

Get Your Scrap in the Scrap With the Jap!

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DAMAGE IN COTTON WAREHOUSE BLAZE ESTIMATED NEAR \$50,000

963 BALES COTTON PRACTICALLY DESTROYED AT MEMPHIS COMPRESS

Fire Department Called Tuesday Morning to Battle Blaze in Hi-Way Filling Station Annex at Newlin; Main Building, Stock and Furnishings Are Saved



Fire of undetermined origin in early Wednesday morning practically destroyed 963 bales of compressed cotton stored in Warehouse No. 10 at the Memphis Compress Company. The warehouse, a corrugated iron and wood structure, also was considerably damaged.

M. C. Allen, manager, estimated the damage at between \$40,000 and \$50,000, depending upon the amount of salvage possible from the burned and water-soaked cotton. This will not be determined for some time.

The fire was discovered shortly after 4 a. m. Prompt and efficient work on the part of the Memphis Fire Department brought the conflagration under control within a short time, but several hours elapsed before all of the smoldering bales were extinguished. The fire fighters were handicapped in getting to the building by the necessity of running the hose line under the railroad tracks.

No cause for the holocaust could be fixed, since the warehouse, located at the north end of a row of similar structures, had not been opened since Monday, compress employees said.

The Memphis Fire Department was called to Newlin just before noon Tuesday to battle a blaze in an annex to the Hi-Way Filling Station and Grocery, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Read. The annex was destroyed, but the main building and contents were saved through the efforts of neighbors and the Estelline and Memphis fire departments.

The fire was started when a gasoline engine used to pump water back-fired, igniting waste oil. The building was owned by Mrs. Dewey Tucker, whose home is in California.

Lakeview Bank Is Public Depository

Designation by the Secretary of the Treasury of the First National Bank of Lakeview as a special depository of public moneys under the Act of Congress approved September 24, 1917, is made known in a recent letter to B. E. Davenport, cashier, from R. M. Mulvihill, chief of the Division of Deposits.

Under this designation deposits of public moneys in the Lakeview bank are limited to an aggregate at any one time of \$25,000. Designated depositories are required, before receiving deposits, to qualify by pledging collateral securities of certain classes at least equal to such deposits.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETING TONIGHT
All members of the Chas. R. Simmons Post, American Legion, are urged to be present at the Legion hall tonight, as there is some very important business to transact, and officers to be elected. J. W. Burk, commander, announces.

Notes from a Reporter's Cuff
Those South Texas editors who are campaigning for the elimination of men's coats and ties in summer for the duration of the war would have had no trouble getting adherents for their cause in Memphis the past week. With the mercury climbing to 100 and higher daily, men wearing coats are few and far between and many have also been leaving their ties on the rack. . . . We may get whipped over this, but if Mrs. Doss wants to know where L. L. was Tuesday morning when there was a lot of work to be done, he was loafing down at The Democrat office. . . . The bunch at Durham-Jones Pharmacy ought to have the frame of their bicycle re-inforced if "Dub" and Carl are going to ride it often.

Injured Lakeview Sailor Arrives for Visit With Parents

R. M. Holt, Jr., Sustains Broken Foot May 20 When Sub-Chaser, Tanker Collide

R. M. Holt, Jr., who was injured on May 20 in line of duty with the United States Navy, arrived here Sunday night for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Holt, Sr., of Lakeview. He is to report back to his station on Staten Island, N. Y., by July 20.

Holt was hurt when a sub-chaser, of which he was a crew member, collided head-on with an oil tanker. He fell, breaking his foot, and was washed overboard. He also sustained a gash over one eye and three ribs were fractured. He was hospitalized in the naval hospital at Lewis, Del. His foot is still in a cast.

His parents were notified of his injuries soon after the accident, the message stating that his condition was not critical. Holt has been serving in the Navy for about eleven months.

Evangelist—A series of gospel services at the Church of Christ will be conducted by Evangelist Floyd J. Spivy of Greggton, beginning on Wednesday night, July 15 and continuing through Sunday night, July 26. This is the second meeting conducted for the local church by Evangelist Spivy. The public is invited to hear him.

Former County Man Dies at Floydada

Joseph N. Bartlett, for several years a resident of Hall County prior to 1913, died at Floydada Friday night at 9 o'clock, following an illness of about a month. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the First Methodist church in Floydada by Rev. R. T. Breedlove, pastor.

Mr. Bartlett had been living in Floyd County for 29 years, moving there from Hall County. He was engaged in farming until a few years ago, when he moved to (Continued on page 4)

Newlin Soldier Passes Home, But Unable to Visit

Sgt. J. L. Monroe passed within sight of his home east of Newlin recently as he was being transferred from Stockton Field, Calif., to Esler Field, La., but he couldn't stop. In fact, if he had wanted to visit his parents he would have had to use a parachute, as he was in an airplane flying about 200 miles an hour.

He writes from his new station that in passing over his home and that of his sister, Mrs. J. N. Helm, he could see for many miles around the Newlin and Gilpin communities.

As Sgt. Monroe had not had a furlough in six months, he was delighted to see his home again, even from considerable height. He expects soon to be sent to some combat zone overseas.

GOAL REACHED IN DRIVE FOR SCRAP RUBBER

Chairman Estimates 225,000 Pounds Are Collected in County

Fourteen and a fraction pounds of discarded rubber per person in Hall County have been collected in the nationwide salvage campaign which will close Friday night, according to an estimate by M. J. Draper, county chairman.

This estimate is based on an aggregate collection of 225,000 pounds for the county, although the figure may go higher than that, the chairman stated. The exact figure is not available as all reports from filling stations and oil companies, which are assisting in the drive, have not been turned in. Draper said a full report will be made in next week's Democrat.

In the first phase of the rubber campaign, Hall County people contributed 187,248 pounds. When the campaign was extended for 10 days and the county called upon for at least 50,000 more pounds, those participating responded with continued effort, and it is believed the goal has been reached or passed.

Coast Guard Will Seek Recruits Here

The United States Coast Guard Recruiting representative will be in the lobby of the Memphis post office on Friday, July 10, to interview men between 17 and 55 years of age for enlistment in that branch of the service.

Men who are qualified for special trades such as that of machinist, motor mechanic, cook baker, radioman, etc., may enlist in these branches and may follow these same trades while in the Coast Guard service. Advancements are particularly rapid at this time.

Men who are registered for the draft are eligible to enlist in the Coast Guard, the oldest military organization in the United States. Applicants must have no criminal record, all men under 21 must (Continued on page 8)

Slight Decrease In Scholastics Shown by Census

Memphis District Shown as Biggest Loser in Number of Youngsters of School Ages

Tabulation of reports of enumerators in the scholastic census taken some weeks ago for the 16 rural and five independent school districts of Hall County reveal a slight decrease in the number of children of school age, according to Miss Tops Gilreath, county superintendent.

Total of the census for the 1942-43 term for all schools is 3,106, a loss of nine scholastics from the 1941-42 figure, which was 3,115. The loss is not as great as expected by school officials, on account of the exodus of families to areas where war industries are located.

Figures for rural school districts are as follows:

Deep Lake	69
Gammage	86
Webster	34
Newlin	123
Parnell	73
Indian Creek	52
Brice	95
Pleasant Valley	89
Salisbury	67
Weatherly	65
Buffalo Flat	61
Bridle Bit	50
Plaska	99
Friendship	50
Total	2,040

For the independent school districts, enumerators reported as follows:

Estelline	318
Lakeview	181
Lesley	155
Memphis	977
Turkey	435
Total	2,066

Change in Railroad Schedule Announced

Minor changes in the train schedule of the Fort Worth & Denver railroad are announced by J. J. McCormick, local station agent. Hereafter the four trains will go through Memphis on the following schedule:

North bound, No. 8 6-07 a. m., No. 2 (streamliner) 8-29 p. m.; south bound, No. 7 12-12 p. m., No. 1 (streamliner) 2-01 a. m.

On the Home Front INTENSIFIED SALVAGE CAMPAIGN

Salvage campaigns to help supply vitally needed materials for the war production campaign, which heretofore have been largely hit-and-miss, now are going to be put on a businesslike and continuing basis, according to the Office of War Information for the Southeast Region at Dallas.

The pattern heretofore must be that used in the President's current all-out drive to collect scrap rubber. Nothing else will get the job done.

Although in most southwestern areas salvage activities have paced those of the rest of the nation, the intensity of the task makes it necessary to step up the tempo of salvage immediately.

Civilians on the Home Front realize by now that our war production is limited only by the supply of raw materials, and that scrap is an important part of the nation's raw materials supply.

This makes it clear that the only way the nation can meet the requirements of the presently record breaking production is to collect every last bit of scrap from every farm and home, and from every commercial enterprise and industry locally. Campaigns that have been organized must be intensified and where salvage committees have not been formed, they must be immediately, in every city, town and community in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and all the other states.

An emergency call for such all-out salvage activities has been sounded in Washington. Full instructions have been sent to the salvage committee in each state, and from the state headquarters are being transmitted to local committees everywhere.

There is just going to be one (Continued on page 5)

Cross Chapter Is Requested to Provide Dressings for Army

Daily Service on Sugar for Canning Purposes Arranged

W. V. Coursey Will Accept Applications; Miss Giddens To Be in City Wednesday

For the convenience of those persons in Memphis and vicinity who have been unable to apply for sugar for canning purposes on Wednesday, W. V. Coursey has been named by the Hall County War Rationing board to accept applications here daily.

