

# The Baird Star

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But The Get-Up-And-Get That Makes Men Great."

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## Baird Business Houses Will Close July 5

Baird Merchants, dry goods, grocery, hardware, beauty shops, etc., will be closed all-day Monday, July 5th to commemorate July 4th.

All county and district offices at the court house will be closed also, on this date.

The Bank and Post Office will be closed all day also.

## Baird Canning Center

### FOOD CONSERVATION

Approximately 3000 jars have been processed during the Rural War Production Training Course in Food Conservation now in progress at the public school lunch room under the direction of Mrs. Ashby White.

Beginning Tuesday, July 6, 1943 efforts are going to be centralized in getting food processed for the school lunch room. During the 10 day course all who will give time and vegetables are urged to come and register. Lunch tickets may be exchanged for vegetables if wanted.

The public is cordially invited to come and can for themselves. This course in canning will continue throughout July and part of August.

## Mrs. Alice Mosley Died Monday

Mrs. Allie Mosley, 86, a resident of the Denton Valley community 43 years, died at her home Monday, June 28th at 9 a. m.

Services were conducted at 3 p. m. Tuesday in the Methodist church at Denton Valley. Burial was made in Eula cemetery beside the grave of her husband, who died in 1914. Wiley funeral home had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Mosley was born in Georgia. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. M. Whitley, Denton; Mrs. C. E. Lawdermilk, Big Spring; and a son J. B. Mosley, Big Spring. Also surviving are 18 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

## LUCILLE CLARK AND TOW SMART WEDS IN CALIFORNIA

Miss Lucille Clark, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Clark of Cisco, was married to Thomas Smart of the United States Marines at a Methodist church in San Francisco California June 18. The bride-groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Smart, formerly of Admiral, but now living in San Francisco, Calif.

## MRS. M. J. HOLMES SUFFERS CEREBRAL HEMORRHAGE

Mrs. M. J. Holmes suffered a cerebral hemorrhage Wednesday morning and has been critically ill since. She was carried to the hospital and Dr. Griggs reported her condition more favorable yesterday afternoon.

Her son, Dr. Greer Holmes and wife of Denison arrived Wednesday night.

## Notice Gasoline Users

To expedite the handling of basi "A" Gasoline books to be used after July 21, 1943, it is suggested that application be made to the Local Ration Board by mail. Simply mail in to the office the tire inspection record you now hold on the vehicle. All applications can be processed by mail rather than making a personal appearance to the office. Please send these in by July 1st in order to insure the issuance of new books by July 21, 1943. NOTICE—MAIL! Don't bring or send the applications.

## BANK HOLIDAY NOTICE

The First National Bank of Baird will not be open for business Monday, July 5, 1943, (Independence Day July 4)—being a Legal Holiday.

Customers are requested to be governed accordingly in the transaction of their banking business. All paper maturing on above date will become legally due the next business day.

The First National Bank.

## Mrs. John Allen Honored

The home of Mrs. Col. Dyer in North Baird was the scene of a miscellaneous bridal shower on Friday evening from 9 to 10 o'clock honoring Mrs. John Allen, the former Chairity Gilliland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Gilliland.

Mrs. Dyer was assisted by her daughters, Marion, Ruth and Gayle Mrs. J. R. Jackson, Mrs. A. A. Davis Mrs. Clyde Yarbrough, Mrs. S. E. Settle, Mrs. Will McCoy and Mrs. Gus Hall as co-hostesses.

The guests were greeted by Miss Ruth Dyer, the honoree, Mrs. Sam H. Gilliland and Mrs. Linwood Hayes of Breckenridge.

Miss Gayle Dyer presided at the registry and Mrs. Bill Yarbrough at the refreshment table.

The spacious living room was attractively decorated with ferns, gladiolus and daisies. The refreshment table was overlaid with a beautiful hand-made lace table cloth and the center piece was an arrangement of white tapers in crystal candelabra with garlands of ferns and daisies.

The program consisted of piano and vocal selections by Mrs. V. E. Hill and Mrs. Olaf South, Ruth Bowlus gave several readings.

