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RAISING HELL WITH THE RAILROADS

When Vice-President Wallace attacked the railroads a few weeks ago in Dallas, no one could understand his motive, for the railroads have been doing an unprecedented transportation job which has brought the highest praise from the War and Navy departments, the Office of Defense Transportation, the Interstate Commerce Commission, shipping organizations, and virtually everyone who has been familiar with transportation problems.

Then came Wendell Berge, Director of the Anti-Trust Division of the Department of Justice, with an attack on the railroads in Kansas City early in August. It was disguised as a discourse on postwar planning. Two days later, Attorney General Biddle made a similar speech in Spokane, Washington.

The Wallace, Berge and Biddle speeches were almost identical. They evidently emanated from one source. They were nothing more or less than an inflammatory political attack on the nation's greatest industry, and were a prelude to the filing of a suit in the United States District Court at Lincoln, Nebraska, against the Association of American Railroads, its officers and members of its board of directors, the Western Association of Railway Executives, 47 railroads and their chief executives, and 31 other individuals, charging violations of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act, etc.

These attacks on the railroads are a direct insult to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Office of Defense Transportation and the railroad and utility commissions of the various states, for the simple reason that, by inference, they charge that all the regulatory authorities have permitted the railroads to operate in open violation of the anti-trust laws for the past 50 years.

Much of the press criticism of this



I GIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

Only thing that's got me worried about the Russians are those 220-gun salutes they fire in Moscow and Leningrad celebrating each big, new victory at the front. I'm afraid they'll fire so many of those salutes that they'll run out of ammunition.

When a fellow says, "Not changing the subject," you can be sure that is exactly what he is going to do.

In Houston recently, a blind man selling papers across the street from the Rice Hotel was singing, "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning! Everything's Coming my Way." A lesson in happiness.

If we get a few more war correspondents overseas, we'll have a newspaperman for every soldier.

Before the invasion, it was announced that 85 American newsmen and 25 English journalists were poised for the attack. The writer of this column is a newspaperman and can be counted on to uphold the rights of the press—but this war is not a sports spectacle, a heavyweight championship prize fight or a World's Series baseball game; it's a mighty struggle to save the world from slavery and thousands of Americans have given their lives thus far.

The space in planes and ships taken up by the great swarms of newsmen who have swooped down on England, Europe and the South Sea Islands could have been occupied by food and medical supplies for fighting men.

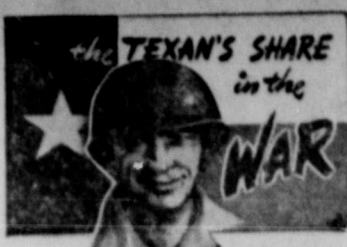
Of course, there should be some correspondents over there—but not so many that they get in each other's way and do such things as sending out the fictitious report that General Patton landed in France, waving a thousand-dollar bill, offering to bet he would beat any other general in Paris. (General Patton says he has never seen a thousand-dollar bill.) Nor were those correspondents who ignored military regulations and sent out unauthorized broadcasts from Paris helping the standing of the press with the public.

On the recent flight of a plane across the Atlantic, by the way, there were on board nine members of the armed forces and eight newsmen.

And the worst of it is that so many of the scribes remain there five or six weeks and then come back and are "experts"—and just must write a book!

action has been scathing. The possible political implication of the attacks is serious, but the more important question involved is, who is going to run the railroads—the railroad industry and the established and well informed government regulating agencies with two generations of experience behind them, or the employees of the Anti-Trust Division of the Department of Justice, who need to find something to keep themselves busy and on the payroll and in the newspapers?

Apparently this movement stems from a small group of zealous young lawyers in the Justice Department—the bright boys who neither employ labor nor build industries, but who fatten on public jobs as they seek to destroy private enterprise and promote totalitarian government. Such antics, under the cloak of the Department of Justice, strike a new low in the prostitution of high public office.



If all Allied soldiers could match the record of Capt. Jerry Lewis of Coleman, the war wouldn't last very long. The Lone Star infantry officer, assisted only by his sergeant, captured 204 Nazis in one bunch during hard fighting in France.

Another Coleman officer, Clarence Carr, recently won the coveted Distinguished Flying Cross for "extraordinary achievement" as a top turret gunner and engineer aboard a Flying Fortress.

