

CHRISTMAS OPENING FOR CROWELL WILL START AT 6:30 O'CLOCK TOMORROW NIGHT

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Accidental Discharge of Gun Takes Life of Joyce Ribble Sunday Afternoon at 5 o'Clock

'Player-Manager'



Louis Boudreau, 24, has signed a five-year contract as player-manager of the Cleveland Indians. Boudreau, who is shown above, was the Indians' shortstop for the past two seasons.

Quotas for Wheat Marketing Will Be Decided Next Spring

Since wheat farmers will vote in a national referendum next spring to decide on marketing quotas, Foard County wheat farmers should consider their acreage allotments when seeding their 1942 crop, A. V. Sheppard, administrator of Foard County Agricultural Conservation Association, said.

If quotas are approved by a majority vote, farmers planting wheat in 1942 will be able to sell the entire crop without penalty, but farmers exceeding allotments will be required to pay a penalty of 50 per cent of the national loan rate on all wheat marketed in excess, Sheppard explained.

In the event quotas are voted on next spring, a government plan will not be made since marketing quotas protect loan collateral, the AAA official explained. The AAA official explained that as 85 per cent of parity are affected on this year's crop since quotas were given a favorable vote in a national referendum in the year.

Secretary of Agriculture, Claude Wickard, issued the wheat production several weeks ago, since, according to the AAA Act, an agreement must be made prior to May 15 of any marketing year when it appears the wheat supply will exceed a normal year's domestic consumption and exports more than 35 per cent. The national referendum will be held before June 10, 1942.

The purpose of wheat marketing quotas is to divide a limited market equally among wheat producers, so that each will have his fair share, the committee said.

Funeral Held at First Baptist Church Tuesday Afternoon

The sudden and tragic death of Joyce Janette Ribble, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ribble, last Sunday afternoon, brought sadness to the entire town. The little girl was killed when a gun was accidentally discharged in the car where she was sitting, the entire charge striking the child in the back of the head. Her parents rushed her to the hospital but she was dead upon arrival there. The family were at Mr. Ribble's farm northwest of town and were ready to return home when the sad accident occurred. Joyce was born on Dec. 20, 1933, and passed away on Nov. 30, 1941, seven years, eleven months and ten days old.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Baptist Church with Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor, in charge, assisted by Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor of the Methodist Church. Flowers literally filled the church and friends by the scores were in attendance. The songs were favorites of the little girl, she having been a great lover of songs and loved to sing. "Stand Up for Jesus" and "Jesus Loves Me" were sung by the choir. Mrs. I. T. Graves gave a beautiful reading, entitled "The Rose Grows Beyond the Wall." A male quartet composed of John Risor, Ebb Seales, E. A. Bragan and A. Y. Beverly sang "Ready" and John Thomas Risor sang, as a solo, "Gathering Buds." Mrs. Arnold Rucker accompanied all numbers.

Pall bearers were Adrian Thomas, Claude McLaughlin, Ray Huddleston of Childress, William Ricks, H. C. Roark and John Todd, all of whom were greatly loved by Joyce. The flower bearers were classmates of Ruth Ribble, sister of Joyce. They were Bessie Lou Gamble, Patsy Ketchersid, Melba Simmons, Larue Graves, Frances Ann Ayers, Geniele Nelson, Billie Billington, Ada Jane Magee, Dorothy Pechacek, Sue Jones, Sammie Jones, Virginia Ruth Mabe, Yvonne Williams, Rita Faye Callaway, Helen Jo Callaway, Doris Denton, Laverne Archer, Flodelle Wallace, Mary B. Curtis, Ruth Catherine Cates, Darnelle Morrison, Valerie May Owens and Dorothy Russell. George Ann Ricks and Don Gobin, little friends and playmates of Joyce, also were flower bearers.

Burial was made in the Crowell cemetery, with Womack Funeral Home in charge.

Joyce is survived by her parents; one sister, Ruth; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ribble, and a number of aunts and uncles and cousins and by many friends, for she was of a friendly, sweet disposition and was loved by everybody.

The following out-of-town relatives and friends were here to attend the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Womack and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Womack of Dallas, Mr. and

Back From Russia



Laurence A. Steinhardt, U. S. ambassador to Russia, is shown surrounded by reporters after he arrived in New York, en route to Washington to report on Russia's stand before the Nazi machine, and the effect of U. S. lease-lend aid.

Drive to Be Launched for Funds for Sexton's Quarters at Cemetery

Mrs. N. J. Roberts, president of the Cemetery Association, states that the finance committee responsible for the raising of funds to build a Sexton's home at the Crowell Cemetery had had its final meeting Wednesday afternoon and that plans were perfected for launching the drive to secure sufficient funds for the building at once. They hope to turn over to the building committee by the first of the year, the amount required.

As was announced in a recent issue of The News, about one-half of the necessary amount has already been subscribed.

Mrs. Roberts says "This is a project peculiar to itself, it is both civic and sentimental. It is a part of the cemetery and it is most necessary that we have comfortable living quarters to house the ones who might be employed to take care of the cemetery property."

"Don't wait for a member of this committee to come to see you, see them first." They are, Claude Callaway, chairman, Mrs. E. A. Davis, J. A. Stovall and Mrs. Paul Shirley.

BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Myers are the parents of a baby daughter, born Friday, Nov. 28, at the hospital. Mary Anne is the baby's name.

Ex-Students' Officers Meet and Lay Plans for Reception and Dance

Mrs. P. L. Ribble and Mr. and Mrs. George Streit of Vernon, Mrs. Clarence McKown of Altus, Okla., Mrs. H. L. Kinsey and Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Kinsey and son, Jimmie, of Handley; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nelson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson of Guthrie, Mrs. Roy Crowell of Paducah, Mrs. Mollie Gibson, Miss Alice Gibson, Mrs. R. B. Gibson and Mrs. Brunson of Vernon, Mrs. Lou Moore of Matador, and Mrs. P. E. Randolph, Mrs. Bess Gribble, Mrs. R. D. Oswald, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ritchie and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson all of Vernon; Mr. Dick Spiller of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eggleston of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gamble and daughters of Chillicothe, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Long of Paducah, Mrs. George Streit Sr., and Miss Dorothy Streit of Vernon, Ed Butler, M. Gorka and Mr. Holland of Quanah, and J. L. Sanders of Childress.

At a meeting of the Ex-Students' Association held in the office of County Judge Leslie Thomas on Tuesday night, Dec. 2, with Mrs. Moody Buresey, president, presiding and the following members present: Lottie Russell, Leslie Thomas, Mayme Lee Collins and Henry Black. Plans and preparations were formulated for the annual Ex-Students' Reunion.

The High School gymnasium has been secured for the occasion and it is the sincere desire of the officers of the association that a high class old-fashioned reception for all the exes can be had. Multiple ideas for a program on such an occasion have been discussed and referred to committees for such purposes, the heads of which committees and the members thereof will be announced later. The dance, the details of which will be published later, will take place immediately after the reception. Every ex-student is earnestly urged to plan to be present at the reception on Dec. 25, at 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the purpose of having a general "good time," meeting the new members of the association and renewing the acquaintance of the old.

Lengthy discussion was had with reference to the association inaugurating a loan fund and it was decided that such loan fund should be definitely established for the purpose of assisting worthy ex-students in securing a college

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital Patients In:

Mrs. Jim Cook.
Mrs. Marvin Myers and baby daughter.
Mrs. Roy Daniels.
Annie Mae Moore.
Mrs. Minnie Loyd.

Patients Dismissed:

Baby Ronnie Parrish.
Mrs. Billy Nichols.
Mrs. Clyde Knight.

AT CAMP WALLACE

John Bowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley of the Vivian community, who left Crowell on Nov. 4 for induction into the Army, has been assigned to the Coast Artillery replacement center at Camp Wallace, Texas, according to information furnished The News.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

New motor vehicles registered at the office of the tax assessor-collector, A. W. Lilly, since last week follow:

John Matus Sr., 1942 Dodge Ford sedan.
C. C. Wisdom, 1942 Chevrolet Deluxe Town sedan.
Antone Caram, 1942 Ford truck.

VISITS AT TRUSCOTT

Lee Lindon Turner, who is stationed at Seattle, Wash., aboard the U. S. S. Destroyer Gilmer, left for that city Saturday evening after spending a 15-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner, and family, in Truscott. He returned by way of Denver, Colo., and spent a day with his uncle, J. W. McDaniel, who is now stationed there at Lowry Field.

DAUGHTER BORN

An announcement has been received by The News telling of the birth of a baby daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plunkett of Texarkana, formerly of Crowell. The baby was born on Nov. 23 and has been named Jimmie Gail.

Window Contest, Parade and Visit from Santa Claus Will Feature Opening of Christmas Season Here

Farmers of Foard County Will Decide Question of Marketing Quotas on the 1942 Crop on Saturday, Dec. 13

Late R. C. Stone



Pictured above is Robert Clifton Stone, pioneer resident of Wylie, Collin County, father of Mrs. Theo Duncan, and brother of J. E. Stone, both residents of the Foard City community, who recently died at the age of 76. Mr. Stone was well known here, having visited here on many occasions.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian Church in Garland with interment in the Wylie Cemetery.

Mr. Stone was born 20 miles from Washington, D. C., in Fairfax County, Va. He was married to Miss Dora Ann Herring in 1886.

Survivors are his wife; three sons, Joe, Claude and Milton, of Wylie; three daughters, Mrs. Theo Duncan of Foard City, Mrs. Edgar Burch of Wylie, and Mrs. Virgil Jackson of Garland; seventeen grandchildren, and one brother, J. E. Stone, of Foard City.

By marking a "Yes" or "No" on the face of the ballot, Foard County farmers will help write the answer to the question: "Do you favor marketing quotas on the 1942 crop?"

The question will be answered Saturday, Dec. 13, according to Grady Halbert, chairman of the Foard County AAA Committee when a national cotton marketing quota referendum is held.

To be in effect, marketing quotas must be approved by two-thirds of the cotton farmers voting in the national referendum. Cotton quotas have been approved for the past four years.

Regardless of whether farmers approve quotas, conservation features of the 1942 AAA farm program will be the same, but loans for cotton cannot be made unless quotas are approved, Mr. Halbert pointed out.

