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## Postwar Poland as Russia Wants It



According to plans announced by Moscow this is the possible geographic outline of Poland after hostilities cease. Russia proposes a Poland's new eastern boundaries, the Curzon line, suggested by the late Lord Curzon in 1919. Solid black areas are those parts of Poland which he would retain from the line of demarcation set by the German-Russian treaty of 1939, which in other respects matches the Curzon line. Poland would be enlarged by the acquisition of East Prussia, including the Danzig corridor, and Silesia.

## Crowell Basketball Team Breaks Even at Tournament

The Crowell High School basketball team won one game and lost one at the Wichita Falls Invitation Tournament last weekend. The Wildcats defeated the Wichita Falls High School 32 to 19 in the opening game of the tournament. Debraur Paul McBeath's goal shooting and Gordon Erwin's defensive work stood out in this game. Other winners in the opening round were Vernon over Olney; Graham over Electra; and Burkburnett over Wichita Falls Boys Club. Vernon defeated the Wildcats by a 30 to 20 score in the semi-finals and went on to win the tournament by defeating Burkburnett in the finals. Bailey and Matney scored eleven and eight points, respectively for Vernon, while McBeath scored eight points for Crowell in the Vernon-Crowell game. Gordon Erwin, guard for Crowell, fouled out in this game in the first quarter. Erwin was placed on the all-tournament team by the coaches of the teams represented. He received a miniature sterling silver basketball for the honor.

The Wildcats will play a postponed game here with the Victory Field Mechanics tonight (Thursday), and will journey to Wellington for a game next Tuesday night.

The District tournament will be held here next week-end to decide the championship of district 9-A. There will be eight teams to participate in this tournament: Seymour, Holliday, Chillicothe, Archer City, Iowa Park, Munday, Valley View, and Crowell. There will be four games played Friday night, Feb. 11, two Saturday morning, and the finals Saturday night.

**Wichita Falls Game**

	FG	FT	TP
Crowell	5	3	13
McBeath, f	3	0	3
Parkhill, f	2	1	3
Wisdom, c	0	3	7
Orr, g	1	2	4
Erwin, g	0	3	3
Spears, f	1	0	2
Brook, c	0	0	0
Mason, g	0	0	0
Carter, g	0	0	0
Total	10	12	32

**Wichita Falls**

	FG	FT	TP
Rainey, f	1	0	2
Pyle, f	1	1	3
Frazee, c	1	2	4
Smith, g	0	1	1
Storrey, f	0	0	0
Jones, f	0	0	0
Ray, c	0	0	0
Tabor, g	0	0	0
Jackson, g	0	0	0
Total	3	4	10

**Vernon Game**

	FG	FT	TP
Crowell	3	2	8
McBeath, f	2	1	3
Parkhill, f	1	1	3
Wisdom, c	2	1	5
Orr, g	0	2	2
Erwin, g	0	2	2
Mason, g	0	0	0
Total	6	8	20

**Vernon**

	FG	FT	TP
Pierce, f	1	2	4
Messick, f	3	0	6
Bailey, c	4	3	11
Matney, g	4	0	8
Gaddy, g	0	1	1
Frudiger, g	0	0	0
Total	12	6	30

## Men in Service

Sgt. Clois L. Porter, son of A. P. Porter, has arrived safely overseas, according to information received Monday by Mr. Porter. Sgt. Porter is a Marine. Another son of A. P. Porter, A. J. Porter, of Portales, N. M., received a medical discharge from the service on Jan. 16. He was in the Navy and at San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. Tom Patton has received the information that her daughter, Lieut. Frances Patton had arrived safely overseas, somewhere in England.

Ray Barrow, Sea 2-C, U. S. Navy, of Corpus Christi, has been here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson. He has been transferred to Kingsville to take training as a machinist's mate.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols have had a letter from their son, Pfc. Claren W. Nichols, who has been somewhere in the South Pacific for the past ten months. He has been in combat duty for some time but is at present in a Naval Hospital for a rest. He says that he has not had any mail for three months and would be very glad to hear from his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tamplin have received a letter from their son, Pfc. J. T. Tamplin, the first news they have had of him for four months. He says that he is in good health and that he appreciated the Christmas gifts and messages sent him.

Pfc. Joe Mark Magee, who is stationed at College Station, arrived here Monday evening for a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee, and relatives and friends. He will return Friday.

Pfc. Gordie Johnson of the Lincoln Air Base, at Lincoln, Neb., is here on a 15-day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson, and family.

Cpl. Robert E. Lee has returned to Camp Stewart, Ga., after spending a 10-day furlough with his wife and small son.

A letter from Ensign Fred Gray, of the Navy Air Corps, to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Gray, says he has received two copies of The Foard County News, and also cards and letters from the Thalia Service Club, which he appreciated very much.

A V-Mail letter from Pvt. Clifford W. White to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston White, states that he is somewhere in the South Pacific and that he is well. Says that the trip has been a very pleasant one.

Cpl. Orvil H. Jones spent the latter part of last week with his mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup have received a letter from their son, Harold, who has returned to Camp Claiborne, Ark., after a furlough spent at home. He stated that he had been promoted to corporal.

Pvt. Jay W. Owens has returned to his camp after a short visit here.

Capt. Robert M. Magee of Fort Jackson, Miss., and his wife of Rock Crossing, are here this week visiting Capt. Magee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee. He is on a 15-day furlough.

Pfc. Tom Nichols of Grand Island, Neb., is here on a 15-day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nichols, and other relatives and friends.

Pfc. Elmer Nichols of the Clemson A. & M. College at Clemson, S. C., is here on a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nichols. Pfc. Nichols is a student in civil engineering under the Army Specialized Training Program.

Pfc. Venzy Vecera of Stewart Field, N. Y., and his wife and baby son of Portales, N. M., were weekend guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vecera.

1st Sgt. Wayne Canup, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup, who has been stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill., arrived here Wednesday for a visit in the home of his parents. He will be here until next Tuesday.

Ensign and Mrs. Dick Todd, who have been in Iowa City, Ia., for some time, arrived here Saturday for a visit in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Poland.

The state of Nebraska has no bonded indebtedness. It pays as it goes. When the new state house was built a number of years ago the legislature voted sufficient funds to carry on the work until it should meet again. When the state house was finished it was paid for.

## To the People of this Community

**YOU ARE IMPORTANT**  
There is no such thing as a "little" investment in the Fourth War Loan.  
Your \$25 or \$50 or \$100 Extra War Bond may not have great importance in your mind in trading up a 5 1/2 billion dollar total for individuals.  
But multiply yourself by 130,000,000 and then you see in real perspective how truly great each citizen becomes in massing national strength against the Nazis and the Japs.

Capt. Maurice Witherspoon, Navy chaplain aboard the Carrier Wasp when she sank, tells of a rescued wounded sailor, who, as he regained consciousness, asked: "Did I do my best?"  
That's the only question you, too, have to ask yourself when you decide the extent of your personal participation in the Fourth War Loan.  
There undoubtedly will be large single purchases of War Bonds in this community, but yours—if it is "your best," will deserve equally the red, white and blue shield you are privileged to display in the window of your home.  
So "Let's All Back the Attack!"  
THE EDITOR.

## Bond Sales in Fourth War Loan Drive Had Reached \$77,847.80 Sat. Afternoon, Jan. 29, with Quota of \$125,000.00

The complete tabulation of the figures on the Fourth War Loan Bond drive for Foard County up to Saturday afternoon, Jan. 29, showed that the county had sold \$77,847.80 worth of bonds. Of the quota of \$125,000 asked of the county, this amount represents about 62 per cent.

Several of the county committees have almost completed their quotas and many of them expect to exceed them by Saturday night of this week. Much credit is due the community chairman for the success of the drive thus far. They have given their time and have had their own expenses in the drive. It is to be hoped that every person in the county who is helping bonds will cooperate with them to the fullest extent.

Foard County has exceeded every War Bond quota it has been given and it must not fail this time. Foard County men are on every fighting front, some were at Iwo Jima, some were at Corregidor and we can, we will, we must, apply them with every ounce to carry on the conflict. This is the only bargain of the war, bonds, and they should be secured today.

## Mascot Mao



Tony Mao, 10-year-old Italian boy who lost his family in the bombing of Avellino, is now the mascot of American troops in the Allied Fifth Army. Tony has his own "G.I." uniform and even a hat-pint rifle. He is shown being directed on an errand by Lieut. Anderson Smith.

## Lt. Ada Beidleman, Army Nurse, on War Front in Italy

Among a group of American nurses who landed with the Fifth Army's beachhead within German lines was Lieut. Ada Beidleman, daughter of C. W. Beidleman, of Thalia, former mayor of Crowell. Lieut. Beidleman was trained and educated in Crowell.

The Associated Press news story appearing in the daily papers of Sunday states that the nurses ran ashore from their ship laughing so happily at being once more at land after harrowing experiences on the voyage from Naples. Excerpts from the dispatch follow:

"Tossed about on an LCI until most of them were seasick, shifted from one vessel to another at night, while at sea, and bombed continuously, the 21 girls were so relieved to have the voyage ended that they paid little attention to the booming guns on the front or the planes overhead. 'I did not know the ground could feel so wonderful,' said one of them.

"The nurses went immediately to the field hospital known as the Baylor University unit because most of the doctors and nurses were recruited from Baylor University.

"The night after the girls embarked for duty on the beachhead, their ship was caught in a storm and tossed about like a cork. The plight was such that the captain contacted the captain of a British tank landing ship who agreed to take them aboard his bigger ship. In the darkness, the LCI pulled alongside the LST. The British sailors tossed ropes over the side and we tied them under our arms," said Martina Tate of Arlington, Texas, "and then they hauled us over the side. There was a heavy swell and we had a hard time getting over the side of the ship. Thirty girls were so ill that they did not try to transfer.

"The girls were dressed in GI slacks and woolen shirts and it was difficult to pick them out from enlisted men as they went about their work. The girls were praised by Major E. L. Rippy, Dallas, Texas, who landed with them. He said, 'They had some pretty bad experiences, but they came through them like good soldiers and in good spirits. It is remarkable how well those girls can stand danger and hardships.'

"Several of the girls expressed themselves as being impressed by British hospitality and said that the captain, officers and crew did everything possible to make them comfortable. A number of riding planes dropped two bombs within 25 yards of the boat but they did no damage but to the girls' nerves. During a 16-hour period, there were 14 raids on the convoy but none of the ships were hit."

"Other than Lieut. Beidleman, there were several Texas girls among the group, and several from Oklahoma.

