

From The Editor's Window

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

The words of our first President are very applicable to the trend of present times so we quote them again: "Your love of liberty, your respect for the laws, your habits of industry, and your practice of the moral and religious obligations are the strongest claims to national and individual happiness."

Hawaii is asking admission into the Union as our 49th state and now has all necessary requirements and a Congressional committee has been appointed to "give immediate consideration to legislation to admit Hawaii." So it looks as though we will soon be giving the hand of welcome to this beautiful island of the Pacific as our newest member into statehood union.

The little mountainous country of Switzerland in Europe was visited by two earthquakes the past week. The first shock was mild with very little damage but the second was much more severe. Tremors lasting several seconds were felt over a wide area causing much damage to chimneys, balconies, and homes in a general way but no deaths were reported. Residents fled to the streets and other open places when the first tremors were felt and this probably saved many lives.

Lord Halifax, Ambassador to this country from England, has resigned and Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, an outstanding diplomat of many years, has been appointed to the post.

Sir Clark Kerr was originally England's Ambassador to Russia and is said to have done good work there. He is sixty-four years old. Both the Conservatives and Labor leaders in England agree on Clark Kerr's abilities as a diplomat.

John L. Lewis, United Mine Worker leader, and his union of some 500,000 members have returned to the AFL federation of workers. He and his CIO workers were welcomed back into the AFL from which they withdrew about ten years ago, and Mr. Lewis was promptly given a seat in the policy-making executive council. It is said that the union of CIO and AFL members will have a profound effect upon a united labor movement.

This from an exchange: "A maiden's love is like spring. She gives that come-hither look and the sap immediately begins to run."

Grace: "I don't see Charley nearly as much as I used to."

Mary: "Well, you should have married him when he wanted you to."

Grace: "I did marry him."

Hubby: I just can't understand Mr. Jones. Every time I tell him a joke he takes his hat off.

Wife: Oh, that is his way of greeting old acquaintances.

A new weekly magazine reporting and explaining news and background of international affairs will soon make its appearance according to David Lawrence, president of the United States Publishing Corporation.

Mr. Lawrence said the magazine will be called "World Report" and will have a large staff of its own correspondents in news centers all over the world.

Reports say the Duke of Windsor hasn't received a diplomatic or official position from his government as he had anticipated. He was former Governor General of the Bahama Islands but gave up the post and returned to France at the close of the war.

Civilian Production Administrator John D. Small has announced that the present stocking shortage should soon be over, probably in a couple of months. He added that some 30,000,000 pairs of Nylon hose have been turned out this month and production is increasing.

S. W. Hayhurst Dies In Dudley Community Saturday Night

S. W. Hayhurst, age 76, resident of the Dudley community for about 30 years, died at his home there Saturday morning after several months of illness.

Funeral was conducted at 3 p. m. Sunday at the Dudley Church of Christ, by Tommy Williams, minister. He was assisted by G. B. Shellman Jr. Burial was in the Dudley cemetery beside his wife who died in 1933.

Mr. Hayhurst was born February 22, 1869 in Bastrop county, and on December 22, 1897 was married to Joan Thigpen in Abilene. He had lived in the Shep community several years before moving to Dudley.

Survivors are one son, L. H. Hayhurst, Dudley; two daughters, Mrs. W. C. Childers, Hobbs, New Mexico, Mrs. L. B. Myers, Nome, two sisters, Mrs. Etta Jones and Mrs. H. A. Rose, both of Vallejo, Calif.; three brothers, Lon Hayhurst, Weed, New Mexico, Lum Hayhurst, Ft. Stockton, and J. M. Hayhurst, Artesia, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Norrell Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norrell celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in Baird, January 28, when they held open house at their home. One hundred guests registered at the book presided over by Mrs. Olaf South.

Rooms were decorated with flowers and a large silver bell was hung in the archway between the dining room and living room. Ivy lined the walls.

Mrs. J. A. Brashear and Mrs. T. A. White ladeled the punch at the lace laid table which was lighted with white candles. Mrs. Flo Meador and Mrs. A. R. Kelton assisted in the dining room.

Music was furnished by Mrs. V. E. Hill, violinist, Mrs. Vivi Tucker, accordionist, and Mary Chatham, Carol Ivy, Sue Edwards, Delia Mae Thompson and Bobby Swenson, vocalists.

Automobile License Plates Ready from Feb. 1 to April 1

The State Highway Department reports that new automobile license plates have been delivered to county tax assessors and collectors throughout the state and was ready for distribution to car owners February 1.

The plates will be issued one per car again, same as last year and will have solid black background with ivory numerals. Truck plates will be the same as passenger cars except for the word "truck" at the bottom of the plate below the number.

Periods for payment of the annual car license will extend throughout midnight April 1st.

MISS BEATRICE HICKMAN HOME ON FURLOUGH VISITING PARENTS

Miss Beatrice Hickman is home on a furlough visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman of Baird, after spending 16 months in France. She has been enlisted for service. Lieutenant Hickman was formerly a member of the faculty of the Baird high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickman are prominent ranchers of Baird and Callahan county, and have lived in Baird many years.

600 Million in Bonds Cashed in January

Washington, Feb. 6.—Americans invested nearly \$1,000,000,000 in savings bonds during last month, but took back more than \$600,000,000 in cash-ins.

The Treasury, announcing the figures Wednesday, noted that the cash-ins included some bonds which had matured and said "a lot" of this money was reinvested immediately in series E bonds.

Moreover, it said, 80 per cent of all savings bonds ever issued still are in the hands of owners at the end of January. For E bonds, the figure was given as 75 per cent, on current value basis.

Taylor Co. Farmers May Receive \$150,000 In Subsidy Payments

According to an announcement from the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, farmers of Taylor county may receive for 1946 \$150,000 in subsidies from the government.

For the first time farmers will have to secure approval from their county AAA office before beginning any of the schedule practices in order to receive payment.

Many Taylor countians are now terracing, tanking and eradicating prickly pears, cedar and mesquite under the AAA plan.

The county committee has selected 13 practices out of a possible 43 to be approved. Included are water wells, winter legumes, summer fallow, small grains seeded on contours, winter cover crops, green manure crops, terracing, tanking and eradication of prickly pears and trees.

M. E. Frye and Sons Make Some Good Sales at Brownwood

M. E. Frye and Sons, have just returned from the Brownwood sale where the Brown County Polled Hereford Association sale was held where they made some good sales.

Mr. Frye and Sons of Cisco and Putnam, sold Advance Domino 14th for \$700 to C. W. Bohls of Austin, and sold Advance Domino 25th to a Proctor, Waurika, Okla., for \$665. They sold the heifer Lenora Woodrow to Jim Gill of Coleman for \$650, besides they made other sales while there.

W. A. Young Dies in Hendricks Memorial Hospital Jan. 28th.

W. A. Young, 88, a long time resident of Callahan county, living about eight miles west of Clyde, died in the Hendricks Memorial hospital at Abilene Tuesday night of heart ailment.

