

EDITORIALS

Assuming 100 per cent as the total wear on all the tires of your automobile which one, if any, wears the quickest? The engineer has found out and here is the answer he gives to that question: On your left front tire 14 per cent; on your right front 19 per cent; on your left rear 29 per cent; and on your right rear 38 per cent. With this in mind you know where to put your weakest tire and furthermore you know that one of your rear tires is going to wear more than twice as fast as one of your fronts. Several people (maybe everybody except us) already know this and are changing their tires with regularity to wear them all down somewhat more evenly. A good many owners of these instead of doing the job themselves ask their service station man to do it. This, together with the fast-increasing number of flats occasioned by bad tubes and wearing out tires is making a job out of the position at the station. Time you change a few big tires and then fix a few tubes that can't be fixed the day has begun to start for the filling station boys—and are they tired and ready for a little rest by night time!

Speaking of taking punishment, which is what the filling station worker is doing now, perhaps the hardest hit and the least hollering man in all the category of businesses that operate in the southwest is the automobile dealer. You've seen their business taken from them overnight by government order, and you've seen them either close up shop and go look for something to do, or you've seen them keep the shop open and hunt for something to do. Either way it has been a personal and a serious problem. Take the nation over and the number of families thus directly affected runs into the millions. But have you heard any of them holler? Very, very little, if any, and then only about how and what to do next. And this although left with their investments running into the thousands "frozen" in their hands. How good would you be about it in the morning if the government (even under necessity) slipped your business out from under you? The example set by these patriotic people ought to be an inspiration for some unhappy business jolts the rest of us are sure to get. The automobile dealer is the only one among us who as yet realizes what Uncle Sam means when he tells us we are in a total war.

Reports byway of the grapevine are to the effect that our calls for men to military service are going to get bigger rather than smaller for the next month or two. This report does not indicate how long the big calls will continue to be made but the army said in the early summer that as many more men as we already had then would be expected to be inducted into service by Christmas. Lots of men are ready to go when it becomes the judgment of those in authority that it is their time. These, for the most part with dependents and little or big jobs, halt between opinions of which is the more manly thing to do, and wind up by deciding to let the Selective Service system solve the question for them.

There must be no relaxation in preventing fire in Texas, if the people expect to retain the earned reduction in fire insurance costs announced last week. For the reduction in large measure is the result of the campaigns Texas people have carried on against the waste from fire. One particular reason right now why precautions should be practiced is that impossible thing, a bombing of your home with incendiaries. Basements, attics, closets, are prolific with fire hazards. These, particularly the attic, would be the most likely part of the house where the bomb would hit. Old trunks, boxes, stacks of old magazines, spare clothing, discarded lamp shades. Whether or not you ever expect to be bombed the cluttered attic, the frowsy-looking basement, the carelessly piled closets are breeding grounds for fires. And a fire started from these carelessly maintained portions of the home will burn just as much property as one started by a fire bomb. Help yourself save your property that is now not replaceable and help yourself and your neighbors hold down the cost of fire insurance.

The heavens still carry secrets which man with all his far-looking eyes and his probing has been unable to fathom. Likewise the earth itself moves strangely to confound the wise men and cause them to wonder. Why cannot man find the answer to increasing cancer and why it is that heart affections are growing in the percentage columns of fatal illnesses? Once neither offered the serious challenge to science that they do now. But there was that time when leprosy was a common disease even in civilized countries. Where has Mother Earth hidden the secret of its gradual disappearance? For certainly it has been on its way out for centuries. Common in the Dark Ages even in the most forward countries, the conditions which caused it must have changed of themselves for the only way man knew to avoid leprosy was to run from it. Even then none were safe. And now, we are told that tuberculosis is on its way out. Within a few centuries it may be known of by reading as the disease which scourged the people of the late teens and the early twenties of the world's modern history. Strange alchemy of the soil and of the air which we breathe.

In marshalling the country's manpower we venture to suggest that within the next few months the agencies of the government are going to undertake to make us of men who have heretofore been termed physically handicapped because of their age, and also of those who are handicapped through injury or disease. Industry has been calling a man too old about the time he feels that he has reached his prime. But this is going to change and the elderly man is going to have an opportunity to work if he is not too choosy. Likewise the man with a foot gone and things like that. There are thousands of jobs now and will be more that these men can fill. And thousands of jobs for women, too. When "they" get around to it these things will begin to happen. We haven't seen anything yet!

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

By Nellie Witt Spikes

LORD OF PEACE

John Milton Smith

"The Lord will bless his people with peace."
The Lord of peace sustains the heart of man;
His law is truth throughout the cosmic span;
Before the tribes of earth were given name
He lighted chaos with a casual flame.
Before the countless ages were unfurled
He held the fate of every primal world.
He is omnipotent; He welds the bars
The keels in place the planets and the stars.
He draws the clouds across the sky
At dawn
And reddens them when somber night is gone;
Let's waters flow from His translucent bowl
To freshen earth and gladden every soul;
Brings forth treasures from the fertile soil.
His recompense for man's enlightened toil.
He is benign with eyes for seeing all,
Nor is there any soul beyond His call.
He heals when trust puts forth transcendent wings,
And they are wise who listen from the heart.
To heed the message His truths impart.
The Lord of peace sustains the heart of man;
His law is truth throughout the cosmic span.
I hope you enjoy this poem as well as I did. It gives strength and encouragement. We need all the good things we can find to read and ponder over and live by these days of sadness and war.

less and almost frozen not far from the mill, still conscious.

"I was to see Mr. Detwiler at a mill in the H pasture to work for him," Albert said as they covered him with their coats, and he did not come. I climbed the ladder to the platform to look for him. The wheel suddenly turned knocking me to the ground. I was paralyzed in my legs instantly. All afternoon I lay and suffered. Night came on, dark and cold, water blew from the lead pipe, freezing on me. I tried to crawl to a hole near. Caught with my chin and hands. My chin is raw and my hands torn and bleeding. All night long I struck matches hoping to catch the dry grass on fire, thinking the mill might get afire and someone see it or that I might burn to death and cease my suffering." What a pitiful tale. Never again would Albert charm with gay sweet tunes on his French harp. Never again would his light feet tap to his own music. For he lay on his bed wasting away till the hot day of August when his suffering was over. Tragedy of an early day in the west. Of a lonely mill in a big pasture. Of a young man who did not know the west and of an older man who told him to be at another mill. Going there and not finding his help, he went on his way, not thinking of anything amiss. Heart breaks of long ago, rising now and then to make one's heart beat with pity, as one stands before a white stone and reads of one so young, passing away, before he had given his best to the land he was learning to love.

On The Farm & Home Front

JASON O. GORDON
County Agricultural Agent
Texas A. & M. College Extension Service

It is estimated conservatively that rats eat and destroy the equivalent of \$20,000,000 worth of property in Texas annually. The rat is not only a destroyer but a carrier of disease as well.
Are your rats making a contribution to the Food-For-Victory program? They can be destroyed if all farm operators will cooperate. This county can secure the services of a specialist in a rat extermination program. It requires the pledge of determination on the part of every person.
Use a penny post card to express your interest—don't make a special trip to the office for that purpose.

Pure bred breeders apparently do not want to organize an association to foster the various breeds of livestock and poultry in the county. Only three people, J. W. Clonts, a Hereford breeder of Starkey community and W. H. Brock and son Jackie, of McCoy community have expressed an interest in the movement.
Requests come to the county agent almost daily for assistance in securing foundation animals. Give the men who want to buy an opportunity to look at your herd or flock—don't encourage them to go to another county and purchase inferior animals to those we produce here.

The Victory bull program, sponsored by the Texas and American Jersey Cattle club, created a lot of interest among the various breeds of livestock and poultry in the county. There were 2,473 applications from Texas and only 67 calves to be given away. That proves the fact that Texas is still dairy minded.
A new program has been outlined for those who did not receive a Victory bull. Applicants for a Victory bull are requested to contact the county agent immediately for details of the new program.

A recent experiment conducted by the Southwest Experiment Station, Glendale, Arizona, clearly proves it is profitable to feed laying hens all of the high protein mash they will eat. The profit above fed cost was \$1.79. Group 2 received 87% per cent as much mash as group 1 and returned 85 cents, while group 3 received 75 per cent as much mash as group 1 and returned 34 cents profit.

Poultrymen who are reducing expenses by limiting laying mash are creating expenses.
Floyd Fuqua, poultry demonstrator of Floydada community, says it makes him money to stop his plow occasionally to learn more about poultry management. He attended a poultry clinic at Plainview August 6 with the extension agents where poultry diseases were discussed by Dr. W. A. Bone, extension veterinarian.

Mr. Fuqua is president of the Floyd county egg marketing association—an organization that sells only quality eggs to the consumer.
Edwin Hamm, 4-H club president and poultry demonstrator of Sand Hill club, has had a successful year. He purchased 300 baby chicks and received 315. His record book shows a death loss of 43 chicks, 62 birds sold as fryers, and 210 on hand. His goal was to make the roosters pay the expense of the demonstration.
His pullets have cost ten cents to date. Other fryers will be marketed within a short time and he may realize his goal before the demonstration is completed.

Herschel Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nelson of Baker community, was 10 years of age August 8. On his birthday he visited the county agent and enrolled as a 4-H club member. A fat pig will be his demonstration and grand champion fat barrow at the Floyd County Jr. Livestock show is his goal.
Swine demonstrators better wake up if they have designs on the same award because Herschel means business.

4-H club contests offer a great opportunity for the young men who is not afraid of work. Nelson Stovall

There is no telling what will come in one's mind as days of the past are being reviewed.

For instance, long ago a rain came up, chickens had to be hunted. A sudden thought came to my mind. I would let the rain wash my hair which was very long at that time. I soaped it well and started out. Why on earth did I not think that the soapy water would stream into my eyes as well as down my back? Such a good idea, but with that unhappy result.
What with cooking dinner for four men, watching a canner of corn, seeing where a little overall-lad boy is playing, trying to catch the latest news, stopping to write a line or so on this column, and trying not to see the pieces of a broken dish, the last piece I started housekeeping with not to mention bits of scraped corn over every thing. I had better say I will be with you next week, when probably there will be nothing to do on the farm.

Mrs. Holt Waldrep returned to her home at Athens, Georgia after a two weeks visit with her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry.

