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Possible Payments Soil Building In Hall County Tripled



Farmers and ranchmen of Hall County have an opportunity to earn a total of \$104,549 in soil building payments between now and November 30, approximately three times the total of \$34,490 allowed under the 1941 AAA program, according to D. A. Neeley, chairman of the county AAA committee. Shifting a portion of the AAA payments which formerly were made for seeding within special acreage allotment accounts for the increase, Neeley said.

Rep. Worley Will Return to Capital Soon as Possible

Rep. Eugene Worley of the 18th Texas Congressional district, who is now serving in the U. S. navy as a lieutenant-commander, is expected to return to Washington as soon as possible, in compliance with a directive issued by President Roosevelt. Immediately on his return he plans to spend several days in the district before resuming congressional duties in the national capital.

Local Merchants To Honor American Heroes on Friday

Merchants of Memphis will join hands with a million other retailers throughout the United States Friday, July 17, in celebrating American Heroes Day. C. Lee Rushing, chairman of the War Bond and Stamp committee, said today.

CLAUDE'S Comments

A nice contribution to the Fairview power mower fund was made last week by the Plaska community in the sum of \$20.00. This amount of money was contributed to go toward the erection of a gateway to City Park, but due to the WPA work stoppage, was not used, so the Plaska people voted to make the donation to Fairview mower. Those contributing and the amounts were: E. E. Foster \$2.00, John Smith \$2.00, Edgar Foster \$2.00, L. H. Bray \$1.00, Clarence Morris \$1.00, T. J. Spry Sr. \$1.00, Ira McDaniel \$1.00, Walter Carty Cunningham \$1.00, Walter McMaster \$1.00, Arthur Gidden \$2.00, T. J. Spry Jr. \$1.00, H. S. Foster \$1.00, J. J. McDaniel \$1.00, Jake Lamb \$2.00.



OVER 114 TONS RUBBER MASSED IN HALL COUNTY

County Chairman Lauds Efforts in All-Out Salvage Drive

With final reports in from the rubber salvage campaign, which was officially concluded last Friday, Hall County people can pride themselves on a big job well done, County Chairman M. J. Draper said today. Totalling up the totals from various collecting agencies, it is found that altogether 228,354 pounds of scrap and discarded rubber were gathered in the drive called for by President Roosevelt.

'V-Mail' Service Is Inaugurated by Postal Department

Designed to Reduce Bulk And Expedite Delivery of Mail to Fighters Overseas

In cooperation with the United States War and Navy Departments, the Post Office Department has inaugurated a new service, known as V-Mail service to conserve transportation space and to expedite the handling of messages to and from members of the armed forces stationed outside the continental United States, according to information received by

Flames From Oil Stove Raze Store Owned by Negro

Morningside Blaze Thursday Is Third for Memphis Fire Department in Three Days

Fire caused by explosion of an oil stove destroyed a grocery store operated by Joe Deery, colored, in the Morningside negro section of Memphis late Thursday afternoon. The Memphis fire department answered the alarm about 6:30 p. m., but headway gained by the flames and lack of water made their efforts of little avail.

Legion Post Names New Official Group

New officers to guide the affairs of Chas. R. Simmons Post, American Legion, for the ensuing year, were elected at a meeting held Thursday night at the Legion here. Those chosen to the various official positions are as follows: Allen C. Grundy, post commander; John M. Deaver, first vice-commander; Joe Deberry, second vice-commander; Roy L. Guthrie, adjutant; O. V. Alexander, treasurer; Jim Vallance, service officer; J. F. Solomon, chaplain, and J. W. Burk, sergeant-at-arms.

Draft Board Duties Told to Rotarians

William J. Braggy, chief clerk of the Hall County Draft Board, discussed the duties of the board and the classifications of the registrants at Rotary luncheon Tuesday.



IN ENGLAND — Technical Sgt. Earl Knight, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knight of Lesley, is now stationed somewhere in England, according to a cablegram received by his wife, formerly Miss Nell Ruth Adams. Sergeant Knight received his mechanical training in the Air Corps at Chanute Field, Ill., and was stationed at Sarasota, Fla., before crossing to Great Britain. He has been in service about five years.

September 3 Set As Opening Date Memphis Schools

Position of Principal of High School Is Accepted By Hedley Superintendent

Memphis Public Schools will open the 1942-43 term on Thursday, September 3, Supt. W. C. Davis informed this week. This date was set at a meeting of the Board of Education in the superintendent's office in the high school building last Thursday.

Army Gets Several More County Men

Answering a call issued by the Hall County Selective Service board, a group of young men left Memphis Monday morning by chartered bus for the induction center at Lubbock and service for the duration in the United States Army.

August 1 Deadline School Transfers

Parents of children to be transferred from one school to another for the 1942-43 term are reminded by Miss Tops Gilreath, county superintendent, that applications for transfer must be signed at her office in the basement of the court house before August 1.

Scotch Tournament At Country Club

A Scotch gold tournament, will all prizes to be awarded in War Stamps, is announced to take place at the Memphis Country Club next Sunday afternoon.

Newest Draft Orders Designed to Protect Family Relationships

Sequence of Eligibility of Men in Military Ages Set By Selective Service Head

Deferment from the draft of thousands of men heretofore eligible for military service loomed this week following a new statement of policy issued July 14 by Lewis B. Hershey, national director of Selective Service, at Washington, D. C.

MARRIED MEN ARE DEFERRED

Members of House, Senate Directed by President to Return to Seats or Resign

Members of the House and Senate now on active duty with the army, navy or marine corps must either revert to an inactive status by July 1, or resign from Congress if they prefer to remain in the service, it was disclosed Thursday by the White House.

June Quota of War Bonds and Stamps Is Met by County

July Assessment Is Set at \$52,400 in Line With Ever Expanding U. S. War Effort

Buyers of War Bonds and Stamps in Hall County met the quota assigned them for June by the Treasury Department, but as the gentleman of color once remarked, "jes' have it." The total amount of purchases of bonds and stamps for the month was \$35,459.50, according to C. Lee Rushing, county chairman.

Allowable Amounts Sugar for Canning Vary, Says Wallace

Applications Considered on Individual Basis, Explains Hall County Board Chairman

Canning sugar allowable under present regulations varies in amount according to the actual canning to be done by a family unit, its present supply and its reasonable needs; not set at a fixed amount, Mr. E. B. Wallace, chairman of Hall County war price and rationing board, explained today.

Ration Secretary Here for 4 Days

Miss Demarius Gidden, secretary for the Hall County War Rationing Board at Estelline, will be in Memphis next week, Monday through Thursday, for the purpose of issuing permits for the purchase of sugar for canning fruits, it is announced.

TWO SETS OF THREE HALL COUNTY BROTHERS ARE IN ARMED FORCES

At least two Hall County families can boast of three sons each in the armed forces of their country. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Frisbie of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Marion A. Wiley of Lakeview.

PRESCRIPTION For That Hot Feeling! One long, cool or a dish of ice cream at a conditioned fountain. DURHAM-JO PHARMAC

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JULY 10

Handle Ass'n Meets at Wesley Church. Attendance Expected for Conference Program to be held on Tuesday Night.

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HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS—WEDDINGS

Society News

Phases of Flower Growing Studied By Garden Club

The Memphis Garden Club met Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Phillips with Mrs. Claud Johnson and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen as co-hostesses.

