

The Baird Star

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Mother's Day

SUNDAY, MAY 9th.

Mothers all over America will be honored on that day—honored for the love and sacrifice they have given to sons and daughters through the years. As long as civilization stands and womanhood is honored in the minds of men, mothers will be placed on that high pedestal as typifying all that is grand in mortal beings.

MRS. BELLE ALLPHIN PRESENTS RED CROSS PIN FOR SERVICE

At a regular meeting of the Red Cross Chapter held in the County Library Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Belle Allphin, who has given 545 hours to the making of surgical dressings was presented a Red Cross pin by Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Chairman of the Surgical Dressings.

Mrs. Allphin began work in the surgical dressing room Nov. 9, 1942, and has worked regularly except when called away by illness of her son, Everette Allphin in El Paso, some weeks ago.

Reports given at this meeting were from Fred Heyser, Chairman of the Home Service Department, Mrs. Earl Hall, First Aid Department; Mrs. T. P. Bearden, Red Cross Sewing Room and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, Chairman Camp Berkeley County Hospital Committee for Calahan.

Mrs. Brightwell reports the following articles delivered to the Camp Berkeley hospital:

1 Bingo game, 13 books, 37 magazines, 7 packs of cards, 32 records, 42 books (jokes and stories), 2 pham plets, "Know Your Texas", 3 picture puzzles, 1 ash tray, 8 cup towels, 42 curtains (one ward), 22 bedside bags and several pillows.

Articles needed are bedside bags, etc. A ventilating system will be installed in the recreation center at Camp Berkeley.

The Abilene Air Base at Tye will come under the jurisdiction of this Council and recreation equipment and supplies of all kinds should be sent as the boys there have nothing. They want games, tables, magazines, etc. All activities of the Council for May will be devoted to the Tye Air Base with the exception of hospital supplies. Anyone having any of the articles needed contact Mrs. Brightwell, who will see that they are delivered at the Tye base.

A letter containing a check for \$5 was received from Mr. and Mrs. Shine Phillips and Mrs. Ellen Wood of Big Spring to be given the local Red Cross in the name of the late Judge Otis Bowyer. Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Woods are nieces of Judge Bowyer. The letter stated that instead of sending flowers for their uncle's funeral they were sending the money to the local Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Robinson of New York, are visiting Mr. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson. Mrs. Robinson is formerly of Los Angeles, Calif., where she recently worked in the office building with Ruth and Katye Ford and Doyce Coats. They are enroute to California where Troy will report for Naval duty.

C. M. Mills Veteran Telegraph Operator Dies Suddenly

C. M. Mills, veteran T and P. Ry. Co. Telegraph Operator, died suddenly Sunday afternoon about five o'clock at his home. He had just returned home from work when he told Mrs. Mills that he was suffering from pains in his chest and died before medical aid could be summoned.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the services being conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Hicks, assisted by Rev. A. A. Davis, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was made in Ross cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

The following served as pallbearers: J. A. Stover, J. B. Pitzer, C. R. Gray, W. P. Haley, Hubert Ross, J. E. Easterling, Jr., O. G. Baxter, T. J. Collins

Mr. Mills was a native of Missouri, where he was born Dec. 10, 1868. He came to Baird in 1907 as a telegraph operator and worked in Baird for the past 36 years. He is survived by his wife, the former Nellie McCoy, a son and daughter, by his first marriage, Goldie Wright and Charles Mills, also two step-children, Rob Cochran, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Ralph Ashlock of Baird.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were: Mrs. Sallie Gregory, Fort Worth, Mrs. Press Morris and daughters, Joe and Patsy of Coleman Judge and Mrs. W. R. Ely, Mr. McCleary, of Abilene, Mr. Canfax of Ranger.

LIEUTENANT JAMES WINDHAM PROMOTED

Second Lieutenant James T. Windham, U. S. Army Air Corps, has been promoted to First Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Windham, graduate of Texas A. and M. college, is serving as a flying officer at the Enid (Okla.) Army Flying school. He was assigned to the school shortly after receiving his commission in September, 1942 upon completion of advanced flying training at Lake Charles, La.

Lieut. Windham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Windham, of Abilene and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham of Oplins.

NOTICE—RED CROSS FLAGS

The Local Red Cross Chapter requests all Churches who have Red Cross Flags used in the recent Red Cross War Fund Drive to please return the flags to the Baird Chapter. These flags may be left at The Star office, Baird.

Mrs. John McGowen left Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., to visit her son Lieut. Henry McGowen and family and Mrs. Carrol McGowen. Mrs. McGowen's three sons, all three dentists, are in the service. Lieut. Carrol McGowen and Lieut. Thaxton McGowen with the Navy in the Pacific recently met somewhere out there for a short visit.

Baird Public Schools Close May 21st.

Sunday, May 16th marks the beginning of Commencement week in Baird High School, when Rev. S. P. Collins, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will deliver the Baccalaureate Sermon at the Methodist Church at 8:30 p. m.

The Senior graduation exercises will be held in the High School Auditorium Friday night, May 21st. Homer Haley, delivering the address to the Thirty-Two Seniors of the class:

Seniors of Baird High School 1942-1943

Frances Allen
Billy Frank Alexander
Joan Carman
Bill Cutbirth
Phonelle Dean
Dorothy Estes
Kearney Freeland
Ida Mae Glover
Elwood Goin
Janice Ivey
Goley Johnson
Goldia Jones
Pryce Nunnallee
Peggy Reese
J. D. Robinson
Maxine Roos
Reene Russell
Maxine Scott
Bobby Stanley
Dee Thompson
Burl Varner
Pickard Wagener
Wendell Warren
Kenneth West
Laura Mae Windham
Bill Wylie
Carl Yarbrough
Dorothy Young
Irma Lois Young
Betty Lou Lewis
Lillie Frances Bains
Aubrey Buchanan

GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATION EXERCISES

Grammar School Graduation exercises will be held in the High School Auditorium Thursday evening, May 20th, 8:30 p. m.

