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# The Floyd County Plainsman

FLOYDADA, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS, MAY 6, 1943

## County Men Induction

Following registrants of County Local Board, accepted for service, and forwarded to Reception Center:

Simpson, Lockney; Myers, South; M. Jones, Floyd; Martin, Jr., Floyd; T. Polvadore, Floyd; Howard Rape, Jr., Lockney; Edward Smith, Robert J. Teal, Floyd; G. Denison, Floyd; Wallace Norman, (Buddy) Judson Taylor; Kenneth D. Lockney; Herbert H. Floydada; Francis B. Floydada;

Men were accepted in the Army.

Men were accepted by Reception Center:

W. Thornton, Floyd; Wilburn Slaughter, L. H. Matthews, Dan Washburn, Floyd.

## Pressure Cookers On Rationing List

Machinery was set up this week by the Floyd County USDA War Board to distribute pressure cookers for use in the Food Preservation Program. An advisory board composed of Mrs. Ed Holmes, Mrs. Mal Jarboe, and Mrs. Kate Collier was elected to assist the Floyd County Machinery Rationing Board in proper distribution of these war model cookers.

The cookers to be released are enameled steel bottoms and tin-plated steel tops holding 7 glass quart jars or 14 No. 2 tin cans. A few 14 quart size will be released.

To secure one of the cookers the applicant will make application to Farm Machinery Rationing Board, AAA Office, Floydada, on forms to be provided at that office. The application will be reviewed by the Advisory committee and the Farm Machinery Rationing Board. If passed, the applicant will be notified of the eligibility and that a purchase certificate will be issued when he certifies that he has found a cooker in stock. This certification is necessary to prevent issuance of certificates in excess of the available supply of pressure cookers.

In determining eligibility applicants will have to agree to maximum use, must agree to pooling, and will assume responsibility for the proper care, use, and circulation of the cooker.

In addition to the advisory board, a consultant committee composed of Miss Wilson, Extension Service; Mrs. Clifton, FSA; Miss Doak, Home Economics will offer their services to the County Farm Rationing Committee to assume that maximum use and proper care will be made of the cookers.

## Scholastic Meet to be Letter Day

May 4.—The red-letter day of 1,200 Texas boys and girls will come when they arrive at the County State Meet of the Scholastic League.

Through competition between peers in more than elementary and high schools districts, they represent the literary and athletic—regions afford.

Contestants will compete in the best in nearly a dozen events for championship in debate, declamation, extemporaneous speech, ready-writer, plays, journalism, and shorthand, three-R, track and field, and rural.

Approximately 340,000 boys entered League events in Texas, which has the most comprehensive program of activities in the country.

In conjunction with the state meet, four conferences will be held at the regular meeting of the League delegates to discuss regulations, a gathering of the Association of Secondary Principals, a tennis clinic for coaches, and the two-day conference for high school principals and sponsors.

## Nelson Wharton Rites at Seminole Wednesday

Funeral services for Nelson Crowder Wharton were conducted at the Baptist Church at Seminole, Texas, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and the Masonic Lodge of Seminole, of which Mr. Wharton was a member, held graveside rites.

The body was sent to Seminole Tuesday by Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home from Amarillo where Mr. Wharton was killed in an accident.

Mr. Wharton resided at 1614 Buchanan Street, Amarillo, and was fatally injured Sunday midnight on the Pantex Ordnance Plant reservation when he was struck by an automobile. He had finished his day's work and was walking across a street.

Besides his wife, survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wharton, of White Deer; two sons, Crowder Wayne and Buel Duncan Wharton; four brothers, Charles, Mendell and William, all in the military service, and Buel Wharton, of Amarillo; and two sisters, Mrs. A. M. Cunningham, White Deer, and Mrs. Ray Medlin, Jr., of Loop, Texas.

Mr. Wharton was a nephew of John A. and Lindsey Hollums, of Floydada. John A. Hollums attended the funeral services at Seminole Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Grundy left Sunday for Mineral Wells, where they will spend three weeks for Mrs. Grundy's health.



