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Nationwide Salvage Campaign Is Vital Part of War Effort

Hall County Meet Scheduled Sunday Afternoon at Park

Intensive Drive to Be Put On in County for Gathering Of Vital War Materials

A call is made for a Salvage for Victory meeting to be held at Memphis City Park at 3 o'clock Sunday, May 24, by M. J. Draper, Hall County chairman of the Salvage committee.

In issuing the call Mr. Draper stated that the government is sorely in need of scrap iron and metal and scrap rubber and needed now. An intensive drive must be made to secure these needed articles to carry on the war. Every town and community in the county is asked to have representatives at the meeting Sunday in order that plans may be made to start the drive, Draper said.

"I'm calling upon all superintendents and principals and other leaders of various communities and towns of the county to attend this meeting. Also, the general public is included in this call. If the weather is unfit for the outdoor meeting, we will use the court room," Draper said.

A nationwide salvage campaign has been launched. Hall county has been asked to do its share in this drive, according to M. J. Draper, chairman of the Hall county and Memphis Salvage committee.

The shortage of scrap iron in the war industry is acute, and it is very necessary to step up the drive in order to get this vital material to the defense plants to be (Continued on page 5)

Funeral Services For C. A. Veteto Are Held Saturday

Resident of This City For 22 Years Dies at His Home After Lingering Illness

Last rites honoring the memory of Cornelius A. Veteto, 69 years old, were conducted Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock from the First Baptist church, with Rev. Sid F. Martin, pastor, delivering the sermon. Interment was in the Fairview cemetery, with King's Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock, with Rev. Sid F. Martin, pastor, officiating. Mr. Veteto succumbed at his home 510 North 11th street, Friday morning at 4:30 o'clock, after an illness of seven weeks.

Born in Henderson county, Tenn., Mr. Veteto came to Texas with his parents when a young boy. He was married to Miss Annie Brown at Deport in 1897. They brought their family to Memphis (Continued on page 4)

Concerted Effort In Battle Against Hoppers Is Urged

County Agent Says Survey Shows Infestation Likely To Be Worst in Many Years

Indications are that Hall County farms are threatened this season with one of the worst infestations of grasshoppers in many years, County Agent W. B. Hooser stated this week.

He revealed that there will be millions of these insect pests, and farmers are warned that unless concerted steps are taken to curb them, severe damage to crops will result.

Hordes of young hoppers are already hatching out and considerable damage to garden stuff in various sections of the county has been made some weeks ago by W. L. Spicer, entomologist of the Texas Agricultural Extension (Continued on page 5)

COUNTY YOUNG MEN LEAVE FOR ARMY SERVICE

Large Group Now at Fort Sill Learning How to Fight Axis

Hall County made another contribution to the rising tide of manpower for the United States Army Friday when a large quota of young men boarded a special bus bound for the induction center at Lubbock. After passing their physical examinations at Lubbock, they were sent to Fort Sill, Okla., Saturday to take up their military training.

Those answering the call were: James W. McCollum, James A. Ward, Leland G. Adams, Orville O. Helm, Arver McQueen, Rhubert F. Wynn, Pete M. Kerlee, Garner Lee, Johnnie F. Beavers, Clarence D. Morris, William M. Cross, Herschel Montgomery, Jay R. Bruce, Jack W. Holcomb, James R. Tyner, Jack W. Sturdevant, Carl W. Messer, James A. Wood, Raymond L. McClendon.

Included in the quota, but sent from other counties and credited to the Hall County Local Board. (Continued on page 4)

Jacob Sanders Is Taken Prisoner by Japanese Forces

Definite Information Sent Mother Here by Red Cross Bureau of Information

Private First Class Jacob Sanders of the U. S. Marines was one of the heroic defenders of Wake Island. No news of him had been received since the fall of that tiny South Pacific outpost.

The following letter received this week by Mrs. L. D. Sanders of Memphis from the headquarters of the U. S. Marine Corps at Washington, D. C., definitely confirms the fact that he was captured by the Japs and is alive:

"The Commandant, U. S. Marine Corps, directs me to inform you that a partial list of American prisoners of war captured by the Japanese Military Forces has just been received from the Prisoners of War Information Bureau, through the International Red Cross. This list contains the name (Continued on page 5)

Hard Surfacing of Secondary Highway Is Now Possibility

Road Project East of City Affected by Relaxing War Production Board's Order

Some sort of hard-surfacing construction on the recently designated farm-to-market highway running east from Memphis to Highway 83 in Childress county, a distance of 21 miles, now appears possible, according to the latest information received from D. C. Greer, state highway engineer at Austin, by County Judge M. O. Goodpasture.

Shortly after designation of the road for state maintenance, Judge Goodpasture was informed that the project to hard surface the strip, contemplated by the State Highway department, then rested (Continued on page 10)

74 Pre-Freshmen Receive Diplomas

Rev. Russell Wingert, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was principal speaker at graduation exercises for eighth graders of the Memphis school system Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

Honor students of the class are Sue Ann Roberts, valedictorian; Jo Anna Foster, salutatorian; and Dale Hellman, high ranking boy. There are 74 students in the pre-freshman class which will enter high school next term.

Diplomas were presented by Noah Cunningham, principal. Supt. W. C. Davis acted as master of ceremonies. Appropriate vocal numbers were given by the High School Choral Club. (Continued on page 10)



GEORGE M. THOMPSON

FUNERAL RITES FOR PIONEER MERCHANT HELD

Geo. M. Thompson Dies at His Home Thursday Afternoon

Funeral rites for George McClellan Thompson, 77 years old, pioneer Memphis merchant, were conducted Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the First Baptist church by Rev. Sid F. Martin, pastor. Burial in the Fairview cemetery was in charge of Womack Funeral Home.

Active pall bearers were Edwin Thompson, Jr., Billy Thompson, Ernest Thompson, George Carter, James Baldwin, all grandsons of the deceased, and Dave Price.

Honorary pall bearers were F. N. Foxhall, W. P. Dial, R. L. Madden, C. R. Webster, George Hattenbach, D. L. C. Kinard, Dick Hutcherson, J. A. Whaley, D. A. Neeley, S. S. Montgomery, J. W. (Continued on page 5)

Crowell Red Cross Expresses Thanks To Memphis People

Rehabilitation of Tornado Sufferers Presents Serious Problems, States Chairman

G. D. Self, Foard County Chairman American Red Cross, acknowledges receipt of \$254.72 from Memphis for relief of storm victims. His letter in part is as follows:

"This acknowledges receipt of \$254.72 from your town handed to us today by Mayor C. T. Schlagal of Crowell. We certainly thank you and your people, and assure you that every penny will be spent for our tornado sufferers. It is hardly believable the havoc and damage we had here. Approximately 150 homes were completely demolished, 250 seriously damaged beyond repair, and 150 less seriously damaged, and only 15 or 20 escaped damage at all. Every person in Crowell was affected in some way by the tornado.

"We were immediately contacted (Continued on page 10)

Bob Land Is New President of Lions Club of Memphis

Resignation Is Offered by Rev. Sid Martin Because of Press of Other Activities

Several important changes in the official family of the recently organized Memphis Lions club were brought about at the noon luncheon Wednesday when Rev. Sid Martin offered his resignation as president. Rev. Martin gave as reason for his action the fact that other activities force him to be away much of the time and said he felt some other member would better fit into the program as head of the organization.

The resignation of Rev. Martin was accepted and Bob Land, first vice president, was elevated to the place. Herb Estes was elevated to the vice presidency. Bill Hart was elected second vice president and (Continued on page 10)

At Least Three Are Reported Killed In Auto-Bus Collision

Several persons were killed and others injured when an automobile traveling at high speed crashed head-on into a north bound Bowen Mainliner bus a few miles northwest of Claude at an early hour this morning.

According to meager reports reaching here, the driver of the car was one of the victims and at least two bus passengers lost their lives. The driver of the bus, Homer Penrod, was critically injured, it was said, and is not expected to live. Names of the dead were not learned here.

Both vehicles burned after the crash. The bus, running behind schedule, left Memphis about 11:15 p. m. and the tragedy occurred about 2 o'clock this morning.

Rains Rescue Victory Gardens And New Crops

Jupiter Pluvius came to the rescue of countless Victory gardens and young crops in the Memphis area Wednesday and this morning, with showers that will be of immense value.

According to J. J. McMickin, official rain measurer, precipitation Wednesday morning totaled .45 of an inch. A slower shower began early this morning and continuing until after 10 o'clock added .37 of an inch.

Farmers state that the protracted cool weather has greatly hindered growth of cotton which has been planted. A spell of hot weather would be beneficial, they say. (Remember Pearl Harbor)

Rites Spoken for Plaska Merchant Tuesday Afternoon

Edgar R. Foster Dies in Hospital Here After Two Years of Failing Health

Scores of relatives and friends of Edgar R. Foster, 43 years old, gathered at the Methodist church at Plaska Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock to pay tribute to his memory. The obsequies were conducted by Rev. Frank Story Plaska Methodist pastor, assisted by Rev. Emmett Evans, Baptist pastor. Burial was in the Fairview cemetery in charge of King's Mortuary.

Pall bearers were Jim Vallance, Ira McDaniel, Jarel McDaniel, L. A. Bray, Clarence Morris and John Smith. Flower bearers were Misses Dolita Ellis, Jimmy Grant, Florence Gardenhire, Elma Faye Gardenhire, Dorothy Hodges, Faye Adcock, Claudia Vandeventer. (Continued on page 5)

Class for Study Of Nutrition to Be Formed Here

Standard Red Cross Course Will Be Conducted by Miss Henson Beginning June 9

A class for the study of the standard Red Cross Nutrition course is now being organized with a view to starting actual teaching on Tuesday, June 9. The standard course is a prerequisite to the canteen course, or any Red Cross nutrition work.

Miss Maggie Henson, home management supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, will teach the class, which will meet on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 8 to 10 o'clock for five weeks. Early registration by those interested is urged, in order that definite plans may be made for beginning the instruction. To register call the County Welfare office, telephone 255-J, or the Housekeeping Aid Project, telephone 241-M, before June 6.

The only cost of taking the course will be the purchase of text books, which sell for 35 cents each. These books must be ordered and that is the reason for asking immediate registration.

Red Cross nutrition certificates will be awarded all persons who satisfactorily complete the course. It is announced.

EASTERN STAR SCHOOL HERE IS WELL ATTENDED

Grand Officers Are Honored Guests at Meeting Last Friday

More than 150 visitors, including a number of grand officers, were registered for the School of Instruction of the Order of the Eastern Star, held in the Masonic hall here Friday.

Grand officers present as honor guests were Mrs. Viva S. Huffman of Houston, worthy grand matron; Mrs. Hazel McDonald of El Paso, grand examiner; Mrs. Audra Tanner of Iowa Park, district deputy grand matron; Mrs. Lena Ericson of Spur, deputy grand matron; Mrs. Lillian Bernard of Lubbock, associate grand conductor; Mrs. Nell Christian of Claude, deputy grand matron; Mrs. Faye Montgomery of Shamrock, deputy grand matron.

Chapters represented in the school were Spur, Matador, Tur (Continued on page 4)

Summer School to Be Opened Monday

A summer school session for primary, intermediate and high school students who wish to make-up work will be opened in Memphis Monday, May 25, Supt. W. C. Davis advised today.

Mrs. Juanita Montgomery will conduct classes for intermediate and high school students at the high school building and those interested are requested to get in touch with her.

Classes for first second and third grade pupils will be held by Miss Grace Ezzell at the West Ward school and enrollment of pupils in those grades should be made with her.

Democrat Wants Information of Boys in Service

In every part of the United States and beyond—Hawaii, India, Australia—and on both oceans, Hall County boys are serving in the armed forces of their country. All of us are deeply interested in their doings. We rejoice in their promotions and are saddened by word that one is prisoner of the enemy.

The Democrat, fully aware of this interest in boys in the service, and wishing to give all possible news concerning them, asks the cooperation of readers in securing information about them. For convenience in complying with this request there appears on page six of this issue a form which parents or other relatives of boys in any branch of the service are asked to fill out and mail or bring to the Democrat office.

