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Mills County 2nd War Loan Quota Set

COUNTY JUDGE CALLS IN MILLS COUNTY TO BUY MORE WAR BONDS

The people of Mills County are again called on to buy more War Bonds. There is every reason why we should buy bonds to the limit of our ability. First, we must and will stand by the hundreds of Mills County boys in our country's service. They know that we will meet our quota in additional Mills County style. We always have and we always will. We Texans stand ready and eager to do our part for our country.

In spite of well laid plans, there is likely to be a very trying period of readjustment after the war. A reserve of War Bonds will make a splendid shock absorber for a time when other assets may decline to a very low price. It is worth remembering that War Bonds are always cashed in sixty days after date of purchase and that the value of these bonds increases as time goes by. Invest in War Bonds and be sure that your money will be in our country's defense, that your investment will be safe, and that the original investment plus accrued interest will be available when they are needed.

We should all buy the limit in our means, plan to buy them regularly, and hold them until maturity, if possible.

JOHN L. PATTERSON,
County Judge Mills County.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

D. A. BRYANT, Pastor
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—10:55 a. m.
Training Union—7:15 p. m.
Evening Worship—8:15 p. m.
Next Sunday morning the Pastor will preach on the subject, "The Rider Of The Carpeted Road," and for the evening message he will use for the theme of his sermon, "The Waiting Guest." The sermons at the evening services are based on the Book of Revelation. This is an interesting and timely message: The rich's early history, the rebels' nations—especially the system of earth idolatry and "Babylon"; and many other symbols and signs which are now passing. You are invited to attend these services.

VAL VESSEL NAMED FOR LOCAL TEACHER

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram D. Crow of Arado have been notified by the Navy Department that a new destroyer vessel will be christened with the name of Howard Crow in memory of their son, who was killed when the Japanese attacked the fleet at Pearl Harbor in December of 1941.

U.S.S. Howard D. Crow is scheduled to be launched at the shipyard company at Arado on April 19. Mr. and Mrs. Crow have been requested by the Navy Department to be present for the christening of the vessel. Miss Verta Warner of Port Arthur, one of the Crow family, will be remembered in Goldthwaite, Texas, in High School, 1939-40. He enjoyed his life as much as the day he died here in 1940.



"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

POST OFFICE WINDOW TO CLOSE AT SIX P. M.

Notice To The Patrons Of The Goldthwaite Post Office:

The Post Office windows will be closed each week-day at 6 p. m. and any mail dropped in after that time will not be dispatched until the following morning. There will be no stamp sales or other transactions after that hour. The volume of work and the schedule of hours for the employees necessitates the observance of this schedule.

The money order window will be open at 8 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. except on Saturdays, when it will close at 4:30 p. m. The stamp window will open at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m. every week-day.

The Parcel Post window and general delivery window will open at 8 a. m. or as soon as the mail arrives and is worked. This is in accordance with instructions of the Postal Department.

L. B. PORTER,
Acting Postmaster.

A. T. PRIBBLE IS APPOINTED COUNTY ATTORNEY BY COURT

Upon the resignation of William Glenn Yarborough, County Attorney, to join the Air Forces of the United States, the Mills County Commissioners' Court last Monday appointed A. T. Pribble to this position.

Mr. Yarborough's acceptance into the Army places both of the sons of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Yarborough in our country's armen forces.

Mr. Pribble has spent a quarter of a century as County Attorney of Mills County, and he will handle the job right.

To Hasten Victory

No American wants this war to go one minute beyond the time we can bring it to a victorious end. To hasten that victory—to save possibly the lives of millions of our boys on our far flung fronts—it is imperative that every American do his part in the Second War Loan. There is an investment to fit every purse. The most you can do is little enough compared with the sacrifice offered by our boys in service. They give their lives—you lend your money.

TWO MORE MILLS CO. SCHOOLS ACCREDITED

Word has just been received from the State Department of Education that the Midway School and the Prairie School are listed in the directory of accredited Rural Schools for the current year. These schools meet present-day standards in every way, including a nine-months' term. Pupils finishing the eighth grade of either of these schools may enter any high school in Texas without entrance examination.

The students, teachers, trustees and patrons of these schools should be congratulated on their achievement.

GROCCERS CANNOT SELL CANNED GOODS ABOVE THEIR CEILING PRICE

A. T. Pribble, chairman Mills County War Price and Rationing Board, has received the following letter from Edgar Bird, Jr., associate State Food Rationing Officer:

Dear Mr. Pribble: This replies to your letter of April 7, with reference to retail grocers selling canned goods at their regular price and adding one cent per point value of canned goods money price.

This is incorrect, as a retail merchant has his regular selling price that must not exceed his ceiling price. For the items he sells he collects point value in Blue Stamps according to the Point Value shown on the Official Table of Point Values. The point value placed on an item has nothing to do with the money price of these items, and should not be confused with or made any part of the price in dollars and cents.

MORE LIVESTOCK DONATED TO RED CROSS WAR FUND

Monday, April 12, Manard Roberts gave the Red Cross a fine pig which was sold in the auction ring for \$15. Bob Cockrum and Wiley Mahan have each donated a fine buck, and C. E. Turbiville has donated a milk goat. These will be sold at a later date. If anyone wishes to donate livestock, please notify the Red Cross so this can be included in the next sale. We wish to thank these fine-spirited citizens for their liberal donations.

BRIAN SMITH.

DR. TAYLOR TO SPEAK AT BAPTIST CHURCH



DR. THOMAS H. TAYLOR

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, taught shorthand and typewriting, Howard Payne College, 1904-1905. Junior College diploma, 1905. Worked for Spaulding Buggy Company summers of 1904 and 1905. Secretary to Dr. B. H. Carroll, founder of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, 1905-1907. Orator and debater in Howard Payne and Baylor but never won a contest. Secretary of faculty, Howard Payne College, 1907-1913; registrar, 1913-1917; dean of faculty, 1917-1929. Became depression president 1929 under the motto, "More and More on Less and Less." Under his administration the college has paid \$185,000 debt, increased endowment to half million, doubled faculty and student body, and launched a building campaign.

Dr. Taylor is interested in religious and community affairs. Deacon in Coggin Avenue Baptist Church; past district brotherhood leader; twice vice-president of Baptist General Convention. Past director of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce; district director of Interscholastic League; member Southern Baptist Education Commission; county chairman Democratic Executive Committee; past congressional district chairman; past president Brownwood Rotary Club; past district governor of Rotary International; director of Texas Good Roads Association; past district member of Texas Centennial Campaign Committee; district member of United States Dry Forces. Listed in "Who's Who in America and Why." Member State Board Public Welfare.

Dr. Taylor will speak at the First Baptist Church, Goldthwaite, Thursday evening, April 29.

The Men's Brotherhood invites you. — Loy Long, President; Charlie Conrad, Program Vice-Chairman.

TEXAS SAFETY AND WAR CONFERENCE AT HOUSTON IN APRIL

The Eagle has received the following letter from R. B. Roaper, vice-president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., Austin: Editor Eagle:

The Fifth Annual Texas Safety Conference and the Second Annual War Conference of the Texas Police Association will be held in Houston April 27-28. If it is possible for you to attend, we shall be very happy to see you at this important statewide conference.

Every session of the two-day program will be crowded with vital information on the most important work in the nation—to save manpower for warpower.

E. T. Fairman, President Trent State Bank, Says Quota Of \$192,000 Will Be Raised In Mills County



"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

PRECINCT ONE BUYS A \$1,000 WAR BOND

County Commissioner Precinct One Jess Y. Tullios Wednesday morning went to the Trent State Bank here and bought a one thousand dollar War Bond for the precinct.

Mr. Tullios said he figured that was the best place to put the money—to save for the precinct and to help the county put over its quota in the Second War Loan Drive which started Monday.

SERIES E WAR BOND SALES IN TEXAS WAY OVER QUOTA

Frank Scofield, War Bond Administrator for the State of Texas, has just released sales of Series E War Bonds of \$27,014,534 for the month of March, against a quota of \$24,500,000 for Texas. This represents an increase of 10.2 per cent over the quota despite the impact of income tax payments. March sales rank with December, 1942, and January, 1943, among the top three months in E War Bond sales history. The people of Texas are responding to the appeal "It takes both—Taxes and Bonds."

METHODIST NOTICE

The usual Sunday morning worship program will be observed at the Methodist Church Sunday, April 18. Sunday School at 9:45 followed by the regular church services at 10:50.

Reverend F. C. Harrell, pastor of the Methodist Church at Richland Springs, will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning. Reverend Harrell is recommended very highly. He is doing a very fine work with the church at Richland Springs. It is sincerely hoped that all members of the congregation attend the Sunday morning services. Appropriate music will be provided. There will be no services Sunday night, at which time the Methodist people will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit other churches.

A. H. SMITH,
Chairman, Board of Stewards.

1,700 CARS AND TRUCKS REGISTERED IN COUNTY

A total of 1,740 cars, trucks and farm trucks have been registered in Mills County, to date, figures from Sheriff Hern Harris' office indicate. Last year, to April 10, 1,740 such vehicles had been registered.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE SERVICES

The revival at the Church of the Nazarene is progressing nicely with good crowds. Rev. Gardner of Dallas is bringing great messages and we want you to hear him. The meeting closes Sunday, April 18, so you must hasten if you want to hear him. Come and bring your friends each evening at 8:15.

Our Sunday School, begins at 9:45 a. m. and we want all our absentees present. Let us go in to make next Sunday the greatest day of the meeting. Mrs. Gardner will give a flannel graph lesson at the Sunday School hour.

BUFORD BURGNER, Pastor.

LOCAL SHOE STORES MUST FILE INVENTORY

Mills County shoe stores were reminded this week by A. T. Pribble, chairman of the Mills County War Price and Rationing Board, that their inventory should be taken as of the closing of business on April 10 and this inventory must be filed not later than April 18 with the County War Price and Rationing Board.

"If this inventory is not filed before April 18," Mr. Pribble pointed out, "a shoe establishment cannot continue to transfer or acquire new shoes."

He added that in proper cases, an OPA District Office may permit late filing of inventory and the transfer and acquisition of new shoes after April 17 by an establishment filing a late inventory.

Only shoes being rationed at the time the inventory is taken should be included in this shoe dealers' inventory.

Mr. Pribble further pointed out the requirement that every establishment having access to ration banking facilities must open a ration bank account on or after April 12 if it has a dollar checking account in any bank.

Establishments which cannot have ration bank accounts must file their inventory reports with the nearest OPA District Office and it will issue a registration number and a certificate for the amount of that store's shoe purchase allowance.

Mills County, during the next two weeks, must meet the acid test of investing \$192,000.00 in U. S. War Bonds. This amount, our pro rata of the more than thirteen billions of dollars it is necessary to raise throughout the nation, must be invested by us to pay for the munitions of war and to help drain out of circulation enough money to keep the cost of living within bounds.

Mills County folk are responding patriotically to last week's call and are gradually building up a total that must reach the goal within two weeks.

E. T. Fairman, President of The Trent State Bank, upon whose shoulders falls the load of raising \$87,000.00 of the total, stated that Mills County patriotic citizens would "make the grade."

Thousands of dollars are pouring into this county—as it is into every other portion of the nation. Every product that the farmer raises is increasing in value daily. This county has never, in all its history, been more able—and apparently—more willing to "Buy a Part of the Government" than it is today.

It is the privilege and the duty of every Mills County citizen to buy War Bonds next week.

MILLS CO. FARMER SODS TERRACE OUTLET CHANNEL

Determined to protect his farm against the loss of topsoil caused by washing from heavy rains, Harry Welch, whose farm is near Center City, has been using an H-tractor, a one way and a V-drag, building about two-thirds of each terrace and having the county grader to finish bringing the terraces and terrace outlet channel up to specifications. Then with the help of his boys sodding the terrace outlet channel as a part of his conservation plan, with the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District.

He recently completed sodding the terrace outlet channel with buffalo grass making it safe to empty water from the terrace into the channel which in turn empties the water on to his pasture.

He started building his terrace by beginning at the top of the slope and completing each terrace before starting on the next terrace.

Mr. Welch is using the most advanced idea in terrace construction, building all the terrace from the top side and completing the construction with less expense than the old methods.

Mr. Welch has found that farmers within the district may obtain the assistance of the Soil Conservation Service technicians in helping them to plan a complete soil and water conservation program for their farm by making applications to the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District through its board of five supervisors, who are farmers themselves.

The technicians will also assist them to survey and install outlet channels, terraces and other recommended practices.

VISITS IN GOLDTHWAITE

Flight Officer Glendon L. (Buddy) Armstrong of Adams Field Training Detachment at Little Rock, Ark., spent the first of the week here with his mother Mrs. Annie Armstrong, and other relatives. He is expecting a furlough soon.

SOCIETY

Kielman-Faulkner

The University Presbyterian Church at Austin was the scene two weeks ago for the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Kielman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Kielman, to C. Shults Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Faulkner of Goldthwaite.

Dr. C. T. Wharton read the vows before the altar decorated with white stock and gladioli and banked with ferns. White tapers illuminated the wedding scene.

Proceeding the ceremony Miss Beth Ramey sang "At Dawning" and "Because" accompanied by Pvt. Aldo De Tullio who played the traditional wedding marches. During the reading of the vows "Ave Maria" he played and the nuptial prelude included "Serenade," "Intermezzo," and "Romance."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attended by Miss Betty Callahan as maid of honor who wore a navy blue and white tailored suit and carried a nosegay of pink and white carnations. Her pearls were a gift from the bride and she wore a white hat, gloves, and bag and navy shoes.

Miss Vernetta Kaufman, bridesmaid, chose a tailored blue suit with pink and white carnations nosegay. She wore pearls, a gift from the bride, white hat and gloves and black shoes and bag.

The brides wedding ensemble was a tailored gold suit with a tailored blouse, white gloves, cinnamon bag, shoes and hat. Her arm bouquet was of cream roses and her necklace was a wedding gift of her bride's mother from her father.

Marvin Hodges of Austin was best man and Capt. Avery Wayne Smith of Camp Swift was groomsmen.

Mrs. Kielman, mother of the bride, wore navy sheer with corsage of white carnations.

The bride-groom's mother chose black sheer with white carnations corsage.

The rehearsal dinner was given on Tuesday evening at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Avery Wayne Smith, 906 W. 29th St., with Miss Bettie Callahan also was a hostess for the occasion. Pastel flowers were arranged throughout the home.—Austin Statesman.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attended by Miss Betty Callahan as maid of honor who wore a navy blue and white tailored suit and carried a nosegay of pink and white carnations. Her pearls were a gift white hat, gloves and bag and maid, chose a tailored blue suit from the bride, white hat and gloves and black shoes and bag.

Following the ceremony the couple left immediately for Houston where they will make their home at 1219 West Pierce. For traveling the bride wore her wedding suit with corsage of white orchids.

Mrs. Faulkner attended the Manor public schools and Nixon-Clay commercial college. She has been employed with the railroad commission for the past two years.

Mr. Faulkner received his degree from the University of Texas and is now employed as chemical engineer with the Associated Engineers in Houston.

Out of town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Faulkner of Goldthwaite, Mrs. William Ramey of Wharton and Mrs. Robert Bumpus of Wharton.

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Service League To Meet Sat., April 17

The Mills County Service League will meet Saturday, April 17, at 3 o'clock, in the City Utilities Office. Everyone is urged to be present. This is a county organization, and we always have important business to attend to. Be present at this meeting.—Gen. Chairman.

Mills Co. Baptist Women To Go To Coleman Tuesday

The annual convention of the Women's Missionary Union of District 16 will meet in Coleman beginning at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening, April 20, and close the following afternoon at 4:00 p. m.

Mrs. Karl H. Moore, District President, is counting on the women of this county for a worthy representation. We would like to urge that at least two women from each church attend the meeting. If you can be free to attend and have no way to go, you will please get in touch with me.—Mrs. D. A. Bryant, Phone 267.

Attends W.S.C.S. Meeting

Mrs. Jim Weatherby returned Friday after attending the second annual meeting of the W.S.C.S., held at Alamo Heights Methodist Church in San Antonio, April 6 to 9.

The conference was honored to have as guest speaker Mrs. J. D. Bragg of St. Louis, who is Division President of the W.S. of C.S.

Another outstanding speaker was Miss Edith Fredericks, who has just returned from five years of missionary work in war-torn China. Miss Fredericks spent five months in a Japanese internment camp. She says "If you are not satisfied with your ration card, just try living on two small helpings of rice twice a day for five months."

The theme of the three-day conference was "Missions in the World Today." The entire delegation made a tour of the city, visiting the Mission Centers, which are under the care of the Methodist Church.

Self Culture Club

The Self Culture Club met in the attractive home of Mrs. Julian Evans with Mesdames J. C. Evans and W. M. Johnson as hostesses.

After a short business session, a program on Central America was presented. Mrs. J. C. Evans gave a brief geographical and historical sketch of Central America; Mrs. W. C. Dew read a very interesting paper on Honduras; and Mrs. John A. Hester told us some of the highlights of Cuban history.

Delicious refreshments were served to 18 club members and the following guests: Mesdames Jon Schooler, D. Albert Trent, Clyde Cockrum, W. M. Stevens, and J. C. Mullan.

Eggs For Buckner's Orphans' Home

The Baptist Churches of Mills County are collecting eggs for Buckner's Orphans' Home. If you are a member of the First Baptist Church, Goldthwaite, you are expected to bring your eggs to the R. V. Littlepage Produce house between now and Monday, when they will be cased and shipped to the home Monday, April 19.

The Big Valley Church has set the pace for the county by collecting two cases. Our church should have ten cases.

Star Girls' 4-H Club

The 4-H Girls met with our new Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Harris, Thursday, April 8.

