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PAY-AS-YOU-GO TAX IN EFFECT

City Will Take Full Holiday July 5th 20 Percent Of Earnings Will Be Withheld As Levy On Income

The modified Rural Income tax act, known as "pay-as-you-go" will go into effect July 1. After that date one-fifth of every worker's pay, after certain allowances, will be taken out by his employer, and sent to the federal tax collector. This is the "withholding" provision, by which everyone pays his taxes in the year in which he earns the taxable income. He pays 1943 taxes in 1943, that is.

The other important part of the new act is the so-called "forgiveness" of the tax on the 1942—last year's—income. In the original Rural bill, complete crossing off of the 1942 tax was intended, but as finally passed by both houses, the "forgiveness" amounts to about three-fourths of last year's bill for most people.

Farmers do not pay the 20 per cent weekly tax as such. The law says that if 80 per cent of your gross income comes from farming, you will file an estimate of your taxable income for 1943, on December 15, and make a payment based on this estimate. Then on March 15, 1944, you will send in a corrected report of taxable income, and an adjusted payment. If your estimate is in error, that is too low, by more than one-third of your corrected income figure, you must pay 6 per cent penalty.

on the amount in error. Agricultural workers, household help, and people irregularly employed, are exceptions also. These workers file estimates of 1943 income on September 15, this year. In future years the date will be March 15. The tax will be paid quarterly. Most high salaried persons come under this provision, too. All within this group do not have the 20 per cent weekly withheld from their earnings, but pay on their income the following year, as every one did up to now. For people earning regular wages or salaries then, the new tax will operate this way:

Twenty per cent of your earnings will be withheld ever week, after deductions for allowances. These allowances are: The first \$12 of weekly paycheck is not taxable if you are single. If you are married, the first \$24 is exempt, and six dollars is added to exemption for every child or other dependent. On whatever sum is left subtracting these exemptions, the employer must withhold 20 per cent for the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Other groups excluded from the withholding provision are self-employed men and women, members of the armed forces, doctors, lawyers, ministers, and other independent professional workers. High salaried corporation officers, government workers, and similar employees, however, are subject to the 20 per cent withholding tax.

The "forgiveness" part of the bill is confusing in detail, but the principal is fairly simple. The wording of the bill says that the tax for either "1942 or 1943, whichever is lower," is the year that will be forgiven in large part. 75 per cent is wiped off. Just how much will be cancelled, depends on the size of your tax. If it was \$50 or less in 1942, all of it is forgiven. If it was between \$50 and \$66.67, then \$50 of it is cancelled. If it was more than \$66.67 then 75 per cent of the tax is forgiven. Criticism has arisen concerning certain alleged inequalities under this scale.

The remaining 25 per cent of your tax must be paid. According to the law, one-half of the 25 per cent owed shall be paid by March 15, 1944, and the remaining half by March 15, 1945. Contrary to the belief of many people, the first quarterly installment on the 1942 tax, paid last March 15, will be credited on this year's 1943 taxes, in order to put everyone on a current, or "pay-as-you-go" footing. The remnant of the 1942 tax, the 25 per cent, is carried forward still unpaid.

In a few special cases, where the 1942 income was very high, (called "windfall income" resulting from war contracts generally) the taxpayer will not be able to get on a current basis until 1946, or possibly 1949. It is also pointed out by fiscal experts, that there will be no year in which taxpayers escape paying taxes.

Other requirements under the new bill are: Your June 15 installment and the one you made last March will be added together and applied to your 1943 tax bill. (Or as explained before, to your 1942 income, if it was higher). Also it must be remembered, the 20 per cent weekly held out of your pay, may not entirely take care of your tax liability. You may have other income, or there may be some other reason why you would have to pay more than the 20 per cent deducted.

Higher Taxes Than Ever It is also pointed out, that you will probably pay higher taxes during the next two years, at least, than you ever before did, despite the relief of the cancellation of 75 per cent or more of your bill, for one year. This is (Continued on back page)

FORMER LOCAL BOY WEDS AUSTIN GIRL

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Miss Betty Collins, of Austin, and Phyllis Mae Second Class Donnell, formerly of Cross Plains.



The vows were solemnized by Captain John Wolf at the post chapel of the U.S. naval training station at Newport, Rhode Island, June 12. Attendants were: Miss Hazel Latzrus, sister of the groom's bridesmaid, and Mr. Charles Jones as best man. The bride was in marriage by Wm. McCormick, who had been with the groom throughout his training period. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Collins, of Austin. She is a senior student in the University of Texas and will receive her Bachelor of Science degree in August.

