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Annual FFA and 4-H Fat Stock Show April 8

WATCH EAST WARD GROW!

To the teachers of reading in grades four through eight:

I would like to discuss with you the problem of helping yours, very poor readers. We have been !-

pupils do not like to read, that they spend very little time reading except when actually called a CE upon to read in class, and that they have a pronounced sense of failure and discouragement in connection with the whole business of reading. Our point of beginning is to remove this sense of failure and to build up confidence and a strong feeling of WILL RETURN success. Are you thinking, "How nice, but please tell me how such ORMAL a thing can be done." Fine! ORMAL That is just what I want to do.

We use primers, first readers, second readers, and third readers ce is far below our usual standwith these pupils. We searched difficulties of getting trained for new, attractive, colorful, interesting books at this levelige to give you the best service which our pupils had never seen er of the war and to return to before. We found them in the better sets of readers which have vices when peace comes. In the been published in recent years, to bear with us. but which have not been adopted for use in Texas. The books that we have found are all that D EXPERTLY LAUNDERED we could desire. I am enclosing a list of these books with publishers and prices. The pric- CALL 62 es quoted may be somewhat higher now. If your funds will not permit purchasing all these books, you can probably get enough to see how the ide works in your school. If you have not any money at all, you may use a collection of old books which you have on hand. These interest and the enthusiasm that the new ones will, but they are better than nothing.

We use these easy books to give our pupils an abundance of material for easy, independent reading. It has been surprising to even the most optimistic of us how our slow readers takes to this kind of reading. They seem to enjoy reading page after page in the easy books, which we give them, without experiencing any difficulty. We do our part to make their success seem very much worthwhile. We say, "That's fine! I am proud of you You don't mean to say you have read all the way over to page 50 already! Read some for me; I want to see how well you are reading." It sometimes helps to write the pupil's mother saying how well her child is doing in his new reading material. As you see, we are doing our best to give these pupils a strong stimulus of success-something that is more or less new to most of them. When you get it to working you will be surprised at what

happens. In addition to using the stimulus of success it also helps to do a little stage setting. Make the arrival of the new books something to look forward to. When the package arrives unpack it in the room and do some exclaiming. Show the books and talk about how very interesting they look. Just a little of this kind of business will do wonders. The only trouble will be that all the other pupils will want to usurp les Kimbell, Clark Gregston, the privilege of reading the books Cleston Ptritchett. and they will not be available for the slow children for whom they were ordered.

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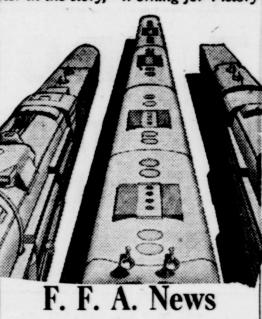
feel welcome and to help us. They have gone through four and a half years of war and know what rationing is. Yet you never hear any complaints. They know how to take it. They know very little about the history of the USA, but in recent years have taken to making a study of it and are now issuing books about us. I am highly pleased with the people, admire them a lot. Of course, there is no one that takes the place of a good Texan, but that's another story. The UK is ruled over by a king, who has little power, but it is somewhat of a symbol and the lower of commons is 600 pounds.

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The officers of the Future Farmers of America held a meeting in the V. A. room Tuesday, March 21, and set the date for the annual Father-Son banquet to be held April 21, in the high school gymnasium. Committees were appointed to make plans and arrangements for this occas-

Those appointed were as follows: Program committee, Donald Delisle, chairman, Harold Casey, Kenneth Carlisle; guest committee, Dub Rumfield, chairman, Lane Ericson; finance and purchase, Jimmie Brysen, chairman, David McAteer, Wendell Parker; arrangements, Orville Robinson, chairman, Elmer Gannon, Dewie Watson, Pete Adcock, James Swanner; clean-up, Charles Harris, chairman, Warren Kooner, J. D. Elkins, Leland Calvert; wood supply, Char-

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This plan is not theoretical. It is proving successful RIGHT NOW in our classrooms. I hope This letter has been about ways that you can make it work. Be-

Sincerely yours.

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many members who draw no pay.
This council is divided into various committees such as a road committee, school committet, etc. committee, school committet, etc. rister Cities, likewise, are run by councils much the same way. Highest law enforcement officer in the shire is the chief constable broug LUTHER C. STARK. the shire is the chief constable who is head of the city and county police. The high sheriff is appointed mostly because he is a big land owner or stands high in the shire and he draws no salary and has no duties much except to see that the circuit judges have means of travel from county to county. If a town is of a ty to county. If a town is of a certain size and has a cathedral in it, it is a city, otherwise it is a corporation. Senior members tion to control to the country of the c

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District 9 Baptist Convention Meets In district that this is not enough **Petersburg March 28**

The annual session of the District Nine Baptist convention meets at Petersburg, Tuesday, March 28. It is a streamlined one-day program. Convention C. D. Hall Is Host president, Dr. Roy L. Johnson, Canyon pastor, will preside over

Time will be given to various phases of the work, with a period given for an open forum. Timely addresses are scheduled by John W. Cobb of Plainview, C. E. Hereford of Lubbock, A. A. Brien of Brownfield, Lee Hemphill of Littlefield, and J. Lowell Ponder of Plainview. A conference and report on Sunday school work will be directed by R. E. Campbell of Matador, and on Training Union work by Miss the campuses of the three col- cussed on how to meet and cope eges within the district will be with any future situation.

der the leadership of J. D. Rid- making girls. dle of Lubbock. A special musical feature will be a concert at the night session by sixty college will furnish special mu- Precinct Number 1 sic throughout the convention.

The closing message will feature Mrs. J. A. Lunsford, re- Flat community, who made the turned missionary from Brazil, race for Commissioner of Prebeen in Brazil about three years. thorized The Texas Spur to an-Lunsford was pastor at O'Don- nounce his candidacy for that nell just before going to South office again this year. In mak-America. Their friends in this ing his announcement, Mr. Smiarea will be eager to hear Mrs. ley released the following state-Lunsford.

district missionary.

Honor To Be Held Thursday Night

A Boy Scout Court of Honor O.L.Kelley Notified will be held Thursday night at the Methodist church at 8:00 o'clock. O. C. Arthur, advancement chairman, will be in charge. Two visiting troops will be present from McAdoo and Dickens. with the two local troops, 35 and 36, and the Cubs present. Movie slides made of the Boy

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Scroggins Field Studies in Education. In Spur Tuesday.

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a corporation. Senior members that the purpose of raising of a city council are called alder-the for the purpose of raising school tax of that district has had a 50 cent tax for the past seven year, and it is contended by school officials of the money to maintain a first class school for the children of that

> The election will be held at the time of the trustee election which will be Saturday, April 1.

To Texaco Dealers

C. D. Hall, Texaco dealer of Lubbock, was host at an informroom at Junior high school Mon- affairs and to visit a sister, Mrs. day night at 8:30 o'clock, for all J. A. Douglas, for a few days. Texaco dealers in the Spur territory. Jack Christian, local W. W. Wolverton, Goodrich with her aunt, Mrs. J. P. Legg tire and rubber representative of Dallas, was present. Possibilities of restrictions and rationing Gracie Knowlton of Hereford. A was a topic of after dinner survey of religious activities on speeches, and plans were dis-

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"D. P. SMILEY." That Brother Missing

Fifth Class Petty Officer Wood- ment. row Kelley, has been missing in action in Italy since Jan. 25. He was a member of the 143rd In- three daughters, Alberta, Virginia Scouts at Post last summer, will fantry, which is composed of a Faye and Lois, spent the past All Scouts are urged to be Hillsboro, Waco, Temple and othpresent, and the parents are es- er central Texas towns. He had pecially invited to attend. Also been in Italy since the invasion of Sicily.

George P. Mecham, Director of Croton were business visitors Hill community, was shopping in a 15-day furlough here with their remain for a two weeks visit be- Kidd has sailed for everseas sertown last Saturday.

Governor Starts Easter Seal Sale



Governor Coke Stevenson this week formally launched the annual Easter Seal Sale of the Texas Society for Crippled Children by the purchase of the first sheet of seals and announcement of the necessity of the campaign through official proclamation. The Governor bought the first seals sold this year in Texas from pretty little Joanne Frost, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Frost, 4233 Cole Avenue, Dallas. Joanne, who was a victim of poliomyelitis when only nine months of age, attends the special class for crippled children at the Ben Milam School in Dallas, sponsored by the Dallas Society for Crippled Children, a unit of the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

ABOUT PEOPLE **YOU KNOW**

Murry Scott Clay, nephew of ing in a Lubbock hospital.

Roy Arrington left Sunday for al dinner in the Homemaking Fort Worth to attend to business

Miss Jo Ann South of Lub-Texaco dealer, was assistant host. bock spent the week end here

> and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennimer of Lubbock spent the past week end with their daughter, Mrs. V. C. Smart. Mr. Kennimer returned home Sunday night, while

> week's visit. Mrs. L. D. Beadle and small daughter, Thelma Ruth, and Mrs. A. M. Karr and Clifford Dean, accompanied by Miss Emma Lou Phillips of Girard, spent a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. A.

A. Ashley of Abilene. Spur Monday night. Mr. Lam- Scout. Dickens and McAdoo Boy at the Highway Baptist church bert attended the Texaco ban- Scouts will be at the Court of qquet and Mrs. Lambert spent | Honor. the evening with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Legg and family.

Mrs. John Adams, who submitted to major surgery in the Nichols sanitarium Monday morning, is getting along as well as

Mrs. Jerry McKenna of Kan-Spur on the east. There are 30,- the race, and take this means of sas City, Mo. came in this week with her daughter, Mrs. R. C

> Brown and family. Mrs. Lillian Fox and little mother, Mrs. Sue Dodge of Hous- Mr. Elliott. ton, are visiting in the home of

W. J. Elliott accompanied Mr. County Superintendent O. L. and Mrs. Harley Terry to Dal- Monday. Kelley has been notified by the las Sunday where he will remain war department that his brother, several days for medical treat-

> Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody and sign O. V. Johnson and family.

Pfc. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway Jr. returned Sunday from Fort Worth where they attended the parents. Mr and Mrs. E. L. Car- fore returning home.

School Census For Six Year Olds

Parents who have children that Mrs. Dave Taylor, submitted to will be six years old on or bean appendectomy Tuesday morn- fore Sept. 1, 1944, please get in touch with C. F. Cook, superintendent of schools, so that your Trustees Will Be child will be enumerated for school next year.

Anyone who has children in children to C. F. Cook, or H. P. Gibson.

C. F. COOK.

Boy Scout News

The meeting was called to or-Mrs. Kennimer remained for a der by Senior Patrol Leader Tommy Towles.

The hike which we went on Friday night, March 17, was discussed. We invited eight new Boy Scouts and passed tests for the Court of Honor which will be held at the Methodist church Thursday night, March 23. Every Scout will be expected to get Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert of some sort of merit badge or at- AT HIGHWAY CHURCH the Wichita community were in tain the position of a higher class

> Cecil Fox, Scoutmaster. Wayne McCarty, Scribe.

away, and Mr. and Mrs. O C. Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wooten of Erie Foster, W. T. Andrews, Mrs. Daniels, visited relatives and friends in Fort Worth the past week end.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Pate of Paducah were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. daughter, Pat, and Mrs. Fox's Elliott. Mrs. Pate is a sister of

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hawley of last Thursday afternoon to be family this week. Mrs. Fox and East Vaughn, New Mex., and with Mrs. Swaringen. The grand-Mrs. Dodge are former residents Bobby Hawley of Sweetwater parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. J. spent the past week end here Ensey and Mr. and Mrs. Jim with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rash. Swaringen of the Duck Creek They returned to their homes community.

