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Spur Will Organize CAA Chapter

Funeral Rites For Joyce Ann Fletcher Held Here Tuesday

A lovely ray of sunshine was removed from this community Wednesday when final funeral rites for Miss Joyce Ann Fletcher, one of the community's most lovable young girls, were held in the auditorium of the First Baptist church, with Rev. Herman Coe, pastor of the church assisted by Howard H. Hollowell, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Miss Fletcher died in the Nichols General hospital at 3 a.m. Tuesday morning from severe cuts and bruises she received in an automobile accident when the car in which she was riding ran into a building Thursday night of last week. Several other occupants of the car suffered only slight bruises and shock.

Miss Fletcher made her home with an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Collins, at Gladewater shortly after the death of her mother several years ago, later moving to El Paso and Pecos with her father, J. J. Fletcher, and brothers, where she attended school.

Coming to Spur about two years ago, Miss Fletcher was a senior this year in the Spur high school, where she had been elected pep squad leader. She was a contributing member to the Rowell last year, a member of the Artisan club and the Daughters of the 1933 Study Club.

At the age of ten, Miss Fletcher was converted and joined the First Baptist church. After moving to Spur she became affiliated with the local church where she was known to be a loyal member to her Sunday school and church. Everyone in Spur who knew Joyce will remember her as a truly wonderful person who will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Palbearers were: Jimmy Draper, Lane Ericson, W. C. Rummel, Donald Delisle, Orvil Robinson and Elmer Gannon.

Flower bearers were: Misses Maxine Adams, Robbie Hoover, Davie Sue Sullivan, Aline Ball, Autry Nell Dyess, Inez Penn, Forstine Meem, Ila Ruth Draper, Betty Jean Aldredge.

Survivors are her father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fletcher; four brothers, Jess Fletcher Jr., S. 2/c, Norman, Okla.; Bob Fletcher, Mo. MM 1/c, U. S. Navy, overseas; Pat Fletcher S. M. 2/c, U. S. Navy, overseas; Jack Fletcher, Phm. 2/c, U. S. Navy, overseas.

Interment was in the Spur cemetery under the direction of Campbell's Funeral chapel.

Thomas G. Cherry, County Pioneer, Buried Here Monday

Funeral services were held Monday, Sept. 18, for Thomas Goldsmith Cherry, born Oct. 15, 1878.

Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, pastor of the First Methodist church in Spur, had charge of the services.

Palbearers were John Baukman, Paul Loe, John Blakely, Walter Foreman, F. W. Jennings and Sam Heron.

Survivors are: his wife, Mrs. Ruffa Cherry, Spur; children: Carol Cherry, Washington, Mrs. H. Kissinger, Odessa, Texas, Mrs. T. M. Baker, Wichita Falls; brothers and sisters: Will Cherry, Steel Hill community; Eula Cherry, Steel Hill community; Mrs. Ruby Shockwell, Spofford, Texas; and Mrs. Fannie Mae Stockwell, Gonzales, Texas.

Interment was in the Spur cemetery with the Campbells Funeral chapel in charge of arrangements.

DICKENS OWLS DEFEATS McADOO EAGLES FRIDAY

The Dickens Owls defeated the McAdoo Eagles in a fierce 33-30 football game on Friday, Sept. 15. The Owls, hoping their luck will continue, have so far this season been undefeated.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. John A. Winslow of Lubbock will preach at the Episcopal church here Sunday, Sept. 24 at 3:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited.

Christmas Mail For Men and Women in Service Overseas

The Christmas mailing period for our armed forces overseas which began Friday, Sept. 15, and will extend to October 15. Our task of assuring delivery by Christmas of the gifts sent to the men and women of our fighting forces abroad constitutes the greatest burden ever placed upon any postal organization anywhere. I want nothing left undone which might bring about success.

The cooperation which has already been given by the press, radio, business organizations, and individual business enterprises is truly remarkable. It is impossible for me to extend my thanks to each individual who has been helpful. I ask you to make known to all who are assisting, the sincere appreciation of the United States Postal Service.

We need all the help which we can enlist. Last year approximately 20,000,000 packages were sent overseas. In the last 30 days which begin on Friday we must receive at our postoffices, process and dispatch accurately and surely, an estimated 70,000,000 gift parcels, addressed to our fighting forces overseas in all parts of the world. The rapidly changing battle lines, growing out of the progress of our fighting forces, in themselves will add new difficulties in the path of prompt delivery of parcels.

But I think we have persuaded our people that we have asked them to observe this mailing period because necessity demands it. Knowing the intelligence and the patriotism of our people we have given them the reasons for our requests. I am not at all worried about their response.

I strongly urge that all of you stress two points in your communities. First, where relatives and friends know that the person in the armed service is serving in a remote theater the gift should be mailed as early as possible in the mailing period. Besides assuring delivery by Christmas to those serving at far-distant points, this will lessen the possibility of a log jam in the closing days of the mailing period.

Second, all along the line stress the importance of correct packaging. This is a lesson that still must be learned. These gifts mean a lot to the sender and to our men and women overseas. Enlist the cooperation of our people so that the gifts will arrive overseas in good condition.

W. F. Turner Gets 1,800 Lbs. Alfalfa Seed From 9 Acres

W. F. Fisher of the Experiment Station has just completed threshing nine acres of alfalfa which had been allowed to mature for seed. The seed production was 1800 pounds or even up 200 pounds per acre. This crop has been placed with a local seed dealer for sale to the farmers in the community.

In addition to the seed crop, which is considered a fair yield of alfalfa seed, 260 bales of alfalfa hay have been harvested and another crop of hay is in the making. The value of the alfalfa seed and alfalfa hay has been approximately \$100 per acre for this year. The fair yields of hay and seed may be attributed to the distribution and use of runoff water taken from the highway for spread over the alfalfa field.

Other small crops of alfalfa for seed are being harvested over the country and in all several thousand pounds of seed will be available and more than likely will be used locally if favorable rain occur during September or the first part of October.

The alfalfa seed are easily threshed on the small combine after being cured in the windrow or in small cocks.

George Walker and Jimmy Vernon of A. & M. college are expected here to spend the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Walker.

NEWS of MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sgt. Fred Kinney, who is stationed with the Marine Air Corps somewhere in the Centra Pacific, notified his wife here this week by letter, he was well and doing fine.

James Ripple S 2/c, stationed at San Diego, Calif. came in on an eight-day leave and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ripple at Girard.

T/5 Clyde R. Whitford, stationed at Camp Polk, La. came in last Thursday night on a 13-day furlough and is visiting his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wooley at McAdoo.

Pvt. Frank O. Franklin returned to his station Monday after spending a 2 weeks furlough here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin.

Mrs. James Sizemore of Dickens had a letter recently from her son, Pfc. Travis L. Sizemore, stationed on New Britain Island in the Southwest Pacific. He said that he was hoping to be home for Christmas. He has been overseas with the Infantry since the last of Sept. in 1942. Another son, Sgt. Billy B. Sizemore, with the Military Police Escort Guard, wrote his mother recently that he had been transferred from England to France and said that it beautiful country and he likes it fine. This is his second time to go overseas.

T/Sgt. Nick Adam of Montgomery, Ala. came in to spend a 15-day furlough here with his wife, Mrs. Naomi Adam, who is making her home with her parents at the present.

J. J. Fletcher S 2/c, stationed at Norman, Okla. with the Naval Air Tech Center is here on a 7-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fletcher and to be at the bedside and later the funeral of his little sister, Joyce, who was fatally injured in a car wreck last Thursday night. Mrs. Fletcher and two children, Barbara Joyce and Jesse James III of El Paho are also here for the funeral services.

G. F. White S. M. 3/c, who is stationed at New York City is here on a 22-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White of Girard and his grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pierce of Spur. He was in Spur on business Saturday.

Alex W. Fry, S 2/c, stationed at San Diego, Calif. came last Monday to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fry and family and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith, on a 5-day leave.

Pfc. G. W. Parks, stationed at Bryan, Texas, came in September 6 on a 17-day furlough and has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parks of Dumont. Pfc. Parks has been in the Service two years.

Sgt. Robert Morgan, son of Mrs. Lela Morgan, who is stationed somewhere in Italy, is in the hospital recovering from a shrapnel wound in the arm. He is doing fine.

Kenneth Houston, S 1/c, came in last Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. S. M. Etheridge at Elton on a 3-day leave. S 1/c Houston is stationed at San Francisco, Calif. He came to port at Seattle, Washington.

C. W. Fincher Jr. S 2/c stationed at San Diego, Calif. arrived in Girard last Friday to spend a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fincher of Girard.

Ray Harding Battles S 1/c, on duty 14 months in the South Pacific area, is spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Battles of McAdoo.

Pvt. Ewell Buckner Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Buckner of McAdoo, who has been overseas 14 months has sent home a German helmet. Anyone wishing to see it may do so by calling at B. Schwarz & Son Store.

Mrs. Ernest D. Goddard, the former Miss Nelta Boothe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Boothe, received word that her husband, Ernest D. Goddard has been promoted from the rank of 1st Lt. to Captain. He is a group bombardier on a B17 stationed in Italy. He has been overseas since June 7. He received his commission in Big Spring January 1943 as a 2nd Lt.

Corp. Jack Johnson, stationed with the Air Corps in the European area the past 25 months, came in Monday to spend a 21 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Johnson of Spur.

S/Sgt. Jerry D. Hahn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hahn of Spur, was recently graduated from the Department of Fire Control of Lowery Field, Denver, Colo. S/Sgt. Hahn attended the Spur high school. He entered the service at Ft. Sill, Okla. July 7, 1942.

