



Indio, Calif. Camp Young.

Dear Holford: Get the mailing galleys out and change it again. I received the Hico paper yesterday and read all including the adv. Tell me they don't read the ads! I read it by candle light as we do not have electricity in my tent yet. I am in the same camp but have been moved up to Headquarters Company. They sent me as well as 235 other privates here from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., out to this desert to build airports and runways. However before I could get to work they put me in Headquarters Company and gave me a job as typist in the Battalion Headquarters Office.

I am in the desert which is plenty hot and dry but admit I like it better than Ft. Wood where it rained every day but ten while I was there. There were about 75 men arrive in here this morning from the good old state of Texas. I will type all the names this afternoon and hope to be able to type several I know. I saw the Cathey boy from Hamilton the other day, he being the only one I know out here. Probably there are several more but have not seen them. It is like trying to find some one in Chicago if you don't know their address. You are just lucky to run on to them.

This camp is like the name—Young. Two months ago there was not a tent on this desert, but it is building up fast. My company will probably move into new quarters in about three weeks which will be much nicer than what we have now.

Will close and get to work.

PVT. EDW. H. HENRY.

P. S.: Sorry to hear you lost Forgy. For the trouble of changing the address tell my wife I said you could have sack of popcorn on the house.—E. H. H.

Dear Edward:

From the way you get around. I believe someone in Hico had your number when they gave you the nom de plume of "Hurricane Henry." But if you will continue to keep us informed of your address, we'll make every effort to see that the mailing list is changed accordingly—and no free popcorn on the house, for your wife works too hard to be giving that away. Really, E. H., we all miss you here, but everyone admires Mrs. H. for the way she carries on while you are on your vacation. She stays in a good humor, always smiling, and at first one might get the idea that she doesn't even miss you. But when she comes down to get something to send to you, and brightens up at the mention of your name, we know that she's just being a good soldier—like you were when you made your arrangements to turn the picture show over to her and see what could be done about the Fight For Freedom. Last week she came in and got some typing paper to send to you along with your typewriter, and seems to enjoy humoring your every whim and fancy. Which is what makes her world go 'round, after all, isn't it?

One of our subscribers has kicked about my filling this column with personal messages, saying he feels like he's being cheated as he refuses to read other people's mail. So I might tell you a few things that are going on around here since I have learned that people don't eavesdrop.

The local post of the American Legion was called upon last week to do military honors at the funeral of a Red Cross nurse who at one time lived here. The call was relayed to Stephenville for assistance. The way it worked out there were 8 members of that post present, and one from Hico. O. W. Hefner Sr., father of two boys in the service. You probably read in the paper where the Hico post was assisted by Stephenville. Well, I bet Midge thought the visitors were really lots of "assistance" for he'd have had a hard time of it by himself.

Dr. Pepper fiends are drinking theirs on the 10th, 2nd, and 4th of each month, while Coca Cola is harder to get than that. Sugar and tires are rationed, and the home folks are squawking about civilian sacrifices and high prices. I believe Hico people are coming as near doing their part as anyone, for I hear lots of static and criticism from other parts of the country. And I see in the papers where Texas and Hico are ahead on the fat war bond quota, while the fat politicians and get-rich-quick war workers at Washington, drawing enormous salaries, are minus 3.5 per cent on their quota through May. And so it goes.

Hico lost a good organizer and roustler when you went to the Army. There's always something coming up that demands the attention of a public-spirited citizen, and we're having a hard time finding someone with the time and inclination to grab hold of these thankless tasks. I can say this, for I have become an expert dodger myself.

Harry Pinson has appointed me his campaign manager to see that he not be re-elected to a certain political post to which he was appointed last month. Knowing my unenviable success along these lines in the recent past, you'll probably agree that he picked well. Last week I breezed out on an

General Doolittle Honored at Banquet



Brig. Gen. James Doolittle, on his first official visit to New York since he led the bombing raid on Tokyo, was the guest of honor at a reception and dinner. General Doolittle is pictured here (center) with a lowered replica of the plane he flew when he bombed Tokyo. Eddie Rickenbacker (left) and Paul V. McNutt, head of the war manpower commission, look on.

County Farmers Will Double AAA Revenue Over 1941

Hamilton County farmers will have twice as much money for soil-building work this year than in 1941, Chairman E. H. Couch of the Hamilton County AAA Committee, said last week.

The soil-building allowance for the county under the 1942 program is approximately \$116,299 as compared with \$44,975 under last year's program. Shifting a portion of AAA payments, which formerly were made for seeding within special acreage allotments, accounts for the increase.

Shortage of labor, equipment and machinery probably can be offset if conservation practices are started earlier than usual. Instead of waiting until the last two or three weeks of the program year to carry out conservation practices, work should be completed in plenty of time to earn maximum payments this year, Mr. Couch said.

Practical conservation practices which may be carried out during the next few weeks include terracing, contouring, building tanks, and reservoirs, and planting non-leguminous green manure or cover crops. Failure of Hamilton County farmers to carry out extensive soil-building practices not only will result in loss of soil fertility but will seriously hinder food and feed production in the war program, Couch asserted.

"Conservation always has been a sound farming policy. This year it's a wartime necessity," the chairman said.

Work Under Way On New Telephone Directory for Hico

Oscar Burton, president and general manager of the Gulf States Telephone Company, has announced that work was started this week on the preparation of a new directory for Hico. The new book is to be made up with the latest style of standard directory listing type and in both appearance and usefulness will present a big improvement over directories published here in the past.

The new book is under the supervision of Millard Gates, directory manager for the company. He is a former resident of Carlton, and at one time was editor and publisher of the Carlton Citizen, a newspaper published there some few years ago.

The new directory will be printed under the supervision of the News Review commercial printing department.

advertising solicitation tour, and called on six prospects. I came back to the office without any ad copy, but upon checking up found I'd brought a hat and a pot roast, and was on a deal for 8 pigs and some hog-proof fencing. How's that for salesmanship in reverse?

Hope you get some more of the local boys in your camp, as your paper now goes in a single wrapper. When I was a kid growing up in a print shop, I promised myself that if I ever had a paper of my own I'd never wrap another single Now each week in the wee, small hours of the morning, after all the other work's done, I have to wrap more singles than I ever did in a month before. That's the irony of life, isn't it?

Thanks for your letter, Private Henry, and if you don't hear from me again before you're a general just remember that the old man has lots of work to do. Having been in this game yourself, you know what I mean.

Regards, and best of luck. R. L. H.

Death Last Friday Took Citizen of County 65 Years

Mrs. Mary Melton, 85-year-old Hamilton County resident, succumbed last Friday morning at 11 o'clock, at her home in the east part of town, after a long illness. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Hico Baptist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ralph E. Perkins. Pallbearers were her grandsons.

Mrs. Melton was born July 21, 1857, in Coryell County and her father, John Carnes, deceased, was the first man to sell merchandise in Gatesville. She was married at the age of 16 to Eliza Melton, who came to Gatesville when he was 12 years old from Arkansas. They made their home in Gatesville several years after they married before moving to this section 65 years ago. At that time there was no Hico, and later Mr. Melton helped build a number of the rock business houses in Hico.

Six children were born to this union, of which four survive: Austin Melton, Port Gibson, Miss.; and Mrs. P. A. Watts, Mrs. Lora Jenkins, and Miss Myrtle Melton, all of Hico.

During her suffering Mrs. Melton bore her affliction cheerfully, and evidenced that pioneer spirit with which she was so generously endowed. During her residence in Hico she had been a true friend and neighbor to all, and many heartaches at news of her death came from remembrance of visits in her home where old and young alike were always welcome.

Among those from out of town who attended the services were: Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Melton, Port Gibson, Miss.; Mrs. Robert Dockery, Jackson, Miss.; Mrs. Guy Melton and children, Guy, Mary, and Joyce, all of Waco; Miss Willie Jenkins, Midland; Mrs. B. O. Weems, Rotan; Mrs. Willie Sanders, Coleman; Mrs. Frankie Portune, Bangs; Rev. Bob Jenkins, family and Mrs. Rufus Taylor, Alexander; Bradford Corrigan and Mrs. Davie Corrigan, Hamilton; Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Smith, Waco; Waukie Ogle, Patry; and Mrs. Wilena Sherrod, Claiborne.

Democrats of This Precinct Will Convene Saturday

Harry T. Pinson, appointed recently to serve as precinct Democratic chairman in the absence of Frank Fallis, previously filling that office, calls attention of Democrats to the precinct convention which will be held in the City Hall Auditorium starting at 2 p. m. election day.

Matters of importance will be transacted at this convention, and delegates elected to the county convention, Pinson, who points out that he is filling out an unexpired term in the office and is not a candidate for election on the regular ticket, asks that as many Democrats as can possibly arrange to do so be on hand for the convention, which will require only a short time.

Election supplies have been received, he said, and everything is in readiness for the opening of the polls at 8 a. m. Saturday, July 25. Voting will cease at 7 p. m. time set for close of the polls.

Ten per cent of your income in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.

WITH THE COLORS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson, Hico Route 6, have received a letter from their son, Raymond, who is now overseas. They passed the following information on to the News Review: "After six weeks we have received a letter from our son, Raymond. He stated he was fine and was getting mail. He said Ireland was a very beautiful country, with little birds singing sweetly. But it was a long way from home and he hoped some time in the future he could come home to see us all and go fishing on Honey Creek."

Jerry S. Dorsey, inducted into the army last month and stationed for a time at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, is now at Camp Sibert, Ala., according to advice received here by his mother and sister.

A subscription to this paper has been entered for Pvt. Leslie Patterson, now stationed at Inglewood, California. Friends here will be interested to learn that Leslie is interested to learn that Leslie is enemy Movieland, while his friendly enemy, S. J. Cheek Jr., is up in the tall and uncut of the North Woods.

Jewel Ramage, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage of Fredell, who graduated at Texas A. & M. College last June, is now with the quartermasters corps, stationed at Camp Warren, near Cheyenne, Wyoming. His brother, Jhumie, also a student at A. & M., is continuing his studies through the summer session.

In changing the address of their paper from Killen to McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Pierce told also about the present location of some more homefolks. Odom (Buck) Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Russell, is located at Camp Shelby, Miss. He is visiting his parents this week. R. J. Russell, another son, is in a camp in California. Marvin Pierce has been transferred from Camp Wallace near Galveston to Camp Halen, near Palacios, Texas. He is a son of the late H. W. Pierce and Mrs. Louisa Pierce, now of Lorraine, Texas.

A letter received from Pvt. Lloyd G. Bullard by his sister, Mrs. J. E. Massengale, states that he is fine; still gets three meals a day and sleeps well at night, in spite of the hot weather. He has been in Australia about four months. This was the first letter received from him since Jan. 12. He said he thought he would see homefolks before long. He has many friends here who will be glad to hear that he is safe.

Durward Lane, who left Hico two weeks ago for training in the Naval Reserve, has arrived at Camp Allen, Norfolk, Va., according to Mrs. Lane, who is remaining here with her parents and other relatives and friends for the present. Mrs. Lane said the barracks at Durward's new location were not air-conditioned, and that he was having a touch of good old Texas weather.

Guy Willie, a graduate of Hico High School and former student at Tarleton College, is now attending an officers' training school at Fort Benning, Ga., according to information received here by relatives. His brother, Jim B. Willie, former star athlete at Tarleton, is stationed at Ft. Knox, Kentucky, with the U. S. Army. It is reported that "Big Jim" wanted to transfer to the Air Corps but was overweight and was told that he would have to reduce. Instead he gained 12 pounds on the first effort at reducing, and at last reports was still in the regular army.

Mrs. John W. Lane, whose last letter from her son, Irvin, arrived May 24, received a cablegram from him in Australia Wednesday morning. The message, dated in July, said: "Dear Mother, I'm well and feeling fine. Hope to hear from you soon."

Pvt. Charles W. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. White of Hico, who trained at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, arrived at Camp Carson, Colorado, last Thursday, according to information received by his parents here. Pvt. White says he is very lonesome and would like to have letters from his friends in this section. His address is Pvt. Charles White, Hq. Det., 1st Bat., 255th Inf., Camp Carson, Colorado.

Mrs. Eva Hodnett, whose son, R. J. Hodnett, was injured early in the war but whose injuries confined him to the hospital only 9 days, now gets his mail in care of the postmaster, New York, according to his mother, who has not heard from him recently.

