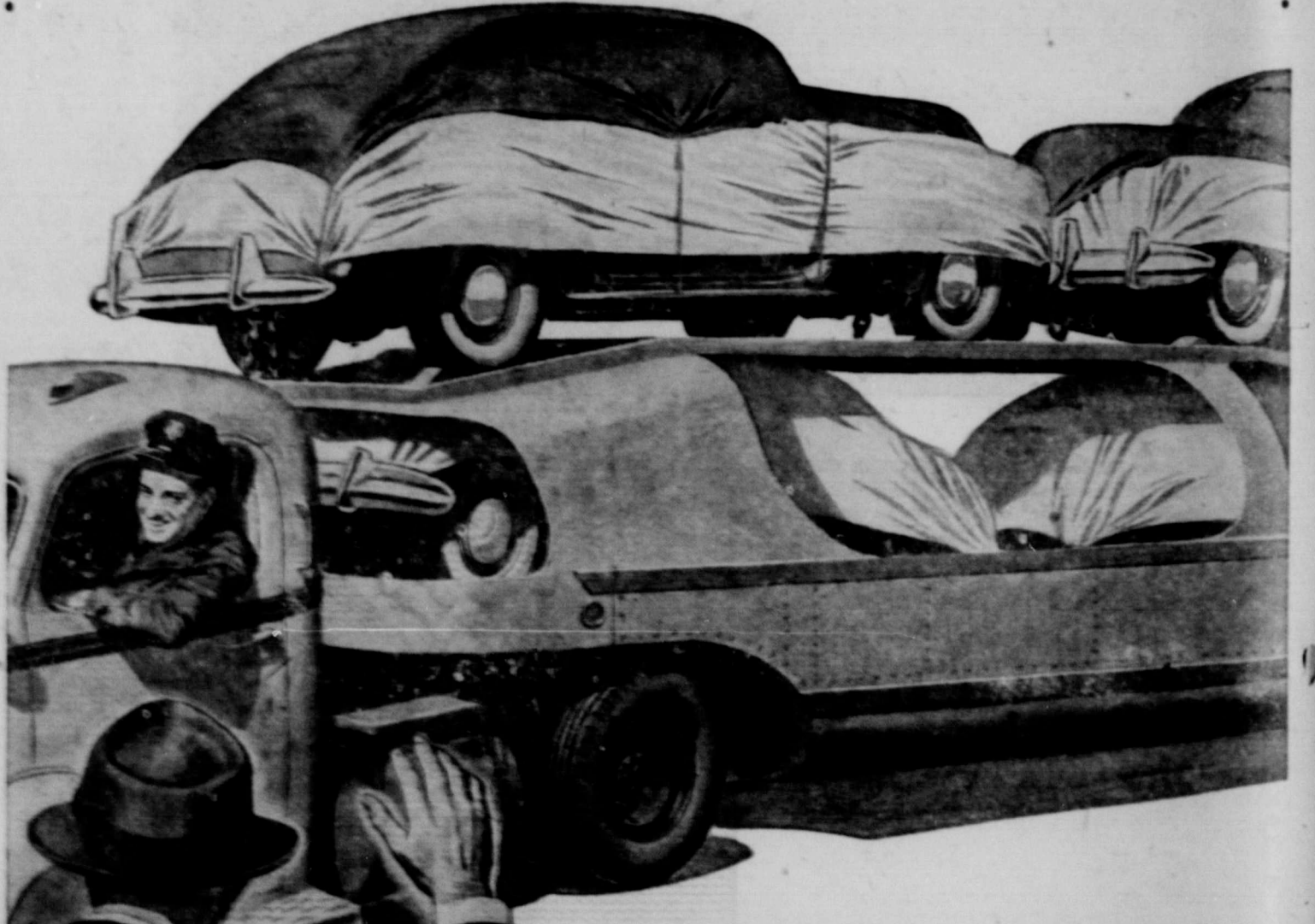
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Large Number of County Veterans Enroll at Tech

Of the more than one thousand veterans enrolled in Texas Technological College this semester, the following four are from Memphis:

Joseph Leonard Erwin, son of Mrs. Mary Lou Erwin, freshman civil engineering major; James W. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Evans, junior accounting major; Henry Lee Solomon, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Solomon, freshman arts and sciences student; and Garland S. Solomon, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Solomon, sophomore dairy manufacturing major.

Erwin, Evans, and Garland Solomon attended Tech before entering the armed forces.

Other veterans enrolled in Tech this semester from Hall county are: James Hutchins, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hutchins, freshman animal husbandry major; John Warren McCollum, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCollum, freshman petroleum engineering major; and Tom Ramsey Scarborough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Scarborough, freshman agriculture education major, all of Estelline; and John Keith Wells of Lakeview, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wells, sophomore geology major.

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Deaver Aids U. T. In Annual Round-Up

Jim Deaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Deaver of Memphis has been chosen as a member of the decoration division for the 17th annual round-up at the University of Texas, being held at Austin this week.

The Round-up is the big social event on the U. T. campus, and this year's show will be the first large celebration since the beginning of the war. The round-up will include a parade, a revue and ball, and the Texas Relays.

Plural marriages occur so often nowadays that it seems to be a fad to trade one forty-year-old husband for two twenties.

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Here's Figures on Food Shipments

About 3,813,000 tons of U. S. food supplies have been designated for shipment to fight starvation in liberated and occupied countries for the current quarter.

This amount is out of a total of 5,347,000 tons estimated available for all exports, including the United Kingdom, U. S. territories and others, according to E. A. McBryde, district director of the production and marketing administration.

Meat, flour and other grains, generally considered most vital in war-devastated areas, comprise about 71 per cent of the maximum estimates for these countries.

