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THE UNITED WAR APPEALS PROGRAM TO SPEED VICTORY

To speed victory will be the purpose of the united war appeals program to be carried out this fall by the Donley County War Fund, and more than half of the money subscribed by patriotic Americans will go directly to aid our own fighting men. Floyd Wright, special field representative for the United War Chest of Texas, declared on a visit here today.

"Of the \$125,000,000 to be raised by the National War Fund more than \$67,000,000 will go to the aid of American men in uniform through the USO. United Seaman's service and War Prisoners Aid," Mr. Wright said.

More than \$40,000,000 will go to United Nations relief, including the relief of suffering in both occupied and unoccupied countries, and about \$4,000,000 will be used for refugee relief. Seventeen war appeals agencies approved by President Roosevelt's war relief control board will participate in the national war fund program.

Through local war funds being set up in each of its 354 counties, Texas is seeking to raise its apportioned share of nearly \$5,000,000 national war fund total.

Governor Coke R. Stevenson is honorary chairman of the campaign in Texas. George A. Butler, prominent Houston attorney is president and campaign chairman.

HEDLEY CLEAN-UP DRIVE NEARING END

A committee from the Lions Club, probably accompanied by the city health officer and fire marshal, will inspect all the business houses and residences at the end of this week and give a certificate to each that have complied with the standards of cleanliness and sanitation set by the Lions Health and Welfare Committee in this campaign.

Those whose premises do not come up to standard will be instructed as to what is necessary to meet the requirements and then will be given one week in which to meet the requirements and then they will be able to receive their certificates. This committee will also pick out the cleanest business house and cleanest residence and each will be awarded \$5 in War Savings Stamps.

"A remarkable improvement is already shown in the condition of the city," a spokesman for the committee said.

REVIVALS

The revival of the West Side Baptist got off to a good start Sunday night. Rev. V. A. Hansard is doing the preaching. Bro. Hansard is well known and highly respected here, and no doubt will be an inspiration to his many friends.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

While our attendance was hardly up to par Sunday the interest was good. We have had a number of hinderances of late, and naturally all of them have a bearing on the attendance. We hope that everything may soon be going even better than normal. A number of our Baptist friends worshipped with us Sunday morning. We hold an open invitation to all to worship with us. We have all of our regular services next Sunday except the evening preaching service. We will dismiss in order that our folk may be free to attend the revival services of one or the other churches in revivals.

LIONS GO IN LARGE NUMBERS

The report has it that 51 Lions and their ladies attended the barbecue given in their honor by the Clarendon Club.

DONLEY COUNTY MEN INDUCTED INTO SERVICE FRIDAY

Selectees for the Donley county August call were inducted into the armed service at Lubbock Friday and will report for duty after a 21-day furlough.

Inducted were Hendrix Bill Taylor, Samuel Lewis Chamberlain, George Elmer Fisher, William Johnson, Zephaniah David Davis Jr., Calvin Morris Naylor, George Clifton Elliott, Johnny B. Long, Thomas Earl Sinclair, Calvin Silas Holland, George Warren Jacobs and James Franklin White, all inducted into the army, and Donald Lee Spear navy.

MRS. KILLINGSWORTH HAS TWELVE GRANDSONS IN THE FORCES

Mrs. G. W. Killingsworth has 12 grandsons in the service. George Martin, overseas, Aubrey Martin at La Mesa, Colo., Elma Lee Breeden in the Pacific, Hobart Melton, overseas; Jerald Carmack, Amarillo; Muriel Carmack, California, Val Jean Carmack, Albuquerque. Hermon Melton, New York, attending military school, Chesley Martin, New Guinea and Woodrow and Jr. Killingsworth awaiting their call in Deming, New Mexico. In addition to these young men several of the sons and son-in-laws are in defense work. Mrs. Killingsworth has 43 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and eleven children, all living.

THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

We had good attendance Sunday morning and a good service. We did not have any evening service, as we turned out for the West Side Baptist meeting. We will not have services Wednesday evening and Sunday evening, as the Baptist meeting will still be going. However, we will have the Sunday morning service. Come to Sunday school and bring some one with you. We are always glad to have you and assure you a welcome atmosphere at our church.

BACK IN 1917 & 1918

Branch Watkins bought a new Ford first of the week.

John Blankenship has bought a new Dodge.

Lake Dishman is here this week from Camp Bowie.

W. C. Bridges was a business visitor in Fort Worth last week.

Alva Simmons one of our soldier boys spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons.

Sam Braswell, editor of the Clarendon News, was in town Monday in interest of the United War Work Campaign.

P. C. Johnson and M. H. Bell have returned from wherever they have been.

J. B. Masterson has returned from a trip to the Eastern markets, where he laid in a handsome supply of fall and winter goods for his store—the M. & M. Co.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Horschler, April 8, a fine baby boy.

GOING TO CLARENDON JUNIOR COLLEGE

The following Seniors of the Class of 1943 will enter Clarendon College this term: Misses Dorothy Jean Richardson, Anna Lee Hill, Maggie Burdine and Wacile Mason.