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EDITH L. WILSON

Home Demonstration Agent

The Home Demonstration council voted at their last meeting to hold an encampment August 14 for the Home Demonstration club members. The group will gather at 7 o'clock the evening of the 14th at the roadside park across from the CCC camp and will go from there to the place selected by the committee. They will spend the night and leave soon after breakfast Saturday morning. They will bring supper already prepared consisting of chicken, pickles, salad, and cookies. For breakfast, each woman is to bring one medium sized potato, two slices of bacon and two eggs, a cup, fork, spoon, plate, 1/4 cup of sugar and enough cream for coffee. The committee will buy the lemons, coffee, ice, and bread, which will amount to about 10 cents per person. Each woman is expected to furnish her own bedding. Representatives from the seventeen clubs are expected to attend.

The maximum thermometers for checking pressure cookers have been consistently in use since canning season started. Pressure cooker gauges should be checked before each canning season and after any hard jar to determine whether or not the gauge is registering the pressure correctly. Pet cocks and safety valves should be cleaned each time food has been cooked or open containers exhausted in the cooker. To clean, unscrew, take apart and wash in boiling water. Take care to see that the parts are not scarred. Use a toothpick or needle to check the openings in the bottom of the cover. Dry carefully and put back together again before restoring.

Information on checking pressure cookers may be obtained at this office.
To remove stains and odors from pressure cookers, wash with soap and water and rinse well. Cut up a lemon, put it in the cooker, add two cups of water, and hold the pressure at five pounds for five minutes. This will aid in cleaning as well as deodorizing. A double handful of potato peelings may be substituted for lemon to remove odors. Leave the cooker open when not in use.
A number of inquiries have been coming in about the reuse of tin containers. The use of reflagged tin containers is not usually recommended, but this may be necessary in war time. Any cans showing rust or discoloration on the inside should be discarded. To reflag a can, slit the side seam of the opened can into the slot on the main frame of the sealer; start the new flange by turning the double seam of the can out, turn the flange on the sealer. Commercial cans may be reflagged and used for home canning, but should be filled with foods similar to the ones they originally contained; use the plain tin cans and enamel cans for the same purpose you would new ones.
Oil or beer cans and other types of cans not intended for food should not be used; the USDA Bureau of Home Economics has not found these suitable for preserving food.

and Howard Smith of Sterley community, will start working on a dairy production team demonstration in the near future. These boys want to represent Floyd county at the district elimination contest in September. The state award is a free trip to Chicago.
Edwin Hamm will enter the 4-H Victory program contest competing for a \$25.00 war bond, poultry demonstration contest, and Dairy Foods team demonstration.
Kenneth Wills, member of the Lakeview 4-H club, will enter the national meat animal contest and rural electrification contest. These offer a \$50 watch and a free trip to Chicago, respectively.
There are a number of other contests our 4-H club members should compete in. Watch for a letter regarding them—get mother and dad to help—be an active member trying to improve yourself and agriculture in your community.

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Floyd County 14 Years Ago

News Items from the Files of The Hesperian

(Issue of August 9, 1928)
L. T. Bishop's appointment as a member of the committee on entertainment at the National Convention of the American Legion in San Antonio, was announced this week. Bishop is commander of McDermott Post No. 114, Floydada.
A department store for Floydada, the equal of which is probably not to be found at this time, was announced by J. G. Martin, of the Martin Dry Goods company Wednesday morning in a telegram to The Hesperian from New York City, a new building for which will be constructed beginning at once.
The vanguard of the hundred or more members of the Featherston family expected here for the Featherston family reunion Friday, Saturday and Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Featherston will be hosts arrived Tuesday when H. B. Featherston and family of Blanchard, Oklahoma arrived and among the score or more expected today will be E. B. Featherston of Asperment, father of C. H. Featherston.
E. R. Murry, for the past year local agent for the Moreland Refining company, left Saturday afternoon for Oklahoma where he will take the position of District Sales manager of the Amarillo division. Roy Muncy, local business man took charge the first of the week as acting agent of the Floydada office.
Loss of a frame building on South Main street, valued at \$800, belonging to F. C. Harmon and \$200 in equipment and material belonging to L. S. Buchanan, was sustained Tuesday morning, when fire practically destroyed the building and contents.
Organization of a Methodist church at Dougherty was perfected Tuesday under the supervision of Rev. Green B. Patterson with a prospect of seventy-five members, and a church with adequate room to be erected soon according to Rev. Patterson.

Old Age Checks Show Increased Grand Total

AUSTIN, Aug. 6—(Special) The State Department of Public Welfare will distribute this month \$3,571,721 to 177,822 Old Age Assistance recipients. This is \$71,721 above the ceiling of the 47th Legislature with charges upon the amount which could be expended in any one month. Expenditures are now in excess of current income, this being authorized by the State Comptroller in compliance with a recent ruling of the Attorney General to the effect that no ceiling on expenditures exists so long as the funds are made available through the monthly allocation of \$1,750,000 out of state funds. The assistance rolls made a net gain of 1,409 and cost increase of \$65,558 over the previous month. The average grant jumped from \$19.97 to \$20.09. The welfare department reinvested 7,599 cases during July which resulted in a \$627 average raise to 6,232 recipients. Grants of 777 were suspended averaging \$21.01, were suspended without change and 425 had their grants lowered an average of \$4.22. Only 165 of all reinvestigated cases were found to be currently ineligible.

WSC WOMEN HOLD SOCIAL AND BUSINESS MEETING

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church met in their monthly social and business meeting at the home of Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Monday at 4 p. m. Three outstanding guests presented an interesting program. Those appearing on the program were Mrs. O. B. Jackson, Plainview, who is the new district secretary using as her subject "The New Set-Up of Woman's Society of Christian Service"; Mrs. W. J. Stuckler, Plainview, using as her subject "Literature and Publications," of which department she is a leader; and Mrs. C. D. Poole, who used as her subject, "Missionary Education and Service." After refreshments were served to the group, a business meeting was held with the president, Mrs. E. E. Hinson presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Finley, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Finley and daughter Wilda Ruth and Kenneth Finley spent Sunday in Abilene visiting their brother and uncle Pvt. Glenn Finley of the Medical Corps at Camp Barkley.

Mrs. Ruth Rugsby, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, has been here this week, guest in the home of her cousin, Mrs. Richard P. Stovall.

Pre-View Of Your Post-War Car



Here is a pre-view of your post-war automobile. Much of the panel is of plastic and plywood, it is powered by an airplane engine, will weigh about 1,000 pounds and will make about 50 miles on a gallon of gasoline.

Brother Of Local Resident Dies Of Burns Sunday

M. B. Johnston returned home this mid-week from Clarendon where he attended the funeral of his brother, J. W. Johnston who died of burns Sunday at 2 a. m. in a Clarendon hospital. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday conducted by Rev. Moody, pastor of the First Baptist church of Clarendon. Interment was made in the Clarendon cemetery. The deceased is survived by one son, George, Jr., who has been reported as missing in action somewhere in the Pacific and one daughter who is in the Buckner's Orphan home. His wife died 14 years ago. Mr. Johnston died from burns sustained from gasoline explosion. He was employed by the Wilson Construction company at Clarendon.

MEMBERS OF GIRL SCOUT TROOP ENJOY SWIMMING PARTY AT PLAINVIEW

The Girl Scout troop enjoyed a swimming party at Plainview at the Legion swimming pool Tuesday evening. After swimming the group ate supper at a Plainview cafe. Those attending were Doris Vinson, Wilma Dyer, Mary Helen Lewis, Oragene Willson, Maxine Griffin, Ruth Elaine Harmon, Mary Alice Sammann, Delma Sammann, two visitors, Doris Dyer and Bobbie Lander, Mrs. John Hoffman and Mrs. Bill Dyer, who carried them to Plainview and the sponsor, Mrs. George W. McMurray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grace and twin sons Bobby and Phil left Wednesday for a ten-day vacation trip to Oklahoma and Kansas. His mother Mrs. Mary Grace, who has been here most of the summer accompanied them to return to her home at Goodwell, Oklahoma. They will visit Mrs. Earnest Lee and family, sister Mrs. Grace at Flower, Kansas.

MOVE TO HOUSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Pete McGee and son left Thursday for Houston where they will make their home. Mr. McGee has been employed with the State Highway department here for the past four years.

I. R. Grundy made a business trip to Houston Monday and returned home Wednesday.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Benjamin F. Worthington, Wayne Boyd Hauk, Jean Hauk, M. M. Worthington, and Boyd Worthington Greeting: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 14th day of September, A. D. 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable 110th District Court of Floyd County, at the Court House in Floydada, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 27th day of July, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 3411. The names of the parties in said suit are: Alliance Life Insurance Company, a corporation, as Plaintiff, and A. R. Meriwether, Administrator of the Estate of Cora M. Worthington, deceased, E. S. Dunn, Artie Baker, Robin Baker and wife, Mae Baker, The First National Company of Lockney, Texas, a corporation, The First National Bank of Lockney, Texas, a corporation, The Shield Company, Inc., a corporation, Dorsey Baker, Benjamin F. Worthington, Wayne Boyd Hauk, Jean Hauk, M. M. Worthington and Boyd Worthington, as Defendants. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

This is a suit in trespass to try title, plaintiff seeking to recover the title and possession of the following described property in Floyd County, Texas: TWO HUNDRED (200) acres of land, a part of Section Seventy (70), Block G, EL&RR Railroad Company Survey, Certificate No. 423, and a part of Section No. Seventy-Three (73), Block G, Dallas and Wichita R. R. Company, Certificate No. 62 G, described in three tracts as follows:

FIRST TRACT: The Northeast Quarter of Section No. 70, Block G, patented to E. S. Dunn, Assignee, April 27, 1927, by Patent No. 547, Vol. 33-A, containing 160 acres of land.

SECOND TRACT: The East 17.8 acres of the Northwest Quarter of said Section No. 70, Block G, patented to Ira Simpson, Assignee, January 29, 1925, by Patent No. 54, Volume 25-A.

THIRD TRACT: 22.2 acres out of the Southeast part of Section No. 73, Block G, Certificate No. 62 G, patented to Eugene Ogden Mann, Assignee, September 3, 1878, by Patent No. 47, Volume 30.

The Second and Third tracts above described being the same land conveyed to E. S. Dunn by Ira Simpson, joined by his wife, Alice J. Simpson, by deed recorded in Volume 39, page 516 of the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas. Issued this the 27th day of July, 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this the 27th day of July A. D. 1942.