Another son, William Hodnett, (Continued on Page 5)

AEF in New Caledonia on Venison Diet



The American regulars on the French South Pacific Isle of New Caledonia augment their regular rations with venison, which they kill themselves. Deer are so plentiful here as to be almost a nuisance. This party of hunters has just bagged and dressed a 225-pound deer, and are about to return to camp with the "boson" in their jeep car.

Dept. of Agriculture Calling On Farmers To Aid Production

The United States Department of Agriculture, working through the Farm Security Administration, is calling upon land owners who rent land to tenants to help promote production of vital foodstuffs by making long term leases to low income renters.

Financial assistance as well as help in planning and carrying out some farming programs is being extended by FSA to low income families who cannot obtain adequate credit elsewhere.

In most cases where FSA makes a loan to a tenant family, their assets are extremely small, according to Wilburn H. Denham, FSA Rural Supervisor for Hamilton County. For that reason, most loans are repayable over a three to five year period, he said, and insurance is necessary that the borrower can remain on the same farm—at least the life of the loan.

Every effort is being made to utilize the loan power represented by these low-income families in the War food production program; surveys having shown that they can contribute heavily to the necessary supply of vital commodities.

The leases proposed by the USDA are extremely flexible. If the landlord will read one of the leases and permit us to explain the terms he will find that there is nothing objectionable in them. The lease can be adjusted to fit most any situation and is fair and beneficial both to the landlord and to the tenant. It provides that the tenant shall work the farm properly, and any failure to do so constitutes a breach of contract. It also provides that, in case of the death of either party, the lease may be terminated by the other party at the end of the crop year.

If the landlord is requested to rent his land to an FSA borrower, the supervisor would appreciate it if he would show the courtesy of providing an opportunity for the officials to explain what they can do to make a long-term lease beneficial to both parties to the agreement. They need the landlord's cooperation in their efforts to rehabilitate low-income farm families in Hamilton County and to bring them within American agriculture's war effort.

The FSA office in Hamilton County is located in the Hamilton County Court House, third floor.

Damage Slight In Saturday Blaze At Local Ice Plant

Sounding shortly before 6 p. m. last Saturday, the fire siren summoned the fire department to the local plant of Bell Ice & Cold Storage Company, where a blaze was more spectacular than damaging. A large crowd of late afternoon shoppers assembled and speculation was rife for a time as to the possibility of the fire being able to put the fire out. Huge billows of black smoke indicated that the interior was an inferno, but it later developed that the greater portion of the blaze was on the roof, where composition roofing burned briskly.

Information from the office of Arthur Haas, local manager, was to the effect that damage was largely confined to the roof, although some damage was done inside before the blaze was extinguished, mainly to the hoist.

Men are dying for the Four Freedoms. The least we can do here at home is to buy War Bonds—10% for War Bonds, every pay day.

July Meeting Of Hico C. of C. Due Next Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Hico Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Russell Hotel next Tuesday evening, July 28, beginning at 8:30 o'clock with the customary meal, according to announcement from S. W. Everett, chairman of the arrangements committee.

Several important items are on the program for discussion. It is said, and it is hoped to have as good an attendance as possible for the discussion of current matters which are considered of vital interest to Hico and community.

Several of the members will be absent necessarily on account of acceptance of an invitation from the Glen Rose Chamber of Commerce to meet with members of that body in a party being given to celebrate the completion of the Chalk Mountain Road. The Glen Rose Reporter in its issue last week referred to the joint meeting as follows:

"C. A. Bridges, who is among those who have been sponsors of the Hico-Chalk Mountain-Glen Rose Highway for many years, was present and gave a detailed account of the project from its inception to the present time. The purpose of the discussion was to lay plans for a party the Chamber of Commerce members are giving to the Hico membership of the C. of C. for their effort in securing the road. In addition to the delegation from Hico a number of road men and county executives will be invited. The party will be held on Tuesday night, July 28, and admittance will be by ticket. All active members of the Glen Rose Chamber of Commerce and their ladies and friends will be contacted."

Services Sunday At Baptist Church For Postal Employees

Sunday morning service at the Hico Baptist Church is dedicated to postal employees, according to announcement this week by the pastor, Rev. Ralph E. Perkins. This is the birthday of the postal department. Special seats will be reserved for these officials and their families. This service is for all who are now employed or have ever been in the past in service for the government.

"It is the desire of the church," Rev. Perkins said, "for all mail carriers, clerks, assistants, and the former postmasters and carriers, either retired or ex-service men and women, be present at this service dedicated to the forgotten army of messengers of good tidings. This service is for all and not just those who have been connected with the Hico office."

"Through all kinds of weather and over all types of roads these carriers push onward each day, serving all boxes possible to reach. Always giving service with a smile."

The church would like to have all the rural folk who are served by R. F. D. to be present at 11 o'clock, the pastor said. The sermon will be, "And He Brought the Message."

Dublin Radio Station Folding Radio Station KPPL in Dublin, Texas, went out of business officially last week because of shortage of operators and equipment when the Federal Communications Commission cancelled the license held by C. C. Baxter, deleted the call letters, and closed the station. Baxter had requested the action, after having obtained permission on April 20 for the station to remain silent because of war-caused shortages. KPPL broadcasted on a frequency of 1340 kilocycles with 250 watts power day time and 100 watts night time.

Keeping Up With TEXAS

What Do You Want to Know? Did you know that the service of a full-fledged library is as close to you as your own post office? The University of Texas Extension Loan Library has 5,244 "package libraries" all ready to be mailed out at the drop of a 3-cent stamp, or even a penny postcard! These packages of reading or study material are permanent collections of newspaper and magazine clippings and folders, leaflets and bulletins from all sources on 5,244 different topics ranging from the agriculture of Russia to women of Turkey. In addition, the Library will make up a package library from its files on any given subject. It has a total of 72,029 clippings and pamphlets, 73,729 periodicals and 3,297 books from which to draw.

Texas Hens Doing Their Bit The Texas hen is doing her part in the Food-for-Victory campaign. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported June shipments of eggs from Texas totaled 1,349 carloads compared with 491 a year ago. Lease-lend and army food requirements were responsible for the increase.

This Mail Carrier Went Thru Bill Tension, rural mail carrier at Silverton, had a good Fourth of July. Instead of taking his day off, as was his right, he made a bargain with his patrons that if they would make a special effort toward buying bonds and gathering rubber, he would bring their mail, even though it was a holiday. Bill Wired Washington for permission and carried the mail. And folks bought stamps and bonds—\$108.25 worth. He told them to pile their rubber at their mail boxes and he would take it in for them, Monday alone, he brought 171 pounds of rubber.

Another Dallas Law to Break Mama, keep your baby out of the grocery store go-carts maintained for the use of shoppers. It's against the law now, in dear old Dallas. Nothing to do with legislation or priorities. It's just un-savory, says Health Officer Dr. J. D. Storekeepers will be responsible for keeping babies out of the groceries and violations of the act will be handled in court.

Damyankeer Story From Camp This is a brand new story out of Camp Swift, vowed on good authority to be true. A northern general came down for a visit. The southern general who took him on tour began to laud our noble band of heroes in Texas—Bowie, Travis, Crockett, Houston. The northern general listened for a while, then said, "Well, you might have a few heroes, but you don't have a Paul Revere." The southern general thought a moment, then replied, "Oh, you mean that fellow who rode around all night hollering for help? No. We don't have any of them, suh."

Is This the Nig We Used to Know? Curtis (Nig) Halloway, who holds the two posts of fire marshal and driver for the Itasca fire department, is suffering a personal loss and a blow to his professional pride. Halloway had to drive the truck out of the fire station to put out his own fire, which destroyed household goods in the living quarters provided for him and his family at the station. He carried no insurance on personal effects lost in the blaze.

100,000th Well Drilled Texas celebrated last week the drilling of its 100,000th producing oil well. The new producer is Hollandsworth No. 1 Baker, 10 miles southeast of Greenville in Hunt county. It was brought in June 23 and flowed 286 barrels of 35.5 gravity oil the first 24 hours from 2779 feet. The oil sand is 12 feet thick.

Red Cross Work May Be Hot, but 'Not Like Egypt'

Every Thursday and Saturday from 3 to 5 p. m. until further notice the Red Cross room next door to the City Hall will be open. On hand at present are some 300 yards of material to be made into blouses. The sewing is simple and construction very easy.

The Red Cross needs your help. If every woman who can sew will make one or two blouses, we will soon have our quota complete with no hardship on anyone. We must finish this supply at once to be ready for the next call. You say it is hot—to be sure it is—it is hot on the sands of Egypt also. Let's do our part on the home front. MRS. MARVIN MARSHALL, Sewing Chairman.





# Re-Elect C. E. EDMISTON for DISTRICT CLERK

IF YOU BELIEVE IN HELPING A MAN WHO IS TRYING TO HELP HIMSELF (Pol. Adv.)



## My Dear Friends and Fellow Citizens of Hamilton County:

Since our Nation is engaged in the most bitter struggle of its existence, which you know as well as I, and that we are urged to conserve transportation and everything else that is not essential to life and to winning the war; then too, I am employed by you to manage your school affairs; therefore I could not, with justice to you, take the time off duty to see each of you personally to ask for your assistance.

Many of you I have seen and many of you I have not seen, and probably will not be able to see. May I just say this to all of you. I do appreciate your confidence in me in the past, and trust that I merit your continued support. To each of you who I fail to see, please consider this brief message as my earnest appeal for your favor.

To vote for Bert Patterson, you vote for experienced, faithful and efficient service to the schools of Hamilton County.

## Bert C. Patterson

Candidate For

## County School Superintendent HAMILTON COUNTY

(Pol. Adv.) 8-2c



Washington, D. C. (NWNS)—The man of average income will pay from two to three times as much income tax next year as he did this year, if the new tax bill, finally approved by the ways and means committee of the house of representatives, becomes law. It is expected that there will be changes in the tax measure and that there may be considerable delay in its passage, but it is quite possible that the income tax part may remain about as the committee has written it. If it does, a man with an income of \$3,000 who has two dependents would pay \$175 as compared with the \$58 which he paid this year, the man with an income of \$5,000 and two dependents would pay \$570 instead of \$271 and the man with an income of \$10,000 would pay \$1,880 instead of \$1,117.

The proposal to limit incomes to \$25,000, which has been pushed by labor leaders, was dropped by the committee, although the tax on big incomes is now so high that a man would have to earn over \$50,000 a year to keep an income of \$25,000 and if his income was \$100,000 he would only be able to keep around \$35,000 of it. That, of course, is before consideration of state and other taxes, so that it is quite likely that the man of \$100,000 income would not be able to retain more than \$25,000.

The bill lowers exemptions so that any single person earning \$500 instead of \$750, and any married man earning \$1,200 instead of \$1,500 would be subject to a tax.

Although the new income taxes are very high, the tax bill in which they are included comes far short of the minimum amount which the secretary of the treasury said should be collected in taxes this year.

In addition to individual income taxes, which, it is estimated, would yield approximately \$3,000,000,000, the new revenue bill also calls for about \$3,200,000,000 from corporation taxes and \$800,000,000 from excise taxes.

More costly to the people than income tax will be inflation, it is the belief of many here, unless Leon Henderson and his Office of Price Administration, are permitted to carry on with their price control program. Although the OPA was created by congressional action, and although there are few in either house who will deny that price control is essential to keep prices from skyrocketing, the house and senate are still refusing to give Mr. Henderson the funds he claims he must have to carry on.

It is evident here that this cut in OPA funds has nothing to do with an economy move on the part of congress but is being made to punish Mr. Henderson for not appointing the men the politicians wanted for OPA jobs.

In a statement explaining that the OPA would lose all control over prices if it is curbed as congress has proposed, Mr. Henderson emphasized his stand on the political angle when he said:

"We have attempted and are attempting to recruit loyal and competent Americans strictly in accordance with the price control act which specifies that all appointments shall be on the basis of merit and efficiency and that no political test or qualification shall be permitted or given consideration." Evidently congress is annoyed because the head of the OPA took seriously those clauses which congress wrote merely for window-dressing.

Mr. Henderson is greatly disturbed over amendments approved by the senate committee on appropriations which would put the appointment of all jobs calling for salaries of over \$4,500 in the hands of the President and would give the secretary of agriculture the right to over-rule any price regulation affecting a product made from farm commodities. On the amendment to give Secretary Wickard control over prices related to farm goods, Mr. Henderson said:

"The amendment in question was drafted and proposed by the American Farm Bureau Federation. It is part of a co-ordinated program by that organization to destroy effective price control, not only on farm commodities, but on all things made from farm products. I am confident that the vast majority of farmers themselves repudiate completely these attacks upon the war effort."