According to the AAA Act, marketing quotas on cotton are proclaimed in any year when the supply of cotton is more than 7 per cent above the normal supply. With 29,800,000 bales of American cotton in the world August 1, 1941, the total supply was 31 per cent above normal. About 23,000,000 bales of the total supply were in the United States.

The purpose of marketing quotas is to divide a limited market equally among cotton producers. Farmers planting within acreage allotments established under the AAA program are permitted to sell all cotton produced on these acres.

With more than 2-million farmers in the United States planting within cotton acreage allotments they are co-operating in an effort to keep supply in line with demand, Mr. Halbert said.

People from Every Community in Area Invited to Attend

The annual Christmas opening for Crowell, scheduled to begin tomorrow night at 6:30 o'clock, when the show windows of the stores in the town are unveiled, will be one of the most outstanding events of its kind ever held here. Greater and better stocks of Christmas merchandise will be on display for Christmas shopping.

Santa to Be Here

Santa Claus is expected to arrive promptly at 6:30 o'clock and will be the feature attraction in a parade through the business section of town. The parade will come to an end on the court house square and Santa Claus will distribute sacks of candy and fruit from a truck stationed at the northwest corner of the court house to all the children of this section attending the opening.

Christmas lights have been strung from all four corners of the square to the dome of the court house, which will be brilliantly lighted to represent a giant Christmas tree.

High School Band

The Crowell High School band, under the direction of Henry Clifford Teague, will give a concert immediately following the parade. It will also take part in the parade.

Window Contest

The windows of the Crowell merchants will be unveiled at 6:30 o'clock to show a beautiful display of merchandise and Christmas decorations. Much effort is being put forth by the merchants in beautifying their windows.

In the window contest, prizes of \$5.00, \$3.00 and \$2.00 will be awarded the first three persons who turn in a correct solution. A hidden letter in each window will help to form a sentence relative to the Christmas season, the letters from all the windows making the complete sentence.

The contest papers will be distributed on the streets at 8 o'clock. They are to be turned in to The Foard County News office for judging. A competent judging committee will serve and the awards will be made about 9 o'clock or, as soon as the judging is finished. Mrs. Payton Powers and Mrs. L. E. Archer are the members of the window committee and are anxious that everyone take part in the contest.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith, Crowell, a daughter, Mattie Margaret, Nov. 24.
To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Myers, Crowell, a daughter, Mary Anne, Nov. 28.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued by the County Clerk to Mr. Elwood Holman and Miss Eula Fay Carnes, both of Sherman, on Nov. 28.

able to practice the past week. Leighton Adams, Weldon Moody, John Clark Long and Bob Gohin are other boys that are showing up well.

Crowell Basketball Team Will Play First Practice Game with Childress in the Local Gym Wednesday Night

According to Coach Grady Graves, the fifteen candidates that are working out for basketball at the High School are looking good and should be in fair shape for their first practice game with Childress here next Wednesday night. Two practice games have also been arranged with Vernon to be played before the Christmas holidays.

Coach Graves plans on using Alton Roark, regular guard from last year's team, at the center post, Charlie Thompson, guard, and Charles Nelson, all-district forward, are other boys that look like cinches for a regular position on the squad. The other guard slot should be taken care of by Clifford White, Billy Cox or Gordon Erwin. T. L. Owens and H. L. Blevins are looking the best at the other forward post. Blevins received a fractured hand in workout last Tuesday and has been unable to practice the past week.

MEAT DISH DISPLAY

The home demonstration clubs of Foard County will display prepared meat dishes in the Hill building on the east side of the square in Crowell Saturday at 1:30 and 3:00 p. m. The six clubs will exhibit the following: Black—Less tender cuts of meat; Foard City—Roast and broiled meat; Margaret—Left-over and canned meats; Riverside—Properly set table; Vivian—Pork dishes; West Side—Organs and glands. Misses Rosalie and Mildred Fish of the Vivian Home Demonstration Club will lead games, and everyone is invited to attend.

JUNIOR RED CROSS REPORT

One hundred per cent enrollment has been reported in those places in Foard County which have sent in a report and only one place has not been heard from.

The sponsors of the Junior Red Cross are as follows: Crowell Grammar School, Mrs. Floyd Thomas; Crowell High School, Miss Eileen Motley; Riverside, Sam Billingsley; Margaret, C. R. Moore; Gamberville, Mrs. Morrison.

Axis Masquerader



First photo of the capture of the German ship "Odenwald" by U. S. navy cruiser in south Atlantic. Boarding crew of U. S. sailors is shown alongside of the "Odenwald" which flew the American flag as U. S. S. "Wilmeto" of Philadelphia.

Hull Takes Japanese to White House



Kichisaburo Kurusu, special Japanese envoy bearing his government's terms for peaceful settlement of Japanese-American differences in the Pacific, is shown (right) with Secretary of State Cordell Hull (center) and Japanese ambassador Kichisaburo Nomura, as they entered the White House grounds after leaving the state department.

U. S. Help Avails Nothing—Ribbentrop



Joachim von Ribbentrop, German foreign minister, is shown (center background) as he addressed the foreign ministers of Axis satellites after the signing of the anti-comintern pact in Berlin. Von Ribbentrop said that Hitler already has won the war in Russia, and warned that U. S. help to Russia or Britain would avail nothing.

Items from Neighboring Communities

MARGARET

(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Earl Hysinger and Mr. Miller of Olton spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hysinger.

Mrs. O. C. Allen and niece, Joyce Ann Middlebrook, visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Doyl McCurley, and family of Vernon Saturday.

Thomas Hembree of Lubbock spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Jimmie Hembree.

Bunnie Bledsoe returned Saturday from near Springfield, Mo., where he had been in a U. S. Army camp.

my camp.

Rev. R. I. Hart and Abb Dunn went to Paducah Tuesday to attend a business meeting of the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Barron and children of Seymour visited her sister, Mrs. John L. Hunter, and family Thursday.

A shower was given Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leo Owens, honoring Mrs. Bill Drabek of Crowell, with Mrs. C. W. Ross, Mrs. C. F. Bradford and Mrs. John L. Hunter as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerley left Sunday afternoon for Quanah where they spent the night with Joe H. Anderson and family, going from there with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson to Quay, N. M., and attended the funeral of Mr. Kerley's and Mrs. Anderson's brother-in-law, Roy Hutchins, which was held at Tucumcari. They returned to Quanah Monday night, returning home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bond and children, V. and Billy, and her father, "Uncle" Tom Goodman, spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crisp of Southland.

Several from here attended a Thanksgiving program at Riverside Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drabek of Crowell visited her mother, Mrs. J. F. Russell, Sunday.

Junior Haseloff, who is attending school at Kerrville, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives here.

FOARD CITY

(By Mrs. J. L. Farrar)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, spent last week-end in Mangum, Okla., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ferguson and children, De Anna and Larry Ben.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mulkey and daughter, Margaret Ann, and Mrs. Ella Lawson of Dunlap visited Sunday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and Mrs. Lee Lafevre.

Fate McDougle has been working for Elmo Todd in Truscott the past two weeks.

Kenneth Halbert, who is attending college at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his mother, Mrs. E. V. Halbert.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eubank and daughter, Kay, and G. M. Eubank of Lubbock and Mrs. Ruth Marts and children, C. J. and Helen Ruth, and Pete Campbell of Crowell spent Thanksgiving Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weatherall.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ratliff of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth and daughter, Beverly Ann, of Berger and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Huston and son, Jackie, visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hughston McLain.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McLain and Mr. and Mrs. Hughston McLain spent Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat and family in Truscott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patton and son, Don, of Crowell and Mrs. J. L. Farrar and son, Joe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox of Gilliland.

J. L. Farrar spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Farrar, of Royce City.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow and daughters, Margorite and Mildred, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jobe and sons in Paducah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Manning spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Shelby Wallace, and family of Crowell, and Mrs. J. M. Manning and Misses Corine and Janee Lee Trawek, who teach school at Hamlin and Carrollton, visited during the holidays with their grandmother, Mrs. Trawek, and son, Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Roland and Mrs. J. R. Merriman are in Royce City attending the bedside of their father, A. Mulry, who is seriously ill. E. R. Roland, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barker, T. M. Whitby and Charles Merriman accompanied the ladies to that place on Friday but returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barker and daughters, Dovie and Evelyn, spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. P. D. Ferguson, and family of Mangum, Okla.

Mrs. J. L. Farrar attended funeral services for J. E. Garner in Vernon on last Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Garner was the father of Mrs. Ernest Patton of Crowell.

J. H. Minnick and daughter, Miss Peggy, of Norman, Okla., spent Friday night at the Minnick ranch.

Mrs. Bill Rollins has been ill this week. Her sister, Mrs. John Ward, of Chillicothe has been here for a visit with her and her husband.

Joe Farrar has been ill since Sunday with the flu.

RAYLAND

(By J. C. Davis)

Miss Ethelene Lawson of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawson, and family.

Horace Abston of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston, and family Sunday. Ewell Williams, formerly with the Army, but honorably discharged, being over 28 years old and having a severe case of asthma, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Anna Mae Shaw and small daughter of Baton Rouge, La., visited relatives and friends here last week.

Dea Millsbaugh of Kinchloe visited J. C. Davis Sunday evening. Bobby Martin of Vernon spent last week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Faughn, and cousin, Hazel Faughn.

Miss Juanita Mansel and Mrs. Verdie Mae Kyle of Vernon spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley and children spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. M. G. Garvin, and family of Dallas.

John Hardison of Vernon visited J. C. Davis Saturday.

Rosecoe Wiseman of Kinchloe visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Raines and children visited here Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis and small son returned home with them to visit over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tipton of Electra and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Price and children of Vernon spent Sunday with Mrs. Martha Price.

Mrs. L. D. Mansel and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Haynes and small daughter visited relatives near Bridgeport over the week-end.

Mrs. Bill Keenan visited relatives and friends in Crowell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crisp visited relatives in Bridgeport over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis of Crowell visited his sister, Mrs. Bill Keenan, Tuesday.

Mrs. Buck Clark and Mrs. H. T. Faughn visited Mrs. Martin in Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Keenan visited Miss Irene Ramsey, who is seriously ill in a Vernon hospital, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Faughn and daughter, Hazel, visited relatives in Childress over the week-end.

