

SUNSET GLOW

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Senior Report

This week is "headache" week for the Seniors because it is six weeks exams. From the rumors going around, the Civics and English tests are really going to be a headache. Mr. Wilson, our Civics teacher, announced that we would have one hundred true or false questions on our test. That doesn't sound so good, does it Seniors?

Everyone really had a swell time at the Thanksgiving dinner last Wednesday night. Mildred really had things cooked up good! Several games were played after eating the delicious meal. The girls got a big laugh over the "letter" pulled on us boys. Three members of the class were absent and they really missed a good time.

The Seniors were well pleased from the results of the Bomarton and Benjamin basketball games played during the week.

Junior Report

Well here it is again, six weeks exam and are we Juniors cramming! One will hear every now and then, "How can a and b equal one-half of a and c, that's geometry."

We want everyone to be on the lookout for a play to be presented here at Sunset by the Juniors some time during the month of December. The play will be the "Wacky Widow," so be sure and watch for the date. It will appear in this section of the Sunset news.

There are also plans going around for a good old St. Nick Christmas party, so Juniors put on your think-caps and give us some ideas.

Our last basketball and volleyball games were very successful with Sunset beating Benjamin. There were many ex-seniors here that played on the team last year. The exes played the Senior team of

this year and believe it or not they won. We play the Goree Wildcats here Friday night.

We hope everyone had a nice Thanksgiving dinner even if we didn't have a holiday and I'm sure everyone had plenty to be thankful for.

Sport News

Last week was a very good one for the Sunset Eagles. They won two games. One against Bomarton and another against the Benjamin Mustangs. The Eagles got a lead on Bomarton during the second quarter and held it to the finish, the score being 35 to 12. The Junior boys won their game.

Then again on Friday night the Eagles came out victorious over Benjamin with a score of 41 to 10 with only two of the main string players playing, the rest being second stringers. The volley ball girls and the Junior boys also won their games over the Mustangs.

Sophomore News

Well that dreaded six weeks exam is finally here. All the students in our class are doing their last minute cramming before the exams.

Our volley ball and basketball teams played some games last Friday night. Keep up the good work kids!

The Home Ec. girls are busy trying to finish their dresses and the Shop boys are just busy, (making noise from the way it sounds.)

Freshmen News

Gerald Freeman visited relatives in Camp Wolters and Weatherford over the week end.

Louise Riggins visited relatives in Rochester over the week end.

This week is six weeks exams and we freshmen are going to have plenty to keep us busy (for a while at least).

Eighth Grade News

We have decided not to have a Christmas tree because of the scarcity of gifts. We have all been buying stamps for our War Bond stamp books and hope to buy many bonds during this bond sale.

Marjorie visited her brother, Pvt. Harold Freeman, at Mineral Wells over the week end.

Margie Lee's aunt and uncle from Lubbock visited her over the week end.

We are sorry that some of our classmates are absent because of the rain. We hope they will be back soon.

Seventh Grade News

It is time for the six-weeks tests again. Everybody "wish us good luck."

We are very happy to have a new pupil. His name is Billy Joe Samples. We hope Billy Joe will enjoy going to Sunset.

Patricia Ann Johnson has gone to South Texas. She will be back home soon telling us of all her good times.

Christmas is nearly here now and we have already drawn names. Everyone is full of curiosity.

We have all joined the Junior

Red Cross to a hundred per cent. In reading we have been studying motion pictures. They are very interesting and we all enjoy them.

Fifth and Sixth Grade News

This is another rainy, blue Monday and some of us were late this morning but all finally came except Janette, who is sick.

Ida is back in school after an absence of six weeks. Gerold Ray Myer's brother, Glynn, who attends school at Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the week end at home.

Gloria Jean Michel had Thanksgiving dinner at Mr. Jungman's Thursday night.

Six-weeks tests start Wednesday so we shall not spend much time on this news report, but work hard to produce a good report card for Santa, who is just around the corner.

The best citizens last week were Shirley Yost and Imogene Hodges.

Third and Fourth Grade News

On the way to town Saturday afternoon Barbara Jo and her family saw two deer.

Louise visited her grandmother Sunday.

Sue saw the Sheppard Field entertainers Saturday and bought a

one hundred dollar war bond. Charles Everett went shopping in Seymour Saturday.

We are glad to have three new pupils, Cleon, and Glen Doyle Watson and J. A. Samples.

Howard Thompson spent Saturday and Sunday at New Castle visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thompson.

We are writing letters to Santa in English class today.

First and Second Grade News

We want to take this opportunity to thank all the mothers for making it possible for us to have such wonderful Thanksgiving dinner in our room the past Thursday.

We played that we were the Pilgrims and Indians having the First Thanksgiving. The girls enjoyed "dressing up" in long dresses as the Pilgrims and Indians did long ago. Those playing Indians enjoyed making and wearing their head-dress. We have many things to be thankful for.

Joyce Lee is absent because of a cold.

Betty Jean has been absent several days because of a cold and ear trouble.

All the children will now learn the story about our Christmas and learn to spell Christmas and other

words that we use in writing our letters to Santa.

We are glad Wanda Mae can be in school again even if it did have to rain so she could come.

Jerry was in Wichita Falls Saturday to see his mother and to look at the Christmas things.

Claude Larry is now reading with group I in the second grade.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Fairman of Knickerbocker spent several days here last week, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Smith, Jr., and other relatives.

Mrs. Thurman, mother of Mrs. D. G. Griffith, left last week for Fort Worth to visit with relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams and son, Kenneth, of Ballinger and Redden Parramore of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wren last Thursday.

Mrs. Aristel Thompson, who has been with her husband while he was in the states, has taken up her duties as teacher in the local

schools. Mr. Thompson has been sent to overseas duty.

Mrs. Alice Allen and Miss Gail Reynolds were business visitors in Abilene over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hester of Haskell spent the week end here, visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Warren.

Miss Helen Haymes and Miss Jean Davis were visitors at McMurry College in Abilene last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pendleton were visitors in Wichita Falls last Sunday and Monday. They were accompanied home Monday by Mrs. Paul Pendleton and little daughter, Jan, who will visit here for some time.

Mrs. Peggy Richmond and Mrs. James Dyke spent Sunday in Abilene, visiting with Mrs. Plummer Edwards.

Mrs. W. R. Moore Jr., of Knox City, visited relatives and friends here last Saturday.

