

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS.—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1941.

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RED CROSS WAR FUND QUOTA FOR MILLS CO.

Everybody In This County Asked To Contribute To Cross Funds

The Red Cross must have a war fund.

At Pearl Harbor the casualties were not only the men in uniform, but civilians as well—Women, children and the aged. This is modern war. The wounded in war out-number those killed in action and the death rate among the service men and civilians who are wounded will depend largely upon the medical and surgical attention and the nursing they are given.

The American Red Cross is the agency through which the people can aid in saving the lives and relieving the suffering of our wounded. The Red Cross is already in action, but to cope with war needs it must extend its peace time machinery. That is why it must have additional funds.

In Mills County there are few indeed who are unable to make at least a small contribution to this worthy cause. Give what you can. This is your war and mine. We must win.

The chairman of the war fund committee has appointed the following committees. We are counting on this committee to collect and turn in funds as quickly as possible.

Brian A. Smith, county chairman of the Mills County Red Cross, has appointed the following committees:

Following are the committee members and quotas for each precinct:

Goldthwaite 19-1—E. T. Fairman—A. Smith, \$765.00.
Nabors 2—Mrs. Jno. Parker—Chas. Wrinkle, \$10.
Seallors 3—Fred Conrath—Frank Is, \$25.00.
Center No. 4—Mrs. Mohler Og—Hollis Blackwell, \$75.00.

Payne and Pleasant Grove No. 5—Phillips—J. C. Allen—Mrs. Berry, \$35.00.
Star 6—Mrs. John Soules—Mrs. Ben Lee, \$50.00.

Car No. 7—Granvil Huckabee—Wm. Cline, \$25.00.
Mulo 8—Mrs. Eula Harkey—Fletcher, \$100.00.

Det No. 9—Mrs. Melvin Bowler—N. Doss, \$20.00.
No. 10—George Tieman—Jarr, \$100.00.

Halley No. 11—Homer We—Chas. Miller, \$25.00.
Spring No. 12—Mrs. Eula No—John Roberts, \$20.00.

No. 13—O. B. Bell—Fred T. \$10.00.
No. 14—Andy Rowlin Egger, \$20.00.

No. 15—J. R. Wilmeth—Dwyer, \$40.00.
No. 16—Lora Ashton—Freeman, \$20.00.

Valley No. 17—L. Burn—Jr., \$15.00.
No. 18—Mr. Tom McArthur—L. B. Cody, \$20.00.

Pompey Creek No. 20—W. A. Tripplett—Mrs. W. B. Black, \$25.00.

BRIAN SMITH,
County Chairman,
Red Cross War Fund.

ABILENE NAVY RECRUITING STATION OPEN DAY-NIGHT

G. L. Wylie, officer in charge of the Navy Recruiting Station, located in the basement of the Post Office Building in Abilene, announces that the station will be open 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to enlist men for naval service. Age limits are 17 to 50.

VISITS HOME



"BUDDY" ARMSTRONG

Aviation Student Glendon Armstrong, known as "Buddy" to his many Goldthwaite friends, came in last Friday night for a short visit to his mother, Mrs. Annie Armstrong, and other relatives here. Buddy enlisted in the Army Air Corps at Corpus Christi last May 31, and was sent immediately to March Field, Calif., where he took a four-months' regular enlisted pilots' training course. He then was transferred to Cuero, Texas, where he finished his primary aviation students' course. Buddy left Monday night for a ten-weeks' basic training course. Owing to war, he is not sure whether he will get a Christmas furlough this year.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF AAA COMMITTEEMEN FRIDAY, DEC. 19, 1941

The state committee has designated Friday, December 19, as the date for the annual election of community committeemen and county committeemen who will administer the AAA program in Mills County for 1942.

The county is divided into three administrative areas or communities with approximately the same number of farms in each area. Commissioners precincts 1 and 4 are grouped together for one area, and commissioner precincts 2 and 3 are each separate areas. All farmers of each area should attend the meeting to help select the committeemen for his area for 1942. All meetings will be held at the courthouse at the same time for the purpose of electing committeemen. The meeting will begin promptly at 2:15 in the District Courtroom with all farmers meeting together for explanation of procedure. Group meetings will follow immediately for each area. Every farmer is urged to be present at this hour.

G. R. GOOSBY,
Sec. Mills Co. ACA,
Mills County, Texas.

LARGE RED CROSS BANNER STRUNG ACROSS FISHER

The large 30-foot Red Cross banner that was to be placed across Fisher Street at the bank corner this morning was donated to the Red Cross by the makers. It was made in Steen's shop by Rufus Mitchell and Marvin Spinks, and the lettering was done by R. E. Langford.

PLEASE LOOK

At the date on the label of your Eagle. If it does not show your subscription to be paid up, please bring or send in your renewal, and if you have paid up and have not been credited, please let us know.

EDITOR.



The present that not only is appreciated by the one who receives it, but benefits every one in America:

BONDS FOR VICTORY

The Axis war upon the United States is costing millions of dollars every day.

But we have to keep on shooting that money away or be conquered.

It will take billions more to guarantee victory.

The government is asking you to put up some of that money by buying defense bonds and stamps.

Bonds cost as little as \$18.75. Stamps come as low as 10c. Both may be bought at all banks and post offices.

(Give Defense Bonds and Stamps This Christmas)

WHAT MILLS COUNTY CAN DO TO HELP WIN THE WAR

THE RED CROSS DRIVE—USED PAPER NEEDED FOR WAR FUNDS BY THE U. S.

Mills County Quota is \$1,400. Every family in Mills County will be touched by this war. It is your privilege as well as your duty to make some contribution to this worthy cause.

You enjoy the privileges and blessings of this nation. You can now repay in a tiny way some of the obligation that you owe.

Let every home contribute some amount to the Red Cross. Many will be able to give generously—All can give a little.

You—Mr. and Mrs. America and your children—Are now given an opportunity to serve your great country—The United States of America—Through the Red Cross.

Give now—Give generously of your worldly wealth.

Complete list of individual donors will be published. The complete quota must be raised by December 25.



Keep a look out for the things that you can do to help win this war. Don't wait for some person to call on you individually. Volunteer your services. When you hear of a meeting, go, tell your neighbors to go. There is no one individual in the county who can see that every other person is told what is being done. You must find out because it is your country that needs you and your service now. Let no individual say "I was not told." Read your paper and your mail. Mark on your calendar. America Needs You to Be Alert. America Is Your Country—You Do Not Need to be Told to Serve It Now. It Is Your Duty to Seek the Way You Can Help.

HOWARD CROW, A FORMER TEACHER HERE, KILLED IN NAVY

Howard Crow, 22, former science teacher in the Goldthwaite Public Schools, was lost in action last week in the war zone, according to a Navy Department telegram to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Crow, who live in Johnson County. Details of his death were not revealed in the telegram.

Howard Crow taught science here in 1939, and had many friends and acquaintances.

CIVILIAN CHIEF



EARL FAIRMAN

Earl Fairman Is Chief of Civilian Voluntary Service

Volunteers Wanted For Classification For Any Emergency

By request of Governor Coke Stevenson, County Judge R. J. Gerald and Mayor H. G. Bodkin have appointed Earl T. Fairman as chief of voluntary participation. This official's duties are to receive and file names of persons within Mills County who desire to render voluntary service of any of the following classifications:

1. Air Raid Wardens.
2. First Aid Assistance.
3. Nursing, etc.

All volunteers are requested to call at Mr. Fairman's office at the Mills County Hardware Company in Goldthwaite.

All registrations will merely be assorted and held until an emergency demands calling on the registrants for service.

XMAS PROGRAM AT METHODIST CHURCH

For morning service. Prelude. Dew Memorial Chimes. Call to Worship, 593. Hymn, 164. Apostles Creed. Prayer and Choir Response—"Cradle Hymn," 600. Special by Choir, "Hark, Hark, My Soul,"—Shelley.

Responsive Reading, 2nd Reading, page 582. Gloria Patri. Offertory Prayer and Offering.

Hymn, 89. Sermon. Invitation to Christian Discipleship. Hymn, 100. Benediction. Postlude, 49. Soloist, Mrs. Jack McCarty. Cantata.

A cantata will be presented at the Methodist Church Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock. The senior choir will present, "The Music of Christmas," by Ira B. Wilson. Soloists are Billy Saylor, Mrs. Marsh Johnson, Mrs. Hope Schulze and Mrs. Harmon Frazier, Mrs. Sam Sullivan, director and Mrs. John Berry, Organist.

All who expect to order dailies, especially the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, should do so at once, since the special rates will be stopped on January 1.



DEMONSTRATION OF FRUIT GROWERS TO BE HELD JAN. 23

J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist, and Cameron Siddall, entomologist, will hold a fruit demonstration in Mills County, on the Cockrell farm near Big Valley, January 23, at 2:00 p. m., according to John A. Wright, County Agent. These men will give pruning and spraying demonstrations, as well as talks on fruit varieties, soils, and injurious insects. Every fruit grower or persons interested in fruit production are urged to attend.

A PROCLAMATION

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Whereas our country has been viciously attacked and forced into a war of vast proportions, which will inevitably bring grief and distress to many and self-sacrifice to all, and

Whereas for more than sixty years the American National Red Cross has played a vital role in binding up the wounds of the injured, in sheltering, feeding, and clothing the homeless, in succoring the distressed, in rebuilding broken lives, and in rehabilitating the victims of catastrophes of nature and of war, and

Whereas in preparation for just such an emergency as we are now facing, the American National Red Cross has been spending funds at the rate of more than one million dollars a month, which is but a small fraction of the amount that the organization now requires in order to carry out effectively its functions as an essential auxiliary of our armed forces, particularly as a friendly liaison in warfare problems between the man in service and his family at home, and as a key agency in the civil-defense plans.