The following men have arrived in Camp Wolters to begin basic training as Infantrymen:

Gilbert Eugene Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hudson, Spur.

Lyndon Marchbanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Marchbanks, Spur.

Jack Lindsey, son of Mrs. Nannel Maude Lindsey, Spur.

David C. Pearson S 2/c, stationed at Camp Perry, Va. arrived in Calgary last Saturday evening to spend a 15-day leave with his wife and friends. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Pearson of San Pedro, Calif. are here to visit with them until he returns to Camp.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Ensey came in last Sunday from Tampa, Fla. where Lt. Ensey has been stationed with the Army Air Corps. He is on a 10 day leave and will be transferred to a port of embarkation at the expiration of his furlough. They are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ensey and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Nix. Mrs. Ensey will remain with her parents.

Mark Hogan Petty Officer 1/c and Gunners Mate 1/c and Mrs. Hogan and their little son, Mark Jr. arrived Wednesday from San Diego, Calif. to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. (Shorty) Hogan about two weeks. He is assigned to submarine duty, and will report back to San Diego at the expiration of his leave here.

Word has been received here that Sgt. Charley L. Pryor Jr. formerly of Whitharral, and who attended the Patton Springs and Duncan Flat schools is now announced as a prisoner of war of the Japanese at Nike Thailand Prison Camp. The serviceman's parents, who were former residents of Whitharral, are now living at Richmond, Calif.

The following is a copy of a telegram received from Sgt. G. R. Miller by his mother, Mrs. W. H. Miller of McAdoo: "I am now in a Japanese prison of war camp in Java. My health is excellent. I am constantly thinking of you. It will be wonderful when we meet again. I hope to pass under the golden gate bridge soon and then to the prairies of Texas."

Sgt. G. R. Miller American Java

James H. Bowman, c/p. stationed on the West Coast is arriving Friday to spend a 15-day leave with his wife here. Mrs. Bowman states she has not seen her husband for 28 months.

J. C. Goss A/s, who is stationed at San Diego, Calif. spent a week's leave with his wife, the former Colette Davis, her parents of East Afton and A/c Goss's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Goss of near Roaring Springs. His wife

Bulldogs To Face Leuders In Game Here Friday 8:30

By C. F. COOK
Friday night at 8:30, the Spur Bulldogs will play the Leuders High School football team. This school is much smaller than the Spur system, but their football team is a strong one. Their team scored over the Hamlin team last year, and Spur lost to Hamlin.

Stamford high school refuses to play Leuders as they feel the competition is too great. Mr. Fitzgerald, now coaching Lamesa high school, coached the Stamford team last year, and he says if Spur isn't careful this team will overrun us. He states that Brown, one of Leuders' main players, is the best boy in West Texas.

The Spur Bulldogs played Haskell Friday night with a score of 0-0. The Spur boys had the stronger team and played well, but failed to do the right thing at the right time.

The support of everyone in Spur is needed as the team is a good one, and the coach is a capable one. New suits have been purchased and your support by coming to the game will pay for this equipment. All the games will be worth your time and money.

Please don't sell Leuders short. Come and see this game. It will be a good one. This is the lineup for the Spur and Leuders game:

LEUDERS	
Thompson—LE	LE
Webb—180	LT
Miller—170	LG
Backus—160	C
J. Dillard—165	RG
D. Dillard—220	RT
Pope—165	RE
Patty—160	B
Brown—167	B
Hanford—160	B
Rushing—157	B

SPUR	
Byrd—165	LE
Towles—150	LT
Erickson—170	LG
Adcock—150	C
Delisle—155	RG
Watson—155	RT
Parker—165	RE
Holloway—150	B
Gannon—160	B
Rumfield—159	B
Draper—160	B

Spur will play Seymour Sept. 29. Go with the team. Oct 6 Spur will play Hamlin at Spur. Come.

Bulldogs Tie First Game of Season with Haskell Indians

The Spur Bulldogs met the Haskell Indians on the Indian Field Friday, Sept. 15, for their initial game of the season with a tie-up score of 0-0. The Bulldogs lost opportunity to score by an offside penalty and four incomplete passes; Haskell's Indians failed to score by four incomplete passes.

The current Bulldog team includes O. E. Byrd, left end; Dewey Watson, left tackle; Lane Ericson, left guard; Dean Wright, center; Donald Delisle, right guard; Tommie Towles, right tackle; Wynndle Parker, right end; Calvin Holloway, back; Jimmy Draper (captain), back; Elmer Gannon, back, and W. C. Rumfield, Delisle, offensive guard and defensive line backer, lost out on the game against the Indians because of a foot injury.

Coach Christian believes that with these regulars in action the team should take district. Let's back up the boys and attend the next regular scheduled game against Leuders Friday night at 8:30 at the Chas. A. Jones Memorial stadium.

and mother accompanied him as far as Kingman, Ariz. where they will visit relatives before leaving for Fresno, Calif.

Pvt. Levi Meadors, stationed in New Guinea, notified his mother this week that he was well and getting along fine. This is the first word she has received since April 21. Pvt. Meador is with the anti-aircraft division.

Mrs. Bill Mabe spent from Sunday to Monday in Crosbyton as a business visitor.



T 5 SGT. EDWARD H. DILLON, above, was killed in action in France Aug. 16, his father, Forrest E. Dillon of McAdoo, has been advised by the adjutant general's office.

Recruiters For War Plant Workers to Be Here Next Tuesday

Need for manpower in the nations war plants make it necessary that this community divide its manpower resources among its own essential civilian activities with our war plants that are turning out the ammunition, guns, rubber, aircraft, trucks, synthetic rubber, and high octane gasoline that are so urgently needed by our fighting forces," so stated F. A. Wells, area director for the War Manpower commission in this area, Wednesday.

In a fast-moving recruitment program designed to secure male workers for own Panhandle war plants in and near Borger, hiring representatives of the O. L. Stocker company, who are engaged in the construction of high octane aviation gasoline refineries, the B. F. Goodrich Rubber company, the Phillips High Octane Aviation Gasoline Refinery, and the Phillips Butaned plant will be at the Ford Display Room at Godfrey & Smart in this city, on Tuesday, Sept. 26, from 2 to 6 p.m.

A representative of the United States Employment Service will also be with these hiring representatives to insure employers in this community that no worker engaged in essential activity is hired away from them. "It is not our intent," Wells stated, "to recruit men who are already employed in essential war activity but we do feel that there are several men in this vicinity who are not contributing as much to the war production program as they could. We are also aware of the fact that lack of knowledge of male workers of the seriousness of this need is the primary reason they are not yet in essential war activities."

WATCH EAST WARD GROW

Watch East Ward Grow
The PTA, under the direction of Mrs. Joe Long, most graciously entertained the teachers and patrons of the school last Monday at 8:30 in the High School gym. Mr. Foster Cook was master of ceremonies and presented the following people:

Welcome—Mr. Hobart Lewis
Response—Miss Bessie Mae Smiley
"When Day is Done"—Longfellow—Mrs. Oscar McGinty.
"L'Amour-Toujours, L'Amour, Rudolph Trime—sung by Mrs. George Gabriel.
Address—Mr. Fred Jennings
Mrs. Ned Baird played piano selections as the group assembled. The Hospitality committee composed of Mmes. Frank Watson, Chap Reese, George Gabriel, O. M. McGinty, F. B. Crockett served punch and cookies during the social hour.

The teachers appreciate this courtesy and the city of Spur should be proud of the way the PTA has begun the year. We are looking forward to one of the best years in the history of the school.

Next PTA meeting day is second Tuesday in October. Be there.

17 of Necessary 25 Members Sign For Membership

Initial steps for organizing a local chapter of the Civil Aeronautics association were taken here Tuesday night when 17 of the required 25 members necessary to obtain a charter signed up for membership at a meeting which had been called by the chamber of commerce for that purpose.

Twenty-four responded to the invitation sent out by the chamber of commerce to attend the meeting. O. C. Arthur, secretary of the commerce body, was appointed temporary chairman. After a short explanation by Arthur as to the purpose of the meeting, V. C. Smart, local air enthusiast, was reorganized and explained how a local chapter could be organized. Both Arthur and Smart attended a state meeting of the association in Ft. Worth last week.

The 17 charter members of the association who signed up at Tuesday night's meeting are: V. C. Smart, O. B. Ratliff, A. C. Hull, Andy Hurst, H. A. Weaver, Odie Cash, T. E. Milam, Jack Christian, E. D. Engleman, Bill Vencil of Jayton, Carl Proctor, H. G. Hull, Lewis Lee, Spencer Campbell, Spec Lunsford, Truman Green, O. C. Arthur.

A committee composed of V. C. Smart, O. B. Ratliff, O. C. Arthur and Bill Vencil was appointed to organize the chapter and to solicit members. V. C. Smart is chairman of the committee.

When the minimum of 25 members has been obtained the chapter will become affiliated with the state and national association and will be entitled to one vote in the organization.

Other matters to come before the meeting Tuesday night were the Armistice and Thanksgiving closing of local stores. It was voted that all stores close on Armistice which falls on Saturday, and that the last Thursday in November be observed as Thanksgiving day, which will be Nov. 30.

It was also voted that all stores close on V-E day.

Kent-Dickens Bond Quota For Month of September \$20,000

The combined September quota of Series E, F, and G War Savings Bonds for Dickens and Kent counties has been set at \$20,000, as announced by O. B. Ratliff, county War Finance chairman.

