

## Wheat Harvest Rapidly Spreads Over Region

A rapidly growing wheat harvest, approximately ten days earlier than the usual harvest, is enveloping Sherman County and its surrounding territory.

Early reports indicate that the wheat is testing from 64 to 65. Fields considered to be the poorest are averaging 8 to 15 bushels to the acre. Other fields are producing from 17 to 22 bushels to the acre with some 30 bushel to an acre wheat being produced.

Trucks and available labor seem to be sufficient to carry on the harvest but it is believed that about 30 more combines could be used in this section profitably to complete the harvest season.

Rains south, north and east of Stratford Tuesday night, almost shut down harvest operations Wednesday morning. Rain and hail storms are reported to have fallen from Springfield, Colorado, to Boise City, Oklahoma, causing the sudden drop in temperature which had heralded the harvest season.

**Non-Residents Return**  
A large number of non-resident land owners who return annually for the harvest season have arrived in Stratford this week. Among them are Adolph Hitz of Alhambra Illinois; John W. Short of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; and J. W. Scott of Kiowa, Kansas.

**Grainmen Have Troubles**  
Shortage of railroad cars, and the farmers desire to wait the entire 15-days before selling his wheat in order to possibly take advantage of any change in government policy which might give them an opportunity to get higher prices for their wheat before selling has placed grainmen in a precarious position in their attempt to care for the golden grain which has been rolling in daily in a volume of something like 60,000 bushels a day.

Freight cars which would relieve the strain on elevators are expected to arrive this week.

## Royal Pendleton Honored Father's Day

Royal Pendleton was honored on his birthday, Sunday, with a family reunion, and birthday dinner.

Those present were his son, Walter M. Pendleton, wife and son; his daughter, Mrs. Henry Moseley and husband, Atlanta, Georgia; and another son, Bob Pendleton and wife of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. O. H. Finch, her husband and son, Orville, Dalhart; a sister, Mrs. Joe Story and her two daughters, Dalhart; another sister, Mrs. W. W. Steel and Mr. Steel, and their two sons, John Steel, wife and son, and W. W. Steel and wife; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton, and Mr. and Mrs. Moseley left Monday for Springfield and Denver, Colorado and will visit other places before returning home.

## Down 1900 Feet In Blankenship Well

Drilling continued at the Cities Service Blankenship No. 1 this week at 1,900 feet with rotary tools. Continued trouble with drilling equipment has delayed operations.

## Political Announcements

(Authorized Political Announcements subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary to be held Saturday, July 27, 1946.)

**For Sheriff, Tax Assessor, and Collector:**  
JOHN KIDWELL.

**For County Judge and Ex-Officio Superintendent of Schools:**  
L. P. HUNTER.

**For District Attorney, 69th Judicial District:**  
KING FIKE.  
FLOYD H. RICHARDS.

**For County Treasurer:**  
MRS. GERTRUDE WOODARD.

**For County and District Clerk:**  
MRS. LELAH BONEY.

**For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:**  
ROSCOE DYESS.

**For County Commissioner; Precinct No. 2:**  
E. W. CARTER.  
SIDNEY H. PARK.

**For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:**  
E. E. HAMILTON.

**For State Representative, 124th Legislative District:**  
WILLIAM J. (BILL) CRAIG.

**For District Judge, 69th Judicial District:**  
HARRY SCHULTZ.

## Last Rites Conducted Monday For B. E. Dooley

Bookard E. Dooley, Sherman County stock farmer died Friday night at 11:15 o'clock at St. Anthony's Hospital. He was 68 years old.

He had been a resident of the Panhandle since 1911, coming from San Saba County. He first settled in Hutchinson County, farming there three years before moving to Moore County. He had engaged in stock farming in Sherman County since 1919.

He is survived by his wife, nine sons and two daughters. Sons are Emmitt Dooley, Canyon, and Scott Dooley, Bill Dooley, Tim Dooley, Terry Dooley, Lee Dooley, and Tip Dooley, all of Sunray; Charles Dooley of Stinnett, and Ackett Dooley of Borger. Daughters are Mrs. Claude Keener and Miss Bertha Dooley of Amarillo.

Also surviving are a brother, Walter Dooley, Elmer, Okla., three half brothers, Jack McGee, Chilli-cothe, Willard Henderson, Amarillo, and Emmitt Henderson, Tyler; thirteen grandchildren and one great-grand-child.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the Church of Christ, Sunray.

Pallbearers were Joe Roberts, Pete Hall, Cary Gray, Hose Flores, Arthur Corse and Dr. F. I. Reid. Burial was made in the Dumas cemetery.

## OUR DOCTOR

(A Tribute to Dr. J. W. Norvell by Mrs. Lena B. Keenan)

He was just an old country doctor, In a little Texas town. Fame and fortune, passed him by, But we never saw him frown.

Day by day in his kindly way, He served us one and all. Many a patient forgot to pay, Although Doc's fee was small.

But our old Doc didn't seem to mind, He didn't send out bills. It seemed he only wished to find Sure cure for aches and ills.

He healed the sick and helped the poor, And brought in babies by the score. He watched them grow from tot to teen, With watchful care and inside keen.

He kept on helping folks get well His heart was just pure gold. But anyone with eyes could see, Our Doc was getting old.

He passed away the first of May His work on earth well done Mid tears and flowers he was laid to rest To wait the coming dawn.

## WSCS Met Wednesday

The W. S. C. S. met Wednesday at 3:00 o'clock at the Methodist Church. Thirteen members were present.

Mrs. Emil Blanck presided. The meeting opened with the song, "A Charge to Keep I have." Mrs. Blanck led in prayer.

Mrs. King had charge of the lesson, using the Methodist Primer by Dr. Charles C. Selectman. Mrs. Harrison gave the history of the Methodist Church, and Mrs. King the doctrines and government. Mrs. Gamble led the closing prayer.

The next meeting will be a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Tim Flores June 26 at 3:00 o'clock.

## Correction

Members of the senior class of 1945 of the Stratford High School should have received credit for donating \$415.00 of the \$1,050.00 fund made available for construction of tennis courts near the school house as reported last week.

## Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Intermediate MYF 6:00 P. M. Senior MYF 6:30 P. M. Evening Worship 7:30 P. M. Woman's Society of Christian Service each Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.

