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Senior Girl Scouts to Present Play next Week

Daisy Burson announced that the Senior Girl Scouts will present their play, "Say Music", Thursday night, at 7:30 in the high school gym.

The play is a 3-act comedy. The cast is as follows: Mrs. Kernan, an adoring mother; Miss Cross, the three daughters; Mrs. Kernan, La Wanda Garretts, Shirley Kernan, Norma; Clara Bell, who insists on being Jemilla Turner; Ward, housekeeper at the home; Mary Tom Bomar; Urarton, wealthy and important; Della Nell Copeland; Della, a business woman; Betty; Lella Merkle, a newspaperman; Pauline Chitty; and respective Tenant, Marion.

There will also be music, singing, dancing, according to Mrs. Cross.

Creek Revival Singing Large Crowds This Week

Church of Christ Revival, being held at Rock Creek, has been drawing some large crowds. The building is filled to capacity almost every night. Earl Cantwell, minister, reported today that a Sunday meeting which took place last week ago today, is being held by Leland H. Knight, of the Church of Christ, Little Rock, Arkansas. Following the night's service, the building will be closed.

Those who haven't heard might speak are extended invitation to attend all of the remaining

Sugar Becomes Available on April 1

Sugar for both home use and needs will be available to housewives on April 1. OPA announcement that on April 11 in ration books is good on that date for 5 pounds of sugar. Stamp 53, for five pounds of sugar, is expected to be made available on April 1. Stamp 11 will be available on September 30.

Convention Held in Silvertown Sunday

Sunday Singing Convention will be held in Silvertown on Monday afternoon, March 31, to a report made by the County News this week. M. Lyles, president of the convention, is to begin at 7:30 and will be in the church.

Good gospel music are extended a cordial invitation to take a part in this and enjoy the fellowship on that occasion." Mr. Lyles

Mrs. R. E. Douglas and Mr. Bomar, all of Lubbock, Silvertown Thursday to attend the funeral of Dr. O. T.

Calculations to:

Mrs. Troy Denson on daughter, Susan Elaine, Memorial Hospital, Silvertown, March 20. The child weighed 6 pounds 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell and Mrs. Bundy Campbell and son of Matador, Mrs. Dee Humphrey of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Borden Ellis of Laramie, Wyo., Mrs. Ben Smylie and Mrs. R. E. Hardburger and children of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kiker of Plainview were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. O. T. Bundy.

Mrs. Leo Mitchell on daughter, Linda Gayle, 7:35 p.m. in Plainview weighed 6 pounds. The father is a

Drive-In is Driven Into Last Saturday Night

Vern's Plumnelly Cafe, the popular drive-in, located just west of town at the junction of the Tulia and Floydada highways, lived up to its name last Saturday night when it was driven into by a local man.

According to the best information obtainable, Roy Morris drove up to the cafe with the intention of stopping near the front door and his brakes failed to hold. The result found Mr. Morris' car parked in the drive-in.

No one was injured as a result of the accident but it was said that a large piece of glass from the front door sailed between two patrons of the cafe and struck the north wall making a large hole.

An employee of the cafe said, "I wish he had waited until it was warmer to air-condition the place!"

Repairs are being made and the Plumnelly will be as good as new very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garvin and son of Robert Lee are visiting with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Pearl Simpson of Vigo Park spent the weekend in Silvertown.

Mrs. Orville Richardson and daughter of Cotton Center are visiting with the C. C. Garrisons this week.

District Interscholastic League Meet to be Here this Weekend

POULTRY DISEASES CARRY PUBLIC HEALTH THREAT, OFFICIALS SAY

Poultry diseases are attracting increasing widespread attention that imposes extra responsibilities on the nation's poultry producers.

This view was expressed by veterinary officials in Chicago last week, who said that some of these diseases have taken on double importance because of their potential danger to human health.

Newcastle Trouble Heads List

Newcastle disease continues as a major problem of the poultry industry, they said. Canada touched off a fresh warning to that effect recently by prohibiting entry into the Dominion of any type of poultry not certified by an official of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry to be free of that disease. Formerly prevalent only in foreign countries, this virus-caused malady already has been diagnosed in a large number of states from coast to coast.

In Palestine, an outbreak of eye infection in women has been traced to contact with chickens afflicted with Newcastle disease.

Food Poisoning from Eggs

British scientists also are find-

ing reason to turn to poultry illnesses as a point of national concern. Their interest to this end lies mainly in powdered eggs, used widely in England, which can harbor organisms from infected hen droppings that cause food poisoning in man.

A short time ago, in the United States, scientists incriminated improperly cooked eggs from pullover-diseased chickens as the cause of an extensive outbreak of human food poisoning. Previously, doctors had considered man immune to the germ of pullorum disease. More recently, 23 out of 27 people who ate food containing raw eggs came down with food poisoning. The poisoning agent, believed to have come from the raw eggs, was the same organism (Salmonella aerycke) that causes salmonellosis in poultry.

These developments are turning more public attention toward poultry producers, the veterinary officials have observed, and they believe that such current alarms over poultry dangers to human health, if unheeded, will in time be costly to the entire industry.

SWING OF THE SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Grain prices fell, carrots weakened, and easiness developed at some livestock markets last week. Other southwest farm products held steady to strong, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Grains opened the week with all their recent vigor last Monday, but fell rapidly on succeeding days to net losses of 3 to 15 cents. Wheat and grain sorghums, spearheads of past advances, felt most heavily the weight of new bearish onslaughts. At Fort Worth and Galveston, bulk carlot sales of No. 1 hard ordinary wheat moved Friday at \$2.87 per bushel; and No. 2 milo at \$2.90 to \$2.93 per hundred pounds.

Rice demand remained strong last week. Dealers found light supplies hard to replenish, although distribution continued at a high rate. Most feeds made net gains of \$3 to \$9 per ton. Alfalfa hay values improved slightly, as late wintry weather intensified demand. Light offerings of prairie hay found revived interest. Shelled peanut prices stayed the same. Cold rains rotted early seedlings in South Texas. Some Texas wools sold, mostly from revalued 1943 and 1944 fine and 1/2 blood lots.

Early-week strength at cotton markets gave way to pressure of larger trade offerings later on. Closing spot quotations last Friday showed net losses of 25 to 50 cents per bale at some markets, to gains of 25 to 60 cents at others.