Funeral was conducted in the Laughter-North funeral home Thursday at 2 p. m. and burial was in Cedar Hill cemetery, Abilene.

He is survived by his widow and two sons, Will and Ray Young, all living in the Clyde community.

V B GILMAN APPOINTED FREIGHT TRAFFIC MANAGER TEXAS PACIFIC

BILLY MACK JOBE OPENED OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE

Billy Mack Jobe of Putnam, newly appointed County Service Officer, assumed duties of the office Monday, February 4. The office will be in the court house at Baird. He completed the training course at Waco with a high grade, and has been with the Veterans Administration in Abilene the past week getting further training.

Mr. Jobe will be at the service of all veterans and their families in any capacity they need help regarding insurance, allotments, readjustments, allowances, pensions and compensation, hospitalization, education, loans, and many other benefits due service men and women of World War I and II.

Second World War Veteran Enters Race for Congress

Another World War II veteran enters the race for Congress from the 17th Congressional district. Ted Miles, business man of Stamford has announced he would be a candidate to succeed Sam Russell as Congressman from this district. Mr. Miles made the race for State Senator from this district against Pat Bullock and was defeated by a very small margin, as the writer remembers around 32 votes.

Counting Sam Russell as a candidate to succeed himself, this makes three entrants to date. William Blanton, county judge of Shackelford county, Ted Miles, business man from Stamford and Sam Russell, the present congressman.

Funeral Services At Cross Plains For W. R. Wright

Funeral services were held in Cross Plains Methodist church for a pioneer citizen of Callahan county, W. R. Wright, age 95, and the father of Cal C. Wright, former superintendent of the Abilene Methodist district and pastor of First church, but now pastor of the Lamesa Methodist church. Mr. Wright died Friday after a long illness.

Mr. Wright's death occurred at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Bob Cross, Lubbock, with whom he had been living. He was born in Missouri, and came to Cross Plains in 1894 and farmed there until his retirement several years ago.

C. T. Davis Opens Up Conoco Station On Highway 80

C. T. Davis has purchased the stock of goods from A. H. Nelson on Highway 80 in west Putnam. Mr. Davis has also purchased the building from Mr. Boen and has reopened the station and will have a complete stock of Conoco products, including gasoline, oils and greases. Besides he is putting in a stock of groceries with the Conoco products. See his ad in another place in this week's issue of the News.

School Children Raise \$47.52 for Paralysis Fund

The infantile paralysis fund this year was raised entirely by the school children. The following contributions were made: Senior class \$6.50, Junior class \$5.00, Sophomore class \$4.75, Freshman class \$1.15, seventh and eighth grades \$2.72, fifth and sixth grades \$1.86, third and fourth grades \$3.07, first and second grades \$1.54, Superintendent R. Lee Snider \$1.00, Miss Billie Emmett \$1.00, Mrs. Wiley Clinton \$5.00, Stewart Bentley \$1.00. Prior collections to Thursday night \$12.93, making a total of \$47.52.

We wish to thank everyone who contributed to this fund.

Mrs. Wiley Clinton, Sponsor.

PUTNAM SCHOOL WINS SUIT IN EASTLAND COURT

The writer was informed by County School Superintendent Clay Chrisman that the Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland had reversed the judgement of the district by a unanimous vote, the opinion was written by Judge Milburn Long.

Mr. Chrisman stated however, the court held that the meeting at Cross Plains was void. But at a later date the county board held a meeting in Baird, when they passed the same resolution grouping the schools with the exception the board left out the Hart district. It is not known whether the case will be appealed to the Supreme Court or not at this writing.

Francis Shrader Married to Floyd Clifton of Clyde

News has reached the News office that Miss Francis Shrader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shrader, was married Saturday night, January 27, at 8 p. m. in the Baptist parsonage at Alpine to Floyd Clifton of Clyde, with the Rev. Whitner reading the ceremony. Miss Maty Jo Warren, Rankin, was bride's maid and Mrs. Novis Arning, Tyler, was matron of honor. M. B. Brown was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Shrader attended the wedding from Baird.

The bride wore a beige suit with red accessories. Her corsage was of red carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton will live in Alpine while they attend Sol Ross Teachers College.

States Attorney General Holds Against Game & Fish Wardens

Marine Recruiter Not to Visit in Putnam February

Announcement has been made from the Abilene Marine recruiting office that, because of adverse circumstances, a Marine recruiter will not visit Putnam during February.

It was pointed out that any prospective Marine may secure information concerning the U. S. Marine Corps from the Abilene office by calling in person or writing to Room 10 in the Abilene post office building.

The need for men between the ages of 17 and 25 inclusive is still great and any man meeting the qualifications may be enlisted for either two, three or four years. Stf. Sgt. Hugh C. Lindsey, recruiting sergeant, said.

While in the Marine Corps, any ambitious young man may complete his education by enrolling in completing his tour in the Corps, all the benefits of the GI Bill of Rights are his for the asking.

Hershall Wagley Reopening Garage On Highway 80

Hershall Wagley has just returned from the armed service, after being in about four years and is now opening up his garage that he operated before he entered the war. He has been honorably discharged.

Mr. Wagley says he will put in a lot more new equipment than he had before entering the service. He has purchased a large army truck and expects to equip it to use in case of wrecks, to tow cars and trucks in. He also will carry parts, and states he will put in a larger lathe so that he can do anything that any other well equipped shop can do.

Mr. Wagley has purchased the John Clements house and will move here as soon as he can get possession. He has married since he entered the service.

RUSSIA TO GET KURILE ISLAND BY AGREEMENT

According to Secretary of State Byrnes, United States military chiefs were fully aware of a secret Yalta agreement for Anglo-American support of Russia's claim to the Japanese Kurile Islands.

Under the Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin agreement, he said the United States and Britain agreed to support Russia's claim to Southern Sakhalin, big island north of Japan, as well as Kurile chain which the Japanese used as a springboard early in the war for their assault on the Aleutians.

The secret was a document that Byrnes acknowledged at his news conference that neither he nor President Truman knew of its existence until after Japan's collapse in August, nearly seven months after it was drafted. But he emphasized that the initial secrecy was imposed for sound reasons, that its disclosure would have provided a tip off to Japan that Russia was planning to enter the war.

Eyrnes, who attended the Yalta conference as war mobilization director and advisor to President Roosevelt, said he left for home when the agreement was reached on the last day of the meeting. He said Tuesday in answer to questions, that he could see no reason why its terms should not be published now. However, Mr. Byrnes says he discussed the matter with President Truman and that they had concluded that it would not be proper to publish the contents at this time.

LEGION AUXILIARY GUESTS OF AMERICAN LEGION OF BAIRD

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary of Baird were guests of the Eugene Bell Post of the American Legion at a banquet held at the Methodist church last Friday night which was attended by 110 persons. J. R. Cleaten, commander of the 17th district, and Albert Stell, past district commander, were guests and gave talks on the work of the American Legion.