During the current three-month period, about 331-2 million tons of U. S. food supplies are estimated to be available for all purposes. Of this amount U. S. civilians will receive 26,675,000 tons, he said.

BRICE

By MRS. STARR JOHNSON

Sarah Ann Pittman of Amarillo visited over the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman.

Pete Salmon, who spent three years in service, has returned home from Europe and received his discharge.

Pres Baten, Elmer Cheek, and T. W. and James McAnear enjoyed a fishing trip at Breckenridge the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Osborn visited Sunday at Lesley with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Hagins.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bennett of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Molton Youngblood and Mrs. W. H. Youngblood visited the past week-end at Brownwood with Dr. Wyde Youngblood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean of Amarillo visited Thursday with her brothers, the Salmons.

M. E. Bell of Clarendon is visiting in the W. E. Davis home.

Visiting in the W. H. Youngblood home Sunday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Molton Youngblood and daughter of Bakersfield, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Mead Hales of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison and children of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Gattis and children of Brice.

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Twelve Veterans List Discharges With Hall Clerk

Earnest Edward Koeniger, mailman second class. Entered service October 2, 1944, at Memphis. Discharged March 23, 1946, at San Pedro, Calif. Ribbons: American theater, A-P; medal: victory.

J. W. Bragg, technician fifth grade. Inducted January 13, 1944, at Lubbock. Discharged March 21, 1946, at Fort Sam Houston. Ribbon: EAME with three bronze stars; medals: good conduct, victory.

Lee R. Hartsell, technician fifth grade. Inducted March 13, 1944, at Fort Sill, Okla. Discharged March 23, 1946, at Camp Chaffee, Ark. Ribbon:

EAME with two bronze stars; medals: victory, good conduct.

Roy E. Seay, private first class. Inducted September 20, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged March 27, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbon: A-P; medals: good conduct, victory.

Dorothea Merle Davis, seaman first class. Enlisted June 22, 1944, at Wichita, Kans. Discharged March 2, 1946, at Seattle, Wash. Ribbon: American theater; medal: victory.

W. D. R. Salmon, corporal. Inducted August 22, 1942, at Lubbock. Discharged March 24, 1942, at Lubbock.

Ray L. Hearn, private first class. Inducted October 22, 1942, at Lubbock. Discharged March 21, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: American theater, A-P; medals: distinguished unit badge, good conduct, victory.

Harold M. Lane, technician fifth grade. Inducted January 14, 1944, at Lubbock. Discharged March 24, 1946, at Fort

Bliss. Ribbons: American theater, A-P; medals: good conduct, victory.

Elmer P. M. Childress, private. Inducted August 1, 1945, at Oklahoma City. Discharged March 2, 1946, at Camp Beale, Calif. Medal: victory.

William R. Scott, private first class. Inducted June 13, 1944, at Lubbock. Discharged March 20, 1946, at Fort Sam Houston. Ribbon: EAME with three bronze stars; medals: good conduct, victory.

Curtis B. Bevers, staff sergeant. Inducted August 3, 1944, at Oklahoma City. Discharged March 23, 1946, at Fort Sam Houston. Ribbon: EAME with three bronze stars; medals: good conduct, victory.

R. L. Nivens, technician third

grade. Inducted August 22, 1942, at Lubbock. Discharged March 23, 1946, at Fort Sam Houston. Ribbons: American theater, EAME with one bronze star; medals: victory, good conduct.

Albert R. Bernard Given Discharge

Albert Ray Bernard, former army private, returned home this week after receiving his discharge at Fort Sam Houston.

Mr. Bernard, who served six months army duty, will reside in Memphis. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bernard of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins and son Waddy of Canadian spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer.

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Don't Throw Away Old Chairs; Apply Fresh Glue Again

The warm, dry heat of houses during the winter often is hard on the furniture. It shrinks the wood causing the glue to dry out, and chairs often begin coming to pieces. Mrs. Bernice Claytor, home improvement specialist for the A. and M. College extension service, says these can be repaired at home with regular cabinet glue, and she gives several suggestions on how to do it.

Since the glue comes in flakes or cakes, it must be soaked overnight and then heated until it becomes liquid. The inner vessel of a double boiler will serve as a container for heating. For best results, it should be used while comparatively thin and applied hot.

All old glue should be removed before fresh glue is applied. Larger pieces can be chipped off with a knife and the rest can be dissolved with a warm vinegar solution.

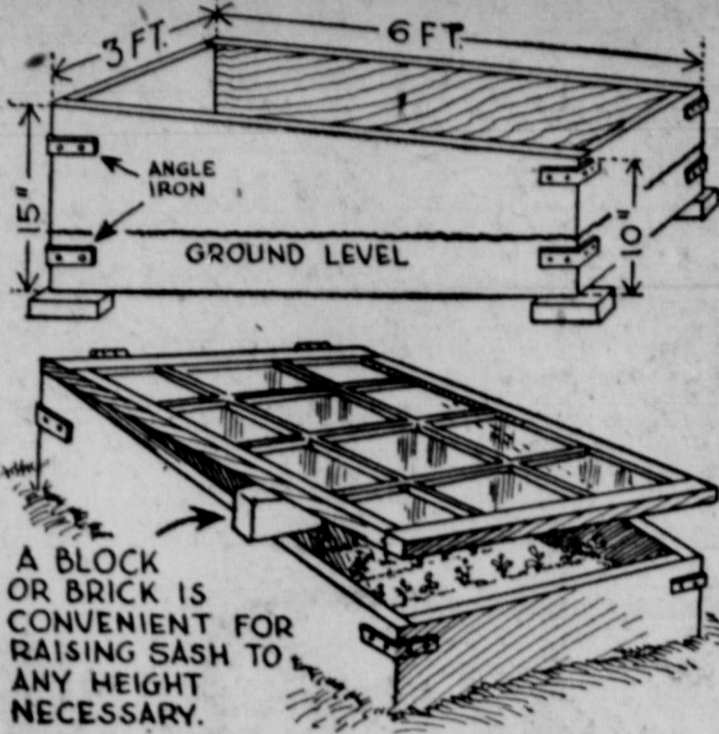
When the parts to be glued are clean and thoroughly dry, Mrs. Claytor suggests putting them together to test for proper fit. Best guide for this is to make sure all surfaces touch each other. After this apply the glue. When putting in a chair rung or dowel-pin it should be applied both to the end of the rung or pin and to the hole.