The groom is the son of Mrs. and Mr. John Wolf, of Cross Plains, and is a junior medical student in the University of Texas when he received the naval services in November 1941. He is a graduate of Cross Plains high school.

WILL WILSON IN NAVAL TRAINING AT TEXAS UNIVERSITY

Will Wilson left this week for Austin, where he is on active duty with the Naval R.O.T.C. at Texas University. He will be in training at the University until he receives his commission in July.

Will is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olan Wilson, who reside West of Cross Plains. He is a 1941 graduate of Cross Plains high school and is a junior in Texas University.

WILL WHITE FINISHES TRAINING SCHOOL WITH HONORS IN CALIFORNIA

Freeman First Class Billy K. White, 19, of this city has just graduated with honors from the Naval Training School at Hempstead Institute of Technology in Los Angeles. He was one of 18 top-ranking men in the class.

Mr. White is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. White, of Cross Plains. He attended Cross Plains high school.

At Hempstead Institute, Mr. White studied the maintenance and upkeep of the modern Diesel engines which power the fast craft of naval warfare.

Thank Goodness! It Didn't Go Off

A truck loaded with 34 quarts of nitroglycerine overturned two miles east of Cross Plains early Wednesday morning, when the driver dozed and permitted the vehicle to strike a concrete abutment. The man, Bert Smith, of Wichita Falls, was somewhat dazed when he awoke in this world, he confided to Donnell Clark, who brought him in to Cross Plains for repairs.

"I don't see how the stuff kept from exploding, and believe me, it would have done plenty of damage," he was quoted as saying.

Smith was enroute from Wichita Falls to the C. D. Lane well, south of Cross Plains, which was to be given a shot of the explosive.

51 SIGN PETITION TO SHUT BUSINESS HOUSES ON MONDAY

Courthouse and Post Office Will Also Take Off For Legal Holiday Respite

Cross Plains business concerns will take a full holiday Monday of next week, July fifth, in observance of Independence Day which falls on Sunday. A petition was circulated last week and 51 concerns pledged themselves to remain shut during the day. In addition to the signers of the petition the post office will definitely be closed and perhaps a few other concerns, according to information received by the Review.

Petition Signed Signing to remain shut were: A. F. Harris Barber Shop, Ray's Produce, and Feed Store, Marinello Beauty Shop, City Office, Autrey's Tailor Shop, C. D. Westerman Service Station, E. C. Neeb, Paul V. Harrell, attorney, Cook Insurance Agency, Oral Ray's Recreation Club, Dr. Eli Powell, M.D., the Citizens State Bank, Plegly Wigly Shop, Ideal Barber Shop, Wilson's Cafe, Review Publishing Co. Red & White Store, Modern Beauty Shop, John's Place, H. C. Freeman & Son, W. T. Cox, Johnson Hardware, Jim Hinkles, Clara Foster's Beauty Shop, Higginbotham Bros. & Co., D. O. Gauntney, Caton's Variety Store, Mc's Variety Store, Butler & Son, Calhoun Motor Company, Adair's, S. N. Foster, Grocery, J. Meador, Sims Grocery & Market, Texas Milling Company, L. H. Hall, L. G. Jennings, J. C. Huntington, Monsey & Son, William's Planning Mill, T. R. Billingsley, Bond Brothers, S. C. Barr Insurance, Smith's Drug, Dillard Brothers, Fonia Worthy, Jim Baum, West Texas Utilities Company, J. C. Watson, W. B. Baldwin Lumber Company, D. C. Lee Station.

Courthouse to Close The Courthouse in Baird will likewise be closed all day Monday, according to word received from B. H. Freeland, county judge.

Rural mail carriers will not make their runs Monday morning and there will be no window service at the Cross Plains post office, said F. R. Anderson, postmaster.

REV. C. MYRICK WILL PREACH AT COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Rev. Charlie Myrick will preach at the Cottonwood Baptist church Sunday morning and Sunday evening, July fourth. He is the pastor of the Cottonwood church.

Everyone is cordially invited and urged to attend the services Sunday.

BABY SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. R. L. ANDREWS THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Andrews, of this city, are the parents of a baby boy, born Thursday, June 24. The child weighed seven pounds at birth and has been named Charles Leslie.