After singing several songs, Mrs. Harris was given charge of the meeting by the president for discussion. The subject was the importance of "Victory Gardens" and our great need for vegetables. She also discussed the importance of the minerals, vitamins and starches we receive by eating vegetables daily, and how to prepare them so that we will get all the benefit of their value.

All the girls feel as though they have been benefited by the discussion and we are willing to do all that we can to help in our "family garden."—Reporter.

Birthday Party

Friday night, April 9, Mrs. Carl Featherston and Mrs. J. H. Harrell entertained the entire Seventh Grade, honoring Joyce Harrell on her 12th birthday. At 8 o'clock the guest began to arrive, and by 8:30 the house and yard were full of happy boys and girls. Many outside games were enjoyed through the help of Norman Featherston, Annette Armstrong and Charles Bird from the 8th grade. The treasure hunt which caused much excitement. The treasure was a box of candy, cookies, gum and salted peanuts. This was found by Wanda Evans. Then the children were called in the house where Joyce found the surprise of her life. Little John Greathouse pulled the white-draped wagon loaded with gifts in, and all the children sang the Happy Birthday song. Then they were invited into the dining room where they blew out the candles, and punch and cookies were served to 40 guests. The Easter decorations found their way and decorated the beautiful birthday cake, which was baked by the Simpson Bakery.

At a late hour the children bade Joyce good-bye, wishing her many more happy birthdays, and thanked Mrs. Carl Featherston for entertaining the children in her home, as Joyce lives on a ranch and the children could not get so far out in the country on account of gas rationing. Joyce is an honor student of seven-2.

Midway 4-H Club

The Midway 4-H Club girls met April 9. The house was called to order by the president, and the minutes were read by the secretary, Joy Anderson. Then we had ten minutes of recreation. For recreation we sang "Oh Beautiful" and "There's a Star-Spangled Banner Waving Somewhere." We said the 4-H Club prayer and pledge.

Then the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Harris. She showed us many beautiful pictures and told us some useful things.

Each demonstrator gave a nice report. Those present were Virgilene Wicker, Patricia Lockridge, Reta Bell Horton, Margaret Jane Lockridge, Dorene Kerby, Joy Anderson, Mrs. Harris and Wilma Jean Williams. There was one visitor, Roy Simpson.

We adjourned to meet April 22 with our sponsor.—Reporter.

W.S.C.S.

The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday at 4 p. m. at the Methodist Church.

"The Discovery and Development of Christian Leadership in Latin America" will be discussed. All members are urged to be present and hear this topic discussed by guest speakers.

THANKS TO W.S.C.S.

The Junior Class Room Mothers of Goldthwaite High School want to thank the W.S.C.S. ladies of the Methodist Church for their splendid cooperation and work with the Junior-Senior Banquet.—Mrs. Mac Horton, Chairman.

Midway H-D Club

The Midway H-D Club met April 2 with Mrs. Coley Sevier.

Mrs. Harris, the new demonstrator, was present. The lesson was on herbs. She discussed the way to use them in food for flavor, and how to grow them.

Those present were Joe Ruth Lindsey, Drue Cline, Odessa Tubbs, Ima Wicker, Lennie Horton, Mrs. E. D. Conway and three visitors, Mrs. Weathers, Mrs. Hodges.

Wigley, and Miss Letts

The next meeting will be held at the home of Joe Ruth Lindsey on April 23.

The Art and Civic Club will have their annual Flower Sale April 23-24. Special orders phone Mrs. Hodges.

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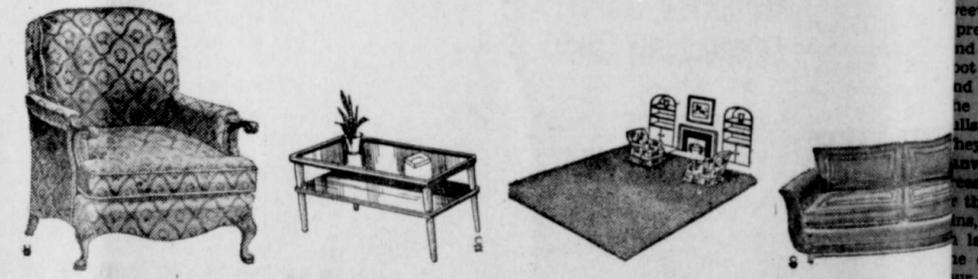
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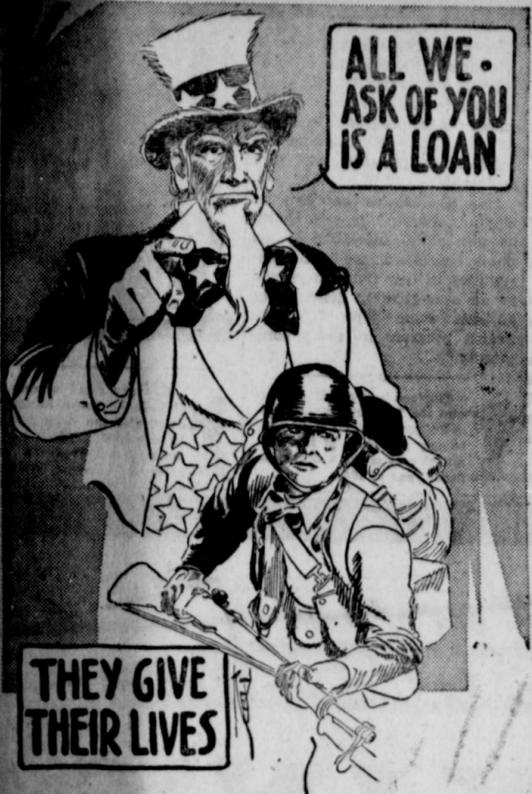
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Will Americans Be More Tender With Their Money Than Lives of Their Sons

Washington, D. C.—A blunt challenge—whether Americans will be more tender with their money than with the lives of their sons—confronts U. S. citizens as they prepare to meet the appeal of the government to put an additional 13 billion dollars into the fight in the next three weeks.

American dollars which run off to some cozy shelter to hide while American boys are dying to defend our cities and towns from destruction and invasion will face a rising demand from all classes of patriotic citizens to come out and fight.

Millions of workers who now are buying War Bonds regularly out of current income must lend extra money to their government during the Second War Loan campaign (which started April 12).

In recognition of the spirit of sacrifice which is sweeping over the land as our troops swing into offensive action in Africa and await the signal for a landing in Europe, the Treasury Department is offering a series of government bonds to fit every pocketbook.

No matter whether Americans buy the familiar Series E Bonds or 2½ per cent bonds or 2 per cent bonds or tax certificates, they will be doing their part to make the Second War Loan drive a success.

Consumer Spending Too High. Consumer spending in 1942 was

much too high to meet the war situation of 1943. Last year more than 82 billion dollars of our soaring national income went to feed the desires of Americans for clothes, recreation, foods and luxuries. As these items grow scarcer, more of our income must be diverted from such expenses into government bonds.

During 1942 millions of our fathers, sons, relatives and friends were in training here and abroad. Some were already in action. Casualties were beginning to bite into every community. War Bonds became a vital link between the home and fighting fronts.

Today sacrifice has become a way of life for America's fighting men. Civilian spending on the 1942 scale must go out the window if the home folks are to attempt to match the heroism of our boys at the front.

Not every American can take his place in a bomber or in a foxhole or on a fighting ship but he can fire away at the enemy by lending money to the government.

entire plant. This of course would mean that the under side of the leaves should be covered as well as the upper side. See the County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent for information on how to make a duster.

Identification and control measures for the above mentioned insects are as follows:

PLANT LICE—Color: Small black or green louse-like insects.

Suck sap from bud and lower surface of leaves. Spray with nicotine sulfate 1 1-2 teaspoonsful, 1 cubic inch soap, to 1 gallon water; or, dust with nicotine sulfate 2 tablespoonsful to 1 quart hydrated lime; or, dust with 5% rotenone mixture. Cover plants thoroughly with spray

or dust, especially lower surface of leaves.

FLEA BEETLE—Color: Quick-jumping, dark brown or metallic beetles. Eat small holes in leaves. Dust with cryolite 1 part and sulphur 5 parts, or pyroclide dust. Repeat at 5-7 day intervals. Destruction of weeds in and near the garden will often prevent serious damage from flea beetles.

CUT WORM—Color: Brownish, dark colored worms. Curl in soil in daytime and cut plants off at base during night. Poison bait: 5 lbs. bran, 1 tablespoon Paris green or cryolite, 1-2 pint cheap molasses, 1-2 gallon water. Put out late in afternoon. Spread lightly near base of plants.

CUCUMBER BEETLE—Color: Greenish yellow beetles with 12 spots and yellow beetles with 3 black stripes. Feed on foliage and stems of plants. Dust with cryolite 1 part, talc 3 parts; or calcium arsenate 1 part, hydrated lime 19 parts. Beetles usually attack plants when small. Early treatment essential. Repeat applications at intervals of 5 to 7 days to keep young leaves covered with dust.

Those from Goldthwaite who attended the funeral of Mrs. O. F. Smith last Saturday at Denton included Mrs. J. M. Traylor, Mrs. Marsh Johnson, Mrs. E. D. Roberson and son, Robert Lee, and Chas. Miller.



WHAT'S THIS WAR ABOUT, DADDY?

Honey, in a place called China, children can never play as you can . . . because men in airplanes roar overhead and shoot them, and burn their homes.

In other places . . . in Norway and France, in Poland and Greece and Russia . . . children have their mothers and daddies taken away from them . . . led off to a prison called a concentration camp. Their children may never see their parents again.

Many of these children—boys and girls just like you—don't get enough to eat. Many of them have starved to death.

Why is all this happening? Because there are evil people in the world, who call themselves the Axis, who do these things. And it's our job to make them stop—to see that they never trouble the world again. That's what this war is all about.

To do our job we've got to knock out the Axis. And a lot of us Daddies would like to do it with our own fists . . . or our own guns. We can't all do that. There's other work that Uncle Sam wants us to do.

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NEWS FROM YOUR COUNTY AGENT

By JOE M. GLOVER, Jr.
Mills County Farm Agent.

FRUIT INSECT PESTS SHOWING UP

The curculios that causes worms in peach and plums made its appearance in orchards in Mills County about two weeks ago. This insect looks like a boll weevil with a rough ridged back, preda a canvas under the tree and jar the limbs with a four-foot pole paddle at the striking end to bring them down. When the trees are jarred the insect falls and falls off of the tree. They can be easily seen on the canvas. If you have only a few trees jarring, if done every two or three days after blooming begins, will control the curculios. In larger orchards when one of the curculios is found to every four or five trees spraying should begin. The jarring should be done every five or six days as a check to determine when to start jarring. Shallow disking or plowing during summer will destroy many immature curculios.

The following fruit growers in Mills County are among those who have checked their orchards and are spraying this year: Elam Wiley, Seaforn; Cockrell Bros., Big Valley; George Roberson, Big Valley; Mrs. Will Garner, Little Mountain; and J. R. Williams, Little Mountain.

The May scale insect, which attacks the bark and sucks the sap from the trees, kills more fruit trees than any other pest. It is best controlled by thoroughly spraying trees in winter with either

lime sulphur or oil emulsion after pruning. However, in case of heavy infestation in the spring or summer, summer oil emulsion or lime sulphur spray may be used with safety.

But this is only a part of the predatorse. White worms with brown heads tunnel under the bark of peach and plum trees two or three inches below the ground and eight or ten inches above. Shot hole borers, or bark beetles, drill little holes in the bark, and the lesser peach borer feeds underneath the bark of branches. Finally, the twig borer feeds underneath the bark on twigs.

Certain sprays will discourage activities of these pests, and full information on their control may be obtained from Extension Service bulletin B-73, "Orchard Management," or from the county agricultural agent.

INSECT HINTS FOR VICTORY GARDENS

Insect pests most likely to cause damage to garden plants this month are: aphids or plant lice, cut worms, flea beetles, and cucumber beetles. It is important to start an early fight against these pests. They increase in numbers rapidly and consequently are likely to cause severe damage to the young growing plants if they are not controlled.

The method of applying poison is as important as choosing the right kind of poison. When using a spray or dust, care should be taken to thoroughly cover the

SANTA FE TAKES OFF TWO TRAINS—73-74

Effective next Sunday morning, the Santa Fe will discontinue two trains now running between Temple and Brownwood—Trains Nos. 73 and 74.

No change in schedules of Trains Nos. 75 and 76 will be made. Schedules for these trains will be found in an advertisement in this issue.

SCOUT MEETING HELD LAST WEEK AT LOMETA

Scouter's Meeting was held at the new high school building last week in Lometa for Scouters of the South District. The "Summer Offensive" program was planned at that time. Those in attendance were: Scoutmaster Lee Tesson, George H. White, and Cpl. Rex Williams from Mullin; John Stough, assistant Scoutmaster, and Scribe Joe Barnes of Goldthwaite.

CEMETERY WORKING AT OAK VIEW, WEDNESDAY, 28

Oak View Cemetery working all day Wednesday, April 28. Bring dinner and implements to use.—Sec.

CENTER POINT—

By MRS. JEWEL SPINKS

We believe that spring has finally come to our community. We received another good rain and it was worth so much to the farmers. Its really encouraging to strive to have good gardens, good crops and pretty flowers whenever we can get rain at the proper time. Every one is so busy working they don't take much time to visit.

V. D. Tyson had his goats sheared this week.

We have a new neighbor on the Simpson place, better known as the Mays place. Speck Brown and wife and little daughter. We welcome them to our community from West Texas. Mrs. Brown's young sister from Mullin spent Saturday night with her.

Miss Maudie Collier was a recent Goldthwaite visitor.

Condolence is extended to Arthur Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Patterson of Big Valley in the death of their wife and daughter, Reba. The Williams family once lived in our community.

We enjoyed so much the soldier boys pictures in the window of Little's store. It makes our heart feel good to see our fine soldier boys in uniform, some in U. S. A. but most of them overseas. We are terribly proud of our fine American soldier boys—where ever you are and May God see you safely home.

The trustee election was held at the school house last Saturday but I have not heard who were elected.

Mrs. G. I. Spinks of Mullin visited Mrs. Raymond Black of the Pompey Community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams were in Mullin Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lee Spivey of Coleman visited in the Williams home Sunday.

Virgil Conner of Miles, and Gatesville spent Saturday night with his mother Mrs. Conner and Sunday in the Will Spinks home. Cpl. Wilford Spinks of Miami, Florida visited his grand parents last Friday. Wilford is due for another rating whenever he returns to camp.

Chas Dee Wright is now at Hamilton Field, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Wright have two new grand children. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Hill have a new boy, born March 26, and Mr. Mrs. Chas. Dee Wright, a girl born four days later.

Elder and Mrs. I. A. Dyches left Thursday at noon for Fort Worth to spend a few days with their son, Don.

Bonnie Fern Doggett who is attending the N.Y.A. business school at Brenham, spent this week—end here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doggett and other relatives.

Billie Woodard of Camp Campbell, Ky., is here visiting his mother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Spinks spent Sunday in Temple with their daughter, Maxine, who is in training at Scott & White Hospital.

EBONY NEWS—

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

Abundant rains fell here again Wednesday night and Thursday morning, filling tanks, adding more season to the ground, making the grass fine, and increasing the verdant beauty of our spring. The only bad thing resulting is the condition of our roads. Our roads are awful. Every rain makes them worse. We wonder could anything happen to someone give us good roads.

In spite of hearing that fruit was killed long ago, we notice that every single agarita bush seems to be full of berries, the apricot tree is loaded with apricots, and every peach tree seems to be putting on plenty of peaches.

Luther Jernigan was buying cattle in our community Monday. He happened along at our place about dark, and we had him share our cold supper with us. The years don't seem to tell on Luther. He still seems young and husky. He said an old man told him once that when the blue bonnets were plentiful we always raised good corn in this country. Luther said he had never known it to fail.

Our good friend, Mrs. Sarah Ann Reeves, breezed in on us at church Sunday morning. Smiling and lovely as ever in spite of her 85 years. We did not know she was in the country. Since last September, she has made her home at Texhoma with her daughter, Mrs. Flora Reeves Hodges. She had a chance to come with Mrs. Etta Hildebrand to Brownwood last week so she took advantage of it. She is staying at the home of her son, Stanley Reeves.

Our last report from Clifford Crowder is that he is still improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hanna and June had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger Sunday after church.

Mr. S. L. Singleton of San Angelo came Friday to visit with her mother and brother, Mrs. Irene Reeves and Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum and June visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Egger Sunday.

Mr. S. L. Singleton of San Angelo is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Griffin.

Ernest Malone helped Stanley Reeves build the form for the concrete foundation for his house Friday.

Jane Malone writes from Mt. Holyoke College, Mass., where she has been in training as a WAVE, that they have plenty of work. Their hours are from 6:15 in the morning to 10 o'clock at night. She lives one mile from her place of training, and walks it four times each day. There are two hours of physical drill each day. They must keep their rooms ready for daily inspection. Everything must be dusted and in its place. The beds must be made exactly right. Jane was to have finished her training April 1. She would then be sent somewhere she knew not where.

SOLDIER LETTERS

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The following letter was received by Mrs. M. W. Calder from her son who is in training camp:

Dearest Mother and Daddy:—Received the letter you sent to Ft. Sill yesterday. It was the sweetest letter I ever read. Got the one you sent here today. You didn't have the address exactly right, but I got it and that is what counts.

I'll bet Rae Ann is a sweet little bugger. Sure hope Guy gets out of the Marines. Be nice if he could get on at Ft. Worth, and be close to G. C. Looks like some of us boys could be close together. Would be glad if I could be sent to Ft. Worth when I leave here. I really don't get very lonesome though. Don't have time, the army really keeps you busy. I carried my full pack a while the other day while drilling.

