

## Kracker Krums

Odd Bits Salvaged  
At Random

By Aaron Edgar  
There's no particular reason for starting this col-um, other than it will fill up space and we won't have to get out and rustle up something else to take its place. Most editors reserve some space to "blow off steam" with a lot of foolishness and nonsense, so here goes.

Just why we selected the name "Kracker Krums" is beyond our powers of explanation, unless it is our particular weakness for crumbling crackers into our chili and soup. Boy! that makes those edibles more delicious than ever.

There are several different means, or arts, in the above-mentioned indulgence—neither of which are endorsed by Emily Post. One is to drop the whole cracker into the soup, or chili, then leisurely break it into bits with your spoon. Another is to hold said cracker in left hand and gently break it into bits with the thumb and forefinger of your right hand.

The third and most popular method is to snatch a fist full of crackers, crush them into crumbs with the palms, letting bits pour from the hands into the container. Kinda reminds you of feeding bundles through a hammer mill. When the job is completed, you may either brush your hands together lightly to get rid of the surplus, or give them a swipe down your breeches leg.

Personally we prefer the second method, but either one meets with the avowed disapproval of the better half. Doggout, we're going to build a dog house one of these days that's big enough to live in comfortably!

Let's change the subject. In this discourse each week, we're going to deal with matters—local, state, national and international—just as we see fit; not being arbitrary or one-sided, trying to mix humor with seriousness, and fill up the entire column some way.

We're going to try to make friends—not enemies. After all, friends are real assets, and we love assets, especially if they're not frozen.

And within the period of six months, we hope to build this column up to where it has at least two readers.

Munday could stand another clean-up drive this spring, and then a little more diligence upon the part of all of us to keep the town clean as possible every month in the year. It isn't too early to begin thinking about it.

Trouble with clean-up drives and many other moves, is that once it's done we sit back on our laurels—see what we've done! Then pretty soon we've let the situation get back to where we can't tell anything was ever done.

In an article in Reader's Digest recently the writer said that Mohandas K. Gandhi, the mahatma saint of India, is a man for whom "politics is not too big and peanuts are not too small." So that's what it takes to be great!

On second thought, that covers a wide area. Most of our people who dabble in politics may be able to handle their jobs, but they don't pay much attention to us "little peanuts" when the vote-getting campaign is over.

Gandhi certainly proves to the world that clothes do not make the man. Can't you just hear him admonishing his wife: "Better take the laundry down to the river today, dear. I'm down to my last clean loin cloth."

Crowell is not forgetting what the Red Cross did during her cyclone disaster 5 years ago. Foard county went over the top in her Red Cross fund drive by 10 a. m. Saturday, opening day of the drive. Munday's funds helped bring relief to Crowell. Another close neighbor may be next. Let's raise our Knox county quota!

It's funny how quickly the supply can catch up with the demand. We're thinking particularly of radios, tires and governors of Georgia.

## Ezekiel Loving Died Suddenly On Wednesday

Ezekiel Loving, well known in Goree and surrounding area, died suddenly on Wednesday, February 26, at about 12:27 p. m.

Mr. Loving was born April 19, 1870 in Arkansas, and was 76 years of age. He was a retired farmer.

He was converted in early life and joined the Methodist church. He did active church work as long as his health permitted.

The family moved to Knox county in 1920, and Mr. Loving lived around Goree the remainder of his life.

Surviving are his wife; three sons, Ira Loving, Seymour; Wesley Loving, Lingeville; D. M. Loving, Dallas; nine grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren; two brothers King Loving, and Willie Loving, both of Oklahoma City; one sister, Mrs. Lila Hadaway, Quitaque; a half-brother, Marvin Loving, Quitaque, and a half-sister, Mrs. Roy Anderson of Plomont.

Funeral services were held from the Methodist church in Goree at 3:30 p. m. Thursday, conducted by Rev. F. T. Johnson and Rev. C. R. Copeland. Interment was in the Goree cemetery, with J. W. Lanningham in charge of arrangements.

## Dr. Pepper Boys Down Crowell By 71-64 Score

There was less clowning and more basketball ability exhibited here last Monday night, as the Dr. Pepper team of Dallas found strong opposition in the Crowell Independents on their return trip to Munday.

The game was a scoring spree from beginning to end, with both teams "hitting the ringer" fast and furious. The score remained even during practically all of the game. The Dr. Peppers closed the game at the long end of a 71-64 score.

The Munday school gymnasium was jammed with fans for this basketball exhibition, and many remarked that it was the largest crowd ever to attend such an event in Munday.

As a starter for Monday night's activities, the Munday Independents played Rochester, defeating the visitors by a close score of 37 to 34.

## Red Cross Drive Now In Progress

Mrs. H. A. Pendleton, local roll call chairman, announced Tuesday that the annual Red Cross drive for funds is now under way in Munday, and workers plan to canvass the business section of the town to raise Munday's quota of the funds within the near future.

Among those assisting Mrs. Pendleton in the drive are: Mmes. Fred Broach, R. D. Atkinson, Jim Reeves, W. R. Moore, Robert Green, D. E. Holder, Jr., Paul Pendleton, Fred Broach, Jr., and others.

E. R. Carpenter of Knox City is county chairman, and he has organized a corps of workers in every community of the county.

The drive is expected to be successfully concluded before the end of the roll call date, March 31.

## Active Market Had Tuesday At Auction Sale

The Munday Livestock Commission Co. reports a large run of cattle for last Tuesday's sale, with all classes selling on a good active market.

Canmer and cutter cows sold from \$9 to \$11.50; butcher cows, \$12 to \$13.50; beef cows, \$14 to \$15; butcher bulls, \$11 to \$13; beef bulls, \$13.50 to \$15.50; rannic calves, \$10 to \$11.50; butcher calves, \$14 to \$16; fat calves \$16.50 to \$22; butcher yearlings, \$11 to \$16.50; fat yearlings, \$17 to \$22.50.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Myers are the proud parents of a baby girl, who was born on Saturday, March 1, at the Knox county hospital. Mother and little daughter are reported to be doing nicely.

## Revival Opens Next Sunday At Baptist Church

Rev. W. H. Albertson, pastor, announced this week that a revival meeting will open next Sunday morning at the First Baptist church in Munday, continuing through the night of Sunday, March 16.

This is the Munday church's activity in the Baptist simultaneous revivals, which are being held throughout the Haskell Baptist Association. Some of the meetings are going on this week.

Rev. Taylor Henley, pastor of the Baptist church at Gorman, will do the preaching for the local revival. He comes to Munday recommended as an excellent preacher and one who is rich in experiences. He is an ex-chaplain of World War II, and knows how to reach men's hearts.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone, regardless of religious affiliation or belief, to attend each and every service.

Services will be held twice daily, at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## Mrs. M. C. Hardin Is Buried Here On Wednesday

Mrs. M. C. Hardin, a pioneer resident of Knox county, passed away at 5:10 p. m. Monday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Hugh Stodghill of Silverton.

Mrs. Hardin resided in Knox county for many years, being one of the county's beloved pioneer citizens. She had been making her home in Silverton for the past ten years.

Born on March 6, 1869, at Bentonville, Ark., she was 77 years, 11 months and 26 days of age. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Surviving are a son, Otis J. Hardin of Lebock; a daughter, Mrs. Mary D. Stodghill, Silverton; 18 grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers.

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist church in Silverton at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, conducted by Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor, who was assisted by Rev. W. H. Barnett, Methodist pastor.

The body was brought overland to Munday, where funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday from the home of Mrs. Nell Hardin. Rev. W. H. Albertson conducted the local services.

Burial was in the Johnson cemetery, with the Mahan Funeral Home in charge of local arrangements.

Pallbearers were M. H. Reeves, J. O. Bowden, P. C. Phillips, J. C. Campbell, Lee Haymes and J. L. Stodghill.