Both mother and son are reported to be doing nicely. Mrs. Andrews is the former Miss Bertha Mae Hanke.

C. C. ELLIOTT'S MOVE HERE FROM BROWNWOOD

Mrs. C. C. Elliott and daughter, Maralyn, who have been residing in Brownwood for the past several months, have returned to Cross Plains to make their home. They have rented the Carpenter place in the Northwest part of town.

Mr. Elliott plans to continue to operate the bakery in Brownwood.

Miss Claire Jordan, of Abilene, visited relatives and friends here the past weekend.

In Air Corps



ROBERT D. TENNISON

Pvt. Robert D. Tennison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Tennison, who reside West of Cross Plains. He is now stationed in the United States Army Air Corps at Alexandria, Louisiana. Since his induction on February 12, 1943, he has received training in St. Petersburg, Florida, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Louisiana.

ACCIDENT FATAL TO LEON THATE SUNDAY

Leon Thate, 24, who was accidentally killed while repairing an automobile at his home, five miles North of town, Sunday afternoon, was laid to rest in the Burkett cemetery Wednesday morning. Services were conducted from the First Presbyterian church in Cross Plains, Tuesday afternoon, with the Rev. J. L. Glenn, pastor, officiating. Other local pastors assisted.

Mr. Thate was working on his automobile and had one wheel jacked up. He was making repairs beneath the car when it is believed to have slipped, striking him across the neck and face. Death is believed to have been instantaneous. He was found by his wife about four o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Survivors include the young wife, baby, mother, Mrs. S. T. Swafford, all of Cross Plains; one brother, Alfred Thate, who is in the service in the Northeast, as well as a number of near relatives and a great host of friends.

Arrangements were in charge of Higginbotham's, Cross Plains.

KEMPER'S BUY HOME IN SAN ANGELO AND MOVE THINGS TO THAT CITY

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kemper who recently moved to San Angelo, have purchased a home there and came for their household furniture this week. It was understood that the Kemper place on North Main Street here has been rented, however, the Review failed to learn to whom.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Moore visited friends in Eastland Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Eli Powell have as their guest here this week his daughter, of Jackson, Miss.

Miss Juanita Burks, of Abilene, was the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks.

Claude Mayes returned to his home here Friday from New Mexico, after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mayes.

Master Sergeant Mayo Fowler, of Wheeler Field, Hawaii, and Misses Nell Tabor and Fairie Fowler, of Abilene, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith Sunday.

Mrs. O. E. Woods and children have returned to their home in Kermit, after a week's visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mitchell and other relatives.

BAIRD HOPING TO BUILD LARGE LAKE

The Baird Luncheon Club last week adopted the building of a large lake as the next project for that city. A committee composed of: E. L. Woody, Ave Hickman, Felix Mitchell and B. H. Freeland was named to investigate the possibility of securing federal aid. It is pointed out that the club had previously considered the building of a lake and that surveys were made, however, the body junked the idea to work for the securing of a county hospital which has since been accomplished.

NEW OFFICERS ARE NAMED FOR C. OF C.

Fred Tunnell was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce luncheon club in a meeting of the group in the basement of the Baptist church Wednesday at noon. Alvin McCuin was named vice-president and C. R. Cook, secretary and treasurer.

The meeting Wednesday at noon was the payoff for the winning side in a recent membership drive. Fish caught by the losing side, captained by J. A. Caton, was the treat for the victors. Most of the fish, however, were caught by Rev. C. E. Poe, E. A. (Bill) Calhoun, Neal Dillard and L. G. Jennings.

Next regular meeting of the group will be in the basement of the Methodist church the third Tuesday in July.

Retiring officers are: Leo Varner, president, and George R. Neel, vice-president. C. R. Cook, secretary and treasurer, is a hold over from last year.

Twenty-nine were present at the meeting Wednesday at noon.

Los Angeles Girl Bride of Sergeant Dickie Huntington

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Morris Wayne (Dickie) Huntington, formerly of this city, who is a Staff Sergeant in the United States Marine Corps, and Miss Josephine Maricevich, of Los Angeles, California on Saturday afternoon, June 19, at five o'clock in Los Angeles.

The couple was attended by the bride's sister and Sgt. Thomas, of the Marine Corps. Others attending the wedding were the bride's parents and a number of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Huntington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Maricevich, of Delano, California. She is a graduate of a Los Angeles high school. For the past several months she has been employed at an army post in Los Angeles.