Varied flower arrangements decorated the entertaining rooms. Following is a brief synopsis of program and members taking part: "Irises in Your Garden" by Mrs. M. McNeely; "Horse and Buggy Flowers" by Mrs. R. C. Walker; "Fads and Fancies for the Gardener" by Mrs. Glynn Thompson; and "Food For Freedom" by Mrs. C. R. Webster.

A short article on insects was given by Mrs. J. H. Smith. A short business session was held presided over by the president, Mrs. C. C. Hodges.

An iced course was served to Mesdames Louis Goffinet, O. R. Goodall, H. T. Gregory, G. H. Hattenbach, C. C. Hodges, M. McNeely, J. A. Odom, J. H. Smith, Glynn Thompson, R. C. Walker, C. R. Webster, Gene Chamberlain, S. D. Posey, Claud Johnson, D. J. Morgensen and Lloyd Phillips, and one guest, Mrs. J. L. Mason.

The next meeting will be on Thursday, August 13, at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. O. R. Goodall.

Dinner and Family Reunion at J. M. King Home Sunday

A dinner and family reunion was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. King, 408 North 16th street, on Saturday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John C. King and children, Joyce, Patsey, Delores, Helen, Dempsey, of Bylas, Ariz., and Clinton Orgery of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shields, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. King and children, Donnie, Beverly, and Willard of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. King and children, Mary and Wilmoth, and Mrs. Effie Shields of Mineral Wells.

City Park Scene Of Birthday Picnic Sunday Afternoon

J. C. Morris and his grandson Johnny Harrell were honored Sunday at their birthday anniversary with a picnic lunch at the Memphis City Park.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gowdy, Mr. and Mrs. E.



AULD LANG SYNE—On the day this picture was taken, June 16, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Doss, pioneer residents of Lipan, Hood County, were celebrating the 53rd anniversary of their marriage. They were visiting in Memphis at the time with their son, L. L. Doss and family, whose home appears in the background. The horse and buggy, loaned for the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Milam, was a familiar enough form of conveyance in the younger days of Mr. and Mrs. Doss.

E. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roden, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris, Mrs. J. C. Morris, Grace Gowdy, Margaret Helen Morris, Billie Frances Gowdy, Ernest Gowdy, Jima Ruth, Ima Ruth Gowdy, Ronnie Wayne Gowdy, Eddie Harrell, Loretta Morris, Betty Jane Morris, Wanda Lou Morris, and the honorees.

Advertise in The Democrat!

Mrs. Frankie Taylor Entertains Stitch and Chatter Club

The Stitch and Chatter sewing club met Wednesday with Mrs. Frankie Taylor. The afternoon was spent sewing and crocheting. Following the business session, pollyanna gifts were exchanged. A salad course was served to the following members, Jeannie Johnson, Clara Pritchitt, Lavern Breedlove, Vita Graham, Helen Chamberlain, Mildred Clayton, Pauline Lynch, Willie Pearl Everett and Frankie Taylor, and one guest, Mrs. Rasco.

Miss Naomi Smith Is Hostess to Members Elevation S. S. Class

The Elevation Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Miss Naomi Smith.

Following the business session, Miss Peggy Walker gave the devotional.

Refreshments were served to Misses Naomi Smith, Janet Hood, Mary Jones, Vivian Jones, Athalee Hutcherson, Peggy Walker and Mrs. Gene Lindsey and Mrs. Sam Foxhall.

Women Work—

CIVILIAN DEFENSE AUXILIARY NOTES

By INEZ BAKER
They are wondering now if the women officers of the WAAC will be able to speak loud enough (and perhaps harsh enough) to command their troops. Can you imagine!

The Hall County Chapter of the Red Cross has been called upon to furnish its quota of surgical dressings. Many have been wondering why this work has not been done by this chapter before now. The fact is, commercial manufacturers and chapters in the cities where local and shipping facilities were available, have been able to meet all demands up to the present. But the needs are so great now that smaller chapters must assist.

The local chapter is very fortunate in securing as chairman and vice chairman of this program two such competent women as Mrs. Lloyd Phillips and Mrs. W. C. Davis, who will attend a school of instruction soon and on their return train supervisors in this chapter. They are women who will be fully capable of meeting all requirements as outlined by the national headquarters, some of which are: Ability to meet and deal with volunteers, time to give ample instruction and supervision and a thorough working knowledge of the complete program. There will be no paid chapter instructors. A room in the Red Cross building will be thoroughly renovated and set aside solely for the making of surgical dressings. There will be much work and planning to be done before this program can be put into operation.

A shipment of all finished garments will be made soon. Work has gone forward amazingly and the stock rooms are crowded. If you have any finished articles turn them in as the rooms must be cleared for the new materials that are coming. Mrs. B. Webster wishes to express her deepest appreciation for the very efficient work done by Hall County in the last few weeks.

"Button, button who has the button?" We shall not have to ask this question again soon for, according to the production chairman, Greene Dry Goods Co. has given us "a million buttons." Thanks, Mr. Greene, for this and many other past favors. We shall probably not be needing any more buttons for a time but we surely could use some quilt cotton and linings, if anybody wants to do something. Who will be next?

What about community canning? The school kitchens are ready and the daily supervisors are at your command. Let no food go to waste. If you have a surplus and cannot go to the kitchens perhaps arrangements can be made to can for you on the halves. Phone Mrs. Sam Brown.

Locals and Personals

L. F. Jones and Billy Fred Rasco were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

Carrol Sue, Mark and Kenneth Lamkin of Amarillo came Sunday for a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Lamkin. Mark and Kenneth will remain for a visit this week and Carrol Sue will go to Houston where she will visit with Odena Lamkin.

Miss Adelle Harrell visited last week-end with friends in Canyon and Amarillo.

Mrs. B. A. Sweet of Amarillo is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McQueen.

Travis Malone was a business visitor in Plainview Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabe Pool of Dallas left Monday after a visit here with her brothers, W. T. and N. A. Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gerlach and son Ted moved last week to Wellington where he will be employed.



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Wm. Cameron & Co. has large stocks of building materials... prices are still low... easy terms are available. Cameron's "Complete Building Service" handles all details for you. For full information...

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Seeks Re-Election To Appeals Court

Judge Harry N. Graves was elected four years ago to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge O. S. Lattimore as a member of the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas. He has actively participated in the work of the Court since that time, and has written his share of their opinions. This Court has disposed of the cases submitted to it, and is up with its docket, and he requests a second term at the hands of the voters. Would it be wise to change the personnel of this Court at the present time? (Political Advertisement)

GAS FOR THE WAR MACHINES

In countless industrial plants American working men, with Natural Gas as an ally, are fighting and winning the battle of production.

Guns, planes, ships, munitions and other needed war materials are flowing from production lines in ever-increasing quantities. In the manufacture of all of these, Natural Gas plays a vital part, supplying the ideal fuel for generating power and heat.

These war industries must be kept going at top speed. Their requirements for Natural Gas are large, but whatever the demand, our entire organization will be devoted to meeting it.

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Program on Abolition Given at Meeting Methodist Women

The Methodist W. S. C. met at the church at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon for a program "Chaos and Darkness of the Ages" by Mrs. S. O. Greene, Mrs. Srygley and Mrs. J. E. ... "I Need Thee Every Day" sung at the beginning of the program. Mrs. J. E. ... Broome gave the program. ... meditation. A reading by Woman was a Message given by Mrs. W. L. ... Part I of "I Would" by Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, Mrs. Srygley, part II by C. Hoffman, and part III by Lee Wattenbarger. ... Hodges gave "Africa's Struggle."

