

From The Editor's Window BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

An article in the Mueller Record states that poverty is about the only thing nowadays that is not taxed, and if one desires not to be taxed all he has to do is to become poor.

The article goes on to say that, "If we forget taxation and look beyond it as a necessary evil, and get at the root of it, we will find that taxation is not the real cause for complaint. The real trouble is the extravagant use of taxes, after they are paid."

From the Clyde Enterprise: If people engaged in stock raising and farming had gone on strikes and slow-downs, this country would be well on the way to starving. When the war is over farmers and stockmen will have the satisfaction of having done a tough job well.

It is said that rural schools in Texas will benefit financially more from this session of the Legislature than in all their past history. The per capita apportionment under measures at this session will run to \$62.35. This is said to compare with \$25.00 during 1944.

There are approximately 500,000 students enrolled in so-called country schools.

The War Department has announced that all enlisted men 42 years old or older may be discharged from the Army upon application.

It was stated that applications for discharge will be rejected only if such applicants are undergoing disciplinary action or require medical or surgical treatment.

The question asked by the physiology teacher was: "How may you obtain a good posture?"

And the bright answer was: "Keep the cows off it and let it grow awnile."

Fresh customer: Are you the waitress who took my order?
Waitress: Yes, sir.
Customer: You are still looking well. How are your grandchildren?

Guard: Halt! Who goes there?
Rookie: Aw, you wouldn't know me. I just got here today.

From the Christian Science Monitor: "Honey, jam and jelly often become hard and sugary after being stored away for some time. Such a condition is easily corrected. Simply place the jar in a warm—not hot—oven and let it remain until the sugar melts and the honey or jam is smooth again."

It is said Mrs. Harry S. Truman will not continue Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt's custom of meeting newspaper reporters.

She has announced that she plans no news conferences for the future but if the press desires information concerning the family they may obtain facts from her personal secretary, Miss Reathel Odum.

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, has resigned as president of Columbia University after 44 years of service. The resignation will go into effect October 1 after which Mr. Butler will become president emeritus. He is 83 years old.

V-E MESSAGE FROM COL. HARRY WEDDINGTON, COMMANDANT, ABILENE-AVenger Fields

"The war in Europe is over, The Nazi enemy has been beaten and crushed. All of us join in prayer to thank God for guiding our troops to such a complete and dominating triumph.

"We must not let up now that Nazi Germany has been blotted out. We still have a strong foe, a cunning foe and a desperate foe in Japan. Our efforts must be redoubled and even tripled to wipe out this menace to lasting peace.

"I urge every member of my command to work harder and more sincerely at his task. Don't let up now that we're two-thirds of the way toward final and complete victory."

Morgenthau Cites Types of Issues Issued to Public

A grateful Nation has girded itself for the mighty Seventh War Loan for 14 billions of dollars, half of which has been assigned as the individual sales quota. According to reports from state chairmen reaching Ted R. Gamble, national director of the War Finance Division of the Treasury in Washington, the Nation is ready for the huge task.

Mr. Gamble was enthusiastic about results. He said "We're prepared to do the best job in the 7th War Loan." Mr. Gamble said that "not only is there more money available than ever before in each state, but the individual income will be higher in the period of the 7th War Loan than in any previous War Loan period."

Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau said seven billions of dollars has been assigned as the quota for individual investors and that the major emphasis throughout the drive will be placed on the quota for individuals. The individual quota is the highest established in any of the previous drives, the secretary said.

The E Bond quota alone is 4 billion. The 7th War Loan seeks nearly as much in the one drive as was asked in the first two drives of last year which were held up to this time. The two drives of this year, therefore, will seek nearly as much as was sought in the three drives of 1944.

The Secretary stated that there is every evidence that Federal expenditures are going to remain at a high level for some time to come, and that the Seventh War Loan program was designed to obtain maximum funds necessary to prosecute the War from non-bank investors.

The securities, which will be sold under the direction of the State War Finance Committee, are as follows: Series E, F and G Savings Bonds, Series C Savings Notes, 2 1/2% Bonds, 2 1/4% Bonds, 1 1/2% Bonds, 1/2% Certificates of Indebtedness. The 1 1/2% Bonds will not be offered in the Drive to corporations.

The Drive for individuals will extend from May 14 to June 30. However, an intensification of activities in the sale of Series E bonds began April 9, when millions of persons on payroll savings plans throughout the country were asked to enlarge their participation as a part of the Seventh War Loan. All Series E, F and G Savings Bonds and Series C Savings Notes processed through the Federal Reserve Banks between April 9 and July 7 will be credited to the Drive.

During the final phase of the Drive which will cover the period from June 18 through June 30, subscriptions will be received from all other non-bank investors for the 2 1/4% and 2 1/2% marketable bonds and the certificates of indebtedness.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Army has overcome what in the past would have seemed to have been insurmountable obstacles. So have you. That is where the enemy miscalculated—for to Americans, nothing has ever been impossible. Yours is a hard task—a heavy responsibility. But we of the Army have confidence that you will again achieve the impossible.

Admiral King said: "We have had two wars to wage. One of those wars is just beginning. That means that your own labors, far from over, are also just beginning. The Navy, like the Army, has one objective. The unconditional surrender of the enemy. We will attain that objective because of people of good faith. People who have demonstrated their patriotism and their willingness to undertake the most gigantic financial task ever undertaken by a free people."