The breakdown for school districts in Dickens county is as follows:

Duck Creek	\$ 420
Red Mud	168
Dry Lake	630
Highway	504
Wichita	672
Peaceful Hill	210
Spring Creek	252
Wilson Draw	294
Patton Springs	3,066
Dickens	2,100
McAdoo	2,304
Spur	6,090

TOTAL \$16,800

CCC Office Offering Grain Bins For Sale

The county AAA office has been informed that Commodity Credit Corporation is offering for sale several hundred pre-fabricated grain bins. These bins are rated at 1,600 bushels capacity and priced at \$185.00 each delivered in car loads of five. Delivery can be made in approximately two weeks.

One farmer must be named as consignee. Orders should be addressed to B. F. Vance, Administrative Officer in Charge, AAA College Station, Texas. A cashier's check must be sent with each order.

For further details inquire at the county Triple A office.

RETURN FROM CALIFORNIA

Miss Ila Ruth Draper and Miss Robbie Hoover returned Saturday night from Alameda, Calif., where they spent the summer with Ila Ruth's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Denton Draper.

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RECESSION, BOOM, DEPRESSION

It might be a good idea to survey the prospective post-war cycle of business activity in order to be prepared to avert the major depression that will occur unless proper preventive measures are applied.

Upon the end of the war, during the period of reconversion, there may be something like a recession but it is certain to be followed by a boom as people attempt to make up for postponed spending.

Financial experts estimate that individual liquid savings at the end of the war will amount to as much as \$50,000,000,000 and that unused business savings, in the form of corporation reserves, will be around \$25,000,000,000.

As everybody knows, many individuals and corporations have put off buying because of necessity during the war period. They will be in the market, as soon as the war ends, and the combined demand will create a tremendous market.

During the period of years in which these savings and reserves are expended, the nation will experience something of a boom. When the postponed demands have been fulfilled, and the savings-reserves expended, a slump is inevitable unless proper planning provides buying power to keep the wheels of commerce moving.

It is naturally impossible to estimate the length of the recession during the conversion period or the length of the boom which will depend upon the speed with which individuals and business spend their accumulated surpluses.

Nevertheless, the basic facts of our economic situation do not forecast any great depression immediately at the end of the war, but, certainly, after a delay of some years, the nation will be in danger of a grave economic crisis.

BEING SETTLED DAILY

One of the most intelligent observations on the problems connected with the war comes from Gault MacGowan, war correspondent, recently captured by the Germans but who rejoined the Americans after making his escape.

Mr. MacGowan says that the problem of what to do about German militarism is being settled daily by the advance of our troops. For the first time, he adds, "a resounding thrashing" is being administered to the Nazi armies and there is no doubt in the mind of any German officer as to the fact of this defeat.

NO DAY OF PEACE

Nearly every individual is interested in trying to anticipate the collapse of Germany and many friendly wagers are being placed as to the date when Germany friendly wagers are being placed as to the date when Germany may not officially surrender at all. Nazi armies may be defeated in the field, cut into segments and gradually eliminated

as fighting forces. The Allied armies may steadily advance into German areas, assuming control of the territory occupied and mopping up whatever local resistance that is encountered.

It would eventually occupy all of Germany, but the process would take some time. The fighting in this process, the Allies would be of a minor nature, but of a nasty type, involving many casualties. Without an official surrender, there could be isolated resistance in Germany for many months after the Nazis lose their power to fight effectively as a military organization.

FROM EUROPE TO THE FAR EAST

In announcing its plan for partial demobilization when Germany is beaten, the Army emphasizes that the rate of return of surplus men from overseas will depend upon the number of ships available. Thousands of ships "will be required to supply the Pacific theater," and "all else must wait."

The War Department gives some idea of our future military plans when it says that "millions of fighting men, millions of tons of landing barges, tanks, planes, must be sent to the Pacific theater "over longer supply lines" than those to Europe.

It is bluntly stated that most of the ships used in the European theater will be needed to supply the Pacific war fronts and that "the majority of ships proceeding to Europe will continue on to the Pacific laden with food and supplies for that distant campaign." Very few ships will turn around for a return trip to the United States and it may take many months to secure transportation for all surplus men to the United States.

It should be understood that troops in the Pacific area will have the same standard applied to them and that a number of the Far East will be returned as rapidly as replacements are available, transportation possible and the military situation permits.

PRICES TO BE HIGHER

The prices of civilian goods, when they become available, will be higher than before the war, according to governmental and trade authorities, which agree that new cars, refrigerators and washing machines will go up about twenty to thirty-five per cent.

While there are some products which will not show such increases the cost of materials, higher taxes and wage rates will make advances inevitable in some lines.

The cost of articles, of course, is affected by the quantity manufactured. If mass production is resumed on a large scale there is a possibility that some of the increases will be avoided but if production is in a small scale they are unavoidable.

Highway accidents are killing people who worry about the perils of military service.

International trade, like a poker game, requires more than one player with chips.

Nature is powerful; all that it takes to prove the statement is a tropical hurricane.

The nation that wages war across the broad Pacific will be able to get across the Rhine.

Wonder if Hitler remembers his pledge that the Germans would never give up Stalingrad?

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THE COLONEL'S LADY and JUDY O'GRADY

Does the Colonel need morale? Yes, all colonels need morale. So the colonel swings her lightly While his lady struts politely As she softly cuts the rug For her soldier and morale.

Does the Major need morale? Yes, all majors need morale. So the major's haughty beauty Struts a bit, says it's a duty, Not a sin, to "cut the rug" For her soldier and morale.

Does the Captain need morale? Yes, all captains need morale. So the captain's charming lady Limbers up, I don't mean maybe, Swings a hip, and cuts the rug For her soldier and morale.

Does Lieutenant need morale? Yes, lieutenants need morale. So the looty's femme simple Shakes a leg and shows her dimple— How she loves to cut the rug For her soldier and morale!

Does the Sergeant need morale? Yes, all sergeants need morale. So the sergeant's little teaser Lets the mighty hero squeeze her, But she lives to cut the rug For her soldier and morale.

Does the Corporal need morale? Yes, all corporals need morale. So the corporal's steady gal Struts and rumba's with her pal, All the while, she's cutting rug For her soldier and morale.

Does the Private need morale? Yes, all privates need morale. So the private's little queenie Hula hula's slow and dreamy As she softly cuts the rug For her soldier and morale.

Does the soldier need morale? Yes, all soldiers need morale. So the colonel's little lady And the private's Jud' O'Grady, Cut and cut and cut the rug For the soldier and morale.

Sgt. L. H. Sandidge.

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS-

BY JAMES PRESTON

Emphasizing that private enterprise must be considered our main source of postwar prosperity, the House Economic Planning Committee is advocating a sharp cut in postwar taxes for business and for individuals in the lower and middle income groups. Its recommendations include abolition of "double taxation" of corporate earnings, elimination of the excess profits tax, and re-examination of the capital gains tax to encourage venture capital and stimulate a high level of economic activity. The committee report is regarded as a significant index to what Congress is thinking about postwar policies.

Washington is striving to keep industrial home front policies in tune with the changing war situation. Acting Chairman Krug of the War Production Board has announced, in effect, that industrial reconversion will not be hampered by government controls after the fall of Germany. He places the responsibility for early reconversion upon industry, expressing unlimited confidence in its ability to do the job. "That means, in substance, that carry the ball on the job of reconversion," Krug declares. Support of legislation to curb the powers of bureaucrats and provide an established procedure of court review for all actions and decisions of federal agencies and bureaus is developing in Congress. Two Senate bills and three these reforms already are pending.

Washington is expected to announce more ration exemptions before election. A coupon-free holiday for odd-lot shoes is in prospect for next month. After the canning season, sugar may be taken off the list. Middle grades of beef and pork will be declared point-free soon.

LOOKING AHEAD
BY GEORGE S. BENSON
President, Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

TAX LEAKS

Prophets of business trends for several years before Pearl Harbor were predicting a building boom to be in progress about now. They reasoned that one fourth of American population, an unusually large share would reach an age to be married between 1940 and 1946. It seemed reasonable enough to guess that a lively demand would develop quite naturally.

World War No. 2 gave this forecast a setback but did not change the facts much. A record-breaking of new families are being started without new houses and the looked-for building boom is growing while it waits. "When war ends and restrictions are removed from lumber and hardware," the experts say, "Look out for a big, hurry-up demand for places to live."

Build Good Homes

A home is a valuable thing, worth owning; every new one brings lasting benefit to a community if the house is worth what it costs. But houses that are not of sound construction are public liabilities. The owner of a good house in a good community pays taxes on his property willingly but an abandoned house yields no taxes and lowers the value of every other house for blocks around.

Most residences are built before they are sold and are bought with borrowed capital, the money

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lender holding the mortgage. There was a time when a mortgage was ample protection because land gained value faster than houses lost it, but not lately. Houses cost five to ten times as much as lots and, back in 1936, the government began insuring mortgages to keep business active.

Costs You and Me

The depression-born idea still lives. The banker carries the house-buyer and the national treasury carries the banker but who carries the Treasury? Answer: the taxpayer! If Mr. Buyer's new house is a "jerry" he abandons it. The banker takes it over and the Treasury pays off but the payer of federal taxes is stuck. He has a financial interest in every government-financed house.

Local taxes are involved even more. Building helps a town indeed. Each new home in a good subdivision means a new man to help pay the cost of running the city, "broadens the tax base." But vacant houses pay no taxes. They only raise the rates on other, older homes in more substantial parts of town. Such leaks of revenue ought to stop. With every economy, taxes will be higher after this war than ever before.

Everybody's Business

Building booms affect everybody. Business improves when they start, prospers while they last and goes into a lull when they stop. But a boom can be a counterfiet. Loans ought to be easy on well-built houses and impossible on poor ones. When government underwrites a shoddy shack it amounts to making taxpayers guarantee a sweet profit to any dishonest builder who can fool a banker. It has been done.