The information given will be filed and by this means when word comes that a Hall County soldier, sailor or marine has distinguished himself, been promoted or transferred, the details will be at hand to complete the story. If you have a son, or other relative, who is one of his country's defenders, please turn to page six, fill out the form provided and mail or bring to The Democrat.

Home Paper The Voice of Red River Valley... Give our wholehearted support to the War Bond... Member Pearl Harbor... ezza will grow up poor for any child... soils too acid for sweet clover, etc... say... .50... Slightly in Auto Near Giles... Brought to Memphis... All Able to Homes on Monday... DRESS SUITS... SPORT COATS... TIE CHAIN... SHOES... HATS... AND STRAW HATS... 3.95... & ROS... prohibit all... we shall no longer... deliveries and extra... shall continue to... supplied with ice by... making arrangements... required more that... operate by providing... ing to pick up addi... no restrictions... es



NEWS about boys in the Service

The following letter is from Paul Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dodson of Memphis, who is attached to the Quartermaster Corps and is stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso:

on the backs, the roofs over the heads and the chow in the stomachs of about 20,000 "dog faces". Two of our master sergeants were commissioned lately. The detachment threw a stag party Wednesday night for them. One of them is now a captain and the other a first lieutenant. All the officers were present and we had a big time.

W. J. Roberts, who is stationed in the Hawaiian Islands, writes his mother, Mrs. Roy Mayes, that he was promoted to the rank of sergeant on May 1. His address now is Prov. Amb. Bn., A. P. O. 955, c-o postmaster, San Francisco, Calif. The letter follows:

Dear Mother: I'm still all O. K. and very well satisfied and happy indeed. I really like it here and although we have been very busy, it has been very interesting, too. We have been over almost all the island this past week. I have been to and through Honolulu, Waikiki Beach, Pearl Harbor, Hickam Field, Schofield Barracks and all the other places you have read about and seen so much in the news reels since December 7.

Raymond Thomason of Abilene is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Thomason, Mr. Thomason, who lives one mile north of Memphis, was stricken with paralysis Monday night, May 11, but is reported to be improved.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Duncan of Memphis have received word from Senator W. Lee O'Daniel that their son, Charles Leon, was not listed among the casualties or captured at Corregidor when it fell several weeks ago.

Pvt. Tom McCauley, instructor of Field Artillery, of Fort Sill, Okla., visited last week-end with his parents, near Memphis.

PERSONALS

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Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond left Sunday for West Minister, Calif., where they will visit with their sons, Joe and Johnny.

Harold Smith, student in A. & M. college at College Station, came Sunday for a two-week visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Smith before returning to A. & M. for the summer semester.

Miss Irene Paschall of Canyon spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Paschall. Rev. Ernest B. Motley has moved to the Fitzjarrald apartment, 822 W. Brice. Telephone 198.

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SOCIETY. Mission Program Held Monday by Baptist Women The W. M. S. of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church for a Missionary program.

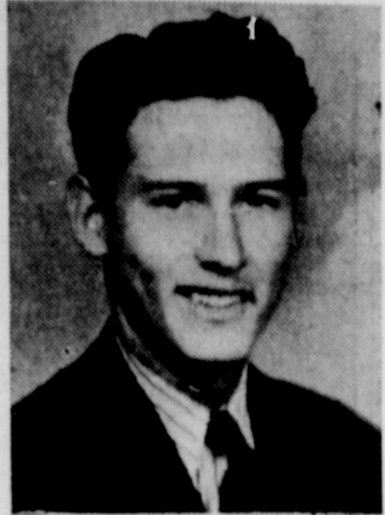
FOOD BARGAINS MILK 27c Pet or Carnation, 6 cans for FRESH TOMATOES, pound .11c SQUASH, white or yellow, pound .07c

Bananas GOLDEN YELLOW PER DOZEN 1.00 APPLES Fancy Winesap, Delicious PER DOZEN .20c CARROTS FRESH 2 Bunches .10c

DAY AFTERNOON TIONS AND MPLIFY PRI reaching ceiling put into effect to p rise in the cost of act as a bulw against inflation will natur a multitude in the minds of th help clarify the price ceiling meas for Emergency M compiled a set of most likely to be a with the proper questions and answ growth, should be everyone, as the directly affect whether as sell was the general m regulation issued? regulation is a to stop further the cost of living i have prices been ing the war requ for armame thousands of pl bringing civil an goods war goods. This res wage payments reduction of civi demand is rising w inflation. The resul prices are covered by all prices charged producers of raw ma important cost sions are certain f are the ceiling pric general, the hig ing March, 1942, rial seller. does the ceiling rise? goods sold at re apply on May 18.1 prices at retail; that the ultimate cons applies on July by manuf. and wholes rendered to an in er, the ceiling app 1942. the ceiling prices in every store for in general, the ce price at which e article during Ma price will vary f just as prices va store to store du prices lower than charged? they can go as low as. But they can't go above the ceiling. the purpose of stop the rise in p action has been ta has designated

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS SERVE TO SIMPLIFY PRICE CEILING ACT

Each ceiling on a particular commodity is put into effect to protect the consumer against an undue rise in the cost of living...



TCU GRADUATE — Bill Boren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren of Memphis, will receive his degree from T.C.U., Fort Worth, in commencement exercises to be held on the campus June 1.

Q. How will the housewife know what the maximum prices are? A. The regulation lists about 100 of the most important groups of items in the average family's cost of living...

Q. Why is a whole month used for the pricing period? A. This is to produce as fair a maximum as possible. If prices were frozen at the level in effect during a shorter period...

BUSINESS FIRMS IN AGREEMENT FOR CLOSING ON SUNDAY LISTED



DRUGGIST — Thomas Kunkler of Memphis, pharmacist major in Southwestern Tech, Weatherford, Okla., was a traveling salesman before deciding to study to become a druggist.

The business firms and professional men listed below are those who agreed to close their places and offices on Sunday in co-operation with the Back to Church movement sponsored by laymen of the United Churches of Memphis...

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SOAP, P & G, Crystal White, 6 for 25c

CARROTS 10c
3 Bunches For

GRAPE JUICE, per quart 28c
TOMATO JUICE, per quart 23c

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CATSUP, 14-ounce bottle 12c
MUSTARD, per quart 12c

OUR OWN BRAND COFFEE 28c
We grind it while you wait, Pound

VINEGAR, 2 quart fruit jars 25c
PEANUT BUTTER, 1/2 gallon 69c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 6 for 25c

RIB STEAK 27c
Tender Cuts, Per Pound

OLEOMARGARINE, 2 pounds 39c
BACON, Sugar Cured, sliced, lb. 28c
DRY SALT, No. 1, pound 20c

VEGETABLES THIS WEEK

Green Beans, Blackeyed Peas, Fresh Tomatoes, Lettuce, Carrots, Celery, Radishes, Green Onions, Rhubarb, Bell Peppers, New Potatoes, Turnip Greens, Mustard Greens, White and Yellow Squash, etc. We will also have a nice assortment of fruit.

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BRAN, 100 pounds \$2.35
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9 Adjust Fan Belt
10 Check and Adjust Generator Charging Rate
11 Set Ignition Timing and Octane Selector
12 Clean and Adjust Carburetor
13 Check Fuel Pump
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15 Thoroughly Clean Engine on Outside
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Locals and Personals

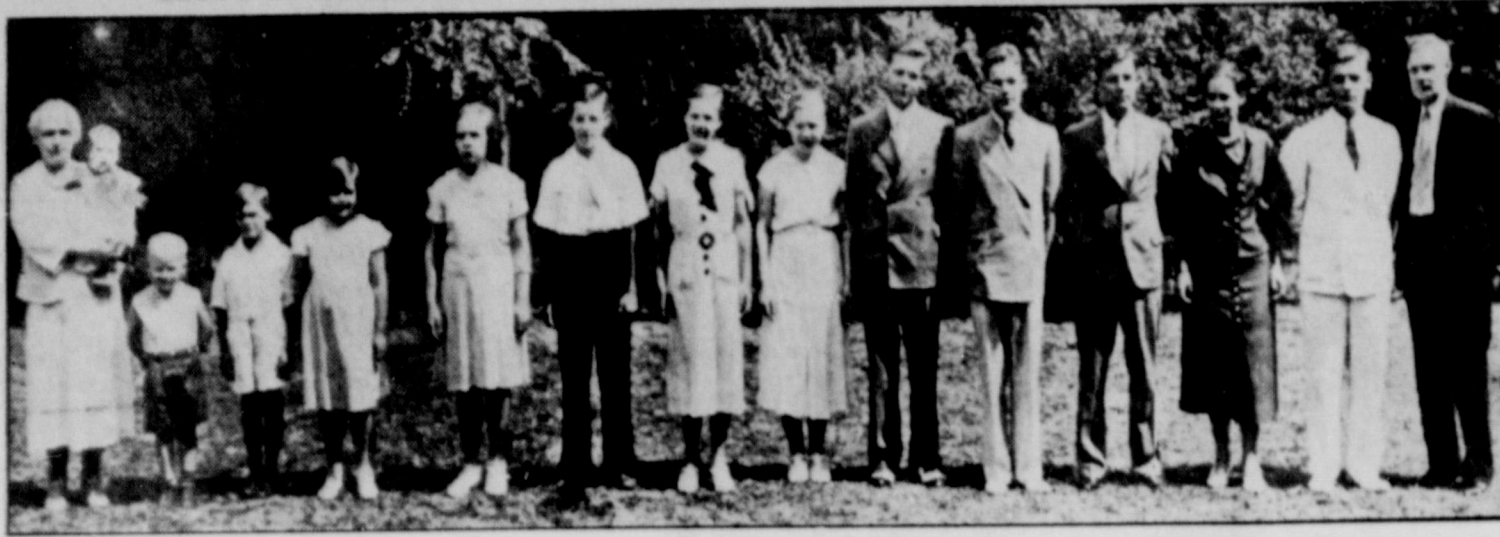
Mrs. B. H. Eudy visited Sunday in Amarillo with her son, Claud Eudy and wife.
Mrs. Kate Dalton Williams was a business visitor in San Angelo Sunday.
Miss Mary Jean Sanders of Amarillo came Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. D. Sanders.
Misses Erma Jean Pierce, Sue Stegall, Helen Badgett, and Maxine Russell of Childress, visited Friday night with friends here.
Albert Cooper, publisher, and Ted Rogers, mechanical superintendent of the Shamrock Texan of Shamrock, spent Monday in Memphis on business.
Mrs. Edgar Kerr of Dallas and Mrs. W. C. Dickey left Tuesday morning for El Paso where they will visit with Mrs. Kerr's son.
Mrs. E. N. Hudgins returned Wednesday night of last week from Fort Worth where she visited with her daughters, Mrs. A. W. Hicks and Mrs. Lon Webster and families.

Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 1.

- For Chief Justice Court of Civil Appeals: 7th Supreme Judicial District: J. ROSS BELL of Childress, E. L. PITTS of Lubbock
For District Attorney: JOHN DEEVER (Re-election)
For District Clerk: MRS. ISABELL CYPERT (Re-election)
For County Superintendent: OLSON SWEAT, MARY FOREMAN
For County Judge: M. O. GOODPASTURE (Re-election)
For Sheriff: W. C. ANDERSON (Re-election)
For County Clerk: MURRAY DIAL (Re-election), SYBIL GURLEY
For Tax Assessor-Collector: J. W. BURK, FLOYD SPRINGER
For County Treasurer: CHAS. DRAKE (Re-election), H. W. BLANKS
For County Attorney: H. D. STRINGER (Re-election)
For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1: L. G. PERKINS, JOE A. MERRICK (Re-election)
For Commissioner, Precinct 1: J. F. (Frank) SOLOMON, ROY PATTON
For Commissioner, Precinct 2: TRACY L. DAVIS (Re-election), H. W. (Shorty) SPEAR, JAMES B. (Jim) SMITH
For Commissioner, Precinct 3: FRED BERRY, G. B. (Buren) WARE, CRUMP FERREL, J. I. MARCUM

Here's 'American Mother for 1942' and Her Large Family



Selected as "American Mother for 1942," Mrs. W. N. Berry, left, of Greensboro, N. C., is proud of the war record of her husband and 13 children. One son is a West Point graduate, another graduated from Annapolis, and one each has volunteered for action with the Navy and Marines. One son is a priest and two daughters are Sisters of Charity. Others of the family are in national defense work. Photo was taken several years ago.