Employers Reminded To Request Social Security Numbers

Abilene, Texas, May 13.—Many returning veterans are going into business for themselves for the first time. Some are men who have never been employers before. These individuals are reminded that any new employer should file an application with the Social Security Board for an identification number for the business. This is necessary even though only one person is on the payroll, who perhaps works only part time. Each employer is required to keep a record of the worker's social security account number for use when it comes time to make out the social security tax return to the collector of internal revenue.

New employers may secure identification numbers by writing the Social Security Board, 205 Alexander Building, Abilene, Texas, and asking for form, SS-4.

Uncle Jerry Walker Buried in Oakwood Cemetery Sunday

Uncle Jerry Walker, a long time resident of Eastland county, died near Cisco Saturday at the age of 95 years.

Mr. Walker came to this part of the state in an early day and settled about one and one-half miles west of Scranton where he lived many years before moving to Cisco. Mr. Walker was among the early settlers in the Scranton community and was well known by many Callahan county citizens before moving to Cisco. Mr. Walker was the father of Frank Walker, who is secretary of the Cisco high school board, a position he has held for several years. Several other children survive, but we do not have their names.

AUTO ACCIDENTS INCREASE 1945 BY 12 PERCENT

According to a release by the Texas Department of Public Safety reported Monday that Texas 1945 fatalities show an increase so far of 12 per cent over the same period last year.

For the month of March there were six more deaths than for March 1944, when 80 persons were killed.

Injuries as a consequence of this year's (January-February-March) accidents increased 15 per cent over the same period last year, with the figures for March presenting an increase of 25 per cent over the same month last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnell of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Culwell of Alexandria, Louisiana and C. K. Odum, were in a fishing party near Breckenridge the past week-end. They reported catching plenty of fish.

Pinup Baby Given War Bonds



THE WINNER—Little 15-month-old Carolyn Cheryl Meyer of Trenton, New Jersey, official pinup girl of the USS New Jersey, was made \$3,200 richer in War Bonds through donations by the crew of the USS New Jersey for use in obtaining her future education. Governor Walter E. Edge made the presentation. The child's father, an Army Air Corps pilot, is a prisoner of war in Germany. He has never seen his little beauty queen. She is held by her mother, Mrs. Harry C. Meyer.

7th War Loan Drive Begins Monday; Callahan County Needs the Credit

Farmers to Produce As Long as There is Profit in Farming

Of one thing we can be certain, in spite of the accusations flying back and forth between government officials and food producers, the producers being in the last analysis mostly independent farmers, will produce as long as there is any shadow of possible profit.

When profit ceases to exist, they must cease to operate because they do not have the capital to produce merely out of patriotism. Thus, as time goes on and specific items disappear from the market, you may be pretty certain that costs prohibit production. Once the immediate pressure of government purchases is relieved, this will be a sure test, as farmers like every business can't continue to produce unless there is a profit some place.

Frank Sunderman Has Been Awarded The Air Medal

15th ARMY AIR FORCE IN ITALY—F/O Frank T. Sunderman, 21, of Putnam, Texas, co-pilot on a B-24 Liberator Bomber, has been awarded the Air Medal, according to an announcement made by the 15th Air Force.

In the words of the citation, the award was made, "For meritorious achievement in aerial flight while participating in sustained operational activities against the enemy."

The son of Mr. Everett E. Sunderman, he won his wings and appointment, June 27, 1944. F/O Sunderman now holds the European-African-Middle Eastern Theatre Ribbon, with one Battle Star. He is a member of a veteran heavy Bomber Group commanded by Col. Thomas W. Steed, of Etowah, Tenn.

TSCW RETAINS TITLE AS NATION'S LARGEST

Texas' own Texas State College for Women at Denton continues to rank as the largest residential college for women in the United States, according to the 25th annual report of the Society for the Advancement of Education. The first place was based on the first semester enrollment (1944-45) of 2492. Additional students entering TSCW at the beginning of the second semester raised the total for the school year to 2760.

Room assignments in the dormitories for next fall indicate another capacity enrollment and college authorities are seeking additional rooms off the campus.

New Regulations On Food Kept in Frozen Lockers

Users of frozen food lockers, bulging with cuts of meat to supply families who do not live on farms, soon will come under strict government regulations. The office of Price Administration said last week it would move into a new program in the next few days, designed to distribute the present short meat supply more equitably. Regulations which will effect meats in frozen food lockers are not yet completed, but are expected any time.

The city man who has been storing large quantities of meat slaughtered on farms and then using his red points to purchase meat in the markets, will find this source of food limited by the requirements that he must have a license to have an animal slaughtered. There will be no restrictions, however, on a resident farmer who slaughters for his own use.

Details on all phases of the new meat regulations for slaughterers will be explained in meetings with slaughterers, retail market men and boards of meetings to be scheduled for later dates.

7th War Loan Drive Will Be Held at the School Bldg. May 18

Commissioner I. G. Mobley has authorized the News to announce that there will be a bond rally for the 7th War Loan drive at the Putnam high school building to raise Putnam's quota.

A 30-piece military band is expected and plans are being made to have Major Evans of Camp Bartley for speaker for the occasion. Major Evans has appeared at two other rallies in the past and had good results in putting the drive over, overselling the quota each time.

JOHN ALLEN PRUET BACK IN STATES, TO BE HOME SOON

John Allen Pruet, S/Sgt. AAF has returned to New York and is expected home in a few days. He has been overseas in the European Theatre of operations for more than 11 months. He will go to Fort Sam Houston from New York prior to visiting home in Putnam, where he will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Pruet. Mr. and Mrs. Pruet are looking for him most any time now.

