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Local News

Mrs. R. R. Ballew were in Bedford Friday. They returned Saturday and brought Mr. Kidwell, Ballew's father, back with them.

Mrs. J. W. Gates visited her daughter in Canyon on Monday to Wednesday.

Mrs. J. P. Bowlin, James and R. O. Starkk were Lubbock visitors Saturday.

Mrs. John Eitter visited Mrs. McLaurin Sunday in the Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. R. W. Gary visited grand-daughter, Judy Carol, at Sunday.

By Burns is now employed with Magnolia Transport Co.

By Sutton, 8 1/2 of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Manzell Monday. Billy was enroute to New York to attend Midshipman School.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

When Jesus said: "The Sabbath is for man, and not man for the Sabbath." He had in mind the reason of the Sabbath Day to its Divine purpose as set forth in the beginning, which was a DAY OF REST and COMMUNION with God. In other words, our Christian DAY which is the First Day of the Week is for the same purpose as the Jewish SABBATH, which is the last day of the week, was for Jews. Our Sunday is a DAY of REST and COMMUNION with God. It is a DAY of WORSHIP. So as the Christians of the early Church gathered in the places of worship on the first day of the week, so should Christians of the Church of Today observe the same practice. So let us observe the Sabbath in all our Churches.

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REX THEATRE ASSISTING THE MARCH OF DIMES

Some inquiry has been made as to where to give donations to the March of Dimes now being held over the nation to fight the dreadful disease, infantile paralysis. Anyone wishing to donate to this fine cause may leave their donations at the Rex Theatre or if you live out from town drop a dime or a dollar in an envelope and mail it to President Roosevelt, White House, Washington D. C.

It is not so important how much you give as it is to give some. Your child or your child could be a victim of this killer and crippling. To date the Rex has collected about \$170. Let's give so others might walk.

CHURCH PARTY

Mrs. R. C. Carroll and Mrs. Truett Hodnett were hostesses to the young people of the First Baptist Church Thursday night, Jan. 25th. Games were played and refreshments were served to about 25 young folks.

WANT ADS

WANTED: A Camera or Kodak. Wanted to send overseas. Mrs. D. L. Harris.

FOR SALE: White Leghorn hens; two years old. See Mrs. J. W. Gardenhire.

For Sale: Steel hydraulic dump bed for truck. See Frank Eubanks.

Mrs. Don Helen Bolch received a card from her husband who is a German prisoner, and he stated that he was in good health, plenty to eat, and enough clothes. We all hope that Don and the other boys held prisoners will be released soon as the War is looking very dark for Adolph.

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New Shipment of AUTO PARTS

For the Wholesale and Retail Trade
Mud Chains, Speedometer Cables
Hot Patch Clamps, Spot Lights, Fog Lights, Horns, Rings, Pistons Ford Inserts and many other parts

Hardware Suggestions
End, Box and Stiltson Wrenches
Box-end Pliers
Barb Wire; Chicken Wire; Hog Wire
Comodes, Lavatories, Sinks and all Kinds of Plumbing Goods.

Brass Windmill Cylinders
Come In and Look at our Stock of Car Accessories

Singleton Appliance

Most Complete Stock in West Texas

He Didn't Turn Back



Pfc. Ike L. Barnes

Corpus Christi, Tex. Feb. 1 -- Marine Private First Class Ike L. Barnes an anti tank gunner with the First Marine Division on Guadalcanal, is stationed here at the Naval Air Station as a guard after serving 25 months in the Pacific.

Leatherneck Barnes is the son of Mrs. Mary Barnes of O'Donnell. His most harrowing experience in the fighting zone, he said, was not as an anti-tank gunner, but as a truck driver.

"I was driving a truck to the front lines to evacuate wounded Marines when the Japs spotted me," Barnes explained. "They machine-gunned my truck and it was shot full of holes, but I kept right on going and reached the lines. Luckily their fire didn't affect the truck motor."

"By the time I started back, those Jap gunners had been taken care of and I made the return trip with my wounded men. It's hard to say what I was thinking during this forward trip, but there was no use in turning back."

PFC Barnes wears the Presidential Unit Citation with one star, and as a brother, Private First Class James Barnes with the Marines in the Pacific.

He enlisted in the Marine Corps Jan. 28, 1942.

MCGREGOR - FLEMING

Mr. J. E. McGregor of DeKalb and Mrs. Velma Fleming of O'Donnell were married Jan. 20th at 5 p. m. by Bro. Crawford at the parsonage. Just a few friends and relatives were present for the wedding. The couple plan to make their home here for a while. The Index-Press joins with friends in wishing this couple every happiness.

SECOND YEAR

Sunday I begin my second year at the Baptist Church. Subject for the Morning Worship hour will be "Paul's Supreme Question." "Have you received the Holy Ghost since ye believed?"

Let us have 200 in Sunday school to show Bro. Ed that we can do it. Come with us. No man can be faithful to Christ and unfaithful to His Church. J. M. Hale, Pastor.

(Ed. note: Bro. Hale has won a place in the hearts of us all in his past year of Ministry. We feel fortunate to have Bro. Hale as one of the town's church leaders. Congratulations on your anniversary!)

CLASS PARTY

Mrs. C. D. Pickens and Earl Curtis entertained members of the Loyal Workers Class and several guests with a charming eighty four party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Pickens. The conversation throughout the afternoon showed that everyone was having a good time. After about two hours of indulgence in the game, the hostess cleared the tables and delightful refreshments of cocoanut cream pie and coffee were served to Mesdames: D. E. Sumrow, Mack Garner, L. T. Brewer, Henry Warren, H. F. Lindley, Clint Wright, Ben Moore, Sr., C. L. Hafer, Bill Holtzclaw, H. B. Brewer, A. H. Roeninger and the hostess.

J. H. Hobart and Laleon Jordan returned from a business trip to Holbrook, Ariz. last week.

Mrs. Mattie Shook of Lubbock was visiting friends and relatives Monday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Aubrey Lee of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Sgt. W. C. Reavis of Brooks Field is expected home this week on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Childress and Wayne of Hale Center and Mrs. W. P. Cozart of Lamesa were visitors in the Mrs. E. G. Stokes home over the week end.