Many lovely and useful gifts were presented to the bride.

## 4-H CLUB BOYS ENJOY CLUB CAMP AT ABILENE STATE PARK

Callahan and Taylor counties 4-H Boys' Club camp was held in Taylor County at the Abilene State Park near Buffalo Gap, June 25 and 26.

J. W. Potts, Assistant State Boys' Club Agent, and Parker D. Hanan, gave recognition to all club members for producing their share of food and feeds in 1943.

W. T. St. John, State Game Warden, and R. E. Callender, Game Management Specialist, discussed State Game Laws and club parts in State Game Preservation.

Soft ball contests were held between the different clubs attending the encampment.

Callahan, Coleman and Taylor counties participated in the rifle contest with Taylor County winning the championship.

Each club boy was allowed to swim several times during the encampment and demonstrations were given on life saving at this swimming pool.

The club members from Callahan Co., who attended were: Billy Hicks, Clyde, Jackie Roberson, Clyde, Finis Glover, Baird, and Curtis and Jackie Rosenbaum, Eula.

The boys considered the encampment very successful. Each boy had a good time and no accidents were reported.

## WAR BOND LOANS ADVANCED TO CALLAHAN COUNTY FARMERS

After July 1 the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation Loan Representative, Joel Griffin, will be in the War Board Office only on Wednesday and Saturday instead of each day of the week. All persons wishing to contact Mr. Griffin regarding a loan should remember the days on which he will be in the office, according to J. Lester Farmer, chairman Callahan county U. S. D. A. War Board.

Callahan county farmers have been advanced loans in the amount of \$25,670.22 through RACC's War Board loans, according to the War Board chairman, who explained that these loans were primarily set up to assist farmers in securing credit in order to increase production of food and feed crops for the war effort for which the regularly established lending agencies would not advance enough funds. Each borrower is required to sign a statement that he cannot secure adequate credit for his needs or that he prefers to secure the loan through R. A. C. C.

The loans are of two types: The general loan, secured by chattels ordinarily required by all lending agencies, and the war crop loan, secured by a mortgage on the crop for which the loan is made.

J. Lester Farmer, Chairman, Callahan Co. USDA War Board

FOR SALE—1936 Standard Two-Door Chevrolet. Apply at Star office

## Robert Walls Commissioned Second Lieutenant

Robert Walls, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls received his wings and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Army Air Service at Moore Field, Mission, Texas Saturday. A class of 182 received their wings and commission at this time. Their wings commission-at that time. Their wings being awarded by Lieut. Col. F. G. Jamison and their wings were pinned on by their instructors.

Mrs. W. V. Walls and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis attended the graduation exercises.

Lieutenant Walls enlisted in the Army Air Service some months ago and has been in training since. He will report at the Army Air Base at Tampa, Fla., on July 11th for duty.

Lieutenant Walls is a native of Baird and graduate of Baird High School and held a number of positions with local firms here before going into the service of his country.

## Sparks-Roberts Wedding

Marriage of Margaret Juanelle Sparks, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sparks of Cottonwood and Aviation Cadet William Riley Roberts, Jr., only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberts of Brady, took place at the Baptist church at East land on May 2. The Rev. H. J. Starnes, Pastor, read the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a two-piece Jeanne Barrie model dress of white jersey with inserts of printed jersey and white accessories. Her corsage was of carnations. For something borrowed she carried a chinese lace handkerchief belonging to her aunt Miss Leta Cappinger of Abilene; for something new she wore a pair of silver wings gift of the bride-groom. Graduate of the Cottonwood high school the bride attended Texas Tech.

Aviation Cadet Roberts is a graduate of Rising Star high school and a 1940 graduate of A. and M. College. He received training as a pilot at the Cisco Flying Field. He took pre-flight training at Kelly Field, San Antonio, where he is now stationed.

Mrs. Roberts is a niece of Mrs. B. H. Freeland and Cadet Roberts is a nephew of ex-coach Bill White.

## SPRING CHICKENS SHOULD BE VACCINATED NOW

Most Spring hatched chickens are old enough now to vaccinate for the prevention of fowl pox. This disease causes its greatest damage during the winter months when egg prices are the highest.