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Society-Club News

Miss Audrey Nunn and Pfc. Wade L. Roberts Marry September 3

Miss Audrey Nunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn of Macomb, Ill. became the bride of Pfc. Wade L. Roberts, stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill., on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 3.

The single ring ceremony, officiated by Rev. Colin J. Robertson, was in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn.

The bride wore a pale blue alpaca street-length dress and a bridegroom. She carried a handkerchief which had been carried by her mother at her wedding. Her corsage was of pink roses.

Miss Jean Little, maid of honor of Macomb, Ill. wore a black dress with white accessories. Her

corsage was of yellow roses.

Paul Knight of North Carolina was the groom's best man.

The ceremony was held in front of a table decorated with two bouquets of mixed gladioli and fern. The musical theme throughout the ceremony was "We'll Get By."

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home for 30 guests. The serving table was decorated with yellow candles and a bouquet of marigolds. Twin cakes and pineapple sherbert were served the guests.

Later in the evening a banquet was served to all.

Mrs. Roberts was a June graduate of Macomb high school and before her marriage was employed at the Journal office.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garrett of Floydada, was quite well known by the younger set of Spur, and was inducted into the Armed Forces

Roy Rogers Home Scene of Family Reunion Sunday

A family reunion was enjoyed last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy George at Highway in honor of Mrs. W. L. Grogan and Mrs. Elmer Cox, both of Brantley, Calif.

Covered dishes were brought and a nice dinner was served to 42 guests, 21 of whom stayed for supper.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Lullis and children, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Patterson and children, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Allen, Spur; Mrs. J. E. Cox, Brawley, Calif.; Mrs. W. L. Grayson, Brawley, Calif.; Mrs. Betty Allen, Vera, Texas; Mrs. Alvis Wilson and children, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Estep, and children, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Estep and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Grayson and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Davenport and Betty Jean, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Allen, Spur.

Mrs. Jack Simmons Hostess to Dry Lake H. D. Club Meeting

The Dry Lake H. D. club enjoyed its first autumn meeting in the home of Mrs. Jack Simmons.

Many topics were discussed; resignation of the secretary; reports of special committees; plans for the foods to be prepared for the Rotary entertainment, and the assembling of the fall wardrobe and pre-war style trends.

Mrs. Ellen Draper sent in her escretarial resignation. Mrs. Coy Dopson was elected as the new secretarial resignation. Mrs. Coy assistant treasurer.

Mrs. John Aston and Mrs. Agnes Marrs gave past reports on the council meetings. "There is a possibility that every club member does not understand the purpose of the Council," said Mrs. Marrs. "Our council meetings are for everyone. Each Council delegate is elected by her club member in the same order that we elect our legislative members of government—a senator and representative. The same places are filled by the Council delegate

and club president. These two are the only representatives that vote from a single club, but visitors are always welcome.

Mrs. Aston, a guest and council member from Soldier Mound H. D. club gave an interesting sketch on the New Club Year-book.

The club voted to assist the council in the preparation of food to be served at a future Rotary entertainment.

Several members in a short skit directed by Mrs. Marrs presented the fall wardrobe of different styles for the various types of figures. "Styles of Tomorrow" were viewed from papers, magazines and patterns.

Game prize was won by Mrs. John Aston and surprise gift went to Mrs. B. F. Rogers.

A refreshment plate of canapes, cake, candy and lemonade was served to Mmes. Bill Ballard, Coy Dopson, E. J. Lassiter, Lou Bass, Bill Calvert, J. R. Cole, Archer Powell, B. F. Rogers, Agnes Marrs; visitors: Mmes. John Aston and Minyard Ensey and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. J. Lassiter Sept. 27 at three o'clock.

'Round Up' Western Meal Now Tat Beef Steak Is Back Again

Lean Beef Now in Markets Right For Western Dishes

If the strains of "Home on the Range" makes you nostalgic for wide open spaces, sage brush, stirrups and savory western food, you can conjure up a more material reminder of the hospitable Southwest right at home on your own range, because beef—the key-stone of such cooking—is back on the market.

Right now an unprecedented quantity of beef is reaching the market and will continue on through October—largely intended for home-front consumption. Nobody complains because about a half of the three top grades of beef is going to feed men and women in service. But the American taste for beef being what it is, it's good to have this favorite meat around again in plenty.

Lean and full of flavor

The beef you get now is grass-fed beef, leaner than the steaks and roasts you got from blue-ribbon steers in the pre-war days. Many Americans have always preferred it because of its leanness and prized it, too, for its full substantial flavor. On the nutrition side, this beef supplies the same complete proteins, B vitamins and essential minerals found in all meat.

For all the tenderness and palatability you could want, you need only prepare this abundant beef by the methods best designed to bring out all its flavor and goodness. Instead of broiling and roasting, you'll want to use slow moist cookery for such beef treats as juicy pot roast, hearty soups, stews, meat pies and the like.

And if you like the distinctive dishes for which cooks in the Southwest are justly famous, this is a perfect time to try them in your own kitchen, because it is around range beef that such hearty good eating is built. A chuck wagon stew or all the infinite variety of barbecues are yours for the eating now that beef is back. Some night in early autumn you'll have your "crew" eating as lustily as cowhands at roundup time if you give them main dishes like these:

Barbecued Beef Flank
1 flank steak (about 2 lbs.)
3 tablespoons lard
1 small onion
1 tablespoon vinegar
½ cup catsup
1 tablespoon sugar
1 tablespoon prepared mustard
2 tablespoons salt

Score flank steak. Dredge in flour and brown in hot lard. Combine sliced onion, vinegar, catsup and seasoning. Spread over the flank steak. Cover and cook in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 1 ½ to 2 hours. Serves 6.

Spanish Short Rib
2 ½ to 3 lbs. short ribs of beef
2 teaspoons salt
1-8 teaspoon pepper
Clove of garlic
1 onion, sliced
1 cup hot water
2 cups cooked tomatoes
1 teaspoon paprika
1-4 teaspoon sugar

Season short ribs with 1 teaspoon salt and pepper, and rub Brown short ribs on all sides; add sliced onion and water. Cover and cook at low temperature for about 2 hours. Add the tomatoes, paprika, remaining 1 teaspoon salt and sugar. Continue to cook for 1 hour to blend the flavor thoroughly. Remove meat to platter, skim fat from liquid left in pan and thicken for gravy.

Chuck Wagon Stew
2 pounds boiling beef, cut in 1-inch cubes
4 tablespoons flour
2 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper
½ teaspoon celery salt
1-8 teaspoon sage
3 cups stock or water
6 medium carrots, cut in 1-inch strips
½ pound green beans
2 cups canned tomatoes
6 to 8 small onions
Wipe meat with cloth; dredge with flour and seasonings. Brown in drippings in heavy kettle. Add

stock or water; heat to boiling point, lower heat, cover tightly and simmer slowly for 45 minutes to 1 hour. Prepare vegetables; add to meat in kettle and continue cooking for 25 minutes. Serve in soup or salad bowls: Serves 6.

Youth Fellowship

The Youth Fellowship met at the Roundup on Sunday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of electing officers. Officers elected were:

President: Manna Faye Smith
Vice President: William Golihar
Secretary: Mary Olive Marrs
Treasurer: Virginia McNeill
Reporter: Ned Blackwell.

Members present were: Monna Faye Smith, Bonnie Beth Henry, Vennie Marie Lewis, Tillie Hill, Jane Brannen, Orville Robinson, Jackie Rector, Ned Blackwell, William Golihar, Howard Wilson, Sherian Capbell, Helen Bethel, Lowell Cato, Wanda Ruth Russel, Leta Faye Bloodworth, Creola

ector, Ann Hull, Virginia McNeill, Ruby Vivian, Mary Alice Marrs, Charles Lewih, JuDon and JuRon Rickles, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murray.

Tuesday, Sept. 26, there will be a barbeque at the F. B. Crockett home for all N.Y.F. members.

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Society-Club News

Mrs. Bill Perrin Honoree Sept. 7th At Bridal Shower

Mrs. Bill Perrin, the former Miss Jo Dunn, was honored with a bridal shower on Sept. 7, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Hugh Swarngen at Dickens.

The hostess, Mrs. Hugh Swarngen, met the guests at the door and presented the honoree. Also in the receiving line was the honoree's mother, Mrs. Mary Dunn.

The reception room was beautifully decorated with garden flowers. The punch bowl was presided over by Mrs. J. J. Cumbly and Mrs. Fred Christopher.

Refreshments of punch, cookies, open face sandwiches were served from the table which was covered with a lace tablecloth. Blue candles in candle holders were used on each side of the white chrysanthemum center piece.