Final step in the repair job is to apply pressure that will make the glue stick. For a chair, a tourniquet of rope or stout cord will make satisfactory pressure. Thick pads under the rope will protect the wood and finish from the rope. This should be left on until the glue is dry, usually about 24 hours.

Pauline Knight and Mrs. W. D. McCool went to Wellington Sunday on a pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw of Amarillo were guests this week-end of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Build Cold Frame Now To Install in Spring



Working drawing for standard single sash cold frame.

Every garden should have a cold frame, which can be used throughout the year, to do things for which nothing else will serve as well. If you lack one, the time to build it is in the winter, so it will be ready to install as soon as the ground thaws out in the spring.

The illustration shows in detail how to make a small cold frame of the standard size, 3 by 6 feet. To double it, make the end boards six feet, instead of three, and use two sash, separated by a bar.

Boards at least one-inch thick, of cypress, redwood, or some other moisture resistant wood, should be used, and the construction should be solid. If you have sash of a different size, it is all right to build the frame to fit the sash. Instead of glass, a glass substitute can be used. Those commonly used are composed of wire screens covered with transparent plastic, or fabrics treated with wax to make them waterproof, and let light through. They are lighter than glass, and do

not break, which is important in windy locations.

The frame can be built in the basement and installed in the spring, or the boards may be cut and all other material prepared for a quick assembly job as soon as weather outside permits.

First dig a hole in the ground slightly larger than the size of the frame. It should be at least a foot deep. Into this hole put the frame you have built so that 6 inches of it is beneath the surface and the remainder above. This will insure that no drafts enter from beneath.

Place the frame so that the front is 4 inches above the surface, and the rear, 9 inches. It must slant toward the south, where the winter sun shines. It is well to hinge the sash at the top of the frame, so it can be easily opened for transplanting purposes and airing. A sunny spot in the garden, protected as much as possible from the full force of winds and driving rain, is the best situation for the cold frame.

Large Reduction In Cottonseed Oil Cuts Fats Supply

One hundred and thirty-five million pounds reduction in cottonseed oil production during the first seven months of this season, compared with a year ago, is one reason that the president's famine relief committee had to urge Americans to reduce fats and oils consumption by 20 per cent, A. L. Ward, educational director, National Cottonseed Products Association, points out.

"Cottonseed oil production figures released by the Bureau of Census, following the appeal for reduced fats consumption, clearly show the critical need for increased cotton production in 1946 to supply cottonseed oil as well as cottonseed feed products to produce meat and animal fats," Ward said.

Cotton is a leading source of vegetable oil, ranking with lard and butter as a cooking and food fat, but reduced cotton acreage and production in 1945 curtailed supplies of both cottonseed oil and cottonseed feed products. "For most cotton belt farms, cotton is the only source, or most dependable source, of vegetable oil and protein concentrate feed, and these farms can make their greatest contribution to the world-wide food and feed need by producing more cotton in 1946," he emphasized.

"Planted on good land, as the hub of a balanced farming and livestock program, and produced with the higher yields per acre that can be achieved by following the 7-point program of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and state extension services, cotton can do more in 1946 to relieve the food and feed situation than any other one crop southern farmers can grow," Ward added.

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By MRS. MILTON SMITH

W. D. Smith is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hale visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vaughn visited Mr. and Mrs. Tolley Henry in Lakeview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargel visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stargel Sunday.

Miss Vera Tops Gilreath has gone to Clarendon to resume her work with public welfare.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Nix Sunday.

Mrs. Lilly Weatherford spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall visited C. E. Nall and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Smith and Mrs. Milton Smith visited in Mangum, Altus, and Hollis, Okla., last Thursday.

Jim Smith visited his sisters in Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Gene Corley went to Phoenix, Ariz., last week for a visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Motherhead and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mothershed called on Horace Graham in Vernon Sunday.

Partial Insurance Plan Is Announced

Partial insurance protection is now available on cotton crops under a new plan announced by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation. This is in addition to the regular coverage already available.

The new co-insurance plan is designed to make it possible for producers to insure even though they do not want to carry in full

either the 50 per cent or 75 per cent coverage. Now they can take out partial protection of 60, 70, 80, or 90 per cent of either the 50 or 75 per cent insurance coverage.

Here's how it works, according to Donald L. Cothran, state crop insurance director: If the insured percentage is 75 per cent of the average yield, and the producer elects to obtain 60 per cent partial protection, the premium will be 60 per cent of that determined for 75 per cent insurance. Then, any indemnity payable will be 60 per cent of that which would have been payable if the producer had obtained full protection on the basis of 75 per cent of the average yield.

But, Cothran continues, since it all may sound a little complicated, the best thing to do is go to your county AAA office and discuss your cotton crop insurance problems with the officials there.

