

# O'Donnell Index-Press

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O'Donnell, Lynn County Texas, Friday, July 27, 1945

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## Region Elects Offices

### Country

are writing only what so others have mentioned to the subject far from original. It is the desire of so many area to have a suitable memorial to the Veterans of World War I observing in a fashion those who made the ultimate sacrifice, those being and those serving without.

There are many details which would have to be worked out, but it is obvious that giving recognition to our veterans by counties in particular areas would evade the purpose of a memorial in which we feel a home tie.

Some of the memorial planned to be left to the choice of the themselves and the survivors of the honored dead. Location of the memorial in one of our some half communities or perhaps O'Donnell. From now until the close of the year it will be much influence to hope O'Donnell into co-operation with memorial plans for either of Lamesa or both. It is against a local area memorial we should, of course, throw our support. It is not too late for each individual to think of these lines.

On the day this week we talked with Gold Star mother of this county and we felt so inadequate to do her as only a parent can. As we are thinking this week we would rather see a memorial of usefulness to humanity such as a community clinic, a community school, a school gym, or a well in a park with swimming facilities.

Number of similar projects being meting the need for a memorial to the community at large. The sacrifices of our men in war. Our memorial should be a memorial to the community at large. This is just a start. In the final analysis the memorial should make known his name and a project worked out there.

and perhaps for several years to come money is cheap. It is not a big task to secure the support of a memorial to the community at large. The personal contribution that we consider. It would be for us to pledge personal labor in building. Money at best is a substitute for a labour of love. How much money would be needed for materials and the salary of a foreman but we believe that of this area would rather do as well of our time.

As we who are physically able, there will be a few who's name reaction will be "It can't be done. Please, let's give this care to our children and our neighbors, our clubs, our Legion, etc. If there is enough love to do our project that our tribute will be successful. Let us try it over.

and Fire and panther pants reaction to OPA's plan to the meat supply in locker. The excuse of these Federal agencies is to try and rub out the market but any nit-wit realizes that the source of meat from rural lockers, plants, Country Ed. looks with alarm at the individual's time honor. We may very well win beyond the seas and get a national government. Already one person out of five and more are being added to the list. Tell your Congressman that think when he visits here.

employed this one and with the close our forms until next

### Whitsett Is New Post Commander

At a called meeting of the Fern Allen Post No. 386 of the American Legion, Department of Texas, on July 19th the following officers were elected for the year of 1946. These officers, however, will not take office until September.

Post Commander: Marshall J. Whitsett.

1st Vice commander: Paul Mansell.

2nd Vice Commander: Robert C. Carroll, Jr.

Adjutant: Charles D. Pickens.

Finance Officer: J. L. Shoemaker, Jr.

Chaplain: R. Garland Ledbetter.

Service Officer: A Clifford Lambert.

Child Welfare Chairman: William C. Sauls.

Sergt. at Arms: Harley Jolly.

We think we have something to Believe It or Not Ripley in our new commander, M. J. Whitsett. He served in World War 1 in the Infantry and in World War 2 in the Navy and is still a young man (at least he says he still feels young).

We feel that with the above list of officers for this next year that the Fern Allen post of the Legion will do things for the returning service man or woman and hope to be of service to the community at large. Maybe some do not know it, but the American Legion is a service organization. The Legion serves both war and peace; serves our comrades in arms as well as the community and nation at large.

— Post Reporter

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### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Jesus gave to the world the heart of the Gospel when he said, "For God So loved the world that he gave his only begotten son that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16) There is the essential matter, "Whosoever" includes each and everyone no matter of what race, color, class or nation. This has very fittingly been styled the "Golden Text" of the Bible, for that is just what it is. We believe that with all our heart and upon that truth we shall be judged in the "Great Day".

The Sunday morning subject will be "FOR THEIR SAKES". The subject for the evening sermon will be "OUR WORTH: THE USE WE MAKE OF THEM". You are invited to hear these messages. On Monday afternoon at 4 we are meeting with the boys and girls for story hour and fun. We have an interest in our children and the purpose of the Monday afternoon meetings is to help them to get a better understanding of the Bible. The story will be "The Little Boy, Mark and his Lunch basket". We ask all the parents to bring or send their children to these meetings.

There will be special musical numbers in the Sunday service. Our quartette will give a number. We appreciate the many people of musical talent who are always ready to use it whenever called on. You will enjoy these numbers.

Edward H. Crandall, Pastor.

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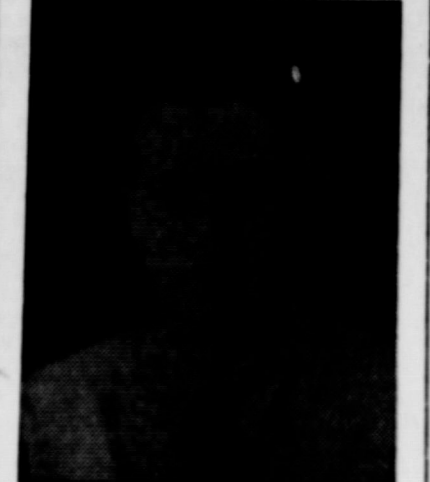
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### More Details About Harvey McKee's Death In Prison

War Department. The Adjutant General's office Washington, D. C. July 9, 1945.

Mrs. Carey McKee, O'Donnell, Dear M's. McKee: It is with profound regret that I confirm the recent telegram informing you of the death of your son, Private First Class Harvey L. McKee, Infantry



who was previously reported missing in action in the Philippines islands from the date of the surrender of Corregidor, May 7, 1942.

An official message has now been received which states that he died on June 5, 1942 at Casatanuan Prison camp, Philippines Islands.

I realize the great suspense you have endured during this unfortunately long period and now, the finality to those hopes which you have cherished for his safety. Although little may be said or done at this time to alleviate your grief, it is my fervent hope that later the knowledge that he gave his life for his country may be of sustaining comfort to you. I extend my profound sympathy in your bereavement. Sincerely yours, Edward F. Vernon Major General, Acting The Adjutant General of the Army.

Pfc. Vernon Cook and wife were here Saturday and Sunday from Waco. Vernon is with the Air Corps around crew.

Pfc. Wayne W. Williams, who did a lot of hard fighting in Germany, is spending his furlough with his brothers, Ed and Ben and a sister, Mrs. Wren of Treadway.