WAR DADS TO MEET

The Hedley Chapter of the American War Dads will meet at American Legion Hall next Tuesday, September 7th at 9 p. m. The purpose of this meeting will be the election of officers and appointments of committees. All fathers, foster fathers, stepfathers or fathers in law of boys or girls in service are urged to attend this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Key and family visited in Silverton Sunday.

Donley's Bond Drive Quota Is Set At \$460,500 During Sept.

Donley County's Third War Loan campaign quota has been set at \$460,500, Judge J. R. Porter, chairman for the drive, announced today.

The quota more than doubles the Second War Loan figure which was set at \$208,000 and which was over-subscribed by \$4,884.57. The total collected on the April drive in Donley County was \$212,884.57.

In this campaign, bond purchases by banks cannot be included in the quota and if Donley county meets this high figure, almost every man, woman and

child must purchase a \$100 bond, Porter said.

During the second drive, county banks subscribed almost \$150,000 to the drive which left residents buying in the amount of only around \$70,000, said Buddy Knorpp, permanent chairman.

Knorpp said that while it seemed impossible to raise this amount of money, he had explicit faith in the patriotism of local residents. If we don't make it, he said, we should at least come close.

However, the chairman pointed out, the drive is slightly early for this section as harvest money

has not yet begun to come into the county.

Porter, while admitting meeting the quota would be a difficult task, pointed out that Donley County had never yet failed to meet any drive quota and he, for one, would not acknowledge defeat.

"When we of Donley County stop to reflect on what hardships those boys in the war zones are undergoing, and when we think of the untold misery and death of Japanese prison camps, we'll remember that we here at home have not been denied anything in comparison," Porter said.

RED CROSS HOME NURSING COURSE TO AID DOCTORS

Knowing that doctors and nurses must be relieved in ever increasing numbers to take care of the men who are fighting for our safety and security, the Red Cross has set itself the task of providing an opportunity for at least one person in every home to take the course in Red Cross Home Nursing, so that she may be better equipped to protect the health of the family or to give good nursing care when and if illness comes.

If interested in taking the course to be given here by Dolores Frey of St. Louis, please leave your name at the Red Cross room between the hours of 4:00 and 6:00 p. m. on Saturday, September 4th.

W. C. PAYNE IS MADE FIRST LIEUTENANT

From the Roswell Army Air Field, comes word that W. C. Payne has been promoted to the grade of First Lieutenant.

Before joining the army in August of 1942, he was superintendent of the local high school. He has been assigned to duty in the Link Trainer department at the air base at Roswell.

J. T. Randall was in Amarillo for a medical check up this week. Bill Johnson has returned from a visit with his son, Craigs, who has been stationed at Camp Rucker, Ga. Sgt. Johnson has been in the army since the 8th of Dec., 1942.

BROTHERS TOGETHER AFTER 28 YEARS

Milton Lowe of Galveston is here visiting his brother R. S. Lowe. They have not been together for 28 years.

FIRE MONDAY

There was a great deal of excitement caused Monday when a load of cedar posts bought by the Woodridge Lumber Company caught fire from some dry grass burning just aside the Company lot.

Mr. Reeves estimates that \$40,000 to \$50,000 worth of damage was sustained by the fire.

Ms. Eleanor Bailey moved back to Skillet to begin her school work soon.

HEAD-ON WRECK

A car occupied by Miss Wacile Mason and Miss Joy Blankenship had a head-on collision with a pick-up occupied by Burt Weaver of Quail. Mr. Weaver's daughter who was also with him suffered cuts and bruises. Only minor injuries were sustained.

Both cars were badly damaged.

PLANS FOR DONLEY FALL PIG SHOW

Plans to form a groundwork for the Donley County fall swine show will be made at a meeting of directors at the county agent's office in Clarendon Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The show which will be held in Clarendon Oct. 8, will feature around 150 head of FFA and 4-H top stock.

Carroll Lewis, Lella Lake, president of the show board said a show judge must be selected, a premium list arranged and other important matters gone into.

Lewis also said that plans for this year's show call for an auction sale following the premium awards.

DONLEY WILDCAT BELOW 4380 WITH NO SHOWING

Shamrock Oil and Gas Company No. 1, Adair, section 15, block A, JA Odair survey, Donley County wildcat, cored from 4,370 to 4,375 feet and recovered six feet of lime with no showing of either oil or gas and was drilled below 4,380 feet in lime.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SUNDAY FOR J. A. LEMMON

Funeral services for J. A. Lemmon was conducted Sunday from the Hedley Methodist Church, Womack's Funeral Home was in charge. The service was conducted by Rev. Ament, pastor of First Christian Church of Clarendon, and Rev. C. R. LeMond, Methodist pastor Hedley.

Mr. Lemmon spent about one and one half years at Sanatorium, and for the past six months had been in home here in Hedley. People who knew him spoke of him as a good man, and the presence of many friends showed the high esteem in which he was held.

Active pall bearers were: R. O. Kelley, Wesley Banister, Joe Thomas, Graham Brinson, Tom McDougal and Winnie Bowden. Honorary pall bearers were: E. H. Watt, Mark Raney, B. F. Kelley, W. I. Raines, Dayton Shelton and E. M. Glass.

