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An Editorial

I wholly disapprove of what you say, but I will defend unto death your right to say it.—Voltaire.

Watch That Gauge!!!

With hot dry weather prevalent in Silvertown it would be wise if people of this community would practice turning their eyes every afternoon from four to six o'clock toward the gauge which swings on West side of the water tower.

Around four o'clock it will be noticed that the water tower properly contains about 40,000 gallons of water, or four-fifths of its capacity. Then, approximately one or two hours later the gauge rises so high that scarcely a thousand gallons remain to meet the needs of some 750 people.

Having watched the gauge for the past two weeks the Editor of News often wonders how pathetic it would be should a fire get started about 4:30 or 5:00 p.m. in the afternoon. With no water available for household use or "fire fighting", how many families would be homeless? How many thousands of dollars in property damage result? How many lives might be lost? Have you thought about

Should it be assumed that some of the people had rather have a green lawn or a beautiful garden than to have more water for late necessities? It would be too pathetic should be answer be "What's a garden or a beautiful lawn without a home to match?" would you feel to see your home in flames with the fire boys playing on a pretty green lawn—holding a hose from which comes water? It could happen and its worthy of a little thought.

The city has been trying for quite some time to secure another well that more water can be obtained, but unfortunately no more water available yet, thereby it is absolutely necessary for the public to do everything possible to conserve our present supply.

If the water gauge is hanging low on the tower tank it indicates tank is almost full of water. If it is near the top of the tank it indicates the supply is almost exhausted. Let that gauge govern your watering! If there is an ample supply go ahead and water the lawn but if the gauge starts creeping toward the top of the tank turn your water off. Maybe your neighbor is watering his lawn but forgets to take a look at the gauge on the tower. If so, maybe from you in regard to the water shortage might cause him to be conservative. It's worth a try!

You owe it to yourself, your family, your neighbors, your friends your city to conserve water. Do your part by watching that gauge acting accordingly.

Baptist Revival to Close Next Sunday Night

Rev. G. A. Elrod reports large attendance at the services both morning and night in the revival now in progress at the Baptist Church. Rev. Elrod urges attendance of all the people of the town and vicinity for the closing days of revival. Evangelist E. F. Cole of Fort Worth is bringing some of the most helpful gospel services at every service.

Rev. Roy J. Camp also of Ft. Worth is leading in the singing which is a blessing and an inspiration to all who attend. Mr. Camp has a large group of Boys Scouts in training for a special service Saturday night of chorus and bible memory work.

A total of 233 has been set for attendance at Sunday school for next Sunday. The public is invited to attend.

Scouts to Sponsor Pie Supper Next Thursday Night

The Senior Girl Scouts of Silvertown are sponsoring a gala pie supper in the auditorium of the school next Thursday night, 8:00 p.m., according to a report received yesterday by leaders of the troop.

Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy a delightful evening of pie and fellowship, as well as the pie and ice cream which will be abundant.

Ladies Auxiliary to Sponsor Tacky Party and Ice Cream Supper

The Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars, Lloyd Sherman Post No. 7839, will sponsor a tacky party and ice cream supper next Friday night, August 14, at the hall.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson on the birth of a daughter, Patricia Ann, Thursday, July 31, in the Tulsa hospital. The baby weighed 6 lbs. ounces. The father is employed at the Cooper garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Grimland and daughter, Genella, and Mrs. Bingham went to Amarillo to see Ronald Gale Grimland who is receiving medical treatment there.

Silvertown Dry Cleaners Get Suit Samples

According to an announcement made here yesterday by Doyle F. Huntsman, owner of the Silvertown Dry Cleaners, he has—at last—received new suit samples which he has been trying to get since he purchased the plant some nine months ago.

Mr. Huntsman's samples consist of the latest styles and he is able to offer 3 weeks delivery on tailor made suits. Two pairs of pants are available with every suit.

The brand of materials sold by Huntsman is "Scotch", a well-known trade name. He states he has samples available for the public's inspection in his establishment and will have new samples arriving regularly with the seasons.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS TO HOLD BAKE SALE

The Junior Sunday School class of the Methodist church will sponsor a bake sale on the Courthouse square, Saturday, August 9, at 1:00 o'clock. Anyone wishing to help is urged to bring baked goods and it will be greatly appreciated.

The money will be used for the Church building fund.

Prices of Cars Sold by Dealers Up Another \$100

The General Motors Company of Detroit, has announced this week that the price of new Chevrolet station wagons and convertibles, through legitimate dealers, have increased.

The price of station wagons advanced approximately \$100 and the convertible about \$75. Prices of all other Chevrolet models remain the same.

Nicholas Dreydstadt, general manager of the Chevrolet Motor Division, pointed out that station wagons and convertibles incorporate a relatively high percentage of parts supplied by outside sources, the cost of which has increased sharply in recent months. This plus the fact that both models are produced in low volume make these price adjustments necessary, he said.

In all probability Chevrolet Convertibles and station wagons will take an increase of approximately \$209 to \$250, if purchased through some black market dealer, the editor of the News believes.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allard had as their week end guests, Mrs. L. Wilferson of Lubbock.

Mrs. J. V. Rodden and children of Tulsa visited with J. V. Rodden one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ellison visited with relatives in Crosbyton Tuesday evening.

B. N. "Mike" Mason and Bill Biffle who have been working in the harvest in Colorado and Nebraska the past six weeks, returned home Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Austin of Altas, Oklahoma were week end visitors in the W. G. Byrd home.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gardner and Robert William of Turnersville, Texas visited in the Jeff Simpson home Monday. Mr. Gardner is a nephew of Mr. Simpson.

Marlene Daniels of Los Angeles, California was a guest of Sue Lindsey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCain and daughter spent the week end with Mrs. McCain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pool and family of Houston, N. M. Mr. Pool and son, Jerry Bob, returned to Silvertown with them to spend a few days.

Elmo Fortenberry of South Plains visited with his grandmother, Mrs. N. C. McCain this week.

Receives Award



MISS JOLENE TATE

Receives Scholarship At Texas Baptist College

Miss Jolene Tate, Slaton, and Miss Hazel Patton, Floydada, have been awarded Fannie Breedlove Davis scholarships from District 9 of the Texas Baptist Woman's Missionary Union, for the 1947-48 school year, at Mary Hardin-Baylor college. These two were selected from a group of applicants in 19 counties which comprise the district, according to President Gordon G. Singleton.

Miss Tate is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Tate, 705 South 7th Street, Slaton. She is a graduate of Slaton High School, ranking in the upper half of her class. Upon finishing high school in May, Miss Tate entered Mary Hardin-Baylor in June. She is taking pre-medical courses at the college, and plans to enter Baylor University College of Medicine upon completion of her courses here.

Counties in District 9, from which the two girls were chosen, include Lubbock, Lynn, Garza, Terry, Hockley, Crosby, Dickens, Cochran, Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Briscoe, Swisher, Castro, Parmer, Deaf Smith, and Randall.