## Sgt. Glendon Hays Reported to Be German Prisoner

Mrs. H. E. Hays, who received a message from the War Department last week stating that her son, Sgt. Henry Glendon Hays had been missing in action since Jan. 11 in the European area of conflict, has received two letters and one postcard this week from short wave listeners telling her that they heard her son's voice while tuning in on a Berlin broadcast Sunday night.

One letter was from O. F. Heimer of Fort Worth, one was from Arthur A. Wiede of Lockhart and the card was from Fred C. Dannemann of Brooklyn, N. Y. The information in each communication was very much the same, that while listening to short wave broadcasts Sunday night, they had heard the voice of several boys who were prisoners in a German camp. They all failed to get the last name in Sgt. Hays case but all indicated that the person was the same and was Glendon. He stated that he had bailed out on Jan. 11 over Germany and that he was well, not wounded, was being treated well, and expressed hopes that he would be home soon. The wording of all three communications state approximately the same thing.

The letters have brought much relief to the Hays family and the host of friends who have been apprehensive concerning Sgt. Hays' welfare since the government message came. Two other sons of Mrs. Gerald Hays, who is with a medical unit in North Africa, and Sgt. Weldon E. Hays, now at Fort Worth Army Air Field.

## Infant Passes Away Thursday Morning

The infant daughter, Peggy Nell of Pfc. and Mrs. Lee J. Stout, passed away early Thursday morning shortly after its birth.

Funeral services were held at the Womack Funeral Home Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. G. O. McMillan, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. Burial was made in the Crowell cemetery. Virgil Johnson and Ted Wisdom were pall bearers.

Mrs. Stout is the former Miss Bettie Owens, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Owens of Foard City. Pfc. Stout is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker of Truscott and is stationed at Yuma, Ariz. He is now here on furlough.

## BUILDING STARTED

The addition to the building of the Brooks Food Market which will be used to take care of the frozen food locker system was started the first of the week with H. D. Poland, local contractor, supervising the work. The erection of the building may be delayed by weather conditions, but Mr. Brooks says it will be completed by the time the equipment for the locker system arrives.

## COTTON REPORT

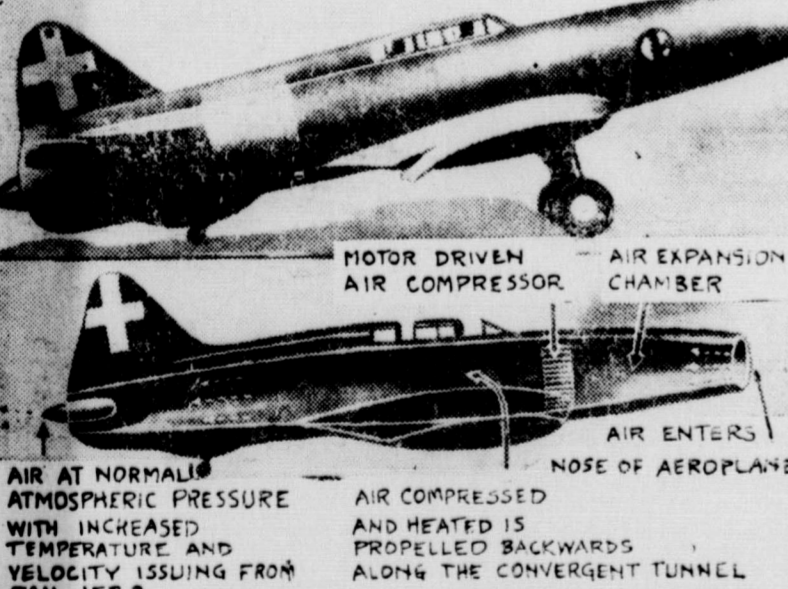
There were 8,305 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Foard County, from the crop of 1943 prior to January 16, 1944, as compared with 14,771 bales ginned in January 16, 1943, according to the Government report given The News by A. Y. Beverly, enumerator for the county.

## Natives' 3-Day Thirst Quenched by Navy



Precious water is doled out to natives on Makin island by men of the United States navy. The Japanese had prevented the natives from obtaining any water for three days before the American landing. Since our forces have invaded islands of the Gilbert group, Jap forces have retaliated only with nuisance air raids.

## Propellerless Plane Ready for Factory



View of the latest development in aircraft—the jet propulsion plane. Diagram indicates the general principle of jet propulsion. The war department announced that the plane would soon be in production.

## Red Cross to Elect Officers Friday, February 11

The annual meeting of the Foard County Red Cross will be held in the office of the County Judge, Friday, Feb. 11, at 7:30 p. m., it was announced by County Chairman George D. Self.

## Farmers Co-Op. Will Have Special Meeting Saturday Afternoon

The Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1 of Crowell has called a special meeting of the society to be held in the district court room Saturday afternoon, Feb. 5, at 2 o'clock, to vote on the renewing and extending of the charter of the corporation, it has been announced by Glen Jones, secretary.

## Self Motor Company to Give John Deere Service Show Feb. 4

George Self, John Deere dealer for this county, announced last week that he would stage a John Deere Service Show at his place of business on Friday, Feb. 4, beginning at 7:30 p. m. Farmers who attend this show will get many good ideas on the care and maintenance of their farm machinery. Mr. Self wants all the farmers in the community to attend the show.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

**Foard County Hospital**  
Patients In:  
Mrs. Lee J. Stout  
Jerry Sellers  
Virgil Greer  
Milton Williamson  
Mary Ann Gardener (col.)  
Patients Dismissed:  
Mrs. R. J. Roberts  
Dorothy Hodge  
Mrs. Horace Tole  
and infant girl  
Vance Barker  
Lee J. Stout  
Mrs. Consuelo Castillo (Mex) and infant son  
Visiting Hours: 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

## ROTARY CLUB

Herbert Edwards talked to Rotarians regarding men's wearing apparel at the Wednesday meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club with Meri Kincaid in charge of the program. Mr. Edwards gave a rather dark picture concerning the scarcity of men's clothes, with the exception of men's suits. Mr. Kincaid concluded the program with a short talk. Rotarian Vance Favor of Quanah was a visitor.

In a recent test by Ruth Flinn Harrell of Columbia University it was found that vitamin fed children were from 7 to 87 per cent more efficient than children who receive no vitamins. Tests were given in arithmetic problems, proof reading, dart throwing, etc.

Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT

(By Gaylon Parris)

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chowning were in Wichita Falls Wednesday. Bun Anthony of Carlsbad, N. M., visited here Saturday afternoon, en route to Fort Worth. Tommy Westbrook spent the week-end with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Haynie, at Munday. Mrs. Buster Collier and daughter, Pervis Keyneith, of Henrietta spent the week-end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bryant. Mr. and Mrs. Ped Davidson and daughter, Nora Lee, visited Mr. Davidson's mother at Rule, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gillespie

and sons, J. H. and Joe Edd, spent the week-end with relatives in Coleman. June Hickman spent Monday night in Crowell with Leta Jo Carroll. Brooks Chesser, who is employed at Fort Worth, is visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll and daughter, Janice, of Crowell spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Chester Pogue, and husband. Marjorie Browning of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning. Mrs. Mason Harwell of Quanah visited here Saturday afternoon. La Verne Carroll of Crowell spent the week-end with her aunt, Miss Irene Myers, here. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris visited relatives in Crowell Saturday. Mrs. P. G. Ilseng spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Olie Ilseng, at Gilliland. Mr. and Mrs. Orval Myers and daughter, Peggy Joyce, and Geo. Myers visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson at Gilliland, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carroll and daughter, Melba Jean, of Crowell visited relatives and friends here Sunday. J. T. Randolph of Crowell visited relatives here Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Callie Acker returned from Angleton Sunday, after spending the past seven weeks with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Acker, and daughter, there. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weathered, at Good Creek Sunday. Mildred Black of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Black, here. Charles Burton returned Friday after working several months on a ranch near Aspermont. Sam and Ralph Caram and Mrs. Dan Caram are visiting in Mexico. Mrs. Caddell returned Sunday after spending several days with her son, Olan Caddell, in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ohr and children visited relatives in Childress Sunday. Charlie McNeese of Slaton spent the week-end with his family here. Pfc. Lee J. Stout of Yuma, Ariz., is home on an emergency furlough. Wiley Pippin of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with his wife and daughter here. Mr. and Mrs. Caldon Boone and son, Danny, spent last week with Mrs. Boone's mother, Mrs. A. P. Smartt, here. Danny remained to stay a while with his grandmother. Bobby Spivey, who is attending N. T. S. T. C. at Denton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Spivey, of the Gilliland community. Mr. and Mrs. Ott Cash and son of Knox City spent Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Black. Mrs. J. N. Boykin, Mrs. Maida Belle Whitaker and son, Keith, and Mrs. A. P. Smartt were in Crowell Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordon of the Halsell Ranch spent the week-end with friends and relatives here. Earl Tipton, who is an instructor at Victory Field, was a week-end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning. Mary Jo Chilcoat of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, here. Mrs. Roy Killingsworth and children, who have been visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, left Friday for Paducah where they will meet Mr. Killingsworth and then go to their home in Goodwell, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown and Mrs. Billy Brown spent the week-end in Victoria, where Billy Brown is stationed. Mr. and Mrs. Granville Westbrook of Fort Worth spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Westbrook. Mrs. Charlotte Moore and children, Garrel an dBarbara, of Houston visited in the home of her brother, Edgar Jones, last week. Mrs. Moore then went on to Vernon to visit her parents, and the children remained to visit here. Lynette Chowning and Joyce Jones spent Thursday night with Sharon Sue Haney of Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. Sexton Hord and children, Raymond and Bobby, of Crowell spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hord. Patty Sue Young spent Monday night in Crowell with Doris Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll and daughter, Leta Jo, and La Verne Archer of Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crowning here. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hinds of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Spencer of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Markham and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Markham of Stamford were all guests of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie, here Sunday.

INSURANCE FIRE, TORNADO, HAIL, Etc. Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin

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EDITORIAL Hey there! Are you getting the most out of your high school subjects? Are you making plans for a career? Are you aiding the war effort in every way possible? Have you decided upon one, specific thing in which to major, and to direct your vocational training?

WHAT'S BUZZIN' Great day in the morning, everyone is so happy about it being nearly time to have those lovely three-weeks' tests. Uh, Uh!

EX-STUDENT MISSING The students and teachers of Crowell High School wish to take this opportunity to express their sympathy to Mrs. H. E. Hays and family in this time of sorrow. Glendon is a good friend of many students now in school, as well as of many who have already left CHS. Our wishes are that the next message from the U. S. Government reports his safety.