Members present were O. Greene, Mrs. A. C. Jones, Mrs. E. S. West, Wattenbarger, Mrs. W. L. ... Mrs. R. V. Messer, ... Compton, Mrs. D. L. ... Mrs. Perry Hines, Mrs. Fultz, Mrs. C. C. Hodges, W. Broome, Mrs. J. E. ... Mrs. C. F. Srygley, ... Yeats, Mrs. H. H. ... George Hammond, ... Neeley and Mrs. Myra ...

The next meeting will be on Thursday, July 20, at 3 o'clock in the church.

Baptist Women Meeting at Church Monday Afternoon

The W. M. U. of the Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for a Bible study.

Mrs. D. A. Grundy gave a lesson from the book of ... and Mrs. Leon Banding ... the meeting with a prayer. Members present were ... James D. A. Grundy, ... J. H. Smith, J. S. ... M. Wyatt, Emma ... B. Foxhall, Earl ... Anderson, Roy ... Weathersbee, S. F. ... Hutcherson and Leon ...

The next meeting will be on Monday, July 20, at the 4 o'clock.

Excess Penalty on Cotton Is 8 Cents

The cotton marketing quota penalty rate is 8 cents per pound for the 1942-43 marketing year, according to W. B. Hooser, county agent of the Texas Extension Service.

Under the terms of amendments to the AAA Act, loans will be made by the Commodity Credit Corporation at 85 per cent of parity price on August 1, the beginning of the marketing year, and will be approximately 16 cents per pound.

While the cotton loan rate will not be set until August 1, early harvest in some sections of the state necessitates immediate announcement of penalty rate for cotton marketed in excess of the farm marketing quota, the county agent has been informed by Fred Kennels, assistant administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, with headquarters at College Station.

Care of Electrical Appliances Urged

Mrs. Homemaker, faced with the probability that she soon will be unable to buy new electric appliances, is reminded by the West Texas Utilities that her sweeper, iron, food mixer and the like will last longer if kept in good repair.

Even new parts are becoming scarce and harder to get, says Mack Wilson, WTU local manager. Practically all the factories, which once made household appliances, now have been converted to war production of some kind. For instance, a plant that used to make vacuum sweepers now is making gas masks.

The company, as a means of helping to "keep 'em working," has worked out a plan whereby appliances can be kept in useful conditions for the duration.

Regardless of make or where originally purchased, WTU servicemen now are prepared to repair electric appliances insofar as new parts are obtainable. This special service is offered only as a convenience to electric users in communities where such repairs are not otherwise available, or the dealer from whom the appliance was originally purchased has discontinued business.

Small appliances, in need of repairs, should be taken to the local office for information about parts and costs while repairs for major appliances in most cases can be made in the home.

"By spending a little now," Mack Wilson said, "you may save a lot—and keep 'em working."

Twenty-nine sawmills cut almost half of all the lumber sawed in East Texas.

"No Harsh Laxatives For Me ADLERIKA gives me proper action, is pleasant and easy. Used ADLERIKA past 10 years for spells of constipation." (A. W. Vt.) ADLERIKA usually clears bowels quickly and relieves gas pains. Get it TODAY. Tarver's Pharmacy and Durham-Jones Pharmacy

Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of 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:**
(Re-election)
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
J. L. MARCUM

This Scarecrow Works



Buzzards which sweep over her scarecrow with a hungry look in their eyes are the only birds that aren't scared by Jane Frazee's scarecrow. The Hitler scarecrow keeps birds away from her victory garden.

Hot Weather Care Of Eggs Outlined

Since the beginning of really hot weather, there has been a 10 per cent loss in egg spoilage, according to County Agent W. B. Hooser, who emphasizes the desirability of preventing this waste, both for the benefit of the producer and because eggs are essential food in the war effort.

Some suggestions for care of eggs during the summer months are given herewith:

1. Produce only infertile eggs. Most egg losses are from fertile eggs. Blood rings form in two days on fertile eggs and this causes a strong and disagreeable odor within a short time. Infertile eggs may be kept in storage five or more days without deterioration.
2. Provide laying hens with green feed.
3. Watch egg shell texture. Feed calcium free choice.
4. Gather eggs two or three times daily.
5. Pre-cool eggs before packing. If eggs are placed in case as they are gathered daily and covered, the hot weather will cause incubation immediately. Do not place in an egg case until after they have cooled.
6. Market eggs twice weekly. Some buyers have offered a premium on infertile eggs to cut down losses.

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):

Unlucky 'V' for Subs



This unusual photo was made when a Coast Guard patrol boat, answering the call of a stricken ship on the Atlantic, dropped depth charges. Any sub still lurking in the vicinity would suffer.

Locals and Personal

Mrs. Elmer Hall of Okla. visited from Thursday to Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Wood.

Mrs. J. C. McClure left Wednesday for Midland where she will visit with her son, J. C. McClure, Jr. and wife.

Miss June Power left the city of last week for Altus, Okla., where she is employed by Younger Construction Co., Altus, Okla.



RE-ELECT **BASCOM GIL** Commissioner of the General Land Office. HEAR HIM Friday 8:30 P. M. Texas Quality Network WFAA-WBAP-WOAI

Locals and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carlos of Quanah visited Sunday with their son, Glen Carlos and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrell of Parnell and granddaughter Bobby Ferrell left Sunday for a visit in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell's daughter, Mrs. Wilford Martin and husband.

Mrs. Gladys Power visited Sunday in Altus, Okla., with her daughter June, who is employed there.

Mrs. Benton King and son John of Amarillo visited from Wednesday until Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bean visited last week-end in Floydada with his sister.

Miss Irene Paschall of Canyon has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Paschall.

Mrs. Myrtle Woods returned Saturday from El Paso where she visited with Herschel Montgomery who is stationed at Fort Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Watson of Plainview visited Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. V. L. Taylor. Betty Jo Massey, who has been visiting with the Taylors, accompanied her parents home.

Miss Maxine Wingrove visited last week-end in Amarillo with her brother, Ran Wingrove and family.

Miss Evelyn Selby left Thursday night for a vacation in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard visited last week-end in Abilene with their daughter, Mrs. Asa Galley and husband, their sons, Carley Read and wife, and Dwight, student in Baylor University, Waco.

Mrs. May Campbell is a business visitor in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Jess Watson and daughter Mary Jo left Friday for Amarillo where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Glen Allred.

Rev. and Mrs. Cordell Bales left Monday for a visit in Miami with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dunivan.

Mrs. Jake McCulloch of Esteline visited Monday with relatives here.

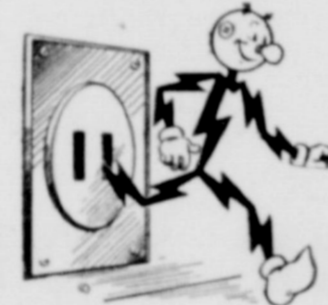
Mr. and Mrs. Red Wakeman and children of Childress visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Dailey and family.

Mrs. Angus Huckaby left Thursday for Amarillo where she will visit her daughter, Miss Mary Sue Huckaby, who is employed there.