Coursey, who is city tax collector, is serving without pay. He will deal with applications for sugar for canning only. Applications of institutions for additional sugar must be made direct to the rationing board at Estelline, or on Wednesday to Miss Demarius Giddens, secretary of the board, who will continue her visits to Memphis on that day.

Memphis Girls in Ranchers' Rodeo at Clarendon July 4th

Four Local Riders Stay For Finals in Voting for Queen of Annual Round-Up

Eight Memphis young women participated in the annual Ranchers' Rodeo at Clarendon Saturday, July 4, and seven of them were candidates for queen of the event, in competition with 30 Clarendon girls.

In voting for the honor of being queen of the rodeo, Mrs. Troy Broome, Mrs. Coy Davis, Misses Genevieve Prater and Billy Jo Prater were in the finals. Miss June McMurtry of Clarendon was the successful candidate, the Memphis contestants acting as alternates. (Continued on page 5)

Salvation Army to Hold Canvass Here

The Salvation Army will make its customary annual appeal in Memphis next week for funds to help carry on its program in the Texas division. W. B. Fedigo, representative from State headquarters, who has been coming here for many years, will be here to conduct the canvass.

This appeal affords the citizenship an economical and dependable means of assisting the organization in its broad program of humanitarian and spiritual services, and is intended for the entire year, unless some unforeseen emergency arises. Any other solicitations supposedly for the Salvation Army are without proper authority.

GROUP ACTIVE IN WAR EFFORT

Results in Scrap Iron and Rubber Drives Show Value Of 'Human Communications'

One organization that is geared for immediate and effective action in any emergency in connection with the country's war effort is the Hall County Victory Council, formation of which was sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service of A. & M. College.

The nucleus of the Victory Council was the old Land Use Planning committee, but the inclusion of this new organization extends beyond anything ever conceived for the old committee. Through its "human communications system" the Victory Council is prepared on short notice to reach every rural family in the entire country with vital information and to organize for 100 per cent action in any campaign called

for by the government. In its workings this communications system can be compared roughly to a pipeline, which heads up in the office of County Agent W. B. Hooser. When it is desired to disseminate important information regarding agriculture's part in the war program, the message is passed along through the Victory Council to two victory leaders in each of the 19 communities of the county. These communities have been sub-divided into neighborhoods, numbering from two to nine according to the size of the

community. In each of the last groups there has been designated two neighborhood victory leaders—a man and a woman. When information is passed to them by their community leaders, each neighborhood leader is charged with imparting it to a designated number of families within easy reach. The average number of families to a neighborhood leader is six.

In an astonishingly short time the message is known to every rural family in the county. In the same way they can be mobilized

for concerted effort in the various campaigns for aiding the war effort, without the necessity of holding meetings in each community.

Outstanding examples of this latter service have been the scrap iron and rubber salvage drives, to which the organization responded with enthusiasm and was responsible in large measure for their success. In fact, in the salvage campaigns, the Victory Council has been a jump or two ahead of the organized government drives (Continued on page 8)

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HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS—WEDDINGS

Society News

Bride-Elect Honor Guest at Shower Given at Newlin

A bridal shower was given at the home of Mrs. R. H. Knight of Newlin Monday afternoon with her daughters, Misses Melba and Vera Mae Knight, as hostesses, honoring Miss Mary Anne Nelson, bride-elect of Robert Johns of San Diego.

Miss Nelson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Nelson. She has recently returned to Newlin from Wichita Falls where she has been employed for the past few months, following her graduation from business college.

After the arrival of the guests, which were seated in the spacious living room, with the bride-elect and her mother in seats of honor, the following program was given: A mock wedding ceremony with Miss Vera Mae Knight as preacher, Miss Dorrae Nelson as the groom, and Mrs. O. E. Morgan, aunt of the bride-elect, as bride, was performed.

Marjorie Hemphill played and sang, "Oh Mary Jane," Miss Melba Knight read an original poem, depicting the school career and romance of Mary Anne, entitled, "Take a Letter, Darling," written by Mrs. Fred Hemphill, Miss Marjorie Hemphill sang, "You and I."

A miniature airplane, made by Mrs. Louis Hamilton, filled with gifts, was brought into the room and presented to the bride, representing the occupation of the groom-to-be.

Following the showing of the gifts, refreshments were served to Mesdames Jake Crissman, O. E. Morgan of Wichita Falls, George B. Mullins, O. B. Hoover, Jack Brumley, Guy Kercheville of Memphis, G. E. Nelson, Ray Wynn, Jack Tucker, Leo Koening, D. W. Lawrence, W. E. Watson, O. S. Misenheimer, Henry Phillips, A. A. Odom, J. W. Crawford, L. B. Gresham, Frances Kinard, Lillian Nelson, Mary Frances Burk of Memphis, Marjorie Hemphill, Dor-

Misses Carolyn Gail Hoover, Shirley Ann Tucker, Beverley Jane and Jackie B. Crawford, L. B. Gresham, Frances Kinard, Lillian Nelson, Mary Frances Burk of Memphis, Marjorie Hemphill, Dor-

Mississippi Girl And Wilson Kutch Wed at San Antonio

Miss Mary Sullivan of Mississippi and Sgt. Wilson W. Kutch of Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, were married on Friday July 3, in San Antonio. Sergeant Kutch is a graduate of Memphis High School and attended McMurry College before his entrance into military service. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kutch of Memphis.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Merrell and daughter Muffet, L. F. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lindsey attended the rodeo in Clarendon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Daves and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knight attended the rodeo at Stamford Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and Mrs. R. H. Wherry left Thursday night for San Diego, Calif., where they will visit their son and daughter. Mrs. Lindsey will visit with her son Pfc. Robert H. Lindsey of the United States Marine corps who is stationed at Camp Elliott, and Mrs. Wherry will visit with her daughter Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald.

Miss Dorris Vallance, student in Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vallance.

Mrs. Hubert Dennis of Trinity, Mrs. W. D. Lemmons and Mrs. W. A. Harbough of Houston left Friday after visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and the hostesses, Misses Melba and Vera Mae Knight, and Warren Mitchell Jr.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames J. C. Spruill, Anderson Mitchell of Childress, J. W. Sutton, Nelse Helm, Leonard Braidfoot, A. C. Jones, Dude Helm, Dick Guthrie of Claude, Clifford Guthrie of Claude, Tom Robinson of Childress, T. E. Davis, B. F. Deere of Claude, Ed Crow, Lanham Nelson, of Dalhart, Bascomb and Davis Nelson and Misses Wanda and Mary Nell Davis, Alcenia Hoover, Memphis, Geneva Mitchell of Childress, Ella Mae Kercheville of Memphis and Ima Jo Jones.

Women Work—CIVILIAN DEFENSE AUXILIARY NOTES

By INEZ BAKER Buy a bond, buy a bond, O buy for your country A Victory bond. To beat back the Nippons Who do annoy us, And bomb out the Nazis Who seek to destroy us, O buy for your country A Victory bond!

Red Cross chapters will be called upon soon for larger production than ever before. There will be new types of garments, women's nightgowns, skirts, blouses, and slips; children's pajamas and rompers; men's pajamas and shirts. The need is greater and haste more imperative. The weather will be most uncomfortable during the next few months but the women of Hall County will respond to any call of the production chairman.

The Red Cross appreciates deeply the cash donations from Mrs. Frank Finch. This came at a time when there was no material in the work rooms, except knitting yarns, and made it possible for the women to accumulate a reserve. Thirty children's dresses were made from material purchased with this gift. Thank you Mrs. Finch. Are there others?

Eleven women finished the first course in Standard Red Cross Nutrition. It is time now for courses leading to canteen work, can this not be done? Should a disaster come to our county eleven trained canteen workers could supervise the emergency feeding but if we do not have them, trained workers will have to be brought from other counties, perhaps working a great hardship on them and delaying relief.

Have you a picture of your husband, son or brother who is in the service that you can spare for a while? Mrs. B. Webster, production chairman, would like to have them for the gallery of heroes she is establishing at the Red Cross rooms. They will be taken care of and returned when you want them. Will you loan them to us for a time?

First Christian Women Meet With Mrs. J. A. Whaley

The Woman's Council of First Christian Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. A. Whaley.

During the business session, the new president for the incoming year, Mrs. Grover Kesterson, presided. Mrs. Whaley, spiritual chairman, opened the program with a topic, "Faith Today."

Mrs. E. E. Roberts, leader for the afternoon, presented the following program. Devotional, "The Bible and Its World View" by Mrs. J. H. Norman; Dialogue, "Why Missions?" characters, "Mrs. Well-informed," Mrs. T. B. Rogers, "Mrs. I Question," Mrs. J. A. Odom; Talk, "The Disciples went Everywhere," by Mrs. Cicero Milam; paper, "The Master Calls," by Mrs. Dean Morgensen. The group sang, "Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult" and the meeting was closed with the Missionary benediction.

A salad course was served to Rev. E. B. Motley, Mrs. D. E. Rogers of Albany, Mrs. J. H. Norman, Mrs. J. A. Odom, Mrs. Roy McCraw, Mrs. Dean Morgensen, Mrs. E. E. Roberts, Mrs. T. B. Rogers, Mrs. Cicero Milam, Mrs. Wayne McMurry, Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mrs. Grover Kesterson and Mrs. Clyde F. Milam.

Needle Craft Club Meets Tuesday With Mrs. Geo. Hammond

The Needle Craft Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. George Hammonds. Needle work was done for the hostess during the afternoon.

A salad plate was served to the following members: Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger, Mrs. Carl Wolf, Mrs. J. M. Ferrel, Mrs. Bess Crump and Mrs. George Hammonds.