Rev. W. B. Hicks, pastor of the Methodist Church delivering the address to the class.

Following is the program:

Piano selection,
Bobbie Sue Edwards.
Welcome, Carrol Smith.
Reading, Eugene Walls.
Song, Class.
Reading, Jimmy Roy Hatchett.
Song—Mamie Chatham, Ada Thornton, Jo Bess Miller, Shirley Pool, Carol Ivey, Bobbie Edwards, Emily Cauthen, Edith Hunt, Peggy Perry, Louise Faircloth.
Talk, Carol Ivey.

Address, Rev. W. B. Hicks
Present diplomas and recognize honor students, H. W. Smith.

The list of those now in the Eight Grade follows:

Leon Burleson, Van Connel, Grady Davis, Jim Hatchett, Kenneth Jones, Johnie Munson, Billy Nichols, John Poindexter, Derrell Randall, Emily Cauthen, Bobbie Edwards, Sidith Hunt, Patty Perry, Peggy Perry, Mildred Caldwell, Melba Anderson, Corinne Glover, John Allen, John Beasley, Charlotte Brown, Buster Buchanan, Mamie Chatham, James Dyer, James Eubanks, Louise Faircloth, Jack Freeland, Fred Goble, Elsie Gorman, Donald Hammonds, Billy Dan Havens, Earl Lee Hinds, Elbert Hunt, Carol Ivey, Hazel Lawrence, Madge Loper, Jo Bess Miller, Don Nurdyke, Shirley Pool, Gaylord Price, Emelda Short, Carroll Smith, Virginia Stevenson, Dehlla Thompson, Ada Thornton, Betty Wagener, Eugene Walls, Jimmy Webster, Vada Williams, John Rogers, Claire Jo Hicks, Fred Boatwright, Dudley Faircloth, Charles Mathis, Weldon Coffey and Jack Gill.

All grades are not complete. A pupil may be held above and not receive an elementary diploma. There are Fifty-Five in the class.

MRS. LEE IVEY'S MOTHER DIED AT MARLIN

Mrs. Lee Ivey was called to Marlin by the seriousness illness of her mother, Mrs. Norwood, who died Wednesday, Mr. Ivey and children, Janice Carol and Tom went to Marlin Thursday to attend the funeral.

Baird High School Students Attend State Meet

Three Baird High School Students are in Austin attending the State Meet. Pickard Wagener in Extemporaneous Speaking, Patsy Wagner in Senior Girls Declamation and Carl Yarbrough, Senior Boy Declamation.

Miss Kathryn Freeman, head of the Speech and English Department, accompanied the trio.

OPA Price Meeting

Price officials from the OPA office in Fort Worth begun on May 4 a series of seven meetings in North and Central Texas, carrying the price control program directly to local War Price and Rationing Boards. Starting with a meeting at 2 p. m. Tuesday, May 4 in Waco, the price officials will meet in each of the seven localities with chairmen of the boards from nearby counties, chief clerks, price panel members and price clerks, outlining the duties of each under the local board price program.

"We believe this program will inaugurate a very important step in the right direction as far as price control is concerned, as it places considerable responsibility with the local boards," Richard A. Martin price officer in the OPA office in Fort Worth, explained.

County Judges also have been requested to attend these meetings wherever possible, in order to acquaint themselves with the need of having price panel assistants at the local boards where these have not yet been appointed.

The last meeting of the series will be held on Wednesday, May 12 in Abilene, conducted by Robert H. Owens and J. P. Anderson. The Abilene meeting will be for the counties of Taylor, Callahan, Nolan, Fisher, Jones and Haskell.

As explained by Mr. Martin, the local board price program calls for voluntary community participation (on a large scale in controlling prices and keeping down the cost of living as an important phase of the national war effort. The purposes of local community participation are to develop community understanding of the purposes and methods of price control, to insure that local sellers and buyers have information on price regulations applying to retailers, to promote local compliance with retail price regulations, to provide a channel for reporting on the effects of price regulations on the local economy and on particular sellers in the community, and to provide for orderly and systematic handling of reports required from local sellers.

The price panel members will operate as to enforcement only after complaint is made by someone from the general public. Wherever possible, such issues will be settled by a friendly visit from a member of the price panel to the store in question. In cases where there seems to be substance to a complaint that a price ceiling violation has occurred, the matter will be reported to the full price panel. Adjustment of the case will then be attempted through mediation or through friendly persuasion. Where it becomes clear that a violation has occurred, the panel will seek to obtain assurance that the violation will not be repeated. Cases which the panel can not adjust or in which flagrant or repeated violations have occurred will be referred by the panel to the OPA District Office.

OPA officials have emphasized that such local board price panel members will not act as policemen in the community but will serve as friendly counselors and mediators. However, the OPA has announced that it will be considered the duty of the price panel, both in meeting its responsibilities to OPA and to its community, to report its cases which either can not be adjusted or in which there are repeated or flagrant violations.

The price panel is to be composed of three or six outstanding citizens in each community and in counties of heavy population, additional units of three members each may be added.