We are going on a 5 mile hike and carry our full pack and rifle. Hope I don't have to fall out, and don't think I will. I think I can make it all O. K. Don't worry about me.

Hope you catch lots of fish. Daddy, seems like you are fishing every time Mother writes. You could write a little some times. Really makes me feel good to get a lot of mail. I haven't gotten less than two letters a day since I've been here. Wrote Bro. Renfro a letter today, and am sending Mr. Stanley a post card, a scene off a place here. If he will write me I will send him some more.

Nice Done, Billie Jack and Charles are so close to each other. Don't suppose I'm close to anyone I know I have met some swell boys since I came here. We have huts to live in here, 5 men to a hut. I am with some boys from the North.

Well, frankly, I don't think the army is bad. I am not in love with it. I think I like it better than the average does. I don't think anyone loves it because of its purpose. There is certainly plenty of good food here where I am. I am better fed here than I was at Ft. Sill, but it was all right there.

Billie Jack is right—you certainly have to look out for yourself, but I think that is good for anyone.

I am getting something here that I would have never gotten anywhere else, that I wouldn't take anything for. Maybe a little fat, ha, ha!

We have a recreation center. I am there now writing this letter. I sleep most of the time I am not on duty or eating. I really can sleep good at night. Don't worry about me, Mother. They won't give anything that most boys could not take, and if all the other boys that have gone on before took it so can I.

Yes, Mother, I can go to church. I went last Sunday. It was the most touching thing I ever saw, all soldier boys. I just sat there with tears rolling down my cheeks. I know all the other boys love and respect you and

Daddy as much as I. If our lives are not what they should be it certainly is not because we were raised right.

Please excuse this writing I have written so many letters today seems I can't write. I love you both more than you will ever know.

Your son in service,
Pvt. John Preston Calder.

State Department Health Notes

DENTAL PROGRAMS

In checking the results achieved by school dental programs in Texas, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State

Health Officer, announced today that such programs have proved to be highly effective in lessening the permanent teeth mortality rate, reducing it in some cases more than 75 per cent in a period of only five years.

In one city, the permanent teeth mortality rate was reduced from 24.37 per cent to 3.5 per cent in less than five years' time, with a full-time dental health program in effect.

"If the mortality rate of permanent teeth is a dependable unit of measurement in the evaluation of dental public health programs," Dr. Cox said, "it is obvious that there is unlimited value in the type of programs now carried on by the State Health Department."

Dr. Cox expressed the opinion

that the increase in the volume of dentistry for children in local dentists offices was directly attributable to the influence of the school dental programs, and added that the improvement of children as patients was very noticeable.

"I believe that as time goes on, Dr. Cox stated, "the results will be even more noticeable. As the public becomes aware of the possibilities in this field, there will be an ever-growing demand for at least some type of dental health program in every community."

Thirteen billion dollars—the sum the Treasury must raise in the Second War Loan drive, is only one sixth of the estimated cost of the war for the fiscal year of 1943.



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SOCIETY

More-Moreland

and Mrs. J. Melvin Ashmore, Sr., of Carmine announce the marriage of their daughter, Delle, to Aviation Cadet Lester L. Moreland on Saturday evening, March 13, at 8 p. m. at Travis Park Methodist church in San Antonio, with the Rev. Albert F. Shirkey, pastor of the church, performing the ceremony.

Miss Mildred Welmann of Brenham sang "Because" and "Dawning," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Harry Leap of San Antonio.

Mrs. H. C. Lockwood of Eagle Lake, sister of the bride, was given the honor, and wore a crepe suit, with navy accessories, and a corsage of white flowers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, chose a two-piece dress with white val-lace trim, navy accessories and a white orchid corsage. Her only ornament was her mother's locket.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Plaza Hotel in the sky room. The tables were arranged with white and pink glories and lily of the valley at one side and coffee served at the other, with a centerpiece of sweet peas surrounded by white figurines. Those assisting in serving were Miss Mildred Welmann, Mrs. Florine Lee, Mrs. Marie Miris.

Mrs. Moreland is a graduate of the University of Texas, and is stationed at the Army Air Force Navigation School in Hondo, Texas.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple are at home at 3101 N. Pedro Avenue, San Antonio. Out-of-town guests were Mr.

and Mrs. J. M. Ashmore, Sr., of Carmine, Mrs. H. E. Moreland of Goldthwaite, Mrs. J. M. Ashmore, Jr., of Carmine, Miss Mildred Wiemann of Brenham, Mrs. H. C. Lockwood of Eagle Lake.

Lester Lee is one of our Mills County boys who are making Uncle Sam real soldiers. Miss Ashmore comes as a stranger to us, but we feel as if Lester made no mistake in choosing her for his companion. Miss Ashmore has visited in the Moreland home here quite a few times and made many friends while here, and she comes to us highly recommended from her friends.

Happy Celebration

There was a happy celebration in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Senger and family, Pauline, Herman and Rudy, on Sunday, the 11th of April.

Pvt. Carl W. Senger came home on furlough. He left for the Army on January 26, 1942, and took his first training in Camp Roberts, Calif., and from there he went to Seattle, Wash., and on to Alaska last June 16. Arrived in Alaska on the 4th of July and came back to Vancouver, Wash., on March 11, 1943. Pvt. Carl W. Senger's address is: 33081689, Baren Gen. Hospital, Vancouver, Wash., Ward 35. He left Washington March 31 and arrived at Comanche April 3. About noon he was met there by both of his parents and brother Ernest. That was one happy meeting, the first time they had met in 14 months and 8 days.

He is jolly like he was before he left for the Army. He was honored Sunday by a good turkey dinner. The afternoon was enjoyed by old and young. The men played dominoes and some "42." The women chatted gaily with each other while the young folks played baseball. At 4 o'clock a lunch was served to children, relatives and friends who enjoyed the day with them.

THE WILDCATTER

Running high and looking good
Just like the wildcats do and should;

Fifty feet and sometimes higher
It fills the owner's soul with fire.

Although there's stretch in every line,
It's running high and looking fine;

The driller often slips a string,
But that is just a trifling thing.

They cut a sand line, make a splice,
But only do it once or twice;

They use a steel line in a pinch,
The driller's never off an inch.

Geologists now take the dope
And with a shining microscope
They study sand and shale and lime,
To think this out takes lots of time.

With their colossal brain they ponder,
Mouth opened, farmers stand and wonder;

Lease brokers stand in line and wait—
He speaks, "She's high and running great."

A thrill that shakes the very ground,
They're gone before you turn around;

Royalties and leases sell—
She's running high and looking swell.

Three months have passed, another scene,
The rig is gone, the grass is green;

A gaping slush pit cracked and dried,
An optimist here fought and died.

TWO GOLDTHWAITE GIRLS ON TARLETON HONOR ROLL

The spring trimester honor roll of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, which has just been released by Registrar T. V. Crouse carries the name of 53 students. Among them are Syble Miller and Roberta Robertson of Goldthwaite.

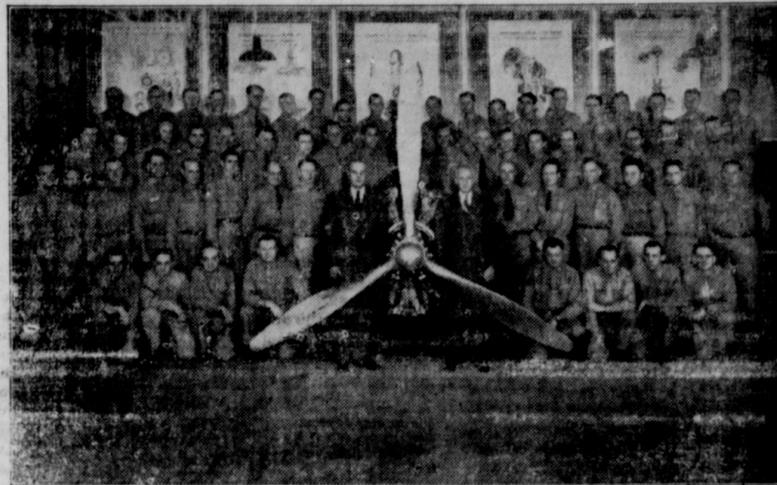
Students whose names are placed on the honor roll must be taking at least 15 hours of work and must have a grade of at least 80 in each course taken.

MISS CHARLINE TEAGUE IN SERVICE AT C. HOOD

Miss Charline Elizabeth Teague of Goldthwaite was a member of the unit leaving the First Women's Army Auxiliary Corps Training Center at Fort Des Moines, Ia., recently for service at Camp Hood, Texas.

While at Fort Des Moines Miss Teague received military training preparing her to release a trained combat soldier from behind-the-lines work. Members of the unit will replace soldiers at such jobs as post-exchange workers, postal clerks, stenographers, switchboard operators, drivers of light motor trucks, chauffeurs, dispatchers, bookkeepers, and typists.

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So thus it is with wildcat wells,
They're spudded in with clanging bells;
When plugged the shouting all has died,
They wonder who in hell has lied.

Another optimist is born
Works late at night, up early morn;
A wildcat well, no cash on hand,
She's running high and looking grand.

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THE LAST MILE

(Joe Taylor)

The 1943 semester of Goldthwaite High School will end May 28. For some students, it is just the end of another year; to the thirty-eight graduating Seniors, it is "the end of the trail."

It is doubted if any Senior can truthfully say that he is glad to get out of school. The desire to stay with the fellow students and teachers is just human nature. This is the last six weeks that they will meet in their regular class rooms. When they receive their diplomas, they will separate and each go his way. Some will enter the armed forces; others will go to work in some essential industry or go to college.

The seniors, juniors, sophomores and freshmen need to study in earnest the last six weeks. There will be no six-weeks' tests this six weeks because the finals will take so much of the time; therefore, the daily work and the outside work will determine their grades, their grades determine whether they will graduate, be able to graduate next year, or graduate in the following two or three years.

FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

(Billy Dennard)

According to Mr. A. H. Smith, Superintendent, it is just six weeks until the Goldthwaite Public Schools will turn out. School will close May 28. The report cards will be issued one more time before the great "day" comes.

All the Seniors are looking forward to the commencement exercises which will be on Thursday night, May 27. Grammar School commencement will be on Wednesday night, May 26. The Baccalaureate sermon will be on Sunday night, May 23.

This year the commencement program will differ from preceding programs. Always before, the commencement has been the speaker type; that is, the class always invited a guest speaker. This year the program will be presented by the Seniors. About five of the best public speakers in the class will make speeches on timely subjects. The music will be furnished by Seniors; in fact, the whole program will be made up of Seniors. All the Seniors think that this type of program will be better than the speaker type.

SCIENCE ACTIVITIES

(A Science Student)

Last Tuesday evening, April 6, some General Science students of the Goldthwaite High School visited the Melba Theatre, where Miss Ann Coleman explained her cooling system. According to Miss Coleman, it cost \$2400 and is one of the finest systems in this part of Texas.

Those who went were: Walter Summy, James Ralph McKee, Gene Barnett, Aubrey Harrell, Lewis Bird, Ralph Wright, Otho Loyd Crawford, and Allen Moreland. Each of us wishes to thank Miss Coleman for giving us her time.

The Science students have been studying "How we heat our indoor air." Mr. Smith was very kind to show and explain to us how our heating system at school works. It was very interesting and greatly helped us in our study.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet was held in the basement of the Methodist Church Tuesday night, April 13, at eight o'clock. Seated at the head table were the entire High School faculty and the student speakers of the program: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith, Mrs. Campbell, Miss Dorothy Nell Rudd, Miss Peggy Gene Geeslin, Miss Mary Ann Miller, Miss Bobbie Obenhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Delton Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Bigham, Miss Love Gatlin, Miss Lucille Welch, Miss Mae Featherston, and William Johnston. At the other four ta-

bles were seated the 75 Juniors and Seniors that were present.

The banquet hall was attractively arranged as a China Clipper, with tables placed to represent the shape of an airplane. Decorative values on the table were white candles in red and blue holders placed at intervals, red and blue airplanes used as place-cards, and at the intersection of the tables rested a miniature battleship on a sea of blue-bonnets. The food was served in red and blue boxes in the manner by which food is served on the China Clipper.

The main course consisted of crisply browned chicken, delicious sandwiches of butter, parsley, and pimento-cheese; potato chips, pickles, very appetizing deviled eggs, and iced tea. The dessert consisted of large slices of delicious chocolate cake and bananas.

Mrs. Bruce Campbell, the Junior sponsor, is to be praised for her very patriotic idea of serving lunch boxes. This eliminated the necessity of waitresses and dishwashers. The food was all very delicious and helped make the banquet a real success.

The program began promptly. The toastmistress was Peggy Gene Geeslin, president of the Junior Class. The first thing on the program was the invocation given by the Reverend William Johnston, followed by the welcome address given by Peggy Gene, in which she expressed a cordial welcome to the members of the Senior Class and the faculty. The response was given by Bobbie Obenhaus, president of the Senior Class. The prophecy was read by Mary Ann Miller. From this the guests learned what the Seniors would be doing a few years hence. The class will be read by Dorothy Nell Rudd; then the halls of fame were announced. Supt. A. H. Smith was the principal speaker. He gave several inspiring thoughts which left us the question, "What next?"

After the banquet, the "banqueters" were entertained at the Melba Theatre. The Juniors marched quietly into the theatre and were seated near the front. The members of the Senior Class marched down the aisle and across the stage into the spotlight where each member was introduced by Miss Coleman. The evening was concluded by a most enjoyable show, "Desperate Journey."

Business English students have been writing thumb-nail sketches or human interest stories. Each student wrote about 12 different sketches in which he gave each person publicity. There were so many interesting true-to-life sketches written that not all of them could be published in one issue. More will follow:

OUR SENIOR SPONSOR

(Mary Nell Epperson)

Mrs. Delton Barnett is our Senior Sponsor, and we are very proud of her. In fact, we're very proud of ourselves for selecting such a capable sponsor.

Mrs. Barnett has proved her ability through the scrap drive and the Victory Book campaign. At the present, Mrs. Barnett is busy working with the Senior players. She is doing a grand job of it, and we hope the public won't let her down.

Mrs. Barnett is another member of the faculty who is carrying on two jobs at once—that of teaching school and carrying on a home and family. She never lets one job interfere with the other and that's what it takes to be a success.

We want everyone to know how proud we are to have Mrs. Barnett to sponsor the Senior Class!

A LADY

(Wanda Burkett)

"Her voice was soft and low, which is ever an excellent thing in a woman." Shakespeare might have been describing one of our own teachers, Mrs. Marjorie Bowman, instead of a character

in a play. He might have said, too, that her face and hair were lovely; that her smile was kind; that her every thought seems to be of someone else. Consideration of others is the motivating force of her life. No one feels un-welcome or forgotten in her company. She is quick to see and fill the wants of others. She would make a wonderful model for an artist. She is the perfect example of "a lady."

A FACULTY MEMBER

(Barbara Carter)

One of the most loved faculty members of our high school is that short, dark-haired, smiling teacher, known as Miss Love Gatlin.

Miss Gatlin has been with our high school a long time, and our

school wouldn't be the same without her. She always has her cute little grin ready for everybody, and is always ready and willing to give anybody the advice and help he needs.

She always gets off on the right foot by making her "little animals" love her while they are freshmen. She always takes up for their side and gives them her aid.

So our hats are off to the maker of leaders, Miss Gatlin.

MRS. BIGHAM

(Jimmie Caraway)

It was a pleasant surprise for GHS science students when Mrs. Bigham started teaching in the Goldthwaite High School. To everyone who was taught by her in grammar school, her appear-

ance in high school seemed like old times. Mrs. Bigham felt that the less-experienced teachers now available would do better and more satisfactory work if they taught the simpler, grade-school subjects. She is teaching general science, and biology. Her wide experience makes her one of the best-liked teachers we have. It also enables her to teach in such a way as to make the student want to work. Any subject she teaches is always interesting. She always has the students' interests at heart.

THANKS

(Joe Taylor)

Coach A. G. Black and the football boys who lettered express their appreciation to the

P.T.A. and the Public Speaking Class and other clubs and organizations who contributed to the Athletic Fund. The Athletic Fund provides the money for the football jackets. Not only have the clubs and organizations contributed but the students have a chance to help now. If they buy their pictures for a small sum of fifty cents, they will help because 20 per cent of the amount taken in on these pictures goes to the Athletic Fund. Grammar School is included also. If everyone buys his picture, enough money will be obtained to buy several jackets.

We admire any boy who played football every evening after school and then walked home. Don't you? Several suffered these hardships because they

thought enough to sacrifice their time to a small team like ours. Many times they played under the but they wouldn't they wanted no to their school.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were last Sunday with Mrs. J. D. D. Sunday for her mother, Mrs. few days.

Mr. and Mrs. son, Edward Southwestern

"God Bless America"



To My Friends In Mills And Surrounding Counties:

My Uncle, and your Uncle, has called me to help him out. I will leave in a few days to do my bit for my—your—country.

I have been privileged to be in this glorious U. S. A. for a few years, and a citizen — as you are — but a few months. America has been good to me — allowed me that sense of Freedom which is almost unknown in the old countries, and has allowed me the privileges that every American loves and cherishes.

Now Uncle Sam has called on me to loan Him my time and whatever talent I may possess. It is a rare privilege and a sacred one with me, to answer that call to the best of my ability.

My friends—it would be necessary for you to experience some of the horrors and degradations practiced in those God-forsaken countries under the yoke of our enemies, as I have, to fully appreciate my feelings when I tell you that "It is a rare privilege indeed to answer our Great Uncle's call."

I had thought to close my store until after I get back from the Army—but the earnest solicitations of my customers and friends have decided me to keep it open. I shall leave my store—The Economy Store—here in the capable hands of my employees and my brother, and I ask my customers and friends to continue their patronage hereafter, as they have done so liberally heretofore.

GOD BLESS AMERICA!