Mrs. T. A. White was presented with a certificate honoring her late husband for his 25 years of continuous membership in the Eugene Bell Post. The presentation was made by Fred Heyser of Putnam.

Assure Vitamin C

If fruits and vegetables are not included in the diet there is a possibility of vitamin C deficiency. Also high in vitamin C is liver, the only commonly-used animal product which contains this vitamin. None of the cereal foods such as whole wheat or rye bread, corn meal or rolled oats are a source of this vitamin. Some evidences of lack of vitamin C in the diet are: restlessness, headaches, weakness, susceptibility to infections, defective teeth, swollen gums and anemia. The danger of this deficiency may be especially great in the winter when heavier starchy meals are eaten, with fewer fresh fruits and vegetables included on the table.

Study Rotation

Engineers with the aid of a newly developed instrument—the Rotascope—now are able to make any rotating object appear motionless before their eyes. The blade of an electric fan, or an airplane propeller, will appear to stand still, even though they're whirling at full speed, when the "optical engineer" is focused upon them. Developed for the study of airplane propellers under actual operating conditions, the rotascope is the first instrument of its kind which allows the continuous viewing of a rotating object at any point on the perimeter (or path of travel). The new device is an answer to the scientific problem for an optical system capable of untwisting the light of rotating equipment before it is recorded by the human eye. It eliminates the rotary component of motion, but shows any flutter or vibration of the moving part, thereby making it possible for scientists and engineers to make a thorough study of the rotating parts of machinery, Mr. Barnes explained.

Attorney General Grover Sellers has curtailed the authority and power of game and fish wardens, holding they are not authorized to enforce state laws forbidding the entering of enclosed land of another without the consent of the owner, to fish and hunt, and further the law forbidding hunters from shooting along, or across the public road.

The opinion was in response to a request from H. E. Fabien, assistant executive secretary of the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission. He held since these statutes may not be classified as game laws, deputy wardens may enforce them.

Another opinion Wednesday held that if it is suspected that a deer illegally killed has been stored in a grain elevator, a search warrant may be issued by any peace officer, or any game and fish warden. Such premises may not be searched without a warrant.

2830 POLL TAX RECEIPTS ISSUED SATURDAY NIGHT

Mrs. T. W. Briscoe, county tax collector and assessor, reports 2830 poll tax receipts issued to Saturday night. However, she stated this is not a complete tabulation, since a number of payments are in the mails that hasn't been completed, but there is not enough to change the result to any great extent.

On account of this being election year, the poll tax payments are considerably larger than last year. In 1944 there were only 2361, as compared with 2830 this year. The report shows 469 more poll tax receipts this year than last. Exemptions issued this year only 39. This will equal around 2900 voters plus the overs.

Demonstration Agent Gives Demonstration On Tie Dyeing at Eula

Miss Loreta Allen, home demonstration agent, demonstrated tie dyeing as a means of using white feed sacks, in the joint meeting of the Eula and Dudley meeting of the home demonstration clubs January 23. Mrs. L. L. Atoney hosted the meeting in her home.

Examples of head scarfs, luncheon cloths, napkins, curtains and dish towels made of sacks, were shown by Miss Allen. She also showed ways of monogramming these articles.

Those present from the Eula club were Mrs. Alvin Barnes, president of the home demonstration council of Callahan county, Mrs. Fred Farmer, Mrs. M. Russell, and Mrs. N. H. Stephenson and Franke.

Grass Waterways

The place of grass in protecting natural drainageways from serious erosion is pointed up. Grass waterways do not take the place of soil treatment and erosion control measures on adjoining slopes, even though surplus water can be carried off without gullies being formed. Silt in the waterway suggests that adjacent hillsides are eroding. Grass waterways are not hard to build but it does take perseverance to get them well established. A single seeding seldom takes hold well enough to withstand the wear and tear of running water or unfavorable weather. When one seeding fails, another should be made at the first opportunity.

Huge Grant

It was not until "gentlemen adventurers" of the Hudson's Bay company obtained their charter in 1670 that fur trading became a thriving business. Having discovered one source of riches, the company little knew what tremendous power their charter gave them — "the whole trade of all those seas, straits and bays, lakes, rivers, creeks and sounds together with all the lands, countries and territories upon the coasts and confines of the aforesaid." Charles II of England had no way of knowing how vast was this uncharted territory — 30 rivers, all the northwest territories, most of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Ontario and Alberta — almost a third of Canada.

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Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of Respect, and any kind of entertainments where admission fee or charges are made, will be charged for at regular rates.

Regional Round-Up

By Pat Flynn

CHARLES C. THOMPSON, chairman of the board of directors of Texas Tech, and president of The City National Bank, Colorado, Texas, announces the Lubbock institution is starting construction of four dorms, two for boys and two for girls, accommodating 5,000 students, at an approximate cost of \$3,000,000, to be completed for the September term. Tech is also securing the Lubbock Army Air Field barracks for ex-servicemen students, accommodating 3,000 boys, and promises adequate bus service to and from the field to the campus.

CROWELL desires to organize a chamber of commerce and seeks a good manager. They want a war veteran and a live wire. The pay is good and candidates for the position should contact A. G. Beverly. The spot is "hot" for any organization seeking a place to expand, and no prospective manager will go wrong in asking for data.

THE APPOINTMENT of Wellington A. Ruhmann as assistant 4-H club specialist effective Feb. 1, has been announced by Dr. Ide P. Trotter, director of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. Mr. Ruhmann will assist in direction of 4-H club activities in Texas.

MEAT MAY BE FROZEN at temperatures as low as 40 to 114 degrees F. below zero in the future, should such low degrees prove worth the cost of tenderness, Texas A. & M. announces. Beef frozen at 18 degrees and then thawed is about nine per cent more tender than comparable unfrozen beef. The usual freezing temperatures now in use are from zero to 10 degrees, the announcement stated.

BRUCE FRAZIER, columnist from Hillsboro, submits this sheep yarn from the South Plains: The new teacher from the East called upon Billie Yates in the primary department of Iraan's model school for an oral test in mental arithmetic. "Billie," said she, "suppose you left 12 sheep in the corral last night, and during the thunder

storm five of them jumped the fence; how many would there be in the pen in the morning?" "Not any," replied Billie. "Think hard, Billie. Subtract five from 12 and you should know the answer," cautioned the marm. "Teacher," said Billie, "I'm sure you know all about arithmetic, but you've got a lot to learn about sheep."

MISS VARA CRIPPEN, present agent for Lamb county, will succeed Mrs. Myrtle D. Negy as Dawson county home demonstration agent, February 21.

BILL RUTHERFORD, publisher of the Moore County News, Dumas, takes front page issue with the red tape choking the housing situation of his community. He deprecates the fact the Cactus Ordinance Works has plenty of rooms, can't allow workers to use them, yet the government pays plenty of dough for such facilities. All we need is more Rutherford fustings at the government's delay in action.

