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## ELECTIONS TO BE HELD COUNTY-WIDE ON NOVEMBER 13 ACCORDING TO PRESENT PLANS

November 13, 1942 has designated as the date on which community elections will be held for the selection of County Committeemen and County Commissioners. The County Convention will be held on Saturday, November 14, at which time the delegates from the County Committees will serve during the year.

3. Assist in arranging for and conducting the necessary community meetings of members of the association.  
4. Perform such other duties as shall be assigned to them by the county committee or the Agricultural Adjustment Agency.  
In addition these committeemen will be called on to assist farmers in planning to reach their next year's production goals, to assist the War Board in its increasing duties and will likely be called on to serve on rationing committees or other matters that will come up during the emergency.

## Local People Will Attend Methodist Conference

Conference meets November 11 at Sweetwater. Those attending besides the pastor will be: W. H. Henderson, elected delegate, Mrs. J. M. Wilson, reserve delegate, and J. M. Willson, member of the Board of Education for the Northwest Texas Conference, member of other important committees and also of boards and committees of jurisdictional status.

The present pastor has served the charge two years during which the church has prospered in spite of a decreasing population in the community. The number of members received during the two years is almost half the number received in the last five year period, or years have been the easiest of a 40 and 1-3 per cent. The last two number of years in finances. At the end of the last month there is no deficit whatever.

Sunday will be the pastor's last day before Conference. Appointments for the new year will be read the following Sunday afternoon for 220 pastors in the Northwest Texas Conference. The membership of the church and the public as well are invited cordially to attend these last services of the year.

The pastor wishes to extend the sincere and Christian love of the Methodist Church to all sister churches in the community and wish them spiritual prosperity in their efforts to bring the Kingdom of God on earth and to do His will as it is done in heaven. No finer group of Christian ministers and no more brotherly spirit could be found among any preachers. It has been a great privilege to serve with them.

R. T. BREEDLOVE, Pastor.

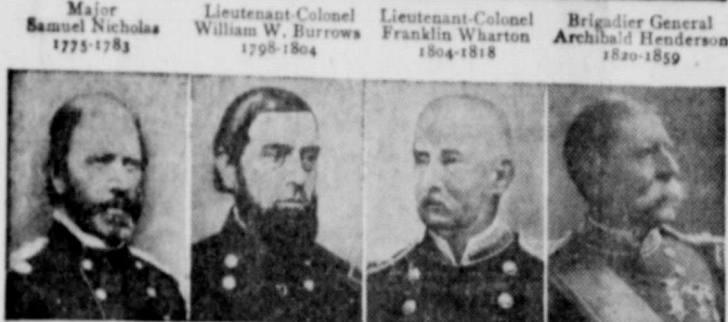
## Dr. Clements Opening Office in Plainview

Dr. Kibby J. Clements, of Plainview, Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon, announces this week that he is re-opening his office in Plainview at 721 Austin Street, first door south of the First Baptist Church. Dr. Clements retired from practice in 1936, and during that time has spent most of his time away from Plainview. He had practiced for a number of years in Plainview and surrounding territory before retiring.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Lider, of Amarillo, visited in Floydada Wednesday for a short while.

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## JUDGE TUBBS ATTENDS CONVENTION

Judge G. C. Tubbs is attending a three day State Association of County Judges and Commissioners in Mineral Wells this week. The convention opened officially Wednesday morning.

Judge Tubbs was accompanied by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Richard Tubbs, who will go on to San Antonio to visit her husband, who is stationed there.

Judge Tubbs will return home the latter part of the week.

Throw your scrap into the fight.

## SECOND SUNDAY SINGING TO BE HELD AT SOUTH SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

The regular Second Sunday Singing will meet Sunday afternoon at the South Side Baptist Church at 2 o'clock. Be sure to be on time for a song feast. An effort is being made to secure out-of-county singers for the afternoon. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holmes and daughter, of Grand Prairie, is visiting this week with Mrs. Holmes' father, J. P. Osborn.

Throw your scrap into the fight.

## Cotton Acreage Allotment is Announced

College Station, November 5.—Approximately 90 percent of all Texas cotton farms will receive the same cotton allotments in 1943 as they did in 1942.

According to B. F. Vance, administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, allotments will be available to individual growers by November 20.

