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SMOOTHER KNOWS A LITTLE ABOUT EVERYTHING AND NOT MUCH ABOUT ANYTHING

THE BOY SCOUT drive in the waste paper campaign in Stanton and Martin County is getting geared into high.

From the advertising manager of the Plainview Herald-News, comes this statement: "We are happy to say that in Plainview we have a splendid setup . . . making effective collections in the business section three days each week . . . and in the residential districts one collection each week.

In the drive made recently by the Boy Scouts in Midland, in which the local Scouts contributed some waste paper and which the total collection amounted to 56,050 pounds, and the market price for mixed paper is \$14 per ton to Midland Scouts are due to receive approximately \$392.

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Saturday seemed to be enthusiastic over the task they had before them. They could see scout tents, and other equipment for their organization, as well as some spending money for a sojourn to camp. There is another angle to this waste paper drive other than what revenue may be derived . . . is the fact that these young boys are provided a way to absorb that extra amount of dynamic energy stored up they must get off their system instead of wasting it on frivolous things, they are putting it to use on constructive things . . . doing a noble deed in helping to win the war.

The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are organization equipped to furnish the very finest in the elevation of morals and the teaching of respect and confidence in each other and to their fellow man. Young boys and young girls, who go into scout work with a determination to get all the good out of it they can, will find the result has made them stronger men and women mentally, physically and morally.

The responsibility for the success of the waste paper drive lies largely with the

scoutmaster, leaders and sponsors of the organizations . . . the sort of energy they display in making scout work interesting. The task of holding down the position of leadership in scouting is by no means a small one. When the leader takes it upon himself or herself the task to provide ways and means to turn that high voltage of energy that is stored up in the system of most every youth in a way that will be of most value to the youth, find they have somewhat a difficult problem on their hands. To keep going a live Boy and Girl Scout organization, the leaders will discover they must keep the "iron hot" with something doing all the time.

Small towns that carry on scout work without a paid scoutmaster, whose duties are confined to scout work and nothing else, have a hard row to hoe. Scoutmaster and scout leaders as a rule, comes from the local business firms and the lady house keeper, who, at times, find it difficult to meet an important duty they are called upon to perform for the scouts.

The Reporter wants to commend the leaders of the Stanton Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, for the interest they are taking in creating a most worthy undertaking to give to the youth of town and county an organization that will employ their minds in the direction of constructive work, as well as in

structing the important of carrying themselves always as young ladies and young gentlemen.

NO, MR. NEWCOMER, that story you here some of our street corner artists tell they have seen sandstorms so bad in this country they have seen prairie dogs in the air digging holes, is just not so. Of course, there is some truth to the story sandstorms have been so bad they blew stones through the air as large as baseballs. Then there is that other story you often hear from a West Texan who is standing in the middle of a sandstorm scooping sand out of his eyes by the handful, say, "Oh, I'm used to these." Down deep inside of him he's saying, "Hell, just as soon as I can I'm going to sell out and move to a country that don't have sandstorms." That guy has been living here more than fifty years. He's going to stay here until he dies. He knows when the sandstorm season is over no country on earth provides more sublime weather than West Texas.

IT'S natural for folks to get scared and go to talking about (continued to page two)



Courtesy San Angelo Standard GEORGE RATLIFF GLASSCOCK YOUTH WELL KNOWN HERE KILLED IN ACTION

Garden City, April 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam G. Ratliff were notified Thursday by the Navy Department that their son, B-M Second Class George Ratliff, was killed in action March 19.

The 23-year-old son of the prominent Glasscock County ranching couple was last heard from in the Mediterranean, where he was on duty on a destroyer escort. He has been in service over two years.

Ratliff was the third son from Glasscock County to give his life in this war. Albert Martin, also in the Navy and the son of Mrs. J. E. Martin of San Angelo, was killed at Pearl Harbor. J. A. McCorquodale, in the Army, lost his life in an explosion at Camp Swift, March 30, 1943.

Besides his parents Ratliff is survived by a sister, Mrs. Jeggs Barfield of Rocksprings, and a younger brother, Arlin, who lives here.