(SEAL) MRS. P. G. STEGALL, Clerk 110th District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 254c

Elder Howard To Speak At Local Church Sunday

Elder Homer Howard of Lockney is scheduled to speak Sunday at the Wall Street Church of Christ. The public is cordially invited to attend service.

No evening service is announced. Morning worship begins promptly at 10:30 o'clock.

Dougherty News

DOUGHERTY, August 12.—Due to the Methodist pastor, C. A. Hartley being in a revival meeting of the Floydada circuit at the arbor tabernacle on the Matador highway and the Baptist pastor, Rev. Tommie Allen, being in a revival at County Line, there were no preaching services here Sunday.

Local News: Mr. and Mrs. Ted Allen and little daughter of Floydada spent Sunday with Mrs. Allen's aunt, Mrs. G. C. Edwards.

Billie Newberry of Douglas, Arizona is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Newberry.

Alma Rhea Owens of Pleasant Hill is spending the week with Ruth Webb.

Mozelle Edwards spent Monday night with Helen Ring in Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. John Hines of Corsicana, formerly of this community are guests this week in the Claude Ring home.

Barbara and Myrna Marshall of Floydada are spending the week with their aunt, Miss Dorothy Crawford. Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Jones and little son, Gene Edward, spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Mrs. Ben Wesley of Happy visited last week with her father, G. C. Caruthers and aunt, Miss Earl Caruthers.

Mrs. G. W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore and children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Decker and baby all of Burleson left Monday for their home after visiting Mrs. Moore's daughter, Mrs. J. T. Poole and Mrs. Griffin Norrell of Sand Hill and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Caruthers and daughter, Linda Rose left Sunday for Fort Worth and Lewisville where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cook and Willie Wisdom returned home from Mansa, Colorado Friday where they visited their sister, Mrs. Gene Cantrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole spent Saturday in Plainview on business. Mr. and Mrs. Ott Glassmover and children are expected home this week from South Fork, Colorado where they have been on a vacation trip the past ten days.

Tom Hannon, who has made his home in Dougherty for several years moved to Floydada Saturday to make his home.

Ruth Webb, who spent last week with Clyde Allen of Amarillo returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Atterberry and son, Paul Wendell and B. B. Guley of Floydada were Sunday guests in the J. T. Poole home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Cage and baby spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Morrison.

John Billie Smith of Roaring Springs spent the week-end with Billie Newberry.

J. A. Crone, foreman of the Extra Gang No. 2 of the Q. A. and P., and

family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Box.

Mrs. Sam Lide and daughter, Daphne and Nadine Powell visited relatives last week in Lubbock.

Mozelle Edwards visited Mrs. L. H. Newell in the Plainview hospital Monday.

Tom Noble Emert, who has been with the C. C. C. camp at Morton returned home Monday.

Mrs. Mac Ward and little son, Richard, left Tuesday for California where she plans to visit her sister, Mrs. Orland Howard spent Wednesday in Floydada with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Freeman.

Mrs. Maggie Poole and daughter, Mrs. George Corpan and grandson Don Poole left for her home in Burleson Wednesday after visiting her sons, W. S. and J. T. and families. They were accompanied to Burleson by Mrs. Poole's brother, W. C. Hunsucker of McAadoo.

Mrs. J. R. Yearwood of Floydada visited Tuesday with her brother, Bill Webb and family.

Mrs. J. E. Newton Home: Mrs. J. E. Newton, who underwent a major operation recently at Scott-White hospital at Temple returned to her home here Tuesday. Mrs. Newton came by train to Lubbock and was met there by Mr. Newton.

MRS. O. L. GROVES, SISTER OF MRS. E. R. BORUM DIES AT BRIDGEPORT

Mrs. E. R. Borum received a message Sunday of the death of a sister Mrs. O. L. Groves, who died at Bridgeport, Texas. Mrs. Borum, Mr. Borum and J. U. Borum left that afternoon to attend the funeral service.

Last rites were held at 3 p. m. Monday at the Bridgeport Baptist church. Rev. J. L. Ward, president of the Decatur Baptist college preached the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Borum are expected home the last of the week after a visit with Mrs. Borum's father.

Miss Daltis Rea returned to Floydada Sunday after a two months vacation at Fort Worth. She also spent some time at Dallas, Cisco and Brownwood. Miss Rea is history teacher in the Floydada High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover Huskey came Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Huskey's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Huskey. Mr. Huskey is a civilian instructor at Duncan Field, San Antonio. They will return home Sunday.

J. C. Powell, of Lone Star, is among the Floyd county boys who have recently reported for duty at the Ft. Sill army induction center. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Powell and reported for duty Friday.

MORE AND BETTER PLYWOOD

The plywood industry is on the threshold of a new production era, according to a statement to a Senate committee by Paul H. Appleby, Undersecretary of Agriculture. "Output," he said, "increased from 200 million feet in 1932 to 700 million square feet in 1936 owing mainly to the inherently fine qualities of plywood as a structural material—high strength for its weight, for example. But now plywood far superior to that formerly used is available by virtue of improved plastic adhesives that are impervious to water. Furthermore the properties of wood and plywood alike can now be modified almost at will by impregnation with resin-forming materials followed by heat and pressure.

"This new type of plywood, waterproof and capable of being compressed and molded to form odd shapes and integral units, lends itself to almost unlimited development. In aircraft, for example, it can be used in the construction of wings, leading edges of wings, wing tips, fuselages, ailerons, flooring, bomb bay doors instrument panels, etc. Its use for such purposes would tend to relieve the aluminum alloy situation and at the same time would bring into the defense program and industry whose resources of labor and materials have not yet been tapped to the extent possible."

Worrying over the lack of a vitamin to keep our hair from turning grey won't restore the natural color to our present crop.



With Sadler. Two of the Plunkett family with Harley Sadler shows here Friday and Saturday of next week. Sadler show is sponsored by the American Legion.

Revival At Church Of The Nazarene To Close Sunday

(Rev. Eugene Wood, pastor) Our revival continues with increasing interest. Rev. Brooks W. Taylor pastor of the church at O'Donnell is bringing good messages. The night's services are being held on the lawn in front of the church and morning services are held in the church.

No day service is announced for Saturday but Saturday night service will continue. The meeting is scheduled to close with Sunday night's service, since other revivals in the city are beginning.

Let us make the most of these closing services and attend Sunday school that starts promptly at 10 a. m. Sunday.

A Florida newspaper ran a contest offering a prize for the best answer on "Why is a woman like a newspaper?" The prize answer was: "Because every man should have one of his own and not run after his neighbors."

CONTEMPT

First Aviator: "Quick! What do I do now, Instructor?" Second Aviator: "Good heavens! Aren't you the instructor?"

All of the people acting foolish aren't acting.

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Does your work have to wait because you "don't feel like doing anything"? This laziness may be due to delayed bowel action. Give those lazy bowels a gentle nudge with ADLERIK'S 3 laxatives and 3 carminatives. Try ADLERIK today, your druggist has it.

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BY WAY OF A REMINDER... WINDMILLS are out of production by order of the War Department!

WE CAN FURNISH you windmills NOW... but we suggest that you place your order now while they are still available!

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Club News, Social Activities

Lockney Girl Weds Lieut. H. G. Watts

Miss Meda Ruth Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas of Lockney, became the bride of Lieutenant Harold G. Watts at noon, August 2 at the First Methodist church at Lockney. Rev. W. B. Swin, pastor read the impressive ring ceremony. The altar of the church was beautifully decorated with shasta daisies and salmon and white gladioli in tall floor baskets and with dahlias in silver bowls.

Miss Martha Margaret Griffith played the Wedding March by Mendelssohn for the processional. She used "Traumen" during the ceremony and the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin for the recessional.

The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson of Lubbock. The bride wore a powder blue silk crepe gown, made with an accordion pleated skirt attached to a long bodice. Her accessories were white and she wore a white halo hat. Her bridal bouquet was of sweethearts and bridal wreath. For something old she carried a handkerchief made by her grandmother Thomas forty-five years ago.

Mrs. Watts is a graduate of Lockney High school and of West Texas State college. She taught business administration in the Lockney High school the past term.

Lieutenant Watts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts of Canyon and attended West Texas State college. He was a member of the National guard and was inducted into the army in December, 1940. He completed his flight training at Moore Field at Mission, Texas, and received his wings and commission there July 3.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Watts left immediately following the ceremony for a short wedding trip. They are at home at Savannah, Georgia, where Lieutenant Watts is stationed at Hunter field.

Crawford Family Reunion Is Held At Plainview

The family of the late J. M. Crawford of Lockney held their first reunion at the Plainview park July 2. At noon a fried chicken picnic lunch was served to sixty descendants.

Those present were the six living daughters, Mrs. Lillie Britton, Floydada; Mrs. Dell Fowler and Mrs. Mary Gilbert of Lockney; Mrs. J. L. Guest of Plainview; Mrs. Mark Hanna of Hereford and Mrs. J. L. Daniel of Granger;

Members of their families including Dr. J. L. Guest, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tull and children, Mrs. Louie McMurray and son and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cox and son of Plainview;

Jack Gilbert, Miss Ethel Gilbert, Mrs. Etta Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilbert and son, Mrs. Ed Gilbert and sons of Lockney; Mrs. Frank Jeans and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fowler and children of Floydada;

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie White and son and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Session and daughter of Carlsbad, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen and children of Lubbock;

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Fowler and boys of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corbett and children and Mark Hanna of Hereford and Dr. J. Ed Crawford of Tulsa.

Dora Barbee Wed Monday Evening In Plainview

Wedding vows were said by Miss Dora Barbee and Pfc. Frank Stanley at the home of his parents, 911 Cedar street in Plainview Monday evening at 7:30. Rev. Newman, a Church of Christ minister at Plainview, performed the ceremony before an improvised altar of mixed flowers with tapers burning in tall candleabra on either side carrying out a color scheme of pink and blue. Decorations of cut and potted flowers were used throughout the house.

The bride wore a blue net evening gown and for something borrowed carried a blue handkerchief belonging to Alma Ruth Plumlee. Her corsage was white carnations. She is a sister of Mrs. J. B. Woods, Mrs. T. B. Wilkinson and Mrs. O. T. Sisson, all of this city. She was graduated from Floydada High school with the class of 1942.