J. L. Swope of the McBride and Swope Grain Co., has laid the foundation for a warehouse and feed building that he plans to build this winter or spring. Labor is a big problem to J. L. is it to us all.

Mrs. Fred Henderson and Billy Bob of Lamesa were visiting in O'Donnell Tuesday.

JOIN MARCH OF DIMES

A Town Is -- Hard Work

The Motto of Lubbock is "A Town is not an accident -- It is 99 per cent hard work."

This week I have printed two portions of letters received from overseas soldiers. The letters are so glowing in praise that I hesitated to print them for, to be truthful, I feel pretty cheap taking these words of praise -- when I have done so little.

Any day now a part of the World War will be put out. Then a portion of our boys and girls will be returning and will want to KNOW what OPPORTUNITIES they have to build a life in O'Donnell or in this neighborhood.

The next few years ahead of all of us are CRITICAL years. They are critical years for OUR town. An individual does not remain static -- I will not nor will you. We will either improve or we will slip back. This is so very true of a town.

Sunday I drove out beyond the town and in coming back, the sun was near setting. I looked with true pride at our skyline. We have as nice a town as can be found in the U. S. A. Small enough to drink coffee with your neighbor -- yet growing with a potential that is unlimited. The wide open spaces are no limit in West Texas.

Near all towns are thinking of the trying Reconstruction Days that loom just before us. Lubbock, Tahoka, Lamesa, Big Springs -- they are all thinking of the "hereafter" are we? I believe we are as individuals but we should think of the town as WE are the town.

Every business, large or small, have problems that are common with the other businesses. We need to organize to keep our fine trade and by all means get NEW business.

We have a live-wire Rotary Club that is a town booster. Perhaps a committee from the Rotary could be a building stone toward our common goal.

We urge our business men to give careful thought to becoming a UNIT in meeting common business problems as they arise. Make no mistake we will all live in a different world of economics when the fire is out.

Our soldiers will expect an answer to this question: "I want to live in O'Donnell and raise my family here. I want to grow up with a relatively NEW country. HOW?"

In short the veterans will want Opportunity and Information.

MOTHER OF LOCAL LADY BURNS TO DEATH AT EDEN

Mrs. J. E. Smith, 82, was burned to death and her daughter, Mrs. Jim Arnold, suffered critical burns when their farm home near Eden was destroyed by fire Sunday night. Mrs. Smith was the mother of Mrs. J. L. Taylor of O'Donnell and Mrs. Smith has visited here a number of times. Her sincere sympathy goes at this time of loss and sadness.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. L. E. Robinson was hostess to a beautifully appointed bridge luncheon honoring Mrs. Helen Burgess last Wednesday. A ranch style luncheon was served after which games of bridge were enjoyed by Mesdames Guy Bradley, C. N. Hafer, H. B. Brewer, C. H. Cabool, E. T. Wells, Sam Singleton and the honoree, Mrs. Helen Burgess. Mrs. Hafer won the high prize and Mrs. Cabool won the traveling prize while Mrs. Burgess was awarded the guest prize.

Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker and daughter, Eloise and Mrs. Lee Garner and daughter, Avallene were in Lubbock Wednesday where Miss Eloise entered Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Robinson were transacting business in Menard over the week end.

Little Helen Jean Hoffman was painfully injured in a fall Tuesday.

Mrs. Felen Burgess, who has been visiting in the C. N. Hoffman home, returned to her home in Austin Monday.

DOWN GOES ANOTHER CAT

Vernon Creighton, J. W. Singleton, and Bert Fritz spent the weekend hunting with hounds for bobcats in the breaks of the Caprock. After a 5 hour run the hunters got a 30 lb. feline specimen. This cat makes 3 in as many weeks.

Mesdames Charles Uzzle and J. W. Gardenhire were in Abilene Monday on business.

J. S. Boydston is here for an indefinite stay looking after business. His home is in Denton County.

THANKS A Million

Next Monday Mr. E. Pace will assume a lease on my cafe.

I Wish to thank my friends and customers for their fine patronage of the past and urge you to continue your trade with Mr. Pace.

W. B. Phillips



WAR BONDS in Action

Gen. Kreuger, Gen. Kenny and Gen. Sutherland discuss invasion plans on one of the Philippine Islands. They consider the vast quantity of munitions that War Bonds buy and which make possible the advance of our armed forces.

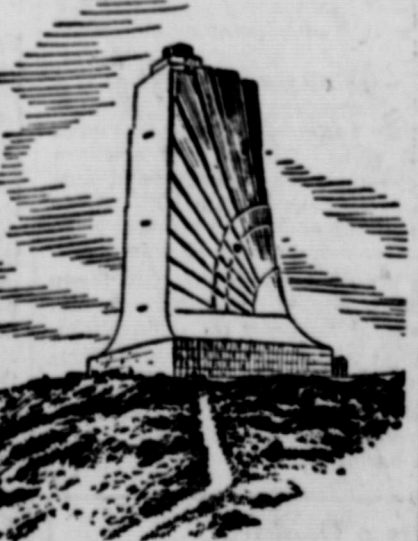
LOSES TWO FINGER JOINTS

F. M. Jones, a mechanic of the Ellis Chevrolet Co. lost two finger tips of his right hand while working with an automobile about noon Wednesday.

Give to the March of Dimes. Your child or mine MAY be NEXT to be crippled or killed by infantile paralysis.

Mrs. Harvey Everett of Brownsville is visiting the Everett families here this week.

Bonds Over America



KITTY HAWK

Distance was annihilated, war revolutionized by three years of glider flights and a 59-second motorized aeroplane test by the Wright brothers at Kitty Hawk, N. C. In 1928 residents of Kitty Hawk erected a monument to those historic tests; later the Federal Government dedicated the Wright Memorial Monument and a 350-acre park on Kill Devil Hill "in commemoration of the conquest of air by the brothers Wilbur and Orville Wright." Flights today of B-29's, fighter planes, scouts and transports prove how vital were those tests and inspire Americans to buy War Bonds for expansion of aviation to win complete victory. U. S. Treasury Department



Sgt. Joseph M. Proctor

Several weeks ago Mrs. Joseph Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proctor received the posthumous Award of The Purple Heart given by the War Department in memory of the heroic death in action of their husband and son last September 14th in France.