Under the present law allotments can be changed from last year's allotments under only two circumstances, the AAA official explained.

Citing the reasons for changes, Vance said that some individual allotments would be increased or decreased if the 1942 measured crop had increased or decreased over the 1942 measured cropland, or if the 1942 planted acreage was materially increased over the acreage planted to cotton during the three year period, 1939-41.

He said that the majority of individual cotton allotments could not be changed unless the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1933 also was changed.

Producers who do not receive regular 1943 cotton allotments may request a 1943 new grower allotment by contacting their county AAA committees by February 1, 1943. Farms on which cotton is planted in 1943 for the first time since January 1, 1940, are eligible for new grower allotments.

To date, approximately 31,000 cotton farm allotments under next year's AAA program have been calculated for 26 counties. Texas' cotton allotment under the 1942 AAA program was approximately 9,947,819 acres and the same acreage is expected under the 1943 program.

Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Jr., and children, of Dallas, are visiting Dr. Harmon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Sr., this week.

Throw your scrap into the fight.

## LOCAL BOARD RECEIVE INFORMATION ON OCCUPATIONAL DEFERMENTS OF DRAFTEES

### Last Rites Held for James C. Lackey Wednesday

Last rites were held Wednesday, November 3, at the First Baptist Church for James C. Lackey, age 76, who passed away Tuesday morning at his home in the north part of the county after an illness of several months. Rev. G. C. Applewhite of Plainview, officiated. Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

James Columbus Lackey was born in Sharp County, Arkansas, March 5, 1866, and died November 3, 1942, at the age of seventy six years, seven months and twenty nine days. He was married to Nancy R. Lackey August 5, 1886 in Cook County, Texas. To this union was born six sons and one daughter. Three sons and five daughters died in infancy. Those surviving are his wife, seven children, twenty-six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. The children are: Mrs. O. G. Cypert, R. L. Lackey, Mrs. John Fortenberry, Johnnie S. Lackey, Elvie Lackey, Mrs. C. W. Dillard and Mrs. O. R. Beard, all of Lockney. Four brothers also survive, they are: John, Roscoe, Edd and Luther and one aunt, Mrs. Henry Mize. He was converted and became a member of the Baptist Church in 1894.

### Grady Hall Employed by Harmon Funeral Home

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hall, of Plainview, have moved to Floydada to make their home and Mr. Hall will be employed at Harmon Funeral Home as Mortician. Mr. Hall and family formerly lived here and was employed with Mr. Harmon in the same capacity. He moved to Plainview about 14 years ago, and has been associated with the Lindsey Funeral Home. Mr. and Mrs. Hall are living on south Wall street in the home of Major and Mrs. L. G. Mathews, which was recently vacated by Mrs. Mathews.

### MR AND MRS. PHIL MERRY ANNOUNCE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Merry, of San Diego, California, announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Morross Merry, November 2, 1942, weighing seven pounds and eight ounces. Mrs. Merry is the former Miss Worth Shipley, daughter of Mrs. Bob Smith. Mrs. Smith is visiting in San Diego with her daughter and Mr. Merry. Bob Smith, setp-father of Mrs. Merry was advised of the arrival of the grand daughter Tuesday.

### JESSIE R. BELL IS PROMOTED TO CORPORAL

Kelly Field, Mississippi.—Devotion to duty rewarded Private First Class Jessie R. Bell with promotion to the grade of corporal at this vital Army Air Base recently. Corporal Bell, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Bell, live in Floydada, enlisted in the Army at Lubbock, January 10, 1942, and is currently on duty at Key Field as a member of a bomb squadron.

The Local Board is in receipt of telegraphic advice from State Headquarters for Selective Service, indicating that regulations are being announced which will give the Local Boards increased authority to grant occupational deferments to men engaged in Poultry Farming, Dairying and Live Stock farming. A survey has been made which indicates a Nationwide shortage of manpower in these industries which is finally being recognized as critical in many parts of the Country.

The Boards are advised to use their best judgment in getting temporary deferments to this class registrant, until definite standards are worked out to use as a yardstick in deciding which farm workers are essential, and which can be spared without crippling the War effort. The Floyd County Board has been granting temporary deferments to farm boys, where they are actively engaged in gathering the crop now made, and it is quite possible that some deferments may be extended, where the farm worker meets the standards to be established.