Pvt. Ben Gibbs, overseas veteran is spending his furlough with his wife and her parents the W. O. Ratliff's of O'Donnell.

### The Church of Christ Salutes You

SUMMER MEETING AUG. 12-22 with JAMES W. ADAMSAS EVANGELIST

Attendance was good last Lord's day and we were encouraged when two placed membership. The meeting that is in progress at Mesquite is being attended by fine crowds. Bro Bryan is doing some fine preaching. You will be profited by attending these services.

Question: "Why do you teach that the church of Christ is the true church? You would not want me to teach something that was not true, would you? You would not insist that a preacher get in the pulpit and preach something that was not in the Bible, would you? I am sure that you would not. Open your New Testament, please, and begin reading with the first verse and read EVERY verse to the end of Revelation. When you will have done so you will have read of ONLY the church of Christ. It is the only one that Christ talked and taught about, and the only one that the inspired writers ever wrote about. Turn to II Jno. verse nine and you will learn that the person that goes beyond the teaching of Christ has not (loses) God. In the last verse of the last chapter of Revelation the inspired John tells us that the individual that adds to or takes from the words of that book God will take away his part from the tree of life. In I Cor. 4:6 Paul urges the Corinthians not to go beyond the things that are written. What a terrible thing to teach people something that Jesus nor the Apostles never taught. If I should do that I would be lost and those that followed my teaching would be lost and I would be the cause of their destruction. I believe with all my heart that there is one safe course to follow and that is to teach what the Bible teaches, and nothing more or less. "Study to show thyself approved unto God, workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth". II Tim. 2:15

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### A. W. Gibbs

Alfred William Gibbs was born Jan. 29, 1892. He was of a family of seven children; four boys and three girls. Their parents departed this life when he was ten. He came to Lynn county in 1916 and has lived at Tahoka and O'Donnell since moving to the Plains.

He was a veteran of World War I, entering the service September 19, 1917. He saw overseas service with the famous 90th Division, which had a great part in defeating the enemy and bring about the armistice. He held an honorable discharge from the army, a document of which any American can be proud. He was a member of the American Legion, of O'Donnell.

He was a member of the Grand Order of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons having passed through the several degrees to that of the Shrine. He joined the Methodist Church when he was twelve year of age.

On April 12, 1923 Alfred William Gibbs and Miss Rosa Schooler, both of O'Donnell, were united in Holy Marriage. This proved to be a very happy and congenial union. Truly, the two hearts became one, two lives blended together making a beautiful home relationship into which came three children by birth: one son, Alfred William, Jr., who passed away in infancy, Feb. 24, 1924; and two daughters, Margaret and Billie Frank.

There are many worthy and noble characteristics of Mr. Gibbs' life. Among them was friendliness and because of which he had a host of friends. Friends are one of life's richest possessions. With him this principal of life was demonstrated. "To have friends, one must BE a friend". We are sure that all who knew him agree heartily with the truth of this. He showed himself to be friendly, therefore he had friends.

On July 18, 1945 at the age of fifty three years, five months and nineteen days, he departed this life all alone and attended by no one. While this was a terrific blow and a terrible shock to his family and friends; yet, can we not see in it the hand of a Kind Providence that allowed him to slip away so easily and quietly and without the trace of pain or suffering?

He is survived by his devoted companion, Mrs. Gibbs, and the two daughters, Margaret and Billie Frank. Also two brothers, George of Haskell, and Frank of California and two sisters, Mrs. Ella Gleason and Mrs. Pearl Gleason of Hermleigh.

—Edward H. Crandall, his pastor and friend.

Funeral services were conducted last Friday at 4 p. m. for Mr. Gibbs at the Methodist Church with Bro. Crandall reading the services. Burial was in the O'Donnell Cemetery.

Following were pallbearers: Otis Harris, Cliff Lambert, Albert Koeninger, John Etter, C. J. Beach, and Felix Jones. Honorary pallbearers were: Joe McLaurin, L. E. Robinson, Tom Yandell, B. M. Hayes.

Leo Schooler of the Navy Seabees arrived home Sunday afternoon on a 30 day leave for a visit with his wife and son and other relatives. He came directly from Pearl Harbor where he was with another local boy, Lee Simpson, also a Seabee.

Mrs. Lona Proctor of Ft. Worth returned home with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Proctor who had been visiting at Hamilton. Miss Proctor returned to Ft. Worth last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proctor visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed McKee at Seagraves last Sunday.

Mrs. I. M. Wright recently returned from an extended visit with her son at Dallas.

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### Come To See Us AT OUR

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Our building is just South of Dr. Campbell's office and across the street from the O'Donnell Implement Co.

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Mr and Mrs. Earl Seay and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Joe Waldrop.

Laleon Jordan and Howard Simpson made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr and Mrs. Horace Eubanks and family were visiting Mr and Mrs. W. M. Smith over the week end.

Mr and Mrs. Dick Crutcher and Mrs. Pete Crutcher visited a sister in Midland Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Aury Lynn of Buelah visited in the home of Mrs. W. A. Simpson over the week end.

### Local News

Mr and Mrs. H. F. Lindley and C. Boales spent last week end in Ft. Worth. While away Doc Beach decided Mr. Boales' half section field of grain needed knifing. That is a fair sample of the kind of neighbors we have up here on the Plains.

Last Tuesday at Rotary Mrs. Doss and her quartet composed of Misses Edna Edwards, Julia Edwards, LaMoine Lines and Wynia Gene Gilliam entertained the Fried Chicken Club with several songs. They recently studied music under a famous quartet at Dallas. Bro. Horn, former Baptist pastor here, spoke briefly. A new member, Omah McLaurin, Mayor of Wells, was welcomed into the club. Boy, can he eat fried chicken and corn bread.

James Lindley, who has been in an El Paso Army Hospital from an eye wound received in action, recently received an honorable discharge and last week he was wed to Miss Allie Riley of Littlefield. James will assume his former position at the bank at Tahoka which he resigned to enter the army. Congratulations and a life time of happiness to you and the wife, James.

An ice cream supper was given last Tuesday night by Mrs. Artie Edwards. About twenty guests including Mr and Mrs. Holland Simpson, Mr and Mrs. Doyle Eason, Mr and Mrs. Cleon Eason, Mr and Mrs. Roy Eason, Mrs. Ray Eason, Sandra Kay Eason, Mrs. and wife and children.