No Questionings Made In Post Office Fire Yet

Hopkins County Reunion Planned In Windy West

Bert Hattan, secretary and treasurer of the Hopkins County Reunion way out in the windy west, of Lubbock county, has recently announced that on August 10th the Hopkins County reunion will be held at Lubbock this year.

The meeting will be held at McKenzie State Park at Lubbock, from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. Each family is asked to bring a watermelon, states Mr. Hattan.

This annual reunion was resumed last year following a period during the war years when it was not held. Several hundred former residents of this section were present at that time to again set up the organization. It is believed that attendance this year will be even better.

All former Hopkins County folks who live in Briscoe County are invited to attend the reunion, Mr. Hattan concluded.

Conoco Corner has New Owners; Now The Corner Conoco

The first of this week a deal was closed between the Sweek brothers and Leroy Vardell and Bud Perkins whereby the latter parties became the new owners of the station.

Immediately after taking over, the new owners changed the name of the station from "Conoco Corner" to "Corner Conoco".

The new management wishes to extend to the public a cordial invitation to come in and see them.

Mrs. Coy Chappell Rites Are held in Amarillo

People of this community were shocked the latter part of last week when they learned of the death of Mrs. Coy Chappell, 31, former resident of this city, at her home in Amarillo.

Following the untimely death of Mrs. Chappell last Thursday, funeral services were held in the Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel, Amarillo, on Friday, August 1st. Services were conducted by Rev. Frank Peery.

Evelyn Mona Chappell was born at Silvertown, Texas, May 22, 1916. Here she spent most of her life. She graduated from Silvertown High School and later attended West Texas State College at Canyon.

On April 18th, 1925 she was married to Coy Chappell. To this union were born two children, a daughter, Mary Jo, now 8, and a son, Charles William, 4. For the past seven years they have made

their home in Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. Chappell became a member of the Methodist Church while quite young and was an active member of the San Jacinto Methodist Church at the time of her death. She had been ill almost a year.

Pallbearers were Alvin Redin, Lem Weaver, Bob Hill, Denton Smith, Allen Dickerson, and W. H. Bean. Honorary flower bearers were Mrs. Alvin Redin, Mrs. Lem Weaver, Mrs. Allen Dickerson, Mrs. Virgil Baldwin, Mrs. Roy Grimland, and Mrs. Mae McKeeney. Burial was in Memorial Park.

Survivors include the husband, Coy, daughter, Mary Jo, son, Charles William her mother, Mrs. M. M. Dunn Sr. and four brothers, Tom, Charles, and W. N. Dunn, Jr., all of Amarillo, and Oscar of Lubbock and a host of other relatives and friends of Silvertown and this section.

SWING OF THE SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Except for cotton, most farm products found steady to strong markets last week according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture. However some minor easiness developed in livestock and vegetables.

Active demand for a wide range of cotton qualities failed to stem the downward trend. Prices sagged steadily most of the week, and netted losses of around \$7.50.

Grain prices dipped lower toward midweek but more than recovered later on. Corn soared toward new high marks and closed Friday at \$2.98 for No. 2 white and \$2.41 for yellow in bulk carlots at Fort Worth and Galveston. Barley gained 8 cents.

Harvesting of the large rice crop started in Louisiana last week. Milled rice prices remained firm. Most feed markets continued strong. Hot weather increased demand for alfalfa hay, and prairie hay held steady. Peanuts from this year's crop will be supported at \$201 per ton for base grade southwest Spanish. Manufacturers showed new interest in fall Texas wools to substitute for scarce South Africa types.

With hotter weather late last week demand improved for liberal supplies of watermelons which earlier had found dull markets. Black diamond and Cletex brought mostly 75 cents to \$1.25 at Fort Worth. Cantaloups, tomatoes and corn tended lower most of the week. Peach improvement had not yet reached full volume in the southwest, and prices held about steady. Colorado peas and cauliflower weakened, but potatoes stayed about even. Colorado mixed vegetables found good demand at Kansas City.

Eggs and young chickens continued to sell at firm prices last week, as demand remained good. Mature poultry held about steady in most places. Low grade and current receipt eggs ranged generally from 30 to 35 cents per dozen, while medium grade candled eggs brought around 40 to 45, and top grade 45 to 50, some higher.

Slaughter cattle showed a great deal of easiness on southwest markets last week, while most replacement classes sold at steady to higher levels. Houston took common to medium stocker steers and yearlings at \$13.50 to \$16.50, and calves at \$11 to \$12.50. San Antonio bought medium to good stocker calves at \$16 to \$20, and yearlings at \$15 to \$19. Fort Worth paid \$17 to \$21.50 for medium to good stocker and feeder steers and yearlings, and Oklahoma City gave \$17.50 to \$21 for yearlings. Medium to good steers and year-

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According to a report the first of the week by Postmaster Clay Fowler, no known questionings of individuals have yet been made on the part of inspectors, in regard to the fire which occurred last week and threatened to destroy the local Post Office.

Popular belief of the town's people as well as employees of the Post Office are to the effect that the fire was started by an arsonist.

Postal inspectors, who are still investigating the affair, set the official damage to the Post Office at \$600.00. The figure is \$400.00 less than the unofficial estimate which was given last week.

New Lock On Door

People visiting the Post Office after dark probably noticed a new shiny lock has been added to the Post Office Door. While conversing with the Editor on this subject, Mr. Fowler said, "It has two distinct advantages. First, it is insurance against another fire being started in the lobby and secondly, I don't have to clean up the lobby the next morning due to papers and rubbish being scattered during the night before."

Diabetes Control Urged By State Doctor

Despite the fact that modern medicine can do much to help the diabetic live out a normal life span nevertheless diabetes took a toll of several hundred lives in Texas during the past year, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"While deaths from the communicable diseases such as typhoid fever, malaria, diphtheria, and smallpox are annually decreasing in this country, diabetes is still taking a tragic number of human lives each year, especially in the middle aged group," Dr. Cox said.

"Until recent years diabetes was not noted as a major health problem, but it became accepted as such in direct ratio to the development of medical laboratory procedures, which made the disease more easily diagnosed."

Dr. Cox said that diabetes is generally recognize as a class disease. It seems to attack the white collar class of indoor men and women much more frequently than it does the outdoor person whose work is more vigorous and calls for more exercise. Whatever the actual cause of the disease may be, vocational and economic conditions apparently are factors, since it seems a fact that those persons whose occupations call for manual labor and simple living are not frequently affected.

Dr. Cox stated that simple, wholesome diets, sufficient exercise and sleep are factors in the prevention of diabetes, and an annual physical examination, especially in middle aged persons, is important so that if the disease is present, competent treatment can be instituted while the disease is in its early stage.

Bill Schvey of Tulsa was a business visitor in Silvertown Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Southward of Ralls visited in the Johnnie Lanham home last Thursday night.