> Mrs. Helen Williams left Monbrother, Joe Grace and family, itarium. The young fellow weighof Dallas.

national guard unit from West, week end with her mother, Mrs. and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson, and brother, En- D. E. Hoover and daughter, Doylene of Jayton, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hoover, Sunday.

Bigger and Better Exhibits In Offing For Club Exhibits

Saturday, April 8, was set for the date of the annual FFA and 4-H club Fat Stock show at a meeting Tuesday night in the office of Postmoster O. C. Arthur.

The show promises to be bigger this year than any yet held. according to Oscar McGinty, county FFA and 4-H Cub chairman. More entries and finer stock will be on exhibit this year, according to McGinty. McGinty was elected county chairman at the meeting Tuesday night; Charley Taylor was elected secretary. and O. C. Arthur elected treas-

Other committee members are Johnnie Koonsman, David Mc-Ateer, Byrum Haney and Mr. Fox of McAdoo.

In the exhibits this year there will be one class of fat Herefords, light and heavies; one class of Jersey heifers; one class of crossbred steers; two classes of fat barriers in the following breeds:

Chester Whites, Duroc Jersey. Poland China, Hampshires and Crossbreeds; one class of breeding gilts; one class of dry sows. and one class of sows and lit-

A new addition to the show this year will be a boys' horse

Only bona fide FFA and 4-H club members will be permitted to place entries in the show, according to officials.

J. A. Scofield, district agent of Texas Extension Service, College Station, will judge the ex-

Another meeting will be held next Tuesday night when the premium list for the show will be worked out.

2 Precinct County Elected April 1st

Trustee elections will be held school age and your census has the first Saturday in April, in all not been taken, please give these the school districts of the county. County Superintendent O. L. Kelley, stated this week. There will be two precinct county trustees

Those serving at this time, according to Kelley, are J. L. Karr and W. T. Lovell. It is understood that each will serve again if selected to do so by the vot-

Only the voters in the common school districts are eligible to vote in county trustee elections. All voters of the county may vote, however, in the selection of the county board members-at-large

REV. A. P. STOKES TO PREACH

Rev. A. P. Stokes will preach Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night. His subject Sunday morning will be "The Millinium." Sunday night's subject will be "Origin of Works and Destiny of Fate.'

The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

-02 Congratulations—

To S/Sgt. and Mrs. Woodrow Swaringen on the birth of new son Thursday, March 16, in a Lubbock hospital. The young man weighed seven pounds and eleven ounces and has been named Douglas Woodrow. Sgt. Swaringen arrived from Venecia, Calif.

To Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gabbert on the birth of a son Tuesday to spend a few days with her day, March 7, in the Nichols saned nine pounds, and has been Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dunaway named Harvey Lea. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. J. C. Keen of Spur.

To Cpl. and Mrs. C. N. Kidd on the birth of a new baby Friday night, March 17, weighing Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barclay and six pounds, eleven ounces. She Mrs. G. B. Erath of the Steel Fat Stock show and will spend small daughter, Francis Ann, will has been named Sandra Lee, Cpl.



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> ing of gasoline and tires, I will be unable to make a house to house canvas of the precinct, but will try to see as many of the voters as possible.

O.L.Kelley Notified That Brother Missing

Kelley has been notified by the las Sunday where he will remain war department that his brother, several days for medical treat-Fifth Class Petty Officer Woodrow Kelley, has been missing in action in Italy since Jan. 25. He was a member of the 143rd Infantry, which is composed of a national guard unit from West. Hillsboro, Waco, Temple and other central Texas towns. He had pecially invited to attend. Also been in Italy since the invasion of Sicily.

-00 Mrs. G. B. Erath of the Steel Fat Stock show and will spend small daughter, Francis Ann, will has been named Sandra Lee. Cpl. George P. Mecham, Director of Croton were business visitors Hill community, was shopping in a 15-day furlough here with their remain for a two weeks visit be- Kidd has sailed for everseas sertown last Saturday.

Governor Starts Easter Seal Sale



Governor Coke Stevenson this week formally launched the annual Easter Seal Sale of the Texas Society for Crippled Children by the purchase of the first sheet of seals and announcement of the necessity of the campaign through official proclamation. The Governor bought the first seals sold this year in Texas from pretty little Joanne Frost, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Frost, 4233 Cole Avenue, Dallas. Joanne, who was a victim of poliomyelitis when only nine months of age, attends the special class for crippled children at the Ben Milam School in Dallas, sponsored by the Dallas Society for Crippled Children, a unit of the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Murry Scott Clay, nephew of Mrs. Dave Taylor, submitted to ing in a Lubbock hospital.

Fort Worth to attend to business school next year. affairs and to visit a sister, Mrs. J. A. Douglas, for a few days.

bock spent the week end here Gibson. with her aunt, Mrs. J. P. Legg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennimer of Lubbock spent the past week end with their daughter, Mrs. V. C. Smart. Mr. Kennimer returned home Sunday night, while Mrs. Kennimer remained for a week's visit.

Mrs. L. D. Beadle and small daughter, Thelma Ruth, and Mrs. A. M. Karr and Clifford Dean, Boy Scouts and passed tests for may vote, however, in the selecaccompanied by Miss Emma Lou Phillips of Girard, spent a week held at the Methodist church end visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ashley of Abilene.

the Wichita community were in tain the position of a higher class Spur Monday night. Mr. Lam- Scout. Dickens and McAdoo Boy bert attended the Texaco ban- Scouts will be at the Court of qquet and Mrs. Lambert spent Honor. the evening with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Legg and family.

Mrs. John Adams, who submitted to major surgery in the Nichols sanitarium Monday morning, is getting along as well as

Mrs. Jerry McKenna of Kansas City, Mo. came in this week friends in Fort Worth the past to spend an extended visit here with her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Brown and family.

Mrs. Lillian Fox and little daughter, Pat, and Mrs. Fox's Elliott. Mrs. Pate is a sister of mother, Mrs. Sue Dodge of Hous- Mr. Elliott. ton, are visiting in the home of family this week. Mrs. Fox and East Vaughn, New Mex., and with Mrs. Swaringen. The grand-Mrs. Dodge are former residents Bobby Hawley of Sweetwater parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. J. of Spur.

W. J. Elliott accompanied Mr. County Superintendent O. L. and Mrs. Harley Terry to Dal-

> Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody and three daughters, Alberta, Virginia Faye and Lois, spent the past week end with her mother, Mrs. and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson, and brother, En- D. E. Hoover and daughter, Doysign O. V. Johnson and family.

Pfc. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway Jr. returned Sunday from Fort Worth where they attended the

School Census For Six Year Olds

Parents who have children that will be six years old on or bean appendectomy Tuesday morn- fore Sept. 1, 1944, please get in 2 touch with C. F. Cook, superintendent of schools, so that your Trustees Will Be Roy Arrington left Sunday for child will be enumerated for

Anyone who has children in Miss Jo Ann South of Lub- children to C. F. Cook, or H. P.

C. F. COOK.

Boy Scout News

TROOP 36

The meeting was called to order by Senior Patrol Leader Tommy Towles.

The hike which we went or Friday night, March 17, was discussed. We invited eight new the Court of Honor which will be tion of the county board mem-Thursday night, March 23. Every Scout will be expected to get REV. A. P. STOKES To PREACH Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert of some sort of merit badge or at-

> Cecil Fox, Scoutmaster. Wayne McCarty, Scribe.

away, and Mr. and Mrs. O C. Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wooten of could be expected at this time. McAdoo, accompanied by Mmes. Erie Foster, W. T. Andrews, Mrs. Daniels, visited relatives and week end.

> Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Pate of Paducah were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H.

They returned to their homes community. Monday.

Mrs. Helen Williams left Monday to spend a few days with her day, March 7, in the Nichols sanbrother, Joe Grace and family, itarium. The young fellow weigh-

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dunaway lene of Jayton, visited their parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hoover, Sunday.

parents, Mr and Mrs. E. L. Car- fore returning home.

Bigger and Better Exhibits In Offing For Club Exhibits

Saturday, April 8, was set for the date of the annual FFA and 4-H club Fat Stock show at a meeting Tuesday night in the office of Postmoster O. C. Arthur.

The show promises to be bigger this year than any yet held, according to Oscar McGinty, county FFA and 4-H Cub chairman. More entries and finer stock will be on exhibit this year, according to McGinty. McGinty was elected county chairman at the meeting Tuesday night; Charley Taylor was elected secretary, and O. C. Arthur elected treasurer.

Other committee members are Johnnie Koonsman, David Mc-Ateer, Byrum Haney and Mr. Fox of McAdoo.

In the exhibits this year there will be one class of fat Herefords. light and heavies; one class of Jersey heifers; one class of crossbred steers; two classes of fat barriers in the following breeds:

Chester Whites, Duroc Jersey, Poland China, Hampshires and Crossbreeds; one class of breeding gilts; one class of dry sows, and one class of sows and lit-

A new addition to the show this year will be a boys' horse

Only bona fide FFA and 4-H club members will be permitted to place entries in the show, according to officials.

J. A. Scofield, district agent of Texas Extension Service, College Station, will judge the ex-

Another meeting will be held next Tuesday night when the premium list for the show will be worked out.

----**Precinct County** Elected April 1st

Trustee elections will be held school age and your census has the first Saturday in April, in all not been taken, please give these the school districts of the county, County Superintendent O. L. Kelley, stated this week. There will be two precinct county trustees

Those serving at this time, according to Kelley, are J. L. Karr and W. T. Lovell. It is understood that each will serve again if selected to do so by the vot-

Only the voters in the common school districts are eligible to vote in county trustee elections. All voters of the county bers-at-large.

6 AT HIGHWAY CHURCH

Rev. A. P. Stokes will preach at the Highway Baptist church Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night. His subject Sunday morning will be "The Millinium." Sunday night's subject will be "Origin of Works and Destiny of Fate."

The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

-6 C Congratulations-

To S/Sgt. and Mrs. Woodrow Swaringen on the birth of new son Thursday, March 16, in a Lubbock hospital. The young man weighed seven pounds and eleven ounces and has been named Douglas Woodrow. Sgt. Swaringen arrived from Venecia, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hawley of last Thursday afternoon to be spent the past week end here Ensey and Mr. and Mrs. Jim with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rash. Swaringen of the Duck Creek

> To Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gabbert on the birth of a son Tuesed nine pounds, and has been named Harvey Lea. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. J. C. Keen of Spur.

To Cpl. and Mrs. C. N. Kidd on the birth of a new baby Friday night, March 17, weighing Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barclay and six pounds, eleven ounces. She

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ROME NOT ABOVE THE WAR

on the Italian city, or call off munities granted to citizens. the war.

No intelligent man looks forward to the destruction of ancient and revered relics, whether in Rome or Rotterdam, but the city of Rome has no claim to exemption from the fate of other capitals. If the ravages of war visit Rome the people can thank Premier Benito Mussolini, who took the Italians into a war for profit and waged unmerciful warfare upon the Ethiopians.