J. D. Saunders and Rex Vermillion of Lubbock visited last week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Saunders. Saunders is a student in Draughn's Business College.

Misses Mary Sue Huckaby and Vera Mae Davis, both of whom are employed in Amarillo, spent the week-end here with Mary Sue's father, Angus Huckaby and Mrs. Huckaby.

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Homemakers as a rule consider ironing the most tiresome household work they do, so scientists studied the ironing job in an effort to make it easier.

Whether you buy a new one or work over your old one, make certain it is comfortable to you. This advice comes from Mrs. Florence Low, specialist in home management for the Texas A. and M. College extension service.

She says there's no rule-of-thumb for finding out the comfortable height of an ironing board. That's something to work out for yourself, but women of average height generally find 31 or 32 inches satisfactory.

In most instances, non-adjustable boards are too low, and stooping will cause more weariness plus real muscle aches and pains, Mrs. Low says.

Mr. and Mrs. George Melear and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Melear and son Bob of Los Angeles are visiting George and Hershel Melear's sisters, Mrs. M. M. Pounds, Mrs. John Vallance, Mrs. Ed Duncan, and Miss Lena Melear, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Montgomery of Lubbock visited this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Montgomery. Miss Tommye Noel returned to Lubbock with them for a visit.

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Pork Again Placed In Set-Aside Group

In quick succession the U. S. Department of Agriculture reinstated set-aside of federally-inspected pork to help assure procurement of food for meeting critical needs abroad, and then increased the amount first designated. At the same time the set-aside of lard required of federally-inspected packers was increased from three and one-half per cent of the live weight of hogs to five per cent.

The original order, effective February 10, required federally-inspected meat packers to set aside for government purchase seven and one-half per cent of the live weight of hogs slaughtered weekly. This order was quickly amended increasing the set-aside to 10 per cent beginning February 17.

According to a statement from the Production and Marketing Administration received by the A. and M. College extension service, the set-aside applies to 37 states, including Texas. Ten southern states, including Louisiana, along with West Virginia, were exempted because production of pork and lard in federally-inspected plants is small in those states.

The actions, which took the form of amendments to war food order 75.3, were designed to assist measures asked by the president on February 6 to meet urgent foreign needs, by helping fulfill allocations of meat and lard for exports and shipments in first quarter of 1946.

George Carter of Clarendon visited in Memphis last week-end.

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Why spade? This question has been asked by progressive-minded critics, who examine all traditional practices with a skeptical eye. One answer has just been given by tests made at Ohio State college dealing with soil aeration.

Spading loosens the soil, lets air into it, and leaves it in the best condition for both water and air to enter. Spading also can be used to mix with the soil coarse materials which will improve its condition. Good soil, Ohio State experiments showed, is composed of 25 per cent "pores" containing air, 25 per cent "pores" containing water, and 50 per cent solid matter.

Heavy clay soil has particles so fine that there are not enough "pores" in it. But it can be made good by mixing one inch of fine cinders or very coarse sand, an inch of manure or a substitute such as compost or peat moss, to four inches of clayey soil.

These tests showed that to insure maximum plant growth there must be a complete change of the air in the soil, to the depth of eight inches, every hour. Compact soil interferes with this exchange; and it is easy to prove that garden soil is compact after a winter of rain and snow.

A good way is to mark out the area you intend to work at one time. Then open a trench at one end, depositing the dirt removed from it near the other end of the area. Now lift the soil adjoining the trench, so that a second trench is opened, and the earth from it deposited, bottom up, in the first trench, continue until the day's stint is done, filling in the last trench with soil removed from the first.

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Higher Farm Accident Toll Due To Shortage of New Machinery

With the high crop requirements and shortage of new machinery, a higher farm accident toll is apt to result this year unless proper precautions are taken, says R. B. Hickerson, assistant state farm labor supervisor for the A. and M. College extension service.

The fundamental step in the safe operation of machinery is to put it in good condition before field work starts, says Hickerson. Defective hitches, seats, clutches, wheels, brakes, steering mechanism, and unguarded revolving parts are things to check for. The National Safety Council at Chicago reports that many fatal accidents have been caused by failures of makeshift seats and unguarded power take-off shafts.

Clean all dirt, trash, and grease from platforms, pedals, foot rests or steps to assure safe footing, Hickerson says.

Special care should be taken in checking homemade labor-saving equipment for accident hazards. The operator's safety often is overlooked in the development of this type of equipment, and accidents can easily offset all other advantages of such equipment.

Poorly conditioned farm machinery is irritating and fatiguing to the operator. It reduces his alertness and encourages carelessness. Timely servicing will reduce accidents as well as costly field breakdowns.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Srygley, Mrs. Arvin Srygley and son Clayton, and Miss Dot Wallace visited in Claude Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Srygley's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore. Little Miss Zonell Moore returned home with them for a week's visit.

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Air Corps Studies Weather Hazards

The army air forces will conduct a series of intensive flight tests during the coming thunderstorm season to provide fundamental data for flying through major weather hazards which have caused numerous accidents, according to information received by Lt. Col. Hardy, district recruiting officer for the West Texas district.

Ten specially-equipped Northrop P-61 Black Widows, wartime night-fighters will fly around and through thunderstorms this spring and summer in the area around Orlando, Fla., collecting instrumental and photographic observations relating to cloud forms, cloud heights, turbulence, precipitation, lightning, and temperature. The planes will also be equipped with radar, which will be used to locate nearby rain areas and to test various methods of using radar to select a safe path through the storm.

With this information, AAF operational and weather personnel will be able to develop flight procedure and techniques to avoid many of the hazards of thunderstorm flying. Ground radar will be used to follow the movement of the storm-rain areas as well as to track the planes in flight.