Miss Mary Jane Selby left Monday for Oklahoma City after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Selby.

"Please send me 10¢ worth of electricity—today!"

"But, Lady, you don't have to order it—just turn the switch!"



SUPPOSE, though, that you did have to order your day's supply of electric service, say, in baskets like groceries. You'd realize even more how convenient it now is. And you'd appreciate even more how little it costs... and how much it does for you.

Actually, a majority of all West Texas families have good light and operate their many appliances for about a dime a day—or less!

What's more, that dime buys just about twice or three times as much electricity as it did 10 to 15 years ago! And (are you surprised?) it's one of the few household items that hasn't "gone up" as a result of the war.

This bargain doesn't just happen. It comes from our united effort to give you better service at lower cost. It is made possible by practical, efficient business management of an institution built by Americans who invested their savings in an industry dedicated to the public service and regulated by the government.

That's the American way—and it works!

It works so well that even though our country today is pouring record-breaking amounts of electric power into the world's greatest production of planes, tanks, ships and guns—you still get low-cost current in your home... and at the flick of a switch. You don't need to order it... or secure a ration card.

Probably the few pennies a day you spend for electric service bring you more for your money than anything else you buy. For this small amount, would you clean oil lamps, beat rugs, scrub clothes, give up your radio?

Hardly! Electric service is the world's biggest bargain



West Texas Utilities Company
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Buy War Bonds and Stamps

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Elmer Hall of ... from Thursday ... with her mother.

J. C. McClure ... for Midland where ... with her son, J. C. ... wife.

June Power left ... it week for Atlanta ... she is employed ... Construction Co.

RE-ELECT

SCOM GIL

Commissioner of the General Land Office

HEAR HIM

Monday 8:30 P.M.

Quality Network

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MURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Robbins, Evangelist

Study, 9:45 a. m.
10:45 a. m. and 9:00 p. m.

DAY
Bible study, 3:30 p. m.

SDAY
Study, 9:30 p. m.

OF THE NAZARENE
M. Duke, Pastor
School, 10 a. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Ernest B. Motley, Pastor
Residence 822 W. Brice Ph. 198

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

"So Long, Preacher. See You Later," will be the subject of the sermon Sunday morning.

"The Attractiveness of Jesus," will be the sermon subject at 8:30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 7:30 Sunday evening.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The special committee in charge of this service will be Evan E. Roberts, Jr., A. G. Kesterson, Jr., Thomas B. Rogers, Jr.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
S. F. MARTIN, Pastor

SUNDAY
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
7:30 p. m. Training Union.
8:30 p. m. Evening worship.

MONDAY
4:00 p. m. W. M. S. business meeting and Missionary program combined; meetings at the church.

TUESDAY
8:30 p. m. Workers' Conference with the First Church, Lesley. Come, and bring your sandwiches.

8:00 p. m. Y. W. A., Intermediate and Junior G. A., Junior R. A.

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p. m. Teachers and Officers meeting.

8:45 p. m. Prayer meeting.

Don't be tied to the post of postponement. Come to church Sunday.

Assess Bonds with Bonds—

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RANGES, nice size, 2 dozen	29c
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COFFEE, Folger's, pound	33c
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RICE KRISPIES, 2 packages	23c
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LOUR, Sunny Boy, 48 pounds	\$1.75
CONDENSED MILK, 3-pound can	69c
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LUZ, large package	25c
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FRUIT COCKTAIL, tall can	15c
DRESSED FRYERS, each	39c
ROAST PORK, per pound	15c
ROAST BEEF, per pound	19c
ROAST PORK, Sirloin, Club, T-Bone, lb.	33c
ROAST PORK, SHOULDER ROAST, lb.	24c
ROAST PORK, tenderized, center slices, lb.	47c

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News dispatches from the war fronts praise giant T-4-built four-engine land bombers like this one for their superb performance. Craft speeds over 300 m.p.h., has range of 3000 miles, and carries more than four tons of bombs.

Tackles Tanks

Blackfaced night guerrilla fighter Art Ray, of Bell, Calif., is a member of the Army's tank destroyer command at Camp Hood, Tex. The Molotov cocktail in his hand is filled with gasoline and is fitted with an acid pencil that ignites gas as the bottle hits objective.

PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Mr. Leo Scott and daughter Jeanne of Breckenridge and Mrs. Elmer Baker and son of Olton have been visiting in the J. M. Providence home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harwell spent the week-end in Shamrock with their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Smith and family. Their son, Sidney, who is stationed at Oklahoma City, met them there.

Mrs. Emmet Harper is spending this week at El with her mother, Mrs. Patrick, who is ill.

Mrs. Jake Lamb went to Friona Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

The Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. Doyle Hall Tuesday afternoon and pieced quilt blocks and embroidered tea towels for the hostess. After a short business session, refreshments of lemonade, sandwiches, deviled eggs, lettuce and pickles were served to Jerry Foster, Viola Hodges, Eulz Belle Hall, Olan Murdock, Belle Galloway, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. W. L. Crawford, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mrs. T. J. Spry, and the hostess, Mrs. Doyle Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shirley of Friona spent the week-end visiting their daughter, Mrs. Collins Craddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Spinnage of Lytle visited in the home of Mrs. Spinnage's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Oliver and family of Clarendon spent the week-end visiting relatives at Plaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and daughters, Suvila June and Reba Jean, and Mrs. Lucille Foster visited in the E. E. Foster home Sunday.

Zola Lee Foster and Kathleen McMaster visited Ray Adcock Sunday.

Those meeting to do Red Cross work Friday afternoon were Mrs. Adcock and daughter Faye, Mrs. Clarence Morris and daughter Loretta, Mrs. Lucille Foster and daughter Zola Lee, Mrs. Homer Crawford of Pleasant Valley, Mrs. W. L. Crawford, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mrs. C. A. Ragan, Mrs. Troy Dunn, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. W. C. Whitfield, Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire and daughter Elma Fay, Mrs. T. J. Spry, Mrs. Pearl Valence, Mrs. Emmet Harper, Mrs. Olan Murdock, Mrs. A. S. Harwell, Mrs. Jerry Foster and Katrina Nabers.

Misses Annie and Ray Nase of Lakeview visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Providence Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wells and children of Clarendon spent the week-end with Mrs. Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver.

Fay Adcock visited Zola Lee Foster Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dunn spent Sunday with Mrs. Edith Dunn.

Mrs. Tom Boswell spent Sunday in the T. L. Garrett home.

Wayne Garrett and family have moved to the John Capps farm near Lakeview.

Several from here went swimming at the Memphis swimming pool Sunday.

Rev. Hansard and wife of Hed-

Locals and Personals

Miss Sue Stone visited Sunday night in Childress.

Mrs. Birdie Holland and Mrs. Leon Phillips of Estelina were business visitors in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. C. D. West of Amarillo came Saturday for a visit with friends here.

Mrs. Effie Shields of Mineral Wells is visiting her son, Herbert Shields and wife, here.

Miss Rachel Crow visited with her parents Saturday night.

Miss Genevieve Prater left Wednesday for a visit in Vernon with Miss Emily Jayne Maxon.

Roy Gilmore and Orville Settiff of Turkey visited Sunday with Roy's cousin, Bailey Gilmore Jr. Jerry Gilmore, who has been visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. H. Gilmore in Turkey, returned home with them.