Katye Nichols And Cadet Spicer Wed

Mrs. M. B. Nichols, of Baird, Texas, announces the marriage of her daughter, Katye, to Aviation Cadet Franklin Spicer, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Spicer, of Warrensburg, Missouri and Douglas, Ga.

The marriage was solemnized at the First Methodist Church in Douglas, Ga., at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, April 24th, before a small assemblage of close friends. The Rev. Wade E. Scott performed the impressive ring ceremony.

The church was beautifully decorated with white Easter lilies interspersed with greenery.

Miss Nell Davis, pianist, played Shubert's "Serenade" and during the ceremony Litz's "Lieberstraum". The traditional wedding marches were used.

Miss Nola Newbern, as maid of honor was the bride's only attendant. She wore a navy ensemble with a corsage of white lilies.

The bride was most attractive in a navy blue silk crepe tailored dress with three-quarter length sleeves and trimmed with touches of white. Her hat was an off-the-face model and her flowers were a corsage of white carnations. She was met at the altar by the groom and Cadet Sigueron, who acted as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom joined a group of friends for an informal supper party at the Doucuff Hotel.

Gladys Austin And Uel Livingston Married In El Paso

Marriage of Martha Gladys Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Austin of El Paso, formerly of Baird, and Cpl. Uel Harold Livingston, grandson of Mrs. Tom Livingston of Baird, took place May 2nd. The Rev. J. C. Moore read the ceremony in the Magoffin Avenue Baptist church in El Paso.

The altar of the church was decorated with spring flowers and palms. Mrs. H. E. Hall played traditional wedding music, and Mary Alice Martin sang.

The bride wore a two-piece tailored dress of navy sheer with which she wore navy accessories and a corsage of pink tailsman roses.

Virginia Flanagan was maid of honor. She wore a printed sheger dress with pink accessories and corsage of pink roses. Robert Hewitt was best man.

Little Beverley Campbell, ring bearer, carried the ring in a white calla lily.

The bride was graduated from the El Paso high school and was employed by the Mountain States Telephone company in El Paso.

Corporal Livingston attended Baird schools and joined the United States Marines in May, 1941. After being sent to San Diego for training, he was sent to Midway where he has been stationed for around two years. He received several injuries in action.

After a 30-day furlough, Corporal Livingston will be sent to New Rivers, N. C. for advanced training for instructors in communications.

Following a brief honeymoon trip to San Antonio, Baird and Abilene, the couple will return to El Paso to spend the rest of the furlough period.

A gift party was given the newlyweds Monday by the Magoffin avenue church in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell.

MISS EVELYN PRAZIER HONORED AT COLLEGE

Miss Evelyn Prazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lou E. Prazier of Baird and of George Prazier, Camp Berkeley, was formerly initiated in Phi Zeta Kappa Security Society, May 2nd. This is a National Honorary Religious Society.

Miss Evelyn also has been elected Secretary-Treasurer of Wesley Foundation, the organization on the campus for Methodist students for next year; and Treasurer of Alpha Etas the home economics club of next year. Miss Prazier was a graduate of Baird High School in 1940, and has attended O. C. U. College of Chickasha, Okla., the past three years.

Lieut. Hughes Will Speak At Churches Here Sunday

First Lieutenant Crawford Hughes will speak at the First Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at the First Baptist Church at the night service, when he will tell of some of the experiences of himself and buddies during the ten months in the jungles of New Britain Islands.

Lieutenant Hughes was the guest of the Baird Luncheon Club Wednesday, also the guest of the Cross Plains Luncheon Club Tuesday.

He was accompanied by Supt. Olaf G. South, Judge B. H. Freeland and Ace Hickman.

Vada Cole Now Captain In WAAC

Miss Vada Cole former F. S. A. Supervisor for Callahan County who resigned to join the WAAC has recently been commissioned a Captain. Cole is now, processing officer at the Fifth WAAC Training Center, Ruston, La.

Capt. Vada Cole is not the only Captain in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cole, of Lubbock, as her brother, Capt. Clifton W. Cole, former F. S. A. Supervisor of Midland and Hale counties, is now assistant operations officer at Sioux City, Iowa, Army Air Base.

FARM LOAN FEDERATION OF TEXAS NATIONAL FARM L. A. ORGANIZES AND ELECT OFFICERS

The National Farm Loan Associations of Texas, met in Fort Worth, May 3, and 4th for purpose of organization of the 294 associations into an organization.

The organization was completed, and the name of the organization will be known as the National Farm Loan Federation of Texas.

H. L. Fanin, Sec-Treas. of San Angelo, Texas was elected President; C. J. Brogan, Sec-Treas. of Tyler, Vice President; F. B. Sumpter, Sec-Treas. Perryton, Sec-Treas. of the Federation. One Director was elected from each of the six districts of Texas, as designated by the Federal Land Bank, of Houston, Texas, who consisted of the following:

T. V. Ellzey, Perryton, Texas
Dean Nowlin, Tahoka, Texas
M. H. Perkins, Baird, Texas
C. L. Brogan, Tyler, Texas
H. J. Gibbs, Valley Mills, Texas
John R. Williams, Austin, Texas

Those attending the meeting from the Citizens N. F. L. A., were, H. C. Cotton, E. J. Barton, C. M. Johnston and M. H. Perkins.

Mrs. M. H. Perkins left on the Sunshine Special Sunday morning for Dallas, to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowden, returning with the above party Tuesday afternoon.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH A. A. Davis, Pastor

Sunday is Mothers Day—a day of sweet sentiments and noble impulses. All men everywhere should rejoice and give thanks for the Mothers of our Country. It is a fine day for all to attend Church services. We invite you to enjoy the day with us at the Baptist Church. You'll find a warm, spirit filled service. Surely a great crowd will attend.