Once a flock becomes affected with fowl pox, birds fall off immediately in production and in many cases high death loss occurs.

Experienced poultrymen vaccinate with fowl pox before pullets start laying.

This immunizes birds against the disease and helps insure continued egg production during the damp winter months when fowl pox is prevalent in many flocks in Callahan County.

For further information, see your local County Agent, W. M. Meador.

## MRS. JOE HIGGINS REPORTED IMPROVING

Mrs. Joe Higgins of Admiral who has been seriously ill at the Callahan County hospital is improving. Members of the family here during the past few days were her sons, T. Sgt. Raymond W. Higgins and family, Fort Worth; E. J. Higgins, Sheppard Field; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins and Mrs. Jeff Malby of San Diego, Calif.

Her sisters Mrs. C. S. Bradford of Jal N. M., Mrs. Rube Smith, Admiral and her brother R. L. Robinson of California, and her aunt Miss Jennie Harris, Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clemer and children of California are visiting Mrs. Clemer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McIntosh and other relatives in the Denton community.

## Corp. Joe Wayne Griffin Reported Missing In Action

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Griffin of Midway received a telegram from the War Department yesterday afternoon informing them that their son, Corp. Joe Wayne Griffin was reported "missing in action" in the South Pacific.

Corp. Griffin was a gunner on a bomber and was based in New Guinea. He has been over there about seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin have two other sons in the service, Richard, his eldest son is in the Army Air Corps in North Africa and Billy is in training at Detroit, Michigan.

Corp. Joe Wayne Griffin, a nephew of Olaf G. South, superintendent of Baird Public Schools.

## Deep Creek Camp Meeting Began Yesterday

The Annual Deep Creek Camp Meeting started Thursday, July 1st, at 8:30 p. m. with full interest. The Wednesday "work day" saw a good response of helpers and progress was made on a new camp cabin.

Eight or more, well known speakers are expected to assist W. E. Hawkins of Dallas in making the camp most interesting. Meals at the camp will be reasonable.

W. E. Hawkins speaks Monday and Thursday nights.

Fred Crowl, the Bible artist, brings the message through his art pictures Tuesday night. J. F. Ferguson President of Texas Citizens and R. V. Johnson of Phoenix speaks Wednesday night.

Thursday is Abilene Day with Evangelist Joe Temple speaking at 11 a. m. and dinner on the ground.

Ed Branch of Fort Worth, one of the camp meeting speakers will speak on the streets of Baird Saturday afternoon.

## 4-H CLUB BOYS SELECTED AS COTTON INSECT PEST REPORTERS

Five 4-H Club boys have been selected as the Cotton Insect Pest Reporters for Callahan County. Each boy was selected to serve his community and make weekly reports as to the extent of insect damage.

Five fields will be selected in each community and examined weekly for boll weevil, flea hopper, boll worm and leaf worm. Every boy will receive the necessary training in order that he may make such reports.

Reports from each community will be mailed to the Extension Service at A. and M. College where each county's report will be used in determining the need for insect poisons in the cotton growing areas of Texas.

The reporters are:

Lowell Johnson, Oplin  
David Parker Clinton, Putnam  
Dale Ellis, Putnam  
Billy Brock, Clyde  
Calvin Lee Britton, Clyde.

Reporters will receive a certificate of merit or some suitable award for rendering such services.

Mrs. E. B. Long has returned to her home in Los Angeles, Calif., after a visit with her mother and brother Mrs. E. L. Woods and Paul Woods. Other members of the family visiting here were, Milton and Audie Woods of Hot Springs, Ark., Mrs. O. V. Murphy of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Avery of San Antonio, Paul Woods who suffered a sunstroke a few days ago is improving.

## NOTICE—IMUORTANT

There are 68 Magazines missing from the Red Cross Room at the court house. These books were taken from a box of supplies which are to be packed in the soldiers kit bags and the shipment is being held up because these magazines are out. Will those who have taken the books out, please, return them at once so the kit bags can be shipped to the soldiers—they need them.