Harvey Lee visited his father, O. W. Lee, in a Wichita Falls hospital

last Sunday. He reported his father improving and responding to blood transfusions.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Rogers, Mrs. Levey Burton of Haskell and Mrs. Troy Warren spent Thanksgiving holidays in Menard, Texas, visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Alice Wray.

Miss Maryon Huskinson, who has been employed in Wichita Falls for several months, has returned to Munday and has accepted a position at the First National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Browning of Fort Worth spent the week end visiting with relatives and friends here.

Marshall Whitsett of Lamesa visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

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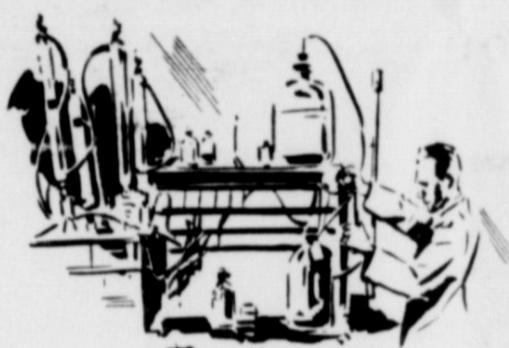
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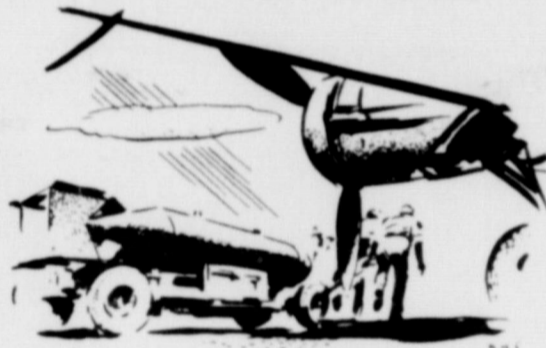
AN AMERICAN WAR PRODUCTION RECORD THAT DESERVES TELLING . . .

On December 14, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, the men and women of Humble Oil & Refining Company will pause in their work to commemorate, in appropriate ceremony, a feat unparalleled in the petroleum industry: The production of ONE BILLION GALLONS of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline at the Baytown refinery.

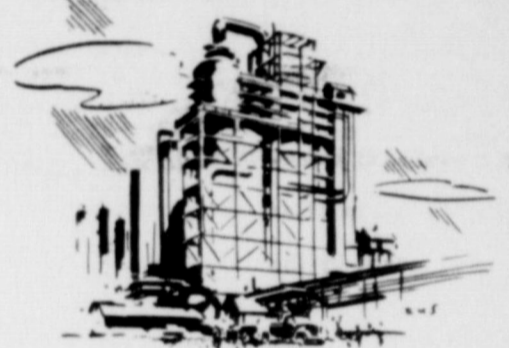
This accomplishment merits special commendation, because it climaxes 25 years of development, planning, and teamwork of a great organization. The cooperative effort of Humble employees has brought about a uniform progress in all phases of the Company's operations which has enabled them to establish remarkable records in finding, producing, transporting and refining petroleum during a critical period in the history of our nation.



Humble research and development, in progress for many years before Pearl Harbor, made possible these accomplishments and contributed greatly to the total production of toluene, and the tremendous quantities of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline required by our Armed Forces.



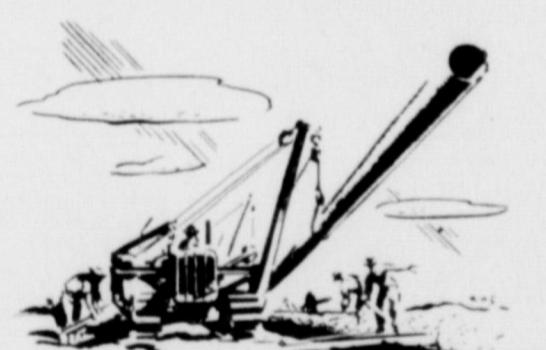
Baytown Ordnance Works, first synthetic toluene plant in the world, has supplied toluene for at least one out of every two bombs used by the United Nations since Pearl Harbor. For this production feat, Baytown Ordnance Works has five times been awarded the Army-Navy "E".



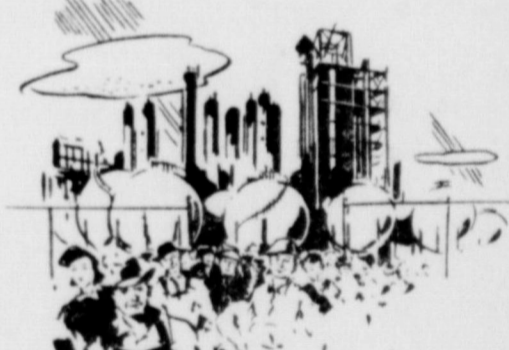
Baytown Refinery has made one billion gallons of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline—more than has been produced by any other plant in the world. The world's first commercial alkylation plant was built at Baytown in 1938. The alkylation process is the very backbone of 100-octane aviation gasoline production by the entire petroleum industry.



Humble Oil & Refining Company is the nation's largest producer of crude oil, and is currently supplying about one-fourth of the increased production required for war, as measured by the gain since 1941.



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United in a great singleness of purpose, 14,000 Humble men and women are devoting themselves to the task of providing vital petroleum products for war, looking to the day when their 3,000 fellow employees and all their comrades in arms will return.

OPEN HOUSE AT BAYTOWN REFINERY—DECEMBER 14-17

So that one of America's great war plants may be seen in action, Baytown Refinery is holding open house from Thursday, December 14, through Sunday, December 17. The story of the refinery at war will be told by dramatic

exhibits of petroleum war products and a great Army and Navy show of war machines and materials. Specially conducted tours will take Humble's friends and neighbors into the heart of the refinery itself.

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Louise Gafford And Cpl. Frank Nance Wed At Benjamin

A wedding of interest to many people of this area was that of Miss Louise Gafford of Munday and Cpl. Frank Nance, Jr., of the U. S. Marines. The wedding ceremony was performed in Benjamin at 1:50 p. m. Tuesday, December 5, with Rev. J. P. Patterson, Methodist pastor, reading the marriage vows.

Accompanying the couple were Miss Evelyn McGraw of Munday and the groom's cousin, Buster Nance of Knox City.