It is perfectly natural for Pope Pius XII. a native Italian, to be concerned over the suffering of lini has also been compelled to visions absolutely necessary to Italians and the possible destruction of church property but few citizens of the snited States and from the fate of war by an ap-Great Britain would endorse any policy that sacrificed the lives of our soldiers in order to give a special immunity to Rome.

where regret the devastation and suffering produced by war, whe- The lives of our fighting men paid. Many people are living minds of many ranchers because ther in Rome, Berlin, London or elsewhere. It is deplorable. Just the same, we did not ask for this the same, we did not ask for this the same decide to abandon Rome. the same, we did not ask for this mans decide to abandon Rome to live somehow but her, they live well, rural people proswar and we would much prefer the ancient city is certain to feel per. Farmers get good prices for duced on the range. Besides the to have our boys at home, if it the impact of Mussolini's war. as much as they can grow be- many tanks being drilled for was safe in the face of the power and evil of the Axis aggres-

The present war must be fought to a conclusion, either with Germany triumphant or the United Nations. There is no place in the world for neutrality when civilization faces barbarism of the the attack." Nazi type. We must conquer or be conquered; become free or become slaves.

Secretary Hull makes it perpectly plain that this country does not accept responsibility for events dictated by "military necessity." The Allied forces will Hitler lied. spare historic places and the property of the Catholic church "to the extent humanly possible," says the Secretary, but if the few hundred thousand Nazi sol- tures: (1) To get government out roads of war lead to Rome the diers. blame will be upon Germany.

JUDGES OFTEN MAKE LAW

Supreme Court recently suggest- plause. ed that the high tribunal was "competing with Congress" in a field "peculiarly within legis- Marshall islands were not as promptly and paying plant ownlative rather than judicial com-strong as we thought they were; ers for most of their war work petence."

There is nothing new about fortress Europe. the situation. Courts in this country, for many years, have Turkey expects to get in the been extending the power of the war but, apparently, is trying to judiciary. By interpretation of pull a last-minute entrance, dellaws and regulations and by for- icately timed to get a seat at the mulating theories as to proce- peace conference. dures, the judges, in their opinions, make about as much law as Congress.

permit the judiciary to set aside ilment. laws because, in the opinion of the judges, they are "unreasonable." This last unsurpation of the federal constitution, limiting the courts, if logically extended, federal income taxes to twentywould make all laws conform to five per cent, would be one of the mental processes of the the greatest bonanzas ever pre- Ahead will discuss some of these judges.

The power of the courts, exercised by fearless judges, has often preserved the liberties of individuals. We should appreciate this benefaction and be thankful for it. At the same time, we should not overlook the use of this same power to create vested rights for privileged

groups. reasoning the high court decreed bought with agreements to uncorporation a "person," and therefore endowed with all the rights, liberties and protection that the law throws around citizens. Obviously, no corporation is a person in the sense that it There is the prospect that the can perform the duties that a Germans will attempt to defend citizen owes to a government but Rome and that the Anglo-Amer- the judicial decisions say that it scan army will have to move up- is entitled to the rights and im-

ROME AND ADDIS ABABA

On May 9, 1936, Premier Benito Mussolini proclaimed to the world that "Ethiopia is Italian." The Fascist leader was enthusiastic about the success of the seven-months war, the aggression which led Italy to her present predicament.

Conditions have changed greatly since Haile Selassie fled from distinguished students of busihis capital and his people cringed under the merciless bombing important to cover in a one colof the strutting Italians. Mussoleave his capital which now, in enemy hands, seeks exemption peal to "civilization."

It would, no doubt, be a mis-

No scheme has ever been devised to please everybody; so

It is easy for arm-chair warriors to say, "Let's get on with ume (call it 50 billion dollars a

over and we hope the weather remembers it.

The German people ought to suspect, by this time, that Herr

sooner or later, they will bag a The program has two main fea-

If Rome is bombed the Italian people can give the blame to Mussolini. He led them into war A minority opinion of the U.S. and was given considerable ap-

the same thing may be true of before finishing all the tedious

What we can't understand, in ernment can encourage private connection with those who shed competition most effectively. (b) Few nations permit judges to pious tears over the bombing of By systematic disposal of excess set aside laws on the ground of Germany, is where the brothers war materials, government can unconstitutionality. Fewer yet were when Hitler began his dev- save many markets from ruin.

> The proposed amendment to sented our millionaires.



PEACE WITHOUT PANIC Business depression is not the Imagine, for example, by what price of peace. If peace could be dergo severe financial reverses and give up many things we have now, the American people would accept the terms bravely, almost unanimously. Peace would be worth it but peace can not be

bought that way. If war should end tomorrow, practically everybody in the United States would meet a sudden setback in money matters. However, the best economic minds in this country believe such a calamity can be avoided, that hard times after this are not necessary. Among are Bernard M. Baruch, M. Hancock and others whose

profound knowledge of economies is nowhere disputed.

Demonstrated Wisdom The recently published Baruch report, of which Mr. Hancock is co-author and in which many ness had a hand, is too big and umn discussion. It sets up propost-war prosperity, essential to the life of Democracy and Private Enterprise. It proposes things this column has upheld as principles for two years.

At present America has prosfortune if the capital of Rome perity. Factories of this country the fate of Addis Ababa but have never been busier than now; Right-thinking people every- when a nation appeals to the get; jobs were never easier to sword there are no immunities. get; workers were never better water supply is uppermost in the cause factories are busy.

Recent Scare Copy

This scares many people; Twothirds of what American factories are making these days, 66 2/3 per cent measured by dollar volyear) consists of war goods—stuff nobody needs in time of peace. Confidentially, the Winter is It is a staggering figure. But why be guessing how many jobs peace will destroy if, as the report implies, peace can create an equal number of jobs or more?

To save our way of life, we Americans must be kept busy, but how? The report says by making it possible for factory If the Russians keep trying, owners to keep their plants busy. of business and (2) to facilitate the reconversion of war plants to peace-time production.

Hope and Assurance All manufacturers of war goods will be anxious to switch quickly into peace-time pursuits if possible. Government can help (a) The Japanese positions in the by terminating war contracts, details of final settlement, (b) by moving government-owned machinery from privately-owned plants, clearing decks for peacetime production, and (c) by cash

loans.

Moral support can come from Washington also. (a) By getting entirely out business, gov-(c) By fixing a ceiling on taxes, government can keep many businesses going that otherwise would die. Sound economy, hard work and good sense will save Democracy and guarantee prosperity. Coming chapters of Looking provisions, one at a time.

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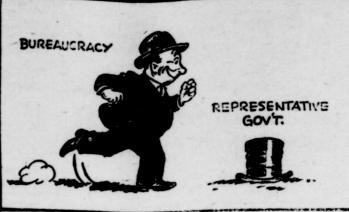
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done by concentrating the graz- la ranch, and the Dee Hairgrove ing load on one pasture until the and Lawton Harvey farms. weeds and weedy grasses are harvested. Bert Wallace, Paul Braddock and Foster Howell are among the ranchers who plan

of smaller pastures during the past year. Among these are Mark Cave, Johnnie Koonsman, Oscar McGinty and the Emery

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LIEUT. MARSHALL FORMBY WRITES **INTERESTING LETTER TO PARENTS**

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter, written by Marsahll Formby to his parents, contains much interesting information about the British people and their form of government:

Somewhere in England, Engineer Service, Hqs. ETO, APO 871, % Postmaster, New York, N. Y., February 23, 1944.

Dear Folks:

dying about England and the

ulation is 45 million.

Now England, Wales, Scotland what has been passed in the certain conditions. and Northern Ireland, which I house of commons. The comshall refer to in the future as the mons is similar to our lower schools, grammar school, council know that the folks are aware United Kingdom, or the UK, are house of congress and has over school, high school, public school, all about the size of the state 600 members elected about ev- preparatory school. You have to of Minnesota or perhaps not half ery five years. During the war pay to go to a public school, as big as the state of Texas.Pop- they are having no elections ex- however. cept by elections which are the If a guy gets drunk he is tried The British people are a little same as our special elections, to by the magistrate, similar to our reserved, a little hard at times, fill vacancies caused by the death JP's. He earns no salary. Next but pretty friendly and exceed- or resignation of some member. highest court is the court of sesingly nice. They treat me and There is no state government as sions, presided over by a paid I have been doing a lot of stu- lingly file. They treat file and take we have the Texas government, barrister, with magistrates sitevery opportunity to make us but a strong federal government ting in with him. The high court British empire since I came over here and have finally learned enough to write you a little about it. Have read a lot and the other night had a two-hour talk er hear any complaints. They have gone through four and a half years of war and know what rationing is. Yet you never hear any complaints. They have gone through four and Wales are more closely connected than England is with Scotland and Northern Ireland, county seat to county seat as with a good solicitor (lawyer) and he gave me a lot of facts about it. Am sending a copy of this letter to my good friend, L. D. Batliff of Snyr who is the control of the D. Ratliff of Spur, who is always have taken to making a study of The three main parties, Labor, interested in courts, government, etc.

As you know the British em
it and are now issuing books about us. I am highly pleased with the people, admire them a british em
Liberal and Conservative parties, select their candidates to run for parliament. The party in power

pire consists of all its dominions, lot. Of course, there is no one colonies, etc, the United King- that takes the place of a good man fails to be selected to run dom, which I shall write mostly Texan, but that's another story. by either of the parties, he can about in this letter, consists of England, Wales, Scotland and king, who has little power, but times is elected. Salary for the Northern Ireland. Most of Ire- is somewhat of a symbol and house of commons is 600 pounds Northern Ireland. Most of Ire- is somewhat of a symbol and belongs to the Free State HIGHLY respected. Mr. Church- or \$2,400 a year, but the mem- istrate, second highest is the of Ireland and is a neutral coun- ill, the prime minister, really is ber of the house of commons osually is helped out financially by funds from his party. Lords draw Counties or shires are run by

county council composed of many members who draw no pay. This council is divided into various committees such as a road committee, school committet, etc. Cities, likewise, are run by counwho is head of the city and counand has no duties much except to see that the circuit judges have means of travel from coun-

England has no federal constisution as we have one, although they have somewhat of a traditional constitution established over toms have been handed down for to rule legislation unconstitutional. There is no universal system of recording deeds, etc., as we have in our county clerk's office. If the title of land looks good for the past 30 years it is approved, the new owner gets the deed, but it is not recorded at the county clerk's office as we do. They do have a registrar's office, however, in every town towns have been handed down for centuries. Taxes are pretty high, also. But it's a democracy and the people are free just as they are in the USA. Many times their way of doing things would-n't work with us, neither would our way work with them, our customs and traditions being so different. Hope you have enjoyed this because I worked hard getting all these facts together. Love to all. Potts.

head of the government, and is of any size. This office records very popular here, especially the deaths, births, etc. Mortgages are glad he likes the air. I'm going way he is dealing with the war.
The legislative branch consists recorded at a central place in to write him soon. Forgive me of a house of lords, about 400 or but the chief constable works 500 of them, appointed for life, in cooperation with the home just doesn't seem to get to it try in this war. It is also known who have little legislative pow- secretary's iffice at London. The er but who really just confirm Registrar can marry people under

these days.

of the war and have been tell-

ing these boys that a long time.

I'm terribly proud of our part

of the country and the type of

people it produces. There's so

few things that are really im-

portant-love and health, under-

standing, unselfishness-but they

aren't secured easily. I feel like

this is a tempering process we

Tonight I'm off night duty and

are all going through.

more than life itself.

stretch.

They have a varied system of

life with a salary, goes from county seat to county seat as they do in our country. A man is tried here by a petit jury like ours, but a few years ago they did away with the grand jury. Now the states attorneys or the Crown in London decides (after a preliminary hearing before the magistrate) whether there is a case or not. From high court you can appeal to the court of criminal appeals in London. Civil courts are similar, the smaller cases being tried before the magcounty court and then the high court, and then you can appeal to the court of civil appeals.

