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## ONE WILL PADUCAH FRIDAY

### Gridmen Take Drubbing From they Last Friday

ated by a 30 to 0 defeat  
nds of the powerful  
Longhorns last Friday  
the Memphis Cyclon-  
have been undergoing  
aining this week in pre-  
their first home game  
ht, when they will clash  
Paducah Dragons.

lash with Lockney, the  
boys made 14 first downs  
ngorns" two, but were  
stop speed- Clinton  
who scored all five of  
touchdowns.

L. F. Gresham declares  
boys are ready and eas-  
the Paducah invader  
their money.

shable Cyclone starting  
ill be: Doss and Ed-  
ids; Evans and Sherley  
Stevens and Robertson  
Clark, center; Butler  
Huggins and Jackson  
Lawrence or Cum-  
ballack.

ive line-up for the Pa-  
ngons will be: Right end,  
Puckett; right tackle,  
Smith; right guard, O. B.  
center, LeRoy Foster;  
left, Clifford Payne; left  
Don Brewer; left tackle,  
erry; left end, Arthur  
ft half, Royal Kirby-  
ck, Ernest Cottron; full  
F. Thomson.

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b. m.  
Work or Fight

## Officers to Get erence in Use otton Bagging

### al Council Announces 7-Pound Allowance ghter Tare on Bales

farmers of Hall County,  
those of Texas and oth-  
producing states, are  
ed of being compensated  
ing their bales in cotton  
according to an an-  
nt from the National  
ouncil received by Coun-  
W. B. Hooser.

sun-pound allowance has  
e effective as of August  
intended to innocuify  
ducers for the differ-  
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## Permon by Jew elist Tonight

es of special service  
een conducted by  
Lefkowitz of Okla-  
converted Jew evan-  
the Assembly of God  
North 11th street since  
y, will be brought to  
light, it is announced.  
e at the meetings has  
tionally good and in-  
aid, said Rev. Pete Love  
extending an invitation  
to hear the final mes-  
y. Lefkowitz.

## LAUDE'S omments

BIRTHDAY  
yds Power, Sept. 21.  
ry, Sept. 21.  
Ray Wasson, Newlin.  
ake, Sept. 22.  
P. Godfrey, Sept. 23.  
P. Patter, Sept. 23.  
y, Sept. 24.  
ifford, 83 years old  
e 25.  
d, Sept. 26.  
C. Lemons, Sept. 26.

## Oh, Sugar!

Stamp No. 8 in your War  
Book permits the purchase  
of five pounds of sugar, but  
that amount must last for ten  
weeks. Expiration date of this  
stamp is October 31.

## Local Man Helps Soldiers Reach Home

About 4 o'clock of a recent  
morning an automobile pulled into  
the driveway of the E. E. Cudd  
filling station with the spare and  
one other tire ruined by blow-out.  
Occupants of the car were four  
soldiers and the wife of one of  
them, who were en route from a  
camp in California to their homes  
some 400 miles from Memphis.

## Apples Popular as Victory Special

Reports of local merchants in-  
dicate the first portion of the  
Victory Food special drive fea-  
turing fresh apples (ending this  
Saturday) was a complete suc-  
cess, according to Otis Jones  
Food Industry committee chair-  
man.

## Shade Trees Hurt By Twig Girdlers

Twig girdlers, a kind of small  
beetle, are doing considerable  
damage to honey locusts and oth-  
er shade trees in Memphis and  
vicinity, it is reported. These insects  
girdle small limbs with deep in-  
cisions, in which they lay their  
eggs. After being girdled the out-  
er end of the limb dies and either  
drops off or is broken off by the  
wind, disfiguring the tree.

## Issue War Call to U. S. Children



Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., (left) and U. S. Commissioner of Education John W. Studebaker (right) appeal to 20,000,000 students in all public, private and parochial schools in the country to participate in Schools at War Program which is designed to encourage effective and coordinated war activities.

## Funeral Services Are Held Saturday For James H. Long

Resident of City for Past  
28 Years Succumbs at Home;  
Burial Fairview Cemetery

Scores of relatives and friends  
gathered Saturday afternoon at 4  
o'clock at the Church of Christ to  
pay a last tribute to the memory  
of James Huey Long, 58 year-  
old. The obsequies were conducted  
by Richard Robbins, minister. In-  
terment was in the Fairview  
Cemetery with Womack Funera  
Homes in charge.

Pall bearers were Burl Smith  
Bud Knight, Frank Jackson, Ernest  
Rasco, Gilmore Lockhart and  
Jodie Kennemer.

Mr. Long expired at his home  
in Memphis Friday. He had been  
a resident of this city for the past  
28 years.

Survivors include his widow  
Mrs. Clara Long; his mother, Mrs.  
Catherine Grimes of Memphis;  
two sons, Perry of Amarillo and  
Marion of Memphis; two brothers,  
Willie of Memphis, Isaac of Paris;  
five half-brothers, Jess, Roy and  
Luther Grimes of Memphis, Henry  
Grimes of Littlefield, and Elmer  
Grimes of Stockton, Calif.; five  
half-sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Long of  
California, Mrs. Eddie Beard and  
Mrs. Ruth Jackson of Littlefield  
of California, Mrs. Ota Jenkins of  
Memphis, and Mrs. Ollie Jackson of  
Buckeye, Ariz. There are also two grand-  
children, Coy Alton and Leticia  
Ann Long.

## Mobilization of Industry Asked in Senate Resolution

Alabama Senator Would Give  
Government Control of All  
Industrial Plants, Manpower

A measure granting the Presi-  
dent wide powers to coordinate  
manpower and industry for the  
maximum of efficiency in the war  
effort was drafted early in the  
week by Senator Hill of Alabama,  
advices from Washington said.  
The resolution, introduced in  
the Senate, would lay down a gov-  
ernmental policy "that there shall  
be universal service of all citi-  
zens" and "total mobilization" of  
industry and give President  
Roosevelt control over "material  
resources, industrial organizations  
and services" vital to war.

Hill said that the purpose of the  
measure, an amendment of the Se-  
lective Service act, was to place  
industry under a coordinated pro-  
duction program and to provide  
the workers where they were need-  
ed most to keep the program run-  
ning full blast.

In this laying definitely before  
Congress a program which has en-  
gaged government officials for  
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## TEACHERS HOLD COUNTY MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

### Talk on Elementary Education Is Given By State Director

Miss Edgar Ellen Wilson of  
Austin, director of elementary  
education for the State Depart-  
ment of Education, was principal  
speaker at a countywide teachers  
meeting held Tuesday night in the  
Salisbury school house. Miss Wil-  
son spoke on "Evaluative Criteria  
for Elementary Schools."

J. C. Jernigan of Childress, deputy  
state superintendent, gave  
some suggestions pertaining to  
how such criteria might be obtain-  
ed in schools of Hall County.

Supt. W. C. Davis, of the Mem-  
phis Public Schools, presented an  
outline of the School Salvage  
campaign, which will be launched  
Monday, October 5, and urged  
that all teachers and students take  
part. Supt. J. L. Beard of the  
Childress Public Schools, was a  
visitor.

Some 55 teachers, representing,  
all city and rural schools of the  
county, attended the meeting.  
During a social hour which follow-  
ed the program, a plate lunch was  
served to those present by the  
Salisbury P. T. A. and teachers.

## Eight Hall County Men Enlist in Navy During This Month

### Two-Week Lexington Drive Expected to Fill Out North Texas Quota of 3,600 Men

To date eight Hall County  
young men have enlisted in the  
Navy toward a quota of 13 enlistees  
allotted for the month of Sep-  
tember, Lt. L. H. Ridout, Jr., of-  
ficer in charge of the Navy re-  
cruiting station at Dallas, an-  
nounced this week.

The two-week "Lexington Vol-  
unteers" recruiting drive, launch-  
ed by the Navy Department Mon-  
day, is expected to lend stimulus  
to Naval enlistments for the North  
Texas district during the current  
month and serve to boost the  
month's total past the goal of  
3,600 recruits, Lieutenant Ridout  
said.

Latest figures show that nearly  
2,500 enlistments have been had  
at the main station in Dallas.  
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## Funeral for E. G. Graves Conducted Here September 17

### Former Resident of County Whose Home Was at Tulia, Dies in Plainview Hospital

Funeral services in memory of  
Ernest Walker Graves, former  
Hall County citizen, were con-  
ducted from the First Baptist  
Church Thursday afternoon of last  
week at 4 o'clock, by Rev. G. C.  
Applewhite of Plainview, and  
Rev. Sid Martin, local pastor  
Womack Funeral Homes directed  
burial in the Fairview Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Thurman  
Jones, Roy Waldrop, Ira Foster,  
Olen Grant, Vernon Fowler, and  
Tom Collins. Flower bearers were:  
Mrs. Mary Jones, Ruby Oakley,  
Mrs. Edna Grant, Misses Alma  
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## Certificates for New Car Purchase Harder to Obtain

### If Would-Be Purchaser Has Disposed of Car Adequate To Use, Can't Get New One

Under a change in rationing  
regulations, new automobile pur-  
chase certificates will not be  
granted hereafter to applicants  
who have disposed of cars ade-  
quate for their needs since Janu-  
ary 1 of this year, C. L. Sloan,  
chairman of the Hall County War  
Price and Rationing Board, an-  
nounced today.

"The test of the adequacy of  
such car will be the same as it  
would be if the cars were now  
owned by the applicant," Sloan  
emphasized.

Sloan also directed especial at-  
tention to provisions of this  
amendment which change the con-  
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## ESTELLINE AGRICULTURE STUDENT IS AWARDED HIGHEST FFA DEGREE

Jim Hutchins, member of the  
Estelline Chapter, Future Farmers  
of America, for the past four  
years has been notified by the  
area office at Lubbock that he will  
receive the American Farmer De-  
gree and will receive the Ameri-  
can Farmer key and a check for  
\$25 from the national organiza-  
tion at Washington, D. C. Competi-  
tion for this degree, highest that  
an F. F. A. member can achieve, is  
strong and the qualifications dif-  
ficult to meet. Young Hutchins is  
the first Hall County F. F. A.  
member to be awarded the Ameri-  
can Farmer degree.

A few of the qualifications a  
boy must meet to achieve this high  
ranking are: He must have held  
the degree of Lone Star Farmer  
at least one year preceding elec-  
tion to the degree of American  
Farmer and have been an active  
member of the F. F. A. continu-  
ously for at least three years; he  
must have satisfactorily complet-  
ed at least three years of voca-  
tional agriculture and have in oper-  
ation an outstanding program of  
supervised farming; he must have  
earned by his own efforts from  
farming and other agricultural  
work and deposited in a bank or  
otherwise productively invested

\$500; he must show ability in lead-  
ership; he must be in the upper 40  
per cent of his class in scholastic  
work; he must be recommended  
by the National Board of Trus-  
tees.

During his four years of F. F.  
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## 'Back to Church' Movement Backers Plan Huge Rally

### Hilarious and Interesting Program Promised Those Attending Program Oct. 1st

The men of the First Methodist  
Church who are active in the  
"Back to Church" movement an-  
nounce that they will sponsor a  
big rally in the basement of the  
church on Thursday night, Octob-  
er 1, for members of all the  
churches of Memphis and their  
friends.