Other Texans this week also are wearing new decorations, among them Sgt. Jim Arnold of Killeen, Sgt. Joe Edgerton of Orange, Sgt. Tom Childers and Sgt. Chester Watts of Luling, Sgt. Ross Dulancy of Harlingen, and Sgt. Willie Slaughter of Mexia. All have been awarded the Silver Star.

And a Gorman, Texas soldier has set a new musical travel record. He is Corp. Vernon (Tiny) Adams, who has travelled 200,000 miles, carrying his trusty guitar all the way. After playing and singing on a score of islands in the Pacific, Tiny says now that he expects to play soon in Tokyo.

And on the home front, hundreds of Texans this week were preparing for the "big push" which will start on October 10 in every county of the Lone Star State. They are "war fund commandos"—leaders and workers who will take part in the state-wide campaign on behalf of the National War Fund.

The war fund drive will open with a 30-minute radio program over all Texas networks and independent stations at 9:30 p. m., Monday, October 9th. The following morning, a home-front army of hundreds of patriotic Texans will take the field to raise almost \$5,000,000 for the agencies of the National War Fund.

In every county of the state, local and civic leaders will head the drive, which will be publicized through all newspapers, radio, billboards, and practically every other media. Texas merchants have been asked to do their bit toward success of the campaign through war fund displays in their store windows.

County campaign chairmen and publicity chairmen have supplies of a special window display instruction book, and posters, cards and other materials to be used in the displays. Merchants who have not received the materials have been asked to communicate with their local county chairmen at once.

A clean-cut, determined Texan is leading the famed Ninth U.S. Army in France. He is Lt. Gen. William H. Siggison, who hails from Weatherford.

Another Texan, Col. Bob Warren of Big Spring, recently led a horde of Flying Fortresses and Mustang fighters on a shuttle raid of central Germany, taking off from Italy and landing in England, after pasting military objectives in the Reich.

But leave it to a sergeant to have the most unusual experience of the week. In Southern France, Sgt. Bob Blair of Plainview heard enemy cannon firing and dived for a foxhole. A German shell beat him to it, landing squarely in the hole just before Bob got there. His life saved by his slowness, Bob is determined to spend the rest of the war above ground, and leave the fox-hole for someone else.

Sharing a fox-hole with a Nazi shell isn't healthy.

Gems of Thought

APOTHEGMS

Apotegms to thinking minds are the seeds from which spring vast fields of new thought, that may be further cultivated, beautified, and enlarged. —Ramsay.

He is a benefactor of mankind who contracts the great rules of life into short sentences, that may be easily impressed on the memory, and so recur habitually to the mind. —Johnson.

The short sayings of wise and good men are of great value, like the dust of gold, or the sparks of diamonds. —Tillotson.

If you hear a wise sentence or an apt phrase, commit it to your memory. —Sir Henry Sidney.

The benefit of proverbs, or maxims, is that they separate those who act on principle from those who act on impulse; and they lead to promptness and decision in acting. —Tryon Edwards.

The poet's line, "Order is heaven's first law," is so eternally true, so axiomatic, that it has become a truism; and its wisdom is as obvious in religion and scholarship as in astronomy or mathematics. —Mary Baker Eddy.

Social Security Office Offers Service To All Wage Earners

"While we welcome the opportunity to appear before group meetings of all kinds, both employer and employee organizations, to explain the old-age and survivors insurance program and answer all questions pertaining to it, we find that it is often to the advantage of the individual desiring information to call at the office or write specifically regarding the type of information desired," said R. L. Surles, manager of the Wichita Falls field office of the Social Security Board.

In emphasizing his point, the Social Security Board representative stated that when a wage earner reaches the age of 65 he should contact the field office promptly for facts concerning his rights to benefits. The same is true, Surles said, in case of the death of a worker before age 65, when it is necessary for the widow or other survivors to contact the Social Security Board office. The reason for this, it was pointed out, is that it is not good policy for any individual who feels that he is entitled to file a claim for old-age and survivors insurance to accept the word of the most intimate friend, owing to the technicalities of the law. Such information given in all sincerity by a friend might apply in one instance and would not apply in another.