UNITED STATES RUBBER CO. INVENTS 53 TYPES OF SYNTHETIC RUBBER

The United States Rubber Company has developed 53 new types of synthetic rubber during the year 1944.

It is also producing a new family of liquid plastics which, when combined with spun glass or other fabrics, is equal in strength to steel. The new discoveries, the company says, will provide a stronger building material for fabricated houses, stronger and lighter luggage, and lighter furniture which will be impervious to dampness. Moreover, the plastics will reduce the costs of numerous products because they do not require expensive and cumbersome machinery for manufacturing.

COMMISSIONERS COURT COMPLETES CONTRACT FOR COUNTY AGENT

The News received a letter from Mrs. Katy Spicer, assistant county agent, confirming the appointment of a county agent for Callahan county.

She says Robert L. Shults is now employed as county agent of Callahan county. He is a graduate of Texas Agricultural College and John Tarleton. His home is Rising Star, where he was born and reared.

He has been working for Soil Conservation since 1943.

TWO SUITS FILED AGAINST COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

The county school board consolidated or regrouped a number of schools with the Putnam Independent district a few weeks ago, including Hart, Union, Zion Hill and Erath, making the new Putnam Independent district.

Monday morning there were filed two injunction suits at Baird enjoining the Putnam Independent district from performing and asking an order from the court dissolving the regrouping order passed by the county school board.

One injunction suit was filed by R. E. Gratum as attorney for the Erath district and the other was filed by Forest Wright as attorney for the Hart school district. Various and sundry allegations were alleged in both petitions.

Avner Walker Died At Home Near Baird Saturday Afternoon

Avner Walker of Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Walker, died at his home near Baird Saturday.

Funeral was held in the Clyde Methodist church at 5 o'clock p. m. Sunday.

The youth is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Avner Walker, a sister, Mrs. Madison Montgomery of Baird, and six brothers, Pvt. Irvin Walker of Camp Fanning, Aswell of Abilene, Paul of Galveston, Hoyt of Hamilton, Edgar of Abilene, and Medford of Baird. The young man was born August 13, 1925.

Wylie Funeral Home of Putnam and Baird were in charge of funeral arrangements.

Individuals Must Sacrifice to Have Equal Liberty

Nothing is more fatal than the present fashion among intellectual leaders of extolling security at the expense of freedom. It is essential that we should learn frankly to face the facts that freedom can be had only at a price and that as an individual we must be prepared to make severe sacrifices to preserve our liberty. If we want to retain this, we must regain the conviction on which the rule of liberty in the Anglo-Saxon countries has been based and which Benjamin Franklin expressed in a phrase applicable to us in our lives as individuals no less than as a nation. Those who would give up essential liberty to purchase a little temporary safety—desire neither liberty nor safety.—"The Road to Serfdom," by Friedrich A. Hayek.

DEMONSTRATIONS BEING HELD ON NEW METHODS OF CROCHETING RUGS

Mrs. Sam Sherrill of the Enterprise club, has a new way of crocheting rugs. It takes a special sort of needle and is much easier than the hooped rug.

Mrs. Sherrill gave two demonstrations last week on rug making. She met with the Oplin club on Tuesday and with Cross Plains on Wednesday, and plans to meet with the Union club.

County home demonstration agent, Dorothy Wilkerson, is giving dress form demonstrations during May. For the total cost of \$1.00 an hour, and half of fast work of the entire club, a form can be made. Forms made by commercial companies usually range from \$12.00 to \$20.00.

Sim Smith of the Admiral community was in Putnam Monday morning looking after business. Mr. Smith states everything was going on about as usual in his community. He did not think much of the grain crop and did not think there would be very much cotton planted in his vicinity.

The 7th War Loan Drive will begin Monday, May 14. Purchases made since the first of April in the county has been given credit to the Callahan county quota. We do not have the amount allotted to Callahan county, but it is thought it will be larger than the last one. Callahan county has subscribed more each time than the quota and we will go over the top again, but it may be a little harder. Every person in the county who purchases bonds should purchase them through the post office or through some Callahan county bank, as this is the only way the county can get credit. In the former bond drives the county has lost several thousand dollars by citizens purchasing through banks out of the county.

The purchase of the bonds will make no difference in the banking credits either way, since the government is getting the money in either case. This county is a small county and every bond purchased by Callahan citizens in banks out of the county only makes it a little harder for Callahan county to sell their quota.

Remember the post offices are making an exception in bond drives and are taking checks through the post office in order that each county will be able to get credit for each bond purchased in the county.

Sheep and Goat Men To Hold July Show In Mineral Wells

The tentative date for the second annual show and sale of the West Cross Timbers Sheep and Goat Raisers Association has been set for July 27 and 28 at Mineral Wells, according to Dr. R. H. (Bob) Hodges, Ranger, president of the association.

The date and plans for the show and sale were set at a meeting of the directors of the organization recently at Ranger.

Classes for both sheep and goats will be the same as they were in 1944 show, Dr. Hodges said. Only registered animals will be shown, and sold.

The auction of all of the animals will begin immediately after the barbecue lunch on the second day with a prominent auctioneer in charge.

A feature of the show will be the selection and crowning of a queen of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association. Only a few of the county Queens were present at the 1944 show, but it is expected that most of the 22 counties in the West Cross Timbers area will have one entered this year.

"Our show last year was a success and we believe this year will be no exception," Dr. Hodges said.