A program is being arranged  
for this event which will be, to  
say the least, out of the ordinary  
and thoroughly enjoyable. An  
outline of this program, as tenta-  
tively arranged, follows:

The first 15 minutes will be  
given over to the young people  
who will be followed by the la-  
dies, after which the men will take  
over. It is planned to have six or  
eight two-minute talks by mem-  
bers of various churches on such  
topics as "Why We Like Our Pas-  
tor," "My Most Embarrassing Mo-  
ment," "My Most Comic Incident"  
etc. One member will talk briefly.  
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## Mildred Baker Is Ration Secretary

Miss Mildred Baker of Memphis  
has accepted the position of secre-  
tary to the Hall County War Price  
and Rationing Board and went to  
Estelline Monday morning to as-  
sume her duties. She was employ-  
ed at the Greene Dry Goods Com-  
pany before taking the rationing  
board job.

Miss Baker succeeds Miss De-  
maris Gidden, daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. Arthur Gidden of Plaska,  
who recently resigned after serv-  
ing as secretary to the board for  
several months.

Miss Baker is Hall County's  
candidate in the War Bond Queen  
contest being conducted by the  
Interstate Theatres. The winner  
in this contest, in which each pur-  
chaser is entitled to 100 votes for  
every \$25 worth of bonds pur-  
chased, will receive an expense  
paid trip to Hollywood.

## 22 Women Enrolled in Class Being Conducted Two Nights Each Week by Mrs. Wilson

Unabated interest is being  
shown by the large group of wom-  
en who are receiving instruction  
in home nursing as authorized by  
the American Red Cross. Under  
the tutelage of Mrs. Hulda Wilson,  
registered nurse, the class is meet-  
ing at 7:30 o'clock two nights  
each week, Tuesday and Friday,  
at the Red Cross rooms on South  
Sixth street.

The fourth lesson was held Tues-  
day on the general subject of  
"How to Make the Most of Per-  
sonal Appearance." A review of  
the previous lesson on "Sources"  
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## Apples Popular as Victory Special

Reports of local merchants in-  
dicate the first portion of the  
Victory Food special drive fea-  
turing fresh apples (ending this  
Saturday) was a complete suc-  
cess, according to Otis Jones  
Food Industry committee chair-  
man.

Jones pointed out fresh apples  
will again be designated as a  
Victory Food Special during the  
period of October 22 through 31  
by the Agricultural Marketing Ad-  
ministration.

Apples were selected a Victory  
Food Special to encourage full use  
of this fruit, which is now quite  
plentiful. By homemakers using  
Victory Food Specials, such as  
fresh apples, abundant supplies  
are not wasted and other vital  
foods may be released to meet war  
needs.

## RAIN AND COLD WAVE HIT AREA OVER WEEK END

### Temperature Drops To 42 Saturday As First Norther Hits

B-r-r-r-r-r!  
Memphis people dug out heavier  
clothing, blankets and quilts as  
the season's first real norther  
struck Saturday, bringing a fore-  
taste of the rigors of winter  
through the week end. The cooler  
weather was accompanied by rain-  
fall which began late Friday af-  
ternoon and continued through the  
night. Saturday continued cloudy,  
but the skies were clear Sunday.

A low temperature of 42 de-  
grees was registered Saturday, ac-  
cording to J. J. McMickin, official  
weather observer. The coolness of  
the weather Saturday and Sunday  
was accentuated by the contrast  
with Friday, when the mercury  
climbed to 84 degrees at its high-  
est point. Low for Sunday was 43  
and high was 62 degrees.

Rainfall amounted to 1.68 inches  
in the Memphis area. Although it  
came about three weeks too late,  
farmers agree that it helped late  
feed and did the cotton no harm.

Rains were general over the  
Panhandle-Plains area. Heaviest  
reported fall was around Floydada  
where more than six inches was  
received.

## Last Rites Spoken Today for Pioneer Woman of Parnell

### Mrs. M. D. House Succumbs Tuesday in Hospital Here After Five Days of Illness

Funeral rites in memory of Mrs.  
Sally Cosper House, 65-year-old  
resident of the Parnell commu-  
nity, were conducted this afternoon  
at 3 o'clock from the Hulver  
church by Rev. A. V. Hendricks,  
pastor of the Methodist Church at  
Estelline. Burial was in the Hul-  
ver Cemetery under the direction  
of King's Mortuary of Memphis.

Pall bearers were Bruce Dam-  
ron, Parge Winn, Cullen Taylor,  
Charley Bruce, T. W. Bell Sr.,  
Tom Cope, A. B. Stephens, and C.  
L. Morse. Flower attendants were  
Mrs. T. W. Bell Sr., Mrs. Joe Mar-  
cum, Mrs. Susie Ray, Mrs. Leslie  
Bruce, Mrs. Doc Messer and Mrs.  
Bruce Damron.

Mrs. House died Tuesday aft-  
ernoon in a hospital in Memphis  
after an illness of five days.

She was a native Texan, having  
been born in Bell County June 16,  
1887. She was married to Mar-  
tin D. House in 1898 and to them  
ten children were born. Her hus-  
band died in March 1941 and is  
buried in the Hulver Cemetery.  
One daughter also preceded her in  
death.

Mrs. House came to Hall County  
with her husband in 1905. They  
settled near Parnell and as time  
passed accumulated considerable  
ranch holdings.

Survivors include three daugh-  
ters, Mrs. Weldon Weatherly of  
Wheeler, Mrs. Monta Nivens of  
Amarillo, Mrs. Leon Morse of San  
Antonio; six sons, Edd and Jim of  
Parnell, Ned of Raton, N. M., J.  
D., who is in the army and sta-  
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## Lakeview Girl Is First County WAAC Enrollee

Hall County, with numerous  
sons in the armed services of their  
country, can now boast of a  
daughter who is a member of the  
fighting forces. She is Miss Betty  
Lou Barbee, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. H. Barbee of Lakeview,  
who enlisted September 16 in the  
Women's Army Auxiliary Corps  
at Lubbock.

After being enrolled in the  
WAAC, Auxiliary Barbee was  
transferred to the reserve and  
returned to her home to await  
further orders. She expects to be  
called to active duty within ten  
days of the date of her enlist-  
ment.

Miss Barbee, member of a Hall  
County pioneer family, was em-  
ployed as a nurse in the Mem-  
phis Hospital for the past 19  
months.

**HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS— WEDDINGS**

# Society News

## Miscellaneous Shower Given in Honor of Miss Athalee Hutcherson, Bride-Elect

### Members of Blue Bonnet Club Meet Friday Afternoon

The Blue Bonnet Needle Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Gussie Johnson.

The afternoon was spent making soldier kits and knitting for the Red Cross. A donation of \$5.00 was made for the soldier kits.

### Youth Leaving for Military Service Is Honored With Party

A party was given on Friday, September 11, in the home of Mrs. G. W. Rich in honor of her son Verone who left September 18 for Fort Sill, Okla.

## Six Extra Features FOR GREATER COMFORT

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  - Form-Fit Pattern
- PANTS**
- Giant Belt Loops
  - Generous Pockets
  - Full-cut Seat



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## U. S. WAR HEROES SPONSOR SCHOOLS AT WAR PROGRAM



Left to right: Lt. Commander Edward H. O'Hare, Lt. Commander John D. Bulkeley, Sergt. Joseph R. Driskell and Capt. Hewley. Without praise the campaign of the Treasury Department War Savings Staff and the U. S. Office of Education to stimulate and honor war work of America's 30,000,000 school children and send inspiring messages to schools in every community.

## Dinner, Theatre Party Compliments Miss Hutcherson

On Friday evening of last week Mrs. O. N. Hamilton honored Miss Athalee Hutcherson, bride-elect of Sgt. Coy Beckham of Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, with a dinner and theatre party.

The table was set with white and crystal appointments. The center piece was of white dahlias and maiden-hair fern with white tapers burning from crystal candlebras.

A corsage of white rose buds marked the bride-elect's place. China slippers held corsages of tube roses and baby's breath for each of the guests.

A gift of crystals was presented to Miss Hutcherson from the hostess. The group attended the theatre following the three course dinner.

## 'Our Privilege and Our Duty' Theme of Atalantean Meeting

The Atalantean Club met Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. H. D. Stringer at 4 o'clock for a program on "Our Privilege and Our Duty."

The business session was presided over by the president. Each member pledged to make a soldier kit and a donation was given to the Kit fund.

## Locals and Personals

W. B. Hooser returned home Saturday night from College Station, where he attended a state conference of county agricultural extension agents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Apple are visiting with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Mae Wilson of the Friendship community. Mr. Apple is in the navy and has been taking a radio course at A. and M. college. He is serving his second enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

Misses Dorothy Nell Evans and Ola Mae Kercheville visited Sunday in Amarillo with Miss Evr Mae Holcomb.

Mrs. Asa Gailey of Abilene came Monday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard.

Ralph Howe and J. M. Dickson were business visitors in Crowl Monday.

Jess Rosenwasser spent the past week end in Corpus Christi.

Miss Darlein Reed, Buck Parish of Childress, Miss Gwendolyn Ballew of New Orleans, La., and Therman Glor of Childress attended the Childress-Amarillo football game in Amarillo Friday.

William Lavender and Connie Ray Robertson and Robert L. Burnett were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mrs. George Hubbard and children left Monday for Tulsa, Okla. for a visit.

John and Roy Gilreath, students in Texas A. & M. College returned here Saturday for a short visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

Mrs. S. V. Churchman and daughter Mona of Clarendon visited Sunday with the Misses Black.

J. D. Sims, who is employed in Amarillo visited here Sunday with his wife and other relatives.

Miss Gwendolyn Ballew left Saturday for New Orleans, La. after a visit here with her father, Raymond Ballew.

Mrs. A. Anisman and son Sheldon attended the Atonement Services in Amarillo Sunday afternoon and Monday.

## Women Work— CIVILIAN DEFENSE AUXILIARY NOTES

By INEZ BAKER  
Mrs. Ed Rogers of Houston was a welcome and helpful visitor at the sewing rooms last Saturday. Mrs. Rogers is a sister of Mrs. M. E. McNally.

Your reporter had to make over thirty calls the other day by telephone concerning Soldier Kits. She got two wrong numbers and that was when her tongue got twisted up and she called the numbers backwards. The task was made much easier because of the patience and helpfulness of the operators. That is another service rendered, for which we extend our thanks.

Make your plans to work in the surgical dressings room. Instructions will be given to the daily supervisors next week after which the actual work will begin. There seems to have been some misunderstanding about the working hours. Dressings will be made four afternoons each week, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. One night each week will be set aside for business women who cannot work in the afternoon.

Classes in home nursing continue to meet each Tuesday and Friday night. If you have been unable to attend this course plan to take the next one which will begin shortly after this one is finished. Telephone Mrs. L. W. Stanford and enroll now.

Work goes on at a good pace at the sewing room but there is work for many hands. Some women find time to go every day. One busy woman sets aside two days a week to work. If every woman in town would plan to work at least two days a week think how much would be accomplished.

Soldier Kit bags and sewing cases are cut and ready. Call for them if you want to take them home and make them there. Remember there are 400 of each to make. They are very easily made and several can be finished in an afternoon.

If you have made a pledge to the Kit fund send it in as soon as convenient. The articles for the kit bags have been ordered and will be here soon. The following have made gifts this week: Mesdames J. D. Browder \$1.00; A. D. McCrory \$1.00; E. E. Robert \$1.00; Allen Grundy \$1.00; The Harmony Club \$8.00; Atalantean Club \$5.00; Thursday Bridge Club \$4.00; Estelline \$11.50; Pleasant Valley, \$5.00, completing their quota; Durham-Jones station \$3.00; Memphis Democrat \$1.00. We are still happy over the fact that so many are having a part. We had rather every person in Hall County make a small gift than that a few give it all. Make your gift now, even though it be small, help your community to make its quota soon.