*Let's Talk About Money*

... and WAR

When you hear that bombing planes cost \$335,000, tanks \$75,000, anti-aircraft guns \$50,000—And when you hear, too, that America needs 60,000 planes, 45,000 tanks, and 20,000 anti-aircraft guns at once—



It doesn't take much figuring to see that winning this war calls for every dollar all of us can scrape together. With our freedom at stake—with our farms, families, even our very lives depending upon the outcome, we'd gladly give this money.

But we aren't asked to do that. Our Government asks us only to lend the money—to put our increased earnings into War Bonds—month after month—until this war is won. In doing so, we save for our own security as well. For we get back \$4 for every \$3 we

invest, when the Bonds are held 10 years. And if we need the money, we can get it all back any time after 60 days from issue date. This is the American way—the volunteer way—to raise the billions needed for Victory. And the money can... will... must be raised.

So let's show them that the farmers of America are helping to win this war in two vitally important ways—by producing more Food for Freedom and by saving more in War Bonds.

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## Olin S. Miller Goes To Pampa As Welfare Worker

Austin, May 1.—Olin S. Miller of Floydada has accepted a position with the State Department of Public Welfare as Senior Field Worker and assumed his duties in Pampa on May 3. Mr. Miller was born in Johnson County and reared in Floydada. He is a graduate of Floydada High School and has also attended West Texas State Teachers College and Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee. Prior to his selection by the welfare department through a Merit System examination he was farming at Floydada. He has had several years experience in school work. In preparation for his new duties Mr. Miller has just completed four weeks of training in Austin and Fort Worth.

The new worker will help administer the Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Needy Blind, and Aid to Dependent Children programs. These programs, being financed jointly by federal and state money, grant assistance to aged persons who are at least 21 years of age, and to children under 14 who have lost the care or support of one or both parents through death, continued absence from the home, or physical or mental incapacity of the parent. In order to secure funds the state is required to grant aid only to those persons found to be in necessitous circumstances and who qualify under other provisions of the law.

Mrs. Arthur J. Beedy and son, Wayne, spent the week end visiting in Fort Worth with her husband, Arthur J. Beedy.

## Potter County Boy Is Texas Champion Holstein Raiser

Brattleboro, Vt., April 30.—Richard Hales, Route 1, Amarillo, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hales, has been named Texas Champion Holstein Calf Club boy for 1942. The Holstein-Friesian Association of America announces.

Richmond is 16 years old and has completed 7 years of dairy club work. He now owns four head of registered Holsteins. In addition he has finished project work with baby chickens, swine, and feed crops. He has shown his own cattle and helped with his father's show herd since 1936. Twice in 1942, his club heifers were named Junior Champion at the Tri-State fair held at Amarillo.

Richmond and his brother Lewis are at home, busily helping their father produce more food to win the war—helping to milk 24 Holstein cows, to feed more than 100 hogs and equally as important, buying War Bonds. Two older brothers are in the armed forces; one is H. B. Hales, Jr., Texas Champion Holstein Calf Club Boy in 1938.

Richmond is now eligible for consideration for the national Holstein Calf Club Championship to be announced soon by The Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

H. M. McDonald made a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas last week.

Corn is used in the manufacture of alcohol, sugar, starch and many other war supplies.



## CIRCUS BRINGING A HORSE SHOW TO FLOYDADA

A display of beautiful horses and pretty girls will feature the performance by Dailey Brothers Circus in Floydada Thursday, May the 13th.

During the last 46 years, Texas has produced about six and one-half billion barrels of oil.

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## John F. Roberts Dies Suddenly Tuesday Night

John F. Roberts who lived 6 miles Southeast of Floydada in the Baker community, died suddenly at his home Tuesday night about 10:25 o'clock. Mr. Roberts was ill only a short while. Funeral services will be held at Lakeview this afternoon. Complete arrangements had not been made at the time of going to press. Interment will be made in Lakeview cemetery with Harmon Funeral Home in charge of arrangement.