Mr. Lemmon engaged in the stock and farming business and worked six seasons at what is now McDougal Gun for 26 years or more. He married Mrs. Lemmon 38 years ago, and to the union there was born four children. Mrs. Rhea Stotts, Hedley, Mrs. Violet Wood, California, Mrs. Zoleta Cope, Dalhart and R. A. Lemmon of Memphis.

Those from a distance here for J. A. Lemmon's funeral were: Mrs. J. D. McCants and Claude Thaxton of Amarillo, Mrs. Hubert Green, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ledbetter all of Hartley; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffee and Mr. and Mrs. Don Alexander, also Mrs. J. P. Alexander of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Alexander of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thompson of Quanah. Cousins of Mr. Lemmon's here for the funeral were Mrs. Kittie Gammage, Mr. and Mrs. John McQueen and daughter, Mrs. Sarah Kilgore.

Rev. Alton Patton of Toll, Texas will preach at the Baptist Church both services Sunday. All are invited to attend, Sunday School was off considerably Sunday. Let us not let our attendance get slack because we are without a pastor at the present time. You are needed more than ever Mr. Baptist.

700 PASTURELAND ACRES BURN

Approximately seven hundred acres of grass was burned Tuesday evening when lightning set fire to the S. T. Sayre ranch which is leased by John F. Blocker Sr. and his son, John F. Blocker Jr.

Only a heavy shower saved the entire range from burning and spreading to the adjoining ranches of C. T. McMurtry and the Rowe Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pincham announce the arrival of a fine baby boy.

REMEMBER SEPTEMBER 17

through October 14, is the period for mailing Christmas parcels and cards to men in the armed forces overseas. Gifts for Marines and Coast Guardsmen may be mailed until November 1.

A GLIMPSE OF THE PAST

Back in the Good Old Days of 1915 they had high school honor students too. Here are some of them.

"The high school honor roll included the following: Tom McDougal, Levonia Masterson, Murray Wolfe, Robert Stroud, Edna Simmons, Melle Bird, and Annie Richey, Mary Helen Bain, Clara Jones, Louis Boston, Johnnie and Allice Killian, Grim and Lena May Brinson, Nerrick Heffner, Mary Rockett, Bonnie Bowder, Maggie Marshall, Julia Lane, Eunice Morrow, Golden Masterson. Among the grade school honor students we find the name of Ray Moreman, Clayton Mann, Cleetall Moreman, Vera Blankenship, Isaac Raines, Melba, Earnest and Kermit Johnson, Jewell Everett, J. N. Kendall and Leonard Tins.

HOME FROM SEA

S 1-6 J. T. Robert, left last week for home port, San Francisco, Calif. J. T. had been here for the past two weeks visiting his wife, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts of Clarendon.

Roberts was wearing three bars which indicated that he had been in many different waters.

He is an armed guard. While standing watch one night in dangerous waters the poem which appears below came to him.

"THE ARMED GUARD"

The Armed Guard sails over the ocean blue,
The boys are all lonesome and homesick, too.

They have but one thought and one thought alone—of wife, mother and father at home. If ever I find that heavenly shore, I'll make my bunk right down on the floor.

I'll make it right there under Jesus' own feet,
He'll stand my watch while I go to sleep.

And while I am sleeping an Angel will come and wake me up.

I'll raise right up there in my bed, rubbing my eyes and shaking my head,
Then the Angel will beckon and say your days are over on the Jim Bridger.

Now that you are here in our heavenly land, there is nothing but Angels—
There is no watch to stand.

Now I know that I am on heaven's own floor and the Nazis will never bother me anymore.

J. T. was entertained with several dinners. One was given by Mrs. R. R. Riley of Amarillo, another by Mrs. Pearl Mobley also of Amarillo. Still another was given by his sister Mrs. J. D. Riley of Clarendon. He was also entertained with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mobley of Hedley. Several other dinners were given in his honor by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts of Clarendon.

Cpl. Weldon Simmons, Mrs. Simmons and daughter were here last week visiting Cpl. Simmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simmons. Cpl. Simmons is stationed at the Army Air Base at Dalhart, Texas.

Mayor Asks That 3rd War Loan Drive Be Inaugurated By Flag Day

Our government is asking Americans for \$15,000,000 more in the 3rd War Loan to back the attack. Citizens of Our Community will do their part in this tremendous task. All of us, no matter what walk of life we come from, are fully aware of the urgency of putting our full weight back of the invasion.

There is an intimate note back of the Third War Loan appeal: Back the Attack with War Bonds. From this community come many young Americans who are doing the attacking. We would not be worthy of them and their sacrifices if we did not lend every dollar possible to our government to keep the munitions of war flowing to our fighting men.

September 9, the date set for the start of the Third War Loan campaign, should be observed as another stepping stone toward V-day and the day when our boys come marching home.

I know I am echoing the feeling of everyone in the community when I ask that the flag be displayed over all municipal buildings on September 9. I urge a similar display over all private buildings and by all homes. When we look at the Stars and Stripes on September 9, I know that all of us will be stimulated to do our duty in backing up our sons and neighbors' sons who are fighting to keep Old Glory flying. I know this community-wide display of the Star-Spangled will stir us anew to do our very best as individuals and as a community in the Third War Loan campaign to help subscribe and oversubscribe this home front objective.