## COTTONSEED PRODUCTION

Austin-Cottonseed crushed in Texas totaled 84,926 tons to register a 7 per cent slump from December crushings, according to Bureau of the Census figures released by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

When seasonally adjusted, the index of cottonseed crushings moved upward 4 per cent for the month since a decline is anticipated from December to January. The index stood at 61.7 for January 1947 compared to 59.1 in December and 85.1 in January 1946. (Base: the average month 1935-39-100).



Phil Baker, the genial comedian whose popular "Take It Or Leave It" quiz is heard via CBS Sundays, has begun his sixth year as the show's emcee. The program itself, which has made the "364 question" an American by-word, will be seven years old in April.

## FOR A BETTER WORLD



Troop leaders and other adults active in Girl Scouting are slated for special honors during 1947, the 35th anniversary year of the Girl Scout organization. They are being cited for "national service to youth" and for helping girls become better citizens, to build a better world.

## Tax Collector Gives Dates To Issue Car Tags

M. A. Bumpas, Jr., tax assessor-collector of Knox county, this week gave notice of the dates on which he will visit the various communities of Knox county for the purpose of issuing car license tags. The dates are as follows:

Truscott, Monday, March 10; Gilliland, Tuesday, March 11; Vera Wednesday morning, March 12; Rhineland, Wednesday afternoon, March 12; Goree, Thursday, March 13; Knox City, Friday, March 14; Munday, Saturday, March 15.

Mr. Bumpas urges all motorists to bring their 1946 registration receipt and certificate of title when they apply for 1947 tags. This will greatly save time in issuing the new license numbers, he said.

## Safety Talks Made At School, Rotary Club

Max C. Lloyd and George W. Leedy, members of the Texas Highway Patrol, were visitors here last Monday, coming in the interest of safety education among adults and school students.

Mr. Lloyd made interesting talks before the Munday school assembly at the regular meeting of the Munday Rotary Club.

In his talks, Lloyd gave startling statistics on auto deaths caused by accidents, pointing out that most accidents were not really accidents but occurred because of someone's carelessness. He stated that in the past four years the auto death toll was greater than the casualty list in all wars of American history, not including World War II.

He stressed the need of safety education, rather than enforcement of traffic regulations, and made an earnest appeal to all schools and civic bodies to assist in safety education, thereby cutting down the auto death toll.

## Three Names Filed For City Council

Three names were filed with the city secretary as candidates for the office of city alderman before the deadline last Saturday.

Those names have been certified are: P. V. Williams, Travis Lee and Wade Mahan.

Carry-over members of the city council are: Mayor W. R. Moore and Aldermen Alex Jones and Don L. Ratliff.

Williams is seeking re-election, and Travis Lee, who resigned as council several months ago, has been certified for another term. Mahan is a candidate in the place of H. C. Hawes, whose term expires.

## Baptists Attend Rochester Meeting On Last Tuesday

The conference of the Haskell Baptist Association was held last Tuesday at the Rochester Baptist church, with good reports being given from all churches.

Attending from Munday were Rev. W. H. Albertson, J. J. Keel, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Simpson, Mmes. M. N. Reeves, J. E. Reeves, C. A. Powell, B. L. Blacklock, Leland Hannah, C. N. Smith and C. R. Parker.

Rev. John Osteen of Hamlin was on the afternoon program and gave a god talk on "Woman's Concern for the Lost."

## Junior Class To Present Play On March 18th

The Junior Class of Munday high school has selected the cast for the annual junior play, and these students are holding practice periods at every available time. Practice is coming along nicely.

"Crashing Society," a three-act comedy, will be presented by the class on March 18, at the school auditorium. This is a story of a family from Jerkwater, Ky., who have moved to New York to make their home after inheriting a large sum of money. The story will prove to be a full evening of real entertainment.

The cast is composed of Clifton Swain, Florene Mitchell, Joy Gaffey, Geraldine Boggs, Don Reynolds, Larue Johnson, Eugene Russell, Charles Hardin, Maurice Patterson, Carolyn Bowden, Ruthie Sue Browning and Donald Waheed.

Tickets will go on sale soon. Reserved seats will be 35 cents, and all others 25 cents.

## Cub Scouts Win Awards At Annual Banquet

Eighty people, including Cub Scouts and their parents, were present for the annual "Blue and Gold" banquet last Thursday night, February 27, at the school lunch room. This annual event was held in celebration of the 37th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scout movement in America.

For entertainment, each den group presented a short skit. These included Famous Americans, A Sheep Song, and What Every Cub Should Know.

The Cubs made their own eating utensils and cups, as well as those used by their dads. They also made the centerpiece and candle holders for the banquet tables.

Cubbing awards were made as follows:

Bear Badges: Marvin Elliott, David Eiland, Kenneth Patterson, Bobby Fay Killian and Terry Donald Harrison.

Bear Gold Arrow: David Eiland, Bobby Fay Killian and Terry D. Harrison.

Bear Silver Arrow: David Eiland.

In the three years of the Cubbing movement in Munday, 56 boys have been registered, and 82 achievements awards have been made. There are now 27 registered Cubs.

## Weather Report

Weather report for the period of Feb. 27th to March 5th, inclusive, as recorded and compiled by H. P. Hill, Munday U. S. Cooperative Weather Observer:

|         | Temperature | LOW | HIGH |
|---------|-------------|-----|------|
| Feb. 27 | 24          | 39  | 41   |
| Feb. 28 | 31          | 40  | 62   |
| March 1 | 27          | 45  | 45   |
| March 2 | 16          | 39  | 42   |
| March 3 | 30          | 53  | 62   |
| March 4 | 36          | 34  | 74   |
| March 5 | 35          | 50  | 63   |

Rainfall to date this year, .85 inch; rainfall to this date last year 2.35 inch; rainfall since Nov. 1, 1946, 6.74 inches.

## Knox County Club Boys Win Prizes Of \$191.24 In Wichita Falls Show

### Special Announcement

This week's issue of the Munday Times comes to you under new management, but with the same old familiar person trotting around at his regular chores.

Effective on Saturday, March 1, J. W. Roberts, owner and publisher of the Times since March 1, 1943, sold his interests in the publication to the partnership formed by Aaron Edgar of Munday and Grady Roberts of Wichita Falls.

Edgar will continue in his present capacity, except that he has added duties and responsibilities. He will serve as editor and publisher of The Times, and it will always be his earnest desire to give its readers just as news, just as readable and just as good a paper as is possible at all times.

The other partner, Mr. Roberts, will continue to reside in Wichita Falls and will not be actively associated in the publication of the paper.

J. W. Roberts has made no definite plans for the future. He will make Munday his home for the time being, and will be seen around the Times office quite a bit, completing his business affairs and helping the boys get the paper out if necessary.

## Crowell Tops Red Cross Quota In Few Hours

CROWELL, Mar. 2.—The American Red Cross received its customary dividend in Foard county Saturday when the county's 1947 quota was oversubscribed before 10 a. m. on the first morning of the annual campaign for funds.

This announcement was made by Hubert Brown, chairman, who believes Foard county may be the first in the nation to go over the top this year.

This fund drive precedes the fifth anniversary of the disastrous Crowell cyclone April 28, 1942, which brought prompt and effective relief by the Red Cross.

## Troop Of Girl Scouts Formed

Monday night, March 3, Miss Ida Mae McClure, area Girl Scout executive, met with the local Girl Scout association.

The association elected the officers nominated by the steering committee, and voted to seek admission in the East Plains Area Girl Scout Council, which would include regular help from the area executive, participation in area training and area camping.

Officers are as follows: President, Leland Hannah; first vice president and organization chairman, Mrs. J. H. Bardwell; second vice president and training chairman, Mrs. Joel Massey; secretary and registrar, Mrs. Maurye Blacklock; treasurer, Paul Pendleton; program chairman, Mrs. Gene Harrell; finance chairman, Wade Mahan; public relations chairman, Aaron Edgar.

The officers were instructed in the workings of their own particular jobs and given a specific piece of work to do before Miss McClure meets with them again on Tuesday, April 1.

Miss McClure will spend March 19 giving help to all troop leaders and their committees. On that day she will also meet with the two intermediate troops to give them help in the International Friendship Field for their second class rank.