DECK WELLS, publisher of The Wellington News, is disappointed. All this time he thought Amarillo would become the Dallas of the Panhandle. But he has learned Amarilloans dip 12,000 pounds of snuff each three months (according to snuff salesmen) and he is now of the opinion that Amarillo people "are bound to be having a lot of fun on the sly."

THE ANNUAL Collinsworth County Youth Project Show will be held March 1-2.

THE PANHANDLE War Memorial campaign now reaches \$16,518, according to David Warren, publisher of the Carson County spokesman, who enjoys a tight paper each week of national advertising backed by one of the best front pages in the Panhandle of Texas.

JOE DENNIS heads the re-organized chamber of commerce at Seminole.

C. M. AMBROSE is prexy of the newly organized Denver City, (Tex.) Country Club, an organization boasting 30 families as members.

DOUG MEADOR, Prexy of the Panhandle Press Association, and director in the Western News

Service, trekked to Memphis, Tenn., Dallas and other ports over the week-end in behalf of "Trail Dust."

WINK comes up with an important announcement this week that all Winkler county lands are annexed to two school districts in a vast expansion and improvement program.

SONORA announces that Sutton county will vote February 23 on a \$50,000 road bond issue to improve Del Rio's junction highways.

THIS WRITER'S tie was cut off his shirt in Morton Monday night when a Lion declared I was a Rotarian. As it was Ladies' Night, Mrs. Roy Hickman, tail-twister for the occasion, made excellent use of a butcher knife, robbed from the chuck-wagon table. Her fines assessed for one evening exceeded a month's penalties by the man-twister.

BIG SPRING chamber of commerce members are discussing a 50-block paving program as a current objective.

BRONTE finds ample water for community distribution when three test wells were proven at less than 20 feet depth.

HAROLD GAGE, former New Mexico State Warden, is being boosted for Governor of the Sunshine State by friends of Eastern New Mexico. Some of the most influential politicians and vote-getters of the state are backing his name for chief executive.

LOVINGTON, N. M., LIONS received their charter last week when Carroll Gunderson, district governor, presented the official papers. This city's board of education also announced a call for a bond vote to acquire an auditorium for the community.

A HIGHWAY between Hamlin and Sylvestre, Texas, will be a reality within the near future as final condemnation proceedings were made for the right-of-way last week. Contract for the construction will be let in February.

WAYNE EVANS, Hereford chamber of commerce president, is making an out-of-state trip this week seeking industry for "The Town Without a Toothache."

RAILS, announces 30 blocks of new paving, 25 new residences, a new fire house and many other construction improvements for 1946.

SANTA ANNA called a mass meeting last week to reorganize a chamber of commerce and elect directors for the coming year.

MONAHANS announces its livestock show for March 18-19, a petition for a \$300,000 hospital bond election, and removal of local rent ceilings in a busy week.

THE CROSBY COUNTY Livestock Show will be held in Lorenzo, February 23.

THE PLAINVIEW NEWS points out its city is expanding and asks cooperation from all readers in assisting returning veterans who lead the parade. W. E. Smith, Jr., who directed neighborhood softball leagues in Amarillo last summer, is now a resident of Plainview and is expected to do similar chores in the South Plains city.

THROCKMORTON plans to erect a \$100,000 Memorial Hospital along the Co-Op lines of financing. The city promises to go over the top in subscriptions immediately.

ANDREWS plans an expansion program. This week they voted on a \$60,000 bond issue for enlargement and repairs of water facilities, and now plans to construct a new city hall. This city knows what it means to combine agriculture with oil and is now experiencing growing pains usually found in any boom city.

MENARD doesn't like rats. This city plans a rat eradication campaign starting February 2 to rid the city of rodents. It has already launched a campaign to destroy fleas.

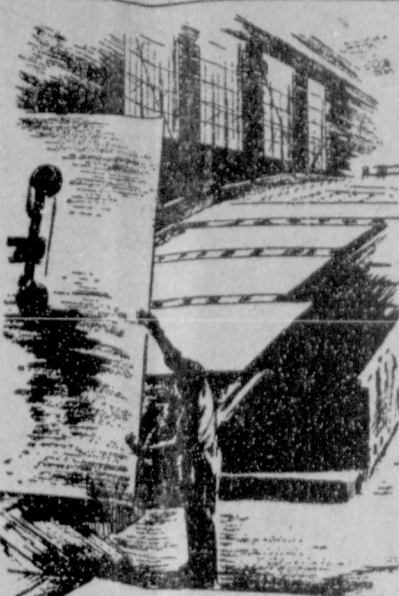
MANGUM, OKLA., loves its returning veterans and showed this affection better in naming a group as head of its chamber of commerce and directors of the organization. Watch this city expand in 1946!

REP. HARLEY SADLER, former tent theater comedian, heads a corporation in Sweetwater to construct 10 new homes under the title of "Sweetwater Homebuilders." The corporation hopes to erect homes for those who must have a place to live.

THAT MORTON motorist who struck a hen only to find her nesting under the hood of his car has solved the meat problem as well as increasing his poultry stock by exactly one.

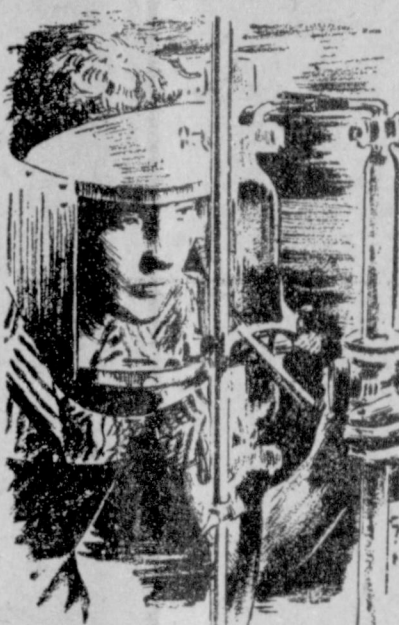
TAHOKA is excited this week. It not only is reorganizing its chamber of commerce but has learned the Lynn county farm-to-market program will be carried to completion.

The supply of seed potatoes for 1946 spring planting is the largest on record.

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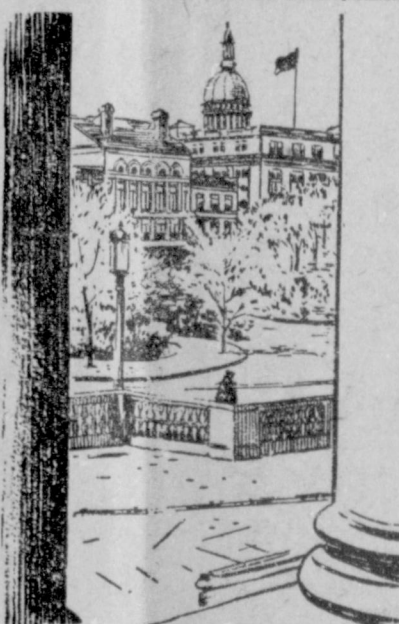
UNDEVELOPED WEALTH

Pennsylvania leads the Nation in the production of coal, coal tar, pig iron, ferro-alloys, sand, stone, cement, coke, slate and sulphuric acid. It has the largest aluminum producer and is first in machine shop products. Its legion of diversified factories will meet post-war needs, adding billions to the Nation's wealth in which all investors in Savings Bonds are shareholders.