DRAMA HIGHLIGHTS The Dramatics Club, under the direction of Mrs. I. T. Graves, has begun work on the one-act play, "Andante," and members are trying out for the various parts at the present time. This play will probably be Crowell's entry in the Interscholastic League One-Act Play Contest. Watch this column for further news.

SENIORS CELEBRATE Perchance any of you lowly underclassmen happened to venture around the premises of the George Johnson's last Thursday, you would have undoubtedly seen many blazing lights within, and every sound imaginable gushing forth from the home. (Whee—what words!) Yes, my dear friends, the Seniors of '35 enjoyed a most delightful '42 party last Thursday, January 26. The occasion was to give two of the members of the class a "going-away" party. Kenneth Archer and Bill Cox were the distinguished honorees. Mention should be made also of another Senior who left recently, none other than our own Robert G. Gobin, who left to help Uncle Sam. Kenneth and Billy will leave very soon.

JUNIOR CLASS PARTY The Juniors enjoyed a party last week at the home of "Sister" Owens. Everyone had a good time playing Hearts and Forty-Two. "Sister's" phonograph and records provided music. At the close of the party, a delicious refreshment plate was served. The Juniors wish to express their thanks to their class mothers for a delightful class party.

LIBRARY NOTES The library received a number of new books the past week. The prose list is as follows: John, "From the Land of Silent People"; Geop, "Merely in Hell"; Trumbull, "The Raft"; River, "Malta Story"; Rickenbacker, "Seven Came Through"; Taggart, "My Fighting Congregation"; Halliburton, "His Life's Adventure"; White, "Queens Die Proudly"; and "They Were Expensible"; Hertzler, "The Horse and Buggy Doctor"; Paul, "The Last Time I Saw Paris"; Halliburton, "The Glorious Adventure"; Vespa, "Secret Agent of Japan"; Scribner's Sons (Publishers), "Stories of Luther Burbank"; Smith, "Last Train From Berlin"; Winston, "General MacArthur"; Grenfell, "Adrift On An Ice Pan"; Upton, "Behind the Face of Japan"; Taylor, "Chicken Every Sunday"; Holt, "George Washington Carver"; Lawson, "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo"; Scribner's (Pub.), "The Americanization of Edward Bok"; Angel, "Angel of the Navy"; Lamber, "A Yankee Doctor in Paradise"; and James, "Lone Cowboy." Two reference books were received, and they are: Meyer, "A Big Fun Book"; and Harbin, "Phunology." A list of the Fiction and Drama books will appear next week.

HOME ECONOMICS The Home Economics II and III year classes are making a hundred utility bags, fifty bedside bags, and fifty hot water bottle covers for the soldiers. The third class is making fifty toys to send to children in England. They will be sent through the Red Cross.

to be having quite a time. Roy Joe was with an ex-member of the class—Sandra Jo Bell, and Betty Johnson was with Bill Cox. Harold Canup and Mary Jo Hogan—Well, what do you know? It all happened Friday. One thing, we could not leave out, is saying something about that lovely corsage Helen Callaway was wearing Saturday night—Was Roy Joe responsible for that? Better grab him as a steady, Helen. The Army is getting them all. A car full of Thalia women were also at Vernon Saturday night. All stags. Teh! Teh! So long, boys and girls, we will bring you another bed-time story next week.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS 1. For what was Miss Ida bell, who died recently, known for? 2. General Vatutin is a hero in what army? 3. Near what city is the known Hileah race track? 4. What position under the government is held by James Byrnes? 5. In what state is the M. Academy West Point located? 6. Eric A. Johnson is president of what national organization? 7. What publication was recently barred from the mail because of the ground that it contained obscene matter? 8. In what European country is the town Pescadore? 9. What is a pig boat? 10. Where is the Cotton stadium located? (Answers on page 3).

JOKES Why is a Marine like a face towel? Because they both wipe a lot of drips off the map. Why do they call Mary "Pistol Packing Mama"? Because she is a girl with bangs! Visitor (at airport): "Hello, soldier, do you ever have trouble with that parachute?" Paratrooper: "Yes, once when I jumped I came down in a place marked, 'Keep Off the Grass.'" "Sister Mary," said one bachelor girl to another, "would a long stocking hold all you want for Christmas?" "No, Molly," said the older girl, "but a pair of socks would."

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Items from Neighboring Communities

**MARGARET**  
(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe and Mrs. Bruce, and her niece, Miss Electra Johnson, visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

Jack Wilson of Wichita Falls visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Anita Wesley and a friend of Wichita Falls visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Jo Godwin of Crowell visited Miss Leota Murphy Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter and children, Eloise and Dianne, of Quannah visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. McCurley went to children Monday to visit her mother, W. C. Darnell, who is very seriously ill. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. C. Allen, who returned that day. Mrs. McCurley returned Sunday with her husband and O. Allen, who visited there.

are improved after having been ill with flu several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Y. Long of Pampa came Monday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Lee Wright and family. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Allen also of Pampa, who are visiting relatives at Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Payne and children, Don and Marion, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Minyard and family of Crowell visited his sister, Mrs. George Wright, and family Sunday.

**THALIA**  
(By Minnie Wood)

Mrs. Ethel Hasselvander of Wichita Falls is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. McBeath.

Mrs. Ed Payne is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Main, and family in New Mexico.

G. C. Phillips visited his son, Raymond Phillips, and family in Fort Worth a few days last week.

Charlie Lawhorn of San Diego, Calif., visited Clyde Self and family a few days last week.

ily here a few days last week. He had been visiting in Sunset on account of the illness of his father, Sam Lawhorn.

Anton Payne has returned to California where he is stationed in the Navy, after several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mints here.

R. J. Mints made a business trip to Levelland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler left Saturday for South Texas on account of Mrs. Wheeler's health.

Fvt. Robert C. Sims of Amarillo visited his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims, here last week-end.

Cpl. Harold Banister of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister, here Sunday.

Oran Chapman of Amarillo accompanied his mother home and visited here a few days last week.

Mrs. Travis McKinley of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble, here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cates of Tulsa, Okla., visited his father, Ed Cates, here last week-end.

Martin Jones of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, here Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mixon in the Vernon hospital, January 25, a boy. Mrs. Mixon was formerly Miss Jonnie Ruth Wisdom of this place.

Mrs. W. G. Chapman has returned home from several weeks' visit with her son, Oran Chapman, and family in Amarillo. She also visited her sister, Mrs. C. W. Roberts, and family in Clayton, N. M.

Elmer Dunn visited his brother, Arlie Dunn, and family in Pampa last week-end.

Ed Payne of Fort Worth visited here a few days last week.

C. B. Morris and family of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Green of Grand Prairie visited in the J. M. Jackson home here last week-end.

The Baptist ladies entertained the Methodist ladies in the home of Mrs. G. A. Shultz Monday afternoon in a social. Twenty-six ladies attended. Those attending were: Mesdames H. W. Gray, J. C. Jones, E. S. Flesher, Norman Gray, R. L. Hart, E. V. Cato, M. H. Jones, Sim V. Gamble, Royce Cato, Walter Ramsey, H. Brown, J. F. Matthews, Lee Whitman, J. L. Rennels, E. J. McKinley, Joe Johnson, C. H. Wood, W. G. Chapman, M. C. Adkins, Marlin Woodson, S. R. Sims, W. J. Long, I. M. Shultz, Miss Minnie Wood, Mrs. Jonnie Gamble of Crowell and the hostess. Refreshments were served.

G. B. Neill, who is in the Navy and stationed in Farragut, Idaho, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Reed Johnson of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, here last week-end.

An announcement has been received here of the birth of a son, James Michael, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Weber, in San Antonio on Jan. 23. Mrs. Weber was formerly Miss Betty Ruth Miller of this place.

**Judge Sarah Hughes Makes Plea for Women to Join Armed Forces**

Dallas, Feb. 11.—"Women of Texas can save much of the suffering of American prisoners of war in Japanese prison camps."

"By enlisting as Air Wacs or for service in uniform with the Army ground forces or the Navy or Marines, women can add to the overall strength of the armed forces. Thus they will shorten the war by weeks or months and prevent the suffering and death of untold numbers of men captured or fighting on the battlefields of the war."

The above statement was made Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow and daughter, Mildred.

Pvt. Harold Canup of Camp Coffee, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup of Crowell were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar Thursday night.

**RIVERSIDE**  
(By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and family spent Sunday visiting Gilroy Rummel and family of Wellington.

Ida Mae Hudgones of Amarillo has been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. B. Farrar, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock and family spent Saturday night with Mrs. Veatrice Brock of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble left Thursday for a few days' visit with their daughter, Mrs. Forrest Durham, and husband of Anton, Vaughn, and family of Farmers Valley, Sunday.

John Matus and family were guests of Edd Jekel and family of Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Bradford was returned to her home from a Vernon Hospital Monday, where she had been taken for medical treatment.

Mrs. Otis Claxton and family returned to their home at Abilene Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis of Vernon were dinner guests of T. C. Pope and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Motl, of Bomarton Sunday.

Mrs. Loyd Whitten and son, Michael, of Crowell are visiting in the homes of R. G. Whitten and Herschell Butler.

Mrs. Herreald Scales and small son of Vernon spent Sunday night and Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scales.

Mrs. Johnnie Gamble of Crowell spent Sunday night in the Joe Johnson home.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and son, Charles, of Thalia, Rev. Griffith of Olton were dinner guests of Cap. Adkins and family Saturday.

Mrs. H. B. Lewis and small son are visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis, of Vernon.

Mrs. Allie Huntley spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughter, Emma, and Mrs. Herman Gloyna and family. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher, and Ewald Schroeder were supper guests of Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughter, Emma, Thursday night.

today by Judge Sarah Hughes of Dallas, who added that "if ever women could be convinced of the vital need for their enlistment in the armed forces, the horror story of abuse and murder of American prisoners of war in Japanese camps should bring them to their sense of duty."

Judge Hughes said civilian women and men should realize that every skill or ability contributed to the armed forces will help that much to shorten the war. "It may have been difficult for the average of us to think of our own responsibilities as long as the war seemed far away. But now that we have learned that our men are being wontonly abused and murdered by the Japanese in violation of every international code, we should take our responsibility seriously and personally."

Judge Hughes, outstanding woman judge of the Fourteenth District Court, urged Texas women to respond immediately to the call of all the armed services.

"Texas men have led the country in volunteering for service. It is time for Texas women to join them," Judge Hughes said.

(Questions on page 2).