MRS. W. M. BIFFLE BURIED SATURDAY AT OUAL

Mrs. W. M. Biffle Sr., mother of W. M. Biffle of Hedley was buried last Saturday at Quail, Texas. Mrs. Biffle was the mother of eight daughters and one son. She came to Wheeler county in 1899, and in 1910 moved to Salt Fork Community, later spending some time in Memphis living near here are Mrs. Sam Brown of Memphis, daughter, Mrs. J. P. Cumming of Salt Fork, and W. M. Biffle of Hedley. Four daughters and the son survive. Services for Mrs. Biffle were held from the Methodist Church at Quail, Texas with Rev. Jack Plant, a former pastor officiating. Mr. Biffle preceded Mrs. Biffle in death in 1924.

Mrs. Roland Wiley (Inell Biffle) and Billie Mac Biffle were home for the services. We extend our sympathy to the family.

BILL PATCHING DIES SUDDENLY TUESDAY

Funeral services for William Ira Patching, 46, former Clarendon resident who was found dead in a field at his farm near Tulla Tuesday morning, were held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Patching in Clarendon Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. J. O. Quattibaum officiated.

Mr. Patching presumably died sometime Monday night from a heart attack but his body was not found until about 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. It was his practice to irrigate the farm at night and when he did not return home for breakfast, the family became alarmed. Although they knew in what vicinity he was watering, so tall and dense was the feed that it was several hours before he was found.

Born in Paradise, Montague County, Texas, Mr. Patching came to Clarendon with his parents in 1909 after a sojourn in Swisher county. He attended the Clarendon schools and was graduated from Clarendon College. After his graduation he returned to Swisher county where he has lived since that time. He was intensively interested in irrigated farming and until gasoline rationing was the manager of the Tulla Consumers oil company.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his widow and one child, Mrs. Dorothy Jo Wirt of Amarillo; two brothers, F. G. Patching, Jr., of Goodnight and E. T. Patching of Happy and three sisters, Eva Patching of Clarendon, Mrs. John Harris of Claude and Mrs. Ruth Craig of Perryton and one grandchild.

BUY WAR BONDS TODAY

RAIN DRENCHES PARCHED COUNTY FARM LAND

Life-giving moisture fell in Donley county Tuesday night to break the long-term drought and give promise of good farm production.

The rain, drifting in from the West, fell heaviest in Donley County at Ashtola where an estimated two inches were received.

Martin was reported to have received an inch and one-half of moisture while the thinning clouds left 43 of an inch at the Clarendon air port west of town.

Clarendon proper received around .30 while the Lella Lake vicinity was estimated at only a trace. Hedley was reported to have had about .25 of an inch but a heavy fall was received around the McKnight community.

OUR BOYS

Pvt. Adell Myer has entered radio school. The process of training will mean that Adell will likely be in the states for at least five or six months.

Cpl. Paul Stewart has been transferred to Orlando, Fla., from Camp Haas, Calif. Paul is in the Motor Transport Division and drives a Jeep.

Joel Plunk is at Stanford in a flying school, and is receiving instructions from his brother, Rowe.

Paul Dishman is entering Texas Tech this fall.

Billie Mac Biffle was home over the week end for his grand mother's funeral and also to visit. Billie Mac is a Naval Air Cadet.

DONLEY'S COTTON HARVEST WILL OPEN NEXT WEEK

The earliest in many years, Donley county's fall cotton season will open next week-end, county agent H. M. Breedlove said today, declaring that several farmers had requested his office for cotton pickers for them.

The dry, hot weather, has matured the crop much earlier than in normal summers. Breedlove said.

Breedlove is urging that all persons wishing to work in the cotton harvest register at his office at once, as the agent will work as a placement officer for cotton farmers.

Myrtle Willis was in Amarillo during the week-end Christmas shopping for the Wilson Drug.

JERRY HUNT ADVANCED
Jay Hunt received a telegram last week that his son, Lieut. Jerry Hunt has been transferred to an advanced training center, but the place was not mentioned.

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BUY MORE WAR BONDS EVERY PAYDAY

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WHAT YOU WILL BE ASKED TO DO—

Mark well the date—Thursday, September 9th. For on that day, you must answer to your country's call.

On that day, the 3rd War Loan Drive opens. You will be asked to back our fighting forces to the very limit of your resources. You will be asked to go all-out for invasion by investing in extra War Bonds—more War Bonds than you perhaps think you can possibly afford.

To meet the national quota, every individual in the country who earns a wage or draws an income or has accumulated funds must invest, if he possibly can, in at least one extra \$100 War Bond. Those who can, must invest in more bonds—hundreds and thousands of dollars' worth more.

Scrape up the money from every source you can. Turn in all the loose cash you can carry with you. Dig out what you had tucked away "just in case." Go without pleasures, luxuries, even necessities this September. And give our fighting men the things they need to fight with—and win.

These men are throwing everything they have into this fierce invasion push. They are giving their blood, their lives. No one can put a price on such courage, self-sacrifice, devotion. But you can say it with Bonds. . . Extra Bonds. . . this month.