Your friend,

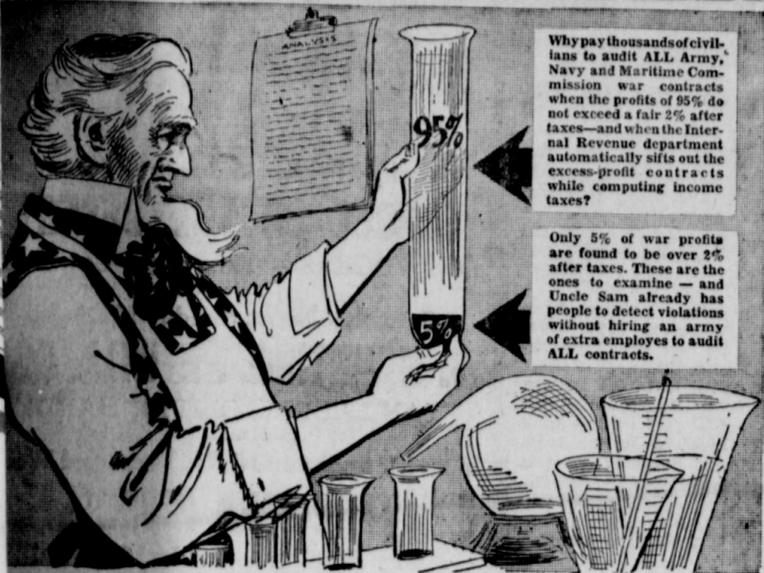
IRVING BORNSTEIN

SAVE WITH U.S. WAR BONDS
EVERYBODY...EVERY PAYDAY...



AT LEAST 10%

Economy Store



Why pay thousands of civilians to audit ALL Army, Navy and Maritime Commission war contracts when the profits of 95% do not exceed a fair 2% after taxes—and when the Internal Revenue department automatically sifts out the excess-profit contracts while computing income taxes?

Only 5% of war profits are found to be over 2% after taxes. These are the ones to examine — and Uncle Sam already has people to detect violations without hiring an army of extra employees to audit ALL contracts.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Art and Civic Club will their annual Plant and Sale April 23-24. For speakers phone Mrs. Marvin.

Joy Fessler has received that her son, Sammie of the A-2 Forces is located a few days at Sheppard at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. N. A. Duey enjoyed her end visits from their mother, Miss Loraine of Dallas, in Clarence and family of a.

Mrs. Scott Thompson of a message Monday announcing the death of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Houston. Mrs. Thompson attended the funeral of her granddaughter.

Mrs. Curtis Long notified that their son who is in the Navy, has confined in a hospital with somewhere in California.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moody of Dublin that their oldest son, J. B., had been killed in an airplane crash near Dallas last week. J. B. Moody was in the Air Corps.

Pvt. Raymond Cockrum of South Plains Army Flying School at Lubbock spent last week-end here with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Ware and children of Crane spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. J. V. Cockrum, and other relatives.

Mrs. D. G. Barnett visited last week with her new grandson, John Drue, who will make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Barnett at Lampasas.

Mrs. Will Harris is recovering from a tonsil operation performed in the Slaughter Hospital. Her mother, Mrs. Mosley, and her sister, Mrs. Jessie Mounds, from Brownwood spent the week-end with Mrs. Harris and helped care for her.

County Clerk Mrs. Earl Summy spent last week-end in Gatesville with her husband, Pvt. Earl Summy, who is stationed at Camp Howze.

James Rahl is a proud man these days, for on April 2 his great-grandson, Bill Rahl Jones, Jr., arrived at San Benito. Then his granddaughter, Miss Frances Lang, also of San Benito, has been elected Sweetheart for the Demolay ball for the second time in a row.

Johnnie Dellis had the misfortune of getting steel in his eye at his work in Gatesville Saturday. He was brought to the Slaughter Hospital Saturday night. Dr. Slaughter removed the steel and at last report he was doing fine.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Flowers came home Monday for a few days' rest, after spending a few weeks in West Texas, where they held revivals.

The Art and Civic Club will have their annual Plant and Flower Sale April 23-24. For special orders phone Mrs. Marvin Hodges.



'FIFTY SIX COUPON POINTS' WORTH SO FAR — AND A LESSON TO THEM HOARDERS!

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darroch of Brownwood spent last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Kelly.

Miss Harriett Allen of Houston visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen, in Goldthwaite. Sgt. Allen L. Bailey of Camp Hood was also a guest in the Allen home.

Son Kuykendall and family are now located in the Gladys Berry house on Fourth Street.

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Lt. and Mrs. P. A. Caraway of Atlantic Beach, Florida, visited the first of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Caraway. After leaving here, Lt. and Mrs. Caraway visited relatives in Dallas and Greenville before returning to Florida.

Lt. Joseph S. Bowles, Jr., who has just finished the Adjutant General's School at Ft. Washington, Md., spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Gatlin, and other relatives here. Lt. Bowles left Monday for Fort Worth to visit his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Bowles, and from there he will go to Washington, D. C., for assignment.

Mrs. Jack Daugherty of San Antonio visited her grandmother Mrs. Joe Curtis here one day last week.

The best comedians of the screen, Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, in "A-Hunting We Will Go," Melba Saturday night, Sunday Matinee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hufstutler and family of Hamilton visited here Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. T. J. Hufstutler, and other relatives.

Miss Louise Skipper of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Skipper.

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Wool Bags and Twine

SHEEP DRENCH

LUCIUS M. STEPHENS

By JNO. A. HESTER

Goldthwaite, Texas



THIS IS PART OF YOUR PAY CHECK

That gun's making things pretty hot for the Axis

It came from the pay check and pay envelopes of people like you. It was bought with the money you lent your Government in regular installments from your pay.

But hold on now—Maybe it's not your gun! Maybe you aren't setting aside at least 10 percent of your salary for War Bonds!

There are still some people who aren't, not many, but maybe you're one of them. If you are one, we're sure it's not for want of patriotism, but because

you haven't gotten around to it.

Tell your boss today you want to help win the war by joining the Pay-Roll Savings Plan. Tell him you want to save at least 10 percent of every pay check by putting it into War Bonds.

You can't make a better investment. You'll be buying the weapons that insure a future of freedom, peace, and plenty . . . and you'll be getting back \$4 for every \$3 you save.

MAKES SENSE, DOESN'T IT? THEN START TODAY!

SAVE WITH U.S. WAR BONDS EVERYBODY...EVERY PAYDAY... **AT LEAST 10%**

CITY UTILITIES

ELECTRIC — WATER — SEWER

FOOD WILL WIN THIS WAR.

This Nation has called upon every one of us to plant EVERY AVAILABLE INCH of land in VICTORY GARDENS, to help relieve the food shortage and to allow more food to be sent to our Fighting Men and our Allies. We are fortunate in having a good supply of GARDEN TOOLS so that you may raise the most from your effort and space.

R. L. STEEN HARDWARE

Stockmen's Supplies

Such As—
VACCINES
SHEEP DRENCHES
Beebe Laboratory, St. Paul, Minn.

Lawn and Garden **SUPPLIES**

Hoes
Rakes
Shovels
Forks
Spading Forks

Can Your Supply of Vegetables
We still have plenty of GLASS JARS for Canning.



Pipeline To Victory
Pipe health into Your VICTORY GARDEN with a top-grade Steen water hose. You'll find it inexpensive.

ATTENTION—

Beginning Thursday, April 22, admission for Children to the Bargain Night Shows will be **9c**

ALL CHILDREN 6 YEARS OLD MUST BUY TICKETS

Adult Admission to Bargain Nights will be 17c as usual. No change in other Regular Admissions.

EASTER SPECIAL FOR MOTHERS OF MEN IN FOREIGN SERVICE

To the first 20 Mothers with a son in Foreign Service buying tickets to see "FLYING TIGER" Easter Sunday afternoon, The Melba Theatre will give a Sterling Silver Service Pin.

MELBA THEATRE

LIFE OF CHRIST TO BE PRESENTED AT CAMP BOWIE

Featuring a cast of more than 500 soldiers and civilians, the Life of Christ will be re-enacted in a mammoth Passion Play to be presented here April 18, 23 and 25.

Elaborately staged amid natural and spectacularly constructed stage settings, the Passion Play was written and is being produced by the Rev. David A. Johnson, pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church in Brownwood, Texas.

The Passion Play to be presented here has been produced more than 100 times throughout the United States and everywhere it has been acclaimed as one of the most outstanding portrayals of the Life of Christ ever to have

been staged. The huge cast for the outdoor spectacle is now being selected and principal characters are already rehearsing their roles.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks for all the help and kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. E. J. Morris. Also for the beautiful floral offering. — The Children.

"THEY GIVE THEIR LIVES—YOU LEND YOUR MONEY"

Buy More War Bonds Today



PLEASANT GROVE

By MRS. PETE MILES

There was quite a crowd that enjoyed the shower given in the Jude Miles home last Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Leston Berry. They received many beautiful and useful gifts. Leston left one day this week for California, where he has been in training ten months.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Covington spent one night the first of last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Wilkey, and family.

Mrs. Elton Geeslin and baby son have arrived for a stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Benningfield. Her husband is in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hall and girls spent Sunday evening with Clark Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Leveett and daughter of San Antonio spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walker Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jude Miles and son spent Sunday with Mrs. H. C. Miles of Star. Miss Jane Miles accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Soules and boys of Ralls spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Howell.

Henry Duncan and family and Mr. Harbour and Cecil spent last Thursday evening with Sam Miller and family. Bud Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Miller also visited in that home Thursday night.

Arless Berry and family of Oklahoma visited their many relatives in and around this community last week. It seems as if everyone had someone visiting last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cagle visited with their children at Lometa last Saturday.

Pete Miles and family took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Howell.

Mrs. Leonard Warren and children of Oklahoma visited relatives here a few days last week.

Jack Duncan spent the week-end in the Sam Miller home.

SUNRISE SERVICE EASTER SUNDAY

The Training Union of The First Baptist Church, Goldthwaite, extends invitation to the Training Union and all young people of all the Baptist Churches in Mills County to meet with them in a sunrise breakfast and devotional service Easter Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock. The breakfast will be served by the Training Union of the local church, and the program will be composed of hymns, special music, devotional thoughts and a sermon on The Resurrection of Christ. The meeting will close about 8:15.

BEN D. CHAPMAN

Ben D. Chapman, known affectionately as "Uncle Ben," died Wednesday, April 7, 1943, at the home of his nephew, George Chapman, in Brownwood. He had been in failing health for the past few years.

Mr. Chapman came to Mills County with his parents and family more than 50 years ago, and had lived in or near Goldthwaite since that time. He had been a faithful member of the Baptist Church since its organization.

Uncle Ben was one of those rare humans who appear all too seldom in this world of ours. With his cheerful disposition, exemplary character, he was a gentleman in its true meaning. He had what sometimes are termed old-fashioned ideas about honesty, too; his word was his bond and he had a tendency to adhere to the facts in his dealings.

The funeral services were held at I.O.O.F. Cemetery Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

He is survived by a sister, Miss Annie Chapman, and nephew, George Chapman, and family of Brownwood.

Mrs. W. E. Fairman of Dallas spent several days this week in Goldthwaite on business.

FENCING MATERIAL CAN NOW BE SOLD WITH NO RESTRICTION

The Mills County USDA War Board has received the following message from State Chairman B. F. Vance:

The following telegram has just been received from M. Cliff Ford Townsen, Food Production Administrator:

"Discontinue rationing fence. Food Production Order Three being amended accordingly. Notify all committees and dealers."

As indicated in the message, all dealers should immediately be advised that fencing is no longer controlled by the Farm Machinery Rationing Program and may, therefore, be sold without restriction. Purchasers need no longer file applications Form MR-20 with the farm rationing committee, nor is it necessary for such purchasers to secure a certificate Form MR-22 in order to secure delivery.

Inasmuch as the supply of fencing material is still extremely limited, it is suggested that dealers be requested to limit the sales of such material to the extent for which the purchaser can show an immediate need. It is our understanding that dealers may refrain from selling this type of material to persons whom they do not feel is in need of the fencing, and an effort should, therefore, be made by the dealers to determine that the material will be used mainly to increase or maintain the production of agricultural commodities on farms and ranches.

Wide publicity should be given to this change in the machinery rationing regulations, in order that all persons may be fully informed.

JUST SIX MONTHS TO LIVE

(This poem was found among the papers of the late Tolbert Patterson.)

Just six months to live, so the doctors say,
When you're in love with living,
that's not long to stay.
Think the matter over and see
what you might think,
If you had just six more the joys
of life to drink.

It probably might be better if
one didn't know,
And so long as there is life, I
hope it isn't so.
Never ill a day, so much of
health I've had
And being so sick now makes it
doubly bad.

I see through different eyes since
time is so dear—
I see so far and very much since
going is so near.
The worst of all is not what my
plight appears to be,
But the grief and sorrow of those
so near and dear to me.

My fate I reconcile and a com-
fort comes to me
When what I thought so big in
life so little gets to be.
The will that course all the earth
and penetrates the space
Supplies the strength and gives
the faith to finish up the race.

This one thought I would drop as
I now take my leave,
And I'm no poet or preacher, but
you would do well to heed:
You may not have the fortune to
have someone give
A death knell warning "You
have just six months to live."

So balance your books at the
close of each day,
And work, love, laugh, and live if
you may,
But keep yourself ready for a
moment's call;
Yours may be a short warning—
or no warning at all!

Roy Rogers, "King of the Cow-
boys," Thursday, Friday, Satur-
day Matinee—Melba.

H. E. Moreland spent last week
end with his son, Pfc. and Mrs.
Jesse Moreland, at Waco.

Mrs. Chas. Rudd, who has
been quite ill at Wichita Falls at
the home of her son, Herman
Rudd, for the past three weeks,
was able to be brought home
last Saturday. Her sister, Mrs.
R. H. Moore of Phoenix, Ariz.,
and Mrs. Herman Rudd brought
her to Goldthwaite, and she is
reported to be doing nicely.

Melba Theatre
Goldthwaite, Texas

Thursday, Friday, Saturday Matinee
'SUNSET ON THE DESERT'
ROY ROGERS—"King of the Cowboys"

Saturday Night, Sunday Matinee
'A-HAUNTING WE WILL GO'
STAN LAUREL, OLIVER HARBY

Mon. Matinee and Night, Tues. Matinee
'THE PIED PIPER'
Monty Woolley—Roddy McDowall

COMING—APRIL 24-25
'THE FLYING TIGER'
The Show we have been waiting
to get.

STAR NEWS—

(By Miss LETHA MAE KARNES)

Miss Bobbie Jean McCasland
underwent an operation Thurs-
day night at a Temple hospital.

Mrs. Lannie Baker's children
visited her over the week-end.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fuller and
son of Brownwood and Charles
Baker of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Witty and
daughter, Catherine Eulene, vis-
ited with his folks, Mr. and Mrs.
J. J. Witty, over the week-end.

Miss Ione Waddell of Brown-
wood spent one night of last
week with her folks.

Miss Ruby Nell Thompson and
Leston Berry were united in
marriage April 4. Miss Ruby
Nell was a senior in Star High
School, and Pvt. Leston Berry
is stationed in California. Many
of the bride's friends gathered
in the beautiful home of Mr. and
Mrs. D. A. Jeske April 9, where
she received many nice and use-
ful gifts. We all wish them luck
and happiness in the future to
come.

On April 10 a fine baby girl
came to make her home with
Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Sheldon.
Randolf Garnet visited his
mother, Mrs. Liza Garnet, over

the week-end.

Mrs. James W. Wagoner, Mrs. Cuba
the Clifton home
week.

We are sorry to
Lucille Newton has
the hospital in
wish her a speed
We are happy
and Mrs. J. C. Cox
back in our
Cox is resting up
operation.

Mrs. Howard P.
from the hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. B.
sons and Grand-
in the home of
Wright at Ham-
Miss Jewel C.
Worth visited
the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D.
and Mr. and Mrs.
per visited with
big 500-ton
\$7,000. Your
wishes every pa-
Harper is in Dal-
her sons for a
Mr. and Mrs.
are the proud pa-
girl, Donnet P.
Mr. and Mrs. L.
to Goldthwaite
their daughter,
Teague, who is
Camp Hood.

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Buy only what you need—
BUY Quality THIS EASTER

FOR A QUARTER OF A CENTURY YARBOROUGH'S has been the Symbol of Outstanding Quality and Smartness in Clothes. Buy only what you need this Easter but buy the Best—Clothes with the Chic and Wearability to last you throughout the remainder of the war.

EASTER SHOES FOR EVERY Taste

EVERY GIRL WANTS A 'BEAU' TIE

A Nice Selection—Come Early and Get Your Pick!

RATIONED and UNRATIONED SHOES for MEN WOMEN CHILDREN

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Out Stocks are Complete as we can possibly make them with Easter Dresses, Hose, Hats, Coats, Purses, 'Kerchiefs. Shop early at YARBOROUGH'S with complete assurance that you will get the best.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY, April 17-18

We Deliver Every Day Until
All Day Saturday.

Bring us your Coffee Stamp—
Delmonte, Admiration, Chase &

Fresh Squash — 2 Pounds

Carrots—Nice—2 Bunches for

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TOMATO PLANTS FOR SAT

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CREAM that will whip — 1/2 Pint

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CORN—No. 1 Can—8 Points

EVERYTHING in Home-killed

Good Cooking Butter—3 Points

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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The biggest field gun in the Army. That's the 240-mm. howitzer. It's twenty-feet of barrel and must be rolled into position by tractors. After it is rolled into place, its own wheels are removed and the Big Gun is set upon its emplacement ready to fire at its target some twenty miles away.