Staff Sergeant Huntington is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huntington of Cross Plains. He is a graduate of Cross Plains high school, having finished with the class of 1940. Immediately after graduation, Dickie volunteered for the Marine Corps. He spent the major part of his three years in service in the South Pacific, near the Solomon Islands. After spending a 30-day furlough here recently with his parents, Dickie reported for duty in San Diego, California. He is now a Senior Clerk in a Sgt. Major's office at the Marine base in San Diego.

A reception was held after the ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fulmris, aunt and uncle of the bride, in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Vernon Mitchell and son Doyle left Monday morning for their home in Kermit, after a week's visit here with Mrs. Dora Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mitchell.

Navy Lieutenant



DR. J. H. MCGOWEN

Pictured above is Lieutenant (senior grade) J. H. McGowen, of the United States Navy, who is stationed in San Diego, California. He entered the service early in 1943.

In civil life Dr. McGowen enjoyed a large dental practice in Cross Plains. He plans to return here and open his offices after the war. In the event that he goes across Mrs. McGowen and son John Henry, will likely return to Cross Plains.

Lt. McGowen is the eldest of three sons of Mrs. John McGowen, of Baird, all of whom are commissioned officers in the navy.

Irvin Wayne Gage And Miss Lena Ware Marry Friday Night

Miss Lena Dell Ware, of Rising Star, became the bride of Irvin Wayne Gage, of Abilene, formerly of this city, Friday evening, June 25, at 9 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents in Rising Star, with the Baptist pastor reading the single ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ware, of Rising Star. She is a 1943 graduate of Rising Star high school.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gage, who reside Northeast of Cross Plains, near the Seabano community. He formerly attended Cross Plains school. Wayne is now a Radio Instructor at the Army Air Depot at Abilene. He received training at Ranger and San Antonio before being transferred to Abilene.

The couple plan to make their home in Abilene. They are now residing at 317 Beech Street.

PFC. CLOVIS McDONALD IS GUNNERY INSTRUCTOR

Pfc. Clovis McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McDonald, of Rowden, who recently completed a course in a Gunnery School in Florida, has been made a Gunnery Instructor in the air corps. He is stationed at Kingdon, Arizona.

Clovis has been in the service about three months, having joined the air corps in March. He is a graduate of Bayou high school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pierce had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Forbes and daughter, of Gladewater; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Steele, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Steele and son, Billy, of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. John Hart, of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Everett and baby, of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Loving had as their guest the latter part of last week, Sgt. L. B. Loving, Jr., who is an aerial gunnery instructor in the United States Air Corps, formerly stationed at Eldorado. He was enroute to Florida, where he will instruct at advanced course in gunnery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Hall have returned to their home here, after several days' visit with relatives in Breckenridge.

Cpl. Johnny Hamilton and Cpl. D. C. Hargrove, who are stationed in Camp Barkeley, spent the weekend in Cross Plains.

Letter to Soldiers

Dear Boys Across:

You do not know how proud you have made your Dads, Moms, Wives, Sweethearts and friends by your deeds for your country.

You are so scattered we can't keep up with all of you. Some are in North Africa, some in Hawaii, others in Australia, India, Pearl Harbor, Panama, Alaska.

For years to come, all the countries are going to think of America as a nation of Captain Collins' or Sgt. Andersons' or Corp Neels' or Pvt. Jacksons. You are the only real AMERICANS they will have a chance to know.

I guess that I have a lot of nerve, staying at home and asking you boys to not only do all the fighting for us but to be also examples of decency and self respect that shows up so strong in Cross Plains boys.

Boys, it's your world. You've got to come back and live among us. We must all get along with other nations after the war. So have all the fun you can out of your fighting time, but don't forget to kind of build Cross Plains and America in general, a reputation so that later on when we want to tell these countries you are now in, that we want to be good neighbors, they can think of you boys and really believe we mean it.

We would be there beside you if we could. Our hearts span the oceans to you on the wings of prayer.

Fight the hell out of the enemy and CHINS UP.

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PIONEER

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark were visitors in Eastland last week.

Miss Vendelle Shirley is employed in Dallas.

Pvt. F. P. Grant is now stationed at Battle Creek, Michigan.

Mr. S. D. Nelson's brother, Lee Nelson, was buried in the May cemetery last Thursday afternoon.

Ralph Huntington left recently for Louisiana, where he will attend college.