Cabbage brought higher prices, while carrots weakened; but other southwest vegetable shipping points saw little change last week. Cabbage moved briskly at mostly \$1.10 to \$1.15 for 50 pounds in the Rio Grande Valley; carrots slow at \$3.90 to \$4.15.

Egg and poultry prices continued firm. On the round of southwest markets, heavy hens brought 28 to 30 cents per pound; fryers and broilers 30 to 32. Eggs sold on the average of 36 cents per

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Easter Pageant to Be Given in Plainview Easter Morning

In response to the many requests made by West Texas citizens and their whole hearted acceptance of last year's production, the Plainview Council of Church Youth will again present a Sunrise Easter Pageant in Plainview on Sunday morning, April 6th.

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Friday and Saturday, March 28th and 29th, Silvertown will be host to the District 4-B Interscholastic League meet, it was announced here late today, by Wm. F. Talley, superintendent of the Silvertown schools.

The meet which is to consist of track events and literary events will begin Friday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock. Literary events will start the meet and will continue all Friday afternoon with only a few to be heard Saturday morning. Track events will begin Saturday morning and will run until 5:00 p.m. Saturday, at which time all activities cease.

The literary events in which contestants will participate are: Tiny Tot story telling, Declamation, Spelling, Typing, Number Sense, Choral, Extemporaneous Speech, One-act Play, Ready Writers, Volley Ball for boys and Volley Ball for girls.

Track events consist of high dash, 200-yd. low hurdles, 880-yd. dash, 220-yd. dash, running high jump, running broad jump, 50-yd. dash, 100-yd. dash, 440-yd. relay, 120-yd. high hurdles and pole vault, 100-yd. dash and running high jump, one-mile run and discus throw, and one-mile relay.

Many Coaches Here

Many coaches have been asked to assist locally in conducting the meet due to the fact that many contestants are expected to enter the various contests.

Winners of the contests will be given in next week's edition of the News.

Mrs. Allard Resigns Position with News Office Force

Mrs. Clifford Allard who has been active with the News, in the capacity of society editor, resigned her position last week, so that she could devote more time to her home and studies, the News office regretfully announces.

Mrs. Allard has worked with diligence for several months, writing society and personal items for the News and it is believed that the readers have enjoyed her work immensely.

Due to the fact that the News office does not contemplate hiring of another society editor in the very near future, we would like to ask the public to lend us their support by turning in to the office, either personally, through the mail, or otherwise, any item of personal interest, they would like to have published in the columns of the News.

All reporters of clubs or social organizations are requested to turn their stories in to the News office. We want to publish these items.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards took their son, Harold, to Matador Friday of last week for a tonsillectomy.

WELCOME, NEW SUBSCRIBERS

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to The News this week. No restrictions are placed on weekly newspapers concerning the acceptance of new subscriptions, so if you are not now a subscriber, we hereby invite you to become one:

- Earl Mercer
- E. D. McMurtry
- Claude Grimes
- Laitrell Graham
- Mrs. Mariell Grover
- Mrs. H. N. Graves



PRESIDENT TRUMAN OKAYS FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE BILL—Of great interest to Texas was the bill signed by the President authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to cooperate with Mexico in combating foot and mouth disease. Looking on at the White House ceremony are from left: Rep. George Gillie (R-Ind); Rep. Ernest Bramlett (R-Calif); Rep. Eugene Worley (D-Texas); Sen. Arthur Capper (R-Kan); Sen. Edward Thyne (R-Minn) (behind Capper); Sen. Clyde Hoey (D-NC); Sen. James Kem (R-Mo). A Texan, Congressman Eugene Worley of the Panhandle District, was a member of the Subcommittee which sponsored the legislation.

PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mother Holt returned home from Lockney Saturday after spending several days visiting with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens and Mrs. R. E. Stephens were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Mesdames Tom Bomar and Luther Gilkeyson were Tulia visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Hugh McDaniel of Milford is here spending two weeks in the home of her cousin, Mrs. O. T. Bundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell and Mrs. Bundy Campbell and son of Matador, Mrs. Dee Humphrey of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Borden Ellis of Laramie, Wyo., Mrs. Ben Smylie and Mrs. R. E. Hardburger and children of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kiker of Plainview were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. O. T. Bundy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kreuger of Hobart, Okla., were in Silvertown last weekend. They had come for a visit with friends, but immediately upon arrival, Mrs. Kreuger received a message that a sister had passed away. Mrs. Kreuger was owner of the Finley Variety store here.

Mrs. George Dowdy attended the funeral of W. C. Dinwiddie at Tulia Monday.

Mrs. Ada Cox and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill were in Tulia Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright were in Amarillo on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dickerson of Lubbock visited with his mother, Mrs. Billy Dickerson, Sunday.

Mesdames Luther Gilkeyson and Roy S. Brown were in Lubbock on business Wednesday.

Walter Allard, Sr., is visiting his son, Roy Allard, and Mrs. Allard at Brice this week.

Mrs. Lilly Wofford and little Marcia Wingo of Quitaque are visiting with Mrs. Roy McMurtry this week.

Dell McKenney made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes and Robert spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and family at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard of Brice visited with relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mosley of El Paso spent Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allard.

Miss Eunice Cox went to Plainview Tuesday to spend a week with her brother, Elmer Stinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shives of Tulia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Amason and daughter of Canyon were in Silvertown Sunday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Ted Winn and son of New Jersey are visiting with her brother, James Patton, and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Chitty visited their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Adams, and family at Snyder last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stodghill took their aunt, Mrs. Fannie Daniels, to Friona Tuesday to visit with her son, Roy Daniels, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock were called to Sanger Saturday because of the death of his mother, Mrs. R. N. Wheelock. They returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Autry is in Amarillo having a clinical examination at the Amarillo Osteopathic Hospital and Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patton and Mrs. Shelby Haynes were in Plainview Wednesday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar were Lubbock visitors Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee, Mrs. Clifford Allard, Mrs. Hugh Stodghill and sons, Clifton and Joe Ray, were Tulia visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Long and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean were business visitors in Plainview Monday.

Rose Dowdy, of Amarillo, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dowdy.

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Tax Federal Power Systems . . .

A group of Senators have prepared a bill which would place control of all Federally-produced electric power in the hands of the Federal Power Commission, transferring to it certain functions now belonging to the Secretary of the Interior. The FPC would then be charged with the task of establishing rates that would make hydro-projects self liquidating, while bearing "their fair share of the public debt."