## KNOX WILDCAT IS DRILLING IN SHALE

The Moran Brothers No. 1 Nellie Brown, an important wildcat in section 172, block 44, H & TCR survey, south of Truscott in Knox county, is in a shale drilling below 5400 feet, according to reports.

Knox county boys attending the Wichita District show and Auction at the J. H. Hammon's Ranch on February 28th, returned with \$2337.10 in sales money and \$191.24 in prize money. Donald Nix's sale at the Abilene Calf Show brought the total to \$2,678.65 in sales for the week.

All of the calves entering the ring were judged choice calves which gave each boy with a calf a \$20.49 prize. Fred Lewis Crenshaw with his calf weighing 1,010 pounds withheld his calf from the auction to enter the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. He placed sixth in the senior class of twenty-nine.

The 4-H feeders name, placing, his calf purchaser and price paid are as follows:

Carroll Fred Glover, Benjamin, tenth and eleventh places respectively in the senior class with his 960 and 1040 pound calves. Buyers—Bryant Edwards, 32c per pound. Kemp Hotel, 32c per pound.

Billy Cammack, Munday, 960 pound senior calf placed sixteenth. Sold to E-Z Way Store at 32c per pound.

Bryson Laird, Benjamin, twenty fourth with 960 pound senior calf. Summer Shanty at 33c per pound.

Donald Pults, Benjamin, placed twenty-seventh with 970 pound senior calf. Ralph Clonnault at 27c a pound.

J. G. Pults, Benjamin, 760 pound junior calf. Bush and Company at 36c per pound. Placed sixteenth.

Randall Walling, Munday, placed twentieth with 850 pound junior calf. Sold to J. E. O'Donohoe at 33c a pound.

Donald Joe Jackson, Vera, no placing, 870 pound calf was bought by Wichita Meat and Produce at 29c per pound.

Donald Nix, Munday, carried his calf to the Abilene Junior Livestock Show. His 990 pound dry-lot calf placed nineteenth in the senior division. Was sold to Caldwell for 31.5c per pound.

To make the show more interesting, the Rotary Club and the Times Publishing Company each gave the boys a special banquet. The 4-H club feeders returned reporting a very pleasant as well as educational trip.

## Theft Of Treasury Check Places Negro In Sho Nuf Jam!

Theft of a government "terminal leave" check has placed a local negro, James T. Dabney, in a real jam with Uncle Sam.

The check, reportedly stolen from a Munday post office box, amounted to slightly over \$12. The remainder of terminal leave pay was left in the envelope—and this led to the beginning of a search for the negro.

He was arrested by local officers, after having tried to cash the check at several stores. After over four hours of questioning, he admitted the theft and led officers to a spot where he had hidden the check between rails on the railroad track.

Charged with both theft and forgery, the negro was questioned locally by a Treasury Department secret service officer, and was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Edwin T. Duff of Wichita Falls.

His trial is set for March 24.

## Cage Tourney Of Independents Opens Thursday

A basketball tournament which will see some of the best teams of this section will open tonight (Thursday) at the Munday school gym, and will continue through Saturday night.

This tournament will feature independent all-star teams of the section. Preliminary games will be played on Thursday night, and the championship games on Saturday night.

Teams entered in the tourney are: Luaders, Avoca, Rochester, Knox City, Benjamin, Goree, Haskell and Munday.

Basketball fans and the public in general are urged to see these all-star games. The Munday high school band is helping sponsor this tournament, and half of the proceeds will go toward the purchase of new band uniforms.



# EDITORIAL PAGE

"What a Man Does For Himself Dies With Him—  
What He Does For His Community Lives On and On."

## THE WIDOW'S MITE

Since early morning she had sat by the side of the road rapidly stripping the bark and tiny shoots from hundreds of small birch branches. The pile grew until she was surrounded by hundreds of the slender twigs, gleaming in Finland's pale sunshine. With great care, she selected a handful of the choicest of these, trimmed them to about a foot in length, deftly tied them together with one of the strips.

An 82-year old widow, Selma Lagerholm, lives on a tiny island in the Abolands region. For many years, she has supported herself by the manufacture and sale of the little birch brushes, known as "visps", used in the Scandinavian countries for whipping eggs, stirring soup and general kitchen use.

After several hours, a foreigner wearing a strange uniform appeared on the road. As he approached, the old lady glanced up. Then she shielded her eyes from the sun to peer at the patch on the left sleeve of the stranger's uniform. A look of recognition lit her wrinkled face.

"American Red Cross?" she asked.

The man nodded.

Tears came to her eyes. Impulsively she seized his hand. "I am an old woman," she said. "I have seen many things, but never in my life has anything so good happened as the beautiful nightgown sent by the American Red Cross women from your country. Would you tell them to be grateful I am for their generosity?"

Sam Krakow, American Red Cross representative for Finland, agreed. "Do you know from what part of America the nightgown came?" he asked.

From among the many folds of her dress she drew a tattered cloth label. "American Red Cross, Pittsburgh Chapter," was printed on it.

"I hope the American ladies will not mind if I ask them to accept a small gift," she said. "It is the only thing I can send. Please give them this Finnish visp and tell them I shall always think of them. They are so kind."

With his monthly report on the distribution of American Red Cross chapter produced clothing and other supplies, Krakow enclosed the visp and asked that it be forward to the Pittsburgh chapter, which now has the token of thanks in its possession.

Optimist and pessimist are often wrong, but the optimist has the most fun.

## "Building For Tomorrow"

### A BOY SCOUT PROGRAM

An address delivered by Dr. Karl Wettstone, council commissioner, at a recent meeting of Northwest Texas Council, Boy Scouts of America, at Wichita Falls. Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen.

In a crowded courtroom of a New England city, a boy, sixteen years of age, stood before the Judge awaiting sentence.

In a chair nearby his mother sat sobbing hysterically. An attorney had just testified that the young offender had been a constant nuisance to the community. Previous to that the chief of police had told how the boy had been arrested on

numerous occasions for stealing fruit, breaking windows, and committing numerous acts of vandalism.

Now the stern, cold-eyed judge, glaring over the rims of his spectacles, launched into bitter tirade consequences resulting from his lawless acts. Every word from the thin-lipped jurist was like the crack of a whip. He seemed to grope for the cruelest words he could find in his vocabulary with which to humiliate the lad who stood before him.

The boy's attitude was one of reckless defiance. Not once did he lower his eyes. With lips compressed, he glared at his "persec-

utor," and then, from between clenched teeth, came the sneering words, "I'm not afraid of you!"

An angry flush spread over the judge's face as he leaned over his desk and snapped out, "I think about the only language you can understand is a six-months' sentence in the reform school."

"Go ahead, send me to the reform school," snarled the boy. "See if I care."

The feeling in the court room was tense. Spectators looked at one another and shook their heads.

"That kid is hopeless," remarked an officer.

"He ought to be horse-whipped," said another.

Just then the judge spied among the spectators a Mr. Weston, Superintendent of the Golden Rule Farm for problem boys. "Mr. Wes-

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### IT WAS A MERRY TUNE

For years we have heard politicians figuratively, if not literally, orate from the nearest soap box in behalf of the little man, the average man, the underprivileged man, or some other fictitious character. Such lachrymose orations generally wind up with pleas for another billion or two of government money and inevitably urge a benevolent increase in the size of government—a few more boards and bureaus.

It is interesting to note the path down which this kind of demagoguery is leading the little people, which means practically all of us. The point has now been reached where those with net incomes of less than \$5,000 a year make up 96 per cent of all income taxpayers in the United States, and they pay the Treasury \$10,137,000,000 a year, or 68 per cent of total revenue from taxes on individual incomes. People with net incomes of more than \$5,000 a year make up only 4 per cent of taxpayers and account for 42 per cent of the take from personal income taxes.

Federal spending has reached the stage—30 to 40 billions a year—where if all the income retained by the "rich" after present tax payments, were seized, it would not make a noticeable dent in the tax burden. As one analyst has very modestly summed up the problem: "Congress, therefore, is having to face the hard fact that it takes a broad taxpayer base to support high-cost government."