Ray Curry and Jimmie McCowan visited friends in Cross Cut last week end.

Edward Coppinger, Lucille Smith Myralene McCoy and Dorman Graves were riding Star visitors Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tyler had as their guests last week end, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Aishman.

Elmer Clark's mother died at her home in Eastland last Saturday. Interment was made in the Long Branch cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Judson Jones, of Childress were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Nelson Thursday.

Miss Jimmie Starkey entertained recently with a party for friends.

Those present were: Wilma Clark, of Bisbee, Arizona, Bobbie Joe Purvis, Norma Lee Simmon, Eastland, Anna Kate Blackburn, Cisco, Totsy and Wren Throat, Eastland, Norma Jean Huntington, Ann Marshall, Aran Varner, Paul Huntington, Edward Coppinger, Ralph Huntington, Whimpy Cash, Helen Draganis, of Cisco, Raymond Smeot, Patsy Smith Sam Marshall, Lucille Smith, Donald Smith, Brooks Hill, Herstein Hawkins, Frances Westernman, Truett Holley, Marjorie Helms, Wanda Hall, Colleen Moore, Cletie Miller, Wanda Miller, D. C. Foster, Billie Jean Cross, Harold Moon, Eugene Gibson, Speedy Throat, Doris Hall, Imogene Hill, Gerald Moon, Dorman Graves, Walter White, Joe Sonder, Billy Mac Coppinger, T. Sgt. Ward M. Webb, Nell Strahan, Wanda Atwood, Wanda Clark, Norma Frances King, William Gibson, and Wanda Starkey.

BURKETT

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

The tragic death of Leon Thate came at a shock to his many friends and relatives here. The accident occurred nine miles Northeast of Cross Plains at his home Sunday afternoon when the pick-up that he was working on fell on him.

Leon is the oldest son of Mrs. Sam Scofield and has a brother, "Buddy" in the Army stationed in Philadelphia. Leon is survived by his wife and one small child.

Funeral services have not been arranged at the time of this writing.

Leut. Jeanett James, formerly of this place, is stationed now at the Station Hospital at Camp Barkeley.

Pfc. "Jiggs" Barnett left Saturday for Camp Maxey after spending a seven-day furlough here with his wife and parents.

Sgt. W. H. Evans of Sheppard Field, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans was recently promoted from corporal.

Pvt. Johnnie Ray Holland and Pvt. R. L. Cross of a Marine base in San Diego spent a few days the past week-end here with their parents.

L. B. Pearce of Ballinger spent Saturday here with his father, Dr. B. F. Pearce.

Harry Porter, who is employed in Brownwood, spent a few days the latter part of last week here with his wife and relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rich and Marciel and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Burkett were visitors in the D. W. Barrett home in Fort Worth recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker spent last week-end in Holling visiting their son, Earl and family and Mrs. D. P. George, mother of Mrs. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chambers has as their guest the past week-end her mother, Mrs. Tip DeBusk.

Mrs. C. C. DeBusk and daughter, Lexidene, all of Idalou, Mrs. Dan Woodridge and son of Brownwood, and Mrs. Y. B. Johnson Jr., of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Bancum and family of Coleman Junction spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Emma Golsom.

Wayne Parsons of Dallas spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Farr will leave Friday of this week for their home at Long Beach, Calif., after spending about two weeks here and at Cross Plains with their parents and friends.

Mrs. J. V. Strickland and baby of Baird are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Martin.

Mrs. Elbert Campbell and son, "Cooter" of Liberal, Kans., are here to spend four or five weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keller and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Weaver and family left Saturday to make their home in Pyote, Texas.

Miss Maxine Burkett has been in Dallas the past several days attending the Stamp's Music School and visiting friends and relatives.

A nice line of Bill Folds \$1.50 to \$5.00—made in Texas, Good Material and Workmanship. Smith's Drug Store

CROSS PLAINS TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Strickland and son of Arlington visited his father, H. L. Strickland, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jennings had as their guest last week-end Miss Dorothy Medcalf.

Brooks Hill has returned to his home here after a brief visit in Dallas and Fort Worth.