It has long been evident that some such move as this is necessary. Many students are convinced that at least part of the Federal power output is sold at rates which are too low—thus forcing the general taxpayers to pay for the favored few who are in a position to use government electricity. All the projects are given special privileges, including enormous direct and indirect subsidies, which have no conceivable economic justification.

Congress should take another long step and place public power projects on a basis of equality with private power companies. A government power project is not comparable to the post office department, the courts, or any other normal function of government. It is a commercial venture—just as much as making and selling shoes, or anything else. It should operate under the laws and taxes that apply to all other commercial ventures if it competes with private citizens.

Government socialization of power resources has removed great taxable resources from the tax rolls of states and municipalities—thus forcing local taxes ever upward. It has deprived the Federal government itself of gigantic sums in income taxes which private power companies would have paid—thus making everyone else pay more than would have been necessary. If government business is to compete with private business, in any field, let it compete on a basis of equality.

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THE VETERAN'S FRIEND

Q. Does my converted National Service Life Insurance have a cash surrender value?
A. Yes. All converted policies have cash surrender values, paid-up insurance and automatic extended term insurance values, together with policy loan provisions, effective after the policy has been in force one full year.

Q. Is it true that National Service Life Insurance pays the insured veteran \$5 per month for each \$1,000 of insurance in force while he is totally disabled?
A. If the veteran pays the necessary extra premium, he will be paid \$5 per month for each \$1,000 of insurance in force after he has been totally disabled for 6 consecutive months. Application for the total disability income provision may be made at the time application is made for NSLI or at any time thereafter while the insurance is in force under premium paying conditions.

Q. Is there a time limit for filing for a waiver of premiums on NSLI by the insured, and how far back may a waiver be granted?
A. Application for waiver of premium should be made by the insured immediately after he has been totally disabled for six months. Ordinarily, his waiver will not be made effective for more than one year prior to date of his application. However, the Administrator of Veterans Affairs may make the waiver effective in excess of one year where he determines that the insured's failure to make timely application was due to circumstances beyond his control.

Q. Can I borrow on my converted National Service Life Insurance?
A. Yes. Any converted policy, in force by payment of premiums one year or longer, affords the insured the right to borrow up to 94 percent of the cash value by submitting a proper loan agreement to the Veterans Administration prior to the expiration of the grace period.

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Mrs. A. G. Webb of Lubbock is visiting with Mrs. Parker Rampley this weekend.

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What El Paso farmers are doing with long-time planning in cotton production is something that County agricultural agent W. S. Foster believes will be of interest to all West Texas irrigation farmers.

According to figures released by the El Paso County office of the Production and Marketing Administration, farmers of the county averaged 1.93 bales of cotton to the acre in 1946. The 43,774 acres planted in the county produced 86,684 bales, or 965 pounds per acre.

Thirteen years ago, Foster recalls, the official five-year average yield for El Paso county was 404 pounds. The county agent says that this climbing production is due for the most part to the steadily increasing practice among the county's farmers of rotating alfalfa with cotton, applying commercial fertilizer and leveling land to make irrigation better and easier.

One ounce of nicotine sulphate and a half bar of neutral soap, well-mixed with six gallons of water, is an effective control mixture against sucking insects in the garden.

PALACE THEATRE

SILVERTON, TEXAS
— P. P. Rumph —

FRIDAY
SUNSET CARSON and MARIE HARMON in
"The El Paso Kid"
—Serial—

SATURDAY
JUNE HAVER and GEORGE MONTGOMERY in
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Selected Short Subjects

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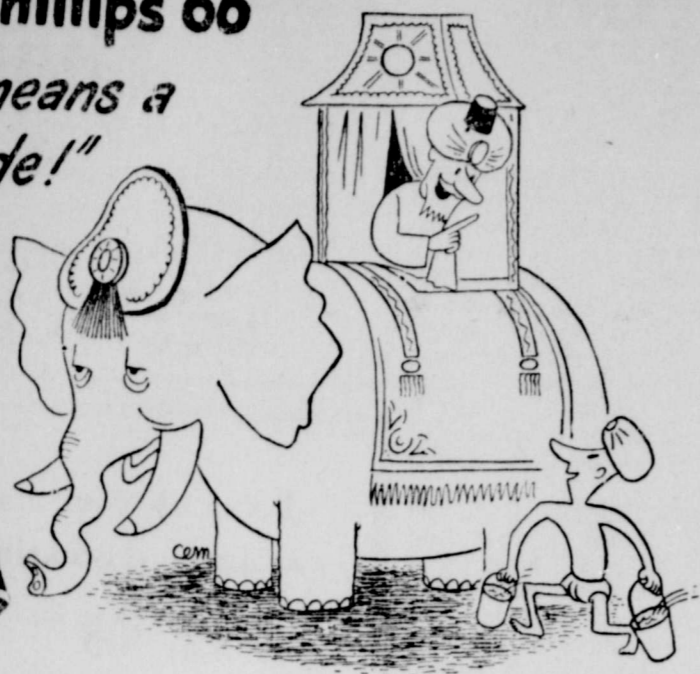
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR MARCH 30

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JESUS LAYS DOWN HIS LIFE

LESSON TEXT—John 18:37, 19:10-16, 25b-30. MEMORY SELECTION—For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish but have everlasting life.—John 3:16.

The cross of Calvary, from man's viewpoint, was "a paradox. There is something startling and seemingly incredible about the idea of a crucified king, particularly if those who do the crucifying are the king's own subjects. Kingship implies rulership over others, and not suffering and death at their hands. Pilate told the simple truth when he exclaimed, 'Behold your King,' and when he flung out the sarcastic question, 'Shall I crucify your King?' he was speaking more truly than he knew. They were, verily, doing the incredible thing of demanding the death of their King, their Messiah, yea, of the very Son of God" (E. L. Olmstead).

I. Jesus Said, "I Am a King" (18:37, 38).

Jesus was before Pilate. The Jews had accused him of declaring himself to be king (see Luke 23:2). Pilate demanded, "Art thou King of the Jews?" (v. 33).

Jesus did not answer directly at first, but declared his kingdom to be "not of this world" (v. 36), indicating to Pilate that he was dealing with One who was more than an earthly king.

When Pilate persisted, Jesus openly declared, "I am a king." The expression "Thou sayest" (v. 37) carries the thought, "You say that I am a king and you are right. I am a king." It was in no sense a disavowal of his royalty, but a declaration of it.

Pilate, troubled, convinced of Christ's innocence but too cowardly to declare it, hid behind man's proverbial inability to know the truth (v. 38), and wrote himself into history as a hypocritical coward.