For the 3rd War Loan, you will be offered a choice of various government securities. Choose the one that fits your requirements.

United States War Savings Bonds Series "E"; gives you back \$4 for every \$3 when the bond matures. Interest: 2.9 per cent a year, compounded semi-annually, if held to maturity. Denominations: \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Redemption: Any time 60 days after issue date. Price: 75 per cent of maturity value.

2 1/2 per cent Treasury Bonds of 1964-1969; readily marketable, acceptable as bank collateral. Redeemable at par and accrued interest for the purpose of satisfying Federal estate taxes. Dated September 15, 1943; due December 15, 1969. Denominations: \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000. Price: par and accrued interest.

Other securities: Series "C" Savings Notes; 7-8 per cent Certificates of Indebtedness; 2 per cent Treasury Bonds of 1951-1953; United States Savings Bonds series "F"; United States Savings Bonds series "G".



WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 1.—The nuptial rumor that the Chicago Tribune's Col. Robert R. McCormick was going to wed Mrs. Helen Essary, widow of the Baltimore Sun correspondent, was told to the President recently by one of his aides.

Both Col. McCormick and Mrs. Essary are ardent isolationists and vigorous critics of the administration. In fact the colonel is considered the leading isolationist of the midwest, if not of the nation, while the Widow Essary, writing in the Washington Times-Herald, is probably the leading lady isolationist in the nation's capital.

So the President received word of this isolationist romance with considerable interest.

"I wonder," he mused, "what their progeny would be like."

NOTE—Later, Mrs. Essary heard about the President's remark and telephoned one of the White House aides to find out precisely what had been said. She did not comment as to whether the rumor of matrimony was true or untrue, but she showed great feminine curiosity regarding the President's comment.

DAY VS. NIGHT BOMBING

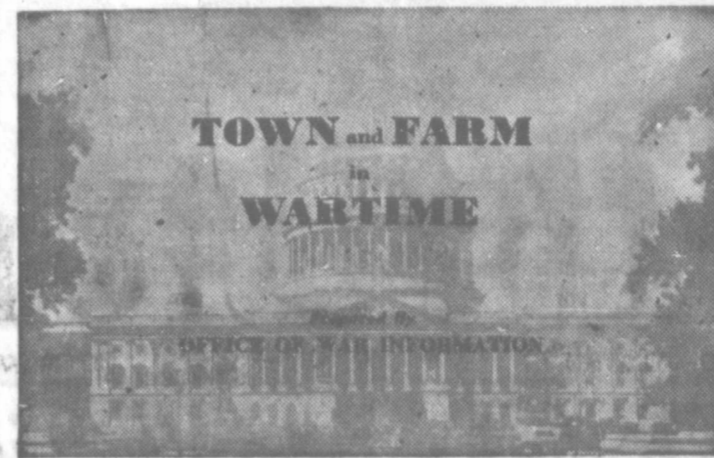
When Churchill and Roosevelt were in Casablanca, the British prime minister had a friendly argument with U. S. air generals regarding the feasibility of daylight bombings. Churchill was against it, arguing that the British system of night bombing was much safer, did more damage to the enemy.

However, latest figures received by the war department show that Gen. Ira Eaker was right in sticking to day bombing. These figures show that U. S. bombers have knocked out Nazi fighter planes at a rate ten times greater than the British.

Here are the figures: In July U. S. airmen destroyed 500 Axis planes, lost 108 bombers of their own. In other words we knocked out five times as many planes as they.

In the same months, the British knocked out 129 enemy planes but lost 253 of their own. In other words, the British lost two planes for every one they knocked down.

The British were operating at night when they could not see the enemy so well, but also when the enemy could not see them. American planes, operating in the daylight, could better detect



URGES CUT IN LABOR DAY TRAVEL

Stay off trains and inter-city busses over Labor Day week end—this is the plea of Joseph B. Eastman, director of the Office of Defense Transportation. Mr. Eastman, in asking the public to spend Labor Day week end at home, said that failure to follow this advice might result in travel congestion worse than that experienced over the Fourth of July week end. Mr. Eastman pointed out that transportation equipment formerly available for holiday travel is now in troop service or used to handle the greatly expanded military and essential civilian traffic.

JOBS TO GUIDE FATHER-DRAFT

After October 1, when drafting of fathers begins, those in non-deferable activities or occupations, regardless of their order numbers, will be the first fathers called for military service. Those who transfer to essential occupations and thus release single men for military service help to decrease the need for drafting fathers. Generally speaking, after October 1, the occupation of an eligible registrant will determine whether he will be inducted or deferred if his number is called. However, the question of hardship to dependents must be given consideration in each case.

MAIL CHRISTMAS GIFTS EARLY

Christmas gifts to naval and marine personnel overseas should be sent between September 15 and November 1. This period has been designated by the Navy department in cooperation with the Post Office department. Parcels must not exceed five pounds in weight.

SAVE ALL FATS

With millions of pounds of waste kitchen fats still needed to meet war demands, Paul C. Cabot, director of WPB Salvage

INFLATION REMEDY

The President has a non-inflationary solution to organize labor's demands for wage increase to meet the higher living costs: namely non-negotiable bonds, payable after the war.