West Ward Honor Roll Announced

The final honor roll of the West Ward school for the 1941-42 term is announced by Mrs. Herbert Estes, principal, as follows:

First grade: Byron Keith Henry, Omer Johnson, Billy Ray Maddox, Johnny Harrell, Julius Stov...

Second grade: J. E. Bell, Jacky Gilbert, Guy Hogue, Frank Norman, Ernest Shaw, Charles Messer...

Third grade: Sheldon Anisman, Jerry Gilmore, Hershel Chaney, Scotty Grundy, Morgan Shipman, Beryl Ann Davis, Shirley D. Fos...

Blossom Queen



Blue-eyed, blond Marian Radtke, 18, of St. Joseph, Mich., is queen of the 19th annual Southwestern Michigan Blossom Festival. She is employed in a Benton Harbor department store and her parents operate a fruit farm near St. Joseph.

ter, Barbara Giles, Patsy Ann Goodnight, Camille Stringer, Nancy Stanford, Thelma Jean Harris, Charles Johnson, Willard King, Jimmy Mitchell, Cletus Lewis, Thomas Messer, Donald Payne, Gena Mac Devin, Jo Ann Edwards, Jan Monzingo, Earline Nipper, Ann Spoon, Jo Ann Webster.

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key, Paducah, Estelline, Dodsonville, Wellington, Clarendon, Hedley and Memphis.

Following registration beginning at 8 o'clock in charge of Mrs. Marjorie Draper, chairman, the morning program was opened at 9 o'clock.

The opening ceremony was followed by the pledge of allegiance to the United States flag, singing of "God Bless America," and a tribute to the flag by Mrs. Luellen Russell. Grand officers were formally presented, after which the invocation was offered by Mrs. Lola Webster. Mrs. Margaret Phillips gave the address of welcome, to which Mrs. Esther Baldwin responded. Mrs. Audra Tanner, district deputy grand matron opening the school and made committee appointments. The drill on secret work was conducted by Mrs. Hazel McDonald, grand examiner, and the study of ritual, constitution and laws was in charge of Mrs. Tanner. The morning session was closed with special music.

Members of the Memphis chapter were hostesses with a luncheon at noon. During the luncheon period, piano selections were offered by Mrs. Standee Roberts. The afternoon period was opened with further study of the ritual and constitution, transfer of memberships and a parliamentary drill conducted by Mrs. Lena Erickson, deputy grand matron.

The evening session was opened at 8 o'clock with a march by the Wellington chapter. Conferring of degrees was followed with formal presentation of Mrs. Viva Huffman, worthy grand matron. Reports of committees were heard, after which Mrs. Tanner closed the school and the chapter was closed.

Officers for the day session were: Worthy matron, Mrs. Fern Durham, Memphis; worthy patron, C. R. Webster, Memphis; associate matron, Mrs. Cora Hurst, Wellington; associate patron, Bill Jones, Hedley; secretary, Mrs. Valera Milam, Spur; treasurer, Mrs. Winnie Hutchins, Estelline; conductress, Mrs. Ermine Brady, Turkey; associate conductress, Mrs. Josie Peabody, Clarendon; chaplain, Mrs. Lula Johnson, Hedley; marshal, Mrs. May Wiley Graves, Paducah; organist, Mrs. Currie Lee Steward, Clarendon; Adah, Mrs. Thelma Dirickson, Matador; Ruth, Mrs. Carrie Jones, Estelline; Esther, Mrs. Viola Jameson, Dodsonville; Martha, Mrs. Nellie Davis.

Future Readers of The Democrat



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wadley are the parents of a son born Thursday, May 14.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Martin are the parents of a girl born Thursday, May 14. She has been named Linda Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Betcher of Estelline are the parents of a girl born May 18. She weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. DeMond of Hedley are the parents of a boy born May 19. He weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces.

Spur: Electra, Mrs. Zetta Baker, Memphis; warder, Mrs. Nannie Williford, Paducah; sentinel, Miss Carrie Davis, Clarendon.

For the night session were: Worthy matron, Mrs. Evadne Cox, Clarendon; worthy patron, Robert Reynolds, Spur; associate matron, Mrs. Thelma Bairfield, Clarendon; associate patron, Rev. H. L. Thurston, Spur; secretary, Mrs. Edith Hardcastle, Turkey; treasurer, Mrs. Sadie Vardy, Turkey; conductress, Miss Jo Dunn, Spur; associate conductress, Mrs. Jennie Holcomb, Wellington; chaplain, Mrs. Hattie Scott, Dodsonville; marshal, Mrs. Ida Anisman, Memphis; organist, Mrs. Anna Bell Malone, Dodsonville; Adah, Mrs. Willie Link, Spur; Ruth, Mrs. Mildred Ritter, Clarendon; Esther, Mrs. Margaret Whitworth, Matador; Martha, Mrs. Lucy Ford, Matador; Electra, Mrs. Zena Lederer, Wellington; warder, Mrs. Eula Joplin, Spur; sentinel, R. H. Wherry, Memphis.

County Young

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were Cecil A. Adams, who was already enlisted; C. H. Green Lamar county; Gayle Cayce, Scurry county; Charles S. Carter, Midland county.

Departing with the county group but credited to other local boards were: Leonard D. McMurry, St. Louis county, Mo.; James G. Gould, Lamb county; Harve M. Smith, Santa Maria; Ernest A. Thompson, Dallas county; George D. Keatherly, Dawson county.

A short time before the scheduled departure of the bus it was found that the number of volunteers brought the number reporting to more than the quota. Consequently, five men were cut back to await the next call.

Three of these men, William M. Cross, Herschel Montgomery, and Jay R. Bruce, wishing to accompany the group, asked Mack Wilson, chairman of the local board to telephone the induction center at Lubbock to find out if this might be done. Wilson was informed that the three might volunteer to the local board and be accepted as of the next quota. They left Friday for Lubbock and joined the others for the trip to Fort Sill.

Two of the men leaving here, Pete Kerlee and Clarence D. Morris failed to pass the physical examination and were returned home.

Remember Pearl Harbor

Funeral Services

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in 1920, and Mr. Veteto engaged in farming.

He had been an active and faithful member of the Baptist church since he was 16 years old.

Besides his wife, he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. W. S. Dutton of Frederick, Okla., Mrs. Betty Hansard of Kelleeville, Mrs. E. L. McQueen and Miss Abbie Veteto of Memphis; three sons, Carl of Lindsay, Calif., Ellis of Memphis, and Britt, who is serving

Milkmaid Of the Movies



Probably the only movie beauty who can milk a cow, Donna Reed, 21, daughter of a Dennison, Ia., farmer, is now performing in her seventh film role in less than a year.

H. W. Blanks Race for Co. Treasurer

Candidate Is Eager In Public Life, No House-to-Home

H. W. Blanks, 34, resident of Hall, Okla., has authorized a race to place before the county board of health a candidacy for the office of county treasurer, subject to a primary election in July.

Mr. Blanks was born in Lyon County, Okla., has lived continuously in this county for 35 years. He has served several times as deputy county clerk, and as deputy county commissioner with the late Commissioner of Public Safety. He has been in the office of these jobs entering and familiarized himself with the procedure.

In announcing his candidacy, Mr. Blanks makes the following statement: "I don't intend to go to house canvass, but I want to worry the hell out of you, and I want to get a lot of things of more value to you than I can claim our attention to a candidate for office."

"Let me say something that, with my best efforts, I can handle the treasurer's office like a pro."

"If the voters don't elect me to the office, I will resign my position, and will appear in my behalf."

Remember Pearl Harbor

In summer pastures when grass is dry and dormant, lespedeza increases total yield from 25 to 100 per cent.

Advertisement for Gilmore's Market featuring 'GET MORE AT GILMORE'S' and a list of products like G'FRUIT Juice, PEACHES, APPLE JELLY, HERSHEY SYRUP, SYRUP, VERMONT MAID, CAKE FLOUR, COCOANUT, OATMEAL or VANILLA, WAFERS, PICKLES, BLACK PEPPER, POTTED MEAT, CALUMET Baking Powder, MATCHES, SWAN SOAP, FAULTLESS STARCH, CLEANSER, and FRESH VEGETABLES AND FRUITS. Includes 'COMMERCIAL FED FRYERS' and 'We Will Be Closed All Day Sunday'.

Raise in Production Goal Makes Tomato a New Agricultural King

BY RALPH HERBERT

THANKS to the war, there is a new king in the agricultural world. In addition to King Cotton, King Wheat and King Corn, there is King Tomato. He has been made so by the federal government.

For the present year a production goal of 40,000,000 cases of canned tomatoes has been set up, as against 31,000,000 last year. In addition, there will be produced large quantities for tomato juice and tomato soup. This means that for this purpose about 620,000 acres will have to be planted with tomatoes, in addition to 300,000 acres devoted to the fresh market.

To make sure that the crop will be in hand, the U. S. Department of Agriculture will buy from certified canners all 1942 canned tomatoes at a guaranteed price. But, in order to get in on this, the canners must agree by contract to pay the growers at least the minimum price prevalent in their locality. With a ratio of at least two ounces of canned tomatoes per soldier per day, this amounts to 45 pounds per year for each fighting man and that means a lot of tomatoes. The average yearly consumption by the civilian population is nine pounds of processed tomatoes and 17 pounds of fresh tomatoes.

THOUGH tomatoes for processing are grown in 36 states, four-fifths come from eight states, named in the order of their tonnage: California, Indiana, Maryland, New Jersey, Ohio, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia.



This unique British worker held an essential pre-war position of extracting seeds from tomatoes to be raised in English fields. Now American growers must increase their production to fill British as well as domestic needs.

Practically every state in the Union raises tomatoes for the fresh market. The leading producers in the order of bushels raised are: California, Texas, Florida, New York, New Jersey, Maryland.

Production for the fresh market has more than doubled in the past 20 years. Refrigerator cars and fast freight have made possible a market in northern states in the winter for tomatoes from the south and California. The result is that growers have devoted more acreage to tomatoes.

Large advertisement for 'QUALITY FOOD for Wartime Energy' featuring a list of products and prices: ORANGES (25c), BANANAS (29c), ONIONS (5c), POLK SALET (5c), NEW SP... (29c), Cucumbers, per pound... 5c, Coffee, Folger's, lb... 35c, Soap, 6 bars... 25c, Squash, per pound... CARNATION or PET Milk, 6 cans for..., Grape Juice, quart..., Armour's Star PURE LARD (8-Pound Carton) \$1.33, Starlight FLOUR (48 Pounds) \$1.70, (24 Pounds) .89c, OLEO (Sunlight, Per Pound) 19c, Plenty of Dressed Fryers, CHEESE (Wilson's, 2-lb. Loaf) 53c, CATFISH (Fresh, Pound) 39c, BOLOGNA (Per Pound) 15c, 'M' SYSTEM.

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H. W. Blanks Race for Com Treasurer

NEWS about boys in the Service

H. W. Blanks, now an machinist's mate, class on the aircraft carrier...

W. Huckaby, now an machinist's mate, class on the aircraft carrier...

Local and Personal... Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Clyde...

Concerted Effort... the county agent reported...

Salvage Meeting

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manufactured into guns and other war equipment, Mr. Draper said.

The crying need right now is for scrap iron and steel. Everything else should be saved and stored...

This scrap must be channeled into the war effort through established junk or scrap dealers.

The average home yields between 50 and 150 pounds. That includes old flat irons, tire chains...

Save rubber—all sorts of old rubber. Scrap dealers will buy that same applies to rags and paper.

Don't save tin cans, is the advice of officials. There is only 2 per cent of tin in cans...

"America is calling upon every citizen to aid in the war effort, and scrap iron is needed NOW."

of your son, Private First Class Jacob R. Sanders, U. S. Marine Corps...