INDUSTRIAL EMPIRE

To its great General Electric plants, Eastman Kodak factory and other world famous giant producers of vital supplies, New York adds 6,500 shops whose average employment is less than 40 persons. With future requirements of radio, aviation and surface transportation greater than ever, these thriving industries will add millions to Government resources guaranteeing Savings Bonds.

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FOOD PROCESSORS

The Campbell Soup Co. plant at Camden, covering five city blocks and employing 4,500 persons, is only one of New Jersey's vital food processing establishments that add to the Nation's wealth behind Savings Bonds. Other big name firms with huge investments in the state include Coca Cola, Maxwell House Coffee, Kraft-Phoenix Cheese Corp., National Sugar Refining Co., and Thomas J. Lipton, Inc. World orders will keep them busy for years.

U. S. Treasury Department

Important Detail

One of the important details of bomber operation is a chemical film so thin that 2,000 layers of it would barely equal the thickness of this sheet of paper. Yet if this film disappears while a bomber is in flight and storage batteries are drained of power, the plane's radio, gun turrets, and other vital auxiliaries cannot operate. The microscopic film acts as a lubricating buffer between the copper commutator of a generator and the carbon brushes that pick up power and relay it to the plane's electrical system. Without this buffer, the brushes soon grind themselves to powder against the commutator and stop the flow of electricity.

Snap Tables

Did you know that 18th century "tilt top" tables were also called "snap" tables? You've guessed it—because they snap up flat against the wall. The fluted edge of a Chippendale pie crust table was copied from 18th century silver trays, which in turn were inspired by the fancy edges of pies. This type of table is nice to use in corners.

Cisco CC Manager
Guest Speaker for
Luncheon Meeting

Albany chamber of commerce members who attended the weekly luncheon meeting last Saturday were high in their praise of the talk made by B. A. Butler, manager of the Cisco chamber of commerce, in which he urged citizens to help maintain free enterprise and a safe and sane Democracy for our nation.

The visitor asserted that there are different views on what constitutes free enterprise and Democracy, and warned his audience that managed economy is creeping up on the country and there was great danger of drifting into Federal control of enterprise. He discussed current trends and described results of present conditions which he likened to managed economy. "The entire world is hungry for freedom and we must equalize tariffs if we are to retain a system of free enterprise and Democracy," Butler said in closing his talk.

Other guests at the luncheon were Dr. T. M. Howle, who had just become a new citizen of Albany; Bradley Griggs, recently home from four years service in the Naval Air Forces; Frank King, a member of the Naval Air Forces; and Martin B. Clarke, a new member of the chamber of commerce.

During the business session it was announced that J. Carter King Jr. had been re-instated as a chamber of commerce director in place of Mrs. King who served in that capacity while her husband was in the Army.

Supplies of insecticides for the 1946 crop year will be adequate with the exception of two important materials, nicotine and rotenone.

Eastern Black Ducks Scarce

Several important factors limiting black duck abundance have been announced by Ducks Unlimited, following a survey conducted by that organization, assisted by Canadian and U. S. government agencies in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. These are given as destruction of nests by spring floods, egg eating by predatory crows and scarcity of aquatic insect foods considered essential for young ducklings. A surprising discovery was the large numbers of breeding ring-necked ducks, heretofore considered a western species. Almost as many ring-necks as black ducks were found in the survey.

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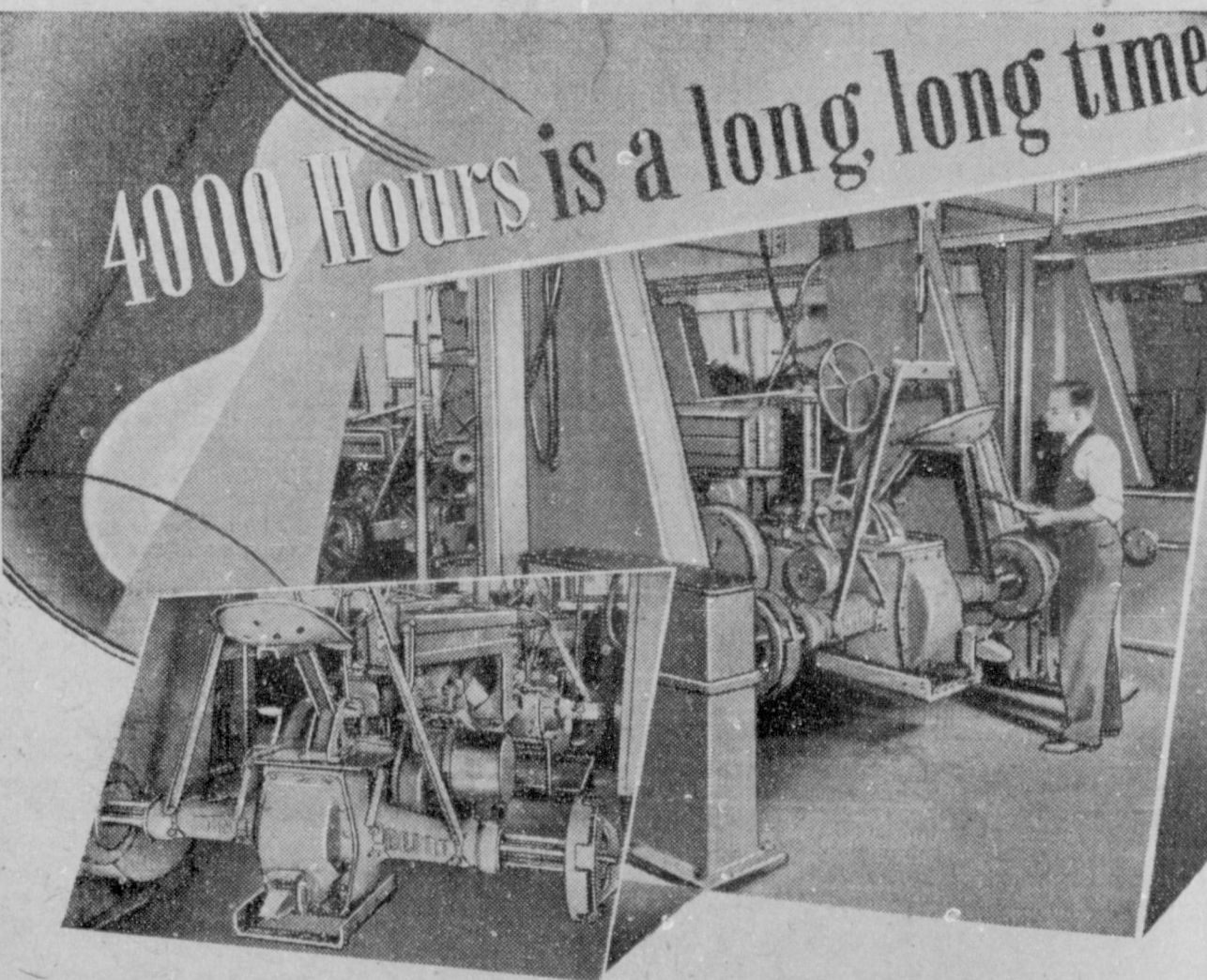
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MORAN