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:

- Fred Fortenberry
- W. E. Smith
- Mrs. Ada Cox
- Earl Simpson
- John B. Stapleton
- W. A. Wilson
- W. T. Graham

PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mrs. Clifford Allard was the guest of Miss Alice Smith in Amarillo last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Austin and two children of Robert Lee have been visiting her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd and Mrs. J. W. McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. Algine Turner and Don of Turkey visited in Silvertown Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McCarty and children of Happy and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wyrick and Carolyn of this city spent the week end in Weatherford.

Mrs. J. N. Cantwell's daughter and her family from Canyon visited in Silvertown Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Austin of Altas, Oklahoma were week end visitors in the W. G. Byrd home.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gardner and Robert William of Turnersville, Texas visited in the Jeff Simpson home Monday. Mr. Gardner is a nephew of Mr. Simpson.

Mrs. Will Dunn, and Mr. Coy Chappell and children of Amarillo are visiting relatives and friends in Silvertown this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson and children and Raymond Lindsey saw Harley Sadlers' show in Tulsa Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson are at home here after spending two months visiting their son, Claggett Anderson, of Seattle, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. True Burson, Betty and Don, visited relatives in Dalhart over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens, Ed Vaughan and John Vaughan attended the funeral of J. L. Flowers at Perryton last Thursday.

Marlene Daniels of Los Angeles, California was a guest of Sue Lindsey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCain and daughter spent the week end with Mrs. McCain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pool and family of Houston, N. M. Mr. Pool and son, Jerry Bob, returned to Silvertown with them to spend a few days.

Elmo Fortenberry of South Plains visited with his grandmother, Mrs. N. C. McCain this week.

Annette Wilson spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Wilson, and other relatives at Ralls.

Mrs. M. L. Porter, who has been visiting relatives in Amarillo, Claude, Kirkland, and Canyon, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. G. P. Kirkland of Bronte is a visitor in the home of her son, J. W. McCracken.

Those visiting in the J. T. Neese home Sunday were John Neese and family, Mack Neese and family, both of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neese and family of Borger, Hollis Neese and family from Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Neese of Paris, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brown of Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

W. K. Grimland and son, Woodrow, returned home Wednesday of last week from Santa Fe, N. M., where they went on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and Elmo visited with her mother, Mrs. N. C. McCain, and other relatives last Friday.

Mrs. Scott Dunham and Freddie Scott were Tahoka visitors last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham and Myrna Sue returned from Dallas last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larnee McCain and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Thomas and family left Saturday morning for San Diego, Calif. to take Mr. Thomas' sister who had been visiting here, home.

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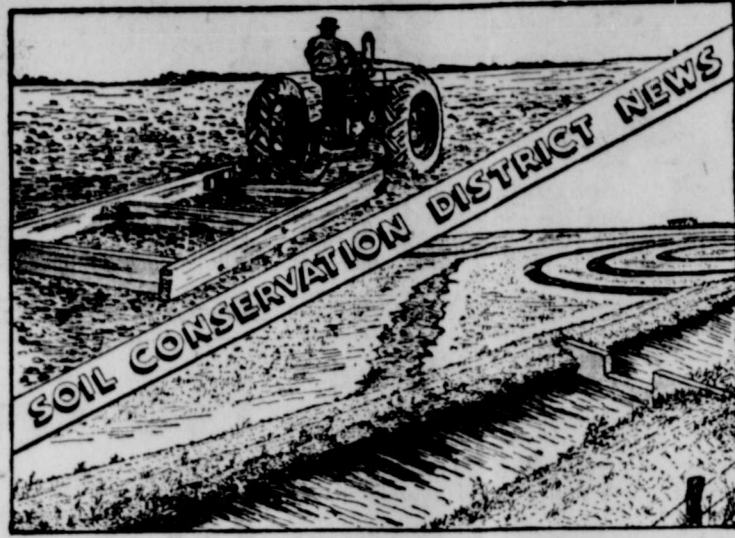
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The European Road...

It has been but two short years since the United States showed its ability to produce the materials needed to win World War II. The electric utility companies of the nation rendered outstanding service in making this production possible. They were able to supply electric power when and where needed to meet the exorbitant demands of war. This is the record of one of the nation's outstanding industries during a national emergency.

President Truman is asking a quick start on a ten-year program for controlling floods and developing the water resources of the Mississippi River basin. This is a sound, non-commercial function of government. But it is a safe bet that the advocates of socialized electric power in the United States will use flood control as the vehicle to build power dams and proceed with such tax exempt properties to force present private electric companies into government ownership in the territory affected, thus establishing a government monopoly of electric power in another vast area of the United States.

President Truman makes no reference to existing electric companies in the flood control message, no invitation is given to private industry to work with the government in the development and distribution of electric power at the various dams. If allowed to do so, private enterprise, publicly regulated, would undoubtedly be glad to join with the government in financing electric development, thus saving the hard-pressed taxpayers enormous sums. Investor-owned electric companies would thus be creating vast new taxable assets to help support government, in contrast with government-owned tax exempt power plants which gradually put taxpaying private plants out of business.

This is something to think about unless the country is ready to go whole hog towards socialization of industry. Are we going to follow the European road to the ultimate destruction of private enterprise and individual opportunity?

H. H. McPherson, farming in the Francis Conservation Group 18 miles southeast of Silverton, has a field of Hubum clover that is looking mighty good, reports Glen M. Jamison, of the Soil Conservation Service. Mr. McPherson, a co-operator with the local Cap Rock Soil Conservation District has 23 head of cattle grazing on approximately 10 acres of clover.

The clover was sown last spring soon after May 1, and is blooming now. The field was mowed once to control weed growth and watered soon after mowing. Only one watering has been given the clover and it seems to be standing up well even through the dry weather of the past months. Mr. McPherson, who is well pleased with the results, plans to sow another field next year to clover and eventually get over his entire irrigated acreage with a soil improving crop.

Elbert Dickerson, farming in the Gregg Conservation Group 13 miles southeast of Silverton, has mowed 30 acres of native pasture to aid in controlling heavy weed growth this past spring and early summer. Mr. Dickerson believes this practice helped his native pasture. A heavy stand of weeds will rise moisture that should be used for grass production and anything that will cut down the use of water will tend to save the moisture for grass use during dry periods.

Edwin Crass, farming in the Crass Conservation Group 7 miles south of the Rock Creek Station, is watering his Hubum clover this week. Only a thin strand was obtained last spring, but Mr. Crass is planning to carry it on through the summer to see what it will do.

Wilbarger County Farmers Get Results From Vetch

Wilbarger County farmers, after their first attempt to grow hairy vetch as a soil building and seed crop, are satisfied with results.

On the sandy soils of the Rolling Plains, hairy vetch has lived up to its advance notices, as far as Wilbarger County is concerned. Frank Wendt, county agricultural agent, reports that the farmers are "elated" over the outcome of planting hairy vetch with rye. The crop has been "invaluable" as a cover crop in holding down sandy soils and has furnished good winter pasture.

The most troublesome part of the vetch-growing—seed harvest—is over now, says County Agent Wendt. After a few bad starts and some trial and error experiences, the farmer harvested from 150 to 800 pounds of seed an acre.