More than 200,000 Texans saw service during World War I.

CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST 7th and Brice Streets SUNDAY— Bible class, 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE D. M. Duke, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching service, 11 a. m. N. Y. P. S., 7:45 p. m. Evening service, 8:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer service 8:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY— 9:45 a. m. Sunday school, 11:00 a. m. Morning worship; Sunbeams, 7:30 p. m. Training Union, 8:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

METHODIST NEWS NOTES Rev. G. T. Palmer, our District Superintendent, of Clarendon will preach Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor.

There will be no Sunday evening service.

Funeral Rites— children. Also surviving are two brothers, T. J. and R. L. Thompson...

Army and Navy Bid For Top Interest In Sports Contests

Surviving relatives include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Grover C. Wilburn of Dallas, Mrs. Bryner Baldwin of Memphis, Mrs. J. G. Brown of Mineral Wells...



Mickey Cochran... directs sailors.

WHAT a game you'd see if the baseball stars in the Army faced the top-notchers in the Navy on the same diamond.

NEW SUPPLY of Ray's Guaranteed Rat Killer, harmless to anything but rats and mice, sells for 50c and \$1.00 at Tarver's Drug.

Lost and Found LOST—Male dark brown German Shepherd dog, named Skipper. Call Jack Wheeler, Farm Security Memphis.

Wanted WANTED—Man, with family, wants job on farm. L. R. Young, 321 Bradford St.

Billboard is Used as Honor Roll at Indiana Plant



The Delta Electric Company at Marion, Ind., has adopted a novel plan to let the community know how its employees are participating in the Defense Payroll Savings plan.

Funeral Rites—

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Johnston, M. G. Tarver, Joe Merrick, George Sager, Sam Hamilton, Walter Hightower, J. F. Forkner...

Mr. Thompson passed away suddenly Thursday afternoon about 6:45 o'clock, as he was at work in his flower garden.

From the time he located here, Mr. Thompson identified himself with the civic life of the community and became a factor in the progress of the town.

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Stenographers and typists are in such demand in the various defense centers that in taking examination for a job all the applicant has to do is be able to tell the difference between a lawn mower, a typewriter and a churn.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, Cecil, and one daughter, Zola Lee; his father, J. H. Foster, of Plaska; five sisters and five brothers.

Golden Slippers for Perfect Feet



Winner of a competition among 600 girls for the title of national "Foot Queen," Carol Dexter, New York, was presented with a pair of gold slippers. She took part in National Foot Health Week ceremonies.

Comments—

(Continued from page 1)

Red Cross a ministering angel. Mrs. L. D. Sanders' mind was eased concerning the fate of her son through the efforts of the Red Cross.

Hall County is slated to have another test for oil soon. The Humble Company is coming back to the block of acreage south of town.

Work is limited to men receiving little or no government compensation and those with families to support.

Contributions received for the poppies on Poppy Day are a principal source of support for the vast welfare work carried out by the Legion and Auxiliary among the disabled men and dependent families.

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The merchants of Memphis are to be complimented for closing their places of business on Sunday.

They Always Pay! Mutual Benefit Health and Accident offers a hospitalization and new WAR COVERAGE. See Mrs. Sam Brown for explanation. Call 418W or Write Box 533, Memphis, Texas.

10% OF INCOME IS OUR QUOTA IN WAR BONDS

Tractor Tires We have a complete stock of rear wheel tires for all makes of tractors. Have your tires inspected now and place your order if you are entitled to new ones.

F. E. Monzingo MEMPHIS, TEXAS

ALLIS-CHALMERS TRACTOR DIVISION-MILWAUKEE-U. S. A. AUTHORIZED SALES, PARTS AND SERVICE

It's hard on Jones, who has a desire to do things for his fellow man, to be kept away from business and civic work.

Pictures of the rural 8th grade graduates and of the Memphis High school graduates were sent to the engravers Monday for cuts to be published in this issue of The Democrat.

Every person in Hall County who wants a part in the scrap iron and meal and old rubber drive to be launched Sunday is urged to attend a meeting at City Park at 3 o'clock Sunday May 24.

The fine rains of the past two days have furnished plenty of moisture for planting and bringing up 1942 crops.

LEFT A LEGACY Our old Grandpa was leaving us and his breath came soft and low. He said: "Gather round me children. There are some things you should know."

There's the land to be divided, for those who wish to sweat, and another thing important that I haven't told you yet.

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Remember Pearl Harbor

Use of Cotton Is Urged to Conserve Scarcer Materials

Cotton States Can Produce Sufficient for Civilians As Well as Wartime Needs

War materials produced by the local cotton oil mill and the cotton industry as a whole give an added significance to the observation of National Cotton Week, May 15-23, 1942, says E. W. Foxhall, manager of the local cotton oil mill.

"Because cotton and cottonseed products are more available and more lasting than many other materials, because cotton is one crop in which the United States is self-sufficient, because we have the land and the farmers and the industries to produce cotton in far greater abundance in the future—these are some of the reasons why more Americans are expected to use more cotton and cottonseed products during National Cotton Week, 1942, than ever before," he said.

Fortunately for our United States war effort, because cotton and cottonseed products have been described as "more important than tin or rubber," December 7 found our nation with a valuable stockpile of cotton, plus industries and man-power equipped to produce cotton more abundantly, probably, than any other war essential, the oil mill manager added. Department of Agricultural officials have already called for larger production in 1942, and further increases seem certain to be necessary in the future.

This productive capacity makes it possible for the cotton industry to supply ample quantities of most cotton and cottonseed products for civilian use, even though called upon to furnish the armed forces with some 350 different products of lint cotton, alone—about 250 pounds of lint cotton for each soldier in a modern, mechanized army. Despite the great importance of cotton in winning the war, local merchants have an abundance of most cotton and cottonseed products, many of them durable and economical for replacing other materials now scarce or costly.

"As proud as rookies in new uniforms" is the way the local mill manager describes the feeling of mill employees toward the important part that the oil mill is playing in the war effort.

By producing more cotton on farms and by using more cotton and cottonseed products to replace less available materials, citizens of this territory can make an important contribution to the war effort, not only during National Cotton Week, but throughout the year, the oil mill manager concluded.

Prizes Offered to Farm Boys, Girls

Two hundred ten farm boys and girls have an opportunity to win valuable prizes in a big farm safety and fire prevention contest now being conducted by Wm. Cameron & Co., in cooperation with a new farm magazine, "The Business of Farming."

There is no entry fee. The contest is for the best 150 word essay. A choice of two subjects is given: "How To Prevent Farm and Home Accidents"; or "How To Prevent Fire On the Farm." Contestants may write on either subject or on both.

First prize winners who write on the first subject will receive a yearling beef heifer. Second prize is a six month beef heifer; third prize, an early spring gilt; fourth prize, a late spring gilt; and fifth prize, 20 U. S. Approved pullets. In addition, there will be 100 honorable mention prizes of a dollar's worth of Defense Stamps.

Prizes for those who wrote on "How to Prevent Fire on the Farm" are: First, yearling dairy heifer; second, 6 month dairy heifer; third, yearling ewe; fourth, spring lamb; and fifth, 20 U. S. Approved pullets. There will also be 100 honorable mention prizes of \$1.00 in Defense Stamps.

Choice of representative breeds will be given the winners. Judges will be selected by "The Business of Farming." Entry blanks may be obtained from the local Wm. Cameron & Co. store. The contest closes June 15, 1942.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their liberal help and donations when we lost our home by fire last week. Especially do we want to thank Tom Spry and Rex Rea for their work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield

Nautical Lines



Early spring sailing events at Santa Monica, Calif., brought pretty Ursula McGowan out for a nautical bout with Old Sol. Here she is sun-tanning herself on the bow of the schooner Zoe H.

Jobs Open

CIVIL SERVICE

With the national defense program of the United States opening up large numbers of jobs of varied types almost daily, the Civil Service Commission is asking for applications. Glynn Thompson, local secretary of the board of examiners, has announced.

Here's a listing of a few of the jobs for which applications are now being taken (further information may be obtained from Thompson at the Memphis post office):

The United States Civil Service commission announce open competitive examination for the position of Zone Deputy Collector, \$1,800 a year, for employment in the various Internal Revenue Collection Districts whose headquarters are located at Austin and Dallas, Texas, and New Orleans, La. The age limits for this examination are 18 to 53. The maximum age limit does not apply to persons granted military preference.

Competitors will be notified when and where to report for the written examination.

Applications must be filed with the Manager, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, Louisiana, before the close of business on June 15, 1942.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the Manager, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, Louisiana; or from the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at any first- or second-class post office in the States of Louisiana and Texas, except the New Orleans, Louisiana post office.

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By MISS VALDA SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Caldwell and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Wade Patrick's brothers and sister and a niece are here visiting her.

Milton Smith was among the boys who left Friday for the army training camp.

Juanita Kaker and Virginia Caldwell spent the week-end with her father, C. E. Nall and family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and son Grady returned Sunday afternoon from Hope, Ark., where they were called to the bedside of Mrs. Smith's sister, Miss Ada Evans. At the time they left, Miss Evans was seriously ill; it was reported.

Visiting in the Frank Smith home Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Edd Smith and children, Mrs. Scott Webster and daughter Joan, Mrs. Milton Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and daughter, C. E. Nall, and Otis and W. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Moss received word that their son William, who was at Shepard Field, was being transferred to an unknown destination.

Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

Advertise in The Democrat!

Official U. S. Treasury War Bond Quotas For May



The above map of Texas shows the War Bond quotas, by counties, for the month of May, 1942. Total War Bond quota for the State is \$18,594,500. Every income earner in the State is expected to step up War Bond purchases on a basis of ten per cent or more of income. This is necessary to help America's armed forces take the offensive against the Axis powers. The American voluntary method of War Bond purchases must be successful in reaching the quotas set by the Treasury Department for every county in the nation. The job of every American now is to stop spending and save dollars to help win the War.

Locals and Personals

Elbert Sitton of Fort Worth is visiting this week with his sister, Mrs. Emmett Walker.

V. L. Taylor was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture of Frederick, Okla., visited Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture.

Isadore Mellinger of Clarendon was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Mary Sue Huckaby, who is attending a business school in Amarillo, visited last week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Angus Huckaby.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cummings and son Robert Frank left this morning for Paoli, Kans., where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Casper and Dr. Roer Casper.

T. E. Noel and T. H. Deaver attended a bankers conference at Childress Monday night.

Bill Smith and daughter Naomi visited Sunday in Childress.

FRIENDSHIP

By CORRESPONDENT

A Sunday School picnic, sponsored by Mrs. Bertha Patrick, was enjoyed Friday night at the Memphis City Park. A picnic lunch with ice cream was served to

Boyce, Noel and Ray Bruce, Lloyd, Earl and Winford Brooks, Clifford and Claudia Vandeventer, Vonda Blum, Clayton Strygley, Eldon and Mary Helen Padgett, L. E. and Wayne Jenkins, Beradine and Bill Wilson, Leon, Anna Sue, and Junior Welch, Wylee Ellis, Raymond Hooper, La Vere Grimes, Leroy Gree, Billie Jo Joes, Willie Maxie ad Beatrice Roach, R. A. Wells, Jr., Rudy ad Aderson Gardinshire, Le Moine Patrick, Dee Henry, Nora Nell Lockhart, Jo Ralph Holland, Geraldine Saunders, Mrs. C. L. Padgett, and a guest, Pvt. Leibert L. Lockhart of Columbia, Miss.

Mrs. Gwen Shearer of Fort Worth and Vonda Blum were guests of Mary Helen Padgett Friday night.

Mrs. Bob Maddox and daughter Pauline spent the week-end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Guinal Roach.

Mrs. Ben Hillhouse was ill last week.

Mrs. Tess Welch was ill last week.

Jo Ralph Holland, of Hedley spent Friday night with Clayton Strygley.

Pvt. Leibert L. Lockhart of Columbia, Miss., came Friday to

spend ten days with his parents, day morning and night at Friends-Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lockhart ship, Rev. Milton Evans will do and other relatives. she preaching. Sunday school will be at the regular hour.