## Members of T.E.L. Class Guests of Mrs. C. W. Crawford

Mrs. C. W. Crawford was hostess Friday afternoon at her home for the T. E. L. Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church.

"My Faith Looks Up To Thee" was sung by the group. Mrs. Weathersbee gave the devotional, reading from the 91st Psalm.

Mrs. W. Wilson presided during the business session. Officers for the year were elected.

Group No. 3 was in charge of the program with Mrs. A. M. Wyatt reading several scriptures on prayer. Mrs. T. T. Loard led in prayer and the meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. D. A. Grundy.

Members present were Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, Mrs. Bell Grundy, Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. Sam Harrison, Mrs. T. T. Loard, Mrs. Chas. Drake, Mrs. Chas. Oren, Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. W. B. Scott, Mrs. Isabelle Cyfert, Mrs. Henderson Smith, Mrs. J. R. Harrell, Mrs. C. W. Crawford, Mrs. John Barber and Mrs. Williams.

## Junior High P-TA In First Meeting Of Year Last Week

The Junior High P. T.-A. held the first meeting of the year at the school on Thursday afternoon of last week.

During the business session presided over by the president Mrs. Ira Foster, it was decided to direct greater effort toward War work other than P. T.-A. work.

Mrs. Bailey Gilmore read an article on "Civil Responsibility in the Crisis."

The next meeting will be on Thursday, October 15.

## Recent Childress Bride Honored at Shower Monday

Mrs. Charles White of Childress was honored Monday evening from 7:30 until 9 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Billy Thompson with a come-and-go shower.

In the receiving line were Mesdames Billy Thompson, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Charles Barker, Mrs. R. C. White of Childress, mother of the groom, and Miss Darlein Reed.

Mary Faye Barker, small sister of the bride, presided at the bride's book. Mesdames Elmo Whaley and Glen Carlos, assisted by Mrs. Orville Goodpasture and Miss Ida Mae Long, served punch from a crystal punch bowl, a frozen sweet and mints.

Red candles, entwined with fern, were burning on a dining table that was laid with a white lace cloth. The center piece was of white and red carnations. The candles in the other entertaining rooms were white.

The gifts were displayed on tables with Miss Donna White, Mrs. Johnnie Hamilton of Childress, sister of the groom, and Miss Naomi Smith showing the gifts.

Mrs. White was the former Miss Dorothy Barker. She wore a black crepe dress with red gladiolas and white carnations.

Hostesses were Mesdames Glet-Charles, Billy Thompson, Elmo Whaley and Misses Naomi Smith, Darlein Reed and Ida Mae Long.

## Members of Dorcas Sunday School Class In All-Day Meeting

The Dorcas Society met Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. J. B. Wrenn for an all day meeting.

Mrs. W. E. Johnsey read the devotional from Isaiah 32, commenting on the two verses. She also led in prayer.

Members present were Mesdames Tom Pullen, A. B. Jones, T. R. Blades, T. R. Franks, W. E. Johnsey, Dennis, and Miss Mary Smith, and one visitor, Mrs. W. M. Gerlach.

The next meeting will be an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture on Thursday, October 1.

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**Mrs. Juanita Es... Marries Air Force Sergeant Sunday**

Mrs. Juanita Es... became the bride of Staff Sgt. C. Stevens of the Army Air Corps on Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock in the parsonage of the Baptist Church in Memphis. S. F. Martin, pastor, officiated at the ceremony.

The couple was attended by Miss Billy Faye Cyfert, sister of the bride, and Johnny Sellinger of Amarillo.

Mrs. Stevens is the daughter and a graduate of Taylor school.

Sergeant Stevens is the son of Mrs. G. M. Cover of San Diego, Calif. He is a graduate of wood high school where he lived his home before he joined the army, working for the Picture Company as a clerk.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Es... make their home in Dallas. He is an instructor in the Air Forces Advanced Glider School.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Es... have three children: a boy, James, and two girls, Jean and Betty.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Es... are expecting their fourth child in the near future.

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NEWS about boys in the Service



Tech. Sgt. Joe D. Bradley, son of John F. Bradley of Lakeview, has been in the army since February, 1939, and likes it fine.

children. It is true many of you can't get in the Army, but you can still help fight and win this battle.

If you care to drop me a line, my address is: Private Jack Martin, Medical Detachment, Hospital Unit 1881, Camp Gruber, Okla.

Garner Moore, who recently enlisted in the Coast Guard, left Tuesday for Amarillo, and from there he went to New Orleans to begin training.

Part-Time Workers Need S. S. Numbers

In this part of the State there are a great many men and women who spend most of their time working on farms or in domestic service, except for the summer months, when they find employment covered by the Social Security law.

Each of these workers should have a Social Security Account number card, said Mr. Reed, manager of the local office of the Social Security Board.

Many of these people do not believe that this short period of employment from one to three months, could affect their entitlement to an old-age insurance benefit.

The office of the Social Security Board located at 324 New Post Office building will furnish a social security account number card to anyone who applies for such a number.

FRIENDSHIP

By MRS. C. L. PADGETT

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lockhart and children, Nora Nell and Teddy, spent Sunday with Mr. Lockhart's brother, Cecil Lockhart and wife of Salisbury.

Noel Bruce left last Tuesday for Lubbock to attend college this year.

Mrs. Mueller, Priscella, James and Janery Mueller, and Laverne Stewart of Memphis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Sheehan Sunday.

Teddy Lockhart spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lockhart of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blair and daughters of Lubbock spent Saturday night with her brother, L. E. Jenkins and family.

Adella Jo Pyent left last week for Waco where she will attend a business college.

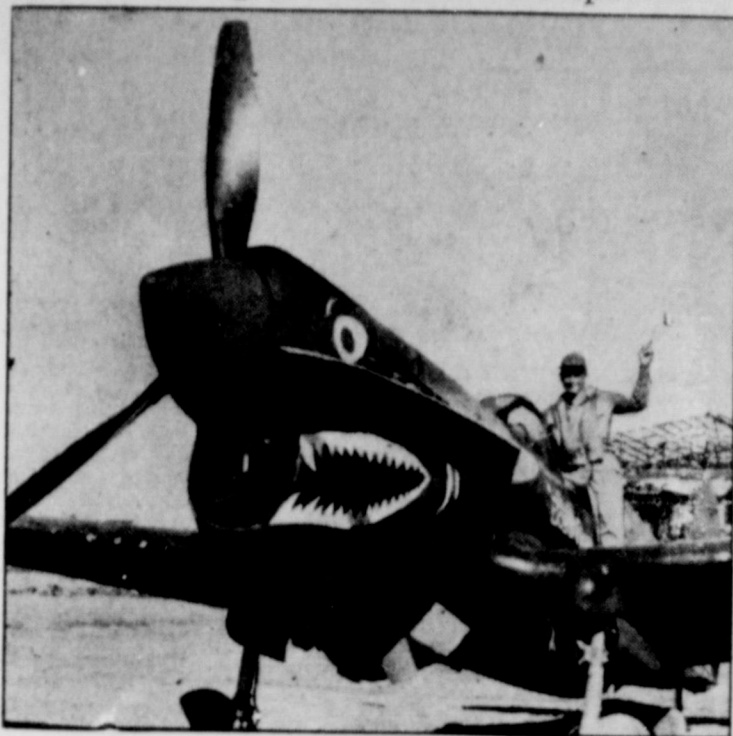
Mary Helen Padgett spent Sunday night with Laverne Archer of Memphis and attended church there.

Don Stewart spent Thursday night with Teddy Ray Lockhart, Ruby Gardenhire, Zetta Jo Jenkins and Gerrie White Sunday with Claudia Vandeventer.

Several from this community attended the funeral of James Long of Memphis Saturday afternoon. He was a brother of Mrs. L. E. Jenkins of this community. We extend our deepest sympathy in her hour of bereavement.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Basham last week were:

Brought Down Five Japs



Acc pilot standing on the wing of his plane, somewhere in Australia, is First Lieut. Andrew J. Reynolds of Oklahoma. He is one of several pilots who have accounted for more than five enemy aircraft.

Test Parachute Boat



An ingenious new one-man parachute boat for emergency use on single-seater fighter planes is being tested by American armed forces. Ralph Douglas had it inflated in less than 10 seconds in a demonstration of the new life-saver. It's attached to the pilot as a seat pack.

INDIAN CREEK

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Zetta Jo Jenkins, Ruby Gardenhire and Gerrie White visited Sunday with Claudia Vandeventer.

Mrs. Ida Whitten and Hester Shira had for their guests for the week-end their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean and their two brothers, Paul and Clifton, of Norman, Okla.

Earl Clossier of Hedley spent the week-end with Harold White. Mrs. Frank Ellis took her little daughter Glenda to Memphis Wednesday for medical treatment.

Lloyd Vandeventer spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents.

Glendon Henry went to Amarillo Tuesday to enlist in the Navy. He will go for a final examination on Thursday, October 15th.

The ladies met in the home of Mrs. Claude Harris Thursday to do Red Cross work. Nine were present and six blouses were made.

Mrs. Dorothy Crawford and two children, Carolyn and Bobby, of Amarillo are visiting her parents, this week.

Leatrice Hutchins missed school the past week due to illness.

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BEANS, Del Monte, 2 No. 2 cans . . . 28c

FLOUR, Pur Asnow, bowl free, 24 pounds . . . . . \$1.05

MILK, White Swan, 6 small cans . . . 26c

CONDENSED MILK, 6 small cans . . . 25c

WHITE KARO, 5-pound jar . . . 43c

VEGETABLE OIL, per pound . . . 20c

ROAST, choice cuts, pound . . . 28c

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# SOCIETY

## Four Circles of Baptist W.M.S. in Meetings Monday

The four circles of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met in the home of members Monday afternoon as follows:

Circle No. 1 met in the home of Mrs. J. S. McMurry. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. W. C. Anderson. In the absence of the leader, Mrs. Jack Boone, Mrs. George Cullin presided during a short business session.

Members present were Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, Mrs. George Cullin, Mrs. Henderson Smith, Mrs. H. T. Gregory, Mrs. W. C. Anderson, Mrs. Charles Oren and Mrs. J. S. McMurry.

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. L. O. Dennis, leader of the circle. Mrs. Earl Pritchett gave a devotional on "Stewardship" and Mrs. D. A. Grundy taught the mission study book.

Members present were Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. Cloyd Foreman, Mrs. Claude Johnson, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Dick Watson, Mrs. Earl Pritchett, Mrs. Peabody, Mrs. Mort Lynch, Mrs. Butler Morrison, Mrs. Cleaveland McMurry, and Mrs. L. O. Dennis.

Circle No. 3 met at the home of the leader, Mrs. E. T. Prater. The devotional on "Stewardship" was given by Mrs. Prater. Mrs. L. G. Rasco taught the Mission Study Book, "The Word Overcoming the World."

Members present were Mrs. N. M. Lindsey, Mrs. R. H. Wherry, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. W. B. Scott, Mrs. Chas. Drake, Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, Mrs. John Barber, Mrs. L. G. Rasco and Mrs. E. T. Prater.

