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Chicago Cubs' Mascot to Be Goat



It's a goat instead of a bear that Manager Jimmie Wilson of the Chicago Cubs (left) will use for a mascot this spring, as his charges play exhibitions in and about their French Lick, Ind., training camp. Manager Jimmie Wilson of the White Sox (right) will have a similar mascot. The goat's names are "Bunt" and "Homer."

Sunrise Easter Program to be Given by Young People of Crowell on Easter at 6 a. m. at Football Stadium

Texas Company Has Only 1.7 Per Cent Absenteeism in 1942

Only 1.7 per cent absenteeism from illness and injury among the employees of The Texas Company throughout the United States was experienced in 1942. It was reported today by the company's medical director, Dr. M. N. Newquist. This is a reduction of 5 per cent from the previous year. Some war industries, Dr. Newquist points out, report current absenteeism as high as 15 per cent.

Sickness and injury accounted for 5.36 days per employee in the Texas company last year. The company reports a 9 1/2 per cent reduction in time lost per cent of absenteeism compared to 1941.

Dr. Newquist cited several factors to account for the improved record: An active safety program and improved medical service and supervision; no major epidemic of respiratory diseases occurred in 1942; work schedules were such as to minimize fatigue; and housing and transportation problems were not so acute as in other war industries. "Another very important factor," added Dr. Newquist, "was an increased sense of responsibility among our employees as to the vital part which they, as workers in the oil industry, are playing in the war effort."

Resident Here 22 Years Observes 87th Birthday Thursday

H. J. Watkins, resident of Foard County since 1920, quietly observed his 87th birthday at his home south of Crowell, last Thursday, at which time his daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Watkins, of Temple was a guest in the home. Despite the fact that he has passed his 87th milestone, Mr. Watkins is very active and still drives his car to town and is a visitor on the streets of Crowell almost every day.

He is a pioneer settler of Nevada, Collin County, Texas, moving from Alabama to that section in 1878, where he lived and reared a family of eight children before coming to Foard County 22 years ago. He was born in Columbia, S. C., and his parents moved to Alabama when he was two years of age. He grew to manhood in that state and was married before coming to Texas.

Mr. Watkins is the father of nine children, seven of whom are living and are as follows:

Mrs. Ernest Younger of Pie Town, N. M.; Mrs. Jack Douglas of Austin, Mrs. Ollie Wadell of Texas, J. H. Watkins of Temple, Winnifred Kleifoth of San Antonio, Austin Watkins of Dallas, and Mrs. Oetha Barry of Austin.

Shipment of Knitted Garments Made by Local Red Cross

A shipment of sixty knitted garments was made by the Foard County Red Cross chapter on Tuesday, according to Mrs. H. Schuller, War Production chairman for the county.

The shipment included sweat-shirts and helmets. To complete the quota on hand at present are 9 Navy sweaters, 9 Army sweaters, 11 pairs of wristlets. The number of garments remain

Members of Various County War Boards Are Honor Guests at Meeting of Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday

The Rotary Club had as its guests on Wednesday members and secretaries of the various War Boards in the county at an appreciation dinner to such Boards for the splendid work rendered by them to the county.

Rotarian I. T. Graves was speaker for the occasion and in his comments lauded the Boards for their untiring efforts performed without remuneration, averring, that despite the great sacrifice made by our fighting men, that nevertheless the tasks performed by the Boards were just as essential and were necessarily a vital link in the chain of war endeavor.

Mr. Graves further stated that these Boards were subjected upon

many occasions to ridicule and abuse of the rankest form without justification, stating that few people realized that the Boards acted under orders and regulations over which they had no authority other than to administer them to the letter of such regulations. He further lauded the war program and production upon its efficient and economical administration, stating that with rationing and ceiling prices, precautions were being taken to preserve our sources of supplies and to insure just prices for produce produced and at the same time preventing large profits on resale thereof.

Mr. Graves concluded his address by appealing to the general public to realize and appreciate the fine work being done by the Boards and cautioned all to be very careful lest such Boards be subjected to unjust criticism, asserting that upon many occasions when criticism is directed toward the Boards that it could be ascertained upon slight investigation that there was no just basis therefor.

Mr. Graves further stressed the responsibility resting upon each citizen of the county to do his utmost to assist the Boards in their endeavors and to lend any and every possible assistance to them in order that their duties might be administered to the best interest of all concerned.

The guest list included: Draft Board: J. R. Beverly; W. A. Dunn and Hiram Gray, with its secretary, John Long; War Price and Rationing Board: C. R. Seale, A. W. Barker, W. B. Tysinger, Merl Kincaid, Hubert Brown, L. A. Andrews, Leslie McAdams and Foster Davis, with its secretaries, Miss Alma Walker and Mrs. J. B. Rasberry Jr.; U. S. D. A. Board: Grady Halbert, S. H. Southall and D. F. Eaton.

Men in Service

Pvt. Jimmie Bryant of Ft. Jackson, S. C., is here on a furlough for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bryant.

Corp. Fred R. Vecera of Camp McCoy, Wis., is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vecera. Corp. Vecera has been in the U. S. Army since November, 1940, at which time he volunteered for service. He left yesterday for his return trip to camp.

A. T. Fish Jr., son of A. T. Fish of Vivian, has been recently promoted to the rank of Seaman 1/C. He is in active duty somewhere.

A/C Ted Longino, who is stationed at Stamford, spent the week-end here visiting in the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino.

Lieut. Frances Patton, who spent a furlough here with her mother, Mrs. Tom Patton, and other relatives, went to McKinney last Friday to take up her duties as head nurse of Ashburn General Hospital.

Sgt. Leo Edward Gaffard, mechanic at the airplane flying school at San Angelo, was at home the first of the week on a three-day pass visiting his mother, Mrs. C. E. Gaffard, and other relatives.

Staff Sgt. Jimmie Williams of the Hondo Air Field at Hondo and Staff Sgt. Harry Gilliam of the San Marcos Air Base at San Marcos were here from Saturday until Tuesday visiting Sgt. Williams' grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Long, and other relatives and friends.

Corp. Fred Mabe of Ft. Benning, Ga., arrived here Tuesday night for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Mabe.

Tech. Sgt. A. B. Curtis Jr. of Ft. Monroe, Va., is at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Curtis Sr., and other relatives and friends.

Jim Whitfield, Yeoman 3rd Class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Whitfield, is employed in the offices of the Naval Receiving Station at New Orleans, La.

Pvt. Melvin P. Jones returned to camp Tuesday after being home on a three-day leave visiting his mother, Mrs. J. H. Jones, and other relatives. He is stationed at Camp Bowie and says he likes being in the armed services fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox and children, Billy Jr., Doris and Boyce Edward, spent the week-end in Tulsa, Okla., visiting their son and brother, A/C Albert M. Cox, who has just completed his 9 weeks' training period there at Spartan College of the Air. He has been transferred to a camp in Kansas for a 9 weeks' basic training course.

Seaman 2/C Jas. Starnes, who is stationed at Fort Morgan, Ala., is here on a visit. He arrived Sunday and will remain until Monday. At the present, he has a cooking assignment. He was employed at the Rialto Theatre before entering the services.

Seaman 2/C A. J. Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lam-

TIRE RATIONING
Tires and tubes issued for truck tires and tractor tires, Grade I, II and III tires, to the following:

J. M. Teal, Oscar Harrison, Ira Denton, Tom Russell, A. T. Beazley, C. C. Joy, J. C. Prosser, Milburn Carroll, R. N. Barker, A. C. Light, Otilio Castro, H. White, Fred Webba, Freddie E. Gray, V. L. Lyons, M. F. Crowell, Geo. W. Johnson, George Davis, O. O. Gilliam, J. P. Ewing, Henry Hrabal, Ed Huskey, Merl Kincaid, J. T. King, W. R. Ferguson, Joe Coufal.



Raymond Burrow Buried in Crowell Cemetery Friday

Funeral Held from Methodist Church at 4 o'Clock

Raymond Burrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burrow of Crowell, who died suddenly in the Methodist Memorial Hospital in Fort Worth Wednesday evening of last week, was laid to rest in the Crowell Cemetery Friday afternoon with the Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Funeral services were conducted in the Crowell Methodist Church at 4 o'clock by Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the Baptist Church, a close friend and neighbor of Mr. Burrow the last few years he and his family lived in Crowell. He was assisted by Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor of the Methodist Church. A special song, "Rock of Ages," was sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, John Rason, E. A. Dunagan and J. P. Davidson. They were accompanied by Mrs. Arnold Rucker.

Pall bearers were Hubert Brown, Jack Seale, Claude McLaughlin, George Self, W. B. Johnson, Merl Kincaid, Allen Sanders, Lee Black, T. S. Haney and Herbert Edwards. The group of flower bearers included Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, Mrs. T. S. Haney, Mrs. Henry Borchardt, Mrs. Merl Kincaid, Mrs. Verne Walden, Mrs. George Self, Mrs. Hubert Brown, Mrs. W. V. Favor and Mrs. Byron Davis.

Raymond L. Burrow was born Oct. 30, 1909, in Celera, Okla. The Burrow family moved to Foard County in 1912. He attended school at Gamberville and Crowell and graduated from Crowell High School in 1928, following which he spent one year at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview before returning to Crowell. He became actively engaged in the wholesale oil business and remained in that line of work until he moved to Lubbock in 1940. In July of last year, the family moved to Fort Worth where Mr. Burrow operated a Magnolia Service Station up to the time of his death.

Mr. Burrow was married to Miss Mary Lee Huntley Oct. 16, 1932. One child, Don Ray, was born to this couple. He joined the First Christian Church of Crowell in August, 1926, and was a faithful and active member of that organization during the time he lived in Crowell. He was also interested in all civic improvements and was always ready to give of his time and money to any progressive movement.

Survivors include his wife; his son, Don Ray; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burrow; three brothers, Crawford Burrow of Brownfield, Ted Burrow of Houston and Ralph Burrow of Big Spring.

Out-of-town relatives and friends here to attend the last rites included Crawford Burrow and family of Brownfield, Ted Burrow and family of Houston, Ralph Burrow and family of Big Spring, Vernon Pyle and family of Wichita Falls, H. S. Chandler and family of Wichita Falls, Mrs. A. M. Bryson of Mineral Wells, Mrs. J. T. Van Natta of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Charles Ferguson of Fort Worth, Corp. Lewis Waterberry of Fort Worth, Walter Huntley of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. John Huntley of Vernon.

Foard Cotton Yield for 1942 Exceeds 15,000 Bales

The number of bales of cotton ginned in Foard County from the 1942 crop was 15,048, according to the tabulation of reports to the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census, Washington, D. C., counting round bales as half bales.

These reports show that 14,478 bales were ginned in Foard County in 1941 and 9,037 in 1940.

Men and Women of Foard County Will Be Put to the Acid Test in Raising Quota in Second War Loan Drive

The people of Foard County will be put to the acid test during the Second War Loan, which began April 12, it was announced this week by H. E. Ferguson, county chairman.

"The United States Treasury must raise \$13 billion during the Second War Loan, and a substantial part of this money must be loaned to our Government by people in ordinary walks of life—you and me and the fellow next door," Mr. Ferguson declared. "It is obvious to every thinking man and woman that as the United Nations take the offensive against the Axis dictators, the cost of war operations increase in proportion.

"The staggering sums of money necessary for the victory drive of the American and other Allied armies and navies... the task and the cost of providing food, transportation and munitions for millions of men, over and above the cost of equipment in planes, guns, tanks, ships and other material... must be borne, in large measure, by the American people left here at home.

"It is not only necessary and right that we should assume this additional participation in the war effort—it is an honor to do so. We who are left here on the home front can do no less than attempt to approach the sacrifices of those brave men out on the fighting fronts to whom the last great measure of sacrifice is but a daily offering. They give their lives. We lend our money.

Spring Training for Football Team Closed This Week

The Crowell High School football team broke even in their two practice games the past week to bring their spring training period to a close. The game on Wednesday of last week against an all-star team ended by a 12 to 7 score for the Wildcats while the game on Tuesday of this week against the seniors was a 19 to 13 count in favor of the seniors. Both games were just as close as the score indicated and in each case the loser could have been victorious by making one more touchdown.

The all-star team last week was composed of the following boys: J. V. Cunningham and Junior Edwards, ends; Alton Abston and Harold Canup, tackles; Paul Veera and Martin Jones, guards; Floyd Wisdom, center; Albert Bird, Clifford White, Paul Beath and C. J. Kelton, backs.

The seniors had the following lineup against the Wildcats: Clifford White and Lee J. Stout, ends; Harold Canup and Tom Westbrook, tackles; Paul Veera and Glenn Campbell, guards; Glenn Randolph, center; Albert Bird, Arnold Smith, C. J. Kelton and Charles Nelson, backs.