Mr. Roberts was born November 25, 1867 at Manchester, Tennessee, moved to central Texas in the 90's and came to Floyd County in 1901, where he and his family has lived since. Mrs. Roberts died December 13, 1940.

Survivors include A. J. Roberts, of California; Mrs. W. C. Wright and Mrs. Tilford Taylor, of Floydada; Harmon Roberts, Hereford; Elzie Roberts, of Lamesa; Luther an invalid son, at home, and Poyner Roberts and family who live with his father; Julian Roberts of Ralls; Mrs. Ellis Head, of Houston; Frank Roberts of Abernathy; and one foster grandson, A. J. Roberts, who is in the U. S. service.

All the children are expected to be present except A. J. Roberts, Jr. Deceased is also survived by several grandchildren.

## JOHN I. HAMMONDS HOME IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Hammonds located at 129 West Houston street was damaged Tuesday night about 8:45 by fire, the origin of which is unknown.

Most of the furnishings of the home was saved, but the building was practically ruined by fire, water and smoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds were not at home at the time the fire started. Mrs. Hammonds was at the picture show, Mr. Hammonds was at White Drug Company, and their son, Johnny was attending a Defense Guard meeting.

## Victory Gardens Will Compete With Soldiers' Camps

College Station, May 6.—Victory gardens at home will compete this year with soldiers' camps on distant battle fronts for the available supply of some insecticides. The fighting men must have first choice, and folks at home must use carefully what they have.

According to Dr. H. G. Johnston, entomologist for the A. and M. College Extension Service, not as much pyrethrum and rotenone as farmers could use will be available. These mild poisons have become popular because they kill insects without leaving objectionable residues. The army needs millions of pounds of pyrethrum to protect soldiers against mosquitoes and other disease-bearing insects. Moreover, imports of pyrethrum and rotenone, which are not harmful to human beings, are smaller than had been expected.

In that account, Dr. Johnston points out, civilians cannot get pyrethrum for fly sprays in homes nor for use as insecticides on celery and cucumbers, or for fruit trees and ornamentals. However, it may be used for farm, home and Victory gardens. Dairy farmers and others can obtain it for sprays where dairy products are handled. Truck gardeners can get pyrethrum for crops of the cabbage family,

## Texas Cowboy Reunion Canceled For This Year

Samford, May 6.—In cooperation with the nation's all-out war effort, directors voted not to hold the Texas Cowboy Reunion this year in a recent meeting, according to W. G. Swenson, president.

"There is no doubt," Mr. Swenson stated, "that a good show could have been held. Indications were that the usual number of contestants would have been present, but after a thorough survey of the gasoline, tire, and food rationing, and keeping in mind the urgent appeal being made for each person to devote his energy to the war effort, he decision was made not to hold this year's show. But we assure all rodeo lovers that, as soon as war-time conditions permit, we will return with the annual Texas Cowboy Reunion, with all the thrills and entertainment features that have become a part of the show."

Directors also voted to buy \$3,000 in United States War Bonds, this being taken from the operating funds which will not be used this year.

Started in 1930, the Texas Cowboy Reunion has become famed the country over as the World's Largest Cowboy Roundup. It is open only to amateurs and last year more than 300 cowhands, from all sections of the Southwest, competed for the various prizes. Had the Reunion been held this year, it would have been the fourteenth annual performance. Each year has shown a decided increase in contestants and growing gate receipts have told how well the public likes the celebration.

Directors of the Texas Cowboy Reunion include Mr. Swenson, Roy Arledge, A. C. Cooper, Warren B. Tatum, C. E. Coombes, L. M. Hardy, and Cleburne Huston. The Texas Cowboy Reunion Association, an organization separate and apart from the Texas Cowboy Reunion, is considering the advisability of having a reunion among members only, according to C. E. Coombes, secretary-treasurer. "If a way can be found to feed the group without violating food regulations, the meeting will probably be scheduled," Judges Coombes said.