Miss Priscilla Mueller of Memphis spent the week-end with Dorothy Jean Sheehan.

Leroy White of Memphis spent Sunday with his cousin Eldon Padgett.

There will be preaching Sunday morning and night at Friends-ship, Rev. Milton Evans will do the preaching. Sunday school will be at the regular hour.

Don Hopper visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hooper Sunday.

Pvt. Jigg Wells of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, was a guest of Raymond and Don Hopper Saturday night.

It Takes Only a MOMENT

For HAIL To Ruin Your Crops!

Insure your crop now and enjoy financial safety with sound capital stock insurance.

Dunbar & Dunbar

Insurance—Abstracts

We Carry a Full Line of BULK GARDEN AND FIELD SEED City Feed Store AND HATCHERY J. F. FORKNER, owner PHONE 213

Locals and Personals

Mrs. John Dutton and children returned to their home in Pryor, Okla., Sunday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Selby.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon West returned Monday from Shawnee, Okla., where they visited with his father, R. E. West.

Lt. Eula Burke of Sheppard Field visited Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. T. A. Messer.

Townsend Douglas, field representative of the Production Credit Corporation of Houston, visited last week with the local Production Credit Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murphy of Clarendon visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Claud Moore and family.

Mrs. Lester Campbell returned Monday from Bremerton, Wash., where she visited with her husband who is in the U. S. Navy. Mrs. Campbell also visited in Bountiful, Utah, with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Turner and Mrs. Allie D. Weaver, formerly of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hazlett of Phillips visited the first of this week with her mother, Mrs. Volena McElroy.

LAKEVIEW

By CORRESPONDENT
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bownds and children are visiting relatives in Hot Springs, Ark., this week. Mrs. Richard Martin and daughter Lynda Carroll were brought home from a hospital in Memphis Monday. They are doing nicely, it is reported. Joyce Laverne Durrett was

LOCAL MEN IN SERVICE

The Memphis Democrat wants the following information every local man in the armed service of our country. If your family is in the service please fill this out and bring to The Democrat office.

Complete Name of Service Man: _____

Present age: _____; Date of birth: _____

Place of birth: _____

Parents' complete names and address: _____

List of brothers and sisters, giving full name, age and home address: _____

If service man is married, list wife and children, giving full names and home addresses: _____

Education of service man: _____

Grade school (where): _____

High school (where): _____

Graduated? _____ Year _____ Honors _____

College: _____

Scholastic Achievements: _____

Sports record: _____

Civic Achievements: _____

Occupation before induction, enlistment or call: _____

When enlisted, inducted or called: _____

Where enlisted, inducted or called: _____

Stationed with what unit and where at time of enlistment, inducted or called: _____

List promotions or movements since that date: _____

List any service record prior to present enlistment, induction or call: _____

Give any other information you wish: _____

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F. A. WHITEFIELD

Mrs. Henry Thomas and Mrs. Mercury last week-end to Mercury last week-end. Mrs. Thomas will be pastor of the Antelope church. Mrs. Ida accompanied them there. W. Thomas has been the measles.

Mrs. Lyman Davenport and Mrs. Lyman Davenport visited afternoon with Mr. B. F. Cope. The afternoon spent boating and fishing.

and J. W. Thomas left for Fort Worth to be employed in defense work.

Howell, 19 year old son of Mrs. Howell, has been hospitalized with a bad knee. Mrs. Howell returned to the hospital after a visit Monday after a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Mann and son Jerry (Otho Thomas, Walter Billie Prisher and Miss Thomas. They were en route to Lubbock and Fort Sill, Okla.

PELOPE FLAT

LA MAE TURNER

own, Cecil Durham, and Mrs. N. W. Aultman and family Sunday.

Bradley of Amarillo is her daughter, Mrs. S. A. people attended the 8th exercises Thursday at Lakeview.

ardie Sanderson is ill with the flu.

and Mrs. Henry

attended the funeral of Mr. Ford, Monday at Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean, D. W. Evans.

Mrs. Roy Allard were present Wednesday.

Diamond of Como has been in the Dan Dean family for a week.

attended the graduation

exercises Friday night at Lakeview.

Miss Cornice Durham of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Durham last week-end.

Mrs. Elmer Woods is visiting her mother Mrs. A. L. Durham.

The Antelope school teacherage caught fire Saturday afternoon and burned to the ground before help arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown visited his mother at Wellington Sunday.

Dorothy Faye and Bonnie Edens of Giles visited friends and relatives here this week.

GILPIN

By MRS. R. KNIGHT

Mrs. Henry Phillips and daughter Sue have returned home from Saa Angelo where they visited Mrs. Phillips' mother, Mrs. I. T. Carter, who has been seriously ill.

Little Patsy Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Nelson, of Dalhart is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nelson.

Mrs. Charlie Alexander and Mrs. Beal and children of Sudan are visiting Mrs. Alexander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harper.

Miss Lillian Nelson is visiting Miss Billie Jean Burnett of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and family of Giles visited Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Aultman and family Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Braidfoot of Parnell spent the week-end with her son, Leonard Braidfoot, and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nelson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burk and daughter Mary Frances, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kercherville and daughter Ella Mae of Memphis and Miss Vera Mae Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunter and daughters, Christine and Charlene, attended the funeral of Mr. Hunter's nephew in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Guthrie of Austin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nelson.

Miss Jeannette Misenhimer spent Sunday with Margaret Knight.

Edward Koeninger of Newlin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Koeninger.

A recreation meeting was held at Gilpin school house Friday night with Leo Koeninger in charge of the program. Fred Hemphill and daughter Marjorie and Charlie Reed of Newlin furnished music during the program. It was well attended and everyone enjoyed a good time. A "tacky party" will be held at the next meeting, but the date has not been set. Mr. Koeninger announces that a dime admission charge will be assessed those who do not come dressed "tacky" and the money will be donated to the Mother's club.

FAIRVIEW

By CORRESPONDENT

Miss Estelle Sweatt spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Sweatt of Newlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Srygley of Sunray spent last week-end in the Lester Vaughan home.

Those visiting in the R. Ellerd home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Eber Henderson and family of Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellerd and Millard Brown of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Waites spent Sunday in the O. Waites home.

Mrs. Johnnie Chaney of Memphis spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shearer.

Several from this community attended the Baccalaureate services in Memphis Sunday night.

Mrs. Seyon Shearer of Fort Worth is visiting in the W. G. Shearer home and with her parents at Lesley.

WEATHERLY

By COLLEEN WEATHERLY

Mr. and Mrs. John Imel and sons spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and June and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Imel spent Sunday night with M. S. Horn of Memphis.

Miss Dorothy Wellman spent Saturday night with Miss Colleen Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Damron visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Imel Friday night.

Lee Roy Weatherly spent Saturday night with Lloyd Wellman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly Sunday.

Many of the farmers of this community are planting cotton.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughter are visiting at Belcherville this week.

Mrs. Bill Smith and daughter of Memphis visited in the J. W. Molloy home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson were Childless visitors Thursday.

Freda Grant visited relatives in Mineola last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and Hubert Hall visited E. W. Pate and family Sunday.

Mrs. Sidney Stuart of Fort Sill, Okla., is visiting Mrs. Leroy Pate this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al "Slim" Nabers of Indiana visited his parents and other relatives here last week.

Mrs. R. E. Lowe is visiting her son and family at Wichita Falls this week.

Mrs. J. W. Molloy came home last Wednesday from Wichita Falls after a visit with Mrs. J. B. Lowe.

Pleasant Valley Club met with Mrs. H. C. Crawford Wednesday. Sandwiches, cream, and cookies were served to Mrs. Jim Gowdy, Mrs. Glen Verden, Mrs. E. W. Pate, Mrs. H. C. Crawford, Mrs. Mary Watson, Miss Johnnie Crawford, Miss Ruby Nolen. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Glen Verden on Wednesday, May 27.

Mrs. Monk and daughter visited Mrs. Allen Monzingo Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Crawford is ill this week.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Offield, Mrs. Bill Kesterson, and Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer visited Monday in Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks Coston of Altus, Okla., visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moses. They were en route to Amarillo.

Mrs. Bert Hargrave and two daughters and Mrs. Roy Barr of Childress visited Monday with Mrs. Hargrave's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Alexander.

Roy Gilreath, who has been attending A. & M. college at College Station, returned home Saturday for the summer holidays.

Mrs. T. J. Pyle returned home Sunday after a visit in Wichita Falls with her daughters, Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and Mrs. M. E. Thrash. Mrs. Pyle also received medical treatment while in Wichita Falls.

A. Anisman left Saturday for Dallas on business. He will go to New York city before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reheis left Sunday night for San Francisco for a visit with their son, Olin, after receiving word that he would be there for a few days. Reheis is a bandsman and has been in the Navy for six years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hudson of Wellington visited Sunday with his niece, Mrs. C. E. Srygley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hayes of Clarendon and Mrs. Sammie Faraci and son of Buffalo, N. Y., visited Sunday with Mrs. E. C. Hayes.

Mrs. S. H. Hayes left Monday night for Corcoran, Cal. where she will attend the funeral of Mrs. C. J. Roach, who died there Monday. Mrs. Roach is a former resident of Memphis. Mrs. Hayes will also visit with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Leffew of Santa Maria.

Mrs. M. R. Evans visited last week-end in Amarillo with her husband.

W. C. Veazy of Sulphur Springs is visiting with his grand daughter, Mrs. C. E. Srygley and family.

John Gilreath, student in A. & M. at College Station, returned home Sunday to spend the summer holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

Curtis Dodson, who attended A. & M. college at College Station, returned home Friday to spend the summer holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dodson.

Mrs. Roy Mayes is visiting with Mrs. C. E. Bentley Jr. in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Johnson and children, Betty, Ruthie and Charles David, left Tuesday for Fort Worth where Mr. Johnson will attend the Oil Mill Superintendent's convention. They will also visit in Dallas.

Miss Besse Mae Love of Amarillo visited last week-end with friends here.

Mrs. B. H. Hayes, Mrs. Herschel Stewart, and Agnes Hayes visited Thursday in Amarillo with Mrs. Hayes' daughter, Mrs. Homer Burleson.

Mrs. Kedron Ward of Dimmitt, came Wednesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Thompson. Mrs. Ward will also visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrick.

Miss Jimmie Gilreath of Lubbock visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

Mrs. George B. Miller returned to her home in Shamrock Thursday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrick.

Ed Haynes of Miami, who came to Memphis the latter part of April as linotype operator for The Democrat, underwent an appendectomy and a tonsillectomy in a Pampa hospital on May 8. He is reported doing nicely.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Standlee Roberts and children, Linda Alice and Jack Morgan, and Mrs. T. R. Garrot left Monday for Riverside, Calif., to visit Mrs. Roberts' husband, Lieutenant Roberts who is stationed at March Field.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kelly and daughter, Normandie, visited Sunday in Wellington with his brother, U. E. Kelly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Greenhouse visited Saturday night and Sunday morning in Wheeler with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Greenhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford and family left Saturday for Hartley, where they will make their home in the future and Mr. Crawford will engage in farming. They have been residents of Memphis for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Moore of Amarillo visited last week-end with friends here.

Mrs. Geo. Scruggs and Mrs. John Holden of Wellington visited with their mother and grandmother, Mr. A. D. McCroary last Saturday.

Keith Wells of A. & M. college at College Station returned home this week to visit for a time with his father at Lakeview.

Mrs. Mary Hawkins of Midlothian came Saturday for a visit with her son, C. M. Hawkins and family.