The following boys participated in these games for the Wildcats: Cecil Parkhill, Bob Gobin and Ray Tampion, ends; Gordon Erwin and Glen Taylor, tackles; O. C. Wharton, Bill Cox and Kenneth Payne, guards; J. W. Sallis and John Calvin Carter, center; Leighton Adams, John Calvin Carter, Craig Sandlin and Morris Naron, backs.

The 1943 squad obtained much valuable experience in these scrimmages and it should be worth a great deal to them next fall as their first game is less than two weeks from the date that they are allowed to start fall practice.

Large Ads Sponsored for 2nd War Loan

Two large advertisements appear in this issue, one on page 6 and one on page 8, sponsored and paid for by business firms of Foard County, in the interest of the 2nd War Loan which started on April 12.

Read these ads carefully. Foard County has a big job to do in raising its quota of almost \$150,000, and it will take a great effort on the part of every individual to do it.

Mayor and Four Aldermen Elected for City Last Week

A mayor and four aldermen were elected for the City of Crowell at the election held at the city hall Tuesday of last week.

C. T. Schlagal was re-elected mayor and Jim Cook, L. G. Andrews and R. J. Roberts were elected as aldermen for terms of two years, and M. O'Connell was elected for a one-year term to fill the unexpired term of Floyd Thomas. Recie Womack is the other alderman member of the City Council. The three aldermen who will retire are M. L. Hughton, J. R. Beverly and Hubert Brown.

erican people—that there are more people today who own Government securities than at any time in the history of the nation—or the history of the world—the simple facts of the matter are, it is not enough.

"If the people of Foard County, and every county and town in the nation, are to meet their full measure of responsibility, they must loan their Government every cent not needed for the essentials of living—and we have to revise downward our ideas about what are essentials. In other words, you, and you and I must go on an all-out war basis.

"There are at the present time many billions in liquid funds—cash and commercial bank deposits—in the hands of the American people over and above taxes, debt repayment, insurance, and their present investment in Government bonds... over and above what they can buy this year because of the restrictions or unavailability of consumer goods. This may amount to as much as \$40 billion this year.

"It should be the objective of every American to invest these 'loose' billions in Government securities. Now, during this Second War Loan, is the time to invest liquid funds from both current income and from past accumulations in your Government. This Second War Loan makes available to you a type of security for every pocketbook.

"This is not only a patriotic duty, but a duty to yourself as well. Every dollar which you have available now and do not invest in Government securities is a 'wild' dollar which may, together with its billions of brothers, turn into a Frankenstein which will raise your cost of living to the point where your dollar will be worth no more than the paper it is written on. In short, this loose money is likely to be the cause of a wild inflation that will sweep away your savings and send the price of a loaf of bread beyond what you now make in a year. It can't happen? It did in Germany! And that could happen here.

"On the other hand, the dollar loaned to your Government will work for you in three ways: (1) it will help hold down inflation because it will be harnessed to war work; (2) it will help buy the food, the transportation, the munitions that our boys out there in the front lines need to win the good fight, and (3) it will be earning interest that, together with your original loan, will come back to you later to help you buy the things you can't buy today—to insure your peace of the future.

"So let's not squabble about it. Let's not shilly-shally and debate. Let's dig those dollars out of our pockets; let's root those dollars out of the dark today and invest them in this Second War Loan. Remember those boys out there. They give their lives—you lend your money."

Baptist Church to Have First Service in New Church Sunday

The first service in the new Baptist Church which has been under construction for the past several months, will be held on next Sunday morning. The church takes the place of the one that was destroyed by the tornado last spring and is complete in every detail. With the exception of the seats, the church is ready for occupancy. The meetings Sunday will be held in the basement in the banquet hall.

Services have been in the First Christian Church, in the High School auditorium and in the Rialto Theatre for the past 11 months, and the officials of the church and the membership are appreciative to these organizations who have made it possible for the church to carry on its program.

The mayor announced Tuesday that the city grader had broken down and owing to the difficulty in securing extra parts, it is not known how long it will take to get it repaired so that the streets of the city can be dragged and kept in good condition.

However, the repair work on the grader will be completed as soon as possible.

Items from Neighboring Communities

VIVIAN (By Mildred Fish)

R. J. Everson of the U. S. Navy, who has been on active duty in the South Pacific for several months, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everson.

Mrs. Hughes Fish and small daughter, Helen Elaine, of Roaring Springs returned home Sunday after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Mrs. Richard Davidson of Abilene spent last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Self.

Miss Bernice Walling visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey of Delwin Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Charles Ferguson of Fort Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maud Rastberry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bridwell and sons, J. Boyd, and daughter, Mary Beth, of Amherst visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Sunday afternoon.

L. R. Morgan of Alvarado visited friends here last week.

Pfc. Odie Brooks of Washington, D. C., Elmer Holley, Raymond Lawhon, and Misses Jessie and Lorena Lawhon, of Ogdan, and Miss Wilma G. Lawhon of Paducah, visited in the home of Mrs. A. L. Walling and family Tuesday evening.

Miss Bernita Fish of Five-in-One spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Fish.

Pvt. Richard E. Davidson of Camp Barkeley spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson. He was accompanied back by his wife, who spent the week with relatives here.

J. M. Carpenter of Roaring Springs visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Walling spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Gaudin, of Vernon.

Harold Fish spent Wednesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish, of Paducah.

Mrs. M. Redwine of Paducah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allon Fish Friday afternoon.

Raymond Lawhon of Ogdan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dishman of Ogdan spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dishman.

Going into the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps? Before you leave, put your social security account card in a safe place. You may need it when you get back.

Pepsi-Cola Company, Long Island City, N. Y.
Franchised Bottler: PEPSI-COLA BOTTLING CO.,
Childress, Texas

THANKS

to My Friends and Customers

I want to take this means of thanking my friends and customers for the patronage given me for the past eight years. It has been greatly appreciated.

I am temporarily located in the building south of Crowell Service Station and ask that you come and see me there.

Herman Kincheloe

NOTICE

I have just received a carload of feed and am now prepared to fill all orders.

Also have plenty of field seeds.

See Us For Your Needs in This Line

BALLARD FEED & PRODUCE

RAYLAND (By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mansel and children and Mrs. Ira Sutton and son were visitors in the Dick Swan home at Riverside Sunday.

S. T. and Melvin Raines of Farmers Valley spent Saturday night with their sister and aunt, Mrs. T. C. Davis.

P. D. Clark of Wichita Falls is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blanton of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Holland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin and daughter of California spent Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. H. T. Faughn, and daughter, Hazel. Frank Lambert returned home Thursday from a Wichita Falls hospital.

Oscar Holland made a business trip to Clinton, Okla., last Monday.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Bowers of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers and Mrs. Buddy Overstreet of Vernon were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Huddleston of Bowie spent Sunday night with his sister, Mrs. J. M. Williams, and brother, D. Huddleston.

Mrs. J. M. Williams and J. D. Suddleston spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Elvie Parkhill, of Five-in-One.

Miss Anna Jo Beazley of Bryan spent last week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley.

Bill Menasco of Wichita Falls visited in the T. C. Davis home Monday.

RIVERSIDE (By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mrs. E. C. Burba and daughter of Pampa spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rhea.

John Edwards of Houston has returned to Houston after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Edwards.

Juanita Shultz of Margaret spent the week-end in the Dave Shultz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Cato and sons of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato of Thalia visited in the Dave Shultz home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Edwards and son, John, of Houston spent the week-end with Sam Shultz and family of Hesse, Okla.

Mrs. J. H. Sansbury and Sgt. Robert L. Sansbury and wife of Durant, Okla., visited Mrs. Sansbury's daughter, Mrs. Edward

Brook, and family over the week-end.

E. W. Grant of Frederick, Okla., is visiting his son, George Grant, and family.

Staff Sgt. Johnnie Kubick of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, has been a visitor in the Fred Halenack home.

Earl McKinley was called to Lorenzo Friday on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Arthur Marlow and family of Thalia moved to the Jim Sam Smith place last week.

Mrs. Hubert Smith has returned from Camp Edwards, Mass., where she had been for the past five months. Her husband has left Camp Edwards for an unknown destination.

Mrs. Ivy of Littlefield is visiting her brother, J. L. Short.

Miss Ruby Smith of South Lockett, Mrs. Ivy of Margaret and J. L. Short visited in the Leonard Owens home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Hendrix and children and Mrs. William Tremble of Fort Worth visited in the Henschell Butler home Wednesday.

Mrs. Allie Huntley has returned from a few days' visit with relatives in Lockett.

Mrs. Ben Lowe, Mrs. Kenneth Davenport and little son, Michael, of Lockett visited in the Cap Adkins home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Cato and sons of Fort Worth spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten. Mrs. Cato had been here several days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Cap Adkins and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and Mrs. Houston Adkins of Thalia attended the funeral of Raymond Burrow at Crowell Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursey and son, Charles, visited in the J. F. Long home in Crowell Sunday.

Ida Mae Hudgens has returned to Amarillo where she has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farrar and family spent Sunday in the Oscar Ketchisid home at Medicine Mound.

M. Wilson and brother, Ellis Wilson, spent Friday on business in Wichita Falls.

Perry Daugherty and family have moved from Weatherford to the S. B. Farrar place.

Berdell Nelson spent the week-end with her parents at Vivian.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and family visited in the Red Packard home at Fargo Sunday.

Ernest Tole and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Tole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Haynes, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wesley and family and Mrs. F. A. Moore and family spent Sunday with John Taylor and family of Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Hudgens, Mrs. S. B. Farrar and daughter, Laverne, spent Sunday in the Jim Moore home of Thalia.

Floretta Bradford has returned to Slaton after a visit with relatives.

Rev. Hubert Brown and family of Thalia were dinner guests in the Cap Adkins home Sunday.

Audrey Schroeder spent the week-end with his grandmother of Vernon.

Mrs. Herschell Butler and son, Kent, have been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Earthman, and family of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Shultz of Vernon, R. C. Johnson and family of Crowell, G. L. Shultz and family, Houston Adkins and family, Roy Shultz and family of Thalia, Ralph Shultz of Sheppard Field, and Ruth Priest of Margaret were dinner guests of Dave Shultz and family Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Hensley of San Antonio has returned home after having visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Crowell and Mrs. W. L. Thurston of Mexico City spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert and son, Bill, of Foard City spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughn of Vernon visited Sunday with their son, J. G. Vaughn, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Haynes of Hardeman County spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Skelton.

CHURCHES

Christian Science Church
Sunday services at 11 a. m.
Wednesday evening services at 8:00 o'clock.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Sunday, April 18, 1943. Subject: "Doctrine of Atonement."

Margaret Baptist Church
Sunday School at 11 a. m.
You are invited to come and study the Word of God with us.
A. C. Hamilton Jr., Pastor.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
Time of Masses:
October-April (inclusive).
1st Sunday at 11:00.
3rd and 5th Sundays, 9:00.
1st-September (inclusive).
1st Sunday at 10:30.
3rd and 5th Sundays, 8:00.

First Baptist Church
I am so happy to tell you we are having church services in the new church next Sunday. We are meeting in the basement in the banquet hall until the auditorium is finished. When we get it finished and move in, we want to have something special on that day. Don't you want to have the remembrance of having met with us for the first time in our new church? We need you in Sunday School, too, so come at 9:45 and stay for church.

We want to again extend our thanks to the organizations, who have furnished a place in which to worship, the First Christian Church, Crowell High School and Rialto Theatre.

We are expecting you Sunday. Come, help us give thanks to God and glorify His name for all his goodness to us.
W. B. Fitzgerald, Pastor.

East Side Church of Christ
E. H. Garner of Seymour will preach at the East Side Church of Christ Sunday at 11 o'clock and also at the evening service at 8 o'clock.
Bible School will be held at 10 a. m.

example, feed a young calf either whole or coarsely ground grains, but do not feed it silage. Feed a vitamin A supplement when whole milk is not available. Start feeding a high quality non-legume roughage at two weeks of age. Provide a clean shelter of sufficient size to avoid over crowding when calves are grouped. Provide a paddock with ample shade and water. Separate calves after feeding by use of individual stalls or stanchions and any which are ailing should be strictly isolated to prevent spread of disease.

Gibson recommends Extension publication B-104, Raising Dairy Calves to Weaning Age, for advice on prevention and treatment of some common calf ailments, feeding milk substitutes, and other pertinent information.

ON CALF RAISING

Dairy and beef cattle owners should look to their calf-raising methods if they are concerned about the future of their herds, declares G. G. Gibson, dairyman for the A. & M. College Extension Service.

They should start even before a calf is born, he explains. In that period the cow should have a good supply of green feed in the form of grazing or good hay. Some dairymen have found it worthwhile to feed calves a tablespoonful of good stock grade codliver oil daily in cases where dams did not have green roughage for 30 days or more before freshening. Cows get their vitamin A from green feed, and vitamin A is essential in the proper development of unborn calves.