The Pied Piper has played a merry tune and the little people who have followed him will soon know what the inside of the mountain looks like.

ton," he said in a tone of weary resignation, "what do you think of this boy?"

The gentleman in question stepped forward. He had an air of assurance about him that commanded immediate respect.

"Your Honor," he said quietly, "this boy is not really tough. Under that bluff of his he is completely and thoughtfully frightened—and deeply hurt. Life has been bewildering to him. He has never known the hand of a "big brother" or a father's love. He has never had a chance to show you what he's really worth."

For a moment the courtroom was quiet. Then the silence was suddenly broken by a stifled sob—not from the mother, but from the boy. The kind, sympathetic words of Mr. Weston had broken him down completely. He just stood there with shoulders drooped and head bowed, as great, big tears trickled down his cheeks. One kind word had reached the boy's heart, whereas a half-hour of denunciation had served only to make him more resentful.

Needless to say, the boy was given in Mr. Weston's charge—and from that time forth he caused no more trouble.

1. "There is no such thing as a bad boy," says Floyd Starr, and supervisor of Commonwealth for Boys in Albion, Michigan, and we are inclined to agree with him.

Of course, "boys will be boys." Every boy represents a problem. Long, long ago Plato said that "a boy of all wild beasts, is the most difficult to handle"; and there is an old English saying that "a boy is a cross between a god and a goat."

A father was heard to say to his boy, "See these gray hairs? Everytime you do something wrong I get a new gray hair."

To which the boy replied, "Dad you must have been a stinker. Look at grand-dad, he's bald!"

There are two things we propose to do for the boys:

a. Get them into scouting and b. Get scouting into them.

It is too much to expect one hundred new cubs, scouts and senior scouts per month to be introduced to the Scouting program in the area covered by the Northwest Texas Boy Scout Council during the year 1947?

Recent surveys have shown that the fields are ripe unto the harvest. The boys are there, and it is clearly up to you and me to recruit them.

Of this one thing you may be sure: These young lads will not remain idle for long. Someone, or something will get them, engage their fancy and win their loyalty.

You are doubtless familiar with the old story of two young boys sitting just behind the cemetery wall at the edge of a small Southern town, swapping hazelnuts. A young, superstitious and easily frightened negro, passing by, heard a voice out of the dark chanting, "One for you and one for me." He raced home wild-eyed thinking that he had overheard Satan swapping souls with the Lord in the city of the dead.

During the first World War I lived in Saint Louis. One day I stood watching a troop train standing on a siding. It was filled with negro soldiers. On one of the coaches there was this inscription written in large blazing letters, "Ashes to ashes and dust to dust. If the white man don't get the Kaiser, the nigger must!"

We have the opportunity to win these boys for the Scouting program. Go after them, before somebody else gets them!

If 850 registered Scouters in this area will promise to get just one boy each, we will be well on our way!

But after you get them, you will still have to convert them to the Scout program. You've got to get Scouting into them until they eat, drink, and dream scouting. . .

Two middle-aged women, tired of household drudgery and constant

cooking, decided to attend the Opera and get away from it all. They went to great lengths dressing—or undressing—for the occasion, secured tickets, and strutted to their seats. But while the symphony was being played, they kept a constant chatter. The louder the orchestra played, the louder they talked.

Suddenly there was a pause in the music, and while the enraptured audience sat spell-bound, a voice was heard shouting, "And I fry mine in butter!"

2. Behind the boy stands the parent.

No Scouting program can work successfully without the whole-hearted co-operation of the parents. And parents should realize that the Scouting program will help them, as very little else will, to direct the energies of growing, restless boys into stimulating and useful channels.

Scouting encourages good conduct, inspires clean thoughts, and develops desirable habits. It is up to the parents to constantly encourage the boys and keep them interested.

Boys of Scout-age move best under pressure.

I am sure you remember the story of the deacon and the frog. On his way to the church, the deacon heard a voice, and looking down into a mud-hole, saw a big lazy frog.

"I have been down here three days without a thing to eat," said the frog, "won't you please help me get out?"

The good deacon looked at his well polished shoes, and remembered that he had to pass the plate in church, so he replied, "I sorry, brother frog, but I can't help you out now. Just wait until after church, and I'll be glad to give you a lift."

Later, on his way home, the deacon was surprised to find the frog sitting in the middle of the road, contentedly snapping at flies. "I thought you said you couldn't get out of that hole," he said.

"Well, I thought I couldn't," replied the frog, "until a great big snake crawled into the hole—then I had to get out!"

Now, I do not mean to compare parents with snakes. The point I wish to make is that you must constantly "prime" the boys and occasionally put the fear of God into them—lest they develop inertia or what the Frenchmen call "laissez faire."

Some day when the years have flown, when your hair will have turned white and the boys will have grown up you'll find a lot of satisfaction thinking back to the days when you actively encouraged them to develop their minds, bodies and souls.

"There's a little room at the head of the stairs

That has always been known as the boys';

It would hardly seem right not to call it theirs

When you look at the books and the toys.

The drum brooding there in the silence alone

And the fife that shall nevermore thrill;

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Yet we call it the 'Boys' Room still."

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The great American architect, Ralph Adams Cram, who planned the magnificent buildings on the campus of Princeton University, once said of his father, who, like myself, was just a garden variety preacher, "My Dad was the greatest man I ever knew!"

A Sunday School teacher was telling her class about God. She described Him as "kind, good, strong, thoughtful and loving." Finally she said, "Does this remind you of anyone you know? One little lad put up his hand and shouted, "That's my Pop!"

3. In the Third place, the church must not only bestow its blessings upon the program of Scouting, but lend its active support.

The Church has not fulfilled its duty towards these boys when the Sunday School lets out. Instead, when the worship ends, the service begins.

In this connection there come to mind the familiar lines from Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar," "The fault, dear Brutus, lies not in our stars, but in ourselves, that we are underlings."

The Church has only itself to blame when it loses the interest and support of its youth.

Did you ever go snipe hunting? It is an embarrassing experience.

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## Washington News Letter

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington—Under the so-called Congressional Reorganization Bill which went into effect at the beginning of this session of Congress, the Judiciary Committee of the House, on which I now serve, acquired voluminous work and duties. In addition to its normal work there was transferred to the Judiciary Committee matters formerly handled by the Committees on Patents, Claims, Immigration, and Naturalization, and Revision of the Laws. To date, almost one-half the bills introduced in the Congress have been referred to the Judiciary Committee.

More than three-hundred bills have already been referred to our subcommittee on immigration, on which I serve.

Some of our servicemen married wives of part Japanese blood and other racial strains not eligible for citizenship or immigration. In some cases children have been born to these unions. The children can be admitted but their mothers are excluded under existing laws.

Other bills pertain to Japs who reside in this country and who rendered valuable war services but who, under existing law, are supposed to be deported. During the war our Intelligence Service in the Pacific Theatre was the finest ever afforded any country at war. We had numerous Japs behind Japanese lines and in Japanese occupied areas in all theatres of the war. We kept informed of every move made by our oriental enemies. Under existing law many of these boys will now have to be deported unless we make some special provision for them.

A few days ago a highly intelligent young Jap, Mike Masaoka, called to see me. He and his four brothers all served in the American Army. One brother was killed and all the others were wounded one or more times. This young man wants his Mother to become an American citizen, which is impossible under existing laws.

From friends at home comes a letter about a distinguished young British flyer who is engaged to a prominent Texas girl. He cannot come to this country because he was born in India while his father was serving in the British diplomatic corps. Being born in India, he would have to come under the Indian quota which is only 100 per year and is oversubscribed for several years.

While I am strongly in favor of reducing immigration and of stop-

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lice" and that the joke is on him. But not all snipe-hunting is done in the woods. Snipe hunters are common in church work. Ministers and people "just sittin'" and holding the bag wide open, waiting for folks to come their way.