Choir rehearsal each Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. Youth play night each Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M.

## American -ism?



There is no mystery in Americanism. It is the warrant that any man may be Master of his Fate and Captain of his Soul.

The National Americanism Endowment Fund, headed by President Truman, is asking the Americans of Texas to contribute \$450,000.00 toward the national goal of a \$15,000,000 trust fund to further a broad and urgent program of widespread education in the fundamentals of Constitutional Americanism. Make your check payable to The American Legion—Americanism Endowment Fund—Austin, Texas.

## Dalhart XIT Celebration June 22-24

DALHART, June 19.—Pageantry of the Old West, in all its pre-war brilliance, will return to Dalhart Saturday, Sunday and Monday, June 22-24, when the Tenth Annual XIT Reunion is held. Amarillo has already announced it will run a special train to Dalhart Monday.

This biggest celebration in the West, based on the history of a ranch, will open Saturday night with Western regalia dances and wind up with another brace of dances Monday night.

Two professional rodeos will be given, one at 2:00 P. M. Sunday and at 7:30 P. M. Monday. The salty Buetler Bros. stock from Elk City, Oklahoma, will be used, and some of the top hands of the professional rodeo circuits will be in the arena.

There will be free boat races on Dalhart's Rita Blanca lake Monday afternoon at 2:00. At least three events are assured, one of them a free-for-all, and entries from Pampa, Borger, Amarillo and Plainview are believed certain.

The annual XIT parade, planned as one of the most colorful pageants the Panhandle has ever seen will loop through the downtown section at 5:00 p. m. Monday.

Special preparations are being made to welcome and entertain Southwestern pioneers. They will have special headquarters where they can get together, swap yarns, listen to old-time fiddlers, square dance if they wish and otherwise do just as they please.

All XIT'ers, those men and women who once worked for the famed three million acre Panhandle spread which Texas traded for its state capitol in the 1880's, will be served a free dinner Monday noon. Also, W. O. (Bill) Cuberson, Sr., himself an old XIT'er and for years a member of the renowned Coon & Cuberson ranch firm, has announced he will have a steak fry for all former XIT hands at his home, beginning Sunday afternoon at 2:00.

## Mrs. Blankenship Hostess To LaCiencia

The LaCiencia club met last Thursday with Mrs. O. R. Blankenship. Several members were absent. Visitors were Mrs. Calvird, and two daughters, Mrs. Dortch and Mrs. Wilson, and Mrs. John Knight.

## Assembly of God Church

Welcome to Assembly of God Church, across street from Court-house.

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Evangelistic service Sunday evening 8:00 P. M. Bible study and Prayer Meeting Thursday 8:00 P. M.

## Compromise Draft May Include 18-Year Olds

WASHINGTON. — From a ship mid-Pacific bound for the atomic bomb test, Representative Andrews of New York flashed an apparently decisive vote for drafting 18-year olds again after October 1.

His radio message from the USS Panamint breaks a 3-3 tie among the House members of a congressional conference committee, of which he is a member. The committee is now expected to approve the plan for inducting 18-year olds barring unforeseen developments.

This will clear the way for final agreement on the disputed draft extension bill when the conference committee meets again today.

**Must Serve In U. S.**  
Andrews' message directed that his proxy be cast in favor of a compromise which the Senate members of the committee proposed and on which his House colleagues split. It provides that inductions of 18-year olds, now suspended, may be resumed after October 1 if the President certifies that they are needed, although they may serve only in this country until they become 19.

The proxy which Andrews had left behind when he departed for the Bikini Atoll bomb test had provided for his vote to be cast in favor of drafting 18 and 19-year olds "without restriction." As a result, his colleagues cast the vote against the compromise, although the choice at that stage lay between drafting teen-agers with restrictions or not drafting them at all.

**President Would Decide**  
The unusual situation came about in this way:

The House voted to exempt teen-agers from the draft. The Senate voted to induct them.

In the conference committee, the House conferees proposed a compromise. It would permit 19-year olds to be drafted without important restriction, and 18-year olds to be drafted after October 1 if the President certifies that this is necessary; the 18-year olds could not be sent overseas until they become 19.

There are seven Senate conferees and seven House conferees, and each group votes as a unit. The House conferees voted 4 to 3 against the Senate proposal, with Andrews' proxy among the four.

**Pay Boosts Due**  
The House conferees had offered a compromise of their own. It would permit the induction of 19-year olds but exempt 18-year olds, but the Senate conferees opposed this, 4 to 3.

Chairman Thomas of Utah of the Senate military committee was among the three favoring the

## Church Of Christ

Bro. Newman is vacating. A. C. Huff has preached the last two Sundays. Interest is good in all services. Attendance is growing. Come and be with us.

## Early Therapy Prevents Polio Disfigurement

### DDT Recommendation

Texas county agricultural agents have been advised that for the present, the only treatment recommended by the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service for control of horn flies, lice and mosquitoes on livestock in wettable DDT powder.

DDT for this purpose is now on the market in two very different forms, 1, dry, in wettable powder and 2, liquid, in oil or xylene solutions or emulsions. Both forms may be diluted with water for use as a spray or dip.

The decision to recommend only DDT in wettable powder form for use on livestock was made by a committee of entomologists and animal husbandmen who checked all known sources of information. The group will make further recommendations as research on DDT goes on.

The committee pointed out that DDT in wettable powder goes into suspension when diluted with water for use as a spray or dip. There was no evidence that it was harmful to animals even if used at strength somewhat greater than that recommended by the manufacturer.

It was further reported that "DDT in oil solution or emulsion form does not remain in suspension but goes into a true solution. When applied to animals in this form it can be absorbed through the animal's skin. If the solution is used as a spray or dip at less than the manufacturer's recommended strength, it may not give effective or lasting control. If it is used at more than the recommended strength and if the precautions listed by the manufacturer are not exactly followed, it may have toxic results."

Two reports of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Animal Research Administration were quoted, August 22, 1945: "Oils should not be used on animals and they are not recommended for general use on buildings. They offer an opportunity for DDT to be absorbed by the skin; on buildings they increase the possibilities of a fire. Because they penetrate porous surfaces like concrete, brick or soft wood, oils can transport DDT into the walls where much of it is not accessible to the flies and other insects. On the other hand water sprays made of wettable DDT powder or suspensions remain on the surface where the treatments afforded full advantage for killing insects."