Roosevelt revealed this secret during a confidential talk with R. J. Thomas, president of the United Auto Workers union, on price roll-backs, strikes and the War Labor board's Little Steel formula. Here is the summary of his views:

PRICES—Roosevelt stated that he would make a vigorous attempt to roll back prices. He told Thomas that he would prefer that congress provide the money, but that, failing this, he would use either RFC or Commodity Credit cooperation funds to restore the following food prices to their September, 1942, normal: Meat, canned goods, potatoes, milk and milk products.

It would be difficult, the President said, too difficult, to attempt a rollback of clothing and personal services. He pointed out that the rents have already been rolled back to March 1941.

LITTLE STEEL FORMULA—Roosevelt frankly stated that he was not enthusiastic about any arbitrary ceiling on wages—15 per cent above those prevailing in January, 1941. However, he considered the Little Steel formula the best brake on wage inflation so far proposed.

Instead, the President suggested that the war workers would be much better off, and that the present wage stalemate between labor unions and the WLB could accept non-negotiable bonds, payable after the war, in lieu of wage increases.

CAPITAL CHAFF

Manhattan Banker Jimmy Warburg was not only the mysterious "John Durfee," spanked by the President for calling Victor Emmanuel the "moronic little king," but he also was the fictitious "Wallace Herrick." Warburg has so dominated OWI's foreign broadcast that some OWI's foreign the "Office of Warburg Information."

Division, recently urged housewives to remember that even if accumulated fats become rancid they still retain a majority of the valuable glycerine that goes into war production. Some housewives, believing that rancid fats are valueless, have not been turning them in for salvage. This has resulted in the loss of thousands of pounds of glycerine that could have been processed from these fats.

NEW GASOLINE COUPONS

Car owners who still hold the old type B and C gasoline ration coupon books should exchange them for the new mileage ration sheets of coupons between August 23 and September 1, O. P. A. announced recently. All type B and C coupons become invalid September 1, and gasoline dealers cannot accept them on and after that date. The old type coupons are identified by the words "Permits Delivery of One Unit of Gasoline." The new type say "Mileage Ration" plus a large B or C.

INSIDE EUROPE

Swiss Minister Charles Bruggmann, brother-in-law of Henry Wallace, is probably the only man in the United States who recently passed through Germany.

He not only visited Germany but France as well and also Spain. In France he found the people downcast and downhearted. German soldiers on the streets of Paris went out of their way to be polite to the French people, even got off of the sidewalks if necessary in deference to a French man.

McKNIGHT

Attendance at Sunday School and Church of Christ meeting Sunday was very poor. Some of the folks visited other churches and some just didn't go anywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pegram and children of Quail were in Hedley Saturday afternoon and visited awhile with old neighbors.

Staff Sgt. Melvin Packe and Sgt. Orval Tate from Camp Barkley were visitors in the Tom Tate home over the week end. Other visitors on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark and baby and Mrs. Mattie Clark from Quail. Orval is fairly sure this will be his last trip home for quite awhile, as he is just waiting to be moved.

Mrs. Lillie Messer spent Wednesday with Mrs. Peggie DeBord.

There's going to be music in our community. Ma Perkins has bought a piano. She says she's going to start something.

Mr. and Mrs. Short Sounders and Pete Messer went to Amarillo Monday.

Walter Moss was carried to Dr. Lowell's hospital late Sunday afternoon. He will be able to come

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Beans

So long as a soldier can eat and think up disparaging names for his equipment the Army will do all right. Food is either "beans," or "chow."



"Chow" may consist of a well cooked meal or if circumstances demand our fighting men have learned to subsist on "Ration K," the concentrated food that all of them carry into battle.

With millions of men and women in the services it will require a lot of War Bond buying on our part to keep them happy.

Rationing . . . At A Glance

GASOLINE—"A" book coupons No. 7, good for three gallons since Sunday, midnight Aug. 15, must last through September 21. Within the shortage area "A" book coupons No. 6 are good for three gallons each. "B" and "C" coupons cut to two and one-half gallons in twelve of the Northeastern states of the shortage area. "B" and "C" coupons good for three gallons in the remaining five states of the Eastern shortage area. All gasoline coupons in the possession of car owners must be endorsed with the owner's license number and state of registration.

SUGAR—Stamp No. 14 good for 5 lbs. through October 31. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 are good through October 31 for 5 lbs., each for home canning purposes. Housewives may apply to their local ration boards for more if necessary.

COFFEE—Ration stamps no longer required.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) is valid through October 31.

STOVES—Consumer purchases of rationed stoves must be made with a certificate obtained at local war price and rationing boards.

MEAT, ETC.—Red stamps T, U, V and W valid through August 31. X valid through October 2. Y becomes valid through October 2. Z becomes valid August 29, and both remain valid through October 2.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue Stamps R, S and T remain valid through September 20. U, V and W become valid September 1 and remain valid through October 20.

Please! Sunday visitors in the home Tuesday. Slats DeBord home were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. DeBord also Mr. and Mrs. Cardwell Diggins and Rougenc.