Every minister should look up on the Boy Scout Movement as an answer to prayer, for it helps him to work out his youth problem. For instance, can you, as a church member, think of anything finer than the "God and Country Award"? It encourages the boy to attend Sunday School and Church regularly, and gives him public recognition for his pains to develop himself spiritually.

This is further proof that the Boy Scout Movement is basically a spiritual movement. Its aim is to develop the body, mind and spirit of youth. Only a religious boy is capable of living up to the Scout oath and the Scout law. Any church should be proud to take him under its wing and encourage him in every way possible.

My prayer is that the churches for this area will build a rustic chapel at Perkins Reservation, where our boys may pause to pray and lift their eyes to the eternal God.

4. Beyond the church, the community must recognize its full responsibility with regard to the program of Scouting. It must provide the kind of environment that will produce worthy citizens. It must furnish a laboratory which will help boys to practice the principles of scouting.

During the frontier days, the driver of a covered wagon stopped his horses on the main street of a young town and called to a passing man, "Hey, any saloons in this place?"

"Sure, we've four!" boastfully replied the man.

"Giddap," the driver shouted, urging his horses on.

"Stop," called the man.

"I can't stop here," replied the stranger, "I've got four boys in this wagon."

"Why?" again called the man, "What's your business?"

"My business is to raise these

boys for God, and I can't do that in a town with four saloons." And he hurried his horses on, soon turning the bend in the road and passing out of sight.

No one will doubt that the old timer's reaction was right, but it must be admitted that the ideal place to rear four boys will be hard to find and—after all—you can't bring them up in a hot-house. Sooner or later they must develop enough character to resist temptation.

Well, what can a community do for the Scouts?

a. It can underwrite the cost of operation—and do it generously.

b. It can help set up facilities for the development of boys' skills, and

c. It can, and should, provide a wholesome atmosphere, in which even the weakest plant can breathe enough fresh air to enjoy a normal growth.

5. Permit me one final word about "The World."

You cannot build successfully for tomorrow without regarding the peoples of the earth as one big family, and scouts are trained to think in terms of "One World."

When we can breakfast in New York, lunch in Iceland, dine in London and go on to Moscow the next

morning, we begin to realize that the globe has shrunk considerably in the last twenty-five years!

We've got to push back our horizons, enlarge our hearts, expand our sympathies and develop into bigger men and women. Walt Whitman prayed, "Give us men to match our mountains," and we need to pray, "Give us hearts big enough to love the whole world."

That is precisely what the Boy Scout Movement is doing. It trains "Scouts of the World" and is seriously promoting world brotherhood, universal good-will.

Do you think that we can successfully carry out this program?

"Example is everything in combat flying," said Cecil Carnes. Our boys stationed in England during World War II used to say, "If Bob can do it, I can."

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With his plane badly shot up somewhere over France, Bob found it suddenly on fire. Bullets and flak had made it a sieve. Drenched with hydraulic fluid, he sat back and watched his plane fall through space. He killed his motor and pulled out of a spin.

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Suddenly he noticed that the engine was no longer on fire. So he

started it again and headed for Paris at low speed. At that moment bullets again began tearing through his machine. A German pilot had selected him as "easy picking."

Together they flew over Paris at low altitude as German ground crews held their fire for fear of bringing down their comrad. Beyond Paris, the Nazi flyer used up all of his ammunition, but still Bob Johnson kept doggedly on. When he finally made a forced landing in England, it was agreed that his was the worst shot-up plane ever to reach a home base.

His heroism had a powerful effect on the other men: "If Bob can do it, I can," they would say when ever they got into trouble.

If you can put over the Scout program in your bailiwick, so can others in theirs!

Let's roll up our sleeves and work with all our might.

## LOCALS

Mrs. Clinton Allen and little daughter, Caron, of Amarillo came in several days ago for a visit with Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. Nell Hardin.

Miss Louise Speigelmier of McMurry College, Abilene, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haymes over the week end.

Mrs. George Salem and daughter, Alva, of Dallas came in last Saturday for a few days' visit with their husband and father, Mr. Salem, and other relatives.

Olen Coats of Dallas spent the week end with relatives here. He was accompanied home Sunday by Mrs. Coats, who spent all last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pendleton, Jr., of Wichita Falls spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts of Haskell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dyke of Abilene spent the week end with Mrs. Dyke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Tiner.

Miss Wanda Sue Partridge, who is attending Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Partridge.

Mrs. W. V. Tiner, Mrs. James Dyke, Mrs. Louise Ingram, and Mrs. T. G. Bengue were business visitors in Wichita Falls on Wednesday of last week.

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## From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

### A Definition of Our Town

Sombody defined our town just the other day as "A place where the people talk about you behind your back, and come to wait on you when you're sick."

I've got to admit there's something to it. A lot of our folks are inclined to be pretty outspoken and quick to criticize . . . even about little things, like a woman's hat, or a man's preference for a glass of beer, or the color of Cy Hartman's new barn.

But when anyone's in trouble, those differences and points of

criticism are forgotten . . . and folks become neighborly and helpful, like they really are.

From where I sit, criticism never did much harm to anybody, so long as folks don't let it guide their actions . . . so long as they respect our individual preferences, whether they apply to hats or beer. That's the way it is in our town, anyway, and I hope that it's the same in yours.

Joe Marsh







# At The Churches

**Methodist Church**  
 Sunday: 10:00 a. m. Church School. A class for all with an interesting program and a welcome to you.  
 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship Your opportunity to worship God in hymns, prayer and meditation with a timely message. The subject for discussion in the pulpit is "The Part of Stewards in the Purpose of the Church."  
 5:45 p. m. Evening Preaching Service. An informal service with good singing and a message to people of the Church.  
 The purpose of our Church is to Minister. We are happy when we are serving most. Your presence is our opportunity and without it we fail. If you want the world of tomorrow to be better than the world of yesterday you will have to put the Building of the Kingdom first in your life. The organized church is your best opportunity to do this. Our invitation to you is from the heart of our living and as sincere as we can make it.  
 Don R. Davidson, Pastor.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Next Sunday morning our Revival meeting begins. Bro. Taylor Hensley of Gorman, Texas, will be here for the Sunday night service and will continue on through the night of the 16th. He has a good personality, and is an excellent preacher. He is also an ex-Chaplain of World War II. Let's join hands and hearts with him and with the Lord for a real spiritual blessing. We urge our Baptist people to attend these services; and cordially invite any and all of whatever denomination you may be, or whatever your preferences are, to attend these services. The door is always ajar; come in. Services each evening at 7:30 and each morning at 10:00.  
 W. H. Albertson.

**Fewer Livestock Shipped In Texas**  
 Austin—Shipments of livestock in Texas, still on the skids, took another downward turn in January (15 per cent) after dropping 19 per cent in December, according to The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.  
 January shipments totaled 7,065 carloads for a 10 per cent gain over shipments in January a year ago.  
 The December-to-January comparison showed a gain only in shipments of hogs (35 per cent) and drops in shipments of cattle (14 per cent), calves (43 per cent) and sheep (15 per cent).  
 Compared to January 1945 shipments, cattle loaded went up 4 per cent, calves 15 per cent, hogs 63 per cent, and sheep shipments fell 3 per cent.  
 Interstate shipments reflected dips from December level except in the shipment of hogs, where a 34 per cent gain was registered. Sharpest drop was the 40 per cent decline in shipment of calves.  
 Interstate shipments totaled 6,306 carloads to fall 13 per cent for the month. Interstate shipment dropped 30 per cent to total only 750 cars in January.  
 Over 65,000 World War II veterans are studying farming right on the farm under two Federal laws administered by Veterans Administration.

## Activities Of The Colored People

Rev. Robinson, pastor of the Church of God in Christ, was here Sunday night, accompanied by Mr. Charles Smith's daughters and their adopted mother.  
 Rev. and Mrs. S. L. Sanders attended services in Knox City the same night.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Hayden attended a joint meeting of the Churches of God in Christ in Albany, Texas, recently.  
 Dunbar school wishes to express its appreciation to the Community Chest for the nice shrubbery given them. Special mention is given to Rev. Q. H. Beavers because of the splendid job he did in setting out of the same.