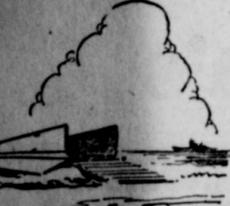


The cost of these huge guns runs into thousands of dollars but we can assure the Army of obtaining them by our purchases of War Bonds. You process or more of your income necessary. The easiest way is to join the Payroll Savings Plan at our office or factory. Let's "Top that ten percent."

U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Down in the Solomons and on the African coasts the Crocodile Boat or tank lighter played a most important role in landing our invasion armies. These self-propelled, light . . . fast boats haul tanks, artillery and other equipment from the big ships ashore to the beach heads.



We need more and more of them, for they are essential to the successful operation of the war. They are made in several sizes from small fly-boats, costing about \$2,400 to big 500-tonners costing around \$7,000. Your purchase of War Bonds every payday will help pay for them.

U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Of course you want that new bathroom. But not now, for raw materials are going into War equipment and tools for our Boys on the front. But your investment in War Bonds today will buy that new bathroom when the War is won.



If you have not done so, join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory today. Put ten percent more of your earnings in War Bonds and get back \$4 for \$3 from Uncle Sam. Let's "Top that Ten Percent."

U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The .50-caliber Browning machine gun is one of the most efficient short range weapons used by U. S. Fighting Forces. It is effective at ranges to 2,000 yards and fires about 500 .50-caliber bullets per



minute. The gun costs about \$1,000. A thirty-caliber machine gun costs approximately \$600. Thousands need thousands of machine guns. Even a community can buy them by uniting in the purchase of War Bonds. At least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every day will do the trick.

U. S. Treasury Department



One of the greatest success stories of 1942

About a year ago, America was being asked to increase, substantially, its investment in War Bonds.

And no one knew, definitely, just what America's answer to that plea would be.

Today, America's answer is clear—written down in black and white for any one to read. And the reading makes as heart-warming and inspiring a story as anything that has come out of this war. Here are some highlights . . .

In December, 1941, there were 3½ million Americans who owned War Bonds. Today, there are over 50 million. A year ago that figure would have seemed fantastic. There is nothing in all history to match that record. Never before have so many people owned such a tremendous stake in their nation and its government.

In December, 1941, some 700,000 people were investing about four and one-half percent of their earnings in

War Bonds through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan. Today, the 700,000 has swelled to 26 million—the four and one-half percent to nine percent. The MONTHLY investment in War Bonds through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan has grown, in one year, from 8 to 400 million dollars.

Figures like that need little comment. They tell, better than any words, what happened when a free people decided among themselves to lend their government money. Money to help pay for fighting equipment—money to help keep prices down—money to insure peacetime goods and peacetime jobs and a generally decent world to which our fighting men can return.

Peacetime goods and jobs? A decent world? Think what 12 BILLION dollars' worth of War Bonds owned by Americans *right now* can mean in buying power to be released in the years after the war is won.

Buying power that can set factories full of men to making millions of cars and radios and washing machines. Buying power that can set multitudes of other men to building a million new homes for impatient owners. Buying power that can mean better, richer living for everyone of us.

And that 12 billion dollars is only a beginning.

For what we have done in '42 to win this war will not be enough to do in '43. Our whole war effort must be expanded. Not a one of us but knows that in the year ahead we must send more men—we must do more fighting—we must build more planes, more ships, more guns—more everything.

And to do this, we must buy *more* and *more* War Bonds.

Enough more so that when the record is in for 1943, America's War Bond buying will once again be one of the greatest success stories of the year.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Aside from the sixty-mile an hour Mosquito Torpedo Boats, the Sub Chasers are the speedsters of our Navy. Light and fast, they are the eyes of the Fleet on the water. They displace approximately 1,500 tons and cost about \$2,400,000 each.

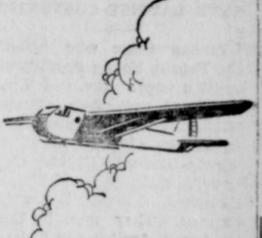


We need many of these powerful, fast little boats to cope with the treacherous submarine type of naval warfare fostered by our enemies. Everybody can help pay for more Sub Chasers by putting at least ten percent of his income into War Bonds. Buy Bonds or Stamps every pay day. Buy them from your bank, your post office, or from your office or factory through the Payroll Savings Plan.

U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

While we have not heard so much about them, our air-borne command is inferior to none. We have thousands of these especially trained troops and the glider is a necessary factor in their successful operation.



We build gliders in three types and their capacity is a military secret. The type shown here costs about \$19,000 each. Buy War Bonds with at least ten percent of your income every payday and help pay for these gliders for our intrepid fighting men.

U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Electric equipment is scarce because the raw materials are going into the War Effort. But you can save now and get back \$4 for every \$3 you invest in War Bonds so you can buy that range or whatever you want after the war is won.



Join the army of 30,000,000 who will be in the Payroll Savings Plan for regular War Bond Purchase by New Year's Day. Stop spending and save, and let's "Top that Ten Percent."

U. S. Treasury Department

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Wishful thinking will not halt Hitler's tyranny, nor will "spare-change" financing give us the money necessary to win this war. So start today investing in your country's War Bonds with ten percent or more of your earnings.



Wishful thinking will not help you to buy that new furniture when the war is won. But your money saved in War Bonds will. Join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory. Let's "Top that Ten Percent."

U. S. Treasury Department

You've Done Your Bit  Now Do Your Best!

This space is a contribution to America's all-out war effort by

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By BERDELLE HARRIS
Mills County Home Demonstration Agent.

VEGETABLE COOKERY ON THE HOME FRONT

As more Victory gardens come into production, many Texas families can have green vegetables every single day during the growing season.

You can serve green salad one meal and cooked green vegetable the next. If you eat greens twice a day, so much the better. In either case, fresh or cooked, green vegetables will contain more food value if they are brought in from the garden only a little while before they are prepared.

Then in cooking, too, it is important to keep these vegetables both fresh and colorful. Here are some rules for keeping them good and saving food value:

Begin with a good product. Cook them soon after they have been prepared. Use all of the edible parts. Cook in a small amount of water, and don't throw away the liquid.

Begin cooking vegetables in boiling water, returning the temperature quickly to the boiling point. Then lower the temperature until the liquid just simmers. Green vegetables that require a longer cooking period, for example green beans or peas, may be cooked uncovered in order to retain more of the green color. Green vegetables that cook in five to ten minutes will be green although they are covered. It is important too, to serve them soon after they're done. If they have to wait—then let them cool and then reheat them.

That is better than keeping them hot for a long time. A walk through your garden will suggest any number of good

raw green salad combinations. They will help supply you with the minerals, vitamins, and cellulose, or bulk, necessary to a good diet.

DON'T WASTE EASTER EGGS

In order to prevent the waste of eggs, the traditional egg rolling on the White House lawn has been cancelled this year.

This sets a good example for parents and children everywhere. Ordinarily, during Easter time, there is a big waste, not only of eggs but also of live baby chicks and ducklings—several million, in fact. If these were raised to maturity they would help provide the poultry meat needed, now that supplies of beef, pork and lamb won't meet the demands.

Eggs are so valuable this year that parents should help their children conserve eggs and recognize their value. Decorating eggs with harmless colors in the home is not wasteful so long as the eggs are used for food.

Every egg wasted means a loss of food to the armed forces, the Allies, and to civilians in this country. Even small children can be helped to understand this.

Whatever observance the family plans for Easter, the children should be told the true, religious significance of the day.

RECIPE SERVICE

Vegetable milk soups offer a great deal of nourishing and delicious sustenance, and they are a good war-time dish since they contain food that might otherwise go to waste.

Bones and trimmings of meat, left-over vegetables and the liquid left from cooking vegetables can make a big contribution to the soup pot.

Thin white sauce is the basis of nearly all cream soups. For each cup of sauce used, melt 1 tablespoon of butter in a sauce pan and stir one tablespoon of flour and one-fourth teaspoon of salt into it. Cook the mixture slowly over a direct flame until it is smooth, stirring constantly. Take care not to brown the flour. Remove it from the heat and add a cup of cold milk all at once. Stir the mixture until smooth, return it to the heat and bring it to a boil, stirring constantly.

The sauce can be used in soup in the following ways:

Cream of Asparagus Soup
Mix two cups of strained cooked asparagus with 2 cups of thin white sauce. Season it with salt, pepper, a minced onion and to tablespoon of fine minced parsley. Add the parsley just before serving. Serve it hot.

Cream of Fresh Pea Soup
Add a cup of sieved fresh cooked peas to 2 cups of thin white sauce. Season it with salt and pepper, heat and serve the soup.

Cream of Onion Soup
To 1 cup of thin white sauce, add one-half cup of strained onion pulp and 1 to 1 1/4 cups of water in which the onions were cooked. Season to taste with salt and pepper, celery salt and parsley. Heat and serve.

PROTECT YOUR IRON

War-time restrictions on electric irons make it imperative that homemakers take good care of this household labor saver which is given frequent use.

Proper care of an iron will reduce bills for electric current and save clothing as well as time and energy. The three most damaging treatments of an iron are to overheat it, to drop it, or to put it in water.

careless overheating of an iron wastes current and is hard on the delicate heating element. High temperatures will discolor the sole plate and in extreme instances make the iron a fire hazard.

Probably more irons are damaged by being dropped than any other way. A fall may cause a broken connection inside, may injure the thermostat and throw it out of adjustment, or it may stretch or nick the sole plate so that the iron catches on delicate fabrics.

Irons and other electrical appliances should never be placed

in water because this will ruin the heating element. An iron should be allowed to cool before it is wiped off with a damp cloth. Starch spots on the sole plate can be removed with a cloth wrung from soapsuds or a mild scouring soap such as whiting or silver polish. If the iron sticks a little during ironing, it should be rubbed lightly with paraffin or beeswax. Once a month the electric iron should be waxed with paraffin or beeswax while it is still warm. The surplus can be removed with a soft paper or cloth.

PATRICK OBENHAUS IS TO TRAIN AS BOMBARDIER

Goldthwaite Justice of the Peace E. A. Obenhaus has recently received a letter from Col. W. A. Robertson, of the Army Air Force, Santa Ana Air Base, in California, that his son, Patrick A. Obenhaus has been selected for training as a bombardier. The letter, in part, follows:

"The Classification Board has informed me that your son, Patrick A. Obenhaus, is qualified and has been selected for training as a Bombardier in the Army Air Forces. I congratulate both you and him upon this achievement.

"In order to be selected for this most important training, it is imperative that an individual possess very definite qualifications. Your son will soon be assigned to an Army Air Forces West Coast Training Center bombardier school for a very intensive course of instruction. Upon the successful completion of this course, he will be awarded his Wings and rating as a qualified Bombardier."

PLANT A VICTORY GARDEN



A GARDEN WILL MAKE YOUR RATIONS GO

Word has been received here that Pvt. Omar Harvey is now in service at the Sam Houston Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Skaggs and children of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Skaggs and Miss Lois Skaggs over the weekend.

Carl Featherston is spending his vacation in Houston and also visiting friends this week.

Mrs. J. J. Keeling arrived here last week to visit with her daughter, Hugh Blair, and her son, Mitch Taft of the week-end in Greathouse and homes.

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America's Food Emergency

A Statement by Santa Fe.



United States facing most critical "crop year" in its history.

During the coming months, the need for more food may be greater than the need for more guns, tanks and planes.

Serving, as it does, "the breadbasket of America," the livestock and meat industry, and the great fruit and vegetable areas of California and the Southwest, Santa Fe pledges its all-out effort in the production and mobilization of food.

What Santa Fe Is Doing
Santa Fe employs are planting Victory Gardens along their railroad's 13,199 miles of right-of-way.

Everything that rolls on the Santa Fe is being kept in fighting trim.

Old cars with good running gear are being rebuilt into sleek new gondolas.

Many Santa Fe refrigerator cars that used to go back "dead-head" now hurry back loaded with other freight.

They're On The Job, Too!
For years the Agricultural Development Department of Santa Fe has cooperated with growers all along the line, for greater production per acre, through better seeds and better cultural methods. For example:

The people of the middle Rio Grande know how the desert has been converted into paying crops.

The folks in Blue Water Valley of western New Mexico know how the production of vegetables has increased from 86 to 1076 carloads in the past three years.

The potato growers of Kern County,

Cars are few and hours are precious. Every hour a freight car stands idle holds back food or other vital war freight from folks who need it. Every unused cubic foot squanders vital space.

The supply experts of the Army and Navy, the ODT, and the Interstate Commerce Commission Bureau of Service are all focusing on this problem.

How Shippers Are Helping
Shippers are helping and can continue to help (1) by maximum loading; (2) by quicker loading; (3) by quicker unloading.

More than 57,000 Santa Fe folks work with the farmers, the livestock producers, the shippers, and the consumers of all America to help meet the greatest food crisis our nation has ever faced.

California, know how Santa Fe cooperated in stamping out ring rot and blight. This year, the people in the Texas Panhandle are bringing in their first harvest of waxy kafir which promises to produce the starch for tapioca and other important products that formerly came from the cassava roots of Java. In the present national food emergency, these people of Santa Fe's Agricultural Development Department are working harder than ever, doing everything they can to help food growers along the line.

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GOLDTHWAITE PEOPLE ATTEND BAPTIST CONVENTION

Among those who attended the Baptist Young People's convention were: Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Bryant and their daughter, Mildred, and son James, Mrs. J. L. Stewart, Misses Zeldia and Wanda Stewart, Bobbie Obenhaus, Adalaide Holland, Kenneth Campbell, William Glenn Bannan. They were in Dallas last week, April 6 and 7, in attendance upon the convention, where over 5,000 young people assembled.

LONNIE SLAUGHTER REPORTED RELEASED FROM JAPANESE PRISON CAMP

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Slaughter have received word that their son, Lonnie, who was captured by the Japs when Corriagedor fell, has been released from a Jap prison camp and will write home soon. The message stated he was all right.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of Gorman left Sunday after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Frazier.



What kind of a house would you put here?

AFTER THE WAR, somebody's going to put up a new house on that pretty rise of ground that overlooks the river bend just outside of the town line. Nothing elaborate. Just a pretty little house snugged into the trees as though it belonged there.

Somebody else may buy the old Ward farm. There should be many a good day's hunting in those rolling fields and back through the woods over to the State road. Fixed up a little bit—and it shouldn't take much money—it would be a livable place for a man and his family.

Yes, somebody's going to buy it. Somebody's always coming along, with a dream and a little money, and doing the things we'd promised ourselves we'd do someday.

But this time, why can't that "somebody" be you?

Look... Suppose you put 10% of your pay into War Bonds. At least 10%—more if you possibly can. And keep putting it away—putting it away—putting it away.

Week after week—payday after payday. Here's what happens:

Before you know it, you get so you hardly miss that money. And if you do miss it, you've got something better to replace it—the knowledge that you, personally, are helping to insure a steady flow of planes and tanks and guns to the men who fight. The knowledge that you, personally, have toed the mark and are helping to win the war.

Then, one of these days, when peace has come again, the money you've put away starts coming back to you. And bringing more money with it—you get four dollars for every three that you put in!

When that day comes, you can get out your pencil and start figuring just what kind of a house you'll put on the river bend.

But to be sure that day does come, you'd better do this: You'd better get out your pencil right now and start figuring how you can save at least 10% of every single pay check with U. S. War Bonds!

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We are proud to welcome Mary, Jack and Bill Shaw, Carmen and Eugenia Gilbrech, Neal Hunt and Rex Kuykendall.

We were proud to have Janet Boules visit us Friday.

The boys of the seventh and eighth grades met for the third time in the 8-2 room. There were 31 members present and our sponsors, Mr. Allison and Mr. Glover.

We discussed the duties of the president and the secretary. We elected leaders from the communities to have meetings in the summer. The Goldthwaite leaders are as follows:

Beef Cattle—Bob Steen.
Hogs—John Jackson.
Poultry—C. M. Burch.

Swine—E. B. Allison.
Sheep and Goats—Floyd Fox.

Our discussion was on feeding pigs. It seems everyone should have obtained some valuable information even though his demonstrations might not be on the spot.

The Goldthwaite Girls' 4-H club had its regular meeting on April 12. Mrs. Harris was unable to be with us, but our sponsor, Mrs. Smith, was present. The president asked every girl individually what she had planted or was going to plant in her Victory garden. Almost everyone is going to plant or had planted a large assortment of vegetables.

Our next meeting will be April 19.

Carlene Featherston honored Joyce Harrell with a birthday party at Carlene's home. There were 23 present. They played games and had a treasure hunt.

Miss Evans found the treasure which was a box of candy, cookies and Easter eggs.

They served punch and cookies. In Greathouse sang "Happy Birthday" to Joyce and we all went out the candles. There were prizes given in a guessing game. James Carol Caloway, Herbert Heath and Hammolich won the prizes.

Friday afternoon, April 9, Miss Blackwell, Miss Smith, Jerolighn, Norma Sue Ross, Vera Bell, Jessie Petack, Barbara Ter, Joyce Denman, and Mel-Jean Nowell boarded the Big Red bus with La Verne Sykes.

They spent the night at her home. They were met at the Oglesby station by Laverne's mother, who took them in her car and drove them to the Colorado River for a picnic supper. They made dogs of roasted weiners, mustard and pickles, and with these were delicious beans, potato chips, sour cream, cookies, and fruit punch.

After supper, teachers, pupils all went wading in the Colorado River, then returned to the place where they made merry during the wee hours of the night.

It was difficult to tell her from pupil especially after La Vern and Miss Blackwell had dressed. Saturday evening there was more music

and fun, and after a delightful buffet luncheon, Laverne took all her guests to the show.

According to all present, it was a perfect party from beginning to end.

SNOOZIE SNOOPER

Take it from Snoozie Snooper that three attractive 7-1 girls are extremely interested in three 8-1 boys—very popular boys, too, by the way. And when these particular girls set out for a man, nothing stops them. More low-down on this next week.