H-SU Instructor's Book on Travels Used in Schools

ABILENE.—Miss Ethel L. Hatchett, instructor in education at Hardin-Simmons University, has received notice her book, TRAVEL, is being used in schools of Canada. The book contains informational stories on travel by land, water, and air, including historical studies of these modes of travel.

The volume was prepared to meet a scarcity of published material on minerals and travel and was compiled after months of research and interviews with children. Miss Hatchett took children into mines, to oil fields and other places, recording their questions, which she seeks to answer in her book.

TRAVEL, which will be revised after the war to include data on countries and their new boundaries, is listed in the Texas State bulletin for upper grades and is on the adopted library list of several states.

Alton White had business with the Baird bank Monday morning. He is in the grocery business in Putnam.

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Now that V-E Day in Europe is a reality, let's rush through with the Japs by buying more bonds. Mrs. E. Sunderman and Mrs. Art Nolan were attending to business in Clyde Monday morning.

Read the Putnam News—\$1.00 per year.

Grandpa Kelley

In memory of Mr. L. J. Kelley by a friend, Rev. Robert Jones. The sweetest old man I ever met! Quiet, humble, reserved and true. Kind, never offended, but blest where he went.— His life a benediction,—so heavenly sent!

One time (this last Christmas), at luncheon we sat; He graced table comforts with hallowed love.— The like of his spirit seldom is found, Sweet presence of Christ his Master Divine.

Grandpa Kelley, we miss you, We long for your touch; We wonder why Jesus would grieve us so much, But grace of the Savior in wondrous love, Helps trust the Redeemer,—we'll meet you above.

Dear Jesus, for thy sake Please help us each live To meet Grandpa Kelley where good spirits go,— Remembering his peaceful and sweet attitude, Lord, bring us to be with him and that are true.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fisher who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher and other relatives and friends here and at Baird, left for their home in Louisiana Saturday morning, after spending several days in this vicinity.

A. T. Blaylock of Fort Worth was in Putnam for a short while Saturday afternoon on his way to Clyde to visit with his brother there. He was a former resident of Scranton before going to Fort Worth.

CARD OF THANKS

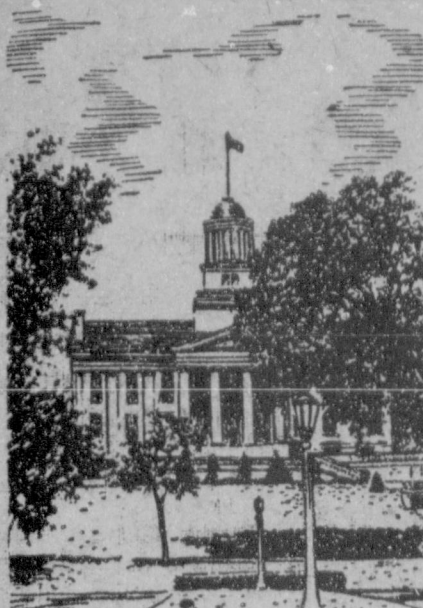
We wish to express our sincere appreciation to each of our friends who faithfully stood by us during the illness and death of our baby. Words cannot express our appreciation for each act and deed of kindness extended. We are indeed grateful for the beautiful floral offering. May God bless each and everyone of you.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wood and family.

FOR SALE

One Model A John Deere Tractor, Cultivator and planter and a ten disk one way.—E. C. Warren, Route 1, Moran, Texas.

Bonds Over America



IOWA'S FIRST CAPITOL

Among the important shrines that American youths are battling to protect is the Administration Building of the University of Iowa, Iowa City, constructed in 1840 as the first State Capitol. In 1857 the government moved to Des Moines and the building was turned over to the University. People on the home front buy War Bonds to equip service men who are guarding such institutions as this one in Iowa, which began with 75 students and now numbers 10,000. U. S. Treasury Department

Retiring from NTAC As Dean of Women

ARLINGTON, May 5 (Spl).—A reception honoring Miss Ina Lipscomb, dean of women and associate professor of English at the North Texas Agricultural College here, who has resigned effective June 1, will be held in the college lounge Sunday from 4 to 6 p. m.

Miss Lipscomb came to NTAC in 1926 as a teacher and became dean of women in 1927. A native of Milam County, she is a graduate of Albany high school and holds B. A. and M. A. degrees from Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville. She has done graduate work at the University of Chicago, University of Texas and Peabody College in Nashville.

Miss Lipscomb began her teaching career at Calvert where she taught from 1905 to 1920. She taught at the Consolidated School on the campus of Texas A&M College from 1920 to 1922. For three years, 1923 to 1925, she was connected with the Dallas public school system, teaching at the San Jacinto elementary school.

She came to NTAC in the fall term of 1926 to teach geometry and English in the sub-college divisions and education to college classes.

In 1927 she became NTAC's dean of women and has served in this capacity from that time.

Miss Lipscomb plans to live in Arlington, where has a home just off College Avenue.

"I will have my house done over, learn to cook, and have some of my friends in for dinner," she said.

Miss Lipscomb said that she regretted leaving NTAC, but she feels that 40 years of teaching is long enough.

Her long service as dean of women has stamped upon her mind a few fundamental convictions. She believes that the rising generation is not "going to the dogs," but that it is the parents in many instances who need training.

She thinks girls ought to have an equal opportunity with men to display their abilities in the professional world, and she thinks there should be a woman at the peace table after the war.