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## Thousands Of A. R. C. Chapters Help Veterans

**Ex-Servicemen, Families Aided In 9,000 Communities**  
 Red Cross chapters and branches in more than 9,000 communities throughout the country are today serving as clearing houses for many of the problems confronting veterans and their dependents. Providing personal guidance in solving puzzling questions, referring veterans to other community agencies that are better equipped to handle specific matters, assisting in obtaining evidence needed to support claims for government benefits, and assistance in the preparation of forms for such claims, are but a few of the tasks Red Cross Home Service workers are called upon to do.  
 Red Cross chapters also provide financial assistance, in the form of grants or loans without interest, when needed by the veteran to tide him over the period while claims are pending, or at other difficult times. During the past year more than 161,000 veterans were thus helped.  
 Perplexed by the maze of red tape, veterans in increasing numbers turned to Red Cross chapters for help in filing compensation claims, terminal leave applications, and other forms. In the 1945-46 period the American Red Cross assisted a total of 2,048,475 veterans in the preparation of claims. In addition 518,000 death, disability, and insurance claims were filed through local Red Cross chapters.  
 In this period also the American Red Cross represented an average of 30,000 veterans a month in the presentation and development of

government claims filed with the VA.  
 Much of the Red Cross program for returned servicemen is directed to hospitalized veterans and carried out by volunteers operating under direction of American Red Cross field directors.  
 Activities of Red Cross Volunteer Special Services, one of the largest volunteer groups in the nation, not only provide occupational recreation and training in which leading artists, painters and artisans give practical instruction, but offer hostess and canteen service for visiting relatives and friends, assistance in letter writing, shopping, and library service. Trips and tours to nearby cities and places of interest are conducted by the Motor Corps, which also provides transportation for patients as well as visiting celebrities and entertainers.  
 Measured in dollars and cents, the Red Cross spent \$31,000,000 in maintaining its veterans' programs during the past year. However, in terms of human values the benefits derived are far beyond calculation.

## BRIEF ITEMS ABOUT AGRICULTURE

Soil building in East Texas and the coastal prairies depends largely upon the use of commercial superphosphate with clovers.  
 A dollar or two spent for vegetable seed pays big dividends in food, health and economy.  
 From 1941 to 1946, living costs of farmers' went up 70 per cent.  
 Forty per cent of the farm land in the nation is in farms of over 1000 acres.  
 Texas turkey growers plan to reduce production of turkeys in 1947 five per cent below 1946, due to high feed prices and little change in turkey prices, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports.



## FIXING UP the HOME

*By Diane Greter*  
**Ten Rules of Refrigerator Care**  
**TODAY** the importance of good refrigeration in the home is universally realized. Scarcely another appliance contributes so much to the health and happiness of the family as the modern refrigerator, which protects health by protecting food from spoilage and maintaining its enjoyable freshness and flavor.  
 Here are ten rules for caring for your refrigerator so that it will operate with maximum efficiency and continue in service for many years to come.  
 1. Open refrigerator door only when necessary.  
 2. Space foods to allow free circulation of air.  
 3. Defrost regularly and clean often by wiping with a damp cloth. Wash with a weak solution of baking soda.  
 4. Allow cooked foods to cool before you store them in the refrigerator.  
 5. Wash and clean vegetables and fruit before storing.  
 6. Place vegetables and fruits in the hydrator.  
 7. Store meat, unwrapped, under the freezing unit.  
 8. Butter and other staples keep best in the middle section of refrigerator.  
 9. Ice cubes, frozen foods and desserts should be kept in the cold compartment.  
 10. Do not place so much food in the refrigerator that circulation of air is impossible.  
 With these few facts in mind you can obtain utmost satisfaction from your refrigerator whether it is old or new. If you happen to live outside the "pipeline" area, you can still enjoy the best of automatic gas refrigeration with liquefied petroleum gas. The silent gas refrigerator is "tops" in reliability. The absence of moving parts eliminates wear due to friction with the result that every gas refrigerator ever made is said to be still giving good service.

## LOCALS

Mrs. Roy Cutbirth of Dallas came in several days ago for a visit with her mother, Mrs. T. C. Lowry, and with other relatives.  
 Miss Betty Nell Anderson of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bowley over the week end.  
 Mrs. Hollar, librarian in McMurry College, Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hollar over the week end.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John P. Brown of Odessa spent the week end here, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Beatty, and with other relatives.

Miss Barbara Jane Almanrode, who is attending McMurry College in Abilene, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Almanrode.

Miss Billie Rene Thompson of Goree spent the week end with her cousins, Misses Evalyn Ford and Barbara Gail Fields.

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More than 40,000 veterans are operating their own businesses with G.I. loans guaranteed by Veterans Administration.

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20 ACRES, 4-room house and good pumping plant. It is on the South Floyd highway. Price, \$6,500.00

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**FOR SALE**—1940 Model Ford for sale. Four new tires, new battery seat covers, just recently painted radio, heater. See me at Goree Post Office. Goree, Texas. George Crouch Jr. 34-2tc.

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**FOR SALE**—1940 Oliver 70 tractor with all 2-row equipment, and in A-1 condition. Luke Birkenfield. 1tp.

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**WANTED**—Man or lady to own and operate a route of 5-cent peanut vendors. \$275 cash reserve. Earn up to \$40 a week, spare time. If interested and have cash available, write, J. D. Thurman, Lamesa, Texas. 33-2tp.

**FOR RENT**—Apartment, 3-rooms and bath. Call 127-J. Doris Dickerson. 1tc

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**FOR SALE**—'47 5-passenger Chevrolet coupe, '46 Buick sedan, '42 Ford tudor, '41 Chevrolet tudor, '41 Chevrolet 4-dor sedan, two '41 Ford pickups, '40 Oldsmobile sedan, '42 Mercury sedan, '36 Chevrolet tudor, '36 Ford tudor, '45 Chevrolet tudor, '31 Ford coupe. Brown & Percy Motor Co., Haskell, Texas. 34-2tp.

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**STOLEN**—Green stock trailer, from my place at Goree, Texas. Liberal reward for information of its whereabouts. Van Thornton, Goree, Texas. 1tp

**WANTED**—Experienced ironer or washer. Will also buy your old Maytag washing machines. Let us know what you have. Martin's Laundry. 1tp.

**FOR SALE**—Good milk cow for sale, with heifer calf. Chester Bowden. 1tp.

**Veterans' News**

The aid of press, radio and veterans and civic organizations in acquainting veterans with their rights to reinstate lapsed National Service Life Insurance was sought this week by Thomas G. Lanphier, Deputy Administrator of the Veterans Administration in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

Following President Truman's approval of a bill extending the February 1 deadline for reinstating GI policies without a physical examination, Lanphier directed VA officials to use every source available to inform World War II veterans of the benefits of NSLI policies.

In accordance with the legislation, VA has set a new deadline of August 1, 1947, for reinstating NSLI may make original applications for policies up to \$10,000.

"A large number of World War II veterans in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi dropped their GI insurance after leaving military service," Lanphier said. "NSLI is one of the greatest assets these veterans can have. It is one of the soundest investments they can have. It is one of the soundest investments they can make, the cheapest protection they can buy for their families. They will be wise to use this new opportunity to reinstate their GI policies at once."

Lanphier said VA's insurance education campaign will continue until the August 1 deadline so that all veterans in the Southwest will have the information necessary on which to make their decisions about reinstating GI policies.

Nearly 1,000 veterans are being treated in VA hospitals in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi for tuberculosis, VA's Medical Service reported this week.

By 1949, when the peak load is anticipated, VA hospitals in the tri-states served by the Dallas Branch Office will need approximately 3,000 beds for tuberculosis veterans, it was added.

VA is attacking tuberculosis not only as a medical problem but as one which has other important social consequences on the veteran and his family, VA doctors said. This is due to the disruption of

the veteran's family while he is undergoing the long hospitalization necessary for cure.