PERSONALS

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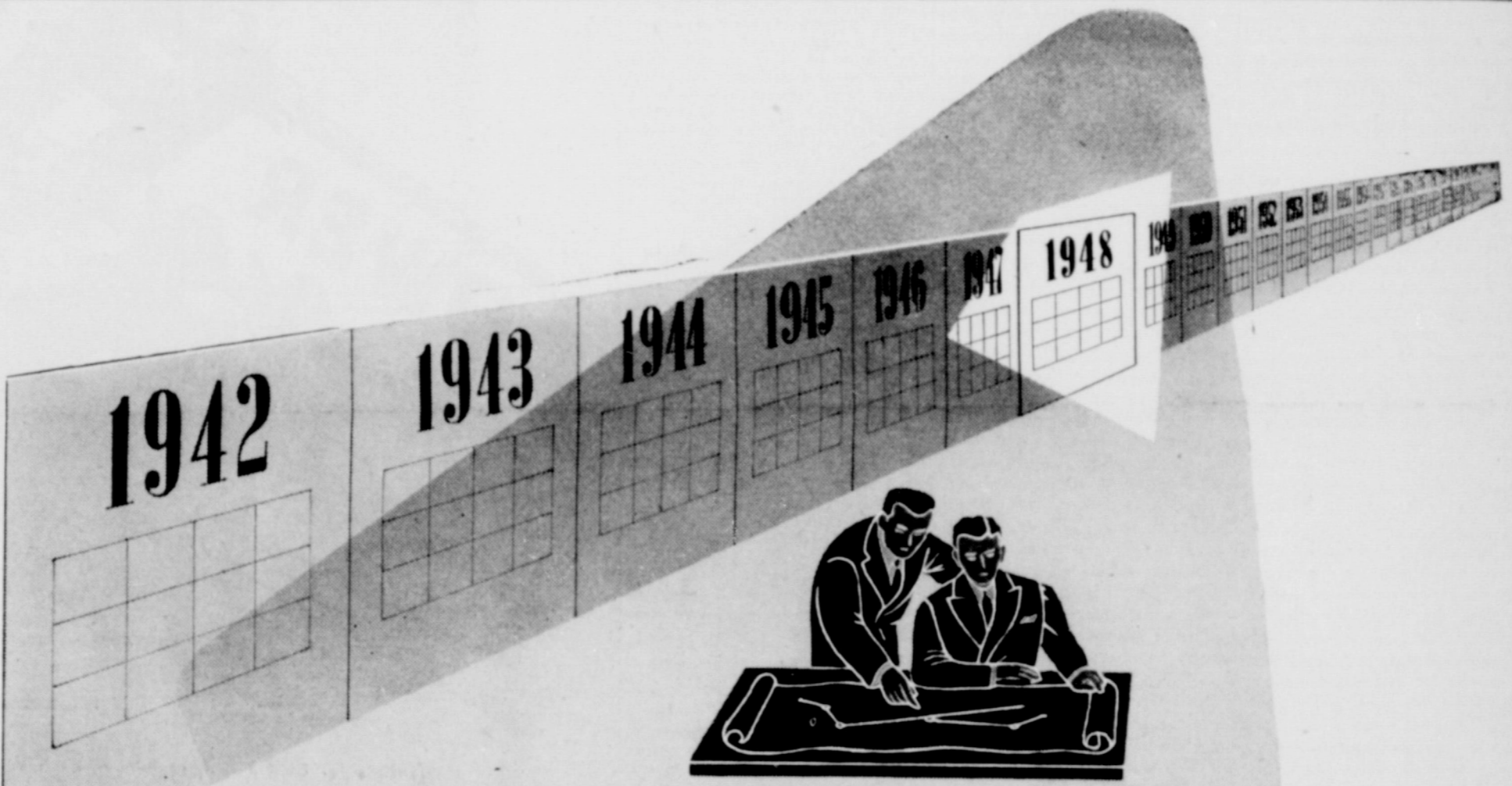
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HEROES DIE—CONGRESSMEN PIDDLE

IF EVER THESE United States should go Fascist, which God forbid, historians thereafter will likely place the lion's share of the blame squarely upon the shoulders of dawdling, vacuous, inept and selfish congressmen. The pitiful spectacle of a bunch of miscalled legislators voting pensions for themselves while the world reeled before the onslaughts of international gangsters and the flames of war spread like a prairie fire in a drought is enough to make the angels weep. That these unworthy successors of the founding fathers later and hastily recalled the pension vote in the face of the raucous jeers of the nation does not lessen the shame of the thing.

Now, with their own country plunged to the armpits in the bloody morass of war, with the pinch of rationing being felt, with the people bracing themselves for the ultimate in sacrifice to win this war of survival, Americans are again nauseated with the pusillanimity of their duly elected representatives bawling like Texas steers at branding time at the very suggestion that their supplies of gasoline be curtailed, along with the common herd. Even as American tankers are blasted to the bottom of the oceans by Nazi torpedoes and American seamen go gurgling to watery graves, members of congress clutch their "X" cards like self-centered brats fearful their favorite toys will be snatched away.

There are men in the congress who have their full share of the selfless devotion of true patriots, and they must blush with shame at the uninspiring record of their body in this war. Indeed, some congressmen appear much more concerned with providing a comfortable old age for themselves and protecting their precious privileges than with the peril in which their country stands. The American people will not long tolerate such evidence of selfishness on the part of men who should be most ready to set the nation an example of devotion, leadership and self-sacrifice.

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THE USO'S PLACE IN THE WAR

A NATIONAL CAMPAIGN is now being conducted by the United Service Organizations to raise the sum of \$32,000,000 to carry on the program of helping to build and maintain the strongest fighting spirit among the men in uniform by showing how much their friends back home appreciate them. Hall County's part of this campaign has been set at \$1,250 and it is hoped that our people give generously in order that the full quota may be raised as quickly as possible.

The USO is an essential part of the national war effort. In the last war what was loosely known as welfare work was carried on by six separate organizations, namely: The Young Men's Christian Association, the National Catholic Community Service, the Salvation Army, the Young Women's Christian Association and the Jewish Welfare Board. The result was, naturally, much duplication of effort and unnecessarily high expenditures. In this war these same six organizations are united to coordinate their efforts. It is declared that the funds now being raised will go several times as far with properly organized effort.

Most civilians are already familiar with the work of the USO, which has already accomplished much for the morale of men in uniform. It might be well to state here that its most important services are free. There is no charge for the use of its clubhouses, dances, games, etc. There is no admission charge for any of its great circuit of camp shows. Candy, cigarettes and food are sold at snack bars, just as they are sold at Army canteens. Clubhouses have been established at many points overseas.

Pages could be filled with the needs supplied by the USO, but suffice it to say here that the services rendered the armed forces are indispensable and deserve the financial support of every American citizen.

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A HARD JOB WELL DONE

OVERCOMING TREMENDOUS obstacles, the Foard County News came out May 7 with a 12-page issue which gave in pictures and stories a graphic account of the devastating tornado which blasted Crowell on the night of April 28. The edition is of a piece with the uncompromising fortitude with which Crowell people are facing the huge task of rebuilding their storm-shattered homes, business houses and public buildings. As fellow publishers our hats are off to Editor T. B. Klepper and his capable crew for the manner in which they are carrying on under difficulties.



VICTORY

Excerpts from the Official
OEM Bulletin

Sugar Specialist On Job
Assignment of seven specialists to aid in handling sugar rationing problems in the six Southwestern States has been announced by Region OPA Director Max L. McCullough. These rationing experts were chosen for their knowledge and experience in the sugar field.

Sewing Machine Ban Issued
Production of sewing machines, limited between now and June 15, must cease on that date, the WPB has ordered. Conversion to war work of part of the industry's facilities is expected to result. Estimates place the number of sewing machines now in the hands of users at 20,000,000, and these, with machines in dealers' stocks and still to be manufactured, will supply the nation's home sewing needs for some time.

Battery Swaps Ordered
Auto storage batteries have joined tin tubes in the wartime "shop and swap" list. Under WPB orders, no purchaser may receive a new battery unless he turns in a used battery at the time of the transaction.

Coffee Deliveries Cut
To conserve coffee supplies now on hand for the Army, Navy and civilian population and to make future supplies go as far as possible, the WPB has issued a conservation order limiting monthly deliveries of coffee to wholesale receivers 75 percent of the amount accepted during the corresponding period last year. Practically all coffee received in the United States comes from Latin America.

Transportation Conserved
A call for immediate organization of a nationwide war transportation program has been issued to all State governors and mayors of cities and towns with 10,000 or more population. Joseph P. Eastman, director of the Office of Defense Transportation, in his message to State and municipal executives, declared that "immediate steps must be taken to insure the continued and efficient operation of all local transportation facilities essential to war production and to the maintenance of essential civilian activities." Staggering of working hours, group riding in private cars and improved local traffic regulation were suggested as conservation measures.

Paper Ordering Standardized
Schools and other public institutions have been asked by WPB officials to order supplies of tissues and paper towels for delivery in four shipments during the year, instead of the customary one or two shipments, to avoid disruption of commercial paper markets. No shortage in tissues and paper towels is anticipated, but a flood of buying orders for supplies to last until the summer of 1943 is threatening to disturb the market seriously.

Typewriters Available
The fact that typewriter rationing is not being conducted on a quota basis has been emphasized recently by OPA officials. Purchase certificates for typewriters are being made available immediately by local boards where eligibles can establish their need for the machines.

Food Preservation Studied
As more drastic tin conservation measures may become necessary, canners have been requested by the WPB to give thought to other forms of food preservation. Recommended for study are forms of freezing, dehydrating and packaging in materials less critical than tin.

Tire Recaps Restricted
Where use of a capped tire is practical, List A passenger cars will not be eligible for new tires, under an amendment to tire rationing regulations which became effective May 1. Another amendment provides that after June 1, applicants for tires will be denied purchase certificates unless they can prove to the satisfaction of ration boards that their tires did not become unusable through abuse or neglect. This provision is designed to prevent deliberate driving past the point where the tire is recyclable as well as to prevent overloading and neglect. Total quotas of new and recapped tires for May exceed the combined quotas for April.

Water Tank Sizes Curtailed
Only three sizes of storage tanks for hot water heaters may be manufactured after May 15, as the result of a WPB simplification order. This regulation will not affect the efficiency of the heaters, but will free 2,000 tons of brass and 1,000 tons of steel for war production.

Shoe Leather Conserved
The War Production Board has ordered the entire stock and production of heavy weight sole leather set aside for military and Lend-Lease requirements. A previous order had required setting aside 80 per cent of such leather, but this was found insufficient. Civilian demand for shoes is expected to decline this year, since thousands of former civilians are now in the armed services. Potential leather supplies are at an all-time high, with the number of cattle on the nation's farms approaching a record total.

Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE
DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

Piscatorial
Ed Bishop in the Dalhart Texan: You don't have to look at the calendar to tell it's fishing season. You can go by the Texas Cafe and see Bob Chatelain polishing up "Old Faithful," that six-pound bass that a friend of his caught about five years ago and which Bob has exhibited to his friends following every fishing trip he's taken since then.

Oldest Pen
The Tulia Herald: The oldest known pen was unearthed in Egypt recently. And we had always thought that those in the post office were the most ancient.

How About Heebie Jeebies?
The Floyd County Hesperian: "If a person drinks more than a quart of whiskey a day, he is apt to suffer from beri-beri," says a physician. Yes, and also from the willie-willies.

No Sit Down
The Tulia Herald: It might be noted that the increase in pay voted the American soldiers did not come as the result of a strike, sit down or walk out, on the part of the soldiers. Neither did it come as a result of the soldiers being egged on to demand it by a well paid radical leader. The boys on the firing line are a notable exception when it comes to matters of this kind. They would have gone clear through the piece to the end for \$21 a month without a squawk.

Ye Editors "Take"
The Sanger Courier: A child is born; the doctor in attendance gets \$10; the editor gets 0. It is christened; the minister gets \$5 and the editor gets 0.

When it marries, the minister gets \$10 and a piece of the cake and the editor gets 000.
In the course of time it dies; the doctor gets from \$5 to \$100; the undertaker \$50 or more; the editor prints a notice of death, an obituary two columns long, besides lodge and society resolutions, a card of thanks and a lot of poetry and gets 0000.
No wonder so many editors die rich!

Modest Demand
The United Press: Sugar ration officials turned down one woman's request for nine ration books. She said she wanted the books for herself, her dog, a nephew serving in the navy, and for six soldiers she usually entertained each week-end.