The citation of the Purple Heart reads as follows:

To Sgt. Joseph M. Proctor, for Military Merit and for wounds received in action resulting in his death, Sept. 14, 1914.

The United States of America; To all who see these presents, Greetings This is to certify that the President of the United States of America pursuant to authority vested in him by Congress has awarded the Purple Heart established by Gen. George Washington at Newberg, N. Y. Aug. 7, 1872.

The letter from the President reads as follows:

In grateful memory of Sgt. Joseph M. Proctor, who died in the Service of his country in the European area, Sept. 14, 1914.

He stands in the unbroken line of patriots who have dared to die that freedom might live and grow and increase its blessings. Freedom lives and thru it, he lives -- in a way that humbles the undertaking of most men. (signed) Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Sgt. Joseph M. Proctor is survived by his wife, two children, Melvin Ray and Kitty Gene, his mother and father, his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Procter, a brother, Bobbie Joe, two sisters, Mrs. Christine McDonald of Dallas, and Miss Cora Proctor of Ft. Worth. Three uncles, John of O'Donnell, Lee who is fighting in France, and Merit of Rising Star as well as five sisters and a host of friends.

We of O'Donnell honor the memory of a fellow citizen whom we all knew and admired and who paid the highest possible price for freedom.

J. W. Gardenhire left last Thursday for the Induction Center at El Paso. He was farming in the Three Lakkes Community. They have recently purchased the Dr. BuBaay home and Mrs. Gardenhire will live in town until the war is over.

J. E. Weir is sporting a new suit of civilian clothes. He was recently given a medical discharge from the Army. J. E. had hard luck as many of his months of service were spent in the hospital. He hopes to settle here.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking my friends of O'Donnell for the lovely floral offerings sent at the time of the passing of my husband, Sgt. Jack Seymour.

Mrs. Jack Seymour and children, of Odessa.

Please help me find my little three month old Scottie pup as he has been missing about three weeks. Will give reward. Harry D. Bolch

CHURCH CONFERENCE

On Feb. 8th, next Thursday, the O'Donnell Baptist Church will be host to the Worker's Conference. Following is the program:

- 10:30 Song and Praise -- J. W. Goodell.
- 10:45 Training Union Emphasis
- 11:00 Sunday school Emphasis -- Rev. Marcua Rexrode
- 11:15 WMU Emphasis -- Mrs. L. Lumsden
- 11:30 Mission Emphasis -- Rev. B. N. Shepherd.
- 11:45 Announcements
- 11:50 Sermon -- Rev. Huron Poinac
- 12:30 Lunch
- 1:30 Executive Board
- 2:15 Song and Praise
- 2:30 Inspirational Address -- Rev. R. C. Hallman.
- 3:00 Adjournment

FORMER O'DONNELL LADY LOSES HUSBAND IN PLANE CRASH IN CALIF.

Funeral services were held at Odessa last Thursday, Jan. 25th at 2:30 for Sgt. Jack Seymour, who was killed in an aeroplane crash at Muroc, Calif. and Jan. 20th. The body was returned under a full military escort and a military funeral was conducted with burial in the Odessa Cemetery. Sgt. Seymour is survived by his wife and two children. Mrs. Seymour will be remembered here as Nadine Crutcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Crutcher. Our sincere sympathy goes to the family.

Any man who is not anxious to do better than well is done for. We admire the wisdom of those who ask us for advice.

Ernie Pyle's Slant on the War:

Digging Ditches Becomes A Welcomed Job to G.I.s

Foxholes Offered Protection Against Nazis' Continued Attack

By Ernie Pyle

(Editor's Note: This dispatch was written and first published when Pyle was with the G.I.s at the African front. He is now on his way to cover the boys in the Pacific war zones.

WITH TROOPS IN AFRICA:—When our Sahara salvage expedition found wrecked airplanes far out on the endless desert, the mechanics went to work taking off usable parts; and four others official ditchdiggers of the day.

We were all afraid of being strafed if the Germans came over and saw men working around the planes and we wanted a nice ditch handy for diving into.

The way to have a nice ditch is to dig one. We wasted no time. Would that all slit trenches could be dug in soil like moist; just the kind children like to play in. The four of us dug a winding ditch 40 feet long and 3 feet deep in about an hour and a half.

The day got hot and we took off our shirts. One sweating soldier said: "Five years ago you couldn't get me to dig a ditch for \$5 an hour. Now look at me."

"You can't stop me digging ditches. I don't even want pay for it; I just dig for love. And I sure do hope this digging today is all wasted effort. I never wanted to do useless work so bad in my life."

"Any time I get 50 feet from my home ditch you'll find me digging a new ditch, and brother I ain't joking. I love to dig ditches."

Digging out here in the soft desert sand was paradise compared to the clay-like digging back at our base. The ditch went forward like a prairie fire. We measured it with our eyes to see if it would hold everybody.

"Throw up some more right here," one of the boys said, indicating a low spot in the bank on either side. "Do you think we've got it deep enough?"

"It don't have to be so deep," another one said. "A bullet won't go through more than three inches of sand. Sand is the best thing there is for stopping bullets."

A growth of sagebrush hung over the ditch on one side. "Let's leave it right there," one of the boys said. "It's good for the imagination. Makes you think you're covered up even when you ain't."

That's the new outlook, the new type of conversation, among thousands of American boys today. It's hard for you to realize, but there are certain moments when a plain old ditch can be dearer to you than any possession on earth. For all bombs, no matter where they may land eventually, do all their falling straight at your head. Only those of you who know about that can ever know all about ditches.

A Soldier's Letter. While we were digging, one of the boys brought up for the thousandth time the question of that letter in Time Magazine. What letter, you ask? Why, it's a letter you probably don't remember, but it had become famous around these parts.

It was in the November 23 issue, which eventually found its way over here. Somebody read it, spoke to a few friends, and pretty soon thousands of men were commenting on this letter in terms which the fire department won't permit me to set to paper.

To get to the point, it was written by a soldier, and it said: "The greatest Christmas present that can be given to us this year is not smoking jackets, ties, pipes or games. If people will only take the money and buy war bonds . . . they will be helping themselves and helping us to be home next Christmas. Being home next Christmas is something which would be appreciated by all of us boys in service!"