## Preliminary Program for 1943 Crop Announced

A preliminary announcement has been made of the 1943 Agricultural Conservation Program. The details of the program have not been received but the general plan is as follows:

There will be a deduction of five times the payment rate for each acre by which the planted acreage of special crops (cotton, potatoes, and wheat) is less than 90 per cent of the allotment, unless the underplanting is off-set by an acreage of designated emergency war crops (soy beans for beans, flax seed, dry beans, legume cover crops, Sea Island cotton, hemp, peanuts for oil, and castor beans) and designated feed grain crops (grain sorghums, oats, and barley).

The designated feed grain crops can be used only for off-setting underplanting of the wheat acreage allotment.

If the planted cotton acreage is less than 90 per cent of the allotment, the acreage may be off-set only by planting designated war crops.

Each farm will be expected to contribute an acreage of feed grain crops equal to that which is normally grown on the farm. Although it is not possible at this time to determine the normal acreage of feed grain crops, producers will be notified as soon as additional information is received, the announcement indicated. The acreage of designated feed grain crops or designated war crops used to off-set underplanting will be above the normal acreage of feed grain crops.

It is noted that the special crop payments are not contingent on a specified acreage of conserving crops or leave-out land, but deductions will be made for failure to meet 90 per cent of the emergency war crop and livestock goals for the farm. Just what these goals will be is not known at this time.

It is expected that soil-building practices may be earned under provisions similar to those under the 1942 program.

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## Can Openers for Nazi Tin Fish



Official Canadian Government Photo  
IN the fight against U-Boats, the Royal Canadian and American Navies are cooperating as a unit in North American Waters. In Canadian munition factories war workers are speeding production to keep up the supply of depth charges. Insert at right shows a worker in such a plant assembling screw tops for the charges. At left, a depth charge officer directs the crew as they hoist a lethal package of T.N.T. into the depth charge thrower for special delivery to a submarine raider lurking below. When these depth charges, known as "ash cans," explode they throw up a geyser of water a hundred feet into the air.

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## West Texas Chamber of Commerce Evades Travel

Abilene, November 5.—Travel curtailment has been no barrier to at least one type of West Texas convection this mid-fall. During October, without wear on rubber, groups composed of West Texas Chamber of Commerce directors and members, local chamber boards and Public Affairs committees, have met in more than 100 towns to ponder the area's major problems as set forth by committees in the WTCC's 12-plank referendum platform.

Last week 55 towns sent in their session reports and signed ballots.

The decentralized meetings are taking the place—for the duration—of the regional chamber's traditional general assembly. The experiment is proving an unqualified success, assert its officers. M. C. Ulmer, vice president, said reports in hand show that more than 2,500 West Texas leaders have come together to consider and pass on the organization's 1943 policies and program of work.

A heartening omen in this time of "This democratic procedure is extreme danger from without to our American way of life," said Ulmer. "Under it, our affiliates have the privilege and option of sanctioning or rejecting any or all of the policy planks recommended by committees, and their vote will determine our course."

Ballot returns to date show almost unanimous approval of all submitted planks. Many new activities have additionally been recommended by affiliated groups. These include: aid to small business, locating glide manufacturing plants, county government reform, oil price increase, rat eradication, cotton improvement, an oil pipe line to the west coast, cooperation with federal rural aid departments; investigation of stotol, a plant native to the trans-Pecos, as a source of synthetic rubber, and of other West Texas plants and minerals for processing in war uses.

Town reports will be canvassed November 10 by the WTCC's executive and referendum board. The 72-member group will hold an all-day business session in the Abilene headquarters building.

Acceptances indicate virtually all members will be present. Among reports received will be that of state Senator George Moffett, who is in Washington pressing the WTCC's campaigns for increased wartime production of cotton and its expanded use in the rubber program, and for consideration of grain sorghums as a major raw material source of synthetic rubber.

## Sugar Users are Cautioned by local Chairman

Sugar users were cautioned today by W. Edd Brown, chairman of the Floyd County War Price and Rationing Board, against allowing their sugar purchase certificates to lapse. The individual consumer's sugar stamps are not affected.

Uncertainty of arrivals from the Caribbean area and restrictions placed on deliveries in recent zoning orders, occasionally interfere with deliveries within the period for which certificates are valid originally, Mr. Brown pointed out.