Look Before You Leap
T. E. Landers in The McLean News: It is well to be alert for fifth column activities, but spreading of ugly rumors without foundation of fact is a deplorable thing. Innocent persons can be hurt through no fault of their own. A traitor deserves to be shot, and proper authorities can take care of him. Any information of this kind should be given to the authorities just as soon as learned.

Resilience
Douglas Meador in The Matador Tribune: Nature teaches a forceful lesson during the hailstorm when the frozen pellets strike the yielding flower stalk without damage, yet destroy the older, stubborn plants which refuse to bend.

Slinking, Too, No Doubt
Van Stewart in The Ochiltree County Herald: That scum of all scum, the cowardly, sneaking slimy dog poisoner is on the loose again in Perryton. Several pet dogs have fallen victims to poison recently. Be the poisoner man or woman, child or adult, a dose of their own medicine is too good for them.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barleson of Amarillo visited Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hayes.

Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Martin left Sunday for McKinney for a visit with their son, Rev. B. J. Martin and wife.

Mrs. Gordon Fitzhugh of Clovis, N. M., visited from Thursday until Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Jack Kane.

Mrs. Clyde Rutledge of Lubbock is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Thomason.

Bill Fletcher of Perryton came Saturday for a visit with friends here.

Miss Billy Duncan visited Friday night in Childress with Mrs. Lloyd King.

Miss Lottie Dial, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dial, left Monday for Commerce where she will attend school at ETSTC. Miss Dial has taught for the past few months in the Lakeview school.

Miss Margaret McElreath of Quail visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McElreath.

Mrs. Moselle Stout visited from Saturday until Monday in Amarillo with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. L. Stout. She also visited with Mrs. Johnny Huffvine.

Mrs. Lon Alexander visited last week-end in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry... and daughter Carol... Monday morning for... they will visit with... attend the State Insur... convention in San Antonio... Mrs. Delaney and daughter... visit in Fort Worth before... turning home.

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HALL COUNTY'S
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WEDDINGS

T. M. Harrison Presents Students Speech Recital

Part pupils of Mrs. T. M. Harrison were presented in a recital Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the school auditorium.

The program consisted of plays, and dramatic readings. Pupils of Mrs. Standiee assisted with the program.

Sunday School Class Has Festive Meet

The E. L. Sunday School of the First Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. B. Scott as hostess.

Wilson, president, conducted the business session. The program featured "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" by Mrs. W. E. Hill.

Final Meeting of Current Year Held By Delphian Club

The Delphian Club held its last meeting for the year Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. C. McMurry as hostess.

World Outlook Program Heard by Methodist Women

The First Methodist church W. S. C. S. met Monday afternoon at the church at 3 o'clock.

Mystic Weaver Club Meets With Mrs. A. S. Moss

The Mystic Weaver club met Wednesday of last week with Mrs. A. S. Moss at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. C. W. Kinslow Entertains Members Presbyterian Guild

The Presbyterian Mizpah Guild met Monday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. C. W. Kinslow.

Needle Craft Club Sews for Red Cross

The Needle Craft club met Tuesday afternoon at the Red Cross sewing room and sewed for the Red Cross.

To Present Recital

Mrs. L. B. Madden will present her music pupils in a recital at the First Methodist church Friday evening May 22, at 8:15 o'clock.



YOUNG ARTIST—Margaret Ann Massey, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey, will be presented in her second-year speech recital at the First Baptist Church this Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Bluebonnet Needle Club Meets With Mrs. Morgensen

The Bluebonnet Needle club met Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. D. J. Morgensen.

A salad course was served to the following members: Mrs. Fern Boone, Mrs. Mable McEacham, Mrs. Ethel Gregory, Mrs. Frankye Fultz, Mrs. Etnel Rogers, Mrs. Hucie Lindsey, Mrs. Essie Cullin, Mrs. Gussie Jones, Mrs. Florence Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Margaret Phillips, Mrs. Margaret Hood, Mrs. Minnie Lou Potts, and Mrs. Kathryn Morgensen.

Rural Teachers Of County Hold Social Meeting

The final meeting for this year of the Hall County Rural Teachers Association was held Tuesday night of last week at the Parnell school house.

Entertainment included cowboy songs by Misses Ila Belle Nivens, Geraldine and Geraldine Johnson, accompanied on the guitar by Mrs. Elbert Sweat.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Mary E. Dill has announced the marriage of her daughter, Rebecca, to Lloyd King, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. King of Childress.

LAKEVIEW YOUNG WOMAN WEDS CALIFORNIA MAN

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Martin of Lakeview have announced the marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Robert Arqueillo of San Diego, Calif.

City Farmerettes Do Their Chores



Victory gardening is the new avocation of this group of New York women. They're off to an early start each morning on their co-operative tasks of producing food for freedom.

Women Work— CIVILIAN DEFENSE AUXILIARY NOTES

Miss Doris Leggett of A. & M. Home Demonstration agent of the Panhandle district, spoke to the Civilian Defense Auxiliary Tuesday afternoon of last week in the interest of Victory Canning Kitchens in Hall county.

The purpose of the meeting was to lay plans for the establishing of canning centers at different schools throughout the county.

Music and Speech Pupils Presented In Spring Recital

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Harmony Club Has Final Meeting of Year on May 13

For the last meeting of the club year, the Harmony Club met Wednesday, May 13, at the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene with Mrs. Standiee Roberts as co-hostess.

The program was on American music. Mrs. Jerry Sensabaugh of Wolfe City read, "Shopping" and "Prayers of a Peasant Girl."

High School P-T-A Holds Final Meet Of School Year

The High School P-T. A. met Thursday, May 14, at 3:30 o'clock in the last meeting of the school year.

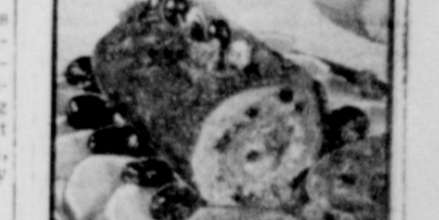
The meeting was opened with the reading of Psalm 21, followed by prayer by the president, Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

Women Work— NUTRITION COMMITTEE WILL BE ORGANIZED

All women of Hall county who have had training in home economics or would be interested in serving on the County Nutrition committee are invited to meet in the district court room in the court house Saturday, May 30, at 3 o'clock.

FAVORITE RECIPES Prune Stuffing Adds Tasty Touch To Meat Loaf

A LITTLE imagination can change the familiar meat loaf dish to a surprisingly welcome new friend.



For prune stuffed meat roll to serve 12, you'll need 1 pound ground uncooked pork, 2 pounds ground uncooked beef, 1 tablespoon salt, 1 tablespoon poultry seasoning, 2 eggs, 1 cup corn-flakes.

We were delighted to have as visitors, Mr. W. B. Hooser, county agent; Mrs. Irene Beck of Amarillo, Assistant district Supervisor of school lunchrooms, canning and garden projects of District 14; and Miss Maggie Henson, home supervisor of Farm Security Administration.

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Favorite Recipes Pie Makes Dish for Lunches



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WINIFRED CLARK

When you invite guests for dinner and want to keep them interesting, try this recipe for lamb.

From four to six pounds of lamb, you'll need 1 1/2 pounds lamb, 4 tablespoons flour, 2 onions, 2 tablespoons cups water, 1 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup carrots, diced; celery, diced; 1 cup baby peas.

meat into 1-inch cubes. Melted butter in a 2-cup pan. Add water, salt, celery and lima beans. Simmer slowly over direct heat about an hour or until vegetables are tender.

the pastry, you'll require 1/2 cup shortening, 1/2 cup butter, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup water.

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Two CCC Camps Established Near Army Reservations

Four Camps in Addition to One Here Closed; 11 Others Will Be Vacated in June

New CCC Camps have been established at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, where boys will be assigned to work on military reservations. Only five of the camps, which previous announcements indicated would be closed, have been closed thus far. These were at Coleman, Denton, Memphis, Newton, and Waxahachie. Closing orders are expected in June for eleven additional camps. These camps include three for white boys, located at Wolfe City, Morton, and Humble. Eight are for colored boys, located at Bogota, Mt. Pleasant, Winnboro, Nacogdoches, Yoakum, Seguin, Huntsville, and Austwell.

If all expected closing orders are received the state will then have ten CCC camps. Seven of these will be for white boys and will be located at Breckenridge, Temple, Gatesville, Brownwood, Mineral Wells, San Antonio, and Alto. Three will be for colored boys, located at Waco, San Augustine, and Zavala. Boys now being selected for CCC services will be sent for induction to the camp nearest their home on May 20. All boys enrolling must be willing, however, to leave the state.

Crowell Red Cross

(Continued from page 1) fronted with feeding, housing and clothing around 1500 people. The Red Cross and the Army came to our assistance and the job was done. The Red Cross has an office force of 30 people here now, and are repairing and building homes and furnishing them, and even putting groceries on the table for those who can not do it themselves. It is certainly a wonderful organization. "Our clothing and food situation is ample at this time, but of course our housing problem is acute but getting better each day. To us the marvelous thing about this money that many have given us, is the fact that we know it came from the depths of the hearts of the givers and it has encouraged us very greatly and makes us feel that we live in a great world after all. We thank you all."

Palace

Saturday Only—"Shut My Big Mouth" Joe E. Brown

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday and Monday—"The Fleet's In" Dorothy Lamour—William Holden

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—"The Male Animal" Henry Fonda—Olivia De Havilland

BARGAIN DAY Palace and Ritz EVERY FRIDAY

Friday, May 22, Only "Gambling Daughters" Cecelia Parker—Roger Pryor

Ritz

Saturday Only—"Stage Coach Express" Don "Red" Barry

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday and Monday—"Mayor of 44th Street" George Murphy—Anne Shirley

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—"Mr. Bug Goes to Town" In Technicolor

New 'Legstick' Conserves Silk



By way of experiment, four Seattle working girls in a large department store have donned the newest imitation for hose, a "legstick." Hosiery was painted on so cleverly that no one in the course of a working day commented on the painted hose. A hard eyebrow pencil is used to paint on the seams. The girls say it's a real paycheck saver as well as a means for conserving silk.

Judges Named for Voting Precincts

Election judges in the 16 voting precincts of Hall county for the primaries in July and August were named at a recent meeting of the Hall County Democratic Executive committee, held in the county court room and presided over by Jas. E. King, county chairman. The men appointed to have charge of the precinct voting places are as follows:

- Precinct 1, Sam J. Hamilton; precinct 2, W. E. Watson; precinct 3, W. B. Stargel; precinct 4, Fay Berry; precinct 5, R. A. Eddleman; precinct 6, M. A. Barron; precinct 7, F. E. Trapp; precinct 8, J. H. Young; precinct 9, J. E. Mann; precinct 10, N. L. Murr; precinct 11, Arthur Gidden; precinct 12, A. D. Britt; precinct 13, T. J. Dunbar; precinct 14, W. E. Wellman; precinct 15, E. H. Duke; precinct 16, Ben Bockleman.

Last day for filing for Democratic nominations is July 21, according to Allen Dunbar, secretary of the executive committee.

Absentee voting will be permissible from July 5 to 21, inclusive, Dunbar stated.

(Remember Pearl Harbor)

Hard Surfacing of—

(Continued from page 1) with the War Production Board. This resulted from a conservation order providing that highway construction not essential to national defense, costing in excess of \$5,000, could not proceed without first securing special approval.

In a letter this week, the state highway engineer advised that the War Production Board has issued a relaxation order, which, in effect, gives the state department authority to proceed with highway improvements that do not require critical materials. Mr. Greer states that this revised order seems to place the work on the Hall-Childress County road in a normal bracket, and that details in the future will be handled by P. S. Bailey, district engineer, at Childress. Judge Goodpasture was assured that a method will be found of performing such work on the road as may be accomplished without the use of critical materials.

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FAVORITE RECIPES

Combine Honey With Rhubarb For Pie Treat



BY WINIFRED CLARK

LATTICED and perfect in taste and appearance, honey rhubarb pie is a delightful spring dessert. Combine honey with spring rhubarb, bake in your flakiest pastry, and you'll have a dish that's fit for a tired defense worker.