In view of congress' obvious political considerations in practically every move it is making as the election draws nearer, it is interesting to note one of Senator Barkley's recent talks in defense of congress in which he said: "I urge that congress be judged by its total accomplishments in this great crisis and not by two or three short-sighted or foolish things it may have fallen into. As it has arisen magnificently to the requirements of its position on all great problems in the past in spite of contests and opposition, it will do so now and in the future in spite of contests and opposition."

If Texas is to reap the full benefit from college educations for which Texas taxpayers have paid the bill, Texas industry and business must offer graduates jobs equal to those in other states, a writer in the University-of-Texas-edited Personal Review declares.

## IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Miss Markie Tidwell of Dallas spent the week end here with relatives.

Bascom Mitchell Jr. was in the Stephenville Hospital the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brashear of Abilene spent the week end with his mother.

Mr. Joel Hudson has rheumatism and suffers a great deal from it. He isn't confined to his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ellison of Honolulu are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Loader. She is Mrs. Loader's cousin.

Mrs. R. Y. Patterson and daughter, Mrs. Wingren of Burnet, are in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Potter and daughter of Meridian and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grimes and baby of Clifton were here Saturday.

Several of the candidates were here Saturday from Meridian. Mrs. Helen Mingsus of San Antonio is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Hanshaw, and other relatives.

Miss Dorothy Nell Jaehne and G. W. Wilson, both of Fort Worth, were married there July 13. Mrs. Wilson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jaehne, has lived here several years, graduated from high school here in 1928, and has been working in Fort Worth for some time. G. W. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Wilson, who have lived here for some time. He finished high school here in 1942, went to Fort Worth to the aircraft school, and now is working in the Globe bombing plant. They have the best wishes of their friends.

Mrs. Fred McIlheney and baby of Beaumont visited his aunt, Miss Annie McIlheney, and his sister, Mrs. W. W. Oldham, recently. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Chessnut, from Dallas.

Charles Miller of Tulsa, Oklahoma, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hugh Harris, and other relatives. Faye Falls visited relatives in Waco this week.

Mrs. Dorothy Clepper and children of Dallas spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Mrs. Hugh Harris returned Friday from San Antonio, where she visited her new granddaughter, Nancy Caroline Petty. She reports her as a fine baby. Her son, Bob, brought her home and will be here a week.

Jimmie Ramage, who is in summer school at A. & M., spent the week end at home.

Mrs. John Miller has returned from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she visited her son, Watson, and family.

Miss Faye Hensley left Sunday for San Antonio, where she will visit her sister, Miss Louise.

Mr. Patterson visited his wife at Stamford this week. He went Friday and returned Saturday night. Susie also went and remained for a few days longer.

Miss Doris Helm has returned from summer school at Austin, where she went for six weeks.

Mrs. Arthur Gunn of Killeen is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smith, and other relatives.

Leslie Stroud is visiting his brother, Clarence. He has been in the Navy for two years.

Miss Hyacinth Holt of Fort Worth spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. Lee Hudson.

Mrs. Barrow of Waco visited her niece, Mrs. Pike, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Echols of Killeen spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Plummer and daughter of McGregor spent the week end here.

The Baptist meeting closed Sunday night. There were 47 joined, and 27 of them were baptized. There were large crowds at every service. Mr. James Tucker gave the Booster Band a picnic Friday afternoon and all had a fine time. Remember, Friday night, July 24, the Methodist revival will start.

Miss Stella Jones spent Tuesday night and part of Wednesday with Mrs. Burson, who lives south of town. I enjoyed my visit very much.

Some of the men and boys of the Methodist Church cleaned off the church lawn Monday morning, and it sure looks nice.

A miscellaneous shower was given to Mrs. Pat Poina Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Homer Woody, Mrs. J. L. Tidwell

got up a short war play, which was very comical and which all enjoyed. Four young ladies sang some songs, with Mrs. Emmett Howard at the piano. The gifts were nice and all very useful and Theta thanked one and all. Some of her relatives and friends from out of town were there. All had a fine time. Punch was served to the guests as they arrived.

Mrs. Jake Brumley and baby left Saturday for the state of Kansas, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gosdin.

Paul Patterson of Fort Worth visited homefolks here Monday and part of Tuesday.

The W. M. S. met Monday at 2:30 with a large attendance and a good meeting. All the ladies and others be sure to come back next Monday.

Some repair work is being done on the Methodist parsonage, getting it ready for the preacher and his family to move in this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Huckabay and children of Hillsboro spent the week with his parents.

Mrs. Bill Moore and two children of Chalk Mountain spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper.

Tom Newman Jr. and his sister, Etta Marie, returned Sunday from Colorado City, where they have been for some time.

Marlene Newman is in the children's hospital in Dallas.

Mrs. Sally French received word over the phone Sunday night that her brother, Bob Newton, had died. He lived in Plainview. She has the sympathy of her friends.

The highest mean annual temperature recorded at any Texas station is 74 degrees Fahrenheit at Rio Grande City in Starr County. The minimum is approximately 54 degrees, as recorded at Dalhart in the upper Panhandle.

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## EARL HUDDLESTON SAYS HE WILL CONTINUE TO SERVE THE PEOPLE OF HIS DISTRICT IF RE-ELECTED



To the People of Hico and Surrounding Territory:

I am sure most of you know that I have offered for Representative of the 94th District, having announced the first of this year through the county papers.

I do not feel that it is necessary for me to make a lengthy statement to you at this time because practically everyone in the district knows me and knows the type of service which I have rendered during the time I have served as your Representative. I have endeavored at all times to render honest and faithful service while in Austin and also between sessions.

I think we are all agreed that the most important thing we have to do at present is to aid in winning the war against the Axis Powers who are seeking to destroy our free way of life. I pledge you that if you elect me as your Representative that I will work with the citizens, the County, State and National Officials to this end. I favor doing everything possible to protect and aid our boys and men in service.

Although we must do all we can to aid the war effort, we must carry on here at home the best we can. We must continue to care for the unfortunate, educate our youth,

care for the aged, and keep our State Government and business functioning as well as possible; however I think we are all agreed that this should be done in a sensible and sound way as possible. If I am chosen as your Representative it shall be my policy to counsel with you the citizens of our County. State Officials in solving said problems. It is my honest opinion that if we are to survive this present crisis that we must have a united effort on the part of every citizen to accomplish the same.

On account of war conditions I am not attempting to campaign as usual. I mean by handing out cards and driving my car contacting the people. I have, like all other good citizens, been trying to do all I can to aid our war efforts. I have spent much of my time in this way and in attending to the duties of my office which have been more since the war started—feeling that these things are more important at this time. However I am trying to take my message to the people through our county papers which are read by practically every one. So I hope you take this as a personal solicitation and I assure each of you that I will appreciate your support and if you choose me as your Representative for the next two years I will give my best in serving you and the district and state in this critical time.

Sincerely,  
EARL HUDDLESTON,  
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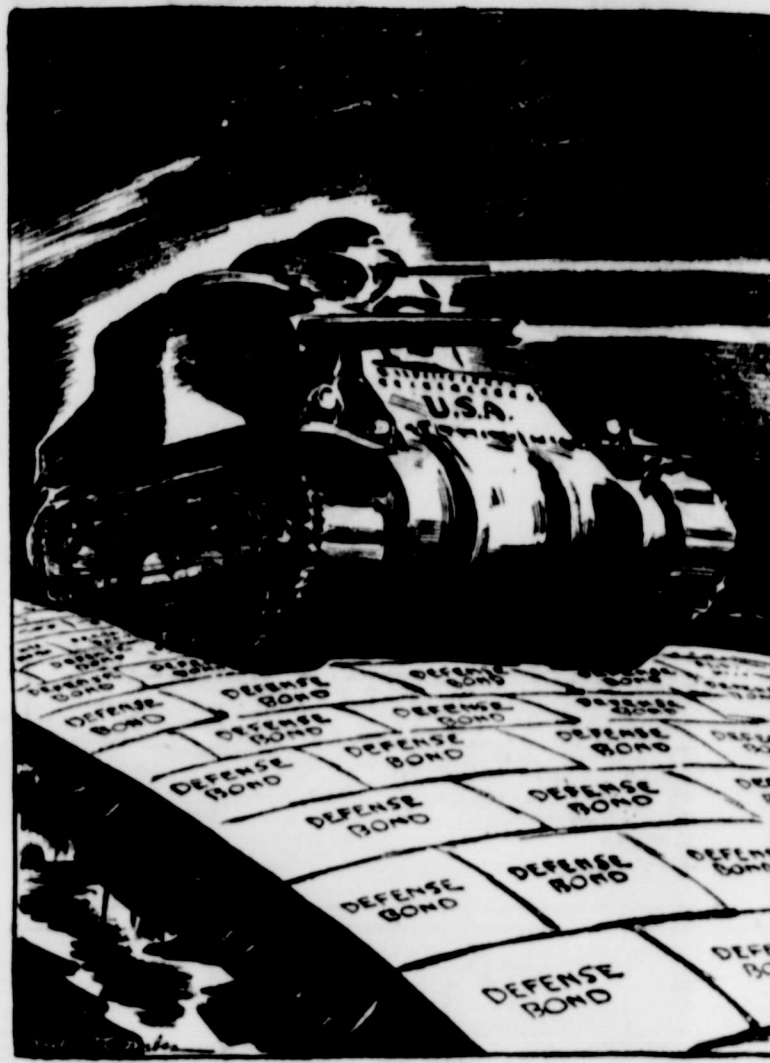
I have tried to see each voter in the county and solicit your support but owing to the many duties of the Assessor-Collector's office I may have failed to contact you. If I have failed to see any voter I wish to take this method to solicit your vote in the coming election. I have made an effort to serve the people of this county in every way possible and feel that my experience will make me fit to serve you better in the future.

Thanking each of you for your kind consideration in the past and soliciting your vote in the coming election, I am

## O. R. Williams

**CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION TO THE OFFICE OF ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR HAMILTON COUNTY, TEXAS**

## PAVE THE WAY



Wildcat Courier various sources of Standard Press.

## Falls Creek

By Virginia Coston

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths and daughter, Judith Sharon, of Hico spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths.

We are sorry to report that Grandmother Chumney hasn't improved any over last week. Those who visited her Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Chumney of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hatchett and Mr. and Mrs. Omer Cook and family, all of Stephenville, Mr. Ben Linton and Mrs. Hubert Earris and daughter, Mary Ann of Hamilton, Jewel Herrington of Hico, Lula Mae Coston of Fort Worth, and Truett Coston of San Antonio.

Mrs. J. L. Grisham of Quanah, who has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. S. Y. Chumney, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williamson of Hico spent Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Foust.

Virginia Coston spent Sunday afternoon with Mary Jane Barrow of Hico.

Margaret Allen returned home Saturday after a week's visit with her cousin, Martha Claire Brown, of Gatesville.

Mrs. Jesse Rainwater and daughter of Red Hill spent Thursday afternoon in the H. G. Coston home.

Mrs. Will Kilgore visited her sister at Breckenridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffiths and son, Horace Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Trimmer spent last Sunday in Glen Rose.

Rev. and Mrs. Perkins of Hico visited Grandmother Chumney a while Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Conrad and son, Bobbie, and Mrs. Joe Ryan of Meridian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ryan and son.

## TO THE VOTERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY:

As this campaign comes to a close permit me to speak a final word to the voters of Hamilton County when they come to make their nomination of a candidate for the very important office of County Superintendent of Schools. Never in the history of our nation has the education of our youth been of greater or graver significance. Within your jurisdiction rests the selection of the leader of your public school system for the next four years. In your wisdom, judgment, and fairness I have the utmost confidence, and within your hands I am happy to entrust my plea at the polls for this most cherished opportunity for service.

It has been my constant aim throughout this campaign ever to hold my claims on the highest plane. I have striven faithfully to see each of you personally and to present to you my training, experience, and general qualifications, and regret that I have unavoidably missed seeing some of you. Your encouragement and inspiration have led me to anticipate a most substantial victory.

When on Saturday you come to exercise as a Democrat one of your greatest obligations as an American citizen, let me urge you to vote for the best welfare of the boys and girls of Hamilton County, and I shall accept cheerfully the decision you render. My deepest debt of genuine gratitude is extended to all.

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(Pol. Adv.)