And on March 27, 1946, the Animal Research Administration warned: "DDT in oil solutions or emulsions is readily absorbed through the skin of man or animals. Persons using it in this form are urged to take special precautions to avoid repeated or prolonged exposure to the material."

It was noted that Dr. E. W. Laake, Chief of the Division of Animal Parasites, USDA Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, Dallas, has used DDT in oil solutions under controlled conditions without apparent injury to animals. The committee added, however, that Dr. Laake "suggests DDT in oil solution or emulsion should, if used, be used very cautiously as it is a toxic poison, and he further states that inasmuch as DDT in wettable powder form mixed with water is the most fool proof method by which to control horn flies and lice, he does not hesitate to recommend the wettable powder form."

**House compromise.**  
Both sides agreed that all other Senate-House differences can be quickly adjusted.

Senate conferees are expected to accept the more liberal pay increases voted by the House. The Senate limited its increases to enlisted personnel while the House upped pay for all officers and men from 10 to 50 per cent.

At present the wartime draft is operating under temporary extension to July 1 by which both 18 and 19 year olds were exempted. Conferees have agreed that any extension will be limited to nine months or March 31, 1947.

## First Christian Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Christian Endeavor 6:30 P. M. Evening Services 7:30 P. M. Choir practice 8:00 P. M. Wednesday.  
You are always welcome at any and all these services.  
G. M. Eastman, Pastor.

People have a lot of strange notions about diseases, one of the most prevalent of which is that infantile paralysis kills or seriously cripples whomever it strikes. Proof to the contrary comes in the statement of Dr. Hart E. Van Riper, acting medical director of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, that as high as 75 per cent of those stricken with the disease can be expected to recover without serious after-effects.

In an article appearing in the June issue of "Hospitals" magazine, official publication of 3,500 member institutions of the American Hospital Association, Dr. Van Riper goes on to say that the paralysis part of polio has been shown to be a comparatively rare sequel of a wide spread innocuous ailment. It is notable, however, that Dr. Van Riper predicates a maximum recovery rate on accurate diagnosis, adequate medical nursing care with early therapy and immediate hospitalization.

With the polio epidemic season, usually ranging from late June through September, already evidencing itself throughout the land, it would seem wise for the nation to inventory its medical resources, so that crippling effects of the disease may be held to a minimum. It is comforting to know that the American people's contributions to the March of Dimes last January assures the best medical treatment available at general hospitals wherever polio strikes.

It is also reassuring to know that the local chapter of the National Foundation, headed by F. M. Keener, stands ready to back up and enhance if necessary the community's medical facilities for care and treatment of polio victims. Such aid can be broad enough, particularly in relation to physical therapy, to prove of inestimable value in the treatment, not only of polio, but many other related maladies.

## HARVEST SUGAR APPLICATIONS DIRECT TO OPA

Sherman County housewives desiring additional sugar for the harvest season should mail their applications in the form of a letter direct to the District OPA office, Fort Worth Club Building, Fort Worth, Texas.

The letter should state the number of harvest hands they must feed, the number of meals served them daily, and the total number of meals or expected number of meals they will serve them.

The letter should also contain a paragraph, stating that the harvest hands fed had either lost their ration books, or had used their sugar stamps elsewhere, making it necessary for those preparing the meals to secure an additional amount of sugar to prepare proper meals for the harvest season.

The application should be signed as the applicants name appears on sugar ration applications, and should give their complete mail address.

## Softball Club Wins One And Loses One

Stratford softball players won an easy game from John's Rats of Dalhart on the local diamond Thursday night of last week before a large attendance of fans by a 30 run margin.

Friday night the local club was defeated by the Ambassadors club of Dalhart by a score of 9 to 5, the first game the club has lost this season.

## Mrs. Lasley Honored With Shower

Mrs. G. R. Garrison and daughter, Mrs. Bobby Gillis, Dalhart, honored Mrs. Orland Lasley with a stork shower Monday afternoon.

After the opening of many lovely gifts, refreshments of sandwiches, punch, cookies and candy were served to about 35 or 40 guests.

## Baptist Church

Sunday Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Training Union 7:00 P. M. Evening Worship 8:00 P. M. Revival services will be held each morning at 10:00 and each evening at 8:30 during the week of June 16-23.



**Emergency Food Collection Explained**

The plan for Texas rural women to process and ship surplus home grown products in cooperation with the national emergency food collection has been announced by Maurine Hearn, vice director for women and state home demonstration agent for the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. "Food conservation is just as important as it was any time during the war," Miss Hearn said, "and, judging from inquiries received

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from many Texas counties we believe the plan will meet the approval of 4-H girls and home demonstration club women throughout the state."

All products must be canned under supervision to be accepted by UNRRA. Canned foods should be put in No. 2 tin cans. Processing time tables found in Extension Service publications B-101, B-88, C-223 and C-224 should be followed. Any of the following canned foods will be accepted: meats, including chicken; ranch style pork

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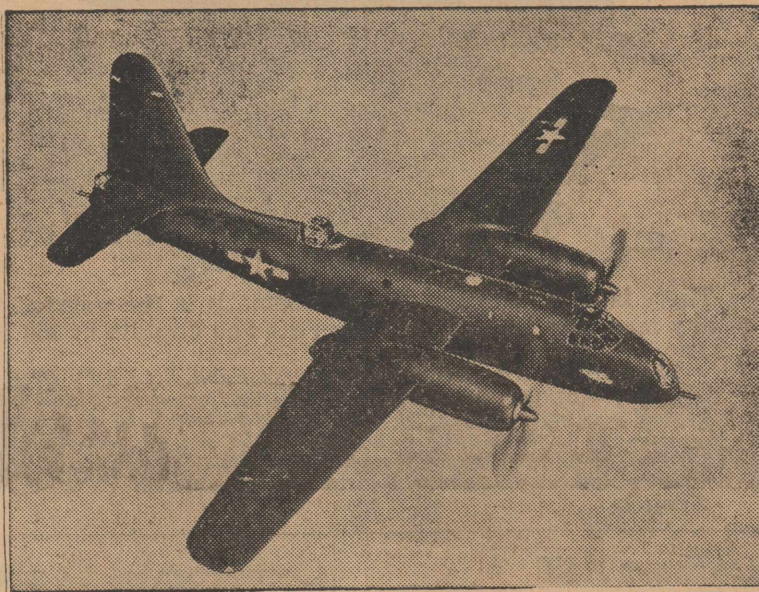
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**THE TWAIN MEETS—IN RECORD-BREAKING TIME!**—A new east-west speed record was set by this new Navy Neptune patrol bomber, a two-motored Lockheed P2V, when it sat down at Burbank Field, Calif., 9 hours 23 minutes and 2 seconds after its take-off from Floyd Bennett Field. This sliced 39 minutes off the previous best speed, despite poor flying conditions that forced the plane 150 miles off course. The Neptune was piloted by Commander Thomas D. Davies, of Chevy Chase, Md., and carried three naval crewmen and two civilian passengers.