City Park Picnic Honors Soldiers at Home on Furlough

T. J. Spry Jr. and Louis Steadman of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, were honored Sunday with a picnic lunch at the Memphis City Park.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry, Earl Spry, Ima Ruth Spry, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murdock and daughter Jo, Mrs. Raymond Foster and children, Cleta, Marjorie, Earlene and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lee and children, Don, Sandra, Kay and Danny Ray, Miss Frankie Masters, Tommy Darden, and Bobby Jack Spry and the honorees.

Wesley Daughters S. S. Class Meets At Gerlach Home

The Daughters of Wesley Sunday School class met at the home of Mrs. Albert Gerlach on Thursday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Frank Wright, Mrs. Dan McCollum and Mrs. O. M. Gunstream were co-hostesses.

Mrs. D. A. Neeley was leader of the program. The devotional was given by Mrs. C. A. Williams and the roll call was answered with favorite passages of Scripture. "Hannah," the beloved mother, was given by Mrs. W. V. Coursey. Mrs. A. S. Moss gave "Deborah, The Secret of her Power."

Angle food cake and punch were served to Mesdames T. J. Hampton, E. N. Hudgens, Percy Bones, G. M. Duren, W. V. Coursey, Bess Crump, A. S. Moss, C. A. Williams, D. A. Neeley, C. R. Webster, Henry Newman, Roy R. Fultz and Miss Florena McElreath.

The next meeting will be at 3 o'clock on Thursday, August 6, at the home of Mrs. B. B. McMillan.

DINNER GUESTS Miss Katherine Frances Milam and Keith Wells were 7 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Swift of Clarendon on Saturday, July 4.

Call 15 For QUALITY JOB PRINTING

Throckmorton Girl Becomes Bride of Sgt. Jim Brewer

The marriage of Miss Ouida E. Ballah of Throckmorton and Sgt. Jim E. Brewer of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, was solemnized in the St. Paul Methodist Church at Abilene in a single ring ceremony performed by Rev. J. D. Haynes, minister, on Saturday evening, July 4, at 8:30 o'clock.

The couple entered the church while Mrs. E. E. Traweck played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The couple was unattended and only the immediate family and a few friends attended the vows. The bride wore a navy blue dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of sweet peas and gardenias.

Mrs. Brewer is a graduate of Throckmorton High School and is a senior at Texas Tech, Lubbock. Sergeant Brewer is the son of Webb Brewer of Memphis and graduated with the class of 1936 from Memphis High School. He received his B. A. degree from Texas Tech in 1941. He entered military service on July 9, 1941. Sgt. and Mrs. Brewer will make their home at 1602 Butternut St., Abilene.

Methodist Women Meet at Church Monday Afternoon

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met at 3 o'clock Monday for missionary work at the church.

Mrs. D. A. Neeley was leader of the program. Mrs. J. A. Kutch gave the devotional, "Barbara Heck, Mother of Methodism." Several of the members gave "How We Get the Bible to Other Lands."

Mrs. D. A. Neeley told the story, "Mrs. Brown and the Missionary Girl," by Albert N. Dundas. Mrs. Neeley closed the meeting with prayer. Members present were Mrs. W. I. Glosson, Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mrs. Lee Wattenbarger, Mrs. D. L. Johnson, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. E. L. Yeats, Mrs. C. W. Broome, and Mrs. J. A. Kutch.

Mrs. Morrison Hostess to Meet Of Dorcas Society

The Dorcas Society met at the home of Mrs. Buster Morrison, who quitted a quilt and lamb in prayer.

Following the lamb, Goodpasture, read chapter 4 of Micah, Mrs. L. O. in prayer.

Those present were Brown, Mrs. A. B. Jones, O. Dennis, Mrs. Burdette, Dennis, Mrs. Frank, Mrs. Buster Morrison and Smith.

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Mid-Summer SPECIALS

In spite of higher prices on fall merchandise, we are following our usual custom of disposing of all summer merchandise this season and not carrying it over into the next season. In order to do this, we are making some very worthwhile price reductions as listed below.

Ladies' Dresses

This includes all spring dresses as well as summer sheers in Classy Jean, Wellesley Modes, and Nelly Don makes.

- \$4.98 Dresses at... \$3.48 \$8.95 Dresses at... \$5.95
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Remember this is not on just a few dresses, but on any dress in our stock.

LADIES' SUMMER SHOES

This does not include staple arch support and women's comfort and misses' staple oxfords.



- \$5.95 grade at... \$4.48
\$4.98 grade at... \$3.85
\$3.98 grade at... \$3.30
\$3.48 grade at... \$2.79
\$2.98 grade at... \$2.48

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About 100 pairs of ladies' shoes, only one or two pairs of a kind, but all sizes from 2 1/2 to 8, on the table at your choice

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Methodist revival held in August, by Dist. Supt. Pearce...

moisture to fall here four weeks fell last total of approximate...

Everywhere! In abundance of rats which has considerable damage to...



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small chickens and stored grains. Several farmers have reported good results from poison and others have reported heavy losses of baby chicks...

It seems that this war does affect some people worse than others by taking away some of their privileges, and probably the very worst one is the shortage of sodas...

Newlin Mothers Club met at the home of Mrs. D. C. Messick with her mother, Mrs. M. P. Moore as co-hostess for an all-day meeting Thursday...

Fuller Burnett Gets Promotion Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. John Burnett of the promotion of their son Fuller from the rank of private to mess sergeant...

Service Station Damaged by Fire Hiway Service Station operated by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Read was badly damaged by fire Tuesday morning...

Mrs. Wasson Employed in Memphis Mrs. Berniece Wasson, R. N., has accepted a position with the Odom-Goodall hospital as superintendent of nurses...

PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

M. N. Orr and E. E. Foster were Childrens visitors Wednesday afternoon. Doyle Hall took a load of hogs to Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon...

Those meeting at the Peden Memorial Baptist Church Friday afternoon to do Red Cross work were Mrs. J. W. Oliver, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Abers, Mrs. H. F. Adcock...

Earl Spry went to Alvarado Thursday to visit Mrs. Frank Spry and children. Tommy and Bobbie Jack Spry came home with him Saturday...

The Plaska Needle Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Smith and spent the afternoon crocheting and working on quilts for the hostess...

Mrs. Collins Craighead has been and repair shop and adjoins the main building. The Estelline fire department was called and were successful in getting the blaze under control after several hours...

PERSONALS Mrs. Edd Lane left Monday for a visit in Fort Worth with her daughter, Claire Lane...

Mrs. Orville Goodpasture and daughter Joyce and Mrs. Joe Forkner visited Sunday until Tuesday in Muleshoe with Mrs. Goodpasture's and Mrs. Forkner's mother, Mrs. T. M. Cox...

Mrs. E. C. Hayes and granddaughter Clara Jo Hayes returned last week from a visit with relatives in Cooper...

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and daughter Linda and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thrash and son Michael of Wichita Falls visited last week-end with Mrs. Manoushagian's and Mrs. Thrash's parents...

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bixler and children of Eunice, N. M., visited from Wednesday until Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oren...

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norman and daughters, Janie Sue and Jimmie Kay, of Cisco, visited last week-end with their parents, Mrs. J. H. Norman, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath...

Sandy Arnold and C. Land attended the rodeo in Stamford Saturday...

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PERSONALS

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and daughter Linda and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thrash and son Michael of Wichita Falls visited last week-end with Mrs. Manoushagian's and Mrs. Thrash's parents...

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CUT RITE PAPER, 200-ft. roll 33c NAPKINS, 3 packages 25c

PEACHES 36c No. 2 1/2 cans, in syrup, 2 for

APPLE BUTTER, quart 14c PRUNES, gallon can 39c

BEWLEY'S BEST FLOUR \$1.99 Guaranteed to Satisfy you, 48 lbs. "BEWLEY'S BEST BAKES BETTER"

CHERRIES, 300 size, 2 cans for 35c TOILET SOAP, 6 bars for 25c

COOKING OIL \$1.39 ARMOUR'S, gallon jug

COFFEE, White Swan, 3 lbs. 96c MAYONNAISE, White Swan, qt. 37c

Call us for nice dressed Hens, Fryers -dressed the way you want them.

TOMATO JUICE, CHB, 3 cans 25c BEANS, Chuck Wagon, 3 for 25c MILK, Carnation, 6 small cans 25c

DON'T FORGET-We will pay you top prices at all times for your Cream, Poultry, and Eggs.

WHITE SYRUP, gallon jug 69c CAKES, ginger, 2-lb. bag 35c

TRY BEWLEY'S RED ANCHOR EGG MASH FOR BEST RESULTS!!

CATSUP, 14-ounce bottle 12c MUSTARD, Prep., quart 12c

D-T Disinfectant \$1.40 and Wood PRESERVER, gallon Bring Your Jug

BRAN, 100-pound sack \$2.15 SHORTS, 100-pound sack \$2.30

CORN FLAKES 8c Campbell's, 11-ounce package

GIVE US YOUR ORDER FOR COAL TEA, Lipton's, 1/4-pound 27c

SLICED BACON 33c Farmers Union Special, per pound LUNCH MEAT, assorted, pound 29c CHEESE, 2-pound box 49c BEEF ROAST, nice cuts, pound 20c

VEGETABLES THIS WEEK: Lettuce, Celery, Fresh Tomatoes, Radishes, Green Onions, Bell Peppers, Cauliflower, Rhubarb, Green Beans, Peas, Bulk Turnips, Carrots and a nice assortment of fresh fruit.