After a calf arrives proper feeding is paramount, Gibson says. A simple, four-point program will safeguard its health through babyhood: (1) Feed the dam's milk for the first four days; (2) Do not overfeed with milk or concentrates; (3) Use only clean and sterile pails for milk feeding; and (4) Feed fresh sweet milk at a constant temperature of 98 degrees F., and at regular intervals.

From that point onward doing certain things in feeding and avoiding others should bring a calf along safely to maturity. For

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Generosity is the flower of justice.—Nathaniel Hawthorne.

It is not enough to help the feeble up, but to support him after.—Shakespeare.

In giving, a man receives more than he gives, and the more is in proportion to the worth of the thing given.—George Macdonald.

Washington, D. C.—W. E. Longfellow, originator of and instructor in the American Red Cross life saving program, lectures in his classes while floating around in the water.

Safeguard your social security account card. Don't lose it. You may lose your chance at a war job—if your card isn't handy.

It used to be A Headache!

THIS YOUNG MAN'S MILLINERY is merely a dramatic way of picturing the plight of the average car owner after trying to decide between the conflicting claims and values of all the motor oils on the market.

Trying to choose between them is something of a headache, especially when you are neither a petroleum chemist nor an automotive engineer. You need facts to guide your choice of a safe and saving motor oil.

So read this frank, simple statement, if you want to know which lubricant to use in order to care for your car for your country. If you want our best oil, remember we definitely specify that Phillips 66 Motor Oil is our finest quality . . . the highest grade and greatest value . . . among all the oils we offer to average motorists.

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CHURCHES

Rayland Baptist Church
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Preaching Service, 11:30 a. m.
Prayer Service, 8:00 p. m.
B. T. U., 8:30 p. m.
Preaching Service, 9:15 p. m.
Everyone is invited to come and worship with us.
A. C. Hamilton Jr., Pastor.

Crowell Methodist Church
The spring of the year always makes people glad to get out of the house and go places. In your going this spring, won't you stop by the church for a prayer and worship service? We all need our Christ very near today.

We are preparing some very special services for this Easter, and Pre-Easter, too. Next Sunday morning the Children's Division, with a fine corps of teachers and workers, will bring the morning devotional service. On Palm Sunday our children will be singing God's praises. Your presence will encourage them.

An Easter "Daybreak Service" is in preparation. See next week's special announcement of this service. The Easter message, of course, on Easter morning, April 25. If you wish appropriate Bible meditation for pre-Easter, Math. 21st to 28th chapters will prepare you to more fully appreciate the "Cost of Easter" originally.

Just two more Sundays in which to reach our coveted goal, numerically, in Sunday School attendance. Normally it should be an easy goal to reach, factually it is not. It will take our best from each person interested.

I am constantly asking myself this question: "When we have won this 'Global War,' if we have therein lost our Spiritual impact on the world, what will life be like thereafter?"

H. A. LONGINO, Pastor.

Christian Science Services
"Doctrine of Atonement" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 18.

The Golden Text is: "Grace be to you and peace from God the Father, and from our Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father" (Galatians 1:3, 4).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us; we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God" (II Corinthians 5:20).

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: "The atonement requires constant self-immolation on the sinner's part" (page 23).

Weekly Sermon

By Max I. Reich, D. D., Director, Jewish Missions Course, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

Christ and the Multitude

The secret of the triumph of Christianity is that the historic Christ is the living Christ, and that the living Christ is the historic Christ. What He was, He is, and what He is, is illustrated by what He was.

As He entered Capernaum and Bethsaida and Bethany, so He comes today into our towns and villages, hamlets and homes. And what He did there once, He still does today.

Now what do the Gospels say of Him?

1. He attracted the crowds. They came to Him from every quarter. The common people heard Him gladly. They even followed Him into desert places. Jerusalem might spurn Him. The official leaders of Judaism might

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What officer was named by General Dwight Eisenhower to succeed General Lloyd R. Fredendall, commander of United States troops on the Western Taz front?

2. Where is Gafsa?

3. Pankey is the family name of what known screen star?

4. When did Lent begin?

5. For what is H. R. Knickerbocker known in the news?

6. Of what state is Harold Stassen governor?

7. In what field are the Collins supposed to operate?

8. What is an amphibian?

9. What position on the United States flag is held by Harold L. Spars?

10. The SPARS are the arm of what service?

(Answers on page 3).

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To be tender meat should be boiled at a constant temperature of 350 degrees Fahrenheit. Grease can be removed from an iron by rubbing cornmeal on it.

Sauces shouldn't be added to boiled onions, cabbage or cauliflower until time to serve.

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Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Mrs. I. H. Coker of Okmulgee, Okla., visited her sister, Mrs. E. S. Plesher, and other relatives here last week.
 Mrs. Lula Ryle of Buffalo, N. Y., visited her brother, George Lindsey, and family here last week.
 Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and Mrs. Joe Johnson attended the State Baptist convention in Dallas last week.
 Mrs. M. H. Jones and Miss Doris Jones visited their daughter and aunt, Mrs. Dono Day, and family in Grand Prairie last week.
 Raymond Phillips and family of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Phillips, last week-end.
 E. J. McKinley and son, Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKinley went to Lorenzo Friday to be at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. W. H. McKinley, who is very ill.
 Mrs. C. C. Wheeler, who underwent an operation in a Wichita Falls hospital several days ago, was able to return to her home here Saturday.

O'Neal Johnson and family of Quannah visited relatives here last week-end.

Master Sgt. and Mrs. A. C. Porter and daughter have returned to Honda after several days' visit in the home of Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blevins, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lanham of Florida are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Matthews, here this week.

Albert Jones and family of Crowell and George Jones and family of Benjamin visited here Sunday in the home of J. C. Jones and family where they celebrated the birthday of their father, M. H. Jones, whose birthday was Monday.

A. B. Wisdom, W. R. Moore, E. G. Grimsley and J. M. Jackson went to Dallas Sunday to attend the spring ceremony of the Dallas Consistory.

Mrs. Norabelle Frazier and two children of Amarillo visited her father, W. E. Pigg, here last week.
 Mrs. Maggie Pressley of Henrietta visited her sister, Mrs. C. E. Blevins, and family here last week.

John Thompson and Lee Sims visited in Fort Worth last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Chapman visited J. Y. Lindsey and family near Truscott Sunday afternoon.

E. G. Grimsley and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Patterson, went to Fort Worth Monday afternoon where they visited his mother, Mrs. Patterson left from there Tuesday for a few weeks' visit with her husband, Corporal Patterson, in New York News, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinley of Sweet Home, Ark., visited here a short time Saturday en route to Lorenzo to be at the bedside

of his mother, who is seriously ill. Paul Hinton of Fort Worth visited relatives here last week-end.

Mrs. Veda Allen of Childress visited relatives here last week.
 Mrs. W. J. Long accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Ted Reeder of Crowell, to Abilene Sunday to visit her husband, Sgt. Ted Reeder, who is confined to a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cates received a message Sunday saying their son, Marvin, who has been missing since Pearl Harbor, is a prisoner of the Japs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marlow received a message Sunday, saying their son, O. C., was killed in a plane crash in Florida. The body is being sent here for burial this week.

MARGARET

(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mrs. R. N. Hodge and son of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hodge and daughter, Mrs. Lois Meyers, of Athens, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodge at Margaret Wednesday afternoon.

Clarence Hodge of Athens visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodge last week.
 Mrs. Wilma Ruth Parr of Paducah visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison visited her cousin, Jim Eason, and family of Kirkland Sunday while their daughter, Billie, and Misses Virginia Mahe and Patsy Ketchersid of Crowell, who spent the week-end with her, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Owens Jr. and little son, Jimmie Joe, moved from Childress, where he has been employed for several months, to Mrs. Valeria Owens' place, who is his grandmother.

Frank Priest of Fort Knox, Ky., spent from Tuesday until Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest.

Corp. Fred Priest was recently promoted to Sergeant.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright and

children, Lois, J. P. and Joyce Laverne, who have been residing at Lefores for several months, returned to their home here Monday of last week, while Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Painter, who had been occupying their place during their stay there, moved to the Sam Wright place near Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion James and children of Gambelville visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest Sunday. They met her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards of Gambelville here, who had been visiting relatives in Oklahoma, also John Edwards who came for a visit. He is employed in Louisiana at a defense plant.

Henry Bradford returned to camp in Louisiana Friday after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford, and other relatives.

Mrs. William Bradford and little son, Gerald, spent from Thursday until Saturday with her mother, Mrs. S. J. Boman, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Thalia was here on business Saturday and visited friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor visited their daughter, Mrs. Oral Wharton, and family of Chillicothe Sunday of last week.

Ben Bradford and children, Evelyn and Kenneth, of Riverside visited his mother, Mrs. Studie Bradford, Sunday.

Miss Pearl Porter is visiting her brother and family on the Plains.
 The Home Demonstration Club will meet April 23 with Mrs. J. S. Owens Sr.

TRUSCOTT

(By Irene Myers)

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whitaker and daughter, Mary Helen, of Tahoka spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Bill Bryant of San Antonio is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bryant, Staff Sgt. Bill Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bryant, has been transferred from San Antonio to Frederick, Okla.

Mrs. Ozie Turner and children, Wayne and Winnie Sue, accompanied by Gaylon Paris and Lena Reed, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Woodward at Knox City, Saturday.

Mrs. J. D. Carroll and daughter, Laverne, of Crowell spent the week-end with relatives here. George Nichols entertained the young folks with a party at his home Saturday night.

Mrs. Jess Boykin and son, Gaylon, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitaker at Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and son, Jack Edward, and Elmer Boykin spent the week-end with Mrs. Hickman's and Elmer's mother, Mrs. Darden, at DeLeon.

Mrs. S. S. Turner returned Saturday after spending a few days with relatives in Okeene, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Berg returned Monday from Los Angeles, Calif., for a few months' stay.

Patsy Sue Young and Martha Arp visited Billie Nichols in Benjamin, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie and son, Bob, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sexton Hord, and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer at Crowell.

Part. Lee Blevins of Amarillo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills moved to Fort Worth Friday, where both will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boykin and son, Gaylon, Mrs. Charlie McNeese and son, Doyle, were in Vernon Monday.

Mrs. Lester Marchbanks is visiting relatives in Brownwood.

Betty Jo and Willie Jewel Austin spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Fred Bufkin, in Benjamin.

Lozell Haynie returned home last week after working in Lubbock, Texas, and Pratt, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger May of Lubbock spent the week-end with Mrs. May's father and sisters, Lester Marchbank, Thora Belle and Jackie.

Wayne Young of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with his family here.

AGRICULTURE

(D. F. Eaton, County Agent.)

Scrap Metal Situation Acute

A communication from Jos. B. McAdams, Associate Executive Secretary, Texas Salvage Committee, advises that the salvage division of the War Production Board is inaugurating a "Jalopy Drive" on Monday, April 12, 1943.

The purpose of this drive is to get all old junk automobiles that are idle, and cannot be used as serviceable pieces of transportation, sold to local salvage dealers or donated to the United States Army, so that this vast source of scrap metal will be made available to the War Production program.

The scrap situation is again becoming acute, and we must take immediate steps to greatly increase the tonnage of scrap metals collected. There is a tremendous tonnage of scrap metal available from this source alone, and that is the purpose of this drive. The supply in this county is perhaps limited, but these old cars should move.

A representative of the Salvage Division of the War Production Board will call shortly on the local salvage committee to outline this program for Foard County.

It is our responsibility to give every possible co-operation in this activity.

Controlling Vegetable Insects

If we are to get satisfactory results from our Victory gardens it will be necessary to wage a continuous and persistent fight against insects.

Two essentials should be kept in mind, first begin our control measures in time, which means at the first appearance of the insects, and the second is to apply effectively the proper remedy to the proper insect which means we must first identify the insect before we can know what will be best to apply.

For certain insects, we can use calcium arsenate such as flea beetles, cucumber beetles, cabbage worms, and other insects that feed on the leaves or fruit. Nicotine sulfate or pyrethrum may be used for Flea, stink bugs, squash bugs, and certain other sucking insects.

Paris Green may be used for making baits for cut worms, sow bugs, and crickets, or the wingless beetles now appearing in this section.

Instructinos will indicate whether to use a spray or dust, in most cases either may be used. Perhaps the most universal and destructive insect are the common plant lice or Aphids.

These may be controlled if taken in time by the use of a five per cent Rotenone-sulphur mixture or nicotine sulfate used as a dust or spray. This is a contact remedy and the spray or dust must come in contact with the insect.

Hence, the earlier they appear the fewer there are and the easier they are controlled.

These insects attack turnips, radishes, mustard, cabbage, and similar plants. They are now doing serious damage to the alfalfa crop in some sections of the county.

Protein Feed Requirement

The question of adjusting the dairy cow ration at this season of the year is a practical problem.

Cows grazing on sufficient permanent or temporary pasture need only 12 or 15 per cent protein in the grain mixture. In the face of a protein feed shortage.