Sunday night Lieut. Crawford Hughes recently returned from the Pacific area of warfare—where he was wounded and reported missing for ten months will speak to the people of his home town, Baird, with many in heart, this evening.

We intend to give him all the time he wants to spend in his own way. We invite you to hear Crawford Hughes Sunday night.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Mickey Lou Shocklee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Shocklee, celebrated her third birthday Tuesday, May 4th with a party when some thirty little friends were present to enjoy the party with Mickey Lou.

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EDITORIAL

Business men say that there are too many young workers who show some skill but display little intelligence in the use of that skill. They are like bolts without threads. A producer could make such bolts and let someone else put the threads on them, but that process would be wasteful and expensive. To be utilized, bolts must be completed; they must be equipped with threads. Beginning workers are often like bolts with no threads—they stick to their jobs but seldom grow in their work. If you would become a leader, start now to use your eyes to see, and your ears to hear. Only in this way can you develop yourself to your fullest capacity.

SHO'S WHO

LILLIE FRANCES BAINS—
Lillie Frances Bains was born in Lubbock February 20, 1925. She started to school at Baird in the fourth grade. Lillie has been outstanding in tennis for several years. She won first at County Meet three years ago and third in District one year.
Lillie has been a member of Home Ec. Club two years, Spanish Club one year, Tennis Club three years, Dramatics Club one year, and a member of the Band three years and was Treasurer of the Band this year.
Lillie's ambition is to be a band director. She plans to enter ACC next fall. Some of her favorites are Trig, show—“Mrs. Miniver”, actor—John Payne, actress—Greer Garson, drink—grape juice, pastime, singing hobby—collecting music, color—blue, song—“Dearly Beloved.”

J. D. ROBINSON—
J. D. Robinson was born in Baird, Texas, December 13, 1924. He began his schooling in Baird and has gone here every since.
His favorites are: Sport—football, actors—Gene Autrey and Roy Rogers drink—buttermilk, pastime—eating watermelon and going to Clyde or Berlo, and looking at pretty girls.

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM
Friday night, April 30, the Seniors entertained the Juniors with a Junior-Senior Prom in the high school gymnasium, which was decorated in the usual theme of a garden party. A honeysuckle covered fence separated the north part of the gym, where the prom was held, and as the guests entered this part through an archway covered with roses and cedar, they were greeted by the presidents of the

two classes.
Cedar shrubs lined one side of the gym, while trees occupied the other. The punch bowl was composed of a huge block of ice hollowed out in the middle, and the effect of it and the beautiful roses and ferns on the refreshment table enhanced by the glow of candles was very charming.

Those present at the Prom were the honor guests, the Juniors; the sponsors of the two classes; some of the Room Mothers and their husbands; a number of trustees and their wives; and the hosts, the Senior Class.

ROAD SHOW

Baird High School will present its annual Road Show on Friday, May 14th in the High School Auditorium. The crowning of the Headlight Queen will take place on this occasion. All clubs and classes will be represented in the Show and it will be well worth your presence.

Make plans now to attend the Road Show Friday, May 14th at the High School Auditorium.

News From Boys In Armed Forces

Pvt. Raymond C. Corn is now stationed at Fort Riley, Santa Fe, N. M.

Beal Brashear, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brashear, of Baird, is now stationed at Thunderbird Field, Tucson, Arizona, where he is taking his primary flight training.

Pfc. Weldon B. Corn, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Corn has graduated from an extensive course in Aviation Mechanics at Sheppard Field. He is now eligible to become crew chief on a bomber.

Pfc. Mike C. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes of Baird, has been assigned to the Army Air Forces Mechanical School at Sioux Falls, S. D. for training as a radio operator mechanic.

Sgt. Cary Sidney McGowen, and Sgt. Russell Warren, U. S. Army, have recently arrived in North Africa. Mrs. McGowen and Mr. and Mrs. Warren have had letters from the boys.

Mrs. Louise Stiles had a cablegram from her son William A. Styles who is now somewhere in the Pacific war area. W. A. says “Don't worry Mother, I am well and safe and you are more than ever, in my thoughts now.”

Aviation Cadet Robert Walls, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Walls of Baird, recently completed nine weeks of basic flight training at Majors Field, Greenville, and has been graduated to Moore Field, Mission, Texas since his visit here last Christmas.

For their Easter gift, Glynn Gibson sent his home folks a large box of lovely and interesting souvenirs, cards and pictures, which he has collected on his travels to foreign ports since his visit home here, last Christmas.

Sam Lane Henderson MM 2-c U. S. Navy arrived home Wednesday night from San Diego, Calif., where he has just completed school and will report to the Navy Dept. in San Francisco May 12th. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henderson.

First Lieut. J. W. Crutchfield of the U. S. Navy, San Diego, Calif., and wife visited Lieut. Crutchfield's parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crutchfield the past week. They also visited Mrs. Crutchfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Palmer at Loraine. They left Wednesday for San Francisco, where Lieut. Crutchfield will be stationed.

S-Sgt. Ralph Snyder of Atlantic City, N. J. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder at Moran, having a 15-day furlough. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder have three other sons in the service. Lieut. James

Snyder is with the Navy in Rio de Janeiro; Sgt. Morris Snyder is taking a special gunnery course at Ft. Myers, Fla., and will return to Harlington, where he is aviation gunnery instructor; and Pvt. Eugene Snyder is with the Air Corps at Bryan Army Air Base.