Now, therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, and President of the American National Red Cross, do hereby proclaim the beginning, as of this date, of a Red Cross War Fund campaign for the raising of a minimum sum of fifty million dollars, and I appeal to the American people to make this campaign an overwhelming success. Realizing the desire of every American to participate in the national war effort, I confidently anticipate an immediate and spontaneous response to this appeal.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this twelfth day of December in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Forty-one, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and sixty-sixth. (Seal)

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Willis Moore and Almarena Helms. Harrold D. Hoggard and Norma Conway. Jack Dempsey Ashworth and Frances Inez Cox. Earl Armstrong and Frances Wilson.

BETTER ACT NOW!

Readers of daily papers who have been subscribing for them through the Eagle office are warned to get their subscriptions in before the first of January, as all holiday rates on dailies go off on or before then. An appreciable raise in the price of newsprint is expected early in January, which will force the dailies to increase subscription prices.

Annual Livestock Raisers Show To Be Held Jan. 10

Everybody In Co. Invited To Enter Livestock Show

The annual Mills County Livestock Raisers Show will be held January 10, 1942, in the vacant lot back of R. L. Steen's Hardware.

Every person in Mills County is invited to attend and bring his livestock.

The association, with the cooperation and help of the business men, the Commissioner's Court, and other individuals, are having a catalogue printed which includes classes of both the Livestock Raisers Show and the F. F. A. and 4-H Club Show. In addition to these classes the high points of the 1942 AAA Program are included along with useful tables, and pointers relative to the feed and care of livestock.

The association is especially anxious that every family in Mills County receives a catalogue and hope they will keep it all during the year.

John Wright, county agent, announces that the association has purchased a tent in which the show can be held if weather conditions compel such, and that rain or shine it will be held, January 10th, back of R. L. Steen's Hardware.

The show will begin about 9 a. m.

TERRACING WANTS SHOULD BE REPORTED TO COUNTY AGENT

Every person in Mills County that needs terrace lines run during the 1942 AAA Program should report this fact to County Agent, John A. Wright as soon as possible as this will be a great help in arranging a schedule.

Before reporting to the county agent each person should find out exactly how many feet he will have to build in order to receive full payment, as this information will be needed.

If requests are made early a greater number can be fulfilled, but requests that are turned in during the last month of the year will have little chance of being met.

If you cannot get in touch with the county agent, you may report this information to the county judge or your commissioner.

Good cooperation will result in getting more work done.

MILLS CO. COTTON GROWERS FAVORED QUOTAS IN ELECTION

Mills County Cotton Growers voting in the 1942 cotton marketing quota referendum, Saturday, December 13th, favored cotton marketing quotas by 95.2 per cent.

A total of 248 votes were cast with only 12 votes against the marketing quota. In the 1941 cotton referendum only 172 growers voted with 23 unfavorable votes.

The percentage of voters voting in Mills County in favor of cotton marketing quotas for 1942 was the largest ever received in this county. The percentage favoring quotas for 1941 was 86.6 per cent.

A favorable vote of 66 2-3 per cent of cotton growers was necessary to put cotton quotas into effect for 1942.

I MAY BE WRONG, BUT

When I drive through a community, the more mail boxes I see battered and shot up, the less I think of the community. Shooting or battering a mail box is a federal offense as well as an act against a neighbor. Once I heard a noted educator say, "A boy who destroys a road sign will do worse when he grows up—if anything is worse." That was before we had rural mail and certainly it is worse to batter a mail box than a road sign.

In a discussion of this nuisance, one man said, "The schools should teach the boys better." Another contended that the Sunday schools could do something to prevent it. Well, neither the public schools or Sunday schools furnish boys guns or ammunition. So as usual when boys are delinquent, the fault rests with the parents who allow them to have guns, but fail to impress them with what not to shoot at.

It is also a violation of law to kill a song bird. There is need for the public schools, the Sunday schools and above all, the parents to give advice on what not to shoot at when the boy is presented with a gun.

A score or more of Goldthwaite boys habitually play "hooky." Parents are subject to a fine when children under a certain age play truant. Whose affair is it to enforce the law, the school or the courts. Do we have a truant officer. Do teachers notify parents when their children are not in school. Do teachers feel relieved when the little "pests" do not show up in school?

Sure, we know parents are 99 per cent responsible for this evil, but the school should cooperate better to eliminate truancy. Do boys ride the school bus from the country and loiter in town all day?

Don't get so much absorbed in the U. S. O., P. T. A., and Red Cross and overlook a big bet right under our noses.

Remember Pearl Harbor. —SAPP HEAD.

BUY A DEFENSE BOND NOW!

Gifts for every occasion: Lovely crystal and colored glass ware for your Christmas Gifts.—L. J. Gartman Music and Furniture House.

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Purchase your ANTI-FREEZE Now, as it is estimated there will be 3 million car owners without any type of Anti-Freeze.

JUST A PUSH

Many of us hoped that while other nations were being baptized in human blood we and our homeland would escape such disaster. Such hope is now vanished. To the serious minded, regret is too deep for words. From my point of view, we are not to think so much in war terms and talk so much in war language as to forget the unseen hand which protects and guides those who seek safety.

When a great tree falls of its own weight there has been decay at work destroying life and strength and the fall may be the only thing to reveal the regrettable decay. Probably not a sufficient number of our people have been interested in making strong and safe our civilization. Have we, as some accuse, become idolatrous people?

A very high publisher says this, "A few weeks ago fifty-six thousand five hundred and forty nine people paid \$583,771.00 to see two men fight for eighteen minutes. Another columnist described the fight as brutal, disgusting.

Not too far from the same time the publisher states that more than \$250,000.00 was paid by our people to see one ball game.

See too what is being done with and on the Lord's Day. Only a small per cent of our American people have a Sunday conscious. It is a joyous contemplation to see our country dotted with church houses everywhere. Each such house speaks in a voice of love for right and righteousness. No, these church people are not perfect; they are not angels, but may they influence our good Lord at such times as we are now in.

CHAPPELL HILL

By MRS. J. N. CROOK

We are very glad to report that Mrs. E. E. Eakin is feeling much better than she has been.

Mrs. Shirley and son, Bud Shirley, from Pioneer visited the Eakin family over the week end. R. G. Ivy has finished his mechanical training in Dallas and has gone to California to work.

Rhinart Bufe is doing some improvements on the inside of his house.

Mrs. Orville Evans visited her sister, Mrs. J. C. Bramblett one afternoon last week.

Bob Reynolds and sisters, Misses Marie and Ruth visited in the Evans home for a while one night last week.

Catherine Crook from Brownwood visited home folks over the week end.

Bro. Separt did not come to preach for us Sunday.

C. J. Crawford from Burnet has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Crawford.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE HONOR ROLL

The following names have been added to our list of new and renewed subscriptions since our last report:

- J. W. Bratton, Rt. 1.
- W. J. Morris, Rt. 1.
- Mrs. Sallie Smith, Temple.
- Mrs. W. C. Dew, City.
- Mrs. J. A. Gillespie, Berger.
- H. C. Scrivner, Dayton.
- Charles Botts, San Diego, Cal.
- D. A. Trent, Beverly Hills, Cal.
- Mrs. L. J. Morrisey, City.
- Hez Cobb, Brady.
- L. O. Kelly, Moline Rt.
- W. H. Wasserman, Mullin.
- Mrs. L. P. Huddleston, City.
- B. F. Renfro, Rt. 1.
- Bob Martin, Mullin.
- Mrs. Pat Parker, Concordia, Kansas.
- Mrs. T. R. Dempsey, City.
- Mrs. F. C. Smith, Rt. 1.
- W. W. Ligon, City.
- Vada Shipman, Moline Rt.
- Mrs. W. E. Fairman, Dallas.
- J. R. Fulton, City.
- John Keese, Austin.
- Charles Conrad, Rt. 1.
- Laura Nelson, Marfa.
- Charley Leverett, Brownwood.
- S. J. Casey, Wolfforth.
- Rev. L. J. Vann, Mullin.
- L. R. McLean, Brady.
- Mrs. J. L. Reed, Wickett.
- Mrs. G. E. Shuffield, Gulon.
- Mrs. Weldon Edwards, Clyde.
- Mrs. Alice Howard, Waco.
- Mrs. Lucy Hays, Mullin.
- Roy Byrd, Rt. 1.
- James W. Roberts, San Diego, Cal.
- Mrs. Forrest Venable, Adamsville.
- Rev. F. P. Smith, City.
- W. M. McConal, Rt. 1.
- E. A. Obenhaus, Rt. 3.
- Mrs. Pearl Davenport, Rt. 2.
- B. F. Mahan, Mullin.
- H. F. H. Reeves, Ebony.
- S. H. Allen, Brady.
- Mrs. Eula Harkey, Mullin.
- Rufus Pierce, Rt. 1.
- Doyle Marler, Mullin.
- Hugh Nowell, Rt. 2.
- Boy Scouts of America, Brownwood.
- Floyd Green, Caradan.
- Paul Wuebbusch, Caradan.
- T. H. Huckabee, Caradan.
- Ralph M. Perry, Pampanga, P. I.
- G. C. Perry, Rt. 2.
- Mrs. W. Daugherty, Ft. Worth.
- Mrs. Liva Weaver, Rt. 1.
- W. D. Marshall, City.
- Leonard Archer, Anson.
- L. B. Burnham, Sr., Rt. 2.
- Mrs. O. R. Wilson, San Antonio.
- W. H. Wood, Mullin.
- J. M. Kohler, Priddy.
- R. H. Chandler, Rt. 1.
- J. J. Kirby, Rt. 3.
- Chas. McKemy, Denison.
- Walter Doggett, City.
- T. J. Williams, Rt. 3.
- Mrs. T. D. Lasley, Oil Center, New Mexico.
- Mrs. Sallie Schrivner, Dermott.
- Mrs. Kyle D. Johnston, Rt. 3.
- W. H. Stanley, San Antonio.
- E. M. Wells, Rt. 1.
- Henry Stevens, Rt. 2.
- Mrs. S. M. Jones, Mullin.
- Mrs. J. M. Ballard, Rt. 1.
- J. A. Knight, Rt. 3.
- G. E. Fox, Rt. 2.
- Mrs. J. D. McKenzie, Moline Route.
- Mrs. George Shady, Moline Rt.
- Mrs. J. F. Robertson, City.
- Mrs. Mary Philen, Caradan Rt.
- Mrs. L. E. Miller, City.
- A. F. Shelton Mullin.
- Mrs. J. L. Stewart, Rt. 2.
- Walter Fairman, City.
- Mrs. Thula Brown, Fort Worth.
- W. M. Johnston, City.
- Mrs. E. D. Roberson, Rt. 1.
- Claude Saylor, City.
- W. D. Koen, Rt. 1.
- Eugene Egger, Ebony.
- Fleming Ford, Florence.
- Mrs. Marvin Rudd, City.
- Mrs. Dora Lindsey, Rt. 2.
- Mrs. W. L. Burke, City.
- Hugh Nowell, Rt. 2.
- Dr. R. M. Burgess, Ft. Worth.
- Mrs. J. J. Cannady, Mullin.
- Mrs. M. W. Hodges, Moline Rt.
- Marsalete Summy, Mullin.
- Lois Webb, Abilene.
- Mrs. T. J. Laughlin, Lometa.
- O. L. Burk, Priddy.
- Edward Geeslin, Brady.
- Shults Faulkner, Austin.
- H. G. Bodkin, City.
- J. W. Featherstone, Rt. 2.
- Floyd Fox, City.
- John I. Haney, Rt. 2.
- Rex Collier, Dallas.
- Mrs. J. D. Kight, Barksdale, Ariz.
- C. G. Featherstone, Caradan Route.
- Nolan Horton, Artesia, N. M.
- Mrs. B. V. Martin, Rt. 1.
- F. M. Cockrum, Comanche.