The letter was all right with the soldiers over here until they got down to the address of the writer and discovered he was still in camp in the States. For a soldier back home to open his trap about anything concerning the war is like waving a red flag at the troops over here. They say they can do whatever talking is necessary.

"Them poor dogfaces back home," said one of the ditchdiggers with fine soldier sarcasm, "they've really got it rugged. Nothing to eat but them old greasy pork chops and them three-inch steaks all the time. I wouldn't be surprised if they don't have to eat eggs several times a week."

"And they're so lonely," said another. "No entertainment except to rattle them old dames around the dance floor. The USO closes at 10 o'clock and the night clubs at 3. It's mighty tough on them. No wonder they want to get home."

"And they probably don't get no sleep," said another, "sleeping on them old cots with springs and everything, and scalding themselves in hot baths all the time."

"And nothing to drink but that nasty old ten-cent beer and that awful whisky," chimed in another philosopher with a shovel.

"And when they put a nickel in the box nothing comes out but Glenn Miller and Artie Shaw and such trash as that. My heart just bleeds for them poor guys."

"And did you see where he was?" asked another. "At the Albuquerque Air Base. And he wants to be home by next Christmas. Hell, if I could just see the Albuquerque Air Base again I'd think I was in Heaven."

That's the way it goes. The boys feel a soldier isn't qualified to comment unless he's on the wrong side of the ocean. They're gay and full of their own wit when they get started that way, but just the same they mean it. It's a new form of the aged soldier's pastime of grousing. It helps take your mind off things.

Into Northern Tunisia. We moved one afternoon to a new position just a few miles behind the invisible line of armor that separates us from the Germans in Northern Tunisia. Nothing happened that first night that was spectacular, yet somehow the whole night became obsessed with a spookiness that leaves it standing like a landmark in my memory.

We had been at the new camp about an hour and were still setting up our tents when German planes appeared overhead. We stopped work to watch them. It was the usual display of darting planes, with the conglomerate sounds of ack-ack on the ground and in the sky.

Suddenly we realized that one plane was diving straight at us, and we made a mad scramble for foxholes. Two officer friends of mine had dug a three-foot hole and set their tent over it. So they made for their tent, and I was tramping on their heels. The tent flap wouldn't open, and we wound up in a silly heap. Finally it did open, and we all dived through the narrow opening all at once.

We lay there in the hole, face down, as the plane came smack overhead with a terrible roar. We were all drawn up inside, waiting for the blow. Explosions around us were shatteringly loud, and yet when it was all over we couldn't find any bomb holes or anybody hurt.

But you could find a lot of nervous people. Dusk came on, and with dusk began the steady boom of big guns in the mountains ahead of us. They weren't near enough for the sound to be crashing. Rather it was like the lonely roll of an approaching thunderstorm—a sound which since childhood has always made me sad with a kind of portent of inevitable doom.

We went to bed in our tents. A nearby farmyard was full of dogs and they began a howling that lasted all night. The roll of artillery was constant. It never stopped once in 24 hours. Once in a while there were nearer shots which might have been German patrols or might not.

We lay uneasily in our cots. Sleep wouldn't come. We turned and turned. I snapped on a flashlight.

"What time is it?" asked Chris Cunningham from the next cot.

"Quarter to one," I answered. "Haven't you been asleep?"

He hadn't.

"Oh, yes," said the general. "I had noticed your name and I meant to call you up sometime."

"I'd like to come in and see you," said the voice at the other end.

"Why, yes, do that," the general said. "I'm pretty busy these days, but I'll switch you to my side and he'll make an appointment for you. Glad you called, captain. I'll look forward to seeing you."

General Doolittle Meets a Doolittle

The last time I had seen General Doolittle was at the desert airfield of Biskra on the edge of the Sahara.

Lieut. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle, head of the Eighth air force over here, noticed one day in the roster of officers at his staff headquarters the name of a Captain Doolittle. One day not long after that his phone rang and the voice at the other end said, "This is Captain Doolittle."

"Cole Porter says of all the songs he's composed, his pet is 'Love for Sale,' which radio banned because of its poetry—and which, consequently, was never 'done to death' by the song-pluggers. . . . The Republics are describing Mr. Churchill as 'England's revenge for the Boston Tea Party!' . . . A legless mendicant features this placard: '4F in the Draft—But IA in Blood Donations!' . . . Phil Britto's description of a phony: 'He is bothered more by your success than by his own failure.'

Things like this are making Sec'y of State-tinuous a very respected gent around Washington. . . . The other day he invited Sec'y of Interior Ickes and his staff to meet with the State Dept. at a private dinner. . . . Mr. Ickes was asked to make a complete criticism of the State Dept. . . . The idea was to achieve better teamwork. . . . Ickes let them have a blistering attack, and plenty of State Dept ears sizzled. . . . But the confab achieved its unique purpose. . . . It put the State Dept. in a friendly, human relations with the Ickes bunch for the first time in a dozen years.

Add five screen playing: Mark Daniels in the "Winged Victory" hit. . . . In mid-December the col'm predicted that another strike would break out at Wright's in New Jersey. The workers there wish it emphasized that they won't strike and intend to vote for the continuation of the no-strike pledge.

A Broadway playgirl was tipped to a sure-thing four days before Tropical Park shuttered. She plunged on the horse for a \$10,000 killing. . . . But the bookie, with no future in racetrack gambling, welshed to the coast. Her boy friend happens to be one of the East's toughest sportsmen. Not a new way of committing suicide, at all.

A Gilmore hateback gal got a \$100 tip from a fellow, who returned two hours later and said it was a mistake, demanding it back. He gave her \$1 instead. Not a bad tip, at that. . . . Havana is "dead"—practically no tourists. But Cuba has great prosperity, wages are higher than ever. The Cuban capital is guarded by machine gunners, ditto the Presidential Palace. . . . Groaned one wealthy Cuban planter: "You people insist on giving our people milk and ice cream! They hate it! . . . Isn't it true you are richer than ever?" he was asked. . . . "No," he said, "I used to make \$500,000 a month. Now it takes three months to make that!"

Order Towels Shortened To Stretch the Supply

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Bath towels will be shorter to make the supply longer.