Circle No. 4 met in the home of Mrs. Mack Graham, leader. Mrs. Leon Randolph gave the devotional and Mrs. J. W. Goodell taught the Mission Study Book "European Missions in Texas."

Members present were Mrs. Oscar Webb, Mrs. J. W. Goodell, Mrs. Leon Randolph, Mrs. J. S. Forkner, Mrs. Alfred Hutcherson, Mrs. C. R. Sargeant and Mrs. Mack Graham.

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## Philathea Sunday School Class in Meet Monday Night

The Philathea Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. J. S. McMurry.

The following were installed as new officers: teacher, Mrs. J. S. McMurry; president, Mrs. Bill Johnson; first vice president, Mrs. Mort Lynch; second vice president, Mrs. Perry Hale; third vice president, Mrs. Carl Wolf; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. N. F. Bradley; assistant secretary, Mrs. Marion Long; press reporter, Mrs. N. F. Bradley; group captains, Mrs. C. T. Vickers and Mrs. Mildred Brewer.

At the close of the service, Mrs. J. W. Goodell led in prayer and the class sang a few songs.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. A. E. Osborn, Mrs. C. R. Sargeant, Mrs. Jack Peabody, Mrs. Perry Hale, Mrs. Mort Lynch, Mrs. Cloyd Foreman, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Mack Graham, Mrs. Oscar Webb, Mrs. Earl Pritchett, Mrs. C. T. Vickers, Mrs. J. W. Goodell, Mrs. N. F. Bradley, and Mrs. J. S. McMurry.

## Philippines and Hawaii Studied By Pathfinders

The Pathfinders Council met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Mack Graham.

The subject of the program was "Hawaii and the Philippines." Mrs. George R. Dickson gave "Hawaiian Scenes and Impressions." Mrs. B. B. Smith gave "Manila, the Capital of the Philippines."

Members present were Mesdames Jim Vallance, George J. Dickson, B. B. Smith, Arthur Gidden, Oscar Webb, Brice Webster, Barney Burnett, Cloyd Foreman, W. F. McElreath, J. M. Ferrel, and Mack Graham.

One-sixth of the nation's boys and girls—about four million—now ride to school, chiefly in buses. About 93,000 school buses are in daily service.

# WEEK-END SPECIALS

- COFFEE, White Swan, 1-pound .33c; 3 pounds .97c
- FLOUR, Light Crust, 12 pounds .58c; 24 lbs. \$1.03
- MEAL, Aunt Jimima, 5 lbs. .24c; 10 lbs. .39c
- SPRY, 3 pounds .79c; 6 pounds \$1.57
- MILK, 3 large or 6 small cans .27c
- BAKING POWDER, 25-ounce KC .19c
- SOAP, P & G or Crystal White, 6 large bars .27c
- SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars .21c
- SOAP, Swan, medium bars, 2 for 15c; lg. bars, 2 for 23c
- BIG 4 SOAP FLAKES, per box .47c
- LUX FLAKES, small box .10c; large box .24c
- BABO CLEANSER, per can .12c
- SANI-FLUSH or DRANO, per can .20c
- SALAD DRESSING, White Swan, pint .24c; quart .38c
- BUTTER COOKIES, Sunshine, 46 cookies .17c
- POTATO CHIPS, 2 packages .17c
- TOILET PAPER, White Fur, 4 rolls .24c
- MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, Skinner's, box .8c
- KLEENEX .10c, 2 for 25c, and 25c
- BABY FOOD, Heinz Strained, 3 cans .22c
- VINEGAR, quart Flask, Pure Apple .14c
- KRAFT DINNER, per box .9c
- RAISIN BRAN, 2 boxes .23c
- CHEERIOATS, 2 boxes .25c
- V-8 COCKTAIL .6c, 10c, 29c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, 2 cans .23c
- SOUP, Campbell's, Tomato .9c; Vegetable .11c
- TAMALES, Gebhardt's, per can .15c
- ENGLISH PEAS, medium cans, Empson's, 2 for .25c
- CORN, No. 2 cans, Primrose or Our Darling, 2 for .27c
- TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 2 for .23c
- OLEOMARGARINE, Nucoa or Parkay, pound .26c
- CHEESE, Kraft's, round, per pound .29c
- PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, pound .33c
- TRY A GOOD BEEF ROAST!
- NEW POTATOES, 5 pounds .18c
- SWEET POTATOES, East Texas, 5 pounds .27c
- CABBAGE, hardy green heads, pound .3c
- CARROTS, nice bunches .4c
- OKRA, home grown, pound .10c
- TOMATOES, Lelia Lake, 2 pounds .17c
- GREEN LIMA BEANS, home grown, pound .7 1/2c
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## WEATHERLY

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams are spending a few days in California with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Amal Ford and children have moved back to this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hammonds of Oklahoma is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman.

Sandra Sue Gardenhire is spending this week with Mrs. A. J. Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. Toy Sams have moved back to Weatherly where Mr. Sams will work at the gin.

Mrs. M. D. House is seriously ill in a hospital in Memphis, it is reported.

Mrs. Gertrude Horn and children of Memphis are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Imel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burke and Mr. and Mrs. John Imel and sons are visiting in Tulsa, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherly have moved back to Weatherly from Fort Worth.

Billy Orcutt has returned home from where he is working at Amarillo.

Colleen Weatherly spent Saturday night with June Lee Weatherly.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherly, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hammonds and family, Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and June Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Harwell.

June Lee Weatherly is ill this week.

Miss Pauline Hill of Turkey is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Cat Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pate were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bonner have returned from California. They are visiting with Mr. Bonner's mother, Mrs. O. S. Martin of Hedley.

Mrs. Sidney Stewart of Fort Sill, Okla., is here visiting friends and relatives.

The people in this community have started gathering their crops.

## CHURCHES

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

**METHODIST NEWS NOTES**  
E. L. YEATS, Pastor  
Services for Sunday:  
Church school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Epworth League 7:30 p. m.  
Evening worship 8:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
RICHARD ROBBINS, Evangelist  
SUNDAY—  
Bible study 9:45 a. m.  
Worship 10:45 a. m. and 9:00 p. m.  
TUESDAY—  
Ladies' Bible class 3:30 p. m.  
WEDNESDAY—  
Bible study 9:00 p. m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Ernest B. Motley, Pastor  
Residence 822 W. Brice Ph. 198  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.  
"Character Revealed" will be the subject of the sermon at the morning service.  
"The Spirit That Wins" will be the sermon subject at 8:00 p. m.  
Christian Endeavor 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. The committee in charge will be M. O. Goodpasture, A. G. Webster, Gordon Maddox, G. Kesterson, George Greenhaw.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
SUNDAY—  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Observance of the Lord's Supper—Sunbeams.  
7:30 p. m. Training Union.  
8:30 p. m. Evening Worship.  
MONDAY—  
3:00 p. m. W. M. S. business meeting at the church.  
WEDNESDAY—  
8:00 p. m. Teachers and officers meeting.  
"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear their cry, and will heal their land."—II Chron., 7:14.  
—Stop the Jap—

## ESELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Mrs. Alton Carr and daughter were brought home Sunday from a hospital in Memphis.

Mrs. Carl Jones of McLean visited her parents here for several days this week.

Mrs. B. F. Galey and son moved this week to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Emma Williams of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of her daughter, Rev. and Mrs. A. V. Hendricks.

Mrs. Bess Crump of Memphis was in Estelline on business Saturday.

Winfred Rapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rapp, was home last week-end. He is in school at A. & M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Spradlin and baby of Amarillo were here last week-end en route to Eldorado, Ark., where they will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Curtis and children of Willow, Okla., spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dadd of White Deer spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Richberg.

Mrs. O. K. Young spent last week in Fort Worth with her daughter, Miss Ucabeth, who is attending business school.

Mrs. Blanch Cavis went to Denton last week-end where she was accompanied by Mrs. Fred Berry and Bobby Lee Adams, who visited in Bowie.

Mrs. Roy G. Greath and daughter of Lakeview visited Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Sam Power.

A. J. Berry made a trip to Amarillo Saturday for a check up at the Northwest Texas Hospital.

Homer Bell went to Fort Worth on business Sunday.

Mrs. Swam Venz and son left Estelline Sunday for a visit in Fort Worth.

## LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

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

George Hancock was a dinner guest in the W. F. Hodnett home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Killough spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mrs. Joe Bownds.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Vines and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hall spent Sunday in Bell Vines' home.

Mr. and Mrs. George add children of Amarillo spent Sunday with her father, J. P. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece and family visited in the W. F. Hodnett home Friday night.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere thanks for all the kindness and sympathy shown us at the death of my son and our brother, Ernest, and our deep appreciation for the beautiful flowers. May God bless each and every one of you.

Mrs. Maggie Graves, Cecil, Buster, Homer B. C. S. L. O. C. W., F. M. and S. L. Graves, Mrs. Dessie Areha Mrs. Adell Blackman.

## Gas Users Urged To Get Equipment Ready for Winter

Customers of United Gas Corporation here were urged to get their heating equipment ready for winter now, without delay, in a statement issued today by R. W. Lindsey, district manager of the company, which was as follows:

"Although the weather has not turned cold, it is well to remember that winter is on the way. This winter, more than ever, all of us Americans must keep healthy and take extra care of the things we have. We must work and sacrifice in every way to hasten victory.

"One of the patriotic duties on the home front now, before cold weather strikes, is to see that heating equipment is inspected, repaired and installed. Then you will be ready for winter without having to make a hurry-up effort to get heating equipment inspected.

"This notice also applies to those who use gas only for heating, so that they will act now, well in advance of the first cold wave, and have the service re-connected, thus avoiding any delay in obtaining this service due to a last-minute rush.

"Our company recognizes our responsibility to our customers for the winter ahead, and can say with pardonable pride that we have made every possible preparation to provide a continuously dependable supply of natural gas.

"The company urgently suggests that every customer call in his plumber-dealer immediately and have this work attended to so that the health of our people may be afforded the added protection of warm, comfortable homes."

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Max O'Neal and O. J. McNally of Childress visited Sunday with Mr. O'Neal's uncle and Mr. McNally's brother, M. E. McNally and wife.

J. C. Jernigan, deputy superintendent with headquarters in Childress, transacted business in the office of County Supt. Tops Gilreath Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Jeff Welcher of Parnell returned Friday from a visit with her friend, Mrs. June Smith, of a ranch near Lubbock.

Major W. W. McCollom of the public relations department of the Army Induction Center at Lubbock, was a caller in The Democrat office Tuesday. He was visiting newspapers in this area in connection with the work of his office.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller took their son Jack to Arlington Monday where he will attend N T A C.

Miss Una Laird returned Friday from San Bernardino, Calif., where she visited with her brother, Sgt. H. C. Loard. She also visited in Santa Monica, Calif., with her aunt, Mrs. D. C. King.

Mrs. Cecil Guthrie visited last week-end in Dallas with her husband of Leesville, La.

Miss Vada Webster left Monday for Canyon where she will attend W T S C.

Glen Stilwell left Monday for Arlington where he will attend N T A C.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald and Dr. and Mrs. J. D. McKinzie attended a Chiropractic convention in Childress Sunday.

Mrs. E. T. Prater and daughter Genevieve and Mrs. Coy Davis returned Thursday from Fort Worth where they took Mrs. Prater's daughter Billy Jo, who will enter T C U.

Miss Ruth Barnes left Monday for Canyon where she will attend W T S C.