Personal Mention

Mrs. Floyd Buchanan of Putnam was in Moran on Tuesday to attend chapel at high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collinsworth and son, J. R., of California arrived in Moran last Friday. They will visit relatives and friends here and her mother at Georgetown, Texas.

The Moran Auto Supply has a painted sign over the building which looks very nice and two attractive front windows, painted in orange red with interior to match.

Mrs. Jess Jennings of Tulsa, spent last week visiting in the home of Mrs. John Pritchard. Mrs. Jennings was the former Leta Johnson of Moran. Mr. and Mrs. Jep Fite also of Tulsa, were other guests of Mrs. Pritchard and they may return and locate here.

Gay Campbell of Odessa spent last week-end in Moran, visiting his mother, Mrs. Sally Wise.

O. L. Hubbard of Cushing, Okla., arrived in Moran January 13, after 6 years in service and joined his wife here. Mrs. Hubbard is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hess. Mr. Hubbard received his final discharge at Camp Chaffee, Ark., September 22, and was released from Vet hospital January 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard will make their home in Moran.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gillean of the Frazier Poultry Farm, Cisco, spent Sunday in Moran with her parents. Miss Lucile Midkiff returned with her sister for a visit.

Mrs. G. H. Wilson left Monday for her home at Smithville. She is a sister of Mrs. S. H. Sherman. Another sister, Mrs. Mundine took ill and is confined to her bed at Mrs. Sherman's home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Leveridge of Cisco are visiting Mrs. J. W. Pritchard. Mr. Leveridge was stationed for 19 months at Pearl Harbor. He had his final discharge recently at Norman, Okla.

John Alexander has been confined to his home with illness for the past week. Last report is he is improving.

W. H. Brewster was critically ill a few days last week with bronchitis. He will soon be his old self.

Mrs. Carl Lummus who has been ill for two weeks past, is much improved, but is not able to be out yet.

Jerald White visited his sister, Mrs. Turner at Eastland last week-end.

Mrs. Wiley Williams, president of the Delphian club, postponed the meeting from Tuesday to Thursday of this week on account of illness among members.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor arrived in Moran last week and are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor. Bob was discharged from the army at Camp Fannin, Texas, January 19, was in the service three years and nine months, stationed at Victoria, Texas, was overseas in Pacific 5 months, stationed at Saipan and Guam. Expects to enter chamber of commerce work.

At a recent meeting of the Moran school board, both principals, Newell H. Odell and Miss Anna Mae Cox were re-elected for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder spent the week-end at the Snyder ranch and left Monday morning to take up the work at the Albany bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hull Jr. of Eastland and son, Ronald Lynn, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Collinsworth.

H. A. 1/c Henry Montgomery got his final discharge in California, January 8. He was stationed at Treasure Island. He visited his parents here and left for Fort Worth January 29 and assumed his old position at the Southwest Drug Co.

I. E. Durham who was in the Gorman hospital for two weeks, has returned home and with warm days coming, expects to be down town real soon.

Mrs. Eva Noland has had her youngest son home from 3 years in service. Johnnie J. had his final discharge in December. He recently entered Howard Payne College, Brownwood, to finish his education, which was interrupted when he entered the war.

Mrs. E. J. Freeman and son, Top, have just returned from Oceanside, Calif., where they visited Elsworth Freeman, Pharmacist 3/c, for a month. They report a fine trip and lovely weather on the West Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Hassen of Cisco were in Moran Sunday calling on their many friends. Hayett spent Saturday night visiting old friends here and returned with her parents Sunday.

Jack Rountree, who was employed with the Western Union in New Mexico, spent last week-end in Moran with his parents. Jack was enroute to Kansas City to fill a new appointment.

Honoring their daughter, Nadine's 12th birthday Friday, February 1, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cutler hosted a slumber party in their home. Guests who are classmates in school, enjoyed a six o'clock dinner and later attended a basketball game at the gymnasium. The dining table was centered with the decorated birthday cake, topped by 12 candles. Those attending were Vera May Morris, Sue Hamilton, Ella Ruth Bankston, Bobby Jo Brooks, Patsy Fite and the honoree.

Miss Louise Womack of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her mother and sister, Mrs. Fannie Womack and Mrs. Ray Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskel Key of Breckenridge, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Fannie Womack and Mrs. Ray Martin Sunday afternoon.

Ray Martin entered the West-side hospital Tuesday afternoon for medical treatment at Breckenridge.

Vera Faye Wright and bother, Virgel, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Bailey at Bangs, over the week-end.

Andy Anderson who has been quite ill at the Brooks hotel, was taken to the Graham hospital, Cisco, this week.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

Met at the church Monday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Opening son, Sweet Hour of Prayer; sentence prayer was offered by each member. President, Mrs. Ray Martin, presided for the business session.

Mrs. E. A. Elliott read for a devotional the 55th Psalm, a lesson on prayer and gave a recipe for happiness. Read and study the 13th chapter of First Cor.

Look for the date for the Brotherhood supper at the church. Cards were sent to the sick and shut-ins.

Fresh shipment type-writer ribbons, available at the Leader office.

ANDY ANDERSON PASSES ON

Moran was shocked to hear of the death on Wednesday morning of E. L. Anderson, known as Andy, 55. He died at the Graham hospital, Cisco, 2 a.m. Wednesday. He had been ill only 12 days, cause of death was paralysis.

The remains are at Thomas Funeral Home, Cisco, and will be shipped to his old home in Iowa. Many old friends in Moran went to Cisco to pay their last respects to an esteemed citizen, a good man who will be greatly missed.

Andy was an oil man and had made his home at the Brooks hotel for the past 25 years. He had many friends here. He had no relatives in Moran. His body was prepared for shipment on the Sunshine Special Wednesday morning to his relatives in the East.

A LETTER FROM ONE OF HENRY DORSEY'S BUDDIES TO HIS MOTHER

Dear Mrs. Dorsey:

Cpl. Henry Dorsey was under my command and I had known him before the war. We were in the same unit, fought together on Bataan, in the same prison camp at Cabanatuan, Philippines, until sometime in July of 1944.