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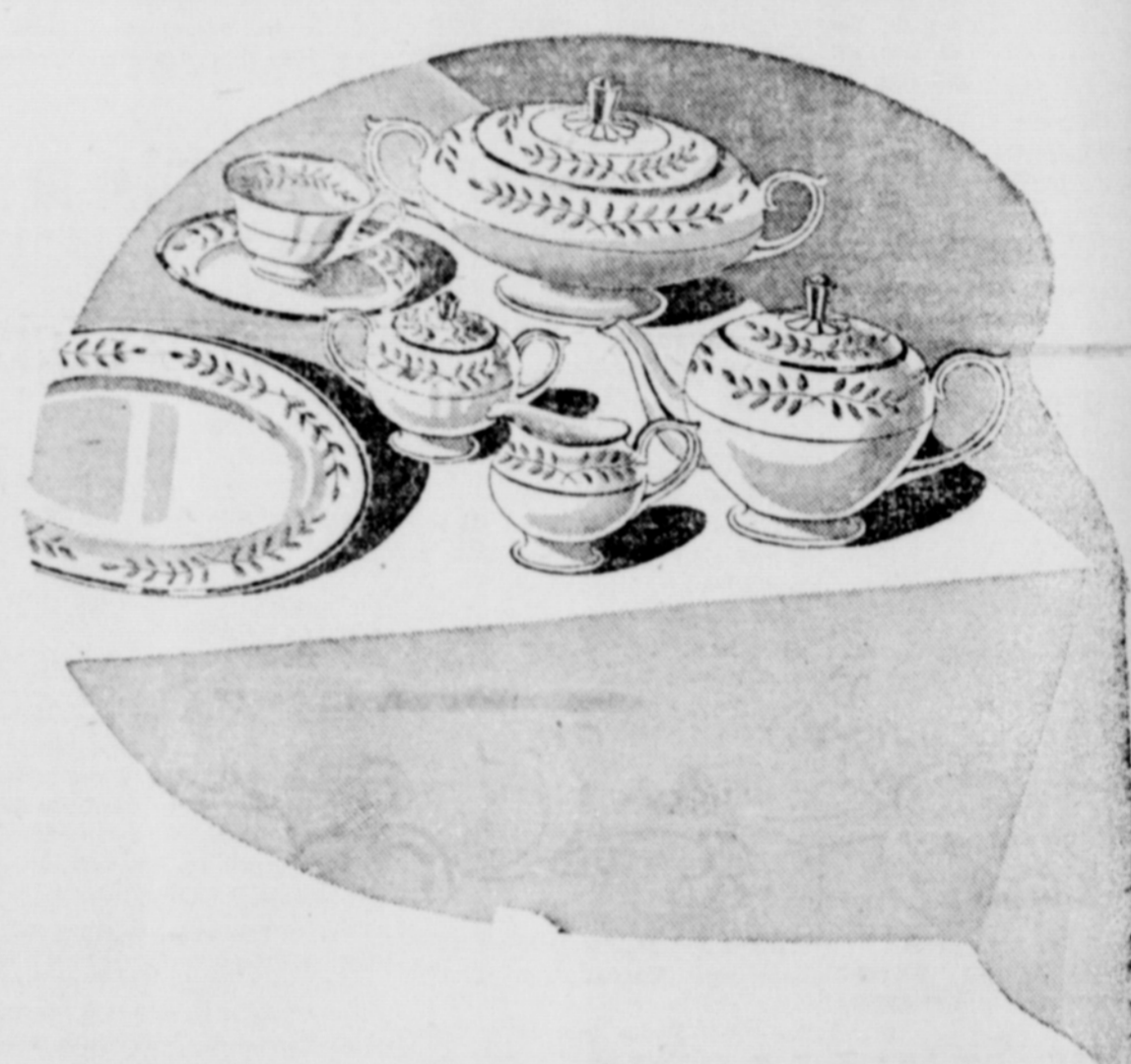
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Plains Review

Home Demonstration Agent Meets With The Local Club Recently

"All kinds of fruit and vegetables even berries can be dried and save food containers. A teaspoon of sulphur to every pound of fruit preserves the color and vitamins and protects them from insects," stated Miss Dorothy Wilkerson, new demonstration agent, in a demonstration on drying and brining at the Cross Plains school lunch room Wednesday, June 23.

Before Miss Wilkerson arrived Wednesday afternoon, the local club met for a short business meeting, which was opened by a song "God Bless America", led by Mrs. J. W. Dunlap. Plans were made for the encampment, which will be held in July at Lake Brownwood.