## Randall Jackson Commissioned Second Lieut.

Lieutenant Randall C. Jackson, arrived in Baird yesterday from Boston Mass., to spend a short visit with his mother, Mrs. J. Rupert Jackson before returning to duty.

Lieutenant Jackson graduated from the Army Air Forces Statistical School at Harvard University in June 28th, receiving his commission as Second Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Jackson has prepared himself for a position in the Army Air Forces, of great importance, that of preparing and consolidating all manner of data for high authority. The Army Air Forces Statistical School, incidentally, is the only one its type among the scores of schools giving specialized instruction in the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command, Major General Walter B. Weaver, Commanding. Located at Harvard University, Boston, Mass., the military personnel has the opportunity of studying under professors of the University Graduate School of Business Administration.

Before entering his final period of instruction in Statistics, Lieutenant Jackson successfully completed a difficult course in administration and military science, Miami Beach, Florida. He is one of a select group of men chosen for this type of work because of marked ability.

## PASTURES IN HOG FEEDING

According to Fred Hale, Swine Division, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, pastures are an important item in hog feeding in this year of acute shortage of high protein concentrates. Pastures added to the feeding program will cut down the amount of protein feed necessary for economical gain, and are also a source of a number of vitamins which contribute to general thriftiness and health.

Feeding hogs from small, dirty pens and allowing them to graze on an abundance of pastures will lessen the occurrence of disease, and will increase the efficiency with which feed is assimilated.

The rising cost of feed, and the increasing difficulty with which established proteins can now be secured, makes it important that feeding be placed on a sound basis. No feed should be lost through improper feeding methods, or improper hog management.

One acre of land properly cultivated and properly grazed will adequately take care of 20 fattening hogs, reported Mr. Hale, where the hogs are on self-feeder. When hogs are hand fed, they will take more pasture.

## WILL MANUFACTURE PRESSURE COOKERS

Homemakers will welcome the news that 275,000 pressure cookers are going to be manufactured this year. This information was received this week from Winifred Jones, Specialist in food preservation for the A. and M. College Extension Service. So far there has not been any indication of how many Texans will get, but it is safe to assume we will get our fair share. Some cookers of a first allocation of 150,000 already have been shipped into Texas and have been sold.

Of course, it will take some time to manufacture and distribute the 275,000 cookers, so likely Texas will not get all of its quota until time for late fall canning, Miss Jones says. Canning circles, other groups, and individual families can apply for a cooker at the office of their county farm rationing committee.

And here is another reminder about canning—You can use Ration stamps 15 and 16 in your War Ration Book No. 1 to get sugar for canning. Remember, the numbers are 15 and 16. Each stamp is good for five pounds. As a rule you will find your home rationing sugar ration will allow you about a half cup of sugar for each quart jar of fruit.

Meanwhile be sure to save your jars from commercially canned foods coffee, fats, and the like. If a mason cap fits the jar you can use it for fruit, or pickles, perhaps.

## Several Sites For City Lake Being Considered

Several sites for the locations of the City Lake are under consideration by the managing committee of the Callahan County Luncheon Club. The accessibility, scenic beauty and economy of construction have been considered in selecting the possible sites. A lake to be of primary importance must be near town. One of the great draw-backs that Baird has suffered in the past is lack of convenient entertainment centers. With war-time restrictions on travel the people of Baird find themselves with no out door recreation facilities, a condition which leads to moral delinquencies any physical unfitness.

It is obvious that an immediate correction of this condition is impossible; but looking forward to the inevitable social and economic unrest which always follows a war, the club is trying to prevent a repetition of the conditions that prevailed in the roaring twenties.

Of slightly less importance than the accessibility is the scenic background of the lake. The committee has found desirable park sites on every location considered which with very little expense can be developed in to places of attraction that every citizen of Baird would be proud to have as his own.

But ever utmost in the minds of the committee is the fact that strictest economy must be practiced. A city lake which is a financial burden defeats its own purpose from the beginning, however with the expected cooperation of the City of Baird, the Club is confident that the project can be completed and made to meet the financial, social, and recreational needs of the people of Baird.