The Association is composed of old-time ranch hands who served at least 35 years ago as cowboys on a ranch. Their annual meetings are held on the same dates as the Texas Cowboy Reunion. This organization owns the beautiful Will Rogers Bunkhouse, headquarters for Association members during their meetings, and the Coombes Round-up Hall, scene of colorful square dances during the Reunion.

## SINGING WILL MEET AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

The regular Second Sunday Singing will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, and the South Floyd County Convention will meet with the regular Second Sunday Singers. The public is invited to attend and enjoy good singing.

The graduating class of Spur High School will visit at South Plains Army Flying School, May 24. The class will visit areas of the post not restricted. More than half the class soon will be in the service and the visit will afford them an opportunity to get a glimpse of their possible future duties.

Throw your scrap into the fight.



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### NOTICE!

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## 30 Ferocious Baboons and Six Hugh Elephants

Thirty giant, ferocious, untamable baboons with six hugh elephants are coming to Floydada Thursday, May 13th.

The occasion is the date of the Dailey Brothers three ring circus, one of the most progressive and modern of the circuses of the day. Not boasting of its magnitude but preferring to insist that its performance is far superior and very different from that offered by most shows. The two hour program, including many absolutely new features and surprising sensational acts, is produced in three rings, on the hippodrome track and in mid-air, and the same program is presented in the smaller city as in the metropolitan centers.

The Dailey elephants are the only ones ever trained to play base ball and the trainer is a little lass not yet twelve years old, a beautiful child.

The Dailey Circus is the only circus in this country to own and exhibit thirty baboons, the meanest of the ape family. The group were rescued from the Malaya war zone just prior to the fall of Singapore.

The Dailey horse show, features among other beautiful steeds, the famous show stallions, Black Diamond and Major. Miss Hazel King, the patient trainer of the collection of pinto and palomino horses, is acknowledged to be the queen of all circus horsewomen. Her display alone is worth the admission price.

When the Dailey Circus exhibits here it will prove that all shows are not alike and that there is much that is new in circus world. As all circuses have more or less had an appeal for all classes of people, the universal appeal of the Dailey Circus is unanimously strong account of the many improvements, the great variety of acts and stunts and the general high character of its entertainment.

Performances will be given at 2 and 8 p. m. regardless of weather conditions. There will be no street parade.

## Bootstrap Lifting Days Must Be Passing

Dallas, Texas, May 6.—The pioneer virtue of thrift is coming back with Victory Gardens. As Poor Richard so aptly pointed out, saving is as essential to prosperity as making, and for a century America grew and thrived mightily—not by making a great deal and spending it, but by saving some out of the little that the masses of Americans made.

Twenty million Victory Gardens in town and country constitute a splendid patriotic contribution to ally significant, they represent the the Nation's war needs, but equispirit of self-help, of individual initiative and resourcefulness which is the very essence of democracy. "Despise not the day of small things," we are admonished, and in the total, Victory Gardeners will produce more vegetables in 1943 than the commercial growers.

All this cannot be eaten during the growing season, but all of it should be saved. Judging from the demand for pressure cookers, Victory Gardeners are determined to carry thrift to the ultimate by canning surplus vegetables and fruits.

There will not be enough pressure cookers to meet this demand, but a "good neighbor policy" on the garden front can multiply the output from the cookers which are on hand. Paraphrasing another Victory motto, let's "Keep 'em steaming."

Before the day of steam pressure canning, the pioneers found other ways of preserving food—drying, waer-bath canning, brining pickling, and storing in cellars. Modern "dehydration" is nothing but streamlined drying. Quick-freezing and cold storage are only improved processes of an ancient principle. "Where there's a will there's a way," and Victory Gardeners of 1943 will justify their heritage from the pioneers by finding the way to save the good food they are growing. Civilian Defense councils are lined up for an all-out job of food production and conservation, and information will be supplied for those who ask for it.

## Fannie N. Mabry Enters Training at Camp Ruston, La.

Camp Ruston, Louisiana, May 6.—One of the first enrollees of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps to arrive for training at Branch A of the Fifth WAAC Training Center at Camp Ruston, Louisiana, is Fannie N. Mabry of 614 W. Lee Street, Floydada, Texas.