A light rain fell here Saturday.

Most of the cotton is gathered here and feed is being harvested rapidly.

VIVIAN

(By Rosalie Fish)

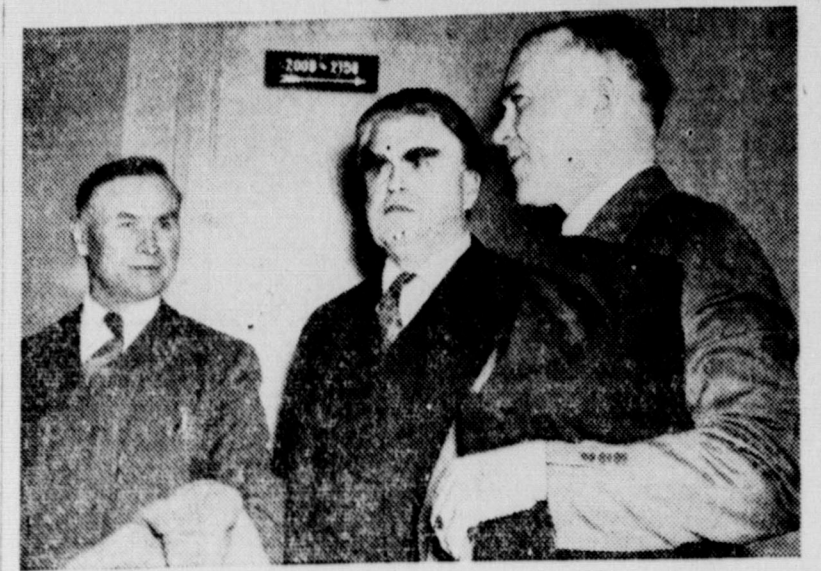
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Everson and daughter, Lavonne, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wright of Pampa spent Friday night and Saturday of last week with Mr. Everson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Everson, and with Mrs. Wright's father, Ike Everson.

Mrs. George Benham and son, Milton, and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of Bowie spent from Tuesday until Sunday with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Walling, Mr. and Mrs. Benham will return here Tuesday to make their home for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee Thomas of Floydada spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper left

Before Miners Accepted President's Terms



Flanked by district leaders William Hynes (left) and Patrick J. Fagan (right), United Mine workers' chief John L. Lewis is shown after leaving the deadlocked "peace conference" with steel officials. Their failure to agree on closed shop issue was the signal for a general strike in "captive coal mines." Later, the miners agreed to submit the dispute to mediation and the strike ended.

Wednesday for Eureka, Calif., where they will make an extended visit with Mrs. Cooper's niece, Mrs. H. E. Johnstone, and other relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sosebee and daughter, Winnie Jo, and sons, Lee Allen and James Marvin, of Anson spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thayer of Carlsbad, N. M., spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Thayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Morgan of Pampa spent Sunday and Sunday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Morgan.

Mrs. A. L. Walling and daughter, Bernice, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling, Mr. and Mrs. George Benham and son, Milton, and daughter, Dorothy Jean, spent Thanksgiving day with their sons and brothers, Arthur and Jess Walling, of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Totten of Electra spent Saturday night of last week with his aunt, Mrs. Ike Everson, and family.

Miss Geneva Marr, who is attending West Texas State Teachers' College in Canyon, spent the first Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr.

Miss Margaret Evans of Hopkins spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans.

Mrs. R. N. Beatty and daughter, Thelma and Mrs. Len David, spent from Friday until Sunday with their son and brother, Charlie Beatty, and family of Milesheo.

Mrs. Kenneth Chapman and children and Mrs. J. H. Chapman of Paducah visited last Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. H. Chapman's daughter, Mrs. Berny Fish.

Mrs. Elmo Hudgins and daughter, Ramona, of Pampa spent Friday and Saturday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Everson.

Miss Bernita Fish of Five-In-One returned there Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Little Billy Norman Thomas of

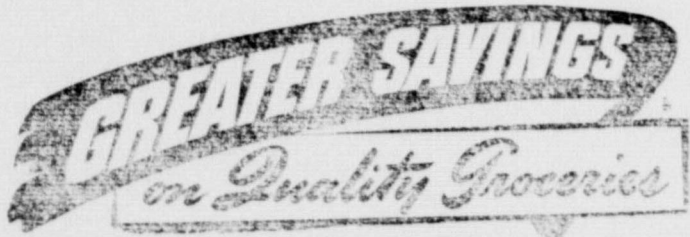
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What were the principal things sought in the amendment of the Neutrality Act?
2. What was the Ark Royal?
3. For what is Maxim Litvinoff known in the news?
4. For what do the letters A. W. O. L. stand for in army life?
5. For the writing of what book is Jan Valtin known in the news?
6. What is the name of the husband of Dorothy Thompson, the columnist and writer?
7. For what did Willie Bieff and George E. Browne recently become known in the news?
8. The people of what state are referred to as Sooners?
9. For what is Stanley High known in the news?
10. There is only one woman in the U. S. Senate. What is her name and what state does she represent?

(Answers on page 3).

Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)



FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS

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MINCE MEAT WHITE SWAN 3 Pkgs. 25c

Salad Dressing, White Swan qt 35c

Shortening 3-lb cart 59c

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Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Mrs. E. C. Hayes and daughter, Clara Jo, of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hayes and daughter of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Billingsley of Riverside visited Mrs. Martha Rice here Sunday. Mrs. Jessie Miller and children of Tipton, Okla., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor, here last week-end. Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin of Panhandle is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mutt McKinley, and family here this week. Mrs. Earnest Earthman visited relatives in Hickory, Okla., last week. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan visited their son, Bill, in Brownwood recently. Glenn Tole, who is attending A. & M. College in College Station, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole, last week-end. Miss Emma Main of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Main, here last week-end. Leon Morgan and family visited his parents near Odell Thursday night. Weldon Hammonds went to Dallas last week for his examination for induction into the Army and is to leave here January 5. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shultz and son, Ralph, of Leakey visited relatives here a while this week. Fred Gray, who is attending school in Austin, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gray, through the Thanksgiving holidays. Herman Dozier and family of Geever visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hood here last week-end. Homer Matthews of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Matthews, here last week-end. Rev. and Mrs. Erwin Reed of Oklahoma visited his mother, Mrs. M. Lawrence, here last week-end and he preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hensley of

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ters were guests of Pastor and Mrs. J. W. Kern of Lockett Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cox and daughters of Electra have moved into the Ben Bradford home. Rev. and Mrs. R. I. Hart and son of Margaret were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Billingsley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cerveny and Mrs. Joe Richter visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cerveny, of Munday Sunday. The Parent Teacher Association program and social sponsored by the Riverside organization in the school auditorium Thursday evening was well attended. Included on the program was a Thanksgiving play, Rhythm Band numbers, a talk, "Is Education Meeting the Needs of Youth," by Principal Sam Billingsley, and group singing. Following the program refreshments were sold, receipts from which amounted to \$7.38. The next regular business meeting of the association will be held at the school at 4 p. m. Dec. 18. Earnest Gloyna, who is attending Texas Technological College in Lubbock, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and daughter, Pauline, of Shamrock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr and other relatives here during the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Calvert of Farmers Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maddrey of Wichita Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tamplin Sunday. The following enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz: Mrs. C. D. Haney and children of Five-In-One, Clarence Shultz, and family of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Houston Adkins and daughter of Thalia, Hugh Shultz and family of Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and children and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson and children of Riverside. Miss Bonnie Lee Bradford left Saturday for Abilene. Miss Jewel Ward and Leonard Capps of Vernon were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward, Saturday evening. Sam Billingsley was a visitor in Knox City Saturday. He was accompanied by Rev. R. I. Hart of Margaret. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursey were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long, of Crowell Sunday. Ernest Cribbs and daughters of Geever spent Thanksgiving with relatives here. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Cribbs, who had been visiting relatives. Theophile Harvick of Oklahoma City visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursey Friday. Mrs. Hugh Jones and children, A. C. Ed, and Gretta Key, of Childress were visitors in the Walter Carr home Sunday. Mrs. Virginia Rambo of Odessa and Mrs. David Lee Owens of Crowell visited in the Ben Bradford home Friday. Miss Zelma Ward, who is employed in Vernon, is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward. Kenneth Bradford is ill. He was carried to Vernon for medical treatment Monday night, and was admitted to the hospital. Ben Bradford visited his mother, Mrs. Studie Bradford, of Margaret Sunday. Mrs. Bradford has just returned from Gilmer, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Clint Arnwine, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shultz of Thalia Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins of Thalia. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gunter of Rayland visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford Friday afternoon. Mrs. Allie Huntley, Mrs. Cap Adkins and daughter, Mary, visited Mrs. W. A. Reed of Thalia Sunday. Mrs. Luther Cribbs and daughters, Mrs. Veda Box and Mrs. Ralph Flesher, visited Mrs. Edward Hendrix and infant son in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler, of Thalia Sunday. Ralph Flesher of Levelland spent Monday night with his wife, who is teaching school here.