FOARD CITY

(Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Jim Teal received a message Monday afternoon stating that his son, O. A. Teal, who is in the army, was accidentally shot. Monroe Teal left Tuesday to visit his brother, who is in the hospital at Clovis, N. M. He returned home Friday.

Rex Trawek and family moved from the Dr. R. L. Kincaid farm last Tuesday to the farm of Hubert Brown in the Four Corners community.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fergeson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Weathers and Miss Mildred Marlow spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weathers of Crowell.

Mrs. J. L. Manning of Crowell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Luther Marlow and family this week.

Mrs. W. L. Johnson has been ill with tonsillitis for several days. Jack Walker and family moved from the Minnick ranch to a farm two miles east of Crowell one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Marlow visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marlow in the home of Mrs. Arthur Marlow's mother, Mrs. Will Pigg, and family of Thalia Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Simmons of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Weathers a while Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow and family received a message Sunday afternoon that their nephew, Staff Sergeant O. C. Marlow of Mac Dill Field, Florida, had been killed in an airplane crash.

Miss Elizabeth Eavenson of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Eavenson.
 Mrs. J. L. Manning of Crowell spent Sunday with Mrs. Laura Johnson.

SAFETY SLOGANS

Don't think because an accident has not happened it can't happen.
 Be it ever so beautiful there's no place worse than an ambulance.
 Playing safe beats playing a harp.
 Safety's an ally, not an alibi.

ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2).
1. Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton Jr.
 2. In Tunisia.
 3. Mickey Rooney.
 5. It began on Ash Wednesday, March 10.
 5. He is a roving writer.
 6. Minnesota.
 7. In the field of flying. They are imaginary spirits that cause trouble to pilots.
 8. It is a jeep equipped so that it will travel on land or through the water.
 9. Secretary of the Interior.
 10. The Coast Guard Service.

ADD TO THE JOY OF EASTER

Easter gifts

Your Horoscope

April 12, 13, 14.—You do not like hard work, but rather like being the boss. You are fond of society, have a streak of vanity in your make up, and like to make a show. You make every effort to have a happy home. You are secretive, quick in thought and action, and a good planner.

April 15, 16.—You have some thought of spiritual things, like to go to church on Sunday, but material things seem to lie more within your province. Monday morning finds you ready for the world again. You are not apt to "do your aims in secret," as you like for your good deeds to be known.

April 17, 18.—You are usually successful in your business undertakings, but are never entirely satisfied, always wanting something more. While you can get very angry it makes you very unhappy when you do so. You like to read and know what is going on in the world. You are very fond of your home and family and want to be loved in turn.

Make this Easter a happy Easter. Come to our store and select the gift that you like and make some one fully enjoy Easter. We have for your selection some nice gift items, very appropriate for Easter.

Cora Nome Face Powder and Lip Stick, Rouge and Skin Freshener.
 Perfumes, Cologne, Bill-folds, Compacts, Stationery, sterling silver gift items. See them.

You are always welcome in our store.

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Anybody wanting Baby Chicks are urged to place their orders early so that they can get what they want.

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TOMATOES No. 2 can 10c

13 Points per Can
PEAS, Delmonte 2 cans 35c

6 Points per Can
V-8 COCKTAIL 3 cans 25c

21 Points per Can
PEARS, In Syrup No. 2 1/2 can 21c

POTATOES RED 10 lbs 39c

GINGER ALE Large Bottle 10c

OATS White Swan Large Box 22c

MILK PET or Carnation (Limit) 3 Large Cans For 25c

HYLO Large Size 19c

P and G SOAP 6 Bars 25c

FLOUR GLADIOLA 48 Pounds \$2.10

6 Points per Pound
SAUSAGE Pure Pork Lb 27c

5 Points per Pound
MEAT LOAF Lb 25c

5 Points per Pound
OLEO Parkay Lb 23c

8 Points per Pound
STEAK Loin or T-Bone Lb 30c

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U. S. Treasury Department

THE Foard County News

T. B. KLEPPER, Owner-Editor

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NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION

O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise Thy name...

We are predicting that when the going gets too tough and the fight is known to be lost that both Japan and Germany will attempt to divert our attention from our announced policy of unconditional surrender...

In our opinion great care should be taken in writing letters to soldiers away from home. Only the things that cheer and build up morale should be written...

Newspapers have been asked by the Department of War Information to be careful in printing items about soldiers and location of their units...

It is going to take all the Victory out of your neighbors garden if your chickens get over into it. It will also disturb what has up to this spring been a happy and a peaceful neighborhood...

HISTORY

Birthdays of John Audubon—April 26; John James Audubon was born April 26, 1785 at Les Cayes, now known as the Republic of Haiti...

The fate of the young men and young women in France, and the other occupied countries of Europe, at the hands of the Nazis show that after the enemy has marched into the country...

There are still too many people who are not taking any part in the war effort. They are going on in about the same way they have gone for years...

The other day Shipmaster Higgins was on the stand before the Truman investigating committee in Washington...

With the advent of shoe rationing the women who used to like to wear shoes with their toes sticking out of the end may get even more liberty in this respect...

Some one has truly said that undue concern is an ailment that makes everyone sick but the one who has it.



What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

The appointment of Chester C. Davis by President Roosevelt as administrator of war time food production and distribution stands alone as a master stroke of one gifted with genius for political management...

The danger lay not in the fact that this group would receive a few dollars extra, but that a tide of events be set in motion that would lead to inflation with all the distressing and destructive results...

Inflation may be likened unto a flood which mounts behind the restraining dike. As long as the dike holds the rich farm lands stretching out on both sides is safe...

Strangely enough when it comes to the matter of inflation and the things that lead to it, no help is received from the individual of the mass of people. There is no holding back on the part of anyone...

Expenditures for Advertising of Business Deductible

Commissioner Guy T. Helvering today issued an official statement of the policy of the Bureau of Internal Revenue regarding the deduction of advertising expenses for tax purposes...

"To be deductible, advertising expenditures must be ordinary and necessary and bear a reasonable relation to the business activities in which the enterprise is engaged...

"The Bureau realizes that it may be necessary for taxpayers not engaged in war production to maintain, through advertising, their trade names and the knowledge of the quality of their products...

"In determining whether such expenditures are allowable, consideration will be taken of (1) the size of the business, (2) the amount of prior advertising budgets, (3) the public patronage reasonably to be expected in the future...

"Reasonable expenses incurred by companies in advertising and advertising technique to speed the war effort among their own employees, and to cut down accidents and unnecessary absences and inefficiency, will be allowed as deductions...

"It is the statutory responsibility of the Bureau to determine and collect federal taxes, among which are the income and excess profits taxes, and to prevent abuses and attempts to avoid the high tax rates to which business will be subject under the proposed tax bill now before Congress...

Lost and found columns of Tokyo newspapers are crowded these days. Every time an American buys a War Bond, the Japs lose face. Buy your 10¢ every pay day.

30 YEARS AGO IN THE NEWS

Items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of the Foard County News and Crowell Index of April 18, 1913:

Piano Donated to School At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Crowell Schools held Tuesday night, a vote of thanks was tendered the ladies of the Columbian Club for the generous gift of a Kohler & Campbell piano...

On Saturday, May 10, examinations will be held in order to secure a carrier for Rural Route No. 3, which will begin out of Crowell on June 2. This will be a great aid to farmers along the new route...

A telegram from Seymour to the Dallas News under date of April 13, says: "Surveyors are working in Baylor County on a line for the Quanah, Dublin and Rockport Railway, the Middlebush Route. When finished the line will extend from Quanah to Rockport on the Gulf, through the heart of the state."

J. G. Witherspoon of this city has received the endorsement of Congressman Stephens of this district for postmaster of Crowell. The endorsement of a congressman in the case of postmaster is usually equivalent to an appointment, therefore it is almost a certainty that Mr. Witherspoon will be Crowell's next postmaster.

J. F. Check, one of Foard County's big cattlemen, has received five car loads of 2-year-old feeders from Sonora. In all there are 230 head which Mr. Check will fatten and put in top-market shape.

Miss Della Sentiff of Birmingham, Ala., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Schindler.

Miss Minnie Ringgold, teacher at Vivian, was here Sunday to spend the day with her parents.

G. L. Cole was here from Wilbarger County Saturday visiting his father, Judge Robt. Cole, and greeting old friends.

Messrs. Tom Haggard and Joe Stowell made a flying trip on the Orient to Altus Sunday.

Mrs. M. S. Henry returned Saturday from Stephenville, where she had gone as a delegate of the Adolphian Club to the District Federation of Women's Clubs.

We are informed that there are something like one hundred cases of measles in Crowell and the adjacent community. It is making it pretty hard on school.

J. A. Stovall had the misfortune to have one of the wheels of his buggy demolished Sunday. Mr. Stovall was leading the horse, and not paying close attention, he got too close to a post, with the aforementioned results.

H. W. Ater and family left this week for Alpine, where Mr. Ater has a good position with the Orient. Mr. Ater has been operator here since last October.

C. P. Sandifer and the editor took a spin to Margaret Monday afternoon in Mr. Sandifer's fine Overland car.

Mrs. Berry Johnson, who was the daughter of Bam White of this county, died at her home nine miles southeast of Crowell of pneumonia.

George Hinds of this city has purchased the Crowell Tailor Shop from Ben Crowell and has taken possession. Mr. Hinds is an experienced man at the tailoring business. Mr. Crowell will probably devote his time to the hat business and will be on the road most of the time.

A statement of the First State Bank printed in this issue showed individual deposits of \$77,394.25.



Mrs. Paul D. Brown of Orange, N. J., admires the portrait of her husband, an air corps major. After hearing rumors of his death, Mrs. Brown had cabled for confirmation. The day after, stories were released telling how Major Brown commanded a Flying Fortress which took part in the raid on Vegesack sub plant near Bremen, during which U. S. planes blasted 19 buildings.

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Rotary Convention Will Be Held in Abilene April 25-26 Abilene.—Attendance of more than 700 at the annual conference of the 41st district, Rotary International, in Abilene Sunday and Monday, April 25 and 26, is indicated by advance reservations. Preparations for the conference by the Abilene host club went into the all-out phase this week following a Monday night conference of committee chairmen and vice chairmen with Ed S. Stewart, conference chairman, Charles E. Paxton of Sweetwater is district governor. Features of the program outlined by Governor Paxton include Rotary Victory service Sunday evening at Abilene high school at which Jeff Williams of Chickasha, Okla., nationally-known speaker and Rotary International representative, will address the public at large, tour of Camp Barkley, my's huge cantonment, side Abilene, Monday afternoon. The program will end with Governor's banquet Monday evening at the Second Street club. Registration will begin at 10 a. m. Headquarters will be at the Hilton Hotel. There are 57 Rotary clubs in the district, which include Panhandle and South Plains extends east and west from ita Falls and Fort Worth to land and the New Mexico Mason City, Iowa.—at a beauty shop, while for appointments or sitting hair dryers, are given to cut into bias strips for Cross Sewing Room.

Personal Attention TO POINT AND PRICE PROBLEMS

FLOUR 48 lb bag \$1 SPAGHETTI 2 lb pkg 15 RED SEAL (2 Poin) POTTED MEAT A Can 10 POP Water Softener 25c pkg 19 Peanut Butter 24 oz jar 45 K C Baking Powder 25 oz 19 (In Glass Jar) PHILLIP'S SOUP VEGETABLE TOMATO (6 Poin) Can 10 Hominy Flakes Snow White pkg 10 FORT HOWARD TISSUE WHITE AS SNOW SOFT AS DO 3 Rolls 19 BRISKET ROAST (4 Points) Lb 20 GROUND LOAF MEAT (5 Points) Lb 25 TREET (7 Points) Can 40 SAUSAGE (7 Points) Lb 30 Kraft's DINNER 3 Boxes 25 TOP PRICE FOR EGGS Haney-Rason Grocery

LOCALS

Get your Office Supplies at The News office.

We still have living room suites with metal spring.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Woodrow Lemmons of McAlester, Okla., is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Read advertisements on pages 6 and 8 in the interest of the 2nd War Loan, sponsored by business firms of Foard County.

See our rockers before you buy. Have good assortment and styles.—W. R. Womack.

Lee Wright and family have moved back to their farm home north of Crowell from Lefors where they have been living for several months.

It is almost time for ice cream. Better buy your freezer now.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. P. P. Cooper returned to Amarillo Sunday afternoon after spending several days here visiting in the home of her son, Gordon Cooper.

G. T. Little and son, Robert, who is in the U. S. service and stationed in Louisiana, are visiting in the home of Jake Denton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper of Nocona spent Saturday night and Sunday here visiting his brother, Gordon Cooper, and family and his mother, Mrs. P. P. Cooper.

Mrs. Earl Evenson, who has been in Austin with her husband who is in the Q. M. Division at Dell Valley Field there, returned Monday night. She has been gone four weeks.

We still have bed springs to sell with our bedroom suites.—W. R. Womack.