Miss Alma Ruth Plumlee, bridesmaid, wore a pink net evening dress with a corsage of pink carnations.

Joe Harp of Dallas, a close friend of the groom's, served as best man.

Guests were Mrs. J. B. Woods, Mrs. T. B. Wilkinson and Miss Loretta McCAda, all of Floydada and Mrs. Goad, Mrs. Jewell Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ragland, Mrs. Maurice King, sister of the groom, Mr. King and the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stanley.

The bridegroom attended high school at Plainview, and has been serving in the U. S. Army air corps the past two years. He is stationed at Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio.

The couple spent the first of the week visiting relatives and friends here, returning to Plainview Wednesday. Pfc. Stanley plans to return to camp today, and Mrs. Stanley will return here for a short visit before joining him.

MRS. R. I. COOK TO PLAINVIEW HOSPITAL FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT

Mrs. R. I. Cook has been spending some time in a Plainview hospital for medical treatment prior to an operation.

She plans to undergo a cistric operation Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Grady Harris was carried to a Lubbock hospital Monday where she is receiving treatment and blood transfusions for illness caused from a blood infection.

She has been suffering from a throat infection and her condition became alarming the first of the week.

Her husband furnished blood for a transfusion Tuesday and Edell DuBois will furnish blood for a second transfusion today.

Her condition is considered grave, members of the family said Wednesday. Her mother Mrs. J. A. Cocker and sister Mrs. A. J. Cline are with her at the hospital.



WASH DAY IS PAY DAY

From the U. S. Department of Agriculture comes this story of a farm woman in Newton County, Georgia, who operates what has become a community washing machine.

The idea was born when the lines of the Rural Electrification cooperatives reached the home of James I. Bates on the 100-acre farm bought with a FSA tenant purchase loan. Mrs. Bates wanted an electric washer, but was afraid she couldn't afford it.

"I bought it anyway," she related recently. "Then I began to lie awake nights trying to think of something I could do at home to help pay for the machine. Finally I discovered I was the only person in my neighborhood with an electric washer, and that the other housewives dreaded wash day as much as I once did. I hit upon the idea of using my machine to

wash other families' laundry at a prearranged flat rate of so much per family."

Five families use the washer regularly, but as many as ten families have used it. Mrs. Bates says, and the earnings have helped pay for the washer.

At least—the man who don't mind his wife until he had driven 30 miles seat driver.

In some of the modern steps, the dancers exercise everything but discretion.

Advice seldom helps. If we are dumb enough to need it, we haven't sense enough to use it.

Most vacationists go away for a little change and come back with a lot less.

Statement To Voters Of Precinct No. 3

I have started back around to see the voters of Precinct No. 3 in my race for Commissioner.

If I have not got to see you yet I would appreciate your consideration. It is my intention to see all the voters before August 22.

The vote you gave me in the first primary is appreciated. To those who were released in that election, I want to say, if you are not pledged, your vote is solicited and will be appreciated.

The job of commissioner is an important one, and I ask those who did not vote in the first primary to give me every possible consideration, and go out to the polls next Saturday week and vote for me.

A. D. MONK

Candidate for Commissioner Precinct No. 3, Floyd County

Idle Hour 42 Club Annual Picnic Is Held Monday

The Idle Hour 42 club met Monday night for their annual picnic, that was to have been held at the City park at the northwest corner of the town section.

Plans for the picnic were changed after the guests arrived and because of an approaching cloud, moved to the back lawn of the S. W. Ross home.

A bountiful picnic supper was spread, Mrs. W. S. Poole, president of the club, furnished decorations of cut flowers for the table.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mal Jarboe and son Tom Bob, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jackson and son Gene Dale, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole and Mrs. C. A. Caffer, Mr. and Mrs. Roe McCleskey and Bonnie Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon and daughter Gail Elaine, Walter Travis and son Mack, Mrs. W. D. Newell and daughter Betty, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis and daughter Ruth and Miss Lena Scott.

The club is planning another get together before resuming regular meetings that will start the second Monday night in September. At this time the club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell.

Mrs. J. B. Grundy Hostess To Blue Bonnet Club

The Blue Bonnet Needle club met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Grundy Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in a regular meeting. The guests were entertained with sewing.

Those present were Mesdames Shorty Price, Greer Christian, Oliver Allen, Layton Dorrell, L. H. Dorrell, Elvin Rainer, Jim Elliott, Pete Kendrick, D. Fyffe, one visitor, Mrs. Irvin Allen and the hostess, Mrs. Grundy.

The club will meet August 30 in an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Greer Christian with Mrs. Duncan Hollams as co-hostess.

APPLE LIST IMPROVES

Apple quality is getting better and better, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Fruit storage and transportation have improved greatly in the past 25 years, and apple growers have been able to discard many of the apples whose chief virtue was that they kept well in farm storage.

The result has been emphasis on dessert quality. Delicious, now they most widely planted apple, is delicious in flavor and texture as well as in name. Staygreen Winesap and McIntosh follow closely in popularity, with McIntosh leading in the large northeastern apple belt.

The sharp shift to a better quality in apple is reflected in a list of the 10 leading apple varieties of 30 years ago, compiled by Dr. J. R. Magness of the Bureau of Plant Industry. It included Baldwin, Ben Davis, Northern Spy, Winesap, Rhode Island Greening, Jonathan, Early Harvest, Rome Beauty, Wealthy, and Grimes Golden.

The current list of leading apples drops the 3 leaders of 30 years ago, all regarded as good keepers in ordinary storage. Only Jonathan, Winesap, Rome Beauty, and Grimes Golden survive on the current list of the most popular apples. Golden Delicious in the Middle West and Cortland in the northeast are now popular in new plantings.

The total number of apple trees of bearing age in all orchards has dropped downward for several years, with tree removals exceeding plantings. But a much larger proportion of the total apple production now consists of fruit that is far superior in dessert quality to that of the 1909-1913 period.

ACID SOILS STARVE PLANTS

Very acid soils, according to current thought among soil scientists, are of low productivity not because of the acid present, but rather because, in general, the high acidity indicates a low level of available calcium, magnesium and potassium, particularly potassium, say Matthew Drosdoff and R. Stanley Dyal, Jr., of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Discussing the problems of soil acidity, they point out that liming a soil has two principal effects, reducing the acidity, and increasing the supply of calcium which is important to the growth of plants. In highly acid soils the activity of the micro-organisms is greatly depressed, an undesirable condition affecting particularly the nitrogen-fixing organisms. Also, the phosphorus available to plants decreases as the acidity of the soil increases. In some highly acid soils other elements, such as aluminum and manganese, may become injurious to plants.

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New Type Cotton Cloth—Miss Carol Lloyd of Memphis inspects a pattern of the new cotton cloth called fabric-masslin. The new fabric has been developed by Johnson and Johnson, makers of surgical dressings. So cheap is the process of manufacturing that after a garment made of it has been soiled, it will be thrown away with no attempt to launder it. Commercial production is not expected to begin until after the war.

R. E. FRY'S ENTERTAIN RELATIVES WITH DINNER

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Linder of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Linder and daughter, Sandra of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Fry's sister, Mrs. Hugh Dumas, and daughter, Hunette of Houston; Mrs. L. D. Britton Mrs. Holt Waldrep of Athens, Georgia, and Mrs. Lillie Britton.

DISCREET WIVES KEEP PERSONAL LIVES QUIET

Young lovers in the moonlight always plan to tell each other everything for the rest of their lives. That is instinctively right and beautiful because the success of marriage depends on the open-hearted trust that husband and wife have in each other.

However, if you are wise, you soon learn there are things not to tell your husband, writes Dorothy Walworth. You should not tell him, Miss Walworth advises, your friends' secrets. After all, they have confided in you, not in your husband. This goes for your family secrets too. A whole lot of inlay trouble could be avoided if a wife never repeated bosom-of-the-family confidences.

One way to keep your romance happy is to refrain from discussion of physical ailments. Spare him the account of your latest battle with indigestion, and don't launch into a long description of your headaches. Don't be over jealous when your husband converses with another woman at a party, and don't make a scene afterwards because it is beneath your dignity as a whole.

In any marriage evenings are important, Miss Walworth states. To keep them so, tell your husband pleasant things you've heard about him, and steer clear of idle gossip, and criticisms your family has made of him.

Silence isn't easy, Miss Walworth says in closing, but a discreet amount is necessary to your happiness.

SAFETY FOR IRIS

Regular dusting with derris powder or spraying with nicotine sulfate or derris sprays protects iris from thrips damage, if done in the early spring before the plants flower, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Thrips have proved most destructive to Japanese iris. Field experiments on Long Island, N. Y. by entomologists of the Department in cooperation with the Brooklyn Botanic Garden included 8 applications of various insecticides in May and June, 1941, during the period when the iris develops rapidly.

The rotenone content of the sprays used in these tests varied from 1-4,000 to 1-32,000. Rotenone caused almost 100 percent destruction of the thrips. Commercial derris preparations with one percent of rotenone diluted to 1-4,000 were almost equally effective, but did not prevent entirely the breeding of larvae.

A 40-percent solution of nicotine sulfate in various dilutions up to 1-3,200 also gave complete control in these tests. Several commercial sprays and dusts proved only partially effective until one percent of rotenone was added to them. Both derris powder and nicotine sulfate are generally obtainable this season.

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Club Presidents Rotary Guests On Wednesday

Presidents of home demonstration clubs of Floyd county were guests of the Floydada Rotary club at its Wednesday meeting, a courtesy which has been a club custom for a number of years.

For the speech of the hour Mrs. C. A. Caffee, of Dougherty, presented thoughts on the Victory Demonstration pledges of rural families and of the work that rural women will have to do in war times. "Rural people are doing their part," said Mrs. Caffee, "and club women are making their contribution to the health and welfare of the nation in most practical ways."

One hundred thirty-two farm families already are pledged to the Victory program in Floyd county and others will follow this example, she said. Pins indicating the participation of these in the Victory plan are provided through the courtesy of Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Clarence Brandes, president of the Floyd County council of home demonstration clubs presented the presidents of the clubs as follows: Mrs. L. M. Honea, Lockney club; Mrs. R. L. Powell, Sterley club; Mrs. C. B. Smith, Harmony club; Mrs. E. Hensel Green, Baker club; Mrs. E. F. Huskey, Liberty club; Mrs. Oliver Allen, Center club; Mrs. Floyd P. Paqua, Home Builders club; Mrs. W. H. Bethel, Campbell club; Mrs. J. T. Poole, Dougherty club; Mrs. Wiley Nance, Lone Star club; and Mrs. H. F. Jackson, Sand Hill club.