Ann, why do you look at Benjie Bob as if to praise him every time he passes by your desk?

Miss Blackwell and Miss Smith report a most enjoyable time at La Vern Sykes' over the weekend.

Billie Joe, why do you pass 6-2 so often? Could it be to wave at Pearl?

Why are Taylor and Joan always starting a long conversation on the bus?

Why didn't Melba stay at Joyce's party? Could it have been because someone wasn't there?

It seems that a few of the eighth grade girls are interested in Billy Mace since he has mentioned getting his car graduation night.

SCALLORN

By MRS. ORA BLACK

(Intended for last week)

Sunday guests in the Dee Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ivey from near Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Mesdames J. D. and Cora Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson and family visited last week in San Saba with Mr. Johnson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Willy of Adamsville were visitors Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines.

Last week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall were their son, John L. and Mrs. Kuykendall of Mason.

Miss Ruby Johnson of Brownwood visited last week here with her brother Leon Johnson and family.

Miss Greta Sue Hines spent the week-end at home with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright and son, Lamont of Brownwood, were week-end guests of Mrs. Ora Black and son Billie.

A cablegram received last week from Floyd Johnson to his parents stated he was doing ok after having spent some time in a hospital some where in New Guinea.

At the election held here Saturday Barney Laughlin was un-announcedly elected as trustee for this district. He receiving 26 votes against one.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson and family called Saturday evening on the C. H. Black family.

REPORT OF REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

The leaders in both houses of the Legislature feel that the work for this season should be completed in the 120 days, and if filibusters or minority blocs do not interfere I believe we will be able to complete the work at that time. It has been advanced here that nothing of a radical nature be done at this session, or rather that nothing should be done to cause a disturbance, such as changes in Judicial, Legislative, or Congressional Districts. However, some bills have been introduced of this nature.

Only one of the major appropriation bills has passed the House. It required one whole day on this measure. This was the appropriation for the Judiciary.

We have on the calendar the Eleemosynary appropriation bill which will require more time for discussion and passage. I have served on the Eleemosynary Committee, and have been one of a sub-committee that has inspected 12 of these institutions. The appropriation for this division can be cut some as it was in the Judiciary appropriation.

The State Aid appropriation cannot be cut for several reasons. First, the Educational work must go on just about as it has, and second, teachers must be paid a better salary or there will not be enough teachers left to carry on the school work. In some sections there is now an alarming shortage of teachers, so that in the State Aid Appropriation this will have to be taken care of and an increase in this is expected.

All appropriations for building will be withheld because material cannot be secured. But some repairs in eleemosynary and college buildings will have to be made.

As one of the sub-committee, I went to San Antonio to inspect the State Insane Asylum. We found conditions much improved over what was found two years ago. There were 2900 patients in this institution. Some wards were so overcrowded that patients were required to sleep on the

floor. When the war is over, it will be necessary for the State to provide more room at this place.

I believe the Old Age Assistance program will be improved. The House has already passed out bills providing for this, and it is thought the Senate will go with us.

The aid to the needy blind has been taken care of by special appropriation. We have one blind Representative and he introduced the bill.

I will be glad to hear from any one interested in legislative matters, and when anyone comes to Austin from my district, I will be glad to see them and lend any assistance that might be needed.

O. H. MOORE.

REVISED OUTLINE OF EMPLOYERS' DUTIES ISSUED

A revised "Outline of Employer's Duties under the Social Security Act," recently issued jointly by the Social Security Board and the Bureau of Internal Revenue, is now available to employers who wish a copy, according to David S. Pruitt, Manager of the Austin, Texas field office.

This outline explains in detail the employer's responsibilities and will be helpful to employers since it answers nearly every question which might arise regarding social security record keeping, tax returns, and liability. Any employer wishing a copy should write or phone the Austin office of the Social Security Board.

Mr. Pruitt pointed out that tax returns and questions regarding tax matters should go to the Collector of Internal Revenue at Austin. Claims for benefits and requests for original or duplicate social security account numbers should be mailed to the Austin office of the Social Security Board.

Mrs. Henry Featherston has received a telegram that her son Raymond Featherston, who is with a government defense job and has been in Scotland for the last year, is back in the good old USA and he and his company are located at the present in Little Rock, Ark.

EBONY NEWS

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

(Intended for last week)

Suddenly spring has come to the country, and our drab hills and dried pastures are transformed to bowers of beauty. Now we have green pastures and green hills, and in the woods Redbuds, Buckeyes, Wild Honey-suckle, and Haws are in bloom.

At the trustee election here Saturday Alvin Ketchum and Charm Whittenburg were elected to succeed Billie McNurlen and Wallace Perkins, both of whom have moved away. Hubert Reeves is the remaining trustee.

Mrs. Betty Jackson and Charley Roberts were married in Brownwood Saturday, March 27. And they in company with her small son, Junior, and his grand children, June and Mikey Mayfield, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. P. R. Reid. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts have bought them a home in Brownwood.

Hubert Reeves caught his foot in the power lift to his tractor Friday morning and suffered a smashing hurt that left him badly crippled. Mrs. Reeves had gone to town that morning with Stanley Reeves to take Nancy to the doctor for the whooping-cough serum. Joe, 4, decided to help his Daddy plow. They were plowing in the old Reeves field some distance from the Homer Reeves house. When the accident occurred, Hubert asked Joe to go to the Homer Reeves house and ask the people there to come and get him. Joe made it all right and told them to come get his Daddy that he had a sore on his foot. Bill Armstrong went at once to his assistance, took him to town, and reached the doctor's office ahead of Mrs. Reeves.

The doctor says no bones are broken, but the ligaments are badly hurt. It will probably be some time before he can work. The irony of fate! that one so strong and capable of work as Hubert should be laid up at this time when everything needs to be done, and you can't hire help



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for love or money.

Clayton Egger of the U. S. Army Air Corps writes his mother Mrs. Effie Egger, that he is at Jonesboro, Ark. attending school at a state school there. They are housed in a girl's dormitory, and they can hardly realize they are in the army they have such a swell place to stay.

Lt. and Mrs. Lillard Wilmeth write that since they have returned to Camp Wolters they have received a letter from Gene Wilmeth in North Africa, and he says he is ok. and has recently received 35 letters.

Wood Roberts of Brownwood spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. P. R. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Egger had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum Sunday after church. It was in response to an invitation from June 6, who wished to celebrate her Aunt Millie's birthday.

Dewey Smith, Dale Reid, Charm Whittenburg, and Marian Perkin were on the hunt Saturday night and killed a big rattlesnake not far from the Hosea hill.

Mrs. Irene Reeves visited Mrs. Jim Wilmeth Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dewey Smith and Mrs. Bob Egger visited Miss Dolly Reynolds Saturday afternoon. Miss Dolly is most too busy for her own good. She has her garden well under way, and her

stormhouse which she dug while Mrs. Reynolds shoveled dirt, is her pride.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and children, Mr. and Mrs. West, Y. Jack Egger, Wayne Egger, and Bud Egger, all of Brownwood, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Egger. The men spent the night hunting and fishing.

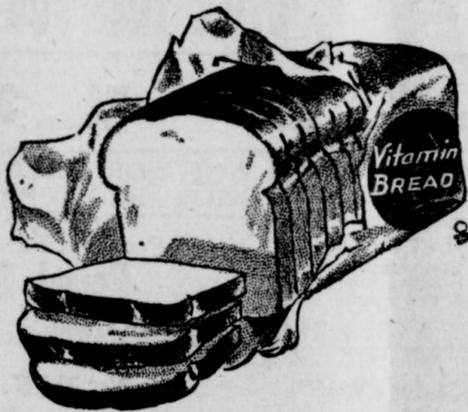
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Morris and Kenneth of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith.

Mrs. Irene Reeves, Miss Gladys Griffin, and Mrs. Charles Griffin and Johnnie were to see Mrs. Nellie Malone Sunday afternoon. While Mrs. Malone now goes out and looks after her chickens, she is gaining strength very slowly. Mrs. Griffin brought her something to eat and fixed it for her while she was there. She says Mrs. Malone is starving herself.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hill, formerly of Goldthwaite but now of Brownwood, spent the first of the week here and attended the funeral of Mrs. Hill's sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Williams.

Miss Connie Harrell has accepted a position as bookkeeper at Camp Bowie.

Mrs. Tom Keese is ill again at her home in the western part of town.



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FOR SALE—The Joe Curtis home west part of town. Phone 220-R.—MRS. JOE CURTIS. 3-5-2tp

FOR RENT—An apartment west of school building. See or phone W. E. MILLER. 4-2tf

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FOR STAND—My Dun horse "Genger," on old Joe Curtis place, 16 miles west Goldthwaite. Terms, \$10, \$5 down and \$5 when colt comes.—I. G. PORTWOOD. 4-2-9tp

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LOSING SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER IS SERIOUS MATTER

A man's first duty is to his family and to his country and "we do not believe there is a wage earner in America today who would not think twice before permitting himself to lapse into a period of thoughtlessness and neglect where either is concerned," said David S. Pruitt, manager of the Austin office of the Social Security Board, who recently called at our office to discuss a problem which has already become costly in both time and expenditure of government funds.

Mr. Pruitt had reference to the carelessness and thoughtlessness on the part of social security account holders who, without considering the seriousness of the matter, have either lost, misplaced or neglected to keep track of their social security account numbers. "Too many of them are requesting duplicate account numbers and are thereby making it pretty tough on the board. Many workers only think of their social security number when they are considering a job, when they should also be considering the value of the number and the protection it represents. The cost of issuing a duplicate number equals that of thirteen war bullets; the time consumed by the account number clerical staff is considerable, and manpower as well as womanpower is becoming more acute every day," Pruitt said.

A national campaign is now in progress to reduce the applicants for duplicate account cards and Mr. Pruitt asks your cooperation in helping to solve this problem which is becoming more expensive to the people of America all the time.

WAAC Radio Technicians



Two members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps who are now taking the radio repair and radio operator courses of the U. S. Army Signal Corps are shown above. They are learning to operate high-frequency oscillators at an Army radio and television school, in order to release soldiers from such work for combat duty.

Women technicians of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps are making good with the U. S. Army, according to Miss Lucille Conroe, WAAC Recruiting Chairman of Goldthwaite.

"There are many interesting and useful duties for women in the Women's Auxiliary Corps," Miss Conroe said. "The WAAC has proven that women can do most types of work as well as men. This especially applies to technical duties, like those of the Waacs who are helping to 'Get the message through' with the Army's Signal Corps."

Prospective members of the WAAC do not need special skills in order to enroll, for the WAAC maintains a series of schools, in connection with the Army, at which women are trained to be specialists. After enrolling in the Corps as an auxiliary, the Waac is given four weeks of basic training. She is taught Army orientation, drill and physical training, military sanitation, mess management, map reading, defense against chemical attack, and other necessary military knowledge.

Women who already possess special skills the Army needs, go directly from basic training to their duties at Army stations. Some of the work which the

Roy Rogers, "King of the Cowboys," Thursday, Friday, Saturday Matinee—Melba.

See "The Pied Piper," Monday Tuesday, Wednesday.—Melba.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Harvey visited in San Antonio Sunday with their son, Pvt. Omar Harvey, and wife. Pvt. Harvey is stationed at Fort Sam Houston.

Roach Fox of Gatesville and son, Chas. Fox, of Stephenville visited his sister, Mrs. Claude Eacott, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frazier had as guests their children: Their son, Floyd Frazier, who is in the Aircraft Training School at Abilene, and his family of Brownwood visited with his parents and other relatives last Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Whitt's daughter, Mrs. Yorborough of Waco, came through Goldthwaite, and her mother accompanied her to Abilene where they spent last week-end with Mrs. Yorborough's husband who is in Camp Berkeley.



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Miss Lora Berry of Camp Bowie was a week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Crawford, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Simms and daughter, Mrs. Henry Slaton, and husband of Panhandle were on their way to Temple and came through Goldthwaite, stopping for a visit Saturday and Sunday with relatives, Mrs. E. B. Anderson and E. B. Gilliam, Jr., and family.

Mrs. M. E. Archer on her 69th birthday celebrated with a dinner last Sunday, having her children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Oquin and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Cockrum and little daughter, Sarah Jane, and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Morris and daughter Lanelle, all of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. T. E. Sharpless and daughter, Mrs. Art Gray of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived here last Friday night for a visit with Mrs. Sharpless' daughter, Mrs. Edward Dean Dickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. daughter and son, and Weldon, left morning of this week Angeles, Calif., where visit their daughter, Audrey and Peggy, defense work there will go to San Francisco by Menard for a before going on to The many Mills of the Ware family, them leave, and success in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. are visiting their Jesse Whitley.

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"Renegotiation" Might Touch You

Under no other circumstances is the fine spirit of neighborly cooperation shown to better advantage in a rural community than in the case of fire or other calamity. This friendly spirit is not based upon personal interest, but upon the deep sympathy that just naturally arises in case of disaster. Of course, there is a personal interest in the fire that threatens our own property, but we like to think this unity of spirit in our rural life is typical of America.

There is this same community of interest between industry, labor and agriculture, although sympathy for each other's troubles seldom comes to the surface.

Every farmer knows that his best market for the produce of his farm is the local domestic market. He depends upon this domestic market for approximately 90 per cent of what his farm produces each year.

If anything happens to his domestic market, like the depression and loss of employment in the early twenties, agriculture is at once affected. On the other hand, if anything happens to the buying power of agriculture, industry is hurt just as badly.

Right now congress is considering the renegotiation of all government contracts. The law was passed on April 25, 1942. Some people are saying that these new renegotiation laws should examine contracts made long before the law was passed.

The case of a contract made in 1940. The work has been done and paid for; taxes have been paid to the government on the profits, if any; labor has been paid and the money balance distributed either in dividends to plant or perhaps paid in dividends to stockholders.

Suppose that some thing happened to our local store, or even to our farmers themselves. Suppose the prices we received for our crops, or the conservation payments by the government for 1941 or 1942 were suddenly to be "renegotiated."

Every farmer has either fed out or sold his crop, purchased new machinery or perhaps painted the barn, or bought a new dress for his wife. If, under a retroactive law, he were suddenly put up against the threat of renegotiation, all of his credit, and perhaps even his investment would be distributed.

No one wants unfair profits or excessive dividends out of war contracts. Investigation has shown that over 95 per cent of industry and business made no excessive profits during the war. Certainly no farmers have received excessive prices for farm crops.

Now is the time for unity. We want to get on with this war. We must have unity. Unity is based upon mutual confidence in our government and in each other. We are all looking forward to a return of peace after the war has been won.

We will then want to resume our domestic markets, replace worn-out farm machinery and resume our normal trade relationships. Industry and business will need all of their American ingenuity and strength to provide jobs which, in turn, furnish our domestic market after the war.

True, renegotiation at present is applied only to industry and contracts with the government. But we all recognize the good old American principle that what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

If business contracts can be renegotiated under a law passed long after the business contracts were made, how about the sanctity of our farm contracts?

Just now the fire seems far from our own neighborhood, but if we look closely, our domestic markets, both now and after the war, are involved. We can well take time off to show a little neighborly spirit and help put out the fire.

The Peoples' Edict
Money to pay for the war, yes; but no money for frills in the civil operations of any of our governing bodies. That is the edict of the American people.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

This new hit is one of the most popular items in the Soldier's Mess. It consists generally of a plastic canteen and cup, a tin knife and spoon, all in a canvas bag. The total cost runs up to about \$2.00.

and other items such as knives and forks, formerly aluminum, are now plastic. You can buy many of these items for our boys with your War Bonds and Stamps.

At least 10 percent of your War Bonds or Stamps even up to the quota in

U. S. Treasury Department

CRISIS IN MANPOWER

Today's problem of manpower means as much to the farmer with one hired hand, or the merchant with a single clerk, as it does to the industrialist who employs a thousand persons. It is all a matter of proportion.

The war program has reached such a stupendous size that the proper distribution of manpower assumes as much importance as the right use of steel, oil, rubber, or any other essential material or product.

It has been such a short time since there was more manpower than industry and agriculture could absorb that we may be a bit slow in waking up to the fact that today each man and woman who can be used to help in the battle of production is needed, and needed badly.

For the benefit, then, of farmers whose crops and livestock will suffer this year if manpower is not replenished; for the benefit of the armed services which have set their sights at possibly 10 million in uniform before 1944; for the benefit of the factories which must turn out ammunition, shoes, clothing, supplies and processed foods in ever-increasing quantities for fighters, civilians and allied nations, a careful stock-taking of manpower is required.

Where Manpower Is Wasted
Our new Congress must make sure that those in charge of this task, in Washington, cast about to see where able-bodied people are being needlessly employed. And in that city of Washington these authorities are now rubbing elbows with thousands of clerks, auditors, stenographers and others who could be used elsewhere without interfering with the war effort in any measure.

Recent figures showed that there were 2,806,300 persons on the civilian payroll of the federal government. This is not only a million more than were in our armed forces in foreign lands at the time the President made his address at the opening of the present Congress, but it is three times as many as were

on the government's civilian payroll during the first World War. Of course this is a bigger war, but that only furnishes an even greater reason why the government should lead in conserving manpower for our farms and factories.

The "Renegotiation" Law
A single measure, introduced in Congress last year, would require thousands of new payrollers to carry out its provisions. This was the act providing that the Army, Navy and Maritime commission should each check its war contracts so that renegotiation could be demanded in cases of excessive charges.

The purpose of this legislation—to make sure that the government was not paying too much for its materials and supplies—was not questioned. But the proposed method of checking all war contracts called for the hiring of such a large number of new federal employees that amendments to the bill were quickly demanded.