What have we to say—what have you to say, dear reader, to Christ's claim to Kingship over your life? Should we not say, "He is not only king of the Jews, he is the King of my life?"

II. The Priests Said, "We Have No King" (19:15-16).

Pilate, in fleshly pride, taunted Jesus with his power to determine his fate. He did have much power as the representative of Rome, but power over Jesus he did not have.

Majestic indeed was the reply of the King. In a brief sentence Jesus put Pilate on trial before the judgment throne of God. Only because the time had come for the Son of God to die was Pilate permitted to exercise his governmental power (see Rom. 13:1), and he would answer for his

What's Doing in the Churches

THE METHODIST CHURCH Rev. A. W. Barnett, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Morning Service 11:00 Children and Young People's Meeting 7:00 Evening Service 7:30 WSCS every other Monday at 3:00

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST Elder McFarland, Pastor Bible Study 10:00 Morning Service 11:00 Ladies Bible Class, Monday 3:30

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Morning Service 11:00 Training Union 7:30 Preaching 8:30 W. M. U. Monday 2:30 Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:30

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Preaching 11:00 Holy Communion 11:30 W. M. U. 1st and 3rd Mondays 8:00 Prayers of the members

decision one day in the presence of God.

Of especial interest to us just now is the statement of Jesus: "He that delivered me unto thee hath the greater sin." It was the high priest Caiaphas who had that guilt.

Yes, and it was the high priests who declared, "We have no king but Caesar," after Pilate, driven by their cunning threat (v. 12), had sarcastically asked them, "Shall I crucify your king?" (v. 15).

The awful declaration which they made then was on behalf of the entire nation, and declared themselves against Jesus and loyal to the pagan Caesar.

No King? Countless are the men and women today who by their rejection of Christ have declared that they would not have him rule over them. And sad but true is the fact that those who neglect to receive his great salvation have rejected him!

III. Jesus Said, "It Is Finished" (19:25-30).

In his time of greatest anguish Jesus, in an act of tender thoughtfulness, provided for his mother, and gave the beloved disciple John a high place of privilege and responsibility. He thus, as he made his last request, brought together the two who in all his human relationship had been closest to his heart.

Ready for the final word before he died, Jesus received the refreshment which quenched his awful thirst. Then crying out with a loud voice, "It is finished" (Matt. 27:50), he commended his soul into the hands of the Father (Luke 23:46).

What was finished? The great redemptive work, the work of reconciliation and atonement. The Lamb of God had made his great sacrifice for the world—it is this that was completed. Our great Substitute had paid the great ransom price, paid it to the uttermost farthing.

"It is finished indeed. Others will yet preach and teach, and Jesus will work through them; as the King on David's throne his regal work will continue forever; but the redemptive shedding of his blood once for all is finished, and stands as finished forever (Heb. 7:27; 9:12, 26; Rom. 6:10)" (R. C. H. Lenski).

Hallelujah, what a Saviour! Is he your Saviour? If not, turn to him by faith just now.

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State-wide Clean-up Will Better Health Conditions for All

A good old fashioned spring house cleaning in every city and community in Texas would do a great deal toward furthering good health in this state according to Dr. George W. Cox, State health officer, who said in Austin this week. "From a practical standpoint the old adage that 'Cleanliness is next to Godliness' is still well worth emphasizing."

A general clean-up program of state-wide proportions with the objective of bettering health conditions for our citizenship should include surface cleaning, drainage, the graveling of streets and alleys, the cleaning of all parks and playgrounds and the clearing of weeds and rubbish off of vacant lots.

"The destruction of mosquito breeding places and rat harborage, the proper disposal of garbage and trash and the general cleaning up of all premises," said Dr. Cox, "will be of inestimable value in helping to keep down summer health hazards such as dysentery, typhoid, and poliomyelitis. Good community house-keeping and ordinary sanitary measures require the prompt removal of all waste matter in and around yards and homes in order to abate the danger of such diseases, and insure good health protection throughout the State."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that many dangerous diseases are filth-borne, and the only possible way to control them is to eliminate the insanitary conditions responsible for their spread.

Methodist W. S. C. S. Holds Meet in Home of Mrs. Honea

The Womans Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. N. R. Honea Monday afternoon, March 24th, at 2:30.

The Spiritual Life committee was in charge of the program with Mrs. Jeff Simpson as leader. A splendid program was given on "The Church and Its Work."

Refreshments were served to eighteen members.

Your Home



... afternoon I dropped in to see one of my neighbors and she invited me to stay for a cup of tea. I was surprised to see her pouring bottled water into the kettle, and asked why she didn't use the tap water. For answer, she turned on the sink faucet and showed me the almost muddy—reddish brown water that came out. Well... I knew the explanation. The minute I saw the water, for we had a similar experience a few years ago. My plumber explained to me that the pipes carrying the water were rusted—and of course, the rust discolored the water. We took the plumber's advice and replaced the rusted pipe with copper water tube in our home—and since then have had no trouble at all. You see copper water tube can be installed without tearing up floors and walls. Copper water tube, of course, is rust proof—and as our plumber explained it, when water is drawn through copper tube and from a brass faucet it's as clear and pure as when it left its source. When I told all this to my neighbor, she immediately went to her plumber and called her plumber. She said she hadn't realized that the plumbing could make such a difference, and when it comes to something so important to the whole family, one just can't afford to take chances. And after all—the right plumbing equipment is certainly much less expensive than special table water every day, isn't it?

I have other friends who when building their own homes insisted on having Red Brass pipe for all hot and cold water lines. Red Brass can't rust either and resists corrosion.

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A Lesson For The Brides

GOVERNMENT STUDY CAUTIONS ON FARM LAND BOOM

A new caution regarding the current boom in farm land values is contained in the latest survey of the farm real estate market published by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Pointing to indications that the peak of the land boom is approaching, at least in some areas, the survey emphasizes the high level of farm production costs in view of the recent price decline in some of the leading agricultural commodities, such as cotton, corn and tobacco. Increased buyers' resistance to the "currently inflated land prices" in certain areas was noted.

The survey stated that farm real estate values continued to move up in the four months ended November 1 last year, gaining 6 per cent for the period. This brought the rise to 83 per cent above the 1935-39 averages as compared with a rise of 70 per cent in the World War I boom from the 1912-14 level to the 1920 peak.