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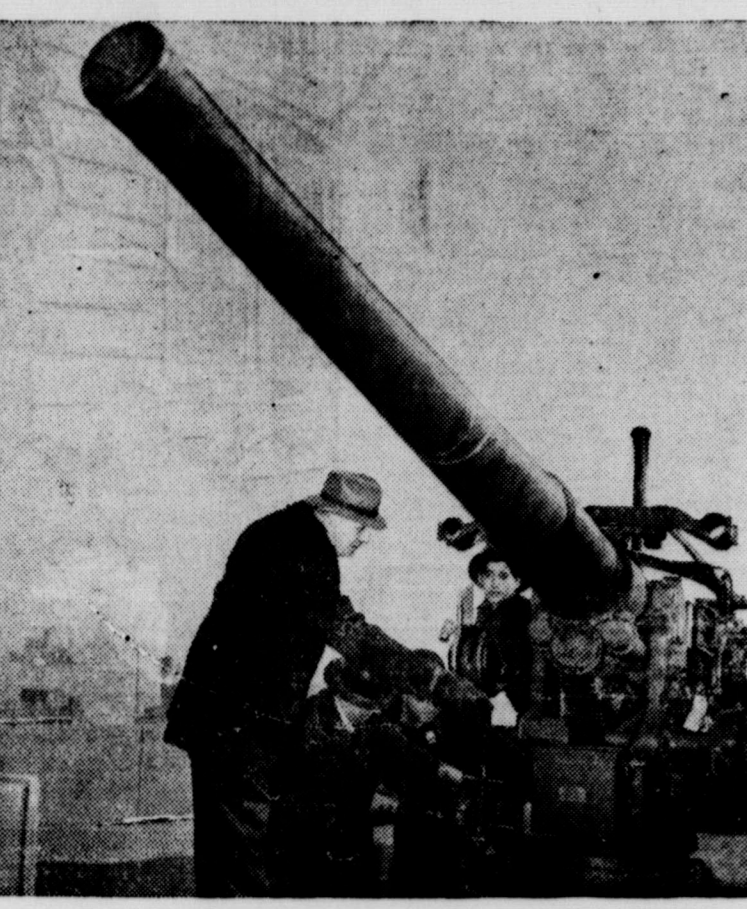
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U. S. Merchantman 'Packs a Rod'



One of the first American merchant ships to be given a gun in accordance with the revised neutrality law which permits U. S. ships to enter belligerent ports and combat zones is shown here with the gun being bolted to the stern mount. Photo was made at an East coast port. The ship's name is withheld at the navy's request.

even at a reasonable speed on wet, oily or icy pavements, or roads covered with soggy leaves may result in a disastrous skid. Smooth, worn tires and unequal brake or air pressure are also frequently the causes of serious skids. Stopping on slippery or icy streets is often difficult. The first rule for safe stopping under these conditions is to begin slowing your car at some distance from the place where you wish to stop. At first, press your brake lightly and release almost at once. Then press it again, release quickly, and repeat. By using this method, instead of applying your brakes continuously, you can usually stop without skidding. More of the peanuts produced in the United States are used for making peanut butter than for any other single purpose. Next largest use is as salted peanuts and peanut candy is the third largest outlet. Less than 10 per cent of the commercial crop reaches the public as peanuts roasted in the shell.

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- ANSWERS (Questions on page 2). 1. The right of U. S. merchant ships to arm and to sail any seas and to any ports including combat zones and harbors of belligerent nations. 2. An English aircraft carrier. 3. He is the Russian ambassador to the United States. 4. Absent without leave. 5. "Out of the Night." 6. Sinclair Lewis. 7. Bioff was sentenced to ten years and Browne to eight years for violation of the federal anti-racketeering law. 8. Oklahoma. 9. He is a columnist, radio news commentator and roving editor of Reader's Digest. 10. Mrs. Hattie W. Caraway, of Arkansas.

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Trust in the Lord, and do good; so shall thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.—Psalm 37:3.

How many times during the year do we hear people say I wish there was something here to give more employment to the men and women and the boys and girls of the town to help our town to grow bigger and more prosperous. This is the natural desire of everyone who lives in the community who is interested in seeing the town made a better town. It isn't possible for every town to secure a big industry with a big payroll. There is not enough of these things around, but there is something that every one in the community can do to make the town a bigger and a better town, and that is, trade at home. It may seem to the individual that the small amount he spends out of town can't make much difference, but if he would stop to think, that if every one spent the same amount with out-of-town merchants what a sum it would make during the year. There is enough business in the trade area of this town to make of it a splendid growing community—if the business all stayed at home. The dollars spent at home build the home town, the dollars spent away from home build some other town. This is our town, our homes are here, our merchants are here, our churches and our schools are here. This is where we expect to live and rear our families. It is up to us to make of this, because of what it will mean to us, the best, the most prosperous town of which we are able. We can best do this by spending our money at home, if at all possible, where it will go back into the channels of the community and work for us and our interests.

A good, well written advertisement, an advertisement into which there is put some thought and some planning and some study is the proven method of selling merchandise today. For proof of it one has to but turn to the dailies, and the magazines where high rates are charged for each line of space. Here may be found week after week and month after month and day after day, pages of advertising. It is there because the advertiser knows it will sell his merchandise. He knows that there is a psychology about advertising that is as well defined and as sure as the multiplication table. He knows by leading readers to think, he can sell them his merchandise. Advertising, to sell, however, must be given a fair chance. It must be backed by good reliable merchandise, properly merchandised, a clean, well arranged, well lighted store, and courteous and accommodating service. The advertiser who backs up his advertising with these things will sell his merchandise. This is a proven formula that any merchant can apply with profit. Customers like this kind of a store. They like the store that tells in its advertising what it has to offer, they like a clean store, well arranged, well lighted. They like courteous service. It is the modern system of merchandising.

The reason why so many sensible girls don't get married is because they don't have any more sense than to look sensible.

LOANED DOLLARS SHOULD TRAVEL ON "ROUND TRIP" TICKETS. Banks like to send dollars out on little "business trips" to promote prosperous activity in their communities, wherever responsible borrowers invite them to come. But they insist that these dollars must travel only on "round trip" tickets. In other words, the bank wishes to assure beforehand the safe return of these dollars. This does not indicate upon the part of the bank, unwillingness to lend, but rather unwillingness to lose any of the money entrusted to it by depositors. Sales Agent for Defense Savings Bonds CROWELL STATE BANK Member of F. D. I. C. and Federal Reserve System

Every one admires a clean, well kept, well painted home. Such a home is enjoyed by not only those who live there and call it home, but by everyone who has occasion to pass it. Everyone who sees it is filled with the same sense of community pride that the owner must have. Most of us, when we have friends visit us, and desire to show them our town, like to show them such places. This town has a number of homes that come in this class. They preach and teach community pride to all other home owners of the community.

The increase in plane disasters is due to the fact that the planes are being turned out faster than experienced pilots are being turned out. The making of a plane consists in putting so many nuts and bolts and screws and metal together according to a blue print, but the making of an expert pilot requires days and weeks and months of training of an especially adapted man. It can't be rushed. The more planes there is produced the more accidents there is going to be. It can be expected.

When the army took over the airplane plant in New Jersey and surrounded it with a guard, union and nonunion men worked side by side in harmony. The fact is evident that most of the labor difficulties arise from the actions of radical leaders who must keep some disturbance brewing to keep the rank and file lined up, insure more dues, bigger salaries for the leaders—and more power. This is the germ of most of the trouble.

German propagandists may try to sell the world on the idea that everything is fine in Germany, but when Hitler takes all the overcoats and blankets away from the Norwegians it is a sign that things are not as good as the office of propagandists would have us believe.

Nearly a score of nations have been now living under a most intolerable tyranny. All of these nations whose peoples now live at the beck and call of ruthless conquerors, were first softened and disrupted, and left distraught and helpless, by internal discord.—Secretary Frank Knox.

Every man should have an interest in the defense program. It will make unlikely his being called upon to turn his overcoat and blankets over to Hitler's soldiers as the neutral Norwegians are having to do.

The use of cellophane is going to be restricted because the chemicals used in the production of cellophane are needed in defense. Its use will be forbidden on non-food products such as clothing, razor blades, etc.

Some one refers to experience as the thing you have left after you've lost everything else. Some one else defines it as what you get when you are looking for something else.

Inspiration and ambition are both powerful stimulants when it comes to an individual pitching in and heaving out a career, but necessity has more successes to her credit than both inspiration and ambition.

A crisis like the present world crisis always brings out the finest leadership because the best is the only kind the world will pay attention to when it is really in trouble.

Take the little courtesies out of life and society, and we all become bores and savages. They are little things, but they mean a great deal when it comes to easing the friction of our social contacts.

How did people get along before the relief program was put into effect. Times have been just as hard in the past as they are now and there was no beneficent paternalism to which to turn.

A neighboring editor last week gave it as his opinion that the United States better lick John L. Lewis before it begins to worry too much about Hitler.

NO WAY TO PUT OUT A FIRE!



Steel and Defense

(From Office for Emergency Management, Washington, D. C.)

Steel is armament for America. That is why millions are faced with a steel shortage. Some estimate that the shortage of steel for nondefense uses will be 1,000,000 tons for 1942, and some think the shortage will be greater. Even today, it is always hard to get steel quickly for civilian purposes, because defense also needs steel.

What We Think

(By Frank Knox)

The labor union has brought out clearly the fact that while the government has plans for more and plans for defense production, and plans for unemployment insurance, and plans for all the assistance, and plans for the aid and plans for that, it has no plans for a labor policy.

Rather, the administration has chosen to allow labor leaders and labor to formulate its own policy outlining its mites and bounds as it chooses.

Knowing the friendly and beneficent attitude of the administration, labor leaders have gone even beyond their own expectations in securing gains. Demand has followed demand. Hampered and limited by no sense of financial or legal responsibility for their acts, such as are imposed upon every form of industry in an increasing measure, these leaders have gone forward with their plans until the question is arising in the minds of many as to whether or not an indulgent and paternalistic attitude on the part of the government toward labor has not created in these organizations and their leaders a Frankenstein that is bigger than the government itself.

The sense of this newly acquired unlimited power, and the knowledge that the administration is both partial and indulgent has caused labor leaders to lose their sense of values to the point that the winning of a jurisdictional dispute supersedes in their thinking the matter of their loyal and individual allegiance and service to the government.

As a result we see strikes called at a critical hour in defense industries. While the country is giving its all freely in abundant measure, never quibbling over personal opinion, radical labor leaders, taking full advantage of the situation, demand the last farthing, the last vestige of authority, the last pound of flesh—or else.

We have come to the point where the administration that has nurtured and aided the ambitions of these leaders must now plead with them to listen to reason—to be fair, to be just, to be patriotic.

The tide is rising against this sort of thing in villages and hamlets and on the farms and from men and women who have sent their boys to training camps at the call of their government to train and work for \$21 a month.

These are not permitted to seek higher pay or shorter hours. They have no voice in the routine through which they must go. Inequalities are endured and put up with, with no organized voice of protest raised against the government. They are serving, patriotically, giving up their own desires and wishes, their own plans, their own life and careers, for their country.

The parents of these boys feel that labor leaders can do no less—that they should be equally patriotic. The tide is going to continue to rise until a labor policy is formed that has some semblance of metes and bounds. A policy that will exact of labor the same degree of compliance to the exigencies of the hour that is expected of the business man, of industry, and the young man in the soldier's training camp. This would be simple justice. Labor leaders should not ask for more and the nation should not receive less.