The Wichita Falls field office is located at 412 Federal Building and is open each week day from 8:15 to 5:00 p. m., and there is always someone in charge to give out authentic information regarding claims, benefits, etc. This service is free.

More education of parents is said to be needed. Some children seem to be trying to attend to that requirement.

Perserverance is the ability to stick to something you are not stuck on.

We've been advised that political pie is made of appeasance and plums.

It must not take much to please women who dress as they please.

Early Fight Against Tuberculosis Helps In Attaining Cure

Urging the importance of early diagnosis as the surest avenue of recovery from tuberculosis, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, asserts that the danger of this disease lies not so much in its virulence as in its insidious attack.

"If a tuberculosis patient realized his plight in the earliest stages of the disease, immediate treatment could very likely save his life," Dr. Cox said.

"The victim usually has sufficient warning of the onset of the disease, but all too frequently ignores them."

"The warning signs are usually noticeable enough to attract attention," Dr. Cox said. "A cough that persists, loss of weight, easy tiring—if any of these symptoms are present, delay in seeking proper medical attention only lessens the chance of arresting the disease."

"It is the better part of valor, in the presence of such symptoms, to seek the advice of the family physician without delay," Dr. Cox stated. "Early diagnosis and early treatment are the real foes of tuberculosis. To deprive oneself of their immeasurable advantages results at best in a long period of treatment, and all too frequently in premature death."

Dr. Cox emphasized that babies and young children can pick up the germs of tuberculosis just as readily as they can pick up the germs of any other disease. He stated that on no account should they be kept in rooms with infected persons, use the same dishes, sleep in the same beds, or come in other intimate contact with tuberculosis patients.

The vanishing American is the pedestrian.



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Hospital News

Patients in Hospital September 26th
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Dorothy Webb, Rochester
Mrs. J. C. Chandler, Weinert
Mrs. Elwood Hackney, Knox City
C. O. Scott, Munday
Mrs. Coy Tuggle, Munday
Mrs. Alton Shaw, Seymour
J. R. White, Knox City
Mrs. John Albus, Munday
Baby Bohannon, Benjamin
T. C. Posey, Knox City
E. W. Hutchens, Goree
G. W. Carter, O'Brien
J. H. Johnson, Vera
Mrs. C. A. Cosby, Weinert
Mrs. O. L. Cude, Munday

Patients Dismissed Since Sept. 19th
Mrs. L. W. Foster, Benjamin
Mrs. H. M. Harris and baby daughter, Rochester
Mrs. Orland Robertson and baby son, Seymour
Mrs. J. W. Sherman, Goree
Mrs. Morris Jacobson, San Angelo
C. E. Hobart, Munday
Mrs. Raul English, Spur
Mrs. Raymond Lane, Goree
Mrs. Norman Webb and baby daughter, Rochester
J. H. Lanier, Jr., O'Brien
Mrs. J. J. Williams and baby daughter, Goree
Mrs. D. V. Gilbert, Benjamin
Donnie Hodgins, Haskell
Mrs. O. C. Poe, O'Brien
Mrs. H. A. Jungman, Lamesa
Donald McAda, O'Brien
Mrs. W. T. Ward, Benjamin
Mrs. H. S. Hickson, Knox City

Births

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shipman, Vera, a daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Biterba Salinas, O'Brien, a son.
Mr. and Mrs. Juan Alvarado, O'Brien, a son.

Locals

Sgt. L. B. Denington is home on a 12-day furlough from Aberdeen, Maryland visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Denington. Sgt. Denington has been stationed there for the past 19 months.

Mrs. W. W. Hagood of Tahoka is visiting the J. S. McBeths and Mrs. J. L. Leaverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Denington and baby of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackburn of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Conwell of Fort Worth, all visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Denington of O'Brien last week.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Swearingen last Friday were Sgt. L. B. Denington of Aberdeen, Maryland, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Conwell of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackburn of Waco, Pete Denington and family of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Denington.

Pvt. Tom Paul Firzell of Camp Wolters spent the past weekend with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. P. Frizzell, Jr.

Pvt. Jack Simmons of Camp Wolters spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simmons.