Definite plans were made to make lap robes, sewing kits, house shoes and various articles for the wounded soldiers at Camp Barkeley. Samples of these articles will be brought to the next club meeting, on July 14, in the home of Mrs. Charlie Taylor. All members and visitors are invited and urged to attend this meeting. A demonstration will be given by Mrs. I. H. Hall vice-president, on home cleaning silk dresses, wash dresses and men's hats. Mrs. Hall will use the same method that was given by A.A.M. specialist in Baird recently.

Sgt. Kelsey House, of California, Charles Cox, of Rising Star, and Pvt. R. L. Taylor, of Camp Howze, visited friends in Cross Plains Monday evening.

Elements of iced fruit punch were served to the guests: Wanda Miller, Miller, Donald Smith, Mary Sims, Brooks Hill, Patsy Sam Marshall, Lester Str. Glen White, Truman Billie Jean Barr, Billie Bess, Bessie Harris, Gerald Moon, Billy Mack Coppinger, Jewelline Coulter, Ralph Jewelline, Everett Neil Strangler, Paul Huntington, Edmond Robbins, William Gilchrist Moore and Rondal

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TO BUY: Harley and Johnson buy. See Dale Gary, Plains, Texas (2tc)

FOR SALE: 22 feet Howe scales, lifting and equipment, located on lots South Cox Grocery. See Tom Cox or F. Woody (2tc)

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"All kinds of fruit and vegetables even berries can be dried and save food containers. A teaspoon of sulphur to every pound of fruit preserves the color and vitamins and protects them from insects," stated Miss Dorothy Wilkerson, new demonstration agent, in a demonstration on drying and brining at the Cross Plains school lunch room Wednesday, June 23.

Before Miss Wilkerson arrived Wednesday afternoon, the local club met for a short business meeting, which was opened by a song "God Bless America", led by Mrs. J. W. Dunlap. Plans were made for the encampment, which will be held in July at Lake Brownwood.

Definite plans were made to make lap robes, sewing kits, house shoes and various articles for the wounded soldiers at Camp Barkeley. Samples of these articles will be brought to the next club meeting, on July 14, in the home of Mrs. Charlie Taylor. All members and visitors are invited and urged to attend this meeting. A demonstration will be given by Mrs. I. H. Hall vice-president, on home cleaning silk dresses, wash dresses and men's hats. Mrs. Hall will use the same method that was given by A.A.M. specialist in Baird recently.

Sgt. Kelsey House, of California, Charles Cox, of Rising Star, and Pvt. R. L. Taylor, of Camp Howze, visited friends in Cross Plains Monday evening.

Elements of iced fruit punch were served to the guests: Wanda Miller, Miller, Donald Smith, Mary Sims, Brooks Hill, Patsy Sam Marshall, Lester Str. Glen White, Truman Billie Jean Barr, Billie Bess, Bessie Harris, Gerald Moon, Billy Mack Coppinger, Jewelline Coulter, Ralph Jewelline, Everett Neil Strangler, Paul Huntington, Edmond Robbins, William Gilchrist Moore and Rondal

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fowler, son, Master Sergeant Mayo Fowler, of Tye, and Misses Fairlie and Neil Tabor, of Abilene, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tabor Sunday.

Mrs. Durward Harris spent day night with Georgia Bell and her family. Mrs. Harris will be remembered as the former Miss Bertha Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortune, Mrs. Lillie Swafford and daughter, attended church at Burnt Branch Sunday night.

Pvt. Walter O'Dell, of Camp Howze, spent the week end here with his family and other relatives.

E. E. Horn, of Hall ranch, visited friends in Rowden Sunday afternoon.

Andrey Fortune was a busi-ness visitor in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Wood and children have returned to their home in the home of her parents, and Mrs. W. H. Fortune.

Sgt. Howard Mayo has returned to Big Spring, where he is stationed in the Bombardier Squadron. He has an extended visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortune and the Sunday evening guests of Lillie Swafford.

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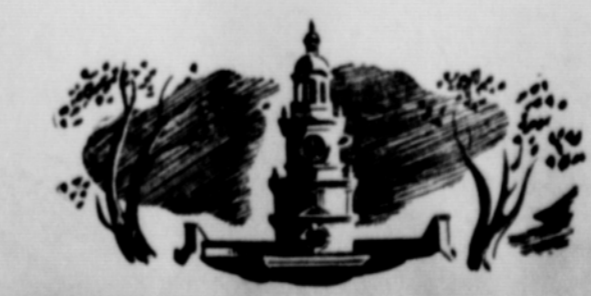
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