As for NTAC girls, Miss Lipscomb believes they are more careless than they were 10 to 20 years ago, but on the other hand they are much better dressed, more cooperative, and sweeter in disposition than were the girls of the '30's. Former NTAC students throughout the state are invited to attend the reception honoring Miss Lipscomb.

All the money you put in war bonds is both saved and invested to earn for you.

2 down - 1 to go...



Stay in there and Pitch!



We Still Must Whip the Nip!

Who can blame Americans for going half mad with joy as Hitler's cruel war machine is smashed into the dust! For all who have fought and worked and suffered grievous loss, this hour of triumph is deserved.

But our men are still fighting and dying out there in the Pacific. If we let down now, we'll be letting them down!

Let's stick to our war jobs until Uncle Sam says, "Well done—you may relax!"

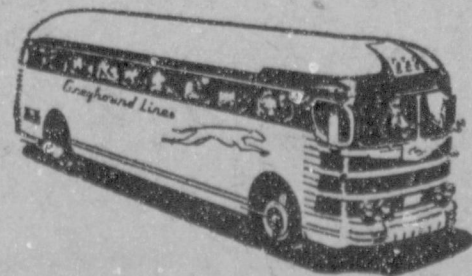
Let's buy extra War Bonds—they will be needed now, more than ever.

Let's use transportation wisely. Greyhound would like to offer unlimited pleasure travel right away—today—but carrying war manpower is still its most urgent task. You may be sure that Greyhound will lead the field with fine new equipment, new comfort features, new carefree tours just as soon as war requirements will permit.

But now—let's finish the job!

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MARY GUYTON—Agent

GREYHOUND LINES



CAESAR RODNEY

After a ride that rivals Paul Revere's, Caesar Rodney broke a tie vote in Delaware's delegation to the Continental Congress at Philadelphia on Lee's resolution for independence. Late on July 1, 1776, he arrived home after quelling a revolt in Sussex County where he received an urgent summons to Philadelphia. Mounting a horse, he rode through the night and arrived in the northern city in time to place Delaware with the other colonies backing the resolution. That spirit of service animates Delaware people in buying War Bonds today to insure liberty for future generations. U. S. Treasury Department



DEVIL'S TOWER

The first national monument, Devil's Tower in Wyoming, stands as a sturdy emblem to this nation's policy of creating parks for the free enjoyment of citizens. The purchase of War Bonds keeps supplied the fighting forces engaged in protecting this land of ours and its glories. More than 20 million years old, the "lava blister" rises 865 feet above surrounding terrain. Its diameter at the base is about 1,000 feet. Sagebrush, ferns and grass flourish on the summit. Will Rogers and his wife, natives of the vicinity, climbed it in 1893. U. S. Treasury Department



CLINTON COURTHOUSE

Justice as administered from the town court up to the Supreme Court of the United States has played a major role in the growth of this Nation. We appreciate our judicial system and buy War Bonds to supply warships, B-29's and tanks to protect it. The old court house at Clinton, La., with "lawyer's row" behind it, is an inspiring monument to justice's handiwork. There were decided the complex wrangles between cotton planters of East Feliciana from the days of the Republic of West Florida, 1810, onward. It was the guiding hand for peace and happiness in the parish, worth fighting to preserve and worth buying War Bonds for. U. S. Treasury Department

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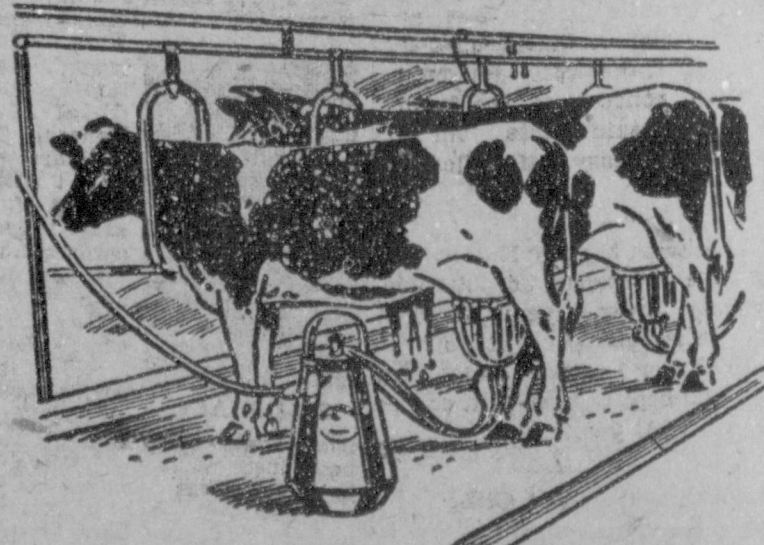
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MORAN NEWS ...

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Pool combined a business trip with pleasure and spent last Friday in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. John B. McCraw. On Saturday they visited with Mr. Pool's sister in Dallas, Mrs. B. F. Miller and family. On Sunday with Mrs. Pool's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Buie at Corsicana and with Mrs. Pool's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watson at Barry, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Rutledge and Ray Dennis of Lubbock, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loss Dennis and Mrs. Mittie Bills, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pool, Mrs. Estella Parrish and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, attended the funeral of R. A. Horton, age 81, of Rising Star, last Thursday. Mr. Horton was a pioneer druggist. His daughter, Grace Horton Hickman, taught school in Moran. The family has many friends here.