Miss Mary Helen Lindsey, Mrs. Tom Isahm, Claud Moore and Ralph Howe attended a Personnel meeting of the Production Credit Association in Wellington Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duncan of Clarendon visited Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rule of Lake Pauline visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Hale. Mrs. Hale accompanied them home for a visit Monday. Bailey Powell of Midland, who has been visiting Mrs. Hale, also accompanied them.

H. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rea, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rea went to Hancock's Lake fishing Saturday.

Mrs. Claudine Needham and daughter Beverly June visited in the E. J. Galloway home Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Hale and Mrs. Pearl Massey of Memphis visited their brother, J. T. Dennis and family, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr went to Littlefield to visit their sons, Dr. Orr and Leo Orr and family. Tommy and Denny Davis are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dennis and son of Quanah.

The J. T. Dennis family had a family reunion at their home from Tuesday until Friday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson and children, Anna Beth, Frankie, La Nell, Ronald and Jack, of Devine, Mrs. Boyd Knox of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dennis and son Billy of Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Blufford Burnett and children, Betty and Bobby, of Friendship, Mrs. Dutch Davis and children, Tommy, Denny and Joanna. One daughter, Mrs. Johnny Wilkes of Hale Center, was not there for the reunion.

VOTE FOR

Gordon Smith

FOR

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Endorsement of Henderson and Rusk County Friends

We, the citizens of Henderson and Rusk County, qualified voters, having known Gordon Smith, candidate for the office of State Treasurer of Texas, from his infancy, take peculiar pleasure in endorsing his candidacy and promise our vote and support to this worthy son of Texas.

Gordon, along with four brothers and six sisters, children of Mr. and Mrs. Lon A. Smith, was born in Henderson, Rusk County.

We have observed his progress from a school-boy in the public schools in Henderson to man's estate as assistant cashier in the American National Bank, Austin, Texas.

He is honest, capable, courteous and obliging, fully equipped by education and experience to discharge the exacting duties of the responsible post of State Treasurer.

Endorsement of Austin and Travis County Neighbors, Associates and Friends

Gordon Smith of Austin is a candidate for State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Party. We earnestly request you to vote for and support him for that position. The nature of this request impels us to give you his background and qualifications for the office which he seeks.

Gordon Smith was born in Rusk County on the 4th of September, 1904, and is therefore 37 years of age. He is the son of Lon A. Smith, formerly State Senator, Comptroller and Railroad Commissioner of Texas. He was named Gordon for the Confederate General, John D. Gordon. As a child he attended the public schools of Rusk County. When his father moved to Austin he attended the public schools of Austin. In 1923 he was given a job in the American National Bank of Austin as messenger boy. By attention, industry and integrity he worked his way up until he was made assistant cashier in that large and old bank. In the meantime he qualified himself as a banker by graduating from the American Institute of Banking. He is married; has been a member of the Baptist Church since childhood; has constantly and consistently attended Sunday School all his life, and is now the secretary of the young people's department of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church of Austin.

If everybody knew Gordon, as he is affectionately called, as we know him, they would love him and vote for him. We hope you will do so.

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VEGETABLES THIS WEEK

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D. R. KELLY, experienced meat cutter, is now in charge of our market. Mr. Kelly has lived in Memphis 13 years and is known to most of you.

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ROUND CHEESE, pound 32c
ROAST—Choice Cuts, lb. 20c

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June Quota of—

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have to be carried out on an ever increasing scale to keep pace with the country's expanding war effort...

A map of Texas showing the War Bond and Stamp quotas assessed every county in the State will be found on page eight of this issue.

Army Gets—

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Floyd Pritts. Also included in this quota, but already voluntarily enlisted and in the Army was Malcolm Nichols Holland...

Transferred from other boards and leaving for Lubbock with the local group Monday were Jack Larry Martin, Charlie Baxter Isaacbell and Melvin Homer Steele.

Dairy Cows Need Plenty of Feed

At this time of the year when pastures are producing less supplemental grazing, dairy cows need additional feed of similar quality to maintain their best milk production...

Cows, like other manufacturing plants, must have the best raw materials to give quality and quantity to their production. It is in the dairyman's interest to supply many raw materials in the most economical form...

One of the best ways to make up for the fast declining pastures is to keep a little good hay before the cows all the time...

If silage is preferred, the switch can be easily made. Figure on substituting three pounds of silage for each pound of hay the cows have been eating...

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- COFFEE, Folger's, 1-pound... 33c; 2 pounds... 64c
FLOUR, Light Crust, 12 lbs... 56c; 24 lbs... \$1.02
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs... 24c; 10 lbs... 39c

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Two Sets of Twins Flying at Lubbock

Whether it's twin boys or twin-engine bombers, big is the word to describe activities at the large Lubbock Army Flying school at Lubbock, Texas.

In the new class of aviation cadets at the Lubbock Field not one, but two sets of identical twins are completing their training for their wings and commissions in the army air forces.

Two sets of native born Texas twins come from widely separated parts of the state. The Martin boys hail from San Angelo while the Tankersley cadets are from Terrell.

The Martins—Robert and John—worked beside each other in the retail grocery store where the other was a meat cutter. Then it was the army air forces with Muskogee, Okla., for their primary training and Brady, Texas for their basic before reporting to Lubbock.

Primary training for the Tankersley boys was at Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and their basic at Sherman, Texas. Each one lists baseball as his favorite hobby...

Visiting Soldier—

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none but men walk in a funeral procession.

One experience which gave him much pleasure, Adams said, was the recent privilege of driving for Major-General Jimmie Doolittle...

Rum, said to be the finest in the world, retails for only 85 cents a quart in Puerto Rico.

Adams has been in the service for two and one-half years. He spent six months at Brooks Field, where he has been stationed since...

Comments—

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been noticing the donations for the past three years, and as you have finally made the grade, my heart grieves for you...

I wonder! Perhaps I will begin to get members of an association to pay so much annual dues for the employment of a caretaker whose duties will be to keep the cemetery clean and in shipshape at all times...

HAPPY BIRTHDAY—

T. M. Potts, July 15. A. Anisman, July 15. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon West, July 16. (Believe it or not, they were born on the same day and in the same year.)

CONGRATULATIONS—

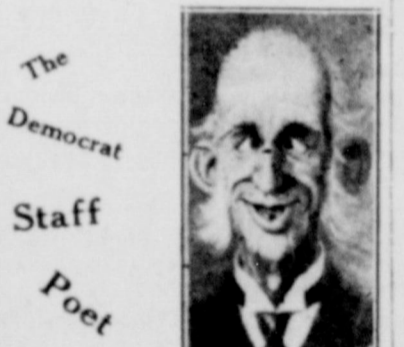
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Read, wedding anniversary July 15. Mr. and Mrs. Van Crow of Newlin, wedding anniversary, July 15.

N. E. Burk is a Victory gardener, as a mess of peas and okra on my dinner table yesterday was good testimony. He claims that hot dry weather does not affect the yield of these vegetables...

About 400 draftees and enlistments are reported for Childress County by The Index. More than 500 have gone into service...

You folks who have evergreens growing around your homes should examine them to see if they are infested with bag worms...

Russia is calling for help—quick. If she doesn't get help, and goes down before Germany's onslaught, the fate of England, America and the other Allied countries will rest in the lap of fate...



The Democrat Staff Poet
My Grandad never would drink his coffee without he was facing a mirror. He said there was funnier things going on behind one's back than there was in front, and he didn't want to miss anything...