K. C. NEWSPAPER GIVES \$3,000 TO BUILDING FUND

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The Kansas City Star has contributed \$3,000 toward the \$600,000 goal set by American Legion posts of Kansas City for the purchase and remodeling of the Scottish Rite cathedral as a memorial headquarters. There has been raised in excess of \$122,750 at the time the newspaper gift was received.

AUXILIARY SETS NEW HIGH MEMBERSHIP WITH 806,640

All membership records of the American Legion Auxiliary were broken when on March 13 national enrollment reached 806,640.

The total enrollment for 1946, when the previous high record was set, was 800,320.

The March 13 figures showed a gain of 137,671 members over the same date last year.

U. OF T. DEAN SAYS VETS WANT JOBS IN U. S. AND PREFERABLY IN TEXAS

It may be trite, but to veteran engineering graduates of the University of Texas there's "no place like home," says Dean W. R. Woolrich of the College of Engineering.

Ex-servicemen have an aversion toward leaving the United States even if job opportunities in other countries pay exceedingly well, he said. Veterans want a job in the United States and preferably in Texas.

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April is a good time to start a "project"—so here is a suggestion for new homemakers. Why not make it a project to learn the most up-to-date methods of cooking meat? The majority of men regard meat as the most important food in their everyday meals; and naturally, they like it properly cooked. Any bride will find it worth her while to become an expert in this particular branch of cookery.

Let it be said, first of all, that it is not difficult to cook meat properly. There are hundreds of recipes for different meat dishes; but they are all based on a few basic cooking methods. The chief value of recipes is to suggest variations of these methods, so as to provide a variety of meat dishes from day to day.

One should first learn the basic principles that apply to the cooking of all meats. The most important rule is that all meat should be cooked at low temperature. That means all kinds and cuts of meat; and it applies in every case, regardless of the cooking method used. Meat shrinks less during cooking, and is more palatable, if it is cooked at a low temperature and not overcooked.

The other general rule is that the cooking method depends on the kind and cut of meat being cooked. Very tender meats are usually cooked by roasting, broiling, panbroiling or frying. The less-tender meats should be cooked by braising or simmering, which are moist heat methods. When cooked by the right method, all meats are tender, juicy, and delicious in flavor.

NEW SEMESTER RULE MAY BE ADOPTED BY U. OF T. INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

A new semester rule may be adopted by the University of Texas Interscholastic League to prevent the practice of holding over high school athletes for further competition, a committee headed by R. B. Norman of Amarillo reports in the current issue of the Interscholastic Leagueur.

The new rule proposes that eight semesters of eligibility shall begin with the first semester the student enrolls in high school, and shall close at the end of the eighth consecutive semester.

Complaints against holding over were listed by Mr. Norman's committee as follows: It is a form of over-emphasis violating the basic reasons for the contests; it places emphasis on winning rather than participating; it denies regularly-promoted students the opportunity of participating because of their inability to compete against players old enough to be college freshmen, and it results in unethical tactics amounting to a form of dishonesty.

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6 SHOTS WOMAN IN BATHTUB WACKIEST MISHAPS OF 1946

...ed to be news when a man
...dog. But in 1946 a dog shot
...man. So did a rabbit. A
...that's not all. A kangaroo
...man. So did a rabbit. A
...took a gun away from a
...A fish chased a fisherman
...road by sneezing in his
...A goose, a grasshopper, and
...se got into the act, each in
...quaint way.
...this was turned up by the

National Safety Council in its annual roundup of odd accidents. And if you haven't already begun to suspect that things were a little wacky in the year just past, read on!

About the dog that shot the woman. It happened in Baltimore as Mrs. Ruth Patterson was enjoying a bath. Her police pup, Toby, spied a gun on the washstand, put paw to pistol and let Mrs.

Patterson have it right in the bathtub—or more precisely, right in the hand.

More understandable was the strange case of the kangaroo that shot the man. This happened in Australia when Arthur Crosbie shot a kangaroo through the hind legs and it fell on its back. Crosbie reloaded the rifle and put the butt on the kangaroo's neck to pin it down. The kangaroo reached up, twined a forepaw around the trigger and shot Crosbie through the arm.

Prompted by the same motive of self preservation, a rabbit that lived just outside Louisville, Ky., resented the activities of William Humphrey, a 16-year-old hunter. He stuck out a paw from Humphrey's game bag, pulled the trigger of Humphrey's gun and shot him through the foot. Humphrey now carries a rabbit's foot for luck when he goes hunting. Guess what rabbit!

Back in the meatless days Del Halstead licked his chops as he drew a sight on a big buck deer near Buckhorn Station, Calif. Just as he released the safety catch on his rifle, he was hit from behind and sent sprawling. Another buck had bounded out of a thicket and landed, ala the Marines, in the nick of time. Halstead not only lost his gun—he lost two bucks.

Edward M. Brown, of Beverly Hills, Calif., saw active service in both the European and Asiatic theaters without a scratch. He decided to relax by going hunting. A companion shot a goose. It plummeted down, struck Brown smack in the chest, knocked him flat, and inflicted injuries that kept him in the hospital 45 days.

Put a mouse and a woman in the same car and something has to give. So when Mrs. Orson Rheingold, of Albany, N. Y., found she was sharing her car with a traveling field mouse, she just did what came naturally. The car smacked into a pole and the field mouse returned to the field.

James Mantakes of La Grange, Ore., was chugging along with a salmon he had caught in the back of the car. Desert dust got in the salmon's gills, and it sneezed. Yes, it did. Then it sneezed again. As if that weren't enough to confuse Mr. Mantakes, a grasshopper blew in the window. The salmon lunged at the grasshopper, missed and fell in the lap of the now thor-

Ecuador Opens Bid For New Colonists; Pioneers?

The Republic of Ecuador, in South America, announces its bid for colonists by opening up 124,000 acres of rich land for British and American colonization. This unusual offer has been made possible by Presidential Decree and the endorsement of the Minister of Economy and Minister of Public Works. Every settler may obtain 124 acres of potential farm land, a townsite lot in one of two villages of the land concession located upon Ecuador's new, all weather highway that links the concession with Quito, capital city of the republic, and will soon link the colony with the port city of Esmeraldas on the Pacific coast. Married men, or heads of families, may have twice as much land, 248 acres.

Although crossed by the equator, this area of Ecuador enjoys a salubrious climate due to the cold antarctic Humboldt current which sweeps close inshore as it flows north past this part of the country. The nearness of the snow-capped mountains in the central cordillera, also tend to create a climate that is ideal and with no extremes of either heat or cold in spite of the equatorial geographical location.