Mrs. Hattie Godwin and Mrs. Bennie Elliott of Brownfield, spent last week with Mrs. Alice McLaury and Mrs. Mary Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith were in Moran last Saturday afternoon, calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner moved Thursday to their new home in the south addition to Moran. John is working for the county as maintenance man. They returned to Moran last November.

The many friends of Mrs. Chester Allen are happy to know she is home from Hendrick hospital, Abilene, and recovering nicely.

J. W. Dorsey who has been confined to a sick bed for the past two weeks is reported some better. He has two sons in Germany he is looking forward to seeing them home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Mann of Fort Worth visited her grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Fite and Oney Fite over last week-end. Mrs. Mann was the former Miss Beth Green.

Mrs. M. G. Murphy of Throckmorton and mother, Mrs. T. L. Ledbetter and Mrs. Lee Ayers, and Mrs. Grace Haller of Mason, were visiting Mrs. Lee Ayers in Moran Sunday. Mrs. Ledbetter accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Grace Haller to Mason for a visit.

Mrs. J. N. Chambliss and son, Sgt. Felix Haller left last Saturday to visit a daughter and sister, Mrs. H. M. Highsmith at Sterling City.

Mrs. Cowan of Stamford, sister to Henry Knight, is visiting her brother and Mrs. Knight in Moran.

W. M. Meredith of Chloride, Arizona, spent last week visiting his brother, J. D. and Mrs. Meredith. This is his first visit home since 1932. Bill was in the oil business here until he became interested in gold mining. While visiting here last week Bill had the experience of having all his clothes and suit cases stolen which was in the Dr. Meredith car that he came down from Olney in and was parked at the Meredith home here. The car was recovered later in the evening with none of the contents missing. He left Sunday for Chloride, Ariz.

John C. Chambers, USN, arrived home from San Diego where he finished boot training, on a 5-day leave. John was assigned to the hospital corps in California. While here his mother had a family reunion, Mrs. Joyce Kirkpatrick and children, Oklahoma City and a cousin to Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Eulining and daughter, Betty June of Childress, Texas, to enjoy a few days with John C.

Mrs. W. H. Tennis and Mrs. C. W. Fenton, both of Abilene, visited with their parents Saturday and Sunday. Their mother, Mrs. W. C. Brooks is entering Ranger hospital on Tuesday for major operation. The daughters will return to be with their mother.

Mrs. R. L. Arnold of Fort Worth, sister to Mrs. Cole Jackson and Mrs. John Bullard, passed away at 9:00 p. m. Tuesday. Mrs. Jackson was with her sister in Fort Worth and Mr. Jackson left on Wednesday for Fort Worth to attend the funeral. Mrs. Arnold had been ill since last September. News of the death came to Cole Jackson on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. S. M. Gardner who has been very ill for the past 3 months, was taken to Graham hospital, Cisco on Monday with an aggravated case of asthma.

Mrs. W. M. Culwell and Billie spent Wednesday in Breckenridge with Rev. Wm. Culwell, who is leading the song service in the Methodist church revival.

Mrs. Ed Collinsworth has returned from a visit with her twin brother at Terrell, Texas. They enjoy a happy birthday each year.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Green had all their children home last week except one son who is stationed at Hutchinson, Kansas. The parents received a message from the war department two weeks ago advising them of the death of a son, Wyley R. Green, Technician 5th grade, who was killed in action April 13, in Germany.

Those visiting here last week were three daughters, Mrs. A. W. Davis, of Hale Center, Texas; Mrs. Troy Medlock and Mrs. Audrey Gieger of Fort Worth; and two sons, Howard Lee Green, MOMM 2/c, and Cpl. Laford Green of Boise, Idaho. Unable to be here was Ens. Herbert H. Green, USN, of Hutchinson, Kansas.

Moran had a big rain and some hail with a heavy wind storm late Wednesday evening. The rain amounted to two and a half inches and flooded down town streets. The farmers say grain was badly damaged. Oats that were heading out were laid flat but other crops and gardens will benefit greatly, it was reported. Some trees were also blown down in Moran.

The sad news came by telegraph Wednesday the 9th to Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Williams, of the death of their eldest son, Wiley Jr., in Cuba. No particulars.

Lt. J. E. Montgomery Jr. of Fort Benning, Ga., Infantry School, Technical officer and instructor there, arrived in Moran Tuesday on 15-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Montgomery.

Mrs. Miles Bonda and twin daughters, 16 months old, received a telegram from Sgt. Miles Bonda, husband and father, had arrived at Kilmer Station Hospital, N. J. on last Monday. On February 19th Sgt. Bonda sustained a broken right arm and was sent to England to a hospital. He has been overseas two years and saw active duty in 4 major campaigns in Sicily, Angio, Italy and Southern France. Mrs. Bonda and daughters reside in Moran for the duration.

Mrs. J. E. Montgomery left last Friday for Temple, Texas and was joined by her daughter, Mildred, from Austin where they visited their son and brother, S/Sgt. Bob Montgomery who arrived at McCloskey Hospital 2 weeks ago. He will be transferred to Springfield, Mo. to O'Reilly General Hospital for plastic surgery operation on his leg. Bob was cheerful and in good spirits, sends his love, and wants to be remembered to all his dear friends in Moran.

Sgt. Felix Haller, U. S. Marine is in Moran visiting his mother, Mrs. Joe Chambliss on a 30-day leave. He has been in the service 3 years and 3 months. He was at Pearl Harbor when the Japs invaded. He saw service in the Philippines, recently in the Luzon invasion. Sgt. Haller will report back to San Francisco May 12th. He brought his mother a beautiful locket from San Diego, an emblem of a Marine Mother.