Mrs. Glen Egan left Friday to enter UCLA at Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Creed spent Sunday and Monday in Fort Worth with their son and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lawson returned last week from New London, Conn., where they visited their son, Kenneth Lawson, Sic Torpedoman.

Mrs. Olvis Hamm was an Abilene visitor Monday.

Wesley Almond, formerly connected with Reed's Grocery, has moved to Fort Worth to make his home.

James Harold McBeth left Friday to return to his school at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Branton of Anton were visiting the Bill Clarkes this past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coats and Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton attended a banquet in Abilene Thursday night and visited Norma Janice Coats.

Pvt. Florence A. Wilson of Camp Pickett, Virginia, is here on a short furlough visiting her mother. She will leave Saturday to return to her camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ferguson of Tulla are here visiting relatives. Mrs. Hubert Ferguson of Munday visited them Saturday evening.

Mrs. Roy Lee Mills of Weinert is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. May spent Sunday afternoon in Rule.

Jack Warren and Miss Muri Hogg spent the weekend with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Warren.

A. B. Lowrey and Mrs. Henry White are in Fort Worth visiting Alena Payne who recently received her wings and is now an airline hostess stationed in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Green plan to visit Otice, a student at Texas Tech, in Lubbock this coming weekend.

Dr. and Mrs. T. P. Frizzell, Jr., took T. P. III and Jack Simmons back to Camp Wolters Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Whitford spent Sunday in Paducah with the Jones family.

Mrs. John May and Mrs. Walter Thomas attended the Baptist Workers Conference in O'Brien Tuesday.

Mrs. Gus Griffith has been visiting the Carney family in O'Brien.

Edmond Smith and family of Sundown and Mrs. Byron Lee and family of Levelland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Blanche Elliott returned home Monday after spending the week in the homes of her brothers, John at Childress, Chester at Lubbock, and her sisters, Mrs. V. P. Whight at Hale Center and Mrs. G. H. Harris, Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Elliott announce the arrival of a granddaughter, born September 18. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott of Childress. The young lady has been named Charlotte Elaine.

Miss Marjory Propps left Tuesday for Minneapolis, Minn. to enter St. University for her second year there.

J. M. Wylie of Cleburne spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stephens in O'Brien.

Mrs. Joe Averitt, Mrs. Gerald Averitt and Mrs. Bill Clonts spent Friday in Abilene.

Miss Mary Leone Hoge of Foster Field, Victoria, Texas, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hoge.

Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton, Mrs. L. W. Graham and Mrs. C. C. Hoge spent last Thursday in Haskell attending the Stamford District meeting of the Womens Society of Christian Service.

Pfc. Eual D. Hendon left Tuesday for Camp Van Dorn, Miss. after spending a 15-day furlough here with his wife and children and his mother, Mrs. L. M. Rice.

W. W. Hyde is gaining a reputation as a champion cotton picker in these parts. In spite of his age he concedes nothing to local or imported pickers when it comes to doing a days work in the field. Mr. Hyde believes in the honorable theory that work is good for a man whether for the personal gain or not. In times like these, when labor is so scarce, such efforts are a real contribution.

A slow rain amounting to slightly over half an inch by today noon has practically stopped cotton gathering in this section. The rain will benefit late feed and cotton and prolong grass on rangeland to some extent. Feed harvesting has been in full swing in this locality with good yields reported over the entire section. In spite of slightly declining prices on threshed grain substantial profits are being made on this crop. Green and wet conditions of the grain has caused bottlenecks in storing and shipping the product.

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Everyone is busy gathering their cotton crop and most every one is still in need of hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and family spent Sunday with Joe's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williams and family.

G. W. Carter's many friends were sorry to hear of him being back in the hospital again, but are very glad to hear he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. W. Carver and Inez attended the singing Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Waldrip and family in Union Grove community. They reported a very nice time and enjoyed the singing very much.

The people of this community hated very much to hear of the sudden death of an old time neighbor and friend, Cecil Fannin of Rule, formerly of this community. He was a brother-in-law to Mrs. Ernest Hughes.

Rev. Pete Whitten of Knox City preached at Hutto school house Sunday afternoon.

FOUR GENERATIONS PRESENT AS GREENS VISIT SWEETWATER

Recently Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green had as their guests a grandson and his family and on the occasion they went to Sweetwater to visit other relatives. They spent three days visiting there and attending to business.