## BRICE

By MRS. JOHN LEMONS

Mr. and Mrs. Granville McAmor and daughter Iva Jean of Clarendon visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood and Mrs. Virgie McAmor.

Mr. and Mrs. Starr Johnson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gill at Chamberlain.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Tate of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate of Wellington visited here Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tate.

Miss Virginia Lemons of Amarillo spent the week-end with home folks.

Members of the P. T. A. and their families had a barbecue on the school grounds Thursday night, honoring the boys home from camp who were Staff Sgt. Bob Moreman of California, J. D. McClendon of Louisiana, who is in the Navy, and Albert Wood.

Barney Haten of Amarillo spent part of last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rexrode of Dumas are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rexrode prior to his induction into the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craig were Clarendon visitors Monday.

Ben Hill of Vega was a Brice and Clarendon visitor Monday.

D. S. Johnson, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Starr Johnson, for the past ten days has returned to his work at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fowler of Lesley attended the barbecue Thursday night.

## LESLEY

By MRS. JAMES SMITH

While riding on a tractor that was clearing a place on the school yard for a football ground, Billy Ross Phillips fell in front of the machine and received several cuts on his body and neck.

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6 Balls .... \$5.00

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Onions, 5 pounds . . . . . 19c	Tomatoes, 3 No. 2 cans . . . . .	
Tomatoes, fresh, pound . . . . . 5c	Corn, Standard, 3 No. 2 . . . . .	
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	MOR, can . . . . . 35c	E-Z SERVE . . . . . 35c
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**'M' SYSTEM**

REVIEW

C. C. CROZIER

Hoggatt of Abilene... Mrs. James Skinner... Mrs. John Reed...

SCHOOL NEWS

Speech pupils met... Mrs. Weldon Malone... Mrs. Albert Johnson...

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VALDA SMITH

Medicine I... Mrs. Milton Beasley... Mrs. Robert Steward...

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Bud McClendon of Quanah... Miss Marion Ruth Duren... Mrs. Wilma Colvard...

GILPIN

By MRS. R. H. KNIGHT

Lewis Cobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cobb... Mrs. Robert Turner...

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Dyer... Mrs. Gwen Shearer... Mrs. Effie Mitchell...

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Coffman... L. L. Doss, Jack Boone... Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Jones...

CARD OF THANKS

This is to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors...

PERSONALS

Harold Smith came Sunday... Warren McCulloch and father... J. A. Kutch and family...

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith... Mrs. Roy R. Fultz... Mrs. Roy R. Fultz and daughter...

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Anderson... George Roden of Wichita Falls... Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Morrison...

Clifton Burnett was an Amarillo visitor... Vera Dickey, Independent Executive...

Mrs. J. R. Hazlett and Miss Agnes Hayes... Miss Merle Mason returned...

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tarver... Mrs. Harlie Gordon... Miss Nell Ferguson...

Mrs. Carl Abernethy returned... Mrs. Hollis Boren... Mrs. Howard Richie...

L. L. Doss left Sunday for Lubbock... Mrs. Ed Rogers of Houston...

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leake... Mrs. J. W. McCulloch... Mrs. E. P. Thompson...

Mrs. Ella Johnson left Saturday for Jacksboro...

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tucker... Mrs. Jack Jarrell and son John...

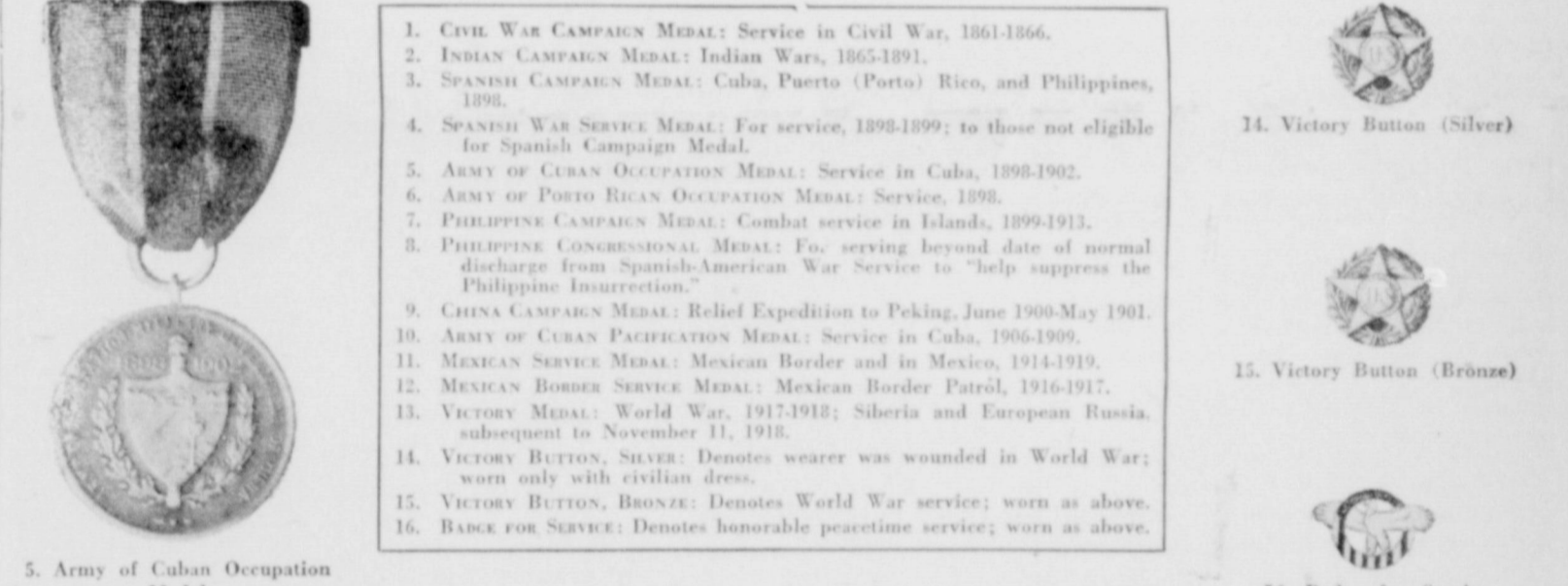
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1. Civil War Campaign Medal 2. Indian Campaign Medal 3. Spanish Campaign Medal 4. Spanish War Service Medal



5. Army of Cuban Occupation Medal 6. Army of Porto Rican Occupation Medal 7. Philippine Campaign Medal 8. Philippine Congressional Medal 9. China Campaign Medal 10. Army of Cuban Pacification Medal



11. Mexican Service Medal 12. Mexican Border Service Medal 13. Victory Medal 14. Victory Button (Silver) 15. Victory Button (Bronze) 16. Badge for Service

- 1. CIVIL WAR CAMPAIGN MEDAL: Service in Civil War, 1861-1866. 2. INDIAN CAMPAIGN MEDAL: Indian Wars, 1865-1891. 3. SPANISH CAMPAIGN MEDAL: Cuba, Puerto (Porto) Rico, and Philippines, 1898. 4. SPANISH WAR SERVICE MEDAL: For service, 1898-1899; to those not eligible for Spanish Campaign Medal. 5. ARMY OF CUBAN OCCUPATION MEDAL: Service in Cuba, 1898-1902. 6. ARMY OF PORTO RICAN OCCUPATION MEDAL: Service, 1898. 7. PHILIPPINE CAMPAIGN MEDAL: Combat service in Islands, 1899-1913. 8. PHILIPPINE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL: For serving beyond date of normal discharge from Spanish-American War service to "help suppress the Philippine Insurrection." 9. CHINA CAMPAIGN MEDAL: Relief Expedition to Peking, June 1900-May 1901. 10. ARMY OF CUBAN PACIFICATION MEDAL: Service in Cuba, 1906-1909. 11. MEXICAN SERVICE MEDAL: Mexican Border and in Mexico, 1914-1919. 12. MEXICAN BORDER SERVICE MEDAL: Mexican Border Patrol, 1916-1917. 13. VICTORY MEDAL: World War, 1917-1918; Siberia and European Russia, subsequent to November 11, 1918. 14. VICTORY BUTTON, SILVER: Denotes wearer was wounded in World War; worn only with civilian dress. 15. VICTORY BUTTON, BRONZE: Denotes World War service; worn as above. 16. BADGE FOR SERVICE: Denotes honorable peacetime service; worn as above.

WANTED-AD Section

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Wanted

WANTED—Good fresh milk goat... WANTED TO BUY—Dried pinto beans...

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### SHORTAGE OF TEACHERS

THE growing shortage of competent school teachers resulting from war conditions is causing acute headaches among those interested in education, which is, or should be, just about everybody. Men teachers are being called into the armed forces rapidly and the supply is already far short of demand. It is only necessary to scan the "Help Wanted" column of any large daily newspaper to be convinced of this. Women teachers also are growing scarcer, as they go into war industries or other and better paying professions.

One solution that has been advanced for the teacher shortage problem is to call back to the classrooms those married women who have had teaching experience. No doubt this will be done to some extent, but it is to be seriously doubted if that will wholly solve the problem. Many of these women have families and will be reluctant to divide their time and attention by getting back into the harness. Some of these ex-teachers do not have the degree that is now required, but no doubt most of them could do a thoroughly competent job of teaching, once they became again familiar with the routine.

Some solution to the teacher problem can and must be found, leading educators agree. Free education is one of the things we are fighting for and must not be too far neglected among the exigencies of war.

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### KEEP AN EYE ON YOUR TIRES

WITH the advent of wartime restrictions on automobile tires, it was inevitable that the day would arrive when their scarcity and increasing value would recommend them to persons of low instincts who have no regard for other people's property rights. Therefore, it behooves those who have good tires, or even moderately good ones, to keep an eye on them at all times and to make sure their cars are securely locked up at night. These observations are prompted by the fact that tire thieves have been active in nearby towns, notably Clarendon. Within the past week a Clarendon car owner had five tires stolen from his garage not over 50 feet from his house. Local car owners are urged to take every precaution against something like that happening to them. It's a great deal easier to prevent theft than to catch a thief.

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### DON'T JUMP AT CONCLUSIONS

DON'T jump at conclusions every time you see an apparently able-bodied single man of military age who isn't in uniform. There is almost certainly some excellent reason why he isn't in some branch of the armed forces. Local draft boards have done a very thorough job gathering in the men eligible for military service and those still wearing civilian clothes are most likely doing so because they have been rejected by the Army for good and sufficient reason. There are any number of physical ailments which bar a man from military service, yet which give little outward indication. You can save yourself embarrassment and the man in question humiliation by being sure of your facts before you condemn.

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In our humble opinion, Dame Nature pulled an awful boner when she made prunes more healthful than watermelons.

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They say the darkest hour comes just before dawn, but we venture to say there aren't many folks around Memphis who can prove it.

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The man who brags that he runs things around his house is probably referring to the lawn mower and the washing machine.

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It doesn't pay to be so busy doing so many things that you forget what you are supposed to be doing.

### RINGING 'EM UP



U. S. Treasury Department.

—Courtesy LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

## IN STEP WITH JOHNNY DOUGHBOY



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## VICTORY

Excerpts from the Official OEM Bulletin

### Fewer Types of Bulbs to Be Produced

Almost 2000 electric light bulbs and lamps of various voltages, wattage and color will go out of production when WPB's new order L-28-A goes into operation on November 1. No curtailment in the total production of electric bulbs will result from the action, as adequate supplies of the permitted types will be produced.