Barbara Tabbs returned to her home at Coleman Friday after a 2 weeks visit with Mr and Mrs. T. Garward.

Mrs. J. W. Singleton and daughters, Mrs. Bert Fritz, Mrs. Price Sealey and Dan spent the week end visiting Pvt. J. W. Singleton at Camp Hood.

W. W. Means of Brownwood spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr and Mrs. S. L. Walters. Mrs. Means and children returned home with him Tuesday after visiting here the past 2 weeks.

Mrs. G. F. Burlison and Mrs. W. H. Cox of Lamesa are visiting in the home of Mr and Mrs. John Tidwell this week.

Mr and Mrs. W. F. Burlison and children of Lubbock visited with Mr and Mrs. John Tidwell Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker and boys are visiting J. L. brother in Dublin this week. Before returning home they will visit in Rockport.

T. J. Wilson and wife, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wilson spent several days here with home folks. T. J. is an Elect. L-c an ds stationed at Indio, Calif. T. J. formerly had an electrical shop here.

Carroll Davis and E. L. Davis visited in Oklahoma last week end and while there they purchased a combine.

Calude Wells of Tahoka and family and E. T. Wells and wife slipped off Saturday late to the Concho river and put their hooks out. E. T. said they really had a fish fry Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. E. C. Pace visited their son at Brownfield Sunday.

Rev. J. T. Crawford and wife attended a church camp meeting at Cisco last week and incidentally J. T. did a little fishing.

Mrs. Guy Bradley received word that her brother, T-Sgt. D. A. M-Vicker of the 347 Ord Med. Auto Maint. Co. stationed in Germany was recently cited for "Superior cooperation and for rendering assistance above and beyond the call of duty". D. A. lived here with the BBradleys for some time before entering the army.

H. W. Cargal of Amarillo spent the week end at home with his wife and family. Mr. Cargal has been working in national defense at Pantex for about four years.

Patricia Kay Richardson the young grand-daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ed James almost cut off her right forefinger in the lawnmower one day last week. The wound was treated at a hospital at Lamesa and there is a good chance the finger will be saved.

Mrs. Tom Brasher and son of Canyon and O. K. Jordan and wife of Crawford are visiting in the John Andy Edwards, John Vermilion and Ed Goddard homes this week.

Mrs. Alice Davis of Sulphur Springs is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs. Shack Blocker.

Charles Pickens left Tuesday nite for San Antonio to visit Dan Blocker at TMI. They will return by plane Monday.

Lt. W. S. Gats visited with his parents. Mr and Mrs. W. C. Gats over the week end enroute to Midland where he will be stationed.

Mr and Mrs. Lee Garner visited their daughter, Avilene and Margaret at Amarillo over the week end.

Mike Burns is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. S. Smith in Melrose, N. M. this week.

J. H. Jordan returned Tuesday from a business trip to Slide.

John Earles left Wednesday for Ruidoso, N. M. for a few days vacation. His wife and her mother, Mrs. Haney are spending the summer there.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell spent a few days last week in Midland with their son, Dr. Kenneth Campbell and family.

Mrs. P. A. Mansell is visiting relatives in Rochester this week.

Paul Mansell is visiting relatives in Artesia.

Sherman Inman underwent a major operation at a Lamesa hospital Tuesday.

S-Sgt. Dorman Kinard and wife of San Antonio were visiting in the C. H. Mansell home over the week end.

Mr and Mrs. Tom Yandell and daughter, Miss Ruth, left for Seymour Thursday for an old settlers reunion.

Sgt. Herman Stokes, after 33 months overseas in the Pacific, is on his way home with an honorable discharge. Herman attended school here. He plans to live at Westbrook.

Pvt. John C. Currey arrived last Friday at home after fighting in Germany since last January. He is the son of Mrs. Maple Richie, Mrs. Dulin and family of El Paso. Mrs. Dickson of Monument, N. M. and Mrs. Penthall of Brownfield visited in the Richie home last week.

Mr and Mrs. M. L. Webb, route 2 have a fine son born Monday at Lubbock weighing 7 pounds and 15 oz. Congratulations.

R. W. Ledbetter recently heard that his two sons were promoted a grade in the army. Robert G. to Sergeant and Walter L. to Corporal.

Labor On Move Can Get Tires

Passenger car owners using their automobiles for bona fide change of residence for which they were issued special gasoline rations will be eligible for grade I passenger tire purchase certificates, subject to the quota and other restrictions.

### ANNOUNCING

### TWO NEW EMPLOYEES

MISS BILLIE MC KEE and MRS. GLADYS BEACH Mrs. Beach will work on Thursday, Friday, and Saturdays.

Continuing is MRS. MARGIE BACON.

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### 8th NAVAL DISTRICT BUILDS MANY SHIPS

Dallas, Tex., July 25 — Headquarters of the 8th Naval District, of which Rear Admiral A. C. Bennett is commandant, today revealed that 15,711 ships and craft have been built for the Navy in the 8th Naval District. The district comprises the states of Alabama, Tennessee, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas, Oklahoma and the Western half of Florida. The cost of these vessels was a billion and half dollars.

Not included in the figure were 14,600 rubber landing boats and life rafts built for the Navy, 795 cargo ships built in the district for the U. S. Maritime Commission, or most of the 2,150 ships from inland yards which went to sea through the Port of New Orleans.

Texas led the parade with 779 vessels costing more than a billion dollars.

Included in the total were attack transports and cargo vessels of 17,500 ton as well as escort carriers, destroyers, destroyer escorts, PT boats, subchasers, tugs, minesweepers, tankers, tenders, lighters, bargers, and landing craft and all other special craft in almost infinite variety.

### LOCAL MAN AWARDED MEDAL

With the First Cavalry Division on Luzon — For retrieving vital artillery observation equipment under heavy fire on Luzon, 2nd Lt. Robert J. Gregory of O'Donnell has been decorated with the bronze Star medal by Brigadier Gen. Hugh Hoffman, commanding general of the 1st Cavalry Division.

Lt. Gregory, at that time Staff Sergeant, had set up an artillery observation post in a room of the

Manila Army and Navy Club. A Japanese machine gun fired into the room, killed three troopers and wounded five. The other occupants evacuated with the wounded. Lt. Gregory, with another man voluntarily crawled into the room, dragging a litter. In the face of almost certain death, the two men retrieved the body of one dead artilleryman. Then, while still under enemy observation, Gregory returned to get the artillery radio set and the B. C. Scope.