Four generations were present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Green's daughter in Sweetwater. Four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren were on hand to welcome their grand parents.

Mr. Green stated that crops down in that section did not look so good and conditions of the fields reflected the manpower shortage.

YOU EAT LABOR COSTS

In the campaign to hold down the cost of living as the labor cost in production has gone up, the farmers of the country have been put in an unfavorable position.

Hundreds of thousands of farmers who produce a great portion of the nation's food, used to have a "hired hand" who received \$40 or \$50 or \$60 a month and room and board—and this meant more net income for the worker than two or three times that amount in a city.

Today the farmer pays double and treble these pre-war wages, and \$1.00 for inferior "extra help."

All the price ceilings, rationing and restrictions in the world won't produce food, and the cost of food must be based on the cost of production or there won't be any food. So if food prices have increased higher proportionately than other prices, it is simply because farm labor has increased more proportionately than in other industries.

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Birth Registration Is Vital Need Says State Health Officer

Explaining the need for all Texas births to be registered through the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Texas State Department of Health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said in Austin recently. "There are many reasons why every person needs a birth certificate. It is necessary for entrance into school, for the right to vote, for work in Federal defense projects, to prove American citizenship, for entering military service, to prove legal age of inheritance of property, for proving claims of widows and orphans, for settlement of insurance, for right of admission to certain professions, for collecting compensation from the government, and for many other important activities.

In Texas whenever a birth is attended by a physician, it becomes the physician's responsibility according to law to file a certificate of birth. There are, however, children born in the state without medical attendance and it is the parents' responsibility to have this birth registered through the regular channel.

The tremendous load of work done in the past two and one-half years by the Bureau of Vital Statistics in effecting delayed registration and furnishing copies of birth certificates needed because of the war and its resultant changes in occupation and way of living has demonstrated conclusively that the registration of births at the time they occur is of great personal benefit to every individual.

Much of the delay and embarrassment to people in search of a delayed birth certificate could be entirely avoided by general recognition of the value attached to each individual having his own certificate of birth.

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FOR SALE—44 acres land two miles north Knox City, near highway. Phone 2081. Geo. Stubbs.

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WILL TRADE nice white 5 burner oil cook stove for gas stove (table top). W. T. Wilcox. 1t

HELP WANTED—My wife and I are both teaching school and need a lady, old or young, who will come and make your home with us and do the housework and laundry. One daughter four will keep you company while we are in school. Will give room, board, laundry and \$12 a week to start. If interested, write Charley L. Rice, Box 102, Skellytown, Texas, or see Miss Ruth Rice at Knox City Grammar School.

WANT TO BUY pair of binoculars (8 power) for son overseas. C. C. Hoge

FOR SALE—320 acres land starting half mile south of Rochester. Address A. D. Sutton, Nolanville, Texas, or G. L. Sutton, 2424 27th St. Lubbock.

WANTED—Used love-seat or very small divan. Herald office. Ph. 2902

REWARD—For recovery of pointer bird dog. Solid white with liver colored head, heavy liver ticked front legs, open scar on right hind leg. He is an unusually large dog. If you have any information that will lead to his recovery, please turn it in to Moss at Herald office. The dog belongs to a serviceman and he values him highly.

FOR SALE—New government granary, holds 100,000 lbs. In sections and ready to be put up. See J. C. McGee

If you want to buy or sell a Farm or Ranch, see or write J. M. ASHCROFT Stamford, Tex.—Box 748—Phone 548

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Treating Seed Will Safeguard Against Fungus Diseases

Treating seed with disease-killing chemicals will safeguard winter grain crops against damage from fungus diseases called smut, says R. O. Dunkle, County agent. Wheat, oats and barley are the grains most susceptible to attack.

Wheat is subject to two types of the disease. One, called "stinking" smut, is difficult to identify in the field because the diseased heads do not differ outwardly from the healthy ones. But during threshing the spores are scattered over the undiseased grain. If such seed is planted without being treated the smut spores may germinate with the wheat, especially if weather and soil are rather cool at time of planting.