Here's How Onions Grow



Maybe agricultural chemist Roy Beebe, Long Beach, Calif., has something in his claim that pulverized rock of the archozoic era is responsible for the prodigious growth of his plants. He says two ounces will soil condition two acres of ground.

September 3 Set—

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term, has accepted the post of principal of the Memphis High School, to which he was recently elected. It is announced, he will succeed Noah Cunningham...

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Prophets Perceived Responsibility for Life of Fellowman

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for July 19. Text: Genesis 4:1-15

To the old question whether man is more influenced by heredity or by environment, the story of Cain and Abel offers no answer. Here were two who grew up under the same conditions, with the same parents, and apparently with the same influences...

Such facts are reproduced in almost every generation. From the same country, the same town or community, the same parents and the same environment, come those who, according to their choice, rise to higher things or go down the path of degradation.

What is very necessary in reading such lessons as this is to realize that these stories have a moral and spiritual significance far beyond that of historical events. We must realize that before the Bible could be written it had to be experienced.

Examine this lesson for a moment to see these moral conceptions, and if we can wipe out the sense of the development that has taken place during the ages we can grasp with some reality what it meant for men originally to perceive these things. They were spiritual discoverers. The first is the sacredness of human life. The second is the fact that man has responsibility for his fellowman, that he is his brother's keeper.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. Leab Brookshire of Seymour is visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. S. Brookshire, en route to California where she will visit with her relatives.

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Advertisement for 'M' SYSTEM featuring various grocery items and prices. Includes sections for 'You Get the MOST' and 'for Your MONEY Here!'. Items listed include lemons, limes, yellow bananas, lettuce, celery, fresh corn, fresh beans, home grown peas, fresh tomatoes, sugar, lard, flour, corn flakes, syrup, lids and caps, cheese, hamburger, sausage, catfish, steak, dry salt, and hot barbecue.

Newest Draft—

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rying out these requirements, the bona fide family relationship of registrants would be protected as long as possible.

Great emphasis, at the same time, was placed upon the position of men who are engaged in civilian activities having directly to do with winning the war. Thirty-four occupations, specified by the War Man Power Commission, were listed as contributing to the war effort so that "necessary men" so engaged might be deferred from military service.

Hershey said, however, that all registrants without dependents of any kind are to be selected for induction as rapidly as they can be made available.

The draft chief established the following order in which seven classifications are to be utilized for calling draft registrants into the army, taking into account their dependency status and activity in connection with the war effort:

- 1. Single men with no dependents.
2. Single men who do not contribute to the war effort but who have dependents.
3. Single men with dependents and who contribute to the war effort.
4. Married men who are not engaged in the war effort but who maintain a bona fide family relationship with a wife only.
5. Married men who are engaged in the war effort and who maintain a bona fide family relationship with a wife only.

boards are: production of ships, boats, ordnance, munition, agriculture, mining, forestry, logging, lumbering, construction, engineering, processing and metal mining, non-metallic mining, smelting, refining and metal products, production of and forgings, finishing products, production of agricultural machinery, chemicals and products, rubber products, textiles, apparel, clay and glass products, natural gas and petroleum products, finished products, transportation, production of materials for and shipping products for communication, communication systems, radio broadcasting, vision services and the illumination services, such as lighting, educational, and governmental services.
Under the new provisions boards are instructed to give the supply of men in their jurisdiction before recommending registrants in the next group.

Kelly Has Chair Farmers Union

D. R. Kelly, who is an experienced meat cutter, has been employed by the Farmers Supply Co. and will be in that firm's meat market there. Kelly has lived in Memphis the past 13 years and is known to people of the surrounding territory. He appreciates his friends calling in his new location. Mr. and Mrs. Roy K. Farris Thursday and Friday at Falls. They also have his mother, Mrs. E. Farris, in tow. Tom Draper went to Amarillo after his wife, Charles who had been her cousin, Mrs. Ivan G. family.

OFFICIAL U. S. TREASURY WAR BOND QUOTAS FOR JULY



The above map of Texas shows the War Bond Quota, by counties, for the month of July, 1942. Total War Bond quota for the state is \$33,677,000. With the National quota total placed at a billion dollars, the nation goes into high gear in its support of the War financing and to give our fighting forces adequate implements of war which will bring ultimate Victory. American Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Airmen are on every front. They are giving 100 percent for their country. What are we doing here on the home front? Are we lending at least ten percent of income to help them? It's very little. But to fight this war successfully our country needs a billion dollars in War Bonds every month from us—the People. Let's Go, America.

U. S. Treasury Department

NEWS
about boys
in the
Service

Corp. Macon W. Paschall, Jr., who is with the American Expeditionary Force in Northern Ireland, reports trouble counting the English money, but otherwise everything is fine, he states in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Paschall, Sr. The letter follows:

Dear folks:
I am getting along fine. I am in Northern Ireland. The weather up here is still cool and it rains nearly every day. I am living in a log house and we have fire almost every morning. I have to get up at 6 a. m. The sun comes up at 6:30 and goes down at 10:30 p. m.

We have English money and I sure do have a time counting it. We have our post exchange with us and we are rationed three bars of candy a week. The cakes, cookies and cold drinks do not have sugar in them. There is also a shortage of paper.

There is a lot of pretty country around here. Some places it is just like a park.

Oh, yes, I was on the water 12 days and nothing happened.

They play and sing the same songs over here as they do at home.

We have a boat drill every day. It's time for bed, so I'd better close for this time. Write soon.

With love,
Corp. M. W. Paschall, Jr.

Curtis Harrell, who has been jumping around the country more than somewhat since he enlisted in the U. S. Navy eight weeks ago, writes his impressions of life in California, where he is now stationed at Port Hueneme:

Dear Mr. Wells:
Life really is tough for the civilian these days; that is what I found out since my return to camp off leave. The poor guys have to worry about one spoon of sugar in the morning cup of coffee, have no Coca Cola when they want it and not even that much sometimes. Then they wake in the morning and their wives want to know where they went last night!

Now, take the sailor, for instance (you can have him). He gets all the sugar he wants (in his coffee, too), gets Coca Cola when he wants it, has no wife to ask the next morning about his whereabouts to stay out all night if he wants to.

Then, there is the travel that comes in pretty handy, too. Such as leaving Dallas, going to Great Lakes, Ill., then over to Norfolk, Va., and on out to California. Not being content with all the five days coming over from Norfolk,



AT NOTRE DAME—Bill Pletcher, former Memphis High School football coach, is taking a 30-day physical training course at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind. After completing this course he will go either to Annapolis, Md., or Chicago, Ill., for training in the U. S. Navy. He enlisted in the Navy in January and has been awaiting his call at the home of his father, John Pletcher, at Peryton. He left for South Bend July 4.

he turns around and back through the hot California, Arizona and Texas desert he goes to be at home for 48 hours. All within eight weeks enlistment in the Navy.

When he gets home he finds things have changed to a great extent; like another town taking his home town without firing a shot!

After hurrying back to the port I found that we will be here for quite some time; that all the work we can do in this camp is done, and it is the Fourth of July. So what does the commander do but go home to Beaumont, Texas.

leaving another in charge. Then the guy in charge gives 48 hours to everybody in camp to go to Los Angeles. Only, since my little trip home, I am stuck in camp with some 25 others to do guard duty. Now, I ask you, is that a swell way to spend the Fourth?