"These certificates may be protected by having the local War Price and Rationing Board issue new certificates in exchange for the old, before expiration of the 60-day period for which the original certificates were valid," Mr. Brown explained. "The new certificates will be good for 60 days from the date of their issuance."

Retailers, wholesalers, and industrial and institutional users, to whom the warning was specifically directed, were reminded that

they can also have their certificates subdivided by the local board to have the more nearly meet their requirements. This will enable the mto surrender to their suppliers certificates closely approximating the weight of actual deliveries. This reminder was made, Mr. Brown explained, because some users, and especially industrial and institutional users, are in the habit of turning over all their certificates for a given allotment period to their wholesalers or primary distributors without first having their purchases confirmed.

"In consequence some certificates have expired while the balance of the sugar for which they called was undelivered," Mr. Brown said. "Such expired certificates cannot be redeemed either by the original holder or the supplier."

"For their own protection, therefore, all such buyers of sugar are advised to surrender to their suppliers only certificates closely approximating in weight value the amount of each requested delivery, and to secure confirmation of the order before doing so."

Among restrictions made in recent zoning orders is one against deliveries by primary distributors on orders or contracts calling for delivery more than three days after the date of such orders or contracts.

Miss LaNell Harmon, of Canyon, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Walker and Bill Stockman, of Canyon, friends of Miss Harmon's came for her Sunday afternoon and she returned to Canyon with the party.

The need for women workers in war industries should convince college women that they have no right to think that a college education entitles them to occupational prestige "above" that of manual labor, Miss Dorothy Gebauer, University of Texas dean of women, declared recently.

The best way to forget the cost of living it to live so that it's worth it.

## Price Ceiling List Must be Filed

Operators of service industries and trades ranging from domestic laundering, cleaning and automobile repair to stevedoring were warned today by W. Edd Brown, chairman of the Floyd County War Price and Rationing Board that those service tradesmen who have not yet filed the list of their ceiling prices which was due by September 10 are subject to penalties of the price control law.

"This service price regulation is a war-time measure among many other war-time measures to help put a lid on the cost of living," Mr. Brown said, "But by this time the necessity for filing these price reports with the local County Board has been given ample publicity in the press and every service tradesman should have no excuse for not complying with the law." These price reports which should have been filed with the Board by September 10 were supposed to list the highest price for any such specified service which the tradesman charged during last March.

"We have a quantity of pamphlets available at the Board office, said Mr. Brown, explaining what services are covered and the form in which the reports should be filed.

"Where a tradesman comes to us in good faith and reports that he has not filed his report because he did not understand the requirement, the board will be glad to help him with the necessary forms

so he may have his report on file in proper order without further delay," Mr. Brown emphasized. "However, if we receive complaints from customers of service tradesmen that these service men still do not have available in their establishments the required list of ceiling prices for the inspection of

customers, which should have been there since September 1, the Board will be obliged to pass on these complaints to the State Office of Price Administration in Fort Worth for the proper enforcement action.

Throw your scrap into the fight.

ENTERS BUSINESS COLLEGE  
Miss Gladys Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Powell, Route 2, Floydada, Texas, entered Draughton's Business College at Lubbock on Monday, November 2, for their combined business course. Miss Powell is a 1939 graduate of Crosbyton High School.