Branch B of the Fifth WAAC Training Center is at Camp Monticello, Ark., and Branch C is at Camp Polk, Louisiana. All three branches are under the command of Col. John A. Hoag, former commandant of the First WAAC Training Center at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. Recruits will take the intensive WAAC basic training course at the Fifth WAAC Training Center before being assigned to the non-combatant Army jobs for which their civilian experience and Army technical training have best adapted them.

Bakers and Cooks is the only section of the WAAC specialist school that will be in operation at Camp Ruston. Additional training at other specialist schools (motor transport, administration, radio technicians and operators and photographic laboratory technicians) will be taken at other WAAC training centers. Upon completing the basic course, auxiliaries will also be eligible for officer candidates school at Ft. Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Troutman have as their guest this week their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Hopkins, of Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorris W. Jones and daughter, Lada Gay, and Miss Mary Frances Jones, of Lubbock, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones.

An urge that residents of the West Texas area not relax on the scrap salvage campaign was sounded this week by Lieut. Col. Frederic W. Franke, quartermaster at South Plains Army Flying School and director of the drive in the South Plains area. Persons with scrap available should notify Lieut. Col. Franke and it will be picked up and shipped by rail to collection centers.

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## Our Freedom Is Priceless

By JOSEPH E. DAVIES  
Former Ambassador to Russia and Belgium.

(Written for the Treasury Department in connection with the Retailers' "BUY U.S. WAR BONDS" campaign to complete the nation's 100,000,000 partially Billed War Stamp album.)

What I myself saw in my four years in Europe gave me a new realization of the priceless rights which we here enjoy.

No secret police can in the night whisk us away, never again to be seen by those we love.

None of us can be deprived by any party, state or tyrant of those precious civil liberties which our laws and our courts guarantee.

None of us can be persecuted for practicing the faith which we found at our mother's knee.

None of us can be persecuted, tortured or killed because of the fact that an accident of fate might have made us of the same race as the Nazarene.

No American can be placed by any party or government in a regimented vise which takes from him or her either freedom of economic opportunity or political religious liberty.

What would the millions of unfortunate men, women and children in Europe give to be able to live and enjoy such a way of life?

Well, in this war, those are the things in our lives which are in jeopardy. Our boys are dying to preserve them for us.

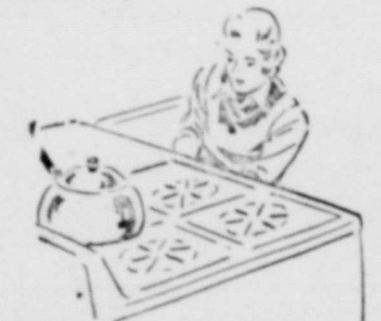
Then we can do no less than to "say yes" and fill those war stamp albums. It is our duty and privilege to help the secretary of the treasury, Mr. Morgenthau, in his magnificent effort to do the tremendous job of getting the money to keep our boys supplied with the weapons with which to fight our fight.

Surely that is little enough for us to do on the home front.

U. S. Treasury Department

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

... new cooking range, whether it be gas, electric or otherwise, is something to look forward to when the War is won. But you can start saving now to buy it. Put a definite amount, every payday, ten percent of your pay check ... into War Bonds today.



When your Bonds mature you will have the money ready for that new range. You will have made a good investment, getting back \$4 for every \$3. And your purchase of War Bonds is helping that boy, husband or sweetheart on the fighting front.

U. S. Treasury Department

## War Takes 96¢ Of Each Dollar

Out of every \$18.75 that is invested in a War Bond, \$18 goes into guns, planes, tanks, ships and other military equipment. The 75 cents goes for ordinary governmental expenditures. Out of every dollar 96 cents goes toward the war effort and 4 cents goes for Government "business as usual."