Ensign Bill White, former football coach here, visited friends here yesterday leaving on the Sunshine Special for San Diego. Ensign White has been visiting his parents at Rising Star.

Herald N. Hensley of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hensley of Baird, has recently entered A and M. College for a course of Army Air Force instructions, lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as Aviation Cadet in the Army Air Forces.

J. C. Earp, Jr. Radio Instructor at Scott Field, Ill., visited his grandmother, Mrs. Laura Evans and other relatives here the past week. He also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Earp at Temple. J. C. is a graduate of Baird High School. He enlisted in the service soon after the close of school last year.

T-Sgt. Albert A. Walls, son of I. N. Walls, of Denton Valley, has been transferred to a training battalion of the Branch Immaterial Replacement Center, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark a public relations release states. He has been at Camp Robinson since Aug 1, 1942. Prior to enlistment at Fort Sam Houston July 22, 1942, he was employed as principal of the Houston public schools. Sgt. Walls is a brother of W. V. Walls of Baird.

R. P. Stephenson, of Eula, was in Baird Tuesday Patsy as in his usual custom paid The Star office a pleasant visit. Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson have two sons in the armed forces. Ensign R. L. Stephenson is stationed at Wilmington, N. C. He is with the Navy Air Forces.

Pvt. Press Stephenson with the Army Air service has been recently transferred from De Ridder, La., to Jacksonville, Fla.

A nephew, Pvt. Roger Smith is with the U. S. Army in the Hawaiian Islands.

Aviation Cadet Myer R. Winkelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Winkelman, Route No. 1, Baird, was among the class of cadets who arrived at the Independence, Kan., Army Air Field recently for the third—or basic stage of the aviation cadet mlying training program.

Surgical Dressing Room Report

For the week, April 29 to May 5, 1943 The following women worked in the rooms:

Thursday:
11 Presbyterian women gave 37 1-2 hours work.
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Ellen McGowen
Mrs. Stella Webb (Midway)
Mrs. Willie Barnhill
Mrs. Willie McElroy
Mrs. Etta Warren
Mrs. Sallie Eastham
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
Mrs. Dollie Fulton
Mrs. Ellen Hollingshead
Mrs. Susie Smith
Mrs. Belle Allphin
Mrs. Julia Vestal
Mrs. Harriet Stegal
Mrs. Ada Carmichael
Mrs. Beulah R. Hickman
Mrs. Maude Hart
Mrs. Grace Ray
Mrs. Bess Ray
Mrs. Mildred Johnson
Mrs. Pearl Ebert
Mrs. Hettie Greer Holmes
Mrs. Annie E. Jones
Mrs. Hannah Hensley.

Thursday Night:
4 O. E. S. women gave 10 1-2 hours work.
4 Rebecas gave 8 1-2 hours work
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
Miss Myrtle Gunn
Mrs. Katherine Hinds
Mrs. Beatrice McElroy
Miss Estelle Freeland
Mrs. Susie Lee Coppinger
Mrs. Olivia Schwartz.

Friday:
4 Methodist women worked 10 hrs.
Mrs. Ophelia Faircloth
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Lillie Davis
Mrs. Geneva Flores
Mrs. Belle Allphin
Mrs. Ellen Hollingshead
Mrs. Katherine Hinds
Mrs. Beulah R. Hickman
Mrs. Katie Russell
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
Mrs. Bessie Gibson
Mrs. Mabel George.
Saturday:
Mrs. Bessie Gray
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Bessie F. Short

Mrs. Lella McGowen
Mrs. Belle Allphin
Mrs. Ellen Hollingshead
Mrs. Maude Hart
Mrs. Mabel George
Mrs. Ellen McGowen
Mrs. Amy South
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly.
Monday:
Mrs. Beulah Dyer
Mrs. Beatrice Brown
Mrs. Belle Allphin
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Mabel George
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
Mrs. Ellen McGowen
Mrs. Hannah Hensley
Mrs. Bessie Gibson.

Tuesday:
7 Baptist women gave 23 1-2 hrs.
Mrs. Belle Allphin
Mrs. Harriett Stegall
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
Mrs. Katie Russell
Mrs. Cordie Bryant
Mrs. Lillie Davis
Mrs. Stella Gilliland
Mrs. Beulah R. Hickman
Mrs. Ida Lincscum
Mrs. Maude Hart
Mrs. Ellen McGowen.
Tuesday Night:
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Ellen McGowen
Mrs. Elva L. Smith
Miss Bernice Robinson
Mrs. Lillie Belle Settle
Mrs. Susie Lee Coppinger
Mrs. Stella C. Gilliland
Mrs. Menville Mitchell
Miss Estelle Freeland
Miss Bessie Mae Browning
Mrs. Geneva Flores
Mrs. Nitea Browning.

Wednesday:
5 Church of Christ women gave 20 hours work.
Mrs. Norma Baulch
Mrs. Ellen Hollingshead
Mrs. Beatrice Brown
Mrs. Maude Hart
Mrs. Vida Hill
Mrs. Belle Allphin
Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
Mrs. Maude Hart
Mrs. Beulah R. Hickman
Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
Mrs. Annie Pearl Wagner
Mrs. Bessie Gibson.
During April 104 women worker 1717 hours—each working from 1 to 140 hours each.
Friday, May 4th we shipped 34,200 surgical dressings to Medical Depot, at Denver, Colo.