Guests registered in a lovely hand made bride's book.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arrington, Mrs. Ozella Williams, Mrs. Jeffie Green, Mrs. Mary Dunn, Miss Clyde Latham and Aaron, Miss Alba Cozby, Mrs. Emma Underwood, Mrs. Edwin Boedeker, Mrs. A. L. Herdan, Mrs. R. L. Littlefield, Mrs. S. L. Porter, Miss Ethel Hyatt, Miss La Nelle Christopher, Miss Wilona Adams, Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody, Mrs. A. Z. Hays, Mrs. Mamie Littlefield, Miss Wynell McClure, Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp and Eloise, Mr. and Mrs. Essie Meadors, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Meadors, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Guy Fellmy, Mrs. Otho Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Edwards, Mrs. Ben Overstreet, Mrs. Tom M. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Mrs. Clowder and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Petty, Mrs. Joe Ousley, Mrs. John Reynolds, Mr. and

Mrs. Foy Gibson, Mrs. Wayne Ogle, and Miss Inez Sizemore.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. L. D. Mathis, Mrs. J. H. Derrick, Mrs. Jim Arwine, Mrs. Ross Pessess, Mrs. H. F. Harris, Mrs. Clifton Harris, Mrs. J. W. Crockett, Mrs. Horace Reynolds, Miss Olive Meadors, Mrs. J. C. Porter, Mrs. Leon Lawson, Mrs. E. J. Nichols, Miss Afelia Hargis, Mrs. Kate Presley, Miss Marie Osborn, Mrs. W. M. Perrin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Perrin and Donald Ruth, Miss Jennie Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Winkler, Robert Reynolds, Mrs. Agnes Roddy, Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McAttee, Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Claude, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. C. Brummett, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Smart, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butler, Mrs. F. F. Henry, Mrs. Samantha Smith, Mrs. D. J. Harkey, Mrs. W. L. Langston, Mrs. B. B. Crockett, Mrs. Edna Bilberry, Mrs. H. L. Futch, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hoover and Thurma Lou, Mrs. Edith Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Martin, Mrs. Christine Hunt, Miss Ardis Poindexter, Mrs. C. B. Chandler, Fred Harrison, Mrs. Henry Elmore, Mrs. Edith Parker, Mrs. S. F. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patton, Mrs. Ann B. McClure, Mrs. Pauline Jamison, Mrs. Erie Foster, Mrs. T. E. Milam, Mrs. Beth Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arrington, Mrs. Murry Lea, Mrs. Lola Drennon, Mrs. E. H. Ousley, and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCormick, Alec Winkler, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Arthur and daughters, Mrs. Anna Ruth Speer, Mrs. Nettie Littlefield, and R. C. Mrs. Josi Street, Mrs. O. E. Hadcock, Mrs. Vela Turpin, Patsy and Pansy Dale, Mrs. J. F. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Cayce Allridge, Mrs. Zada Crawford, Mrs. T. B. Watson, Mrs. George S. Link, Mrs. Jannett Shenley, Mrs. Linnie Green, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sizemore, Mrs. Willow Strett, Mrs.

Lorena Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green, Mrs. Edna Griffin and Mrs. C. L. Love.

Miss Lillian Crowder, Capt. Robert G. Rose Marry September 12

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wrenall Crowder of Sutherland announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillian Margaret Crowder, to Captain Robert G. Rose, United States Army Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Rose of Roaring Springs, Texas.

The ceremony was solemnized Saturday, Aug. 12, at 4 in the afternoon at the Orcutt Avenue Baptist church before a background of palms, white gladioli, asters and lighted cathedral candles.

The Rev. Herman T. Stevens, D.D., pastor, officiated. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. A. Ashburn Lewis sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Mrs. Howard Webb, who played the wedding music.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a bridal gown of ivory satin fashioned with sweetheart neckline, and beaded yoke. Her fingertip length veil of illusion was arched with a Juliet cap and she carried a white prayer book showered with an orchid and stephanotis.

Miss Jacqueline Inge of Wilson, N.C., was maid of honor. She was dressed in pink brocaded satin fashioned with bouffant head-dress of matching net. Her tapers were an old fashioned nosegay of mixed summer flowers in paste shades.

Captain Robert Stephano served Capt. Rose as best man.

Lt. Thomas Barr and Lt. Carl Redd were ushers.

Mrs. Crowder, mother of the bride, wore a black crepe dress with blue trim and matching accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of pink roses and baby breath.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Junius Edwards on Hampton Ave. Later Captain and Mrs. Rose left on a wedding trip to Virginia Beach. They will make their home in Norfolk, where Capt. Rose is stationed. Mrs. Rose traveled in a brown crepe suit with blue trim and her flowers were a corsage of orchids.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind words and loving deeds during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother.

We also wish to thank you for the beautiful floral offering. May God's richest blessing be upon you.

Mr. H. F. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jabe Morris and family, Pfc. and Mrs. K. Morris and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Morris and daughter, Pfc. and Mrs. Grady Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robinett and daughter.

Mrs. Britton Forbes Honored with Bridal Shower on Sept. 4

Mrs. Britton Forbes was honored with a bridal shower on Monday evening, Sept. 4, at the home of Mrs. W. R. Stafford. Hostess were Mrs. Ples Curd and Mrs. W. R. Stafford. Entertainment was furnished by Miss Margie Nell Haney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Haney, who rendered several piano numbers and Miss Mary Helen Haney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burnette Haney, who sang several songs.

Sandwiches, punch and cake were served the following guests: Mmes. Link, McNeill, Hale, Bird, Hensley, Dollie Elliott, Henry, Young, Howell, Henry, Dobkins, Rose, Henson, Goodwin, Graham, Burlison Mason, Groves, Smith, Green, Kelley, Green, Forbes, Cooper, Bourland, Hunsucker, McCusky, Yeats, Alexander, Middleton, Willie Stafford.

Those sending gifts but not present at the shower include: Mrs. Cal Martin, Mrs. Smiley, Mrs. Gaston Jackson, Mrs. Bud-die Jackson, and Mrs. J. F. Hughes.

Home Missions Topic Studied by Mildred Smith WMS Circle

Monday, Sept. 18, the Mildred Smith circle met in the home of Mrs. O. R. Cloude for the study of home missions. The meeting was opened with a song led by Mrs. Hagins. After a very interesting and inspirational program the hostess served refreshments to 12 members and four visitors.

Mmes. Dozier, Edna Daniels, Estelle Stokes, Hattie Turvan, E. D. Hagins, W. M. Hazel, Glen Havers, Homer Dobbins, J. P. Legg, Albert Bingham, Miss May Belle Thornton.

Visitors: Mmes. Stella Morrow, Bob George, J. A. Marsh and Miss Ethel Dozier.

All circles of the Baptist church meet at the church next Monday at 4 p.m.

Mrs. O. B. Ratliff Hostess Tuesday to 20th Century Club

The 20th Century Study club met Tuesday in the home of the president, Mrs. O. B. Ratliff. A short business session convened after which Mrs. Clifford Bird gave a most interesting talk on "China and America in the future." "The Life of Mme. Chiang Kai Shek" was then graciously given by Mrs. O. M. McGinty.

Refreshments of chiffon pie and coffee were served to the members: Mmes. H. Blackwell, E. L. Caraway, Erie Foster, O. L. Kelley, Jack Rector, F. B. Crockett, Oscar McGinty, V. C. Smart, Paige Gollihar, George Link, Clifford Bird, A. M. Walker, P. C. Nichols, L. D. Ratliff, the hostess and her mother.

Mrs. J. L. Koonsman Hostess Tuesday to 1917 Study Club

Mrs. J. L. Koonsman of Dickens was hostess to members of the 1933 Study Club Tuesday, Sept. 19.

Mrs. Coy McMahan, president, presided at the business meeting. A program on "Parliamentary Procedure" was rendered with Mrs. O. Cloude as leader.

The club will meet Oct. 3, with Mrs. Walter Carlisle, with a program on "Today's women" led by Mrs. Adrian Rickles.

Delicious home made ice cream and cake was served to Mmes. O. R. Cloude, Howard Hollowell, C. R. Horschler, Dee McArthur, C. H. McCully, Coy McMahan, J. C. Payne, Adrain Rickles, and the hostess, Mrs. J. L. Koonsman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ascue and little daughter, Sandra, spent Sunday in Stamford visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Candle.

NOTICE

Dr. Baker's regular advance office dates are: April 10th, May 8th, June 5th, July 3rd, July 31st, Aug. 28th, Sept. 25th, Oct. 23rd, Nov. 20th, 1944.

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Homemaking News

Homemaking news would not be complete without the three seniors who spend two periods a day in the department in their "office" working on files, inventories, typing news or other business of a well organized department.

These three girls are excellent help in their management of the Junior Red Cross business that has to be carried to completion in the homemaking department since Mrs. Louie Jeffers, the homemaking teacher, is the county chairman of the Jr. Red Cross production.

These seniors are none other than Jackie Rector, Nelda Jo Hindman and Jerrie Condon. Keep up the good work girls.

Red Cross News

The Red Cross is sponsoring the making of bed side bags. Only five reported for Red Cross work on Wednesday, Sept. 20.

Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Foster finished the cutting of 364 of these bags. Mrs. J. C. Payne completed eight, Mrs. George S. Link made seven and Mrs. J. R. Scott, three.

Mrs. Gladys Collier, who has been in the hospital says the bags are very useful, and they never have enough.

We need help. Come next Wednesday at 1:30, and let's get these completed.

Troop 35 News

Troop 35 met Monday night at 8 o'clock in the Agricultural building. Lowell Cato was master magician and Homer Wilson lost his pet flea when it jumped into Mr. Glover's hair.

The time of the meeting has been changed from 8 o'clock to 7:30.

Those present were: Lowell Cato, Billy Wayne Dyess, Homer and Howard Wilson, Sherman Campbell, William Gollihar, A. A. Fry Jr., Ned Blackwell, Malcolm H. Branner Jr., Roland Hairgrove, George H. Glover, scoutmaster.

Ned Blackwell
Scribe.

FIRST YEAR HOMEMAKING STUDENTS

First year homemaking students are finding that to be well groomed the make-up must be applied to fit the individuals personality, and facial features and not applied in a hit and miss

fashion. Too many bows and hair decorations take away from the other-wise well groomed hair. Frequent shampoos and daily brushing and combing are the best investment for glamour in hairdo. and easy to keep for school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Neaves of Girard were in Spur Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Williams.