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Poultry Clinic

aturday, July 11th

We invite you. Bring your sick birds to our store for free laboratory examination and diagnosis. Two poultry experts, Mr. Gordon Beall and Mr. Otto Russell, of Kansas City, Missouri, will be here. Watch them dissect your birds, perhaps show you the disease germs under a microscope and tell you remedies suitable for the disease if located.

It's all free. We invite every poultry producer, large and small, to come. Remember the date, JULY 11TH, and be here.

C & M Grocery Memphis, Texas

WEATHERLY

By COLLEEN WEATHERLY

Mrs. Horn and children of Memphis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Imel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stephens visited in Flomot Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly and family visited in Spur Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Collins visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Rice Sunday.

Miss Carrie Bell Lee, teacher in the Memphis public schools, who is doing graduate work at West Texas State College, Canyon, was home for the week end. Miss Lee is taking work in the field of second grade reading, relative to the 12-grade system recently introduced in the local school system. She is also doing research work in reading readiness.

WOMEN! Modern facts

61 years of use speak for

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Comments—

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there if he couldn't fly or be a fighter. He passed all examinations, but was rejected because of size. Persistence won at last, for he was given a job in an airplane factory at Burbank, Calif. Last week he received a check for \$42.00 for his first week's work. He immediately sent a money order for \$26.00 to his folks at home. If they won't let him fly, he will help the fellow who does, is his motto. Peanuts, the folks at home are proud of you.

Two hundred thousand pounds of scrap rubber is no small amount for a county to put into the war effort. M. J. Draper, salvage chairman, announced Tuesday that this amount of rubber had been turned in with more to come. Hall County may not lead all other counties of the Panhandle, but it will be close to the top when the final results are announced.

W. V. Coursey, city tax collector, has been named by the Hall County Ration Board as assistant in the fruit sugar rationing season in order to render a service to the many people who cannot make the trip to Estelline, or to Memphis on the day (Wednesday) when Miss Demarcus Gidden, secretary makes her weekly visit to Memphis.

The service of Mr. Coursey is purely voluntary and without pay, and being lent to the ration board by the City of Memphis for the accommodation of the citizens of the county.

While on the subject, some people are censoring local officials regarding the work of the ration board. This is entirely wrong, folks, for the Federal Government has jurisdiction and county and city officials have no authority whatever. And when you criticize, get the facts first. Don't be a party to a political football game.

Wheat on the north Plains is fine this year, with ideal harvesting weather. Different to last year when a big crop was lost because of too much rain. Harvest hands are hard to get and wages are the highest in many years. Besides a bountiful harvest requiring many laborers, the defense plants at Amarillo, Etter and Dalhart are

employing thousands of men. Many Memphians have good jobs at these plants. Etter, a small village at the crossing of the Santa Fe and Rock Island railroads in north Moore County, is the center of much activity with wheat harvesting and Cactus defense plant building making things hum. Quite different to the old "dust bowl" days. In our drive over the North Plains last week the Mrs. and your commentator saw hundreds of fields of ripening grain, yielding from 20 to 40 bushels per acre, with combines in every field running from about 9 o'clock in the morning to 10 or 11 at night, and trucks carrying the threshed wheat to elevators and other storage places. By selling outright the farmer gets 88 to 90 cents per bushel, but by properly storing the wheat, the Government lends about \$1.09 per bushel.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY—
Marjorie Don Stone, July 4.
Dink Barrett, July 7.
Mrs. Seth Thomason, July 9.
Betty Johnson, July 13.

CONGRATULATIONS—
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elliott, who celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary July 6.
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Johnson who celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary, July 7.

When the next contingent of young men leave for induction into the army, let's give them a rousing sendoff. Heretofore, because of rules of the Selective Service, the young men of Hall County have had to leave without any demonstration on the part of home folks. And their names were not supposed to be printed in their home newspapers. Now, these rules have been changed so that public sendoffs may be given and names may be published in the home paper. If the war is to be won by the Allies, everyone must get into the fight, either in the front line or at home. The situation is so serious that realization on the part of every person must result in an all-out effort.

If you have any old rubber around your home, get it to one of the filling stations at once. If the rubber is not of any use to you, it will not be missed, and it might come in mighty welcome to the war effort.

Have you bought bonds and stamps? Have you given to the USO or Red Cross? Have you dug up all scrap iron and scrap rubber around your home and sent it on the way? Have you quit speeding your car in order to conserve tires? Do you take needless trips in the car, when staying at home would not only save rubber but

money as well? Have you got to the point where you are willing to sacrifice one little luxury or necessity in order that the armed forces may be properly equipped? Have you yet realized that your country is at war and might lose to the Axis? If your answer is NO, then you are in bad shape.



"LET'S DO IT NOW"
A cruel world has got us, And squeezing at our throats; It's back to hoofs and horses, They've took our tires, trains and boats. There are gloomy days a coming, That will make us scratch our head. To keep our business running And our books out of the red. But we're no longer babies, We can take it or the chin, For who gives a tinker's damn about it, Just so Uncle Sammy wins! —To Hell with Hitler!

Former County—
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Lockney and later to Floydada. He was born July 20, 1877 and moved to Texas in 1900, settling in Wise County, where he married Miss Florence Walker in 1904.

Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Florence Bartlett; two daughters, Mrs. J. F. Colston, and Mrs. Walter Hollums of Floydada; four sons, C. E. H. E., and D. Y. Bartlett, all of Floydada, and J. S. of Los Angeles, Calif.

Locals and Personals
Miss Joyce Sheats of Childress visited here Tuesday.

Mrs. Al Burks went to Lubbock Wednesday for a visit with her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Teer and daughter Dorothy Dell left Wednesday for their home in Vernon after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elliott.

Edwin McCulloch visited Sunday in Wichita Falls with his brother Jake McCulloch, who is stationed at Sheppard Field.

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Winfred Rapp, who is attending school at A. & M., visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rapp.

Mrs. J. L. Darby was brought to her home Thursday from a hospital in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hester Regan and baby of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Curtis and children of Willow, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Red Spradlin were all here last week-end at the bed side of their sister, Mrs. Curtis Billingsley.

Mrs. Josh Wright Jr. left for San Diego, Calif., Friday to join her husband who is stationed there.

Mrs. Oda Edwards left for her home in Los Angeles, Calif. She was accompanied home by Bessie Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crump of Brownfield spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darby.

Neil Jackson, who is stationed at Albuquerque, N. M., was home last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Delver Gage and family of Arkansas, have moved here and will be employed at Childress.

Mrs. Bob Duncan is visiting relatives in Yukon, Okla., this week.

Curry Green of Mineral Wells is here visiting his sister, Mrs. B. Holland and Mrs. A. Eddleman.

Buck Even has gone to San Diego, Calif., where he will be in the army service.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hutchins and son spent the week-end in Clarendon and Clovis, N. M. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Sue Eddins.

Miss Alice Jane Smythe left for her home in Amarillo. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Carrol Eddins.

Buster Gailey left for Seattle Wash., this week. He will be employed there.

Locals and Personals
Miss Joyce Duren left Friday night for Washington, D. C. where she has accepted a civil service job. Miss Duren is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Duren.

Mrs. J. A. Merrick has been in a local hospital for a few days, and is reported doing nicely.

Glendle Hardage and wife and Billy Frank Hardage, of Berkeley, Calif., were here last week to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hardage and Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer.

D. L. Johnson was a business visitor in Dallas last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Combest and daughter Cynthia Ann of Amarillo visited Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd. The Combests recently moved to Amarillo where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brookshier of LeFors visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. S. Brookshier.

Mrs. Joe Barnett and daughter Bobbie of Lakeview were Memphis visitors Wednesday.

Do Your "Gums" Look "Repulsive"
Do your gums itch, burn or cause you discomfort, druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.
TARVER'S PHARMACY

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- COFFEE, White Swan, 1-pound... 33c; 3 pounds... 96c
- FLOUR, Sunny Boy, 6 lbs. 28c; 12 lbs. 49c; 24 lbs. 93c
- MEAL, Light Crust, 5-pound box 24c; 10-lb. bag 39c
- SNOWDRIFT or CRISCO, 3 pounds... 79c; 6 lbs. \$1.57
- MILK, 3 large or 6 small cans... 27c
- MILK, large cans, Eagle Brand... 23c
- SOAP, P & G or Crystal White, 6 large bars... 27c
- SOAP, Palmolive or Camay, 3 bars... 21c
- SOAP, giant size Ivory, 2 bars... 21c
- DUZ, the new granulated soap... 10c and 25c
- OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans... 15c
- SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, 2 boxes... 7c
- CRACKERS, 2-pound box, Saltine Flakes... 32c
- MIRACLE WHIP, pints 26c; quarts... 41c
- POTATO CHIPS, 2 packages... 17c
- JELL-O, all flavors, 3 packages... 21c
- CAKE FLOUR, Swans Down or SnoSheen, package 26c
- BAKING POWDER, 1-pound Calumet... 18c
- EGGS, fresh Country, per dozen... 27c
- WHEATIES, 2 boxes... 23c
- POST BRAN or Grape-Nuts Flakes, per package... 10c
- TOILET PAPER, ScotTissue, 3 rolls for... 23c
- PAPER TOWELS, Genuine Scot, 2 rolls... 23c
- TOMATO JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans for... 15c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, 2 cans... 23c
- ORANGE JUICE, 12-oz. can 9c; 46-oz. can... 31c
- GRAPE JUICE, Church's, pint 18c; quart... 32c
- VIENNA SAUSAGE, 2 for 23c; POTTED MEAT... 5c
- PORK AND BEANS, Van Camp's Original, 2 for... 17c
- SALMON, best pink, can... 23c
- ENGLISH PEAS, Empson's, medium cans, 2 for... 25c
- SPINACH, Heart's Delight, No. 2 cans, 2 for... 27c
- CHERRIES, Red Pitted, No. 2 cans... 14c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, 2 cans... 29c
- BACON, Corn King, sliced, pound... 32c
- CHEESE, best round, pound... 29c
- CANTALOUPEs, large Arizona, 2 for... 25c
- LEMONS, nice size, per dozen... 19c
- PLUMS or APRICOTS, large California, dozen... 14c
- FRESH TOMATOES, nice, pound... 10c
- BELL PEPPERS, per pound... 12c
- CUCUMBERS, nice green, pound... 6c
- BLACKEYED PEAS, home grown, pound... 7 1/2c
- NEW POTATOES, red or white, 5 pounds... 17c
- SQUASH, fresh, pound... 6c