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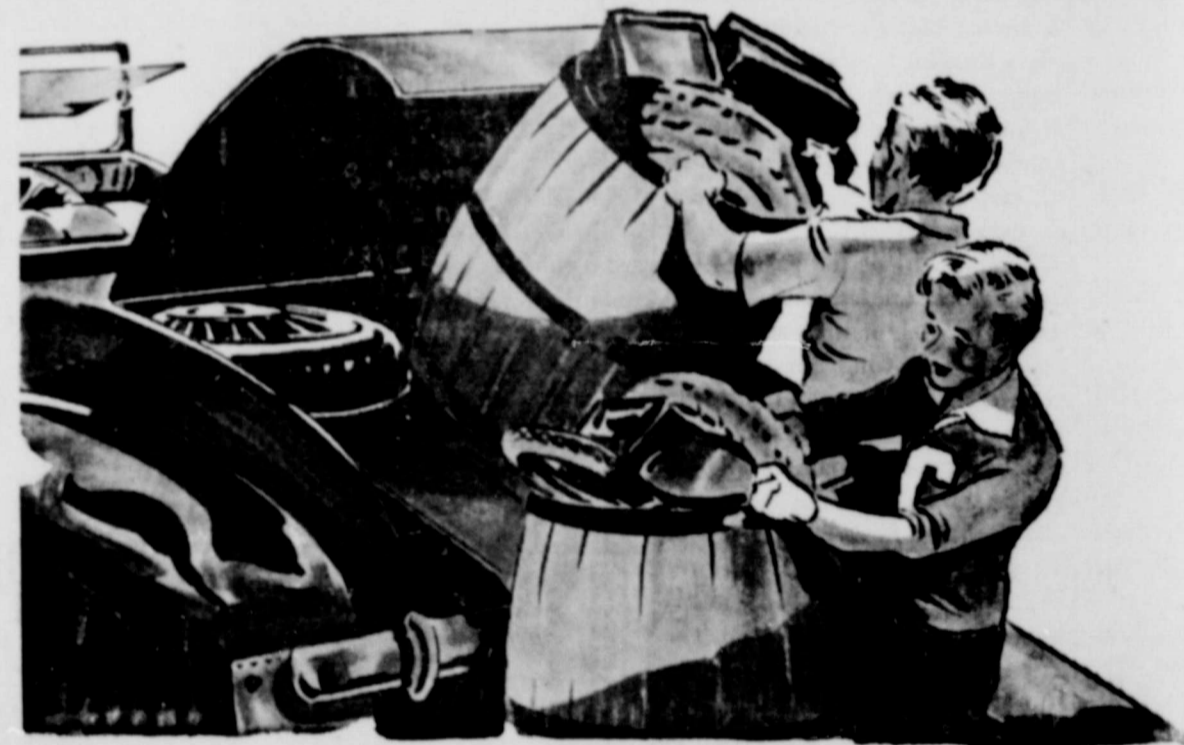
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## "Give Him Both Barrels Son"



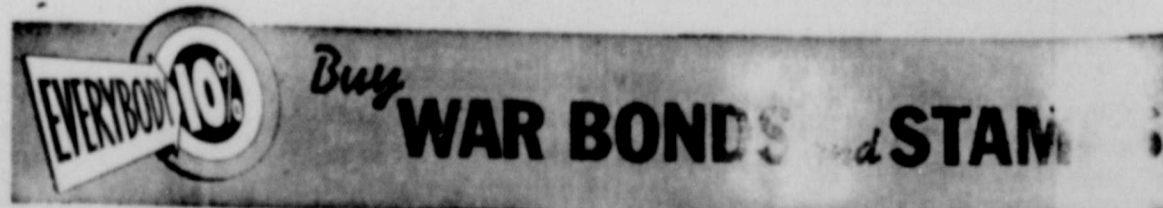
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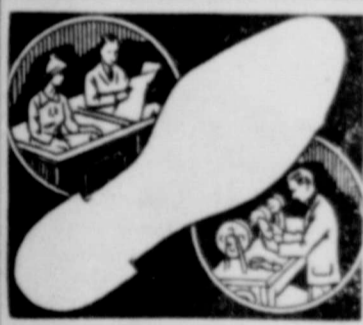
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### Enlist Office of Labor

Are Represented  
Production Boards  
Many Industries.

For the first time in history a move is being made on a national scale to enlist the experience of the men in the factories and to stimulate output. Practically all engineering workers are electing to join production committees, writes Jack Tanner, of the Engineering Union of Britain, expressing his opinion in an article made public through the information service. This had been the management's alone. The management on the job had been engaged on the job for many years. "Often frustrated because they were denied the right of input matters straight. The National Engineering Employers Federation has followed the lead of the government and with all the engineering unions on a plan for joint action, on which elected trade representatives of the workers sit with equal rights with managerial nominees. I look forward to striking in output. The government recently conducted an investigation into Britain's production efficiency. It obtained statistics from 1,000 factories engaged on all war output, and employing 1,000,000 workers. We found that, prior to the national production committees being set up, they had been pushing up production at a greater rate than in under-where no such committee work. A deal of this increase was due to suggestions put forward by the workers, who had demanded to secure economy in their work. They had organized in the factories had taken steps to improve production given to the vast number of unskilled men and women becoming increasingly reluctant for handling the vast war being built up in the factories. It is true to say that many employers were amazed to find a wide range of knowledge in their workers. They have found that skilled engineers understand their particular work and have also mastered to a considerable extent the wider problems of their industry. I have dealt only with my own experience, but this form of negotiation and co-operation between employer and workers is by no means new to engineering. Right at the beginning of the war, the trade union movement secured a government pledge that no decisions affecting the workers would be taken without the appropriate trade unions consulted. This pledge has been kept. Erwin, the minister of labor, has pointed out the greatest mobilization of man power in British history has done it all in full cooperation with a joint committee of representatives of the Trade Union Congress General and the British Employment Federation. Industrial democracy has employees, employers and workers to work together through the stormy years of war. It must be maintained and it must be equally difficult to keep. If we succeed in this we shall have gone some way toward ensuring that the war now being made to the world is realized."