Gifts for Everyone

FATHER - MOTHER - SISTER
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Amity Bill Folds **Coty Perfumes** **Parker Fountain Pens**

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G. A. Knowles, Rt. 1.
J. W. Mason, Houston.
P. H. Hamilton, Corpus Christi.
G. E. Scallorn, Rt. 2.
Dana Everly, Seattle, Wash.
Mrs. J. P. Moore, Trinidad, West Indies.
J. C. Frizzell, City.
James C. Morgan, City.
Gloria Dyas, San Marcos.
Mrs. J. C. Evans, City.
Mrs. Sina Ezzell, Rt. 1.
Mrs. Lloyd Pope, Houston.
Pvt. Paz Corona, Fort Knox, Kentucky.
Vance Z. Cornelius, Randolph Field.
Mrs. H. T. Klatt, Mission.
Mrs. Fritz Schuman, Dumas.
R. N. Bynum, Lingo, N. M.
Mrs. W. G. Pinson, Capulin, New Mexico.
V. V. Perkins, Lottie, La.
Mrs. H. B. Johnson, City.
Mrs. F. E. Burkett, City.
N. E. Stockton, City.
Mrs. T. P. Reed, Ballinger.
J. Lee Spivey, Lometa.
Johnnie Belle Circle, City.
Public Relations Office, Austin.
Barton Keese, Legion.
J. W. Rudd, Ballinger.
Jack Kirby, City.
Dutch McKenzie, Fort Worth.
T. E. Duncan, Moline Rt.
Jim Soules, Star.
Mary Elna Fouse, Priddy.
Mrs. G. W. Smith, City.
G. E. Garret, City.
Miss Eldene McGee, City.
Mrs. Jack Long, City.
Mrs. E. H. Hapgood, Rt. 1.
Mrs. O. R. Wilson, San Antonio.

Mrs. Joe J. Johnson, Fort Worth.
F. R. Hines, Lometa.
Mrs. John Allen Todd, Santa Anna.
J. B. Lowrey, Rt. 3.
W. C. Frazier, City.
Mrs. W. H. Williams, Mullin.

BENNETT CREEK

By MAYDELL GRIFFIN

(Intended for last week)
Several of the men from this community attended a defense meeting Monday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Griffin visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Wright Monday night.
Nelma Rhea Perry visited Faye Griffin Saturday afternoon. Faye spent Saturday night with Nelma Rhea.
Charles Blackburn and Delton Mason spent Friday night with Herman and Charles Griffin.
Mr. and Mrs. Burns from Hamilton spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Benningfield and family.
Dick Griffin spent several days with his brother, Travis, and family.
Mr. Turberville visited Travis Griffin one day.
Some of the young folks went hunting Friday night.
Some from here enjoyed a party at Simpson's Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Perry, and daughter, Nelma Rhea, Faye and Ira Lynn Griffin and Hulon Montgomery visited Fat Perry and family Sunday evening.
We extend our greatest sympathy to the Shipman family in loss of their dear one.
Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Perry visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Jarrett Saturday night.
Faye Griffin spent Wednesday night with relatives in Pleasant Grove.

Mrs. Marvin Rudd, City
J. O. Simpson, Rt. 1.
Joe Curtis, City.
Mrs. Frank Taylor, Hamilton.
James A. Harris, Caradan.
J. J. Henry, La Luz, N. M.
Mrs. Jack Kilgore, Corpus Christi.
Dr. M. D. Queen, Longview.
Mrs. C. A. Eacott, Rt. 2.
Sam Rahl, City.
R. C. Miller, Moline Rt.
G. T. Perry, Rt. 1.
W. J. Stark, Rt. 1.
Kenneth Coffman, Star.
Delton Barnett, Rt. 3.
Hern Harris, City.
Rev. B. A. Myers, City.
A. W. Carswell, Moline.
Pvt. R. D. Egger, New York, N. Y.
Fritz Buffe, Caradan.
Y. E. Hoover, City.
J. W. Weathers, City.
Mrs. J. L. Sullivan, Corpus Christi.

DEFENSE SAVINGS BONDS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Sales of Defense Bonds for November amounted to \$233,487,000, it was announced by the Treasury Department. The November figure carried total Defense Bond sales past the two billion dollar mark, and revealed that \$2,008,611,000 worth of Bonds have been purchased by the American people since the Defense Savings program was launched on May 1 of this year. Total sales had passed the one billion dollar mark during July.
November sales were divided as follows: Series E Bonds, \$109,475,000; Series F, \$18,978,000; and Series G, \$105,035,000.
Total cash deposits of the Treasury for all three series of Bonds by months: May, \$49,818,000; June, \$314,527,000; July, \$342,132,000; August, \$265,806,000; September, \$232,327,000; October, \$270,713,000; November, \$233,487,000.
All figures are rounded to the nearest thousands, and will not necessarily add to total.

Xmas Cards.—Hudson Bros.

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Spending a day at the HUDSON BROS. good drug store...
Buckley's CANADIAN Mixture (triple action) Take a couple of doses at bedtime—feel its instant powerful effective action spread thru that head and bronchial tubes starts at once to loosen up thick, choking phlegm—soothe membranes and make breathing easier—by far the largest selling cough medicine in Canada. Ask for and get Buckley's CANADIAN Mixture. Over 10 million bottles sold.

SINGING CONVENTION

The 7 county singing convention will meet on Saturday night and Sunday Doole, in McCullough County 25 miles northwest of Brady and 20 miles south of Santa Fe. All singers are invited.
WILLIAM BEGGINS, Chairman.

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SOCIETY

Wilson-Armstrong

Miss Frances Wilson, of Fort Worth and Earl E. Armstrong of Camp Bowie, were united in marriage here early last Sunday morning at the Baptist parsonage by the Rev. E. E. Dawson.

Miss Gloria and Glendon Armstrong were the only attendants.

Mrs. Armstrong is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Wilson of Brownsville. She graduated from high school in Corpus Christi and attended Junior College there, later taught in Draughton's Business college in Brownsville. At the time of her marriage she was employed as secretary to Judge Cooner at Fort Worth. Mr. Armstrong is the son of Avery Armstrong of Carrizo Springs. He was employed by the Southern Mineral Oil company, prior to his enlistment in the U. S. Army.

The couple left immediately for a short wedding trip.

Birthday Party

Myrlene Reynolds, and Anna Merle Epperson entertained a large group of their little friends Friday afternoon at Anna Merle's home, the occasion being both their birthdays. A real Christmas party in which each one joined in singing carols, gave the pledge to our flag, then sang God Bless America and last, The Star Spangled Banner. Four little girls gave piano numbers.

Mrs. Fred Reynolds gave, "The Origin of Christmas," Mrs. Epperson, "A Christmas Story."

A picture was made of the children. More games played and refreshments served to 18 happy girls and boys.

Methodist League

The league program for December 21 will be very interesting and we hope to have more members in the league soon.

The program is "Christmas Carols Around the World."

Leader, Benois Karnes.

Scripture, Luke 2:13, 14, by Jane Ann Steen.

Talk, "Christmas, season of song," by Jim Bob Steen.

"Oh, Come All Ye Faithful," by Benois Karnes.

"The First Noel," by Virginia Long.

"What Child Is This," by Billie Mace Collier.

"Good Christian Men," by Werth Long.

We are giving everyone an invitation to join the league if they want to.

Self Culture Club

Mrs. Kate Marshall and Mrs. A. Hester assisted Mrs. R. E. Clements in entertaining the Self Culture Club Thursday, December the eleventh, at the home of the latter.

Much of the business concerned Red Cross and defense work. The club voted to cut refreshments, and buy three defense bonds. Another motion carried to offer services, as a club, in any defense work needed.

The club was especially happy to have present its new members, Mrs. Walter Summy, and also Mrs. Dave Clements as guest.

Mrs. E. B. Anderson lead the program on, "The Yuletide," with a spirited paper. Mrs. J. H. Saylor gave interesting relations on, "The Origin of Christmas Customs and Symbols." She was followed by Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan's review of "Dickens' Christmas Carol." Mrs. W. M. Johnson added, "Spice" by leading two Christmas carols.