George Ratliff was prominent among the younger set of Stanton, numbering among his closest boy friends, George Billy Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkinson and Bernard Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tode Houston. All three went together to Dallas over two years ago and joined the Navy. They were soon separated and assigned to different stations. George Billy Wilkinson stationed in the United States somewhere on the Atlantic coast, and Bernard Houston, serving on a battleship in the Pacific.

Here From Knott B. B. Savell, residing on Star Route out of Knott, this week became a new subscriber of the Reporter. He has two sons in the service, one S. Sgt. Dewey F. Savell, technical inspector at the Harlingen airfield, volunteering May 27, 1940 and the second son, Pvt. James Savell serving with the ground crew at the Childress airfield. He volunteered in September, 1942.

In Dallas and Tyler Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ebbesol left Wednesday morning for Dallas and Tyler. They will be the guests of Miss Zada Wells in Dallas

CHARTER CHAPTER OF BETA SIGMA PHI ORGANIZED IN STANTON

Initiation ceremonies were held Monday evening, April 17, in the home of Mrs. J. B. Mills. Under the direction of Mary Sims Young, Field Secretary for Beta Sigma Phi, a group of nineteen young women were accepted as pledges into this International Sorority. Assisting Mrs. Young were Harrietta Smith, who presided over the ritual and installation services, Pat Dobbins, Sis Smith, Frances Hendrick, and Loveda Grafa, members of Beta Omicron Chapter of Big Spring. Beta Sigma Phi is sponsored by The Educational Foundation and was created for young women in search of social and cultural activities.

Before a table laid with the crested, satin, ritual cloth centered with a bowl of yellow roses, the candidates received their pledge pins.

Following the initiation ceremonies a banquet was held at the City Cafe, during which Mrs. Hubert Martin and Mrs. Chuck Houston were installed as director and sponsor, as were the following officers appointed by Mrs. Young, who are Zelma Milam, president; Francis Mills, vice president; Frances Joy Barker, recording secretary; Vida Mae Angel, corresponding secretary; and Sammie Laws, treasurer.

Pledges present for the initiation were Frances Joy Barker, Margie Richards, Flora Dee Wilson, Mary George Morris, Sammie Laws, Bernice Cason, Gay Nell Watson, Ruby Burns, Josephine Houston, Jennie Dorine Turner, Vita Mae Angel, Irene Barker, Mary Prudy Story, Nina Holder, Zora Lou Houston, Ruby Hall, Lora Belle Crow, Alice Mae Widner, Frances Mills, and Zelma Milam.

DR. C. A. LONG, TO PREACH SUNDAY AT M. E. CHURCH

Dr. C. A. Long, superintendent of the Sweetwater district, will preach at the Stanton Methodist church Sunday, April 23, at the 11 o'clock hour.

ATTEND WEDDING AT COLORADO CITY

Mrs. Earl Powell and daughter Earle, accompanied Mrs. Don Sivals and daughters of Midland, to Colorado City, Wednesday afternoon. They will attend the wedding of Mrs. Sivals' nephew, Lt. Joseph Craig Porter to Miss Sue Landers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tode Landers of Strawn.

Mrs. Powell will be the organist for the wedding at the Episcopal church Thursday evening and she and Mrs. Sivals will attend the rehearsals Thursday morning.

Visiting In Dallas Mrs. L. H. White left Wednesday morning for Dallas to visit her son, Phillip White and family and two sisters.

Save Waste Paper for War!



BOY SCOUTS COLLECT ABOUT FIVE TONS SALVAGED PAPER

TRACTOR WITH TRAILER ENTERS PICTURE HAULING PAPERS-MAGAZINES

Another recruit has been added to the nation campaign for the collection of waste paper and magazines. The new recruit is the Stanton Boy Scouts. The new recruit took up arms last Saturday for the first time in the waste paper campaign. Raymond Louder donated the use of his tractor with his son, Billy James 15, doing the driving hitched on to a trailer, to the Scouts to pick up the waste paper and haul it to the point of assemblage. With the collection made Saturday the Scouts have about 5 tons on hand.