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### Funeral Services For Russell E. Warren

Russell E. Warren was born December 25, 1867, and passed away at 9:45 a. m., October 30, 1942, at his home in south Floydada. He died at the age of 74 years, 9 months and 29 days. Mr. Warren was born in Robertson County, Tennessee, at the age of 4 years he moved with his parents to Texas, and at the age of 17 years Mr. Warren became a member of the Baptist Church of which he was a very devout member until his death.

Funeral rites were held Saturday, October 31, 1942, at the South Side Baptist Church, at 3 o'clock, with Rev. R. N. Power officiating, assisted by Rev. L. A. Doyle. Interment was made in Floydada Cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.

Mr. Warren was married to Miss Laura Parrish, December 12, 1888, at Wolf City, Texas. To this union were born 14 children of which of which his wife and 11 children survive, these being 3 sons: Oscar, Elmer, Homer, Fred, Wade, Dorcie, and Tom of this city; and Carlos, of Fort Worth, Texas; and three daughters, Mrs. R. V. Payne and Mrs. Lester Britton, of this city, and Mrs. R. M. McBee of Long Beach, California; all of these being present for the services. The deceased was preceded in death by two sons and one daughter who died in infancy. He is also survived by two brothers and two sisters of which one brother, Tom Warren, of this city and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Shultz of Fort Worth and Mrs. Dee Wright of Falls being present for services. Mr. Warren is also survived by 23 grandchildren and several other relatives.

Pallbearers were: Robert, Lewis Earl and Elvis Warren, H. D. Payne, Edwin and R. C. Pollan. Flower bearers were: Helen Stewart, Laura Frances Payne, Mary Lee Payne, Gloria June Britton, Ruby Story, Mrs. Harris, and Josephine Britton.

### Program honoring Service Men is Great Success

The service honoring men in our armed forces which was held last Sunday night at the Methodist Church was unique and altogether a success. Forty-three candles were lit in token of the unchanging interest in and loyalty of the people to the boys in the service who are scattered now all over the world. The Girls' Chorus sang "O God, Our Help in Ages Past", Mrs. E. E. Hinson gave a very effective and touching reading and Mr. Jim Willson delivered one of the best addresses of the year in honor of Service Men.

A roll of honor men will be posted in the entrance to the church, their addresses will be recorded in a book there, and their friends are urged to send "V Mail" letters to those abroad and to write those who are still in this country. Other such occasions are in mind for the future. We cannot do too much for these boys of ours. It is ours to "stand by the stuff" until they come back from our fight and theirs.

R. T. BREEDLOVE, Pastor.  
SERGEANT THEODORE WOOD  
GETS PROMOTION

Sergeant Theodore Wood has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. He is the son of Mrs. Minnie V. Wood, Floydada. He is stationed at Moore Field advanced flying school in the Rio Grand Valley near Mission, Texas.

Regardless of your walk in life, smooth running gets you there a lot quicker.

Throw your scrap into the fight.

### Jimmie Smyth one of 62 Cadets to Enter from Texas

With elimination flight training at one of the many U. S. Naval Reserve Air Bases successfully behind them, Jimmie Smyth, of Floydada, and 61 other cadets from Texas have reported aboard the U. S. Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi, Texas, to begin a training course that will lead to the award of Navy wings.

These men, joining Naval cadets from 38 other states to form a new cadet class, have already demonstrated their ability to handle basic training aircraft. Now they will learn the theories of aviation warfare, from radio code to cross-country trips by instrument, in the ground school phase of pilot instruction.