A solicitor is a fellow who has studied law and served five years apprenticeship under another solicitor. He can practice only in minor courts. If a case is large, he takes it to a barrister. A barrister serves an apprenticeship like a solicitor, but is supposed est law enforcement officer in can take ONLY those can take ONLY those cases the shire is the chief constable brought to him by a solicitor, but he can practice before the high ty police. The high sheriff is appointed mostly because he is a the government. These fees were big land owner or stands high in fixed in 1882 and were not raisthe shire and he draws no salary ed until after the last war and on March 1 will be raised a little more. Charges are based on the client's salary. A man making ty to county. If a town is of a 35 dollars per week would have certain size and has a cathedral in it, it is a city, otherwise it is a corporation. Senior members of a city council are called alderpart to the barrister. It's hard to get a divorce here. The police checkup system here is good. tion means a lot here and customs have been handed down for

Lt. Frances Springer Writes to Relatives From Base in Italy

The following letter has been received by relatives here of Lt. Frances L. Springer. Lieutenant Springer is a nurse with the 56th Evacuation hospital on Anzio Beach, and is the daughter of Witt Springer, veteran of World War I, and a granddaughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Grace, and a niece of Mrs. R. E. Dickson, Helen Williams and Miss Nina Grace of Spur: Dearest Ones:

I had two letters when I got up this p. m., one from Aunt Helen and one from Aunt Nina. I know there will be a period of time that you don't hear from me but I'll try to write more

regularly now. Probably you know where I am because we have received more than our share of publicity lately. Please don't worry. We are o. k. and intend to remain so. I can't say I'm not afraid because there's not such a person, but honestly, I have more faith than I ever had in my life. I'm so glad that mother doesn't have to endure the anxiety and suspense. I feel that she is by

my side and I sincerely need her. Naturally, we have been terrifically busy. I have seen the major only briefly and then at meals. He is working so hard but it's necessary and he is hap-py doing it. He is certainly a marvelous doctor.

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forming a secret society? Mr. Hiller-Haw, haw! That's good! Women don't know how to keep a secret. Mrs. Bronson-Oh, but this

American Tourist (suddenly

Martyr to Mode

Doctor-"Have you any idea how your wife caught this terrible cold?"

Husband-"I think it was on

account of her coat." "Too thin, eh?" "No, it was last winter's one, and she didn't wear it."

No Strings on His Finger Waiter-"Haven't you forgotten something, sir?"

Professor-"Why, I thought I gave you the customary tip." "Y-You did, sir, but you forgot to eat.

The Silent Partner

Mother-Come here, Johnnie, have good news for you. Johnnie-I know. Big brother is home from college.

Johnnie-My bank won't rattle any more.

Mother-How do you know?

When Peace COMES

OUR SERVICE WILL RETURN TO NORMAL

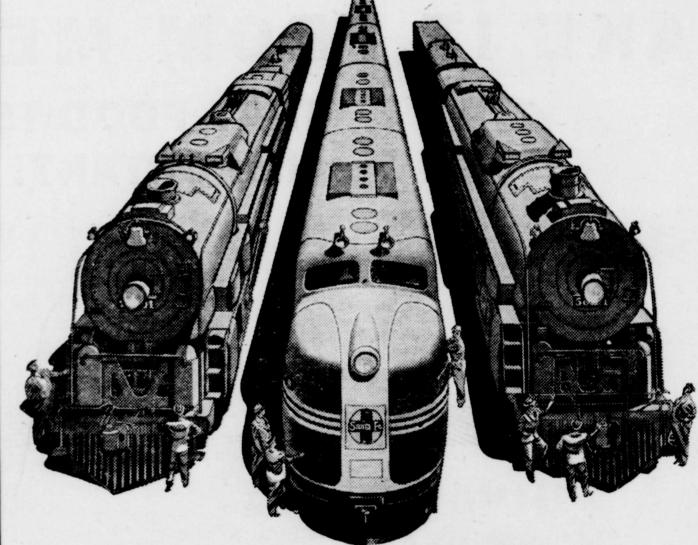
We are aware that our service is far below our usual standard because of the war and difficulties of getting trained workers. However, we pledge to give you the best service possible during the remainder of the war and to return to you all of your favorite services when peace comes. In the meantime, may we ask you to bear with us.

CURTAINS SAFELY AND EXPERTLY LAUNDERED

JUST CALL 62

Spur Laundry-Cleaners

(Another chapter in the story, "Working for Victory on the Santa Fe")



New Steel Beauties on the Santa Fe

There isn't yet the ceremony in taking delivery of a new locomotive that there is in christening a ship.

But, just the same, it's a great occasion on the Santa Fe when we receive those super-powered, high-speed locomotives so badly needed today.

For every new one means "rolling" more and longer freight trains loaded with war materiel, and more trains operated for the increasing troop movements.

The three locomotives shown above are among the first delivered of the big fleet of powerful locomotives ordered by Santa Fe. And more are coming!

* Locomotives illustrated above—new 4-8-4" steam lo-comotive, "2900 class"; 5400-horsepower freight Diesel; "2-10-4" steam locomotive, "5001 class." You can bet your driving wheels they'll pull a lot of freight cars fast!



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ONE OF AMERICA'S RAILROADS-ALL UNITED FOR VICTORY

Please Don't

Lover-I am burning with love Girl-Don't make a fuel of me the true value of life. I do yourself.

about the women of this town

society isn't going to keep secrets. It's going to tell them.

Big Salesman

so glad. One needs a change British Guide (showing places and 10 days is enough at one of interest)-"It was in this room that Lord Wellington received his Remember that I love you all first commission!"

interested)—"How much was it?" Use WANT ADS FOR RESULTS. FRANCES.

A Good Safe Place to Trade

SCHWARZ & SON

SPUR, TEXAS "The Store of Little Profit"

Welcome to Spring!



Regulars

Shorts

Longs

Stouts

Long Stouts

Short Stouts

ALL WOOL NEW

SPRING SUITS

Here's the Combination That Means

REAL CLOTHING VALUES

- When you buy your Curlee Suits this Spring, you will be getting the absolute tops in clothing value. Style and good looks are the result of designing by Curlee's skilled stylists. Careful, expert tailoring insures comfortable, easy fit and drape. Quality materials, carefully selected and tested, mean extra months of satisfactory wear.
- Altogether, if you are looking for the ideal combination of style, fit, and quality, you should see these new Curlee Suits which we have just placed on display. Young men, middle aged men, men of mature years, men who are hard to fit—all will find suits in the Curlee line to meet their needs and their tastes.
- We are featuring Curlee Suits in a complete assortment of styles, models, and sizes, in the season's newest and smartest fabric patterns, and every suit in the line is priced right. Come in and see them today!

Other Suits by Sewell \$19.95 to \$27.50

THE WOMAN'S PAGE

FEATURES AND FASHIONS

MRS. HARRY SOLADAY HONOREE AT SHOWER LAST THURSDAY EVENING

Mmes. Emma Lee, Kelley Marsh, Luria Glasgow, Tinnie O'Dell and J. A. Koon were hostesses with a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Harry Soladay last Thursday night from 7:30 to 8:30 in the home of Mrs. Lee, 723 N. Parker.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Marsh, the honoree, Mrs. Soladay, and Mrs. C. H. McCully.

Mrs. Spencer Campbell presidtd at the bride's book, with Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Johnnie Nichols directing the guests into the gift

Mrs. O'Dell presided at the retreshment table which was covered with a beautiful imported hand-made table cloth, centered with green carnations in a white pottery bowl, with green tapers in white pottery holders, suggestive of St. Patrick's day. She was assisted in the dining room by Mrs. Koon and Mrs. Glasgow where refreshments of ice box cookies, pickles, pinwheel sandwiches with green filling, and hot spiced tea, was served.

The guest list included Mmes: James B. Reed, Lou Edith Francis, Howard H. Hollowell, Samantha Smith, W. F. Gilbert, C. H. White, C. E. Fisher, W. R. Weaver, Paul Bateman, F. F. Vernon, Hobert Lewis, W. T. Andrews, E. S. Lee, M. C. Golding, Charlie Powell, Luella Powell, Leon Reagan, Lawis Lee, Erie Foster, Grace Hurst, H. P. Gibson, W. S. Campbell, W. S. Campbell Jr., T. H. Blackwell, C. H. McCully, C. D. Foreman, Cecil Fox, Betty Nichols, Herman rill, D. J. Dyess, P. C. Nichols, Doris Moore, Mable Futch, Lois Baker, J. B. Haralson, Lillian G. Hilly, Jerry Foster, L. W. Langston; Misses Virgie Cox, Minnie Ola Ward, Helen Hotcho, Christine Pearson, Winona Pace, Mona Lawrence, Mildred Neaves, Wynell McClure, Patsy Mitchell, Frances Gibson, Ann Bateman, Eloise Sharp; and Messrs. W. T. Andrews, Hobert Lewis, F. F. Vernon and Ralph Sherrill.

-6 G DICKENS JUNIOR CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY, "JENKS JINX," THURSDAY NIGHT

The Junior class of the Dickens high school will present a play, "Jenks Jinx," a comedy in three acts, by John Hershey, Thursday night, March 30, in the auditorium of the Dickens high HOME DEMONSTRATION school, directed by Miss Jo Dunn CLUB ORGANIZED MARCH 2 and Miss Wynell McClure.

The cast is as follows: Henretta, the Jenks maid, Hauthe house wife, Mary Harvey; bor, Ouida Atkinson; George Jenks Jr., the son, Billy Overstreet; Barbara Jenks, the younger daughter, Helen Partridge; Gloria Kunkel, neighbor's daughter, Betty Lee Green; Ethel Jenks, the older daughter, Edith Stanford: Tony Houston, one of Ethel's boy friends, Dean Smith; George Jenks Sr., the head of the family, Ira Copas; Warren Long, a young promoter, Arnel Rhea Cumbie; Susan Bowman, Warren's secretary, Donna Lou Gipinfluence, Robert Thornton.

0 C BAPTIST CHOIR PRACTICE IN PENN SHUGART HOME

Choir practice of the First land on April 6, at 2:'0 p. m. Baptist church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Penn Shugart Mmes. Roy Arrington, Marcus last Thursday night, with a good Copeland, Russell East, Leonard crowd present. Special numbers Grantham, Clyde Horn, Joe Lafor the evening were the read- tham, Will Watson, Will Young, ings by little Miss Gale Reese, Neal McCormick and Garner Kenneth Watson, with Master Young. Collin Roy Reese bringing a pia-

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wolf of Waco were present and enjoyed the fellowship with old friends. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served.

Great News for Asthma Sutterers

A Real Expectorant That Loosens Thick, Choking Phlegm

Spend 45c today at any good drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture (triple acting). Tonight at bedtime pour yourself a teaspoonful, let it lie on your tongue a moment then swallow slowly. Feel its instant powerswallow slowly. Feel its instant powerful effective action spread through throat, head and bronchial tubes. Starts at once to loosen thick choking phlegm making breathing easier.

No claim is made that Buckley's is a cure for Chronic Bronchitis or Asthma but sufferers often find Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture (the largest selling cough medicine in all Canada) eases coughing spasms and loosens up that Ing cough medicine in all Canada) eases coughing spasms and loosens up that choking phlegm which seems to clog the tubes and makes breathing difficult. It helps many to get a better night's rest. Take good advice—try Buckley's tonight—satisfaction guaranteed or money back.