Lt. Gregory's citation reads in part: "His coolness and devotion to duty while under enemy fire were commendable and a big factor in maintaining the morale of his party, making possible the successful completion of their mission." Lt. Gregory's wife, lives in O'Donnell.

IS YOUR Subscription paid up?

### 21 Years Ago

News Items taken from the files of It was about 14 years ago that W. D. Hornaday of Austin showed his confidence in the agricultural possibilities of the O'Donnell section by purchasing a section of low land situated 10 miles northwest of here in the C. C. McLaurin community. He started the development of the tract and this this year has 300 acres in cotton under the capable direction of John McLaurin who is widely known for his ability as a farmer and for his fine qualities as a citizen.

Some years ago J. B. Miles planted some Concho pecans on his farm northeast of town and today they have reached a height of from 12 to 15 feet. This week he secured soft shell buds from a nursery and graft-

ed to these trees.

J. M. Payne does not believe in putting all his eggs in one basket, neither does he believe in depending upon cotton alone as a revenue producer. In order to bring in a little cash during the off season he planted 70 acres to wheat. Last week he threshed the wheat and made 1400 bushels or 20 bushels to the acre. He received a dollar two cents a bushel for it in O'Donnell.

If you want to get the election news as soon as it is available, come to town Saturday night. J. R. Sanders has erected a bill board on top of the awning of the State Theatre where it will be in plain view.

W. R. Heathington has just completed a four room house with porch on two sides on east side of town.

### Exaggerated?

WILL YOU HAVE TO SERVE your meals on a board and sit on a box because the insurance on your household goods was insufficient after a fire? Exaggeration perhaps, BUT — let this Hartford agency help you determine the amount of fire insurance you need.

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# Billion Bushel Wheat Crop Will Cram Elevators

## Shortage of Freight Cars May Force Many Farmers To Store Grain at Home

Harvesting a bumper crop of wheat may be easier this year than finding a satisfactory place to store it, according to the U. S. department of agriculture. Freight car and truck transportation of wheat to terminal points is expected to be seriously curtailed by movement of war material to the Pacific coast. Growers are being urged to plan now for home storage of a big part of their grain.

Although most community buildings, such as schools, theaters and churches, have already been reclaimed for wartime purposes if they had outlived their original usefulness, few localities will fail to have at least one such structure suitable for wheat storage. These, along with the space in old sheds, garages, coal bins, and similar places will have to be put to a new use.

Few steel bins will be available this year, but some emergency bins are expected to be constructed of two-by-four inch welded wire mesh lined with tarpaper or sisalcraft, and roofed with protection against the weather. Materials in considerable quantity for these bins, found by government test to be an inexpensive and satisfactory means of grain storage, are reported available. Orders should be placed with dealers immediately to insure manufacture and delivery in time for use. No certificate is required. Fencing companies have been given authority to produce a certain percentage of their product in welded mesh, but orders must be on their books before they can manufacture. About a month will probably be required for delivery.

Agricultural Adjustment agency committees in each county are prepared to give priority assistance to farmers who wish to get materials for building new granaries, enlarging old ones or making extensive repairs in the conversion of buildings to storage. Lumber is the main material requiring priority in most areas, although in some localities others are included. Lumber certificates are issued by county



The town of Eldorado, Okla., is almost buried under a golden mound of wheat. The elevators are crammed, and grain waiting to be shipped out has to be dumped on the ground because of the shortage of freight cars. D. L. Jones, owner of one of the elevators and a member of the state legislature, looks at the growing pile in the yard. He is sending the wheat by truck to makeshift storage space.

AAA committees for construction within the new \$1,000 limitation on farm service buildings, and they make recommendations under WPB-617 for construction requests above the limitation point. It is pointed out that applicants must ask for a waiver to use lumber. Some dealers have a limited quantity of lumber without certificate.

Prospects are for a 1945 wheat crop of 1,084,632,000 bushels, the largest on record. If realized it will top last year's bumper crop, and will be the third crop of over a billion bushels in the history of the United States wheat production. The winter wheat crop is expected to be some 797,235,000 bushels, second largest on record and exceeded only by the 825 million bushels harvested in 1931. Harvest of the crop is already under way in some areas.

Many farm bins and country elevators are already full of 1944 wheat and other bulk grains, and in the 10 Great Plains states the situation has assumed serious proportions, according to government surveys. Country elevators for the nation as a

whole contained 129 million bushels of wheat on April 1, 63 million more bushels than were so stored on the same date of 1944.

Immediate action to assure adequate storage for 1945 wheat is imperative, experts say. Delay could result in serious loss through spoilage.

### Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



If your eyelids are "pinkish" or veined, thus giving them a "pinkish" look, DO NOT use violet eyeshadow unless you first use a base of light brown eyeshadow, applying the violet over it. Red is, you know, the basic tone of violet, so violet shadow brings out the red or pink in your eyelids.

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### "GAY GADGETS"

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BY NANCY PEPPER  
CHEER GEAR

What's the well-dressed cheer leader wearing these days? We've been checking with some of our "Calling All Girls" Hi Style Scouts and we have the following fashion tips to give you.

**Reet Pleats**—Combine your school colors in your cheer-leading skirt by inserting underlays of the second color in the pleats. When you move around (and that's putting it mildly), the skirt flares out and exposes the contrasting underlays.

**Pretty Princess**—Although sweaters and skirts are most popular, lots of cheer leaders wear short princess style dresses with skirts lined with the contrasting school color. In case you haven't guessed, we're talking about GIRL cheer leaders.

**Striped Slacks**—Sew two stripes in your school colors down the sides of your slacks. Did we tell you that slacks are slick for girl cheer leaders?

**Satin Shirts**—Make your pleated cheer leader skirts out of satin and use the same satin for a Peter Pan collar on your sweater. Pick the darker of your school colors for the skirt; the lighter for the sweater.

**Military Stuff**—White braid frogs up the front of a jerkin suit gives you a trim, military look. Complete your outfit with a white satin blouse with long, full sleeves, cuffed in at the wrist.

**BLACK SHEEP**  
Mary had a little lamb  
She had no place to park it,  
It stood too near a railroad train,  
Now it's on Black Market.

**Wit Parade.**  
Here are some of the giggle gags that are making the headlines in your high-school papers. Just corn on the cob, we always say.