Soil experts state that the earth in this land concession is equal to that of Java, long recognized as the richest in the world. Java and Ecuador are about the same size, yet Java supports fifty million people while Ecuador's total population is a scant three million. Among the crops that thrive to perfection upon this land are: Bananas, eleven different kinds, Oranges, Limes, Lemons, the delicious and healthful Papaya, Pineapples, Sugar Cane, Rice, Breadfruit, Coffee, Cacao (chocolate) and a host of other tropical fruits, vegetables and paying crops. The land is crossed by several streams and two rivers flow nearby. Natural wild rubber trees are scattered throughout the area.

The laws of Ecuador provide that settlers need pay no taxes on agricultural developments or land, for five years. And even after that, they would enjoy Ecuador's extremely moderate taxes which are famous for their low rate, especially to agriculturists. Furthermore, the American and British settlers may retain their citizenship indefinitely.

A government owned and operated hospital is located near the British-American concession and serves the settlers. Not far distant live the picturesque tribe of peaceful Colorado Indians whose women-folk are noted for their beauty of face and grace of body.

Settlers are allowed to bring in to Ecuador, with them, all of their personal effects, household

goods and agricultural equipment free of all customs duty charges.

The language of Ecuador is Spanish, but many of the better educated Ecuadorians speak English, and most of Ecuador's schools are teaching English to the young people. During the late world war, Ecuador went all out to support the cause of the United Nations and much of the crude rubber and balsa wood, as well as vitally important quinine and other tropical crops that were desperately needed, came from Ecuador.

Top stands of magnificent tropical woods are to be found upon the land and settlers can use this for building purposes, selling the surplus at good local prices.

Under the same Presidential Decree that provides land in this concession for immigrant British and American settlers, a clause was included to make it possible for individuals to acquire land in the colony area as absentee owners. This clause enables business men or small syndicates to take over land here and have it operated for them, after it has been cleared and planted, as a commercial tropical crop and product investment. The absentee owner need not move to and live upon his land but can arrange to either have one of the resident settlers look after it for him, or appoint an authorized representative to work it for him.

Confirmation of the decree by the Ecuadorian Government may be obtained through the Ecuadorian Embassy in Washington or London, or from any Ecuadorian Consulate in North America or Great Britain.

Interested parties may obtain a thirty-six page pamphlet giving full and complete details of the land concession and colony, with instructions on how they may obtain land either as settlers or absentee owners by writing to the Government Co-Intermediary, Dr. J. M. Sheppard, Casilla 315, Quito, Ecuador, South America.

LARGE NUMBER ATTENDS CONFERENCE IN TULIA

Those from here who attended the District 9 Baptist Conference at Tulia Tuesday and Wednesday were Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Arnold, Mrs. C. C. Garrison, Mrs. Orville Richardson, Mrs. Gabe Garrison, Mrs. C. G. Garrison, Mrs. A. H. Jackson, Mrs. C. M. Chappell, Mrs. Jim Bomar, Mrs. J. H. Burson and Misses Eunice Cox and Loree Burson.

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NORTH WARD NEWS

Mrs. Winston Hamilton returned home Sunday from the Plainview Sanitarium. She is doing nicely.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Hartman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and Harold, Mrs. Ewing Vaughan and children, Mrs. Elbert Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold, and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lancaster and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mott and girls of Amarillo visited over the weekend with Mrs. Mott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Neetherlin.

Joe Ray and Cliff Stodghill visited with Wayne, Melvin and Freddie Hamilton Sunday.

Those visiting in the Winston Hamilton home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and Mr. and Mrs. George Neetherlin.

Mrs. Shorty Hartman spent a few days last week in the Tulia hospital. She returned home Thursday and is reported to be doing fine.

North Ward Club Holds Meet with Mrs. Floyd Wood

The North Ward quilting club met March 19 with Mrs. Floyd Wood. Due to illness, several of the members were absent. One quilt was finished.

Each member brought a covered dish and a nice lunch was served to the following members: Mesdames Bill Edwards, Arthur Arnold, M. M. Edwards, Herbert Brown and the hostess, Mrs. Floyd Wood. Two visitors, Mesdames Dewey Beavers and Pete Chitty, were present.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Arthur Arnold April 16th. The club voted to hold meetings once each month during the summer. These meetings will be on the third Wednesday of each month.

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Uncle Zeb says, "Why don't other folks stay at home so I can get a hotel room when I travel?"

Sen. Grady Hazelwood of Amarillo proposes a constitutional amendment making House members' terms four years. But the best way to keep officials responsible to the people is to require them to go back to the people pretty often.

The Senator's amendment prohibits legislators from receiving anything of value for voting for or against any legislation. That's against the law now, isn't it—or is it?

His amendment would give each legislator a salary of \$4,000 a year and would prohibit a lawmaker from practicing influence

before a state department—but apparently a legislator could still take what is sometimes called a "fee" from somebody whose business is affected by proposed legislation.

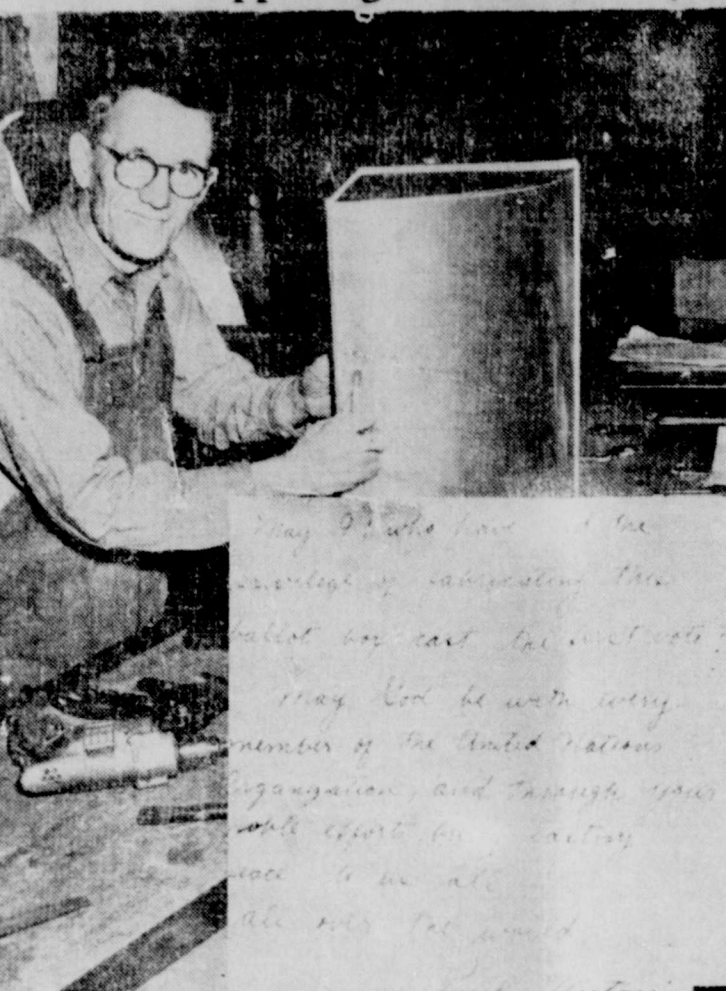
Getting over the State: You remember the tune about the music goes in here and comes out there? Saw a stove in a filling station in Luling that reminds me of the tune. Three sections of old-fashioned stove pipe are laid one on top of the other and connected by elbows and that heat goes in at one end, wanders all around and comes out at the other. Looks like a Rube Goldberg invention—but it works.