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CLASSIFIED ADS

For Rent
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 1102 Robertson. Mrs. B. Blair. 1p
FOR RENT—Furnished apartments, 203 South 12th St. 1c
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment and bedroom, modern conveniences, Frigidaire, 703 S. 8th. 3-3p
FOR RENT—Unfurnished 4-room apartment, 421 North 14th Street. Call Mrs. Silas Wood, 138M. dh
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Call at 621 South 7th. tfe

For Sale
FOR SALE—Dwelling 1322 Main, just been repapered throughout and new roof. Small cash payment, balance monthly. Let us show you this property. Delaney Agency. Phone 151. 4-3c
FOR SALE—Several hundred second hand brick. Mrs. B. Watterbarger. 1p
FOR SALE—If you would be interested in buying a help-self laundry doing a good business, located in Memphis, Texas, write Box 1000, Memphis, Texas. 42c
FOR SALE or TRADE—7 good used saddles. Norman's. 3-3c
PEACHES—Will begin picking peaches Monday, July 6. Will pick and sell every day except Sundays at Luttrell's orchards, 2 miles west of Hedley, Texas. W. J. Luttrell. 3-4c
ARCH FILES for your invoices will keep them neat and available at all times. The Democrat. dh

Special Notice
HAWTHORN MATTRESS FACTORY will move next week to N. 6th, in the old Coca Cola building. Now is the time to have your Inner Spring mattresses made, while I have plenty of inner

spring units. We renovate old mattresses and make them good as new. Special prices on new Inner Spring and Cotton mattresses. W. H. Hawthorn, North 6th St., one block north of square. 4tf

ENVELOPES from the smallest to the largest. Consult The Democrat before you mail it. dh

NEW SUPPLY of Ray's Guaranteed Rat Killer, harmless to anything but Rats and Mice. Sells for 50c and \$1.00. (Also liquid). At Tarver's Pharmacy. 3-10p

DON'T GUESS at postage. Save money with an accurate postage scale—The Democrat. dh

BOOKKEEPERS—you'll like the new Dip-It Pen—just one dip and it writes 200 words. Get several for different colors of ink. The Democrat. dh

Wanted
WANTED—Used saddles. Selby Boot Shop. 2-tf

Legal Notice
THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF H. W. STRINGER, DECEASED.
The undersigned being duly appointed administratrix of the estate of H. W. Stringer, deceased, late of Hall County, Texas, by the County Judge of said County, on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1942, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law, at her residence in Memphis, Hall County, Texas, where she receives her mail, this the 20th day of June, A. D. 1942.
Mrs. Nora Stringer Administratrix of the Estate of H. W. Stringer, deceased. 2-4c

Locals and Personals

Miss Mary Beth McLaughlin of San Angelo and Joe Neal Berry were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. H. Gilmore and daughter Pauline and granddaughter Judy Gilmore of Turkey visited Tuesday with their son and brother, H. B. Gilmore and family. Jerry Gilmore accompanied his grandmother home for a visit.

Mrs. Ruth Grundy and Miss Mary Sue Huckaby of Amarillo visited last week-end with Miss Huckaby's mother, Mrs. Angus Huckaby. Miss Huckaby, who finished her secretarial course in June, is now private secretary to Leo E. Butter, manager of plumbing supplies at Pantex.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Draper and son Charles and Miss Charlyn Drake visited Monday in Amarillo. Mrs. Draper and son remained for a visit with her cousin, Mrs. Ivan Graham and family.

Mrs. Sidney Lesley visited last week in Lawton, Okla., with her husband, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lesley, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Armstrong and daughter, Jessie Dee of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore and children, Wanda Lee and Billie visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ples Armstrong Sunday.

Earl Spry visited with Mrs. Fred Spry and children of Alvarado during the latter part of last week. Tommy and Jack Spry returned with him for an indefinite visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald visited Sunday in Altus, Okla., with his niece, Mrs. Denvil Roberts and family of North Carolina.

Miss Margaret Helen Morris of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Cudd and husband.

Jim Caviness, student in NTAC at Arlington, visited last week-end with his father, C. L. Caviness.

Mr. and Mrs. Malone Hagan and children of Childress visited Saturday with friends here.

Miss Jane Tarver returned Tuesday night from Houston where she visited with Miss Jean Shelton.

Mrs. Raymond Adecock of Childress visited Tuesday with Mrs. Ed McCreary.

Mrs. Bill McMurphy and son Stanley returned to their home in Borger Saturday after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. E. H. Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whitmore and son Clifford of Houston visited Monday with her sister, Mrs. Louie Merrell and family, en route to Clarendon for a visit with her mother.

Miss Mary Jean Sanders of Amarillo visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. D. Sanders.

L. W. Garrett of Dallas visited last week-end with his brother Frank Garrett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hampton are business visitors in Floydada this week. They will also visit with Mrs. Hampton's son, Hubert Maddox in Lubbock.

Mrs. Horace Noble and son of Denver, Colo., came Thursday night of last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lindsey.

James Fultz attended the rodeo in Clarendon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry W. True spent Saturday in Clarendon.

J. F. Forkner left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Marietta and Lone Grove, Okla., and Fort Worth. He will return the latter part of the week.

Jack Miller student in NTAC at Arlington, visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller.



GRAPES THOMPSON SEEDLESS 2 Pounds... BANANAS Per Dozen... LEMONS 2 Dozen... FRESH TOMATOES Ripe, 2 lbs... 15c SPUDS 10-lb. bag... 39c LIMES 2 Dozen... SOAP, Big Ben, 6 bars... 25c CORN, 3 No. 2 cans... LYE, 3 cans... 25c PEAS, Good Value, 2 cans... CLOTHES PINS, 18 for... 10c TOMATOES, 2 No. 2 cans... MILK, Carolene, 7 cans... 25c PEANUT BUTTER, 2-lb. jar... NO. 7 ON YOUR SUGAR CARD Good for 2 Pounds of Sugar July 10-22 SUGAR Pure Cane 10-lb. bag... 75c WHITE PRESERVED SYRUP Gallon... STAR LIGHT FLOUR 24 Pounds... 79c LARD 8-lb. crt... \$1.45 Folger's COFFEE 2 Pounds... 1 Pound... FRESH CATFISH Pound... 38c No. 1 Dry Salt BACON Pound... 21c Kraft Longhorn CHEESE Pound... 25c Hot Butter Pound... No. 1 Dry Salt JOWLS Pound... 15c Ham Salad Pound... 35c Sausage Pound... HAMBURGER Pound... 20c

'M' SYSTEM

GILPI By MRS. R. K... Jet Brumley of Parks Brumley, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Knight and Mr. Brumley. Mrs. J. H. turned to Pampa via visit. Miss Mary Anne ed home with her fore leaving for San small son, Larry Dale visited Mr. and Mrs. last week end. Mr. and non Phillips and daughter visited in the Harper day. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. lin spent the week-end with Mrs. George W. Visiting Mr. and O'himer and family. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. son, Mrs. B. Howard vander and son of M. Mrs. Othy Morgan of Wichita Falls are visit Mrs. Hugh Nelson and Ewel Troy Admire of his home in Electra with mother last week after Mr. and Mrs. Jack family. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh family of Memphis visit Mrs. Cecil Guthrie of day. Mr. and Mrs. G here with their home Miss Margaret K Sunday with Miss Mary hill of Newlin. First naval battle French was in 1798 when ware captured the Fro Croayale. Marines part FOR SALE Calendars, Novelties business concerns, Tex of Dallas. A home order guaranteed at sold. Salesbooks at prices. Your business N. E. Burk, Box 584

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GRAPES THOMPSON SEEDS 2 Pounds ... BANANAS Per Dozen ... LEMONS 2 Dozen ... LIMES 2 Dozen ...

WHITE PRESERVATION SYRUP Gallon ... Folger's Coffee 2 Pounds ...

Hot Barbecue Sauce 1 Pound ...

Open MIL SERVICE The national defense program of the United States opening a listing of a few of the which applications are taken (further information obtained from Thompson State Civil Service office) is as follows: Mr. and Mrs. O. J. ...

FOR SALE Calendars, Novelties business concerns, etc. of Dallas. A home order guaranteed at prices. Your business N. E. Burk, Box 584

BETTER FOODS INVEST in War Savings STAMPS for LESS

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Visitors From 18 States See Museum Eighteen states were represented in attendance at the Panhandle Plains Museum at Canyon during June, when—despite transportation difficulties—the number of persons registering totaled 2,472. Leading states in the registration included Texas, with 2,083; New Mexico, 59; Oklahoma, 80; California, 28; Missouri, 25; Colorado, 21; Kentucky, 18; Kansas, 15; Iowa, 13; and Illinois, 10. There were three visitors from Panama and two from England. Seven came from the District of Columbia.