**Teacher**—Did you know that paper will keep you warm?  
**Pupil**—No wonder my family got so hot when I brought home my report card.

**He**—May I kiss you? May I? Are you deaf?  
**She**—Are you paralyzed?

**TRIXIE TEEN SAYS—**  
Watch your Soda Fountain manner, Junior. Do your barge into a booth without being asked to join the party? Do you expect a boy to pay for your fix? Don't just because you happened to sit next to him? Do you make such a clatter with your chatter that people wish you'd choke on your coke? Do you have talking ways with cutlery and glassware, just for a gag? Of course, you don't—that's why they call you Mellow as a Malted, Delicious as a Doughnut and Sweet as a Sundae!



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### HIGH WAGE INCOME MUST BE CONTINUED IN POSTWAR ERA

TO MAINTAIN the day-to-day market value of the war bonds we have purchased, and to redeem them at par value when they mature, the government must have, for many years ahead, unusual revenues. That revenue must come from taxes. The per cent of our incomes the government will take as taxes depends on the amount of our income.

We, as individuals, will not feel the burden of taxation so much if our individual incomes remain at a high point. The same total taken from a sadly decreased income would be much more serious.

It all means the national income, what we collectively receive as wages or profits, must continue at a high point, not under 150 billion dollars a year. To maintain that high total high wages must continue. High wages will mean high prices. We will continue to pay more for what we eat and wear and use in other ways. We cannot pay interest, and lay aside for payment on the principal, on a basis of 50 cent wheat, or 40 cent corn, or five cent cotton, unless the government demands a larger percentage of our income than we can pay.

The continuance of the present high wages and high prices means a continuance of such inflation as we now have. Our dollars will not buy as much as in prewar days, they will not have the value of prewar dollars. If we are to pay the interest and principal of the bonds we have purchased it must be done with the same inflated money with which we made the purchase.

All of us are consumers, and as consumers we will pay the bill. The consumers pay the taxes; they pay the wages; they pay for the wheat, the corn, the cotton and all other farm products. As a consumer, directly or indirectly, the farmer pays his share of the price he receives for his products, just as the worker pays his share of the wages he receives. Out of what we pay and what we receive must come the cost of government. The cost of everything, except government, must remain at a high point until that debt is paid if we are to pay it off with dollars of the same value as those with which we made the purchase.

WE STILL HAVE two wars to win. We know that the final result will be in the case of Japan, but we cannot be so sure of winning against the devastating forces of inflation. That war offers a serious threat.

Much as we dislike being regimented and regulated by a bureaucracy we need to hold onto the restraints of rationing and price and wage control until reconversion of industry has reached a point where the production of commodities can meet the demand. These restraints, together with a continuance of high individual taxes, will do much to disarm the forces of old General Inflation. Without such restraints we can lose all we have gained by the defeat of the Nazi and the Jap. Keep a brake on expenditures and we can win that last war, and reap a real peace.

THE POSTWAR PERIOD will bring consideration for, and the creation of thousands of memorials to the men and women who represented their communities in the terrific conflict. Among such memorials will be some that will be forgotten within a few years. That will not be true of those the people use from day to day. Memorial libraries, auditoriums, schools and other civic buildings used by the people of a community will be living memorials. To the present and to future generations they will speak of the deeds of those who served in a time of peril. Undoubtedly the men and women in whose honor they are erected, will more appreciate such living and speaking memorials than they would dead granite shafts or memorial archways. A memorial library will live and speak through many generations.

IF OWI MUST HAVE a controlled press to make it happy let it be that of Germany rather than of the United States. We have been fed all, and more of the bureaucratic handouts than we can digest. President Truman and General Eisenhower do not propose to inflict extreme cruelty, even on the Germans, and blocked the OWI program. Germans will be permitted to know what the world in general thinks, says and does.

### REDUCING GOVERNMENT COST LEADS "MUST" PROGRAM

The greater the reduction in the cost of government the less we, the consumers, will have to pay in taxes. In the years ahead that is the one economy that can be made without sacrificing our individual interests as holders of war bonds. It is the only cost on which we need, or can afford a reduction. Let us hope that Senator Byrd and his committee may be successful in finding ways of accomplishing that reduction.

### Smart Cover for an Old Sewing Machine

IF IT is necessary to keep an old-fashioned treadle machine in a bedroom, it may serve as a dressing table if attractively covered. In the dining room it may do double duty as a serving table. Here, it is shown in a living room. The full skirt matches curtains and slip



covers, and the scalloped felt top repeats the covers of the stools that serve as lamp stands and the chair cover.

The difficult problem is to make the top of this type of machine level. This is done here with a removable top of plywood. Cleats are screwed to the under part of this top and the cover is fastened to it. The whole thing may be lifted easily when it is time to use the machine.

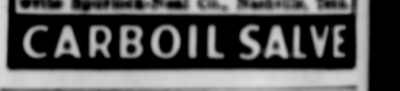
NOTE—The sewing machine cover is from BOOK 9 of the series of home-making booklets. This book also contains complete directions for the special lamp shown here and for more than 30 other interesting projects that will help you to keep your home attractive. To get BOOK 9, send 15 cents with name and address direct to:

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Enclose 15 cents for Book No. 9.  
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### Mouse Deer

Even Noah would be startled by the little mouse deer, also called the chevrotain. Timorous infants of this species look like mice but adult specimens resemble goats as well as deer.

One of the world's smallest mammals, it is only 12 inches high.



### A Dab a Day keeps P.O. away!

(Underscore Perfection Color)



### Do you suffer from MONTHLY NERVOUS TENSION

with its weak, wild feelings?

If functional periodic disturbances make you feel nervous, tired, restless at such times—try this great medicine—Lytia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Take regularly—it helps build up resistance against such distress. Also a good stomachic tonic. Follow label directions.

Lytia E. Pinkham's Compound

### Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste

Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. Do they sometimes lag in their work? Do you not get as Nature intended—full of vigor and energy? If so, it is imperative that you move the system and speed the whole process.

Doan's Pills are constantly clearing the system of waste matter, sufficient to give you a feeling of relief and vigor. Doan's Pills are constantly clearing the system of waste matter, sufficient to give you a feeling of relief and vigor.

Doan's Pills



Wire netting and tarpaper are available for construction of temporary storage bins such as this one. It is necessary, however, for farmers to apply to dealers well ahead of time, as supplies are limited.