Martin county should easily provide 50,000 pounds of old paper and magazines, which means a carload. But the Scouts must have the co-operation of the people in the county. By cooperation it is meant that each household and store-keeper collect their waste paper and magazines, tie in bundles and bring it to town the first time you come. Any be kind to a business man will and notify the Boy Scouts who will pick it up and take to their collection point to await shipment. The sooner folks bundle up their old papers and magazines and get them in to the hands of the Boy Scouts the sooner a shipment can be made and the Scouts get a little money to invest in equipment and for use to carry on their other activities.

Parents have been worrying over providing something for their son to do to keep his mind and body in action instead of tramping the streets in idleness they have in their midst one of the very best youth organization to put him into—the Boy Scouts. How successful this organization in Stanton will be is going to depend largely upon the sort of co-operation it receives from the parents of the Boy Scout and (continued to page two)

WHO KNOWS, MAYBE, SOMEDAY, PLANES WILL STOP HERE

STANTON HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED BY S. W. AIRWAYS AS FEEDER LINE

One can never tell what a small town will grow into. All the large cities started from very small towns. In fact, at one time, they started from a bare plot of ground. The old adage: "Tall oaks from little acorns grow," still holds good. Maybe Stanton is that little acorn. Anyway, the Reporter is in possession of a news story sent out of Washington, D. C., marked (special). It hints that the day may not be far off before Stanton will feel the safety pins to its swaddling clothes loosen and shed 'em for grownup togs.

The war has caused a powerful lot of airplanes of all sizes, shapes, and caliber, and it has made a lot of pilots to fly them, and with the number of companies making them, it is almost certain there will be many air lanes, both freight and passenger, that will arise from the "ruins of the war" and spread out all over the country taking in towns the size of Stanton. Why, someday, we may see plane light at the back of our postoffice take on the mail and a passenger or two and fly to the next town and do it all over again.

A letter addressed to the Reporter from Southwest Airways Company, Fort Worth, was received this week. Enclosed with the letter was the following news story: Washington, D. C.—(Special) to the nation's smaller cities, and towns, chiefly through establishment of area (feeder) air lines of the type proposed by Southwest Airways for serving Stanton, has been recommended by Civil Aeronautics Board examiners.

Eleven recommendation in all were made public by the examiners, in a report based on material presented to them at the extensive series of hearings held recently.

In expanding direct air service to the smaller communities, the examiners urged that new routes provide a combination of passenger service and air mail-air express pick-up. They clearly made known their decision that these should be operated by new independent aviation companies.

The examiners recommended that hearings on applications (continued to page two)

NEW UNIFORM FOR ARMY NURSES



Wearing one of the new cotton uniforms designed for nurses by the Quartermaster Corps, the nurse shown in this U. S. Army Signal Corps photograph gives first aid to a soldier in the field. Made of brown and white seersucker, the new uniform is a tailored slack suit featuring a shirt with long sleeves, a convertible collar that can be worn either buttoned or open, and a pleated yoke; and slacks with one side pocket and a slide fastener. The uniform is durable, easily laundered, requires no ironing. It permits greater freedom of movement, gives more protection against insects.

Value of Waste Paper



Young America can't get to the fighting fronts, but they are doing a great job of backing up the boys. These Junior Service Wardens in Post ten, Sector eight, Zone 25, Philadelphia, are going all out to help overcome the critical waste paper shortage. Waste paper is doing a vital war job. Food, blood plasma, ammunition, medical supplies are all shipped in containers made of reprocessed scrap. How about it? Can the boys depend on you to do your share? It may mean the saving of some boy's life! (Phil. Evening Bulletin Photo)

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VALEDICTORIAN OF CLASS AT PRICE SCHOOL.

In the Register, Catholic newspaper published at Amarillo the following account of a Stanton boy, who is attending Price's Catholic school for boys, was published:

"Ignatius (Ickie) Peters of Stanton, is valedictorian of the class of 1944, with an average of 3.90. Robert Vorndran of Borger, Texas, is salutatorian. His average is 3.66. The leaders were determined by computing an average for all the subjects in the past three and one-half years, valuing an A at 5, B-4, C-3, D-2.

Ickie Peters is a son of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Peters of Stanton.