LOOK FEMININE THIS EASTER



-Courtesy New York Dress Institute

A weskit-styled bodice gives this Easter-bright print dress, left, a twopiece look. The black and white daisy print is appliqued on the V neck with flowers cut from the print and centered with tiny jet sequins. Right, a black crepe bolero dress, appealingly trimmed with pink eyelet batiste and worn with a matching gilet looks just as pretty with dressmaker blouses.

Coe, Andy Hurst, Ann McClure, Ty THATEVER your plans for a smart navy or black crepe dress, E. D. Engleman, R. E. Dickson, W Easter, the first week of April and few of us are willing to face shade of pink or purple or blue will ensemble. do the most for you.

or a small sailor with a veil.

O. C. Arthur, Geo. S. Link, J. C. is a good time to get your bearings spring without at least one such Payne, W. P. Shugart, S. A. Law- in-so-far as spring clothes are con- dependable dress. If you prefer it Foreman, C. F. Cook, Ralph Sher- your choice of lots of colors ... and of spring's loveliest color combinaremember, most men, whether in tions is beige with black, and get uniform or not, like color ... and the ever-practical black coat and you have only to decide which black accessories to complete your A print dress for Easter Sunday

If you've made up your mind to is always a wise investment, since ive in a suit this season, dress it you will wear it on through sumup for Easter with bright accessor- mer, and for a variety of occasions. es and the gayest of becoming Many of spring's prints are shown hats. Or, if your suit itself is on with slim, full length coats in solid the cheery or checked side, make shade to harmonize with the domyour blouse a sheer white cotton inating color in the print, but to and wear a little white felt beret team, as well, with both street and sportswear.

A coat this season is more of an Regardless of the kind of clothes investment than ever before. The you like to wear, and the colors, najority are shorter than full you'll have a lot of fun if you make length and are meant to go with them interchangeable. The office of almost anything in your wardrobe, fashion information of the New rom daytime prints to cocktail York Dress Institute, checking with cesses. Of course, you can use an leading designers, advises that all electric pink" or a Kelly green approve of the idea and have styled yor just as successfully with their clothes accordingly.

IN RED HILL COMMUNITY

The ladies of the Red Hill nera Arthur; Mrs. Mable Jenks, home of Mrs. Clyde Horn to or- Mrs. Agnes M. Marrs, county Mrs. Kunkel, next door neigh- club. Mrs. Horn was elected demonstration on canned meat Watson gave a demonstration on Johnson, March 10. Mrs. Marrs making marshmallows.

The next meeting was held at Mrs. Roy Arrington's March 16, where Mrs. Agnes M. Marrs, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on meat cookery. Plans were made for the county club rally day. A committee composed of Mmes. Marcus Copeland, Russell East and Clyde Horn, were appointed son; eSnator McGinnis, a man of to collect all gifts and market contributions for that day.

The club meets twice a month -each first and third Thursday. The next meeting will be in

the home of Mrs. Marcus Cope-Members of this club are:

MRS. H. M. CHRISTIAN HOSTESS TO H. D. CLUB

The Spur Home Demonstration club met on Friday, March 10, at 3 o'clock in the home of Hobby." Coins, dolls, bottles, vases and china horses are collected. Crocheting and painting are hobbies of some:

After a discussion on substitutes and ways of economizing, some interesting food charts and booklets were distributed.

Friday, March 24, the club will meet at 3 o'clock at the home of presided at a short business ses-Mrs. Hobert Lewis. If you are sion. The program for the afa member, please be present. If ternoon was "Canada and the Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Copeland not a member, come and join or War," with Mrs. Clark Forbis and Miss Ila Ruth Draper and visit.

ing and serving canned meats, rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Ned tending the Fat Stock show and so do not miss the meeting. so do not miss the meeting.

MRS. AGNES M. MARRS DEMONSTRATES USE OF CANNED MEAT IN SOUP

Canned meat can be used in community met March 2 in the hash, soup or meat pies, said ganize a home demonstration home demonstration agent, in a president of the club. Mrs. Floy cookery in the home of Mrs. Roy combined cooked vegetables, vegetable fluid with canned meat in a casserole topped with a crust made of soy bean flour.

During the business each member pledged herself to make as many as three bedside bags for the Red Cross.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Brown, Wanda Cox, S. L. Benefield, F. B. Crockett, T. C. Sandlin, and two visitors, Mrs. E. J. Lassiter of Dry Lake club, and Mrs. Floy Watson of Soldier Mound club, and the hostess, Mrs. Johnson.

The next meeting is to be with FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Mrs. Harold Karr, March 24, at COUNCIL MEETS MONDAY 2:30 p. m

JUNIOR CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

sented by the Junior class Fri- chapters of Acts. day, March 24, at 8:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Ad- brought a delightful and inter-15 cents for children below school journed.

will enjoy seeing "That Crazy Smith Family."

MRS. WALTER GRUBEN HOSTESS TO '17 STUDY CLUB Mrs. Walter Grhben was hos-

tess to the 1917 Study club Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. discussing "Canada's Navy."

MRS. E. S. LEE HOSTESS TUESDAY AFTERNOON TO 20TH CENTURY STUDY CLUB

The Twentieth Century Study club met in the home of Mrs. E. S. Lee Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The president, Mrs. Geo. S. Link, presided in a short business session. The meeting was opened by singing "America." The club collect was read in unison. Mrs. Joe B. Long was welcomed back into the club.

It was announced that the City Federation would sponsor an art exhibit in Spur, the date to be announced later.

A very interesting report was Culture." The club voted to tory of Texas Federation Women's Clubs," which are to be placed in the club library.

Mrs. Jack Rector directed the members through a quiz program on "Your America," which was very interesting and informative. Mrs. A. M. Walker won the medal pot cleaner for having the most points.

Two visitors were present, Mrs. G. B. Wadzeck of Del Rio, whom each club member was happy to have an opportunity to be with for a few minutes, and Miss Bessie Mae Smiley, principal of East Ward school.

The hostess served delicious refreshments of spice cake and ice cream to the following: Mmes. have been engaged for almost who had lost his way in the city, A. M. Walker, P. C. Nichols, Os- two years to a boy who is 21. He to a messenger. "I want to go car McGinty, O. B. Ratliff, L. D. appeared jealous when I first to the bank." Ratliff, J. A. Koon, Joe B. Long, E. L. Caraway, Jack Rector, Geo. S. Link, T. H. Blackwell, Cliff Bird, E. D. Cook, O. C. Arthur, O. L. Kelley, G. B. Wadzeck, faithfully. He suggested that we Miss Smiley, and the hostess, get married before he left but Mrs. Lee.

-65 WEDDING VOWS UNITE L. E. LANGFORD AND MRS. LEE HINDMAN

L. E. Langford and Mrs. Lee Hindman were united in marriage Saturday night at Crosbyton with Rev. Watson, pastor of ciating in a single ring ceremony. Their only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Herring of Spur. The bride was charmingly attired in a sheer dusty rose twopiece suit with white and black accessories. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Langford will continue to make their home in Spur where he is employed with the City meat market. They are receiving the con-

MRS. ROB SIMMONS HOSTESS TO 1931 STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Rob Simmons was hostess to the 1931 Study club Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. Following the business session a program on music was given. Roll call was answered by naming popular songs of the world. Mrs. Ferril Albin discussed American music and Mrs. Bynum Britton discussed grand opera.

A refreshment plate of pear salad, toasted crackers, coffee, and candy, was served to the following members: Mmes. Mack Woodrum, Hobert Lewis, Bynum Britton, George Glover, Horace Wood, Winston Brummett, Ray Penn, Spencer Campbell, Bob George, Harold Karr, Jerry Ensey, Ferril Albin; Misses Margaret and Dorothy Eliott, and the hostess, Mrs. Simmons.

The Womans Council of the First Christian church met with Mrs. Nell Davis Monday, March 20. The president, Mrs. Davis, You will miss an enjoyable conducted a short business sesevening if you fail to see "That sion. The Bible study for the Crazy Smith Family," to be pre- afternoon was the 14th and 15th

Mrs. Kenna of Kansas City mission is 35 cents for adults, 25 esting message on "Present Day cents for high school students and Jerusalem." The meeting ad-

The next meeting will be held "That Crazy Smith Family" will Monday, March 27, at 3:30 p. m. Mrs. H. M. Christian. After a remind you of your own or your All members are urged to come, short business session, 10 mem-bers answered roll call with "My with them, and at them, but you and visitors are always welcome.

Austin Putman returned this week from a two weeks visit with his mother, Mrs. W. H. Putman of Vernon.

Mrs. Wanda Delisle was a visitor in Lubbock Tuesday. Sgt. and Mrs. Bobby Williams stationed at San Angelo, visited The president, Mrs. Nell Davis, Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. A.

Griffin, here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Allison, Wilburn Ball of the Merchant Mrs. Agnes M. Marrss will A very enjoyable feature on give a demonstration on preparthe program was piano selections until Monday in Fort Worth at-

Dear Louisa:

two years old. My husband is overseas.

He is very good to me and loves me very much but I don't love him. I am in love with a soldier and he says he would do for me what my husband does if I would marry him.

What would you do? My husband is 26 years old. V- M. D.

given by Mrs. Oscar McGinty on yourself to be seeing other men the trip to Ralls to hear Dr. while your husband is overseas, Ling of Texas Tech talk on "Silk trying to keep this world a depurchase two volumes of "His- to live in. If you had been beanyone else.

It is such women as you who make soldiers and sailors, who have faithful wives and sweethearts at home, wonder whether they are true or not.

Just keep on playing around and don't think that you won't pay for it in the end.

You are fortunate to get one good husband and you will be a silly woman if you fail to appreciate him and gamble on another. LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:

I didn't think it was wise.

months ago. Whenever I write and say I went to a show or bowling, he says he bet I went with another boy. I have dated one boy since he has been in the Navy. I just don't care to go.

and my letters don't reach him the Methodist church there, offi- as often as he thinks they should, he writes sarcastic letters, insinuating that I am going too much to write to him.

makes me very unhappy and I wonder if his jealousy will interwhen he writes such letters it fere with our happiness in the

He is very old for his age and

married and have a little girl that he has towards me?

You ought to be ashamed of cent one for you and your child him, he will change his present having as you should, you wouldn't think you were in love with

I am a girl of twenty-five and "Boy," said a London visitor met him but I didn't pay much attention to it.

He has been in the Navy not quite a year. We have written

He left for N. Africa two Now that he has gone across

We love each other dearly but

LOUISA'S LETTER has often said that he had rather have a girl older than himself have a girl older than himself than too young and silly.

Do you think the difference in I am a girl 19 years old. I am our ages gives him the attitude

P—VA.

I suppose your friend gets lonesome and worries about you. We must try to allow for our boys at the front for they are offices indicated, subject to the under a strain and have to put of the Democratic primary, Saturday, up with lots of things we know nothing about.

I don't think that the difference in your ages has anything to do with his jealousy and I am sure that when he comes home and finds out for himself how true and loyal you have been to attitude to one more trusting and sensible.

Just go on as you are and try to make him understand.

Address your letters to: "Louisa, P. O. Box 374, Washington, D. C.

-0-She Has All the Fun.

"Grandma!" .

"Yes, dear." "Please get down on all fours. I'm making a picture of a sleigh ride. When you're tired you can sit up and be the sleigh, too."

Say Hello for Me.