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Mrs. Ira Coker of Okmulgee, Okla., returned home Monday following a visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, and with other relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Virgil Smith of Panhandle was here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. J. J. Brown, and also her small son, V. A., who is staying with his grandmother and attending Crowell schools.

Miss Camille Graves, who teaches at the High School at Rule, returned this week-end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves, and also as a guest of Miss Frances Henry Johnson.

John Wislon, who recently received an honorable discharge from the Army at Camp Barkeley, spent two weeks here visiting his mother, Mrs. J. W. Wislon, and family. He left last week for his home in North Carolina.

Mrs. Pearl Kassell of Littlefield is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Lanier, and family.

Clopay Venetian blinds in stock now. See them. Easy to install.—W. R. Womack.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper of Nocona were week-end visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gentry.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, who has been visiting in George West for several months, returned last Friday.

Mrs. Harvey Watkins of Temple returned to her home Friday following a visit of several days with her father-in-law, H. J. Watkins, and his wife.

Miss Mayme Lee Teague, who teaches at Phillips, spent the week-end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Kamstra.

We have what you need, shopping bags. Can be used for knitting bags.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hinds spent the week-end in Rotan visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis. Mr. Davis is a brother of Mrs. Hinds.

John H. Klepper of El Paso, arrived here Tuesday afternoon for a visit with his father, J. W. Klepper, his brother, T. B. Klepper and his sister, Mrs. Allen Fish, and friends.

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Wm. E. Wells of Chicago, Ill., who has recently been seriously ill has sufficiently improved to be moved to his home from the hospital. Mrs. Wells is the former Miss Minnie Ringgold of Crowell.

Miss Vern Joy, bookkeeper at the Consolidated Steel Corporation at Orange, Texas, is at home to spend a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Joy. Mrs. Joy is recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. W. L. Thurston of Mexico City, Mexico, who spent several days here visiting her father, G. A. Mitchell, left Friday for Sudan where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Robert Beck, and family and her sister, Mrs. Ed Gaston, and family before returning to her home. She will also visit in Lubbock.

Miss Frances Henry Johnson, accompanied by her college roommate, Miss Alynne Snyder, of Kansas City, Mo., and by Bert Ekern of Mexico, Mo., were week-end guests in the home of Miss Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Johnson. Miss Johnson and Miss Snyder are Juniors in the University of Missouri at Columbia, Mo., and Mr. Ekern is a Senior Engineering student there. The group was met at Wichita Falls Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Lee Shirley of Princeton, Ill., is here this week visiting his brother, Paul, and Mrs. Shirley.

Would buy 14-inch John Deere feed mill, if in good shape.—Zeke Bell. 42-3tc

Miss Doris Jean Terry of Benjamin spent the week-end here visiting her sister, Mrs. A. A. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson of Canyon spent on Thursday until Saturday here visiting relatives.

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J. M. Stinebaugh of Eastland is here visiting his son, Jack Stinebaugh, and family of the Good Creek community.

John Banister, who lives on a farm near Tullia, spent the week-end here visiting his sister, Mrs. Charley Wislon, and family.

Mrs. Hubert Smith has returned from Massachusetts where her husband has been stationed. She will resume duties in the Foard County Hospital about the last of the month.

R. R. Magee and Mrs. A. S. Hart spent Sunday in Lawton, Okla., visiting Capt. and Mrs. Robert M. Magee. Mrs. R. R. Magee, who had been in their home all the week, returned home with them.

Mrs. W. W. Bolibruch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, left Sunday for Pittsburg, Penn., where she will visit her husband's parents. Pvt. Walter Bolibruch, her husband, is stationed at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley went to Fort Worth Friday where they were joined on Saturday by their daughter, Miss Margaret Claire, who attends the University of Texas. They took her back to Austin Sunday.

A news item appeared in The News last week that Miss Martha Rettig had been made superintendent of a large hospital in St. Louis, Mo. It should have read Springfield, Mo., instead of St. Louis.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our grateful appreciation and thanks to the many friends who ministered to us in our recent sorrow. The many deeds of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful flowers will always be a source of comfort to us. May God bless each one of you. The Burrow Family.

Austin Sidelights

(By George Moffett) The present Legislature has been more serious-minded than any which I have been a member of. There is a definite tendency toward getting the necessary business attended to and adjourning. However, the war emergency has brought on the need for the adjustment of some laws which would not have otherwise been necessary. For instance, the second bill passed at this session provided for the deduction of the Victory tax from salaries of the hundreds of State employees, teachers, etc. Among other things, this session has not passed any tax re-

American People Face Acid Test in Treasury's 2nd War Loan To Raise 13 Billion Dollars in Three Weeks

The Nation Dare Not Fail in This Greatest Financing Task in History—"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Washington, D. C.—Coming as it does upon the heels of income tax payments, the people of America will face an acid test this month when the Treasury's Second War Loan drive opens April 12 with an objective of thirteen billion dollars to be raised through sale of Government securities.

A substantial part of this huge financing, the most stupendous ever undertaken by any government in the world's history, must be loaned by people in ordinary walks of life.

High Government officials have pointed out that the nation must not fail in this duty to our men on the battle fronts who are now carrying the offensive to the enemy at every stage. It is obvious to every thinking man and woman that as the United Nations take this offensive against the dictators, the cost of war operations increases in proportion.

The American people must no longer think of war costs in terms of equipping a soldier, building a tank or plane or a ship. We must now think in terms of the cost of battles, invasions and new offensives. Attacking armies cost more money than equipping that army and we must meet that increased cost by buying more War Bonds and Second War Loan Securities.

Every dollar of these forty billions of dollars available, which is not invested in Government securities during this War Loan Drive is a "wild" dollar which, together with its mates, will tend to increase inflation. Uncontrolled inflation might raise the cost of living to a point where the dollar is worthless. It can happen. It happened in Germany after the last war when the price of a loaf of bread cost more than an annual wage.

Invested in Government securities, your dollar will work for you. It will hold down inflation because it is harnessed in war work; it will help buy food, transportation, munitions for our boys on the front lines and it will be earning interest that, together with your original loan, will come back to you later to help you buy the things you cannot buy today. . . . to insure your peace of the future.

Remember those boys out there . . . in Tunisia . . . in the South Pacific . . . They give their lives—You lend your money.

And that is the theme of the Second War Loan, "They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Financial experts who know monetary conditions in the nation point out that at the present time there is in liquid funds, cash and commercial bank deposits over and above taxes and present investment in Government Bonds, and over and

mission bills and probably will not. However, this session promises to cut the State's running expenses somewhere around 12 or 14 million dollars, which is not an easy matter, for the cost of supplies has almost doubled in some instances, and there are about 25,000 people in the insane asylums and orphanages who have to be fed and clothed at State expense, and there are nearly 7,000 people in the penitentiary, and while they do considerable work, they have to be guarded day and night, and each one discharged is given \$50 and a suit of clothes. This, of course, creates an expense that few people know about.

In spite of the fact that the State is trying to trim expenses in practically every department, my sincere belief is that this session of the Legislature will provide some additional money for old age pensions. Two years ago,

the Legislature provided that \$21,000,000 each year be spent out of the Texas Treasury for old age pensions, and the Federal Government has matched this amount with an additional \$21,000,000, making a total of \$42,000,000 annually for pensions. My prediction is that this will be increased to \$48,000,000 annually, or thereabouts, at this session, as Texas has more pensioners on its rolls than any other State in the Union, including the State of New York, which has twice the population of Texas.

Prospects now are that all mail of the future will be carried by airplane. Mail between local points will be carried by helicopters which will also take it to division points where it will be taken by the big planes. A helicopter can take off vertically from its resting place and land the same way requiring no runway.

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Brief Bits of News From Here and There

One of the big events each year in Alaska is the breaking of the ice on the Nenana River. The event is supposed to signify the formal opening of spring. At the approach of winter the river freezes over and remains frozen until the spring thaw when the ice breaks up. The event is made the occasion for an exciting lottery in which for one dollar any one may guess on the exact moment when the ice breaks up. Normally 70,000 guesses are made at one dollar each. This year the total will reach \$100,000. This will go to the one guessing closest to the time when the ice will break. Because of the importance of establishing the exact time of the break up, a tripod twenty feet high is placed in the ice with three bases, three to four feet deep at a point in the river just above its junction with the Tanana River. A wire runs from the top of the tripod to an electric clock. The cracking of the ice stops the clock and establishes the exact moment of the crackup and determines the winner. When the

clock stops it is a sign for a general celebration of the first sign of the coming spring after a long, cold winter.

Distribution of the new steel zinc coated penny was begun by the Treasury Department recently. So great were the demands by collectors that limits of fifty each had to be placed on them. For a time few of the new pennies will be seen in circulation as they will be picked up by collectors as rapidly as they appear. It is estimated that making the pennies of steel will save 4600 tons of copper a year. The new coin resembles the dime and the nickel in color. This however, mint experts say, will soon wear off and the coin will become black in color. The new pennies are now being turned out at the rate of 500,000 a day. This will soon be stepped up to 3,000,000 a day.

The first natural rubber to be produced in the United States is being turned out by an oil mill in California. The raw material is guayule roots, stalks, and leaves. It requires seven or eight tons of roots, stalks and leaves to produce a ton of rubber. The mill now in operation handles six tons of the tripod to a day. Plans have been made for the construction of forty new mills to handle the production from 275,000 to 500,000 acres now planted to this crop.

SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday

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| FLOUR | Pur-A-Snow | 24 lbs | \$1.05 |
| | | 48 lbs | \$1.99 |
| PEACHES | No. 2 1/2 Can SYRUP PACK | | 19c |
| MILK | Borden's Silver Cow | 6 Cans | 25c |
| VINEGAR | Full Quart in Jar | | 10c |
| A Dozen Quart Jars and three gallons of Vinegar, all for | | | \$1.05 |
| CUT BEANS | 2 Cans | | 25c |
| MATCHES | Carton, 6 Boxes | | 19c |
| OATS | Large Box | | 19c |
| MACARONI | 2 2-Lb Boxes | | 25c |
| VEGETABLES | We will have Beans, New Spuds, Tomatoes, Carrots, Okra, Peppers, Green Onions, Spinach, Beets, Lettuce, Cabbage, Squash, and any other item possible to buy. | | |
| Fresh Strawberries | Pint | | 20c |
| EGGS | SEE US BEFORE YOU SELL. WE TOP THE MARKET IN CASH or TRADE. | | |
| HAY Alfalfa, We Have Plenty | | | |
| We Have A Complete Line of STARTER and GROWING MASH and Field Seed | | | |
| EGG MASH | Big J | | \$2.95 |
| BROOKS | | | |
| Food Market | | | |
| One Block East of the Square | | | |

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- 4 and 5 Drawer Chests, 30 inches wide.
- 5 Drawer Chests, 24 inches wide.
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- 6 Drawer Desk, 47 inches by 19 1/2 inches.

Also three styles of Dressing Table Stools

Buy Unfinished Furniture and Finish It Yourself.

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Our Freedom Is Priceless

By JOSEPH E. DAVIES
Former Ambassador to Russia and Belgium.

(Written for the Treasury Department in connection with the Retailers' "SAY YES" campaign to complete the nation's 100,000,000 partially filled War Stamp albums.)

What I myself saw in my four years in Europe gave me a new realization of the priceless rights which we here enjoy.

No secret police can in the night whisk us away, never again to be seen by those we love.

None of us can be deprived by any party, state or tyrant of those precious civil liberties which our laws and our courts guarantee.

None of us can be persecuted for practicing the faith which we found at our mother's knee.

None of us can be persecuted, tortured or killed because of the fact that an accident of fate might have made us of the same race as the Nazarene.

No American can be placed by any party or government in a regimented vise which takes from him or her either freedom of economic opportunity or political religious liberty.

What would the millions of unfortunate men, women and children in Europe give to be able to live and enjoy such a way of life?

Well, in this war, those are the things in our lives which are in jeopardy. Our boys are dying to preserve them for us.

Then we can do no less than to "say yes" and fill those war stamp albums. It is our duty and privilege to help the secretary of the treasury, Mr. Morgenthau, in his magnificent effort to do the tremendous job of getting the money to keep our boys supplied with the weapons with which to fight our fight.

Surely that is little enough for us to do on the home front.

U. S. Treasury Department

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Visit Our Store for Spring Merchandise

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats

25c up to \$1.95

A Big Shipment of

MEN'S OVERALLS and KHAKI PANTS

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MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS

\$1.49 \$1.95 and \$2.95

BIRD DRY GOODS STORE

The Friendly Store

TOWN and FARM IN WARTIME

(A weekly news digest prepared by the Rural Press Section, OWI News Bureau).

Ration Reminder

Gasoline—"A" book coupons No. 5 good for four gallons each until May 21.

Sugar—Coupon No. 12 good for 5 lbs. Must last through May 31.

Coffee—Stamp No. 26 (1 lb.) expires April 25.