Helps Nature Relieve MONTHLY FEMALE PAIN
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Dr. Whyburn to Be Inaugurated Tech President Sept. 30

LUBBOCK, Sept. 13.—Dr. Marvin W. Whyburn will be formally inaugurated as fourth president of Texas Technological college, Sept. 30 in a colorful ceremony. Dr. Whyburn will deliver his inaugural address at

three o'clock in the college gymnasium. The new president will be invested by Charles C. Thompson of Colorado City, a chairman of the Tech board of directors.

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt, formerly of Dallas and now of St. Louis, will make an address during the afternoon ceremony. Invitations have been issued to colleges and universities in six states and many representatives from these institutions are ex-

pected to attend. The Tech Board of directors will be present and all former members of the board have been invited.

A formal dinner will be given that night at Women's Residence Hall Number Two in honor of President and Mrs. Whyburn and visitors. Dr. Eugene C. Barker, senior professor of history at the University of Texas, will make the principal address at the banquet.

PROGRAM

Dickens County Baptist Workers Conference
Friendship (Croton) Baptist Church
Sept. 28, 1944
Theme: Worldwide Missions
10:00—Song and Praise — Tab Williams.
10:15—Devotional — Rev. John Boone.
10:30—The Authority for World Missions—Sev. A. P. Stokes.
10:55—Christ's Plan for World Missions—Rev. R. S. Bilberry.
11:20—Announcements.
11:25—Special Music—Spur First Baptist Church.
11:35—Sermon—T. M. Gillham, Crosbyton.
1:25—Board and WMU Meeting.
2:10—Song and Praise—Duncan Flat Church.
2:20—Wayland College — Rev. Herman Coe.
2:50—Sermon—Rev. Hill, Dickens.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Sgt. and Mrs. Howard McDaniel of North Camp Hood spent the past weekend here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swanner and daughter, Bernice were in Spur Tuesday visiting friends and attending to business interests.

Mrs. Loranzo McJunkin and little daughter, Billie Jean are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Williams and family. Mrs. McJunkin is a sister to Mrs. Williams.

Edgar Jones of Cross Plains, and nephew of S. H. Jones was in Spur on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Butler and S/Sgt. and Mrs. Erma D. Butler and Curtis Patterson left Tuesday to visit relatives in Walters, Ardmore and Davis, Okla. for several days.

Mrs. Ted Brannen Jr. and little daughter, Priscilla, are here from Dallas to visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Iowman and Ensign Brannen's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Adams. Ensign Brannen will join them here on a short leave a few days, around Oct. 1. Mrs. Brannen is the daughter of Major and Mrs. Joe D. Rhodes of Dallas.

New Cars Cut to 60 In Lubbock District Month of September

Only 60 new passenger cars will be available for rationing in the Lubbock OPA District during the month of September, Ely Fonville, District Rationing Executive has announced.

This is the smallest quota since rationing of cars began and is a 40 per cent reduction over the August quota, he said.

"No new cars have been manu-

factured since February, 1942. The quotas for rationing are getting smaller and smaller. That means eligibility requirements must become stricter and stricter. Each application sent to the District Office will be considered carefully for eligibility, need and serviceability of present car, before a certificate is granted," Fonville stated.

This is to make sure the few remaining cars will go to the most essential users and those whose need is most urgent.

Rationing Coal and Wood Heating Stoves to Be Lifted Oct. 15

Rationing of coal and wood heating and cooking stoves to consumers will end October 15, the War Production Board and Office of Price Administration have announced jointly.

OPA Rationing Executive Ely Fonville stated that oil and gas stoves will remain rationed.

Current inventories of the coal and wood stoves, plus anticipated production, are expected to be able to keep up with unrationed demand after October 15.

CARD OF THANK S

It is impossible for us to find words to express our thanks and appreciation to all who, in any, helped to comfort us during the illness and death of our little daughter and sister.

We especially want to thank the doctors and nurses for every effort put forth to prolong her life.

May God's richest blessing be with each of you is our sincere prayer.

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Dealers and Sellers Must File Certificates Transfer With OPA

On and after Sept. 2, 1944, dealers as well as all other sellers, must file a certificate of transfer with their local War Price and Rationing board reporting their purchases of used cars, the District Office of Price Administration has announced. Dealers, and other sellers generally engaged in the business of

selling used cars, will also be required to file with their local boards, not later than September 21, an inventory report of all used cars in their stocks on September 11.

In completing the certificate of transfer for their sales, on and after September 12, they also are required to indicate on their reverse side of the certificate whether the car was purchased before September 21, on that date, or after that date.

Dealers may get inventory filing forms from their local board by September 11.

Jig-Saws Get You This Way

A jig-saw jigger called up the jig-saw department of a downtown store and asked whether any new ones had come in from Jigsawville.

"Yes, we have a new one just in," the young saleswoman replied.

"What's the title?"
"The Road to Denver."

"All right, send it out."
But when the jig-saw jigger received the new jig-saw puzzle the name on the box said:
"The Rhododendron."

Real Estate Bulletin

1.—330 acres, 230 acres in cultivation, 7 room house (remodeled), excellent condition, chicken house 18x24, granary, 12x20, milk shed, 6 stalls, feed bin east end, 2 wells, 2 cisterns, 2 earth tanks, 1 mill, terraced. Federal loan \$3,300. Payments \$300. Price \$55.00 per acre.

2.—162.4 acres, 100 acres in cultivation, well 113 ft. and mill, house NE 1-4 167. Blk. D. H&TC RR Co. Kent County. Sale \$35.00. Retain 1/2 minerals. Leased. Federal loan \$700.00. Rented 1/3 and 1/4 (Rent 1945), \$400.00.

3.—205 acres, 126 acres in cultivation, balance grass, mixed land and sandy, good water, well 30 ft., mill, and water piped to house and barn, 4 room frame house, barn 8x12—40 ft. shed between two barns, 2 chicken house, 1/4 mile east of pavement, South River. No loan. Price \$25.00. Possession Jan. 1, 1945.

4.—160 acres, 123 acres in cultivation, 4 room house, barn, poultry house, well and windmill. Located on east plains, near McAdoo. Price \$55.00 per acre.

5.—5.32 acres on pavement, clear of debt, 3 wire fence, 1/4 acre grubbed. Price \$650.00.

6.—166 acres, 109 acres in cultivation, 4 room house, well (12 ft.), mill, good water, barn, poultry house, 45 acres cotton. Federal loan \$2,100.00. Payments \$168.00. Price \$35.00 per acre.

7.—491 acres, 80 acres in cultivation, balance grass, 4 wire fence, own all fences except on east of field, west end of pasture, partnership, 3 tanks, 1 good well of water, all minerals intact. Reserve rents, possession January 1, 1945. Federal loan \$2,200.00. Terms 1/3 cash.

8.—160 acres grass south of Jayton. Reserve all minerals, state debt \$640. Price \$10 with all minerals, \$7.00 and reserve half minerals.

9.—174 acres, 107 acres in cultivation, well, mill, nice orchard, on pavement, \$900 Federal loan. Price \$30 per acre; possession Jan. 1, 1945.

10.—160 acres, 117 acres in cultivation, house, mill, well, good water, barn, poultry house, orchard, \$2,000 loan; also 80 acres rented 1/3 and 1/4 120 acres feed, 70 acres cotton. Price \$5,500, crop and 160 acres land.

11.—160 acres, 147.5 in cultivation, 6 room new stucco house, barns, sheds, granary (new), poultry house, well and mill, good water. Loan \$1,635. Price \$40 per acre. Possession Jan. 1, 1945.

12.—130 acres, all in cultivation, three room house, well, mill, excellent farm land, on school bus route, individual loan, paid 4 years in advance. Balance of loan \$2,700.00 Price \$42.00.

13.—163.21 acres, 40 acres in cultivation, 2 small houses, 1/2 minerals leased (for \$5). Loan \$600 Federal; 3 miles south of Kalgary road. On Kalgary school bus route. Price \$20.

14.—660 acres, 550 acres in cultivation, large old house, barn, well and mill, excellent farm land. Good terms. Price \$27.50, 1/5 cash and reserve 1/4 minerals.

15.—660 acres. 350 acres in cultivation, balance grass, large 5 room house, large barn, and other outbuildings. Price \$25 (1/2 minerals reserved), 1/5 cash, balance 15 years.

16.—323 acres, 2 room house, barn, well and mill, good fences, excellent stock farm. Price \$25.00 per acre.

17.—40 acres near pavement. 3/4 mile of Spur. Price \$2,250 with \$500 cash balance payable \$100 yearly, 5%.

18.—20 acres, all in cultivation, 2 miles of Spur. Price \$50 per acre, all in cultivation.

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Those who believe that the war is almost over would do well to remember that Texans still are fighting—and being wounded and killed—on all fronts. The fact that they aren't quitting should be a reminder that now is not the time to quit on the home front.

Here are some of the boys wounded on the European front during the past few days: Sgt. Arthur Appel of Taylor, Sgt. Victor Cmerck of Granger, and Pfc. Ike Mogford and Pfc. Baker Vermillion of Fredericksburg.

Latest casualty reports from the Mediterranean report S/Sgt. Bill Lord of Georgetown as among the wounded, while Pfc. Emilien Mensik of LaGrange was recently reported as wounded in the Southwest Pacific.

S/Sgt. Ray Saunders of Wichita Falls, a spotter for a machine-gun company in France, was wounded in the left leg and chest, and lay for many hours under the fire of both Americans and Germans before he could crawl to safety. But he didn't quit! He is now in a hospital in England.