First Call for Defense

Today, defense gets first call on all the steel made in America. That is as it should be; first things first, until America is powerful enough to stand fast against all threats and dangers. Some of the steel that has been going into automobiles and typewriters and paper clips must now be rerouted, shuttled into the foundries and factories of defense.

Since we can't produce enough steel to meet the needs of civilian production and the needs of defense, we do the next best thing: we take the steel required for defense, then allow as much as possible to production of essential civilian goods, and assign what is left to those civilian products which we need—but can live without.

The arms program wasn't many months old before steps were taken to assure a sufficient supply of steel for all predictable defense needs. The picture, as America began to tool up, was that of a nation rich in automobiles, rich in washing machines, rich in refrigerators—rich in all those things that made America the envy of the world. We had these things because the raw materials were available in ample quantities to meet all our needs.

Then, a year ago, defense began to nibble at this wealth. Out of every 100 pounds of steel in 1940, 18 went into cars, trucks, and—something new on the list—mechanized military equipment. Thirteen pounds went for roads, dams, bridges, factories—and army cantonments. Ten pounds were set aside for the railroads. An equal amount went for tin cans, steel drums, and other metal containers. Some of that was for defense.

The 49 pounds that were left were earmarked for industry, for the machinery and tool makers, for ordnance manufacturers and ship builders, and for manufacturers of everything from watches to airplanes.

Effecting the turnabout—directing the flow of steel away from peacetime consumption and into the defense factories—has been accomplished in several ways.

In the first place, there is priority control. That means first claim on all steel is given to Army and Navy requirements. Then come other defense needs, such as construction of arms factories. After that, products needed for the general welfare—new hospitals, highways, and the like. And finally, some of the nonessentials—the things that America is used to but can get along without for the duration.

Secondly, America is cutting down. Already, we have made a frontal attack on one of the biggest peacetime consumers of steel of all; we have decided that while America arms, it must get along with half the automobile production of last year. On the basis of last year's use of steel in automobiles, that means a saving of 2,747,300 short tons. Other cuts will have to be made—cuts in refrigerators, washing machines, bed springs, and other consumers' durable goods which chew up steel and other critical metals.

Substitutes for Steel

Look at these figures if you want to know why we must cut down: Into a 45,000-ton battleship go 20,000 tons of ordinary steel; into an aircraft carrier, 17,000 tons; into a cruiser, 5,500 tons; into a destroyer, 700 tons. And these figures are exclusive of guns and defensive armor. A medium tank uses 72,000 pounds of steel; a 155-mm. howitzer, 8,900 pounds; a 16-inch Navy shell, 2,000 pounds.

In addition to the belt-tightening necessary, there are other things we can and must do. For one thing, there is substitution: plastic or wood or glass or enamelware where steel was used before. Some companies have already turned to substitutions; wood for steel in croquet-set racks;

Steel demands it in many times the quantity it needs copper, aluminum, tin, zinc, and brass.

We need steel for tanks and guns and planes, steel for blitz barges, for 45,000-ton battleships, and for all the machines and arms of modern warfare. If America is to be strong and impregnable against aggression, then steel will make it strong. Steel, in the modern iron age, is the groundwork of defense.

Closely related to armament is a wide range of indirect defense needs. Steel is needed for the hulls of new merchant ships, for new freight cars, for defense housing for new industrial plants, for electric power plants—all taking millions of tons.

But steel is also raw material for the things consumers buy—automobiles and its swatters, washing machines and scissors, refrigerators and razor blades, oil burners and toasters—and that's the rub. One simple example is the refrigerator in your kitchen. There are approximately 144 pounds of steel in that refrigerator. In 1939, we produced 2,000,000 such refrigerators. In 1940, we produced 2,000,000 such refrigerators. In 1941, we produced 2,000,000 such refrigerators. In 1942, we produced 2,000,000 such refrigerators.

That points up the problem: We don't produce enough steel to meet our civilian needs and defense needs too.

During the current year our steel mills will probably turn out over 83,000,000 tons of the metal. A third of that—close to 28,000,000 tons—will go for "direct defense" needs—things like freight cars, new industrial plants, etc.—may up that demand considerably.

Next year, production may go over 87,000,000 tons. But, as fast as production goes up, defense needs for steel will climb even more rapidly. Just counting direct defense requirements, including aid to foreign countries—and not taking into account the "indirect defense" requirements and the "essential civilian needs"—it is possible that 35,000,000 tons of steel will be lopped off this pile.

The inevitable conclusion is that as severe as the steel shortage for ordinary consumers will be this year, the shortage will be just as bad or even worse in 1942. True, plans are in the making for a boost of 10,000,000 in the nation's steel-producing capacity. But that takes time, and even when the increased production is available,

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wood for steel in kitchen utility cabinets; plastics or laminated wood for steel in dinette table tops; asbestos for steel in galvanized steel sheets; porcelain enamel for steel in refrigerator evaporators.

Where it is not possible to substitute, it may be possible to simplify. The steel industry has taken the lead here. Since the start of the defense program, types of steel have been cut down from a thousand to less than a quarter of that number. Bicycle models are being reduced both to stretch supplies and to save on consumption. The same thing is being done with refrigerators, and will be done with other products in the months to come.

Shortages in scrap steel—absolutely essential to production of finished new steel—are being overcome by salvage campaigns. Automobile graveyards are expected to yield upwards of a million tons of scrap. Abandoned street-car rails—being salvaged with cooperation of WPA workers—are another source being tapped. Plans are under way for collection of scrap from the nation's farms and back yards.

Axis vs. America

There are bright spots in America's steel picture. Compared with the rest of the world, we turn out close to half of the total steel production. For every 2 tons of steel within Hitler's reach, we have 3. We are currently producing over a third more steel than we did during our peak output during the last war, about a sixth more than we did in the boom days of 1929. Though we need steel for defense, we must sacrifice only a fraction of what we normally use in peacetime. For example, to complete our two-

ocean navy will take about 1,200,000 tons of steel; in 1940, the auto industry alone used up 6,900,000 tons of steel.

Our supplies of iron ore, limestone, coal—all ingredients of steel—are within easy reach. Even the purifying materials—what give special properties to steel—must come from outside our borders; manganese from Russia, Brazil, Cuba, and Africa; tin from Malaya, the Dutch East Indies, and Bolivia; chromium from Africa, Cuba and Greece; cobalt from Canada, Africa and Australia; tungsten from China and Malaya; vanadium from Peru and Rhodesia.

These materials are being stockpiled, stored against the day when these production sources may be cut off. With that being done along with curtailment in civilian consumption and the increase in production capacity, America should be able to have enough steel, and be able to deliver it quickly enough, for defense—this is the important thing, even if it must be achieved by cutting off some of steel's nonessential uses.

Steel will loom large in America's defense picture. Steel will be defense against intolerance and aggression. It will be the armament for the protection of American freedom and of those who believe in that freedom. For a year or two America will not be that plenty which has made America rich. There will not be automobiles and refrigerators and washing machines we have had in the past. But if consumers must go without while America armament it will be only because America united in the defense of democracy.

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Local's

Mrs. Cone Green and children, Dan and Patsy, of Levelland visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. J. Russell, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Syble Gobin left Tuesday for Amarillo to visit friends.

A .22 rifle for only \$6.75, .410 shotgun \$12.95.—W. R. Womack.

Junior Haseloff, who is in school at Kerrville, was at home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Xmas tree light sets 69c to \$1.69 at M. S. Henry & Co.

Toys for all the kids at M. S. Henry & Co.

Hubert Brown spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his family in Austin.

Buy yourself one of those new Simmons Beauty Rest mattresses.—W. R. Womack.

Miss Agnes Plumley of Ponca City, Okla., was the week-end guest of Miss Alyn Lanier.

Mrs. Doris Gentry of Vega, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends here and at Medicine Mound.

Just received a nice shipment of those wonderful Sampson card tables, only \$2.98 each.—W. R. Womack.

Little Bob Cogdell of Paducah spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell.

Sam Russell left Tuesday for Waco to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M.

Let us show you our electric irons. You'll like them.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Miss Mary Frances Bruce was at home over the week-end from Canyon where she is attending college.

Paul Ray Gobin left Sunday morning for Dallas to enter an airplane school. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gobin.

Folks! The Electrolux gas operated refrigerator is exceedingly satisfactory on natural or Butane gas.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Shults of Oklahoma City were guests of Mr. Shults' mother, Mrs. J. H. Shults, for Thanksgiving.

Lieut. Milton Magee of Fort Sil, Okla., was a guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Magee, over the week-end.

Mike Bird, H. K. Edwards, Joe Mark Magee and Tom Alton Andrews, students at Texas A. & M., were at home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

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Ralph Flesher, Dorothy Flesher, Edward Roark, Reed Sanders, Iva Ruth Gafford, Stanley Sanders, all of whom are attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

See our display window and the children's toys.—W. R. Womack.

J. E. Cook of Berger is visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Tackett, and family.

Mrs. Ada Busbee of Sherman has returned to her home after a visit of two weeks in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ida Wallace.

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W. S. J. Russell and J. A. Stovall are attending the Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M., which convenes in Waco, this week.

A. Y. Olds and Richard Bird, students in Texas State University at Austin, spent the week-end at home. They returned to Austin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parker spent Thanksgiving Day in Eldorado, Okla., visiting their aunt, Mrs. Ada Hammersley.

J. A. Stovall returned the latter part of last week from Waco where he attended a Masonic school for members of the Royal Arch Chapter.

Buy your family an underground Butane tank system, for cooking, heating, etc.—W. R. Womack.

Wayne Cobb, student in the Agricultural & Mechanical College at Arlington, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb.

Sampson luggage, a nice lot, latest styles and finishes.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn McKown of Archer City visited here Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. McKown's sister, Mrs. Grover Cole, and husband.

Mrs. E. R. Roland and Mrs. J. R. Merriman of the Foard City community are in Roysse City on account of the serious illness of their father, A. Malby.

Edison lite bulbs only 15c at M. S. Henry & Co.

Ellis Gafford of Sulphur Springs was here Sunday and Monday visiting relatives and attending to business. His wife has been ill for many months and is confined to her bed.