and beans; concentrated vegetable soup; grapefruit juice; English peas, field peas, corn, snap beans, sauerkraut, tomatoes, and fruits.

Counties who have no surplus fruits and vegetables to can may ship dried peas or beans in bushel size cotton or burlap bags. Containers of home canned

foods should be marked before processing to identify the contents. A recommended method is the use of a rubber stamp and special ink. Cans processed by club members or others under supervision may carry the Texas 4-H Pantry Label with the name of the product typed or legibly written with water proof ink on each label.

Food must be packed in shipping containers and shipped freight collect to the National Shipping Warehousing Officer, Emergency Food Collection, 100 Maiden Lane, New York, 7, New York.

More detailed information about collection and shipping can be obtained from the local county home demonstration agent.

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS**

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF SHERMAN:

TO those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of Llieu Zettie Strother, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Llieu Zettie Strother, deceased, late of Sherman County, Texas, by L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 10th day of June A. D. 1946, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to me within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 10th day of June A. D. 1946.

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# TRAIL DUST

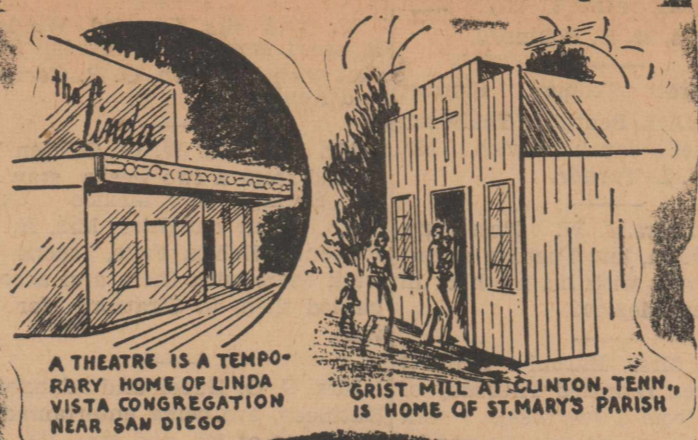
By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Time has worn deep tracks in the memory of that cold and rainy Sunday afternoon. Soaking

through the thick soil overhead, water dripped from the bright pine boards that covered the new dug-out. My companion was a boy my age, thin, freckled and clad in damp rags. His worn shoes were laced with strings of colored calico. The room was warm and fragrant with the odor of freshly-baked-bread which my mother had left. The hunger of body and soul was in the boy's eyes as I removed the white, pressed tea-towel covering the brown loaves. A crock of golden butter was on the table; a pot of honey was on the shelf. The hour was an adventure. It was his first time to taste light-

## New Churches Born in Odd Spots

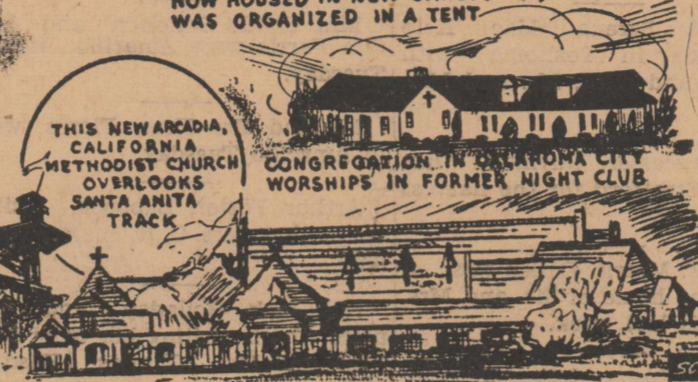


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CONGREGATION IN OKLAHOMA CITY WORSHIPS IN FORMER NIGHT CLUB

Pentecost Sunday, June 9, the birthday of the Christian church, marks the founding in recent months of 410 new or reopened Methodist churches. The Crusade for Christ has set 500 new churches as goal in its current year of evangelism. Illustrated are unusual birthplaces of some of these new congregations. The day will also see added to Methodist church rolls another 100,000 toward the goal of a million new members in 1946. More than 400,000 have already been received this year.

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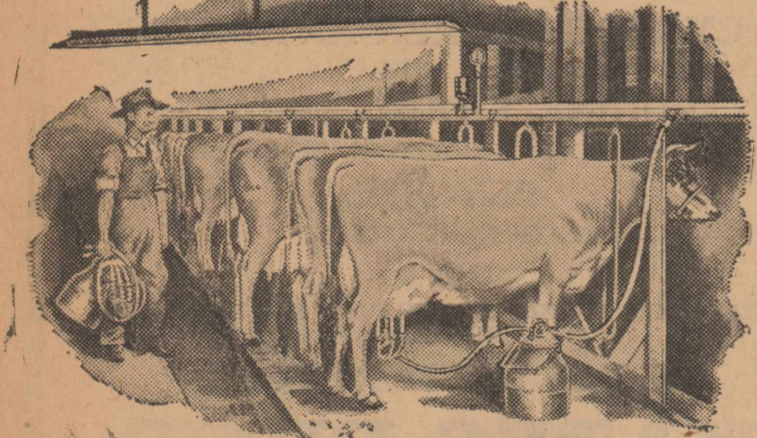
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Love is the spark from an anvil when the heated metal of youth is struck by blows from the hammer of destiny; beautiful for a fleeting instant.