Near Jacksonville is the rather oddly-named Simpson's Dining Car Orchard—11,000 peach trees.

In LaGrange, two grand old oaks stood in the street, so they just ran the paving around them. Incidentally, the winding highway as one enters LaGrange from the south is most picturesque and gives a beautiful view of the town below.

Best eating in a good while: Backbone and dumplings, with cornbread, at Palestine in the

Churches Supporting Mechanic's Prayer



NEW YORK — When Paul Antonio, tinsmith, slipped "the first vote" into the UNO ballot box which he had just made, it was a plea that echoed prayers of religious people everywhere. "May God be with every member of the United Nations Organization," the message read, "and through your noble efforts bring lasting peace to us all—all over the world."

Thousands of churches, regarding civic responsibility as a stewardship, are encouraging prayerful study of the United Nations program. The Methodist lay-activities leaders, as one part of the denomination's Crusade for Christ, are making this a mid-winter emphasis.

O'Neill Coffee Shop. That was really East Texas cooking at its best!

The number of disabled veterans awaiting induction into training for vocational rehabilitation continued to decline during January 1947, Veterans Administration said.

Veterans Administration rating boards rated 345,000 cases for disability compensation or pensions during January, 1947.

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Veterans News

Approval of a 200-bed hospital for Negro veterans at Mound Bayou, Mississippi, has been granted by President Truman and the Federal Board of Hospitalization, the Veterans Administration has announced.

The proposed hospital site is in Bolivar county, near the heart of Mississippi's Delta Section. Approximately 31,000 Negro veterans of World War II reside in this section, which is predominantly Negro in population.

The hospital will be staffed entirely by Negro doctors, nurses and other personnel, VA said.

A total of 4,406 World War II veterans of Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi filed applications for conversion of GI term insurance to permanent plans during February, the Veterans Administration announced.

Veterans throughout the United States converted 94,000 policies during the month, compared with a national monthly average of 50,000.

Although the majority of National Service Life Insurance policies in force are on a term basis, veterans are increasing conversions to permanent plans, VA said. Of the 5,784,000 NSLI policies in force on March 1, 1947, about 7 out of 8 were on a term basis. The remainder were distributed among the six available permanent plans.

Twenty-payment life is more popular with veterans than any other permanent plan, VA said.

Loans guaranteed by the Government under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill) have aided more than 43,000 veterans of Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi in financing purchases of homes, farms and businesses, the Veterans Administration reports. Value of the loans guaranteed is in excess of \$230,000.

Approximately 34,000 of the loans, with a value of \$181,000, were made to veterans in Texas. In Louisiana, 6,500 veterans re-

ceived \$36,500 in loans, while 2,750 Mississippi veterans borrowed approximately \$36,500. More than 685,000 veterans throughout the United States obtained \$3,638,000,000 in loan benefits from the time of the program's inception in September, 1944, through February 25, 1947, VA said.

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Veterans Administration has 268 full-time chaplains representing 29 churches in its hospitals and homes.

More than 900,000 veterans withdrawn temporarily or permanently from vocational rehabilitation or job-training since inception of these two programs.

Veterans Administration said

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Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

Portable flame throwers to sunglasses is the range of a miscellaneous non-priority offering of surplus property on bid sale until April 15 through the Grand Prairie regional office of War Assets Administration. Other materials offered are pilot "black-out" suits, camera assemblies, tank goggles, gas masks and several types of fire extinguishers. Most of the property is located at installations in West Texas. Some samples however, may be inspected at the Grand Prairie WAA plant.

The State of Texas, through the State Board of Control, has purchased 2,660 men's white coveralls and 904 women's white coveralls for use in state hospitals. After being allowed a discount of 40 per cent, the state paid \$4,197.48 for the coveralls.

Thousands of automotive truck parts are now being offered for sale in a national sale by War Assets Administration. Covering almost the whole assembly of standard brand trucks, the parts will be sold in lots on a sealed-bid basis. The parts are located over the nation and will be sold

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Blind since he was shot down in one of the early Fortress raids over Germany, John Paul Moriarty has returned to work at the Timken Roller Bearing Co.'s Canton plant, thanks to a war-time developed electronic gauge which enables blind workers to inspect precision parts as rapidly and efficiently as a sighted person.

Timken officials said they began working on the development of a plan designed to provide postwar jobs for handicapped veterans. Leaders in rehabilitation work hail this as a far reaching step in their program to make the handicapped independent and self-supporting.

The gauging machine now operated by the veteran uses sound as a substitute for sight. By distinguishing between oscillating notes from a small loudspeaker, attached to the machine, the blind operator is able to tell whether the bearing being measured is proper or defective.

The smiling Moriarty, except that he wears a red cap, would not be noticed by the visitor. The girls working on the same production line have only one complaint—he works too fast.

Moriarty and his wife, Catherine, have three children, Cecelia, Anne, 21 months, and the twins, Kathleen and Maureen, now one-year old.

L.o.b. location. The Grand Prairie regional office of WAA announced the bids will be opened April 2 in the Detroit WAA office.

Fort McIntosh at Laredo, Texas, a troop training fort during the war, has been transferred to the city of Laredo for a nominal consideration and will be converted into an educational institution, the Grand Prairie office of War Assets Administration announced.