"All right, guv'nor, don't be

Political Office Announcements

All political announcements are accepted for publication strictly on a cash-in-advance basis at the following District Offices

The Texas Spur is authorized to an-

July 22, 1944: For Congress: GEORGE MAHON (Re-election)

C. L. HARRIS For District Attorney: RICHARD STOVALL (Re-election)

Fir Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector; D. F. (Fred) CHRISTOPHER (Re-election)
J. L. (Johnnie) KOONSMAN

JACK GIPSON LUTHER C. STARK E. H. BOEDEKER (Re-election)

For County-District Clerk: JOE McLAUGHLIN MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD

For County Treasurer: MRS. VELA TURPEN (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 1: C. P. AUFILL K. W. (Willow) STREET (Re-election

For Commissioner Precinct 2: E. J. OFFIELD (Re-election

D. P. SMILEY

For Commissioner Precinct 3: J. C. (Coy) DOPSON C. A. (Ott) DENSON

W. H. HINDMAN (Re-election) For Commissioner Precinct 4: C. PIERCE

M. B. GAGE

Just A Faint Clew. Mrs. Brown-Does your daugh-

ter live at home. Mr. White—I believe so. I see her at breakfast every day.

-WHY GIRLS BY THOUSANDS: prefer this way to relieve distress of

Nervous Feelings— Take heed if you, like so many women and girls on such days suffer from cramps, headaches, backache, weak, irritable nervous feelings, are a bit blue — due to functional monthly disturbances.

Start at once — try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. It's famous not only to help relieve monthly pain but also accompanying weak, nervous feelings of this nature. This is because of its soothing effect on



against such symptoms. IT HELPS

ONE OF WOMAN'S MOST IMPORTANT ORGANS. Taken regularly—Pinkham's Also a fine stomachic tonic! Fol-low label directions. Lydia E. Pinkham's VEGETABLE COMPOUND

gratulations of their friends at their home, 619 N. Trumbell. TAKE IT FROM WE



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I've seen action in North Africa and the battle of Sicly and I've seen what food can do for morale. Or maybe I should have said I've seen what lack of food can do. The look in a hungry kid's eyes isn't pleasant to see. But it sure was swell to see those eyes brighten at the sight of the food we brought and distributed. So keep on sending us that food; we'll see that it gets to the right people.

HE'S RIGHT—

The echoing boom of the big guns of the last war had just begun to dull in our memory -when World War II became reality and blasted us all out of our peaceful way of life. Now it is time to remember- those who fought and bled and died in the battles of both wars. Now it is time to realize that this is the people's war-and to win so that we will be victorious for years to come, each of us must fight and work with all our will and love of liberty!

> Leon Ice Co. **Draper Cafe** S. I. Powell Shop

Dickens News

Mrs. Dave Dunn and dauggh- | Doris Clower, H. L. Futch and R. ter, Miss Jo Dunn, spent the past C. Littlefield; "Live and Let Mae Collins, R. C. Littlefield, week in Lubbock attending to Live," "Pistol Packin' Mamma," Bobbie Ruth Minix, Edd Partbusiness affairs and shopping.

Cpl. Arthur Harris, stationed in Denver, Colo., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. John Harris of Littlefield, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Littlefield, in Dicken slast week. Capt. Harris is serving with the Engineers Corps.

Mrs. C. H. Elliott was a business visitor in Dickens Monday morning

The Dickens school is making plans for the county meet activities, the first to be held will be a track and field meet at Patton Springs Saturday, March 25. Class B schools of District 8 will participate which are Lorenzo, Jayton, Robertson, Dickens, Mcat Canyon.

The pie supper and hit parade Patsy Mobley. program sponsored by the Senor class last Friday night in the auditorium of the high school, was a success both from a financial and entertainment standpoint. A nice crowd was present, and \$84.87 was realized from the sale of pies, and the 1944 Hit Parade was a howling success. The following program was ren-"Three Little Sisters," Misses Annie Beechley, Virlie Hawley and Patsy Turpen; "Please Think of Me," mixed quartet, Bobbie Ruth Minix Minnie Mae Collins, H. L. Futch and J. D. Allen; "One Dozen Roses," solo, H. L. Futch; "My Heart Tells Me," group singing; "Paper Dolls," solo, Coach J. D. Allen; "Put Your Arms Around Me Honey," boys' quartette, R. C. Littlefield, J. D. Graham, Edd Partridge and H. L. Futch: "Don't Get Around Much ny More," girls' quartette, Jer-Beechley; tap dance, Patsy Tur- Thompson. pen: "Star Spangled Banner," entire group; "Dixie," "Victory Pol- Chesney, Don Thompson, Joanne in Spur last Thursday from for- here they were guests in the ka," "Coming In On a Wing and Fellmy. a Prayer," "Marine's Hymn," and "Anchors Aweigh," Senior class; A Draftee, reading, by Edd Partridge; "Clementine," girls' trio, Patsy Turpen, Jerry Hawley and Virlie Hawley; "Swanee River," mixed quartette, Louise Wiley,

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which was sung and acted out, ridge, Jerry Hawley. by Senior group; In My Arms, Senior girls; four Senior boys in Graham, Annie Beechly, H. L. hula dance that was enjoyed very Clower. much. It was said what the boys lacked in grace and charm at a sweet Hawaiian dancer, they made up for with a few improvised steps of their own; "When My Blue Moon Turns to Gold," "Home On the Range," "And "Deep in the Heart of Texas," "Riding Down the Canyon," were

DICKENS SCHOOL HONOR ROLL-4th SIX WEEKS.

the closing numbers.

First Grade

"A"-Carol Ann Gordon, Judie Fay McKnight, Tommie Ray McKnight, Eugene Jackson, Movelta Bennet, Thelma Lorene Adoo and Patton Springs. Win- Collins, Rose Marie Hunt, Shirners will go to the regional meet ley Nell Rogers, Kenneth Dale Lea, Grady Swaringen, Gennyce Taylor, Charlotte Ann Watley,

"B"-Madeline Ryals.

Edward Bennett.

ley, Stanley Jones.

Second Grade

"A"-Barbara Sharp, Helen Wiley, Patsy Lee Hunt.

Third Grade

"A"-Sue Cumbie, Nita Marle Hawley. "B"-Mary Jo Rogers, Louise Partridge, Georgia Lue Beech-

Fourth Grade "A"-Wylie Hunt.

Fifth Grade

"A"-Ray Ousley. son, Cristal Swaringen.

Sixth Grade

"A"-Nelda Jo Williams, Carry Hawley, Minnie Mae Collins, olyn Harp, John L. Koonsman, Bobbie Ruth Minix and Annie Maud Edwards, Mary Louise

Seventh Grade "A"-None.

"B"-Julia Belle Faubus. Eighth Grade

"A"-Hubert Hawley. "B"-Galen Hays, Preston Ben-

Freshmen

"A"-None. Kee, Billy Sharp.

Sophomores

"A"-Lois Estelle Meadors, Jean Ousley. "B"-Doris Parker, Norman

Wright, Nina Jo Thacker. Juniors

"A"-Arnel Rhea Cumbie, Betty Lee Green.

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We're set up now to schedule your service work. We'll do it RIGHT with factory standard methods and genuine IHC parts. Stop in and say when!

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SPUR IMPLEMENT—Spur McADOO TRACTOR CO.—McAdoo

The FARMALL Houses

"B"-Haunera Arthur, Donna Overstreet.

"A"-Patsy Turpen, Minnie atroopers.

"B"-Alta Mae Pillow, J. D hula hula costume gave a hula Futch, Louise Wiley, Doris



Lester Dale Scott of route 2, Spur, is a new recruit at the Great Lakes, Ill. Naval Training station, and is now undergoing "boot training.

Barclay.

"B"-Glynn Cornelius, Donald following letter from her son, stationed at Laredo Army Air Ray Shaw, Coy Dell Overstreet, Pvt. Jesse Black; "Dear Mother Field. and Pop: I will try to write you a few lines to let you know that I am o. k. Hope you are the has been transferred from Port same. How are things there— Chicago to Vallejo, Calif. hope better than here. Maybe I will be home this year for my birthday. Sure would like to anyway-but only time will tell. Eggs are sure cheap here-only 20c apiece, and at that it is against the law to buy them. Steak is \$1.00 per pound and tough as hell; chickens are \$5.00 "B"-Barbara Speer, Freeda each, but that is because the panied by her daughter-in-law, Sue Gipson, Mary Joyce Atchi- dog faces will pay it, so I just Mrs. Horace Edwards and small son, Jeanette Kee, Elmyra Atkin- do without. I am fat as hell, daughter Yvonne, of the Croton anyway. I must weigh 165 community, were shopping in pounds. Answer soon. Jesse Spur last Friday.

cause to feel a just pride in Staff home in Waco, and attended to "B"-Mickey Green, Bonnie Jo Sgt. W. C. Scott, who arrived business affairs in Spur. While eign service, where he had made home of Mrs. Minnie Lewis and 61 missions over enemy territory, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McCombs. 51 of which were made as a bombardier and 10 as a gunner. It was while on one of his bombing bock was a guest over the week missions that his hip pocket was end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. shot away. Sgt. Scott agreed this J. B. Morrow. was getting just a little too close to be comfortable. He is the son cono, Wash., and are with him at this time.

> heard from their son, Pfc. R. D. seeing friends. Bailey, and he is somewhere in New Guinea. He stated he was well and getting along fine. Mrs. urday from Afton were Mrs. Var-Bailey is spending an extended nell, Mrs. Ples Curd and Mrs. visit here with her husband's Annie Parker. parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bai-

> were teachers in the Spur schools Lee. before Lt. Wadzeck entered the service. They are stationed at Del Rio, where he directs the bock and Mrs. Clarence Foreman

Pvt. Dennis Rasberry is home from Alaska where he has been stationed for the past 18 months with the Engineers Corps. He stated that Alaska was a very beautiful country with the best three years in May. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rasberry of Dickens, with whom he is spending a 15-day furlough.

Cpl. Bill Youkum returned to his station at Camp Polk, La. last Friday after spending a two weks furlough here with his wife, and mother, Mrs. Nig Yoa-

Pfc. Bob Wilson of the Marines left last Thursday for San Diego, Calif., where he will remain for further orders.

Pfc. and Mrs. John Carlisle, stationed at Shepherd Field, spent the past week end in Spur the guest of Mrs. Carlisle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hazelwood.

Green, stationed at the Childress Air Field, came in last Thursday to spend a three day pass with Sgt. Green's mother, Mrs. Jeffie Green, near Dickens.

Joe Shelby Clay, A/S, stationed at Farragut, Idaho, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay of Spur where he was reared. Mrs. Clay and children will remain at their home in Graham where they have resided for the last four or five years.

Sgt. Bob Morgan, stationed at spending a 12-day furlough with Friday. his mother, Mrs. Bob Morgan.

Col. K. Johnson, stationed at and Mrs. George Pierce in the with his mother and brother. Wichita community.

Lt. and Mrs. Billie D. Bell spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gee while enroute from Frederick, Okla. to Goodfellow Field. San Angelo, where Lieutenant Bell has been transferred.