On Way to Washington, D. C. Cecil D. Glaser, of Seattle, Wash., was here this week visiting relatives, enroute to Washington, D. C. to enter hydraulic school for instructors. He has seen action in the Pacific.

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the country is in for seeing its crops destroyed because there is a drouth on. We never have starved out in this country tho we have gotten down to eating white sow belly and sorghum molasses, and wearing big varied colored patches on the seat of our breeches. Of course one source of providing appetizing fresh meat has been taken away from us. . . . all the prairie dogs have been poisoned out, as well as the prairie dog owl. Maybe you can tell one.

LENORAH CITIZENS PREPARE TO BUILD GIN

According to Willard Pollock, secretary, the Lenorah Cooperative Gin Co., has been organized for the purpose of establishing a gin plant one mile east of Lenorah. The organization has 190 members, and the following officers have been elected: W. D. Howell, president; P. G. Yates, vice president; Willard Pollock, secretary-treasurer. Directors: Gus Koonce, Raymond Hayworth, Homer Howard, Elmer Criswell.

MODERN CLEANERS SHOP SOLD TO C. C. WORLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huston have sold the Modern Cleaners shop to C. C. Worley of Midland, who has already taken charge. Mr. Huston is awaiting call into the service, and he has also sold his home and little tract of land at the southeast suburbs of Stanton.

Read the advertisements.

WHO KNOWS—

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authorizing use of helicopters be deferred until models suitable for commercial operations actually exist, terming them "still in the development stage." They also urged that Civil Aeronautics Board refuse to allow surface carriers to operate air services, unless such operations are supplemental to their surface carrying activities.

Heavy stress was placed upon the need for economical operation of the new routes, "to keep the cost to the government thru the compensation for transportation of mail within reasonable limits." It suggested a maximum rate of 25 cents per mile for carrying air mail.

Southwest Airways in its testimony during the hearings, had stated that the routes proposed in its application now pending before the Board could be operated for approximately 35 cents per mile. Company officials predicted that the additional revenues from carrying passengers would make it possible to reduce a 25 cent mail compensation substantially "within a relatively short period of time after operations are underway."

The examiners recommended that use of single-engine aircraft with a single pilot be considered satisfactory. Southwest, however, plans to use twin-engine aircraft, carrying from 19 to 12 passengers and from 800 to 1000 pounds of mail, staffed with both a pilot and co-pilot.

Next step is expected to be scheduling of hearings by the Board on actual area airline applications. It is anticipated this will be done as soon as Board members have had an opportunity to study their examiners' report.

Southwest Airways officials reiterated their belief that their application would be one of the first to be considered, due to the transportation needs of the areas they propose to serve. Collection of data proving Stanton's need for an airline service will begin "in the next few weeks," they stated.

OUTS—

One way to bring success to the local organization is to support the Boy Scouts' salvage paper drive, by rummaging the attics and cellars of homes and bundling up waste paper and magazines. The Scouts have something to look forward to as a means of deriving some revenue to purchase equipment for the organization and pay other expenses. The Scout members are enthused over their undertaking in collecting waste paper so let all get in behind this very worthy youth organization by gathering up old papers and magazines, tying in bundles, and bring to town with you if you live in the country, and if you live in town, bundles your old papers and magazines and call the Boy Scouts, they'll pick them up. You will be giving these boys something to do which in the end means money to them to purchase equipment and pay the expense of a camping trip. You will be supporting two worthy causes—one providing very essential material for war effort, and two, to provide funds to carry on a very worthy youth organization—the Boy Scouts.

Your country is calling on you for waste paper—our greatest war material shortage!

Our fighting men must have paper!—for ammunition cases, helmet linings, bomb bands, food and blood plasma containers. Paper has over 720,000 critical war uses.

But waste paper is scarce! Reserves are dangerously low! Americans must turn in 8,000,000 tons this year!

Every day should be waste paper day in your home.

Have your waste paper bundled, tied, ready, and start saving more to help win the war faster, to bring more boys home safely!



Mrs. Martin On Visit
Mrs. Hubert Martin left Tuesday morning for Stephenville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clendenning.

TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

Prepared by OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION



Veterans Quickly Find Jobs

Of the 11,516 veterans who applied for jobs, 6,361 found work immediately during a demonstration program in January by the U. S. Employment Service, the War Manpower Commission announced. This service for veterans will be continued and expanded to USES local offices throughout the country, where veterans will be permitted to "shop around" before deciding on a job. Job opportunities for physically handicapped veterans from this war will be better than they were for the handicapped veterans of the last war, in the opinion of WMC. Veterans will be hired in OPA offices and boards throughout the country as rapidly as vacancies occur. About 2,500 vacancies occur each month.

New Shoe Stamp Announced

Beginning May 1, Airplane stamp 2 in War Ration Book Three may be used for buying one pair of rationed shoes, TPA announced. The new stamp and Airplane stamp 1 will be good One will expire April 30. From indefinitely. Stamp 18 in Book May 1 through May 20, children's low-priced shoes (maximum \$1.60 per pair) in sizes 8 1/2 through 12, and Misses' and little boys' shoes in sizes 12 1/2 through 3 will be ration-free. In 1943 sales of civilian rationed shoes exceeded production by more than 53 million pairs, which made it necessary late last year to decrease the number of shoes available to civilians.

Take Your Shopping Bag To Town

American housewives may help avert the critical shortage of store bags and wrapping paper expected during the next few months by carrying shopping bags or baskets when marketing and by re-using paper bags whenever possible. WPB should be accepted unwrapped

and several purchases from the same store should be put all in one bag. The current allocation of bags and wrapping paper is less than one-third of pre-war supplies.

Child Health Day Is May 1st.

Groups of American boys and girls in high school, Sunday school, Boy and Girl Scout

Troops, Victory Corps and other organizations are planning to hold forums on May 1, Child Health Day, to talk about improving the health of young people, the Department of Labor Children's Bureau announced.

Waste Paper Collections Increasing Steadily

While waste paper collections have been increasing steadily, OWI said, they still are behind estimates. . . . A gradual increase in production of Bunas, the Rubber Director says, makes it possible beginning May 1 to permit unrestricted use of grades A and C synthetic rubber camback in retreading.

NALLEY FUNERAL HOME

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A LESSON ABOUT WASTE PAPER & PATRIOTISM & YOU

Only 3 out of 4 Americans know that paper is vital to the war effort!

Only 2 out of 4 Americans save Waste Paper regularly!

We must collect 8,000,000 tons this year—but at present rate will get only 6,000,000!

WHERE'S THAT 2,000,000 TONS COMING FROM?

NOT ENOUGH!



Here's what to do about it!
Save all your waste paper. Tie it up into bundles and contact Boy Scouts.

U.S. Victory Waste Paper Campaign



Charter No. 8094 Reserve District No. 11
Report of Condition of

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Stanton, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on April 19, 1944, published in response to call made by Comptroller of Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash and discounts (including \$1768 overdrafts)	\$831,233.79
United States Government obligations	
and guaranteed	143,192.22
of States and political subdivisions	542.81
rate stocks (including \$27,500.00) due	8,750.00
Cash balances with other banks including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	361,033.23
Bank premises owned \$4,000, furniture and fixtures \$3,000	7,000.00
Total Assets	\$1,346,752.05
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,091,597.17
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	271.80
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	90,403.55
Deposits of banks	15,264.74
Total Deposits	\$1,197,537.26
Other liabilities	48.11
Total Liabilities	\$1,197,585.37
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par	\$ 50,000.00
plus	75,000.00
undivided profits	22,194.59
reserves (and retirement)	1,672.09
amount for preferred stock	149,166.05
Total Capital Accounts	149,166.05
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$1,346,752.05

State of Texas, County of Martin, ss:
I, Jim Tom, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JIM TOM, Cashier
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of April, 1944
Evelyn Woodard, Notary Public
Correct—Attest: W. Y. Houston, W. C. Houston, Cha's Ebberson—
Directors.

April 1st.

We assumed charge of the Modern Cleaners after purchasing the shop from Earl Huston who has carried on the business so successfully. I will endeavor to keep up this reputation by giving you the very best of service it is in my power to do. I'm faced with the same problem that fell to the lot of Mr Huston—labor difficulties and lots of work to turn out. I hope to merit a continuance of your patronage and in return assure you good work and as rapid service as possible.