1. As a writer, especially for her book on Lincoln and her articles on John D. Rockefeller and the old Standard Oil Co.
2. In the Russian Army.
3. Near Miami, Florida.
4. Director of War Mobilization.
5. New York.
6. United States Chamber of Commerce.
7. The Esquire Magazine.
8. Italy.
9. A submarine.
10. Dallas, Texas.



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<b>Bacon</b> SWIFT'S SLICED Lb <b>33c</b>	<b>Picnic Hams</b> Lb <b>19c</b>
<b>Sausage</b> PURE PORK Lb <b>25c</b>	<b>Grapefruit</b> 6 for <b>25c</b>
<b>Bacon</b> DRY SALT Lb <b>19c</b>	<b>Lemons</b> SUNKIST Dozen <b>23c</b>

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**FOARD CITY**  
(Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly, Mrs. Glen Shook and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mrs. Roy Ferguson in the Vernon Hospital last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Callaway and children went to Sherman Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. P. H. Autry, who will visit relatives at Gainesville.

Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jobe of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly, Mrs. Jess Autry, Mrs. Lee Lefevre and Mrs. Luther Marlow visited Mrs. Roy Ferguson in the Vernon Hospital Friday.

J. Vance Barker was brought home from the hospital at Crowell last Thursday.

Mrs. Bryant Johnson visited her mother, Mrs. H. E. Hays, of Crowell Thursday night.

Mrs. Roy Ferguson was brought home from the Vernon Hospital Friday.

Miss Evelyn Barker spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Callaway and family of Crowell.

Cpl. James Jobe of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jobe of Paducah, Mrs. J. L. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Manning and children, Marshall and Lucille Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Manning and daughter, Carla, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Wallace and daughters, Edna Ruth and Jolene, of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson and Jim Marlow spent

**RAYLAND**  
(By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

Mrs. Bill Barrett and daughters, Lou Anne and Doris, visited her brother, T. C. Davis, and family Sunday.

Pvt. Edward Lewis Clark of Sheppard Field visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Singleton and children of Gallicoth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis.

Jimmy Lee Lyles is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wilson announce the birth of a baby daughter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawson and daughter spent Sunday in Vernon visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers.

**NOTICE**

A special meeting of all members of the Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1 has been called by the president to be held in the district court room, Saturday, Feb. 5, 1944, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The purpose of this meeting is to vote upon renewing and extending the Charter of the Corporation which has expired.

You are urged to be present.

**GLENN JONES, Secretary,**  
Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1.

**FREE BOND MOVIE DAY**

In co-operation with the Fourth War Loan campaign, this theatre is putting on a

**"FREE BOND MOVIE DAY"**

Wednesday, February 9,

and the picture for this occasion will be "Lassie Comes Home"—MGM.

"Free Bond Movie Day" means that anyone who buys a Series E Bond during the Fourth War Loan, which ends Feb. 15, will be admitted free on this day—Wednesday, February 9.

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For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call.—Acts 2:39.

Boy Scout Birthday

Will it be possible, after the war ends, to create a world brotherhood among men, dedicated to peace, without sacrificing love of one's own country?

Everyone acquainted with Scouting, which next week celebrates its 34th anniversary in America, knows that the answer is yes.

Not everybody likes world brotherhood, Adolf Hitler on coming to power, abolished Scouting in every occupied country.

It takes better boys today to build a better world tomorrow. The success of the Scout movement, in America and in other United Nations, proves that the principles of Scouting will triumph in the end.

It might be well for those inclined to chafe at the restraints imposed by rationing and the difficulty sometimes experienced in getting common items, to remember that, difficult as times may become, we are still the most favored people on earth.

HISTORY

February 22 — Washington's Birthday. The first celebration of Washington's birthday occurred at Valley Forge in the winter of 1778 when the band of the Fourth Continental Artillery marched to the headquarters and serenaded the Commander.

Recently it was reported that a high government official stated that the strikes in this country whipped up the lazing morale of the Axis powers and would result in a longer war and greater casualties.

It isn't difficult to imagine that the Russians at home get a lot of pleasure out of reading the news from the battle front these days.

Political Announcements

- For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. L. DAVIS
For County Attorney: FOSTER DAVIS
For District and County Clerk: J. A. STOVALL
For County Treasurer: MRS. R. S. CARROLL, RUTH MARTS TATE, MARGARET CURTIS
For Commissioner, Precinct 1: A. B. WISDOM
For Commissioner, Precinct 2: JOE JOHNSON
For Commissioner Precinct 3: VIRGIL JOHNSON
For Commissioner Precinct 4: OTIS GAFFORD
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: H. E. FERGESON

The overwhelming majority of our people have met the demands of this war with magnificent courage and understanding. They have accepted inconveniences, they have accepted hardships, they have accepted tragic sacrifices.

What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

Without question the biggest piece of news coming out of Washington since President Roosevelt's declaration of the bank holiday the day after he was sworn into office something like ten years ago, was the President's call for a Universal Draft law in his recent message to Congress.

The call for such a law constituted big news for a number of reasons. It came as a complete surprise. Not even the President's closest friends had even an inkling that the President would come out with such an announcement.

It was big news because it came on the eve of a political campaign when prospective and receptive candidates for office give as wide berth as possible to every highly controversial matter and especially matters that it is known will meet with the opposition of the labor group.

President Roosevelt's approval to such a bill accomplished at one stroke several things. It revealed that the President possesses a high courage in the face of wide opposition and protest.

The announcement revealed that the President feels that labor whose cause he has always championed, has shown a let down in the matter of co-operation in his effort to win the war quickly.

There is no valid criticism that can be offered against the proposed law. Stripped of all political fog and group prejudice it simply means that this country should have as much right to control the labor of the man who stays at home in the security and safety of the home land far removed from the danger of war.

Singularly enough no announcement was ever made by any president that met with more instant approval the country over than the Universal Draft. It's obvious fairness, justice, and equity, appeal to every non-prejudiced thinker.

Whatever the immediate reaction to the President's proposal is, I am predicting a Universal Draft law, if not now, later, when the boys in the service come home and take their places, as they will in Congress, and in the seats of authority throughout the nation.

Your Horoscope

January 31, Feb. 1.—You make up your mind often very hastily, and frequently change it. You are hospitable, entertaining, and generally fond of pets.

February 2, 3.—You are an able salesman and would make a good promoter, as you can sell stock certificates as fast as they are printed.

February 4, 5, 6.—You are a fairly good financier, though often given to "kite-flying." Your economical tendencies is your safety valve.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A cork soaked in hot water will fit a bottle for which it was too large when dry. Nails and screws are much easier to drive if rubbed over a cake of soap first.

Fifty years ago the nation's population was 63 million.

30 YEARS AGO IN THE NEWS

Items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of The News of Jan 30, 1914:

The long board walk to the public school building will soon be completed.

The home of M. L. Bird in the Orient Heights burned to the ground at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. No one was at home at the time of the fire.

The News man, in company with G. A. Mitchell and Silas Moore, drove over to Thalia Friday, the editor to get acquainted with some of his good Thalia subscribers, the other two to meet the voters of that locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramsel leaves this week for Mart, Texas, where they will reside indefinitely. Mr. Ramsel having associated himself with C. W. Cecil in the mercantile business in that city.

"Uncle" Dan Morrison, well known in Crowell and Foard County, died at Truscott at an advanced age. Mr. Morrison has been in bad health for a number of years.

R. T. Owens, one of our highly valued subscribers of the Margaret community, was here Wednesday and renewed his subscription to The News.

J. C. Harrison, who claims to be the longest regular subscriber to The News, called Monday to renew. Mr. Harrison has been a regular reader of The News for nineteen years.

Mrs. Wade O'Neal, who has been here for several weeks, left for her home at Texline Thursday. Mrs. Wells accompanied her to Chillicothe.

Dr. Hines Clark attended the medical convention which met at Clarendon last week.

AGRICULTURE

(D. F. Eaton, County Agent.)

Farm Organizations. This is written to call attention to a district meeting of the Texas State Farm Bureau meeting to be held Thursday, Feb. 10, at Wichita Falls.

Some have indicated a desire to attend this meeting, if there are others, we will be glad to join them or any others who care to make this trip.

The policy of the extension service is to act as an educational agency only in co-operating with any organized agricultural group. There is no doubt that the National and State Farm Bureau organization is sound and are doing an intensive and effective service to agriculture.

They have sponsored every worthwhile farm program that has been before the congress and state legislature within the past several years and have fought the battles for agriculture's share in the national income.

So we do not hesitate to say that they deserve the active support of every progressive farmer in this country. At any rate it is worth investigating and we are willing to give one day to attend this meeting.

Plant Hybrid Corn For Greater Yields

Planting hybrid corn this year will give Foard County farmers an opportunity to make production more profitable as well as increase the feed supply.

According to the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, this new type of corn is more productive than ordinary varieties. Accordingly, on the basis of 20 per cent average increased yield the total annual production in the state easily could be enlarged several million bushels if native types were replaced with good strains of Texas hybrid corn on a more productive land.

There is an important difference between native and hybrid corn seed which farmers should keep clearly in mind. Hybrid produces its maximum yield the first year only. Consequently new seed must be planted each year if full production is to be maintained.

Whoever in prayer can say, "Our Father," acknowledges and should feel the brotherhood of the whole race of mankind.—Tryon Edwards.

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experimental tests and on demonstrations, growing of hybrid corn now is developing rapidly. Last year the demand for seed exceeded the supply, and according to reports it looks as though it again will be short.

Among characteristics of Texas hybrid corn other than greater yield are (1) the stalk and type of ears are very uniform; (2) the stalks stand up straight and are not blown over as easily.

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W. P. BRAND COFFEE 1-Lb Package 18

SARDINES Tall Can 15

SWIFT'S JEWEL SHORTENING 4 Lb. Cart. 75

JAM Pure Grape 2 Lb Jar 45

35c Dozen in Trade for EGGS

Kraft's DINNER 3 Pkgs 25

AMBASSADOR TISSUE Per Roll 5

DURKEE'S OLEOMARGARINE Lb 22

JOWLS Dry Salt Lb 14

Pork ROAST (Shoulder) Lb 25

LEGER'S BEST FLOUR 50 Lb Bag \$2

Veal LOAF MEAT Lb 25

EGGS 35c In Trade

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WHO IS MAKING THE GREATEST SACRIFICE?



The woman who gives up buying a new fur coat and buys several \$100 War Bonds with the money, or...



... the kid who gave his life for this country? Think that one over before you say, "I can't afford more War Bonds."