The war production board ordered manufacturers to hold bath towel lengths to 40 inches and guest towels to 26 inches after January 22, WPB estimated this would stretch supplies by 1,300,000 towels a month.

These additional limitations were imposed on the turkish or terry woven towels affected.

Chicken Feathers on Yank Bombing Planes

ADVANCED 9TH AMERICAN AIR FORCE BASE ON WESTERN FRONT.—When pilots of Col. Ray Stecker's Hell Hawk Thunderbolt squadron returned from a low-flying bombing and strafing mission ground crews reported they removed from the planes, chicken feathers, fence wire and part of a family wash.

Not Physically Possible, But Here It Is Anyway

NEW ORLEANS. — A 185-pound, three-point buck was bagged inside New Orleans' city limits.

Unusual? Wait, you haven't heard all.

The deer had a normal head and eyes, but a snow-white body and legs.

"A biological impossibility," commented Dr. James Nelson Gowanloch of the state wildlife department.

W. F. Watson, who shot the deer, brought the skin to Dr. Gowanloch.

The biologist said that if the deer had been an albino it would have had red eyes and a white head.

"Yes, I see it, all right," he added, "but it's still hard for me to believe."

Rescue 7 Yank Flyers

Who Hid for Two Months

ABOARD A SEAPLANE TENDER, PHILIPPINES. — Seven men of a navy Liberator crew, who have been reported missing, were rescued after two months of hiding in a Japanese-held island in the Philippines.

Among them was Ens. H. W. McDaniel of Illinois (whose home town is unavailable). His wife and baby live in Los Angeles.

All of the men had been injured, several seriously. One of the crew was killed and two were missing.

The Liberator was hit by anti-aircraft fire and crashed into the China sea. Within a day after the survivors reached shore at a nearby island, a Japanese bomber was shot down, crashed in their midst, killing one of the survivors and reinjuring three. The men were finally picked up from a native sailboat.

The survivors are going to Sydney and then to the United States.

Flyer Gets His Greatest Thrill in Police Stable

PHILADELPHIA, PA. — Lieut. Erwin Letak, who has downed four Jap planes and completed more than 109 missions, got his biggest thrill recently—in the city stables.

As the flyer entered a stall, Paint, a big, black police department horse, turned his head, stomped, and rubbed his nose against the man who rode him when he was a mounted patrolman. Paint had refused to let any one ride him for the two years Letak has been away. Now he was ready to go again.

British Tell of Queen's Peril From Nazi Bomb

LONDON. — A bomb crashed through the roof of Buckingham Palace and through the apartment of the Queen in the early days of the London blitz, but failed to explode, it was disclosed recently.

Eight men of the palace home guard unit disposed of the three-foot-long explosive.

King George inspected this home guard unit, every man of whom had kept the three-year secret of the palace bomb.

Army Hijacking Gang Gets Rich

Soldiers Steal Supplies and Dispose of Them on the French Black Market.

PARIS.—Some insight into the cigarette and gasoline shortage back home may be found in the charge made by American officials that trainloads of cigarettes and thousands of gallons of gasoline have been stolen by American soldiers and disposed of on the French black market.

Several American officers have enriched themselves on the proceeds of stolen post exchange supplies hijacked by the truckload and sold at fantastic prices.

Col. E. G. Buhrmaster, provost marshal of the Seine base sector, said that a major forwarded to his home \$36,000 made in this manner. He also told of a corporal who was reported to have sent home \$1,200 gained in five days, and \$2,000 each was sent by two enlisted men.

Steal All But Bullets.

Everything but bullets and tanks have been stolen, said Col. Buhrmaster. These were passed up because there is no black market for them.

Awaiting courtmartial in one detention barracks in Paris are 1,308 Americans, most of whom are charged with misappropriation of government property. 181 enlisted men and three officers are held in another detention camp charged with selling a trainload of cigarettes, soap, and other supplies. They belonged to two battalions that operated a railroad.

Colonel Buhrmaster said that this group sent over \$200,000 in post office money orders. "Every one of them had between \$5,000 and \$6,000 on them when I picked them up."

"This place is getting really bad," Buhrmaster said. "They hijack trucks right off the road. They drive a car between the last couple of trucks in a convoy, stick a gun in the driver's belly and tell him to vamoose."

"Then they sell the truck for 250,000 francs, which at the American rate of two cents to the franc amounts to \$5,000. Our evaluation of the franc is the basis of the black market."

Two Sentenced for Life.

The French government has promised to tighten its attitude toward the French black market agents involved. Because they were unable to disclose the source of their gasoline, 5,000 cars have been taken from civilians.

For selling government property to black market agents, two American enlisted men have been sentenced to life imprisonment in the same offense, a French civilian was fined 1,200 francs. This was called to the attention of the French government by American officials and in future all civilians charged with similar offense will be tried by a French military tribunal.

The losses have not affected present military operations, officers say. "The thefts had no bearing on the battle now raging," said Maj. Gen. Henry E. Saylor, chief ordnance officer.

"The only 'hot' items on the ordnance list are watches and field glasses," he said. "We caught one soldier who stole 300 watches and he's in the penitentiary. But our firepower supplies are untouched."

Theft of military vehicles in the Paris area alone reached a total of 2,000, but most of them have been recovered.

Food Affects I. Q. Of Tots Before 4

Survey Reveals Results of Good Nutrition.

NEW YORK.—Evidence that good nutrition before the age of four raises the I. Q., the intelligence, of children, is reported in the American Journal of Digestive Diseases by Dr. I. Newton Guggelmann of New York City.

He studied 192 children for 14 years. Some were well nourished and others ill-nourished, divided evenly. In each group also nearly half were mentally retarded and the other half mentally normal.

The intelligences of all were tested, and then the ill-nourished were given good diets continuously for some time and retested. At the same time those who had been well nourished all the time were retested as a check against influences other than nutrition.

The ill-nourished children all showed a rise in intelligence due to good food. The children who had been well fed all the time showed no such rise.

The average increase in I. Q. was 10 points for the mentally retarded children and 18 for the normally healthy ones.

But the rise in intelligence was significant up to age four and negligible in the older ages. This was particularly striking in the malnourished, retarded children. Up to age four their increases in intelligence were 5 to 10 times faster than in later years.