The other type, known as "loose" smut, is readily visible because it destroys the heads and leaves only the black, smutty stems. Spores are distributed about the time the wheat is in bloom and those which lodge in the flowers will germinate and grow into the young kernels.

Unfortunately, Dunkle says, "loose" smut cannot be controlled by chemical seed treatment because the fungus is carried inside the seed. The hot water treatment is effective but difficult. It is simpler to plant seed from an uninfected field.

For "stinking" smut the chemical treatment consists of cleaning the wheat by fanning or otherwise to remove the smut balls, and applying either two ounces per bushel of 50 percent copper carbonate, or one-half ounce per bushel of ethyl mercury phosphate called Improved Ceresan. The treating operation may be done with a commercial seed treating machine or a homemade container, such as an oil drum with a tight fitting lid revolving on an axis. It is important that the chemical be well distributed over each kernel.

Smut in barley and oats can be controlled by treating the seed with one-half ounce per bushel of Improved Ceresan or a mixture of one pint of commercial formaldehyde and 10 gallons of water at 60 or 70 degrees temperature. The formaldehyde solution should be sprinkled uniformly over 40 to 50 bushels of seed while it is being shovelled from one pile to another on a clean floor in a tight wagon box. Afterward the seed may be piled and covered with a wagon sheet for at least four hours or overnight. It then should be sown at once or spread out to dry.

Letters From Men in Service

September 6, 1944

Mrs. A. D. Bales, Knox City, Texas.

Dear Mother: Just a few lines to let you know that I am still well and doing OK. It has been some time since I've heard from you but I guess everything is alright.

Well, mom, I am somewhere in Italy now and like it alright but I would give anything to see you all again for it sure has gotten old here after so long a time.

Say mom, how is Dad getting along with his farming? Tell him I would help him a little if it were possible. I will some day, I hope. Will close for this time hoping to hear from you soon. Goodbye and good luck to you all. Love,

Raymond.
T-Sgt. Raymond Bales, 518 Engineers, W. S., APO 782 Postmaster, New York.

Texan Is Legion's "Man of the Year"



Selected as "Man of the Year" for his outstanding record in advancing the principles of Americanism advocated by the American Legion, Horace H. Shelton (left), attorney of Austin, Tex., is shown at the national convention in Chicago as he received the \$1,000 Lewis S. Rosenstiel Award for distinguished community service.

In the Churches

The Methodist Church

Rev. Lloyd Hamilton, Pastor
Sunday: 10:00 a. m.—Church School 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship 8:30 P. M.—Youth Fellowship 9:00 P. M.—Evening Worship
Monday: 3:00 P. M.—Woman's Society of Christian Service.
Wednesday: 7:00 P. M.—Wesleyan Service Guild 9:00 P. M.—Play night.

First Christian Church

Sunday School—10:00 A M J. H. Atterbury, Supt. Communion—11:00 A. M. Church—11:15 A. M. first Sunday every month. Vesper Service—5:00 P. M. first Sunday every month. Rev. J. T. McKlasick of Abilene conducts services first Sunday of month.

First Baptist Church

Phone 2821
Sunday: 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship 8:15 p. m.—Training Union 8:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday: 8:45 p. m.—Prayer Service and Bible Study.

Church of Christ

J. Cleo Scott, Minister
Sunday Morning Bible Study, 10:00 o'clock
Preaching and Communion, 11:00 o'clock
Sunday Evening Service—8:30 p. m. Ladies Bible Class, Monday, 3 p. m.

Lutheran Church

(Conducted by the Church of the Lutheran Hour, Missouri Synod) Services every second and fourth Sunday of each month. At the First Christian Church of Knox City. We preach Christ and Him Crucified. Tie of services—3:30 p. m.

Foursquare Church

Rev. Nile Byers, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M. Evangelistic Service, 8:30 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:30 P. M. Saturday Divine Healing, 8:30 P. M.

O'Brien Baptist Church

Rev. C. C. Beaty, Pastor
The O'Brien Baptist Church extends a welcome to you to attend their services. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.— Preaching at 11:00 a.m.— BTU at 8:00 p.m.— Preaching at 8:45 p.m.—

A new water repellent fabric will be on the market after the war that promises to be of great interest to farm homemakers. It is called Zelan. Right now this new fabric is being used for army jackets and other military garments. But after the war you can expect to see it in slip covers, shower curtains and yardage.

Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent says this fabric and others similar have real promise for farm homes. A farmer might really relax in a comfortable chair waiting for his noon-day meal without wondering whether his work clothes can soil the cushions.

Even after laundering this new fabric retains its soil and water-repellancy. And the manufacturers say it will mean less washing and longer wear.

The Family Altar

By Rev. Violet Byers
Co-Pastor, Foursquare Church

Today at the Family Altar, I would like to show each one the great example that was set before us in Matthew 26:39. "And he went a little further, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from Me; nevertheless not as I will, but as Thou wilt."

In this scripture we have a beautiful picture of Jesus talking to his Father. Jesus knew that his time on this earth was drawing to a close, and that within a very few hours He must pay the ransom price for lost and sinful humanity, but in the above scripture we find Him surrendering his will to the mighty will of God.

Jesus was living in a mortal body such as we have today and no doubt His body was reeling against the pain and agony that he was to suffer and indeed was suffering at that time. He had tried in so many ways to turn the people from their sinful lives, and show them a better way of living but they would not listen to Him and we find Him now in the Garden of Gethsemane suffering the agony of a broken heart, despised and rejected of men and about to be betrayed into the hands of sinners, to give His life a ransom for all, yet He said to His Father, "Not My will, but Thine be done."

I am afraid we who call ourselves Christians or followers of Christ do not follow Him all the way as it seems to be the hardest thing for us. Daily as we gather around the Family Altar let us first say as Jesus said, "Father, not My will, but Thine be done."

It is difficult to understand why mothers and fathers must give up their sons to fight against Godless nations and many times we find the cross hard to bear especially when the news comes that our particular loved one has paid with his life that we might have freedom. But dear ones, do not question God, did He not give His only son to die for us while we were yet sinners. He did not die to protect heaven from the intruders, but He died to open the treasures of heaven to a sinful world.

John 15:13 tells us, "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." But we find still greater love in the crucifixion of Jesus, as he is willing to die for His enemies. The treasures that Jesus opened up to us in Calvary are ours for the asking and believing, and we who have loved ones fighting overseas can gather around the FAMILY ALTAR and ask God to protect our boys and to save their souls, knowing that what we have committed unto Him, He is able to keep against that day. And beloved, even if our loved ones should be called away before we see them again, we know that if we surrender our wills to God, we will meet them again in a land where there will be no more war and no more parting, or tears or death, but where we will have life everlasting because Jesus was willing to surrender His will to that of His father.

Always remember to pray for our boys and girls as you gather around your Family Altar, and may God bless and protect you every one.

REMEMBER, JESUS LOVES YOU.
Rev. Violet Byers and the FAMILY ALTAR

NOTICE— DEAD ANIMALS

The U. S. Government urges you to help win the war by turning in your dead and crippled stock to some rendezvous for gun powder. Call collect, day or night, for free pick-up service. Phone No. 128, Mundav Soap Works

Our Merchant Marine

The Panama Canal

The Panama Canal, thirty years old in August 1944, will assume unparalleled importance with the shifting of the war's spotlight from Europe to Asia.

When we concentrate on Japan, it will often be quicker to load merchant ships on our East Coast, where production is heaviest, and ship directly through the Canal. This will relieve our over-burdened railroads.

Pre-war use of the Canal was 13 ships per day—far less than its capacity. Vital to the war effort, the canal will be equally essential to our post-war maritime commerce.

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AN ALL ELECTRIC HOME

That life partner fighting in some remote spot on the globe will return one day to again share a home with you... and what a home it will be... all-electric from doorbell to nightlight! Can't you see his eyes shine at the thought of having so many electrical conveniences in his home? It takes a man who'd almost forgotten the meaning of the words comfort and convenience, to really appreciate the electric wonders in store for the home of future. Amazingly efficient air-conditioning or attic ventilation... improved electric refrigeration and deep-freeze units... soft, non-glare lighting... crystal radio reception... these are only a few of the wonders that await the winners of the peace—and the loyal homemakers whose productive waiting and purposeful bond buying make them possible. The home of your dreams for you and your family is just around the corner, in an America set free from the horror of war.

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