### Thar's Pearls in Them Thar Creeks!

Over 500 species of pearl-bearing mussels await amateur and professional hunters in the streams of N. America, claims an article in Liberty magazine, which recommends pearly as a fascinating new hobby, requiring no financial outlay. The internationally famous Queen Pearl of Empress Eugenie's royal jewels was picked up by a carpenter in a New Jersey creek, and in 1890 a London dealer paid \$60,000 for pearls taken from Sugar River in Wisconsin.

Pearl hunting requires no special skill, but is an eye-straining and back-breaking job... it's like picking potatoes, only worse. You wade the creek, moving always upstream so you don't muddy the water ahead as you comb the bed for mussels. Opening the mussels is no cinch but there is the constant excitement of a possible find. Shorts or bathing suits are the ideal garb; the only other equipment needed is a bag or basket for carrying mussels and a knife to open them.

### Tombstone Sleuths Hunt Early American Families

The "Tombstone Hounds" is the nickname of the Genealogical Society of New Jersey, with headquarters in Newark. The Hounds make field trips on Saturdays and Sundays to old burying grounds where they collect genealogical data from gravestone inscriptions. Members include retired bankers, lawyers and business men who have taken up genealogy as a hobby. In 23 years they have collected data on 200,000 graves in 450 of New Jersey's cemeteries. Names, dates and other facts are recorded and published, and are filed as a permanent family record for any interested progeny.

When the Hounds enter a cemetery, they carry with them their equipment: a mirror, trowel, brush and pumice. With the help of these they decipher inscriptions on stones hundreds of years old.

The gravestone pictured at right is a typical one. It was set up when the United States was in its infancy, and commemorates the two wives of Isaac Fourat. The inscription, in old style lettering, reads: "In memory of Mary and Esther, Consorts of



Mr. Isaac Fourat. Mary deceased April the 19th, 1767; aged 35 Years, Esther deceased May the 11th, 1789; aged 55 Years. This marker stands in the churchyard of St. James' church in Piscataway, now part of Raritan township. It includes the original town burial place and contains many early stones, one dated 1693.

### Lend-Lease Aid for China Is Boosted

WASHINGTON.—Lend-lease aid to China in April was more than 15 times that of the same month a year ago. Leo T. Crowley, foreign economic administrator, said that April's \$61,000,000 worth of materials and services brought total lend-lease assistance to China since March, 1941, to \$458,874,000.

### TELEFACT

AVERAGE PRE WAR YEAR	ASIA'S RICE PRODUCTION DECLINES
1943-44	7,100 MILLION BUSHELS
1944-45 (ESTIMATE)	6,390 MILLION BUSHELS

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## Pay-Cut

Last year at this time I enjoyed the acquaintance of a business man whose salary was \$50,000 a year. I looked upon him with a great deal of admiration and respect for several reasons. He earned what he has with hard work and know-how. His employees, numbering above ten thousand, call him Uncle Frank. He lives in a small town and helps a lot of people in a quiet way. Last week somebody showed me a page of a pocket-size magazine published for the employees of his company and I read with grave interest that his pay had been cut. That was news by anybody's standard; most people are getting raises in pay these days. What's more, this man's pay-cut is big. It amounts to more in a year than most men manage to accumulate in a whole lifetime.

## His Own Words

"I insisted that the board of directors reduce my annual salary from \$50,000 to one dollar," the signed statement said. "I have not been receiving net anywhere near \$50,000 a year for working. . . . Only \$309.26 was left for my use out of my 1944 wages. . . . Why should I permit the company to pay out \$50,000 a year to benefit me by only \$309.26?"

Let me make haste to say that I am not sorry for Uncle Frank. He will be all right; he has some other money. I am not worried about his employees either. The faithful workers among them will be able to retire in dignified comfort. My only concern is over men who, next year or the next, may hunt jobs and not find them; jobs Uncle Frank would like to offer but can't.

## Inside Figures

Here is another enlightening passage from his statement: "Perhaps you wonder why my net realization from wages has been so small. The answer lies in the extremely high income tax rates which apply to my wages, added as they are to my other income, and to the fact that I must pay not only federal income taxes but also state income taxes."

This man is not the only big-company official in the country who has cut a lordly income to less than 10 cents a month. Why do they do it? Because their big salaries benefit them so little and cost their firms so much. My young friend who started last fall to work his way through college, running a steam dishwasher four hours a day, realized more net from his salary than this \$50,000 executive.

## Who Is Injured?

Men who cut off big salaries have other income. That's why their tax rates are so high. That's why they can afford to spurn a salary. But if they must decline the proceeds of their own invested earnings, one thing is sure: They will not invest further earnings to start new ventures or expand old ones. Investments in business are not safe, never have been. Any investment is a risk.

Men with money invest it only when they believe, to the best of their judgment, that it will pay reasonable returns. Now they are sure of only one thing: Nearly everything an investment earns will be taxed away from them. Will they invest in new enterprises? No. Then where will our returning service men find work? Unless present tax laws are changed soon, they will find it on a huge W. P. A. to the disgrace of our free America.

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## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Preserves Bring Bright Cheer for Winter  
(See Recipes Below)

### Let's Preserve

Wise are the women who gather their fruits and vegetables and plan ahead for winter months when food is scarce. Imagine, if you can, the thrill of knowing that your canning cupboard holds within it the provision for several hundred meals, all the result of your own work.

Last winter the women who put up pickles and preserves blessed the providence that caused them to do it. For preserves often made up for the plainness of the meat dish, pickles gave a flavor touch when menu variety was at a low ebb, and chili sauce went into hundreds of meat dishes which otherwise might have lacked for flavor.

Preserves may be served with meats, fowl or plain bread. Try to gauge how much sugar you will have and allot only a portion of that for preserves this summer as you will want to use much of the canning sugar for whole fruit.

To be at their best, preserves must be cooked in small batches, anyway in fairly wide pans. There is no need for skimming preserves if they are left in the pans for five minutes after cooking time is finished.

In warm climates where storage is difficult, they are best when processed in a water bath at simmering temperature for 20 minutes. This will help prevent mold.

### Tomato Preserves.

2 pounds tomatoes  
4 cups sugar  
1½ cups water  
1 lemon  
1 stick cinnamon  
2 pieces ginger root, if desired  
Use small, firm red, yellow or green tomatoes. Scald one minute. Dip into cold water. Skin but do not core. Combine sugar, water, lemon (sliced thin), cinnamon and ginger and simmer for 20 minutes. Add tomatoes and boil gently until they are bright and clear. Cover and let stand overnight. Pack cold tomatoes into sterile jars. Boil syrup as thick as honey and pour over tomatoes. Process in water bath for 15 minutes.