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

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Fruit, Meringue and Cupcakes . . . Dessert Trio

(See Recipes Below)

Dessert Simplicity

Desserts that are delicious in spite of their simplicity and yet hearty enough to satisfy appetites whipped to their keenest by sharp wintry weather are the order of the day.

We're concentrating on desserts that take up little time and effort, little of the precious, rationed sugar, but use plenty of fruits in season. There are many recipes among them that use eggs or milk to fortify diets shy in these two important foods.

The first is an especially quickly prepared dessert that is satisfying but not too heavy:

Fruit Cupcakes

Slice plain bakery cupcakes into wedges, cutting only half way through. Open gently and fill the cavity with meringue and fruit. Bits of fruit left over from breakfast or lunch may be used. Served with coffee or another hot beverage, these make a tempting climax to heavier fall and winter meals.

Butterscotch Rice Pudding.

(Serves 6)
1/2 cup rice
2 cups milk
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup chopped dates

Wash rice and add salt and rice to the milk. Bring to a boil and then simmer 25 minutes. Meanwhile, melt butter, add brown sugar and cook over a low flame until very dark brown but not burned. Add the caramel mixture to the rice and milk and stir until dissolved. Remove from heat and add lemon juice, vanilla and dates. Pour into a wet bowl and chill. When cold, this pudding can be unmolded. Serve plain or with cream.

Pears are in season and are good to serve with cake or just plain fresh or stewed. Here they are combined into cake:

Pear Cake.

1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 cup sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon lemon extract

Topping:
10 pear halves, pared and stewed
1/2 cup sugar
1 teaspoon cinnamon
Cream shortening, add sugar and cream until light and fluffy. Add eggs one at a time and beat well. Add flour which has been sifted with baking powder, salt and cinnamon.

Lynn Says

Saving Sugar: Syrups may be used in cookies while sugar is saved for cakes. The texture of cookies is not affected enough by syrup in place of sugar so that it is perfectly all right to use it. Use 3/4 cup honey or corn syrup in place of each cup of sugar, and add 2 tablespoons of flour to each cup called for in recipe.

Fruits may be sweetened with jams and jellies or honey. Add sweetening last with a pinch of salt to make the most of it. Prepared pudding and gelatin mixes may be used with unbaked sweet cookie crusts to save sugar in making pies.

Thicken left-over fruit syrup from canned fruit with cornstarch and use as sauce for puddings. Make use of dried and fresh fruits for their natural sugar content.

Substitute fresh fruits in season and custards for cakes and pastries as often as possible.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menus

Lamb Steaks with Mustard Sauce
Creamed Potatoes
Brussels Sprouts
Pear Salad
Cinnamon Rolls
Rice Pudding
Beverage
Jelly

Add flavoring. Pour into a well-greased oblong or square pan. Press the cooked pear halves into the batter and sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon mixed together. Bake for 30 minutes in a 400-degree oven.

Have you tried cookies and fresh fruits for dessert simplicity and satisfaction? You'll like:

Orange Crisps.

(Makes 7 1/2 dozen small cookies)
2 cups sifted enriched flour
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
1 egg
2 teaspoons grated lemon rind
2 teaspoons grated orange rind
3 tablespoons orange juice

Sift together flour, baking powder, soda and salt. Cream together shortening and sugar until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well. Add fruit rinds and juice. Add flour mixture to creamed mixture. Mix thoroughly. Shape into rolls and wrap up in waxed paper. Chill until firm. Slice 1/4-inch thick and bake on ungreased baking sheets in a moderate (350-degree) oven 12 to 15 minutes. These cookies may also be shaped by using a cookie press, if fancy shapes are desired.

Spiced Apple Pudding.

(Serves 6)
1 1/2 cups sifted flour
1/4 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1/2 to 3/4 cup milk
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons shortening
2 cups sliced apples
2 tablespoons butter
1/4 cup sugar
Juice of 1/2 lemon

Sift flour, sugar, baking powder and salt together. Cut fat into flour, using fork or pastry blender. Add one-half cup chopped apples and enough milk to make a soft dough. Melt butter into the bottom of a casserole, then add sugar, remaining apples and lemon juice. Pour the batter over the apples. Steam for 1 1/2 hours and serve hot with lemon juice or cream.

Chocolate is such a big favorite that it should be included in desserts occasionally to add to appetite appeal. Here is a nutritious dessert that is bound to bring cheers:

Chocolate Floating Island.

(Serves 6)
1 1/2 squares unsweetened chocolate
1/2 cup sugar
3 cups milk
4 eggs
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
4 tablespoons sugar

Melt chocolate in top of double boiler, add 1/2 cup sugar and mix well. Add milk slowly, stirring constantly. Reserve 2 egg whites for meringue. Beat remaining whites and 4 yolks slightly over salt, then return to double boiler. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture coats the spoon and foam disappears. Add vanilla. Strain into serving dish; cover; let stand until cold. Chill before serving. Garnish with meringue made of egg whites, sugar and a dash of salt.

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JESUS' CONCERN FOR ALL

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 9:1, 9-13, 18-26.
GOLDEN TEXT—Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets.—Matthew 7:12.

What is a man worth? Well, say we, that depends, and then we are prone to undervalue him. Jesus had (and taught) a high regard for the inherent value of man. He saw possibilities in all men. He had a love for them. He was concerned about their welfare, and they responded by an interest in Him.

Jesus showed by His dealings with men how wrong are most of the standards and attitudes of the world. With Him there were:

I. No Social Barrier (vv. 1, 9, 10). The caste system of some lands, dividing people into social strata which separate men and hinder fellowship, does not exist in our land. Yet, in practice, we have such levels which are a formidable barrier in the thinking of many (perhaps most) people.

Jesus knew nothing of social barriers. He ignored them and went straight to the one in need. In our lesson it was a man of position and wealth who was an outcast among his people because he was a hated gatherer of taxes for Rome.

Jesus saw in him a man of faith and a useful witness for Him. And He not only talked with him, but called him to be His disciple. Then He went further and, to the astonishment of His critics, went in to a great feast where many such men were gathered.

He ate with publicans and sinners, not because He approved of their manner of life, but because He wanted to change it as He changed them.