Wilbarger County produced about 250,000 pounds of hairy vetch seed, estimates the county agent, most of which will be used in the county for fall planting.

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Strange home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee and Faith, Mrs. U. D. Brown, Joye and Ann and Junis and Mike Mercer attended the circus in Plainview Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald and family are visiting in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Francis were in Plainview Wednesday evening.
Asbestos was used against fire as long ago as the fifth century B. C.

Iron chain suspensions were constructed years ago.
French Equatorial Africa chased \$3,965 of paper money in the last year.
The most important lumbia is coffee.

FRANCIS NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strange and family were in Plainview Wednesday to see the Clyde Beatty Circus.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McJimsey and Sue were guests in the Scott Smithee home Friday night.

W. A. Rowell was honored on his birthday Monday night when friends and relatives brought ice cream and cake and spent the evening visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch were visitors in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee and Faith, Junis Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and Diane visited in the L. E. Davis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Self were visiting in the U. D. Brown home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cantwell, Nina Zell and Elton left Friday for Denver Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Francis, Wilma Lee and Dale are visiting relatives and fishing in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Strange and family of Lubbock visited in the Edwin Crass and Ernest

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of veal liver—pan-broiling is often preferred for its convenience. It takes less time than broiling and spares the cook the bother of cleaning the broiling pan. In pan-broiling, however, it is necessary to watch the meat more closely while it is cooking.

For best results, a heavy pan is desirable. The pan does not need to be sizzling hot; but the meat will start cooking more quickly if the pan is preheated.

Panbroiling is a dry heat me-

thod, Miss Staggs said. Therefore no extra fat or liquid should be added, and the pan is never covered. Most cuts of meat, she says, have enough fat to prevent their sticking; if the under side is allowed to brown slowly before the meat is turned, the fat will cook out and grease the pan.

After this the meat should be turned occasionally so that it will cook evenly. As fat collects in the pan, it should be poured off so that the meat will not be fried. When

the meat is well browned on both sides, it is seasoned and served immediately on a hot platter. It is best not to add salt at the beginning.

The same tender cuts which are suitable for broiling may also be panbroiled. These include tender beef steaks, lamb chops, sliced ham or bacon and ground beef or lamb patties. Panbroiling is also an excellent way to heat slices of canned pork loaf or ready-to-eat meats.

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In industry, a method of preventing heat cramps is to take a tablet of pure salt or a mixture of salt and dextrose with each drink of water. Workmen whose duties require muscular exertion should be especially careful to add more than the usual amount of salt to what they eat and drink.

Heat cramp is characterized by pains (cramps) in the abdominal region, headache, and in severe cases, by nausea and vomiting. The body temperature remains about normal, likewise the pulse rate. Body salt losses occur without the knowledge of the individual until there is a deficiency; then the abdominal muscles begin to cramp.

Salt deficiency may be prevented by taking salt in various ways. Where prepared tablets are not available, table salt may be added to each drink of water. Milk is a source of salt and will help to make up for the deficiency caused by sweating.

It is a wise precaution to keep the body supplied with salt, and thus avoid much possible suffering and loss of time from heat cramps.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Purity of Heart and Life

LESSON TEXT FOR AUGUST 10—Proverbs 2:1-5, 10-17; 4:14-27; 5:1-4; 31:10-12; James 1:13-15.

MEMORY SELECTION—Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life.—Proverbs 4:23.

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By WILLIAM CULBERTSON, D. D., of The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

IT IS well for us to face squarely such a topic as the one assigned. It is particularly necessary to review the biblical standards with regard to holiness of life, since the day in which we live is one of lowered conceptions.

You will probably remember the story of the celebrated artist who was renowned because of his ability to put on canvas colors of accurate hue and great beauty. His secret was that he kept a number of valuable gems of all colors. He would turn frequently from his painting to study the color of these gems.

We need to spend time with the precious gems of the Word of God that we may clearly understand how he would have us live.

I. True Wisdom Involves the Fear of Jehovah (Prov. 2:1-5).

IN THE opening chapters of Proverbs, Wisdom is personified. Anyone who believes in Jesus Christ cannot help understanding something of his relationship to wisdom. In him "are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge" (Col. 2:3). To those of us who trust him, he has been made unto us wisdom (I Cor. 1:30).

In this passage in Proverbs the point is that if we observe his commandments, if we incline our ears unto wisdom, if we apply our hearts to understanding, if we long for discernment, as earnestly as we would seek for silver and hidden treasures, we shall understand the fear of the Lord and find the knowledge of God.

God will meet every individual who really wants to know him. Said our Lord, "If any man will do his will, he shall know . . ." (John 7:17).

II. True Wisdom Involves Holiness of Life (Prov. 2:10-17; 4:14-17; 5:1-4).

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To truly know God is, of course, to be spared the heartache which results from being deceived by sin and Satan. When wisdom enters the heart, the result is discretion and understanding (Prov. 2:10, 11). Thus God delivers us from the way of evil and from men that speak evil things (v. 12).

Attention should be given to the description of these evil men in verses 12-15. They speak perverse things; they forsake the paths of uprightness; they walk in the ways of darkness; they rejoice to do evil; they delight in the perverseness of evil; their paths are crooked and wayward.

Deliverance from the strange woman is likewise vouchsafed, as we have true wisdom. The description of these women is informative—flattering, forgetful of both friends and God; their lips drop honey; their mouths are smoother than oil.

Notice the conclusion of the matter: In the end they are bitter as wormwood, sharp as a two-edged sword, their feet go down to death, and their steps take hold on Sheol.

How much we need God's wisdom in this world. It is easy to be deceived.

III. True Wisdom Means Peace at the End (Prov. 4:18-27).

To walk with God, to walk in wisdom, is indeed as the dawning light, shining more and more unto the perfect day. If there were no other reward for living for God (and there are many, many others), the benediction at eventide would be enough to cause us to think seriously before we flout the ways of God.

IV. A Representative of True Wisdom (Prov. 31:10-12).

THIS passage describes the wise woman. She is indeed to be extolled. The worthy woman, the woman who loves God, the woman who is therefore wise, is in price far above rubies.

V. Sin's History (James 1:13-15).

THE wise man, the man who will be pure in heart and life, ought to understand something of the history of sin in his individual life. Temptation here refers undoubtedly to a solicitation to evil. God does make trial of men (Gen. 22:1), but he does not dangle before them that which is evil in itself.

The history of personal evil is, that because of our lust we are enticed. Thus when lust has conceived (that is to say, we have succumbed to the enticement), sin is born, and sin, when it is finished—but it is never finished; it goes on and on; no power on earth can arrest it—bringeth forth death.