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# LOCALS

**End tables, \$1.85. Radio tables, \$2.78.**—W. R. Womack.

**Mrs. H. C. Roark and daughter, Anne, spent several days of last week in Wichita Falls.**

**Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Johnson have returned from a stay of several weeks in San Antonio.**

**Just arrived—clothes closets, double door type.**—W. R. Womack.

**John Banister of Tulsa was here to spend the week-end visiting his sister, Mrs. Charlie Wishon, and family.**

**Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wright in Vernon Sunday afternoon.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flesher spent Sunday in Wichita Falls visiting Mr. Flesher's sister, Mrs. T. J. Roberts, who is ill in a hospital there.**

**Gas cook stove, a permanent size now in stock.**—W. R. Womack.

**Ralph Flesher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flesher, left Tuesday for College Station, where he will enter A. & M. College.**

**Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter and two daughters and son, of Daltart, visited recently in the home of Mr. Carter's mother, Mrs. Pearl Carter.**

**Mrs. Tom Abston and Mrs. Hays Abston of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rader and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kamstra, Monday afternoon.**

**Mrs. Ralph Burrow and two little daughters, Mary Margaret and Janis, of Big Spring, spent the week-end visiting in the home of Mrs. Burrow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Roark, and Mr. Burrow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burrow.**

**Metal chick feeders.**—W. R. Womack.

**Miss Wilma Nichols of Shreveport, La., is at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nichols.**

**Mrs. D. F. Eaton spent the week-end in Levelland visiting her daughters. She went with Miss Elizabeth Elliott, who visited her parents in Lubbock.**

**Odd chest of drawers, beds, chairs and tables.**—W. R. Womack.

**Mrs. Ed Mechell and daughter and Mrs. Gilbert Lankford and daughter, visited their sister, Mrs. W. F. Box, in Wichita Falls, last week.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Grover G. Crowell of Rising Star spent from Sunday until Tuesday morning here visiting Mr. Crowell's mother, Mrs. N. A. Crowell, and family.**

**Garden tools. Buy now.**—W. R. Womack.

**Mr. and Mrs. William Curtain of Tulsa, Okla., spent from Tuesday until Friday of last week visiting in the home of Mrs. Curtain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cook. Mr. Cook, who has been ill for a number of weeks, remains quite ill at his home here.**

**Mrs. John Bowley and baby daughter, Bettie, of Little Rock, Ark., arrived here Monday last week for a visit with Mr. Bowley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, of the Vivian community. Her husband, Lieut. John Bowley, is somewhere in England.**

**Shower curtains, several colors.**—W. R. Womack.

**Miss Evelyn Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans of Vivian, will leave tomorrow for Washington, D. C., where she will be employed in the General Accounting Office. Her sister, Miss Margaret Evans, is residing in Washington and is in the government employ. Miss Evelyn Evans has been in Lubbock for several months as book-keeper for a Garage there.**

**Mrs. Pearl Keese, who has been visiting her daughter in Memphis, has returned to Crowell where she makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Martin Kamstra, another daughter, and family.**

**Harvey Crossnoe returned from Dallas last Friday where he has been employed for the past four months. He expects to remain here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Crossnoe.**

**Representative Claude Callaway left Wednesday for Austin. Mr. Callaway is a member of the educational committee of the Texas Legislature and was called to Austin in connection with this work.**

**Mrs. James A. Joy, and five-month-old baby daughter, Pamela Kaye, who have been in BattleCreek, Mich., for some time with Capt. Joy, who has been stationed there, arrived here Tuesday for a visit with Capt. Joy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Joy.**

**Mr. and Mrs. John Cope of Lubbock spent Tuesday night in Crowell on the return from a trip to Dallas and Fort Worth. They were accompanied by Mrs. N. J. Roberts, who visited her son, Dr. Tom Ray Roberts, and sister, Miss Leona Young.**

**Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Stephens and small daughter, Claudette, of Mobile, Ala., will leave for their home today after visiting here with Mrs. Stephens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway, and other relatives. Mr. Stephens is in the Coast Guard.**

**Mrs. Crockett C. Fox, who has been in McCook, Neb., for several weeks to be with her husband, who has been stationed there, arrived here Wednesday to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson, and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeibig and daughter, Mrs. Nora Carl DeJanette, went to Olden, Texas, Saturday to take Mrs. Zeibig's mother, Mrs. J. L. Glover, who will make her home with another daughter, Mrs. W. A. McMullan. Mrs. Glover has been a resident of Crowell for a long period of years and has many friends here.**

**A baby girl, Carra Pualette, was born to Pfc. and Mrs. Cecil W. Driver in the Quannah hospital Sunday morning, Jan. 30. Mrs. Driver is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Adams. Pfc. Driver is stationed at the Lubbock Army Flying Field at Lubbock and is on a ten-day leave to be with his wife and baby.**

**Miss Sandra Jo Bell is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown. She was graduated from the High School at Hobbs, N. M., in December and will enter the University of Texas soon. She has been in Fort Worth visiting her mother, Mrs. Pete Bell, who is employed at Consolidated Aircraft there.**

**Many of the girls enlisted in the various branches of the service are going in for tattoo marks even as the men in the Navy. Instead of employing the usual designs well known among sailors, girls of the WAC's, WAVES, SPARS and others are going in for the individual markings of their units.**

## Sympathetic Admiral



Wearing a marine dungaree suit, Adm. William F. Halsey, south Pacific force commander, visits a sand-bag hospital on Bougainville and chats with marine Pfc. Emanuel Caruso who is recovering from an appendectomy. Halsey recently had a similar experience.

## TOWN and FARM

(A weekly news digest prepared by the OWI rural press section.)

**RATION REMINDER**

**Gasoline.**—In 17 east coast states A-8 coupons are good through February 8, and A-9 coupons become good February 9 and remain good through May 8. In states outside the east coast area A-10 coupons are good through March 21.

**Tire Inspection.**—For A coupon holders, deadline is March 31. For B and C coupon holders, deadline is February 28.

**Sugar.**—Stamp No. 39 in book four is good for five pounds through March 31. Stamp No. 40 in book four is good for five pounds of canning sugar through February 28, 1945.

**Shoes.**—Stamp No. 18 in book one is good for one pair. Stamp No. 1 on the Airplane sheet in book three is good for one pair.

**Fuel Oil.**—Period 2 coupons are good through February 7 in all areas except the South. Period 3 coupons, now valid in the Middle West, East, Far West and South, remain good through March 13 in the Middle West, East and Far West, and through February 21 in the South. Periods 4 and 5 coupons, now valid in the South, remain good through September 30.

**Meats Fats.**—Brown stamps V and W good through February 28.

**Processed Foods.**—Green stamps G, H and J in book four are good through February 20. Green stamps K, L and M are good through March 20.

**Income Tax.**—Deadline for filing returns, March 15, earlier filing is desirable.

**To Determine Tax You Owe**

As soon as wage earners get their wage and tax receipts from employers they should make out their annual income and victory tax returns to determine how much, if any, tax they must pay by March 15, the deadline for filing, the Treasury Department advises. Some wage earners will owe a substantial amount, many will owe a small figure, and others will get refunds.

**Sets Maximum Vegetable Prices**

To prevent sharp increases in fresh vegetable prices, the Office of Price Administration has announced maximum prices for carrots, spinach, peas, snap beans, eggplant, peppers and cucumbers. The action, effective at the country shipper level, January 31, will become effective 15 days later at wholesale markets. Exact retail prices in each community will be announced by the regional and district OPA offices.

**Canning Sugar Now Available**

Housewives may now get five pounds of canning sugar by using stamp No. 40 in ration book four, OPA has announced, and additional canning sugar later will be available on application to local boards. Stamp No. 40 will be good 13 months, through February 28, 1945.

**Farm Support Price Program**

Average prices to egg producers ranging from a low of about 30 cents a dozen during the spring to a high of about 40 cents

Every county in the United States has Red Cross Home Service coverage. Seventy-seven percent of the Red Cross chapter headquarters in the United States are located in communities having a population under ten thousand.

## GENERAL INSURANCE

There's No Rationing of Insurance  
However there has been no Rationing of Hazards! In fact, it appears that many of them have increased since the war.

If insurance is worth buying, it's more than worthwhile to carry an Adequate amount. Drop in for a chat. We'll gladly discuss your insurance problems with you.

**Leo. Spencer**  
Office North Side of the Square. Phone 83-M

a dozen in late fall or early winter are planned by the War Food Administration in its price support program for carlot graded eggs for 1944. WFA also announced its proposal for support prices on other farm products, subject to congressional action.

**May Tighten Farm Deferment**

To maintain their deferments from military service because of their agricultural activity, the 1,700,000 registrants engaged in agriculture may be asked to increase production goals, according to Commander Patrick H. Winston, assistant executive selective service system. Approximately one million of these deferred men are non-farmers.

**To Relocate Physicians, Dentists**

Any municipality, county, or other local subdivision of government suffering from an acute shortage of physicians or dentists may now apply to the Surgeon General or the district office of the U. S. Public Health Service or through the State Health Officer requesting the relocation of a physician or dentist. The Public Health Service agrees to pay moving costs and to pay the relocated doctor \$250 a month for the first three months. The doctor agrees to practice in the community for not less than one year, and the community agrees to contribute one-fourth the government's cost to the Public Health Service.

**Help For Truck Owners**

Owners of farm trucks and other truck operators are requested by the Office of Defense Transportation to co-operate in a reporting system which the ODT has established to help truck and bus operators with their tire procurement problems. Any operator eligible for tires but unable to obtain a tire certificate from his local rationing board because of exhausted quotas or other reasons, is asked to report that fact to his ODT district office, stating the reason given by the board for the denial of the certificate. This information will enable the ODT to determine the kind of action to be taken, if assistance is warranted.

**Ration-Free Rubber Footwear**

OPA will permit some ration-free sales of rubber footwear by retailers and jobbers who have excess and slow-moving stocks that otherwise might be wasted through deterioration. Retailers and jobbers desiring permission for such sales must apply in writing to OPA district offices. A minimum of 15 days will be required between filing of application and granting of "non-rationed" stickers, which identify the released footwear.