The fire siren blew around 30 minutes at Moran Tuesday at 8:00 a. m. when our President announced the defeat of Germany and set the date next Sunday, Mother's Day as a day of prayer and thanks to God. At 8:30 p. m. most all of the citizens of Moran gathered at the Baptist church for prayer and thanksgiving. The Moran State Guard, Company C, marched in uniform and had reserved seats.

Rev. Strauss Atkinson and Elder Cole Jackson delivered sermons from the Bible and their prayers of thanks to Almighty God for the victory we have won, and prayed that His mighty arm will support us to the end of our present struggle and guide us in the way of peace.

Be sure to buy that war bond, and then buy another, and another.

TEXAS STATE GUARD NEWS, COMPANY C—MORAN

One of the few persons who had the vision to see the need of a military force such as the Texas State Guard is Major General Allen M. Floyd, who received a medical discharge from the air service on April 8th. Back in April 1940, two months before Pearl Harbor, Major Floyd, then a second lieutenant in the Texas National Guard, saw the clouds of war rolling closer to a storm, and organized in Corpus Christi what was termed a "Free Volunteer Company."

He was a member of the Robstown unit of the National Guard at the time and had to drill there every Tuesday night, but on Thursday nights he drilled Corpus Christi citizens who wanted to master the rudiments of military training. And so it was with Moran's own Company C. When the clarion call was sounded for a military organization composed of civilian soldiers, Farmers, bookkeepers, office workers, school teachers, doctors and other professional men came, anxious to do their part in defending their land and country. Nor have these patriots fallen down on the job. No, a thousand times no.

Company C has changed from their wool uniforms to summer khakis, and are ready to start the summer's extensive, as well as intensive training, which began Tuesday night, May 8th. Come and watch the boys, and by the way, the age limits are 16 to 60. So why not join up? The physical training is worth plenty, as well as to know something about your flag and country. Come on, let's go!

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LOCALS

Dorothy Sergeant left for Cisco on a bus Saturday morning and when she alighted from the bus in Cisco, she noticed she had a cut place on her leg just below the knee that was bleeding. She went to a doctor for treatment, where it took eight stitches to close the wound. She has no idea how she received the cut.

R. A. Park of Moran was in Putnam Monday looking after business interests and shaking hands with old friends.

FOR SALE
One McCormick-Deering Binder, either six or eight foot.—Ennis Qualls, Route 1, Cisco, Texas.

News has been received in Putnam that Uncle Cager Bennett an old time citizen of the Cottonwood community, was buried in Cottonwood Sunday afternoon. He was well known by many old timers of Putnam. No particulars of his passing. He was about 90 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook of Eunice, New Mexico are here this week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook Sr.

FOR SALE
Di-Nette Suites, see them at WHITE'S AUTO STORE
Cisco, Texas

The News received a letter from Mrs. Dr. (Maurine Orr) Baxley, Dedham, Mass., in which she writes: "Enclose check as payment for one year beginning last Winter, when the 1944 subscription ended. I have enjoyed the paper very much and thank you for continuing to send it. I am interested in everything that happens around Putnam. Best regards to all my friends there."

Miss Opal Stewart of San Antonio was here visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Jess Jacobs and other friends and relatives over the week-end.

NOTICE

Plenty of 6x16 auto tires in stock. Bring us your certificate. Why not buy a Good-year, they cost no more. Shackelford Implement Co. Putnam, Texas

Charley Davis Jr. left last week for Pennsylvania where he expects to be sent overseas, while Mrs. Davis went to visit with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Gunn in Fort Worth for the present. They had been here visiting with Mr. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Davis for several days.

NOTICE

Why not go to Lucile's Beauty Shop to get your next hair do? Experienced operators and latest styles. Mrs. Leotis Meadows noted for her work in Baird, is now with the Lucile Shop, Baird, Texas.

D. L. Carman of Baird, county foreman for the Texas Highway Department, was in Putnam Thursday morning and while here visited the News office for a few minutes. He delivered the city a blue print of the Texas highway through Putnam which we were very glad to get.

Fred Farmer of Iraan, passed through Putnam Thursday morning enroute home from St. Louis, where he had been to purchase spring goods. He is manager of a large dry goods store at Iraan and has been ever since leaving Putnam.

IN STOCK

Plenty of Tractor lights, Shackelford Implement Co. Putnam, Texas

Henry Frye, rancher of Putnam, was in town one evening this week and in talking of ranching and farming, he thought everything was looking good. The Frye's have large ranch holdings in the Putnam vicinity and he said the grass was fine. They have a good acreage in oats and he thinks they will make a good yield if nothing damages them from now on.

Floyd Buchanan of the Union community was in Putnam Tuesday afternoon. He reported the ground getting pretty dry and the grain crop not promising very much.

FLY TIME

We have plenty of Screen Doors in stock. Shackelford Implement Co. Putnam, Texas

St. Sgt. and Mrs. Bonnel of Fort Worth were here the past week visiting with Mrs. Bonnell's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Culwell. They left here for San Antonio, where they will visit with Mrs. Bonnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Culwell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Culwell of Alexandria, Louisiana, were here the past week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. Culwell. Mr. and Mrs. H. Culwell returned from San Antonio last week after visiting with his son, Willie and family there for several weeks.