Both of these young people are well known in Munday. The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Gafford, was reared here and attended the local schools. She is a popular member of the younger set, active in church work and has many friends in this area.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nance, Sr., of Munday, has resided here for a number of years, and also attended the local schools. He has been in the service for three years and nine months, serving almost three years with his Marine unit in the Southwest Pacific area.

Cpl. Nance has just returned from foreign service, returning to Munday last Saturday to spend a 30-day furlough before reporting back to duty.

Mrs. Nance will continue to reside in Munday for the duration.

SURVIVORS OF DECEASED SERVICEMEN SHOULD CONTACT SOCIAL SECURITY

WICHITA FALLS—Survivors of deceased servicemen who worked in employment covered by the Social Security Act prior to their entrance into the armed forces were urged to contact the nearest Social Security Board field office by R. L. Surles, manager of the Wichita Falls, Texas, field office.

In addition to any benefits payable from War Risk Insurance, there may be some payment from the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance system. These payments can be made if the worker was insured under the Social Security plan, particularly if the deceased is survived by minor children, since monthly payments continue until the youngest child reaches age 18.

Delay in filing the claim after notice of death is received may result in some loss of benefit by the survivor.

Miss Helen Homer of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Homer of Rhineland.

Jetton Family Has Reunion And Thanksgiving Feed

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jetton of Munday gave a Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday, honoring their nephew, Pvt. Edwin Lee Jetton, who was home on furlough. A delicious dinner was enjoyed, and many relatives spent the day visiting.

Present for this occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jetton of Goree; Pvt. and Mrs. Edwin Lee Jetton and son, Jerry Edwin; Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Lambeth and children, Linda Joyce and Donald Lynn, of Goree; Mrs. Clarence Jetton of Waco; Myrtle and B. S. Jetton of Goree; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jetton and children, Donna Sue, Belya Ann and Jimmie Joe, of Munday.

All were present except Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jetton and son, Roger Dean, of Fort Worth.

Pvt. Jetton left Sunday for his post at Fort Orange, Calif.

Special War Bond For Old Folk

Washington, D. C.—The Treasury has a bond especially for the older people, but many of them don't know about it, the agricultural section of the war Finance Division points out. This is the current income series G-bond paying 2 1-2 percent interest per annum every six months and maturing in 12 years.

Any person who needs regular income from interest on their money should consider the G-series. For a current income Government Bond maturing in 12 years, 2 1-2 percent is a high rate of interest, the Treasury points out. Current income is not the G Bond feature that appeals to the older investor. Like the popular E Bonds the G series has fixed redemption values. They can be cashed anytime after six months from issue. Counting interest already received, this cash redemption value is always more than cost. In the event of owner's death the estate can redeem G Bonds at full cost price without any deduction for interest already received. This makes G Bonds ideal for an estate.

Miss Maud Isbell was admitted to a Wichita Falls hospital for medical treatment last Tuesday afternoon. She was taken to Wichita Falls in an ambulance from the Mahan Funeral Home.

Rev. and Mrs. Don R. Davidson and family visited with relatives in Chillicothe last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bowden and son, Jimmy, of McCarney visited Mr. Bowden's mother, Mrs. J. B. Bowden, and other relatives here over the week end.

Jim Thompson Fights On Leyte

With the First Cavalry Division On Leyte—English-speaking Japanese calling out in the darkness, "Me guerilla, don't shoot," highlighted the experiences of Staff Sergeant Jim J. Thompson, son of Mrs. Margaret I. Thompson, Route 1, Munday, Texas, during the landing on Leyte. Sergeant Thompson heads a mortar section in a mortar platoon taking part with the First Cavalry Division in the invasion of the Philippines.

Fire from a ridge held by more than 100 Japanese was blocking the advance of our troops, and Thompson's platoon was ordered to leave its mortars and take the ridge by storm. Armed for the most part only with pistols and carbines, they crept up the slope, guided by the noise of the Japanese jabbering away in their own language and English. The command post, which, incidentally, furnished with the best American equipment, was rushed and taken almost in silence. The remaining Japanese were apparently unaware that their headquarters had been captured, and were decaying them into revealing their positions in foxholes and at gunnys. When they did so, our sharpshooters promptly picked them off.

For more than six hours, until relieved by other troops, Thompson's platoon held that ridge, constantly subject to Japanese attacks and ruses, such as their pretense at being guerillas. In that time, they inflicted heavy casualties on an enemy far stronger in numbers. "These men did a job of which any troop commander would be proud," declared their commanding officer, Captain William C. Frey of El Paso, Texas.

Sergeant Thompson, who has been in the service since March, 1941, received his basic training with the First Cavalry Division at Fort Bliss, Texas, and has been with the division since, coming overseas in 1943, and taking part in the Admiralties campaign. Before coming in the Army, he attended Goree high school and then was employed by Ben Bowman of Munday, Texas. Sergeant Thompson is also the holder of the Combat Infantryman's Badge for exemplary performance in action during the First Cavalry Division's conquest of the Admiralty Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Fitzgerald and Mrs. Bob Jarvis were business visitors in Abilene last Thursday.

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11 a. m. Morning Worship. The pastor will bring the message.
6:15 p. m. M. Y. F. Young people will enjoy this fellowship.
7 p. m. Evening Preaching. An informal service you will appreciate.
Wednesday, Choir practice at 7:30 p. m. Bible study at eight o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. William N. Shell of Haskell preaches here each Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m.
Our church is located on the Main street of Munday and has an attractive auditorium with added Sunday school facilities. The Auxiliary meets on Mondays and is accomplishing a good work.

LOCALS

George Salea and Sied Waheed left last Sunday on a business trip to Waco, Dallas and other points. They expected to attend the annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Texas in Waco, and transact business in Dallas.

G. B. Hammett and Otis Simpson left last Sunday for Waco to attend the annual communication of the state Masonic bodies. They are representing the local lodges at both the Grand Chapter and Grand Lodge meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eiland of Lamesa visited with relatives and friends here over the week end.

Sgt. Paul Pendleton, who is stationed at Sheppard Field, came in

BENJAMIN METHODIST CHURCH

J. P. Patterson, Pastor
CALENDAR
Preaching Second and Fourth Sundays at 11:00 a. m.
Church school 10:00 a. m. each Sunday.
Services December 10
There will be preaching in the Methodist church at eleven o'clock. There is a hearty welcome to all and a special invitation to worship with us on this occasion.
We will take our offering for the Orphan's Home on December 24. Please bring your part to church or give to Mr. R. O. Dankle. We will take our offering for McMurry College on the second Sunday in February. This date has been named as the time for our gifts to this worthy cause. Please confer with me any time between now and our date.
Our Quarterly Conference will be held on January 14. Let's have our reports ready when the time comes. Brother Young will be with us and preach at that time.
J. P. Patterson, Pastor.