Mercy wears a soiled robe on the prairie where heavy wheels of the chuck wagon have crushed the mesquite and sage into yielding soil. Silence covers the terror and pain of the empty round-up grounds. No trace remains of the flames from white-hot irons burning soft hair and tender hides on the flanks of little calves. Red blood is caked on snow-white fences. Sweet dew is on the sage and wild flowers nod in the wind, but pain retreats so little at a time.

In our eagerness to purchase success at a bargain we may make the mistake of paying for it with less than our best.

True quality is cheapened when the egotist seeks to become impressive. It is impossible to become great without first being humble.

Once I complained when the laundry did not iron my shirt to perfection. Now I am grateful

### NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS; COUNTY OF SHERMAN; To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of J. W. Norvell, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Executrix of the estate of J. W. Norvell, deceased, late of Sherman County, Texas, by L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County Court of said county on the 27th day of May 1946, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, where she receives her mail, this 27th day of May A. D. 1946.

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merely at its return.

Flames of the day's dying fire licked the red grate of clouds. A chill, like the whisper of fear, swept hurriedly through the little valley, leaving shallow tracks on the warm soil. Two sweat-streaked horses were grazing beyond the shabby wagon they had drawn into the clearing and smoke from a stubborn fire tried to find its way through branches of the tall cottonwoods. Night thickened its bowl of shadows and peppered the sky with stars. Wearily, the young woman held a skillet over the flames while her husband repaired faults in the worn harness. The shot came from a red hole in the darkness. One of the horses fell with a heavy thud; there was a single groan and silence. The man grabbed a rifle leaning on the wagon wheel and fired in the direction from which the shot had come. The ball crashed through leaves and branches but there was no other sound. At dawn he found boot tracks in the soft, rich earth and farther away he found the tree to which a horse had been tethered. The cattlemen had voiced an objection to more homesteaders. With one horse the couple pulled their wagon to a distant sloping hill. Fresh dirt soon covered the roof of a new dugout and sod was broken for a small field. Destiny peopled the west with her own children whose hearts were great enough to hold a sufficient measure of courage.

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Local News

Booth and Cox, representatives of the Kargy Aerial Surveys, Inc., making maps of Sherman County, were business visitors in Stratford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hill, Russell and Marjorie Boney left Tuesday for a visit in Dodge City, Kansas with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hill.

Mrs. H. K. Wolfe, Texhoma, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson left Tuesday for Camden, Arkansas, for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. N. L. Golden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reeder, Bushland, were here Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold of Bushland.

Mrs. Jesse James and children, Eads, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells, Wellington, and Mr. and

Mrs. M. H. Robinson and children, Dalhart, spent father's day with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Mrs. Everett Toomey, Sunray, and Mrs. Dick Boothby, Texhoma, spent father's day here with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Rosenberg and son, John, left Tuesday morning for a visit with his mother in Tatum, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett and children returned Thursday of last week from a two weeks visit with his mother in San Fernando, California.

C. B. Lutes, Dalhart, transacted business here Tuesday.

Bob Townsend has returned to his work at the Bonar Pharmacy after a 30-day vacation.

Little Miss Serena Mae Kelp spent Sunday in Texhoma with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lollis.

Jerry Lancaster, Guymon, has moved to Stratford for the harvest season.

Mrs. E. F. Morris, Dallas was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris last week.

M. R. Robinson left Tuesday morning for a visit with his mother in Bastrop, Louisiana and Mrs. Robinson left for a visit with relatives in Hollingsville, Oklahoma.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Rosenberg and son, John, Miss Ruby Dell Harding, Miss Katherine Walden, and Misses Betty and Florene Burgess attended a sub-district meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship in Dalhart Monday evening.

Miss Ermalee Bonar, Texas University student, Austin, is expected to arrive home by air Friday for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. C. R. Bonar, between semesters.

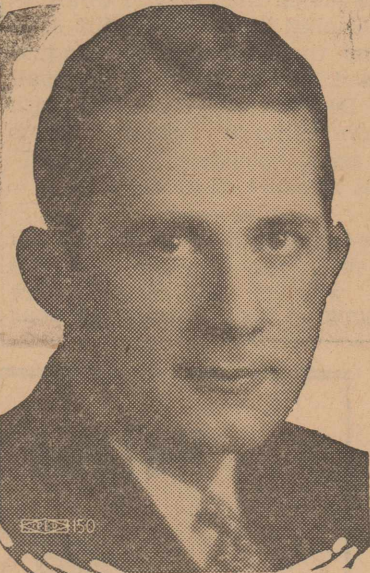
Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris returned Wednesday of last week from a fishing trip at Red River, New Mexico.

An announcement received by Mrs. Earl Riffe this week announced the birth of a 7 pound 8 ounce daughter, Doris Ruth, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Hereford May 31. Mrs. Smith is the former Lillian Chambers of Stratford.

Miss Peggy Foster, Hot Springs, New Mexico, arrived in Stratford Tuesday for a months visit with her grandmother, Mrs. C. R. Foster.

Wayne Harding and Russell Kelp were in Borger on business

For Lieutenant Governor



ALLAN SHIVERS of Jefferson County

Senator Allan Shivers will officially open his campaign for lieutenant governor in Port Arthur, Thursday, June 27. Dean of the Texas Senate and World War II overseas veteran, his speech, which will be broadcast over the Texas Quality Network, 8:00 to 8:30 P. M., will be of interest to every voter in Texas.

Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, Windsor, Missouri, came last Thursday for a visit with their son, G. R. Garrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. O'Brien returned from a two weeks stay in Hot Springs, New Mexico Tuesday. Their daughter, Mrs. H. L. Vincent, Wichita Falls, spent a week there with them and accompanied them to Stratford for a visit.

Mrs. C. O. Huber and daughter, Kathleen, are being entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Taylor while here helping in the revival at the Baptist Church this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lollis, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lollis of Wetumka, Oklahoma are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Conde Donelson and Mrs. Jim Farris were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hose Flores were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Arthur Foster, Lubbock, visited his mother, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Golladay and her niece who is visiting her from Dalhart, and Mrs. Charles Wisdom were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Taylor and Mrs. Wayne Harding were visitors in Dalhart Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Lollis gave a dinner in honor of her brother, Tom Gibbons, at her ranch home near Texhoma, Sunday. Those present were Mrs. J. T. Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelp, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl, Howard Gibbons, Tom Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lollis, Serena Kelp and Amaryllis Gibbons.