The delightful refreshment plate, which brought joy to all present, consisted of sliced tea, ribbon sandwiches, mints, and nuts.

Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherby had a family dinner at their home last Sunday in honor of his niece, Mrs. F. S. Stahl of Gibsland, La., relatives who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weatherby of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Taylor of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kilgore and daughters of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Weatherby, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weatherby and Roy Weatherby all of Goldthwaite.

H-D Club Party

On Saturday, December 13, Mills County H-D Council, 1941 22 members met in the home of Mrs. George Goosby for an afternoon of amusement and fun. Although the weather was cold and disagreeable on the outside all was warm and cozy within.

When we all arrived and were comfortably seated, the drawing of names was in order so that we might see whom was to receive our gifts, then all were placed around the beautifully decorated tree.

After a short but very complete business meeting, we engaged in a number of interesting and exciting games, led by Miss Greta Sue Hines, Mrs. George White, Mrs. E. D. Roberson and Mrs. Ben Davis.

We then each introduced ourselves by name, club official, and community in order that we might become better acquainted.

Gifts were then distributed, opened and admired after which delicious fruit cake and coffee were served to twenty-eight members.

As we departed we expressed our appreciation to Mrs. Goosby and Miss Emma Scott for a most enjoyable afternoon and a wish for them a Merry Christmas.

Those present were Meses. Tom Hale, Miss Greta Sue Hines, Scalhorn; J. R. Parker, L. C. Williamson, J. M. Wrinkle, Nabors Creek; Albert Schumann, Geo. White, Priddy, Sam Edington, Alvin Brown, Regency; Will Roberts, Mt. Olive; W. A. Cline, Gorden Miller, Midway; E. D. Roberson Alvin Oglesby and Walton Daniel Big Valley; Bula Sauters, Ben Davis, Hern Harris, Goldthwaite; Andy Rowlett, Ebony; Ray Berry, Geo. Shady, Pleasant Grove; O. B. Bell, Harvey Hale, Jones Valley; Lora Ashton, Ridge; J. C. Cox, W. A. Shotwell, Star; Bess Hutchings, Center Point; Jake Brown, Lake Merritt; Ira Alldredge, Center City; Geo. Goosby, Miss Scott.

Homemakers Club

The Priddy Chapter of Future Homemakers of Texas met Thursday, December 4, in the homemaking department. Instead of a business meeting and program, the girls made cookies, which were packed in attractive boxes and mailed to each boy from Priddy now in the U. S. Army. The cookies made were tall house, oatmeal, and tea cakes. The ingredients were donated by the club members, and postage paid from club funds. The committee in charge of this activity was composed of the following club members: Anita White, Merlene Dearson and Benita Stahnke. All club members participated in the preparation of the cookies.

To the Defense League of This City

Regency, Texas
December 10, 1941.

To the Defense League of Goldthwaite:

Just a few words to inform you that due to a severe cold, I may not be present for your meeting Friday afternoon. Even though I am absent, I will be present in thought and am in one hundred per cent to do whatever I can for my country.

Although my strength is far from great, yet, like unto the past, I will put forth every effort available to do what I can, making it joy to do my duty.

The approach of Christmas brings to memory the birth, death, and resurrection of Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. My prayer and heart's desire is that the whole world will turn from sin and observe the day in a way that will be of honor and glory to His blessed name.

May God's richest blessings rest upon you and yours during these sad hours.

I am respectfully,
MRS. CHAS. ROBERTS,
Rt. 3, Mullin, Texas.

Red Cross Sewing Room

The country needs your services. Call any of the following women and offer your service for the duration. The Red Cross sewing room will open the first of the year.

Chairman, Mrs. A. L. Whittaker.

Sewing room supervisor, Mrs. Floyd Fox.

Purchasing agent, Mrs. V. C. Bradford.

Cutting chairman, Mrs. Ray Blackburn.

Knitting chairman, Mrs. Everett Holland.

SEWING ROOM

Monday, Mrs. Al Dickerson.

Tuesday, Mrs. W. M. Johnson.

Wednesday, Mrs. J. R. Goosby.

Thursday, Mrs. Robt. Steen.

Friday, Mrs. D. D. Tate.

Rural inspector, Mrs. Jim Weatherby.

Knitting inspector, Mrs. W. P. McCullough.

Rural chairman of the Mills County Defense League, please contact Mrs. A. L. Whittaker in regard to Red Cross sewing room.

Rural chairman of the Mills County Defense League will please attend a call meeting, Saturday, December 20, at 3 p. m., Red Cross room, court house.

The Red Cross needs sewing machines for the re-opening of the Red Cross sewing room. If you have one to donate call Mrs. Earl Fairman.

Tuesday Study Club

The Tuesday Study Club met in the beautiful new home of Mrs. V. C. Bradford.

Mrs. Ed Gilliam very ably reviewed a timely story of England at war, "This Above All," by Eric Knight.

A delicious salad plate was served to twelve club members and the following guests: Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Mrs. E. B. Anderson, Mrs. A. L. Whittaker, Mrs. W. C. Dew, Mrs. J. J. Stephenson, Mrs. Walter Fairman, Mrs. Jacob Saylor.

Marsh Johnson's mother, Mrs. W. F. Johnson who is very ill at her home at San Saba is no better.

PRIDDY NEWS

H. D. Club

The Priddy Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon, December 9, for a very enjoyable Christmas party. Mrs. Emil Schuster led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance, which was followed by singing, "God Bless America," and several Christmas carols. A brief business session was presided over by Mrs. Bill Shipp, club president. Each member present placed an attractive gift for the kitchen under the Christmas tree, these gifts were numbered, and each member drew a number. Mrs. Oleta Seilheimer then passed the gifts out to those holding corresponding numbers. Delicious refreshments of ribbon sandwiches in red and green, homemade candy, and coffee were served by Mrs. Seilheimer, Mrs. Herman Kopp, and Mrs. Lee Priddy.

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Junior Defense Club

Wednesday, December 3, the Junior Defense Club met. In the absence of the president and the vice-president, Jerol Vaughan, the secretary, took charge.

The best citizens for the week are Raymond Earl Mitchel, Jerol Vaughan and Laverne Sykes.

The committees' reports were: Razor Blade Committee: about 1,100 razor blades.

Paper Sack Committee: about 1,136 paper sacks.

Tin Foil Committee: about 7 pounds of tin foil.

Rag Committee: a few rags.

Aluminum Committee: 82 pieces of aluminum.

We had a play called, "The Upsnoots Thanksgiving" which we all enjoyed very much.

Program committee for next time are: Patsy Ruth Griffin, Carlene Featherston, and Jessie Frank Petsick.

Memory work for next time: "To God, Thy Country, and Thy Friends, Be True."

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LIONS CLUB FETES FOOTBALL BOYS

Special guests at the Lions Club when it met for a turkey dinner Tuesday evening were thirteen members of the 1941 football team, Coach Johns and former Coach Cloninger.

Lion Little was toastmaster on this occasion. Talks on football subjects were made by Lion Wright, Coach Johns and S. E. Cloninger. Three letter men, Sebolt, Smith and McCasland also made talks.

Lion Bodkin discussed home defense and a committee consisting of Lions Wright, Bodkin and Karnes was selected to investigate the matter. Other towns have set up a home defense of their own with some government assistance and it is thought advisable for Goldthwaite to do the same.

FOR DEFENSE

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AMERICA ON GUARD!

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NEIGHBORING NEWS

Lometa

Last Saturday the juice was turned on, on 150 miles of the Rural Electrification lines out of Lometa, and crews have been busy this week connecting the homes on the lines energized.

Ola McMillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Waller McMillian, was married Sunday, in Houston, Steve J. Stinni of St. Louis, Mo., who is now stationed at Camp Wallace. z xz —Reporter

Lampasas

W. D. Moore of Lometa came in Saturday to the courthouse with the rattles from 57 rattlesnakes which he had killed near his home. He said this makes 187 snakes that have been killed at that same place which is about six or seven miles northwest of Lometa.

Mrs. W. M. Aynesworth passed away at the family home on West Fourth Street Thursday, December 11, at 2:30 a. m.

Monday is to be the gala day ushering in the Christmas spirit in Lampasas, when Santa comes to town and rides in the grand parade starting at 3 p. m.

E. M. Wingren, prominent citizen of the Chapel Hill community, died suddenly at about ten miles south of Lampasas, Wednesday, at 10 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Huddleston of Dallas spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. L. P. Huddleston.

CHRISTMAS FOOD SALE

DELICIOUS APPLES

Med. Size, doz. . . . 19c
Large Size, Doz. . . . 23c
Giant Size, Doz. . . . 28c

Fancy, Large Size
Winesap Apples Doz. 29c
Tangerines, 2 Doz. . 25c

Temple
Oranges, Doz. . . . 23c

Large
Cocoanuts, Each . . . 8c

Large
Celery, Stalk . . . 15c

Colorado
SPUDS 10 lbs. 18c

CANDY CANDY

Orange Slices — Cream
Chocolates, Xmas Mix
BARBER POLES
CANDY CONES

Pound Box
Cherry Cordials, . . . 23c

5 Pound Box
Cream Chocolates, . . 75c

Salted
PEANUTS, 1-2 lb. . . 10c

APPLES
Golden Delicious
BOX
\$1.50

ORANGES
Texas — Juicy
1-2 BUSHEL
65c

WALNUTS
Medium Size
POUND
23c

CRANBERRIES
QUART
18c

Special Values

Del Monte
COFFEE, lb. 29c
HONEY, 1-2 Gal. . . 55c

Medium Shred
COCONUT, lb. . . . 15c

Bird Brand
Shortening 4 1/2 Ct.
County Fair
Table Syrup, Gal. . . 43c
One-Half Gallon . . 23c

MEAT VALUE

Home Made
Pork Sausage, lb. . . 3c
- DRESSED HENS
Cured Hams, Pork Post

Baltimore
OYSTERS, Pint
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CREAM, 1-2 Pint . . .