This week to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pendleton, and with other relatives and friends.
Mrs. Hal Pendleton and little daughter of Dallas came in Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pendleton and with other relatives.
Homer T. Melton of Benjamin was a business visitor here last Saturday.

Misses Jeanette and Wanda Sue Partridge, who are attending Laredo-Simmons University in Abilene, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Partridge, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and Mrs. Carl Burns and children visited with relatives and friends at Munday recently.

Future Farmers Win Basketball Games At Goree

On Tuesday evening this week the Future Farmers invaded Goree and won junior game by a score of 17 to 14 and then sprung the surprise of the season by defeating the senior team 34 to 30. The local F. F. A. Chapter is sandwiching their athletic program in between the regular football season and the basketball season. Last week they won a junior game and lost a senior game on the Munday court. Two weeks ago they had lost two games to Sunset.

Next week the forty members of the local chapter will attend the District Future Farmer meeting at Seymour and the basketball team will participate in the District Tournament. Those who played on the senior team that defeated Goree last week were: Lloyd Hayate, D. G. Chamberlain, James Caldwell, Kenneth Harrison, Joe Frank Bowley, Harold Green and Delbert Montgomery. Those playing on the Junior team were: Jimmie Massey, Kenneth Baker, Wayne Rodgers, D. G. Chamberlain, and Delbert Montgomery.

Outstanding player for the F. F. A. was D. G. Chamberlain, who played on both teams, and hit the "finger" time after time to lead his teammates to victory.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Brogden and daughters, Jeanne, Joyce, and Reba, visited recently in the home of Paul's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brogden of Papp, Texas. Cpl. William A. Brogden of the Dodge City, Kansas Air Base was home on furlough at the time. They were accompanied on their trip by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Montgomery and son, Delbert, who visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Idell Montgomery and Sandra.

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Predicts Increased Investment By American Farmers During Sixth War Bond Campaign

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A prediction that American farmers will invest more money in bonds during the Sixth War Loan than in any previous drive was made today by the War Finance Division of the U. S. Treasury.

Farmers bought \$1,250,000,000 worth of War Bonds during 1943, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. In 1944 it is believed they can and should purchase a total of \$2,000,000,000. Ted R. Gamble, national director of the War Finance Division, said:

Income at Peak
The Sixth War Loan starting November 20, comes at an ideal time for agriculture, he pointed out. This is not only the time when farm income is at a seasonal peak, but 1944 marks three years of record breaking farm income, he said.

Based on information obtained from the BEA, the Agricultural Section of the War Finance Division estimates the 1944 farm income at \$29,600,000,000, compared with \$20,000,000,000 in 1943. Although net farm income, due to higher operating costs, may not be greater than in 1943, most farmers now have reduced their debts and consequently will have more money to invest in War Bonds, the division reports.

In the twelve months ending January 1, 1944, farmers reduced real estate mortgages about by \$200,000,000.

Bank Deposits
After paying all operating costs and necessary family expenses, farmers will have left this year for investment and debt reduction over \$5,500,000,000, the Agricultural Section estimates. The fact that new deposits are being made in rural banks. Demand deposits held by farmers in these banks are estimated at \$4,500,000,000 and time deposits at \$2,000,000,000. Since the new method of redeeming Series E sav-

ings Bonds makes them as liquid as a dollar bill, it is no longer necessary for the farmer to maintain a large bank account to meet possible emergencies, Mr. Gamble stated. Therefore, he believes, farmers will



Ted R. Gamble

convert part of these deposits into War Bonds.
War Bond purchasers will provide a farm financial reserve to protect against damage by drought, flood and livestock disease, will secure cash to replace and repair buildings and machinery as well as to build back soil fertility depleted by wartime food production, and will provide funds for education, vacations and old age security.
The high farm income this year is the result of the huge increase in farm production to meet wartime food needs rather than a rise in prices, which have been held down by the OPA it was explained.

Lt. Alfred Hendrix Reports For Duty At Miami Beach

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—1st Lieut. Alfred F. Hendrix, 22, Munday, Texas, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Medical examinations and classification interviews at this post, one of three redistribution stations operated by the AAF Personnel Redistribution Command for AAF returnee officers and enlisted men, will determine his new assignment. He will remain here about two weeks, most of which will be devoted to rest and recreation.

As a B-17 Fortress bombardier, Lieut. Hendrix flew 32 missions while in the European theater, winning the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal. Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrix of Munday, he entered the army in March, 1943.

Lieut. and Mrs. Grady Shytles left last week for Fresno, Calif., after spending several days here with Mrs. Shytles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Reeves. They came at this time to attend the funeral of Lieut. Shytles' father in Abilene.

Activities of Colored People

The colored school express their appreciation to the president of the Methodist Missionary Society, Mrs. S. E. McStay, and other members for their donation to our lunch room.

The hen which was given away by the school was won by Dennis Williams. The amount raised was \$24.50. We wish to thank our white friends and our colored patrons who supported the drive.

The children really enjoyed the pre-Thanksgiving steak dinner which was donated them last Thursday.

Pastor Alexander preached last Sunday, and he and his wife left Monday for San Angelo. He will return soon to begin a Christmas meeting. Each and everyone is invited to come.

Miss Addie Mae Duoy of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. T. V. Scott.

Cpl. J. C. Jones In Foreign Hospital

Mrs. John Harris received word from her brother, Cpl. J. C. Jones that he was confined to a hospital in some foreign country. J. C. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones of Jackboro. He was well known in this community and his host of friends send him their best wishes. He went into the Paratrooper Division of the army in December, 1942. He served with the 82nd Airborne Division that invaded France and was last stationed in Holland.

Pvt. Tom Browning and Jim Albert Hicks, both of Camp Wolters, were here last week on their overseas furlough. Pvt. Jim A. Hicks left Sunday for port of embarkation in California, his wife accompanying him to Abilene. Pvt. Tom Browning left Friday for port of embarkation at Fort Meade, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hannah and daughters, Carolyn and Charlotte, were business visitors in Dallas last Thursday.