Mrs. F. B. Mullins and Mrs. W. L. Pendleton were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

William Allen and Neal Jackson visited friends in Spearman Sunday.

Tom Gibbons and daughter, Amaryllis, left for their home in Chanute, Kansas, Tuesday after a two weeks visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gillis spent last week end in the G. R. Garrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings are the proud owners of a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Adams and daughter, Lucille, Lubbock, and Mrs. Howard Hughes and children, Amarillo, sent Tuesday in the G.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS: TO: Henry A. Alexander, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Sherman County at the Court House thereof, in Stratford, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 17th day of June A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 12th day of June A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 1081 on the docket of said court and styled Nellie Sims Alexander, Plaintiff, vs. Henry A. Alexander, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Action to dissolve marriage bonds between plaintiff and defendant, and for custody of children, based on drunkenness and threats injuring health of plaintiff by defendant, and abandonment of plaintiff by defendant for more than two (2) years, as is more fully shown in Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Stratford, Texas, this the 17th day of June A. D. 1946.

(Seal) Attest: LELAH BONEY, Clerk, Court, Sherman County, Texas.

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L. Taylor home.

Mike Sullivan of Elk City, Oklahoma, is here visiting his sister,

Mrs. J. T. Gibbons. From here he will go on to Dalhart and attend the XIT celebration.

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## Revitalization Of Agriculture Stressed

(By Karl Hobbitzelle)

Although the movement to commemorate the centenary of Texas Statehood was given official sanction in a concurrent resolution by the House and Senate of the 47th Legislature (January 1941), it was not until January 6, 1945, because of the war, that a group of interested Texans met in Austin to draft a Centennial program.

Prior to that meeting and by authority of the concurrent resolution, Governor Coke Stevenson had named Karl Hobbitzelle chairman of the Centennial of Statehood Commission. A Garland Adair, who had fathered the movement in the Legislature, was, by the same concurrent resolution, named as Centennial Commissioner.

The January 6th meeting called by the Chairman, was attended by leading Texans representing such varied fields as history, agriculture, industry, minerals, public utilities, rural electrification, research and science, extension work, post-war planning, the Army, the American Legion and business research.

After some discussion, it was obvious that if anything constructive in the way of a plan was to come out of the first meeting, then the planning was to be divided into two panels: economic and historic. I came to the meeting with the definite conclusion that lasting good might be accomplished in the improvement of rural life in Texas, using as a vehicle our statewide observance of a century of statehood. Louis W. Kemp, President of Texas State Historical Association, was present at this meeting and was named, with Commissioner A. Garland Adair, to head up the historical phase of the program.

First, it is important to know that in the recent past Texas has witnessed the depletion of much of her vast rich soil. Idle acres have become ghosts that haunt and harass her present and her future. The state has witnessed a decline in the agricultural population during recent decades. This exodus began before Pearl Harbor. Plowshares during the war years were literally beaten into swords. The very foundation of Texas, wisely laid by brave Texas pioneers in their agricultural empire, was and is being shaken apart. Between 1939 and 1946 approximately one million people have abandoned something like 200,000 farms in the Lone Star State.

Now that the war is over, the people are going to demand four things before they return to the farm and field. These they are going to require before they begin again to produce the products which the post-war era will need and will be calling for before peace can reign, and even before Texans themselves can enjoy the happiness which is their birthright. These four things are: Farm to market roads; rural schools second to none in all the land, with dependable bus service for our greatest products, our boys and girls; daily mail service to farm and ranch; and, last but not least, electric power and telephone. Rural life should and must have the comforts that make city life attractive.

Knowledge of these crying needs has resulted in the Centennial of Statehood Commission adopting as its major objective the revitalization of Texas agriculture and a happier rural life for the people of our land of promise.

It is our thought that if Texas attempts to execute a planned celebration in honor of the 100th Anniversary of her statehood, then this observance should take the form of something very practical. Something that will stand as a living memorial, rather than a memorial in stone. We might well recognize the fact that this empire of Texas became a great rich state, not because of its cities, but because of generations of rugged men and women who lived and worked and toiled over its vast expanse. We all know that agriculture is the keystone of the economy of any prosperous country.



Nine out of ten of the loans that have been guaranteed by the Veterans Administration have been for the purchase of homes. The housing shortage has made this phase of the G. I. loan-guarantee program most important to many veterans, and has caused some of them to overlook the fact that they may obtain government guarantees on loans used to purchase farms. The Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G. I. Bill) gives the government the power to guarantee up to

\$4,000 of a loan used to purchase home, farm or business real estate, or \$2,000 of a loan used to purchase livestock, equipment, machinery or tools, or a business.

As in the case of home loans, the government never will guarantee more than half the total amount of a loan obtained for the purchase of a farm. If the veteran obtains a \$10,000 loan, the government will guarantee its top amount, \$4,000. But if the loan is \$6,000, the government guarantee will be half the total amount, or \$3,000.

If a veteran wants to obtain a G. I. loan guarantee for the purchase of a farm, or to buy livestock and equipment for one he already owns, here's how he should go about it:

He picks out the farm he wants to buy, and finds a lender willing to loan him the necessary money. This lender may be a bank, building and loan association or other agency, or a private lender. He gives the lender the original copy of his discharge certificate, which will be returned after the deal has been concluded.

The lender sends a VA-approved appraiser to inspect the property the veteran wishes to buy, and in the meantime determines the veteran's chances of success in his venture, and his need for the property he wants to purchase. If the lender is satisfied with all phases of the transaction, he and the veteran close the deal, the papers are sent to the Veterans Administration, and the G. I. guarantee becomes effective.

Remember, the government does not loan money to veterans, it merely guarantees a portion of the loan to the lender. This makes it easier for the veteran to obtain his loan, because his G. I. guarantee will serve as security of the best possible kind.

### Salt Prevents Heat Cramps

If your work is such that it causes excessive perspiration, add a pinch of ordinary table salt to each drink of water you take to help prevent heat cramps. This is advised by Dr. George W. Cox,

State Health Officer, to prevent a possible increase in the number of heat victims as the Texas thermometer hit 95 degrees and above.