**Round-Up**

U. S. civilians will get 63 per cent of the vitamin A allocation in 1944, WFA says, as the army gets most of its vitamins through a balanced diet. Burn any

packing material that comes with gifts from soldiers abroad to avoid insect pests and plant diseases, advises the Department of Agriculture. The department also advises that started chicks, three or four weeks old, have better chances of survival for the poultry beginner than newly hatched chicks have. With the largest winter cabbage crop in history, WFA has asked the kraut industry to make 80,000 more tons of kraut. Total U. S. war casualties as announced up to January 25 were 142,289—including 32,662 dead, 47,125 wounded, 32,699 missing, and 29,805 prisoners of war. In general, ration cost of meats is higher and of canned vegetables, lower during February—WFA has ordered packers to set aside at least 80 per cent of all canners and cutter beef for the U. S. armed forces. Prices of fresh tongue range from four to five cents less per pound under recent OPA regulation than under the previous regulation. Farmers and other bulk users of gas-oil may replace losses from their storage facilities resulting from fire, theft, accident, or other extraordinary circumstances, under a new OPA procedure—WFA will soon release approximately 4,000 cases or 120,000 pounds of dry pea or soy-a soup powder from government reserves to civilian consumers. The farm freezer industry advisory committee has recommended to WPE that 25,000 farm freezers, combining cold storage and freezing elements, be made and distributed in 1944.

## Livestock Production Improvement Contest Sponsored by WTCC

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which last November closed its inter-community War and Preservation contest with award of \$1,000 in cash prizes, this week has launched another. Entries have been invited from all West Texas counties.

The new inter-county Agricultural and Livestock Production and Improvement contest will be conducted by two of the regional chamber's commissions. They are the Postwar Economy and Planning commission, C. W. Meadows of San Angelo, chairman, and the Agricultural and Livestock Commission headed by Winfield Holbrook of Plainview. WTCC President M. C. Ulmer described the contest as "a plan, both war and postwar, both urban and rural, starting at the seat of our wealth and economy—the land." Overall objectives, Ulmer said, are "conservation, protection, perpetuation and fullest possible utilization of our West Texas land resources, with increased, balanced and higher quality production from our farms and ranches—all to promote the doing of that which we are most capable of doing with our resources, facilities, skill and experience."

**To Aid Junior Work**

The contest will run initially through two crop years. The \$1,000 prize fund will be split four ways and awarded at the WTCC's 1945 convention to be impounded, however, by winning counties for use in junior agricultural work only. Then, with termination of the two years of competition, additional credit will be given for the development of a continuing, five-year plan, with the regional chamber setting up another fund for award at its convention in 1948.

Under the county unit plan contest entries will be made by Chambers of Commerce within a county, through agricultural planning boards created by the chambers. The boards will be composed of active farmers and stockmen, county agents, AAA directors, vocational teachers and chambers of commerce officials. The town groups will act in an advisory and research capacity. The WTCC commission will provide staff and technical services in organizing a county's entry and start into competition. When the planning boards are organized and a preliminary survey completed in contest Section 2—that on production activities—the commissions will issue certificates of award to enter Chambers of Commerce reciting that these requirements have been met.

The contest will be conducted under three divisions, each consisting of a county survey, a plan, and a program of activities. Among the competitive activities and objectives will be increased farm units and farm ownership; improved farm-to-market roads; extension of rural electrification; terracing and erosion control campaigns; insect and parasite plant growth extermination; working for increased crop allotments with reinstatement of federal control; planting campaigns to stimulate balance and leadership of crops best suited to the county; formation of cotton and livestock improvement associations; and carrying on the West Texas campaign for freight rate parity with other territories in movement of crops and livestock.

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Want to know whether you're qualified for a special kind of Army job—whether you'd serve with the Air, Ground, or Service Forces—whether you could be assigned to the part of the country in which you enlist?

TODAY—get full details at the nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station (your local post office will give you the address). Or write to: The Adjutant General, Room 4415, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

**News for you about the WAC**

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**Tires and Tubes Vulcanized**

Can send your tires off for recapping.

**R. A. COOPER TIRE SHOP**

**CANDIDATE CARDS**

The News has a good supply of Candidate Cards in stock now and ready to supply candidates with all the cards they need on short notice.

Place your order now and the cards will be ready any time you need them.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES**

We have a good stock of office supplies: Mimeograph stencils, typewriter ribbons, large receipt books, Mephisto pencils, ledger sheets, two sizes; letter files, file folders, two sizes; legal pads, filing trays, 3x5 cards and 4x6 cards; typewriter carbon paper, 8 1/2 x 11, and 8 1/2 x 14, also pencil carbon, any size; stamp pads, all colors, and many other items.

We also have Tot staplers and several thousand staples.

**THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS**



We can't win the war without the navy; our soldier can't win unless our ships deliver; merchant ships can't deliver unless the home front provides. One important job is flashing signals as this youth is doing in the Battle of the Atlantic. Your equally important job is to continue buying War Bonds until victory. U. S. Treasury Department

**Texas Truckers Need to Bring Recapping Up to National Average**

Danger of large numbers of Texas trucks being laid up on account of lack of tires was stressed here today by W. W. Leigh, assistant to the rubber director, Washington. Unless truck and bus operators of this state pay more attention to proper loading and speeds and especially to recapping tires, many will find themselves without tires in the next few months, he said.

At a meeting of truck operators and representatives of the Office of Defense Transportation and Office of Price Administration, the Washington official called attention to the fact that only 33 tires have been recapped in recent months in Texas for every 100 new tires issued. The national average is 65.4, he said. New York's average is approximately 88 and Minnesota's more than 100.

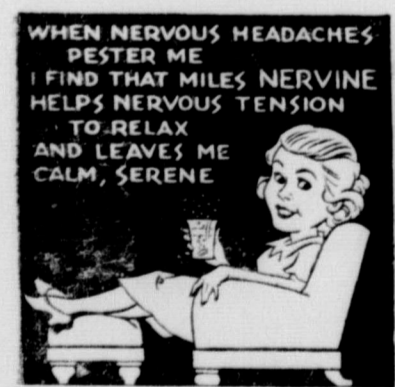
Truck operators blamed lack of manpower for failure to take tires to recappers when worn smooth. "You people of Texas must practice conservation as you never have before," the Washington official said. "Used tires have been shipped into Texas to keep cars going but I tell you now the supply is vanishing."

If Texans would bring their recapping up to the national average, it would effect a saving of 25,000 tires a month in the Dallas region," Leigh said. He pointed out that even the Army does not get all the tires it wants.

"There are more than 20 million truck tires on the road," he said. "It's up to the users of those tires to conserve them if we keep rolling." District Maintenance Advisory Committees, organized among representatives of the transportation industry and working without pay in co-operation with the ODT, are conducting drives to get truck operator to send tires to recappers at the proper time to obtain mileage that would be lost in continued use of smooth tires.

Families of servicemen discharged for disabilities may apply to Red Cross for financial assistance if needed during the temporary period while claims for pensions are pending.

Our boys must keep on fighting—we must keep on buying WAR BONDS until victory is won. Keep on BACKING THE ATTACK



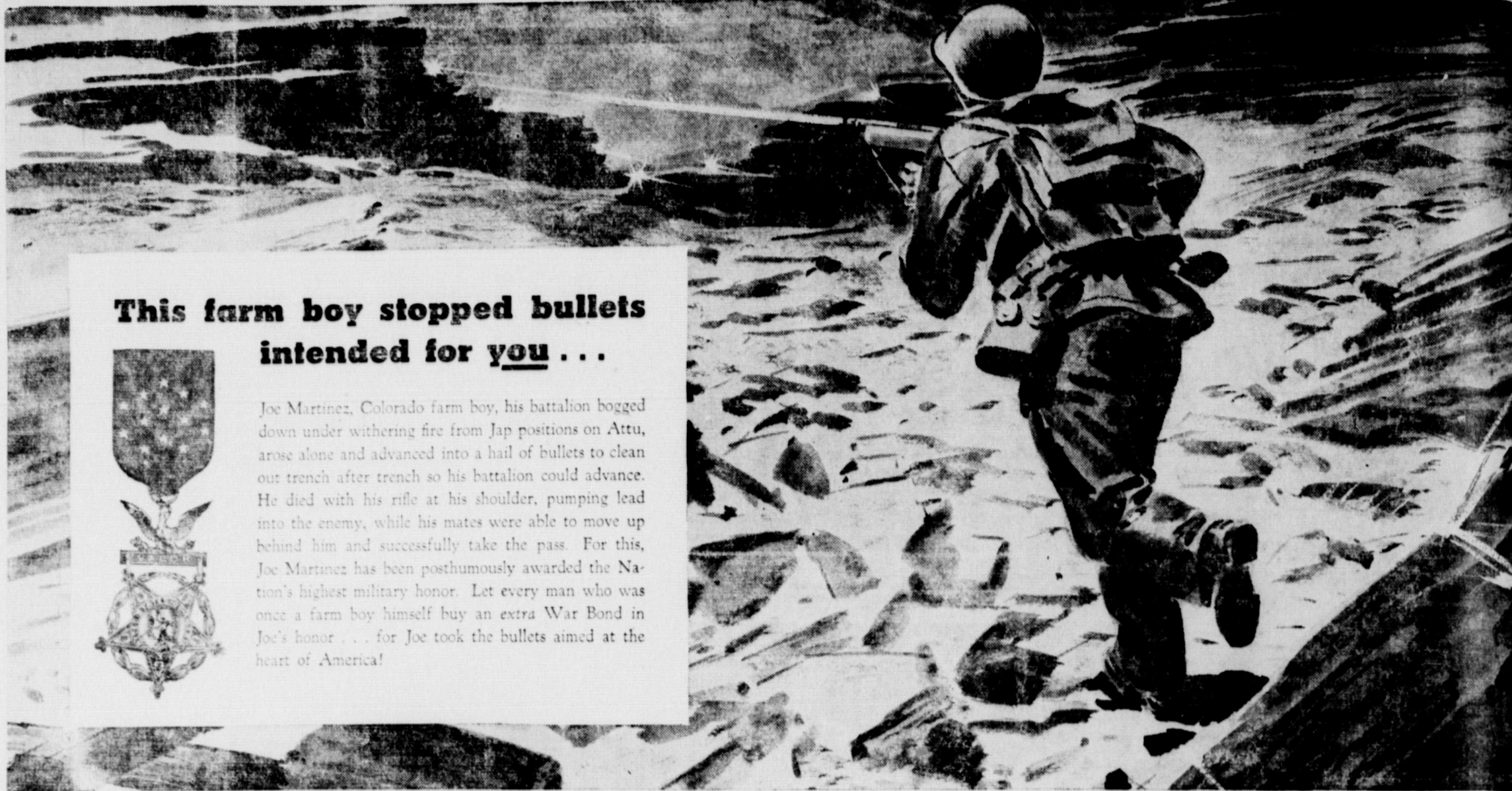
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**This farm boy stopped bullets intended for you . . .**



Joe Martinez, Colorado farm boy, his battalion bogged down under withering fire from Jap positions on Attu, arose alone and advanced into a hail of bullets to clean out trench after trench so his battalion could advance. He died with his rifle at his shoulder, pumping lead into the enemy, while his mates were able to move up behind him and successfully take the pass. For this, Joe Martinez has been posthumously awarded the Nation's highest military honor. Let every man who was once a farm boy himself buy an extra War Bond in Joe's honor . . . for Joe took the bullets aimed at the heart of America!