You wonder what we guard? Well, as far as you can see there is row after row of sheet iron huts full of other sailors' clothes. Now, what would one sailor want with another bunch of clothes, when he can't hope to wash and take care of his own? And the huts won't ever burn!

This camp is built right in the middle of some Jap's lemon grove, which would be nice if the trees were old enough to give you one thing that has entirely from sight of the West coast. I believe in California, it is a nice place to live so nice now that the soldiers, who are here getting ships repaired, say they are going back to live when the war is over.

Since reading this you wonder at why Texas is all over the world for spin yarns, or in "shoot the bull."

I remain, "one of the land gobs."

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HE DESERVES YOUR VOTE JULY 25

(Political Adv.)

Birth Certificate Ruling Is Relaxed

Workers seeking employment in war plants where work on secret or confidential government contracts is being done no longer are required to furnish a birth certificate, Paul V. McNutt, war man-

power commissioner, has announced.

In the future the applicant will be required merely to sign a declaration that he is an American citizen. The declaration must be signed in the presence of an Army or Navy district procurement, factory or plant representatives.

—Give to the USO—
Advertise in The Democrat!

WEATHERLY
By COLLEEN WEATHERLY

Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire and children spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Imel and family, Mrs. Burke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Imel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Harwell and family, Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith and children, Mrs. Chester Weatherly and family and June Lee and Jimmie Joe Stephens.

Mrs. A. B. Stephens and Eloise Billy and Rex, visited in the home of Mrs. J. E. Imel Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and son Chester, J. E. Imel and Oliver Goldsmith are in Oklahoma on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly of Fort Worth returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. A. J. Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Hill and daughter visited in Turkey Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orcutt and children were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Chester Weatherly and children are staying with Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith for a few days. Mrs. John Weatherly is ill this week.



E. C. Nelson

Judge E. C. Nelson is a candidate for Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals. This is one of the highest judicial offices in our State, one that demands the most thorough training and the widest possible experience. Judge Nelson has attended and graduated from the leading universities and law schools in our country, giving him an educational background of the highest order.

He taught school for five years before entering the legal profession, and served two years in the United States Army during World War I, fourteen months of his service being in France.

He has had a well-rounded legal experience. He has been a licensed attorney for more than 22 years. He has practiced law in all of our courts and has been judge of all courts of record up to the Court of Civil Appeals. As an appellate judge, he will be able from his own experience to review a case from the standpoint of both the practicing lawyer and the trial judge. He is now District Judge of the district composed of Potter, Randall, and Armstrong Counties, and his record as a trial judge is one of the best in the State.

Judge Nelson is 51 years old, just the right age to undertake the work of an appellate judge. He is old enough for maturity, experience, and judgment, and young enough for the years of hard work the position requires.

The size of the district has made it impossible for him to see all the people, but he solicits the vote and influence of all our citizens.

(Political Adv.)

ANTELOPE FLAT
By MRS. DAN DEAN

A nice shower fell here Friday afternoon.

Miss Jonnie Allard attended the show Saturday night in Memphis.

Clarence Bullock and children, Joe and Bode, left Saturday for Tucson, Ariz., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Waldrop and children and Miss Neoma Turner visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hendricks Sunday at Lesley.

La Nell and Billie Jo Miller attended Sunday school here Sunday morning.

Mrs. Northcutt of Silverton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Allard on the Shoe Bar ranch.

Miss Marian Evans spent Sunday at Lake McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eden visited Mrs. Will Ford Sunday at Lesley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and Betty and Mr. W. N. Bullock were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Dan Nelze Dean spent the weekend with his grandfather, M. H. Salmon of Brice.

Punk Gipson of Brice is visiting his sister, Mrs. Birdie Sander-

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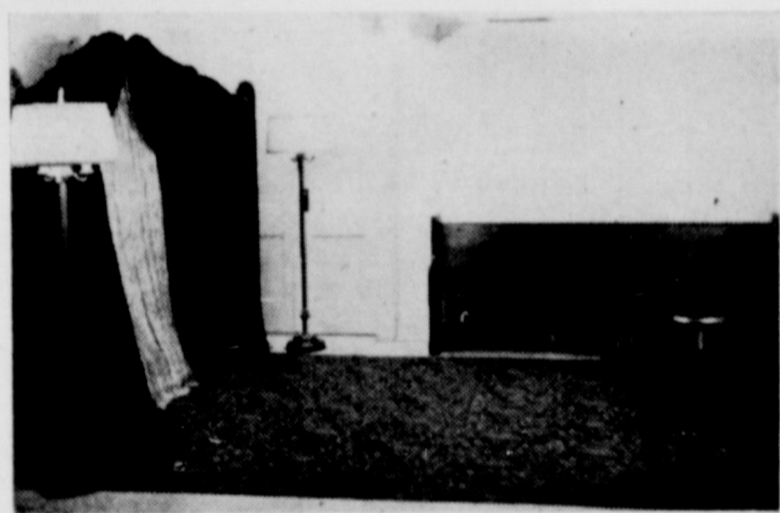


ENTRANCE—On Seventh Street are the two entrances to the Funeral Chapel, one for the public and a private one for members of the family, which leads to a family room opening off the chapel proper. This permits the family and relatives to enter and leave the chapel in strictest seclusion, if so desired. Opening from the hall leading from the family entrance is a convenient wash room.

INTERIOR—In the furnishings and appointments of our Funeral Chapel we have striven for a blending of beauty with quiet dignity in keeping with its purpose, and we have spared no expense to attain this end. The handsomely plain pews, finished in dark oak, will comfortably seat 200 persons. With comfort in mind we have installed the most modern air-cooling unit we could find. Indirect lighting adds to the restfulness of the surroundings.

Our Service

In completing this modern Funeral Chapel, we feel we have taken another step forward in the kind of service King Furniture and Undertaking Company has always tried to offer the public. During the 22 years we have served this community, it has been our constant aim to be continually more helpful to those who call upon us. We pledge ourselves to continue this effort



FAMILY ROOM—This comfortably furnished family room is designed to afford privacy for the bereaved. Seats are richly upholstered and the floor covering is deep-pile carpet.

Our Stock

In our display and storage rooms we have a selection of Caskets and Vaults that is among the largest and most varied in the entire Panhandle-Plains area. In all respects we are prepared for any eventuality. When we are called upon, we are ready to take complete charge of all arrangements, unobtrusively and efficiently, with a minimum of bother and strain for the family.

We Cordially Invite Everyone

We welcome you at any time to come in and inspect our beautifully appointed, modern Funeral Chapel. We are proud of it and will be pleased to show you, your family and friends through it at your convenience.