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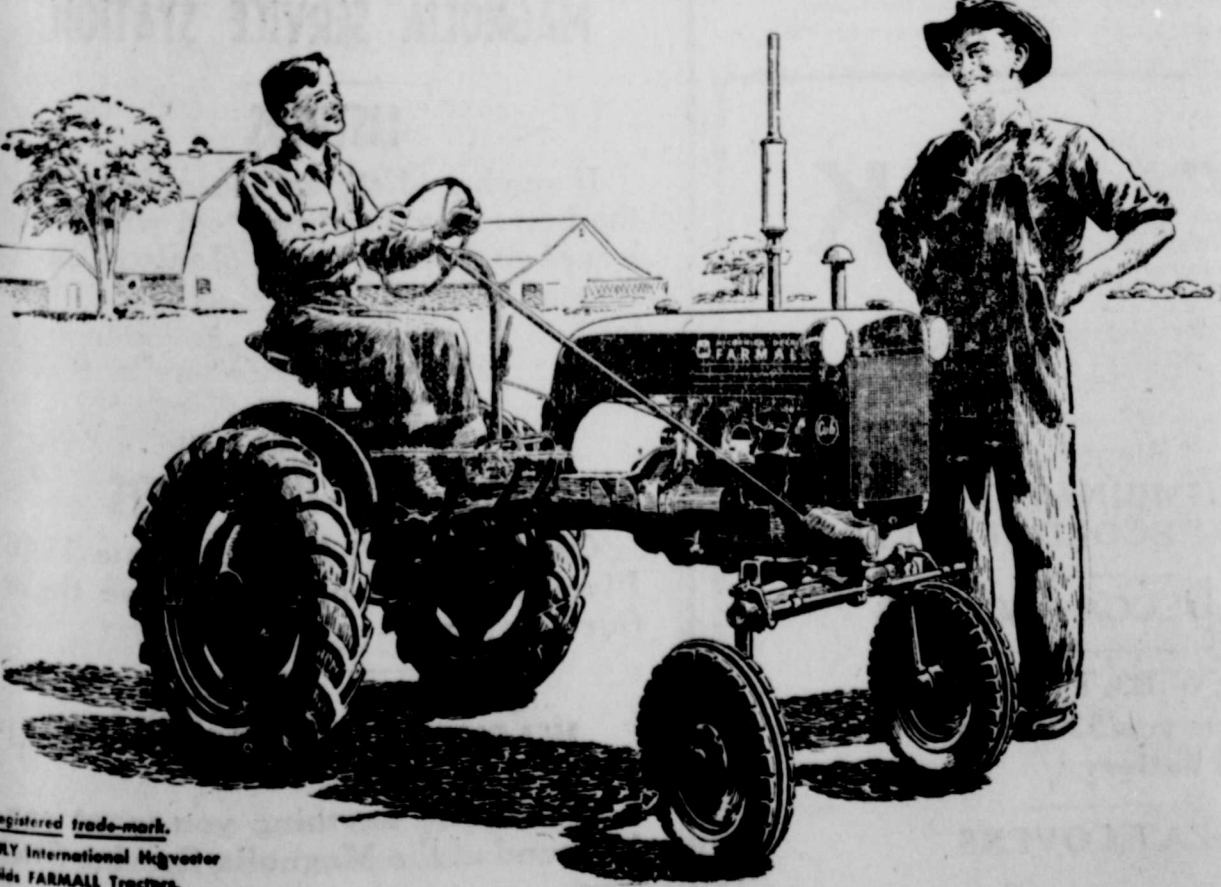
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Tunnell - Weast Vows Solemnized In Local Church

Miss Eloise Tunnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tunnell of Qui-

taque became the bride Sunday morning at 9 o'clock of Donald Weast of this city. The ceremony was performed in the Methodist church at Silvertown with the pastor, Rev. Grady Adcock reading the double ring service.

Floral arrangements of pink and white carnations, pink crepe myrtle, shasta daisies and fern formed a lovely setting for the candle-light service. Larry and Richard Tunnell, brothers of the bride, lighted the tapers in the tall candelabra. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Roy Burgess of Quitaque sang "Some Sunday Morning" accompanied by Miss Willadeen Owens, who also played the traditional wedding marches.

Mrs. Willie Amel Smithee, sister of the bride was matron of honor. She wore a navy suit with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of white gardenias.

Doc Wallace served as best man. The bride entered with her father who gave her in marriage. She was dressed in a street length dress of white crepe, fashioned with basque waist and full skirt. She wore white accessories and her small straw calot was trimmed with white satin bows. She carried a white Bible topped with white gardenias in maline and showered with white satin streamers.

In the bridal tradition, for something old she wore a locket watch on a gold chain, belonging to her sister, something blue were her garters; she carried a borrowed lace handkerchief and her bridal outfit was the something new.

The bride's mother wore black crepe and the bridegroom's mother wore aqua. Both had corsages of white carnations.

About twenty-five guests were present for the wedding ceremony and attended the informal reception which followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Amel Smithee. The bride's cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, was served with Russian tea. Mrs. R. E. Hardberger was in charge of the refreshments, assisted by Misses Billye Tibbetts, Betty Rae Adkins, Billie Rae Hutcherson and Rinkey Holcomb. Miss Margaret Owens presided at the bride's register.

Following the reception the couple left for a honeymoon in Ruidoso, N. M. When they return they will be at home in Silvertown where the bridegroom is associated with his father in farming and ranching.

Mrs. Weast is a graduate of the Quitaque schools and one of the most popular and charming members of the Quitaque younger set. Mr. Weast is a Silvertown high school graduate and has been attending WTS at Canyon.

Helping Hand Club Meets In Smithee Home

The Helping Hand Club met Thursday with Mrs. Scott Smithee. The afternoon was spent playing games.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames U. D. Brown, L. A. Calloway, F. A. Fisch, Charles Francis, Hollie Francis, Alva C. Jasper, P. D. Jasper, Jack Jewell, Aubrey Rowell, Wade Steele, and R. E. Belle.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Wade Steele.

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One of the many scenes of "The Time, The Place and The Girl" with Denise Morgan, Jack Carson, John Price and Martha Vickers.

North Ward Club Has Meeting With Mrs. Ely

On July 16, the North Ward Club met with Mrs. Herman Ely and one quilt was quilted. These members were present: Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Bill Edwards, Herbert Brown, M. M. Edwards, Winston Hamilton, Shorty Hartman, Mozelle Sanders, Buck Lancaster, Floyd Woods and hostess, Mrs. Ely.

One visitor, Mrs. Willis from Lubbock was there. Due to the fact that several members are taking vacations in the next few weeks, the meeting for August has been called off.

The next meeting has been set for September 17 in the home of Mrs. Winston Hamilton.

Bailey Hills Entertain With Ice Cream Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill entertained the Methodist Young People and their guests with an ice cream supper Thursday night, July 31st in their home east of town.

Those present were: Betty Gardner, Jeanne Dudley, Juahita Edwards, Polly Chitty, Hazel Chitty, Alma Jewel Leuty, Mary Lou Bellinger, Rose Williams, Neva Joye Reithmeyer, Betty Lynn Marshall, Joyce Dell Hardin, Katie Kincaid, Johnnie Bell Kincaid, Melba Jean Estes, Beth Joiner, Jamillia Turner, Pat Baird, Jack Paige, Donald Paige, Alvie Morris, Haskell Shelton, Dan Shelton, Ed Shelton, Clifton Beardin, J. C. Kincaid, Jerry Simpson, and Dick Turner.