Even with modern planes, thunderstorms constitute a major weather threat to flight. Within a thunderstorm, there may be areas of heavy turbulence which may damage the structure of the aircraft or toss it about to the extent that the pilot may lose control. Rain and lightning are also hazards, since they interfere with radio reception, depriving the pilot of navigational aids. In middle latitudes the thunderstorm may contain extensive areas of hail, traveling at hurricane speeds, freezing rain, snow, or super-cooled rain droplets, any of which may produce icing or structural damage to the aircraft.

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WE HAVE TO CREATE OUR OWN PROGRESS

PROSPECTS FOR OIL in this immediate area fell once more recently when the Humble company folded up its derrick and silently stole away.

Just how many tests for the black fluid with the dollar-mark written all over it have been made in this area we do not know. But there have been several attempts made, some in Hall County and some in the trade territory of the county. But no measure of success has been attained.

Perhaps at some future date, oil or gas, or both, may be discovered resting peacefully beneath Hall County soil—that we can only hope for.

Let's get it straight that we must not depend on the discovery of oil to make Memphis and the remainder of Hall County a prosperous place in which to live. We must create that prosperity.

If we could do all the little things which make for progress at one time, then we would be in the midst of that progress now. But those little things will have to come gradually.

The idea is, however, that we must take as short a time as humanly possible to bring on progress—not drag it out into decades as we are now doing.

The new city engineer and chamber of commerce manager has high ideals, and recently expressed the belief that Memphis can grow to that size, all Hall County will reap the benefits of its growth and its new size.

We are at the half-way mark now. The city has about 5,000 population. Let's start to work on the other half. As one man said, let's erect that sign at the entrances of Memphis, which will say: "Memphis—city of 10,000 inhabitants; 5,000 already here, 5,000 on the way."

ONE STEP FORWARD—LET'S TAKE ANOTHER

WE ARE HAPPY to learn that actual work is now in progress on obtaining street markers for the City of Memphis.

The work is now in the hands of Louie B. Merrell, city councilman, who has been working at the project for a number of months, and who is to be commended for giving of his time to complete the very badly needed work.

Street markers, it was reported, are to be made of con-

crete, with the names of the streets painted upon them, or fixed upon the concrete affairs in one way or another. The concrete markers will be installed in such a manner that they will withstand a great deal of punishment, and therefore should last for a long period of years.

The markers will prove to be very beneficial during the daytime. Now let's light up the city so that they can be seen at night. It's bad enough to get lost in a big city—it's worse to get lost in a small one.

DID YOU VOTE?

DID YOU VOTE in the city election balloting for the four aldermen on Tuesday?

It's doubtful that you did, for the returns indicate that the voting strength of the city was hardly shown in the ballots cast. And when you did not vote, you gave up your right, voluntarily, to help govern the city.

We are proud that we, as Americans, have the right to vote, and yet in the local elections we seldom use that privilege. Why? Mostly because we do not want to do the work ourselves, and are more than satisfied to let "George do it." That's human nature, but it also is certainly hard on democracy.



By **BOYCE HOUSE**

Jim White in his column in the Brownwood Banner says that Frank Grantham has suggested that when the Pioneers Association meets, the membership regulation should be changed so that all who came to Brown County 40 years or more ago would be eligible. Mr. Grantham was 80 years old the other day, writes Mr. White, "but due to a regrettable error in judgment, he did not come here 50 years ago, and would like to be on the roll."

If the limit is lowered to 40 years, your columnist would be eligible for membership for it was in January, 1906, that I moved with my parents to Brownwood. My father opened a small grocery store on the principal street and, ever since then, the smell of spices and of freshly-ground coffee has reminded me of those days. The most important business establishment from the standpoint of a nine-year old boy

was not however the Crescent Grocery—it was Kaneaster's Kandy Kitchen, where all the spare nickels that I could get were spent.

When we first arrived in Brownwood, we had rooms at a boarding house just across from the campus of Daniel Baker College and I remember some of the college boys—men, they seemed to me, and their athletic yell, one of which was a real gem of poetry:

"Johnny get a rat-trap bigger than a cat trap;
 Johnny get a cat-trap bigger than a rat-trap—
 Cannibal, cannibal, siss-boom-bah!"

I regret that my memory has not preserved the masterpiece in its entirety but that will give you the general idea.

After a few weeks, we found a house to move into; it was cat-cornered across the street from an elementary school, about three blocks from the business section—north of the business section, I think. Directions always confused me in Brownwood, on account of the twisting streets. I remember there was a standpipe near the center of town and they told a story of a traveling man who walked around and around for an hour, then said, "This is the damndest place I ever was in—five standpipes and not one post office."

In our yard there was an oak tree, a big, tall one—about the biggest in the world, I reckon. One day, a playmate jumped out of the fork of the tree and so of course I wouldn't take a dare; I jumped out, too; it certainly was a long way to the ground. Nearly 20 years later, when I revisited Brownwood, I strolled past and, you know, the oddest thing: you'd think that in 20 years that tree would have grown a good deal; but it hadn't, in fact, it looked to me as though it had shrunk; it really wasn't very far from the fork to the ground.

I can remember the Carnegie Library and of reading books from it: books written by G. A. Henty and Horatio Alger and a wonderful volume called "Forty Years on the Plains" that was full of Indian fights and scalplings and prairie fires. One time, we chose sides and pretended to be settlers and Indians. The settlers were barricaded in a stockade which in this instance was the loft of a barn and the ammunition was corn-cobs. The Indians could get at the settlers in only one way: one at a time, they had to climb a narrow ladder that led to an opening and when a head was thrust through, there was the greatest whizzing of corn-cobs you ever saw. I thought it was great fun. I was one of the settlers.