TAX COLLECTOR TO ADVISE PAYERS

If you are required to file a declaration of your estimated income and victory tax for the year 1943 on or before September 15, it will be wise of you to take advantage of a visit to deputy collector C. I. Powell to Clarendon, next Monday, Sept. 6. Deputy Collector Powell will consult with tax payers at the Clarendon Hotel Building (all day) to assist you in preparing your declaration.

Generally speaking, tax payers required to file the September 15th declaration are single persons earning more than \$2700 and married persons earning more than \$3500 from wages of salaries subject to withholding, or those who have incomes of more

than \$100 from sources outside of wages and salaries. Persons whose 1943 wages subject to withholding are reasonably expected to be less than \$2700 in 1942 wages if they were required to file 1942 income tax returns. Heavy penalties are imposed on persons required to file declarations who fail to do so or who fail to pay the required amount of estimated tax on or before September 15. Penalties are also provided for substantial under-estimations of tax due.

Boost YOUR BOND BUYING thru PAYROLL SAVINGS

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

Illustrations and text about war production: 'A SPECIAL WOOL TREATING OIL', 'A PRINT PRESSER WAS CONVERTED INTO A MACHINE THAT DRIES SMALL SURVIVAL PACKS BY A HEAT CONVEYER MANUFACTURER', 'A NEW COMPRESSION CHAMBER HAS SUCCEEDED IN RELIEVING HUNDREDS OF CASES OF SHINIS', 'ENOUGH LUMBER FOR A 4-ROOM HOUSE IS REQUIRED TO CRATE A SMALL ONE BOMBER FOR SHIPMENT', 'ASIDE FROM BEING THE "ARSENAL OF DEMOCRACY" THE UNITED STATES, THANKS TO THE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY, IS ALSO BECOMING THE "DRUG STORE OF THE UNITED NATIONS"'

Balance YOUR FOOD BUDGET at MOREMAN'S

- FRESH VEGETABLES
ARMOUR'S VEGETOLE — 3 lbs. — 59c
VINEGAR — One Gallon — 20c
TOMATOES — Fresh — 1 Pound — 10c
INTERNATIONAL TWINE 50 lbs. \$6.50
CIGARETTES — 2 Pkgs. for — 35c
OLEO — Banner — 1 Pound — 20c
LUNCH MEAT — Assorted — lb. — 30c
BOCLOGNA — 1 Pound — 23c
ARMOUR'S PURE LARD — 2 lbs. 35c
POPT TOASTIES — 3 Boxes for — 25c
LEMONS — 1 Dozen — 30c

FRESH VEGETABLES
Moreman's Hdw. & Grocery

DR. D. H. COX
OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN
Hedley, Texas
PHONE: Office 65—2 rings.
Res. 65—3 rings.

Hedley Lodge No. 991

A. F. and A. M. Meets on the 3rd Thursday night of each month. All members are urged to attend. Visitors are welcome.
G. E. KINSLOW, W. M.
C. E. JOHNSON, Secretary.

METHODIST CHURCH CALENDAR

Church School at 10:00.
Morning Worship 11:00.
Junior League at 8:15 p. m.
Youth Fellowship 8:00.
Evening Worship 8:59.
Mid-Week Service 8:59.

Hedley Lodge No. 413
Hedley Chapter No. 413, O. E. S., meets the first Friday of each month at 8:00 p. m. Members are required to attend. Visitors welcome.
ETHEL KENDALL, W. M.
ETHEL KINSLOW, Sec.

West Baptist Church
REV. M. L. PORTER
Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday.
Sunday School every Sunday.
Visitors Welcome.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Howard Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
N.Y.P.S. 8 p. m.
Evening Message, 9 p. m.
Mid-week Prayer Meeting 9 p. m.

PASTIME THEATRE

LAST TIMES FRIDAY SEPT. 3
ROBERT TAYLOR
—In—
"BATAAN"

SATURDAY ONLY, SEPT. 4
ROY ROGERS
—In—
"SILVER SPURS"
Plus —March of Time

SAT. PREVIEW — SUN. - MON.
Sept. 4-6
Judy Garland and Van Heflin

—In—
"PRESENTING LILY MARS"

TUESDAY ONLY — SEPT. 7
Stewart Erwin and Evelyn Venable

—In—
"HE HIRED THE BOSS"

WED. - THURS. — Sept. 8-9
Otto Kruger and Elissa Landi

—In—
"CORREGIDOR"

COMING

September 11-13—
Alice Faye
—In—
"HELLO FRISCO, HELLO"

COZY

Sat. Only — Sept. 4
CHARLES STARRETT
—In—

"ROBIN HOOD OF THE RANGE"

MRS. ZADIE ADAM BURIED HERE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Zadie Dyer Adam, for 36 years a resident of Donley County, died in her home Tuesday morning, at 2:15 a. m., following a short illness.

Mrs. Adam was born October 8, 1878 at Waco. She joined the Waco Baptist Church at an early age and in 1917 was married to Ernest W. Adam and moved to Clarendon.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Baptist Church with Rev. E. L. Moody officiating.

Special music included two numbers by the choir, "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." "Our Best" sang by the Junior Sunday School department, the department Mrs. Adam taught for many years, and two piano selections by Mrs. Van Kennedy, "The End of a Perfect Day" and "In The Garden."