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## NEWS IN THE WORLD OF RELIGION

By W. W. REID

If a better world is to be realized, Christians of all nations must unite their efforts in a common fellowship for the solution of post-war problems, according to Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas, Texas. He lists among the immediate post-war needs the feeding of the starving millions of Europe, the establishment of better racial relations, the creation of a new international order, and the inter-fellowship of Christians of the nations now separated by warfare.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, organized in thousands of local Methodist churches in every state in the Union, is undertaking to make a "new friend" annually for each local society—a fellowship with some group of different background in the local community. "Also each individual in each local society is to make at least one friend annually in another group, seeking to know and understand that person and his background, and by exchange of experience draw closer together in facing the common task of Kingdom building."

According to the Moderator of the Church of Scotland (Presbyterian), German air raids on Scotland have damaged beyond use until repaired 89 churches, manse and church houses; and also damaged 415 structures less seriously. He reports that three Scottish clergymen have lost their lives in the war and nine have been made prisoners.

Dr. Gordon Seagrave, missionary-surgeon, and Dr. Brayton Case, an agricultural teacher—two of the outstanding missionaries of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society in Burma—have received distinguished mention in recent news dispatches from the Orient because of their service to the Burmese people and to the British-Chinese army during the days when Japan's soldiers were pushing their way into Burma. Word now comes that Dr. Seagrave after trekking to India with General Stilwell, will establish a new hospital for wounded soldiers and for civilian refugees in Assam; while Dr. Case will remain in India and offer his expert services as an agricultural missionary and teacher to the people in that land. A number of other Baptist nurses and doctors, American and Burmese, will become staff members of Dr. Seagrave's new hospital.

The Inglesia Perkins Memorial in Coatepeque, Guatemala, is celebrating its twenty-first anniversary. It all started years ago when Miss Perkins' Sunday school class of boys in the Covenant Presbyterian Church, Erie, Penn., became interested in two evangelical families in this little Central American community. The group that met in a home for worship began to grow; funds sent by the boys enabled them to buy a lot, lay the foundations, and the cornerstone, and secure sheet iron for a roof; the rest of the material and labor they provided themselves. Today the church is self-supporting, has a fine building and manse, a Guatemalan pastor, and a flourishing congregation.

The evacuation of Japanese cit-

izens and aliens on the West Coast of the United States has violated "Christian principles of racial non-discrimination and respect of justice and fair play," according to a resolution sent to President Roosevelt and the governors of seven western states by the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society and the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society. Many of the evacuees were members of Baptist churches. The denomination recently voted \$50,000 for a year's Christian ministry among the evacuees.

Answering the question, "Are college students religious?" Secretary R. H. Edwin Espey of the Student Volunteer Movement, said recently: "The students themselves are clearly more receptive to religious influence than was the case ten years ago. They do not display their concern in demonstrative ways, and they are openly hostile to sham and undue sentimentality. Many even shy away from the normal outward expression of religious life, including attendance at church. But there is probably less of scorn and more of openmindedness than at any time since the First World War. Thousands of students are not only willing but eager to hear a Christian message that is both genuine in spirit and practical in relation to problems that are real to them. They are seeking a religion that is intellectually tenable, socially relevant, and personally dynamic."

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- 1 Learn to replace blown fuses yourself. It's easy as changing a light bulb. Ask any of our employees to show you how. Keep extra fuses on hand.
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- 3 Give us as much advance notice as possible if you decide to move so your call may be grouped with others and taken care of on a single trip.
- 4 Arrange to pay for service by check or in person at our office before expiration of payment period and save tire wear caused by special collection trips.
- 5 Avoid requesting "rush" service. You can help us conserve rubber by making it possible for us to handle your service calls and deliveries on regular trips.

Prompt and courteous service to our customers has always been a policy of this company and we look forward to the day when we can again make deliveries and service calls without restrictions. In the meantime, we know you understand the reason for this message and will be glad to cooperate. We'll give you the best service possible under present conditions and will sincerely appreciate your help. With a little advance planning, you will be occasioned little or no inconvenience.

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Hico, Tex., Friday, July 24, 1942.

FORMULA FOR VOTES

There is little doubt that most
congressmen up for election and
opposed by another candidate will
be very election conscious in every
move they make in Washington
before election day.

We may deplore such action as
"playing politics" in the face of a
great national emergency, but ac-
tually this can be turned into an
opportunity for us to get things
done which we want done.

If congressmen are thinking in
terms of votes, we should tell them
in clear, unmistakable language
just what they must do to get our
votes. They know that their re-
election depends upon pleasing the
majority of their constituents so
that, in this pre-election period,
they are more anxious than ever
to act according to our bidding.

Instead of criticizing them for
being vote-conscious, we might be
better off to encourage their vote-
consciousness and give them the
program which they must follow
if they want us to not scratch
their names on the next ballot.

WAR AND SUMMER

It must be very difficult for
even a German soldier when he
wakes up on a beautiful summer
day to jump out of bed with the
determination to go forth and murder
as many as possible of his
fellow men.

In summertime, when all man-
kind is imbued with a longing for
peace and simple pleasure, the
Nazis must feel more acutely than
ever, the hatred which they have
brought upon themselves by dis-
turbance of the peace of the whole
world.

Waging a selfish war is at all
times repulsive to all people, but
on a beautiful summer day its
sinfulness seems most apparent.

We cannot hope for peace until
the Nazis and Japs are severely
beaten. But on these warm days,
when we are filled with the en-
joyment of peaceful living, we
should strengthen our determina-
tion to do everything we possibly
can to win this war before another
summer is darkened by its evil
shadow.

According to the 1940 census, 82
cities in the United States have
more than 100,000 population. Four
Texas cities—Houston, Dallas,
San Antonio and Fort Worth.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
LESSON

Lesson for July 26: Genesis 9:1-16.
Golden Text: Genesis 9:15.

After Noah and his sons came
out of the ark, God promised their
dominion over living things. When
man was created it was said that
he should have such dominion; after
the flood there was added reason for
it. Some suppose that man had
been a vegetarian but that, after
the flood had destroyed vegetation,
man was allowed flesh. In the les-
son we find certain instructions con-
cerning food.

Then the law of blood, it may be
called, which has operated through
the ages, was laid down: "Whoso
sheddeth man's blood, by man shall
his blood be shed." Killers usually
meet death at the hands of others.
Here again, as in Cain's time, God
declared the sanctity of human life.

As in the beginning, men were
given the task of multiplying and
replenishing the earth.

Then God established his cove-
nant with mankind and set the rain-
bow as the beautiful token of it.
There is no evidence that the rain-
bow was then set for the first time
in the sky. Certainly from the be-
ginning the sun shining upon rain-
drops had made a rainbow. But at
this time it was chosen among nat-
ural objects as a token of God's
promise. In the past a rainbow had
followed the storm; in the future it
would signify that all storms to
come would nevermore sweep away
all living. So may the recurrence
of the rainbow, spanning the sky,
remind us of God's love and care,
that we may believe in him and
love him, assured that we are safe
in his keeping.

TODAY
and
TOMORROW
By DON ROBINSON

ADVERTISING . . . change

Advertising has taken some queer
turns under war time conditions.
We have the strange anomalies
of rubber companies spending mon-
ey to persuade us not to use rub-
ber, gasoline manufacturers run-
ning expensive advertisements to
teach us how to cut down on the
consumption of their products and
countless well-known companies
spending large amounts of money to
tell us why they can't sell us any-
thing these days.

Most of us had, until recently,
thought of advertising as a "sales-
man in writing" whose whole duty
was to make us buy as much as
possible of everything available.
But now advertising is showing us
its other face—the face of the edu-
cator instead of the salesman—and
instead of trying to tempt us to
buy things, it is being used to teach
us how to make things last and how
to get along without the products
which the advertisers have spent
fortunes in promoting.

NAMES . . . brands

Some people wonder why a com-
pany will continue to spend mil-
lions of dollars for advertising when
it isn't looking for a single cus-
tomer.

It might be the kindest thing to
think of these organizations as buy-
ing space for educational messages
entirely for philanthropic reasons—
because of their unselfish desire to
help us with our problems.

In a way that is their purpose—
but most of us realize that such
million-dollar gestures of assistance
cannot be made too frequently with-
out being backed by a sound busi-
ness motive.

In the last war, several big com-
panies busy with war work dis-
continued advertising altogether.
By the time the war ended we had
most forgotten their names and
many of them were never again
able to get back into public favor.

The big companies of today realize
that their brand names and com-
pany names, built up and re-
spected because of the years of ef-
fort they have made to please the
public, are their most prized in-
vestments and they are not going
to let those names die because of lack
of goods to sell. In peacetime they
performed a welcomed service with
their advertised goods and now, as
a means of name insurance, they
are eager to perform an equally
welcomed service.

GOVERNMENT . . . help

One of the most important ser-
vices which advertisers are perform-
ing today is in helping with the
collection of scrap materials.

For many months it has been the
general consensus of opinion that
only well-planned advertising
could the scrap collections reach
the proportions needed to make the
home a worthwhile source of supply
for factories.

There were many in Washington
who believed that a gigantic adver-
tising campaign should be paid for
by the government itself to make
"scavenging" the order of the day
in every household. But while
Washington was hemming and hawing
about such a plan, industry de-
cided that it could perform a pub-
lic service by getting this program
started.

Industry, therefore, employed the
outstanding leaders of the advertis-
ing business to plan how the job
could be done.

In Canada and England the re-
spective governments paid the full
cost of such campaigns, but in this
country industry jumped at the op-
portunity to perform this service to
the country.

So big concerns which have no
goods to sell are now spending a
fortune to help their government, to
strengthen their relations with the
public and to play a part in helping
to protect the system under which
they have thrived.

CRITICS . . . results

In recent years, both among con-
sumer groups and in government
circles, there have been groups who
looked upon advertising as a sort
of an unessential luxury of indus-
try.

Although men who know the val-
ue of advertising have pointed out
that advertising has made in this
production possible, lowered costs
and raised our standard of living,
its enemies have continued to at-
tack it as economic waste.

But those who have in the past
subsidized the usefulness of adver-
tising are now being shown how this
sales tool, which industry has used
and defended so vigorously, can
now be utilized to help win the war.

For mass response of all the peo-
ple, it will soon be evident that
there is no method which can pro-
duce results with the speed and ef-
ficiency of advertising.

The power which has been used
to persuade us to buy automobiles,
refrigerators and washing machines
will now prove equally effective in
getting us all working for the best
interests of our country.

If advertising continues to play
the important war role which it is
now assuming, there is little doubt
that it will come out of the war an
economic hero respected and ad-
mired by all.

Loans made to University of
Texas students to help finance
their education are being repaid at
an increasing rate as job oppor-
tunities multiply, a report from
the Bursar's Office reveals.

Your county has a War Bond
Quota to meet this month. Is your
own household budget apportioned
so that you will put 10 per cent
into War Bonds?

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THE OLD PLUS THE NEW

The other night I attended a lecture and heard the
speaker say that there were few opportunities in an old
business. He said that in an old-established business, thou-
sands of people had preceded you and had worked out
every quirk and angle possible, and that you could not
hope to contribute anything new.

Two days after that I met Mrs. Maria Kramer, and
what she told me knocked what the lecturer said into a
cocked hat. She and her husband run two of the biggest
hotels in New York, the Edison and the Lincoln.

Mr. Kramer had been a builder and had to take over
the Edison when the promoter he was building it for could
not raise the money. He was "stuck" with a hotel on his
hands. He knew nothing about the hotel business, but he
determined to see what he could do with it.

His wife tried to help him, knowing no more about the
hotel business than her husband did. She is a Mexican
woman, was born in Mexico, and her maiden name was
Maria de Ramirez.

One day, as she was in the lobby of the hotel, a man
entered and asked for a room. A foreigner, he could not
speak English. None of the clerks could speak his lan-
guage. Embarrassed and self-conscious, he finally left.
A customer walking out the door!

This set Mrs. Kramer thinking. This must happen
many times a day in New York. She turned the idea in
her mind, and it grew far beyond the one man who had
walked out. She could engage clerks who could speak for-
eign languages. But the possibilities were greater than
that. She would not wait till foreigners arrived at the hotel
—she would go to Europe after them. She decided she
would write to the people in their own language. She went
to a translation bureau and employed clerks who had been
born in the countries she wished to reach, and who could
write the kind of letters those citizens were accustomed
to reading—not stiff translations of letters first written in
English. Through steamship agencies, travel bureaus, and
club organizations she got the names of foreign travelers,
and wrote them, not only once, but follow-up letters.

Naturally the people who received these letters were
pleased—a nice, chatty letter in their own language! What
do you think happened? Well, the foreign business in her
hotel jumped 400 per cent in one year!

She told me that during the world's fair her foreign busi-
ness had increased 2,500 per cent!