Mrs. Afton Teague Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Afton Teague was honored Tuesday afternoon July 29, with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. J. W. Brannon.

Seasonal flowers decorated the reception room and musical selections were featured during the tea hour.

Mrs. Walter Brannon presided at the guest register while Mrs. Clifford Allard, Mrs. Seymour Brannon and Mrs. H. L. O. Riddell presided at the punch bowl and

FARM MARKET—

lings brought \$17 to \$20 at Wichita.

Most hog markets closed the week 25 to 50 cents or more higher but For. Worth and Oklahoma City netted slight losses on butcher classes. Closing top was \$26.50 at San Antonio and Fort Worth; \$27.50 at Oklahoma City; and \$28 at Wichita.

Sheep and lambs sold steady to a little higher than a week earlier. Medium spring lambs brought \$15 to \$19 at San Antonio, and medium to good kinds \$19 to \$22 at Fort Worth. Good and choice native spring lambs closed around \$23 at Wichita, and \$25.25 to \$26 at Denver. Oklahoma City paid up to \$22.50. Lamb crop for 1947 was announced at 22,369,000 head, 9 percent below 1946, and 26 percent below average.

assisted in the dining room.

More than eighty called during the afternoon and many sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Teague will make their home in Tulsa.

Mrs. J. W. Lyons, Jr. Is Hostess to Local L. T. D. Club

The L. T. D. Club met on Tuesday, August 5th at the home of Mrs. J. W. Lyons, Jr. for the regular meeting of the club.

"Guess What's" were given to Mrs. Dillard Scott and Mrs. Johnnie Lanham.

Refreshments of Angel Food cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames Bob Hill, Johnnie Lanham, "Duch" Tidwell, Ware Ferguson, Dillard Scott, and Obro Watson.

The next meeting of the club will be on August 19th in the home of Mrs. Dillard Scott.

Rock Creek Ladies Meeting With Mrs. E. Stephens

The Rock Creek Club met in the home of Mrs. Elbert Stephens on July 29th for their regular meeting where one quilt was quilted during the afternoon social.

Members present and enjoying the meeting were Verna Allison, Marie Garrison, Mrs. W. W. Reid, Eula Shelton, Margie Turner, Ruth West and the hostess.

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Mary Francis Dudley Entertains With Backward Party

Mary Francis Dudley entertained with a backward party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Dudley, Wednesday night, August 6th. Each guest wore his clothes backwards and arrived at the party walking backward. Games were played in the back-

yard. Prizes were given to Junis Mason and Freddie and Melvin Hamilton for the best costumes. Beth Mason, winner of the bubble gum contest, also won a prize.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, cookies and punch were served by Kay Steele, Junis Mercer, Sandra Mallow, Gay Merrill, Pat Patton, Shirley Cleveland, Martha Dudley, Beth Mason, Freddie and Melvin Hamilton, Tommy Strange, Bomar, Joe Wayne Brooks, Cayle Satterfield, and the hostess, Mary Francis Dudley.

Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Sr. daughter, Mrs. Richard Hill, were in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

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Seventy-four schools, colleges and public institutions of Texas were winning recipients of WAA's first donation program of machine tools to be used in vocational training. Because of the large number of applicants from all sections of the state, an impartial drawing was conducted by the Grand Prairie priority claimants division, with the results that the free machine tools were awarded to 34 public schools, 13 vocational schools, 12 colleges, eight federal and state institutions, two cities and two citizenship groups. The division is now engaged in a second donation offer.

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Next morning, I was awakened by a heavy clap of thunder. The Oklahoma City weatherman had

predicted "No rain," so all the weather did was to present an electric storm, whip up a 59-mile an hour wind that flattened some temporary buildings and pour down three inches of rain in a couple of hours. In fact, the weatherman missed so badly, I thought I was back in Texas.

The visitor was made to feel like "visiting fireman" for Fire Chief McAlpine took me on a tour of the city. Half a mile before you get to the Capitol, there is a row of oil wells on State-owned land. The derrick of the last one is a hundred yards or so from the Capitol but the hole was so curved by directional drilling that the bottom is under the capitol.

In front of that structure is an immense flight of steps. You climb it and then, before you can break

into a smile of triumph, there is an even more immense flight of steps in front of you. You climb that—and discover that you are on the third floor of the building! The Capitol is a very impressive edifice.

One of the biggest thrills in visiting Dallas is to ride the street cars. Lately, I've had to go back and forth between the office of Harley Hightower in Oak Cliff (he is the publisher of "Cub Reporter") and downtown Dallas quite a bit and the street cars cross the Trinity on a long trestle-like bridge, with a few rises, dips and curves thrown in—negotiated at so lively a pace that it reminds one of the "thriller" at an amusement park. Look below and you see cars crawling along a highway, engines puffing through railroad yards and tiny figures of fishermen on the bank of the river. The wheels of the trolley rattle and clatter and it sways up and down and the wind tosses your hair. All this for only 8 cents.

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Veterans' News

Military personnel being separated from the armed forces may use their terminal leave orders as a basis for obtaining a temporary six-month certificate of eligibility for education or training under the G. I. Bill, the Veterans Administration has announced.

Under the new plan, if the applicant's orders reflect at least eight days of terminal leave, it will not be necessary for VA to check

What's Doing in the Churches

THE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Grady Adeock, Pastor
Sunday School 9:00
Morning Service 11:00
Children's and Young People's Meeting 7:00
Evening Service 7:30
WCSA 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 3:20

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Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Preaching 11:00
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W. M. U., Monday 3:30
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:15

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TUE 5 ON THIS DAY IN 1864 ADMIRAL FARRAGUT AT MOBILE BAY UTTERED HIS FAMOUS CRY "DOWN THE THROAT OF THE ENEMY! FULL SPEED AHEAD!"

WED 6 21 YEARS AGO GERTRUDE EPERLE SWAM THE ENGLISH CHANNEL

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VACATION TIME
SPEED YOUR NEAR AND DEAR ONES ON THEIR VACATION TRIPS WITH TRAVEL AND BON VOYAGE GREETING CARDS

FRI 8 47 YEARS AGO THE FIRST TENNIS MATCHES IN THE DAVIS CUP SERIES WERE HELD

SAT 9 BIRTHDAY OF ISAAC WALTON "FATHER OF ANGLING" AUTHOR OF "THE COMPLETE ANGLER"

SUN 10 73RD BIRTHDAY OF HERBERT HOOVER, 51ST PRESIDENT OF THE U.S.

FARM FACTS WORTH KNOWING

Q. Shouldn't calves vaccinated for Bang's disease stop reacting to the test?
A. About 5% of the calves vaccinated do not stop reacting. These should not be bred, and if they continue to react until they are 24 months of age, they should be considered actively infected and sold for slaughter.