## Mrs. Cora Williams of Eula Died

Mrs. Cora Williams, wife of Jim Williams died Wednesday afternoon at her home at Tulia a few hours after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage.

Funeral services were held at the Eula Baptist Church yesterday at 3:30 o'clock with the Patterson Funeral Home, Clyde, in charge. Burial will be made in the family plot in the Eula cemetery.

Mrs. Williams, the former Cora Edwards, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Edwards, was born in Milan county and came to Callahan county in 1889, the family locating in the Eula community where she resided until last fall when the family moved to Tulia.

Mrs. Williams is survived by her husband and four children by a former marriage, Mrs. Claude Johnson, Big Springs; Mrs. Virginia Wiggins Abilene; Curtis Clark of California; and Jim Clark, 12, her youngest child. She is also survived by two sisters and five brothers, Mrs. Lottie King, Baird; Mrs. Hardy Tyler, Rt. 1, Baird; Robert L. Edwards, Baird; Morris Edwards, Eula; W. W. Edwards, Arcadia, La.; T. J. Edwards Plainview; and J. M. Edwards, Clovis N. M.

J. D. Judd of Abilene was in Baird yesterday. Mr. Judd is a former resident of the Denton and Tecumseh community. His father G. Judd lived for some years on the Tom Keblinger place. Mrs. Judd is a brother of Mrs. Alex Barton of Denton.

## "Arm Them With The Gospel First"

DEEP CREEK CAMP MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 7  
8:30 P. M.

ANNUAL CAMP AT DEEP CREEK  
JULY 1-9

ALL DAY SUNDAY, JULY 4  
W. E. HAWKINS, KRLD, Dallas  
R. V. JOHNSON, Phoenix  
FRED COWELL, Artist  
and others

BIBLE SCHOOL MON—FRI.  
JULY 5-9

—ALL WELCOME—



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**News From Boys In Armed Forces**

**LIEUTENANT BRYANT RETURNS FROM ENGLAND**

Lieutenant Harold Bryant, who has returned to the United States after ten months of service in England with the R. A. F., doing specialized radio work, has just spent several days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant on Rt. 1, Baird. He had many interesting things to tell about his experiences in England, Scotland and Wales.

Lieutenant Bryant graduated from A and M College in June, 1943 and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant on graduating, he immediately went on active duty with the Signal Corps. He was promoted to First Lieutenant May 15, 1943.

Lieutenant Bryant is now stationed at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey for advanced training.

**BUCK CARGAL IS A "CRACK" MECHANIC**

It takes "crack" machinists and mechanics to keep our Navy's flyers in the air. Buchanan Cargal, 19, son of Mrs. Lavasta Cargal, is now in training at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Navy Pier, Chicago, Ill., training for a job in a ground crew with the Naval Air Force.

He is receiving instruction in the principles and theory of flying and the operation and repair of all types of aircraft. Upon completion of this course, he will be eligible for advancement to a petty officer rating and assigned to duty servicing warplanes aboard an aircraft carrier or at a naval air base.

He was selected for this training on the basis of a series of aptitude tests given him while in recruit training.

**LEONARD FARMER GRADUATES FROM AIRPLANE MECHANICAL SCHOOL**

Leonard L. Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farmer of Eula, has graduated from an intensive course in airplane mechanics and now is prepared to blast the Axis as one of America's "commandos in coveralls". Sheppard Field, near Wichita Falls, is one of the many schools of the Army Air Force Technical Training Command which trains the specialist technicians to maintain our mighty air armada. He is now qualified to play a vital role in the Army Air Forces groundcrew teams that "Keep 'Em Flying."

Before entering the school, he was trained at one of the basic training centers of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command and learned to fight the Axis with other things besides the tools of his trade.

Mrs. Bob Walley has gone to Paris, Texas to join her husband, Sgt. Walley, who is stationed there at present.

Mrs. Maria Leache has returned from Fort Worth and Dallas where she visited her sisters, Misses Aurelia and Mary Bowyer and her daughter Beverly Leache and brother Otis Bowyer. Her son First Lieutenant A. B. Leache of Fort Lewis, Oregon joined her there for a short visit.