Grass Fire Quickly Extinguished By Firemen Monday

Floydada Volunteer Firemen answered a call Monday at 8:45 o'clock on the vacant lot on West California across the street south from the L. C. McDonald & Son Implement house.

Fire of undetermined origin had set the grass. The fire was quickly extinguished, Fireman Ike Finley said.

MRS. ARMSTRONG HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. N. A. Armstrong was able to be brought home from a Plainview hospital Friday, where she was carried three weeks ago.

Her condition is thought to be much improved, Mr. Armstrong said, but she is still confined to her bed.

MRS. A. A. BEEDY ILL

Mrs. A. A. Beedy is thought to be recovering from an illness Sunday at the home of her sister Mrs. J. E. Mongola, of Clarendon where she had been visiting the past two weeks.

Her son Bill Beedy and wife, and daughter Mrs. L. L. McDermott of Crosbyton went to Clarendon Tuesday when she was brought to the home of Mrs. McDermott.

No word has been received from her grandmother since Tuesday. Miss Elizabeth Beedy said this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Patton returned home Tuesday from a week vacation trip to Carlsbad and Clovis, New Mexico.

Clifton McPeak is reported to be doing nicely from a tonsilectomy Tuesday at the Floydada Hospital & Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale and children left Sunday for a week vacation trip to the Red River canyons of New Mexico.

LeRoy Chowning who has been employed in defense work at San Diego came Saturday and will visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chowning until this week-end.

Mrs. R. E. Colvard of Strawn left Wednesday after a week here visiting in the home of her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Mack Colvard.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Rochester, Minn. They plan to be away approximately ten days.

Mrs. J. B. Russell and her niece Miss Jane Hughes of Attaque visited friends here and attended business Friday.

Arliss Rainer of San Diego, California, came Saturday for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rainer and family and brothers and families. He plans to return home Friday.

Weather and Crops

Practically every one of the several hundred irrigation wells in Floyd county are pumping this week as the dry weather continues to prevail over all except the extreme northeast portion of the county and areas in the vicinity of Lockney and McCoy.

In the remainder of the county reports indicate that, while cotton is doing well it should have a rain right now, and feed will show the lack of early August moisture, too.

The weather has been ideal for irrigated hay, potatoes, sugar beets and similar crops of the west and northwest portions of the county. In the area of the county below the caprock, especially in the Quitaque valley, crops have plenty of moisture and both crops and ranges are practically ideal. Cotton and feed production, barring hail, will be the maximum possible for land to produce in that section.

Blackbirds are taking heavy toll of early feed crops on some farms around Floydada.

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THAT THOSE WHO FIGHT MAY EAT

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry Sunday were Mrs. Fry's sister Mrs. W. H. Dumas and her daughter Huzette of Houston; Mrs. Holt Waldrep, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lader of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Lader and baby of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Lillie Britton and Mrs. L. D. Britton.

JUTE SHORTAGE WIDESPREAD

United States farmers are not alone in feeling the shortage of jute from India for making burlap bags. Brazil and Ecuador also need jute, particularly for coffee bags, of which Brazil uses about 15 million a year. Both countries are now looking for native fibers to replace jute, the U. S. Department of Agriculture reports.

In the country cotton is urged for bagging, and bagging is also a good use for surplus cotton. But now while defense orders have first call on cotton bagging fabrics, there has been some interest in the possibility of getting South American substitutes for jute. The jute shortage is likely to continue since India, seeing no probable relief of the shipping shortage, has cut its jute acreage in half.

Eventually the United States may buy several South American fibers as substitutes for jute, but not for some time to come, the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations says. Brazil and Ecuador will need them at home.

Brazil has at least 5 promising wild fiber-yielding plants. These five are known as paco-paco, jute indiana, malva veludo, guaxima, and papoula de Sao Francisco. Guaxima is said to exceed 3 feet in length and to produce a good yield per acre. It is used in mixture with jute, as is papoula de Sao Francisco. With additional acreage in cultivation, one group of mills hopes to become independent of jute, and to export finished bagging.

In Ecuador the wild fourcroya plant yields cabuya fiber, which natives use for making bags and bagging, ropes, belts, and soles for sandals. At present there are only two cabuya plantations in Ecuador. Increased production would depend on demand. Uruguay has at least 8 fiber plants but landowners find it more profitable to specialize on meat and wool.

As outstanding American natives, the author, E. R. Burkland, includes corn, grown from Canada to Patagonia; sweet and white potatoes; cocoa, used by the Aztecs as a food and as a medium of exchange; the peanut, found in ancient graves in Peru; rubber, particularly from the forested Hevea tree; the tomato; the pecan; the drug, quinine and cinchona; vanilla; and numerous products less widely known, such as quebracho extract for tanning; the fibers, kapok, henequen and sisal; manioc root, the source of tapioca starch; and important rotenone-bearing plants used in insect poisons.

"Today, many of these American natives are grown more widely outside than in the Americas," says Burkland. "The potato is of outstanding importance in northern Europe, and maize is a staple food in Italy, Spain and southeastern Europe. The sweet potato was distributed across the Pacific and is well-nigh universal in tropical and subtropical countries. British India, China and Africa are the chief peanut producing areas."

"Many of these crops of American origin are now produced in the Western Hemisphere either not at all or in such small quantities that consuming countries depend on sources outside the Western Hemisphere, where American natives thrive in foster homes. An important phase of the hemispheric agricultural program is to reestablish on their native soil products the Americas gave to the world."

SOME SEEDS LONG LIVED

Seeds of some plants will sprout and grow after long periods of time under certain conditions of storage. Archaeological research has unearthed some seeds of great age that have been planted and have grown. Under natural conditions, seeds buried in soil may have a longer "will to live" than is generally supposed.

When the site of the old Arlington Farm of the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Virginia was turned over to the War Department last fall, Department plant scientists salvaged the last of a set of experimental seeds buried in the ground 39 years before.

Seeds of 107 species had been buried in 1902, to be tested at intervals for ability to grow. In 1941, in 37 different kinds of seeds there were at least some that would germinate—some only 1 percent, others at high as 90 percent. Tobacco, bluegrass and celery were among the cultivated crop seeds that survived. Survival was high for some weed seeds—notably pokeweed, black nightshade, jimson weed and Scotch thistle—as farmers and gardeners would expect.

TWO VITAL CONCERNS

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VIENNA SAUSAGE, MARSHALL, 3 CANS,	25c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 3 BOXES	10c
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BOLOGNA, Pure Meat, Lb. 14½c

PORK CHOPS, Nice and Tender **lb. 34c**

CHEESE LONGHORN Lb. 25c	BACON SLICED Lb. 22c	SALT PORK FOR BOILING Lb. 13½c
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COFFEE, ADMIRATION Glass or Can **Lb. 31c**

We are authorized to pay you 3c lb. for your Meat GREASE! This Grease must be strained. Save for The War Effort.

PIGGLY WIGGLY
ALL OVER THE WORLD

CUE TO BARBECUE



Max O. Cullen, nationally-famous barbecue expert, shows Muriel Barr, young M-G-M starlet, how simple it is to barbecue meat. Pete Smith, producer of short subjects bearing his name, looks on as Cullen illustrates the correct method for turning a steak during the filming of "Barbee-Cues."

Backyard Barbecue Solves War's Entertainment Problem

With the entire nation seeking simpler means of entertainment because of war time requirements, the old-fashioned barbecue is rapidly growing in popularity. Backyard barbecues are becoming quite the style from California to Maine.

Old timers at this business of barbecuing have developed it into a fine culinary art, and in this connection Max O. Cullen, nationally known barbecue and carving expert, has brought out some new wrinkles for the handling of those old stand-bys, hamburgers and frankfurters.

Why does a frankfurter curl? Well, that's a problem that has bothered many a host, but if you're having a barbecue party and you want your frank to lie slim and straight as they nicely brown, try Cullen's little trick, as taken from the M-G-M, Pete Smith, specialty, "Barbee-Cues."

down one side without cutting entirely through the casing, turn it over and slice parallel to the first slice. Then it opens up like an accordion and will not curl and fall through your grill.

Anybody can barbecue meat, Cullen points out, if they will only remember these pointers: live coals, not a flame, should be used as a source of heat—charcoal briquettes are good. Steaks and chops should run an inch or more in thickness, and need be turned only once in cooking. Surplus fat should be trimmed away so it will not drip into the coals and flame up.

If you'd like a hamburger barbecue, take another hint from Cullen's repertoire and satisfy everybody's taste. Make your hamburger into a ball and barbecue it slowly until the outside is well-done. Then, slice it into three parts and you have two well-done pieces for those who like it that way, and one rare piece—the center—for those who like their meat rare. Cullen personally guarantees that barbecue fans will go for hamburgers prepared this way.

First, slice the frank lengthwise

Voc-Ag Students To Return Today From Encampment

Approximately twenty-five vocational agriculture boy students of the Floydada High school left yesterday in company with their instructor H. G. Barber for Linguish Falls for a three-day encampment. The falls is located near Silverton.

Students from Lockney and Plainview High schools are expected to join the Floydada boys in the encampment, Mr. Barber said.

The students met Thursday night at the high school lawn for the first meeting of the year and planned the trip.

Lockney Locals

LOCKNEY, August 10.—This community regrets to hear of the death of King Parker, who was killed while on duty on the railroad near Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Harrison and family of Oklahoma arrived Sunday to attend funeral services of their brother, King Parker, Monday afternoon.

The revival meeting at the Baptist church is being well attended and there have been several conversions. Rev. Page of Dallas is conducting the revival assisted by Rev. Cobb the pastor.