Estelline Couple Marry on Monday Night at Hollis Miss Ella Mae Wright and Billie Frank Nivens of Estelline were married in Hollis, Okla., on Monday night.

Memphis Girls— (Continued from page 1) have the consent of their parents, all over twenty-one must have a birth certificate, all who are married must furnish a release from their wives, and all must be able to pass a physical examination.

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BOYCE HOUSE

Candidate For Lieut.-Governor Visitor in City Boyce House, who is familiar with conditions in West Texas due to the fact that he lived for 15 years in this half of the State, was in Memphis Monday afternoon in his campaign for Lieutenant Governor.

Coast Guard Will— (Continued from page 1) have the consent of their parents, all over twenty-one must have a birth certificate, all who are married must furnish a release from their wives, and all must be able to pass a physical examination.

Future Readers of The Democrat Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Braidfoot are the parents of a boy born Thursday, July 2. He weighed 9 1-2 pounds and has been named Larry Don.

SOCIETY

Approaching Wedding of Miss Eloise Norman to Midland Man Is Announced

Announcing the approaching marriage of her daughter, Eloise, to William Everett Shipp Jr., of Midland, Mrs. J. H. Norman entertained with an office on Wednesday morning at her home on South 7th street. Mr. Shipp is the son of Mrs. W. M. Shipp.

Locals and Personals

Miss Nell McNeely returned Monday night from a visit with friends in Ada, Okla. Joe Neil Berry of Lesley and Elmer Fisher went Tuesday to Lubbock on business. Mr. Fisher returned Wednesday and Mr. Berry remained for an indefinite time.

Estelline Couple Marry on Monday Night at Hollis

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Intensified Salvage

(Continued from page 1) campaign. It will cover all materials. And, the overall campaign will start nationally next Monday (July 13). By then, most of the details of the rubber drive will be in the final tabulation stage.

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Mrs. Clarence Strooble and daughter Billie Jean left Thursday night for Central City, Colo., for a visit with her mother-in-law, Mrs. John Strooble.

Services for Sunday: Church school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Intermediate League 7:30 p. m. Senior League 7:30 p. m. Evening worship 8:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Ernest B. Motley, Pastor Residence 822 W. Brice Ph. 198 Sunday school 11:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Brother Floyd J. Spivy of Greggton, Texas, will do the preaching in a gospel meeting which begins at the local Church of Christ next Wednesday night, July 15.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH S. F. MARTIN, Pastor SUNDAY— 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship

LAKEVIEW METHODIST CHURCH Our revival begins July 12 at Lakeview with Rev. Hamilton Wright, pastor at Turkey, doing the preaching.

WEDNESDAY— 8:00 p. m. Teachers and officers meeting. 8:45 p. m. Prayer meeting.

PIGGLY WIGGLY



FOOD for VICTORY TOMATOES - LETTUCE 3 Pounds ... 25c Per Head ... 8c LEMONS OKRA Per Dozen .. 15c Per Pound .. 10c CALIF. PLUMS Calif. APRICOTS Per Dozen .. 15c Per Dozen .. 15c

PIMIENTOS, 7-oz. can ... 16c PEAS, Our Value, No. 2 can ... 12c CATSUP, Kuner's, 2 cans 25c KRAFT DINNER, 3 boxes ... 25c GRAPE JUICE, Royal Purple, qt. 33c

FLOUR DOBRY'S BEST 48 Pounds \$1.75 MEAL DOBRY'S BEST 20 Pounds .. 70c PRUNES PICKLES Per Gallon .. 35c Per Quart ... 18c

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KRAFT AMERICAN or PIMENTO CHEESE, per pound ... 35c OLEO, per pound ... 19c SAUSAGE, fresh Pork, pound ... 25c BARBECUE, per pound ... 30c STEAK, pound ... 25c

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SHOOT THE SABOTEURS

SOME DAY soon we hope to read the news that eight Nazi saboteurs landed on the Atlantic coast by submarine have been tried by a military court and summarily shot. This desire is not expressed because of any blood-lust. Like most Americans we are not bloodthirsty, but we are tired of seeing this country's known enemies treated as if they were honored guests.

The FBI did a splendid job in catching these agents of Nazidom red-handed, but their quick apprehension will be nullified to a large extent if they receive no more than a prison sentence. It cannot be argued that these minions of Hitler are criminals, unless the two who were once naturalized citizens of the United States might be considered guilty of treason. They are in the service of their country, but that in no way diminishes their eligibility for the services of a firing squad.

If the situation were reversed, and American agents were sent into Germany or any of the occupied countries for espionage or sabotage, they would have no doubt what sort of penalty would be meted out to them if caught by Hitler's Gestapo.

This is war, but sometimes it doesn't seem that those in authority are fully aware of it. Why should Nazi spies and saboteurs fear to operate in this country if they know they are faced with no more than a prison sentence if apprehended? Such leniency makes it all too easy for Axis agents to operate with impunity. Prompt liquidation of a few of them might make this service to Der Fuehrer a little less attractive.

For these reasons, we repeat, we hope to hear that the octet under discussion have been placed against the most convenient brick wall and given the only kind of treatment their bosses understand. Not next month, or six months hence, but NOW!

MORE WORK FOR THE RED CROSS

A LETTER received earlier in the week from American Red Cross headquarters at St. Louis by Mrs. B. Webster, chairman of war relief production for the Hall County Chapter, gives the information that all Red Cross chapters are to be called upon to provide a very large number of surgical dressings for the Army in ensuing months.

Information has also been received that the quota of other garments being made by the local chapter is going to be doubled.

This means that a great many more women will be called upon to do a great deal more work in the Red Cross rooms. In the matter of surgical dressings, it is understood that the commercial companies will not be able to supply all that will be needed. And this is work that cannot be taken home, but must be done at the rooms.

Hall County women have been meeting the demands made upon them by the Red Cross in splendid fashion and it is safe to say that they will respond to this new call. It is not conceivable that they would permit the possibility that wounded American soldiers, some of whom might be Hall County boys, to suffer for any lack of effort they might put forth.

This is the time of year when most everyone wishes winter would come.

Stretching the rubber salvage campaign ten days put more snap into it.

Could the heat waves being reported from German cities be caused by RAF incendiary bombs?

Once we read about the fashions to see what was going on; now we read about them to see what's coming off.

A man who can profit by adversity is one who, when fate hands him a lemon, makes himself a lemonade.

Reports of British bombing of Nazi munitions plants indicates the RAF boys are always ready to "shoot the works."



VICTORY

Excerpts from the Official OEM Bulletin

Tin Salvage Plus Due Soon

Anticipating the opening of copper precipitation plants at Houston, Dallas and Kansas City, the War Production Board has banned the sale of salvaged tin cans and other types of tinned scrap in 63 specified Texas counties and certain counties in Kansas and Missouri. WPB also prohibited shipment of such scrap outside of the designated counties. All tinned scrap from the specified areas will be needed in the salvage operations of the copper precipitation plants, which are expected to be ready for business soon. Tin can collection campaigns will be organized in the designated counties as soon as the new plants go into operation.

Rubber Stockpile Dwindling

At the present rate of consumption, the nation's rubber stockpile will be exhausted by the end of March, 1943, although not a single ounce of rubber is going into civilian passenger car tires. The enormous demand for rubber is demonstrated by the fact that the bullet-proof gasoline tanks of a Flying Fortress take over half a ton, and even a gas mask uses nearly two pounds.

New Tire "Census" Taken

OPA has called for inventories of all serviceable tires, whether new, used or retreaded and recapped, from all tire dealers, showing their stocks as of June 30. The reports will be filed with local War Price and Rationing Boards on forms now being mailed to all dealers in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas. Hereafter tire sellers will be required to file such inventory reports quarterly. From the data furnished rationing officials, OPA will determine how much new tire stock is fast-selling and how much is in sizes not used on later model cars. Data also will be obtained on how many recappable carcasses there are and where they are located.

Jewelry Prices Controlled

A recent definition by OPA of "precious stones" brings almost the entire jewelry industry under the provisions of the General Maximum Price Regulation. Under Amendment 9 to the GMPR, precious stones exempted from the pricing regulations are limited to the uncut, rare and most expensive stones, or mountings containing these stones.

Model Store Shows Posting

Dallas retail and wholesale firms cooperated with region OPA officials in preparing a "model store" display, showing proper methods of pricing ceiling prices on cost-of-living commodities, which featured the one-day price control school held recently in Dallas. More than 150 representatives of retail trade associations, chambers of commerce, and large retail establishments in the Dallas trade territory attended the school. The school will be repeated in other key cities of the Dallas OPA region.

Political Announcements

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

- 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 DEAVER (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) A. C. HOFFMAN
- For Sheriff:** W. C. ANDERSON
- 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 J. L. MARCUM

Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

In Defense of Tommy

Speaking of the English fighting or not fighting at Tobruk, we want to put in a word for the average Englishman, who, like the average American, is fighting this war. The enlisted personnel of the British army are really good fighters. They have died in every mudhole, jungle and desert on the face of the earth. What the people of the British Isles are up in arms about is the leadership of the men. Is Mr. Churchill putting his best men in command or he is putting his good friends in these places because of a class feeling or of personal friendship? We can't know this far from the scene of action, but we can know that the average man who goes to war in England is a wonderful fighter, with stamina and fortitude and staying qualities. Whatever criticism you may think is deserved by the British don't overlook the point that the buck privates from the tight little isle are really among the world's best, whether or not you like them personally. —Floyd County Hesperian.