THE WEDNESDAY CLUB

The Wednesday Club met April 28 in the library. Members answered roll call with answers to musical questions.
The following program was given, What Music Has Meant
In My Life Mrs. Lewis.
Magic Metal, Mrs. Lamb.
A Musical Saga of Samoa, Mrs. McGowen.
Five dollars was given to a State Nursing Scholarship Fund.
The Club adjourned to meet May 12th with a guest speaker on Nutrition.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICE
Rev. S. P. Collins, Pastor, will hold services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and evening next Sunday. The public cordially invited to attend the services.

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EULA HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Eula Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, April 21, at 2 p. m. in the Eula Club room with Mrs. A. L. Barnes presiding.
The Club voted on making cup towels and giving books, phonograph records and giving money to buy a curtain for the Camp Bakeley hospital.
Recreation was led by Mrs. L. E. Lewis.
Those present were: Mrs. A. L. Barnes, Mrs. N. H. Stephenson, Mrs. Cecil Harris, Mrs. C. M. Johnston, Mrs. White, Mrs. Dixon Travis, Miss Gertie Harris, Miss Wille Mae Bourland, Mrs. L. E. Louis, Mrs. Fred Farmer, Mrs. R. G. Edwards, Mrs. Lester Farmer and Mrs. Estes Farrar.



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We have on sale every day now—Fresh Strawberries from Frank Browning's farm. Come here for your Strawberries.
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PERSONALS

Miss Emma Pateet, of RisingStar was the week end guest of Miss Nan Shocklee.

Mrs. Lee Estes has returned from a visit with her sister Mrs. M. D. Hoover in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Crutchfield and little daughter of Lampassas, visited home folks here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Carpenter of Dudley, was a patient in the Callahan County Hospital several days, suffering from a spider bite.

Dr. Earl G. Hamlett of Amarillo visited his aunt Miss Josephine Hamlett Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Weldon White and baby, Mrs. Lanham Falls and Miss Thelma White have returned from Gulf Port Mississippi, where they visited Weldon White, now stationed there

Al Kehrer of Big Spring, is here this week doing some work at the T-P roundhouse. Mr. Kehrer is with the Water Service of the T and P. Ry.

Mrs. E. A. Eckert and Miss Ruby Brannan, of Dallas and Mrs. Vernie Humphries of Eldorado, spent the past week here with their niece, Mrs. Alec Shocklee, Jr.

Mrs. O. D. Murphy returned to her home at Kilgore, Wednesday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Woods, also her brother Floyd Wood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lambert visited Mr. Lambert's brother Jack Lambert and wife at the George Glasscock ranch near Woodson Saturday and Sunday.

Roy Kendrick of Denton Valley, was in Baird Monday. Mrs. R. B. Kendrick and baby who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick for sometime, have returned to their home in Shreveport, La.

Tommie Meridith with the U. S. Navy, now in school at Norman, Okla. spent several days the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Meridith, returning to Norman Sunday. He was accompanied as far as Wichita Falls by his parents and sisters.

Miss Mildred Yeager of Washington, D. C. is visiting in the home of her parents, Editor and Mrs. J. S. Yeager of Putnam. Miss Yeager is a member of the Argentine Committee of Foreign Funds Control, Enforcement Division of the United States Treasurer Department. She was formerly editor of the Putnam News.

FLOWERS FOR MOTHER'S DAY

May 9th.

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Aid to Enemy

"Any American who willfully neglects to pay his taxes on time or to invest every cent he can in War Bonds is surely giving aid and comfort to the enemy. . . . We have a job to do and we are all called for service to our country. Our dollars are called to service too. Let us all ask ourselves, 'Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?' — Secretary Morgenthau.

County H. D. News—

MARJORIE BROWN, AGENT

SCHEDULES FOR FOOD PRESERVATION MEETINGS IN MONTH OF MAY

Reaching Callahan county homes with information on improved methods of food preservation is the goal for May of the county home demonstration agent, Marjorie Brown. The agent's schedule for the month is as follows.

Saturday, May 1, was office day. On Monday, May 3, the agent met with the Girls' 4-H Clubs of Denton and Oplin and Putnam 4-H clubs.

Wednesday, May 15, marked the beginning of a series of canning schools throughout the county with the school on that day in the Enterprise community.

The remainder of the week, May 6 to May 8, canning schools will be held in the following places.

Thursday, at Baird. Friday, at Clyde. Saturday, at Oplin.

Clyde and Eula 4-H Clubs will meet on Monday, May 10. On Tuesday, May 11, the agent will accompany delegates and visitors from the home demonstration clubs in the county to the district meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association in Coleman.

The Union community will have a canning school on Wednesday, May 12th. May 13 and 14 will be spent in a meeting in Abilene with other home demonstration agents of this district and Miss Winifred Jones, Texas A and M College Extension Specialist in Food Preservation.

Bayou 4-H Girls will hold their meeting on Saturday morning, May 15th.

TECUMSEH H. D. CLUB

Tecumseh Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. M. C. Wolfe After a short business session we studied the renovation and remodeling garments.

For recreation we had several very interesting readings. We also sang several songs both patriotic and hymns. The club will meet May 17 with Mrs. Dolf Hodges. Reporter.

ALL WOMEN AND 4-H GIRLS TO ATTEND PRESERVATION MEETS

All women and girls of Callahan county interested in food preservation for their families are making plans to attend the Save and Share Schools to be conducted throughout the county by the county home demonstration agent during the summer months. Sixteen committees in the county will have such training for homemakers in improved methods of canning, brining and dehydrating foods for home use.