Curtis Harrell, J. H. Powell, and Hildon Lindsey drove to Clarendon yesterday for a day of flying.

Misses Vera and Kay Nagel of Pittsburg, Pa., visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lindsey went to Dallas last week-end where Mrs. Lindsey remained for an indefinite stay.

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Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

Beware

The Donley County Leader: Beware of the back-slapper—ten to one he hopes to make you cough up something.

A Good Start

The Moore County News: My garden is doing beautifully. I have beets, carrots, radishes, spinach all blooming beautifully forth from seed envelopes in the kitchen cabinet.

Troubles

The Floyd County Hesperian: What makes the average recipient of old age pensions vexed with this newspaper is our backwardness in admitting that the pensions cost the average person nothing. The big corporations pay this bill, they tell us. Big corporations, little corporations, farmers, merchants, doctors, whoever it may be, must pass their costs on whether they are tax costs, labor costs or what not. So that everybody helps pay the bill and there isn't any answer to that logic in our opinion. We don't fall out with them. They fall out with us, the "furs" do.

Food Rationing

The Canyon News: We hate to think of the return of food rationing. It was very inconvenient to the public and expensive

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to the merchants. But we have a world obligation to perform. Santa Claus role? Yes, possibly so, but we do have the food, and so long as there are starving people in the world we must do our best to feed them. Herbert Hoover says that we can furnish food to these people on a voluntary basis. When people are willing to deprive themselves in such a manner there is no black market. When people want to be hoggish, rationing will not stop them.

Low Stock

The Amarillo Times: Four reasons account for our low stocks despite our high production: (1) Large exports to meet foreign needs; (2) high industrial consumption; (3) extensive use for food, because of the agricultural price situation in general and corn prices in particular; (4) large consumption per capita in the armed forces.

Law Breakers

The Quanah Tribune-Chief: Usually, officers file the lightest charge that presents itself against an offender, but when the guilty one assumes the role of "Sea

Lawyer," there are not many arrests made that they cannot be charged in several different ways and in various degrees of the courts so that the resisting one pays a heavier and a higher penalty. The moral is that if one is guilty, it is better in a number of ways to shut up and pay off, rather than depend on a technicality for a doubtful justice.

The Farmer's Angle

The Dalhart Texan: Recently some people have begun to see the light of day in this squabble of more wages and less consumer goods. Particularly as the situation works in regard to the farmer. So far, the food producer has been the forgotten man in this fight, but some are beginning to understand that his prosperity is the foundation of prosperity for all of us. Who's going to pay a dollar an hour for farm help? Who's going to pay increased prices for equipment? How are we to replace worn-out equipment? The farmer's angle must be considered in any solution.

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I present myself as so qualified. In over nine years Marine Corps service, I gathered experience in history's biggest, toughest police job. With 39 months war-time overseas duty, making a 7 1/2-year foreign service total. I feel that my seasoning in conflict, comradeship, use of weapons, and administration of justice is sufficient to aptly equip me for the duties of a peace officer.

No one can spend almost a decade as a Marine non-commissioned officer and absorb none of the principles of equity and action.

My race for sheriff must necessarily be unorthodox since I am still in the Marines and will be absent during the most critical campaign months. I call on my friends throughout the county to interest yourselves in the race, and feel that it is "our" campaign.

My service may possibly continue through the July primary; doubtless I won't be privileged to speak to all of you before my leave expires, so consider this and future messages as directed personally to you.

If elected, my thanks to you will be the energetic, honest, effective administration of the sheriff's duties.

Joe L. Mothershed

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

Engineers Urge Frequent Check On Auto Exhausts

Inspections to assure that motor vehicle exhaust systems and carburetors are in good condition as a means of combating the perils from carbon monoxide gas poisoning have been urged by a large number of automotive engineers.

Faulty exhaust systems, the engineers say, often result in carbon monoxide gas seeping into passenger automobiles, buses, or trucks. Even a small amount of this deadly gas, which is odorless, tasteless, and invisible, may dull the reflexes of a driver.

A driver whose reactions have been impaired does not respond quickly in an emergency. Because of its effects on the human system, carbon monoxide gas probably causes many accidents for which it does not get the blame in police reports.

Inefficient carburetors cause

poor gasoline combustion in the engines, a situation which increases the amount of carbon monoxide gas pollution. The better the combustion, the less carbon monoxide gas is produced, it was explained.

It was pointed out that the motor fumes that smell bad are relatively harmless; the worst effect they produce is watery eyes. The deadly carbon monoxide gives no odorous warning of its presence.

Miss Ashcraft Is TSCW Counselor

Miss Uletha Ashcraft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ashcraft of Lakeview, has been elected house counselor for the second semester at Texas State College for Women.

The House Council, dormitory branch of the College Government Association, is composed of the house president and house secretary, both elected for the full school year, and the counselors, elected twice a year. The council has the authority to act in all matters of conduct concerned with residential life on the campus, acts as an advisory council and aids in the carrying out of the college rules and regulations.

To be qualified for the office of counselor, a student must have a good college citizenship record and a scholastic average of C with no F's or incomplete grades on her college record.

Miss Ashcraft is a junior vocational homemaking student.

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"One of the trade secrets in pastry making is rapid cooling and heating," John Lezan, French pastry chef at the Marguery Restaurant, New York City, tells Mrs. Harry Weir. "These custards are hot when I put them into the pastry shells, but the electric fan cools them in a hurry and keeps the shells from getting soggy. Cold utensils and cold ingredients help too, to make pastry short and flaky."