Modern Cleaners

C. C. Worley, Owner

GIRL SCOUTS HIKE TO MILHOLLEN RANCH

The Girl Scouts hiked Saturday to the Aunt Net Milhollen Ranch at the east suburbs of Stanton, where dinner was cooked, and a very pleasant time was spent with Aunt Net. The dinner menu, prepared in open camp fire style, comprised potatoes, eggs, bacon, bread, pickles and pop.

Aunt Net told us part of what had happened in her life, of her mother, and her brothers who fought in the Battle of the Alamo. She has 21 nephews serving in World War II.

The Girl Scouts on the hike with their leader, Mrs. J. E. Moffett, were Belle Jones, Patsy Kelly, Joy Mashburn, Totsy Barfield, Erman Haney, Martha Fuqua, Sue Houston, Wanda Mashburn, Yvonne Gilpatrick, Ida May Peters, Leslie Jean Tom Geneve Horn, Nadine Wiswell, Joyce Petree, and Mrs. Edmond Tom, our squadron leader.—A Girl Scout.

Here From California

Frances Gray of Valajo, California, is home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. French Gray.

Here From Amarillo

Dewey Reed of Amarillo, was here last week end to visit his mother, Mrs. S. P. Reed, who is ill at the Payton Home.

BONDS OVER AMERICA

Devil Dog G. H. Q.



Since 1805 when Franklin Wharton was Commandant, this residence near the Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., has been the home of the man who directs the United States Marines.

Marines, soldiers and sailors are seeing all parts of the world these days and not through a porthole. We expect them to take strategic positions and hold them. They expect us to buy War Bonds and Hold Them.

Hang On to Your War Bonds

GRAMMAR SCHOOL HCNOR ROLL

Miss Prindle's First Grade
Marie Mc Ness, W. A. Douglas, Peggy Timmons, Bobbie Lee Graves, Claudie O'Donnell, Bobbie Jean George, Leo Baker, Bennie Lee Blizzard, Shields Decker, Wayne Cornelius, Bobbie Jean Richie, Wayne Robinson, Gordon Stone.

Mrs. Peddy's First Grade
Jessie Lorene Burns, Edna Harrell, Sarah Louder, Billy Ray Clements, Laurene Naugle, Annie Belle Heckler.

Second Grade
Lou Vern McCoy, Mary Ivy Henson, Patsy Simons, Sonya Washington, Angie Lou Chesser, Billy Rowden, Edith Harrel, Eugenia Martin, Barbara Ciik, Sue Zimmerman, Mary Lynn Hamilton, Lou Ann Barfield, Ruthie Hall, Eula Bell Mott, Yvonne Ory, Mary Beth White, Jeanette Graves, John Thomas Hamilton, Mary Lou Parrie, Gena Bradley, Norman Blocker, Joyce Davenport, Freda Standefer, Gary Neill Blocker

Mrs. Engledow's Third Grade
Charlene Anderson, Frances Geurin, Jo Jon Hall, Janice Houston, Shirley Chesser, Jackie Gilpatrick, Homer Henson, Richard Lewis, David McPherson, David Parrie, Roger Williams.

Miss Alvis' Grade Four
Betty Jo Polson, Deatta Beckman, Peggy Henson, Mary Maude White.

Miss Agnew's Fifth Grade
Ermine Haynie, Elmo White, Genalyne Barfield, Guy Merwyn Eiland, Kenneth Henson, Sadler Graves, Patsy Reed, James McCoy, Leroy Gibson, Fred Church.

Miss McMaster's Sixth Grade
Neil Stovall, B. G. Lewis, Wayne Hull, Spencer Blocker, Betty Carol Bennett, Billy Jean Pinkerton

Mrs. Ferrell's Seventh Grade
Sidney Chesser, Jack Hill.

Mrs. Echol's Eighth Grade
Guy Henson, Bobbie Jean White.

HONOR ROLL OF THE LENORAH SCHOOL

(By Grover Springer, Principal)
The following pupils of the Lenorah school were on the A and B honor roll for the second six weeks period of the second semester:

First Grade
A
Jeanie Ruth Overby, Archie Butler.