Mrs. Melvin Glass of Post is here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Strickland and daughter,

Classified Ads

For Rent

FURNISHED apartment, 329 West Mo. St. 271tp

For Sale Or Trade

TO TRADE—John Deere Model D Tractor in good shape, on rubber, for 22-36 International Tractor. Also wish to buy one-way plow with large discs. Billy Brown, phone 265. 261tc

Miscellaneous

AMARILLO DAILY NEWS. See Bob Smith. 261tp

BEAT THE HEAT with a Mathes Cooler. Parker Furniture Co. 201tc

SEE US for your rope needs. We have a good stock of all sizes. Higginbotham-Bartlett Company. 271tc

PORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM—See Jim Young at Palace Cafe. 101tc

EVERYBODY Remember the great gospel treat from August 30th to Sept. 11th, good singing, excellent preaching, great fellowship. Don't miss it! City Park Church of Christ. 273tp

Arthur B. Duncan Abstract Company

Oldest and most complete Abstract plant in Floyd County. Prepared to render prompt efficient service on everything in the line of land titles. S. E. Corner Public Square. Mrs. Maud E. Hollums, Manager.

USE Cosden products and be satisfied. Home Oil Co. 248tc

FOR AVON cosmetics and products see Mrs. Bob Smith, 420 South Main. 31tc

LET BILL renovate your mattresses. W. E. (Bill) Vandell Mattress Factory, East Grover Street. 1121tp

YOU will find just the linoleum rug or yard goods you have in mind, at Higginbotham-Bartlett Company. 271tc

CAMP COPE now open, on North Highway 70. Well-equipped grocery and filling station for rent. Good proposition for right party. T. M. Goodman. 273tp

CALL 165, DALBY Motor Freight will be your service. 251tc

Citizens and Voters of Precinct No. 1

As the date approaches for the Majority Primary and the date on which you will choose a man for your Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, I want to remind the people again—especially those I have been unable to see in person as yet:

That in my belief the next two years will be critical ones in the administration of our county's affairs; and if you elect me, it is my intention to give my mind and my time to the job of helping see the county through; with due regard to needs of my Precinct and its various interests.

Your Vote and Any Help You Can Give me in my race will be Appreciated

W. H. (Bill) BROCK

Stella May, returned home Friday from Lubbock, where Stella May had her tonsils removed at a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whorton of Lubbock spent last Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Whorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kimzey of Hermleigh returned home last Wednesday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weathers and family.

O. J. Huggins and son of Wichita Falls visited their brother and uncle, J. D. Huggins and family here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maier returned last week from a vacation trip to Colorado.

A number from here plan to attend the W. Lee O'Daniel speaking in Floydada Tuesday evening.

PAT COLLINS PROMOTED IN TARLETON'S ROTC TO RANK OF CAPTAIN

Officers Training corps of John Tarleton Agricultural college, have recently received promotions in rank according to an order just released. Cadets who are considered for advancement are first graded and recommended by their superior cadet officers, and final promotion depending on grades assigned by army officers in charge of the unit.

Among those promoted in rank by the recent order was Pat Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, of Floydada, who will hold the rank of Captain.

Miss Annie Bailey of Irene, Texas came Sunday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey, Miss Bailey returned to her home today.

Land For Sale

FOR SALE—J. C. Bolding, Lakeview home place, 480 acres. D. I. Bolding, 351tc

IMPROVED 640-acre farm in northeast Crosby county. J. R. Hinton, Route 5, Floydada, Texas. 286tc

Wanted

WILL pay cash for modern five room house to move. A. H. Jennings, Vigo Park, Texas. 271tp

WANTED to buy a good one and one-half horsepower Gasoline Engine. J. J. Smith, Rt. 1, Petersburg. 271tp

WANTED—to care for children, by hour or day. Mrs. Lucille Cox, West Ross St., city. 244tc

WANTED a good frame house to move. R. E. Deahl, Aiken, Texas, Box 21. 251tp

For Sale

ONE FARMALL regular, with equipment. One nine-foot One-Way See L. Y. Woolsey, 802 South Wall St. 273tp

FOR SALE—4 room house with bath close in \$900 cash. Would sell house without lot. Myra Dunavant, Box 326. 272tp

FOR SALE—Electric fence control with 2 miles wire, stays and insulators. 129 W. Georgia Street. 273tp

BARRED ROCK Cockerels, several ages and prices. Kirk's Barred Rock farm, sw corner of town. 221tc

Lost and Found

LOST Baby Jersey steer calf between Muncy and Plainview. A. B. Muncy, Lockney, Texas. 271tc

Houses For Sale

FOR SALE—My new home on west Tenn. St. \$1090 in cash and balance FHA payments. Blondie Finley. 271tc

HOUSES for sale and rent. W. Edd Brown, owner. 291tc

For Lease

FOR LEASE—80 acres for \$140. Pat Sterling, CCC camp. 262tp

Center News

CENTER, August 10.—Our people attended the three revivals near us last week. Some went to the arbor meeting on the Matador highway and some to the one at Fairview and some to the one at the Floydada Baptist church.

Mrs. J. L. Montgomery and Floyd went to Vega last Thursday for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Dunn. Mr. Dunn and children accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise.

Miss Loella Jackson is recuperating in a Lubbock hospital where she recently underwent an appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Miller went to Lubbock Sunday afternoon for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Willis and family. While there Mrs. Miller had a physical check-up at the hospital.

Delbert Morse spent last week with his sister at Bethany, Oklahoma. His mother spent the week with her mother, Grandmother Miller of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Lannie Sandefur had several of his sisters as guests last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sandefur, Jr. visited his parents Sunday.

Miss Ruth Jordan is spending this week with Mrs. R. L. Cooksey near Aiken, while Rev. Cooksey is conducting a revival near Big Spring.

Mrs. C. J. McClure received a letter from her son, Weaver, who is in service with our forces in Australia recently that was only seventeen days in coming. She reports that this is an unusually short time for one to arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peterson and family are spending a week with their parents in Montague county and with friends and relatives near Mineral Wells.

Roe Jones and Clifford Willis made a trip to Lubbock last week.

Mrs. Doyle Sandefur is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Crump of Turkey.

Mrs. J. R. Austin and children are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byrum of near Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson and children spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anderson.

Mrs. N. R. Austin is at Littlefield visiting her new granddaughter, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chandler. The little girl was born last week and is the daughter of the former Nova Austin.

Miss Betty Jean Spence visited with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McAda came Wednesday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McAda of Sterley and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mankins here. Their son, Bobby, who has been visiting with his grandparents the past two months, returned home with them.

Home Demonstration Club

The Center Home Demonstration club met July 21 at the home of Mrs. J. L. Montgomery. The program was a home talent program and was very interesting. Refreshments were served to sixteen guests and members.

The club met Monday at the home of Mrs. H. B. Mankins with the president, Mrs. Oliver Allen presiding over the business session and

Mrs. Lovell Entertains Sunnyside H. D. Club

The Sunnyside Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. W. A. Lovell August 7. Mrs. G. P. Hudson acted as co-hostess. Topics were discussed by Mrs. S. J. Latta, Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. Lee Wilkinson.

Victory recipes were handed out and demonstrations were made of the various dishes by Mrs. G. N. Shirey, who demonstrated honey drop cookies with chocolate fluff icing. Mrs. Tip Kendrick demonstrated raisin brown Betty, and Mesdames Lovell and Hudson demonstrated meat with barbecued sauce.

Those present were Mesdames Shirey, Latta, Hartsell, Wilkinson, R. P. King, the hostess, Mesdames Lovell and Hudson and visitors Mrs. Aaron Carthel, Mrs. Warren, Darlene Warren, Margaret Earlene Lovell, Alice Latta, and Miss Hartsell.

Mrs. Fulton Finley Undergoes Tonsilectomy

Mrs. Fulton Finley is reported to be doing nicely following a tonsil operation Saturday at the Pitts hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Floyd of Memphis, Texas visited two weeks in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ham Smith and Mr. Smith. Truman Floyd, their son, came for them and they returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore and daughter, Opal of Los Angeles, California came Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pittman and other relatives. They plan to return to their home tomorrow.

Miss Elaine Cullpepper left yesterday for Bailey county where she is employed as a teacher in the Watson school system for the next year. Her school begins Monday, August 17.

Mrs. J. C. Cates of the Sand Hill community and son J. D. of Lubbock spent the week-end visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Pace of Dallas.

Bobbie Mae Hall of Plaska has been visiting the past two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muncy.

Mrs. Alva Sparks and children Minnie Kate and Don spent the week-end in Lubbock with her niece Mrs. Frank Cline and family.

Mrs. Josie Wortman of Paris, Texas came Sunday for a visit with her sister Mrs. D. M. Moore and family. She plans to be here several weeks.

Get the Want ad habit.

FLOYDADA BEAN CROP BOASTS RECORD YIELD

Sixteen hills of Kentucky Wonder beans grown by Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Leibfried at 714 South Main street has produced a record yield this year. Mrs. Leibfried has canned twenty-one quarts from the vines and given away eight pounds above the amount consumed by Mr. and Mrs. Leibfried and their daughter LaJuana.

Regardless of whether or not this is a record of some kind, Mr. Leibfried is proud of his bean vines that promise vegetables for his table some time to come.

NEW GRANDDAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge are the grandparents of a new baby girl born Thursday in a Lubbock hospital. The daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John R. Mast, she weighed seven pounds and five ounces.

Dr. Mast took up duties in the U. S. Army Medical corps at Randolph Field San Antonio, Monday.

ON VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham and Mr. and Mrs. B. Hatley are expected home this mid-week from a ten-days vacation trip spent at Buchanan Dam, San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

MRS. NEWELL IMPROVING

Mrs. L. H. Newell was able to be brought to her home from a Plainview hospital where she was carried Friday for x-ray treatment.

She is thought to be slowly improving, members of her family said this mid-week.

Mrs. Claud Hammonds in company with Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ralls and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Watkins of Ralls left Sunday for a vacation trip to Ruidosa.

Mrs. Frank Cline and children

Patsy, Elizabeth and Donald Ray of Lubbock came Monday for a few days visit in the home of her aunt Mrs. Alva Sparks and family.

Mrs. Jack Nelson and son Jack of Newlin, Texas were week-end guests in the home of her sister Mrs. J. G. Pruitt and family.

Layton Dorrell left Monday of this week for Dallas on a business trip.

Mrs. Billy Grundy, Mrs. Hazel Swebston and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Reed made a trip to Wichita Falls Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Reed remained in Wichita and Mesdames Grundy and Swebston returned Monday.

Billy Grundy of Amarillo came Sunday from Amarillo and was accompanied home by his wife and two sons who had been visiting here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Grundy and her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton.

Farmers SAVE YOUR TIRES!