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48 Pound Bag \$1.75

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Washington Apples
LARGE - MEDIUM - SMALL SIZES
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PIGGLY WIGGLY

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Berry of Lampasas were Sunday guests in the L. P. Huddleston home. L. W. Stephens of Lometa and J. A. Hester attended the sheep and Goat Raisers Association at Del Rio last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Harvey Dunkle of De Leon was a week end guest with home folks.

H. H. Virden of La Luz New Mexico is visiting his brother, J. Virden and other relatives. Carl Bledsoe has purchased a house known as the Will Bledsoe house on North Parker street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Roush of McCamey spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Robertson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Henson and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Marvies Humphries returned to their home in Rushmore, Minn., after a visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnston. They also visited several points in South Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Stephen and family visited over the week end with his sister Mrs. E. E. Pond and family of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eacott attended the funeral of her cousin, Edgar Cole, who died at his home at Austin and was buried at Temple Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Weaver received a message last week that her sister, Mrs. W. G. Peinson was seriously ill, Mrs. Weaver left at once for Capulin, S. M., Mr. Weaver accompanied her as far as Dallas, where he visited their son, Clyde Weaver and family, they returned Tuesday.

Leo Long of Brownwood spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Long.

Rev. E. E. Dawson made a business trip to Dallas Monday. Jimmie Booker and little daughter came home from Brownwood Sunday.

James Garner, Brownwood Sunday, Irene Baber of Brownwood visited in the evening. Linkenhogers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linkenhogers returned Wednesday.

Voyce Doggett arrived last Saturday from Coffeerville, Kansas to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doggett.

Miss Mrs. Walter Fairman spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Youngblood of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Greathouse spent Sunday guests in the home of J. E. Greathouse. Grace Smith of Lampasas spent Sunday with her sister, Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leineweber and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fox and son, all of Worth spent the week end home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Berry and Mr. and Mrs. W. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Greathouse returned last Friday from a two weeks visit. Mr. Greathouse visited with his daughter, Mrs. Jude McPherson and family Sapulpa, Okla., and joined Mrs. Greathouse later at Falls City, Neb., where they visited her daughter, Mrs. John Smith and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and family spent several hours Saturday with her grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Weams.

Mrs. Maston Pribble and her husband, Miss Virginia Wallace, who teaches at Hamlin spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Austin.

Miss Aggie Forehand returned from Stephenville Monday to accept the position at the Community Public Service Company vacated by Miss Allene Mahan, who will be leaving soon for California.

Mrs. Alice Milford, Mrs. Undine Stangl of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Temple of Camp Bowie spent a few hours Saturday evening with Mrs. L. R. Conro and Miss Lucille.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cody of Dallas spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. T. C. Graves and family, Mr. Cody who is employed by Butler Brothers Wholesale house at Dallas was transferred to San Francisco, Calif., where he will be operating manager.

It's Your Life
Texas Safety Assn.
Austin

Everyone agrees that unwarranted speed accounts for most of the increase in automobile fatalities. Few people agree, however, as to the conditions under which certain speeds are out of place. Although Texas' new speed limit is 60 miles an hour subject to zoning, the new speed law reads, "Notwithstanding maximum permitted speeds, no person shall drive a vehicle at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the conditions existing; and speed shall be so controlled as to avoid collision with any highway user in compliance with legal requirements and the duty of all persons to exercise due care." Ten miles an hour may be too fast for some conditions — icy roads, for example; while 45 may not be too fast on certain highways. Certainly high speed is out of place.

After dark or when pavements are wet or icy.

When approaching street intersections or important crossroads.

When rounding a curve or turning a corner.

When driving in congested places.

When children are playing in or near the street.

For safe driving you should know how quickly you can stop your car. You may feel that driving at 60 miles an hour is safe under favorable conditions, but do you realize these simple facts:

Your car is covering 88 feet each second.

You travel about four car lengths between the time you realize the necessity to stop and the time you can place your foot on the brake. (This is the reaction distance" of the average driver.)

You cover at least 11 more car lengths after you apply the brakes before you can stop — this is about nine times as far as at 20 miles an hour. If you strike anything, the impact is the same as it would be if you drove your car off a 12-story building. No wonder a fast-moving coupe can turn over a 10-ton truck!

Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin received word that their nephews J. L. and Don Ervin, who were badly burned in a gas explosion near Ranger a month ago, are doing as well as could be expected.

EBONY

By Clementine Wilmetth Briley

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmetth went to Camp Bowie Tuesday night of last week to see their son, Lillard, off. He was leaving with the 144th Infantry for Washington on the Pacific coast. They said the boys all seemed in fine spirits.

Finding that the boys were leaving Camp Bowie last week, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder rushed over to Goodfellow Field, San Angelo to see their son, Neuma. They found him just fine. He had not yet received any orders to leave.

Mrs. Crowder received an air mail letter Saturday from her brother, Floyd Kelly, who is in San Juan, Porto Rico, working on a defense job making \$16.50 per day. He says the country is beautiful. He has signed up for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reid announce the arrival of their second daughter, Judith Ann, born Thursday, December 11, at a Brownwood hospital. She and her mother arrived home next day and are being cared for by her maternal grandmother, Mrs. C. L. Mashburn.

A good crowd was out for church Sunday. We were disappointed that Bro. Green did not come for church Sunday. He had expected to come if he did not have to work, but since so many soldiers and equipment are being shipped to the coast, the Santa Fe is having to work its employees overtime.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmetth spent the week end at Placid visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Beakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Smith and children of Indian Creek attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Huron, who have been visiting relatives here the past ten days, returned to their home in San Antonio Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Egger had for their week end guests, her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hughes, and children and her sister, Mrs. Ruby Miller and children all of Comanche and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mise, from near Bangs.

Mrs. Charm Whittenburg and children spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. P. R. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Glen Egger and baby, Cleta Paye, have moved on the Singleton place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger have moved from the Crowder place to the Sykes place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jones and children have moved on the Crowder place.

Mrs. Edna Dwyer spent Monday with Mrs. J. R. Wilmetth.

Ernest Malone has received a letter from his mother, Mrs. Nellie Malone, who is at Van

Horn, stating that his sister Mrs. Angus Burn had sailed from San Francisco for Manila Saturday, December 7. Just the day before war was declared. A later letter from Mrs. Malone said she heard the boat had been turned back. They are anxiously awaiting to hear that Mrs. Burn has returned safe to the United States.

Remember the H. D. Club party this Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. R. Reid.

INFORMATION ON EMERGENCY ISSUES AND MANAGEMENT

Man hours, worked by willing hands, will bring victory to the United States—swift victory that will be complete, William S. Knudsen, director general of the office of production management, has declared. In a statement following a press conference in which he appealed to American Labor and management, Mr. Knudsen said:

"To all Americans working for defense, the hour has come.

"We must center all our efforts on production of the munitions of war. America's production engines that are turning now must be speeded up to maximum output. Let us move all schedules forward and put the supreme effort into getting more and still more material, that our fighting forces may have the means of carrying on total war.

"War is here—we are attacked. The office of production management appeals for the utmost effort from American labor and management that victory may come swiftly and be complete.

"Man hours worked by willing hands will do it."

—Remember Pearl Harbor—

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Local defense councils and coordinators in the eighth region, including Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado, were urged today by Regional Civilian Defense Director R. E. Smith to discourage all amateur investigative efforts in connection with suspected cases of espionage, sabotage, and "fifth column activity."

The President of the United States and National Defense Director LaGuardia have directed that all such investigative work be conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation with the cooperation of local peace officers, so that it can be correlated on a national basis, Mr. Smith said.

Some local defense councils in various sections of the nation are reported, Smith said, to have organized "intelligence divisions" and enrolled "secret observers" to do investigative work. This, he declared, is in violation of the national plans for civilian defense.

"Director LaGuardia has specifically requested that local defense councils and individuals refrain from such activity," said Mr. Smith. "Individuals who observe suspected cases of espionage or sabotage are asked to turn over whatever information they may have to local police authorities, or to communicate with the nearest local office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation."

With the United States forced to fight the war in two oceans, American labor must meet the challenge with courage and faith similar to that of our armed forces already engaged at sea and in the air, Sidney Hillman, associate director general of the office of production management, declared in a special message to American workers. Mr. Hillman's message follows:

"War is upon us. Our armed forces are already engaged at sea and in the air, waging war with courage and faith in the cause of freedom, as well as with guns and ships and planes. "Labor must meet the challenge with similar courage and faith, by supplying more guns and more ships and more planes in a steady, ever-increasing flow, until the war is won.

"Already the guns you have made and the planes you have built and the ships you have launched are blasting the foe, in defense of our shores. Our

victory depends on greater production from the workshops of democracy. Today our soldiers, sailors, airmen, and industrial workers share the front line of battle.

"Our fighting forces rely on your skill and your energy for the implements of war. The workers of this nation will prove that free Americans can outproduce, as they can outfight any combination of slave peoples. Ours is a sacred task to which we must consecrate mind and heart and hand.

"We will have to do the best possible job on the assembly line, in the pit, at the throttle. No obstacles must be allowed to interfere with our war effort. We will face hardships and make sacrifices.

"This is war—a people's war—a war of the common man against old tyranny and new barbarisms. Labor is more united than ever before in this great war undertaking.

"All labor has pledged its fullest cooperation and participation. Ours is a labor movement unwavering in its devotion to the aims of freedom and in its determination to keep America strong and free. Joined in this high purpose, labor can help not only to crush the Axis aggressors, but also to build a new world of peace and security. The time is now. Democracy's destiny is in the balance. Labor will never fail the cause of freedom."

Xmas Cards.—Hudson Bros.