Laborers, mechanics, farmers, and white collar workers whose work causes them to sweat profusely, are in danger of having their body salt content become deficient with resulting heat cramps or heat fog. Salt is a prominent constituent of sweat; the body may lose as high as 40 to 50 grams of salt during hot days.

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.

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.

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.

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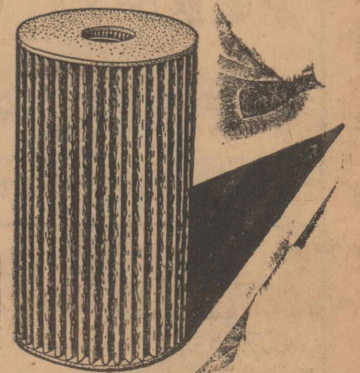
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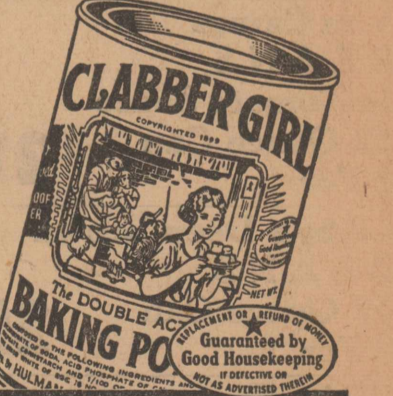
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**Spotlight**  
 by GRANTLAND RICE

**DOES a winning horse make a star trainer, or does the trainer make the winning horse? Does a winning baseball team make the leading manager, or does the manager or does the manager make the winning baseball team? Does a winning football team make the winning coach, or does the coach make the winning football team?**



Connie Mack

This ancient argument keeps popping up from time to time, but the answer is as simple as adding two and three. The material nearly always is about 80 per cent of it—often more than that. As a result coaches, trainers and managers are given far too much credit for winning results, and have to shoulder far too much blame for failures they couldn't help. They have important work to handle and their superior skill is needed at times to beat an opponent just a bit better—but they can't close the gap between class and mediocrity.

In something more than 40 seasons Connie Mack has won nine pennants. He also has had as many or more tail enders. Frank Chance won four pennants in five years with the old Cubs, but Chance couldn't get the Yankees, or Highlanders as they were known then, within V-rocket range of the first division. The same thing applies to football coaches who are bedecked with laurel and olive when they have a big, hard-charging line and fast-moving backs but who are panned to a pulp when they can't win with a poor line and slow-moving ball carriers. Football coaches, realizing this, with the help of willing alumni have outclassed all other fields in locating promising talent and bringing the same to the campus they must guard—especially when they have enough money with which to work and the scholastic requirements are softened up. No one can blame the coaches for this action, the same being for self-protection.

As far as material vs. management goes, what manager could lift the Athletics or the Phillies out of last place? In your summary you can include Stalin, Truman and John L. Lewis. The winning answer is the material.

### Best College Outfit

In the midst of the tumult and the shouting from baseball, racing, boxing and golf, there is a clear note from college sports that sings its own song. This note comes from Oklahoma A. and M. to this effect: Dear Mr. Rice:

Please allow me to introduce myself. My name is Weldon B. Boyles of Oklahoma City. I am attending Oklahoma A. & M. for the first time under the G. I. Bill.

When I first enrolled, in January of this year, I realized that Oklahoma A. & M. was turning out a basketball team of national importance and, in view of the fact that A. & M. had a national ranking football team last fall, I began to wonder if the Aggies were not setting a new American mark in that: (1) No school, two years in a row, ever ranked so high in both of our major sports (basketball, football); (2) No school has ever accomplished the feat of winning THREE top sports in ONE school year.

Here is part of what the Aggies have done so far:

In FOOTBALL, the Aggies ranked 11th in 1944, plus a Cotton Bowl win.

In BASKETBALL, the Ags placed 1st in 1944, beating DePaul.

But look what they've done this school year of 1945-1946:

1. FOOTBALL—They ranked 2nd (tied with Alabama) and won the Sugar Bowl game.

2. BASKETBALL — They ranked 1st. Kentucky did not meet them because I don't think Adolph Rupp cared to take the chance.

3. Wrestling—they won 1st place in the NCAA tournament, beating Iowa Teachers.

Is it possible, when you compare the Aggies against some of the other schools, that you might print some of the findings in your daily column? There probably are many sports lovers in our land who would enjoy the reading of such information, although you would be laying yourself wide open to a blast of controversy from many loyal alumni of other schools.

Weldon B. Boyles.

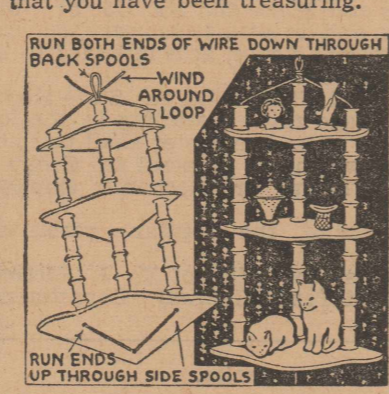
We have no set of vital statistics at hand to clear up this point, but for the moment we can't recall another college outfit with a better all-around record against the competition of present years.

### Career of Jake Jones

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## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

### Lesson for June 23

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### STRENGTHENING BONDS OF FELLOWSHIP

LESSON TEXT—Luke 22:14-20; John 17:6-8, 20, 21.

**MEMORY SELECTION**—A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.—John 13:34.

Fellowship is a word which comes to its full meaning only in the relationship between the Lord and believers, which also brings them into just such a relationship with one another.

The Lord seeks his people and gives himself in friendship to them, even to the full devotion of death. Shall we do less for one another?

Our lesson presents four ways in which Christ fellowshiped with his disciples.

#### I. The Fellowship of the Passover (Luke 22:14-18).

It was late on Thursday, of what we call Holy Week, that Jesus and his disciples came to the upper room where Peter and John had already made preparation for the observance of the Passover (Luke 22:8).

This feast had (since that great and awful night of Israel's redemption out of Egypt's bondage) pointed forward to the Christ and to his cross as the fulfillment of the type of redemption by the shedding of blood.