**Questions and Answers**

Q. Am I eligible to receive a pension or compensation if I signed a statement at the time of my discharge saying that my disability existed prior to my enlistment?

A. Under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G. I. Bill) any statement of this nature which you made at the time of discharge is considered null and void.

Q. If I am eligible for three years of schooling under the G. I. Bill, does that mean three years or three calendar years?

A. If you are entitled to three years of education or training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G. I. Bill) you are eligible to three calendar years (36 months) of education or training. This may be used up in four ordinary school years of nine months each.

Q. Am I eligible for education or training if I was in the army less than 90 days during World War II and was discharged for a service-connected injury?

A. Yes.

Q. May a veteran of World War II who is receiving retirement pay pursue a course of training or education and receive subsistence allowance?

A. Yes; if he is otherwise eligible.

Q. Does Veterans Administration have to approve my course of education under the G. I. Bill?

A. No. An eligible veteran may elect his course and choose any state-approved educational institution in which he is able to enroll.

Veterans Administration now has about 130,000 employees eligible for veterans preference. They comprise 60 per cent of all VA employees, male and female.

**QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID**

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**FIXING UP the HOME**  
By Diane Greeter

**Simplify Kitchen Tasks**

OF all household tasks, the one that consumes most of the homemaker's time in planning and execution, the one that is most important to the health and happiness of the family, is the preparation of meals.

This task, therefore, should be made as easy and pleasant to perform as possible, and no instrument can offer more efficient help in food processing than the modern automatic gas range.

Fortunately, the possession of this invaluable kitchen tool is no longer limited to residents of large



cities where natural or manufactured gas flows through pipelines. LP-Gas—popularly called "tank" or "bottled" gas—has made it possible for dwellers in "beyond-the-gas-main" areas to enjoy all the fuel conveniences the city housewife has long taken for granted.

The speed, controllability, convenience, and long-term economy of gas as a household fuel have met no serious challenge in modern times. Ranges equipped with oven controls make perfect baking easy. Today's bride can, with little difficulty, perform culinary masterpieces that surpass even the memory of Grandmother's specialties.

The only way to be sure that dairy cows are being kept full of feed is to offer them plenty of roughages all the time.

The United States produced 267 million pounds of popcorn in 1946.

Phosphate is the key to pasture improvement.

Over half of the farm land in the nation is in farms of over 500 acres.

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**KRAUSE ONE-WAY PLOWS**

The lighter pulling plow with self-sharpening discs,

dustproof Timken disc and wheel bearings, and rubber tires. Krause plows more acres—faster—with less cost. Ask about the giant 30-disc 17 1/2-foot model.

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A few Krause One-Way Plows are still available for delivery before plowing time. Monthly allotments are small. To get a Krause for this year's plowing—

**PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW!**

For more plowing with less power—buy a Krause. Call or come in.

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"The Farmall House"



## Cash Products From Waste Is Research Goal

New York—A three-way drive to turn common waste materials of the Pacific Coast and Western states into valuable commercial products is being pressed this year by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in cooperation with leading industries and universities.

Such familiar and hitherto worthless by-products as corn cobs, grain stalks and husks, chicken feathers and even the sumac plant are already finding wide usage in important industries, and the department's Western laboratory at Albany, California, will devote 1947 to exploring the commercial applications of many others including citrus fruits, alfalfa, and several varieties of vegetables.

Potentialities of the far-reaching research program are found, it was pointed out, in the uses now being made of corn cobs and sawdust by such companies as SIKI Industries, Inc., which reports an annual use of approximately 48,000 pounds of ground cobs and 400 tons of sawdust to burnish and clean ball and roller bearings.

Not a leaf is left unturned in the far-reaching research program.

The University of Pennsylvania Medical School is experimenting with the lowly buckwheat plant, traditional griddle cake ingredient, to extract rutin needed for high blood pressure victims. Texas A. and M. College reports making palatable poultry and hog feed from ground cottonseed hulls after the valuable oil has been extracted. Cotton seed hulls together with peanut shells are already providing synthetic motor fuel at the rate of 90 gallons to the ton. A strong synthetic fibre made from the 175,000,000 pounds of chicken feathers thrown away annually is

the goal of other experts.

To speed home building, such construction board manufacturers Celotex Corp., Chicago, and Maizwood Insulating Co., Dubuque, are buying up straw, husks and stalks as raw materials.

To increase the yield of penicillin, chemists and scientists are feeding the drug-producing mold a \$234,000 yearly diet of 6,000,000 pounds of sugar obtained from milk. Three Agriculture department research stations are producing tannic acid, essential for curing hides, from wild sumac leaves, while off-shaped lemons, once discarded, are now producing profits in the form of lemon oil, citric acid and pectin.



You no doubt noticed in the papers the other day where Miss Nancy Haval of Pampa wrote a letter to President Truman, saying that if Alaska is admitted as a state, it ought to be divided into two or three, as "Texas just has to be the biggest state."

For a good while, this columnist has been giving thought to the condition that would result if Alaska becomes a state and it is gratifying to learn that there are others who feel concerned about it, too.

The young lady from Pampa is to be congratulated, however, on doing something about it and she showed fine judgment in writing to the President himself; there is nothing like going to the "head man."

But if worse comes to worst and Alaska is admitted as a state all in one chunk, there is this consolation:

Texas—and especially the hundreds of thousands who were in the armed forces during the war—have done a grand job of letting the rest of the world know how big Texas is and we have such a head start on Alaska that they will never be able to catch up with us.

I used to tell this little story

## People, Spots In The News



**COFFEE CANS ROLL AGAIN**—For the first time since 1942 when wartime restrictions halted manufacture, tin cans for vacuum packed coffee are shown flowing off production lines of an American Can Company plant. Coffee cans that have appeared on store shelves since the war ended were made possible through a company development for soldering plate having no tin coating.



**TO SWIM?**—Model wears a one piece swim suit of gold lame cloth. The back and halter are black wool.



**LITTLE GUY** is Henri Renard of France! He is 51 years old and 27 1/2 inches tall. The bottle is half-inch taller.



**FROEY "CACTUS GARDEN"** is actually odd formations of Lake Michigan's spray during Chicago cold wave.

in talks:

A Texas sergeant landed in North Africa with a detachment of Texans during the recent war. He called them together and said, "Men, we want to advance the government policy; we are here to create good will. If these natives over here say that Africa is bigger than Texas—why, just agree with them."

But I quit telling the story because the audiences thought that Texas is bigger than Africa.

And, come to think of it, I believe Texas is bigger, too!

Around 65,000 veterans are applying monthly for admission to Veterans Administration hospitals or homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sied Waheed and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Salem and daughter, Alva, spent the week end in Lubbock, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ameen, and with other relatives.

Sam Salem spent the week end in Dallas, visiting with his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bill Pierce and daughter spent the week end in Denton, visiting with Mr. Pierce's parents and other relatives.

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## Weekly Health LETTER

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

Austin—With the incidence of chickenpox more than 50 per cent higher than records indicate for a seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, issued a statement today declaring, "It is a great mistake to treat even light cases of childhood diseases such as chickenpox, measles, mumps, scarlet fever or whooping cough as though they did not amount to much. That sort of treatment makes it possible for these diseases to spread and cause serious outbreaks among children and their resulting impaired resistance makes them easy victims to other forms of infection."

"Some of the most serious outbreaks of chickenpox which we have had have been traced to mild cases—that is, to cases too light for the doctor to be called. In some instances the children have continued to go to school and to associate and play with other children. In others, after they have been kept at home for a few days, they have returned to school and have scattered these germs around among their schoolmates. Eventually a group of cases—sometimes very serious ones—have developed from the carelessly handled mild case. The results was another epidemic that could have been prevented."

The State Health Officer said that the family doctor is the best judge of the seriousness of such childhood diseases, and suffering and anxiety will be avoided if the child is put to bed, and a doctor's advice sought and followed.

Wayne Blacklock, student in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blacklock.

Earl Pruitt of Austin spent the first of this week here, visiting with relatives and friends and attending to business matters.