R. O. P. sired English White Leghorn pullets, AAA grade \$20, AAAA grade \$22 per 100. We do everything to improve our breeding stock that other hatcheries do but sell our pullets for much less. Star Hatchery, Baird, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson went to Clyde Saturday afternoon where they met Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tabor and went from there to Loraine where they spent Sunday visiting with relatives and friends. Mrs. Tabor is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson. They returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jordan spent the week-end visiting with Mrs. Jordan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weeks. Mr. Jordan has just received a medical discharge and is moving to Ozone where he has accepted employment on a ranch.

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Ed Davis of the Admiral community was in Putnam Tuesday afternoon and in talking of crop conditions, he did not think the wheat would make a very good yield. He said he did not think Admiral people would plant much cotton on account of the scarcity of labor in getting it gathered.

E. C. Warren of the Moran community was looking after business interests in Putnam Tuesday morning and meeting old friends.

Those attending the Sacred Harp singing at Abilene Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett and son, Billy and possibly others we failed to get their names.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Abernathy returned from San Antonio the first of the week where Mrs. Abernathy has been visiting for the past several days.

Mrs. Jack Ramsay was shopping in Cisco Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weeks and Mr. and Mrs. Jordan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams of Cottonwood Sunday.

Lon McIntosh and Ellison Pruet were transacting business in Baird Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook attended the funeral Sunday of Uncle Jerry Walker who died Saturday night at the age of 95 years. He was buried in the Oakwood cemetery, Cisco.

Mrs. Montie Gunn was shopping and visiting among friends in Baird Monday morning.

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U. S. Treasury Department

Farmers Plan Greater Buys in War Bonds

In spite of an "off" season so far as income in connection with War Bond leaders are now making preparations for selling more bonds to farmers during the Seventh War Loan than in any previous drive, according to M. L. Predmore, Chief of the Agricultural Section, War Finance Division, Treasury Department. With the help of country bankers they're out to convince the men who till the soil that they should convert their expanded bank accounts into bonds.

"Farmers, like all Americans, have been building up bank deposits and currency holdings ever since the war started," Predmore said. "On January 1, 1920, agriculture held currency and bank deposits totaling slightly over 4 billion dollars. The 1945 figure is not available, but it is expected to be in excess of 10 billion."

With larger operations and increased costs farmers must have more operating capital than in 1940, but they don't need 10 billion, in Predmore's opinion. He believes farmers can and will put a substantial portion of these cash reserves into War Bonds. When they go out to sell War Bonds to farmers in the Seventh War Finance Committees throughout the nation will stress personal solicitation. A survey made following the Sixth War Loan showed that 57 percent of the farmers who were personally solicited bought bonds.

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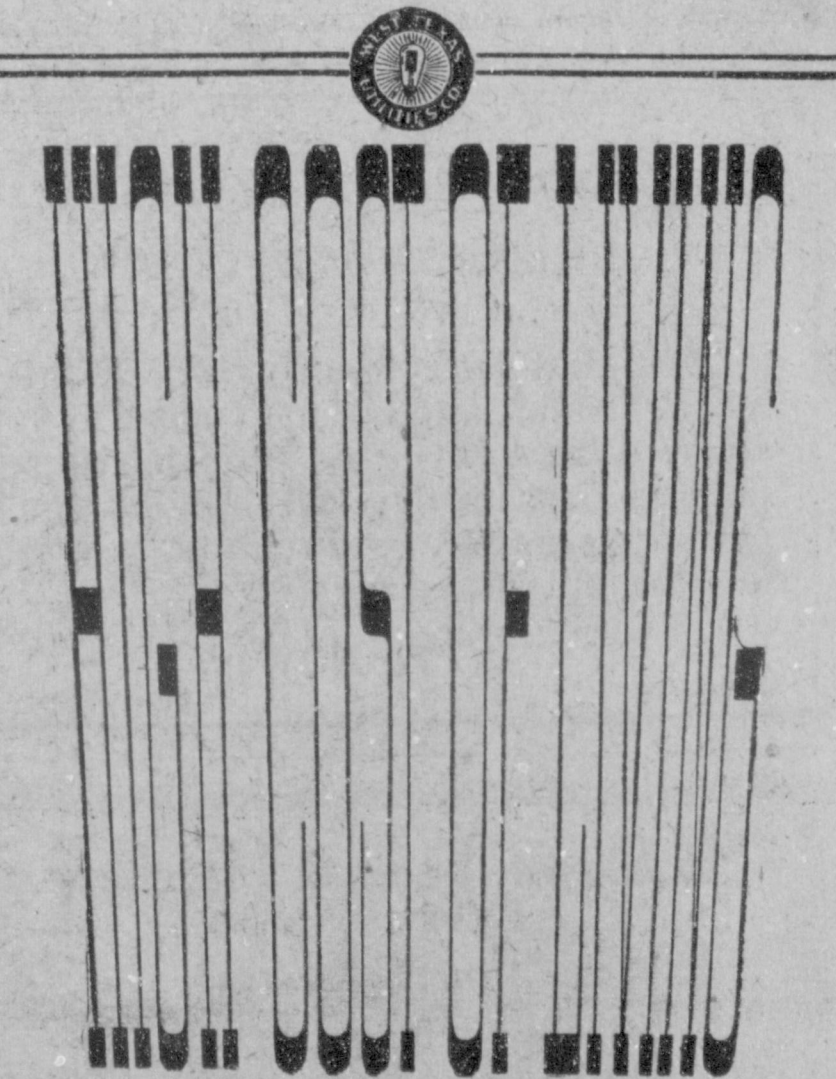
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