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### Reclamation of Goods Planned

Reclamation of Army clothing, blankets, mattress covers, bar-rack bags and other items of equipment will be undertaken by the WPA on a nation-wide scale, with the Army furnishing the thread, buttons, material and patches and the WPA furnishing the labor without charge. In addition to the service to the Army and the important savings, the clothing projects will enable thousands of women WPA workers, barred by age or other considerations from war industries, to help materially in the war effort. On small-scale operations in New England, WPA clothing projects have reclaimed more than 200,000 items of clothing and equipment for reuse during the last four months.

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### Dallasite Gets ODT Post

Appointment of Daniel E. Clifford of Dallas as an assistant deputy associate director in ODT's division of railway transport has been announced by W. T. Long Jr., deputy associate director. Mr. Clifford will be stationed at El Paso and will travel in West Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. He is a veteran railway man, formerly associated with the Texas & Pacific railway company.

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### Truck Pooling Program Boosted

Texas OPA Director Mark McGee, in a series of meetings with farmers, dairymen, lumbermen and business men in various sections of the state, is recommending transportation pooling and mileage rationing as the best quick solutions for the acute rubber shortage. More than 300 representatives of East Texas agricultural industries attended the meeting, held last week at Sulphur Springs. Elimination of duplicating and competing routes, and pooling of hauling facilities were recommended by the OPA official.

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### Bond Named Manpower Director

James E. Bond, named region director of the War Manpower Commission for Texas, New Mexico and Louisiana, soon will establish headquarters at Dallas. Formerly head of the U. S. Employment Service for Texas at Austin, Mr. Bond's appointment as WMC region director follows his recent designation as special representative to set up manpower committees in Texas to help administer the new anti-labor-piracy policy in the non-ferrous metals and lumbering industries.

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### OCB Aids Mexican Officials

Mexico's civilian defense organization has adopted insignia identical to that used by the U. S. office of Civilian Defense, and has published a handbook, "Protection de la Poblacion Civil," modeled after OCB's handbook. Cooperation of the two civilian organizations has been fostered by a series of good-will visits to Mexico by R. E. Smith of San Antonio, director of the Eighth Civilian Defense Region.

### All-Purpose Ration Book Sent to Printer

OPA last week sent to the printer the first of the nation's all-purpose ration books; designed to provide a swift means for rationing any commodity as soon as a critical shortage appears imminent. The book is adequate for rationing of at least two major groups of commodities for a maximum of six months. Three more ration books of similar character are now in preparation by OPA. One hundred fifty million copies of the new books will be printed, and probably will be ready for distribution shortly before Christmas.

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### Blanks Will Be Mailed By ODT

Owners of commercial vehicles will be mailed blanks on which to apply for the certificates of necessity required by ODT for continued operation of their vehicles after November 15. Due to begin about September 23, mailing of the blanks will be completed in time for each eligible operator to obtain his certificate. Each application blank will be accompanied by a self-addressed envelope in which it is to be returned to the central ODT mailing office in Detroit, Mich.

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### Ceiling Price Put On Underwear

Ceiling prices for fall and winter knitted underwear for retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers have been established by OPA. Prices for retailers and wholesalers are governed through Maximum Price Regulation No. 219 on fall and winter seasonal commodities. Manufacturers' prices are set in MPR No. 221, which also sets standards for undergarments, in order to prevent inflation through deterioration of quality.

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### Ceiling Prices Set on Prunes and Raisins

Ceiling prices at levels representing about 110 per cent of parity to the grower soon will be set for dried prunes and raisins, OPA has announced. These price curbs, when issued, will be the first to be fixed on any fruit at the grower level.

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### Production of Fewer Lines Set

WPB has issued simplification schedules covering saws, axes, hatchets, adzes and light hammers. These requirements are designed to concentrate production on fewer lines and release materials and productive facilities for the war effort.

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### Record Made in Oil Shipments

A new peak for tank car oil shipments to the east coast was reached during the week ending September 12, when an average of 838,440 barrels daily moved to the shortage area.

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### Locals and Personals

M. F. Crowder left Tuesday for Paducah where he will work.

Mrs. Creed Lamb left Saturday for Bovina for a visit with her mother, Mrs. D. H. Jefferson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Alexander visited last week-end in Nocona with his mother, Mrs. R. R. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner and son Pfc. J. G. Gardner Jr. of Fort Riley, Kan., visited Sunday in Paducah with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Bernice Davis and family.

Mrs. R. C. Lemons and daughter returned Saturday from Wichita Falls where they visited with friends and relatives.

## Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

### Those OPA Reports

Dear Leon Henderson: We are in receipt of OPA Release 476 from the office of War Information, on the subject of rubber heel prices, consisting of six and one-third pages on an excellent grade of white paper. Set in the same size type used in our news columns, this release would take one solid page and would carry over four inches onto another page, exclusive of the heading. Our foreman says that it would require the equivalent of a full day's time of a first class printer to handle the tables. We regret to say that we cannot print it. Sincerely, The Editor.—Amarillo Globe.

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### Pyrrhic Victory!

When the mice got so bad this summer, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Poston got a cat. Soon after she had kittens, Sunday night a melon feast at the Postons' was interrupted by a back yard fight. A stray skunk attempted to get to the cat's kittens and the mother was giving the intruder a thrashing when Poston arrived on the scene. Poston assures all that the pole cat made his presence known, although he didn't win the fight.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

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### May Not Be Crazy

Henry J. Kaiser will have the opportunity of building a huge transport plane in spite of the opposition of aviation experts. Kaiser says he can make big planes which will do the job; the experts say he cannot do it; and it was only a few years ago that everyone thought the Wright Brothers were crazy.—Clyde Warwick in The Canyon News.

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### Give 'Em a Break—Not a Fracture

Watch out for those school kids! During the summer most of us have grown careless while driving around the school grounds, but we will have to watch them now. State Police Director Homer Garrison said, "Let's be thankful that we still have schools to send our children to. Even with the benefit of education, which is denied many peoples of the world, our kids are growing up into a world that's going to be pretty rough on them. Give them a break by not breaking their arms and legs and heads with our automobiles.—Bill Rutherford in The Moore County News.

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### Sands Running Out

Should Hitler call up the newest military class and retain the oldest he will have about one-half the needed men for another year. Since Hitler probably will react out to the vassal states for all the men he can muster, by methods of brutality and intimidation, the United Nations are due to call for greatly increased armies and navies to at least match the Hitler menace to the world during 1942. This all-out global war is becoming more serious by the hour, and the sand in the hour glass of American freedom, war commentators admit, has dipped to its lowest level since the American revolution.—Leon Guinn in The Seury County Times.

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### Sugar Problem

The sugar rationing may be giving you a certain amount of trouble, but it's nothing to the difficulties being suffered by moonshiners of liquors and beer. There is the illustration of the moonshiner who was arrested by

## Railroads Adhere to New Regulations on Civilian Travel

Passengers To Be Allowed To Get Tickets In Advance After Reservation Is Made

New regulations, requiring civilian travelers with free passes to purchase rail and bus tickets not later than the date on which they are made, were announced by H. W. Siddall, chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission's Civilian Travel Committee. The committee's regulations are designed to insure the maximum use of the amount of passenger capacity available for civilian travel, taking care of the needs of military needs, which have priority in first consideration.

Siddall pointed out that there are approximately 10 million civilian passengers a year, and that the first time a civilian passenger is called upon to purchase a ticket now, today's railroad traffic, as compared to the time when the railroad was carrying one million passengers a year, is a peak of efficiency in both and civilian movements. It is time necessary to place time limitations on the number of civilians involved in these regulations will be more than met by the more efficient use of the parlor car or reserved seat will be held until the following business day, after three hours of departure. Both rail tickets served space must be by that time to protect all reservations made from which any trip is made. Where out-of-town space is made, the deadline for making of the reservation not later than three hours to the time of departure point from which the train will be used.

Beginning September 15, reservations made 15 days in advance, for parlor car or reserved seat will be held until the following business day, after three hours of departure. Both rail tickets served space must be by that time to protect all reservations made from which any trip is made. Where out-of-town space is made, the deadline for making of the reservation not later than three hours to the time of departure point from which the train will be used.

## PLEASE VISIT THE VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. H.

Miss Vernice Spencer, Mozell Gowdy of Memphis Thursday night with Mrs. J. S. Spencer.

Mrs. Ethel Lytle of Memphis spent the week visiting with Mrs. and Mr. J. B. J. children of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lawrence and Mrs. J. W. Mollie, Grandmother Mollie is visiting her son, J. W. James Spencer was in the army Friday.

Fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer in the armed forces. Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Spence M. M. of Prisma week-end with their daughter and Mrs. Collin Craggs.

Mrs. O. L. Benton and her family were in town after a visit here with Mrs. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Jones.

## YOUR WAR JOB IS---



U. S. Treasury Department.

—Courtesy N. Y. DAILY

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### IS STILL CALLING FOR MEN

An open letter to men are a male citizen of States and your age is present limit of mili- it is directed to you and you will want to ally the following facts now on, will be of rance to you.

Weekly, monthly, more are needed for our s, and from all indi- men are scheduled in October than in thirty-day period.

Age limit for service in the regular Navy, the Naval Reserve and the Seabees are from 17 to 50 and a half. Single men from 17 to 30 are eligible to join the regular Navy and serve six years, but all men from 17 to 50, whether with or without dependents, single or married, may enlist in the Naval Reserve for the duration.

Time is an essential element in enlisting, however. Many men who have delayed too long in volunteering for the Navy now regret it. You should choose your service while you are still free to do so.

Navy recruiting stations are in Dallas, Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Fort Worth, Longview, Lubbock, Paris, San Angelo, Sherman, Tyler, Waco, Wichita Falls.

Other stations are in Childress, Corsicana and Rusk.

### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Millican and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eudy of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. Eudy's mother, Mrs. B. H. Eudy. Mrs. Eudy remained for a visit with Mrs. Bud Crump and family.

Miss Grace Freeman of Vernon visited last week-end with her sister, Mrs. Carl Eudy. Johnny Ben Eudy, who had been visiting in Vernon, returned to his home here with his aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McBee of Madera, Calif., came Friday for a visit with his father, J. A. McBee, and Mrs. McBee's parents Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Boyce of Lela Lake.

Miss Rheta Jean Sullivan left Friday for Canyon where she will teach in the Canyon Public Schools. Miss Sullivan was Home Economics teacher in Memphis high school before resigning.

Jack Morgan, student in Texas A. and M. college, came Sunday for a visit here with friends before returning for the fall semester. He left Tuesday night for Denton and Decatur to visit relatives.

Mrs. Hughie Crowder of Lubbock visited last week end with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Crowder.



U. S. Treasury Department. "Wait! On second thought you ought to make a good son-in-law!"

### On the Home Front— FARM MACHINERY UNDER CONTROL

If you have tried to buy a new piece of farm machinery or equipment within the past week, you no doubt found that Uncle Sam had placed control on such sales—a prelude to rationing.

Government agencies have decided that the all-out agricultural production program scheduled for the coming year is so important that it is necessary to place present stocks of new farm machinery, and equipment into hands of farmers who need it most. Stocks of such equipment were order temporarily "frozen" by the U. S. Agricultural Department, with the order to remain in effect until machinery for rationing can be set up by the USDA.