Q. Just how effective is 2,4-D as a weed killer? Does it increase the yield per acre to any appreciable extent?
A. According to a carefully controlled experiment made at the Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company recently, there was an increase of 2.8 tons of grass per acre in seven weeks as a result of pasture weed control with 2,4-D spray. Before the test, samples of weeds and grasses were taken from all pastures to be tested. Weeds and grasses when weighed separately averaged 63% weeds and 37% grasses on all plots. Seven weeks after the treatment of some of the plots with Purina Weed Killer, samples were taken again with the result that untreated plots averaged 52% weeds and 48% grasses while plots treated with 2,4-D Weed Killer averaged 97% grasses and only 3% weeds. The weeds involved were predominantly dandelions, chickweed, henbit, dock and plantain. The grasses were timothy, red top, blue grass and lespedeza.

Q. If sheep are sprayed with DDT, will the fleece have to be sprayed again in the warehouse to keep the moths out?
A. No. Dr. Leonard Haseman of the University of Missouri has advocated dipping the sheep instead of spraying the bales of wool in warehouses. By dipping the sheep, Dr. Haseman says that the fleece is not only protected against moths for as long as two years, but the sheep are protected against lice and ticks for some time.

Q. Which breed of chickens holds the record for egg production in standard egg laying contest?
A. The all time record was made in 1943 by a Rhode Island Red which laid 351 eggs.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 215 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Mo. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, at a service of this newspaper.

About two out of every three of the 1,825,000 veterans recently enrolled in educational institutions under the G-I Bill are taking courses leading to definite job objectives, VA said.

VA arrived at this conclusion from a sampling of the records of veterans who were enrolled in schools, colleges, universities and other institutions on May 1.

Engineering ranked first with 229,000 students and crafts and trades was second with 208,300 students. Third in popularity were commercial courses with 154,000 students. Business administration was fourth with 146,400 students.

Those courses which VA considers as not generally falling within a definite job objective classification include liberal arts, physical and natural science, elementary school courses, and others.

Liberal arts courses accounted for the largest number of enrollees—392,500—in the latter group.

Veterans enrolled in other courses included: agriculture, 69,518; art, 42,000; education, 56,615; flight training 81,494; law, 33,233; medicine, 59,316; theology, 8,979; journalism, 10,514; music, 22,338; natural science, 45,977; social studies, 35,124.

The first flag officer of the Navy to meet death in World War II was Rear Admiral Isaac Campbell Kidd. When the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor, he courageously directed the action of his flagship ARIZONA, until she was destroyed by magazine explosions and a direct bomb hit on the bridge, resulting in his death.

Vice Admiral Alfred Eugene Montgomery, veteran Pacific Task Group Commander of World War II, is one of the few officers of the U. S. Navy who are both qualified aviators and submariners, and therefore entitled to wear both the

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Navy Wings and the Gold Dolphins.

The most famous architectural group in Italy is the polychrome Cathedral of Pisa and the Leaning Tower.

The African snail, a wartime introduction into Pacific islands, which threatens wide destruction of plant life there, sometimes has a shell more than six inches long.

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ARMY NEWS FROM HEPE & THERE

Army Canned Food
The rusting of cans containing food caused much waste early in the war and so a small machine was developed to clean the cans and they were then painted. This painting of cans makes them last longer and prevents them from

reflecting light in the field. The Quartermaster Corps is now working on a canned pound cake. As yet it is not a part of a ration, but an attempt is being made to anticipate late future demand. Already, they have made fruit cake, angel food cake, and a date pudding as well as a one-man can of jam. Another development is in the line of bread, covering it with aluminium foil. It is believed that with the proper technique of pack-

aging, bread will last for several months though not in a can.

Recruiting
The 1,780 stations of the Army Recruiting Service will actively aid the National Guard in reaching its goal of 682,000 men. The War Department states that "The new National Guard will be a tactical force ready for immediate service in the event of any enemy aggression, and the Army Recruiting Service will lend positive assistance in the further development of this M-Day force."

Visits To Relatives
Persons desiring to visit aged or ailing parents or other aged relatives living in the American or British zones of Germany will be able to do so at an early date according to an announcement by the War Department Civil Affairs Division. Quotas are being established to permit 400 persons to enter the U. S. Zone during each three-month period and fifty each month to the British Zone. Military Permit Section, Civil Affairs Division, War Department, has announced that it will accept applications after August 1st subject to the understanding of the applicant that compassionate travel procedures will in no way waive the normal passport requirements set up by the Department of State.

Weapons Project
The War and Navy Departments have announced the approval by General Eisenhower and Admiral Nimitz of a program and plan of operation for the Armed Forces Special Weapons Project. In addition to assuming the responsibility of carrying on the military service functions of the Manhattan Project, the program of the AFSWP includes training of special personnel, military participation in the development of atomic weapons, and developing and affecting joint radiological safety measures in coordination with established agencies. It will maintain close liaison with the Atomic Energy Commission. The project is commanded by Major General Leslie R. Groves and its principal field installation is Sandia Base located at Albuquerque, New



Mexico, commanded by Brigadier General Robert M. Montague.

Army Nurse Corps
It has been announced by General Jonathon M. Wainwright, Fourth Army Commander, that applications for Regular Army Commission will be accepted up until September 30, 1947. Registered nurses with previous military service who are between the ages of 21 and 35 may apply for commissions in the Regular Army. Application forms can be secured from any Army Hospital, Fourth Army Headquarters, and from the Surgeon General, Washington, 25, D. C.

Communication Devise
The Optiphone, an ingenious device which permits telephone communication over a narrow beam of white or dark light has been displayed to the public for the first time by the U. S. Army Signal Corps. It is designated as telephone link equipment for point-to-point communication where the laying of wire lines is impossible or impractical and where radio silence is necessary. The Optiphone provides single-channel, two-way, break-in speech communication and consists of an optical unit, a control unit, a storage battery, and a field telephone. The unit weighs 145 pounds and has a range of 4 miles during the day and up to 7 miles at night with a dark red filter. The field telephone is used directly with the equipment for point-to-point communication.

Lela Fae Morrison Becomes Bride of Son Washington

Miss Lela Fae Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morrison of Quitaque, and James (Son) Washington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Washington of Spring Lake, formerly of Flomot and a recent employee of the Silverton Dry Cleaners, were married Saturday evening at 9:45 at the Baptist parsonage in this city, the pastor, Rev. G. A. Elrod reading the ceremony.

The couple was accompanied by Miss Billie Rae Hutcheson of Quitaque and Orville Washington of Flomot who served as bridesmaid and best man.

The bride wore a white dress with white accessories and her flowers were pink carnations in a shoulder corsage. The bridesmaid wore navy blue and a corsage of white carnations.

Following a short honeymoon trip the couple are making their home at Quitaque.

Mrs. Washington is a graduate of the Quitaque schools and attended Texas Tech. Mr. Washington attended the Flomot schools. He served two years in the navy during the war, being stationed in the Pacific theatre and received his discharge in the summer of 1946.

An evil-looking land mine was unexpectedly dug up by Dale Gretton of Lansing, Mich., when he was a machinists mate, second class with the Navy's Seabees on Saipan, where he operated a shovel crane.