II. No Fear of Criticism (vv. 11-13). Many a kind and noble impulse has died a-borning because of the fear of criticism. "What will people say?" has kept many a Christian from speaking to some sinner about his (or her) soul.

"The world is too much with us—" and we all too often guide our lives and service by the possible reaction we may receive from those round about us. We did not learn such an attitude from Jesus.

His answer to His critics made it clear that there will be no self-righteous, "good enough" people in heaven. The Lord is not even calling them, so long as they trust in their own goodness. He came to seek and to save sinners (v. 13, and Luke 19:10).

We, too, may go forward without fear of our critics. That doesn't mean that we "don't care what people think" about us. We ought to care, but if their opinion is based on unbelief and self-righteousness, it should certainly not deter us from our all-important business of soul-winning.

III. No Limitation of Time and Place (vv. 18-22).

Often the help of man to those in need is circumscribed by so many regulations that those who most deserve help cannot get it. There are times and places for application forms, and tests must be completed, etc. Doubtless much of this is needed, but one wonders at times whether our charitable impulses have not disappeared under a mountain of red tape.

Be that as it may, how interesting it is to see that Jesus met the need when and where it appeared. He was already on one errand of mercy when the sick woman touched His robe. He was not too busy nor too preoccupied to stop and give her a word of help and comfort (v. 22).

Is there not a significant lesson here for us in the church? The need is reason enough for the extension of our help. The place is anywhere that men are in sadness or sorrow, and the hour is now—when they need our help.

IV. No Lack of Power (vv. 23-26). How often the human heart is prompted to help, and willing hands are ready to follow its promptings in loving action, yet we find that we cannot do anything. The need is too great for our meager resources. Our strength does not suffice. We have no money, or the situation is one beyond human help.

How wonderful it is then to remember the Lord Jesus! A touch on the hem of His garment in faith made the woman whole (v. 22). A word from Him brought the dead little girl out to face the scorners of Jesus, in the bloom of life and health.

Has He lost any of His great power? No. He is just "the same yesterday, and today, and forever" (Heb. 13:8). Why not trust Him? Do you need help—spiritual, mental, physical? He is able. He has no prejudice regarding your social position. He will meet you right where you are, and right now. He is seeking the sick and the sinful—"the lost, the last, and the least," Look to Him, by faith.

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EDITORIAL

Everyone really seems to enjoy themselves every day at the last period which is the time for P. T. Almost everyone participates in some kind of sport.

The girls have started playing soft ball and we think it will be somewhat better than their basketball team. Let's hope so anyway. The boys are still playing and doing fine. They are scheduled to play Tahoka tonight and we think we can beat them. So lets everyone go and back them up.

Hobby: Jean finally got to have her recital. It was splendidly done. We think everyone enjoyed it, but Mrs. Gibbs still has her to go. The pupils are looking forward to it.

IDEAL FACULTY

Superintendent Mr. Johnson
Principal Super Man
Home Eco. Teacher Lana Turner
English Teacher Betty Grable
Law & Civics John A. Garfield
Spanish Teacher Carmen Maranda
History Teacher Charles Boyer
Typing Teacher Olan Ladd

IDEAL GIRL

Fair Lavena Watson
Lips Dorothy Ratliff
Eyes Mary Allen
Legs Mozella Cobb
Figure Yvonne Swinney
Teeth Cynthia Bazar

IDEAL BOY

Legs Edward Browlow
Eyes Joe Harris
Physique C. L. Thompson
Lips Mike Burns
Teeth Gene Pearson
Hair Horace Henley

GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

The following First Grade pupils made the Honor Roll: Charles Holcomb, Wendell McTendon, Harold Houston, Deltah Gilliam, Travis Pearce, Kay Platt, Betty Lee Burkett, Donna Jean Hobdy, Sylvia Gattin, Ginger Cowger and Ralph Mires.

The following students made an Average of 90 and above at Mid-Term: Roger Line, Sam Singleton, Pat Etter, Elaine Hohn, Patay Ruth Simpson.

The Third Grade Honor Roll for reading are: Marion Insan, Valda Petty, Henry Conley, Lillie Reynolds.

The fifth grade is proud of their new student, Herbert Pennington.

What's in the notes that Rex Stokes writes to Kay Hancock? They are not doing bad just to be in the second grade, are they ???

Meet A Senior

Edward Lee Browlow was born August 8, 1927 at Athens. His parents are Mr and Mrs. L. E. Browlow. Edward will have 16 1-2 credits and after graduating he plans to join the army.

Edwards favorites are Teacher: Johnson; Subject: Biology; Flower: Orchid; Boy Friend: Olan McKendler; Color: Brown; Song: "Don't Fence Me In"; Movie Actor: Clark Gable; Movie Actress: Ann Sheridan; Slang: Golly; Hobby: Basketball.

Edward has three brothers. One brother is in high school and the other two are in grade school in O'Donnell.

Rue Nell Curd was born November 18, 1928 at Lamesa. Her parents are Mr and Mrs. M. M. Curd. She attended Levelland school before coming to O'Donnell. Rue Nell will graduate with 16 credits. She plans to be an Air Cadet Nurse.

Rue Nell's favorites are: Teacher: Mrs. Hulings; Subject: English; Flower: Gardenia; Girl Friend: Billie; Color: Blue; Song: "There Goes That Song Again"; Movie Actor: Van Johnson; Movie Actress: Rita Hayworth; Slang: "That's a Good Deal, Lucille"; Hobby: Dancing.

Rue Nell has one brother and one sister. They are both at O'Donnell.

This 'N That

Why did Pat get out of the car with Pace and get in with Mutt Sat. night? And say, what does she think of the sailor "bud" and who was the basket ball player? Gene Pearson.

Oh, by the way what happened to Mutt and Doris for Sunday nite saw him with Billie Frank.

Why did Charley not go to Shirley's party? Was it because of his fuss with Leah?

Whose picture did Gene Fralin get last week? It couldn't have been Wayne Carroll?

Lavena wasn't with Levin Davis Sat. and Sunday nite, was she? she seems to be popular with the older boys, doesn't she??

Hubert was with Patay Friday nite and Ruth Sat. nite. What's wrong, edna, are you slipping ???