Diek Owens, who is attending N. T. A. C. at Arlington, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with his grandfather, R. B. Davy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Nooney of Mankins were business visitors in town last Saturday night.

Mrs. Ruby Kethley of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Williams and other relatives here several days last week.

Mrs. Arthur Smith, Jr., left last Sunday for Wisconsin, where she will spend some time visiting her husband, who is in training here.

Mrs. Roddy Griffith and baby son left last Thursday for Louisiana where they are visiting their husband and father, Cpl. Carl R. Griffith, who is in training at the Alexandria Army Air Field.

Mrs. O. W. Terry of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. W. S. Ledbetter, and other relatives here several days last week.

H. B. Stubblefield was a business visitor in Dallas the first of this week.

Pfc. Sebern M. Jones, who is serving in the U. S. Marines and stationed at Cherry Point, N. C., came in the first of this week to spend a furlough with his wife and children. He came at this time on account of the illness of his daughter, Carolyn, who suffered an attack of pneumonia. The child is reported improving.

Mrs. Ulric Lea and little son, Jimmie, of Knox City were business visitors here last Monday.

Capt. Jack Williams of Wright Field, Ohio, spent one day here last week, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Williams.

Two new gifts to the University of Texas are the Diary of Samuel Gouverneur Jr., grandson of President Monroe, and a collection of autographed pictures of Gen. Robt. E. Lee. Mrs. Gouverneur Hoes of Washington presented the diary in the name of her husband, the late Major Hoes, U. S. Army, and John K. Prather of El Paso presented the pictures.

For quick results, use a Munday Times classified ad.

FARMS FOR SALE

NO. 1—200 acres in cultivation, 133 acres in grass land, good 4-room house and lots of outside improvements. Good well and windmill and water piped to house, barn and garden. Plenty tank water at all times for livestock. Sixty acres of wheat ready to be grazed now. School bus and Rural Route services now, and R. E. A. services available soon. Farm located 7 miles north east of Goree, Texas. Price \$55.00 per acre, possession Jan. 1, 1945.

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Surface rights, 1,000 acres of good mesquite grassland, \$20 per acre. 350 acre stock farm. Modern 5-room home less than 3 years old, \$60 per acre. 326 acres. Old improvements. \$30 per acre.

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FOR SALE—90 feet of 8-foot picket fence. See Mrs. M. Boggs, Munday, Texas. 11p.

FOR SALE—Seed oats, free of Johnson grass. See Eugene Michels, Munday, Texas. 24-6tp.

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FOR SALE—10 bushels of Black Hull seed wheat; also 6-foot Sanders one-way plow, 19-inch disc. See Oscar Spann. 23-2tp.

NOTICE—If you need anything in monuments or markers, we have the largest stock of finished monuments and markers in this part of the state. Why pay more, when we sell the best for less? See A. U. Hathaway. 21-4tp.

FOR SALE—Two-room house, located two miles west of Goree. See R. L. Gaines. 23-2tp.

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CONFIDENCE

Self-confidence—an active faith in your own power to accomplish whatever you try to—is a personal asset which can do big things for you.

One thing which builds self-confidence is a successful experience. Each day completed with passing grades in your subject is a successful experience which will build up confidence in you.

Little successes are contagious. Once you get a taste of success, you'll find yourself doing something successful every day. And before you realize it, your little successes will have built up to that big success in life you've been dreaming of. So—get the habit of success as fast as possible. Resolve to study every day, even if only for a few minutes.

Another confidence builder is a deep, firm faith in yourself—in your ability to get ahead. If you

do believe in yourself and you are willing to back up this faith with good hard studying, you can safely leave the final result to itself. With complete confidence, you can look forward to an early success in life.

Society News

Looks as if the Thanksgiving holidays were inclined to make school seem soft. Everybody is still thinking of the turkey they ate so much of.

There's excitement in the air this week that could not be caused from anything other than the Football Banquet. During any off period, a group of girls can be found discussing the particular frock they are patiently waiting to wear.

There are so many people in "Dear Ole M. H. S." who seem to wish they hadn't been in such a hurry to get through with exams. Couldn't be that the grades were the reason for changing their minds; or could it?

The Speech class received their long awaited plays Monday, and already they've started to "live" their parts; for some of them it seems to be pretty easy to do.

We're glad to have four new pupils in Munday high. There is Wanda Sue Nelson, who has joined our Senior class. We hope to see her at all of our school's socials. The Sophomores have gained two new class members this past week, Mary Lou Nelson and Mart Boone. Nadine Butler is being welcomed by the Freshmen class. It is interesting to note that three of these new students have come to us from Weinert.

The Annual

The Senior class is busily at work on the annual. They have just finished a drive to sell the annuals and are planning a drive to sell advertisements to the business men of Munday.

The picture man has been here during the last few weeks and has just finished taking the pictures. Most of them are very good. All of

the group pictures except those of the football and basketball teams have been made.

Senior Life

On June 8, 1928, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ford of Goree were blessed with a tiny bundle they named Frances Joylene. This little baby has grown up to be one of the most intelligent members of the Senior class and one of the prettiest girls in high school. With auburn hair and blue eyes and a matching personality she has become a favorite among the student body.

Joylene started to school in Goree at the age of six and attended five and one half years. While in the fourth grade she won a first place in fourth-and-fifth grade spelling at County Meet. She moved to Munday and joined the present class while we were in the sixth grade.

When she entered high school Joylene was a chorus girl her Freshman year and has been a volleyball girl these past three years. She was on the main-string her Junior year.

This year Joylene is an A student in all her subjects and is a member of the annual staff as Senior Life reporter.

Some of Joylene's favorites are:
Song: "It Had To Be You."
Color: Blue.
Remark: "I don't think I appreciate that."

Teacher: Mr. Owens.
Subject: Short-hand.
Sport: Volleyball.
Past-time: Drug-store cowgirl.
Hobby: Writing (and receiving) letters from a future Navy man.

After her high school graduation Joylene plans to... well, that's quite beside the point. Her plans have not been completed due to certain obstacles. But whatever she does the entire Senior class joins together to wish Joylene the best of luck and Godspeed. She certainly deserves the best.

Senior News

The Seniors are in a rut—a happy holiday rut. They haven't been able to settle down since they have returned from those exciting Thanksgiving days. Many of the class went to Add Munday school—Deer, soldiers, quail—all those hunting—for what I couldn't say, small trifles—you know.