B
Sarah Lavern Snider, Dora Jane Ashley, Cora Ann Rohus, Roy Keele.

Second Grade
A
Patsy Pollock, Kenneth Reynolds.

B
Montie Castleberry, Ben Keele.

Third Grade
A
Linda Criswell, Sammy Foreman.

B
Lura Criswell, Norman Koonce.

Fourth Grade
A
Sue Standefer.

B
Nellie Fay Snider, Dorothy Mims, Jewel Rohus.

Fifth Grade
A
Jimmie Pearl Ashley, Eula Pearl Hildreth, Patsy McClain, Eidia Tercero.

B
Bobby Joe McClain, Earl Lee Koonce, Geryl Dee Koonce, Betty Mae Odell, Donnie Rae Keele.

B Sixth Grade
A
G. I. Madison.

B
Lola Fay Rohus, De Loyce Butler.

Seventh Grade
A
Betty Wozencraft.

B
Billie Rohus.

Eighth Grade
A
Patsy Madison, Doris Howell.

B
Reba Dell Morrison, Marvin Standefer, Jackie Fleming.

Family Reunion in Midland
Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. King had a family reunion at their home in Midland Tuesday of last week. All children present: Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Garren and Barbara Ann of Seagraves; Pvt. Henry E. King, stationed at Liberal, Kansas; Pfc. and Mrs. John L. Snow and Betty Lee, Viola, and Richard King.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

CASH FEES CHARGED:
CONGRESSMAN \$25.00
DISTRICT \$15.00
COUNTY \$10.00
PRECINCT \$ 5.00
(No refund to candidates who withdraw).

The Reporter is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 22, 1944:
(No refund to candidates who withdraw.)

For Congress:
GEORGE MAHON (Re-election)

For State Representative of the 88th Legislative District:
O. E. GERRON

For District Attorney 70th Judicial District:
MARTELE McDONALD (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:
H. M. ZIMMERMAN (Re-election)
LOUIE BAKER
JIM MCCOY

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:
B. F. WHITE (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. LENCRAH B. EPLEY (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
GARLAND BREWER (Re-election)

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:
JAMES A. BROWN
J. D. MCCRELESS
I. E. ECHOLS
KYLE SHOEMAKER

For Commissioner Precinct 2:
D. E. (ED.) BLOOMER (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 4:
L. E. (LEE) CASTLE (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 3:
OTTO BEARDEN
SAM A COX

Visiting Parents Here

T'S Bienhauer and Mrs. Bienhauer and little daughter, who have been guests of Mrs. Bienhauer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gibson, have gone to Roscoe for a visit with his parents.

Home On Furloughs

Mrs. Louamae Laird and little daughter Diana of Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., have returned home from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Dell. While here she was with her brothers Corp. Hughie O'Dell of San Marcos, Texas, and Pvt. Cecil Bostick O'Dell, who is on his way to Fort Ord, California. Both were home on furlough. Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell have four sons in the service. Paul O'Dell, better known as "Buddie" is in the Navy and Charlie O'Dell of Fort Bliss.

Return From Cisco

Mike Anderson and W. J. Johnson, have returned from Cisco, where they had been two weeks taking treatment.

Miss Crowder Seriously Ill

Mrs. Evelyn Woodard received word this week that Miss Rena Crowder was very ill having been stricken with a heart attack. She is living in Abilene and was at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rufus Parks when she became ill.

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PERENNIAL SUDAN GRASS SEED TO BE PLANTED

Two plantings of perennial sudan grass are to be made this spring in Martin county. Perennial sudan comes up every year from the roots in much the same manner as native grass. However, it can be plowed up the same as any other sudan if it is wished to destroy it. One planting of approximately 5 acres is to be made on the Dr. G. T. Hall ranch northeast of

Tarzan. This planting will be located so that it can be watered if necessary in order to insure seed production. The other planting of approximately 5 acres will be made on the Murray Cook farm southeast of Flower Grove. Mr. Cook will plant it between two terrace intervals and plans to leave it for pasture if it proves successful. The seed is to be furnished by the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District to these farmers and ranchers. The producer in

turn agrees to sell back to the district next fall 80 per cent of the seed produced. The district supervisors will then have seed available for other district cooperators that wish to try this new type sudan.