Shoes—No. 17 stamp in War Ration Book One good for one pair through June 15.

Food—Red C stamps, valid April 11, good for 16 points worth of meat, cheese and butter. Blue stamps D, E, and F good from March 25 through April 30, for 48 points.

"They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money"

The Second War Loan Drive— which began April 12—must raise the astounding sum of thirteen billion dollars to support American armies that are now attacking the enemy. An offensive Army requires ammunition and materials that cost staggering sums of money. For example—one night raid of 1,000 bombers over the Rhineland takes \$375,000 worth of gasoline. A million dollars worth of bombs may be dropped in that raid, and 10 or 11 million dollars worth of planes may be destroyed.

In the future, America's armies will undertake still greater attacks, and these in turn will require still more money. The 13 billion dollars must be raised in addition to the regular purchases of war bonds and stamps that our people are making now. Slogan for the Second War Loan Drive is, "They Give Their Lives—You Lend Your Money."

Tin Collections Gain

Collections of collapsible tin tubes in the Southwest totalled 223,082 pounds during the first year of operation of the WPB's tube-for-tube swap order. Toothpaste and shaving cream purchasers turned in many more tubes in March than in February. National collections hit a new high of 522,359 pounds in March compared with 395,447 pounds the previous month.

Farmers Get Points for Meat

When a farmer sells a slaughtered calf direct to a retail meat market, the market operator must surrender the right number of points to the farmer. The farmer must then turn the stamps over to the ration board.

Return Unused Gas Coupons

Unused gasoline ration coupons and books which are no longer valid are the property of the government and must be turned in within five days after the close of the period of validity. Holders of unused first quarter "T" gasoline coupons, which have not expired, are asked to turn them in immediately to their local rationing boards.

Frozen Vegetables for All

There will be plenty of frozen vegetables in 1943 for the armed forces without cutting the supply available for civilian use, the War Department has announced. The pack of quick-frozen vegetables this year will be between 240,000,000 and 260,000,000 pounds, according to present U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates, as compared with a pack of 162,000,000 last year. The supply for civilian consumption will be equal to or more than that available last year.

Fewer Points, Less Money

Butchers may no longer reduce point values of rationed meats and fats without at the same time lowering money prices. If the retailer lowers the point value, he must lower the price at least 25 per cent below ceiling. If he lowers the point value more than 25 per cent, the selling price must be reduced below ceiling in proportion, but in no case more than 50 per cent.

Rubber Tires for Tractors

A plan to assist farmers in their vital war food production will provide rubber tires and tubes for converting approximately 20,000 tractors and implements, originally equipped with steel wheels, which have been bought since May 1, 1942. Local OPA War Price and Rationing Boards will authorize conversions after certification of farmers applications by county war boards. Reasons for certification are: 1. Necessity of moving implement over the road from farm to farm; 2. Soil or topography such that tractor is seriously handicapped by not having rubber tires.

Meat Requirement Suspended

Suspension of the requirement that federally inspected slaughter-

ers set aside certain percentages of their production for government purchase has been extended indefinitely. The requirement originally was suspended for a two-week period to facilitate a more even flow of meat under the rationing program. The suspension does not affect the meat restriction order setting up civilian quotas. The Food Distribution Administration has issued an order limiting the quantity of meat federally inspected slaughterers may hold in storage. This meat over and above civilian quotas produced by this class of slaughterers will be immediately available to the government.

Import Jamaican Workers

Ten thousand agricultural workers will be imported from Jamaica to relieve the farm labor shortage in critical areas in the U. S. through an agreement between the two governments. The Jamaican worker will not displace U. S. farm laborers nor reduce established wage rates. Health authorities will check the physical fitness and when workers contracts expire, the laborers will be returned to Jamaica. Similar agreements have been made with Mexico and the Bahama Islands.

Seed Potatoes

Retailers are now permitted to sell seed potatoes in any quantity for planting purposes only. The former requirement that they be sold only in lots of fifty pounds, or more, has been removed by OPA.

Food for Demonstrations

Schools using foods for educational purposes, and other food demonstration groups may get allotments of rationed foods by applying to their local rationing board. Many of these groups are conducting projects directly related to the government's food conservation program.

Reserve Peas and Beans

Fifty-five per cent of dry edible beans and 60 per cent of dry peas and split-peas are to be reserved for military needs and the use of our Allies. The average civilian will have about eight pounds of dry beans or 90 per cent of his usual supply and nearly one pound of dry peas, or about 75 per cent. For dry beans this is about one pound more per capita than was expected for this year at the time beans and peas were added to the list of rationed foods.

To Support Wool Price

Under a price support program for wool, the Commodity Credit Corporation will buy wool from growers at prices equal to the current ceiling prices less certain allowances. The 1942 wool production, estimated at 460 million pounds, was the largest on record. Prices to producers average approximately 40 cents per pound; about 4½ cents higher than in 1941, and the highest since 1920.

Binder Twine Price Up

Binder twine prices will be somewhat higher this year, because of the increased cost of materials. Cordage and twine fibers, from which binder twine has been made in the past, are scarce. WPB and the U. S. Department of Agriculture have, therefore, encouraged use of part cotton yarn combined with henequin and sisal. These fibers are more expensive than materials formerly used.

Lettuce Prices Set

Maximum prices which distributors may pay for lettuce and uniform markups for all other handlers of the vegetable were set by regional OPA authorities, effective April 7. Maximum f. o. b. shipping point prices which distributors may use in determining their net costs are as follows: Iceberg type head lettuce—crate of 4 or 5 dozen heads—maximum price is \$4.50 per crate; Iceberg type lettuce—crate (6 dozen heads)—maximum price is \$3.50 per crate. Specific markups are allowed handlers.

More Canned Fish This Year

The amount of canned fish available to civilians from the 1943 pack should be somewhat larger than from last year's pack. Due to a smaller carryover of canned fish in 1943, however, the per capita supply for this year may be about three-fourths of the 1942 civilian consumption.

T-Rations Not Transferable

T-ration gasoline coupons and certificates of war necessity may not be transferred along with titles to trucks or other commercial vehicles. The Office of Defense Transportation has announced that such action directly violates ODT general order No. 21 and may be punished by suspension or revocation of certificates. Persons who receive a motor vehicle through transfer should file an application for certificates of war necessity. Operators of one or two vehicles who make a transfer must return certificates to their ODT district office and must surrender unused T coupons to their local war price and rationing board. Fleet operators must advise the nearest ODT district office and return the appropriate sub-certificate.

Women On Railroads

Women employes of class 1 railroads increased almost 60 per cent from September 15, 1942, to January 15, 1943. A survey by the Interstate Commerce Commission shows that in September 39,590 women were employed in 49 types of jobs on the nation's railroads. By January, the number had risen to 63,187 and the types of jobs to 74. State labor regulations do not prevent the employment of women in transportation industries.

New Prices for "Seconds"

New tires and tubes with imperfections are now sold under separate maximum wholesale and retail prices set by OPA. The new prices are based on discounts of 20 per cent from the maximum price for perfect truck tires and tubes, and 25 per cent for other types.

A WEEK of the WAR

The news of the week from Tunisia was the junction of the U. S. Second Army Corps and the British Eighth Army. Contact was made about 15 miles East of El Guettar on the Gafsa-Gabes road, which indicates that the British swung inland some distance in order to meet the American force.

This junction was effected during the afternoon of April 7 (Wednesday), after the decisive defeat of Rommel's determined counterattacks. Early Wednesday morning, when it became evident that the enemy could not maintain any position in the Wadi Akarit area north of Oudref, Allied mobile forces began moving forward. Wadi Akarit is a deep, natural tank barrier which affords excellent defensive positions, but the Allied forces pushed their drive relentlessly. French, British and American troops moving in close co-operation. And by afternoon the British and American forces had made contact.

Effective Air Support

Allied tactics are still a great factor in the Battle of Tunisia. On Sunday, April 4, Allied air operations cost the Axis 11 aircraft destroyed. Monday's operations cost the Axis 48 planes, and Monday night an enemy bomber was brought down. Tuesday's total was 27 Axis planes destroyed; Wednesday's operations shot down 14. Thus, in three days of aerial combat, the Allies put out of the fighting 101 Axis planes, at a loss of 23 of our own. Returning from an inspection tour, Brig. Gen. Aubrey C. Strickland, commanding advanced USAAF headquarters, said that U. S. Ninth Air Force units in the Tunisian front lines helped "break the back" of German resistance.

Secretary of War Stimson, in a review of the war, told reporters that in one day—24 hours—American planes operating in the African theater shot down 50 Axis planes and lost less than one-fourth of that number. Some of these Axis planes, he said, were big transport aircraft trying to supply the Nazis with gasoline.

The week's bombing raids on Axis airfields in Tunisia, Sicily and Sardinia resulting in the destruction of 120 enemy planes caught on the ground, in addition to those shot down in combat.

Victory Assured

Mr. Stimson said the immediate objectives of the present drive in Tunisia are not yet clear, but "we can be assured of victory in that theater." He confirmed an earlier claim that more than 6,000 Axis soldiers were taken prisoner last Tuesday when the British opened their new drive north of Gabes, and promised that the British success and the American flanking actions would be "exploited to the fullest." Commenting on the same developments, OWI Director Davis was also optimistic. He explained the continued Allied success against Rommel by pointing out that the pressure of U. S. troops against the right flank of the Afrika Korps compelled Rommel to divert part of his forces to meet the American drive, and British forces were thus able to drive through and take another German-held position.

Jap Air Strength

The size of the Japanese air armada—50 bombers escorted by 48 zeroes—which was so decisively defeated on April 7 in its attack against U. S. shipping in the Solomons seems to verify recent reports that the Japanese have been increasing their aerial strength in the Southwest Pacific. U. S. Airmen, the Navy announced, shot down 37 out of the 98 of the attacking planes, and at a loss of only seven of our fighters. Secretary Stimson admitted that the Japanese have built up their air reserves in this area, but said we have been doing the same thing. Although in some places we may not have a numerical superiority over the Japanese, the quality of our equipment and our men has constantly proved our superiority, and today we have an edge on them.

Your social security account card is your insurance policy with the Federal Government. Are you safeguarding it against wear and loss?

Eighty thousand Russian went into the forests of and cut and hauled wood kept Moscow from freezing death. In Leningrad every house was torn down for fuel. We give the show that what some of this world are willing to do in Russian form of government not we can't lose sight of that they are fighting on the lines now. They are holding Nazi hord at bay while ready. If it were not for put up by Russia, Hitler be in North Africa and Gneissnau, great German ships would be aiding Japan a good thing to think about.

To maintain the second bombardier training, the world's largest home school, Midland, Texas, classroom notes as soon as have been studied.

Get your Office Supplies News office.



THE 2nd WAR LOAN DRIVE IS ON!

America...you've got to get tougher!



A MERICA — Let's be frank about it... so far, many of us back home have been fighting this war from an easy chair. Many of us have bought War Bonds out of extra cash, out of money we didn't miss too much. We haven't been really tough with ourselves.

But this war is a hard, down-to-reality war. And many of our boys are dying in it.

We've got to buy MORE
So your government asks you to buy Bonds and more Bonds—to get really tough with yourself. We're asking you to give up the frills and "extras."

We know how human it is not to make sacrifices until the crisis drives us to it. In England they felt the same way until the bombs started falling.

Bombs are such persuasive things. But just as persuasive ought to be the spirit of our brothers, sons, husbands.

If you could see
Look at it this way—suppose you had a magic carpet that could take you to Africa and New Guinea. Suppose you could hear the groan of American boys wounded, and American boys dying. . . . Say now, how many Bonds would you buy?

That kind of war
THEY . . . are dying. And they will keep on dying until we drown the enemy in an overwhelming torrent of bombs, bullets, guns, tanks, planes, ships, and shells.

That's why we're asking you, in this one month of April alone, to lend Uncle Sam 13 billions of dollars—by buying War Bonds. 13 billions of extra dollars—over and above any buying that you'd be doing anyway!

A lot of money
Of course, 13 billion dollars is a lot of money. It'll take sweat and tears to raise it. It'll mean going without now. But also—it will mean savings now—to buy later. It'll mean giving up everything you can't square with your conscience, so that we, us, our children, can have a better, more decent place to live in when this war is won.

The drive is on
So during this month of April, if someone calls on you to ask you to buy War Bonds in this 2ND WAR LOAN DRIVE, will you buy to the limit—and then buy more?

Better yet, will you go to your Bank, Post-office, or wherever you're used to buying your Bonds—and buy NOW? Will you lend extra money this month? Money that can hasten the day of Victory? Money that can help to save American lives.

Money buys money
Remember, what you're really buying with your money is still more money. For after all, these Bonds are money! Money plus!

Every dollar you put into War Bonds bring you a dollar plus interest.

So the more Bonds you buy the better for you, Americans — Get Tough — for yourselves — for your country.