Quite a few of the exam grades were far below par; the entire class has let down on pursuing their subjects. Too bad if they forget to graduate as they forget to study for graduation.

Junior News

Well, the Juniors can truthfully say that they enjoyed the holidays very much. Many were out of town, some visited other schools, and the rest just stayed home. Anyway, there was plenty of activity going on. Now we are all looking forward to the Christmas holidays, which are just around the corner.

Some of the Juniors have been going around with rather long faces this week. Say kids, could it be the results of the six weeks tests? (Could be!) Anyway all the Juniors have agreed to study harder this six weeks. (Wonder why Juniors? Is it competition? Well?) The Juniors miss their sponsor, Mrs. Baker, very much, but we are enjoying her substitute, Mrs. Bowden.

Sophomore News

This weather we are having seems to be wonderful (for ducks). Old Man Weather seems to be dishing out some of that "California Sunshine," which runs very freely down the gutters. Outdoor sports are really out for a while. But this weather gives some of us time to read those books and magazines that have collected and need to be in the scrap paper drive. If those books are still good after you have read them, send them to the U. S. O. or to a soldier here in the States. Everyone is planning on the evening dress or suit they are going to wear to the football banquet Friday. This annual affair seems to draw quite a bit of attention.

According to our social calendar we are due a Christmas party this month. We look forward to every

Goree News Items

Mrs. Theresa Parker and children of Wickett were week end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Troy.

Pfc. George A. Brown, who is serving with the air forces at a base in New Jersey, was here over the week end to visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Daniell have had word from their son, Pfc. Forrest Daniell Jr., who is with the invasion forces on the Philippine Islands, that he is well. Forrest sends greetings to all of his friends and states that the liberated people are very grateful to the soldiers and try to prove it in every way possible. He sent home quite a number of interesting Kodak pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Miller and daughter, Naomi Jean, were week end visitors in the home of Mr. Miller's parents at Woodson.

Mrs. Taylor Couch has had recent word from her husband, Seaman Couch, who was wounded in line of duty, stating that he is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCauley have had word from their son, Bluford, that he is in Belgium and is well.

The rain continues after several days of cold weather, making grain prospects for this location very good.

Mrs. J. T. Lawson left Sunday to meet her son, Pfc. Lowell Lawson, who is stationed in New Jersey.

Mrs. Lucy Coursey had just received word from her son, Pat Coursey, that he had landed in France. Pat is with a tank division. He writes that the soldiers are being as well cared for as possible.

Mrs. Tommie Bramlett of Los Angeles, Calif., spent last week here, visiting her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Polson, Mr. and Mrs. John Polson and with other relatives.

J. W. Fowler was a business visitor in Wichita Falls last Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Jones has been on the sick list, but is improved some.

Weldon James has been a patient in a hospital at Wichita Falls for some time.

Rhineland News

The Rhineland community expresses its sincere appreciation and thanks to everyone who cooperated with the community to make the Thanksgiving Celebration a success.

The winners of the prizes were: J. C. Harpham won the bale of cotton; Mrs. D. L. Lait won the \$25.00 war bond; Miss Anna Hoening won the \$5.00 cash prize. Congratulations to you winners!

The Rhineland community has begun plans for a great celebration sometime next year—its Golden Jubilee. The date for the celebration will be set next January. This occasion will be the most outstanding event in the history of this community. More details will be given as the plans develop. Your continued good-will and cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

Rev. Herman, O. S. B.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pruitt have another son in the family. The youngster was born Monday morning, December 4, at the Knox county hospital and tipped the scales at 8 pounds, 7 ounces. Mother and son are reported doing nicely.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

party and all the holidays. The room mothers have already planned this party but we know nothing of their plans.

Our class has increased in number since the holidays. We increased the number by adding an old timer, Mrs. Boone, and a certain Miss Mary Lou Nelson. We welcome these pupils with great vigor and our best greetings.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Freeman left last Wednesday for Paris, Texas, where they will visit with relatives for several days.

Mrs. John Rice spent last Sunday in Wichita Falls, attending the bedside of Mr. Rice, who was in a hospital there, undergoing treatment for asthma.

Misses Charlene and Emogene Nelson of Dallas spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nelson.

Jay Baker of Mineral Wells visited his daughter, Mrs. George Beatty, here last Sunday.

Miss Iva Palmer, county superintendent of Haskell county, visited with Mrs. Leon Partridge here last Sunday.

J. C. Campbell spent the first of this week in Dallas, attending the markets and purchasing merchandise for the Campbell Variety store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Baker spent last Thursday and Friday in Dallas attending the markets and purchasing merchandise for the Baker-McCarthy store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spann spent the week end in Dallas, visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Spann and Miss Zell Spann, and attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarvis visited with Mrs. Jarvis' mother, Mrs. Boger Williams of New Castle, and with other relatives and friends there over the week end.

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Take home a sack of our quality feeds. A feed for every need!

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We are receiving some nice shipments of new toys this week. Come in and make your selections now.

A small deposit will hold any item in our store until Christmas.

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You can't wipe this out with your tears!



BUT BONDS WILL HELP YOUR BOYS DO IT!

Your fighting men are paying back the Japs for Pearl Harbor, that "deed that will live in infamy." But it's a long way yet to Tokyo—where the final installment will be collected.

We, at home, can't fight shoulder to shoulder with our boys. Yet we can help today by getting behind the 6th War Loan Drive with every dollar we can scrape together. This is every American's war. Buy an extra \$100 Bond—and don't wait till you're asked. For we've a tough job ahead.

Your Bonds prove that you

haven't forgotten Pearl Harbor, Bataan and the thousands of other crimes against humanity by the Jap hordes. Your Bond is an installment on what it's going to cost us to crush the Japs in the long sea lanes of the Pacific—it's going to take more superfortresses at \$600,000 each, more P-47 Thunderbolts at \$50,000 each—more of every type of materiel.

And remember, when you buy Bonds you are saving for your future and the future of your country. Don't put it off—buy that extra Bond today.



BUY AT LEAST AN EXTRA \$100 WAR BOND TODAY!

In the Interest of the Sixth War Loan, this ad sponsored jointly by:

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Stocks limited but some good ones left.