Beverly Hughston, Lois Pickett, and Doris Campbell, who are attending Texas State College for Women at Denton, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their families.

Superfex distillate porcelain heaters, new \$53.00; Ivanhoe black \$32.50. Others for less.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. E. J. Solomon left Friday for Long Beach, Calif., to join her husband, who has been there for about six weeks. Mr. Solomon is employed in a glass factory at Long Beach.

Mrs. Emma Howard left Friday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. George Bateman, and family in Poughkeepsie, Ark. Mrs. E. W. Burrow is taking her place in the office of Dr. Hines Clark during her absence.

Ask to see the wonderful Dual-Temp Electric Refrigerator made by Sterart-Warner Co.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. L. T. Oldham and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jarraid and little daughter, Jerry Deene, all of Tecumseh, Okla., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Dave Solis, and family.

Earnest Gloyna, senior engineering student in Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna, of the Riverside community. Earnest is Commanding Cadet Captain of Company A, R. O. T. C.

Mrs. E. S. Reynolds of Childress, Mrs. Steve Belsher of Lubbock, Mrs. Webster Mitchell of Ringling, Okla., and Mrs. Naylor Pogue of Kermit are here this week to be with their mother, Mrs. Chas. Loyd, who is ill.

New patterns in Mohawk administer rugs at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parker of Shafter, Calif., spent last week here visiting Mr. Parker's sisters, Mrs. Frank Moore and Mrs. John Nichols, and families. They left Friday for Electra to visit relatives before returning to their home in California.

Plenty of shotgun shells for birds, ducks and geese.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Todd arrived here Monday night from Washington, D. C., where Dick has been playing football with the Washington Redskins. They left Tuesday for Tulane College at New Orleans, La., on a business trip. Mr. Todd is out of the lineup of the Redskins for the season on account of an injured knee.

There are 180,000 known species of beetles in the world. Beetles lead in numbers in the insect world with its 600,000 named species and the animal world with its 20,000 species.

Visit our store windows, next Friday evening.—W. R. Womack.

D. N. Bird returned Tuesday night from Dallas where he purchased merchandise for his dry goods store.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordie Brisco and small son, James, returned Tuesday of last week from Reading, Pa., where they had been living for the last nine months. Mr. Brisco has been employed by a pipe line company. He has accepted a position in the J. T. Brooks Food Market.

9x12 rugs in fancy patterns only \$3.95 at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyton Sikes and son, Jimmie Lee, have moved to Quanah where Mr. Sikes is employed at W. C. Howard Motor Co. Soon after they moved, Mr. Sikes had the misfortune to have a finger on his left hand cut off by the slamming of a car door. They reside at 610 West 3rd St.

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Mrs. Eva Ashford, Jimmie Ashford and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ashford and little son, Henry Jr., of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ashford and son, Monte Kent, of Vernon were visitors in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. L. Johnson, and family Thursday night.

The following students of Texas Tech at Lubbock were here to spend Thanksgiving with their homefolks: Margaret Long, Dorothy Winningham, Bette Shaw Kinsey, Cecil Carroll, Ted Crosnoe, Camille Grayer, Joe Wallace Beverly, Bill Klepper, James Welch, Kenneth Halbert and Ernest Gloyna.

Xmas tree light sets at M. S. Henry & Co.

Lee Haynes of Quanah has been employed in the meat department of Coltharp's Food Store for fifteen days. Louis Henderson of Vernon has accepted a position to work in this department of the store permanently and will move here in about two weeks. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patton.

Mrs. Bertha Greenly of Hominy, Okla., visited her brother, W. H. Moyer, Tuesday. She was accompanied by her son, James Greenly, and Paul Smith, also of Hominy. The boys who are in the Aviation Corps, have been stationed at Oakland, Calif., but are en route to Everett, Wash., where they have been transferred.

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At the Replacement Center he will go through five weeks of preliminary training before being sent to a primary flying school where he will start his flight training. This five weeks course will give Joy a thorough military background for becoming an officer in the Army of the United States on graduation from an advanced flying school thirty weeks later.

In addition, the course, is intended to prepare the cadet, mentally and physically, for the rigors of the actual flight training to come.

James will participate in many activities designed to improve his physical condition beyond even the high standard required for entrance. The course will also include the study of subjects ranging from military law to signal communications.

Upon completion of the course Cadet Joy will enter one of the 18 primary schools located in the Gulf Coast Air Corps Training Area, prepared to concentrate more fully on flying itself than was possible in the past.

CARD OF THANKS

Words simply fail us as we try to express the love and appreciation we feel in our hearts toward the many dear friends who ministered to us in our deep sorrow and helped to make it possible for us to bear up under the shock in the loss of our little daughter and sister. Such friendship will ever be cherished and may God bless each one of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ribble and Ruth.

Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Hastwell)

The Call of the Hilltop: These who have visited the mountains know what a temptation and lure there is as one stands in the valley looking up, to climb them. One selects a spot part way up and climbs until he reaches it. From this vantage point the traveler sees another point higher up that lures him on with the promise of a wider view and the sense of exaltation that comes from being up above things. And so it goes. As long as there is a higher point, the strength and time permits, one continues up and up in the quest of still wider horizons and a feeling of greater inspiration and exaltation. So it is with the life into which Christ comes. It is no more content to walk in the valley. It is inspired with the desire to look up and lift itself up to the hill top, to become more and more like Christ. Each achievement, each victory, lures it on to higher and nobler and finer living.

Mrs. Hines Clark attended the funeral of Mrs. Georgia Parker in Vernon Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Parker was the sister-in-law of Mrs. Dee Norwood.

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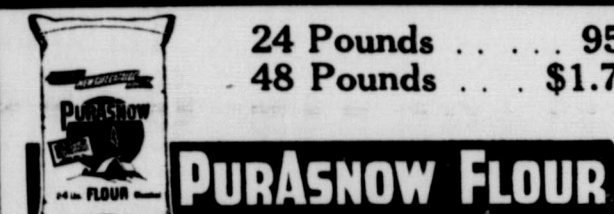
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BASKETBALL

Well! Well! It looks as if CHS is going to have another great basketball team this year. You see it's like this. Coach gave me a tip that he had two new men this year that were really showing up. You know he gave me their names. Oh, yes, I remember now, Glen Randolph as one of those fast sharp shooting forwards and Bob Gobin as one of the quick shooting guards. Clifford White is shining also in his basketball career. Kenneth Archer has a certain sloppy walk, run, and shot that really makes Coach lay down and kick. That's just about got the new ones down now.

For the reserves we have Shorty Roark, he ain't much pumpkin but maybe we can use him on the team. Charlie Nelson never hits a goal more than two times a night. T. L. Owens doesn't even like to play the game, but Mary happens to adore all athletic sports. Charlie Thompson tries his best but that isn't quite enough. H. L. Blevins has a certain shot for every day in the week and two for Sunday. Folks, please don't take me to heart, because I've said nearly opposite to what I have meant. Seriously now, I have seen the boys work out and I know that we have something. We have got one more ball club this year and we're going to use them to win all the games. I'll be seeing you in the gym.

CHS CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Have you bought your Christmas gifts yet? Remember to shop early and avoid the rush. Here are a few hints to the boys who find it very hard to select gifts for their A. A. O. (One and Only to you).

Howard Lee, Jean might like a blue something or other to match her gorgeous eyes. But what on earth could you buy that is blue? Nothing.

Arnold, Wanda will be pleased with anything.

Billy Smith, Billy Nichols or Jean Seales, whichever ever is your choice, will appreciate anything that you so wish to give them.

But being serious kids, when you buy your "chief friend" a Christmas present, buy what she or he wants and not what you would like to have. Useful gifts are always appreciated but usually a girl likes to receive something that she can keep to remember you by. On the other hand, a boy will be tickled pink to receive an expensive gift or more in CHS can afford anything expensive as all what, set of after shave lotion and other articles of such a set. Perfume is good if you can find out what odor the "lucky" one prefers.

My last word is no ahead, kids, give just what you wanted to in the first place.

CYCLORAMA

The Crowell school has just received a cyclorama for the auditorium stage. Probably some of you do not know what a cyclorama is. It is a certain used in the place of scenery. Almost all of the schools at any size in Texas have one. The Crowell faculty and students, as well as the patrons, should be proud they now have one. The cyclorama was received last Friday, and will probably be ready for use Tuesday night. The members of the past of the powerful drama, "Sun-Up," are

"strutting high." For you readers who missed this column a few weeks ago, the members of the cast for "Sun-Up" are as follows: Mr. Cagel, Helen Callaway; Rufe Cagel, Charlie Thompson; Emmy, June Billington; Pap Todd, Billy Bruce; Bud, Roy Joe Cates; Sheriff Jim Weeks, Dairice Ray Narson; Stranger, Glendon Hays; Preacher, Billy Fred Short. The date of the production has been set for December 12, and it will be presented at the Crowell High School auditorium. The prices of admission have, as yet, not been determined.

CAMPUS CHAT

Greetings Cates let's fumigate-er. I mean investigate. Ummin-seems this case—you know Margaret Claire Shirley versus Herman Sandlin (ex-senior), ah—I mean Shirley plus Sandlin is really going strong. How was Vernon Saturday night? You might also ask Margie Davidson about Vernon—she ought to know. Seems to me that Vernon is getting mighty popular—oh, well, it is nice to have a change of scenery.

Truscott was in town full force Friday night and Jean Seales was doing a good job of backing him up. Billy Smith was with Jean Seales Friday night, woo-woo.

A grand time was had by all the seniors Wednesday night at our class party. Sometimes I wish that it could be Thanksgiving all the time. I guess that I'll forget it though because Christmas is just around the corner—it looks as if I'm going to run into it full center, too. I don't seem to have too big a purse to shop out of— isn't that awful? Oh, well, I will just do the best that I can, but I'm just warning you don't expect too much from me—there's a good chance of you being disappointed—Just a broke Senior. Be sure to notice the article about the Junior Business Class—isn't that wonderful?

Wasn't it grand to have all the college kids back (nearly all anyway) with us Thanksgiving? They all seemed to enjoy it very much. We are eager to see you all back Christmas.