Ten thousand tons of bituminous coal at Camp Maxey, Paris, Texas, is for sale by the Grand Prairie office of War Assets Administration. The coal is being offered on a competitive basis through a continuous sale. The coal is "stove size" and was mined near Henrietta, Oklahoma.

Wholesalers have purchased 33 per cent of all government surplus sold by War Assets Administration over the nation for the period November through February. Manufacturers and other industrial users came next with veterans of World War II third, according to national figures released through the Grand Prairie regional WAA office.

War Assets Administration is offering 145,728 lineal feet of 75

and 85-pound railroad rail under sealed bidding from all types of buyers, including priority groups, until 3 p.m., April 1. The equipment, which is at Camp Howze near Gainesville, at the Pantex Ordnance plant near Amarillo, and at Avenger Field near Sweetwater, includes turnouts, hardwood cross ties, spikes, tie plates, bolts, ballast and other track material.

Net sales to World War II veterans of North Texas accounted for 32 per cent of the total value of surplus property sold through Dallas and Fort Worth offices of War Assets Administration during December, January, and February, it was announced by the newly

merged Grand Prairie office. This exceeded the national average of disposals to veterans, which was 25.2 per cent.

FARM MARKET—

dozen at Topeka, Amarillo, and Wichita Falls; 37 at Denver, Austin, San Antonio, and Waco; 37 1/2 to 38 at Fort Worth and Dallas; 39 at Houston, 40 at Corpus Christi, Baton Rouge, Shreveport, and El Paso; and 41 at New Orleans.

Cattle sold at prices as high or higher than the week before at most southwest markets, but steers and yearlings closed lower at Oklahoma City, as did yearlings at Fort Worth. Beef cows sold up to \$17 at Oklahoma City; while medium to good kinds brought \$13 to \$15 at Fort Worth; and \$14.50 to \$16.75 at Denver. Common and medium cows moved at \$12 to \$14.50 at Houston and Wichita; and \$11.75 to \$15 at San Antonio.

Slaughter hogs stayed even with last week at Texas markets, and stocker pigs gained a dollar at Fort Worth. However, most classes dropped about a dollar at Oklahoma City and Wichita. Week's top was \$24.50 at San Antonio; and closing top was \$26.50 at Oklahoma City; \$26.85 at Wichita; and \$27.35 at Denver. Fort Worth paid mostly \$25.50.

Sheep and lambs lost up to a dollar at Oklahoma City and Wichita, but other southwest markets paid as much or more than a week earlier. Good lambs brought \$20 to \$21 at San Antonio; while spring lambs turned at \$23.50 to \$24 at Fort Worth.

Oklahoma City, and Wichita. Medium goats went at mostly \$6 to \$7 at San Antonio.

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 estness together with his training, experience, and doctor-talent, inspired confidence and appreciation among his patients, though they found it hard to tell him, as he was inately modest and unassuming and humble. However, their offering of flowers and their silent grief as those who loved him passed before his casket, attested to the high esteem in which they held this one, who—like the Master—"went about doing good" desiring "not to be ministered unto but to minister".

He had been a member of the Presbyterian church for 50 years and was a deacon in the local Presbyterian church. Here the last rites were conducted by Rev. J. L. Aldridge of Tullia, Texas, assisted by pastors from other local churches. A quartet, Mrs. Theron Crass, Mrs. John Arnold, and Wade Steele of Silverton and Judge Charley Dean of Plainview, with Mrs. Dean at the piano, gave special music.

The active pallbearers were Obra Watson, Sid Richards, T. R. Whiteside, Woodson Coffee, Jr., Judge C. D. Wright, Gordon Alexander, Tom Bomar and Oran Bomar of Lubbock. Honorary pallbearers were members of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Masonic Lodge.

Hosts of friends from neighboring towns and cities attended the funeral. Relatives from out of town were Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Mast, also Dr. Henri Mast and his mother of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bundy Campbell of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Kiker of Plainview; Ms. Ben Smylie and son, Russell Smylie, and Mrs. Mary Jo Hardburger of Quitaque.

Interment was made at the Silverton cemetery, under the direction of the Douglas-Stewart Funeral Home.

Surviving Dr. Bundy are his wife, Mrs. Alice Smylie Bundy; two daughters, Mrs. Christine Ballard of Silverton and Mrs. Joni Mast of Lubbock; four granddaughters, Joni Jo and Betty Lou Ballard and Sue and Christine Elizabeth Mast.

Mrs. P. E. C. Cowart of Chicago is visiting with Mrs. Avis Cowart and friends in Silverton this week.

Mrs. R. E. Stephens was in Amarillo last week going through the clinic.

H. P. Rampley returned home Monday after spending several weeks with his mother, Mrs. John Rampley, in Rayston, Georgia.

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This year's pageant, which will again be held in the high school stadium, will be much more complete than last year's. The cast will be larger, including 100 young people. New and more impressive scenery will be used. All scenery and equipment is made by the Church Youth of Plainview, and all characters are portrayed by the young people. The pageant depicting various scenes from the life of Christ, His death and resurrection, will again be under the direction of Mrs. Louis F. Caddell, Howard Byars, President of the Council of Church Youth, is general chairman with Pady Joy Hines assisting him as co-chairman.

Special music will be furnished by the high school and junior high A Cappella choirs, a choir composed of grade school students, and the men's chorus of the First Methodist church. Featured soloists are Miss Georgia Nixon, T. C. U. student, and Bob Patton, Wayland student.

The service will start promptly at 5 o'clock Easter morning. Chairs will be placed on the West side of the field to accommodate older people who prefer not to sit in the bleachers. Ushers will be on hand to seat the people, but it is suggested that all who attend have their own flashlights. This year's unusually early Easter prompts sponsors to suggest that those who attend bring blankets for extra comfort.

How to Keep Livestock From Being Healthy
 Dr. J. F. Bullard of Purdue University will probably not be surprised at anything he finds in a cow from now on. An Indiana

farmer called him not to perform an operation on a cow, and during the course of the operation he recovered a glass jar well embedded in the neck of the genital organ. Inquiry by the Purdue veterinarian disclosed that a herdsman had tried to perform the same operation some time back and had inserted the jar to prevent recurrence of prolapse.

Another of Dr. Bullard's patients, a farm horse, had swallowed a 20-inch piece of hose. This happened, the horse says, when the owner "home made" treatment in the animal by inserting a piece of hose through the nostril to relieve the condition. The horse chewed it during the process and swallowed the hose. Miraculously, the object lodged in the horse for six months with no apparent effects, and the animal remained healthy.

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