Pollyanna, Checkers, Sewing Sets, Color Books, Doll Cut Outs, Stuffed Animals, Puzzles, Etc.

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- Pictures Mirrors
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- Coffee Makers Pyrex
- Gift Soaps Candlewick Glass
- Roseville Pottery - Make-up Kits
- Picture Frames . Address Books
- Photo Album Scrap Books

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- Lucien Lelong
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- Evening in Paris
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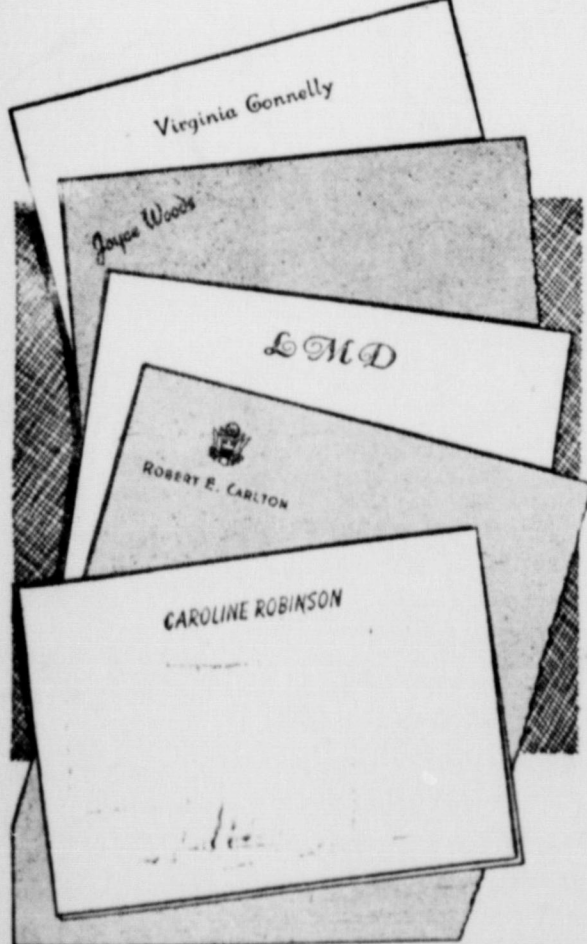
Come in a choice of several colored backgrounds with gold borders and edges.

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Stocks Are Limited In All Departments. Shop Early!



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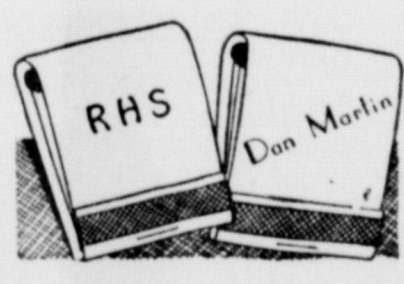
Stamped with name or monogram in the beautiful new Kingsley process. 21 sheets and envelopes. Choice of colors—

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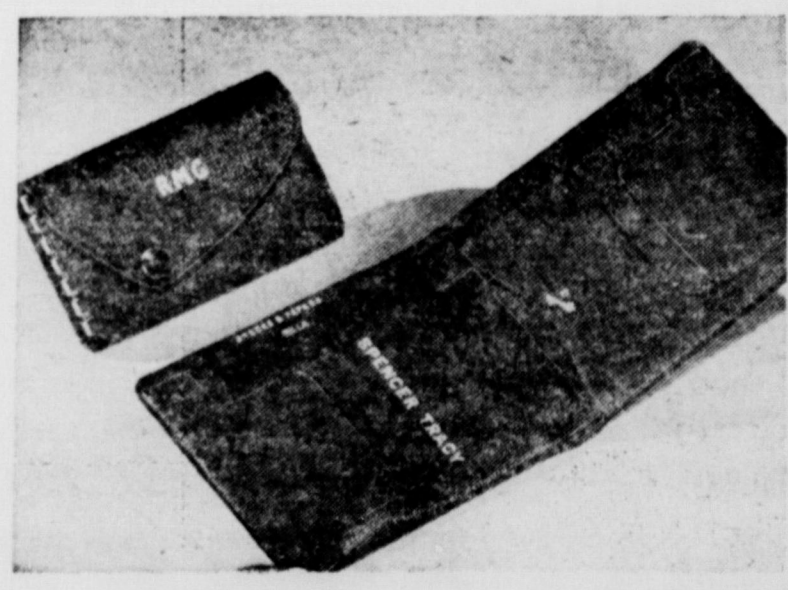


Monogrammed Book Matches

You'll enjoy having your own Book Matches stamped with your name or initials in the beautiful new Kingsley-Hollywood process.

Box of 50
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Monogrammed Matches make very smart and attractive gifts!



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Rufus H. Frost Gets His Wings

Ellington Field, Texas—Intensively trained to be pathfinders on the high roads to enemy military objectives, another class of navigators has been graduated at this huge station of the Army Air Forces Training Command.

Graduates have received their silver wings as navigators and their bars as second lieutenants or flight officers.

The award for military achievement went to Lt. Walter A. Daniels, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Clark Daniels of Route 3, Stratford, N. Y.

Navigation proficiency awards were given the following graduates: Lt. Otey B. Carroll, Alexandria, Va.; Lt. Donald J. Fluke, Nankin, Ohio; Lt. Eugene S. Grotzky, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Lt. David R. Hastings, Fryeburg, Me.; Lt. Eugene R. Leitch, Jr., Grasse Tete, La.; Lt. Thomas L. Nabors, Glencoe, Ala.; Lt. George E. Stewart, Maplewood, N. J.; Flight Officer Simon N. Simonian, Detroit, Mich.; Lt. Harry M. Walker, Prescott, Ariz.

Other graduates included: Lieut. Rufus H. Frost, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Frost of Munday. Prior to entering aviation cadet training, he served with the Army Air Forces at Atlantic City, N. J.; and Fort Monmouth, N. J.

JOHN LAVEL PHILLIPS SPENDS LEAVE HERE

John Lavel Phillips, Y 3/c, has returned to Coranado, Calif., after spending a ten-day leave with his wife and daughter, Donna Kay. He was accompanied to Abilene by his wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Yarbrough and J. B. Duke.

John has completed his training as yeoman and received his rating as third class petty officer. Mrs. Phillips and Donna plan to join him in the near future.

Did You Know?

By Doyle G. Thomas, Secretary Knox County A. C. A.