Pay by Check

You can't afford to take needless trips to town simply to pay a few bills. Pay them by check. Save mileage on your car and wear on your tires. Under war conditions a checking account will be especially valuable to you. Open one at this bank.

The First National Bank

Floydada, Texas

We Sell War Bonds

James V. ALLRED CANDIDATE FOR U. S. SENATOR



- HIS PLATFORM:—**
1. To win the People's war as quickly as possible;
 2. To provide for our boys in uniform while they are in and when they come out of the service;
 3. To set up a machinery for readjustment at the present time and rehabilitation after the war is over;
 4. To write and enforce an enduring peace that shall insure our children against another war!

In the more than one hundred years of Texas history, Texas has never been represented in the United States Senate by a West Texan. This year, for the first time, you have an opportunity of electing a West Texan to that high position by voting for James V. Allred, who was born and grew to manhood in West Texas and who knows and understands the problems of West Texans.

His record of two terms as attorney general and two terms as governor of Texas is filled with pages of successful solutions of West Texas problems.

(Political advertisement paid for by Floyd County friends of James V. Allred)

ARWINE DRUG COMPANY

HAS SERVED THE PEOPLE OF FLOYD COUNTY SINCE 1924

Patrons of all ages have learned to depend on Arwine Drug Company for reliable service—

ALL KINDS OF DRUGS, DRUG SERVICE, SUN-DRIES, CAMERAS and EQUIPMENT FOR PHOTO-GRAPHERS, FOUNTAIN SERVICE AND A RELIABLE PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT.

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FOR THE DURATION Physicians are scarce and much is demanded of their services. First Aid Kits are available and we carry a complete stock of Fresh Drugs.

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Thirteen Million Bale Cotton Crop Govt. Forecast

Forecasting the largest cotton crop in the United States since 1937, the preliminary estimate of the Agriculture department put the production outlook as of August 8 at 13,065,000 bales.

Future prices on the markets dropped \$2 per bale on the face of the outlook which is considerably bigger than expectations.

Shortly after announcement of the estimate, 2,341,000 bales, or 22 per cent more than 1941 production and a fraction less than the 1931-40 average of 13,109,000 bales, the Commodity Credit Corporation announced its 1942 cotton loan program.

The new loan rate was based at 16.02c a pound on seven-eighths inch middling. A 2c a pound increase over the 1941 rate, the figure was based on 85 per cent of the parity price of 18.88c on August 1, 1942.

Calculating Loan Rate
Premiums and discounts for grade and staple will be calculated in relation to the loan rate on 15-16-inch middling, which will be 0.2c a pound above the basic rate for seven-eighths inch.

The CCC explained that in previous loan programs, the rate would be based on the net weight of cotton and the net weight rate would be 70 pounds above that for gross weight to compensate for the lesser number of pounds.

S. J. R. No. 20
A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 33. The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the third day of November, 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

Pampa Minister To Preach For Revival Here

(R. T. Breedlove, pastor)
Reverend Bob Gilpin will preach for a revival meeting at The Methodist church, beginning next Sunday morning and running indefinitely. Brother Gilpin is pastor of the McCullough church in Pampa, Texas, and is a highly recommended young man who has had good success in his pastorates and in his evangelistic work. The public is urgently invited to hear him.

This meeting will have no denominational lines, but will be open to all people. You are invited to attend, sing in the choir or congregation, engage in every activity and worship, regardless of your church affiliation, if any at all. The support and prayers of all the Christian people of the community is asked by the preacher, pastor and leaders of the church. Come and bring your friends.

Services will be held at 10 o'clock mornings, except on Sundays, and at 8:30 in the evenings, including Sundays. Every effort will be made to avoid keeping the people up too late at night.

No frills. Just the old fashioned Gospel in its power and purity will be presented. The old songs that are so well loved by the people will be used, and the old-time power of the Holy Spirit that fell on the devoted disciples at Pentecost will be sought by those who love the Lord. Come and join in this series of services.

"The New Age" Sermon Subject Sunday Night

(J. G. Malphurs, minister)
Nearly all informed persons believe there is to be a "New Age" after the present war is over. Who can imagine what the "New Age" is to be like? How is it to be brought about? Does the Bible tell us anything about such an age? If so, we need to know what the Bible says about it. The scriptures can give us more information than all the column writers and statesmen, apart from the Bible, consider Romans 11:25, 26 and Rev. 16: 19; and Luke 21:24 and hear the sermon at 8:45 Sunday night.

At 11 o'clock our subject will be "The Law of Pardon to Erring Christians," and the final sermon on the Epistle of James.

All the members of the City Park church and their friends are urged to make plans to attend the gospel meeting beginning August 30th. It will be held in the open air at night so as to have plenty of room for all who can come. We have secured an able minister, Mr. Coleman Overby of Dallas, to do the preaching. Mr. Overby is a godly Christian as well as an unusual Bible student. It is a treat to Floydada to have this able man with us. The name of the song leader will be announced later. The advertising committee is planning the advertisements this week and the church will be busy next week getting ready for the best event Floydada has had for many years. Training classes will be taught in the day services.

The South Side Baptist Church

(R. N. Power, pastor)
We had a great service Sunday although the pastor was unable to be present the morning service because of the illness of his wife.



Sew and Save—From a cotton dotted swiss bedspread, Jean Waddell, 16, of Memphis, Tenn., made this evening dress. Miss Waddell won the Memphis Press-Scimitar's Sew and Save contest, and was sent to New York with her all-cotton, self-made wardrobe, where she won first national prize in the junior standard-pattern class in competition with about 30,000 contestants. Jane made dresses from such things as draperies, bed-ticking, shower curtains and bedspreads.

First Baptist Church News

(L. A. Doyle, pastor)
Our revival was a success in every way. The preaching and singing were excellent and the people were drawn closer to the Lord and serve in a greater way because of this meeting. Again we express our appreciation for the fine spirit of cooperation by the other churches of the town. Our people will remember to pray for and attend Bro. Breedlove's meeting that starts Sunday.

There were twenty additions to our church during the meeting and many of our people who had not been attending came and we hope that they were blessed to the extent that they will continue to attend our services. We hope that we will soon have all our membership enlisted in regular church attendance and active Christian living.

Our Sunday school goal of 350 still stands and we urge every teacher and every department to strive to attain their goals. We still have 500 resident members and if we can get half of our members in Sunday school we will have one hundred children who are not members to make the three fifty. The pastor will be in the pulpit Sunday morning and urges that we make a special effort to maintain our good attendance of the two previous Sundays. Unless we make a special effort there will be a drastic let down in Sunday school and preaching attendance. "Every member a real member" is our motto.

Mrs. Glenn White left Saturday for her home in Santa Monica after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Biggs and with Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton. While here Mrs. White underwent an operation at a Lubbock hospital and her condition was reported as satisfactory.

Mrs. George Sherrill returned Thursday after a week's visit with her husband at Norfolk, Virginia. Mr. Sherrill left for the Navy two months ago and has been stationed at Norfolk until recently.

Mrs. R. N. Power, wife of the pastor of the South Side Baptist church underwent an operation at the Pitts' hospital Sunday morning. Her condition was reported as satisfactory the first of the week.

POLITICAL COLUMN

Following are candidates who are candidates for the places indicated in the August 22, 1942, Democratic primary:

- For County Judge: G. C. TUBBS, MORGAN WRIGHT
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: W. H. (BILL) BROCK, A. S. CUMMINGS
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: W. C. PLUMLEE

Donald H. (Wimpy) Thomas Writes From India

The following letter was written by Donald H. (Wimpy) Thomas to his brother-in-law J. A. Arwine. It was received one month from the time it was written somewhere in India.

Dear Arwine:
I wonder if you have been getting my letters. I haven't heard from you since I left Duncan Field. I am getting along just fine. Have been seeing a lot of interesting places.

How is everything getting along back on the plains? Hope you had a good crop this year. There isn't much I can write you except I am getting along just fine and hope to be back soon. Write me as I am always glad to hear from you.
Donald Thomas.
Address: Pvt. Donald H. Thomas, 18067441 Hq. & Hq. Sq. 3rd Air Depot Group APO 886, c/o Postmaster, New York City, N. Y.

DAUGHTER IS BORN TO MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND KING AT LITTLEFIELD HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King of Littlefield have a daughter born on August 6, relatives of the couple here have been informed.

The baby has been named Sandra Kay. Mr. King, her father, is teacher of vocational agriculture in the Littlefield schools. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King of this city, are her paternal grandparents.

Morgan Wright Says—

THE WATCHWORD MUST BE ECONOMY

Your loyalty and support in the July Primary placed me in the run-off set for August 22nd. I want you to know that I am very grateful for this vote of endorsement and confidence you have given me.

I pledge you, if elected your County Judge, an administration that will be conducted on a business basis. An administration in which all—the high, the low, the rich, the poor, will have the same standing and be given the same consideration.

And, I again pledge you an administration in which economy will be the watchword throughout. You know, and I know, that there has never been a time in Floyd county's history when strictest economy in the administration of its affairs was needed worse. The coming years are sure to be the hardest and the most trying that the tax payers have ever faced. For this reason, if for no other, the tax payers' dollar must be made to do its full duty.

My years of business and official experience in Floyd County have prepared me to administer the duties of County Judge efficiently, economically, and well. Your vote and influence in the August run-off will be deeply appreciated.

Sincerely yours,
MORGAN WRIGHT

HOME FROM VACATION

Mrs. W. C. Sims and children Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Hammonds of Lockney returned home Friday from a vacation trip to Louisiana.

While gone, they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henry and family at Athens and Mr. and Mrs. John Harold at Arcadia. Mr. Henry and Mrs. Harold are both and sister of Mrs. Sims.

They were accompanied on the trip from Vernon by Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sims and family.

R. B. Smith of Lubbock spent Saturday in Floydada and visited friends in The Hesperian office.

JOUNK

needed for War



"What's it good for?"
"Guns, tanks, and maybe part of a plane"

In the barnyards and gullies of farms and in the basements and attics of homes is a lot of Junk which is doing no good where it is, but which is needed at once to help smash the Japs and Nazis.

Scrap iron and steel, for example. Even in peacetime, scrap provided about 50% of the raw material for steel. It may be rusty, old "scrap" to you, but it is actually refined steel—with most impurities removed, and can be quickly melted with new metal in the form of pig iron to produce highest quality steel for our war machines.