The example of the Texas lads who don't quit should prove an inspiration to all of those on the home-front. No one should quit until the war is finally won—and that means when the last shot has been fired and every Texas boy is back home! Meanwhile every man, woman and child in Texas should pitch in to put the National War Fund cam-

aign over the top! The National War Fund drive will be conducted during the next few weeks in all Texas counties, under leadership of local men and women. Funds raised in the campaign support the USO, send relief to American and Allied prisoners-of-war in enemy hands, and help alleviate sufferings among war-victims everywhere.

Fighting Texans continue to make news by their brave and gallant exploits in battle. Sgt. Dwight "Bud" Gryder, Flying Fortress gunner who hails from Tahoka, has just won the Air Medal for his bravery under fire while bombing Germany.

The Tahoka American Legion post, incidentally, last week honored returned war veterans at a special meeting. At the same time, Legionnaires endorsed the War Chest drive in Lynn county, and agreed to help put the drive over the top. The Legion boys know what "over the top" means, and there is little likelihood that they will stop before the full job is done!

Here are more Texans who have been decorated with the Air Medal for their part in the war: Carle Alford, Lufkin; Alford Colwell Jr., Herwood; Bill Adair, Galena Park; Capt. O. L. Counselman, Hereford; Lt. Bill Simmons, Lorraine; Lilburn Ogle, Dickens; Lt. Ola Hollowell, Abilene; Bert Drummond, Holland, and Eugene Donohoe, San Angelo.

Sgt. Olan Delaney of Sour Lake will soon be home from the war. One of several dozen American airmen shot down and captured several months ago, he has just been freed from a Roumanian prison camp. He is scheduled for a long leave—in Texas.

The men spent long, weary months in the enemy prisoner-of-war camp, but they were not for a moment forgotten by their folks back home. Thanks to War Prisoners Aid, an agency of the

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District NEWS NOTES

RILEY WOOTEN, Chm. OSCAR McGINTY, Sec.
WILL WRIGHT TOM MURDOCK A. A. FRY

E. Durham of the Gilpin Conservation Group, is well satisfied with his terrace system. He will maintain his old terraces and as soon as possible, wants to build some new ones. The soils on his farm were mapped in 1939 when he made application for water facilities and soil conservation work, and four years later the soils were remapped as part of a group. Comparison of the two maps shows that the terraces put in in 1939, plus other conservation practices, have changed the degree of erosion from moderate to slight.

District Supervisor Oscar McGinty has had a good stock pond completed this week and also installed some diversion terraces which will not only stop some erosion on his pasture but will put more water into his stock pond.

Ben Loe of the Gilpin Conservation Group has tried some perennial sudan and is watching it to see how it will turn out.

The Supervisors of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District will hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday September 21, at 2:00 p.m. in the District office. They plan to discuss the conservation group leaders in the District. Several of the group leaders have moved out of their groups or out of the Community.

National War Fund, they received books, study courses, athletic equipment and even musical instruments with which to pass the dread prison hours.

War Prisoners Aid serves our prisoners in all enemy lands, in an effort to stamp out "prison sickness" among the heroic members of the "barbed war legion."

and the Supervisors plan to appoint new ones. The Supervisors will also discuss the routing of the tractor and grader which is doing terrace work on district cooperator farms.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Langford returned Friday from a two day business trip to Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Denton Graham of Englewood, Calif. are here this week to spend several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Parks and L. D. Johnson of Ft. Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johnson of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hindman, east of Spur over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gruben were in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Raul English were in Knox City Monday and Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Ella Rich o Jayton is a guest in the home of Mrs. H. P. Miller this week.

Mrs. H. P. Miller returned a few days ago from Galveston where she was at the bedside of two nieces who underwent major surgery there.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Cash and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Weaver and family attended church services at the South Side Church of Christ at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Ricketts of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ricketts and daughter, Mamie, of Dodson, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Weaver.

Mrs. Leon Harkey is on a 15 day vacation from the Spur Motor Co. Office, and is visiting her sister and other relatives in Fustin, Calif.

O. C. Arthur, V. C. Smart and J. B. Wofford attended an aeronautics meeting at the Blackstone hotel in Fort Worth last weekend, which was being held for the purpose of organizing a

State aeronautical association that would be affiliated with the National Association. They hope to organize a chapter for Spur soon.

Miss Patsy Mitchell of Munday spent the past week end here with friends.

Mrs. Susan Cross is in Hereford this week visiting in the home of her son, Jim Cross. L. D. Cross S 1/c. s in the Naval Air Corps, is to arrive there Wednesday from Daytona Beach, Fla. on a ten day leave. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Benson, daughter and son-in-law to Mrs. Cross will go to Hereford Thursday to visit in the Jim Cross home, and to be with S 1/c Cross while there.

Visitors in the J. W. Franklin home last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mobley of Spur, Miss Juanita Franklin and J. W. Franklin of Amarillo and Pvt. Frank Franklin of Camp Gordon, Ga.

Miss Flora Fuqua is teaching school in the Lower Red Mud school this year.

Mrs. Winston Brummett spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting her father, Mr. T. D. McKennon, and her sister, Mrs. Iris Berghalm. Mrs. Brummett and Mrs. Berghalm attended the first meeting of the Nancy Anderson chapter of the D.A.R.

Mike Hoyle of Roaring Springs received a telegram from Mrs. W. D. McClean that her son, Lt. John Sherwood, Navy Coast Guard, crashed in a plane. The funeral services will be held in Dallas Monday, September 18. Mrs. McClean now resides in Washington but formerly lived at Roaring Springs. Mr. Hoyle will attend the funeral services.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones of Spur had tonsilectomy Saturday at the hospital. Mrs. R. D. Taylor had a tonsilectomy last Wednesday.

Pennie Sue Smith of Paducah, little daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. Ferrell Smith, is spending several days here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith of Glenn. They were in Spur Thursday on business. The little ladies father is stationed in Porto Rico.

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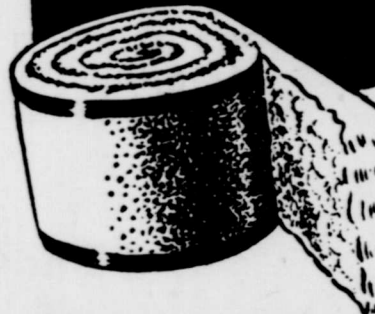
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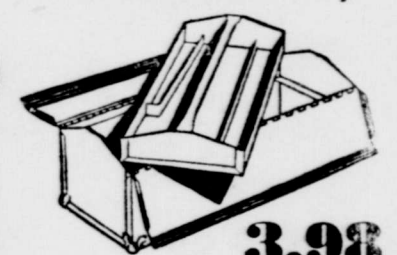
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Will be in County Court Room, Dickens, 9:00 A. M. to 12:00 P. M., Tuesday, September 26.

If you are not now employed in essential activities, see representatives for personal interview.

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West Texas Utilities Company

America Gives 30 Million Dollars in 11-Yr. Fight on Polio

In the last eleven years the American people have contributed \$29,362,742.54 to conquer infantile paralysis, Basil O'Connor, President of The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, announced today at the opening of the annual meeting of the Medical Advisory Committees of the National Foundation at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. At that meeting applications for grants to carry on medical research will be considered and further plans for carrying on the fight against infantile paralysis will be made. This money was raised through the Celebration of President Roosevelt's Birthday and the March of Dimes, held in January of each year, starting in 1934.

Sixteen million dollars, or more than half of the total given, was raised in the two years of 1943 and 1944, Mr. O'Connor said.

"The increase in donations in 1943 and 1944, which probably was due in part to the high incidence of the disease, assured the National Foundation that the public wished it to intensify its activities and to widen its entire field of operations," he added.

"It's almost like waking up one morning and finding that many of your dreams have come true. This generosity of the American people permits us to proceed with an assurance we merely hoped for a few years ago. We are now able both to intensify our scientific search for the cure and prevention of the disease, and at the same time to enlarge our field army fighting infantile paralysis."

"Some idea of the scope and extent of the National Foundation's program of scientific re-

search is shown by the fact that, since it was organized only six years ago, it has made 298 grants to 74 institutions involving 114 groups of workers, in one of the greatest scientific attacks against any disease."

During the past eleven years almost \$15,000,000 of the total raised has been left with the counties where raised to provide the best in medical care for the thousands of new patients reported each year. This averages about \$444 per county per year and \$160 for each new case of infantile paralysis reported during that period, Mr. O'Connor said.

Of the remainder of this nearly 30 million dollars, the National Foundation received approximately 13 million dollars to conduct its program of scientific research, education and epidemic relief. One-half has been used by the National Foundation for grants in research dealing with virus, epidemiology and after-effects of infantile paralysis, education and epidemic aid as follows: virus research, \$2,053,761; after-effects research, \$1,405,292; education, \$1,179,215; epidemics, \$637,548. Tuskegee Institution, \$404,256. Georgia Warm Springs Foundation, \$825,000—total \$6,508,475.

From the first four Celebrations of the President's Birthday, which occurred prior to the establishment of the National Foundation, came a total of \$3,364,217. Of this sum, \$1,655,825 remained in the counties where raised to provide medical care for those afflicted with this disease; \$1,467,392 went to the Georgia Warm Springs Foundation, for which the Birthday celebrations were originally conceived, and \$241,000 was given to a commission to be used for scientific research.

Estimating that the National Foundation and its chapters have expended more than \$1,000,000 up to September 1 on the '944 epidemic alone, Mr. O'Connor declared: "What the full cost of this epidemic will be we do not know, but certainly, in addition to what it totals this year, there will be the necessity of caring for many of its victims in years to come, meanwhile continuing the care for those of former years."