That January 15, 1945 has been set as the final date for producers to report the practices carried out on their farm in 1944, and that if the practices are not reported by this date, payment cannot be made for them even though they were carried out during the 1944 program year.

That the county and community committees in their meeting November 29, 1944, set the dates, time, and places for the committee elections to be held between December 11 and December 16, and that these dates are listed in another article of this weeks edition.

That business and labor are making big plans for the post war period and that agriculture should be doing the same.

That one big step in planning for post war agriculture is getting qualified men elected as county and community AAA committeemen.

That at the coming committee elections, there will be subjects discussed that will be of great interest to you and that among the persons that will carry on the discussions are R. O. Dunkle, county agent, Charlie Cape, Work Unit Leader for the Soil Conservation Service, and Emmet Partridge, chairman of the Knox County AAA committee.

That the public is invited to attend these meetings including housewives and business men, even though, they will be unable to vote if they are not farming or ranching.

That total production of cottonseed cake and meal through October 31, 1944 was 441,900 tons compared to 578,100 tons a year ago.

That purchasers of cottonseed meal and cake do not have to have a purchase certificate if they do not purchase more than five hundred pounds per month.

Weather Report

Weather report for the period of Nov. 30th to Dec. 6th, inclusive, as recorded and compiled by H. F. Hill, Munday U. S. Cooperative Weather Observer:

	Temperature		Rainfall	
	LOW	HIGH	1944	1943
Nov. 30	24	32	51	59
Dec. 1	23	41	43	66
Dec. 2	36	33	44	62
Dec. 3	41	30	50	55
Dec. 4	44	33	53	65
Dec. 5	38	50	45	67
Dec. 6	44	40	54	60

Rainfall to date this year, 20.03 inches; rainfall to this date last year 12.57 inches.

A Want Ad In The Times Pays

Achievements Of 4-H Club Boys Are Impressive

One hundred and fifty six boys of the one hundred and ninety one enrolled in Knox County for the year of 1944, have accomplished the following contributions to the war effort and in the "feed a fighter" goal.

Sixteen beef calves weighing 14,010 pounds were designated by the boys for food in General Gregory's forces in the Quarter Master Department. General Gregory sent a letter and certificate of appreciation to each of the sixteen boys in Knox county who fed beef calves.

Thirty three boys fed out 61 pigs that weighed 12,200 pounds and were sold for a total of \$1,768.56.

Twelve boys produced 1,357 chickens and marketed 12,000 dozen eggs.

Thirty five boys planted 350 acres of the new variety of grain sorghums, bonita and early hegar, and produced 42,500 pounds of grain sorghum seed that will be planted by neighboring farmers in the near communities in the year of 1945.

Fourteen boys took care of the family cow and through better management and better feeding practices were able to sell in addition to family needs \$405.00 worth of butter fat.

Ten boys planted 80 acres of cotton and produced fifty eight bales, which sold for \$5,983.00. This figure includes the value of the seed.

Fifty three 4-H Club members of Knox county report as having bought \$3,754.00 worth of War Bonds. They have also collected 1,165 pounds of rubber, 13,651 pounds of scrap iron, 92 pounds of fat and 385 pounds of paper.

Eighty one percent of the entire membership of 4-H Club boys in Knox county are not the parlor patriots of many other groups, whether adult or youth, whether in the community in the county or whether in the entire district.

Weekly Health LETTER

Issued by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, M. D., State Health Officer of Texas

Austin—Reports from widely separated parts of Texas to the Texas State Department of Health show that influenza is widespread throughout the state. During the past month over 3170 cases have been reported.

Colds, grippe, and influenza are spread from person to person through discharge from the nose and throat. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that in order to protect yourself and others from such diseases here are some things to be remembered and some precautions to be observed:

Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everybody is susceptible to it. No matter how many times you may have had the disease, you may contract it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are sneezing, coughing, or sniffing, or who are actively ill with colds, influenza, or pneumonia. Keep away from crowded places. Have your own towel and drinking cup and always wash your hands before eating.

Keep yourself as fit as possible by drinking plenty of water, by eating simple, nourishing food, by some exercises out of doors every day, by dressing according to the weather, by having plenty of sleep in a well-ventilated room, and by keeping the bowels regulated.

If you feel an attack of grippe or influenza—or even of what you may think an ordinary cold—coming on, go to bed, consult your physician, and follow his directions implicitly.

A Want Ad In The Times Pays



I GIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

Returning to Cotulla recently, your columnist found the town much changed from the winter of 1920-21 which was spent there to build up my health.

The town, between San Antonio and Laredo, was pretty much at that time as it was some 35 years before when Will Porter arrived in LaSalle county to regain his health. (The world now knows him better as O. Henry.)

The streets in 1920 when I landed there, were still unpaved and there was an old building with a faded sign, "Saloon." The hotel where O. Henry occasionally spent a night is still there, even now, and is doing a thriving business.

Deputy Sheriff Ed Wildenthal is much too young to remember O. Henry but he remembers people who did know O. Henry. He tells the traditional story of the time that young Porter came to Cotulla, drank to much and then went into the hotel lobby. The motherly proprietress, whom he called "Aunt," made him promise not to drink any more. Then while he slumbered in the chair, a bottle of whiskey fell out of his pocket but he slept on. She hid the bottle and wouldn't let

him have it when he awoke.

Then there was a deaf-and-dumb Mexican whom Wildenthal knew and who could tell what you said by watching your lips but he had to write out his part of the conversation, in Spanish. This Mexican and O. Henry often went riding together. O. Henry usually ahead and, legend says, talking to himself—perhaps, even then, planning the short stories that were destined to make his name immortal.

The youth had his money all in silver dollars, which he buried, and on these rides, if he needed money, he would dig up his hoard and obtain a supply. The Mexican was the only other who knew where O. Henry's money was hidden.

Along in the '90's—which would be some years after O. Henry had left LaSalle county to make his home in Austin—he was on the train, en route from Laredo to San Antonio or Austin. During the stop in Cotulla, he saw his friend, the deaf-and-dumb Mexican, from the car window and alighted and shook hands.

That perhaps was the last time O. Henry was in Cotulla—though in memory he was there often, afterward, because some of his finest stories are about that country which, with its mesquite, prickly pear, roadrunners and cattle hidden in the dense brush, is just about as it was 60-odd years ago when he went there to build up his strength on a ranch and would drive the wagon into Cotulla for supplies.

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