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Other Securities: Series "C" Tax Notes; 7 1/2% Certificates of Indebtedness; 2% Treasury Bonds of 1950-1952; United States Savings Bonds Series "F"; United States Savings Bonds Series "G".

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Notice

STRAY — A white faced cow, branded U or V on left hip, has been at my place one week. Owner pay for ad and pasture.—J. R. Pittillo, call News Office. 42-1tc

Up Stairs In Ringgold Building



Meet tonight (Thursday), at 8:00 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend. RICHARD BALLARD, Noble Grand. E. H. CROSNOW, Secretary.

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., May 10, 7:30 p. m. 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. LESLIE THOMAS, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

No Trespassing

NO TRESPASSING allowed on the Teague Estate land. No passing through.—Mrs. L. Kamstra. 31-tfc

NO HUNTING or FISHING allowed, as all my land is in Federal Game Preserve.—W. B. Johnson. 29-12tp

TRESPASS NOTICE

Positively no fishing or hunting on any of my land on Beaver Creek.—J. M. Hill. 4-tfc

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community, known as the Harris place, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. 33-tfc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 4-tfc

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WANTED—Job on farm. Willing to do anything.—Willie Vessell. 42-1tp
WANTED—Second hand kitchen sink.—Mrs. J. W. Cook. 42-1tp
WANTED—To work on farm or dairy, day labor.—James Hodge, at R. N. Hodge home on Carl Zeigbig place. 42-1tp
WANTED—Woman to do housework and help care for small child. Good home and good pay.—Elmo Todd, Truscott, Texas. 36-tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished garage apartment. Call 257-R. 31-1tc

Strayed

STRAYED — One white faced steer calf, branded 6 on left jaw.—Crews Cooper. 38-tfc

LESSONS BEING LEARNED

History shows that military defeat is usually preceded by a collapse on the home front. Such collapse inevitably follows a breakdown in the supply of civilian necessities. Nothing is more essential to the successful conclusion of a war than an efficient distribution system to meet civilian needs. This country has such a system. Hundreds of thousands of retail merchants scattered throughout every county in the United States, are working day and night to have food, clothes, and all commodities, always available for the civilian population. Through their various trade organizations, they are co-operating with government in all phases of the price stabilization and rationing problems. They

Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Hastwell)

Delaying the Day of Victory: I heard recently a talk by H. R. Knickerbocker, top ranking world correspondent, in which he pointed out that the weak spot in our program for the conduct of the war was our tendency toward an indifferent, over confident attitude toward this, the greatest threat that has ever been presented to this nation. If we, Knickerbocker declares, fail to wake up and become in a degree fanatical about this thing, if we fail to throw off our complacency and over confidence that everything will come out all right, we are going to see a long war. The only way we can shorten it is for those on the home front to get more in earnest about it, really wake up to the fact of what lies before us. I thought as I heard the words of the speaker how truly the same might be said of our support of Christ's program for mankind. It has not been taken seriously enough. We have been too satisfied, too self-confident, that everything would work out all right. What the world needs and what many individuals need is to realize that the time for the coming of Christ's Kingdom on earth may be shortened if mankind should become more in earnest about it, and give to it a positive and active support. The longer this is put off, the longer will be the coming of the promised Kingdom of Heaven on earth be delayed. Thirty bullets could be bought for what it costs to replace one lost social security account card. Take good care of your card. Don't lose it.

THE WILDCAT

EDITOR—Mary Evelyn Edwards
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SPANISH—Lowell Campbell
CLASS REPORTERS—Betty Seale, Billy Morrison, Raymond Hord and Albert Bird
REPORTERS—Monty Balcom, Jane Roark and Roy Joe Cates

EDITORIAL

A few years ago when we were a carefree people and the world was peaceful, it was said that we, the boys and girls of America, were growing up to be "softies," that we couldn't take it, and knew nothing of making our decisions; that we had life too easy. Well, I think all of these statements are going to have to be retracted, and they will be retracted willingly, because the boys and girls, who were in high school last year and the years before, are proving in every way that they are not "softies." Ever since Pearl Harbor they are showing the courage and determination they possess. Look at the boy flying that bomber, driving a jeep or a tank in North Africa or on Guadalcanal! He's one of those boys who a few years back was in high school without a care in the world—all was out for a good time. He was a "softie!" Look at that girl who all she could think of was going on dates and to dances, and having a good time. Well, she's working in a defense plant now and buying bonds to help do her part. Or maybe she's the one who is keeping the home fires burning while her husband is in North Africa. The "small town drugstore cowboy," who was always running everyone crazy, is now an important man in the defense plant. That big, husky lad who thought of nothing but football was one of the Marines on Wake Island. He proved over there that he was no "softie." This is the spirit that exists in America today and always has and always will be. That if there is a job to be done, we'll do it. America is a peace-loving and friendly nation, but there is a limit to everything, and Japan went that limit; they will pay for it dearly in the days to come. And our boys will meet new problems of war, victory, and peace as the time comes. We can have confidence in our boys and girls because they are showing in every way that they are not "softies." And when it is all over, they will be even prouder of this great country that they have saved from the ruthless hands of the enemies.

ONE-ACT PLAY

The Speech Department is humming with the preparation for the Regional One-Act Play contest, which will be held in Canyon, April 24. Yes, we go straight to Canyon this year without an elimination in district. Jeanne Scales, Roy Joe Cates, and Bill Bruce are the lucky ones to be selected as members of the cast. But he was stepping out with Ada Jane immediately following. Anyway, to get on with the couples at the banquet: There were John Bradford and Marjorie Young (how about Patsy, John?); John Thomas Raser and Hellen Callaway (this affair seems to be getting along quite well); Harold Canup and Jane Roark (something new); Horace Todd and Jo Favor (from the Fish class); Lee J. Stout and Betty Owens (to be expected); Wanda and Arnold Smith (do tell!); Gene Fitzgerald and Laverne Archer (my, my); Roy Joe Cates and Ann Favor (not bad); Kenneth Archer and Betty Jo Zeigbig (this is an off-and-on affair—or at least that's how it seems); and Ruth Diggs and Elmer Boykin (again). Well, I guess that is all until the same time next year. Be good.

GUESS WHO

Cute—Wanda Smith.
R only—Gabby Randolph.
O ne-in-a-million—Booty Bird.
W onderful—Mary Edwards.
E nergetic—Betty Owens.
L aborious—Killer Write.
L ight-hearted—Rita Faye Callaway.
H. appy-go-lucky—LaVerne Smith.
I nteresting—Evelyn Flesher.
G rand—Miss Ferguson.
H. andsome—Lee J. Stout.
S ympathetic—Wanda Ketchersid.
E nergetic—Paul Vecera.
N ice, etc.—Wanda Cobb.
I ntelligent—Lowell Campbell and Harold Longino.
O mery—???
R ally "super"—Arnold Smith
S well—Yvonne McLain.

THE TRANSPER PECKER

This is, without a doubt, the most unexciting bunch of kids in the world. How do you expect to read any scandal, if you don't help contribute?

Oh, yes, Betty Johnson seemed to be quite happy over the weekend, or wouldn't you be knowing? The cause was a certain Paducahite by the name of Jack Lynch, and not bad looking at all! Could she have forgotten all about Charlie?

Seen at the Preview Saturday night was Mary Edwards and John Clark Long, and Billy Bruce and Ann Favor.

Yvonne Williams was stepping out one night last week with Jesse Whitfield. What happened to Billy Nichols and Truman Taylor?

Tommy Eaton seemed to be going very well Sunday afternoon, or was it Bessie Gamble? Anyway, the boy involved was Buddy Woods from San Angelo.

It's hard to believe, but it's the truth! What? Well, the fact that Ada Jane Magee was with Roy Joe Cates Sunday night. Who? Wonder! Could anything have happened to her and Bill Short? Or is variety just the spice of life? We might also add that another couple was sporting around that night. None other than Dorothy Greening and Lowell Campbell. Wow! Something new does happen every once in a while, doesn't it?

Did you see John Thomas Raser and his "old flame" back together again Saturday night? If you don't know who I'm talking

about you might see Mildred Marlow. She can tell you all about it.

Evelyn Flesher was doing all right Sunday afternoon and night. She seemed to have forgotten about the Coast Guard and was taking in the Army. Well, anyway, she was with Harry Williams, who is here with Jimmie Williams, an ex-senior of CHS. Wonder where Bill was.

We should just like to add this word: Betty Owens and Lee J. Stout are still getting around. They were seen Saturday night and Sunday night both times in Betty's car.

Just six weeks more and the Seniors are going to be "long gone." What a dreary world it will be without them! Oh, yeah! Ain't it amazing how these Johnson sisters love each other. (I mean Betty and Maxine). When Betty's boy friend comes, naturally we are speaking of Jack Lynch, and Betty can't go, she very lovingly and trustingly, turns him over to her big sis.)

CAN YOU IMAGINE—

Dorothy Greening without that famous walk?

Betty Owens without Lee J. Margaret Davis with black hair? Evelyn Flesher without freckles?

Mary Jo Brock being loud mouthed? Ada Jane and Bill Short courting in a wagon?

John Thomas Raser, being perfectly quiet for ten minutes? Charles Nelson making lots of noise?

"Gabby" Randolph not bragging? "Cotton" Thomas going with a girl?

Roy Joe Cates without that "hello, daughter" greeting? High school next year without Bill Owens?

For that matter without the Seniors of '43?

FADDY FASHIONS

By Gertrude Know-It-All
I suppose everyone knows that the annual Junior-Senior banquet was held March 26. O. K., you needn't get so excited about it, I just wanted to know. But say, I bet you don't know who took who—or do you? Well, anyway, I'll list them. It couldn't do much harm. You really don't mind, do you? To begin with, Mary Edwards was with Booty Bird. To several, this came as an utter surprise, and then we had a "slight" mix-up, meaning of course, that certain triangle, namely, Margaret Davis, Bill Owens and Evelyn Flesher—Bill was at the banquet with Evelyn. Bill Fred showed up without a date, (well, it seems we have at least one sensible young man in the crowd—ha! ha!) mch to a certain girl's disgust. But he was stepping out with Ada Jane immediately following. Anyway, to get on with the couples at the banquet: There were John Bradford and Marjorie Young (how about Patsy, John?); John Thomas Raser and Hellen Callaway (this affair seems to be getting along quite well); Harold Canup and Jane Roark (something new); Horace Todd and Jo Favor (from the Fish class); Lee J. Stout and Betty Owens (to be expected); Wanda and Arnold Smith (do tell!); Gene Fitzgerald and Laverne Archer (my, my); Roy Joe Cates and Ann Favor (not bad); Kenneth Archer and Betty Jo Zeigbig (this is an off-and-on affair—or at least that's how it seems); and Ruth Diggs and Elmer Boykin (again). Well, I guess that is all until the same time next year. Be good.

CHS POWER'S MODELS

Attention! Did you see those gorgeous dresses the girls from Home Economics II and III were wearing Friday afternoon? If you didn't, you really missed a show. Mrs. J. B. Harrison Jr. judged them. The winners for Home Eco. II girls were: highly superior, Frances Avers, Virginia Mabe, Ada Jane Magee and Ruth Ribble; superior: Doris Denton, Marion Hayes, Marilyn Hayes and Valerie Mae Owens.

Excellent: Jewel Johnson, Dorothy Lewis, Patsy Ketchersid and Yvonne Williams.

Good: Bessie Gamble, Sue Jones, Billie Morrison and Bobbie Smith.

The winners from Home Eco. III were—Highly superior: Laverne Archer, Wanda Cobb, Wanda Smith, Naomi Teal, Superior: Ann Favor, Genie Nelson, Juanita Shultz.

Excellent: Helen Smith. Good: Dorothy Hall, Jean Scales and Dorothy Greening.

BOY'S DATE GIRL

According to the boys, the "Ideal Girl" Date, 1943 version, has a good head on her shoulders and uses it; to select her clothes carefully and dress neatly; to talk with sense and listen with sense of humor; and to concentrate on "present company."

What is the ideal girl date, 1943 version? She must have sense, not be too WAAcY; long, soft hair with maybe a WAVE; well-built, but I

hope she doesn't SPAR; in other words, a WOW!

She is attractive, friendly and a good conversationalist. She has a trim figure, good taste in clothes (not too sharp), and a sense of sportsmanship. She does not talk about other boys all of the time. Also she does not wear too much make-up.

My version of an Ideal Girl is one who is attractive and has a good personality. She is one who doesn't smoke, one that can take a good poke (practical). My Ideal Girl is one who wears neat clothes. In short, just a pretty good gal.

John Thomas Raser. She's a brunette, has a good figure, is a good dancer, has hazel eyes, and she has a hum-dinger of a personality.

Roy Joe Cates.

THINK IT OVER

Are you too busy wondering about when you are going to get your steak instead of when the boy next door is coming home?

DID YOU KNOW—

In 1492 Columbus discovered America, and in 1942 Hitler discovered that it was still alive!