The same ratio applies to all other securities the Government has offered investors in the Second War Loan campaign for 13 billion dollars.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Rural Electrification has made great strides during the past ten years, bringing to thousands of farm homes the conveniences of their city brothers. Today, however, copper wiring, fixtures—all the materials which are required for rural electrification—are "out" for the duration.



The farmers of the nation, however, can start now buying rural electrification and all the equipment which goes with it through purchase of War Bonds. Your War Bonds today will buy rural electrification tomorrow and give you back \$4 for every \$3 you invest.

U. S. Treasury Department

## Bert Lee, Jr., Is Training as Aviation Cadet

San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center—On December 7, 1941, Bert Lee, Jr., a native of Floydada, Texas, writhed in agony for 20 minutes on Hickam Field, Hawaii, his blood spilling onto the field from a machinegun bullet wound inflicted by a strafing Japanese warplane.

In that 20-minute period before he was found and in the subsequent two months he spent in the hospital, Lee dreamed of the day he would be in position to deal out larger and more lethal doses of the same medicine to the Japs.

As a radio operator and gunner aboard a B-17, the then Sergeant Lee earned a hatful of medals, ribbons and citations while fighting the Japs in the Pacific from February to November, 1942, but he still isn't satisfied. His ambition is to be at the controls of a plane knocking enemy aircraft fire from the skies and dishing out misery to Jap ground and naval forces.

As Aviation Cadet Lee, now in training at the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center, he is taking the first step toward fruition of his dreams of being a combat pilot.

When Cadet Lee falls out in his full military regalia, he wears on his blouse the Purple Heart, the Distinguished Flying Cross for more than 50 missions over enemy territory, four citations received as a member of the much-decorated 19th Bombardment Group in the Pacific, a medal received for participation in the Coral Sea battle as a member of the 435th Bomb Squadron, the Asiatic Pacific Ribbon and the Defense Ribbon. He has been recommended for the Air Medal and the Oak Leaf Cluster for participation in other missions.

Cadet Lee was a crew member aboard an unarmed B-17 which had just spanned the Pacific and was roaring oward a landing on Hickam Field when it was attacked by Japs engaged in the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor and adjoining Hickam. Bullets from the six attacking planes ignited landing flares in the bomber, and the flames spread to the ship.

Running away from the burning plane after it had been landed safely, Lee was struck by a bullet from a strafing plane.

"As we neared Hickam Field, unaware of what was going on," recalled Lee, "our engineer and I noticed some planes flying in formation about 5000 feet above us. The engineer commented, 'Looks like we're getting an escort in.'"

"Then they started peeling off and letting us have it. We had guns on our B-17 but no ammunition for them. Man, that is an awful feeling—knowing you have an equalizer handy and no bullets for it."

Cadet Lee subsequently has pumped many a bullet at enemy aircraft while engaged in bombing

and reconnaissance missions in the Southwest Pacific but has official credit for but one "kill." On that occasion, a Jap plane crept undetected to a point of vantage back of a B-17 and made a swipe at it from the rear. Bullets from Lee's chattering machinegun found their mark, and the Jap plane streaked down in flames.

Lee's first bombing mission was over Rabaul, in a formation of nine planes. Jap interceptors swarmed to attack the formation. The B-17s bludgeoned their way through, only to find clouds obscuring their target. The Japs, meanwhile, lost five planes. Lee also took part in numerous missions over the Solomons when it wasn't too healthy for Americans there, and it was on one of these he qualified for the one notch on his gun.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lee, 1930 Channel Drive, Ventura, California, Cadet Lee, 20 years old, applied for pilot training after the 19th Bombardment Group was ordered back to this country. He aspires to fly pursuit ships. Lee moved to Ventura in 1935 and attended Ventura Junior College in 1940.

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Yes, it is ten minutes to midnight. And when the first stroke of that fateful hour begins to sound, it will be *too late* to throw your weight into the fight. The time to do that is **NOW**.

*Now*, when your dollars can keep the production lines humming. *Now*, when your dollars can buy the tanks and guns and planes and ships our soldiers need to fight a winning war... the only kind of a war we can afford to fight. *Now*, while there are still ten minutes before midnight.