After more intensive checks in basic training planes, they will

move up gradually to the heavier ships that are flown in the advanced stages of their course.

Here they will master the controls of tricky fighting planes, drop practice bombs from swift dive-bombers, follow charted courses in long range observation scout planes, and patrol surrounding waters in massive Catalina flying boats.

After successfully completing the long course designed to fit them for duty with the fleet, the cadets will be awarded their wings and commissions in the U. S. Naval or U. S. Marine Corps Reserve.

Hank Corwin of the U. S. Employment Service has established an office in the Agricultural Building for the purpose of assisting farmers in securing cotton pickers and laborers for handling feed, and laborers for handling feed. If you need laborers, Mr. Corwin should be contacted at the office or at the girls is Floydada.

### Texas War Industries on Steady Increase

There was no interruption in the steady progress of Texas' war industries during September, reports on employment and payrolls in those industries, issued by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, indicate.

The number of employees in

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manufacturing plants increased one per cent from August to September, and was 4.5 per cent greater in September, 1942, than in the same month a year ago, the Bureau reported. Weekly payrolls showed an even larger increase, with a rise of 3.2 per cent from August to September, and 21.3 per cent from September, 1941 to

September, 1942. Employment and weekly wages in cotton oil mills reflected the most marked industrial change, since this industry is now in the midst of a seasonal boom. When your sins find out out, it's just about as bad as when the collectors find you in.

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**COME IN AT ONCE, GET YOUR SELECTION FIRST, SAVE  
THE DIFFERENCE AND BUY MORE DEFENSE STAMPS  
AND BONDS.**

Remember this, we cannot replace such values, there is no more material such as is used in these garments available at this time. Visit our store at once, we have our garments grouped for your convenience, and will be glad to show you these Fall Bargains. **1 TABLE OF HATS going at SPECIAL PRICES. See Them.**

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## LOCAL BOARD FILLS CALL FOR THREE MEN

Filling a Call for three Selected who were examined and accepted at Lubbock October 24th, the following men will be forwarded this week to Fort Sill, Army Reception Center: Reamer Clyde Rainer, and George Dewey Tinney.

Lloyd A. Bedford, who was the third man of this group, enlisted in the Army Air Corps Specialist Class, and is stationed at Lubbock, and Billie Tad Probasco, also has enlisted in the Specialist Class, and is stationed in Arizona, he having enlisted in California.

## DEALERS MAKE MACHINERY INVENTORY

College Station, November 5.—Inventories of more than 100 types of machinery and equipment will get under way in Texas next week.

Working with Texas' 254 county farm machinery rationing committees, dealers, distributors and manufacturers are being asked to take stock of their supplies and make final report by November 10.

Purpose of the inventory is to determine equipment and farm machinery available to Texas farmers for the 1943 crop year and lay ground work for permanent rationing, according to B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA war board.

He explained that dealers who do business in six or more Texas counties should file their reports with the state USDA war board instead of local rationing committees, and with the Washington office if business is conducted in more than one state.

Included in the inventories are various types of planting, seeding and fertilizing equipment, plows and listers, harrows and pulverizers, cultivators and weeders, grain, and rice binders, combines, mowers, rakes, power feed cutters and corn shellers, and hay presses or balers.

Other types of machinery and equipment to be included in the over-all inventory are tractors, power engines, farm wagons and trucks, dairy machinery and equipment, spraying outfits and domestic water systems.

### NEWS FROM HUGGINS

The Plainsman received a letter this week from Tech. Corporal John H. W. Huggins, who is attending school, The Capitol Radio Engineering Institute, in Washington, D. C. He is in the Signal Corps.

## Ruth Elaine Harmon Celebrates Birthday

Ruth Elaine Harmon entertained a number of her friends on her birthday Tuesday afternoon, November 3 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, south Wall street. The birthday cake was decorated in pink and blue and twelve candles were lighted for the occasion. Chili bars and Angle food cake was served the guests. Games were played and contests were held, giving defense stamps to the winners.

Those attending were: Marlene Foote, Leslie Joe Crabtree, Willa Bradford, Wilma Dyer, Inez Dunavant, Veneta and Bonnie Roe McCleskey, Marty Lou Bond, Betty June Burleson, Bobby Jean Medlin, Margaret Huckabee, Norma Nell Teague, Juse and Norma Britton, Jean Batty and the hostess Ruth Elaine Harmon.