Our Lord looked forward with intense desire to the Passover which he now observed with his disciples, for it was the last celebration of that feast recognized by God. All that had foreshadowed of deliverance and hope was fulfilled in him who now sat at the table. He had moved forward with resolute purpose to this day when his mission on earth was to be accomplished, and he was to become the Christian's Passover lamb (1 Cor. 5:7).

The Passover was a solemn feast of remembrance of God's deliverance from the bondage of Egypt, but it was now to be replaced by a new feast of remembrance of eternal significance. They went on into

#### II. The Fellowship of the Lord's Table (Luke 22:19, 20).

Taking the unleavened bread and the unfermented wine of the Passover which had just been observed, Jesus established the Christian feast of remembrance, which we call communion, or the Lord's table.

His words are significant, "For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do show the Lord's death till he come" (1 Cor. 11:26). At the Lord's table his followers find spiritual strength in recalling his death for them, but they also find joy as they remember that he is to come again. They thus testify to the world that they believe and cherish these truths.

Our Lord also spoke of the cup as "my blood of the new testament." The word "testament" means covenant. The Lord's table, therefore, speaks of our allegiance to him, of our loyalty to our Lord, and of our devotion to his service. That is why the Christian church speaks of communion as a sacrament, a word from the Latin sacramentum, meaning oath, and essentially an oath of allegiance.

#### III. The Fellowship of God's Word (John 17:6-8).

John gives us a blessed account of the fellowship of Jesus and his disciples in the upper room, and then takes us into what is indeed "the Holy of Holies" of Scripture, our Lord's intercessory prayer. Here "the High Priest of our profession" (Heb. 3:1) brings us into the very presence of God.

At the very beginning of his petitions for them and for us (see v. 20) he speaks of the word which the Father had given him and which he had given to them.

This little company of men had been given to Christ, drawn out of the evil world and set apart for God's work. But note that the thing which distinguished them in the eyes of the Lord was that they had "kept" the word of God, even as they had received the living word, Christ, as the one whom the Father had sent.

That kind of fellowship with the Lord makes a man strong and useful. Life and testimony both ring true because they exalt Christ.

#### IV. The Fellowship of Prayer (John 17:20, 21).

Christ prayed for his disciples, not only those immediately present, but all who should through the ages since that day believe in Christ because of their witness.

That puts each one of us, who is a true disciple, right into the center of the greatest prayer fellowship of all time. He, the eternal and omnipotent one, prays for us. Why then should we be weak and faltering in our testimony or have failures in our life? Can it be that we have failed to count on his prayer and have tried to walk in our own strength?

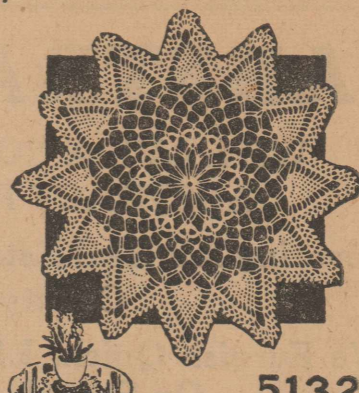
The prayer for unity (v. 21) does not speak of an outward uniting of religious bodies such as is much favored and promoted in our day. Certainly where such unity can be attained without the sacrifice of principle or compromise with false doctrine it is desirable. Real unity is that of the heart.

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**The American Way**  
Communism Breeds Liars  
(By George Peck)  
Recently I had the pleasure (?)

of being interviewed by the associate editor of one of the nation's most notorious left-wing publications. The young man was seek-

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ing information so that he could lambaste me in his subversive, un-American publication. Someone had informed him that I have a particular dislike for Communism and Communists.

In due course, this publication got around to publishing a most garbled and almost wholly untruthful account of that interview for the edification of its pink perusers. Along with this, the editor called me a lot of names, which according to his perspective should have been most insulting, but which I consider were the highest compliments ever paid me. To be castigated by a left-winger is in-

deed high praise.

For instance, he said that "the smoothest free enterprise nostrum on the market is Peck's packaged pap," and "the Peck Syndicate 'The American Way' dishes out the subtlest anti-labor anti-liberal, reactionary copy in the country."

The article went on to quote verbatim a number of things which I supposedly said while being interviewed. Yet, during the entire two hour interview, the interviewer did not make one single note. Small wonder then that his report of the interview comes close to being the all-time top in inaccurate reporting.

The significant thing about this, however, is that evidently there was not the slightest intent to make an accurate report. As a reporter I know that no reporter's memory is good enough to permit him to faithfully and factually quote word for word what is said, unless notes are made.

Despite the fact that I gave this reporter copies of several of my articles which have appeared recently in newspapers across the nation, in his own article defaming me, he did not quote a single sentence therefrom. The reason for this is obvious, because misquoting my printed statements would have left his publication open to a libel suit. On the other hand he figured no risk was involved in misquoting my verbal statements made to him in private.

The one conclusion must be that deliberate misquoting, falsification and twisting were the intent, that there was not even the slightest effort made to report the truth.

The average normal individual may lie, but in so doing, he knows that he is doing wrong. When caught in his perversion of the truth, he has the grace to blush with shame. But not so the Communists and left-wingers, they lie without any twinge of conscience and when detected in their prevarications are unabashed and unashamed.

Repeatedly it has been pointed out in this column that there is something devastating about Communism. Its adherents lose all sense of moral values. It is not so much that they sin by violation all the traditional and proven rules of decency and ethics that condemns them, but that they seem to be proud of their moral delinquency.

It seems to me that any philosophy of human relations which requires its proponents to resort to lies in order to fust their ideology (?) upon a nation, stands condemned at the outset on that count alone. No other indictment need be handed down.

The "end" does not justify the "means," but the "means" employed in attempting to gain the "end" are a mighty fair barometer of what to expect if the "end" is accomplished. That Communists deem it expedient to lie to achieve their ends, makes their proposed program for the regulation and enslavement of mankind unworthy of consideration, in fact, makes it a program to be stoutly resisted by every decent thinking, liberty loving individual.

Wink has received approval on its proposed building project of FHA houses for returned veterans.

Moore County school officials announced the letting of a \$50,000

building contract for an addition to present Skelly school facilities.

Borger's first annual Canadian River Rodeo Round-Up has been set for June 14-16.

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