Mrs. L. R. Conro, who had her shoulder broken several weeks ago was taken to a Brownwood hospital Tuesday for a check up and an examination showed the shoulder and arm doing splendidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnston spent Sunday in Waco with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver. They returned home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hiller of Shive spent Wednesday in the Henry Martin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howell of Brownwood visited his sister, Mrs. Clyde Estep and husband, Wednesday of last week.

Get Xmas Cards Early.—Hudson Bros.

FOOD BARGAINS
for the Holidays!

SPECIALS For FRIDAY and SAT., DEC. 19-20
SELECT YOUR FRUITS CANDY and NUTS EARLY

XMAS TREES
AIRWAY CHOCOLATES
1 lb. Box
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Plenty of Xmas Mixed Candies of All Kinds.

NICE FRESH COCANUTS
All Xmas Items at Low Prices

Lone Star Molasses 58c
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PEANUT 29c
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4 lb. Pail B. and E. \$1.06
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The Bill of Rights In a World at War

By GEO. C. HESTER

The celebration planned for our Bill of Rights Day this year has now been obscured by the momentous developments of the war. The day may even pass almost unmentioned.

In a larger sense, however, the real meaning of the Bill of Rights never conveyed a greater significance than now. The fundamental tenets of political faith which its provisions lay down, lie at the very basis of the democratic order which we are defending in this hour of trial.

The Bill of Rights constitute the first ten amendments to the national constitution. These are binding on the acts and operations of the national government. In a like manner each state constitution contains a Bill of Rights composed generally of the same principles, and are binding on their respective state governments.

In many ways the Bill of Rights is the most representative principle of constitutional government. It is here the individual can find the specific statements of the rights he can expect to enjoy. It states in summary form the results of the long struggle of mankind for personal liberty and religious freedom. It is the touchstone of democracy.

Briefly stated, these rights are as follows: (1) Freedom of religion; (2) Freedom of speech and press; (3) The right of petition; (4) Right to keep and bear arms; (5) Quartering of troops without consent of owner of any house in time of peace prohibited; (6) Freedom from unreasonable searches and seizures; (7) Just compensation for private property when taken for public use; (8) All the rights under the general term of "due process of law" such as habeas corpus, grand jury indictment, and all the safeguards of a fair and impartial jury trial.

There are several important points about the Bill of Rights that should be taken into consideration. In the first place, a Bill of Rights merely states the privileges that a citizen has the right to expect any system of government. We should remind ourselves, however, that it is only under a constitutional democracy that such rights exist at all. Under totalitarianism, for example, all rights exist in the state since all sovereignty or final authority exists in the state. The individual, therefore, has no rights of his own accord, but only such rights as are implied in the state or those which the state wishes to give. The status of an individual is that of a mere subject under such systems.

In the second place, all our guarantees of freedom are conditional and limited. Freedom itself is relative, not absolute. No government, for example, can allow freedom to men, either in speech or action, who attempt to overthrow it. Generally speaking, a person is free to write and speak as he pleases so long as it does not lead directly to disorder, violence, or a breach of law wherein the rights of others are infringed. No one, for example, has the legal right to cry "fire" in a crowded theatre merely to see the people rush from the building. Again the right to bear arms under the state constitution, becomes the privilege to bear arms under whatever reasonable restrictions the law may see fit to impose in the interest of public safety or welfare.

And lastly, in a time of war or great emergency, we should remember that constitutional liberties, may be severely restricted. In time of danger we must emphasize duties sacrifice instead of rights.

In 1918, for example, the most drastic restrictions on freedom of speech were imposed by the Sedition Act. We are now probably added into a time, when restrictions will be imposed upon us such we have never known. This is democracy's way of self-preservation. In short, a wartime democracy is one thing; a peacetime democracy is another. It is by laying aside many of the rights and privileges in the fury of war that we preserve the opportunity of returning to them in the days of peace.

SMALL STONES ALSO SERVE

WHILE PILING STONES behind our new fence I was reminded of a story that David Grayson tells in his inspiring book, "The Countryman's Year."

"Yesterday," writes Grayson, "I was talking with an old country philosopher I know. He was laying a stone wall and commented on the indispensability of small stones to keep the large ones in place—to make the wall solid.

"And I was thinking," said he, "of the need of small men, like me, to keep the big ones in place. They can't leave a man of us out."

"That's what they sometimes forget," said I.

"Yes, sir, they forget—but it ain't for long. Their walls falls down."

In America today we need the small stones as well as the big stones to build up our wall of defense. Without the little men the big plant must close down. Without the united efforts of the little men the big cause may be lost. No matter how small we are, if we do our part, we can help hold up the wall.

The Silver Lining.

RESEARCH

"The problem of finding out what we are going to do when we can't keep on doing what we're doing now."

—CHARLES K. KETTERING.



by Eleanor Roosevelt

PHYSICAL FITNESS

Late one afternoon I flew over to Philadelphia to take part in the beginning of their National Defense week. Mr. John Kelly was in charge of the evening. There had been street races in the afternoon for boys, and, while I was there, the prizes were given out to several individuals and teams.

They had some wonderful high school bands, as well as police and firemen's bands. I had to catch the 9:15 plane back to Washington, so I missed the greater part of the exhibition, but the glimpse of what the young people could do was a great satisfaction. I felt there was potential strength there which could be translated into sound and healthy bodies as they grew up.

I feel that our physical fitness program should serve to awaken interest among young people and their elders to look into all available sources of material.

PLEDGES OF FREEDOM

Carl Sandburg has just sent our Office of Civilian Defense two short pledges, which I hope people will copy and carry around with them. The first is: "I pledge myself to be a little thoughtful every day about the meaning of freedom and how and why I am a citizen of a republic of free men and women, and how and why men and women toiled and fought yesterday for my freedom today."

If we bear this in mind, I think we shall have a greater sense of responsibility about the preservation of our freedom today.

Mr. Sandburg's second pledge reads as follows: "I pledge myself to do a little thinking every day about the need of discipline and how, in a time of national danger more than ever, my own rights as a citizen are tangled and interwoven with the rights of others and these rights always deserve a decent respect."

HEALTH PROBLEMS

In New York city I went to America's Town Meeting of the Air. I enjoyed the program very much. As so often happens, I felt that many sides of the problem of health could not be covered, even in as long a period as we had on the air.

One thing I felt needed emphasis, namely, that the workers themselves, through their labor union organizations, are doing a great many things to improve their health. It seems to me that the employer has an obligation to use every safety device possible to prevent accidents and has an obligation to initiate other programs, with the idea of social welfare always in the background and the realization that health is a stepping stone to all real welfare and security.

But the employees also have a responsibility for plans and programs which they can work out themselves, or in co-operation with the employer. I think a shining example of this is Mr. David Dubinsky's International Ladies Garment Workers union, which has worked out programs for both health and recreation. They are valuable mentally, spiritually, and physically.

WOMAN'S LAND ARMY

I have had so much enthusiasm over the suggestion that a Woman's Land army might be needed. I know there are a great many women and young people who would welcome preparing for some definite thing. It is not in the province, of course, of the Office of Civilian Defense actually to carry out a program, but we hope before long to be able to suggest ways in which people can fit themselves to do whatever emergency work may be required in their communities when the summer comes.

There will be parts of the country where it will be possible to provide paid workers for farmers who need help. Wherever that is possible, it should be done. Volunteers may be needed in various specific ways, but they will be of value only if they have trained and disciplined themselves to stand outdoor work.

NEW YORK 'HOUSECLEANING'

I found myself one day devoting my time to catching up on the mail and doing various things in my house in New York city.

My husband holds over my head the fact that if these houses are sold, I shall have to leave them at very short notice. Since we have always kept certain things in locked closets, I fill up my spare minutes and hours trying to decide what to do with things that have a certain sentimental value and, which, perhaps, none of our children will have any real use for now, or in the future.

This particular day I found some very beautiful and large old tablecloths and napkins with handsome embroidered coats of arms, such as no one would think of indulging in at the present time. In fact, very few people who are economically inclined, use large or small tablecloths any more.

Also, most of us have learned to use paper in many ways which we did not consider possible in our grandmother's day. However, we may return to napkin rings and the careful use of napkins, since paper is now to be conserved.

LOOKING BACKWARD

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From Eagle Files of (December 23, 1916)

C. M. Thompson and family, who have made their home at Antelope Gap for a number of years, moved to the Thompson Brothers' farm in the Duren community this week.

The many friends here of Prof. M. L. Hayes were pleased to learn this week of his marriage in Fort Worth on Dec. 16 to Miss Alice Morrison of Clyde. Hez Cobb was one of the good men of Jones Valley who transacted business in this city the first of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hays of Trigger Mountain were visitors to the city the early part of the week.

Miss Sophia Martin is at home from College at Denton to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Blake Hudson is expected home tonight from the University at Austin to spend the holidays with relatives.

Dow Hudson, who is a student of pharmacy in the medical department of the state university at Galveston is home for the holidays.

D. J. Lockett was a business visitor from the Mullin country one day this week.

Edward Geeslin left Thursday morning in his car for a trip to Fort Worth. He will likely return home today.

The big reservoir of the Santa Fe Company on Brown's Creek has been practically completed and all is in readiness for the rain to fill it with water. There are some finishing touches to be put on the work and the stand-pipe is yet to be put in position, but the lake is ready for the water. The capacity of this lake is three hundred million gallons and it will be one of the largest artificial lakes in Texas.

TEXAS FACTORIES TO GET DEFENSE ORDERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Machinery has been set in motion to obtain for small Texas manufacturers opportunities to participate in government and private industry defense contracts for war materials.

Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson said today he is seeking to have OPM business clinics established in Texas and has asked the Texas regional chambers of commerce co-operation in bringing Southwest productive and manufacturing capacity to the attention of the Office of Production Management, the

VITAMINS FROM FOODS EXPLAINED

What are vitamins? This question has long been asked, but was not answered, however, until recently, when diseases called "food-deficiency-diseases" were cured by an addition of certain substances in the diet. The recent intensive study of vitamins in the laboratory give us a foundation of this important subject.