Edward Browlow couldn't be trying to slip out on Betty James by asking Marcia Belle to go with him Sat. nite? But I guess all is well for they were together Sunday nite.

Who was Polly Henderson with Wednesday night? Couldn't have been an ex-senior by the name of Morgan or could it?

Sammie Mize was seen without Mona Lee Sat. nite - but after all she had LeRoy Mensehe.

Why must Wanda Williams and Charles Shumake make dates in the hall? It really isn't the place.

Is it so about Bobbye having so many names? I have heard Bobbye, Pacer, Mac and Barton ???

EAGLES GO TO TAHOKA TO MEET LUBBOCK AIRMEN

The Eagles went to Tahoka last Friday night where they met the boys from the SPAAF. The first game played was with the B squad. Scores on this game were Eagles 11 and Airbase 19.

Both teams were very well matched. The A squad was defeated by a score of 36 to 35.

At the end of the game the score was tied 31 to 31. After playing a three minute overtime period the score was still a tie. With both teams playing with all they had another 3 minute overtime ended with the score of 36 to 35.

Play Tahoka Tonight
We will meet the Tahoka Bulldogs on their own court tonight at 7:30. The Eagles are planning to win this game from the Bulldogs for having lost the last game to them. Let's show them we are backing them with all we have. Be there and help them win. The last game with the Tahoka boys was at Post.

Colored School News

We have begun to give programs each week end in regard to building on to our lunch room. We are serving 32 type A lunches a day and have an enrollment of 49 pupils which includes 6 new students.

THIS 'N THAT

Why was James Farmer flirting with Wilda Franklin Friday? Was it to make Minnie jealous?
Has anyone noticed how Blue George is lately? Couldn't be because Dorothy Smity does not occupy the front seat of the bus ??

SEVENTH GRADE

The Seventh grade is proud of its new pupil, Patsy Brownlow of Smyer, Texas.

Edward Gray's New Year Resolution is coming true since Patsy has started to school.

The seventh grade regrets that Jim Bob Boothe is going to Lamesa. He has been going to school here for a long while. We will miss him.

SCHOOLER BIRTHDAY PARTY
Tom and Shirley Schooler, who are cousins, were honored with a birthday party at Tom's home last Friday night. Peggy Beach and Sis Schooler were the hostesses. This was Tom and Shirley's 14th birthday, however Tom is twenty-two hours older than Shirley.
Coco and cookies were served to a nice crowd and everyone had a very pleasant time.

With Our Churches

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

(B. M. A.)
Preaching - 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school every Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

The Church building repairs have been completed and you are invited to attend services at this Old Time Missionary Baptist Church, J. A. Branaman, Missionary of the Plains Association will preach the 4th Sunday.

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Sunday School at 11 a. m. Preaching at 11:45 a. m.
Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Public invited.
Rev. E. P. Kilburn, pastor.

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Sunday School: 10:30 to 11:30
Morning Worship: 11:30 to 12:30
Evening Worship: 7:30 P. M.
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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Morning Worship—11 a. m.
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
Thursday Prayer service—7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.
R. T. PEEK, Pastor.

India Curry Sauce Peps Up Cauliflower



Crown a plump head of cauliflower with teasing India curry sauce containing onion and apple and you'll add unsuspected newness and pleasure to a cold-weather meal.

That's a tip to home-makers given by Marjorie Griffin, Home Editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer. Parsley or watercress garnish will give color, she says, while curry powder and tabasco sauce will pep up the blandest cauliflower.

India Curry Sauce
2 tbsp. butter 1 tbsp. curry powder
1 tbsp. minced onion 1 tbsp. fresh Parsley
4 tbsp. diced apple 1 c. cauliflower water
1/2 tsp. salt
Melt butter and add onion and apple; cook slowly until tender. Add salt, curry powder and flour, stirring until well blended. Slowly add cauliflower cooking water, stirring constantly. Cook over low heat about 7 minutes. Pour sauce over a head of cooked cauliflower, garnish with parsley, and serve at once. Serves 6.

"You'll be amply paid for the time and ingenuity used in planning appetite-whetting dishes such as this," Miss Griffin writes.

BOOST G. I. MORALE WITH GOOD LETTERS, GIRLS ARE URGED

WRITE the kind of letters that will make your G. I. Joe, service brothers, sisters, cousins, friends say "That sounds just like Jennie!" is the advice Holly Miller gives 'teen age girl readers of her column in Capper's Farmer.

"You'll be lifting morale and at the same time having yourself a good time," she declares in the nationally-circulated farm magazine. "The trick is to write as if you were talking to the person. If he or she were there, you'd probably tell how you thought you'd die trying not to laugh backstage when the villain's beard dropped off just as he raised his gun in the second act of the Junior Class play. And how he covered it by saying 'That was the quickest shave I ever had.'"

"Put in a little spice. Give your correspondent the low-down on the latest gossip. If you will, but keep a light unmalicious touch. Use nice paper, V-mail if it's to go overseas. Your special G. I. Joe will probably like the faint scent obtained by sprinkling bath powder or sachet in the bottom of your stationery box."

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Bonds Over America



POLK HOUSES

Columbia, Tenn., prizes its two Polk homes. It goes all-out in War Bond selling so that nothing may mar them. Samuel Polk's house, a two-story brick building with spacious rooms and French windows opening on to quaint balconies, was built in 1816. Next door is an almost duplicate home which Mr. Polk built for his daughter. The residence of James K. Polk, son, eleventh President of the United States, is a short distance away. The house where he entertained Andrew Jackson and Martin Van Buren during the campaign of 1844, when he was elected, is also of two stories and was erected in 1829. Relics of the budding years of this Nation that must endure, these homes inspire the purchase of War Bonds.

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Sunday School 10:30 a. m.
Morning Service 11:30 p. m.
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Edward H. Crandall, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study 10:30
Preaching 11:15
Communion 12:00
Young People's meeting 6:15
Evening Service 7:30
Ladies B's Study Tues. 2:30
Midweek Service Wed. 7:30

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday Bible School 10:30 a. m.
Young People's service 7:15
Morning Worship 11:30 a. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday nite prayer 8:00 p. m.
Rev. J. T. Crawford

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