Although the bill has been rewritten and amended, it still places upon the Army, Navy and Maritime commission so much of the responsibility for re-examining the contracts that thousands of new auditors and accountants would be needed. This violates the principle that united war effort calls for the placing of every available man and woman in productive work, at the same time helping to keep the taxpayers' federal load as light as possible, consistent with wartime demands.

An acceptable amendment to this law—not yet adopted—would leave it to the Department of Internal Revenue to uncover instances of excess profit. By using this established, checking system, the other departments would not have to hire extra people to wade through the 95 per cent or more of war contracts which are honestly and conscientiously executed.

Here is but one example of how manpower can be conserved in these days when the efforts of all must be directed toward winning the war.

NEED FOR UNITED EFFORT

To win this war we must have unity of effort. "The do-as-I-tell-you-not-as-I-do" attitude will never mobilize national power or bring speedy victory.

This need for united effort was emphasized by the President in his recent call for a 40 per cent reduction in the use of government automobiles. Take the use of tires and gasoline by various federal agencies. A report of the Joint Committee on Reduction of Non-Essential Federal Expenditures says:

"Despite the growing automobile crisis, both in tires and gasoline, the investigation of the committee indicates that for the first four months of the present fiscal year the various agencies of the government, exclusive of the Army and Navy, continued for the most part to use as many passenger cars, to drive as many miles, and to consume about as much gasoline as did these agencies in a comparable period of the previous year, notwithstanding the efforts of the government to reduce the consumption of gasoline and conserve rubber."

Why More Payrollers?
Another example of the need for united effort is found in the problem before Congress as to whether excessive profits on war contracts require new bureaus and additional payrollers or whether the Department of Internal Revenue can do the job.

The average citizen struggling with high taxes and a shortage of manpower answers: If necessary, amend the Internal Revenue Act for this purpose.

To win the war we must spend money and use materials wisely. We have enough manpower to do our essential jobs, but we have neither the manpower nor the taxes to hire special payrollers to do work that can be done better by established agencies

In the last fiscal year the cost of operating these automobiles was \$4,243,602. According to the use of the first four months of the present year the cost will be \$3,924,069. In the last fiscal year these government-owned cars traveled 203,550,280 miles. According to the first four months of this year, government-owned cars will travel, this fiscal year, 190,830,930 miles and consume 12,853,533 gallons of gasoline.

The report also quotes from a statement of the Director of the Budget, indicating that "until now government cars have had an average of six and one-half tires each." The Committee's finding "that the same standard of strictly essential driving" should apply to government employees as is applied to individual citizens is too downright sensible to require discussion.

The committee gives figures upon which its conclusions are based. In the last fiscal year the government owned 17,305 passenger automobiles, exclusive of the Army and Navy and exclusive of trucks and motorcycles. It now owns 18,933 passenger automobiles.

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BIG VALLEY—

By MRS. CARL WOODS

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Saul and family of Plainview and Bernell Overstreet of Llano visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miller and Mary Beth.

Mary Marshall Killen of Tarleton was a guest of Billy Ruth Daniel over the week-end.

We extend our sympathy to Charles Miller and Mrs. Traylor and other relatives in the death of their sister, Mrs. O. F. Smith of Denton. She had been seriously ill for several weeks.

Pfc. Howard Weaver of Oklahoma is home on a furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. Liva Weaver, and other relatives and friends.

Roberta Robertson of Tarleton visited homefolks over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cooke were visitors Sunday afternoon in the homes of Mrs. Sena Ezzell and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesby.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dennard and Linda Kay and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woods and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dennard and family Sunday afternoon.

Ellis Smith of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Thompson of Goldthwaite were visitors in the Valley Sunday.

Pfc. Charles Dennard of Waco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dennard, and family over last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver of Waco were in the Valley Saturday.

The Cockkrell Brothers are the proud owners of a new power sprayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Long and Mary Lou were dinner guests Sunday in the Robert Long home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesby and Eeryl and Bill Hyslop ate Sunday dinner with Mrs. Liva Weaver.

Roebt Long of Goldthwaite spent one night last week with Ralph Woods.

Our sympathy goes to Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and other relatives in the going away of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Reba Williams, who died suddenly in a Temple hospital. She was laid to rest in Big Valley Cemetery last Tuesday.

Mrs. Floyd Sykes made a business trip to Dublin Monday.

DUREN NEWS
Everything is getting pretty and green and it seems as if spring is really here again.

Bro. Sylvester preached Sunday and Sunday night. He and some of our young folks visited in the home of Mrs. Cowen Sunday afternoon.

Joan Duren spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Duren.

Misses Zonell, Bonnie, and Gairdine Jones went to Mason with Bro. Hampton and family to attend a conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duren and Eugene, also Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Swofford and family visited W. H. Bessent and family of Caradon Sunday.

Harrison Henry and family visited in the W. L. Daniel home Thursday.

Several of the community went to the play at Mullin Friday night.

Those who visited in the Bud Duren home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pyburn, also Mrs. Jessie Green, James and Bobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Henry and children visited in the Cornelius home Saturday night and Sunday.

The young folks of this community enjoyed a party at Mrs. Cowen's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Epley visited her mother, Mrs. J. I. Venable, Monday.

Mrs. Milton Stanley was in the community Monday.



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SECOND WAR LOAN

WE ON THE HOME FRONT face one of the most personal challenges of this war to date. That challenge is whether or not we are willing to sacrifice to a sufficient extent to lend our government thirteen billion dollars within the next few weeks.

To do the job, you and I, and everyone we know, are going to have to dig down in our sock—to dig out some of those dollars we have salted away for a rainy day—as well as to take a good hunk out of this month's pay check.

This is a job that HAS to be done. Sure, we on the home front are feeling the pinch of war. We have gasoline rationing, food rationing, higher taxes and a lot of other little discomforts. But they are nothing compared with the agonies faced daily by our men—men from Mills County among them—out there on the fighting fronts of the world.

Yes, we know that this constant demand for more money out of our pockets and out of our paychecks—an increasing amount each month—is monotonous. But so is sitting in a fox-hole or lying in a slit-trench day after day, sloggng through the hell of a humid jungle or that of Sahara sand.

Our sons, friends, brothers, husbands and others we know are doing that for us. They are facing something more terrible than cutting down on a few things that we once thought were essentials to the American standard of living in order to do it, too. As Secretary Morgenthau has said: "Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?"

The Second War Loan is an order to the home front to go on a new offensive. Your dollars are the weapons in this attack. They will make possible the passing of the ammunition to those boys up there in the front lines. To win this war is going to cost more and more money—and more and more lives. But the price of freedom is high. We can not; we dare not let our fighting men down.

You can't let George do this for you. You must pitch in with your dollars. Just keep in mind those boys in the front lines. They give their lives—you lend your money! Don't wait for someone to come around and ask you to do it. Do it today—and do it until you feel worthy of them.

"TRIBUTE TO A DOG"

DR. H. F. MILLER, 105-107 Hendrick Building, Odessa, Texas, writes the following letter to the Eagle:

I read your article, A HERO DIES—A COWARD LIVES. I think a dog poisoner is about as low as any one can reach. He feels perfectly safe when he kills a dog. I expect you have read the enclosed article, "A TRIBUTE TO A DOG," by Senator Vest. Thought you might care to publish it some time in your paper. I was in Goldthwaite a few hours last Friday.

SENATOR VEST'S "TRIBUTE TO A DOG"

Senator Vest, of Missouri, was attending court in a country town, and while waiting for the trial of a case in which he was interested, he was urged by the attorneys in a dog case to help them. He was paid a fee of \$250 by the plaintiff. Voluminous evidence was introduced to show that the defendant had shot the dog in malice, while other evidence was to show that the dog had attacked defendant. Vest took no part in the trial and was not disposed to speak. The attorneys, however, urged him to make a speech, else their client would not think he had earned his fee. Being thus urged, he arose, scanned the faces of the jurymen for a moment, and said:

"Gentlemen of the Jury: The best friend a man has in the world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith. The money that a man has he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps, when he needs it most. A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill-considered action. The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles its clouds upon our heads. The one absolutely unselfish friend that man can have in this world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog. A man's dog stands by him in prosperity and poverty, in health and sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground, where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer; he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounter with the roughness of the world. He guards the sleep of his pauper master, as if he were a prince. When all other friends desert he remains. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens.

"If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him, to guard against danger, to fight against his enemies, and when the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by the graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad, but open in watchfulness, faithful and true even in death."

Senator Vest sat down. He had spoken in a low voice, without gesture. He made no reference to the evidence of the merits of the case. When he finished, judge and jury were wiping their eyes. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$500. He had sued for \$200.

LOOKING BACKWARD

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From Eagle Files April 27, 1918)
W. C. Weatherby and Will Wallace were among the visitors from Mullin the early part of the week.

Mrs. G. N. Atkinson returned Monday afternoon from San Antonio, where she visited her sister.

Mmes. Oquin, Clark and Lieneweber of Mullin were shopping in this city Tuesday afternoon.

W. A. Richards and wife visited relatives and attended Miss Wilson's entertainment in Brownwood this week.

C. E. Strickland and wife went to Temple Tuesday, where Mrs. Strickland was to receive treatment in the sanitarium.

Mrs. T. L. Lewis returned to her home in San Angelo Monday, after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Brown, and family in this city.

Judge Weaver and Prof. Price were among those who went to Brownwood Tuesday to hear Miss Wilson sing and see the war relics.

J. D. Urquhart and wife, Will H. Trent and wife, W. E. Miller and wife, and Luther Rudd and family were among those who attended the recital of Miss Margaret Wilson in Brownwood Tuesday night.

On last Wednesday night, Miss Margaret Woodrow Wilson honored Goldthwaite by stopping off a few minutes in order that the school children, boy scouts and others might see the President's daughter.

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

From CONGRESSMAN O. C. FISHER

Anti-Racketeering Act

Last week the House passed the Hobbs Bill, which makes labor unions and union members subject to the Anti-Racketeering Act of 1934, just as any other organization or person is subject to it.

Need For This Act

It is interesting to note some things which made this legislation necessary. For several years truck drivers of Local Union No. 807 of New York City had, through its members, held up trucks coming into the city from New Jersey and elsewhere, and, if the drivers were not union members, forced them to pay \$8.41 or \$9.42 to enter the city and dispose of their produce. They rendered little, if any, service for this. In many cases violence and assaults were committed on the drivers. The same racket spread to many other cities.

Prosecution Followed

This labor union and 37 members were indicted and convicted in Federal Court in New York City for violating the federal Anti-Racketeering Act. But on appeal the conviction was reversed by the U. S. Supreme Court, which held that the Act did not apply to labor unions.

Unions Opposed Bill

Some organized labor leaders vigorously opposed the Hobbs Bill, contending it would interfere with their legitimate activities. One of the CIO lobbyists contended before the Judiciary Committee that such a law would "crucify" labor.

House members were not impressed, however, and the bill went through by a vote of 270 to 107.

I feel that this was a triumph for the independence of Congress against such pressure groups. This was not class legislation. By this Act, the anti-racketeering law will apply to labor unions and union members just as it does to any individual or any other organization.

More New Cars

A quota of 38,000 new passenger automobiles was set by the OPA for rationing in April. By states, the quotas include 2,690 for Texas, 650 for Oklahoma, and 578 for Louisiana.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD I. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for April 18

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PETER AND JOHN IN GETHSEMANE

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 26:36-46; John 18:10-12.
GOLDEN TEXT—Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation.—Matthew 26:41.

The morning of that great day when atonement was made for the sins of all the world was nearly at hand. In the darkness of the night, following the institution of the Lord's Supper, and the words and prayer of our Lord (John 15:17). He and His disciples came to the Garden of Gethsemane. Taking three of His disciples He went deeper into the shadows to pour out before the Father His soul, "exceeding sorrowful even unto death."

It is a sacred scene, and we feel a sense of awe and reverence as we approach it, feeling that we too would prefer to tarry outside the garden, did we not feel that we should try to understand a little better what took place that night.

We are especially concerned with Peter and John, who with James shared our Lord's sorrow up to a point, and then so sadly failed Him.

I. High Privilege (Matt. 26:36-38).

To be asked by Christ to stand by in this crucial hour was to be entrusted with one of the greatest privileges a man could ever know. As there swept over His holy soul a great tidal wave of sorrow unto death, He wanted and needed their fellowship. As Dr. Maclaren puts it, He "grazed the very edge" of human endurance. "Out of the darkness He reaches a hand to feel the grasp of a friend, and piteously asks these humble lovers to stay beside Him; not that they could help Him bear the weight, but that their presence had some solace in it. His agony . . . they could not bear with Him, but they could watch with Him, and that poor comfort is all He asked."

Undoubtedly they intended to do it. Jesus bore witness that their spirit was willing (v. 41), but in spite of that, and all the boasting of Peter at the table that he would never desert Him, they failed Him in His hour of need. It was

II. Sad Weakness (vv. 39-46).

Our Lord's prayer showed great faith in God the Father, the terrific recoil of His soul against being blackened with the burden of sin, and a complete surrender to the Father's will. Here was true denial of self and submission to God, but it was nonetheless an appalling experience for our sinless Lord. So He went back for fellowship with His three trusted friends—and they were asleep.

Jesus recognized that the weakness of the flesh caused them to forget and slumber. We may profit by a little closer scrutiny of the scene. Was it just a physical tiredness? That doubtless entered in, but was not Jesus even more tired than they could possibly be? Was it not rather the weakness of indifference? They did not yet fully believe that their Lord was about to die. That was why they were quickly scattered in unbelief when He did die. This matter was not so serious in their sight, so it was not difficult to yield to the tired body and the deep, quiet darkness, and fall asleep.

We are in much the same position. Danger—grave, spiritual danger—threatens our souls, our families, our nation. We who call ourselves Christians have declared our readiness to stay awake and alert. But we have become at home in this world, the enemy soothes us with the assurance that all is well, time goes on and nothing too serious happens. So, we go to sleep right in the midst of danger, and sleep on even though the Master awakens us again and again.

But now the scene changes. The mob has come to take Christ, and then the sleepy Peter, now much awake, indulges in

III. Foolish Courage (John 18:10-12).

The act of Peter was courageous, even to the point of recklessness. What chance had he against a great armed multitude? It was the natural impulse of a loving heart, but it was misguided and foolish.

What did he think to accomplish—to deliver Jesus from those who would crucify Him? That would have meant no death on the cross and no redemption. The hour for the offering up of the Son of Man as Saviour had come. Peter might have learned that with our Lord in the garden, but then he was asleep. Christ who had hitherto walked right through the crowd of enemies (Luke 4:30), now submitted. In the dark hours of the night He had been prepared to drink this bitter cup (v. 11).

We need to learn from this experience of Peter's lest we make the same mistake. There are all too many in the Church who are asleep as far as its spiritual struggles and opportunities are concerned, who are eager to wield a reckless sword in outward conflict. In their folly and ignorance they do more harm than good, and yet they think they are working for Christ.

Town And Farm In Wartime

(A weekly news digest prepared by the rural press section OWI News Bureau.)

Ration Reminder

Gasoline—"A" book coupons No. 5 good for four gallons each until May 21.

Sugar Coupon No. 12 good for 5 lbs. Must last through May 31.

Coffee Stamp No. 26 (1 lb.) expires April 25.

Shoes No. 17 stamp in War Ration Book One good for one pair through June 15.

Food Red C stamps, valid April 11, good for 16 points worth of meat, cheese, and butter. Blue stamps D, E, and F good from March 25 through April 30, for 48 points.

"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

The Second War Loan Drive—which began April 12—must raise the astounding sum of thirteen billion dollars to support American armies that are now attacking the enemy. An offensive Army requires ammunition and materials that cost staggering sums of money. For example—one night raid of 1,000 bombers over the Rhineland takes \$375,000 worth of gasoline. A million dollars worth of bombs may be dropped in that raid, and 10 or 11 million dollars worth of planes may be destroyed.

In the future, America's armistice will undertake still greater attacks, and these in turn will require still more money. The 13 billion dollars must be raised in addition to the regular purchases of war bonds and stamps that our people are making now. Slogan for the Second War Drive is: "They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Price On Baked Goods

Housewives who buy pastries, doughnuts, pies, cakes and sweet yeast raised goods from producers who sell direct to the ultimate consumers may expect to see a printed retail ceiling price on the package or wrapper.

Increase In Bicycle Quota

A quota of 88, 200 new bicycles for rationing in April was announced by OPA.

Transportation Rumore False

Rumors now circulating to the effect that the Office of Defense Transportation intends to apply priorities to civilian train and bus travel are completely and entirely false says Joseph B. Eastman. However, passenger transportation facilities are under severe strain, and people who have no real need to travel should stay off of trains and busses.

More Can Openers

Production of can openers for civilian purposes will be more than twice as much as previously allowed. The quota, previously held to 85 percent of the base period rate including Army orders, has been increased to 50 percent, not including military requirements.

Reduce Vehicle Speeds

State support of the nationwide 35-mile limit has effectively reduced motor-vehicle speeds on rural roads. Fifty-three percent of all cars still travel in excess of 35 miles per hour; ninety-one percent were exceeding this limit about a year ago. Rationing had little effect on speeds, but the appeal for a 40-mile limit about a year ago reduced average passenger-car speed from 47 to 44 miles per hour. The federal order for a 35-mile limit, effective last October, brought the average down to about 37 miles per hour.

The Circus Is Coming

The ODT has issued a general permit authorizing railroads to transport the employes and property of circuses, carnivals, or similar shows in railway cars owned by the circus or carnival companies. The first movement under the general permit was that of Ringling Brothers-Barnum and Bailey combined shows, which left its winter quarters at Sarasota, Florida, on March 29.