Your country is asking you to lend your dollars in greater amount than ever before. It is asking for 13 billions of dollars *extra* this month... 13 billions for the weapons of war to make sure that it is *our side* which dictates the peace.

If we do not win, the money you fail to lend now will be worse than useless to you. If we win, as we *must*, the money you lend now will be returned with interest... for you to spend on the good things of life... for you to enjoy in a free and safe world.

So dig down, Americans. Answer the challenge by buying War Loan securities this month with every idle dollar you have except what you need for the barest necessities of life.

Don't wait for the War Loan Volunteer. Beat the gun by going to your bank, investment dealer, broker, Post Office, or bond booth *today*.

Have your money in your fist... the fist that can deliver the knockout blow to the Axis. But hurry...

For it is ten minutes to midnight...

The hour that can strike the knell of doom—or the blessed song of freedom.

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There are 7 different types of U. S. Government securities—choose the ones best suited for you:

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### Keep the Garden Working, Says Defense Ups

The garden is appropriately the most fertile ground on the place, and therefore the most valuable. Its productive capacity should be utilized throughout the growing season. As soon as early crops can be removed from the ground, others which will grow through summer may follow. Coarse material should be removed, but green residues which can be chopped into the soil to add organic matter will also return some of the mineral plant food which would be lost by removing and destroying the residues. Conservation goes along with production in Civilian Defense plans.

Short-season crops never use up all the fertilizer which has been applied to the garden, and some of it will be lost before another season if the ground is left bare. Planting a succession crop as soon as possible utilizes the residue of available plant food and turns it to account, either as a crop to be harvested or for soil improvement, which pays off in next year's crops.

Cowpeas, which grow well in hot weather, are ideal for planting after spring and early summer vegetables cease bearing profitably. Preferably the latter should be chopped into the soil while still green, in which condition decay will be rapid. If permitted to die, or to become coarse and woody, it is better to remove them and add to the compost heap—an accessory that every garden should have.

Some of the well-flavored cowpeas serve the double purpose of furnishing food for a time, and of also improving the soil for succeeding crops. It must be remembered, however, that little is gained by planting cowpeas if the vines are removed from the ground; or if left to die before turning them under, the woody stalks will not decay for months. Now more than ever Civilian Defense means making full use of what we have for 1943 and preserving or increasing productive capacity for other years at the same time.

#### PANHANDLE FIREMEN TO MEET IN CHILDRSS MAY 11th

Memphis, May 4—W. V. Coursey, Memphis, secretary of the Panhandle Firemen's Association, has mailed notices to members of the organization of a meeting to be held in Childress May 11.

The usual pumper races with prizes will be held and Chief John Ballew of the Childress fire department promises a worthwhile meeting.

#### CAR LOADINGS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 1

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending May 1, 1943, were 23,048 compared with 20,707 for the same week in 1942. Cars received from connections totaled 12,951 compared with 10,922 for the same week in 1942. Total cars moved were 35,999 compared with 31,629 for the same week in 1942. Santa Fe handled a total of 36,624 cars in the preceding week of this year.

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## MOTHER'S DAY, SUNDAY, MAY 9th, 1943—

She's the mainstay of the nation—the inspiration to children growing up, and to sons already grown to serve their country in distant places. Mother merits tenderness, thoughtfulness and love every day—but this special day is yours to tell her in some small, tangible way that she is ever in your heart. See these practical suggestions as to how you can best honor your Mother on Mother's Day.



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Two Smart Hats: Eye-Tilted Topper and Snug, Ribbon-Trimmed Calot—Both Prettily Veiled. Many Styles.

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Two-piece rayon crepe polka dot dress. White collar and pleated skirt.

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### Buy a Stamp a Day for the Man Who's Aw

### CHESTERFIELD - TOPPER

Serviceable topper with flyfront, velvet collar, railroad and welt stitching.

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### CASUAL BOX COAT

Smart box coat with rounded revers, welt stitching on shoulders and pockets.

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