Synthetic Rubber

What the country would like to know is who is going to get the word to go ahead and make synthetic rubber. Will it be the big oil companies, or will it be made from grain alcohol? While the powers that be debate and quibble, and quibble and debate, the tires are getting thinner and thinner. —Tulia Herald.

Strange Hold

We heard a preacher declare over the radio last Sunday that it is the devil who makes people go to sleep in church. If that is so, he certainly does have a strange hold on a lot of us. —Lynn County News.

Happy Medium?

A columnist says the state of mind we need to cultivate in these perilous times is somewhere between cheerful pessimism and timid optimism, one that doesn't let us get buoyed up too much by a victory like Midway, or depressed unnecessarily by a setback like that of Tobruk. Personally, we've never seen a cheerful pessimist, or a timid optimist. A cheerful pessimist would probably say: "Don't let them kid you, Hitler's going to wipe us off the face of the earth. (Then cheerfully) But we can't live forever."

The timid optimist would probably glance carefully all around, then whisper: "I got it straight from a junior typist at Washington that the war is going to be over before the first of the year. But of course she may have been listening to a bunch of propagandists." —Virginia Anderson in The Shamrock Texan.

Locals and Personals

M. C. Robertson who is employed at Crowell visited last week-end with his family.

Mrs. H. J. Rice and daughter Ina Nell and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bost and daughter Penny of Arlington visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oren.

Roy and John Gilreath, students in A. & M. college at College Station, visited last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Pyle and daughter Mary Lou of Dallas visited last week-end with his brother, T. J. Pyle and family.

Lloyd Byars of Amarillo visited last week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson left Saturday night for a visit in Gilmer with her father, Matt Ward.

Mrs. G. A. Wimberly of Amarillo visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. C. F. Wilson.

Charlie Williams Jr. and L. A. Richards visited last week-end in Lubbock.

Miss Frances Craver of Pampa visited last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Craver.

Loyd Ward left Thursday of last week for a visit in Hollis, Okla., with her grandmother, Mrs. Lusk.

Miss Juanelle Siddle returned Sunday night from visits in Fort Worth with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. McBride and family, and in Dallas with her uncle, W. M. Toon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hirk Roberts and son Hirk Jr. and Miss Jimmie Gilreath of Lubbock visited last week-end with Mrs. Roberts' and Miss Gilreath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

Mrs. John J. Woods is visiting in Clovis, N. M., with Mr. and Mrs. Don Woods.

Miss Ruby O'Neal visited last week-end in Fort Worth with her brother, Lt. Bartow O'Neal, who left there Saturday night for foreign service. Lieutenant O'Neal received his wings from Stockton Field, Calif., on March 16 of this year. He also is a brother of Mrs. R. A. Massey.

Margie Hardwick is visiting this week in Turkey with Janet Barnhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knight attended the rodeo in Clarendon Saturday.

Jim Caviness and Miss Gloria Scott were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Miss Billy Jo Prater, Thomas Rogers, Don Tarver and Billy Lee attended the fourth of July celebration in Clarendon Saturday.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

of the
FIRST STATE BANK
at Memphis, State of Texas, at the close of business on the day of June, 1942, published in the Memphis Democrat newspaper printed and published at Memphis, State of Texas, on the 9th day of July, 1942, in accordance with a call by the Banking Commissioner of Texas pursuant to the provisions of the Banking Law of this State.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$308,150.00
Loans secured by real estate	18,000.00
Overdrafts	15,000.00
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	62,000.00
Other bonds and stocks owned, including stock in Federal Reserve Bank	5,000.00
Banking House	15,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	70,000.00
TOTAL	\$478,150.00
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Income Debentures sold	35,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	6,000.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	7,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	286,000.00
Public Funds, including Postal Savings	94,150.00
TOTAL	\$478,150.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hall,
We, F. E. Leary, as President and G. M. Duren, as Cashier, of the above-named bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
F. E. LEARY, President
G. M. DUREN, Cashier
A. D. 1942.
(SEAL)
Notary Public, Hall County

CORRECT—ATTEST:
F. A. Finch, T. J. Dunbar, Sam J. Hamilton, directors

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Memphis, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1942. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$429.05 overdrafts)	\$585,000.00
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	78,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	128,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	3,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	5,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	535,000.00
Bank premises owned \$24,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,000.00	28,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	2,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,364,000.00
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,090,000.00
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	210,000.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	23,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	39,000.00
Deposits of banks	42,000.00
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	6,000.00
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,202,840.17
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,202,840.17
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Common stock, total par \$75,000.00	75,000.00
Surplus	54,000.00
Undivided profits	5,000.00
Reserves	123,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$167,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES and Capital Accounts	\$1,364,000.00

MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$6,000.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under purchase agreement)	0.00
TOTAL	\$6,000.00
Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	\$5,000.00
TOTAL	\$5,000.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hall, ss:
I, T. H. Deaver, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
T. H. DEAVER, Cashier
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of July, 1942.
(SEAL)
Evelyn Selby, Notary Public

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Rev. Shannon filled his regular appointment at Liberty Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. E. T. Prater and daughters, Genevieve and Mrs. Coy Davis were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Guild and Mrs. Claud Johnson attended the reception in Clarendon Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brumley on their Golden Wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Milam and daughters, Katherine Frances and Betty Gene and Mary Beth Thornton were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Miss Jean Dawson, William Lavender, Miss Louis Brewer and Douglas Lawrence attended the 4th of July celebration in Clarendon Saturday.

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Mrs. R. E. Renfro and children, Billie Lou, Herschel and Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes and Miss Mary Jo McLanhan of Henrietta visited Mrs. Hubert Hall from Tuesday until Thursday.

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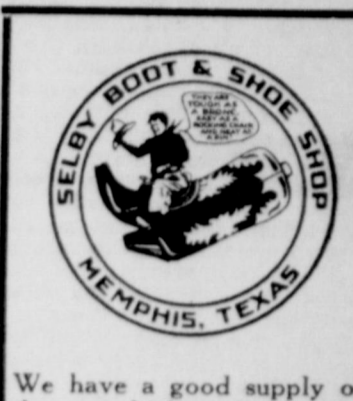
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all along, and has cooperated wholeheartedly with the USDA War Board, the Hall County Salvage committee and other groups working for the downfall of the Axis.

The importance of such an organization in wartime can scarcely be over-emphasized. With civilian transportation being constantly curtailed, it is fast becoming impractical to hold meetings formerly used to reach farm families with vital information. The "human communications system" not only serves the purpose of meetings of farm families, but serves it much more thoroughly.

Naturally, the most perfectly planned organization will not work without the willing and energetic cooperation of its various units. In this respect, declares County Agent Hooser, the rural population of Hall County is setting a shining example for the rest of the State. Every member of the Victory Council, every community and neighborhood leader, and the families contacted by each of the latter has responded eagerly to all the calls made upon them for war service of any kind.

The Hall County Victory Council is composed of men and women representing all phases of the agricultural industry. All the community leaders are members, and they are listed farther along in this article with the neighborhood leaders in their communities. Council members who are not community leaders are: M. A. Barron, T. W. Bell, O. E. Bevers, B. F. Cope, Ed Drake, Arthur Eddleman, C. A. Higley, Harold A. Hodges, S. T. Hutchins, Star D. Johnson, T. H. Joutet, Mark Lane, Jess Mann, C. B. Meacham, M. N. Orr, S. D. Posey, W. W. Richards, E. R. Rorie, John Sharp, James B. Smith, A. B. Stephens, F. E. Trapp, Alga Turner and C. D. Williams.

In addition to the above named, representatives of the various government, state and county agencies related to agriculture and the home serve on the council. These are: Roy Russell, commissioner of court; W. B. Hooser, Texas Extension service; F. E. Leary, key banker; R. C. Land, FSA supervisor; Miss Maggie Henson, FSA home management supervisor; Mrs. John Sharp; Ralph Howe, Memphis PCA; B. F. Parsons, Soil Conservation service; M. W. Waldron, Texas Employment Service; Tom Croker, U. S. Forest Service; Gene Barnett, Memphis vocational agriculture teacher; Walter Labay, Estelline agriculture teacher; B. B. Phillips, Tur-

key agriculture teacher; Mrs. Hazel Davis, Estelline homemaking teacher; Miss Rheta Sullivan, Memphis homemaking teacher; Mrs. E. J. McKnight, Lakeview homemaking teacher, Miss Rachel Deahl, WPA.

Victory leaders of the various communities and the neighborhoods into which they are subdivided are as follows: Brice (5 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: M. L. Pittman and Mrs. Star D. Johnson. Neighborhood leaders: E. J. Cheek, Mrs. W. A. Baten, Boyd Dickson, Mrs. T. H. Gattis, J. C. Johnson, Miss Mamie Smallwood, M. O. Evans, Mrs. Harlie Moreman, S. D. Johnson, Mrs. G. D. Craft.

Lesley (6 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Paul Montgomery and Mrs. J. B. Adams. Neighborhood leaders: David Hudgins, Mrs. Dewitt Ray, Zack Salmon, Mrs. J. P. Fowler, Fay Barry, Mrs. Clyde Fowler, Pat Lewis, Mrs. J. P. Montgomery, M. E. Drake, Mrs. Bailey Smith, J. B. Smith, Mrs. Henry Booth.

Lakeview (6 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Del E. Wells and Mrs. Paul McCanne. Neighborhood leaders: W. C. Wolf, Mrs. C. A. Orrell, M. A. Wiley, Mrs. G. R. Long, J. L. Richburg, Mrs. Henry Moore, J. W. Watson, Mrs. W. M. Wolf, E. C. Barnett, Mrs. V. M. Patton, T. J. Brock, Mrs. Claud Spivey.