To serve six, here are the ingredients you need: Pastry for shell and lattice top—4 cups fresh rhubarb, 1/2 cup honey, 1/2 cup sugar, 2 1/2 tablespoons quick cooking tapioca, 1/4 teaspoon salt. Line a glass pie plate with pastry. Mix rhubarb cut up in small pieces, honey, sugar, tapioca, and salt together and pour into pie plate. Place lattice crust over the top and bake in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees F.) for 45 minutes or until rhubarb is done. Serve from the attractive glass pie plate at the table.

New Food Dress



New wartime uniforms for favorite brands of foods are made of glass. A simplified economy line of glass containers has been inaugurated for the duration. Fancy or unusually shaped glass jars and bottles have been eliminated. Smaller openings on the new jars save metal, cork, rubber, and paper used for closures.

West Texan Is New FSA Area Director

The new Area Director of the Farm Security Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is Jesse B. Gilmer, a native West Texan. He succeeds Wilson Cowen, recently appointed Commissioner to the United States Court of Claims, Washington, D. C.

The Federal agency's rural rehabilitation program over which Gilmer has charge includes all of West Texas, the state of New Mexico and the Oklahoma Panhandle. The area Office is at Amarillo.

Born in Edwards county, Gilmer attended schools in Texas and New Mexico. An employee of the U. S. Department of Agriculture since 1934, his rise in the department has been phenomenal. He began as a clerk in the Department's land utilization program. He had served as assistant regional director in the Amarillo office since 1938.

The Farm Security Administration finances operations of low-income families and provides technical assistance and guidance in farm and home programs through its county office personnel.

Society

1913 Study Club Hears Program on Pan-Americanism

The 1913 Study Club met at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. M. Harrison. Mrs. T. M. Harrison was leader of the following program, "Panorama of Pan America." Pan American Union-Promoter of Continental Solidarity." Mrs. T. J. Dunbar: Survey of the Tour, Impressions of each traveler. (a) What have we learned (b) In what way have our opinions changed? (c) What contribution can we as a club or as individuals make to a mutual sympathy and understanding between the two Americas? Discussion by club. Miss Gladys Schantz led in conversational Spanish.

Frosted cakes were served to Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, Mrs. Norma Hunt, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. Allen Dunbar, Mrs. Juanita Montgomery, Mrs. George Sager, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. Gayle Greene, Mrs. E. S. Greene, Mrs. Howe, and Mrs. T. M. Harrison, and Misses Mary Foreman and Gladys Schantz.

State Department Of Welfare Helps Tornado Victims

Emergency Food Program at Crowell Co-operated With Other Agencies for Relief

When a tornado struck Crowell, a town of 1900 persons in Foard county, on the night of April 28, demolishing 200 homes and damaging 80 per cent of all buildings, nine persons were killed and more than 125 persons injured. Some 1600 persons were rendered homeless.

Joe B. Owen, Wichita Falls, Area Supervisor of the Texas Department of Public Welfare, went immediately to the scene and assisted in arranging for emergency care of the storm's victims.

Surplus commodities, being held in warehouses in Fort Worth, Dallas, Lubbock and San Angelo, for the school lunch programs, were quickly diverted to the disaster. Trucks were dispatched with wheat, flour, prunes, dried beans, canned pork and beans, frozen egg yolks, and apples. An emergency feeding program was set up to serve 1000 of the storm's victims at a central feeding station, to continue for two weeks, in cooperation with other federal and community agencies and supervised by representatives of the Army, Red Cross and Rotary club.

(Remember Pearl Harbor)

PERSONALS

Mrs. Hollis Boren visited from Sunday until Wednesday in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Morrow and family.

Miss Blanch Ferguson of Havana, Ark., came Tuesday night for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Gordon West and husband.

Mrs. B. F. Beason of Happy returned to her home Wednesday after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Dan Clinton and husband.

Joe Warren was a Childress visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. N. M. Lindsey and son Hildon were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Greene, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene, and Mrs. R. C. Walker visited Sunday in Turkey with Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Walker and daughter Gail.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Berryman and family and Mrs. Frank Cooper of Parnell were Memphis visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Allison of Oklahoma City visited last week-end with his sister, Mrs. J. W. McCulloch and husband.

Miss Naomi Smith, Taimadge Pounds, Miss Charline Gerlach and Hildon Lindsey were Childress visitors Saturday afternoon.

Alvis Gerlach and son Jimmy and Bud Godfrey were business visitors in Pampa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Alexander and family of Wichita Falls visited Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Walker and daughter Gail of Turkey visited Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene, and Mrs. R. C. Walker.

Mrs. Elmer Hall of Childress attended the high school graduation exercises here Wednesday night. She visited with her mother, Mrs. Silas Wood, while here.

D. J. Morgensen visited Wednesday night in Childress.

FAVORITE RECIPES

Try Fried Chicken With Fruit Sections Broiled on Skewer



BY WINIFRED CLARK

FRIED chicken is an old favorite with everyone, but here's a new way to add to its appetizing flavor.

Try a garnish of fruit brushed with melted butter and broiled until lightly browned. Use well-drained, spoon-size cubes of canned pineapple and canned apricot halves alternated on wooden skewers interspersed with halved maraschino cherries for added color.

Place three cubes of pineapple and two apricot halves on each skewer. Brush with melted butter and broil on each side until lightly browned. Serve at once while piping hot.

Dressing Race Is Warship Sport



Men aboard a U. S. warship escorting an Atlantic convoy scramble into their clothes during a "dressing race" staged en route. Wrestling is another favorite pastime.

Fledglings Grow Wings—

How U. S. Trains Air Combat Teams

Editor's Note: This is the 3rd of six news releases from Randolph Field, San Antonio, explaining the steps in training combat teams for Uncle Sam's gigantic air armada.

Bombardier Training

While one group of Cadets is picking up the fine points in becoming Army pilots, other groups are concentrating on highly technical subjects to complete the rosters of the Air Force Combat Teams and Combat Crews.

Training of Bombardiers—vital cog in the Air Combat team—covers a three-fold purpose. Besides qualifying in the duties of a Bombardier, graduates also qualify in the duties of Observer for reconnaissance aviation, and as an aerial gunner. Observer and gunner duties for Bombardiers should not become confused with advanced courses in these lines, inasmuch as more specialized instruction is offered candidates for those posts.

During the twelve-week training period, Bombardiers spend 330 ground-air hours in study of their future duties. Actual air training takes up 61 hours, ground school calls for 144 hours, reconnaissance observer training 45 hours (ground), gunnery practice 40 hours (aloft), and military training and athletics, 20 hours each.

Air training is divided into eight phases, with particular stress of course on actual bombing. For 25 hours of the allotted time, students practice day bombing, with 80 bombs dropped by each student during the course. Night bombing consumes 12 hours flying time, each student releasing 20 projectiles. Record bombing by day calls for 25 bombs per student in 7 hours, while record bombing by night requires 20 missiles for each student in 5 hours.

Practice does not start, however, until the future Bombardier has mastered familiarization of equipment aboard a bomber, calibration of instruments, tracking and research operations in reconnaissance aviation.

For the Bombardier portion of ground school, 22 steps of instruction are followed, which allows time for study periods and completion of forms. Reconnaissance Observer ground training calls for highly specialized study in eleven varied phases.

Outside of the operation and adjustment of the various bombardier controls, the detailed instruction of operation and calibration of bombsights takes up most time in Bombardier ground classes. Instructions in bombsight operations are all given in confidential lectures.

Next in order of time spent comes the grand mastery of the bombing trainer and theory of calibration. Those subjects are followed by instrument errors, their correction and use of computers; tactical bombing, its methods, anti-aircraft defenses and pursuit employment; double drift solutions and low altitude bombing; bombing theory in all phases and discussion of variables which effect position and fall of bomb; construction, operation and maintenance of bomb racks and controls; causes of error; analysis of course mission, method and general information; sizes, weights, and explosive contents of various bombs and fuses; familiarization with types of aircraft; safety precautions in handling bombs and fuses on ground and in air, plus restrictions on flying over certain areas; Bombing Team procedure between Pilot and Bombardier; qualification bombing and the use of oxygen equipment.

Reconnaissance Observer Training necessitates rigid instruction in primary and secondary bombardment objectives, essential elements of enemy information, anti-aircraft defenses, aerial photography, maps, codes and operating procedure. Included in ground classes are thorough lessons in employment and organization of ground forces, employment of flags of

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lord's Supper Adds Significance To Communion

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for May 24 Text: Luke 22:14-30

IF the scenes in our lesson, the Last Supper, were not sufficiently dramatic in the simple description which the New Testament record gives, great artists would have dramatized it for us and made the setting unforgettable. The greatest depiction of the scene in art is the famous painting by Leonardo da Vinci, though it is more accurate in the emotions that it evokes than in its historical detail.

This specific celebration in the upper room has a new and added historical significance as the origin of the Christian sacrament, or the Lord's Supper, which is so much the essence of Christian faith and fellowship that we speak of Christian bodies, or denominations, as "communions."

All that makes the Church worth while is here portrayed in the glorification of Christian service. Though one of the twelve was a traitor, these disciples had been called to high honor.

The conflict in the world is still on between the loyal disciples and the traitorous Judases, between the "Lords of the Gentiles," the believers in force and violence, and the saints in the upper room. The Master went from the upper room to tragedy and death, and lovers of peace and truth and righteousness are passing through a new Calvary, but the voice of Jesus still sounds, "Be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." It is the spirit of service that will conquer and the hope of our country is in those who serve.

all nations and the filing of reports.

Gunnery practice of five weeks length augments the Bombardier course and teaches basic requirements in aerial marksmanship. Completion of the course qualifies the Bombardier as an aerial gunner, a necessity before he receives his Reserve Commission and special Bombardier insignia.

VALUES THAT CAN'T BE DUPLICATED

- IT COSTS NO MORE TO RAISE FIRST-RATE CHICKENS OUR WAY—To raise first-rate birds, feed them big difference. Raising chickens need no longer be a tiring and grueling task. The important thing is to get STARTED RIGHT... Bishop's Best All-Mash Starter Growing Mash will do the trick. Finish up your pullets on our Egg Mash and your job will be complete.
- PURPLE HULL PEAS, per pound
- BLACKEYED PEAS, pound
- NEW CROP ALFALFA HAY, per bale
- PIG and HOG SUPPLEMENT, 100 pounds
- CHICKEN FATTENER, 100 pounds
- MORTON'S MINERAL BLOCK SALT
- SOUTH AMERICAN POP CORN, pound
- PINTO BEANS, per pound
- GEAR GREASE, 2-gallon can
- WHEATLAND COMBINE MILO SEED, 100 lbs.
- SWEET SEED MILO, 100 pounds

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Pig Club Formed By Members Local Chapter of FFA

Two Boys Scoring High In Specified Requirements Will Receive Purebred

Plans are under way for the formation of a pig club composed of members of the local chapter, Future Farmers of America, it is announced by Barnett, vocational agriculture instructor. The boys meet each night to elect officers and draw up rules and regulations. Officers elected were: president, J. C. Williams; secretary and treasurer, Neel, reporter.

The boys plan to pay membership in the club. Money will be used to purchase two registered Duroc Jersey pigs which will later be given to member scoring highest in requirements specified by the organization.

Members who win the prize required to return to the first four gilts farrowed, will in turn be given a pair of four boys scoring highest, the same stipulations, as boys competing for gilts back to the club. No boy may receive more than one pair.

Some of the requirements used in scoring are: A pig must have plenty of feed and place to keep the hog, a good manager, his ability to feed and care for stock, and he must be a leader of his chapter and community.

The purpose of the pig club is to encourage the farmers of the chapter, to raise purebred swine.

Bob Land Is New

(Continued from page 1) G. M. Dial third vice president, unanimous action of the board.

The program for the day luncheon, under the leadership of N. W. Durham, was Miss Mary Helen Lindsey, pianist and also a "club sweetheart." Lion Durham announced various members who were responsible for programs of the rest of May and the June.

Wendell Smith of H. a guest of the club.

First Aid--

Those little accidents are always occurring around the home can be serious if not promptly properly attended to. Keep your first aid well stocked with available supplies...

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