W. A. Cornelius, farming in the Courtney community, has just completed a new set of terraces. W. T. Powell built them with his whirl wind-type terracer.

Ted and G. Louis Stewart worked up a conservation plan with the District on conservation measures covering their farm in the Courtney community. They have an excellent system of terraces recently built by W. T. Powell.

T. B. Jr. and Ted Stewart have completed a farm plan with the District on their place five miles east of Stanton. Reconstruction of an old watering tank is a part of the plan. They have tapped a moderate water flow in a new 22-foot well dug at the house.

Back From New Mexico
Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Epley returned Tuesday night from Elida, New Mexico. This is their second trip out there looking for grass. It looked to them like a cowman's paradise—the grass so long and green and plenty of water.

"BOUND TO MARRY"

The Senior play "Bound to Marry" at high school auditorium Friday, April 21 at 8:45 P. M.

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HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

Miss Fern Hodge
Home Demonstration Agent

COURTNEY 4-H CLUB HAS TIMELY FCOD DEMONSTRATION

(Novell Yell, Reporter)
"Peanut butter-cup cakes are simple and quickly prepared," said Miss Fern Hodge, home demonstration agent to the Courtney 4-H girls at their regular April meeting.

These are a sugar-saving recipes besides being good in food value are other statements Hodge made.

The recreation period was conducted by Peggy Rose Cross. All club members are proud of the new 4-H stickers they have earned by learning the club pledge and prayer.

All eleven members were present for the meeting. Next regular meeting will be May 9th.

FLOWER GROVE CLUB HOLDS DEMONSTRATION ON PEANUT COOKERY

Mrs. J. G. Johnson
Asst. Club Reporter

"Using peanuts in food preparation is another way of adding protein to the diet," stated Miss Fern Hodge, county home demonstration agent to Flower Grove club members who met in the home of Mrs. Loyd Wiggins on April 6th.

"Peanuts are high in food value since they contain protein, carbohydrates, fats, minerals and B complex vitamins. Using them in main dishes is one way to keep meat points and yet receive proper daily nutrition," further stated Miss Hodge.

The peanut dishes demonstrated were rice loaf, served with tomato sauce, peanut prune bread, prunes, cottage cheese, and peanut salad.

Plans were made regarding the District T. H. D. A. meeting to be held in Stanton May 11th.

The club planned a "42" party to be held in the home of Mrs. C. W. Butcher, April 19th.

Refreshments were served to seven members, one visitor, Mrs. Howell Carlitt, and Miss Fern Hodge, county demonstration agent.

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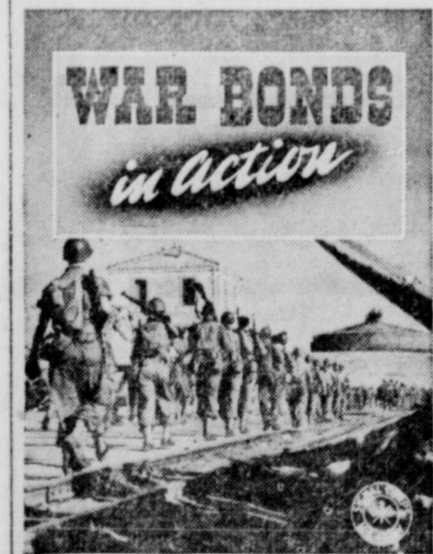
We have been in business in Stanton a long time and now that we are leaving we want to express our thanks for all the business you have given us and for your patience since wartime restrictions.

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To Work In Big Spring
Miss Tommye Keisling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keisling, will start work May 1 at the Big Spring Bombardier School in the civilian personnel office. Miss Keisling formerly worked at the Midland Bombardier School and for the Austin Construction Company at Free-

port, Texas where she resided with her brother W. N. Keisling and family.

Here From Lubbock
Sgt. and Mrs. John Connell of Lubbock, were visiting Sgt. Connell's relatives here Monday. He was on a short leave from the Lubbock air field.

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