Deep Lake (4 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: John Bevers, Mrs. Mattie May Lawrence. Neighborhood leaders: G. J. Hinders, Mrs. L. L. Jester, Martin Holcomb, Mrs. Robert Gresham, W. T. Koeninger, Mrs. A. S. Bevers, E. B. Holligan, Mrs. C. W. Rousseau.

Pleasant Valley (4 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Doyle Hall and Mrs. T. E. Lenoir. Neighborhood leaders: T. E. Payne, Mrs. Ed Monzingo, H. C. Crawford, Mrs. A. L. Hall, Glen Verden, Mrs. John Boswell, Alvin Molloy, Mrs. J. W. Molloy.

Eli (4 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: W. B. Stargel and Mrs. Robert Snowden. Neighborhood leaders: Oran Waites, Mrs. O. M. Gunstream, W. B. Gilreath, Mrs. Joe T. Nelson, O. A. Bevers, Mrs. Julie Gable, Wade Patrick, Mrs. G. T. Moss.

Plaska (8 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Arthur Giddens and Mrs. H. A. Hodges. Neighborhood leaders: W. A. Foster, Mrs. T. J. Spry, Jake Lamb, Mrs. W. J. McMaster, M. N. Orr, Mrs. L. A. Bray, Frank Wheeler, Mrs. J. H. Widener, P. E. Gardenhire, Mrs. S. A. Ellis, J. T. Dennis, Mrs. W. C. Hightight, John Campbell, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, H. S. Foster, Mrs. W. W. Dunn.

Memphis (7 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Mrs. S. D. Posey and Seth Thomason. Neighborhood leaders: W. T. McElreath, Mrs. Ivan McElreath, N. A. Hightower, Mrs. Jess B. Foster, W. A. Thompson, Mrs. Theodore Swift, C. W. Broome, Mrs. E. E. Cudd, C. F. Stone, Mrs. W. H. Monzingo, G. F. Hartsell, Mrs. Jess Daniel, L. P. Blevins, Mrs. Dot Webster.

Friendship (4 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: D. A. Neely and Mrs. Guy Smith. Neighborhood leaders: S. G. Bruce, Mrs. W. E. Stewart, Lamar West, Mrs. Eugene McElreath, L. E. Jenkins, Mrs. Glen Stargel, Frank Ellis, Mrs. G. E. Lockhart.

Salisbury (3 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Alfred Hutcherson and Mrs. C. A. Williams. Neighborhood leaders: W. Gamme, Mrs. J. W. Longshore, W. B. McQueen, Mrs. L. I. Davis, Ernest Lee, Mrs. J. E. Mitchell.

Newlin (4 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Doc C. Messick and Mrs. A. A. Kinard. Neighborhood leaders: Lewis Harper, Mrs. Ted Barnes, S. R. Koeninger, Mrs. Frank Solomon, C. D. Moore, Mrs. Oran Adcock, Wiley E. Watson, Mrs. J. S. Berryman.

Estelline (4 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: John Russell and Mrs. Garland Gardenhire. Neighborhood leaders: Lloyd Williams, Mrs. W. F. Holland, J. H. Russell, Mrs. N. B. Curtis, J. B. Burkhardt, Mrs. Jno. W. Ewen, L. H. Price, Mrs. F. B. Berry.

Baylor (5 neighborhoods)—Community leaders: Wade Davis

NEWS about boys in the Service

Sgt. James C. Beckham came Wednesday of last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beckham. Sergeant Beckham is stationed at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo.

Pvt. Tom McCauley of Fort Sill, Okla., visited last week-end with his friends here.

Pvt. Jack Holcomb of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, visited last week-end with his wife and his mother here. Private Holcomb is with the Medical corps.

Lewis Foxhall, cadet in the U. S. Army Air Corps, stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio, is here visiting his father, F. N. Foxhall.

Claude E. Stevens of Fort Sam Houston, with the Second Engineers, arrived Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stevens of South 5th street. He has been in the army five months, and had been in army service previous to this enlistment.

Porter Browning Denson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Denson of Lakeview, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Denson enlisted in the Army in July, 1941. He is attached to the 8th Cavalry at Fort Bliss, El Paso.

Corp. William Lawrence Taylor of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, visited last week-end with his parents, at Eli. Corporal Taylor is a mechanic in the infantry.

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Received your letter asking what we do in the Army. We lie in bed every morning until 5:15 o'clock. This, of course, gives us plenty of time to get shaved, washed, dressed and make up our beds by 5:19. Then we stand outside and shiver awhile until some one toots a horn. After we are reasonably chilled, we grope our way through the darkness to the mess hall. Here we have plenty of breakfast, consisting of an unidentified liquid, and our choice of either white or rye crusts.

After gorging ourselves with this delicious repast, we waddle back to the tents. We have nothing to do until 7, so we just sit around and scrub floors, wash windows and pick up all cigarette butts and match stems within a radius of 150 feet of our tents.

Soon the sergeant comes in and says, "Come out in the sun, kiddies." So we go out and bask in the wonderful sunshine. Of course, we stand in six inches of mud. To lumber up we do a few simple calisthenics, like touching your toes with both feet off the ground and grabbing yourself by the hair and holding yourself at arm's length.

At 8 o'clock we put on a light pack and start walking to the mountains. The pack is not to be confused with the heavy pack. The light pack includes a gun, bayonet, canteen, mess kit, cup, cartridge belt, first aid kit, pup tent, six pegs, tent pole, rope and a few other negligible items. The heavy pack includes a blanket or two. Carrying my pack I weigh 256 pounds, (I weighed 165 pounds when I left). So you see how easy it is to roam and play in the mountains around Camp Barkeley.

An observation car follows us as we climb the mountains and picks up the fellows who faint. The fellows who faint in line are treated very well. They are given three months in the guardhouse, but they do not have to face a court martial. At 12 o'clock those who can, limp to the infirmary. At the infirmary, the fellows are divided into two classes, (1) those who have athlete's foot, (2) those who have colds. If you have a cold you get your throat swabbed with iodine, and if athlete's foot, you get aspirin tablets. Anyone who claims he has neither athlete's foot or a cold is sent to the guardhouse for impersonating an officer.

I am very popular at the infirmary. I have been told that I have athlete's foot and a cold also. What I really have is gastric ul-

cers, but I know when to keep my mouth shut. Well, that's all for tonight. I have to run to the mess hall. We're having hominy grits tonight—Oh, boy!

I'll be looking for you. Your friend, Pvt. Jack Holcomb

Pvt. James T. Hardage, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hardage, who is serving in the Quartermaster Section at Fort Thomas, Ky., greets his fellow townsmen of Memphis with a cheery letter:

Just a few lines from a home town boy to his fellow townsmen. I am really proud to have come from a town that is taking such an interest in the all-out drive for Victory. The boys in the Armed Forces are proud of you. Keep up the good work.

I have really been around since joining the army. Took my basic training in Camp Lee, Va.; after that I went to Fort Harrison, Ind., for four months and attended the Army School for Bakers and Cooks. Graduated as first baker and am now stationed in the post bakery at Fort Thomas, Ky. I am second in command of the bakery. Have not received my rating as yet, but will receive it some time this month.

Have been getting The Democrat every week. Sure does help me to pass the time away.

Folks, how about writing to a lonesome soldier. I promise to answer each and every letter received. My address is Q. M. Section, 1540th Service Unit (SC), Fort Thomas, Ky. Here's hoping my mail gets heavier.

Yours sincerely, Pvt. James T. Hardage

Cecil W. Galloway, technician 4th grade, is stationed at the desert training center at Camp Young, Calif. He writes his mother, Mrs. E. J. Galloway, Route 1, Memphis, as follows:

Dearest Mother: Don't know why you haven't heard from me. I wrote last Monday and have been wondering why I haven't heard from any of you. Am still here in the desert, feeling fine. Glad to hear that all of you are over the mumps. Hope I never have them.

I will probably be home around the first of August, or the tenth. That is, if I can make it. Think I can get 10 or 15 days then. Well, the new pay bill didn't hurt me so bad after all. I now have a technician 4th grade rating, which pays me \$78 per month, a \$12 increase. I will not get it on this month's pay, but will get the difference on the July payroll.

Not much here to write about except the heat, of which there is plenty, 110 degrees most every

day, hot winds and no clouds. It was 127 degrees in the shade today, but with cold showers, it was 90.

Tell granddad he will probably be unable to get into the camp, as it is restricted, but if he will call me here at 91st Rcn. Sq. from India, I will be able to come in to see him, or if he will let me know when he comes through, will meet him there. Am going in to Los Angeles over the week end of the Fourth.

It's so hot am unable to write more tonight. Will write a lot when it gets cooler.

Love, Cecil

Gain in Revenues Low Income Farm Families Reported

Texas' low-income farm families have increased their annual net income by 103 percent and have more than doubled food production for their own use since receiving rehabilitation loans from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, according to information received here by Robert C. Land, FSA Supervisor for Hall County. The gains registered by Texas' farm families were above the national increase of more than one-quarter million FSA borrower families.

Mr. Land's information came to him in a report by C. B. Baldwin, Farm Security Administrator, which was prepared for Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard.

Pointing out that these increases are particularly significant as a contribution to Food for Freedom, the FSA administrator told Secretary Wickard these gains "support in a striking manner your recent statement that on all these small farms with their supply of home labor lies a real opportunity today for a high percentage increase in wartime production."

"This family progress report," Mr. Land said, "shows greater increases than in any previous year of FSA operation. This shows the willingness and ability of low-income farm people, when properly assisted, to do their share toward meeting the nation's food goals."

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