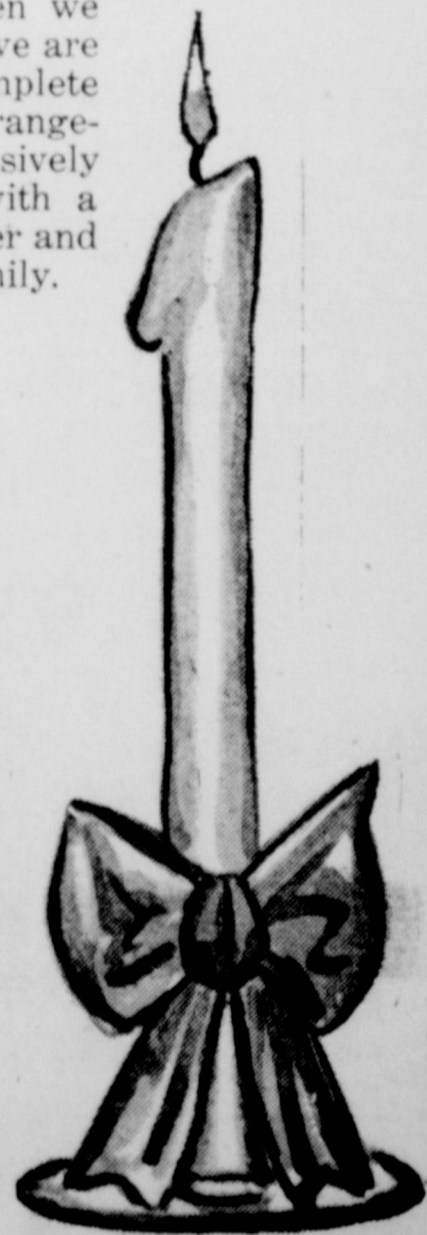
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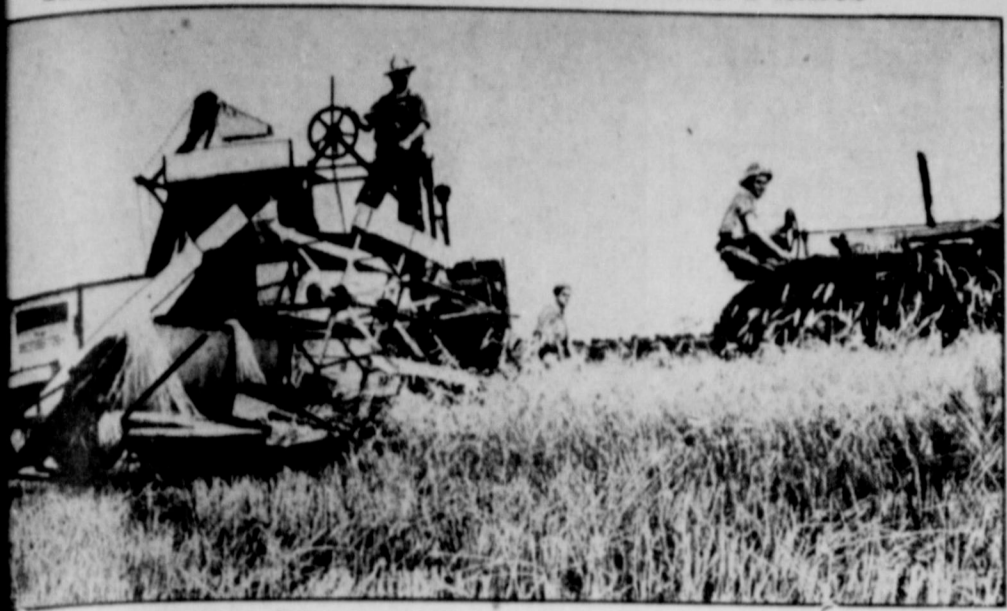
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Wheat of the 1942 crop in Sedgewick county, Kan., is harvested in the shadows of large Wichita factories where thousands of workers are backing Uncle Sam's war effort. Kansas expects the largest wheat crop in years, although lack of labor may complicate its harvest.

NEWLIN

Arch Being Moved - Mrs. Louis Hamilton left last week for Amarillo where she and her husband will make their home. Mr. Hamilton is employed there.

GILPIN

By MRS. R. H. KNIGHT

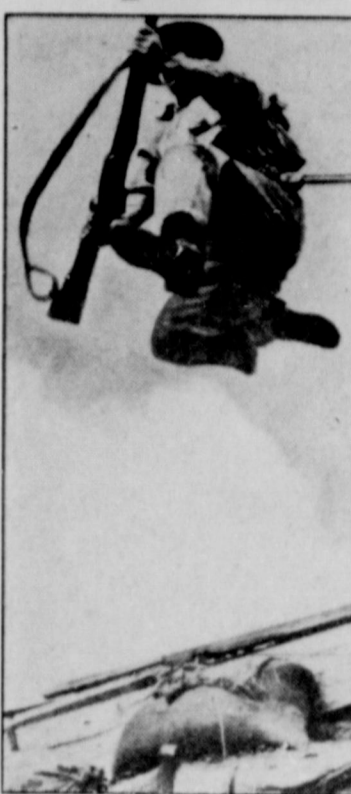
The monthly recreation was held Friday night. Several readings were given. Frank Overturf of Amarillo, state secretary of the Farmer's union, was the main speaker.

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By VALDA SMITH

Rev. Milton Evans filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and evening. Mr. and Mrs. O. Waites visited Mr. and Mrs. Oren Scroggins Sunday.

Tough Tactics



Recruits in training with the Middle East forces learn to clear obstacles with plenty of feet to spare. 'Tough tactics' training includes a special set of hardening exercises, unarmed combat and obstacle running under realistic battle conditions.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas To: Marjorie Nash GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 25th day of August, A. D., 1942, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Hall County, at the Court House in Memphis, Texas.

drunkard and was continually causing him trouble because of her conduct.

Issued this the 11th day of July, 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this the 11th day of July, A. D., 1942.

Isabell Cypert, Clerk District Court, Hall County, Texas 5-4c

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

Mr. and Mrs. Si Wood of Amarillo came Monday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Silas Wood, before leaving Thursday for the Navy. Mr. Wood will be a Seabee.



Judge E. L. Pitts is endorsed for CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS at Amarillo, Texas

We, the undersigned former citizens of Hall County, now living in Lubbock, heartily endorse and recommend Judge E. L. PITTS of Lubbock for Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo, Texas.

- Jack M. Randal Lewis B. Cooper J. A. Pressley Fred V. Clark W. S. Cross H. B. Bryan Jeff P. Watson John R. Turlington

INDIAN CREEK

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Eunice Vick of Clarendon visited friends and relatives here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins had for their guests Sunday, her mother, Mrs. Grimes and one brother, and Mrs. Mary Gardenhire of Memphis.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

All Must Have Opportunity for Abundant Life

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for July 26 Text: Genesis 9:1-16

EVER since 1919 the story of Noah after the flood has been associated in my mind with a great sermon preached by the late Dr. Charles E. Jefferson.

Dr. Jefferson likened the post-war world, with its opportunity of rebuilding, to the situation of Noah after the flood. With the brilliant word imagery of which he was a master, he pictured this world with all the old debris and barriers washed away, everything favorable for a new beginning in a clean world.

Yet, this dark picture is not the outstanding thing in the story of Noah. In the midst of much that reflects ancient ideas, our lesson brings strongly before us the supreme fact of human opportunity and the supreme hope of achievement and progress. This is found in the lesson in the emphasis upon God's covenant with man.

It is a covenant for man's welfare and enrichment. The Bible in almost all of its pages proclaims the economy of abundance and prosperity. These are associated with peace and righteousness but in the ancient world, as in our modern world, too often prosperity led to forgetfulness of God and the betrayal of man. The false use of prosperity, however, should not blind us to the true and solid ideal of human welfare—only we ought to remember that there is no true human welfare unless all have an opportunity to share in it.

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