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. John Dickson has been in Dallas and Fort Worth visiting her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee were visitors at Ashtola on Saturday of last week. They visited an old friend, Mr. Fred Manddrofsky.

John Paul McQueen was in town Saturday. He has returned from training in the ROTC and will make his home in Clarendon with his mother. John will enter school in Clarendon when it begins.

Mrs. Frank Kendall went to Abilene last week to spend a while with her daughter, Mrs. Hinds, Captain and Mrs. Rex S. Kendall and family also went that way on their return to Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. LeRoy Tidrow of Abilene and Mrs. Maxine Summell of Dallas are visiting their sister Mrs. Winfield Moseley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims Rhodes announce the birth of a son, Tuesday night. Mrs. Rhodes is the former Rosalie Grady.

Robert Johnson, now of Memphis was here last week visiting friends.

Vestal Moseley and daughter of Pampa visited home folks last Sunday week. Bettie Jean is spending the week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Moseley.

Mrs. Roxie Wyninoga spent two days in Amarillo the latter part of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Lee Kinslow.

Charles Robinson is recovering from a tonsillectomy of last week, and has returned to his home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Key and family visited home folks here Sunday.

YOU MAKE your living dirt-ing clothes, we make ours cleaning them. — W. M. BIFFLE

CARD OF THANKS

To all my friends who have been so gracious in remembering me with cards and gifts, while I was in the hospital at Quanah, I want to say thank you from the depth of my heart, and may God richly bless you for these remembrances which have meant so much to me.
Mrs. C. R. LeMond.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Baptist Church with Rev. E. L. Moody officiating.

Interment was in the Citizens cemetery of Clarendon under the direction of Buntin Funeral Home. Those surviving are: one son, Frank Dyer Adam, two sisters, Mrs. J. H. Grizzelle of DeLeon and Mrs. Tom Trent of Waco, and two brothers, Robert Dyer of Dallas, and Joe Dyer of San Antonio.

BRAND NEW 1943 Household RUBBER GLOVES 69 cents per pair 2 pair allowed each Customer
STOCKING'S DRUG STORE
Clarendon, Texas
(OUR 59TH YEAR)

FOR Emergency Ambulance
IN CASE OF ACCIDENT OR SICKNESS ON THE HIGHWAY OR AT HOME
Phone 94, Hedley
A WOMACK SERVICE
Attendants Are Trained In FIRST AID.

Week-End Specials

WE HAVE PLENTY OF NICE FRESH VEGETABLES

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| TOMATOES Wapco — Can 13c | SALAD DRESSING Suzan 35c | SWEET CORN First Prize — can 14c |
| MUSTARD Red Boy — quart 13c | Carolene Milk 3 for 28c | V-8 VEGETABLE JUICES. 9c |
| OLIVES 6-oz. — Spanish 29c | QUICK QUAKER OATS 10c | PEANUT BUTTER Joy — 1 pound 29c |
| O'CEDAR POLISH 12-ounce. 48c | HY LO Cleaning Powder 19c | CHICKEN SOUP Brimful 12c |
| Philips Delicious Mixed Vegetables 12c | Woodbury's Soap 4 bars for 29c | VITA YAM CAN 31c |

VISIT OUR MEAT MARKET

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| KRAFT DINNER 3 for 29c | BULK LARD 1b 17c |
| BOILING MEAT — 1b 15c | TREET 43c |
| PURE PORK SAUSAGE 1b 34c | FRESH SIDE PORK 1b 27c |

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Trained pharmacy is the "right arm" of medicine. No doctor can do you good without a careful pharmacist filling his prescriptions.
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COMPARE OUR PRICES AND SAVE THE DIFFERENCE


REAL SAVINGS on the Finest FOODS!

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| SUPER SUDS — Large | 24c |
| POST TOASTIES — Large — 2 for | 27c |
| P. A. TOBACCO — box | 10c |
| LEMONS — Nice and juicy — dozen | 33c |
| OATS — 5 pounds | 32c |
| GREEN BEANS — No. 2 can | 12c |
| WAXED PAPER — large roll | 22c |
| COFFEE — Schillings — 2 lb. | 65c |
| FLOUR — Flaky Bake — 24 lb. | \$1.09 |
| CRACKERS, Krispy — 2 lb box | 33c |
| ROYAL PUDDING — Box | 7 1/2c |
| CATSUP — Wapco | 15c |
| BINDER TWINE ball — \$1.25; sack | \$6.75 |
| SWAN SOAP — bar | 11c |

MEAT PRICES are LOWER Here!

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| CHOPPED HAM — can | 43c |
| OLEO — gem — 1 pound | 20c |
| ROAST — 1 pound | 22c |
| KRAFT DINNER — 2 for | 19c |
| PORK STEAK — 1 pound | 33c |
| LIVER — Fresh — 1 pound | 23c |

LABOR



Never before, has a nation preparing for the worst and hoping for the best leaned more heavily on LABOR.

A modern war calls for ships, tanks, planes and other implements of war as well as food and clothing.
As we prepare to make an end of this war, let us pause a minute and pay tribute to the men and women who have labored to make America strong.
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