**The 4<sup>th</sup> WAR LOAN is your opportunity to do something about it!**

**It's Time to Take the Offensive.** Your Government has the men it needs to do the job in the front lines—great men all! But it doesn't have the money it needs, by a long way. That's your job! And the immediate task is the Fourth War Loan—Your chance to take the offensive not only in support of the men who are fighting and dying for you and your loved ones, but also in support of your own future!

What are you going to do about a wornout tractor, about repairing fences and buildings, about replacing depreciated machinery and equipment? Will you be ready with money in the bank when these things are needed?

You will if you take the offensive now! Put every extra dollar into U. S. War Bonds—the best form of financial reserve ever offered you. Think! You are asked to make a sound and prudent investment—not a sacrifice!

**When Your Boy Comes Home**

Will your boy come back to a farm or ranch with no financial reserves, no future? Or will you greet him at the gate with a bundle of War Savings Bonds—for working capital, new machinery, better buildings? And if your children are going to college, why not be sure they get there by buying today the Bonds that will pay the cost.

No need, really, to tell an up-to-date farmer or rancher what he needs financial reserves for. You know more reasons than anyone else can enumerate for setting aside extra dollars to meet the future. Now is your chance to do it . . . and help fight the war too!

Go on the offensive! Buy all the Bonds you can—today!

**You Never Get Less Than You Lend!** And you get 1/2 more than you invest. When held 10 years, War Bonds yield 2.9% interest compounded semi-annually. You get back \$4 for every \$3.

**Cash When You Need It.** If an emergency comes along, your War Bonds are like money in the bank. Uncle Sam will redeem them in cash—at full purchase price—any time after you've held them 60 days. Don't cash them unless you have to. And don't hold back a single dollar unnecessarily from the purchase of War Bonds. YOUR HELP IS NEEDED.

**Facts About War Bonds (Series E)**

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For Sale

FOR SALE or TRADE—Durham bulls.—Roy Steele. 31-2tc

FOR SALE—Good Plymouth motor and radiator, any piece or part.—G. R. Webster. 31-1tc

FOR SALE—Two stock tanks, one good Model A Ford, good condition, good tires, can be seen at Magee Plumbing Shop. 31-1tp

FOR SALE — Turkey breeding hens and toms. Large bone Baby Beef, full blood.—W. H. Stepp, 8 miles north on Highway 283. 30-1tp

PERMANENT WAVE, 59c! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.—Ferguson's Drug Store. 23-10tp

Notice

FOR SEWING see Mrs. J. E. Minor. Phone 77-R. 31-2tc

NOTICE—I am taking orders for Qualla cotton seed, pure bred seed of San Marcos, Texas.—Carl Zeibig. 28-3tp

Lost

LOST—Black male Scottie. Reward for information concerning him or for his return to the residence of Hubert Brown.—Mrs. Thomas Johnson. Phone 156-W. 31-1tc

Salesmen Wanted

MEN and WOMEN to supply foods, vitamins and other essential products to consumers. Full or part time. Write at once. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXB-175-183. 31-1tp

tra cold night, engineers of the U. S. Department of Agriculture offer the following tips: In thawing a frozen water pipe begin at the faucet and work back. Never start warming the middle of the pipe for the expansion of melting in the midst of solid ice may burst the pipe. Have faucets open so the water can flow out as it melts. The simplest and safest way to warm pipes is to wrap them with cloth, wet a pail underneath, and then pour boiling water from a teakettle onto the cloths. When thawing a waste or sewer pipe work upward from the lower end to permit water to drain away.

White Secrets

Some of the fine points of using egg whites to best advantage in cooking can save much waste of food and the temper of the housewife.

The temperature of the egg affects the whipping of the white and the separation of white from yolk. A chilly egg just out of the refrigerator separates most easily because the white is firm and the yolk less likely to break, but the white whips best after the egg has warmed up to "room temperature."

How long to whip is another secret the cook needs to know. Whites should be whipped stiff but not dry. If they are to hold their air bubbles while they are folded into a cake mixture and then cooked, they must not be stretched too thin by overbeating. Whip until the white will hold up in a soft peak and looks glossy but not so long that it looks dry. Different beaters take different lengths of time to bring eggs to the proper stiffness. Wire whips, Dover beaters, or electric beaters give equally good results, but with electric beaters the speed should be moderate. Egg whites do not whip successfully at high speed. The best bowl for whipping has a rounded bottom and gently sloping sides.

Both acid and salt help egg whites hold their stiffness. A pinch of salt or cream of tartar added at the start of whipping will give the foam greater volume and stability. On the other hand even a small particle of fat in the white will prevent it from beating stiff. No bits of yolk

Thalia Lodge No. 666

A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, Feb. 5.

Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome. JOE JOHNSON, W. M. JNO. W. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Up Stairs In Ringgold Building



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

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Feb. 14, 7:30 p. m. 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.

Special meeting on Friday, Jan. 28. Work in the Master's degree. T. S. HANEY, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

No Trespassing

NO TRESPASSING allowed on the Teague Estate land. No passing through.—Mrs. L. Kamstra. 31-1tc

TRESPASS NOTICE

Positively no fishing or hunting on any of my land on Beaver Creek.—J. M. Hill. 4-1tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community known as the Harris place, and my place north of Crowell, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. 1tc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 1tc

WANTED

Highest Cash Prices Paid for Any Model Used Cars.

SELF MOTOR CO.

Christian Science Services "Spirit" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 6. The Golden Text is: "We through the Spirit wait for the hope of righteousness by faith" (Galatians 5:5). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord is high above all nations and his glory above the heavens" (Psalms 113:4). 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: "In Christian Science, Spirit, as a proper noun, is the name of the Supreme Being. It means quantity and quality, and applies exclusively to God" (page 93).

should be left in the white because yolk contains fat. The beater should be free of any traces of oil. Low or moderate heat is the rule for cooking egg white dishes.

Removing Candle Drip

If candle has dripped on your holiday table cloth and you have not known what to do about it, you may find the answer in a dull knife, a warm iron, and cleaning tissues. First, scrape off as much of the hard wax as possible with the dull knife. Then place the spot between cleansing tissues of paper towels, and press with a warm iron. Be sure to change the paper as it becomes soiled. Finally, sponge with a household grease solvent. If color still remains, sponge the cloth with a liquid made up of half as much deodorized alcohol as water.

When a message announcing that a serviceman is wounded, killed, missing or a prisoner of war is returned to the War Department because the next of kin has moved and left no forwarding address, Red Cross Home Service attempts to locate the person named.

KEEP ON Backing the Allies WITH WAR BONDS

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, February 6, 1944. Subject: "Spirit."

East Side Church of Christ Sunday Services: Bible Classes, 10:00 a. m. Communion, 11:00 a. m. Ladies' Bible Class, 3:30 p. m., Tuesday. Mid-Week service, 7:45 p. m., Wednesday. Martin Kamstra, Minister.

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

Truscott and Gilliland Baptist Churches Preaching services are held at Gilliland on the first and third Sundays, and at Truscott on the second and fourth Sundays. A most cordial welcome is extended to all. Delightful Christian fellowship. J. W. ENGLISH, Pastor.

West Side Church of Christ Morning services begin at 10:30 and evening services at 7:30. The church extends a cordial invitation to all to attend. Every fourth Sunday, Bro. C. M. Walkup conducts the services.

Assembly of God Church Services Wed. and Saturday nights, 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. and Sunday evening service 8:30 p. m. Every one is invited. WARREN EVERSON, Pastor.

Thalia Church of Christ Sunday Bible Study. 11:15 a. m., Morning worship and Lord's Supper. 5:30 p. m., Church of Christ hour over station KVWC, Vernon.

7:30 p. m., Young People's Meeting. 8:15 p. m., Evening Worship. Wednesday. 8:00 p. m., Mid-Week Meeting. NICK P. CRAIG, Minister.

Church of God Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Evangelistic service, 8 p. m. Bible Study, Thursday, 8 p. m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 8 p. m. Mrs. Gertrude Alexander, Acting Pastor, Phone 34-W.

Truscott Church of Christ Sunday Services: Bible Classes, 10:15 a. m. Communion and Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Evening Services, 7:30 p. m., Mid-Week service, 8:00 p. m., Thursday. Preaching at Gilliland Church of Christ, 3:30 p. m. Martin Kamstra, Minister.

First Christian Church Someone has said that "America moves forward on the shoulders of its youth." Yes, tomorrow's men and women of affairs, will be the children of our homes today; these "diamonds in the rough," these "pearls of great price" all will have their place in tomorrow's world.

Celebrating "World Youth Week," the young people of the First Christian Church will present a program of "Hymns We Love" on Sunday night, Feb. 6, at 7:30 o'clock. You are invited. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. If you can't get to service on time, come late. It will do us good to have you come even for the closing prayer. G. O. McMILLAN, Minister.

Weekly Sermon

By the Rev. Elgin S. Moyer, Ph. D., Librarian, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

Victory in Service

Text: "We are more than conquerors through him that loved us."—Romans 8:37.

These are days when minds and hearts are centered on victory. No one has a surer claim on victory than the Christian. In Christ we can live above reverses; we are more than conquerors. Five factors are essential for victory, which at the same time are distinctive marks or fruits of Victorious living:

- 1. Knowing the mind of God for us.
2. Submitting ourselves to Him; doing His will; pleasing Him.
3. Making all our life adjustments patiently, lovingly, submissively, willingly.
4. Having His peace; possess-

ing a consciousness of oneness with Him.
5. Living fully under the guidance and blessing of the Holy Spirit.

In this fifth factor lies the whole secret of a successful, victorious life in Christ. Five rich blessings will attend such a life:
1. There need be no drudgery in service. The Holy Spirit in our lives makes hard work joyous. We may get tired in our work for Him, but we need never tire of it.

2. There need be no draining of power. In Him the inflow will be greater than the outflow; then there will be a constant overflow. Paul says, "My God shall supply all your needs according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus." The source never fails.

3. There need be no dryness of spirit. The live branch thrives and bears fruit as long as it abides in the vine. Only detached branches, or Christians, dry up. When we well up, we cannot dry up.

4. There need be no depression of soul. Depression, worry, and discouragement are the work of the devil. Paul says, "In nothing be anxious." The psalmist says, "Fret not thyself." Instead of depression there should be elevation of soul at all times.