Pfc. Jim Bob Denny son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denny has completed his mechanical training in the Technical School, Army Air Base, Lincoln, Nebraska. He completed his first course at the University of Minnesota. Jim Bob enlisted Oct. 26, 1942 and has not been home since. He is now assigned to an Army Air Base in Brockley Field, Mobile, Ala. He hopes to get a furlough soon.

"The MORE WAR BONDS and STAMPS WE BUY TODAY—the FEWER GOLD STARS will hang in our windows tomorrow."

**IF YOU HAVE NO CANNER, MAKE ONE**



Photo Courtesy Ball Bros. Co.

"All authorities on home canning advise that non-acid vegetables be canned by processing (cooking in jars) in a steam pressure cooker because a pressure cooker is the only household utensil that can retain a much hotter than boiling temperature. High temperatures are desirable when canning beans, peas, corn, greens, etc., because they insure more certain destruction of bacteria and because the canning can be done more quickly. But," says Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director of Ball Brothers Company, who heartily approves using a pressure cooker whenever possible, "the time is at hand when we must be practical. Don't worry if you can't buy a pressure cooker for surely you can find a wash boiler, lard can, baby bath tub or some deep container in which water can be boiled. Tack a few strips of wood together to make a rack or platform to hold the jars about one-half inch from the bottom of the container. Find something, even if it has to be a board, to use as a lid. Then you will have a water-bath canner for those Victory garden vegetables.

"You are afraid to eat vegetables canned that way? Nonsense! A lot of folks who say a water bath can't be used were raised on vegetables canned by that method. But let's get three things clear before we go any further: first, there have been a few instances of poisoning from eating canned vegetables; second, all such danger can be avoided by boiling the canned vegetables 15 minutes before tasting or serving—they should be re-boiled before serving if left from one meal to the next; third, a pressure cooker is not a guarantee against spoilage. There will be spoilage if the pressure gauge registers too low or if poor judgment is used in the selection, preparation, and packing of food into the jars. And don't let anybody tell you otherwise.

"Now, back to the water bath. The water should be steaming but not boiling when the jars are lowered into it and deep enough to cover the tops of the jars two or more inches. No, water won't get into the jars if directions are fol-

lowed. The water should be brought to boiling as quickly as possible and kept boiling steadily throughout the canning period.

"Any jar suitable for use in home canning (and only those with names lettered on them are suitable) may be used for water-bath processing. Mason jars may be sealed with one-piece zinc cap and rubber—if you can find the caps—with glass top seal, or with two-piece vacuum seal caps. Glass top seal closures and vacuum caps seal on the top edge of the jar, therefore it is necessary to make sure the top edges of the jars are even, smooth, and perfect in every respect. The bands are screwed down tight on the vacuum seals as soon as the jars are filled to within from one to one-half inch of the top, and should not be tightened again. Zinc caps are screwed down on the rubber and then loosened slightly. Bands for glass top seals are screwed down and then loosened. This tightening and loosening is called 'partly sealing' and should always be done before jars are placed in a canner. Seals are completed by tightening caps or bands immediately after processing.

"Then there is the jar with a glass lid and rubber ring held in place with wires—it is ideal for canning, especially when fitted with high-tension, stretch-proof, steel wire. It is partly sealed before and completely sealed after processing.

"Those who select vegetables that are young, tender, and right out of the garden, and waste no time in washing them clean, cooking them five to ten minutes, and pouring into clean, hot jars and processing immediately, will live to laugh at those who say it can't be done. It is the Cans, not the Cans, who are going to win the war on both home and battle front."

**HOME-CANNED BERRIES TAKE LITTLE SUGAR**



Photo Courtesy Ball Bros. Co.

Home canned berries play leading roles in the pantry because they contribute vitamins and minerals for health, can be used in many ways, and are easy and inexpensive to can.

Blackberries, blueberries, boysenberries, raspberries, elderberries—can them all and others, too, with little or no sugar. Sugar gives them better flavor and more calories, but has nothing to do with keeping qualities.