For the first week of May, schools were held in four communities: May 5 Enterprise, at the home of Mrs. Elby Connel, May 6 Baird at Baird high school building homemaking department; May 7, Clyde, at the Clyde high school homemaking department; May 8, Oplin, at the school lunch room.

Union, May 12, Mrs. Burette Ramsey's home.

Tecumseh, May 17, Mrs. Dolph Hodges' home.

Bayou-Rowden, May 18, Mrs. Grover Gibbs' home.

Eula, May 19, Mrs. R. G. Edwards' home.

Denton, May 20, School Lunch Room.

Midway, May 21, Midway School.

Putnam, May 24, High School Homemaking Department.

Atwell, May 25, Atwell School.

Cross Plains, May 26, School Lunch Room.

Cottonwood, June 2, School Lunch Room.

Dressy June 3, Dressy School.

If you have a pressure cooker and you are not sure that the pressure gauge registers correctly, you may be overcooking food and so destroying part of its food value OR you may have some canned foods to spoil because they were not cooked at high enough temperature.

Schedule of Pressure Cooker Clinics were held at Eula, May 1st; Putnam, and Clyde, May 10 high school homemaking department at 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Midway, May 14, at school building 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Baird, May 13, high school lunch room 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Cross Plains, May 26 high school, lunch room 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Thirteen billion dollars—the sum the Treasury must raise in the Second War Loan drive, is only one sixth of the estimated cost of the war for the fiscal year of 1943.

"THEY GIVE THEIR LIVES—YOU LEND YOUR MONEY" Buy More War Bonds Today

Want Ads

FOR SALE—White Pekin Duck Eggs \$1.50 per setting. Mrs. Earl Johnson, Baird. 1t.

FOR RENT—Large Garage and Two Room Apartment, which can be used for storage. I also want to buy 150 feet or more good used wire, suitable to make child's play yard. Madison Montgomery, Baird. 4tp.

FOR SALE—Several Good Milk Cows Springers and Heifers. My residence is also for sale. S. J. Baines, Baird, Box 875. 2tp.

FOR SALE—Hospital Bed in good condition. Mrs. Maria Leache. Telephone 252, Baird.

FOR SALE—Husky Starter Chicks, Leghorns and Heavy Breeds at Bargain Prices. F. A. Smith at B. F. Andrews home, North Baird, Phone 135.

WATCH LOST—Open face Hamilton Watch, leather platted fob. Lost between Dr. Griggs' ranch house on highway 183 and first house south on right-hand side of highway. Liberal reward for return to me. Floyd Wood, Griggs Ranch, Baird, Texas.

FREE—If Excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Gas Pains—get Free Sample. Udga, at Holmes Drug Company.. 18-15t.

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All land owned or controlled by me is posted. No hunting, fishing, camping or trespassing in any way will be permitted.

TOM WINDHAM, Oplin, Texas.

Women AT WAR

Leonora

Leonora straightened the objects on her desk with great care. She had put her desk at the end of her room facing the door so that when her mother came in she would have to cross the whole room under Leonora's stern executive eye to get to her. From movies and pictures in the newspapers Leonora had gotten a good idea of how the desk of a busy woman of affairs should look.

With an important scowl, Leonora picked up a sheet of paper. Now she was two people—herself, the busy woman, and her own stenographer. "Miss Simpkins, take a letter to the Secretary of the Treasury, will you?" she murmured under her breath.

"Yes, immediately," she murmured back at herself.

Leonora cleared her throat and looked at the ceiling for inspiration. Miss Simpkins bent over the sheet of paper hanging on the words about to fall.

"Dear Mr. Morgenthau," — "Got that?" — "Yes, madam."

"I am — ahem — thirteen years old and anxious to be of all possible service to the country at this time, ahem!"

"I earn a weekly income of from \$1.37 to \$2.12 by helping with the housework and by shovelling snow. I am at present in possession of one War Savings Bond and am buying stamps weekly. I want to become a member of the 10 percent Club. I feel it to be — ahem — not only my duty, but my privilege" ("How do you spell privilege?" asked Miss Simpkins. "Don't bother me with these details," said Leonora)—my privilege as an American to invest at least ten percent of my income in War Bonds.

Yours truly "

"Get that off at once, Miss Simpkins," said Leonora. "Yes, Ma'am! You certainly are an important woman, ma'am," said Miss Simpkins.

(Letter from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.) U. S. Treasury Department

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NOTICE

On account of the shortage of labor, we will be compelled to ask you to pay cash, when you get your clothes. All cleaning and pressing will be done strictly for cash.

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ON TO VICTORY

The Second War Loan Drive is on NOW—a gigantic campaign to raise Thirteen Billion Dollars during April. That means every man, woman and child in Callahan County has a definite obligation to buy More War Bonds—and keep them.

This bank heartily recommends buying War Bonds to the limit of your ability and is proud to offer them in denominations to suit every investor, large or small. Back up our fighting men— "They give their lives - - you LEND your money".

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MONUMENTS



The fitting tribute to one whom you have loved is a monument of permanence and grace; a stone that will go down through the years marking the last resting place of one whose name you respect and honor.

We have a beautiful line of the very latest designs in grave markers from which to make selections. Our prices are reasonable and our work guaranteed. Come in and look over our line—we will take pleasure in showing you our stock and our workmanship.

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1 Large Bowl 1 Large Platter

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A new, revolutionary ready-pasted wallpaper makes it possible for the homemaker to be her own decorator. Prepared with a specially formulated paste coating, the paper can be hung easily and quickly without the use of brushes and paste and without the disorder and messiness of ordinary paperhanging.