### Apricot Preserves.

2 pounds apricots  
3½ cups sugar or corn syrup  
Wash, peel and halve firm, ripe apricots. Combine fruit and sugar in alternate layers. Let stand several hours or overnight. Heat slowly until sugar dissolves, then boil rapidly until fruit is clear. Let stand several hours. Pack cold fruit into sterile jars. Reheat syrup, boiling it

### Lynn Says

Serve These Leftovers with Scrambled Eggs: For every six eggs used, blend in 1 cup diced, sauteed bread cubes with 1 teaspoon chopped chives.

If you prefer a meaty flavor, add 1 cup sauteed chicken liver and top with several slices of cooked bacon.

Fish is delicious with the egg combination. You might try ½ cup flaked fish, or ¼ cup of any of the following: flaked lobster, shrimp, or crabmeat.

Vegetables add eye-appealing goodness to a golden fluffy mixture of scrambled eggs: 3 table- spoons minced parsley and chives; ¼ cup chopped or cooked tomatoes, in which case omit the milk from the mixture; ¼ cup chopped, cooked mushrooms.

### Lynn Chambers' Point-Easy Menus

Frankfurters Stuffed with Potato Salad  
Broiled Tomatoes Green Beans Celery Carrot Sticks Green Onions  
Sliced Rye Bread with Spread Beverage Fruit Shortcake

down if not thick enough. Pour hot syrup over fruit and seal at once.

Chili sauce does not require much sugar and is very good when made with the combination of spices given in the following directions:

### Chili Sauce.

1 gallon tomatoes  
2 cups onions  
2 cups sweet red peppers  
1 pod hot red pepper  
1 cup sugar  
3 tablespoons salt  
1 tablespoon mustard seed  
1 tablespoon celery seed  
3 tablespoons mixed spices  
2½ cups vinegar

Skin tomatoes before chopping. Chop all vegetables before measuring. Tie spices in a mixed bag. Mix all ingredients except spice bag and vinegar. Add spice bag after mixture has boiled for 30 minutes.

Cook until very thick, then add vinegar and boil until there seems to be no more free liquid. Taste and add more seasoning if necessary. Pour while hot into hot, sterile jars and seal according to manufacturer's directions.

There are a number of other foods which you may not have preserved in other years that would now come in handy. First of all, you may want some lovely garden or orchard fresh fruit juices. For these you will need one cup sugar to the gallon with additional sweetening when served:

**Canning Berry Juices.**  
Blackberries, blueberries, logan- berries, raspberries, etc., may be used. Wash, crush and simmer juices until soft. Strain through several layers of cheesecloth. Add one cup sugar to each gallon of juice. Reheat to simmering and pour into hot, sterile jars. Process for 30 minutes in hot water bath at simmering temperature (180 degrees).

It's good to have tomato sauce handy for those meat and vegetable dishes throughout the winter. Canned? Of course:

**Canned Tomato Sauce.**  
Mix 3 quarts chopped tomatoes, 1 quart sliced onions, 1 pint chopped green peppers, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, salt to taste and a pod of hot red pepper. Cook slowly until thick. Then pour into sterile jars and process in a pressure cooker at 10 pounds for 35 minutes or 2 hours in a boiling water bath.

**Canned Vegetable Soup.**  
5 quarts chopped tomatoes  
2 quarts chopped green lima beans or  
2 quarts green beans  
2 quarts carrots  
1 pint celery  
4 tablespoons salt

Cook tomatoes until soft, then press through sieve. Add other ingredients and simmer for 10 minutes. Pour into sterile jars and process in boiling water bath 60 minutes at 10 pounds pressure or 3 hours in a boiling water bath.

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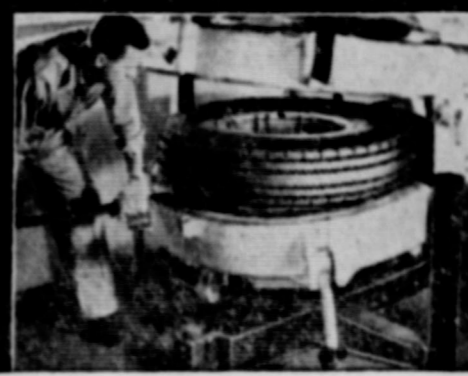
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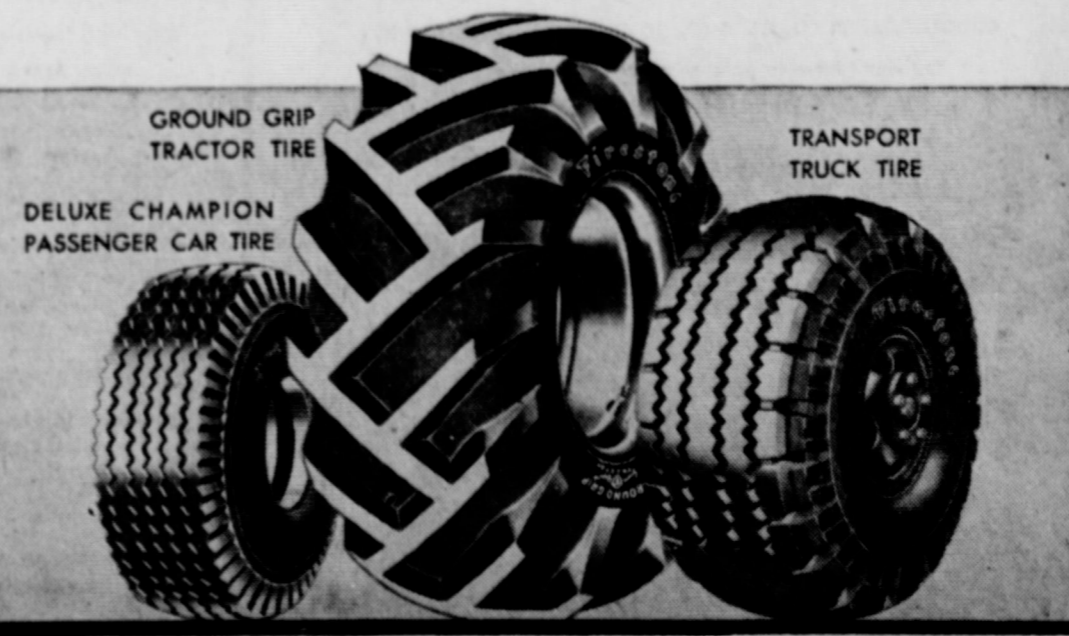
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**Folks You Know**

Mrs. F. E. Norton of Dallas, Mrs. J. T. Routh of Ballinger, Mrs. Frank Wilkerson of McCombs and Mr. John Schooler of Goldthwaite attended the funeral of Alfred W. Gibbs Friday.