Berries are too precious to waste and none will be wasted if you will see to it that every step taken is the right one. First of all, wash, rinse and examine your jars. Be sure to inspect the top edges of those to be sealed with glass top seal or two-piece vacuum seal closures because top seals refuse to work unless tops of the jars are perfect. Cover jars, glass lids, and zinc caps with luke-warm water, heat to boiling and keep hot until needed. Wash and rinse rubbers and vacuum seal lids and drop them in boiling water—they don't need boiling unless you plan to do old-fashioned open kettle canning—then they must be boiled a few minutes to sterilize.

Every berry must be fresh, sound, ripe, and firm. Wash them carefully and then take your choice of canning methods.

Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director of Ball Brothers Company, prefers to hot-pack berries. This is how it is done. Place berries in a wide, shallow pan; add one-half cup sugar, or less, for each quart of berries; set the pan over low heat and simmer until the berries heat through and the sugar dissolves (remember you don't have to use any sugar); pour the hot berries into clean, hot jars and process five minutes in hot water-bath canner.

If you prefer cold packing, fill a jar about half full with raw berries, then tap it gently on a folded cloth to shake the berries down. When the jar is filled to within a half-inch of the top, add enough hot syrup to cover the berries. Process 20 minutes in a water-bath canner.

Syrup for four quarts of berries may be made by boiling two cups sugar and three cups water or berry juice together until the sugar dissolves. If you are a little short on sugar—and who isn't these days?—try making the syrup of one measure sugar, one measure corn syrup, and one-half measure water or berry juice. This syrup seems rather thick and sweet, but it will become thinner and less sweet after it has been with the berries a few weeks. And if you have no sugar at all, cover the berries with hot berry juice or boiling water; seal or partly seal the jars (follow the manufacturer's instructions) and process 20 minutes in a water-bath canner.

If you want your berries to really star, can them without sugar. Then they can be used as if they were fresh from the patch. The juice can be drained off and used for making jelly. The berries can go into a pie or into jam—a jam turnover tucked in a lunch box will make the noon hour much more pleasant for somebody and surely you need nobody to tell you that jelly and jam are far more delicious when freshly made than at any other time.

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**COMMON SENSE**

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What Does It Mean to You—

*The Constitution of the United States?*

"We, the people of the United States..."

One hundred fifty-six years ago, these simple words began America's warranty of freedom.

Today we are deep in war—so that this warranty may endure. Should we win—and win we must—whom will it profit?

Are you a West Texas farmer, and do you love your land? Are you a worker, and do you cherish your hard-bought home? It will profit you that no man, without due process, can wrest your home, your field, your plow from you.

Do you worship God in a church, or in a synagogue, or in the secret places of your heart? It will profit you that no heathen hand can desecrate your altars.

Do you impart the truth to the printed page—or do you seek it there? It will profit you that the presses will not be shattered in the night.

Do you talk with your neighbors on

the street corner—or meet on the steps of the City Hall? It will profit you that no bludgeon can drive you into secret meetings.

Our Constitution assures us these things. And these we fight for.

In many ways we fight. Some in small, silent ways—when sons have gone. Some in large, heroic ways—in the roaring of wings, the firing of guns, the sailing of ships. Farmers fight in their fields; ministers from the pulpit's height. Others are making the weapons of war... and some are supplying the power with which to run the machines.

We are proud to be among the men and women of industry, fighting, too.

And we join with the freedom-loving people of West Texas in asking that Washington's bureaucrats forego their political activities for the duration and concentrate on the fight... and that they cease their endeavors to permanently change our Constitution—a threat to the freedom for which we are fighting.



**West Texas Utilities Company**

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**PERSONALS**

Mrs. J. J. Bookhout of Dallas, is visiting her brothers James Ross and Hugh Ross and family of Baird.

Mrs. Carl Wylie and son Robert Lewis of Houston visited relatives here the past week.

Percy King who is working in a defense plant in Dallas visited home folks the past week.

Claude Flores and Dick Young attended the American Legion dance at Abilene Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lambert of Woodson, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. H. J. Lambert and family.