The term "vitamin" itself may be a mere word to the average homemaker. Therefore, let's speak of vitamins in terms of what they do for us, and where we can get them.

Vitamin A—Function: Growth, good eyes, and increased resistance to disease. Sources: Liver, eggs, butter, milk, and any green or yellow fruits and vegetables.

Vitamin B-1 — Function: Growth, functioning of nerves and heart, good appetite, good morale, energy. Sources: Lean pork, liver, dried grain cereals and bread, dried beans and peas, nuts, and potatoes.

Vitamin C—Function: Strength of blood vessels, strong bones and teeth, blood building. Sources: Sunshine, fish liver oils, liver, eggs.

Vitamin E—Function: Growth, normal reproduction, functioning of glands. Sources: Egg yolk, whole grain cereals, beans, peas, yeast, green leafy vegetables.

Of course, there are a number of other vitamins, but these have been picked out as some of the most important.

Consider the vitamins when planning meals. If the pattern for an adequate diet (See the TEXAS FOOD STANDARD, printed in the Goldthwaite Eagle November 21, 1941) is used as the basis for planning meals, the foods will supply the vitamin requirements, provided that the foods are consumed in adequate amounts.

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armed forces and large manufacturers who are sub-contracting large defense orders.

Johnson wrote regional chamber of commerce presidents he had received assurances from Floyd B. Odium, director of contract distribution for OPM, that so-called "business clinics" would be established in Texas as soon as practicable, and that allowances for freight differentials would be considered on products manufactured in Texas under defense contracts and shipped to Eastern manufacturing centers.

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EDGE—
By TINA MAE CUMMINGS

A good rain fell here last week and we have been having some good weather also. Bro. Hughes preached here last week end.

D. L. Cummings and Charles Boatright, who are employed for Consolidated Aircraft Corporation at San Diego, Calif., spent a few days last week visiting their parents, Mrs. J. E. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Boatright and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Calder and Mrs. J. E. Cummings were stopping in Goldthwaite Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilkins.

C. B. Lindsay and son of Brownwood came out and helped his dad butcher a hog last Tuesday. Mrs. Cummings also helped Mrs. Lindsay with her sausage and lard. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cummings and baby of Cisco spent Thursday night with his mother, brother and sisters.

On last Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Kinder and children and Mrs. J. E. Cummings went down on the Mullin road and watched the soldier boys fire the guns.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Glenn Egger and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Atkinson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Calder and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Myles Calder Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Cummings and Tina Mae, Mrs. Hoy Kinder and children attended church at Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Boatright and Charles, D. L. Cummings took dinner in the Powell home Friday.

A bunch of the young people enjoyed the party in the home of Mrs. J. E. Cummings Thursday night given in honor of Mrs. J. E. Cummings and D. L. Cummings.

Mrs. Boatright and family who left Friday to go back to California and Mrs. G. W. Calder and Mrs. M. Calder and Katy Pearl spent Sunday at home from Ballinger.

Back of Goldthwaite spent Thursday night in the Woodome.

Pr. Calder, who is attending business college in Brownwood spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Calder.

Black and Nora Wood called in the Cummings home Sunday night.

and Mrs. Don Hicks and Mrs. Milton Stanley and Mrs. of Duren spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stanley.

Renfro will preach here fourth Sunday afternoon. All who possibly can come for an afternoon of worship.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben McConal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown and Mary Lou. Mrs. Alvin Oglesby and Mrs. Martin visited Mrs. Bedford last Friday.

Charlene Stark spent Saturday night and Sunday with Wanda Robbins.

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Those who visited in the Andy Brown home last Friday night were, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Oglesby and family; Mr. and Mrs. Windham and family; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Geeslin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dennards' daughter, Mrs. Ralph Walper and niece, Mrs. Joycelyn Willcox from California have been visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowell and daughter, went to the plains last week to visit their kinfolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Robbins have moved in the house where Shufflers lived and Mr. and Mrs. Martin from San Saba moved where Robbins lived. We welcome the Martins to our community.

Mrs. High Dennard visited her mother last Monday.

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YANKEE DOODLE IS DEFENSE SONG OF WEEK

No definite date was set for the next community sing-song at the meeting of the defense league, Friday, December 12. Watch your local newspaper for the date of the next sing-song.

When the Revolutionary War began, the colonists had no national hymn. During the French and Indian War, Dr. Shockburg in a spirit of diversion gave to the poorly clad soldiers the words and music of Yankee Doodle. Many times since then, military men have marched to victory with this tune. It is not the lofty sentiment of this song but the rollicking tune which gives this song its place among our national songs.

YANKEE DOODLE

Father and I went down to camp,
Along with Captain Goodin',
And then we saw the men and boys
As thick as hasty puddin'!

Chorus:
Yankee Doodle keep it up,
Yankee Doodle Dandy,
Mind the music and the step,
And with the girls be handy.

And then we saw a thousand men,
As rich as Squire David;
And what they wasted every day,
I wish it could be saved.

And there was Captain Washington
Upon a slapping stallion,
A giving orders to his men;
I guess there was a million.

And then the feathers on his hat,
They looked so very fine, ah!
I wanted peskily to get
To give to my Jemima.

And there I see a swamping gun,
Large as a log of maple,
Upon a mighty little cart;
A load for father's cattle.

And every time they fired it off,
It took a horn of powder
It made a noise like father's gun
Only a nation louder.

And there I see a little keg,
His head all made of leather,
They knocked upon it with little sticks,
To call the folks together.

And Cap'n Davis had a gun,
He kind o' claps his hand out
And stuck a crooked stapping-iron
Upon the little end out.

The troopers, too, would gallop up
And fire right in our faces;
It scared me almost half to death
To see them run such races.

It scared me so I hooked it off,
Nor stopped, as I remember,
Nor turned about till I got home,
Locked up in mother's chamber.

BIG VALLEY—
By JACKIE DENNARD

Bro. Roberts preached Sunday and Sunday night. There was not a very good crowd on account of the weather.

George Robertson was badly hurt by his horse last week. He was taken to Temple at once and was a little better at last report.

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ROCK SPRINGS—
By MRS. EULA NICKOLS

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We extend sympathy to Ed Randles and other relatives in the going away of his father. Also to the Chilton relatives in the going away of Mrs. Chilton. Just a few more days until Christmas. It will be a sad one for lots of us as we have loved ones so far away. It made us sad when we learned that our boys at Camp Bowie were called out Tuesday morning to go we know not where. I hope they won't have to go over the top like the boys did before.

Walter Robertson is working this week for J. F. and Joe Davis. Little Joe Ann Saunders and mother are still doing fine.

Those who visited last week in the Saunders home were: Mrs. Frank Johnson and daughters and son, Mmes. W. A. Daniel and Walton Daniel and son, E. D. Robertson, Ballard Cooke and Brown. Sunday afternoon, E. L. Pass and wife and W. A. Saunders and wife and Mrs. P. C. Harden and son and daughter and Loy Long and family.

Mrs. Jay Weaver from Oklahoma and her father-in-law from Carbon, Texas spent Friday night with her father and Rudolph and family. Mrs. Weaver took her father home with her for a visit.

Philip Nichols and wife and Shirley Nichols and wife from town visited Sunday afternoon with their brother James and family.

Mmes. Dunkle and Robertson from town spent Sunday afternoon with Woodie Traylor and family.

J. F. Davis and wife went to Star Sunday to the singing convention.

Claud Grey left Saturday morning for Fort Worth. Mrs. Grey is staying in the Roberts home while he is away.

I took Mmes. Glenn Nichols and Ira Dewbre to Star Sunday to the singing convention. We really enjoyed it. The next one will be at Moline the first Sunday in March.

Frank White had an accident last week, he cut quite a gash in his leg. There had to be a few stitches taken.

Glenn Nichols and wife from town ate supper in his mothers home Sunday night.

Mrs. Walter Robertson feels quite brave, she has learned to drive their new car. She went to town Monday to the laundry and drove back alone.

Dwight Nichols and wife visited in his mothers home Monday night.

Woodie Traylor and wife had business in town Monday.

Wiley Mahan has most of the Nichols cultivated land leased and he finished breaking it last week.

LIVE OAK—
By MRS. J. H. BROWN

Everyone is very busy getting ready for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Randles and children visited in the Will Fox home Sunday afternoon.

Glenn Featherston of Camp Bowie spent the week end with his parents.

Mrs. Wilford Gray expects to leave next Sunday for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend the Christmas holidays with her son, Leon, who is employed with the Douglas Aircraft Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson had as guests in their home Tuesday, Mrs. Ernest Tumlinson, Mrs. Walter Parrot, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tumlinson, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Woodard and children spent Sunday in the C. G. Featherston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Randles and Pattie Ann visited Mrs. Jennie Harmon Monday.

Mrs. Homer Denman and Benetha Ann visited her mother, Mrs. W. E. Rose Monday.

R. A. Parker is expected home this week from Concordia, Kansas to spend the holidays with his family.

The Jolly Chatter Club had the club Christmas tree in the home of Mr. and W. E. Rose Thursday afternoon. The club discussed plans to help in defense work after Christmas.

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SCALLORN—
By MRS. ORA BLACK

(Intended For Last Week)
Sunday was a great day at our church. There were 50 present for the morning service. Bro. Lancaster brought a well delivered sermon on the church. After lunch which was served at the church. We were assembled again with a good representation from surrounding communities to hear another fine sermon. Bro. Lancaster comes to us from San Saba County and will preach for us on the first and third Sunday of each month. With the encouragement of our pastor and the cooperation of the entire community, it was decided to have a Christmas tree at the church on the night of the 24. We extend to all a hearty welcome and to help us make this a success in bringing out the true spirit in which it was intended. Joy to the world, peace on earth, good will toward men.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ford accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Johnie D. Ford, motored to Florence to look over the property Tom had bought at that place and where he intends moving to in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Casbere and daughter, La Delle and Mrs. Tom Huffstutler visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller of San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Miss Greta accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Todd and son of Santa Anna visited with relatives in Lampasas and Adamsville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sims of Brownwood visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henry and family of Lampasas were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henry Sunday afternoon. Callers in the Henry home were C. H. Horton and granddaughters, Ava Lavon and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henry and family from Chadwick.