Enma Wylie, Jean Seales, "Dottie" Pickett and Clonita Russell, were all looking very happy Saturday night when they were riding around with some Truscott name (get it?) Jean acted as if she liked the Black Chrysler. At least, she was driving it.

John Thomas Raser is still carrying the torch for Mildred Maxwell.

And now little Moron-pipes, how did that come out? I mean, folks, don't forget to come to see "Sun-Up," a little after-noon, Dec. 12, 1941. That's not very far off, so don't forget to remember to come.

Have you ever passed the typing the 7th period—anyway the students are usually plugging away. It's usually nice, juicy work, too.

JUNIOR BUSINESS CLASS

A trip was made through the Crowell Bank Wednesday afternoon by 20 boys of the High School Business Class. After the boys had seen the way the money was handled and taken care of perfectly they deposited \$120.25 that they had saved. Most of the boys are going to try to keep this money in the bank and add to it all along. Some of the boys have not paid in the class fund yet, but they will make their deposits later.

BRAIN GRINDERS

Virginia: Why do you call your sweetheart, Pilgrim?
 Jean: Because every time he comes here he makes more "Progress."

Charlie: How did you get such a sore jaw?
 Shorty: A girl cracked a smile.
 Charlie: Well,
 Shorty: It was my smile.

Mr. Owens: How are your grades, son?
 Bill: Under water, sir.
 Mr. Owens: Under water? What do you mean?
 Bill: Below "C" level.

Mr. Myers displayed a large lump shade she had just bought.
 Mrs. Myers: Isn't it just lovely, my dear?

Mr. Myers: If you wear that to church in the morning you will go alone.

Those people across the street seem very devoted," said Mrs. I. T. Graves, wistfully, to the newspaper which hid her husband.

A rustic from the paper was the only reply she got, but she was used to that.

Every time he goes out, he kisses her, and he goes on throwing kisses all the way down the street. I. T. why don't you do that?"

"Me?" snorted Mr. Graves. "I don't even know her."
 Hugh: What is your favorite illustrated paper?
 John Clark: A ten dollar bill.

"I will now demonstrate what I have in mind," said Coach, as he erased the board.

Vote: "I wouldn't vote for you if you were St. Peter himself."
 Candidate: "If I were St. Peter, you couldn't vote for me. You wouldn't be in the same district."

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

December 1. — Baltimore first city to use illuminating gas, 1816. First patent for typewriter, 1866.

December 2.—Nebraska admitted to the Union, 1863. First legislature of Indiana under new constitution met, 1851.

December 3.—Barbara Fritchis born, 1766. Illinois admitted to the Union, 1818.

December 4. — Washington's farewell address to his officers, 1783. Santa Barbara Mission founded, 1786.

December 5.—Martin Van Buren, 8th president, born at Kinderhook, N. Y., 1782. George A. Custer, born, 1839.

December 6.—President Lincoln issued fourth and last annual message to Congress, 1864. Jefferson Davis, statesman and soldier, died, 1889.

December 7.—Delaware first state to ratify constitution of United States, 1787.

December 8.—First President's message to be read to Congress, 1807. First telephone message to ships at sea, 1929.

December 9. — John Milton, English poet, born, 1608. Fort Sumpter bombarded, 1863.

December 10.—Treaty, United States and Spain, signed at Paris, 1898. Mississippi admitted to the Union, 1817.

December 11.—Indiana admitted to the Union, 1816. Hestor Berliez, French composer, born, 1803.

December 12.—First trans-Atlantic wireless, 1901. John Jay, first Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, born, 1745.

December 13.—Battle of Fredericksburg in the Civil War, 1862. A Thanksgiving day appointed by Gov. Bradford, of the Plymouth Colony, 1621.

December 14.—South Pole discovered by Capt. Roald Amundsen, 1911. Alabama admitted to the Union, 1819.

SAFETY SLOGANS

Smokers be careful where you throw stubs, and don't be classified with arson dubs.

What fire destroys never returns.

It is bad lunch to burn trash near the house when the wind blows.

A good job and a careless man are soon parted.

The cost of safety is only a thought.

The best body guard is careful habits.

Texas' agricultural income for the first nine months of this year was 25 per cent higher than that of the corresponding period last year.

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Your Horoscope

December 1, 2, 3.—You are quiet and reserved, and persistent to the extent that you are not easily turned aside from your chosen course. You have a keen sense of justice and want people to have what is due them. You are not revengeful or vindictive but are entirely through which a person after a friendship is broken. You are religious and devoted to church work.

December 4, 5, 6, 7.—You are slow to make friends, but very loyal and true to those you have. You have an impulsive, fiery nature and often misunderstand your friends. You are shrewd, industrious and competent but always want to be in the front row. You like the out-of-doors and have a fondness for animals and flowers, are very fond of jewelry and clothes, but want every thing of the best.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Save your scraps of soap, melt them together and use for washing clothes.
 Borax is an excellent cleaner for bathtubs and other bathroom fixtures.
 Four pounds of pumpkin is required to make one quart of the canned product.

J. E. ATCHESON

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CROWELL WILL HAVE ITS ANNUAL Christmas Opening

FRIDAY NIGHT, DEC. 5, AT 6:30 O'CLOCK

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He will be in the parade and will distribute sacks of Candy, Fruits, etc., to every boy and girl here for the Christmas Opening. Don't fail to see him!

A SHOW WINDOW CONTEST will be an attraction of interest to everyone. Prizes will be given to the first three persons to turn in correct answers. Contest open to everybody.

Contest blanks will be distributed at 8 o'clock.

The people of this area are invited to attend Crowell's Annual Christmas Opening Friday Evening, Dec. 5, beginning at 6:30 o'clock. Christmas lights will be turned on and show windows will be decorated for the festive holiday season. An entertaining program has been arranged and a hearty welcome is extended to all. Crowell stores will be open and Christmas Merchandise will be on display.

EVERYBODY INVITED TO ATTEND CHRISTMAS OPENING

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This Week In Defense

The White House announced a U. S. Army contingent has been sent to Dutch Guiana in South America to co-operate with Netherlands forces in protecting mines there which furnish more than 60 per cent of the bauxite supply to the U. S. aluminum industry. The White House said the Army force would be withdrawn as soon as the present danger passes.

Foreign Relations Following conferences with envoys of Britain, China, Australia and the Netherlands and then representatives of Japan, the State Department announced it had pre-arranged Japan with a plan dealing with the Far Eastern situation. The Department said the plan was based on U. S. policy previously announced. The President told the press conference that for the present U. S. merchant ships in the Pacific would not be armed.

Army Progress War Secretary Stimson told his press conference the Army "has been really wonderful progress" in the current maneuvers in the Balkans. He said reports from British in Egypt and Libya testified to the excellent performance of American equipment used there.

Labor Supply The Social Security Board reported 475,000 workers were scheduled to be hired and 100,000 scheduled to be laid off in 9,900 industrial establishments between now and February. Nearly 250,000 will be taken on in the aircraft and shipping industries, the report estimated.

Ordering cast steel and welded tanks which are stronger. Gen. Wesson, Chief of Ordnance, reported arrangements for \$53,000,000 in facilities to make these new tanks.

Selective Service and the Navy Navy Secretary Knox told his press conference there has been a 15 per cent drop in Navy enlistments since the torpedoings of Navy ships in the North Atlantic because parents are no longer as willing to give their consent to sons under 21. The Navy needs 13,000 volunteers a month now and beginning next July will need 15,000 a month. If sufficient men do not volunteer, Mr. Knox said, the Navy may have to utilize selectees.

Labor Secretary Perkins reported the cost of goods purchased by wage earners and lower-salaried workers in large cities increased 1.2 per cent from mid-September to mid-October. She said a survey of 18 staple foods in 19 cities showed food prices also rose moderately during the first half of November.

Price Administrator Henderson announced prices of wooden household furniture were no longer going up. He asked manufacturers of mattresses, bedsprings, studio couches, metal beds and pillows to hold prices where they were on November 1, and announced the Government is planning to restrict further price increases in water heaters, radiators and air conditioners. He also announced manufacturers of more than 50 per cent of all writing paper, book and printing paper—except newspaper—have indicated they will not raise prices further.

Priorities OPM ordered a 10 per cent cut in production by large manufacturers of vacuum cleaners for household use; a two-thirds cut in production of lead and tin foil for decorative purposes and for tobacco, chewing gum, beverages, confections, films, and similar articles. OPM also announced it will shortly institute a new priority system under which manufacturers of essential items will be allotted materials on a three-months basis in order to cut down the number of applications for priorities.

Priority Unemployment Special Assistant Nehemkis of the OPM Contract Distribution Division, speaking in St. Louis, said Army and Navy contracts totaling \$31,577,000 have been awarded in areas where OPM found unemployment caused by shortage of materials for non-defense work. He said ten areas, including 75 plants and one entire industry, have been certified as eligible for these special awards.

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FOR SALE—Car and trailer in good shape. Would consider cow or other stock as trade-in.—Frank Moore. 25-1tc

FOR SALE—200 cords dry wood, \$1.75 per cord.—E. D. Welch, Gillingham, Texas. 2512p

FOR SALE—Seed oats, cut with binder and threshed, 50c per bu.—J. A. Garrett. 20-6tp

FOR SALE Saturday morning at my farm—One or all of my herd of mixed Hereford yearlings and calves. These calves will be \$2.00 per head cheaper than Wilbarger's 6-volt Wincharger, practically new generator and propeller, \$10.—Ralph McCoy. 25-1tp

For Rent

FOR RENT — Furnished apartment.—Mrs. H. K. Edwards. 25-1tc

Lost

LOST—Silver dollar made in 1879—Keepsake. Please return to Mrs. J. L. Harber. 25-1tp

LOST—Red brindle steer yearling, spot on right hind leg, weighs about 400 lbs. \$5.00 reward.—Fred Goodman. 25-2tp

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Safety and Health of Children Will Be Guarded

Austin.—"The Texas State Department of Health has joined the President of the United States, and the United States Children's Bureau, in co-operative measures designed to promote the welfare and safety of children," declared Director Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. This is a part of the Civilian Defense Plan that is being set up throughout the nation.

Adequate provisions for safety and health for every child, lead the list of objectives in the defense program for children. Emphasis is laid on the importance of advance planning to assure safety in case of grave emergency; and on the continuation and extension of the health service now available for mothers and children, including maternity care, continuous health supervision of all children; medical, surgical and dental care of children and young people beyond school age.