JOKES

Smith: "It's tough when you pay fifty cents for meat." Jones: "Yeah, but it's tougher when you pay twenty."

Bookie: "I hear Private Smith is going to get a special medal. He saved the lives of the whole company." Yardbird: "How's that?" Bookie: "He shot the cook."

Houswife (opening door): "I don't need none." Salesman: "How do you know you don't? I might be selling grammars."

Thos: "Show me a tough guy, and I'll show you a coward!" Booty: "Yeah? I'm a tough guy."

Thos: "Well, I'm a coward."

For a man to pretend to understand women is bad manners; and for him to really understand them is bad morale.

One of New York's glamorous young creatures, engaged to a soldier now in parts unknown, received a letter from him written in a tone of gloomy renunciation. With his absence dragging on into its second year, the lad wrote, he wouldn't blame her if she

broke her engagement to him and married somebody at home. This had apparently been too much for the censor, who had put his comment in the margin, in large black letters: "Nonsense!"

And then there is the story about the professor who dreamed he was lecturing to his class, and woke up to find that it was true.

Jan Scales: (after an assembly play in which she was the star): "I'm a smash hit! Why, yesterday during the last act, I had the audience glued to their seats!" Betty: "Wonderful! Wonderful! Clever of you to think of it!"

Dental Programs for Schools Show Good Results in State

Austin.—In checking the results achieved by school dental programs in Texas, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, announced today that such programs have proved to be highly effective in lessening the permanent teeth mortality rate, reducing it in some cases more than 75 per cent in a period of only five years.

In one city, the permanent teeth mortality rate was reduced from 24.37 per cent to 3.5 per cent in less than five years' time, with a full-time dental health program in effect.

"If the mortality rate of permanent teeth is a dependable unit of measurement in the evaluation of dental public health programs," Dr. Cox said, "it is obvious that there is unlimited value in the type of programs now carried on by the State Health Department."

Dr. Cox expressed the opinion that the increase in the volume of dentistry for children in local dentist offices was directly attributable to the influence of the school dental programs, and added that the improvement of children's attitudes as patients was very noticeable.

"I believe that as time goes on," Dr. Cox stated, "the results will be even more noticeable. As the public becomes aware of the possibilities in this field, there will be an ever-growing demand for at least some type of dental health program in every community."

Twenty reporters were present at the Casablanca conference. Their news reports to their papers totaled 70,000 words and required 30 hours to transmit to London and New York from Gibraltar.

Contractors' Notice of Texas Highway Construction

Sealed proposals for constructing 101,370 miles of Seal Coat (67,248 mi.) Double Asph. Surf. Treat. (21,919 miles) and Mixed in Place Bituminous Concrete Pavement (12,202 miles). From Cottle County line to 5 miles South; From Brazos River to Estelina; From Pease River to 0.4 miles North; From Crowell to Pease River; From Benjamin to 6.2 miles North; From Brazos River to Benjamin; From Hulver to Estelina; From Dickens to Crosby County Line; Safety Lanes at Jet. of US 82 and St. Hwy. 222; From Matador to the Cottle County line; From Wellington to Okla. St. Line; From Wheeler to 10.3 miles East; From Knox City to Munday; From Brazos River to US Hwy. 82 on Highway No. US 83, US 287, St. 285, St. 86, US 82, US 70, St. 52, St. 152, St. 222, covered by Control M 32-5-7; M 42-9-33; M 98-1-12; M 98-2-8; M 98-4-12; M 98-5-8; M 105-1-13; M 131-6-15; C 538-1-5; in King, Hall, Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Dickens, Motley, Collingsworth, and Wheeler Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 10:00 a. m., April 27, 1943, and then publicly opened and read. The Wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Table with 2 columns: Job Title and Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day). Includes Carpenter (\$8.00), Shovel or Crane Operator (8.00), Powder Man (8.00), Mechanic (8.00), Crusher Operator (4.00), Roller or Broom Operator (4.00), Distributor Driver or Operator (4.00), Tractor or Blade Operator (4.00), Truck Driver (over 1 1/2 tons) (4.00), Air Hammer or Compressor Operator (4.00), Fireman (Asphalt Plant) (4.00), Spreader Box Operator (4.00), Oiler (4.00), Truck Driver (1 1/2 tons and less) (3.20), Flagman (3.20), Unskilled Laborer (3.20), Watchman (2.80), Water Boy (2.40).

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April 15, 1943

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

Last year over 115,000,000 pieces of silver was used in the nation's arts and industries. Mail letters to the armed forces in North Africa have reached a total of 1,000,000 letters a week. Both kinds of letters sent across total 25,000,000 a week. Milk powder, sufficient to produce with the addition of water, millions of milk is now produced in shipment in 9 inch cubes. More than 1,000,000 wrongly addressed letters to men in the armed forces are received at the New York post office each week. The Census Bureau estimates that 3,000,000 babies were born in the United States last year, the greatest baby crop in the history of the nation. One of the biggest power shows is in use in strip mining coal operations near Marion, Ohio. Its ton dipper can scoop up a load of dirt in 50 seconds.

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Crowell PTA to Meet Next Tuesday

Tuesday, April 20, is the date for the next meeting of the Crowell Parent-Teacher Association. The meeting will be held at 4 p. m. in the Grammar School building with Mrs. Roy Todd as program leader.

Mrs. Leo Owens will discuss the topic "Your Community and War." The kindergarten pupils of Mrs. Q. V. Wingham will present a feature number on the program. The Speech department, under the leadership of Mrs. I. T. Graves, will also furnish a feature to the program.

Preschool mothers and friends are given an especial invitation to attend and the mothers of school children are expected to be present. A count of representation of mothers will be taken by the different rooms.

Dinner Honors Soldier Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams entertained with a lovely dinner at their home Sunday in honor of Pfc. Eddie Campbell of California and Pvt. Jesse Grimm of Arkansas.

Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm, Mrs. Bob Abston and children, Bobby Ruth and Billy, Mrs. Orville White and son, Edward, Betty Lee and Joe Howard Williams, the honor guests and the host and hostess.

COUNTY FEDERATION

The Foard County Federation met in regular session on April 2 at the Adelpian Club House with the executive board of the County Federation as hostesses.

Mrs. H. Schindler, president, was in charge of the business meeting. Mrs. T. W. Cooper was elected as a delegate to the District Conference which will meet in Amarillo on May 4 and 5. Mrs. M. S. Henry was elected alternate delegate.

The clubs represented were requested to ask every woman to take any books they would give for the soldiers to Beverly Hardware Store and they will be sent to a camp which needs them. The amount of \$5.00 was donated to the Nursing Fund of the 7th District.

An appetizing luncheon was served at noon. A splendid program was rendered and a large crowd of ladies was present. The incoming officers will be installed at the May meeting which will be held at Riverside with the ladies of the Riverside Home Demonstration Club as hostesses.

GAMBLEVILLE H. D. CLUB

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. J. C. Prosser Tuesday, April 6, with one new member, Mrs. Edward Broek, and nine members present and one visitor, Miss Katherine Meadors.

The roll call was answered by "My Part in the War." Each member had a part on the program. Mrs. Dave Solis stressed that fears are many and that there are more fears than the fear of war. Mrs. George Morgan told that the use of prayer will help in looking ahead into the future. Freedom from want of food was given by Mrs. Earl Davis. Mrs. Gay Morgan stressed the facts of freedom of speech.

Mrs. J. C. Prosser said that "we want a better world to live in, and to have it we must have victory." The Atlantic Charter was given by Mrs. Willie Garrett. Mrs. Milburn Carroll gave some facts on the world beyond the war, and said that the American people have always had nerve and always will have, true to the fact of winning the war. The report given on the 42 Tournament held at the school house Friday night, sponsored by the club, was enjoyed by a large crowd. There were \$10.05 taken in from the entrance fees.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ransom Meador, Tuesday, April 20, at 2:30.

THE VICTORY CLUB

The Victory Club met in the room of Mrs. Floyd Thomas on Tuesday, April 13. The meeting was called to order by the president. After a short business meeting, the members were entertained with a play by Mary Alice Rader.

FOARD CITY H. D. CLUB

Meeting at the home of Mrs. George Canup on April 6, the Foard City Home Demonstration Club had as guests at the all-day session, members of the West Side Club.

The program for the morning

was on the control of insects. Mrs. A. L. Davis talked on the diseases carried by rats, the most dreaded of which is bubonic plague. This disease carried by fleas leaving the dead rats and biting human beings.

Miss Elizabeth Elliott, County Demonstration Agent, told how to control insects in gardens and showed how to use the sprays to use different poisons. A good general spray is rotenone which can be used on all vegetables for all insects.

Following a covered dish dinner, Mrs. Dock Berhardt, president, conducted a brief business meeting and turned the meeting over to the program chairman, Mrs. W. B. Jones gave an interesting history of the sewing machine. Thomas Saint patented the first machine in England in 1820, but Bartholemey Thimmonier, a French tailor, was the inventor of the first real sewing machine, as we know it. His patent was dated 1830. In 1846, Elias Howe of Spencer, Mass., patented a machine. Isaac Singer should also be given credit for bringing the sewing machine into general use. Today's machines are things of beauty as well as utility, with innumerable attachments, replacing many preparations, formerly done by hand.

Mrs. Grady Halbert told the story of sewing, giving the stages through which the needle, thimble, and thread have passed in reaching today's model. Following her talk, Miss Elliott demonstrated the proper care needed for a sewing machine. She stressed the necessity of learning how to clean and do minor repairs on such machines during war times when parts are difficult to secure and mechanics too few and far between to make the repair rounds of ailing sewing machines.

Guests present for the enjoyable occasion were Mrs. Clyde Cobb, Mrs. J. W. Owens, Mrs. DeWitt Barron, Mrs. Lonnie Scott, Mrs. G. H. Kinchloe, Mrs. Roy Barker, Mrs. Carvel Thompson, Miss Evelyn Jones and Mrs. Carl Cox.

The next meeting will also be an all-day affair at the home of Mrs. Virgil Johnson.

PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN

Robert Milton Magee, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee of Crowell, has been promoted to the rank of captain at the Field Artillery Replacement Training Center of Ft. Sill, Okla., according to a special news release received by The News from the Public Relations office Tuesday.

Captain Magee received a commission in the reserve following his graduation from Texas A. & M. College in 1941, and was called to active duty Sept. 1, 1941, at Camp Grant, Ill.

At the time he was called to active duty, Captain Magee was an experimental engineer and designer for Deere & Co., Moline, Ill.

Captain and Mrs. Magee have established a home at 1812 Arlington St., Lawton, Okla.

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WAR BOND QUIZ

- Q. Can Stamps of various denominations be placed in one album?
A. More than one denomination in an album greatly increases the work and cost of redemption. Please, therefore, don't mix denominations.
- Q. May a minor designate a co-owner or beneficiary?
A. Yes, if the purchase is made by the minor from his own wages or earnings.
- Q. Do I lose my investment if my War Savings Bond is lost, stolen, or destroyed?
A. No; upon satisfactory proof of loss or destruction, the Treasury Department will issue a duplicate, usually without requiring a bond of indemnity.
- Q. May I register the name of a beneficiary on a Bond without his knowledge?
A. Yes. Records of War Savings Bonds are confidential. It is not necessary for the Treasury to contact the beneficiary during the owner's lifetime. Only individuals may be named as beneficiaries. Associations, churches, or clubs may be so named.



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All Restrictions Removed from Fencing Material

All types of fencing materials have been removed from the farm machinery rationing program, according to B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA War Board.

In making the announcement, the board explained that fencing materials now could be sold without restrictions and that applications to secure delivery would no longer be required by purchasers.

The machinery rationing program, under which approximately 75 types of farm machinery are restricted to essential needs, was put into operation several months ago in all Texas counties. Purpose of the program is to route available supplies of essential types of machinery into channels where maximum contribution will be made to agriculture's war production program.

Although removed from rationing restrictions, supplies of fencing materials still are limited and dealers are being requested to restrict sales to producers' immediate needs in order that maximum use might be obtained from the supplies now on hand.

They also are asked to limit

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sales, insofar as possible, to farmers and ranchmen for increasing production of agricultural commodities this year.



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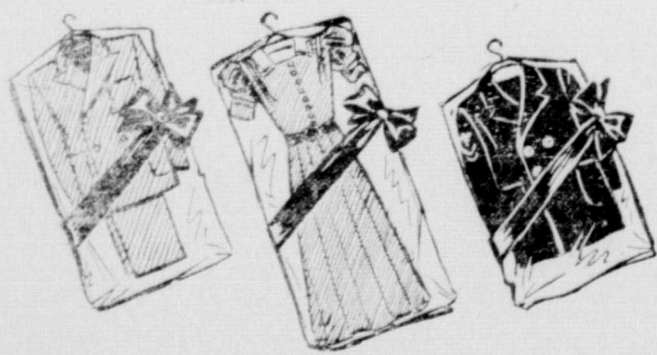
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