### MORGAN WRIGHT ILL

Morgan Wright, City Marshal, is reported seriously ill at his home on south Main street. Mr. Wright became ill Saturday night and has shown only slight improvement during the week. Mr. Wright is suffering from heart ailment.

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## Backwardness Might Be Due to Faulty Reading

If Johnny or Mary have difficulty with school work, don't decide immediately that they are not as bright as their playmates. It may be that they have not learned to read correctly.

From 10 to 20 per cent of the children in public schools have defects in reading, Dr. G. A. Yoakam, director of courses in elementary education at the University of Pittsburgh, says.

Because of this, many schools have corrective classes for backward children, Dr. Yoakam says, but explains that the tendency toward corrective classes has reached its height and, it is hoped, the new tendency is toward developing a program for prevention of reading difficulties.

Chief contributing causes of reading difficulties, Dr. Yoakam explains, are poor training in reading, poor vision, speech difficulties, defective hearing, and lack of opportunity and practice in reading.

He explains that absence from school in the early grades and transfer from one school to another in the first years of school are also contributing causes.

Director of the Remedial Reading laboratory at Pitt, Dr. Yoakam says: "It has been our experience in the laboratory that most of the cases we meet, aside from those inferior in intelligence, have become disabled in reading because of preventive factors.

## Nation's Farm Machinery Not Completely Used, Yet

Millions of dollars for farmers and millions of gallons of fuel for war can be saved by simple tractor adjustments and repairs, producers of food-for-freedom were reminded by agricultural engineers of the University of Illinois college of agriculture.

Some of these are the adjustment of the carburetor and governor, cleaning out clogged air cleaner, removing dirt from between the radiator fins, repairing magnetos and grinding valves, according to E. W. Lehmann, head of the department, and H. P. Bateman, assistant.

Many farm machines are not used as many hours during the year as they could effectively be used, especially during the war program. This extra available use could take care of the machine and labor shortage in many areas. It will be necessary for some farmers owning harvesting and threshing machines to do more custom work as a patriotic duty.

The engineers also recommend the training of more farm machine operators and repair men and the promotion of an accident and fire prevention program.

### Jalopy Junk Joins Up

Mrs. Veronica Hruby, farm homemaker of east central Nebraska, sent this hint to the department of agriculture, telling how she converted to war work an old car body that had been cluttering up the yard for years. The Hrubys, who are rehabilitating their farm with a loan from the Farm Security administration, hitched up the horse, dragged the car body to the garden and set it up as a framework for a hotbed. The top of the car body, an old model and practically all glass, gave the same effect as a greenhouse. A trap door in the roof provides ventilation. This spring the Hrubys transplanted more than 600 tomato plants from this makeshift hotbed. Every time Mrs. Hruby looks at her garden she smiles, she says, thinking of other seasons when she and her husband would have enlarged the garden "if only we had had a hotbed." "Now," she says, "we have one—from backyard junk."

### Geography of Kerch Strait

Followers of war news have watched closely since the mid-year fall of Kerch and Sevastopol for signs of a Nazi advance on the wealth of the Caucasus by action eastward from the Crimea across narrow Kerch strait to the Taman peninsula. This peninsula is the northwestern limit of the Caucasus mountain range. Able Russian resistance makes mass movement of men and modern heavy equipment imperative for invasion of the Caucasus. The geography of Kerch strait and the Taman peninsula makes such a mass troop movement extremely difficult, says a National Geographic society bulletin. The history of past invasions is repeated as the Germans drive for Rostov-on-the-Don as their gateway to Caucasus oil and manganese, thus seemingly recognizing as too difficult the jump from Crimea to Caucasus.

### Paint for Ammunition

Shell makers are leaning heavily on finishing materials. Whether 57 mm. or 155 mm. shells must be coated inside and out—inside to prevent corrosion and outside to prevent corrosion and for identification. Automatic spray machines that coat and bake 105 mm. shells with infra-red at the rate of 1,000 per hour are now in use, and they contrast amazingly with the 40 per hour output obtained with ten-men hand-painting crews in 1918. Metal and wood shell boxes must also be finished.



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