5. There need be no defeatism in the Christian's experience. Our plans may not carry, but His do. Remember, "all things work together for good to them that love God." All we need to do is to keep in the center of His will. Then there will be renewal of

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## Foard County Federation Meets

The Foard County Federation met at the Adelphi Club House on January 28, with the Adelphi Club as hostesses.

The house was called to order by Mrs. S. S. Bell, vice president. After a short business meeting, the group sang "The Tree Planting Song," since Arbor Day is near at hand.

The subject "Look to Your Habits," was read and commented upon. Mrs. L. A. Andrews reported on packages sent to Sheppard Field at Christmas.

The American Indians are called Amerinds for short. Forty years ago they were considered a dying race but now number 400,000.

## Dr. and Mrs. Kincaid Entertain with Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Kincaid were host and hostess at their home on Thursday evening, Jan. 27, with a dinner party with the personnel of the Crowell State Bank as the honored guests.

## Co-Laborers Class Has Social Meeting

Members of the Co-Laborers Class of the Methodist Sunday School met in a social meeting at the church Thursday afternoon, Jan. 27.

## Australia Fights COUGHS

It's extra fast for Dad - yet gentle and mild for Mother and the Kiddies. This means that those nasty irritating coughs - or Bronchial Irritations - due to colds - that so often disturb a man's sleep - get amazing fast relief.

## Mrs. Nichols Given Birthday Dinner

Mrs. J. D. Bursay honored her mother, Mrs. Grover Nichols, with a surprise birthday dinner on Monday at the Nichols home.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Banister, Mrs. Tom Abston and son, Nelson, Mrs. Hays Abston and baby, Delores, Mrs. John Wright and daughter, Janie, Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. Wade Corzine and baby, Janice, Misses Audra and LaVerne Abston, Marjorie Panister, Nell Thompson, all of Thalia; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bursay and son, David, and Mr. and Mrs. Nichols, Callers in the afternoon included Mrs. T. A. Spears, Mrs. Everett Meason, Jo Ann and Sue Meason, Mrs. Harry Adams and daughter, Wanda.

## Christmas Boxes Give Pleasure

Mrs. L. A. Andrews, chairman for the Foard County Camp and Hospital Council for Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, has recently received a letter from Miss Ruth Kelly, Assistant Field Director for Sheppard Field, stating that the Christmas season was made a happy one for the patients in the hospital there because of the large number of Christmas gift boxes and pop corn balls sent them by Foard County.

## Honor Roll for Thalia School

The following honor roll for the Thalia Schools has been released:  
High Honor Roll—Faye Jones, Betty Sims, Iris Abston and Carolyn Tole.  
Low Honor Roll—Marlene Mason, Ava Mae Matthews, Mary Jo Short, Carol Cato, Bobby Cato, Lara Abston, Jean Layoy Gamble, James McBeath, Jane Cooper, Carol Ann Brown, Kenneth Hopkins, James Hall, David Jackson, Stella Mae Blackman, Myrna Loy Roley, Billy Hopkins, Coleman Self, Don Wisdom, John W. Wright Jr., Dorothy Gamble and Nan Sue Shultz.

## WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

The Wesleyan Service Guild met in regular session on Thursday, January 27. Mrs. J. B. Harrison, president, opened the meeting by calling for the Guild hymn, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations."

## VIVIAN H. D. CLUB

On account of bad weather, the first two meetings of the year were postponed by the Vivian Home Demonstration Club and a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Clyde Bowley on Jan. 20, with 14 members and three visitors present.

## REEDER'S DRUG STORE

## 34th Anniversary of Boy Scouts to Be Observed Feb. 8-14

The Boy Scouts of America, this week, celebrates its 34th anniversary, next week, Feb. 8, through Feb. 14. All persons connected with war activities on the home front know how much the Scouts have helped to put every effort across.

Boy Scout Week gives the American people a chance to recognize their worth. It reminds one also of their volunteer adult leaders—the Scoutmasters, without whose guidance and encouragement no Troop could long continue. These men are working harder and longer in factories and offices. Many are also air raid wardens and Victory gardeners.

The man who leads a Scout Troop is doing an important war job. Whether he is continuing a peacetime activity or merely "filling in" for the duration, the Scoutmaster renders an essential service to the community and to the nation. His "compensation" is the satisfaction of watching individual growth and enjoying the gratitude and friendship of his boys.

There are Boy Scout Troops now which need adult leadership. Men who help the boyhood of their respective neighborhoods deserve recognition and encouragement from all.

## SUBSCRIPTIONS

The following renewals and new subscriptions have been received by The News since Jan. 24:  
Mrs. Lala Sparks, Stamford; T. R. Cates, Thalia; Miss Oneta Cates, Abilene; Mrs. Frank Hofues, Dallas; S. B. Hord, city; O. N. Barker, Foard City; Chas. C. Parker, Dill, Okla.; Cpl. Lynn McKown, Mirabel, Wells; C. A. Martin, Fort Worth; Mrs. H. C. Smith, Truscott; Mrs. Jim Davis, Rt. 1; J. D. Carroll, Rt. 2; R. J. Owens, Foard City; Beatrice Mullins, Rt. 2.

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S. S. Bell, city; Margaret Lovel, Texas Tech, Lubbock; A. Wiggins, Amberst; Capt. Austin Wiggins, Santa Ana, Calif.; R. E. Love, Foard City; Mrs. Jimmie Hembree, Margaret; A. M. Nelson, San Diego, Calif.; Sim V. Gamble, Rt. 1, Thalia; J. B. Meason, city; H. E. Mynard, Rt. 2; R. Q. Meason, Sec. 1, Marathion, Fla.; Mrs. A. E. Propps, Knox City; Mrs. Glenn Richards, Stephenville; Mrs. A. H. Clark, Oklahoma City.

There are 40,000 dogs in the service with the American armies. The dogs are used as sentinels, messengers and pack animals. They can detect the presence of the enemy before a man can and prevent many surprises by snipers and raiding parties. They are carefully selected.

## Military Chiefs Confer in S. Pacific

A great deal of military authority was represented in this post in the South Pacific as Gen. George C. Marshall, U. S. chief of staff, visited Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Left to right are: Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenney, Maj. Gen. S. J. Chamberlain (holding coat), Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger, Marshall, and MacArthur.

## Cotton Maid Opens Bond Drive



Lovely Linwood Gisclard of Donaldsonville, La., made her first official appearance as the 1944 Maid of Cotton in Washington, where she was featured in the inauguration of the Fourth War Bond Drive. A senior at L. S. U., Miss Gisclard is 19 years old, five feet eight inches tall, and weighs 124 pounds. She was selected Maid of Cotton from a field of 75 candidates, and within a few weeks will begin a tour of principal American cities to assist in local War Bond campaigns and tell Americans the story of cotton's importance to the war effort.

## Dr. George W. Cox Warns of Danger of Spreading Influenza

Austin—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today issued a warning to every victim of influenza, colds or upper respiratory infections to be on guard against the possibility of spreading these diseases or a pneumococcus infection through coughing and sneezing.

"Persons who cough or sneeze without the proper use of a handkerchief will be very likely to be responsible for the spread of pneumonia. Placing a handkerchief over the mouth or nose when coughing or sneezing will help prevent the spread of infection," Dr. Cox said.

"The air is the medium through which influenza spreads. A person coughing or sneezing in an unventilated room where the air is stale and moist will almost certainly pass the infection on to others."

The increased prevalence of influenza is usually associated with pneumonia. The sharp rise in the incidence of pneumonia in the past few weeks has demonstrated that influenza victims by coughing and sneezing have almost certainly been responsible for the present large number of pneumonia cases reported, Dr. Cox stated.

"A person who is not suffering from pneumonia may still have the pneumococcus germ in his throat or upper respiratory tract and can very easily pass the disease on to others. Considering the fact that pneumonia is a dangerous killer, especially in children and old people, every person should guard against spreading this infection among his fellowmen," Dr. Cox declared.

## Gov't. Employees Participating in Pay Roll Savings Plan

Washington, Jan. 29.—Ninety-five per cent of all employees in the Treasury Department, numbering 81,573 throughout the country, are participating in the pay roll savings plan. An average of 11.1 per cent of pay rolls is being invested, according to the Treasury Department.

Employees in the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency have the highest participation with 98.2 per cent, while the Division of Personnel is investing the most with a percentage of 12.3. It was pointed out, however, that the two offices have a small number of employees—eighty-three for the Personnel and 992 for the Comptroller's office. The Bureau of Internal Revenue, which has the highest number of employees with 59,416, has 97.5 per cent participation and an average of 11.3 per cent investment under the pay roll plan.

Marriage is a lottery in which too many want another chance.

## Government Requests All Poultry Flocks Be Culled at Once

Reports sent by the State Poultry Conservation Committee reveals that the Government has requested that all farmers thoroughly cull their poultry flocks at this time. This request comes as a result of the seriousness of the feed situation. It is hoped by officials that feed necessary for the production of eggs will not be wasted on non-laying hens.

A great many farmers have overcrowded their houses with hens and pullets, many of which will not lay enough to justify the feed they consume. Cutting down the number of hens in such cases will not only save feed, but will lessen the likelihood of a disease outbreak, and will increase egg production.

It has been suggested that all hens that loaf on the roost be culled along with all lame, fat, all course and masculine, grey eyed, and all small hens.

The fat culls should be sold at once and all unmarketable hens should be destroyed. The feed consumed by laying hens will not be properly utilized unless the hens are fed correctly.

There are 17,000,000 women employed in war work on the home front. Of this number 2,300,000 are employed in non-agricultural work. By July the number of women workers is expected to reach 18,000,000.

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Harold "Jug" McStade of Philadelphia, Pa., who won the richest golf tournament in Los Angeles Open, has 72 holes was 278 with a last 18.

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RIALTO THEATRE Attend Our  
"Free Bond Movie Day," February 9. Anyone buying a Series E Bond during 4th War Loan Drive which ends February 15, will be admitted Free to the Rialto Theatre on Free Bond Movie Day.  
The Feature is "LASSIE COMES HOME"  
Sunday and Monday, Feb. 6 and 7 EDWARD G. ROBINSON  
"DESTROYER" and "Eleventh Hour" plus News

Tuesday, Feb. 8  
EAST SIDE KIDS Lee Gary in "NEATH BROOKLYN BRIDGE" and "A HUNTING WE WON'T GO"

Wednesday, Feb. 9  
FREE BOND MOVIE DAY  
Roddy McDowell, Donald Crisp, Dame Mae Whitty, Edmond Guvann in "LASSIE, COME HOME" and CARTOON

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