Under the proposed rationing plans, details in each state will be handled by State USDA War Boards, and in each county by the County Farm War Boards, of which the county A.A.A. committee chairman is the head. In addition to the chairman, the county rationing committee will be composed of two farmer members and their alterantes appointed by the County War Board. In the Southwestern region, the State War Board chairmen are B. F. Vance, College Station, Texas; G. J. Durbin, Baton Rouge, La., and C. T. Cameron (acting), Stillwater, Oklahoma.

The temporary rationing plan classifies farm machinery and equipment in three groups.

Items in the first group (Group A) include farm machinery vital to essential to current agricultural needs and which hereafter may not be sold by a dealer unless the farmer has obtained a purchase certificate from his county rationing committee—not the county war price and rationing board. In this group are included combines, disc harrows, feed grinders, grain drills, hay balers, milking machines, beet lifters, beet loaders, corn pickers, grain elevators, lime and manure spreaders, milk coolers, pickup balers, potato diggers, shredders and tractors (including garden tractors).

In the second group (Group B) are other farm machinery and equipment not in the first group, and which may be sold on certification by the farmer to his dealer. The equipment is essential for current agricultural production needs. In the third group are such items as hand tools and smaller horse-drawn equipment which may be sold without restrictions. The temporary rationing plan does not apply to repair parts.

In the last week, the Office of Price Administration took cognizance of protests to Maximum Price Regulation No. 211 (cotton ginning services) by the Southwest's ginners. The OPA issued an amendment to permit a ginner to seek a price adjustment if he can show that his ceiling and those of substantially all the ginners in the same competitive area are "out of line" with maximum prices prevailing in the nearest competitive area and that this condition subjects him to substantial hardship. Another change in the regulations provides that the "hauling" of cotton to and from the gins by the ginner shall no longer be included in the ginning services for which ceilings are established by MPR No. 211. The first change was made to take care of ginners who might have become engaged in a price war and were caught with an exceptionally low base period price. Petitions for adjustments should be filed with the regional OPA office in Dallas if the petitioner's gin is located in Texas, Louisiana, Missouri, Oklahoma, Arkansas or Kansas.

From time to time, the Office of Price Administration has taken steps to maintain quality—an important part of the price control picture. There have been many reports that manufacturers have

### PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Mrs. Norbert Nase of Lakeview spent Tuesday afternoon visiting Mrs. Edith Dunn.

A. P. Grant made a trip to Conway Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gidden were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. E. E. Foster visited Mrs. J. E. Murdock Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Providence left Friday for Olton where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Ona Providence and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker.

Those meeting to do Red Cross work Friday afternoon were Mrs. Rex Rea, Mrs. T. J. Spry, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Oliver, Mrs. C. C. Cunningham, Mrs. Walter McMaster, Mrs. E. V. Shirley, Mrs. Collin Craighaid and her mother, Mrs. M. M. Shirley of Friona.

John Smith made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

W. E. Murdock who has been visiting his son, W. D. Murdock of Madera, Calif., for the past three weeks came home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers and family of Lesley visited Mrs. Nabers' mother, Mrs. Rhoda Davis, Sunday.

Cecil Adeock, who is stationed at Tucson, Ariz., came Wednesday to visit his mother, Mrs. H. F. Adeock.

Lloyd Campbell of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell.

Lewis Campbell and daughter Yulonda of Oakland, Calif., came Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford, who have spent the past month at Lockney with their daughter, Mrs. Bob Munsy, came home Saturday night.

Bobbie Wheeler, who is stationed at Camp Barkeley, Abilene, was here the past week-end.

Dr. J. M. Orr of Houston came Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr.

Demarius Gidden of Estelline spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gidden.

Mrs. Lewis Wells and children of Clarendon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Foster and total output privately marked by packers as choice grade AA, which is the highest price grade. Such increased volume in the top grades represents upgrading in which purchasers—eager to secure supplies regardless of price—have acquiesced.

family of Memphis spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dunn spent Saturday night at Clarendon with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Oliver.

Mrs. W. L. Nabers visited Mrs. Rhoda Davis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dennis went to Plainview Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Johnny Wilkes.

There was a good crowd at singing Sunday afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend singing here Friday night and next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Emmett Harper and Mrs. L. A. Bray visited Thursday with Mrs. J. T. Martin.

Frankie Gene McWhorter of Newlin spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. McWhorter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel and family of Memphis visited Mrs. McDaniel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stone, Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Vallance came home Sunday after spending a week in Wellington with her daughter Mrs. Robert Zane Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vallance and family spent Saturday at Tell with his brother, R. L. Vallance.

Walter Eade of Bridgeport is visiting G. D. Hall.

Bob and Homer Crawford of the Pleasant Valley community were visitors in the W. L. Crawford home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hignight and son Shelby spent Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and daughter Walter Elizabeth visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira McDaniel of Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Halle and Lilburn Ritter of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dunn Sunday.

T. J. Spry of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spry.

Slim Pannell of Camp Barkeley visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pannell the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Shirley of Friona came Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Collins Craighaid.

Jim May of Memphis was a Plaska visitor Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragan and family of Lesley visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ellis Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Morris and Mrs. Roland Harbison of Conway are visiting in the A. P. Grant home this week.

Bonnie Jean Robertson of Lakeview spent the week end with Gwendolyn Martin.

Joe Webster of Memphis was a Plaska visitor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and daughters, Suvila June and Ruba Jean, of Lakeview visited in the E. E. Foster home Sunday.

Miss Thelma Grace Wheeler, who has been visiting in Dalhart for the past month came home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vallance of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb Sunday night.

Henderson Smith of Memphis was a Plaska visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyette Hodges visited Mrs. Hodges' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kyser of Hedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Shirley spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Swift Lindley and baby of Dallas, who have been visiting Mr. Lindley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindley of the Pleasant Valley community, were Plaska visitors Sunday.

Mrs. M. G. Shirley of Friona visited Mrs. M. P. Owen Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray, Mrs. J. T. Martin and Mrs. Edith Dunn spent Sunday in Clarendon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Oliver.

Mrs. Hill Wells and children of Memphis visited Mrs. J. W. Oliver Sunday afternoon.

Jess Dennis of Quail spent Sunday night in the J. T. Dennis home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris and daughter Loretta visited Mr. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris of Memphis Sunday night.

### Locals and Personals

Mrs. L. G. Rasco spent last week-end in Amarillo with her husband, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Palmeyer were Amarillo visitors Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Elmer Hall of Childress visited with her mother, Mrs. Silas Wood Sunday.

Women! Here is a name to remember

## CARDUI

A 62 year record of 2-Way help

Used as a tonic, Cardui usually peeps up appetite, aids digestion, and thus helps build energy for the "time" to come. Started 3 days before your time, and taken as directed, it should help relieve pain due to purely functional causes.

### OLD WEATHER IS COMING...

## Is Your Heating Equipment Ready?

One thing is certain—winter is on the way. This winter, more than ever, we must keep healthy, take extra care of the things we have, and work and sacrifice every way to hasten Victory.

One of our patriotic duties on the home front now, before cold weather strikes, is to see that our heating equipment is inspected, repaired, and called. Then we will be ready—no last-minute rush. We shall have safeguarded our homes against cold weather.

As your Gas Company, we recognize our responsibility to you for the winter and say, with pardonable pride, we have made every possible preparation to serve you with a dependable supply of Natural Gas.

Complete Your Preparation For Winter NOW  
Call Your Plumber-Dealer TODAY!

UNITED GAS CORPORATION  
SERVICE More Than Just Gas

## Draper Grocery's QUIT BUSINESS SALE

Look, Listen and Buy

I am going out of business and will start liquidating my stock on Saturday, October 3. Will close my place of business October 1 to arrange the stock for the CLOSING OUT SALE. It is my intention to clear the shelves, counters, and show cases of all merchandise. Prices will be made accordingly. My loss will be your gain.

### \$4,000 Stock of Groceries

I have around \$4,000.00 in stock—all quality merchandise. It will all go at absolute cost—and I MEAN COST!

I have been in the grocery business in Memphis about 16 years and the good people of Hall County have been kind to me. I not only hope to give, but promise to give you something in return for your consideration.

I hope to be with the Government after this sale, so that I can do something worthwhile, and have a small part at least in helping to win this war.

Don't Forget the Date! See Ad Next Week

# Draper Grocery

PHONE 351 MEMPHIS, TEXAS

### RAPIDLY INCREASING USE OF WOMEN WORKERS IN ALL INDUSTRIES SEEN

#### Producers to Get—

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eliminate the source of much confusion caused by the substantial increase in use of cotton bagging for bale covering made necessary by the war, the county agent stated.

Associations and exchanges adding the seven pounds allowance plan to their trade rules, and thereby making certain that the farmer will receive benefit of the war allowance at the time he sells his cotton, were the American Cotton Manufacturers Association, the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, New England Cotton Buyers Association, American Cotton Shippers Association, Southern Cotton Shippers Association, Atlantic Cotton Association, Arkansas Cotton Trade Association, Texas Cotton Association, Oklahoma State Cotton Exchange, California-Arizona Cotton Association, Memphis Cotton Exchange, Houston Cotton Exchange, New Orleans Cotton Exchange, Augusta Cotton Exchange and Little Rock Cotton Exchange.

Shortages in supplies of jute bagging and sugar bags for re-use as cotton bale covering make it necessary for the Department of Agriculture to subsidize the manufacture of 4,000,000 patterns of cotton bagging in order to cover the 1942 crop. This meant that approximately one-third of the crop would necessarily carry a lighter tare than usual and that unless the producer was compensated for this lighter covering, he would be penalized for using cotton bagging. The shippers could not afford to make the weight allowance to the seller unless he knew definitely that he was going to sell 100 per cent of the cotton purchased to the group of mills who had agreed to make such allowance to him. Consequently, it was pointed out, he is not prone to compensate the producer at the time of purchase.

It was to eliminate this source of confusion that a plan within the industry that the new uniform addition to the trade rules was proposed by the United States Employment Service. Under the new addition to the rule, the shipper can make allowance to the seller at the time of purchase because he knows that all mills, in turn, will make allowance to him.

All Out for Victory— A. Anisman left Thursday of last week for a visit in Denver.

## Palace

Saturday Only— "Men of Texas" Robert Stack— Jackie Cooper

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday and Monday— "My Gal Sal" in Technicolor Rita Hayworth— Victor Mature

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday— "The Invaders" Lawrence Olivier— Leslie Howard

### BARGAIN DAY Palace and Ritz EVERY FRIDAY

Friday, September 25 "Whispering Ghosts" Milton Berle— Brenda Joyce

## Ritz

Saturday Only— "Rolling Down the Great Divide" Bill Boyd— Art Davis

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday and Monday— "The Gay Sisters" Barbara Stanwyck— George Brent

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday— "Billy the Kid" Robert Taylor— Mary Howard



### NEWS about boys in the Service

Corp. Jay Bruce has been promoted to the rank of sergeant, and Corp. Buster Helm has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant, according to word received here this week. They are both stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss.

Pvt. James McCulloch of Shepard Field, Wichita Falls, visited here last week-end with his wife and daughter James Ann of Estelline, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch.

Sgt. Edwin Thompson returned Sunday to Fort Bliss, El Paso, after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson. He is in the Medical Corps.

Winifred Swift, who was in Algiers, New Orleans, La., in the Coast Guard, left there Saturday for Charleston, S. C., according to word received by his wife.