One day a distinguished looking man arrived, but no
one could understand him. Every clerk was tried. They
learned he was a Hindu and spoke Hindustani. Mrs.
Kramer herself took charge, and telephoned "International
House" in New York. In an hour a young man stepped
behind the desk and made the Hindu feel at home.

Mrs. Kramer went into one of the oldest businesses in
the world, and contributed something no one else had
thought of. Examine the business you are in. Maybe you
can contribute something new, too.

THINK YOU'RE SMART?
WILD LIFE LINES WORD SQUARE



INCONNU
This is a kind of salmon that
Makes Canada its habitat.
I'd like to tell you more about
This cousin of the common trout
But facts about the fish are few,
so I repeat lines One and Two:
This is a kind of salmon that
Makes Canada its habitat.



Here is the world's smallest cross-
word puzzle. Fill in words accord-
ing to definitions. The square will
then read the same down as across.
After you have solved it, see if you
can make up any good 5-letter word
squares.
1. To slip, to end
2. Name of large artery
3. Previous
4. Backless seat
5. Betimes

ON THE NEWS FRONT

War Economy Hardships
Facing American People

"We can honestly say that so far
as production itself is concerned,
we are 'over the hump'—but as for
the inconveniences, discomforts and
hardships that you and I will have
to endure, why we haven't even got
to the foothills yet."

Those were the words of Donald
M. Nelson, chairman of the War
Production Board, as he addressed
a gigantic rally in Chicago.

"This war has not yet been won.
Some very hard months are ahead
of us, and this is no time for easy
optimism. But whether this war is
to last two years longer, or 10 years
longer, one thing we can be sure of
—we can look ahead to the future
with hope."

Nelson's statement means that
war economy is going to reach into
the homes of 132 million Ameri-
cans, out for victory. All, or al-
most all, of the habits of Ameri-
cans regarding the purchase or use
of clothing, housing, transportation,
of food and fuel are going to under-
go a change.

No Rationing of Clothing Yet.
The division of civilian supply,
Office of Emergency Management,
disclosed that there is but very lit-
tle possibility that clothing will be
rationed this year. There will be a
change over to the use of more cot-
ton than heretofore because of the
military having need for most of
the wool.

American people will have to
dress for war. There will be less
frills and glamour on their clothing.
Besides the gasoline shortage,
many people do not fully realize
there is a shortage of fuel oil be-
cause of transportation difficulties.
Transportation difficulties will
also make a decided change in most

Americans' lives. There will be
less visiting and social calling.

Neighborhood stores and mov-
ies will be patronized increas-
ingly as an automobile conserva-
tion measure. Trains and
buses will be used to a greater
extent than ever. There will be
a greatly curtailed variety of
goods, too.

Main street may lose some of its
glow for electric power, natural
gas and manufactured gas are be-
ing diverted more and more each
day from non-essential to essential
uses.

Housing, likewise, is another se-
rious problem that will touch on
millions of working peoples' lives.

Defense Area Housing Shortage.
Private home building is being
discouraged in favor of projects
that will be made available for
rental to war workers. In defense
areas, where there is an acute
shortage of necessary housing, all
available and usable space is being
taken over by the government.

There is plenty of food for all,
Civilian Supply officials say. But
they insist that some of our eating
habits will have to be revised. There
will be less coffee, tea, bananas,
pork and fish. The rationing of sug-
ar is already cutting down on our
supply of sweets.

In a Washington radio address,
Nelson said:
"To dealers and consumer alike,
I would like to say: abide by the
price ceilings and rationing con-
trols established by the office of
price administration. It isn't smart
to go to the bootlegger in war
time.

"We're in a war, and violating
these controls is close to treason."

WANT ADS

CLASSIFIED
ADVERTISING
INFORMATION

The rates below apply to classi-
fied advertising rates, and two-
and three-time rate, etc., apply only
to ads scheduled consecutively.

Table with columns: Words, 1t, 2t, 3t, 4t, Add. Rows: 1-10, 11-16, 16-20, 21-25.

After the first insertion the News
Review is not responsible for er-
rors. Charge is made for only ac-
tual insertions on an ad killed be-
fore completion of its original
schedule, at the rate earned by the
number of times it has been
published. Adjustments and re-
turns are not made after 30 days
from publication date.

Count five average words to the
line. Each initial, phone number or
group of numerals count as a
word. Allow four words for a News
Review box number address.

An error which affects the results
of an ad entitles the advertiser to
an adjustment for one week only.

FOR SALE: Gas range and built-in
kitchen cabinet. J. R. Bobo. 2-1c

LET ME INSURE your farm prop-
erty. Shirley Campbell. 37-1c.

Party who left pkgs in wrong car
Sat, July 11, may learn about same
by paying 30c for this ad. 9-1c

LOST: One German Police mama
dog. Anyone seeing her please let
me hear from you. O. M. Bramblett,
Hico Route 5. 9-1c

REWARD for information leading
to return of golf course mowers,
Bluebonnet Country Club. 40-1c

See Shirley Campbell for Farm,
Ranch and City Property. 11-1c

If you want to sell your farm,
ranch or city property, list with
D. F. McCarty. I can get the buyer
if the price is right. 35-1c.

Dalton Memorial Co.
Hamilton, Texas
Many Beautiful Designs in
Lasting Monuments

Announcements

POLITICAL
The News Review is authorized
to announce the following candi-
dates for office, subject to the
action of the Democratic Pri-
maries in July, 1942:

HAMILTON COUNTY
For Representative, 94th District:
EARL HULLSTON
(Re-Election)
J. B. POOL
WBLDON BURNEY

For District Attorney:
H. WILLIAM ALLEN
(Re-Election)

For County Judge:
PERRY L. MAXWELL
W. E. (GENE) TATE
W. J. HARRIS

For Co. School Superintendent:
BERT C. PATTERSON
(Re-Election)
MRS. ASHLEY H. SILLS

For County Treasurer:
MRS. H. A. THDWELL
(Second Term)

For Co. Tax Assessor-Collector:
O. R. WILLIAMS
(Re-Election)
J. M. (JIM) RODDY
O. W. (OC) PIERSON

For District Clerk:
C. E. EDMISTON
(Re-Election)
OLLIE McDURMITT

For Sheriff:
HOUSTON WHITE
(Re-Election)

For County Clerk:
IRA MOORE
(Second Term)

For Commissioner, Prec. 3:
R. W. (BOB) HANCOCK
(Re-Election)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 3:
J. C. RODGERS
(Re-Election)

Erath County
For County Clerk:
ELMO WHITE
(Re-Election)

For County Superintendent:
MRS. BLANCHE JONES

Bosque County
For County Clerk:
MARY COSTON

Announcements
PROFESSIONAL
Dr. W. W. Snider
DENTIST
Dublin, Texas
Office 68 — Phone — Res. 84

E. H. Persons
Attorney-At-Law
HICO, TEXAS



# Personals.

Miss Saralee Hudson spent the first of the week in Austin visiting her sister, Miss Lucy Hudson, and other relatives.

Misses Carol and Betty Jo Anderson of Stephenville spent the week end here in the home of their father, Ike Anderson.

Thomas Ray Coston of Clifton returned home Tuesday after visiting here several days with Paul Kenneth Wolfe and Bobby Bates.

**FOR SALE**  
A-B-C Electric Washing Machine in good condition. Price \$15.00.  
MRS. LAWRENCE LANE 9-2p

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Farmer of Fort Worth visited here the first of the week with Mrs. M. E. Wood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson and children, Sue and Max, of Waco spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Meador.

Sunday guests in the home of J. J. Smith were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith and daughters, Ina Ruth and Billie of Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Jackson of Stephenville visited relatives and friends in Hico Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Rust of Dallas brought his little son, Jimmie, to Hico Sunday where he will visit several weeks here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Petty.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Loden Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowe Jr., Mrs. Will Goynes and daughters, Mrs. Catherine Osborn, Mrs. John D. Lowe of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jameson, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe and daughter.

ROSS SHOP, Jeweler. 45-17c

**Vote for J. M. RODDY for Tax Assessor - Collector of Hamilton County. (Paid Pol. Adv.)**



It's a thrill to the Service men when the mail brings photographs from home.  
Have a new portrait made today for your Soldier, Sailor, or Marine.

**The Wiseman Studio**  
HICO, TEXAS



## This Is What I Learned About Wet Cleaning!

Seems funny to talk about WETcleaning in a drycleaning plant, doesn't it? But I've learned that wetcleaning isn't washing. It's the cleaner's special process for removing hard-to-get soils and stains. It's especially handy in summer when white or light-colored garments are worn and people perspire freely and food and drinks are spilled at picnics.

**HOW IS IT DONE?**  
The cleaner does it by hand, using a soft brush, and the soap is as mild as a facial soap. Drying is just as carefully done—no wringing and no heat used if it is likely to cause shrinkage.

**IS IT SAFE?**  
Yes, indeed, it's safe! Colors are tested first to make sure that they won't run. Garments are measured before wetcleaning and afterward they are reshaped to original measurements.

You Can Entrust All Your Summer Garments to  
**Everett's Tailor Shop**  
— Phone 49 —

Mrs. Christina Smith of Mineral Wells is visiting here this week in the home of Mrs. M. E. Wood and family.

Mrs. James Ross of San Angelo came in Wednesday for a visit here with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Vickrey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McCullough and daughters, Mary Ella and Frances, left last Saturday for a week's vacation at Port Isabel and other Coastal towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe and daughter, Joyce Raye, spent the week end in Lampasas visiting Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lowe and family.

Mrs. Lawrence Lane attended the State Florists Convention in Fort Worth last week, also the School of Designing held in connection with the latest creations in wedding, funeral, corsage, and table work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDowell and daughter, Sherry Kay, who recently sold their place south of town and moved to Stephenville, were visiting here Sunday from Ennis where they had been for the past ten days supervising construction of a new home on another of their farms.

Ralph Mervin, infant son of Pvt. and Mrs. Ralph Horton, who has been seriously ill for the past few days, was carried to the Stephenville Hospital Wednesday night for treatment. Mrs. Horton, the former Mary Brown, remained in Stephenville with her little son and is expecting Babe as soon as he can arrive from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, where he is now stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones of Hico have announced the marriage of their granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Ross, to W. J. White of Pecos, formerly of Hico, which took place Wednesday evening, July 22, at Pecos. The couple were both graduated from Hico High School with the 1942 class and are well known in this section. They will make their home in Pecos, where W. J. is employed with the Community Public Service Company.

J. D. Jones was in the office Monday morning with a copy of a paper carrying an account of the discovery of Noah's ark on Mt. Ararat by some Russian aviators just before the outbreak of the Bolshevik revolution a quarter of a century ago. The article, which is too lengthy to meet space requirements for reprinting at this time, may be read upon request from Mr. Jones' paper, or from a copy on file at the News Review office.

S. A. Clark, who stopped off in Hico last week end on his way from Hillsboro to Lubbock to make his home, left early Monday morning in a Barrow ambulance. Uncle Sam enjoyed seeing a number of old friends while he was here, and says he would like to hear from others he failed to see when he gets to his new home with his daughter, Miss Mattie, at Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and little daughter, Jane Ann, who accompanied his father to Hico, returned to Hillsboro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe and son, Paul Kenneth, and daughter, Mrs. Sidney Wieser of Hamilton, are due to return today from New Orleans, La. They left Tuesday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Chas. D. Freeman of Walnut Springs, who had been notified that her husband was reported missing following the sinking of a United States merchant vessel, hoping to find out further details in New Orleans. Mr. Freeman, who enlisted in service at Galveston a few months ago, had been expected to return to his home port on July 1st.

E. E. Giesecke, who is working in a Government position at Fort Worth, recently wrote in answer to a want ad run in the News Review for an organ. Elmer said he had left behind when he moved away from the Duffau community an organ in perfect condition, which was given as a prize in a News Review contest 35 years ago. That sounds good for the value of items from the News Review, and for the care the instrument has been given during the intervening years. Our customer had already located an organ when we heard from Mr. Giesecke, but anyone else in the market may write him at 3220 Montague St., Fort Worth, for details.

H. B. McDaniel, who was editor of the Hico News Review from 1900 to 1905, visited the office Tuesday, accompanied by his nephew, Dudley McDaniel Jr., of Milan County. The elder Mr. McDaniel, who is visiting with his brother, R. L. McDaniel at Carlton, now lives at San Bernardino, Calif., where he has been for several years since leaving Arizona which was his home immediately after leaving Hico. He plans to leave about the first of August for visits in Waco and Dallas before returning to his home in California. Mr. McDaniel told interestingly of the early days of Hico and the paper, and said that ever since he left here he had never felt that any other place was home.