Measures that will keep children well and strong physically, with particular reference to their nutritional needs, come next on the list, with special reference to the education of parents and children in the selection and preparation of foods; extension of school lunch services; extension of the food stamp plan for low-income families; and utilization of advisory services of nutritionists in health and welfare agencies.

Security in home life comes next among the objectives, including provision for proper housing, care of dependent children; aid to mothers and responsible care and supervision of children whose mothers are employed; social services through county or local agencies to help conserve home life and make good school and community relationships possible for children with special needs and handicaps.

Recognition of the need for maintaining and extending all possible safeguards against the employment of children in hazardous occupations in industry and agriculture is urged as a further objective, and particular emphasis is laid on the importance of character building and the training of children for citizenship through the continuation and extension of educational and other services, to learn to accept responsibility, to understand the rich heritage and purposes of our civilization, to develop high standards of personal integrity and intelligent loyalty to democratic ideals and institutions.

Agreement has been reached with the British whereby one shipment of food will go from the United States to 1,250,000 poorly fed French prisoners in Germany. The food will consist chiefly of canned meat. Officials will accompany the food and supervise its distribution to make sure that none of it falls into German hands. It was considerable of a concession on the part of Great Britain that the shipment went through, since the French to whom it goes are German prisoners working at forced labor to aid Germany in the war against England. The shipments have been urged by Herbert Hoover for the past several months. Distribution will be made through the Red Cross. An effort is being made to secure monthly shipments.

Labor Disputes

UMW President John L. Lewis agreed to submit the captive mine dispute to the arbitration of a board composed of himself, Benjamin Fairless, President of the U. S. Steel Corporation, and Dr. John R. Steelman, who resigned his position as Director of the U. S. Conciliation Service to represent the public on the board. All the mines resumed operations and the board began meetings in New York.

The President referred back to his special fact-finding board for further examination, the dispute between railroad management and labor. The U. S. Conciliation Service reported settlement of 68 other labor disputes.

No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. tf

TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdams. 15-tfc

NO HUNTING, no fishing, no trespassing of any kind on my property.—Jim Minnick. 25-1tc

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Dec. 14, 7:30 P. M. Ent. Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. J. A. STOVALL, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

Meets tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend. JOE RADER, N. G. JIMMIE FRANKLIN, Sec.

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WANTED—To buy small house to move.—W. B. Jones. 24-2tp

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CHURCHES

Christian Science Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday, December 7, 1941. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator." The public is cordially invited.

East Side Church of Christ Each Lord's Day—Bible classes at 10 a. m. Worship service at 10:45 a. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Mid-week Bible class each Wednesday evening.

Crowell Methodist Church

These are very trying times through which we as nations are passing but not times in which we can relent ourselves to despondency with any degree of satisfaction or congratulate ourselves for our pessimism. The general public's mind is again turning churchward and thoughtful people are giving the Christian religion its proved piece of basic importance in our civilization. If it takes a world shake-up, as our day is coming more and more to be, to bring about a general yielding to the principles that are eternal it may not be too great a price. At any rate this is our age and its battles are ours so let's take our place in the line and reconstruct in the name of Him whose wisdom is unquestionably superior to our finite thinking.

We are deeply appreciative of our matured men and women who are taking their places in our pews for services. Some one has most provokingly said, "Man's extremity is God's opportunity." It also might be said that in the extremity of God's love for man our opportunity was given through the Cross. Find your way to your church for it has something vitally necessary in your life and mine.

Dr. W. M. Pearce, our recently appointed District Superintendent of the Vernon District, will preach for us Sunday at 7 p. m. and thereafter hold the first Quarterly Conference of this year with us. You will want to hear him and hearing him once you doubtless will be in the audience on his returns through the year.

Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Other services as announced from Sunday to Sunday.

H. A. LONGINO, Pastor.

Christian Science Services "God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 7.

The Golden Text is: "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created" (Revelation 4:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ" (Ephesians 1:3).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Immortal spiritual man alone represents the truth of creation. When mortal man blends his thoughts of existence with the spiritual and works only as God works, he will no longer grope in the dark and cling to earth because he has not tasted heaven" (page 263).

Weekly Sermon

By Dr. Henry Ostrom, Member of Extension Staff, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

When the Broom Flies Text: "I will sweep it with the bosom of destruction."—Isaiah 14:23.

Amazing Bible: Find me a country or a language where it does not fit. Point me to an occupation where it does not directly apply. Consider the close fitting, direct application to the dwelling. What home exists without a kitchen or a kitchenette? And what kitchen without a broom?

The word "bosom" in our text means a broom. The verse refers to the most outstanding soiled spot on earth, Babylon. It tells of Babylon's doom when God sweeps the filth away, causing actual destruction. We speak of cleaning a house. God speaks of cleaning the earth. Nothing on earth is so defiling as idolatrous.

hypocritical, formal, dead religion. At length it must be utterly swept away. It is crammed with con-tagion.

Moral purity will not mix with impurity. This places us at once in the laboratory. We are to apply the microscope of truth to the subject of morals, and insist that the immortal must be separated and cast away. We have for this a definite standard—the Bible. Marvelous it is how the Bible's moral code corresponds in the material sphere with curing or preventing disease and promoting health and enjoyment. Equally the Bible's moral code promotes value and harmony in the family, the neighborhood, the nation, and internationally. A broom is indeed today to sweep away the filth of thinking and habits which at least forcibly hint at immorality, for they are all Babylonish. "House-cleaning" would be a very good watchword for the earth.

Surely a word for the house-wife is here. You may substitute the electric sweeper for the old-time brush of twig or reeds, but it is nevertheless sweeping. Righteousness at the broom handle is a sign of a well-ordered kitchen. Purity of purpose will ever outdo purity of atmosphere.

For whom do you sweep? Do you answer, "Why, I just sweep; the house has to be swept." Then, that is your mistake. You can elevate the mental task up to moral grandeur by doing whatsoever you do in the will of God and for His glory. Dust and dirt you would destroy, but just as truly your efforts are to be toward the destruction of all that is Babylonish. How? Claiming Christ as your Saviour, and placing your subdued life in His will so that your aim is to do all for His glory.

As the sweeper plies, let the rooms and ramifications of your being resound with the word "clean, clean." Christianity does not propose to cover filth, it rids us of it. For the blood of Jesus Christ, God's Son, cleanseth us from all sin.

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Peaches No. 2 1/2	can	19c
COFFEE Dixie	lb	15c
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GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	3 No. 2 cans	25c
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BOLOGNA	lb	15c
Oleomargarine	lb	15c
VEGETABLES	SPUDS . . peck	35c
Bulk APPLES	peck	39c
Central American BANANAS . .	lb	6c
SWEET POTATOES	Peck . . .	15c
Bushel . . .		53c

SOCIETY

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
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Wedding Anniversary Dinner Party Honors Mr. and Mrs. Hughston

In commemoration of the marriage anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hughston, entertained at their home on Tuesday evening with a lovely dinner party. The occasion marked the forty-fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Hughston which took place in Plano in 1896 where they both resided at the time. They moved to Crowell to make their home in August, 1908. Mr. Hughston is engaged in the insurance business here and both he and his wife are active in church and social circles and have many friends throughout this section. Their two sons, M. L. and Thomas, both reside in Crowell.

Quartet tables were placed in the reception rooms and the two-course turkey dinner was served buffet style. Mrs. Hughston was assisted in serving and entertaining by her daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Hughston. The lovely rooms were enhanced with bouquets of beautiful cut flowers, featuring roses and chrysanthemums.

When the tables had been cleared, the hostess surprised the honor guests when she placed before them, beautiful gifts and congratulations. Fostoria pieces, cigars, candy and other types of gifts were evident. Both of the honor guests responded with tender words of appreciation and thanks.

Games of 42 completed the enjoyment of the happy occasion. The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hughston, their daughter, Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crews, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. R. Magoo, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper, Mrs. T. M. Beverly and Mrs. J. R. Allee. M. S. Henry, nephew of Mrs. Hughston, was present at the marriage in 1896.

Former Crowell Man Weds Californian

Burnace Halsell of Elsinore, Calif., who was reared in Crowell and lived here many years, was married on Saturday, Oct. 25, to Mrs. Herman Conley, also of Elsinore, in the Methodist Church in Yuma, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsell are making their home in Elsinore. She is an operator in the local telephone office.

RIALTO This Week

THURSDAY FRIDAY
"HONKY TONK"
starring CLARK GABLE and LANA TURNER with Claire Trevor added:
Latest News—Merrie Melody "Wild Boar Hunt" with Bow and Arrow
SATURDAY
ROY ROGERS and GEORGE "GABBY" HAYES in "SHERIFF OF TOMBSTONE" also "JUNGLE GIRL" No. 10 Comedy and Cartoon
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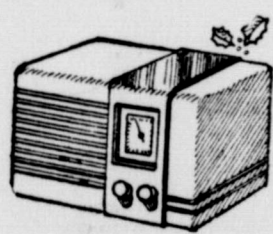
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Christmas SHOPPING GUIDE

Gift Suggestions for All the Family



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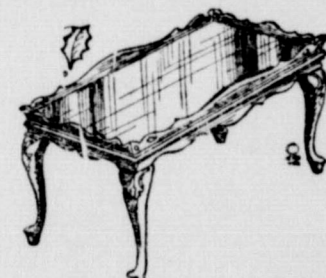
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What would delight Mother, Sister or Daughter more than a fine Chest of Silverware made by Community?
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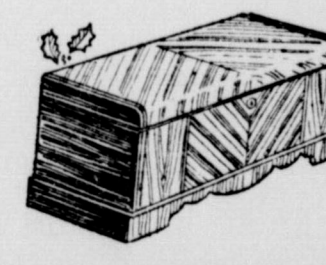
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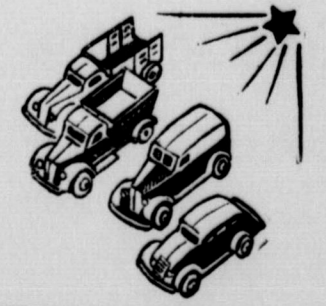
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For her very own. Walnut Veneered Cedar Chests with lift-up trays.
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