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Army's Enlisted, Officers to Wear Same Garb by '48

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Miss Mary Jo Lamb of Amarillo visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ara Jean Lamb.

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Officers and men of the army will dress alike after June 30, 1948, in battle jackets and trousers of the same olive drab shade now used in enlisted men's clothing, according to information received from Lt. Col. Hardy, commanding officer of West Texas Army recruiting district.

This type of uniform is worn now by many officers and men and will become obligatory for personnel after the 1948 deadline. Until then, the present types of uniform may be worn.

New regulations prescribing the olive drab combination for all ranks also paved the way for the eventual adoption of dress blue uniforms for officers and men provided they can be procured and manufactured without interfering with the production of civilian clothing. If available, the blues will be worn by officers and men after June 30, 1948, for dress and special occasions. If the blues do not become available, the olive drab jackets and trousers will serve for both duty and dress.

For summer and tropical wear, the duty uniform for officers and enlisted men will continue to be the familiar khaki. The summer dress uniform for officers and men will be shirt, trousers, service cap, and battle jacket, in tropical worsted material.

Well, Maybe Even Rats Get Tired Of Same Old Thing

Are rats becoming vitamin conscious too? Apparently they are, for according to the professional rat-trapper who visited The Democrat this week, they prefer their traps baited with lettuce and tomatoes.

With cheese 39c a pound and tomatoes only 30c, it can't be that they are just getting in tune with current inflation trends. No doubt it's a health consideration.

Judging from the visitor's well-filled cages of well-fed rats, vegetable diets make for healthier rodents and better trapping.

Probably the elite white rat would revel in combination salad, with french dressing.

Moral: save 9c a pound on your rat bait by doing it the professional way.

Betty Beeson was a Turkey visitor Sunday.

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Sue Lynn Guthrie Declared Eligible For Honor Society

Miss Sue Lynn Guthrie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie of Memphis, has been found eligible for membership in the Freshman Honor Society of Texas Technological College, it was learned here this week.

The honorary organization is composed of freshman girls maintaining at least a B plus average, and Miss Guthrie, during the fall semester, achieved an A minus average.

The society is designed to aid freshman girls, and discuss matters for their mutual benefit and interest. The group endeavors to sponsor at least one social affair each semester. The society was organized in 1939, and girls are eligible for membership from the beginning of the second semester of their freshman year to the end of the first semester of their sophomore year.

Miss Guthrie was also elected to membership in the Sock and Buskin clubs, one of the oldest on the campus. The club is for students who are interested in dramatics. Programs of the club consist of one-act plays presented by members of the speech faculty, novelty program, and lectures of themes relative to the theater.

The Memphis student is also a member of the Wesley Players, a unique organization for the advancement of religious drama on college campuses. Skits, plays, and pageants are presented by the group for local and nearby churches, and a formal banquet and initiation honors the pledges each semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lemons and family of Childress visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Curry.

Mrs. Birdie Holbrook went to Marillo Tuesday for a visit with son Jimmie.

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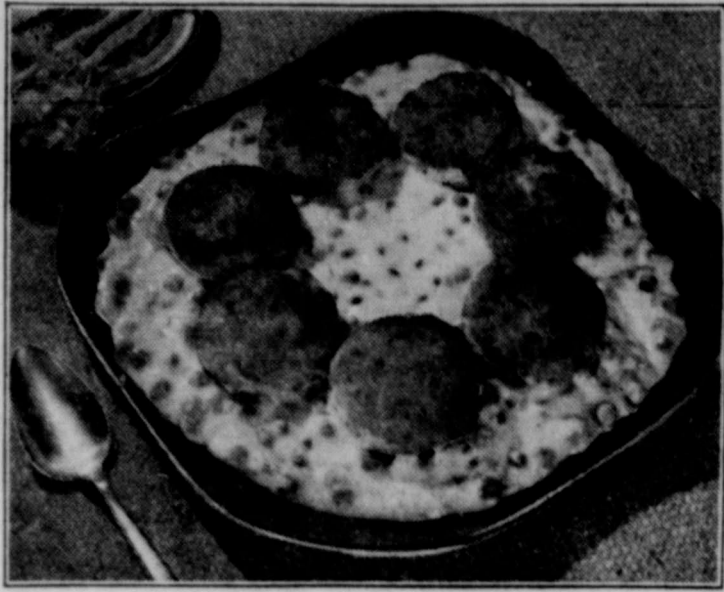
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Because there is no waste in preparing cheese for the table, it is convenient as well as economical to serve. The versatility of cheese makes menu planning simple for it fits into any course—from soup to dessert. To meet any emergency, keep a supply of cheese on hand as a staple food item in your kitchen.

CHEESE PATTIES

- 3 tablespoons butter
 - 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper
 - 1 tablespoon chopped onion
 - 3 cups cooked rice
 - 1 1/2 cups grated American cheese
 - 1 tablespoon chopped pimiento
 - 1 egg, beaten
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt
 - Dash black pepper
 - Fine dry breadcrumbs
 - 3 cups creamed peas or celery
- Melt butter in top part of double boiler; add green pepper and onion and simmer over direct heat for 5 minutes. Blend in rice, add cheese and pimiento, and heat over hot water until cheese is melted, stirring occasionally. Fold in beaten egg, salt and pepper, and cool. Shape into 12 patties of uniform size, and dip in breadcrumbs. Pan-fry patties in butter until golden brown. Serve with creamed vegetable. Serves 6.

Easter Seal Sales Getting Generous Response in Texas

An even greater number of Texas' crippled children are going to be given the chance to grow into healthy, normal adults as the result of the generous response to the 13th annual Easter seal sale now in progress. The response to the 650,000 Easter seals mailed to Texans is the largest and most generous in the history of the sale, according to Martin M. Ricker, executive secretary of the Texas Society for Crippled Children, sponsors of the sale.