We boarded different ships for Japan and were separated. There were only about 30 miles apart, near Fukuoki on Kyushu the southernmost island of the torn-up Empire. While in P. I. prison camp, Americans or rather our parents were permitted to send food parcels to prisoners of war in P. I. You may have sent him one, but he did not get any. About half the personnel received the parcels. This went through because it went through Geneva.

Henry, Bill Powers and I were like brothers. Powers and I received food parcels and all three shared it equally. Had first decent set up. Henry's weight about 180 at one time in P. I. I was awful sorry to learn that he died the day the hostilities ceased in the Pacific and on his birthday. When we found out that the war was over, we really took over and gave the Japs what was coming to them. I thought that Bill Powers might have written you a letter, if he has I certainly would appreciate if you would send me his address.

I am wishing a happy and prosperous year of 1946 to you all. I am your son's friend.

A Buddy.

TEXAS FASHIONS—Attract buyers at Dallas, rare and beautiful cottons, so long missed by Texas women were in the spotlight at the Dallas market last week. One-piece dresses led with swishy skirts gathered fullness unpressed pleats, buttons down the front, briefer sleeves or none at all. Materials have been hard to obtain but the cottons shown are lovelier than in years. Moran ladies are looking forward to our new dry goods merchant coming in soon, as he attended this market to buy the latest in ready to wear.

Treeless Iceland will some day have extensive forests of Sitka spruce from the Chugack National Forest in Alaska, if plans of the Iceland Forest Service work out. Test plantings have indicated that the species is well suited to Iceland.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Spirit" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 10.

The Golden Text is: "The Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God" (1 Corinthians 2:10).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Can any hide himself in secret places that I shall not see him? saith the Lord. Do not I fill heaven and earth? saith the Lord" (Jeremiah 23:24).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Spirit, God, is infinite, all. Spirit can have no opposite" (page 278).

GEMS OF THOUGHT BENEVOLENCE

To feel much for others, and little for our selves; to restrain our selfish, and exercise our benevolent affections, constitutes the perfection of human nature.—Adam Smith.

Benevolent feeling ennobles the most trifling actions.—Thackeray.

The place of charity, like that of God, is everywhere.—Quarles.

Sweeter than the balm of Gilead, richer than the diamonds of Golconda, dear as the friendship of those we love, are justice, fraternity, and Christian charity.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Do not wait for extraordinary circumstances to do good actions: try to use ordinary situations.—Richter.

Charity is never lost: it may meet with ingratitude, or be of no service to those on whom it was bestowed, yet it ever does a work of beauty and grace upon the heart of the giver.—Middleton.

EDITOR BUYS PAPER

Cleo Evans, former newspaper man, who has been overseas three years, recently joined his family in Moran after his discharge from the Army. Mr. Evans has purchased the Mineral Wells News and will take up the business of publisher in that city. The family will move there this week. Mrs. Evans and children have made their home in Moran with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pinnell during her husband's absence.

Common Fungi

"Mildew" or "mold" is fungi that feeds on almost everything. It needs no sunlight for growth and spores are always present in air, dust and water. The fungi remains dormant in dry weather but growth starts with a reasonable humidity. A new chemical has recently been developed to prevent the formation of mildew.

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SCHOOL NOTES

In a class contest held recently for our school yearbook, The Kennel, we selected the favorites. Iva Lou Simpson was selected as most popular girl; Doris Thomas was voted best all-round girl; the most popular boy is Jerry Cottle and Jack Scott was voted best all-round boy.

We are in line for some good basketball next week. The independent tourney begins Thursday night 14th. Friday night we continue with this and also have the strong Baird team with us to conclude the district conference race.

The faculty play, "No Bride for the Groom" is to be given Tuesday night. Proceeds will go to the football field. Let's fill the house.

The school board recently selected a committee to receive the donations on the football field work and also oversee the actual construction and erection of its facilities. This committee consists of Elmer Cuno, Newell Odell, Mumpford Townsend, and Henry Knight.

Pecan trees need plenty of plant food for profitable production of nuts.

DDT Mixture

A 5 per cent DDT oil spray will do a very good job controlling household pests, such as moths, carpet beetles and silverfish. However, until we know more about the insecticide, it should not be used where there is any likelihood that children will get it on their hands.

Spray it freely on rugs or the mat under the rug, on upholstered furniture and on woolen garments. A light spraying of garments before they are put into storage will aid considerably in preventing moth damage. However, the old method of having the garments dry-cleaned and then stored in a sealed place is probably better.

As an insecticide, DDT is not any more effective for the control of roaches than is sodium fluoride, nor is it any more dangerous to use. DDT has not stood the trial of time as has sodium fluoride, which is particularly adapted to the killing of roaches.

Substitute All-Purpose Flour

If your recipe calls for cake flour and you have only all-purpose flour in the house, sift it three times before measuring, and use two tablespoons per cup less than the amount of cake flour called for.

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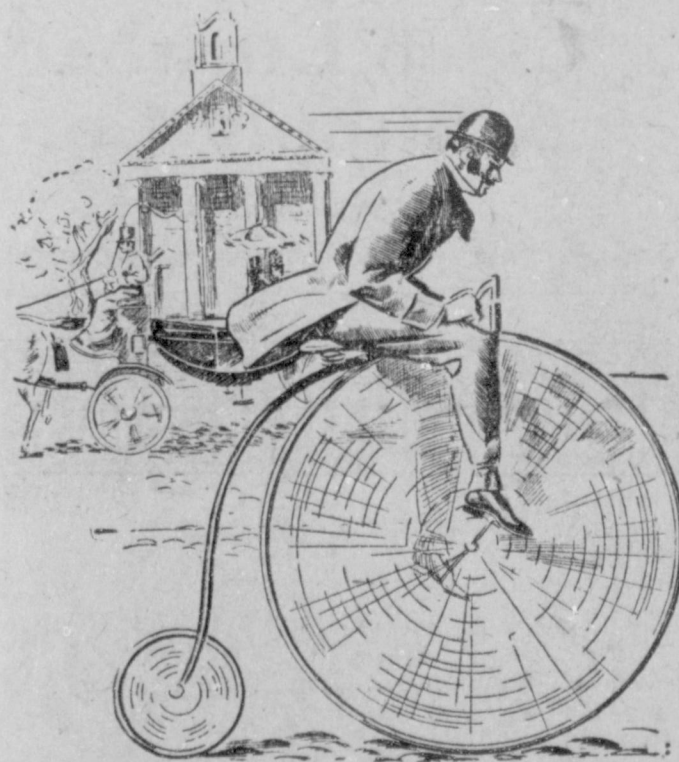
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Sales and Service

LOCALS

Bill Biggerstaff of El Paso was in Putnam this week looking after business interests and visiting with relatives. The Biggerstaffs were formerly residents of Putnam before going to El Paso. He is prospecting with a view of moving back to this or Taylor county if he finds anything he can buy reasonably.