**Vote for J. M. RODDY for Tax Assessor - Collector of Hamilton County. (Paid Pol. Adv.)**

Word was received here Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty, of the death of S. A. Clark's brother, Uncle Dick Clark, 84, who passed away Tuesday night at the home of his daughter in Waco.

Mrs. A. Heichelhelms of Lake Charles, La., was in Hico to attend the funeral of her very good friend, Mrs. Willie Glass Platt, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Sumrall, at Lake Charles on Thursday, July 2, 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Burcham returned home Sunday from Santa Anna where they visited several days with her mother. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Burcham's brother, Elgean Harris, who is spending the week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy French and son, R. W., and Mrs. Sally Purdon and her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Simons of Memphis, Tex., who had been visiting here, went to Kaufman last Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Purdon and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Callan and family. Mr. and Mrs. French went to Athens and spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Jess Askey, and Mr. Askey, Mrs. Purdon remained at Kaufman to visit with her son and daughter, and other relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Churchill, who have moved to their farm between Hico and Carlton they had recently purchased from Mrs. Whisenant, have shown a disposition to become full-fledged citizens of this community by entering a subscription to the News Review. They sold their place near Corpus Christi and moved here June 1 with their five children, Billie, Marie, Angus, Marjorie, and Marietta. Three of the children are of school age, and plan to begin the fall term at Hico. Mr. Churchill lived here for two years at one time, and liked the country so well he wanted to come back.

Rev. Otis Holladay, a graduate of Hico High School who received his degree in the ministry at Howard Payne College, Brownwood, in January, has accepted a call to Wheeler, Texas, the county seat of Wheeler County, and is moving there this week, according to his father, G. R. Holladay, of Hico. He had been serving congregations of two churches near Lampasas for the past few months. Friends here of Otis will be interested to learn that he was married in January, shortly after receiving his degree, and are looking forward to such time as the couple will have an opportunity to visit back home.

## Clairette

By Mrs. H. Alexander

Rev. Greenwood filled his regular appointment here last Sunday. He will also begin a revival here starting at 11 o'clock next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goolightly and Mr. and Mrs. John East attended church at Pleasant Hill Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mayfield and family of Abilene are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mayfield.

Miss Baylor Durham of Abilene spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. S. O. Durham.

Mrs. John East and Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth were in Stephenville Tuesday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hudgens of Fort Worth, Mrs. Sam Wolfe and son, Sam Jr., of Dublin.

Miss Vieta McAnally of Iredell has been visiting Eunice and Nola Lee a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Little and son of Oklahoma City are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Helen Wolfe of Fort Worth spent the week end with homefolks.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McChristal Saturday were their son, Erman, of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Fenley and little daughter, Patsy Jean, of Lubbock visited Mrs. Alice Fenley last week.

Zelma Fenley left Sunday for Stephenville where she has employment for the present.

Pvt. Ethridge Mayfield left Tuesday for Hamilton Field, San Francisco, Calif., after spending several days at home.

Mr. R. M. Alexander and John Alexander returned last Saturday from Bauxite, Ark., where they had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner and family of Alexander attended church here Sunday night.

Mrs. Geo. W. Salmon and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Head and children visited Mrs. Lucy Hale at Dublin Sunday.

Rev. Hogg was a guest in the home of C. W. Salmon Sunday afternoon.

Those spending the day Sunday and taking dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Martin were Mrs. Gussie Billingsley of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Casper of Purcell, Okla., Mr. Will Stewart of Colorado City, Mrs. Alf Sloan and baby of De Leon, Mrs. Lewis Onstott of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Martin and children of El Campo. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Martin remained over for a few days.

A good crowd attended the cemetery working here last Tuesday. All that could be worked by hoe was finished by the noon hour. We certainly appreciate everyone who put forth an effort in helping.

## Church News

### Methodist Church

Regular services will be held at the Methodist church both morning and evening Sunday. At 11 a. m. the Rev. W. H. Hogg, pastor of the Duffau charge, will preach. The Rev. W. E. Shipp, pastor at Hamilton, will fill the pulpit at 8:45 p. m. Come and hear these preachers Sunday. You will be helped by their ministry.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Let us keep up the attendance in spite of the hot weather. Bring your children and come to Sunday school Sunday. If you are not in the habit of going to church and Sunday school, now is a good time to start and you will find a hearty welcome at the Methodist church. Your pastor starts in a meeting with Rev. George Siler at The Grove on Saturday night.

### Baptist Church

Everyone is invited to attend the special services dedicated to all postal employees, and all retired carriers, or those who have ever been connected with the civil service.

Sunday evening service will be outside, good music, plenty of seats, the shut-ins and elderly folk may come in cars and drive in on the east side of the church. We will have cars for all who will come.

The encampment at Latham Springs was a big success. Twenty-nine stayed the four days. Several returned missionaries were on the program.

The adult training union is meeting each Sunday evening at 8. The WMS will meet Monday at 4. for a business meeting; all ladies are urged to attend.

Wednesday night is song, prayer, teacher office and fellowship hour. All young people are invited.

Just 16 more days until the revival. We want this to be for all of the city and community. We want every Christian to pray each day for the success of this meeting. The penalty of sin is death.

RALPH E. PERKINS, Pastor.

### Honey Grove

By Correspondents

Bertha Lee Whatley of Holliday, Texas, spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Funk, and family.

Yvonne Tankersley returned to her home Sunday after spending two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Funk, and family of Hico.

Pastor Bob Jackson was out looking at the flock of Hybrid chickens at J. L. Funk's place Sunday evening.

Loretta Funk went home with her sister, Mrs. Adolph Proffitt, of Comanche, to spend a couple of weeks.

Velton Funk is spending this week at Eastland visiting his brother and sisters.

Luther Burden of Carlton, Adolph Proffitt of Comanche, and J. L. Funk of Hico spent Monday on the Leon River fishing and hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt of Comanche returned home Tuesday after visiting a few days with their parents, Charley Proffitt and family of Carlton, and J. L. Funk and family of Hico.

Loyd Funk, wife and baby from Breckenridge, Texas, spent the week end with J. L. Funk and family. Loyd returned home Sunday evening and his wife is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan of Carlton.

Clayton Lee Henderson from Eastland spent the week end visiting his grandparents, J. L. Funk and family.

Corp. J. W. Jordan Jr. of Camp Barkeley spent the week end with Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr. Sunday were Corp. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walker Currie, Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Jordan and Martha, and Mr. and Mrs. Fern Jordan and Fern Gene.

### PICNIC AT FAIRY FOR YOUTH ENTERING SERVICE

In honor of Audie Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks of Fairy, who is entering our country's army, the Parks family and several neighboring families met Wednesday, July 15, for a picnic on the banks of the little creek that flows through the 640 pasture of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks. Uncle Bob, Audie and Elzie Lee preceded the others, taking the boat the boys made this summer, and which they recently launched with a bottle of precious Coca-Cola, naming it the "Skeeter." By seven o'clock nearly all the party had gathered, the "Skeeter" was playing up and down the stream giving everybody joy rides, and the swimming hole was full of swimmers and splashers. A great jar of iced lemonade added to the fun.

Just before sunset a supper of sandwiches, fried chicken, tomatoes, stuffed eggs, salads, and cookies was spread under the trees. A delicious cake, the gift of Mr. Hord Randolph of Hico, was presented to the honoree. Needless to say, it received proper attention, so much so that not a crumb was left.

As the guests departed, they hoped for many happy returns of the day, bon voyage, and happy landings for young Mr. Parks.

There were fifty-five who attended the affair: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parks and daughters, Mrs. C. C. Parks and son, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McAdams and Joyce Massengill, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McAdams and sons, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Parks and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Olsen and daughter, Mrs. Marvin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Horsley and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goynes and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sills and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brunson and Nona Glen, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mrs. I. A. Little and Mrs. Emma Lackey.

CONTRIBUTED

### CELEBRATED 66TH BIRTHDAY LAST FRIDAY

Mrs. J. F. Fulbright celebrated her 66th birthday last Friday, July 17, jointly with her nephew, Lem Massengill of Lumbert, at her home in the Spurlin community.

All of the children were present except one daughter, Mrs. Ben Norwood of Dublin, who was unable to come on account of her husband who was suffering with broken ribs which he received in a fall several days before while helping a neighbor repair the roof on his barn.

The celebration was an all-day affair, with lunch at noon, and everyone had a good time.

The following daughters with their families were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shipman and son, G. L., of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Fonso Morgan, Carlton; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burney and daughter, Mary, of Hico, and Miss Mittie Fulbright of the home, her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shaffer of Hamilton, and Rev. Wallace of Carlton.

Among those from Hico who attended the funeral of Joel (Buck) Taylor which was held in Hamilton Monday afternoon were Clarence Spaulding and family, Wyson Graves and family, Dean Spaulding and Jim D. Wright. Mr. Taylor died of a heart attack at his home in Hamilton Sunday night. He is well known over the county and in his childhood lived here with Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. McCollum. He is survived by his wife, the former Floy Spaulding of Hico, and three children.

A little girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hanson in the Stephenville Hospital Wednesday afternoon at 5:30. They named her Martha Lou.

Our fighting men are doing their share. Here at home the least we can do is put 10% of our income in War Bonds for our share in America.

# July SUGGESTIONS

Ladies' STRAW HATS  
Special \$1.00

SHEER DRESS \$1.00 to \$3.95

LADIES' SLACKS \$2.69

Ladies' HOUSE COATS \$1.95

Ladies' RAYON HOSE Plain or Mesh 45c

Shadow Sheer LAWNS - MUSLIN 25c & 35c

New LACE COLLARS 50c to \$1.00

Buster Brown ANKLETS 19c & 25c

A BIG STOCK OF LINGERIE — AT — SPECIAL PRICES

Men's & Boys' SLACKS \$1.95 up

Boys' SPORT SHIRTS 50c up

SPECIAL — ON — MEN'S DRESS STRAWS

SHOES — AT — REDUCED PRICES

SEE AND TRY ON THEN PRICE

Always Welcome

**PETTY'S**



## Too Hot to Cook — BUT NOT TO EAT!

These warm days make fixing meals at home a task that any housewife dreads. Why not come down to the Buckhorn, and enjoy a delicious lunch or short order in the cool comfort of our clean, air-conditioned cafe?

ECONOMICAL, TOO!  
Try It Today . . . Or Sunday

**The Buckhorn Cafe**  
L. P. Blair — HICO — Phone 16



# BREAK O'DAY IRON

By Reginald Wright Kauffman

## CHAPTER XIII SYNOPSIS

A man identified as Joseph Slinn is found drowned in the Hudson river near Albany. N. Y. Slinn was insured by the Protective Life Insurance company, and his beneficiary is a man named B. B. Twombly who lives in Troy. The company's Albany agent, Carlin, identifies the body, and the insurance money is paid to Twombly. But Jerry Glidden, suspecting that Slinn was murdered, has gone to Ironburg, a little mining town in Pennsylvania, to see an "Angela Slinn." She turns out to be an ugly recluse of a woman who lives in a shack near the abandoned "Break O'Day" iron mine. She denies knowing Joseph Slinn. Rose Walker, granddaughter of the owner of the mine, runs the local store and post office. When a man registers at the hotel as B. B. Twombly of Portland, Maine, Jerry wires Troy and learns that Twombly has moved to Maine. He has already seen Twombly with Rose Walker, and again at Angela Slinn's shack, so Jerry is not surprised to discover that he is trying to buy the "Break O'Day" mine. Learning that an expert who can judge the value of the iron is vacationing near Pittsburgh, Jerry goes there. When the expert tells him that the iron is good, Jerry wires Rose to sell and starts back to Ironburg. From Americus, a town near Ironburg, he phones Rose and learns that she has been called to Angela's shack. Driving there in a hired car, Jerry finds a sun-bonneted body floating in a creek. He believes it is Angela. Now thoroughly alarmed about Rose's fate, he bursts into Angela's shack to find Twombly and Carlin. He calls frantically, "Rose!"

Rose was seated opposite the men, her elbows on the table, her chin cupped in her hands. Alive and well—and morose. A frown creased her forehead, her brown eyes were contracted, her red lips bent firmly downward.

Hello, Jerry. Don't listen to these birds. They've been trying all afternoon to jolly me into selling or force me into it. And I won't!

Jerry leaned heavily against the doorpost. "You're not hurt?"

"Only threatened."

Twombly significantly tapped a big pocket. "Don't start any rough stuff, Glidden."