Sgt. and Mrs. Preston Ballard of the Lubbock Air Field spent the past week end in Spur with Sgt. Ballard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ballard.

a letter from her husband, Pvt. worth came in last Saturday from ago Saturday. Frank Hale Jr., who is with a Vernon after having spent sever-Fighter Wing Squadron, that he al days with Lieutenant Duckwas in England and enjoying worth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. good health. He is the son of A. Duckworth there. They are in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Walter spending this week with Mrs. Duckworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan, and other rel-Mrs. Anna Drury received the atives. Lieutenant Duckworth is

Sonny Hindman, seaman 1/c.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. Mattie Edwards, accom-

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wolf came in last Thursday afternoon from Spur riends have sufficient Oklahoma City, enroute to their

Miss Allene Morrow of Lub-

Mrs. Jack Keen returned to of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Scott of her home in Midland last Thurs-Kalgary and a nephew of Mrs. day after spending two weeks "B"-Billy Cumbie, Pansy Dale Dave Taylor. Mrs. Scott and here with Mrs. Keen, who has Turpen, Edith Watley, Windie children joined Sgt. Scott at No- been very ill, but is able to be up

> Boy Hand of Dumont was on the streets of Spur last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bailey have trading with Spur merchants and

> > Among those in town last Sat-

Mrs. P. E. Hagins and daughter, Miss Mary Pearl, returned last Thursday from a visit with First Lt. and Mrs. G. B. Wad- her daughters and sons, Mrs. zeck of Del Rio came in Tues-Gladys Ernest and Mrs. day afternoon and are guests in Lucy Lea, and O. H. Hagins of the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dallas. Enroute home they vis-Cook. Lt. and Mrs. Wadzeck ited another daughter, Mrs. R. E.

Mrs. J. H. Hardburger of Lubrecreational program of the army, and two small daughters, Barbara Nell, and Jo Ann, visited relatives in Dallas for a few days

S. C. Fallis and daughter, Mrs. W. B. Ford Jr., and small son of Brownwood, came last Thursday to attend to business affairs. Mrs. fishing spots in the world. Pvt. Ford and son will remain for a Rasberry has been in the service two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ford Sr. of Kalgary.

> Max Wise and Herbert Love were among those from Spur who attended the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth last week end.

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SCOTT'S **EMULSION**

Mrs. Fred Arrington of Dick-Lou Gipson, Mary Harvey, Bill Camp Mackall, N. C., is here ens was shopping in Spur last was a dinner guest in the home

> W. R. Weaver made a business family here last Friday. Sgt. Morgan serves with the par- trip to Stamford Wednesday of last week.

or in Spur last Friday while with her son, Dial Hindman and the past week end. spending a furlough with his wife family of Los Angeles, Calif., and and baby daughter at the home while there Sonny Hindman, seaof Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. man 1/c, spent a seven-day leave

> Jim Offield, commissioner from in Spur last Saturday.

Mrs. G. B. Goodall and her Bell and Mr. and Mrs. E. C Mc- daughter, Mrs. H. B. King, of Girard, were shopping in Spur last Saturday.

Paducah were guests in the home come a good way, I says pleasantof Mr. and Mrs. Lester English like." of the Highway community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McArthur and Herman Jr., of Gladio-Mrs. Frank Hale Jr., received Lt. and Mrs. Woodrow Duck- with Mrs. Tom McArthur a week

> Friends of the C. D. Copeland SPUR. family will regret to hear that Mr. Copeland who is in Marlin for his health, is still quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird of Tongue River, accompanied by ladys their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Mooresobbie of Pennsylvania, who is here on a three weeks visit with her par- Robents, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff nneth Bird last Friday for a few hours. Jane

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Terry and two daughters of Dallas, arrived last Friday to visit for a few days in the home of Mrs. Terry's father, W. J. Elliott of the Spring nade Creek community. Mr. and Mrs. they Terry are former residents of for Dickens county, but have been an a living in Dallas for the past two it of or three years.

Dr. J. F. Hughes visited last girl week end with Mrs. Hughes and their daughter, Mrs. Innes and verfamily of Dallas.

C. D. Moreman of Lubbock of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Parks of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mrs. Lee Hindman recently re- Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johnson, and Camp Maxey, Texas, was a visit- turned from an extended visit Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hindman,

Mrs. Thomas Prouse of Fort Worth is here for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. W. K. Callan and family. Accompanied by Mrs. Callan and small daugh-Afton, was transacting business ter, Lois Ann, they will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith, of Rotan.

Quite A Traveler.

Mrs. 'Iggins-"That Mrs. Briggs was beatin' as 'ow she comes Mr. and Mrs. Brice Glass of from a fine family. An' you've

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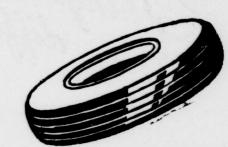


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Torn Between 'Claudia' and 'Rosie,' Young Has Busy Day On Set

tured with Dorothy McGuire and

He worked before the cameras in "Claudia," which was easy. But on this day there were no cameras trained on Bob for his

"Sweet Rosie O'Grady" stinut, which made it both difficult and messy. He sat for a plaster cast of his own face. The cast was needed in a hurry for a key scene in "Sweet Rosie O'Grady."

which he appears as the lovable Rosie O'Grady" applied.

box cookies, pickles, pinwheel

sandwiches with green filling,

The guest list included Mmes:

James B. Reed, Lou Edith Fran-

cis, Howard H. Hollowell, Sa-

mantha Smith, W. F. Gilbert, C.

H. White, C. E. Fisher, W. R.

Weaver, Paul Bateman, F. F.

Vernon, Hobert Lewis, W. T. An-

drews, E. S. Lee, M. C. Golding,

Charlie Powell, Luella Powell,

Leon Reagan, Lawis Lee, Erie

Foster, Grace Hurst, H. P. Gib-

son, W. S. Campbell, W. S.

Campbell Jr., T. H. Blackwell, C.

H. McCully, C. D. Foreman, Ce-

cil Fox, Betty Nichols, Herman

Coe, Andy Hurst, Ann McClure,

E. D. Engleman, R. E. Dickson,

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and hot spiced tea, was served.

Young, who is currently fea- in Rose Franken's delightful com- nicolor make-up was removed; edy drama.

Ina Claire in 20th Century-Fox's Make-up Director Guy Pearce "Claudia" coming Sunday and smeared Bob's unadorned face Monday at the Palace theatre, with a sticky mixture of wellwas also working with Betty boiled, still-warm liquid plaster. Grable in the studio's "Sweet For a solid hour Bob sat without Rosie O'Grady" at the same time. daring to move a muscle until the plaster hardened and the mold could be removed in one

> Next Bob was made up for "Claudia" and returned to that

After the plaster mold dried he Perlberg produced. was called back from the "Claudia" set, his dark make-up for the black-and-white picture re-Young had to remove the make- moved, and the full Technicolor And now we hear the people say up he wears for "Claudia," in make-up he uses for "Sweet

A weskit-styled bodice gives this East

piece look. The black and white dais

neck with flowers cut from the print an

Right, a black crepe bolero dress, appe

let batiste and worn with a matching

WHATEVER your plans for a st Easter, the first week of April and

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Payne, W. P. Shugart, S. A. Law- in-so-far as spring clothes are con- der

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Then with his living model before him. Pearce carefully painted tht mask to match Bob's exact Technicoloring. The mask was sent to the "Sweet Rosie O'Gra-Robert Young had a hard day, and frivolous Claudia's husband dy" set, but not Bob. His Techthe dark make-up re-applied, and once again he returned to his "Claudia" for a final hour.

When the last shot was finishtd, Bob bicycled once again to the make-up department for removal of the final coat of greasepaint.

"My Day." muttered Mr. Young as he wearily started homeward. Edmund Goulding directed 'Claudia," which was adapted for the screen by Morrie Ryskind set for another seige of emoting. from Miss Franklin's play, as staged by John Golden. William

> -05--Touch Wood!

That winter's gone and lost its

If so, I hope that lost 'twill stay And not come raging round in

The Mind Wanders

Pete-Is she blonde or brunette?

LAND

ord while for all mankind we pray, Of every clime and coast. hear us for our Native Land— The land we love the most.

O guard our shores from every foe; With peace our borders bless, Our cities with prosperity, Our fields with plenteousness.

Write us in the sacred love of And let our hills and valleys chant The songs of liberty.

Lord of the Nations, thus to the our Country we commend. Be thou her Refuge and her trust; her

Dear Father, in Thy infinite compas-Hear our prayer; thy favor and thy rence. W. F. Foreman. Murl carned By now you know you have in tender love we plead according to the carney into real difficulties. We now

What'er the passing years has brought Of happiness and pain,
Of scurvy scenes or dark adversity;
Of hope fulfilleld or hope deferred.
The losses and the gain, we yield them Altogether unto thee.

For all our tirnes are in thy hand; Our days and months and years. And in thy hand we gladly let them

Thy love has ever surrounded us,
In spite of all our fears,
We know thy love will keep us
the end.

His grace shall alway,s be sufficient for thee. Your true friend. SELMA FLOYD.

LESSON SUNDAY SCHOOL

THE SACREDNESS OF

(Temperance Lesson)

International Sunday School Lesson for March 26, 1944. GOLDEN TEXAT: "Know ye that your body is a temple of the Holy Spiril?"-I Corinthians 6: 19.

Lesson Text: Genesis 1: 27, 28; I Corinthians 6: 19, 20.

dividual soul.

Al-Bill has a new siren for that slaves were hacked to piec- There are many who accept Romans and thousands were discussion who will not accept

conception of the value of each ham warn of this: and every soul, however humble, however sinful. Much of his ministry was to individuals, like the rich young ruler, Nicodemus. the sinful woman of Samaria; his healing power was bestowed on individuals; and several times he raised individuals from the dead. He taught that God had regard to individuals—that the

very hairs of their heads were numbered-and that he valued human souls above material pos-

If every man, woman and child in the world could get into his mind and heart the realization that he, or she, was made in the mage of God, we believe the moral and spiritual plane of the whole world would be greatly elevated.

W. H. Spence, in Child-Welfare Magazine, declares, in part, "Every child comes into the world, reveling in his sweet innocence the stamp of the King of kings. From him he has come, to him he belongs. But as years come and go, in all too many instancinnocence gives place to the mark of the beast. Victor Hugo somewhere contrasts a criminal's face with his childhood picture and asks, 'Who would dream that



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Other pilgrim feet will use. they represent the same power? How sad it is to think that every hardened criminal whose sinister face looks out through iron bars was once an innocent child reposing in a mother's arms, her pride, the object of her finest hopes. The bloated face of the drunkard who goes reeling by

and pure, clear-eyed and smil-

Paul declares, in I Cor. 6; 19-20, that our physical bodies are a temple of the Holy Spirit, received from God. These bodies are not our own to do as we will with them, to desecrate if we want to, but they are God's, having been bought with the greatest price ever paid for anything This lesson brings to a close a -the sacrifice of His only bequarter's studies of the Gospel gotten Son. Therefore, we are of Mark and while the scriptural to use these bodies and these background is not taken from temples-not for our own pleasthis gospel, it is certainly proper ure-but for the glory of God. that this series of lessons be If we accept this responsibility, closed with a discussion of the we surely will not willfully de-"Sacredness of Life" or God's stroy our physical bodies through estimate of the worth of the in- sinful practices, nor will we desecrate our spiritual temples At the time of Jesus' ministry through failure to feed them on on earth, human life was very the living bread of life or to exlightly held, so lightly. in fact, ercise them in Christian service.

us on the street once was fair

es to feed the fish of wealthy the obvious truth of the above slaughtered in areans to , enter-, the responsibility of influence. tain" wealthy Roman crowds. They refuse to agree that they There was no recognition of the are in truth their brother's keepfact that a human soul was of er. However, regardless of their value to God, who created it. arguments, the Bible teaches def-However, by his words and initely that we shall be held redeeds, Jesus revealed to the sponsible for the effect of our world the worth of the indi- influence on our fellowmen. The vidual and gave to the world a following lines by James Buck-

Oh, let each of us beware How his thoughts and motives bear!