Mrs. C. B. Holmes and son C. B. Jr., of Austin are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Bearden and family and other relatives here.

Mrs. Georgia Lusby of San Antonio, is visiting friends here this week. Mrs. Lusby has sold her home and furniture hereto Mrs. Ella Thornton.

Mrs. Walter Bowler and children of Tyler and Mrs. Nettie Kershner of Big Springs, were guests of Miss Billy Seale the past week.

Mrs. Roy Williams and daughter, Maxine, spent last week in Houston and Galveston where they were the guests of relatives and friends.

Mrs. George Gillit spent the past week end with Mrs. Richard Cunningham at Rhome. Mrs. Cunningham accompanied her home for a short visit.

Miss Virginia Crawford has ordered The Star sent to her brother, Milton E. Crawford with the U. S. Navy somewhere in the Pacific.

Miss Jennie Harris who was called here by the illness of her niece, Mrs. Joe Higgins has returned to her home in the Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson and family and Allene and Wilma Rose Farmer of Eula, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson and children of Holliday, spent a Saturday and Sunday with Harold Loyd Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson who is in the Navy, stationed at Noeman, Okla.

"The Vagabond King," Rudolf Friml's spectacular operetta which is filled with so many time-tested melodies, will be presented July 5-11 as the third in State Fair of Texas' 10 weeks Starlight Operetta season, at Fair Park, Casion, Dallas.

Mrs. Joe Bond and children, Joan, Betty and Martha visited Mrs. Bond's mother at Weatherford the past week. Mr. Bond with the United States Army joined his wife and children there for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fulcher of Carlbad and Mrs. Tom Arledge of Goldsboro, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Sallie Crawford this week.

Mrs. Kate Crawford of Denton has returned from Iola, Kansas, where she visited her mother, Charles Avery who is ill and his sister, Mrs. Lula Perdue. She was accompanied by her brother, Will Avery of Coleman.

Miss Margaret Evans of Baird, is a new subscriber to The Star. Miss Evans has three brothers in the armed forces of their country, Pfc. Tom Evans U. S. A. is at Fort Sill, Okla.; J. W. Evans is in New Zealand and Corp. Lowell Evans is with the Army Air Corp in India.

**NEWS FACTS** by **GEORGE**

**UJKECSKE, HUNGARY.**

THREE GIRLS ALL DESPERATELY IN LOVE WITH THE SAME YOUNG MAN - SIGNED A SUICIDE PACT - THE IRRESISTIBLE YOUTH NOW DIVIDES HIS BOUQUETS BETWEEN THE THREE GRAVES.



**ELKHART, IND.**

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**Hospital News**

Mrs. Charlie Graham, Cross Plains surgical patient is doing nicely.

Mrs. Montie Windham of Oplin is a medical patient.

Mrs. L. L. Blackburn is a medical patient.

Mrs. Charlie Stone of Clyde is surgical patient.

Mrs. Joe Higgins, Admiral, surgical patient is improving nicely.

Mrs. Helen Miller, Baird, surgical patient is doing nicely.

Eldon Vines, surgical, patient, has been dismissed from the hospital.

Miss Ethel Trotter, Camp Berkeley, tonsilectomy, left the hospital Friday.

J. J. Trussell, Admiral, patient, in doing nicely. He suffered a cerebral hemorrhage some two weeks ago.

Miss Patsy Wagner was dismissed from the hospital last Friday following an acute appendix operation.

Charlie Robinson suffering with infection in his hand is better and has been dismissed from the hospital.

Miss Patsy Ann Compton of Fort Worth was a tonsilectomy patient Wednesday.

Voyde Kemper of Clyde entered the hospital Wednesday suffering with obstructions of the bowels.

Mrs. M. J. Holmes, Baird, entered the hospital Wednesday suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage. She is critically ill.

E. F. Brown of Belle Pain who entered the hospital Sunday suffering from bleeding ulcers is improving rapidly.

Robert Lee Moore who was severely burned on the legs with gasoline, is improving.

**EPISCOPAL SERVICES**

Rev. H. H. Black will hold services at the Episcopal Church on the first Sunday on each month at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

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