"No, don't," Rose supplemented. "It wouldn't be fair to these gentlemen. They couldn't retaliate. You see, if I was dead I couldn't give them Break O'Day iron for a hundredth part of what I've managed to produce a little fifth grade ore for perhaps two or three years..."

"We've got past the land reclamation bluff long ago, Jerry," Miss Walker calmly broke in.

"There was merely a legitimate business strategem," explained Carlin. "This clever lady saw through it, and we admire her sagacity."

"So much so, you couldn't bear to part with me. Redhead dove for his gun every time I tried to break away."

Twombly cursed, but the adventurous insurance agent from Albany winked again at Jerry. "Well, as I say, the mine's not worth much; but we want to be fair to her. Now, Mr. Twombly thinks you've got her interests at heart even more than we have, and more than you have the interests of your mere employers. In fact, being a sentimentalist, he thinks there's a romance between you, and if he's got that straight, I congratulate you both. All right. Just use your influence to make her appreciate the liberality of our offer. We'll give her ten thousand cash down and sign over five per cent of the preferred stock as soon as we're incorporated at Doncaster tomorrow."

Heaping new assumptions upon old, Jerry thus envisaged what had happened.

Joe Slinn, in Twombly's debt, learned through some accidental discovery of his sister, resident here, the probable new value of Break O'Day Mine and dropped a boasting hint to Twombly, who, having had forebears in Ironburg, readily credited it. Twombly sought Carlin's aid. Innocently Bower examined and confirmed specimens sent Carlin by Angie at Joe's request. But capital was required. Twombly and Carlin insured Joe in Twombly's behalf. Somehow the plotters forged a suicide letter, then murdered Joe so that the effect would seem that of self destruction and so that the body would be washed ashore at a convenient spot.

Here, apparently, was the preliminary crime. Not, however, the last. "Murder will out"—yet only because it develops too much momentum. The

first offense entails others. Sooner or later human imperfection makes a slip and the final, flagrant mistake uncovers the original felony. Angie became suspicious, blackmailed the violent Twombly, he hid in the woods around this plateau the other evening and rid himself of that danger by throwing her over the cliff—almost to Jerry's destruction—shortly before Carlin was due to arrive and close the sale with Rose!

All this Jerry saw, or thought he saw, between the rise and fall of Carlin's eyelid. Twombly had moved to Portland to be clear of Albany, but could not safely change his name, either there or here, because too strong a ray of publicity must play upon him when once he promoted the new company.

All that and one thing more. This pair of murdering swindlers, having never seen Jerry elsewhere, still failed to connect him with the P.L.I. Company. They assumed he represented the violent capitalist, who had also stumbled upon the Break O'Day secret. Judging others by themselves, they took it for granted that he could be bought, even if he did have a skin for Rose Walker.

Carlin's words had scarcely ceased to sound before Jerry answered.

"My only employer in this ore mine deal is Miss Walker," he said, "and I know what Break O'Day's worth—and I'll see you two men jammed before I finish her. You're a pair of thieves—and a pair of murderers!"

Rose looked at him in amazement as he hurled that final epithet. Carlin's gray face went white. Twombly sprang from his chair, oversetting it and drawing his revolver.

Then somebody—or something—pushed vehemently by him through the open door. Between him and the leveled barrel stood Angie.

Only Rose kept her head. She struck down the leveled revolver.

"Who's this?" Carlin demanded of his confederate. "That Slinn woman?"

Twombly, cheeks as fiery as hair, nodded. "I sent her to Doncaster on a fake errand after I'd got her to write that note to get the Walker girl here. Didn't think she'd be back half this soon. Wish I'd have..."

But Rose was keeping a cool double grip on the wrist above the weapon.

Jerry's heart still threatened to crack the cage of his ribs. That body he had hauled from the creek—it was certainly a dead body! He looked for water on the floor where Angie stood. Floor and skirts were dry.

Nevertheless, something had happened to the recharge—something ultimate. Her brogans were white with road dust. Her apron hung awry. That eternal sunbonnet, pushed off and dangling between shoulder blades, jumped with her agitated breath. Her hands clenched and unclenched. Her broad, brutal face was scarred and white with terror. Thoroughly alive, she roared:

"Twombly—where's my brother?"

The broker made a hideous attempt to smile. "I told you he told me the other day he had some business in Doncaster."

"And so you got me to go there today, you had?"

Quickly Rose spoke: "I didn't know you had a—"

"Twombly knew it—and this other fellow, if he's a fellow named Carlin. My own twin brother, Joe. It was them that got him to hide here, dressed like me—even when you'd come, Miss Rose—after they'd offered him half his insurance to pretend to commit suicide in the Hudson!"

"Shut up!" snarled Carlin. "Oh, yes, you did!" Angie shouted. "Wasn't I let in on that little corner of the big deal? But you held out on him—said you'd make it up when you'd got your iron



"Twombly, where's my brother?"

## THIS AND THAT

By JOE SMITH DYER

### SUMMERS THAT HAVE GONE—

Looking through an old trunk in the attic the other day I came across a glazed paper folder. On the cover was the outline of a ship with two tall red funnels against a blue sky...

### MEMORIES:

It was a passenger list—New York to Liverpool—S. S. Carinthia of the Cunard Line, sailing July 6th. Never mind the year, because it could have been any year. Among the passengers crossing on that particular sailing were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Duke Wiles of Newport, R. I., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson Spivey, Children, Maids and Dogs, of Locust Valley, Long Island. There also was Helen Morgan, and Mildred Carver who is now Phyllis Brooks of the movies.

There was a crowd on the pier, gripping the rail and looking as if they'd like to stow away. Some of them were waving and calling to friends who were sailing. There were jams of people on the first deck. Their voices told us that we already were among English people.

The thrill of finding one's cabin, along narrow passages smelling of rubber and brass polish, flowers, fruit and perfume. Baggage settled, one drifts back to the deck. Crowds even more dense this time. Curious visitors surging up and down taking in every detail of the ship. Passengers trying to find the deck stewards who rent the deck chairs and the steamer rugs.

A long, low blast came from those tall funnels and a bell goes along the passages and over the decks, hollering. "All ashore that's going ashore." The waving grows more fierce and a few of them are crying. Late passengers dash up the gangway just before it is lowered from the ship, striking the water as it is pulled back onto the pier. Another shriek of the whistle.

The ship begins to move slowly out into the Hudson. Slowly down the river, past the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, and a New Jersey ferry boat dashes perilously close to the side of the Carinthia.

Looking back the skyline grows dimmer and dimmer. Past the Conte de Savoia of the Italian Line just in from Genoa, and a tramp steamer home from a long voyage around the world. We were sailing towards Liverpool with the quiet simplicity of old England at its elbow.

This is how it happened in summers that have gone. It was real then, and now it seems impossible. I put the passenger list away with a lot of others. All those ships have other jobs to do today.

The Smith "family" is way out in front at the University of Texas, with 67 boys and girls bearing that name enrolled in the 1942 summer session, according to the summer student directory, just off the press. The Joneses are far less numerous—only 25 being listed, while the Johnsons and Taylors run a close race for third place.

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## Carlton

By Mrs. T. C. Thompson

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Upham of West Columbia are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Upham. R. J. Sowell and Emmett Stockham were business visitors in Hico Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor of Jackson, Miss., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Stuckey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tergerson of Killeen were visiting friends in Carlton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright and daughter are spending a few days in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stuckey and son, Charles, of Waco, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Stuckey.

Mary O'Lena Moore and Sis Fox, who are attending school in Abilene, spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher and daughter, Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and family visited last week in Llano.

Mrs. Louie Bingham was carried to Gorman Hospital Tuesday for examination, but we are glad to report that she was able to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Perlie Sharp went to De Leon Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Corby.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Callen of Junction visited Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyer last week.

Billy Joe Basham is attending business college in Tyler.

Mrs. Mamie Standifer of Quanah is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Head and children and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt of Port Arthur moved to the Robert Jones place last week.

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Jackson and daughter of Fort Worth were in Carlton visiting friends Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Lefevre and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pruitt and baby of Brownwood visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Pruitt, last week.

C. G. Bush of Goldsboro and Emory Bush and family of Amarillo are visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Bush of Carlton.

Mac Everett of Stephenville was a business visitor in Carlton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mitchell and Mrs. Fannie Carrell attended church in Hamilton Sunday, also visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bollier and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hubbard.

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"Miss Lois" was madder than a hornet at Dave for "breaking" her horse, but she was about to be lynched for a crime he did not commit.

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# NEWS from FOOD FOR VICTORY

YOUR COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE

## MAKING GOOD COTTAGE CHEESE

Too often the value of cottage cheese in the diet is not recognized. On a weight basis cottage cheese is almost equal to round steak as a source of protein, containing up to 21 per cent protein. Much skimmed milk is allowed to go to waste which could be used for the manufacture of cottage cheese. One gallon of skimmed milk should yield about one and three-fourths pounds of cottage cheese. A dairy thermometer is desirable to use to check the temperature of the milk during the manufacturing process.

You can make good cottage cheese at home by following this procedure:

1. Adjust the temperature of one gallon of fresh, clean-flavored skim milk to 75 degrees F. by placing the container of skim milk in a larger vessel of water. The temperature of water will depend upon whether the milk is to be warmed or cooled.
2. Add 1-2 cup of cultured buttermilk or clabber milk free of gas holes and off-flavors. Stir thoroughly so that the cultured buttermilk or clabber is well distributed.
3. Hold the milk at a temperature of 75 degrees for 12 to 14 hours.
4. Cut the curd when sufficiently firm. Insert a thermometer obliquely into the curd and lift it gently. When the curd makes a clean break the cheese is ready to cut. Cut the curd into 1-2 inch cubes with a horizontal curd knife and spatula to allow the whey to separate.
5. After cutting the curd allow cheese to set undisturbed for ten minutes before stirring or applying heat. This will help prevent the cubes from breaking during the cooking process.
6. Add one quart to 1-2 gallon of water at 110 to 120 degrees F. directly to the cheese. The addition of water furnishes a media in which to stir the cubes and helps prevent their breaking.
7. Place the pan containing the cubed cheese in a bath of warm water and heat slowly to 120 degrees F. Allow approximately 30 minutes to reach this temperature and stir carefully while heating.
8. To test the curd for sufficient cooking place a few of the cubes

in cold water. If the cubes are firm, hold their shape, and contain little whey, the cooking is complete.

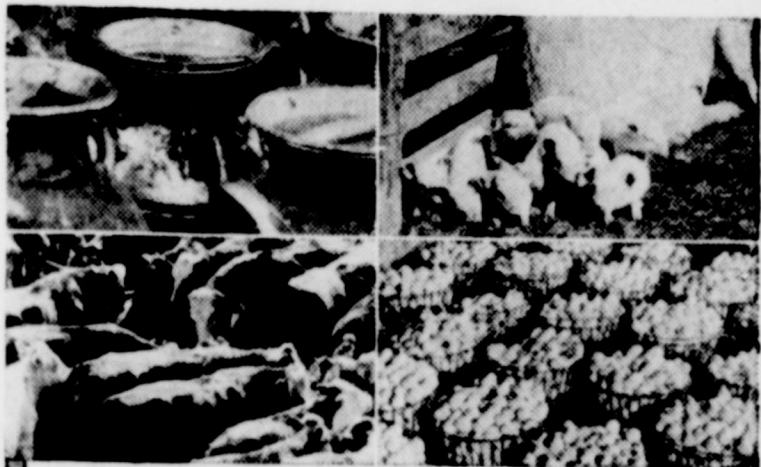
9. Drain the whey and wash the curd twice with cold water. Handle carefully to prevent breaking the cubes.

10. The cubes should be drained in a colander, or cheese rack, until all excess water is removed.

11. Salt cheese to taste. Add sweet cream if desired and store in a cool place until ready to consume.

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## Mt. Pleasant

By S. N. Akin

The Kansas City Life Insurance Company is putting a new shingle roof on the house and barn on their place where Buster Glenn and family live.

This community had a fine rain Tuesday afternoon, which amounted to about one and three-quarter inches.

Cecil Parks and little son, C. R. of Fairy were visiting in our midst Monday afternoon.

Several of the folks from here attended the revival at Agee last week.

H. E. O'Neal of Stephenville ate dinner with S. N. Akin and family Tuesday.

N. N. Akin and wife of Hico visited with his parents, S. N. Akin and family, Sunday.

## MT. PLEASANT INDUSTRIAL CLUB MET WITH MRS. DENNIS

The Mt. Pleasant Industrial Club Met on July 21 with Mrs. Herman Dennis.