Pvt. Richard Peek, Jr. of Fort Knox, Ky. is home on furlough visiting his wife and parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Newton and children of Lubbock were visiting relatives in O'Donnell over the week end.

W. H. (Bill) Martin had a nice surprise Sunday when his son, James E. Martin, S-1-C came in. This was the first time his son had been home in four years.

Mr. and Mrs. John Veach and daughters, Joyce Pat and Sandy recently returned from Young County where they visited Mrs. Veach's mother, Mrs. B. L. Rowe.

Mrs. Pearl Gleastine, Mrs. Ella Gleastine and Mrs. Opal Brock of Hermleigh attended the funeral of their brother and uncle, Alfred W. Gibbs Friday.

**Given Award**

Headquarters, Allied Air Forces, Southwest Pacific Area, Office of the Commander, July 4, 1945  
**L.T. Harold Barrett AWARDED AIR MEDAL**  
 Mr. Lester J. Barrett, Rt. 2

Dear Mr. Barrett:  
 Recently your son, Lt. Harold T. Barrett, was decorated with the Air Medal. It was an award made in recognition of courageous service to his combat organization, his fellow American Airmen, his country, his home and to you.

He was cited for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the Southwest Pacific Area from April 15, 1945 to May 29 1945.

Your son took part in sustained operational flight missions during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These flights included bombing missions against enemy installations, shipping and supply bases, and aided considerably in the recent successes in this theatre.

Almost every hour of every day your son, and the sons of other American fathers, are doing just such things as that here in the Southwest Pacific. Theirs is a very real and very tangible contribution to victory and to peace.

I would like to tell you how genuinely proud I am to have men such as your son in my command, and how gratified I am to know that young Americans with such courage and resourcefulness are fighting our country's battle against the Japanese aggressors.

You, Mr. Barrett, have every reason to share that pride and gratification. Sincerely,  
 George C. Kenney, General, U. S. Army, Commander.

**No Lumber Permit Needed For Repairs**

Home owners need no longer apply to the Federal Housing Administration of the National Housing Administration for authorization to purchase lumber needed for repair, WPB announced. The home owner may now certify his own purchase order and buy the lumber direct from a distributor.

**No More Rationing Of New 1942 Cars**

Removal of the remaining small supply of new 1942 cars from all rationing restrictions was announced by OPA. Beginning July 18th dealers who still have new 1942 cars in stock may sell them to any buyer who has enough money.

**FURY IN THE PACIFIC COMING HERE AUG 1 and 2**

In "Fury in the Pacific" a 20-minute subject concerning operations against the islands of Peleliu and Anguar, the Navy and the Marines show more vividly than in any picture yet released the blood and sweat and sheer power of the island fighting in the Pacific. This picture will show at the Rex on Aug 1 and 2nd.

The film describes preparations for the capture of the two islands, the airstrips which were needed to protect the subsequent Philippines invasion. Highlighted are the bombardments, aerial and offshore, in intensity and ferocity.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the many kindnesses and thoughtfulness in providing food and comfort for us during the hours of our sorrow in the loss of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. A. W. Gibbs, Margaret and Billye Frank. Itc

**Harmony News**

**MRS. JESSE LANE**

Mr and Mrs. H. H. Browning and children are visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. A. H. Furlow had a very enjoyable surprise last Saturday morning when two of her sisters, Mrs. Stimson and Mrs. Morgan of Nacadoches came in for a week's visit. There were several get-together of all the Furlow families while they were here.

Mr and Mrs. C. T. Clanton and Shirley and Clifford of Curro visited Mr and Mrs. Henry Smith and Sue Monday night.

Mrs. Claude McKee, who lives at Mesquite, has been sick this week and her children have spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Smith.

Mr and Mrs. Harvey McKee and Mrs. Bettye Ruth Myers of Lubbock have been visiting at Sherman.

Mr and Mrs. Jesse Lane and children visited G. M. Prewett of Amhurst Sunday. Mr. Prewett has been seriously ill for some time. Mr and Mrs. Prewett are former residents of our community.

Bobby Hugh and Charles Ray Clanton of Curro visited Doyle and Leland Lane Monday nite.

Mrs. Paris June Isaacs and Virge Mae are visiting at Comanche this week.

Peggy Sue Cummings spent Saturday night with Marcia Delle Lane. Mr and Mrs. Noel Johnson and son visited her sister, Mrs. Finis Gleghorn this past week end.

**HEART DISEASE OF KIDS IS EXPLAINED**

Austin, Texas — Rheumatic heart disease is now the first cause of death among children aged 10 to 14 and is second only to tuberculosis at ages 15 to 25. Despite the importance of this disease its epidemiology is not completely established. No vaccine such as those that prevent typhoid, diphtheria, smallpox and whooping cough has yet been developed for its prevention or control. We do know, however, some of the danger signals and with the physicians accurate diagnosis some of the damaging results of the disease may be prevented.

Exposure to frequent chilling, damp or overcrowded living quarters, a poor diet, an attack of scarlet fever, a bad cold or other infection caused by certain streptococcus germ are likely to be predisposing factors in the appearance of rheumatic fever.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, points out that in general the danger signals of rheumatic fever are pain and swelling in the joints of the knee, ankles, elbows, and the wrists. The pain usually is felt in one of these centers and spreads it to the others. Oftentimes a child will get irritable and cross without any visible signs of a good reason for this attitude; he may cry easily or develop habits of nervousness. A physician should be consulted at once in such a situation, for these symptoms may be the beginning of rheumatic fever.

According to Dr. Cox the best safeguards against this disease are to have each child examined at least once a year by a physician, to have the right kinds of foods and plenty of rest. When the disease is suspected of being present, a doctor should be consulted at once, and if he prescribes complete bed rest, his advice should be implicitly followed.

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