How did he react to his "surprise package"? After his initial startled cry of "Wow!" he said, "it seemed like ten years before I got it back on the ground."

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Business Going Downhill Report By University Shows

All business indicators prepared by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research point to future downward trends in the volume of goods sold through retail stores. Retail trade in Texas seems to have reached its post-war peak and the leveling-off or "firming up" of trade seems to be taking place now. Sales sagged 11 per cent from May to June, but after adjustment for the expected seasonal drop, the decline in sales was 6 per cent for the month. Independent retail stores reported that sales were 10 per cent above June 1946 levels. However, the steady rise in prices during the last 12 months cancels out this gain in dollar sales since the actual physical volume of goods crossing the counters is down.

Estimated retail sales slid to \$357,800,000 in June. After adjustment for seasonal variation, only jewelry store and apparel store sales increased over May.

The buyer is now at the wheel, steering a course based on selectivity in buying. He is shopping around for bargains and where he feels that he is not getting true value in return for his money, he is simply putting off purchases until some future date. Large cities suffered more than small ones in the slackening sales pace, as cities with a population over 100,000 saw a 14 per cent decline and towns under 2,500 population felt sales dip only 4 per cent.

Country general stores conformed to statewide trends as sales slid 10 per cent during the month. The June-to-June comparison, however, reveals a 6 per cent hike in sales.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ed Stodghill and children were transacting business in Plainview Tuesday.

Three-Point Program Recommended For Section's Farmers

A three-point program for farmers and ranchers under today's "high price conditions" was recommended by officers and directors of five production credit associations in annual conference in Amarillo on July 30 and 31, according to D. T. Northcutt, Vice-President of the Plainview Association.

First, the group recommended that proper soil conservation practices be followed. Mr. Northcutt said, "Good productive land is the best assurance of future income from which to meet expenses and repay debts. The more a farmer or rancher does to protect and build his soil, the better credit rating he will have with his production credit association. The association can go with him further and stay with him longer if he keeps his land highly productive so he can get a better income from his operations year after year."

Second, the directors recommended that farmers and ranchers reduce debts while prices are high. Figures were cited showing that in 1919 it took 11 steers weighing 1,000 pounds each to pay a \$1,000 debt. In 1932, it took 24 steers; in 1939-45, in 1941-42, in 1945-48, in 1946-7.

Third, the group recommended that production credit associations complete their job of retiring their government capital. Reports showed that on May 31, 1947 the 36 associations in Texas had \$3,856,389 in earned surplus, \$6,227,090 in member-owned capital and the governments investment is down to \$2,455,000.

The Plainview Production Credit Association has 1,007 stockholders, a total earned surplus of \$80,250, and a member-owned stock of \$183,120, with a government capital investment of \$50,000. "Our plans are to repay \$45,000 of this government capital by the end of 1947," Mr. Northcutt said.

The association was represented at the Amarillo conference by the following directors: W. A. Painter, Plainview; W. W. Branscum, Muleshoe; D. T. Northcutt, Silverton; R. A. Axtell, Dimmitt; and by M. R. Snyder, Secretary-Treasurer.

1947-48 Texas Almanac Published By Dallas News

A record of wartime and post-war economic, political and social development in Texas is portrayed in the half million or more facts presented in the 1947-48 edition of the Texas Almanac which has just been published by the Dallas Morning News.

Industrial development in the period, 1940-46, inclusive, was greater than all previous Texas history. As measured by number of employees there was a net gain of more than 100 per cent even after the closing of some of the large war plants. As measured by value of products, the gain was more than 200 per cent. State and national bank assets were up 200 per cent and other data indicate a general advance of 100-200 per cent in the state's industry, commerce and finance.

Momentous in this development has been a net increase in the state's population. There has been a large shifting from rural to urban residence and vocation, with an accompanying rapid decline in farm tenancy. Big increases in

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WANTED—Natural gas iron, new or used. Mrs. A. P. Dickenson, Box 432, Silverton. 31-11p

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of August, 1947, the Trustees of Silverton Independent School District of Silverton, Texas will receive bids for Depository for all the funds of said school district, for the ensuing two years beginning September 1st, 1947.

Respectfully yours, Board of Trustees of Silverton ISD. 31-21c

CAP OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of sincerely expressing our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their many deeds of kindness and words of sympathy extended us upon the death of dear husband, brother, and son. We also wish to thank you for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

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average farm acreage and high degree of farm mechanization are recorded. The large industrial expansion, data presented by the Texas Almanac show, solved an accumulated problem of fifteen years of declining cotton acreage by giving employment to displaced tenants and greatly increasing the average individual income of both rural and urban population.

Features of the new Texas Almanac include complete text of the State Constitution with historical notations on all present and past amendments. The book presents an interesting account of Texas' activities in World War II, revised population estimates for late 1946 in all counties, cities towns and villages. There is a complete summary of the new agricultural census and extensive information on



NOTICE — Silverton Masonic Lodge No. 754 will have its regular meeting, Tuesday, Aug. 11 at 8:00 p.m. All masters urged to attend. 11-11c

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the cattle industry, which now brings greater cash income than Texas crops, including a history on the development of ranching.

There are extensive reviews of postwar oil, gas and other mineral production, manufacturing, communication and transportation, including rail highway, aviation and shipping. An extensive chapter on State Government, gives a catalogue of all officials, detail of state finances, including statistics of educational support, eleemosynary institutions and public welfare, including old-age and other pensions.

The 608-page book containing approximately 750,000 words and statistical word-equivalents, covers several thousand separate subjects, including such diversity as rainfall data, a forestry survey of East Texas, flora and fauna, religious bodies, recreational resources and state national parks and forests, libraries, penitentiary system and complete political calendar for 1948. There are also the usual revised lists including all county officials, officials of the various civic and commercial organizations superintendents of the independent school districts, detailed election returns and revised, up-to-date articles on the 254 counties, accompanied by revised individual county maps. The volume also has the usual large folded highway and railroad maps revised to March 1, 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Odom and children of Vigo were Silverton visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Hugh Stodghill and Mrs. Ada Cox were in Tulsa on business Wednesday.

Charlie Holt and Daniel, Jr., who are in Plainview, spent the week in Ralls.

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Thursday, August 14th at 8:30 P. M.

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

(There'll Be Ice Cream Too)

THE SENIOR GIRL SCOUTS



We have purchased the old Conoco Station from the Sweek's Brothers and are now open and soliciting your patronage.

All old customers of the Sweek Brothers are invited to continue trading at our station. If you didn't trade with them we will appreciate your paying us a visit.

Plenty of the best grade gas and oil is available here. Visit us.

Corner Conoco

Bud Perkins

Leroy Vardell

YOU CAN'T GO WRONG BY SHOPPING OUR STORE FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS—

Wear Ever Aluminum Ware

New Shotguns and Rifles

Only a Few Gas Ranges Left (Better Price one of These Now)

One Gibson Home Deep Freezer

National Cookers and Burpee Cookers

Seaney's - Silverton