The production of steel has gone up, up, UP, until today America is turning out as much steel as all the rest of the world combined. But unless at least 6,000,000 additional tons of scrap steel is uncovered promptly, the full rate of production cannot be attained or increased; the necessary tanks, guns and ships cannot be produced.

Waste Cooking Fats

When you get a pound or more, strain into a large tin can and sell to your meat dealer.

NEEDED ONLY IN CERTAIN LOCALITIES: Waste paper and tin cans—wanted only in certain areas, as announced locally. NOT NEEDED (at this time); Razor blades—glass.

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Floyd Allotted 154,968 Acres Wheat For 1943

Figures on wheat acreage allotments for Floyd county, released last week by Paul Snodgrass, chairman of the local Triple A committee, indicate a total allotment for wheat planting at 153,968.2 acres. The Texas allotment is 3,727,966 acres of a national wheat acreage of 55 million acres.

In announcing the national wheat acreage allotment for 1943, Agriculture Secretary Wickard asked wheat producers whose lands and equipment are suitable for growing other crops needed more urgently in the war effort, to hold this land for those crops rather than plant it to wheat. In areas where more urgently needed crops can be successfully produced, the war production plans will be worked out for individual farms which call for a wheat acreage substantially less than the allotment. In areas where wheat produces more feed grain per acre than other crops, however, farmers will be encouraged to plant their full allotment.

"America will be going into the 1943 crop year with approximately a two-year wheat supply," the Secretary said. "Consequently, even with relatively low yields, the 55 million acre allotment will result in supplies well above any probable emergency. Domestic food requirements of 500 million bushels could be produced on 40 million acres."

"By helping farmers direct their production to needed crops, the wheat allotment is an integral part of agriculture's wartime program for 1943. The AAA Committeemen will work out with each grower a war production plan that will enable him and his farm to make the maximum contribution to the war effort. Growers who carry out such plans will be in a position to benefit from such price supporting measure, loans, crop insurance, and conservation payments as may be offered under the program."

Federal wheat crop insurance program will be applicable to all the acres allotted in this county, an announcement, released at the same time, said.

TAKE WIGGLE OUT OF GRUBS WITH DRY ICE ANESTHETIC

Injecting a tiny helping of "milky disease" bacteria into the body cavity of a Japanese beetle larva is a ticklish operation. If a fleshy little larva wiggles—and wiggle they will—the intestine may be punctured and the inoculum lost.

So U. S. Department of Agriculture Entomologists have discovered a way to take the wiggle out of the larvae during this delicate operation—by anesthetizing them. S. R. Dutky

OAKY DOAKS by FULLER



of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine has found that larvae may be anesthetized for a period of eight hours with little or no ill effect. He uses dry ice to furnish the carbon dioxide anesthetic.

"Milky disease," natural enemy of the Japanese beetle, is being tested widely by entomologists as a beetle-control measure in heavily infested areas. The bacteria are injected into healthy Jap beetle grubs, where they multiply. Bodies of grubs so injected are ground, mixed with talc and dusted over the ground or placed in soil where grubs are feeding. A feeding grub takes up the disease germs which reproduce in tremendous numbers until there are enough to kill the grub. Grubs killed by the disease turn milky white, disintegrate, leaving little heaps of disease germs to be picked up by the next generation of grubs—and so on.

An heirloom is said to be an article handed down from father to son, but it looks like a mighty poor name for trousers.

"When will Hitler come to his senses?" asks a columnist. What senses?

All men, including statisticians, are interested in figures.

Hitting Russia is like Joe Louis hitting a hay stack.

SHORT PULL AND LONG

The nutrition program got under way as a defense measure. If and when sanity has again returned to a war-weary world, the nutrition program will remain as a great incentive to the farmer. The post-war world, we hope, will be a better world. In it, we have reason to believe, there will be less greed and a greater service to humanity.

No greater service could be forthcoming than that of giving to every man, woman and child a minimum dietary standard and building up in him or her the health, stamina, and reserve energy necessary to reach out for the greater attainment of life, a desire for which is in us all.

The food-for-defense program is an emergency program. The national nutrition program is a long-pull program.—Dr. M. L. Wilson, Director of Extension Work, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

An optimist is any person who starts out to work a crossword puzzle with pen and ink.

W. Lee O'Daniel—

(Continued from page 1) Commercial hotel. They jumped from Canyon here Tuesday afternoon and on Wednesday morning went to Crosbyton, making cities and towns which he failed to get to on his first tour.

C of C Extends Courtesies
On behalf of the community J. C. Wester last week-end extended courtesies of the city to Senator W. Lee O'Daniel's headquarters in Fort Worth, upon learning of the forthcoming visit of the senator-candidate to Floydada Tuesday night. The local organization asked to be used in any way to make the senator's party more pleasant while here.

Mrs. O'Daniel in response from Fort Worth campaign headquarters expressed appreciation of the wire indicating that any aid that could be given in publicizing the senator's appearance here would be helpful.

Legion Officers Installed in Joint Ceremony

New officials of McDermott post, American Legion, took their places Monday night of this week when they were installed along with officials of several other posts of the 19th district in Lubbock.

J. M. Willson, Fifth District commander, officiated at the ceremonies in Allen Bros. post hall. Accepting their new duties were J. B. Turner, new commander of the Floydada organization and along with him Robert McGuire first vice-commander, J. C. Wester finance officer, E. L. Cornelius adjutant, and Roy L. Snodgrass as a member of the trustees board. W. G. Collins, retiring commander of the post, also attended the meeting.

HAVE NEW SON

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKinney, Monday, August 3, a son. The little boy weighed six and one-half pounds and was named Robert Ben. Mrs. McKinney was able to be moved Sunday from the Pitts hospital to the home of her sister Mrs. Seaton Howard.

The baby is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnston. Mr. McKinney left today for Belen, New Mexico where he has employment.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Christian and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kendrick are expected home tomorrow from a week spent in Colorado vacationing.

Scrap Drive—

(Continued from page 1) the 1929 Study club, the 1922 Study club, the 1934 study club, Floydada Garden club, Floydada Rotary club and Lockney Rotary club, as well as the USDA War board and newspapers of the county. How to rouse the people to further effort in the scrap materials collection, and get the small as well as the large contributions to the collection in the scrap head so that it can be counted.

Miss Edith L. Wilson, chairman of the USDA Salvage committee, presided. Jason O. Gordon, county agriculture agent, pointed out in particular that past performances of the people are in the past and that the War Production board is depending on a sustained effort of the citizenship to get scrap metal in the hands of agencies where it can be counted upon by the mills and factories.

It is planned to culminate the month's activities with a huge parade or parades on August 29. Emma Louise Smith and Mrs. Alton B. Chapman were named leaders to plan for this event in Floydada.

BISHOPS ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop and children and Mrs. Jennie Bishop, left Thursday for a two weeks vacation visit in California.

They will spend most of the time at Camp Roberts with their brother and son Pvt. Tom Bishop who is in the 84th Infantry.

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VINEGAR, Gallon, Bring Your Jug	25c
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HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE SYRUP, Ready-to-Serve, Gal.	95c
HEINZ RICE FLAKES, 2 Boxes For	15c
KERR JARS, Pints, Doz.	65c
VANILLA WAFERS, 14 oz. Box	10c
CORN, No. 2 Can	10c
OLEO, Pound	18c

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ICED MELONS Pound	2c	Lipton Tea, Glasses Free	25c	4 Lb. Carton	
FRESH CORN 2 FOR	5c	FRUIT COCKTAIL, Can	15c	Orange Juice	6c
		GELATIN DESSERT, Pkg., Six Delicious Flavors	6c		
		Heart's Delight, No. 2 Can	15c	Kremel Dessert, Ned Pkg.	6c
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Tenderloin STEAK, lb.	37c	Lakeview Sliced BACON, lb.	29c
Chicken Shack Dinner, pkg.	9c	Longhorn Full Cream Cheese, lb.	29c
FRYERS FISH		Hamburger Meat	20c
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LOOPER'S

SPUDS No. 2 Red, 10 Lbs.	.07
SPUDS Large White, 10 Lbs.	.25
SODA 2 Boxes, 3 For	.15
STARCH 10c Box, 3 For	.24
ENGLISH PEAS No. 2 Can	.10
JELL O Any Flavor, 3 Boxes	.20
OLEO Per Pound	.16
PINEAPPLE Sun Kist, No. 2 Can	.23
VINEGAR Heinz, White, Gallon	.45
MEAL Everlite, 20 Pound Bag	.57
BAKING POWDER K C 50c size	.30
CLEANSER Sunbrite, Can	.05
SYRUP Pure Ribbon Cane, Gallon	.59
WHEATIES Rox	.10
FLOUR Packard's Supreme, 48 Lbs.	1.49
LUNCH MEATS Assorted Kinds	.25
CHEESE Longhorn, Full Cream	.25
SLICED BACON Sugar Cured	.23
BABY BEEF STEAK Loin	.38
SALT PORK For Boiling	.14

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TOMATOES No. 2 Can, EACH	10c
VINEGAR Red Distilled, GALLON	24c
LARD 100% PURE, BRING YOUR PAIL, LB.	13c
COFFEE Our Own Blend, Guaranteed, NONE BETTER, POUND	29c
MILK 1 Can CARNATION with Each Pound of Our Coffee	FREE
BAKING POWDER Clabber Girl, 25c Size, EACH	19c
FISH LAKE TROUT, POUND	18c
CANDY ALL 5c BARS, 3 FOR	11c
FLOUR 48 Lb. SILVER PEAK GUARANTEED	\$1.65
CHEESE FULL CREAM, POUND	25c
WASHO GUARANTEED SOAP, 24 OZ. PKG.	19c
BEEF ROAST CHOICE CUTS, POUND	25c
FRUIT JARS QUART SIZE, PER DOZEN	69c
OLEO POUND PKG.	17c
FLY SPRAY QUART JAR, EACH	23c
APPLE BUTTER 12-OZ. GLASS, EACH	9c
PINTO BEANS 3 LBS.	18c
PICKLING SPICE PER PKG.	7c
LUX SOAP 3 BARS FOR	22c
MEAL 20 LB. SACK, EACH	55c
SARDINES 15-OZ. CAN, VAL-VITA, EACH	14c
INSECT POWDER BEE BRAND, No. 25, EACH	21c

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