Eddie Nixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Nixon, who live on route 2, Memphis, writes that he is on an island in the Pacific, but he doesn't say which one. His letter follows:

Dear Folks: Here it is Sunday morning on the island which I am on and I am taking life easy. I am wondering if you received my letter with the money order in it. I haven't heard from you since about July 6, so I am expecting a letter from you real soon. Now, don't let me down.

I get to go fishing, hunting and swimming. We have lots of wild coconuts, lemons, limes, oranges, tangerines, bananas and other fruits growing here.

We have an outdoor movie here about twice a week and listen to the radio every night. It is Sunday here while you are having Saturday.

I get to see Johnnie Rich and Leo Henderson pretty often. Vaughn Henry Kerr and Waddell are here, too. Sid Moran of Quitaca is here with me. I haven't run across any others here that I know, but have been expecting to see some.

I'll close for this time. Hoping to hear from you soon and tell everyone "Hello." Yours for victory. MICK. P. S. Send me some air mail stamps and write by air mail.

Pvt. Eddie L. Nixon 38060555 Troop B, 112 Cavalry A. P. O. 502, c/o Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

Rufus Jones left Thursday of last week for Amarillo where he took final examination for the Air Force. He went from there to Fort Sill, Okla. He is the son of Mrs. Bill Jones of Memphis.

Bobbie Wayne Dawson, son of Mrs. W. T. Dawson of Memphis has been selected for training as a Naval Aviation cadet and will be ordered to active duty shortly, reporting to the U. S. Naval Pre-Flight School, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga. He will receive three months of physical conditioning, instruction in naval essentials, military drill and ground school subjects. After completing this course, he will be sent to one of the Navy's numerous reserve bases for primary flight training.

#### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon West left Friday for a visit in Lawton and Pauls Valley, Okla., with relatives. They returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gibson and daughter Marcea Lynn of Bell Calif., came last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gibson, and brother, Otis.

### Mobilization—

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months, Hill acted without consulting other administration officials. He explained "that we have got to come to something of this kind to get the maximum efficiency possible in fighting this war."

As he outlined the proposal the government would be empowered to direct the management of any industrial plant to produce any type of war equipment needed and to insure that the plant would be manned.

"The government would manage the management, but would not operate the plant, unless it was forced to take over to obtain the results it wanted," Hill said.

He proposed that manpower control be exercised through local Selective Service Boards which would be authorized to call in workers employed in non-essential industries and direct them to take war plant jobs. These boards also would be directed to prevent labor "striking" among industrial plants and to keep agricultural workers on the farm. The universal service provisions would apply to both men and women from 20 to 64 years old, inclusive.

#### Comments—

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My Grandad never was a man to complain. He said when the mosquitoes flew in the window at night and took your children out to play with the baby mosquitoes, they meant well. It was just an error in judgment when they brought your neighbor's children back in place of yours.

HAPPINESS Happiness comes to one and all At some time or another; Little girls love their dates And dote upon a lover.

Married women strut and preen, And lie without a flicker, To build some Guy a rep, We rate a City Slicker.

The thing that touches an old man's heart And puts it all a-flutter, Is a slice of good thick corn bread And gobs of chunky butter.

#### Back to Church—

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on "Our Pastor's Faults" and says he will "skin him alive." Another speaker, who has missed his calling (according to the program committee) will tell "Why We Should Go to Church." Lovry Johnson will tell about his grandmother who was really a very interesting person.

A debate on the respective merits of Texas and Arkansas is expected to provide some hilarious moments. Everyone is requested to mark the date, Thursday October 1, on their calendars and not let other affairs interfere with their attending this rally.

#### Eight Hall County—

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and it was pointed out that a whirlwind campaign during the final days of September will bring in the recruits necessary to round out the month's quota of 3,600 men.

Every man recruited during the two-week "Lexington Volunteers" campaign, prompted by the launching September 26 of a new aircraft carrier bearing that name, will receive certificates which they may keep as mementoes. Lieutenant Ridout explained that 10,000 more bluejackets than are ordinarily enlisted nationally during a two-week period are anticipated.

#### Funeral for E. G.—

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Eugenia, Nadine, Wanda, Leona and Cleona Graves, and Betty Jean Brown. Mr. Graves, who was 31 years old, died September 15 in a hospital at Plainview. He was a farmer and had lived at Tulla for several years.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Maggie Graves of Tulla; eight brothers, Cecil, Buster, Homer B., C. S. and I. O. Graves of Lockney, S. L. Graves, stationed at Pearl Harbor, Hawaiian Islands, F. M. Graves of Oklahoma City, and C. W. Graves of Memphis; two sisters, Mrs. Dessie Areha of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Adell Blackman of Santa Anna, Calif.

### Draper Grocery To Quit Business

The Draper Grocery, corner of 6th and Noel streets, will start a "quit business" sale on Saturday, October 3, it is announced by M. J. Draper, owner. The store will be closed from October 1 to 3 to permit arrangement of the stock for the closing out selling, Draper said.

The closing out is announced in an advertisement in this issue and further details will be given in next week's paper.

Decision to quit business, Draper said, was influenced by general conditions brought about by the war, together with the difficulty of securing competent help in the operation of the store. He expects to go into the government service in some capacity. Draper has been in the grocery business here some 16 years.

#### Red Cross School—

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#### Certificates for—

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ditions under which men in the armed forces may dispose of automobiles.

Hereafter, unrestricted sale of a new car by an inductee into the armed forces will be permitted only when it becomes certain that the seller actually will enter the service," he said.

Previously, an inductee with a 1942 model car could sell it, even to a buyer who could not qualify for a certificate under the rationing regulations, as soon as the seller received notice to report for induction.

"If the seller was rejected on final physical examination but meanwhile had sold his car, he would have done so under a provision of the regulation that was intended only for those who actually go into the service."

"This has now been changed, he explained, because of the greater number of rejections on physical examinations at the induction point.

Another change, also, is that hereafter, members of the armed forces who acquire new automobiles after entering the service will be permitted to sell them thereafter only to certificate holders or to members of their own families.

#### Vehicles Used to—

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rear. It is also required that all motor vehicles have two burning white lights at the front. Failure to observe the regulation concerning tail lights has been the cause of a large number of fatal and near-fatal accidents in the past.

This season, it is emphasized, the danger will be even greater because of slower moving vehicles used to haul cotton to the gins.

The penalty for infraction of the law is a fine ranging from \$14 to \$213 upon conviction. Farmers of this area will save themselves money and trouble by strict observance of this regulation, the patrolman said.

In connection with state highway laws, Abbott called attention to the fact that a farmer is not required to register his tractor for use in hauling his own cotton to the gin.

### Yell Leaders Are Named by Students

The student body of the Memphis High School met in the auditorium Monday morning and chose yell leaders for home football games. Those named were: Jean Dawson, yell leader; Louise Brewer, LaTrice Saunders, Naomi Morrison and Betty McKinzie, assistants. Faculty sponsors of the cheering section are Misses Pauline Travis and Jean Clapp.

#### Surgical Dressing—

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held each afternoon for the opening week as soon as the work is ready to start. Every woman who plans to give any time at all to this work is urged to attend at least one afternoon during the first week. The week of instruction will be held as soon as the materials arrive, Mrs. Phillips said.

The task of making and packing surgical dressings for use by the armed forces is a new project for the Hall County Red Cross chapter and one to which too much importance cannot be attached. The demand for these dressings will be greater than can be supplied by commercial makers, so that the national Red Cross has asked practically all chapters to participate.

It is planned to carry on this work, once it is launched, from 2 to 5 o'clock four afternoons each week. One evening will be set aside for business and professional women who will be unable to assist in the afternoons.

Preparation of surgical dressings must be carried on under the most rigid standards, the chairman emphasized. Some of the rules which will be observed:

1. Each worker must wear a wash dress, uniform or coverall apron. Because of an agreement with the War Production Board to conserve materials, uniforms are not required, but may be worn by those who desire.

2. Nail polish must not be worn by any individual while engaged in this work.

3. The hair must be completely covered with a net or other covering.

4. Smoking in the work rooms will not be permitted.

5. The hands must be washed thoroughly before entering the work rooms.

6. The work must be accurate and the worker conservative with materials.

#### Stallions, Jacks Offered for Lease

The Jack and Stallion Division of the Texas Department of Agriculture will have for lease within the next few days several saddle, Belgian and Percheron stallions, as well as some jacks, according to information reaching County Agent W. B. Hooser. These animals will be leased on an annual rental basis.

Some applications from Hall County farmers have been received, Hooser said. Any farmer who desires to lease one or more of these animals should file application at the county agent's office in the basement of the court house. Delivery will be made by the state department to the desired location, it was said.

#### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roden of Dallas visited last week-end with their mother, Mrs. L. D. Sanders. Mrs. Sanders accompanied them home Sunday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burleson of Amarillo visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hayes.

Mrs. Bill Howard, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Guest, and Mrs. E. W. McMurry were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

### Last Rites Sp

(Continued from page 1) tioned at Washington, D. C. who is a corporal in the D. of Lawton, Okla. Mrs. Ray of Killebrew, brother, Doc Cooper of Colo. Also surviving children and one grandchild.

All the children were the funeral services. Felix Harrison of the Rock Springs, a son of Mrs. Ray of Killebrew, was the officiating minister.

#### Estelline—

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A, and vocational labor income from his \$995.00. His farming included projects for grain sorghums for pig production, corn for production, and pigs for production.

His present investment stock and farm machinery \$850.00, which includes a tractor, three cowpens, calves, one yearling horse, one sow, pig and one-third interest in 5 acres of cotton and sorghum.

Jim has also been in the show ring, for he was grand champion of the Panhandle show in 1941. Placed first with his calves at the Amarillo Show in 1942, also placed in the single junior class same show.

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## CONSERVE FOR VICTORY

Just a Word About COLLAPSIBLE METAL TUBES

Most people are by now aware that when they buy a new tube of paste or shaving cream, the penalty is on both seller and buyer for failure to do so.

But many people are not aware that collapsible metal tubes are urgently needed for the war effort.

Many drug products are packed in these tubes and it is your patriotic duty to turn them in to your druggist when they are empty, whether in exchange for another or not. These tubes have a high tin content and are vital to the war effort.

Go through your medicine cabinet today and see if you have any of them. BE SURE to save them and TURN THEM IN as soon as possible at any drug store.

## Durham-Jones Pharmacy



## VALUES THAT CAN'T BE DUPLICATED

OPPORTUNITY DOESN'T KNOCK

Opportunity doesn't knock—she just sits and waits for you to get up and go places with her. We honestly believe that right now the old girl is on your doorstep.

You have an opportunity to put some real profit dollars in your pocket simply by going places with Bishop's Best Feed. We're interested in you trying one sack, or one ton. All we want is to prove that Bishop's Feed is "right on the money" and will save you money.

EGG MASH, 100-pound sack	\$2.65
CALCIUM CARBONATE MINERAL, 100 lbs.	75c
MARATHON MOTOR OIL, 5 gals., can included	\$3.00
CHICK GROWING MASH, 100 pounds	\$2.85
GRAY SHORTS, best grade, white bags	\$2.00
WHEAT BRAN, best grade	\$1.85
MILO MAIZE MEAL, 100 pounds	\$1.55
SPECIAL CRACKED MILO, 100 pounds	\$1.55
SWEET COW FEED, 100 pounds	\$1.75

### BISHOP GRAIN & COAL CO.

City Rural Delivery Phone 84