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with OPA under meat restriction Order No. 1, including farmers and local butchers, are urged to get their permit numbers early and avoid difficulties. Slaughterers must stamp their permit at least once on each wholesale cut delivered after March 31. Permits to farmers in all area and to local butchers and meat packers in small towns are being issued by county war boards. Farmers who slaughter animals for home use only need not obtain permits, but a permit is required for all meat sold. Slaughterers who sell meat must keep

complete records of all slaughtered.

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NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

San Saba—

Early fruit was severely damaged by the heavy freeze of late winter, but later blooming fruits do not seem to be too severely damaged, states County Agent A. B. Ford, who says that time will tell in the extent of damage done since much fruit will remain on trees until half-grown before falling after having been frozen in its early stage.

During the past month, according to records in the office of the FSA Farm Supervisor, Sam R. Ellison, and Miss Cora Lee Franks, home supervisor, the sale of cream and eggs on San Saba county farms amounted to a neat cash outlay.—Star

Hamilton—

A much needed rain began falling just after midnight Thursday morning and continued until up in the morning. According to official information it rained nine-tenths of an inch. The clouds cleared away and it appeared that it would not rain any more. But then another rain came, and before noon a total precipitation of one and three-quarters of an inch was recorded. This moisture will greatly benefit the farmers crops and the Victory gardens.

Charlie Martin Knorz, 91, died on Saturday morning at 5:40, April 3, at the family home in this city. Funeral services conducted by Rev. T. Lynn Stewart, pastor of the First Baptist Church and Elder Luther Norman, pastor of the Church of Christ, were held at the Williams and Riley Chapel on West Main Street on Sunday afternoon, April 4, at 2 p. m. Interment was in the Bolton Cemetery in Erath County.

The two newspapers of Hamilton were brought under one ownership this week when Coy Perry of Mexia purchased the Hamilton County News from Bernard K. Wilkerson, and the Herald-Record from Mrs. L. O. Peck.—Record

Lampasas—

The total number of motor vehicles of all kinds in Lampasas were two more than those of last year up till the week end. Last year on April 4 there had been 2325 registered and this year on April 3 there had been 2327.

Next week the Fellowship Center will begin a drive to raise funds to enlarge its program of service to the soldiers. This program is sponsored by the Lampasas Ministers Association and is receiving increasing attention from the Service men themselves.

Miss Marguerite Ringer and Raymond Ramsey were married Saturday, March 27, at 9 p. m. at the Baptist parsonage here, the Rev. R. H. Mathison officiating with the single ring ceremony.

The Lampasas schools are co-operating with the treasury department in a national campaign of bond and stamp sales which has as its goal the purchase of 10,000 jeeps, the price to be considered as \$900 each for the drive.—Record.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: T. B. Weathers, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Mills County at the Court House thereof, in Goldthwaite, 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 Monday, 10th day of May, A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered 2730 on the docket of said Court and styled Mrs. Vanda Weathers, Plaintiff, vs. T. B. Weathers, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Plaintiff alleges she was legally married to the Defendant on the 23rd day of August, 1924, and lived with him, as his wife till 29th day of March, 1940, when the defendant voluntarily left plaintiff's bed and board for a space of time for 3 years aban-

MY VICTORY GARDEN

My Victory Garden is doing fine. There's a Victory bean on every vine.

The onions cry with bated breath "Give us Victory or give us death";

The squash blooms out with a Liberty Bell;

The corn blades whisper, "War is hell."

The beets volunteered to give their blood,

As they marched in line with the faithful spud.

The pumpkin is yellow, but after the raid

Will be found on the field to give first aid.

The patriotic spinach said, "I'll give iron."

"Me too," said the carrot, "this war is no yarn";

The okra said, "We are pretty slick;

If you sign us up, we'll do the trick."

"Our nature is cold," the cucumber said,

"Just what you'll need to stop hot lead."

"Let us enlist, we'll use our head

And win this war," the cabbage said.

The red pepper said "If you need us or not,

Induct us in, for we're really hot."

"To win this war is our only hope,"

Said the watermelon and the canteloupe.

The popcorn enlisted, just ready to pop:

Cried, "Turn on the heat—we'll go over the top."

"My sight is bad," said the black-eyed pea,

"You can shell the corn, but don't shell me."

The horseradish said, "When it comes our turn,

We'll give them a taste and watch them burn."

The garlic gave orders and faced about,

"Blow your breath in their face and knock 'em out."

The lowly turnip with the purple top

Says, "In Victory's cause we'll never stop."

"What, we won't fight!" said the lady pea,

"We'll win this argument, just you wait and see."

From his convict cell hear the peanut wail,

We'll join the suicide squad, un-

lock our jail."

Said the peaches, plums and the good pecans,

"Sell us and buy some Liberty Bonds.

For if we lose this cause we're a bunch of saps,

Will henceforth be food for the horse-tooth Japs."

Then the tomato blushed and seemed to cry,

"Lettuce win for Victory or lettuce die."

—Gene Anderson.

Box 87, Grand Prairie, Texas.

Mrs. Henry Ezzell left last Thursday afternoon of last week for Fort Worth, where she met her daughter, Mrs. V. E. Reed, and son, Gary Wayne. Mrs. Ezzell expects to visit her son, Jack Long, and family, her granddaughter, Mrs. David Straley, and other relatives before returning home.

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done her with the intention being permanent abandonment and plaintiff alleges he has not been heard of since said 3 years elapsed and that plaintiff prays for judgment against said defendant that said marriage relation be declared null and void and for a divorce, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition filed 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 Goldthwaite, Texas, this the 29th day of March, A. D. 1943.

Attest:
MRS. EARL SUMMY, Clerk,
(SEAL) District Court,
Mills County, Texas.
4-2to4-23

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO

P. D. Carroll, S. J. Carroll, W. T. Carter, Alice Carter, F. E. Wilson, John H. Bryson, J. H. Bryson, Nancy Carroll, Jas Carroll, Bud Carroll, Tom Carter, Partielle Carroll, Sam Carroll, Sam'l Carroll, Lizzie Carroll, W. E. Smith, R. C. Smith, E. M. Halbrook, J. T. Halbrook, D. W. Carroll, S. J. Carrel, Dock Carrel, Cleo Carrel, Cleo Carroll, Nora Carrel, Leonora Carroll, E. P. Carroll, Hugh Carroll, Hugh Carrel, Thos Burr, Thomas Burrows, M. J. Burrows, D. E. Hedgecock, D. E. Hedgecock doing business as Hedgecock Artificial Limb and Brace Mfg. Company, and D. E. Hedgecock, doing business as Hedgecock Artificial Limb and Brace Mfg. Co., the places of residence of all of whom are to the plaintiff unknown; and all the heirs, legatees, devisees, assigns, and legal representatives of the above named persons, whose names and places of residence are to the plaintiff unknown, DEFENDANTS, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Mills County, at the Court House thereof, in Goldthwaite, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this Citation, same being the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition, filed

in said Court on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered—2726—on the docket of said Court and styled, O. A. TIPPEN, PLAINTIFF—vs.

P. D. Carroll, S. J. Carroll, W. T. Carter, Alice Carter, F. E. Wilson, John H. Bryson, J. H. Bryson, Nancy Carroll, Jas Carroll, Bud Carroll, Tom Carter, Partielle Carroll, Sam Carroll, Sam'l Carroll, Lizzie Carroll, W. E. Smith, R. C. Smith, E. M. Halbrook, J. T. Halbrook, D. W. Carroll, S. J. Carrel, Dock Carrel, Cleo Carrel, Nora Carrel, Leonora Carroll, E. P. Carroll, Hugh Carroll, Hugh Carrel, Thos Burr, Thomas Burrows, M. J. Burrows, D. E. Hedgecock, D. E. Hedgecock doing business as Hedgecock Artificial Limb and Brace Mfg. Co., and all of the heirs, legatees, devisees, assigns and legal representatives of the above named parties, DEFENDANTS.

A brief statement of the nature of the suit is as follows, to wit:

Plaintiff alleges that on or about January 1st, 1943, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands, situated in Mills County, Texas, being 142 acres of land out of J. C. Hawkins Survey, Abst. No. 369; 18 acres of land out of the Jas Carroll survey, Abst. No. 136; and 14 acres of land out of the W. M. King survey, Abst. No. 415—and being the same land sold and conveyed to him by W. T. Alexander and wife Grace Alexander, deed dated Oct. 28, 1942, recorded in Vol. 88, page 386, Deed Records of Mills County,

Texas. That on said date defendants entered on said premises, ejected plaintiff therefrom, and are claiming and asserting some title thereto, the nature of which is to plaintiff unknown, and unlawfully withhold from plaintiff the possession thereof, to his damage in the sum of \$4000.00, and the reasonable rental value of \$250.00 per year.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he holds, have had and held possession of said premises in such manner and under such conditions as give him title thereto under the Statute of Limitations, for 3 years, Article 5507; for 5 years, Article 5509; for 10 years, Article 5510; and for 25 years, Article 5519, all of the Revised Statutes of Texas.

Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer according to law, and that on final hearing, he recover title and possession of the above described land, that writ of possession issue, for rents, damages and all costs of suit.

This action is brought as well to try title as for damages. As is more fully shown in 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 Goldthwaite, Texas, this the 18th day of March, A. D. 1943.

Attest:
MRS. EARL SUMMY, Clerk,
District Court, Mills
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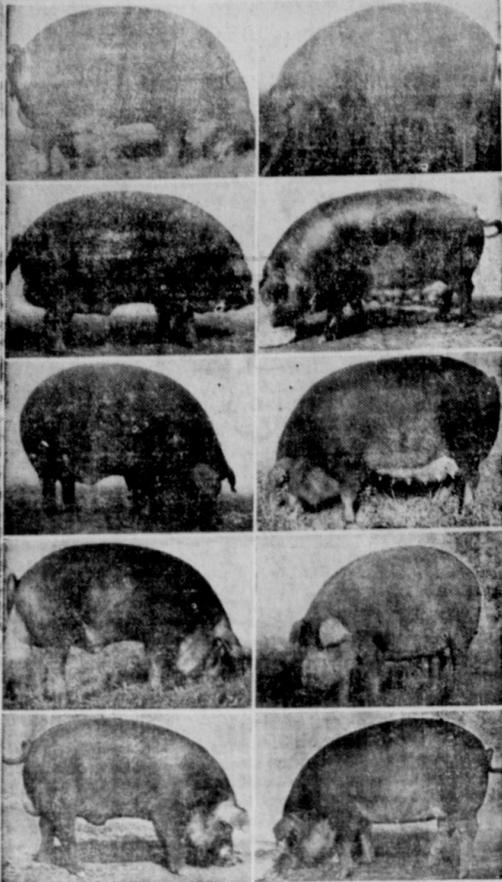
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NABORS CREEK

By MRS. J. H. PLUMMER
Mrs. J. A. Stark and Mrs. Hubert Stark were at home to the Home Demonstration Club last Wednesday afternoon. Several garments were cut out and partly made.
Mrs. Hibler attended the club at Mrs. Stark's. We are glad to welcome her as a new member.
Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Letbetter entertained a group of neighbors and friends with a forty-two party Saturday night. Delicious punch and cookies were served to 21 guests.
Henry and Lee Hoover of Junction spent Thursday with their uncle, John Plummer.
A group of neighbors gathered at the J. O. Wolff home Sunday afternoon. The men played croquet while the women admired Mrs. Wolff's nice garden.
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cowen and baby returned to Rankin Sunday, after visiting several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Plummer.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cock-

rum visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carroll, Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dickerson and his mother ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Sunday.
O. B. Carroll writes from overseas that he is well, and has seen no action yet.
Henry Stevens was lucky enough to catch another large 25-pound fish recently.
Lorraine Burdette visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burdette, Saturday night.
W. L. (Dick) Brinson of Rochester, Minn., arrived here the first of this week to spend a few months in Goldthwaite. Mr. Erinson, long-time barber in this city, has been sick and thinks the old Mills County air will straighten him up. He looks good and we predict a few months here will make him feel good.
The best comedians of the screen, Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, in "A-Hunting We Will Go," Melba Saturday night, Sunday Matinee.
See "The Pied Piper," Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.—Melba.



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ROCK SPRINGS

By MRS. EULA NICKOLS
We extend sympathy to Mrs. Maggie Traylor and Charley Miller in the passing away of their sister, Mrs. Smith, who lived at Denton. Also to Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mr. Williams and children in the going away of their daughter, wife and mother.

Breaking land is pastime for the farmers. The ground is pretty wet. Some of the corn and garden stuff are up.
Roy Wilkins is having Dock Shelton fix him a Victory garden. I don't see any need of any of us neighbors planting a garden for Roy will furnish the county. I'm sure. We wish him good luck.

Mmes. Gatlin and Woody and Miss Love Gatlin from town visited Oscar and Jim Gatlin and in the Nickols home Monday afternoon.

Barney Tippen and family and J. F. Davis visited in the Cooke home Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. August Kauh spent Tuesday in my home. We quilted all day.

We had several soldier boys in town Saturday whom we hadn't seen since they have been in the Army. We were real glad to see Joseph Bowles; he is a fine-looking man. I know his parents were so glad to have him home.

He visited them first in Fort Worth, then came on here and visited his grandmother, Mrs. Gatlin, and other relatives. Miss Love prepared a nice dinner Sunday for Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. Orby Woody and Oscar and Jim Gatlin.

Last week in my letter I made a very bad mistake. It is Second Lieutenant Horace Cooke instead of corporal. Horace left last Friday for Fort Sill, Okla.

Joe Davis and family visited in the Stark home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Allen Traylor and children from town and her mother, Mrs. Charley Simpson, visited in my home last Wednesday afternoon and helped me quilt.

Beryl V. Roberts from Abilene spent the week-end in the Nickols home, and Sunday Dwight Nickols and wife from Fort Worth spent the afternoon with the Nickols and V. D. Tyson families.

J. T. Stark and James Nickols plowed day and night the first of the week on the Nickols farm. When they get the millet planted their crop will be planted.

Mrs. Woodie Traylor spent Monday afternoon in town shopping.

Mrs. James Nickols and boys came home last Friday from her mother's, Mrs. Tyson's, after taking care of her mother for a few days.

Mrs. George Mason and daughter, Mrs. Harris, spent last Wednesday in the Cooke home.

Marion Robertson and wife spent Sunday afternoon in Mrs. Maggie Traylor's home.

Oscar Gatlin is looking after his stock on the Gatlin ranch this week.

Mr. Newton spent Sunday morning with J. T. Stark.

Joe Bayliss visited in the Stark home last week. He was fixing some of his rent houses in town.

Beryl Roberts and Mrs. Nickols and Mr. Day and family sat until bedtime in the Roberts home Saturday night.

Mrs. John Roberts was a Sunday guest in the Woodie Traylor home.

Christine Traylor spent most of last week in town visiting in the Roush, Dunkle and Robertson homes.

Miss Greta Traylor has a job in Fort Worth at Montgomery-Ward's.

D. Albert Trent of Beverly Hills, Calif., arrived last Sunday evening for a few weeks' visit with relatives here.

Rob Simpson of Indian Gap has moved to Goldthwaite and will make his home with his brother, Walter Simpson, and family.

Orville Huffman of Brady visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huffman, last week-end.

Mrs. L. E. Miller returned Monday from Dallas, where she visited several days with Miss Fannie Jack Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Nickols and Miss Virginia Manning spent Sunday in Stephenville visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manning.

The Center Point School Pointer--

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SPORTS NEWS
We have been playing tennis, croquet and jumping. We hope the weather will stay fair which I guess it will. The weather seems to be a little warm since we have been running a good bit.

SENIOR NEWS
We are sorry to say that Neal Hamilton, Joe Vines, and Altha Mae Perry are absent today, and hope they will be back tomorrow and the rest of the week.

We have put some Easter decorations up on the windows, and are planning to put up more. We are planning on having an Easter hunt April 25. We hope it is a pretty day. Wishing everyone a nice Easter.

INTERMEDIATE NEWS
There are two absent in our classes today. They are Wayne Perry and Katherine Adams. We hope they will be here tomorrow. We are planning on having a good time Easter.

PRIMARY REPORT
There are two pupils absent in

our room today. They are June Hamilton and Aline Perry. We hope they will be back again soon. We have our room decorated for Easter. Everyone is enjoying our nice sunny days.

CENTER POINT GIRLS' 4-H CLUB NEWS

The Center Point Girls' 4-H Club met Tuesday morning, April 6, 1943. The club was called to order by the president. The club prayer and pledge were given, then the secretary called the roll and read the minutes. Our new Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Harris, met with us. The preparation of fresh vegetables was the subject for discussion. There being no further business, the club adjourned.

4-H CLUB NEWS

(Reported by Herman Eilers)
The Center Point 4-H Club boys met April 6, 1943. Mr. Glover, our County Agent, was present, and we elected the following leaders: Mrs. Hamilton for the poultry division, Mrs. J. M. Spinks for hog division, and W. C. Mayes, farm division. Joe Vines and Herman Eilers have for their project corn and hogs, Richard Shelton for his project, beef calf. Neal Hamilton, Charles Utzman and Neal Conner have poultry for their projects. We enjoyed having Mr. Glover with us and look forward to his visit each month with us.

Mrs. Ruel DeWolfe and sons, Robert Hill and Homer Clyde, of Austin spent last Saturday and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keese.

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NO. 76
Lv. Brownwood 6:30 AM
Ar. Goldthwaite 7:36 AM
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STAR REPORTER
The Eagle had a letter this week from Mrs. Dora Goode of Star stating that she had turned the job of reporting the news at Star over to Miss Letha Mae Karnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Karnes. The Eagle regrets the loss of so faithful a reporter as Mrs. Goode has been, but at the same time welcomes Miss Karnes as the new reporter from Star.
Mrs. Earl Adams of Worth spent last week with her parents, Ernest Wilson.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burdette and Mrs. J. L. Burdette doches spent the home of Mrs. Moore of Phoenix. They left Monday morning for Phoenix.

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