Feed Everything You Grow with this complete, balanced diet



Now is the time to put Vigoro to your lawns and add vigor to them. We have a spreader to successfully apply it to your lawns.

Coy Riley of Borger visited friends in Munday over the week end.

Miss Oleta Norman, who is employed in Haskell, spent the week end with home folks here.

Grady Roberts of Wichita Falls spent last Friday here, visiting with relatives and friends and attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bowen and family of Goree visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lain last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnison spent the week end in Austin, vis-

Mrs. Howard Collins spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones of Jermyn.

Miss Helen Haymes, student in McMurry College, Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haymes, last Sunday.

iting with their daughters and sons in-law. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hipple and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thompson.

Kenneth Whittemore, who is attending A. C. C. in Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whittemore.

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- Tuesday, March 11

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- Wednesday morning, March 12

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- Wednesday afternoon, March 12

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- Thursday, March 13

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- Friday, March 14

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- Saturday, March 15

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## Legal Notice

ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to an order issued by the City Council of the City of Munday, Texas, notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 1st day of April, 1947, at the City Hall, the same being the place designated by law as the voting place, on the date hereinbefore mentioned, in the City of Munday, County of Knox, Texas, for the purpose of voting upon the following question submitted to the voters of the City, to-wit:

ELECTION OF THREE (3) ALDERMEN

It is further ordered by the City Council of the City of Munday Texas, that C. L. Mayes be appointed as judge of the election, and it is further ordered that candidates for the above position file their intentions with the City Secretary on or before 5 p. m., Saturday, March 1, 1947.

W. R. MOORE, Mayor  
Attest:  
Harvey Lee,  
City Secretary

33-2tc.

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## Junior-Senior Banquet Held On Friday; Highlights School Activity

A superb junior-senior banquet was enjoyed by 92 guests last Friday night in the school gym. The program, decorations and menu carried out a Spanish theme, using deep, rich, bright Spanish colors.

Card tables were used, with one long table for the speaker, toastmaster and guests. Colored electric lights hung from the ceiling, and a huge electric star formed the background for the speaker's table, as well as two large Spanish blankets that were fastened to the stage curtains.

Balloons, fruit baskets and candles formed the centerpiece for the speaker's table, which was covered with red crepe paper that formed a ruffle to the floor. Centerpieces for the card tables were

baskets of fruit, and the tables were covered with various colors of metallic paper.

The place cards, small glass animals, napkins which had horse-hair sombreros fastened in the corner, and novelty toys and other souvenirs were hand-made and imported from Old Mexico.

The cocktail cups were white with colored paper hats suspended from one side of the cup with a white cord. The program books were covered with five and ten-dollar Mexican bills, also from Mexico City.

The menu consisted of fruit juice cocktail, Mexican spaghetti, Spanish corn, Mexican style beans, tortillas, coffee and Mexican pecan pralines.

Most of the students came dressed in costume. They really made nice looking seniors and senioritas. As a surprise of the evening, prizes were awarded to the best Spanish dressed couple, Charlotte Williams and Wayne Rogers; the best dressed girl, Bobbie Nell Whitworth, and the best dressed boy, Kenneth Baker. Honorable mention was also given Frances Hallmark, Ruth Browning, Clifton Swain and Billy Bouldin.

A very interesting program was given, as follows: Invocation, Jack Qualls; welcome, Bobby Howell; response, Wanda Henson; song, "El Rancho Grande," sophomore girls; senior class prophecy, Joy Guffey; accordion solo, "Spanish Maiden," Gwyna Lee Smith; solo, "Mexicali Rose," Charlotte Williams; address, Rev. Don Davidson; benediction, Supt. W. C. Cox.

The toastmaster, Billy Bouldin, kept the program progressing nicely in his lively and witty manner.

During the latter part of the evening, the old Spanish Christmas custom was carried out. Pinatas were broken, and there was a scramble for the prizes that fell out of them.

Sophomore girls, who were dressed in Spanish costumes and who served the banquet, are: Gwyna Lee Smith, Betty Hendrix,

## Girl Scouting Thirty-Five Years Ago



One of the first Girl Scout troops, organized on March 12, 1912, posed for this picture with Juliette Gordon Low (fourth from left, back row). They are standing in front of the first Girl Scout headquarters in Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Low died in 1927, when the youth movement she introduced into the United States had a membership of about 140,000 girls. Today Girl Scouting is the largest organization of its kind in the world and numbers 1,218,000.

## Homemaking Girls Make Trip To Spur

The Munday Homemaking Club was represented at the Area II meeting in Spur last Saturday by

Mary Pearl Massey, Peggy Clough, Hattie Ann Phillips, Martha Nell Bullington, Yvonne Morris and Frances Nance. The best dressed girls in this group were Gwyna Lee Smith, Hattie Ann Phillips and Peggy Clough.

Wynelle Fitzgerald and Clydene Skiles operated the record player during the evening. Thanks were extended to Mrs. Frances Baker, sponsor, the junior room mothers and the ladies of the school lunch room who prepared the food.

Gwyna Lee Smith, Betty Hendrix, Marjorie Lou Campey, Wanna Allen Johnson and the sponsor, Mrs. Frances Baker.

A very interesting and worthwhile program was opened at nine o'clock and continued through 3:30 p. m. A delicious dinner was served at the school cafeteria.

During the afternoon, new officers were elected for the area. Gwyna Lee Smith was elected reporter, and this entitles her to attend Camp Arrowhead, located in South Texas, during August with the local sponsor, Mrs. Baker.

These two will also edit the Area II newsletter next fall and spring, a copy going to each school and sponsor of the 28-county area.

Over 300 girls and their sponsors attended the Spur meeting.

## Girl Scout Troop Holds Investiture Ceremony Feb. 26th

Twelve girls of Girl Scout Troop 3 were invested with the rank of Tenderfoot and received their pins in an impressive ceremony in the grade school library on Wednesday afternoon, February 26. Guests included the mothers of the girls, the troop leaders and assistant leaders, the troop committee members, Mrs. Gene Harrell, and Misses Jeanne Davis and Gerry Harlan. After the investiture refreshments prepared by Mrs. Clyde Yost and Mrs. Joe B. Roberts were served to troop members and guests.

The following girls received the Tenderfoot rank: Betty Blacklock, Marilyn Davis, Wanda Driggers, Marjorie Hill, Myra Sue Ibsing, Betty Carolyn Morrow, Patsy Morrow, Ann Nelson, Shirley Roberts, Norma Lee Smith, Patsy Whitworth and Shirley Yost.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Eiland and Mrs. Bob Crawley and daughter, all of Lamesa, spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Jack Whitaker of Truscott was here last Thursday, visiting with friends and attending to business matters.

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**FOR SALE**—1938 International pickup. A. R. Floyd, Munday, Texas. 34-3p.

## IN DALLAS HOSPITAL

W. A. Baker, Munday pioneer, was taken to the Baylor hospital in Dallas last week for treatment for an infection in his foot. Reports coming from the hospital are to the effect that Mr. Baker is improving.

Miss Naomi Hampton of Goree spent the week end in Abilene, visiting Naomi Jean Miller, who is attending McMurtry College. She went down Friday to attend the

## regional basketball meet.

Mrs. Leslie Trigg of Abilene visited here over the week end.

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| Plymouth (all) . . . . .  | 2.30   |

### Carburetors . . . . .

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| Ford (rebuilt) . . . . .           | 5.20  |
| Ford (new, genuine) . . . . .      | 10.00 |
| Chevrolet (new, genuine) . . . . . | 12.19 |
| Plymouth (new, genuine) . . . . .  | 14.41 |
| Dodge (new, genuine) . . . . .     | 14.41 |

### Clutch Discs . . . . .

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|---------------------------|------|
| Ford 35-42 . . . . .      | 2.55 |
| Chevrolet 38-42 . . . . . | 4.15 |
| Plymouth 40-42 . . . . .  | 4.40 |
| Plymouth 38-39 . . . . .  | 4.85 |

### Clutch Pressure Plates . . . . .

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| Ford 35-42 . . . . .      | 3.80 |
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