Washable, fadeproof, and styletested, this labor-saving paper is standard high grade wallpaper. By using it, a professional paper hanger will save much time and effort. But because there are only three major steps in hanging this new ready-pasted wallpaper, no special instructions or experience are necessary to paper one room or a whole house.

1. ROLL IT

A strip of paper the length of the wall is cut and rolled up with the pattern on the outside. Decorating with ready-pasted wallpaper is so simple and clean that no special work clothes are required... no special tools other than ordinary household articles. The paper can be hung a strip or two at a time, leaving the room in perfect order during and between sessions.



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Immersing the small roll in water wets the paste-applied paste evenly. This quick short step replaces the old-time laborious task of mixing two or three pounds of paste and applying it to unwieldy strips of paper laid flat on a long table. Uniform machine application of the paste has automatically eliminated the danger of lumps, wrinkling, and discolored spots. Precision-trimmed selvages prevent uneven edges and slanting paper.



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The paper is unrolled right on the wall and smoothed down with the palm of the hand. Sliding it into place is easy, since the adhesive on ready-pasted wallpaper does not dry for about 20 minutes, and the paper can be shifted about on the wall until an exact match in pattern is obtained. The patterns of this wallpaper have been scientifically designed for error-proof matching. To facilitate measuring and cutting the paper it is marked on the edge at one foot intervals.

HUCKLEBERRY FINN'



CRISIS IN MANPOWER

Today's problem of manpower means as much to the farmer with one hired hand, or the merchant with a single clerk, as it does to the industrialist who employs a thousand persons. It is all a matter of proportion.

The war program has reached such a stupendous size that the proper distribution of manpower assumes as much importance as the right use of steel, oil, rubber, or any other essential material or product.

It has been such a short time since there was more manpower than industry and agriculture could absorb that we may be a bit slow in waking up to the fact that today each man and woman who can be used to help in the battle of production is needed, and needed badly.

For the benefit, then, of farmers whose crops and livestock will suffer this year if manpower is not replenished; for the benefit of the armed services which have set their sights at possibly 10 million in uniform before 1944; for the benefit of the factories which must turn out ammunition, shoes, clothing, supplies and processed foods in ever-increasing quantities for fighters, civilians and allied nations, a careful stock-taking of manpower is required.

Where Manpower Is Wasted

Our new Congress must make sure that those in charge of this task, in Washington, cast about to see where able-bodied people are being needlessly employed. And in that city of Washington these authorities are now rubbing elbows with thousands of clerks, auditors, stenographers and others who could be used elsewhere without interfering with the war effort in any measure.

Recent figures showed that there were 2,606,300 persons on the civilian payroll of the federal government. This is not only a million more than were in our armed forces in foreign lands at the time the President made his address at the opening of the present Congress, but it is three times as many as were

on the government's civilian payroll during the first World War. Of course this is a bigger war, but that only furnishes an even greater reason why the government should lead in conserving manpower for our farms and factories.

The "Renegotiation" Law

A single measure, introduced in Congress last year, would require thousands of new payrollers to carry out its provisions. This was the act providing that the Army, Navy and Maritime commission should each check its war contracts so that renegotiation could be demanded in cases of excessive charges.

The purpose of this legislation—to make sure that the government was not paying too much for its materials and supplies—was not questioned. But the proposed method of rechecking all war contracts called for the hiring of such a large number of new federal employees that amendments to the bill were quickly demanded.

Although the bill has been rewritten and amended, it still places upon the Army, Navy and Maritime commission so much of the responsibility for re-examining their contracts that thousands of new auditors and accountants would be needed. This violates the principle that united war effort calls for the placing of every available man and woman in productive work, at the same time helping to keep the taxpayers' federal load as light as possible, consistent with wartime demands.

An acceptable amendment to this law—not yet adopted—would leave it to the Department of Internal Revenue to uncover instances of excess profit. By using this established checking system, the other departments would not have to hire extra people to wade through the 95 per cent or more of war contracts which are honestly and conscientiously executed.

Here is but one example of how manpower can be conserved in these days when the efforts of all must be directed toward winning the war.

War Time FEEDING TIPS

Books Offered For Back Yard Food Lot

Thousands of pounds of much-needed food might be released to our fighting forces and to Lease-Lend, believes our local Purina Merchant, if citizens of this community utilized the food-growing facilities of their own back yards.

There's enough ground behind the average kitchen door, he believes, to produce all the vegetables, broilers, domestic rabbit meat, goat's milk, etc., any family can eat. In many back yards enough more might be produced to bring in additional family income, a fair share of which might go for the purchase of more war stamps and bonds.

All these food-growing projects can be attended to in leisure time, at small expense, and with little or no previous experience, he adds. And they render practical independence from present or future food rationing.

"That's the way our fathers and grandfathers fed their families," states the Purina Dealer, "and to win this war and send all the food to our soldiers and allies need to win the war, that's the way we'll have to feed our own families too!"

If you wish to enroll your own back yard in the "Home Food Lot" Program now being sponsored by this paper in cooperation with the Purina Merchant, we suggest you call at the "Store With the Checkerboard Sign" for the various booklets on how to start a small broiler plant, rabbitry, or goat dairy.

War Time FEEDING TIPS

Raise Your Meat In Your Own Back Yard

Many folks in this community have found a way to lick Food Rationing and keep the family table well supplied with both vegetables and meat. For in the back yard, along with the Victory Garden, the "Victory Rabbit Hutch" is producing generous amounts of plump, delicious domestic rabbit meat.

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