"But we do know that any scientific program, however costly, will be inexpensive and economical in the end for it will someday develop the means that will permit us to cure and prevent this crippling malady. The American people and their National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis are determined that that day will come."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

RELIGION IN THE LIFE OF A NATION

International Sunday School Lesson for September 24, 1944

GOLDEN TEXT: "The Lord will be unto thee an everlasting light, and thy God thy glory."—Isaiah 60: 19.

Lesson Text: II Samuel 7: 17-29

As mentioned in our discussion last Sunday, one of the first acts, after David had succeeded in establishing himself and his people in his newly-won capital, was to bring the ark to Jerusalem. Thirty-thousand picked men were gathered from all Israel, and a great number of people, led by King David, went down to Kirjath-jearim, about eleven miles away, to bring the precious shrine back.

No doubt the beautiful twenty-fourth Psalm was written by David for use on this memorable occasion, one of the most eventful in the life of the Israelites. Recall some of the words: "Who shall ascend into the hills of the Lord? or who shall stand in his holy place? One can almost hear the antiphonal singing as one choir answers the other. "He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; who hath not lifted up his soul unto vanity; who hath not sworn deceitfully."

When the ark was first brought to Jerusalem, it was placed in a tent, or tabernacle, prepared for it, which probably resembled the one used in the wilderness. However, David was not satisfied. He thought of the richness of his palace and then thought of the ark of God "dwelling in curtains," and, consequently, conceived the plan of building a great temple worthy of the worship of God.

David had a fine sense of the fitness of things. We should all realize that there should be the right proportion between expenditures on ourselves and on religious objects. Many professing Christians today need to emulate David's example in this regard.

David went to the Prophet Nathan and told him his plans. Nathan at first approved the plan but, during the night, God revealed unto Nathan that it was not his will that David should build him a house. The proper time for building the Temple had not yet come, because the time necessary for the gathering of the materials for the Temple would be better spent in enlarging and strengthening the kingdom, the task to which David had been assigned by God. Another reason God did not want David to build His house was explained in I Chron. 22: 8, that David was a man of war and it was not appropriate that bloody hands should build the walls of worship.

Of course, David was deeply disappointed. It must have seemed to him that God had turned against him at the very time he was trying to do his best for God. But David did not sulk. He turned to God and God gave him several wonderful promises. To David personally he promised continual help, and to David's people a permanent peaceful possession of the land. His most wonderful promise, however, had to do with David's descendants. God promised that David should be the founder of a permanent dynasty, a descendant of his should build the Temple, and that a son of his should rule forever!

Part of these promises was fulfilled when Solomon was permitted the privilege of building the beautiful temple which came to be known as "Solomon's Temple." The promise of an eternal dominion, which was emphatically repeated three times, goes far beyond the life of David. As we read these words, we realize that there is only one whose kingdom is from everlasting to everlasting and that this promise was completely fulfilled in Christ.

Nowhere does David appear to better advantage than in his acceptance of God's refusal. He believed in God's wisdom and goodness and promises. His contributions to the Temple and its services were numerous. While Solomon had the privilege of building God's house, it was David who projected it, who transmitted the plans for the building in all of its details, and who amassed materials and treasures for it. He also arranged the song and music for the Temple services and, while there is no way of knowing just which of the Psalms were written by David, many were undoubtedly David's.

David recognized the impor-

tant of worship is the individual and collective lives of his people. Man is by nature religious and must worship something and the people who recognize this fact and practice this truth are the really great people of any time. While it is possible to worship God anywhere, at anytime, God himself realized the necessity for a special day of worship by setting aside the seventh day and has blessed the churches as places for the combined worship of believers. As

a nation, we should be more faithful in our worship of God.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this manner of expressing our sincere appreciation for the many kind deeds done during the illness and death of our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Martha Deen.

Especially do we thank Dr. Hughes and Mrs. Chandler, and also for the beautiful floral offering and all who had a part in

making her last days more pleasant.

May God's richest blessings rest upon each of you in our prayer.

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FOR SALE: 343 acres land, 100 acres good land in cultivation. Plenty stock water, 8 miles south of Jayton—2 miles off new highway. Also F-12 Farmall and equipment for sale. School bus and mail route. Call or see J. D. JERDEN, Phone LW-55 of write him at Jayton, Texas. 47-4tp

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LOST: Butcher sheet out of pick-up. Blood stains on it. Please return to R. L. BENSON, Spur, Phone 108W. 1tc

I will do ironing. I live one block east of Church of Christ, house no. 303. MRS. WYLIE GRUBBS. 1tp

FOR SALE: 103 acre farm, 2 sets of improvements 1 1/2 miles north Spur. Would sell tractor and equipment with place. Reason for selling: All help gone to war. See J. O. MORRIS. 47-2tp

LOST: Between Bob's Oil Well and Roaring Springs last Friday Sept. 15, 1 brown tarpolium with window weight cords tied around it. Finder return to the Texas Spur office or Bog's Oil Well, Matador and receive \$5.00 reward. L. E. LANGFORD. 1tp

FOR SALE: Good Kafir-corn and cane bundles. See A. BIGGS or JIM McDANIEL. 47-2tp

FOR SALE: 2 chicken houses, good lumber. Priced right. Call 176J.

FOR SALE: One-half section land, 3 1/2 miles east of Spur. Well improved, 2 sets of improvements. Located on highway. Plenty water storage, tanks, and three cisterns. Butane system. Contact W. M. HUNTER, 1924-15th St., Lubbock, Texas. 47-2tp

FOR SALE: Fresh milk cow. See GLEN PICKENS 1 1/2 miles northwest Spur.

FOR SALE: Pre-war baby stroller and Frigidaire for sale. See DEE McARTHUR.

WANTED: Pre-war used or new baby stroller. Call for MRS. ELLEN MOORE at 70. 1tp

LOST: Black drawstring purse containing 2 bonds and a Postal Saving receipt. I can get duplicate but it would take time. I'll pay a reasonable reward when returned to me personally or to the postoffice. KATHRYN L. COLE. 1tp

FARM FOR SALE: 265 acre farm on pavement 6 miles south of Dobbs gin. School bus and mail route runs by door. Plenty of water, 4 room house, electricity, brooder house, chicken houses, plenty shade trees. Price \$4000 per acre Cotton average 262 lbs. per acre under government program. J. E. NOLAND, owner. Dickens 47-3

FOR SALE: 163 acre farm 4 miles SW Dickens near Duck Creek All cultivation except 3 acres House, barn, windmill, terraced, possession January 1, 1945. Not far from oil lease block and unleased for oil. About two miles from pavement, clear of debt but good for big loan. Plenty water. Owner reserves 1-4 minerals. Good producer of crops See O. B. RATLIFF, Spur, Texas. 4t

FOR SALE: 2-room house in east Spur, near East Ward school. W. E. WALKER, Box 395 Spur. 45-3p

WANTED: Lady to care for invalid and keep house. Salary, room and board. Call 358-L-2 or see ALPH GLASGOW. 46-2p

FOR SALE: 70 acre stock farm 2 1/2 miles east of Spur. Look it over while crop is growing. Want to sell because of inability to work it. L. C. PONDER. 46-4p

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FOR SALE: Farmall Regular with equipment. Good condition. See LAWRENCE PIPKIN, McAdoo Texas. 44-5tp.

FOR SALE: 166 acres of land 3 miles east of Spur. 130 acres in cultivation, 4-room house, cistern well. Priced to sell at \$30 per acre. See C. C. HAILE, Afton, Texas. 45-4tp

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ESTATE NO. 510 DECEASED. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF DICKENS COUNTY TEXAS. NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF LEE KELLEY, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of Lee Kelley, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 24th day of July, 1944, by the County Court of Dickens County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and postoffice address are Stamford, Jones County, Texas. W. G. SWENSON, Administrator of the Estate of Lee Kelley Deceased.

THE TEXAS SPUR, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1944

Funeral Services For Mrs. Lela Morris Held September 15

Funeral services for Mrs. Lela Ellen Morris was held Friday, Sept. 15.

Mrs. Morris, who was born Nov. 23, 1881, moved to this country in 1918. She was married to H. F. Morris on June 7, 1897.

At the age of 11, Mrs. Morris became a member of the Baptist church. Honorary pallbearers were: Charlie Harris, John Burr, Rex Carlisle, Reuben Waddell, Bert

Robinette and Doyle Hinson. Pallbearers were: G. B. Morris, H. F. Morris, Pete Lancaster, A. T. Hill, Marion Jordan and H. U. Butts.

Flower bearers were: Louise Hill, Mabel Middleton, Edith Witt, Marriette Morris, Mildred Crump, and Juanita Master.

Survivors include: husband, H. F. Morris, Spur; children, Joe Morris, Houston; J. C. Morris, Dallas; Mrs. Henry Harris, McAdoo; Mrs. Pauline Robinette, Kalarp; K. Morris, U.S. Army, overseas; Ellis Morris, Ft. Worth; and Grady Morris, U.S. Army; brothers and sisters: T. E. Ellis Coleman; J. E. Ellis, Crane, Tex.; Bryan Ellis, Ft. Worth; Mrs. G. B. Morris, Spur; Mrs. Maude

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Roast	Branded Veal Shoulder Cut	Lb.	25
Luncheon	Meat, Sliced Veal, Cooked	Lb.	48¢
Short Ribs	Beef Or Veal	Lb.	18¢
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Bell Peppers	Home Grown	Lb.	9¢
Cauliflower	Colorado Snow White	Lb.	12¢
Potatoes	Colorado Red Triumph	5 Lbs.	21¢
Radishes	Colorado Red, Crisp	Bun.	5¢
Oranges	California Sunlist	Lb.	11¢
Lemons	California Sunlist	Lb.	13¢

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