SPECIAL PRICES on all started chicks through February. Plenty unsexed and pullets in our brooders now. Come to see them any day. Baby chicks each Monday and Thursday.—**STAR HATCHERY**, Baird, Texas.

The Eugene Bell Post of the American Legion, will hold its regular February session at the Stanley Cafe in Baird Monday night, February 11th, at 7:30 p. m. Important meeting, of interest to all members.

FOR SALE

2 dozen brown Leghorn hens, one dozen White Leghorn hens. See Mrs. Otis Tatum, Putnam, Texas.

County Agent Robert Shults of Baird was in Putnam Tuesday morning conferring with the 4-H club boys and girls. Mr. Shults has been very active with 4-H boys clubs and cooperating with the farmers in terracing and other soil conservation work.

Mike Cook, insurance man of Cross Plains, was in Putnam Monday afternoon transacting business and visiting with his parents and other relatives.

WANT FEED

Will buy oats, peanut hay, and corn.—**Surles Dairy**, Route 1, Cisco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan of Dallas spent the week-end visiting in the home of Mr. Buchanan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Buchanan. Mr. Buchanan is manager of several lumber yards in Dallas.

FOR SALE

One of the best Beauty Shops to be found any place. More business than we can handle. For further information call at the News office of write the Putnam News, Putnam, Texas.

WE HAVE THEM

Just received shipment of Oil and Electric Brooders.—**Home Supply Co.**, Cisco, Texas.

Erline Clark who has a position in the New Braunfels high school, spent the week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet, returning to New Braunfels Sunday afternoon.

Fine OIC pigs, bred gilts, service boars, all white as snow and pretty as pictures.

SHANKS NURSERY HOG FARM, Clyde, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt left the first of the week for Austin where Mr. Mundt will enter the State University to complete his education, since he has been honorably discharged from the service.

Notice to Farmers on R. E. A. We are now receiving a few Frigidaires, and are taking orders on future deliveries.

RAWSON ELECTRIC SHOP, 507 Ave. D, Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton Jr. left last week for Denton, where they will enter Texas State Teachers College. They are both former students of Hardin-Simmons University and graduates of the Putnam high school.

IN STOCK

Plenty of one-way disc on hand. You can get them now.—**F. P. SHACKELFORD—SON**, Putnam, Texas.

C. K. Odom, J. N. Williams, M. E. Frye of Cisco, Henry Frye of Putnam and Douglas Frye of the Dothan community, returned from the Brown County Cattle Raisers Association at Brownwood the past week.

1000 peach trees given away to first 1000 customers visiting our nursery. We offer fine freshly-dug pecan trees, apple trees, pears, peaches, plums, berries, grapes. Also shrubs and evergreens.

SHANKS NURSERIES, ½ mile north of Clyde, Texas.

Mrs. E. H. Gilmore was shopping and visiting with relatives in Baird Monday morning.

Mrs. Fred Heyser of the Zion Hill community was shopping and visiting with friends and relatives in Baird Monday morning.

All copy must be in by Tuesday noon to insure publication, otherwise, it will have to go over to next week.

Mrs. C. K. Peek of Dallas has been here the past few days with her brother, L. J. Cook who has been ill for several days. She has been staying with him since Mrs. Fred Cook has been in the Graham hospital, being treated for a case of flu the past several days.

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Stewart Bentley of the Zion Hill community, was in Putnam Wednesday afternoon, and while here he visited the News office for a short while. He says everything is looking good for another crop, since we have a fine season in the ground and the cold weather should help to keep the weevil and other insects from being so bad.

FOR SALE

One dozen brown Leghorn hens, see Mrs. Otis Tatum, Putnam, Texas.

Mrs. Don Gilmore is confined in the Callahan county hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday afternoon in Baird.

FOR SALE

One 5-room house and bath, close in. Mrs. E. G. Scott, Putnam, Texas.

Mrs. Fred Cook has been returning to her home in Putnam after staying in the Graham hospital for several days on account of an attack of flu. She is getting along nicely since coming home.

FOR SALE—One 5-room house, close in. See Mrs. George Weeks, Putnam, Texas.

L. J. Cook who has been confined to his room for several days, is gradually improving and it is hoped he will be out soon.

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Those attending the USO open house for World War II veterans in Baird at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon from Putnam were Mrs. S. M. Eubank, Mrs. John Cook and Mrs. Jim Yarbrough.

IN STOCK

Bar Pee Pressure Cookers, in stock.—**Home Supply Co.**, Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson who have been operating the Octane filling station for the past several years, have moved to Clyde, where they will make their home. Mr. Nelson will enter the real estate business in Clyde.

SPECIAL PRICES on all started chicks through February. Plenty unsexed and pullets in our brooders now. Come to see them any day. Baby chicks each Monday and Thursday.—**STAR HATCHERY**, Baird, Texas.

Alton White, owner of White's Grocery in Putnam, was transacting business in Baird Monday morning.

Mrs. Earl Jobe and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete King, attended church in Cisco Sunday evening.

Around 2,500,000 new and permanent jobs towards the goal of full employment for the U. S. can be created if the nation carries through an adequate nationwide forestry program, according to Lyle F. Watts, chief of the U. S. Forest Service. Watts said that at present the nation's forests directly or indirectly provide about 3,750,000 jobs.

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SPCA Annual Meet
Feb. 15, Stamford

The importance of maintaining a strong financial institution entirely owned by local farmers and ranchers will be the principal subject at the 12th annual stockholders' meeting of the Stamford Production Credit Association on February 15, 1946 at Stamford, beginning at 10:30 o'clock, secretary-treasurer, J. L. Hill Jr. said.

"We are expecting a large attendance of the members as the association now has \$235,480.00 invested in its capital stock by the 1445 members in Jones, Haskell, Knox, Kent, Dickens, Stonewall and Shackelford counties," he said. "It has \$87,184.00 in surplus and reserves, and has retired the government investment in the association. The association is a farmers-ranchers' service organization which is in a strong position to obtain funds at very reasonable rates from the investing public through the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank on terms adapted to farmers' and ranchers' needs," he said. "A strong local capital structure is highly important."

The program at the annual meeting will include: Chuck wagon lunch, report from the board of directors, a financial report of the years' business and financial period.

Arrangements are in charge of J. L. Hill Jr.

Two directors are to be elected at this meeting. The local advisory committees are headed by the following chairmen who have been active in plans for this annual get-together:

Raymond F. Day, Anson, Bill Lees, Haskell, S. L. Benefield, Spur, C. B. Hutchinson, Munday, E. V. Smith, Aspermont, and C. M. Walsh of Stamford.

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POLITICAL
ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements have been received for the office just above the name, subject to the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 27th:

County Judge:
J. L. Farmer
County Clerk:
Leslie Bryant
Sheriff:
S. S. (Nick) Nichols
W. A. Peterson
County Treasurer:
Mrs. Will McCoy
Assessor and Collector:
M. F. (Bob) Joy
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