Mrs. C. H. Black and children of Goldthwaite attended church here Sunday.

We were glad to have some of the Long Cove people included in our services Sunday.

Earle Blake, who is employed at Camp Bowie came in home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Miss Greta were luncheon guests Sunday of Bro. and Sister Dawson of Goldthwaite.

Miss Jerry Straley of Adamsville is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Tom Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith and family of Owen, Texas visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith and family.

Mrs. Lila Crawford of Goldthwaite spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Willson Fox of Lampasas were visitors in the home of Mrs. R. D. Evans Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie D. Ford spent Sunday in San Saba with relatives. Mrs. Ford's brother accompanied them home for a visit.

BENNETT CREEK—
By MAYDELL GRIFFIN

A large crowd attended the annual fruit supper and party in the Travis Griffin home Saturday night.

Glady's Kerby spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kerby.

Those who visited in the Bennett Perry home a while Friday night were Ira Lynn, Faye, and Maydell Griffin, Mrs. Montgomery and Hulon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill and children, Mrs. Henry Virden from New Mexico and Dick Griffin spent Saturday night in the Travis Griffin home.

Cleve Perry and Bob Kerby went to Brownwood Monday.

Nelma Rhea Perry spent Sunday with Faye Griffin.

Dick Griffin spent Monday night and Tuesday with Edgar Simpson.

Burthel Roberts and Edgar Simpson visited Travis Griffin and Maynard Roberts Tuesday morning.

The school children will be glad to begin their two weeks Christmas vacation Friday.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
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Lesson for December 21

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THE COMING OF GOD'S SON
LESSON TEXT—Isaiah 9:6, 7; John 1:1-4, 10-14; 1 John 4:9-11.
GOLDEN TEXT—The Father sent the Son to be the Saviour of the world.—1 John 4:14.

Christmas again! How shall we keep it in a world torn by strife, and poisoned by man's bitterness against man? Let us keep it with all the joy and gladness at our command. Let us make this the best Christmas we and our families have ever had. How? By giving more and richer gifts? No—although they have their place when rightly given and received. By feasting and merrymaking? No—although they too have their place when carried on in the true spirit of love and friendship. What then? Let us make this an outstanding Christmas by centering our thoughts, our affections, our joys—yes, and our gifts of self and substance—around God's Son, whose "birthday" we celebrate.

May Christmas, 1941, be the best you have ever spent. This is the writer's sincere wish for you. One way to make it just that is to diligently study our lesson for this next Sunday, which tells of the coming of God's Son.

I. His Coming and Character Prophesied (Isa. 9:6, 7).

God who was to send His Son into the world to become the Saviour of sinful man fittingly made known His coming through Isaiah (and others) 800 years before it took place. This greatest event in all history was the subject of exact and detailed prophecy, which was completely fulfilled. Although Isaiah calls Him "a child" (as indeed He was), he saw Him as the divine One whose glory and power is revealed in the magnificent array of names found in verse 6.

"Wonderful," a much abused and misused word, found its real meaning in Him—He really is wonderful in every way. "Counselor!" He does not need or seek the counsel of others—He is the Counselor. Have you sought His counsel? "The Mighty God"—not a mere man, but God unlimited in power. "The Everlasting Father," which is really the "Father of eternity," the One to whom eternity owes its existence. "The Prince of Peace," who will one day bring peace to the earth when He comes to reign; something we need not expect before that blessed day.

Little wonder that "the government shall be upon his shoulders" (v. 6), and that He shall reign on the throne of David forever. That is prophecy yet to be fulfilled, but it will be, even as the others, for "the zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this."

II. His Incarnation and Redemption Completed (John 1:1-4, 10-14).

The Eternal One—who was in the beginning with the Father, He who was God and who made all things, this One who was the life and the light of men—humbled Himself and took upon Himself the likeness of sinful man. He was "made flesh and dwelt among us," revealing the grace and glory of God. The incarnation of Christ is a truth the greatness and glory of which we cannot fully understand; but we know that it was for us that He came—for our redemption.

The world—His own world—received Him not. "But"—and thank God for that blessed "but!"—"as many as received him, to them gave he the power (or better, "the right," as in R.V.) to become the children of God." Redemption is by a new birth, a divine birth, "not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man." It is a complete redemption by faith in Him who revealed the grace of God to man. This is the great message of Christmas. Let us not miss it.

But there is another word for this precious and blessed season—it is that of love.

III. His Love and Our Love Manifested (1 John 4:9-11).

The love of God has been expressed in many precious ways, but the full and final manifestation was in the sending of His only begotten Son into the world that we might have life through Him. This is love supreme, that God loved us when we did not love Him, the altogether lovely One giving His best and dearest in loving sacrifice for the altogether unlovely ones.

Such love in making the unspeakable gift to us must of necessity call forth from us not only love toward Him, but also for one another. Christmas is an excellent time to deepen and sweeten the love which exists between Christian brethren. We need to be drawn very close to one another for mutual encouragement, strengthening of our faith, and for the effective outreach of Christ's love to the whole world through us.

The eternal, glorious Christ came. He wrought out redemption full and free. He revealed God's great love to us—and to all the world. What a delightful Christmas message that is. Let us receive it and declare it

PECAN WELLS—
By MRS. ALONZO HARRIS

Arch Smith and family returned from Goose Creek last Sunday night where they had been visiting. Alonzo Harris and Mrs. J. J. Roberts returned home with them.

H. C. Yeager and family have moved to the Will Glover place near Pottsville. Oscar Denton is

moving where Mr. Yeager lived. Jim Green was injured Saturday evening while working on his car. He is suffering with several broken ribs. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Havens and family of Cross Plains have been visiting in Pecan Wells the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crawford went to Waco Monday.

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We are offering a nice variety of gifts for Christmas shoppers. Sheaffer Pens and Pen Sets, Watches, Bracelets, Locketts, and Chains, Ear Screws, Stationery, Candies, Cigars, Toilet Sets, Men's Sets, Old Spice and Friendship's Garden Line, Cara Nome and Adriene lines, Flash Lights, Bill Folds, Cigarettes, Scrap Books, Toys, Thermos Bottles, Thermos Jugs, Electric Toasters, Irons and Percolator, Christmas Lights and Wrappings.

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Sunday morning we will bring our Christmas message. It would help greatly to make the service a success if the church could be filled for that hour. At the evening hour the Choir will bring a message in song. We wish to urge everyone to come and enjoy this service.

The pastor of the Methodist Church wishes to extend to all a most hearty, "Merry Christmas." While it is night on the earth let us stop and hear the angels sing as did the shepherds of old. B. A. MYERS, Pastor.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our thanks for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our father, J. W. Randles. HIS CHILDREN.

Mrs. J. V. Cockrum has repapered and painted her apartment house on 4th Street.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

Next Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock the church will have a Christmas musical program. This will be the formal Christmas celebration. All friends of the church are invited to be the church's guests.

All other services will have their regular schedule, with Sunday school at 10:00 and the worship service at 10:50, and closing by 11:45.

Everybody has a standing invitation to attend any one or all of our services.

And here is the greeting of the whole church to the whole citizenship for Christmas and a wish for your enjoyment and well-being.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

F. P. SMITH, Pastor

There will be a Christmas program and tree at the Church of the Nazarene Sunday night, December 21 at 7:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend and bring friends and neighbors. All presents will be placed on the tree and handed out after the program.

Mrs. Smith has gotten up the entire program and the young people have been working hard. Come early so you can get a front seat.

Let us not forget that Christmas means more than the buggy-boo Santa Claus and expensive gifts. Christmas is the birth date of Jesus Christ the Son of God. Let us remember that this Christmas season, and worship Him.

CAPTAIN COLLIER SAFE
 The Eagle last week carried a long letter from Capt. Raymond Collier, brother of C. C. Collier of Goldthwaite. Captain Collier was chaplain on one of the United States battleships reported sunk at the outbreak of hostilities on Sunday, Dec. 7. His brother here has received a telegram from Capt. Collier's wife in California that the captain was okay.

A message was received last week from Dean Dickerson, Carroll Berry, Alton Rose, Marshall Miller, Floyd McKenzie, and Dave Straley that they were safe and in no immediate danger at Englewood, Calif.

Mrs. Monroe Simms of Sweetwater returned to her home Friday after a visit with her son, A. T. Simms and family.

HANNA VALLEY—By JEWEL JONES

Wars and rumors of war. Well, at last it is here, but let's all stick together and win this battle. We can all do something to help.

Grain looks better here since the rain. Stock looks good and have a lot of grain to graze on. Geo. Goins is the proud owner of a nice V-8 car.

Frank Whitley of San Saba County is having Alton Jones to repair his car this week. Jr. Geo. Whitley, Jr., made a business trip to Goldthwaite Monday.

Geo. Whitley and family visited in the Alton Jones home this week end.

Tom Riggs has moved to San Angelo to take care of Jim Churchwell's farm and stock.

We are proud of our new bus line through here. The Bowen bus runs twice daily and will stop and pick up passengers.

J. M. Jones has been on the sick list, but is up at present. Glad to report that Ben Eger is still improving.

Jim Churchwell visited in the Alton Jones home last week end and delivered a nice Cordell Buck from San Angelo to Alton Jones.

Christmas is almost here. Don't forget the soldier boys, send them a present, card or your county newspaper. It will be appreciated.

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