The ladies quilted on two quilts. They completed one and almost completed the other one.

The ladies present were Mes-

A. C. Odell, Ted Arrant, John Abel, Leslie Arrant, B. L. Hargrove, Wauwle Ogle, Minnie Eoff, Coyt Clark, Audie Clark, Ovee Clark, J. W. Abel, A. W. Raehzig, Grace Palmer, W. T. Slater; and Misses Nora Abel, Joylette Abel, and Wil-lola Slater; and the hostess, Mrs. Herman Dennis.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. N. Akin, the last Wednesday in August.

We were happy to have as visitors Mrs. Grace Palmer of Alius, Okla., and Mrs. Minnie Eoff of Iredell.

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PORK And BEANS 2 Cans 19c
ENGLISH PEAS 2 Cans for 22c
COCOA Large 17c Small 9c

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APPLE BUTTER Large Size Jar 15c
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### Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever Appears In State

Austin, July 22.—With the announcement of two deaths in Brazoria County, Rocky Mountain spotted fever has made its first appearance in this state. Four cases have been reported to the State Health Department in July, and Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, this week cautioned the public to beware of ticks, since Rocky Mountain spotted fever is transmitted by tick bite. While originally found only in the Rocky Mountains, this disease is now reported from a large number of states outside that area, including some as far east as the Atlantic Coast.

Dr. Cox stated that the people whose occupations expose them constantly to tick infestation may partially protect themselves by being inoculated with a vaccine which is prepared from infected ticks.

"An individual can avoid this disease by avoiding the bite of ticks," Dr. Cox said, "and the best way to do that is living in an area where this disease has been noted, is to make a systematic search for ticks on the body, especially in the summer season."

The tick which is apparently the sole agent by which this disease is transmitted, usually makes its appearance with the onset of warm weather and should be considered as a health hazard until after the middle of summer.

Dr. Cox advises that ticks should be removed without touching them with the fingers since infections have been acquired in this way by removing the insect from dogs or other animals.

### Gilmore

By LOUISE LIVELY

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Houser went to Gorman Tuesday, where her brother was placed under treatment.

Miss Mildred Houser spent Tuesday visiting friends at Hico.

Miss Inez Shipman has returned home after a few weeks spent visiting her sister.

R. M. Lively visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lively Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lively and Miss Inez Shipman visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lively and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lively and Louise visited friends and relatives near Glen Rose Sunday.

Calvin Lively is able to work after illness.

This community is needing rain. Keep 'Em Flying!

### CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to those friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Mary Melton. May God bless each of you.

THE MELTON CHILDREN.

### Hotel Airfield



The army will soon take over the Siebens hotel—world's largest—and the Congress hotel, both in Chicago. The hotels are to be used as training centers for men of the air forces. Picture shows soldiers making themselves right at home in the Congress hotel's new horizon lounge.

### New Champ



The new inter-scholastic tennis champion, Bobby Falkenburg, of California, who defeated Frank Willett of Anniston, Ala., in the finals of the singles at Haverford, Pa. Then he teamed with his brother, Tom, 17, and they kept the Falkenburg name on top again. Bobby is brother of the famous movie star, Jinx Falkenburg.

### 'Down to the Sea'



Slipping down the ways into the water sideways, the USS Doyen, new naval transport, is shown as she was launched at the yards of the Consolidated Steel corporation, at Long Beach, Calif. The vessel is said to be the largest naval ship ever constructed here.



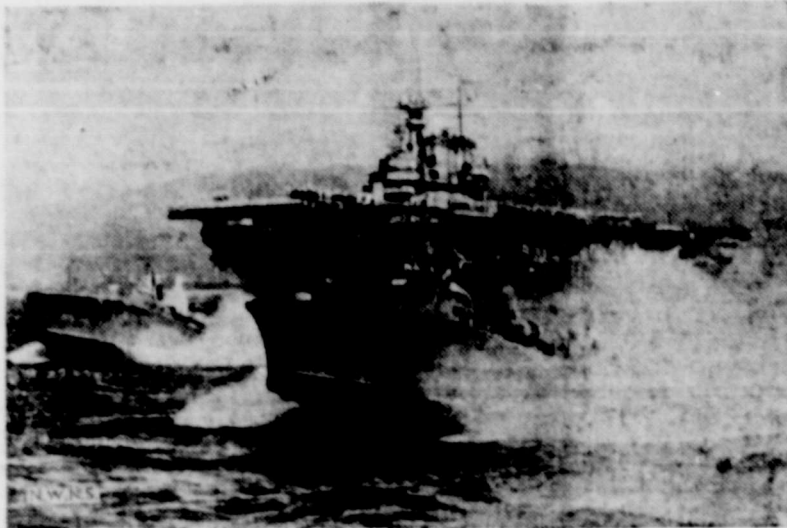
### ARE YOU putting Ten Per Cent of your Income into U.S. War Bonds & Stamps?

### See Record Farm Output



Total farm output for 1942 is likely to be far above average and may break all records. Prices are higher than in 1941, although some products have declined during recent months. Cash farm income during the first half of the year was the largest on record. If conditions remain favorable, farmers will receive approximately \$399 more per farm for the 6,000,000 farms of the country.

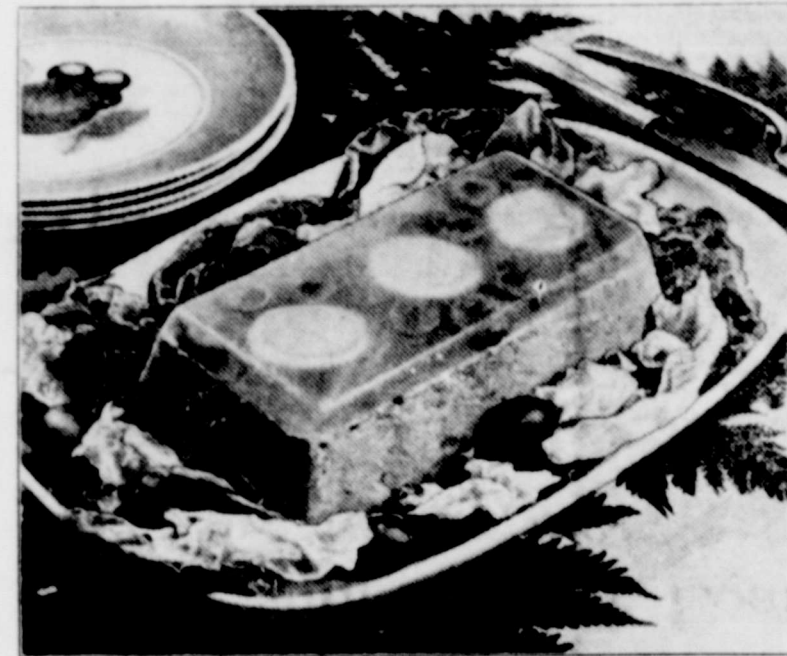
### On the Warpath, Looking for Nipponese



Flanked by deadly PT boats, an aircraft carrier of the U. S. navy moves majestically to sea from an undisclosed port. We don't know where she's going, but we know why—to look for Japs and to blast them wherever they may be found.

### Jellied Supper Veal Loaf for a warm night

By Dorothy Greig



**WARM NIGHT LAGGING APPETITES.** What, oh what, to serve that will be inviting and yet nourishing? Let's start with tomato soup. It is hot, gay, lively in flavor. (To condensed tomato soup add equal quantity of either water or milk as you prefer.) Also, the soup provides the one hot dish every summertime meal should have.

Next, a jellied meat loaf—and this particular one is of veal shot through with deep chicken flavor and garnished with sliced eggs and stuffed olives. Looks handsome and tastes even more handsome.

For dessert, how about fruit shortcake and iced tea?

The meat loaf is put together this way:

- 1 can condensed chicken soup
- 2 cups cooked veal, ground
- 2 teaspoons gelatin (softened in 2 tablespoons water)
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper

Strain the chicken soup and heat the broth. Mix the rice, chicken and celery from the soup with the cooked veal and put all through the food chopper, using the medium blade.

Dissolve the softened gelatin in the hot broth and then mix with ground meat mixture, salt and pepper.

**For garnish:**

- 1 hard cooked egg, sliced
- 5 stuffed olives

Arrange slices of hard cooked egg and stuffed olives in bottom of loaf pan (size 7 x 3 1/2 x 3 inches). Put meat mixture on garnish and place in the refrigerator until firm. Turn out on lettuce or greens. Serves 6-8.

### 'Marblehead' Hero



Rear Adm. E. J. Marquart, commandant of the third naval district, is shown presenting the navy cross to Seaman first class Claude Becker, at the New York navy yard. Becker was decorated for extraordinary courage while with the USS Marblehead, the cruiser the Japs couldn't sink.

### He Also Serves



Not with guns and bullets and tanks and planes alone are wars won. Typical of the 6,000,000 American farmers holding the line on the food front today is John Durborow of Rockville, Md., who is shown in this symbolic photo which might be entitled "The Man With the Hoe, 1942."

### Ack Ack for Axis



Jean Kasperowicz shows Staff Sgt. Walter J. Kean (left) and Sgt. John Durborow the 37-mm. explosive anti-aircraft shells built on her production line in a Philadelphia plant.

### Duffau

By Mrs. W. A. Deskin

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sikes and son and daughter, Jerry Dossy and Marie, of Johnsville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Sikes and family.

Delores Fallin is spending this week with her cousin, Dorothy Ripley, at Johnsville, and attending the revival there.

Mrs. Roy Lawrence spent Tuesday at Iredell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fouts and son, John B., were in Stephenville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Starnes and Mrs. Lizzie Starnes of Stephenville were supper guests in the Alva Deskin home last Thursday night.

Raymond Prater of Lubbock spent the week end with home-fole.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stuck and Mrs. W. L. Stuck spent the week end visiting friends and relatives at Goldthwaite and Mullin.

Mrs. Vella Harris and daughter, Helon, of Iredell spent Sunday in the W. C. Fouts home.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Flowers the past week were Mrs. T. L. Thompson and baby, Donna Kay, of Dallas and Mrs. Draper of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weeks spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haynes in the Camp Branch community.

### WITH THE COLORS

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is with another local boy, W. G. Cole, in the fire watchman service at Adin, California. He formerly was in a CCC Camp.

Mrs. Hodnett also advised that another son, Pvt. Harry F. Hodnett, had been transferred to Santa Monica, California. Before his transfer, the following notice was sent out by the public relations office at Sheppard Field, Texas:

Sheppard Field, Tex.—Pvt. Harry F. Hodnett, son of Mrs. W. M. Hodnett of Route 2, Hico, Tex., was graduated recently from an intensive course in aviation mechanics here, Sheppard Field, near Wichita Falls, Tex., is one of the Army Air Force's Technical Training Command schools which trains the ground crews to "Keep 'Em Flying."

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shipman, who live between Hico and Hamilton, last week received the first word from their son, Pfc. James F. Shipman, since he sailed June 1. He is now stationed at Post, Alaska, in the U. S. Army.

### SECOND-HAND FURNITURE EXCHANGE

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J. D. KIRKLAND

## NEW PHONE BOOK

### GOING TO PRESS SOON!

THE NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY FOR HICO IS NOW BEING PREPARED AND WILL SOON BE READY FOR THE PRINTERS.

If there are any changes you wish made in your present listing or you want a telephone installed, call the telephone office at once so your name will be sure to be correctly listed.



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## Hudson's Grocery

### To the Citizens of Hamilton County:

As the rationing of tires and other hindrances have made it impossible for me to make a house to house campaign. But it has been a pleasure to me to carry my campaign to you in a clean way, asking you to carefully consider me when you vote for District Clerk Saturday, and if elected to the office it will help me to help you. I am

Yours respectfully,  
**OLLIE McDURMITT.**

(Pol. Adv.)

### TO THE PEOPLE OF PRECINCT 3, HAMILTON COUNTY:

Just before the election I desire to express to all the people of Precinct 3 my sincere appreciation for the helpful cooperation you have given me in my work as your Commissioner. I am especially grateful that you are letting me go into the Primary without an opponent. I shall try to show my deep appreciation of this by giving you the best work that I can do.

Tax money will be cut down next year. I will not be able to do all that I had planned. But I shall be careful with the reduced money so that the County roads and the County finances be kept in the good condition they are and ought to be.

It is my ambition to serve you well. I shall be glad to discuss any County problems with you.

Again I thank you.

(Pol. Adv.)

**R. W. (Bob) HANCOCK.**