Proceeds from the Easter seal are used in locating handicapped children, provided medical care, crutches and wheelchairs and rehabilitation to those who otherwise could not receive this necessary care. The society also conducts a campaign for the prevention of crippling diseases. Every Texan who has not already sent a contribution for the seals is urged to do so at once and to use the seals on all correspondence as a reminder to others of the necessary work being done for the less fortunate children in all communities.

These Couples

GET LICENSES

Following is a list of marriage licenses issued during the month of March:

- Clyde C. Collins and Mrs. Ida Mae Robertson Hansard, March 5; Woodrow W. Rogers and Leon Marie Cargill, March 6; Bollie Galberth and Essie Mae French, March 9; Raymond Ballew and Edna Williams, March 9; Kenneth Donald Owens and Verma Mae Robinson, March 9; C. W.

Hunter and Juanita Florence Burns, March 9; W. M. Snelson and Wilma Johnson, March 15.

Alton G. Bjewer and Gloria Goettsche, March 16; Leonard R. Irby and Kathleen Chesshir, March 22; Felix Wilson and Eva Mae Taylor, March 23; James Edwards and Mrs. Minnie Marshall, March 25; Norval H. Geter and Mary Agnes Thomas, March 25; Johnnie Phillips and Mrs. Willie Thomas, colored, March 27; and Clyde Morris Jr. and Willie Faye Johnson, March 27.

74 Killed in War While Working For Red Cross

Seventy-four American Red Cross workers lost their lives overseas and 182 received military and civilian decorations in the second World War, it was announced by Basil O'Connor, national chairman. The totals are calculated as of March 15.

"These Red Cross people died, not only in the service of their country, but in direct and unselfish service to the individual men of the American armed forces in every war theater," said O'Connor. "The girl who was killed by a bomb at the Anzio Beachhead in Italy, the field director killed by mortar fire in Manila, and the

others who died on foreign duty symbolize the ideal of the American Red Cross."

O'Connor disclosed that Red Cross medals would be awarded posthumously to any workers "who died in the service of the American Red Cross during the second World War and as a result of such service."

The highest military award earned by Red Cross personnel during the war was the Silver

Star "for gallantry in action." The three recipients were James P. Shaw, West Haven, Conn., Richard M. Day, Kirkwood, Mo., and John P. Ramsey, North Columbus, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thompson and little daughter Sue Ann of Pampa visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Crowder, the past week-end.

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LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Campbell of Plaska filled his regular appointment at Liberty Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McQueen of Liberty have moved to a new location near Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett and Carylton spent Saturday night and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Guy Edens and family. Nita and Weldon spent Saturday night with A. C. Hodnett and Letha, and the group came to Mrs. Edens' home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Sells and family spent the week-end with her parents and brother and sister in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. McQueen returned home with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett visited in the Clyde Fowler home

80 Per Cent Flour Higher in Proteins Specialists Says

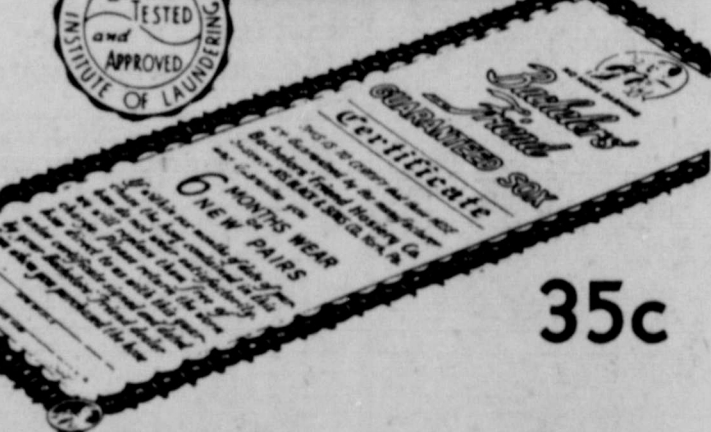
Enriched 80 per cent flour, now going on grocery shelves, has the same vitamin content as enriched white flour, but is higher in protein value—energy—according to Miss Edith Lawrence, food preparation specialist of the Texas A. and M. College extension service.

The story of American flour, Miss Lawrence says, goes something like this: For many years modern white flour has been losing important values in milling. In order to have it white and fine, and of good keeping quality, the outer coat of the grain was removed. With it went around seven-eighths of the thiamine and niacin, three-fourths of the riboflavin, and four-fifths of the iron, as well as some calcium, phosphorus, and better quality protein.

Some of these values were returned when bread was enriched with the three lost B-vitamins, thiamine, riboflavin, and niacin, also iron. Only about 65 per cent of the flour and flour products on the market, however, have been enriched. Flours rank in this order in nutritional value: whole wheat, enriched 80 per cent flour, enriched white flour, unenriched 80 per cent flour, and unenriched white flour.

The new 80 per cent flour is much finer and lighter in color than whole wheat flour. Unenriched it has only about 40 per cent as much thiamine as whole wheat flour, only half as much riboflavin and iron, and a fourth as much niacin.

On the foods preparation end, tests conducted by the USDA Bureau of Home Economics under commercial baking conditions revealed that the difference in bread made with the old and new flours was not as great as had been expected. The loaves made from the 80 per cent flour did not rise quite as much as those from white flour, and the bread had a slightly off-white or creamy cast. The bureau of human nutrition and home economics has had reasonably good success in making biscuits and pastry with the 80 per cent flour.



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