Every road that we shall choose,

Long as life shapes life, indeed. Have a brother's care, and pray God to mark thy road each

Mildred—I can't understand why I didn't accept Bob the first

time he proposed. Brother-That's easy. You probably weren't there.

Uncle-"And what are you go-Some will follow where we ing to do when you grow up, John?"

Nephew-"The same as you, uncle-an insulting engineer."





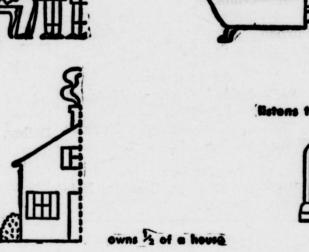
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WHO'S WHO IN HIGH SCHOOL

For our Who's Who this week we have chosen Jimmie Vernon. Bus. Mgr.___Lou Emma Shugart He started to school in Spur his Jokesmith _____Maxine Adams first year and has continued to Sports Editor Pete Dobbins go here through eleven years. Contributors: Wendle George, He received the Rotary award his Freshman year and his Sophomore year he was president of the class and manager of the basket ball team. When he was a Junior he lettered in football and acted in the Junior play. During his Senior year he was captain of the football team, lettered in football, and was publicity manager of the Senior play. Jimmie's favors are:

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Dobbins had a few more gray

hairs this week-due to worry.

To give you the facts,

__S.H.S.___

Will Pete sit between them at Editor _____Pike Dobbins church next week end or will even try to name all that went De Graffenreid. Asst. Editor __ Billy D. Starcher one of the beauties have a headache and not come. Look in next! week, folks, we don't know.

> Susie and Wendall have finally broken up. Anyway, Susie and Dub certainly are getting along fine, but how about David?

This dual part in the Junior play between Emma Pearl and John Boone may turn into the real thing unless a certain "EX" does something about it.

Has anyone noticed that cute Jean Holloway? Here's your chance, boys!!

Autry Nell is certainly keepout to see him every day.

good time to Denton last week guys? (to see her sister—or did she?) We would like to know about that certain Lt.

that would like to go with Pike in the study hall helped. Dobbins. She wonders how long this romance between Pike and Charmain will last-not much Swenson sure did run Wayne longer, she hopes.

The romance between George Walker and the "unknown" isn't progressing very fast, but we'll reason for not taking Verna B. money was in the box for Berkeep you posted!!

Is Jackie Rector still getting Jones. those letters from Kemper Military school??

Frances Johns has an interest in for a steady, one never knows. Junior High but not the sort of interest you are thinking about. There is a sweet romance bud- that cute little Maure Brown has that "Dashing Burrhead from lonesome staying in bed. Junior Hight." (Eldon Williams.)

is it this day and time. I twon't watch out Haden or you'll come be long until David H. will grad- in with the R. P. uate and be a Third Class Petty

Roll We found out the other day that Cleston Pritchet is having a LITTLE romance with Betty Jean Perkins (east of town near-

Eighth Grade "A"-Bobbie Lea Smith, Mary ly to Girard). Say! he can't do Olive Marrs, Virginia McNeill, Ann Hull, Creola Rector, Dennis Bingham.

There has been several excit- "B"-Dollie Lou Barnhill, Aning trips to the Fort Worth Fat nie Laura Adcock, Mary Jean Stock show. Or at least we sup- Copeland, J. D. Williams, Grace pose they were exciting. I won't Bailey, Ernestine Berry, Juanell because-just because. Seventh Grade

"A"-Audrie Ritchie,

Manna Fay Smith, Anna Murle

ton Reynolds, Anita Putman, Pat-

sy Ruth Dement, La Nelle Bra-

Sixth Grade

"B"-Janelle Smith, Ray Rob-

---S.H.S.---

F.F.A. Queen

The students of S.H.S. made

selected Bernice Swanner for

eyed blonde with plenty of wal-

lop and again we say-you real-

---S.H.S.-

TAKE V-12 TEST

"A"-Faye Wright,

Walsworth, Laverne Boone.

It seems that Hill St. has Nell Pickens, Jean Marshall, Bilchanged its name. Now they lie Marie Hindman, Bonnie Beth (Pete Dobbins, Billie D. Starch- Henry, Shirley Hairgrove, Pattie er- call it Park Ave. Hill St. Jo Dupree, Neal A. Chastain Jr.,

It seems that Little Henry Burger, Bettye Jean Anderson, Gruben and Jean Arthur are to Margaret Anderson, Patsy Jean become swell friends. Henry just Hyatt, Virginia Ruth Shugart, can't make up his mind which Betty Ruth Mason, Foster Cook girl he is going to go with, but Jr. he looked a little glassy-eyed "B"—Bobby Wade, Jeraldine Saturday night so it must be Thornton, Malcolm Rollins, Mil-

Why don't some of you male shear, Ernestine Boothe, Guinn suckers of S.H.S. nab that little Beadle, Randolph Pritchett, Norbundle of beauty, Inez Penn? man McAlpine, Jamie Nell Sim-This column thinks that you are mons, Zella Watson, Doris Ann wasting good time and, anyway, Chambless, Gennell Ferris, Viring Roy Lee's fever up! She goes we need something to write gil Burt Elliott. about, so get acquainted. Another heart-beat is Murl Becot. Billie Woodrum had a very What is the matter with you Wade, Robbie Gibson, Bobbie

It seems that Mac Brannen bins, Billie Yarbrough, Kenneth and Mafoe Carlisle have been Swaringen, Idell Kimmel, Jane getting together quite a bit late- Karr, Jean Karr, Don Condron. There's a certain senior girl ly, maybe moving behind Mafoi

> At the freshmen party_ Mary McCarty. It looks like love at a very wise choice when they

FFA Queen. The contest ran a We would like to know Lane's week and the largest amount of to the reshman party. Could it nice, making her queen. A girl be that he's got his eye on Jackie elected to an honor like this should be given a little advertisement, so here it is: Her fa-

Donald Cage has been whist- vorite boy friend is Elmer Ganling at Nada Jo Fry lately. Per- non. She is 5 feet, 6 inches and If you "Kids" didn't know it, haps Donald is on the lookout weighs about 118. She is a blue

Bill Dyess surely does hope ly deserved it and luck to you. ding between none other than had the measles. He gets awful ELEVEN CANDIDATES

Eleven boys took the V-12 It looks like the handsome Ha-(Army-Navy Officer Training) Shirley Powell don't you think den Moore has a strong attrac- test, Wednesday under the superthat 2:30 is a little late to get tion for women, especially those vision of C. F. Cook. The test a phone call from San Diego or Reynolds gals. You'd better lasted two hours and covered English, physics and math. The Spur boys who took the test were Pike Dobbins, Pete Dob-

Asta la Vista, Adios Senor, Until next time when we'll Bring you some more. Poncho-The WOLF. ____S.H.S.___

Junior Play

As all of you kids know the Junior play is to be Friday, March 24. It is a three act comedy which will keep you rolling in your seats.

To give you a general idea about the characters here is who and what they are:

Ma Smith-the boss of the family, Vera Doris Pickens. Pa Smith-a newspaper publisher Orville Robinson.

Tony Smith-their sensational football player, W. C. Rumfield. Betty Smith-their fourteen year old daughter, Billy Jean Holloway.

Buddie Smith-their twelve year old son, a potential pugilist, Junior Fry.

Aunt Bella-Ma's plain spoken sister, Marjorie Randall. Sally Smith-the "arty" seventeen year old sister, Emma

Pearl Gruben. Barbara Wetherby-a hometown girl in love with Tony, Nell

Professor Slattery - absentminded and in love with Bella, Robert Yarbrough. Dick Jones—a good looking

Southern boy, John Boone. Stewart Brandon-a rich playboy, Billy D. Starcher. Julie Weston-a sophisticated

vamp, Jackie Rector. If you want to find out more be sure to come-8:30 o'clock at the Spur High school gym.

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Song Hit of the Week

I COULDN'T SLEEP A WINK LAST NIGHT couldn't sleep a wink las

'Cause we had that silly fight. I thought my heart would break the whole night

through, I knew that you'd be sorry

And I'm sorry too.

I didn't have my favorite The one in which I hold you

I had to call you up this morn-

To see if everything is still Yes, I had to call you up this morning 'Cause I couldn't sleep a wink

Junior High Honor bins, George Walker, Jimmie

---S.H.S.--

seemed to have a very good time. day.

Ruby

Gladys

Vernon, Pat Christal and Robert Ward. There were also boys from Dickens and Jayton. Those who passed will probably hear in about two or three weeks.

SOPHOMORE PICNIC

The Sophomore class had a picnic Friday afternoon. They hiked to Duck creek where they POEM

Now Pete, old kid, about this Nell Young, You better watch out or you'll surely get stung. Because girls that are pretty

and sweet as she, Are hard to hang onto, just take it from me. ---

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hotcho and roasted weiners and buns. They small daughter of Afton were took bottle drinks and everyone business visitor in Spur las Fri-

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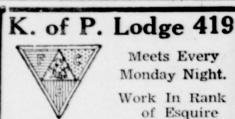
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Experiments and demonstrations show that seed treatment will increase cotton yield considerably at an additional cost of only 10 to 15 cents an acre. The treatment meth:od is the use of two or three ounces of two per cent ceresan per bushel, or one to one and one-half ounces of five per cent ceresan per bushel. The seed should be treated in a steel drum or similar container having a tight fitting lid and ar-



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MONDAY, MARCH 27

an inexpensive insurance against The container should not be fillcertain seed-borne diseases which ed to more than one-half capaccause poor stands and lower itycity so that the seed will fall yields. According to Chas. A. continually as it revolves and Taylor, county agricultural agent, receive a uniform covering of the the treatment also protects seed chemical dust. Taylor says that the treatment soil and makes for better ger- usually has the further effect of

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3.-240 acres, 140 acres in cultivation, good four room house, butane gas and electric lights, garage, chicken house, barn, well, on the pavement. Federal loan \$3,600.00. Price \$42.00 per acre.

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7-160 acres, 140 acres, 140 acres in cultivation, small house in poor condition, located four miles north of Girard. Price \$25.00 per acre.

8-160 acres improved, near Girard. Price \$25.00 per acre. 9-40 acres, all in cultivation, fenced, city water and city lights, five room stucco house, in excellent condition, good barn, large chicken house, within one mile of Spur. Price \$6,000.00.

10-160 acre farm, 6 miles south of McAdoo, 140 acres in cultivation, fenced, no other improvements. Price \$42.00

11-125 acres, large sheetiron barn and milk house, corral, city water, one 1-room house. Price \$60.00 per acre.

12-380 acres, 180 acres in cultivation, 4 room stucco house in excellent condition, butane gas, bath and water piped in the house, large barn, sheds, corrals, and place fenced for sheep, located on the pavement, immediate possession. Price \$60.00 acre.

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SPUR, TEXAS

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the important thing being to get good covering of dust on all Wise and Otherwise of the seed.

You know, it is hard for me to get myself worked up and feel-

used to live. As we were married. we look back she they must have foot put. been just as happy, or even more so, than we are

grandpa and grandma didn't husbands." telephone to wake them up at 3

In the old days, grandma had a room and grandpa had a couple barrels of applejack in the cellar. They didn't know anything about brown and green coupons. No government bureau had told them they were downtrodden or were underprivileged and should be up!" pampered, so they went ahead and were contented and happy.

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